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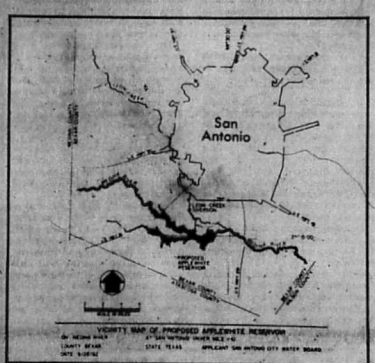

Applewhite meeting set

By Nick Johnson
Editor

A meeting has been scheduled Jan. 23 by the U.S. Corps of Engineers on the proposed Applewhite Reservoir downstream on the Medina River to "gather information from concerned citizens prior to compiling its environmental impact statement."

The meeting will be held at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria of the Pearce Elementary School 14 miles south of San Antonio on U.S. Highway 281. Pearce school is near the site of the proposed reservoir.

The San Antonio City Water Board has asked the CE for a permit to build the reservoir to store water for the use of residents of the city of San Antonio.

The proposal last January brought a flurry of protests from Medina Lake area persons last year when a hearing was scheduled but later canceled.

The Bandera County Commissioners Court and the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce both went on record last January opposing the proposed reservoir.

The president of the irrigation district that owns the rights to Medina Lake water charged that the proposed reservoir threatens the very existance of the venerable old lake.

Because use of water for human consumption ranks higher on the priority list established by state statute than irrigation, the new downstream reservoir would have first call on any water that falls in the Medina River watershed, says Cliff Mueller of Devine, president of the Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Control District No. 1 (BMA for short).

Accordingly, says Mueller, if the San Antonio City Water Board wanted the water, operators of the Medina Lake dam would have to let them have it, regardless of whether Medina Lake contained enough water for irrigation uses or recreational purposes.

The new reservoir could conceivably empty Lake Medina, Mueller said. The lake is currently 30 feet below normal.

Calling San Antonio "a municipal giant who, like a black hole in space engulfs all matter within its proximity," the Bandera County Commissioners Court unanimously passed a strongly-worded resolution opposing the reservoir.

County Judge Tommy Curbo, who penned the resolution, said last January he intended to present the resolution to the CE at a public hearing that was originally scheduled for last March but was never held. He said Wednesday he plans to present it at the Jan. 23 meeting.

Bandera's county commissioners said flatly the new reservoir "would create a water shortage, an economic loss and a curtailment of Bandera County growth."

Their petition called on San Antonio to stop its "mercenary recruitment" and to begin "concentrating upon the quality rather than the quantity of life within its perimeters," an apparent reference to the city's problems of crime, traffic and other problems of growth.

One Lake Medina group, however, backed the proposed new reservoir last year, calling it an important tool for conserving water. The Medina Lake Protection Association, headed by Gene Boyd of Mico, lashed out at the BMA instead. That group is not to be confused with the Medina Lake Betterment Association which took no position on the matter last year.

Actually the permit the City Water Board seeks from the CE is one to

(See RESERVOIR, Page 3.)

Record Livestock Show expected Jan. 12-14

What may be a record number of entries from a near record number of participants will jam the old Mansfield Park show barn Jan. 12-14 for the 48th renewal of the Bandera County Junior Livestock Show.

A total of 227 youth have entered 726 livestock, baked goods and shop projects in the three-day extravaganza for youth.

That's a healthy increase in total number of entries over the 695 entered last year, but there were 250 participants last year, show officials said.

Competition is among youth only — participants must be members of 4-H, Future Farmers or Homemakers of America or students in vocational agriculture or homemaking.

The big exposition is to get under way officially at noon Thursday, Jan. 12, but the morning will be filled with activity as nearly 600 animals begin arriving before 8 a.m. All must be in place by noon.

The judging is to get started promptly at 2 p.m. when the arbiters cast their measured glances at the dairy goats entered. That's an earlier starting time than ever before, a move made this year as an accommodation to the larger-than-ever entry list.

Judging of dairy cattle and Angora goats follows at 3 p.m. and rabbits entered by their youthful masters will catch the judges' eye at 5 p.m.

On Friday, Jan. 13, judges will rank market hogs, broiler chickens, turkeys, registered and commercial sheep, market lambs, steers, beef heifers and farm mechanics projects.

Activities at the show Friday will take place in a carnival-like atmosphere in the vicinity of the venerable old show barn as youth become busily engaged in preparing and showing their animals.

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The Bandera County Junior Livestock Show Association, the sponsoring organization, has announced plans to build a new show barn which they hope will be ready for 1985. The group is seeking funds for the barn and several fund-raising gimmicks are planned during this year's show.

The featured event of the three-day extravaganza will be Saturday's livestock auction when youthful exhibitors sell their well-groomed animals to the highest bidders.

Last year area businesses, ranches and individuals paid $63,236 to the youthful exhibitors.

That was a record show organizers expect to beat this year because there are more entries and the economic situation in Bandera County has improved over a year ago, most observers say.

Attention shifts from the skills of animal husbandry to the arts of culinary accomplishment Saturday morning when the baked products begin to arrive at 8 a.m.

There will be a showmanship contest at 9 a.m. when the judging of the baked products gets under way behind the scenes.

Prize-winning baked products will be sold to the highest bidders Saturday at 10:30 a.m. and the ladies of the various extension homemaker clubs will serve sausage lunch after the auction.

Dr. Ernest Mayfield is again show superintendent and Ard E. Richardson III is assistant superintendent. Connie Smith is show secretary and Jeanne Montgomery is assistant secretary.

Marcia Walker is bake show superintendent and Artie Erfurt is again farm mechanics project show superintendent.

Another highlight of the show will be the presentation of the Larry Bausch Agricultural Citizenship Award, the feature of a long list of trophies and awards which will be given at 1 p.m. Saturday.

Brenda Mayfield won the coveted award last year. The annual winner is named by a blue-ribbon committee on the basis of participation in ag or homemaking-related and other activities, scholastic achievement, leadership and church and community service.



The pride of accomplishment shows in the face of young Kevin Madill as he held up for inspection the pride of his pen of rabbits that was reserve champion in last year's Bandera County Junior Livestock Show. Spectators will see lots of looks of accomplishment Jan. 12-14 at Mansfield Park during the 48th edition of the extravaganza of youth and their animals. The featured livestock auction is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 14, and the baked goods will be sold to the highest bidders at 10:30 a.m. the same day.

Four men jailed in connection with death of former Medina woman in car wreck

By Rick Young
Staff writer

Four persons are in jail as a result of a hit-and-run accident last Wednesday that killed Kimberly Britt Eoff, 24, the daughter of a Medina family.

Eoff, a Brady school teacher, was killed in a two-car accident on Highway 173 approximately 15 miles north of Bandera.

Occupants of a Monte Carlo that sideswiped Eoff's late model Toyota fled the scene, and one was arrested Thursday by DPS officers in Pasadena. A second and third suspect in the hit-and-run incident surrendered Saturday to Bandera County sheriff's deputies and a fourth was arrested Saturday.

Felony charges of failure to stop and render aid have been filed against Ricky Burns, 25, of Bandera; Shelton Shepherd, age unknown, of Pasadena, and William Hathcoat, 24, of Bandera. All are in Kerr County Jail in lieu of $50,000 bond each. They were charged before Peace Justice Betty Burney of Center Point.

Wayne Lee Jones, 28, Bandera, was arrested Saturday on a warrant supplied by Kerr County Authorities by Bandera Deputy Bob Hines. Jones is also charged with felony failure to stop and render aid and is also being held in Kerr County under $50,000 bond assessed by Peace Justice Tom Grant.

Police told the Bulletin that a car driven by either Jones or Heathcoat was following the Monte Carlo when the collision occurred. They took Burns and Shepherd into the second car and departed the scene, driving to Bandera, according to officials. Burns and Shepherd departed for Pasadena in another car which broke down en route, officials said.

Burns continued hitchhiking to Pasadena, while Shepherd notified DPS authorities he was returning to Bandera. He surrendered the following day to Bandera sheriff's deputies.

A source who asked not to be identified and who arrived first on the scene stated Eoff had been taken from her car and covered with a coat. Her car's engine was running when this source arrived and a fire was burning in the engine of the other car, a Chevrolet Monte Carlo with Illinois license plates.

The accident occurred when the Monte Carlo, which was reportedly southbound on 173, allegedly crossed the centerline and sideswiped the northbound auto driven by Eoff. The Monte Carlo then spun off the highway, passed through a fence and came to a halt in a pasture on the east side of the highway.

The highway was clear and night had not fallen at the time of the collision, witnesses said.

Police, on learning the identity of the suspects, concentrated their search in the Bandera area until late Wednesday evening. Information received by the sheriff's office through a confidential source indicated the pair may be headed for Pasadena and authorities there were notified and provided with descriptions and additional information by local police which allowed Pasadena officers to arrest Burns.

Eoff was pronounced dead at the scene by Judge Burney. She was a junior high school coach in Brady and was a graduate of San Angelo State University.

In addition to her husband, Sam Eoff of Medina, she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Britt, Medina; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Britt, Austin; a sister and brother, Karen Britt and Michael Britt of Medina.

She was buried at Oak Rest Cemetery in Medina Friday.

Bandera County Potpourri

By Nick Johnson

Guest ranches for all reasons

Like most of us, newspaper editors too get caught up in the activities of the season. Because that's so, it takes a slower-paced January just to regain one's equilibrium.

That's one excuse, but not a very good one, for being so late in passing out kudos to Ray Marvin Hay and to the Kellers of Keller's Meats and Smokehouse.

Hay's new real estate office and Keller's nearby renovated store front add class to the upper end of Main Street, and both are very much in keeping with the Cowboy Capital image downtown merchants hope to encourage.

The Cowboy Capital continues to get area-wide, statewide and nationwide attention.

Item: A letter to the editor last week called attention to the attention the downtown hitching post story attracted in at least one San Antonio newspaper.

Item: During the statewide telecast of the Class 5-A football championship a fortnight or so ago, one no less than former Dallas Cowboy great Roger Staubach thrust Bandera into the limelight.

Staubach and fellow commentators Darrell Ro al and Vern Lundquist were discussing the fact that the site of the game, Dallas, had little relation to the two teams involved—one from San Antonio and the other from Midland.

"It would have been closer for both teams had this game been played in Bandera," Staubach commented.

And item: About the same time, famed country and western singer Mel Tillis sung his newest release on a network television special hosted by the Statler Brothers.

Here are some of the words from that song:

You've been to Bandera, Texas
And all over the world.
You've seen the smoothest dances
And the prettiest girls.

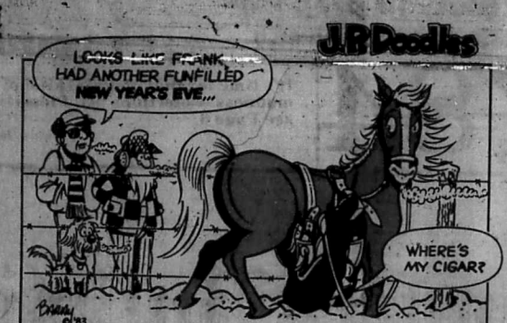
Bungy Grant tells us Tillis' album containing the reference to Bandera is an MCA release titled "After All This Time."

We don't know what it is about Bandera, but it keeps popping up in prominent places. Both the Dallas Times Herald and the Austin American Statesman, for example, devoted major features this summer to the guest ranch business in the Bandera area.

Of course, these don't just happen. Chamber of commerce secretary Sue Martin and several of the ranches spent a lot of time and effort in assisting the writers of those stories.

Some were disappointed in the article that appeared in Dallas, but we weren't. The worst the writer said was that we had some guest ranches here that were so close to being real, working ranches that they were dull; and we had other ranches that were so much fun they weren't like real, working ranches.

Hey, that's good. Whatever your taste in a guest ranch, we have it in Bandera County.



New state laws become effective on New Year's Day

AUSTIN—On January 1, the bills approved during the legislative session last spring became law, and for most Texans, the dramatic change is in the DWI laws.

The crackdown on drunk drivers was among the most emotional of legislative issues, and proponents of DWI reform got almost everything they wanted out of the Legislature.

Although lawmakers resisted passing the "Open Containers Bill," which would make it illegal for anyone in the vehicle to have an open beer can or such, the following changes were approved, effective Jan. 1, 1984:

—Mandatory jail time for repeat offenders: first offenders may still get probation, but a second offense within 10 years requires a minimum of 72 hours in jail, and a third offense carries a 10-day jail minimum.

—All convictions are final: all convictions will become part of the defendant's record, and not erased after probation is completed, as in the past.

—Felony conviction: A third offense can be filed as a felony, with a maximum jail sentence of five years, and a fine from $500 to $5,000.

—Increased penalties: fines of first offenders will range from $100 to $2,000, compared to the old range of $50 to $500.

Videotaping suspects

—Videotaping DWI suspects: counties with at least 25,000 population are required to buy videotaping equipment to record the actions of DWI suspects, as they are booked into jail, for use in court.

—Refusing breath tests: any suspect who refuses to take a breath test faces a 90-day automatic license suspension, even if later acquitted.

—Mandatory specimen-taking: officers are required to take a specimen of the DWI suspect's blood, breath or urine in alcohol-related traffic accidents where a person has died or likely will die.

—Penalty for lending car: any person who knowingly lends a motor vehicle to a person whose license has been suspended for a DWI-related offense.

—Forfeiture of vehicle: a county may seize and sell the vehicle upon conviction of a fourth DWI offense.

Senate redistricting

The long, drawn-out struggle to redraw and approve new voting boundaries for Texas senatorial districts came to a close last week when a three-judge federal panel approved the plan passed by the Legislature last spring.

The plan is final until lawmakers must redistrict again in 1990.

Republicans and Mexican-American groups had opposed the plan, but instead have decided to concentrate efforts on the still-pending Texas House and Congressional plans.

Mobil settlement

State officials were striving last week to reconstruct the $500 million settlement of their lawsuit against Mobil Oil which was killed by the last minute intervention of the Exxon Corp.

The state seeks to find a third party to buy mineral rights on the disputed oil lease land. An anonymous third party had agreed to do that in the original settlement, but allegedly backed out when Exxon's delay destroyed the end-of-the-year tax advantages.

Senate race

Two candidates for the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by John Tower nailed another plank on their campaign platforms last week.

Democrat Bob Krueger, a former congressman and ambassador to Mexico, called for full parity for farmers and ranchers.

He also called for farmers to be paid money for set-aside lands, and not paid for stored grain, as they are now.

He also urged the U.S. to buy and stockpile Mexican oil to bolster the border economy.

Republican Congressman Ron Paul of Houston, a medical doctor, advocated a return to the free-market system, including doing away with food stamps and welfare programs for the poor as well as eliminating the subsidies for giant corporations and banks.

He also said he wants to limit foreign aid to communist bloc nations.

Rate hike request

One week after being granted $650 million emergency rate hike, AT&T Communications asked the Public Utility Commission for a 27.8 percent increase in long distance rates.

If allowed, the increase would generate over $300 million in revenues for AT&T.

The company says it must pay most of the emergency money to Bell Telephone for use of equipment.

Bullock says electric company cost taxpayers $15 million

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said this week he hopes the next time Texas Utilities Electric Company seeks a rate increase from the Public Utility Commission, the PUC will remember the company is already enjoying a $15 million windfall it got at the expense of other Texas taxpayers.

Bullock said the company took advantage of an obscure loophole in the state's 75-year-old utility gross receipts tax law to save $15 million in state taxes when Texas Electric Service Company merged with Texas Power & Light and Dallas Power & Light.

"The tax law says that since these companies merged I have to treat them as a brand new firm and only charge them a minimum tax of $50 for the first quarter of 1984," Bullock said. The firm will still pay an estimated $45 million for the remaining three quarters of 1984, Bullock noted.

"When the PUC approved this merger, they said they didn't know how it would affect the company's customers. I don't know either, but I do know the rest of us Texas taxpayers have taken a $15 million poke in the eye with the sharp end of an accountant's pencil."



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Last year, faced with annual mowing expenses exceeding $32 million, the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation (DHT), started a pilot program to increase cost effectiveness in its roadside maintenance.

Dramatic results in the 29 test counties across the state prompted DHT to put the program into effect statewide.

DHT Chief Landscape Architect Craig Steffens reports statewide mowing costs for 1982-83 dropped 12.5 percent due to the success of the Vegetation Management System in pilot counties and to an unusually dry year. He estimates cost savings after one year of the program statewide could be as high as 23 percent, with savings even more dramatic after several years of operation.

The idea behind vegetation management is to maintain roadsides in a cost effective way by making right of ways blend more naturally into the native environment. Attention is given to establish or encourage vegetation that is native to the area and requires little or no maintenance.

The agricultural principles employed include range management, erosion control, wild flower preservation and propagation and control of noxious weeds.

In the past, roadside maintenance usually consisted of mowing from one right of way line to the other, which was both expensive and dangerous to personnel and travelers. New selective mowing will still achieve priorities of traffic safety; protection of the state's multibillion dollar highway investment and aesthetics. Money saved in labor, repairs, equipment and fuel can now be applied to highway repair and other expenditures.

Dated eggs could help consumers make choices

An easy-to-understand "date" on egg cartons could be a big help to consumers looking for high quality, fresh eggs.

Present regulations do not require either a "pack" date or "pull" date on egg cartons, says Dr. David B. Meller, poultry marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. But, many egg cartons are "dated."

A "pack" date on cartons is usually based on the Julian calendar. Under this system, days of the year are numbered consecutively, explains Meller. For example, Jan. 1 is 001, Jan. 31 is 031, June 25 is 176 and so on. Packers and store personnel use this date for inventory control and proper shelf stocking.

In addition to a "pack" date, many companies use a "pull" or expiration date. This is usually a month followed by the date and preceded by "Exp" or "Sell By." This date is usually from 10 to 30 days following packing, depending on the grade of eggs and the store or company involved, notes the specialist.

Even though eggs may have reached this "pull" date, they would not have lost their high nutritional value, Meller assures.

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Reservoir proposal brings opposition

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allow the discharge of dredged or fill material into the Medina River. "This discharge would occur as a part of the construction of the proposed Applewhite Dam on the Medina River (in) Bexar County," the CE said this week.

They call the Jan. 23 meeting a "scoping meeting" during which the federal agency hopes to "determine the scope and significant issues to be analyzed in depth in the environmental impact statement."

A Corps of Engineers spokesman in Fort Worth told the Bulletin the CE had no idea the project would be opposed by persons interested in Lake Medina until a flood of protests reached their office after articles began appearing in the Bulletin a year ago.

Many of the protests were encouraged by Don Nelson, a Lake Medina area property owner, who spearheaded opposition to the proposed reservoir among residents and property owners in the lake area.

He collected signatures from some 200 persons opposing the project and he told the Bulletin he planned to present them to the CE at the meeting last March that was never held. He was unavailable Wednesday for comment.

The Corps of Engineers said it has invited members of the general public to make statements concerning the environmental effects of the proposed reservoir, including the expected impact on the future of Lake Medina.

The Applewhite project includes plans for a dam, reservoir and a pump station on the river. The proposed dam site is 2.4 miles upstream from the confluence of the Medina River and Leon Creek and 11 miles southwest of the center of San Antonio.

The reservoir would contain 2,500 surface areas and a volume of 45,500 acre-feet of water. Approximately 7,229 acres would be inundated by the reservoir at the maximum high water elevation, the CE says.



Staff photo by Rick Young

Faces of Bandera County

Dina Felten, 20, of Pipe Creek is a finalist in the San Antonio Express/KKYX Rodeo Queen contest for 1984. Whatever the criteria for Queen this year, Dina's bright smile certainly makes her a winner in Bandera. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Felten, also of Pipe Creek, and another memorable Face of Bandera County.

Bandera woman escapes injury when pickup rolls

Clare Jo Anderson, Bandera, escaped serious injury when her 4x4 Toyota pickup rolled one time on a curve about one and one half mile inside Medina County on Texas Highway 16, New Year's Eve.

Bandera Sheriff's deputies Jimmy DeLesdernier and Jim MacMillan along with DPS Trooper Nolan Metz investigated the accident.

The incident occurred very near the site where two women were killed several weeks ago and where another car operated by a Bandera resident was totaled. Construction in the area is expected to begin in mid-summer to bring the three-mile stretch of highway in Medina County up to the newly-completed portions in Bandera and Bexar counties.

Needlepoint workshop planned at Medina by Vocational Homemaking Advisory Council

The Vocational Homemaking Advisory Council of Medina Public Schools is sponsoring a needlepoint workshop at the Medina High School Cafeteria on Monday, Jan. 9, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Pam Baker from the Humming bird of Kerrville will conduct the workshop and will teach eight basic background stitches, says Susan Neuenschwander, homemaking teacher at Medina. There will be a $2 charge for the workshop, she says, and all supplies will be furnished.

Calendar

Today, January 5
Tarpley Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.

Friday, January 6
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Saturday, January 7
CLVFD, 10 a.m., firehouse.

Monday, January 9
Bandera Co. Commissioners Court, 9 a.m., courthouse.
Bandera Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
American Cancer Society, 2:30 p.m. FSBCR.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin R restaurant.
Bandera City Council, 7 p.m., municipal bldg.
Bandera Square dance club, 7-10 p.m., FNBBR.
Medina 4-H Community Club, 7:30 p.m., Medina School.
Hill Country 4-H Community Club, 7:30 p.m., Medina Baptist Church.
PC First Baptist Church women, 7:30 p.m., church.

Tuesday, January 10
Williams Creek Homemakers, 2 p.m., Tarpley Community Center.
Board of Trustees of BISD, 7:30 p.m., Bandera High School Library, open to the public.
MLVFD, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.
Hill Country Rabbit Breeding Assn. 7:30 p.m., FSBCR.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
PC Community to meet, 8 p.m., PC Community Center.

Wednesday, January 11
League of Women in Business, 5:50 p.m., Sundance Travel Agency.
Bandera Volunteer Fire Department election meeting, 7 p.m., firehouse.
LVFD bingo, 7 p.m.
Bandera Junior 4-H Community Club, 7 p.m., FNBBR.
Hill Country Kennel Club, 8 p.m., FSBCR.

Thursday, January 12
Bandera County Junior Livestock Show.
Medina School Board, 7:30 p.m., school.
PCVFD, 8 p.m., firehouse.

Temperatures

Dates	Low	High	Rainfall
Wednesday, Dec. 28	23	42	
Thursday, Dec. 29	16	38	
Friday, Dec. 30	10	35	
Saturday, Dec. 31	16	50	
Sunday, Jan. 1	42	64	
Monday, Jan. 2	33	54	.57
Tuesday, Jan. 3	39	60	.04

Rainfall so far this month: .61 in. Rainfall so far this year: .61 in. Dec. average high 53, low 32. Dec. 10 high 78, Dec. 30 low 10.

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Short course on beef scheduled

Part one of the Beef Cattle Short Course will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 10, 1984 at the First National Board Room and will beginat 7:30 p.m.

Part one is designed to give producers a way to evaluate the range and permanent pasture situation. Dr. Larry White, extension range specialist, will cover stocking rates and carrying capacity and range trend. Dr. Noble Kearney, extension agronomist, will cover winter pasture establishment, oat and wheat pastures and variety selection.

Parts two and three, to be held in February and March, will cover marketing strategies, replacement heifer selection and herd health control.

"Try to make all three parts of the Beef Cattle Short Course," said extension agent Scott Durham. "You will get a broad base of information from specialists in different areas."

The Beef Cattle Short Course is an educational activity sponsored by the Bandera County Extension Livestock, Range and Pasture Committee, Durham pointed out.



Robert and Dixie Cohn of Bandera are proud to announce the birth of twins Dec. 21 at Sid Peterson Hospital. Tiffany Nichole weighed 5 lbs., 9 oz., and Charles Derek followed weighing in at 6 lbs., 13 oz.

Maternal grandmother is Evelyn Burkett and great-grandmother is Alice Nixon. Paternal grandparents are John and Beverly Cohn. Great-grandparents are Mary Garner of Cleveland, Tex., Jack Garner of San Angelo and John H. Cohn of Houston.

Prize winning pianist in Kerrville concert

Geneva International Competition winning pianist William Westney comes to Kerrville at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 14, in the second of five concerts on the third annual Kerrville Winter Music Festival.

The concert of music by Bach, Chopin, Schumann and Ravel will be at Kerrville Municipal Auditorium and advance discount tickets went on sale Tuesday, Jan. 3. They may be mail ordered from the Kerrville Performing Arts Society, P.O. Box 1884, Kerrville 78028. Adult tickets are $5 in advance and $6 at the door with children's tickets (under age 12) at half-price.

Sides

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sides of Bandera are happy to announce the arrival of their 6 lb., 9 oz. baby boy Jan. 2. Brady Chance Sides, along with his proud mom, are doing well.

Bandera briefs



Olga Bolduc, January's artist of the month, believes no one is ever too old or too accomplished to learn new painting techniques and so she has recently taken an all-day seminar conducted by noted seascape artist Robert Garden of Corpus Christi. Olga will be demonstrating Garden's techniques for her students in the coming months.

School panel to meet

The board of trustees of the Bandera Independent School District will meet in regular session open to the public on Tuesday, Jan. 10, at 7:30 p.m.

Pre-business seminar

A "Pre-Business Seminar" for current and prospective women business owners will be offered by Women's Opportunity Workshops of San Antonio College Continuing Education.

The class offers 12 hours of instruction in what it takes to improve the operation of a current business or open a new business.

Topics include developing the business concept, start-vs-buy-vs-franchise, market analysis and research, financial planning, financing a business and human relations.

The seminar will meet Tuesdays and Thursdays, Jan. 17 through Jan. 26 from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. in the San Antonio College Continuing Education Center, 1517 N. Main Street. Registration fee is $15.

Assertiveness training

Women's Opportunity Workshops of San Antonio College Continuing Education, will be offering an 18-hour Intensive Assertiveness Training.

This course will focus on using skills for effective, assertive communication, learn to express yourself directly, honestly and appropriately in personal and professional relationships. Topics include identification of rights, reducing blocks to assertion and non-verbal communications.

The classes will be held on Tuesdays, Jan. 17 through Feb. 21, from 9 a.m. until noon. Fee for the course is $20.

Needleworks

"Needleworks," a Hill Country Arts Foundation exhibit of very special handcrafted needle artistry, will include portions of several collections plus new pieces. Antique needlework from the British Isles including Broiderie Anglaise also will be featured in the exhibit which will run from Jan. 29 through Feb. 18.

An opening reception will be held Jan. 29 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Hill Country Arts Foundation Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on weekdays.

The H.C.A.F. is located west of Ingram just past Johnson Creek on Highway 39.

BVFD donors listed

Here is a list of 1983 donors to the Bandera Volunteer Fire Department:

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Suede, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wharton, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wharton, Mrs. Billie Herriott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wyatt, William Dubose, Mabel Cutting-ham, Harvey Baathoff, Roger Reinhert, Hill Country Vet Clinic and Roland Britsch.

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A Gift to the AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY MEMORIAL PROGRAM will help in the war against cancer.

AF to resume low level flights

Bandera County is included along one of six low-level navigational training routes the Air Force has announced it will be using during the next several months.

F4 Phantoms and T-38 Talon trainer aircraft, along with some other varieties of jets, will use the route for low-altitude, navigational training, flying at altitudes ranging from 100 to 1,500 feet. The Air Force says speeds will be 500 knots and below to prevent sonic booms.

The aircraft will remain more than 1,000 feet above known population centers, hospitals, poultry farms and other congested areas, the Air Force says. Flights will be conducted between 9 a.m. and 7 p.m., Monday through Saturday.

Residents in the western end of the county, in the Vanderpool area most notably, have reported sonic booms generated by these aircraft, as well as overflights well below the promised 1,000 feet in the past.

Violations should be reported not to the Air Force but to the Federal Aviation Administration flight service stations in San Antonio or Austin. Witnesses should note the aircraft number of a plane that violates the Air Force's guidelines, a spokesman said.

The route to be used extends 10 miles either side of a line that begins 12 miles west-southwest of Dripping Springs and proceeds along to a point three miles south of Comfort then continues to a point three miles west of Leakey. There it turns southwest to a point 11 miles northeast of Brackettville. From there it goes due south to a point six miles west of Artesia Wells.

Murder victim

A young woman whose nude body was discovered in Medina County near Yancey has been identified as Deborah Jean Wooten, 26, of Durham, N.C. She had been sexually assaulted and strangled before being dumped along Farm Road 462. Wooten was identified through a fingerprint check.

It was widely reported, after a photograph was aired on San Antonio television, that Wooten had been seen in Bandera shortly before her death. No confirmation of this report could be found, however.

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Oehler-Horner

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Oehler of Lakehills and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tietz of Pebble Beach wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Karrie Sue, to James J. Horner, son of Sue Horner and the late Joe Horner of San Antonio.

Miss Oehler graduated from Bandera High School in 1982 and is currently attending the University of Texas in Austin. Mr. Horner graduated from Edison High School in San Antonio in 1979 and attended Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. He is currently employed with Crossland Homes of San Antonio.

The couple plan a June wedding.

Two fires

In the wee hours Tuesday morning the MLVFD was called to the Ed Moore residence for a vehicle fire, which they extinguished before any damage was done to nearby buildings.

While the firemen were refilling the pumpers at the firehouse a call came for a residence fire at the Halfmann home on Park Road 37. The firemen responded immediately and the house suffered damage to one wall and the flooring and furnishings in the living room. The fire was started when a log rolled out of the fireplace onto the floor.

New Year's in Lakehills

New Year's Eve celebrations started at noon with the D&H open house with over 100 residents stopping by for refreshments and a visit with Doris and Harold. All over Lakehills there were private parties and receptions with relatives, friends and neighbors gathering to reflect on 1983 and to plan for 1984.

Pam and Bob Elliott hosted a buffet dinner for approximately 60 guests in their home. When everyone had eaten until they could eat no more, they converged on the Civic Center for the MLBA's annual New Year's Eve Party and Dance.

The MLBA decorating committee did an outstanding job with life balloons, confetti, streamers, and candles. Among the 200 plus dancing out the old year and visiting with friends and neighbors were the 40 guests from Thousand Trails, the Tom Clark family from San Antonio, the Dan Alanis, the V.A. and Howard Hills, Hattie Harrison, the Blanks, Dunnings, Ashmores, Picketts, Polly Lawson, Ed Jennings, the Dunns, Watermans, Louise Marmon, George Ward, the Nordlunds, Bob Caswell, Barbara Engels, the Murffs and Panchita Thomson.

Bouquet of roses

To John Provance who is hospitalized, to Kath Cowley who is recuperating at home after surgery, to Helen Temple and to Pam Elliot.

A special bouquet to EMT Dot McCracken who had an accident in her car Monday morning while responding to a call for the ambulance. We're so thankful you weren't hurt.

Lakehills Chapter AARP

The Lakehills Chapter of the AARP celebrated Christmas Dec. 19 with a feast provided by the members. Honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Kruse, Commander of the American Legion and President of the Auxiliary.

The members of the chapter have certainly appreciated the privilege of meeting at the Legion Home. Some 36 members and guests enjoyed the dinner and the beautiful decorations. Poinsettias graced each table lending a festive air.

Because the weather was so bad, invited dignitaries from other chapters did not attend. The installation of new officers was postponed until the next meeting which will be Jan. 23. A gavel was presented to President Nadine Hartmann to assist her in her administrative duties.

Handmade lap robes and walker pockets were on display, before being taken to every resident in Purple Hill Nursing Home.

An exercise class will begin Jan. 9, at 9 a.m. at the Methodist Church. Any in the community who wish are invited to join in the fun.

The chapter members are planning several interesting and informative programs. The permanent charter should be awarded soon. The chapter membership is fast approaching the 100 mark. How about that?

1930's Sock Hop

Don't forget to keep Jan. 14 open for the second of the Medina Lake Betterment Association's Dance series. It will be a 1950's Sock Hop. Your favorite DJ Jim MacMillan will be spinning all the great discs from that fabulous era.

Dress for the appropriate time is recommended but not a must. A 50's snack bar and accessories will also be available. Stay tuned for more information next week. Reservations can be made by calling Marie Pickett at 751-2000.

American Legion Post 410

The American Legion Post 410 will feature a Las Vegas Night Jan. 28 at 6 p.m. Limited paid-in-advance reservations only. First 150 reservations will be accepted.

MLVFD

The first meeting of 1984 for the Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department will be held Jan. 10 at the firehouse at 7:30 p.m. All members and prospective members are urged to attend. Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

Five arrested here over New Year's

Six persons were arrested New Year's Eve and early New Year's Day and booked into jail on alcohol-related charges.

Michael Lema, 28, Bandera, was arrested by DPS troopers and charged with driving while intoxicated and driving with a suspended license. Lema was released on a $900 in personal recognizance bonds set by Pence Justice Tom Grant.

James Bryan Taylor, 20, Bandera, was released after paying $231 in fines for public intoxication assessed by Peace Justice Bonnie Towers.

Two illegal Mexican aliens, Manuel Ramirez and Ezequiel Cardenas, both 25, who gave addresses as simply Mexico, were arrested by DPS Trooper Dan Butts. Ramirez was charged with public intoxication, while Cardenas was cited for driving while intoxicated, no liability insurance and no driver's license. Both were remanded to the custody of the Immigration and Naturalization Service for deportation to Mexico.

Nolan W. Adams Jr., 30, Medina, was the first prisoner booked into Bandera County jail in 1984. He was arrested by DPS Trooper Nolan Metz Jan. 1 and charged with driving while intoxicated. Judge Grant set a $400 bond and Adams was released on a personal recognizance later in the same day.

Daniel Eugene Thaler, 18, Bandera, was arrested New Year's Day by Trooper Metz and charged with driving while intoxicated and possession of marijuana. Assessed $400 bonds on each charge, he was released after a bondsman posted surety bonds in his behalf Jan. 2, 1984.

Arnold Ray Strickland, 31, of Bandera was arrested Jan. 2 by city police and charged with public intoxication in a motor vehicle, fleeing police, driving the wrong way on a one-way street, running a stop sign and driving on the wrong side of the road. Officers also reported resistive behavior. Strickland was released after paying a total of $602.50 in fines.

Banderan John J. McGroarty was arrested by city police Dec. 27 and booked into county jail charged with public intoxication. Fined $91 by Judge Bonnie Towers, McGroarty was released Dec. 31.

Election announcements



A.A. (Pete) Reed to seek office .

A.A. "Pete" Reed has authorized the Bandera Bulletin to announce his candidacy for election to the office of Bandera County Commissioner in Precinct 3, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary on May 5.

Reed was born and raised in Bandera County, the son of the late John Reed and Vernie Reed of Medina. He married Jessie Taylor, daughter of the late Elijah Taylor of Camp Verde.

He served for 2½ years with the Naval Construction Batallion during World War II, seeing most of his duty in the Pacific.

After the war he established his home in Bandera. He worked as a carpenter for several years, after which he was employed at Bandera Mercantile for 11 years. He owned and operated his own business (Reed's Floor and Cabinet Shop) for 20 years.

"Having lived in the county for most of my life, I am aware of the economic status of Bandera County," Reed said. "If elected to office, I will strive to conduct the duties of county commissioner to the best of my abilities. Your vote and support will be appreciated."

(Paid pol. ad by A.A. Reed, Box 524, Bandera 78003.)

Assessor-collector to run again

Mrs. Marguerite Stevens, tax assessor-collector, has authorized the Bandera Bulletin to place her announcement in the political column as she is a candidate for the office she now holds.

She asks for the support and vote of the qualified voters in Bandera County and says she will continue to conduct the office in a fair and impartial manner.

(Paid pol. ad Marguerite Stevens, Box 3, Bandera 78003.)

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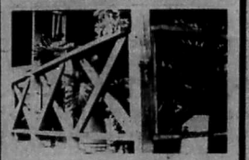
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GOOD NEWS

1984: It's time for that biennial madness

Bandera County Elections '84

It's a new year, one numbered in even numbers, and that means it is a year in which the biregial madness Americans call elections takes place, and the race in Bandera County has already began to pick up.

Three more candidates formally announced for office this week, including incumbent tax assessor-collector Margouerite Stevens. Candidates have until Feb. 6 to file for a place on the primary election ballots of either the Republican or Democratic party, both of which will be on May 5.

Also announcing their intention to seek office this week were A.A. (Pete) Reed of Bandera who will enter the Democratic primary seeking the nomination for county commissioner, Precinct 3, and Antonio Garcia III of Hondo who says he will seek the Democratic nomination for the State House of Representatives.

Reed's entry into the race for county commissioner sets up what is likely to be a contested race for the spot now held by Bob Ashley of Medina. While Ashley hasn't formally announced for re-election, he has been telling friends he intends to run.

Incumbent Rep. Jim Crockett from Pearsall has not formally announced re-election, but his office continues to send out news releases which indicate he will probably make the race.

Incumbent U.S. Rep Tom Loeffler, said early this fall he would seek re-election, and he has already drawn an opponent in the person of Bobby Locke of San Antonio, who said he would seek the Democratic nomination in May to oppose Republican Loeffler in the general election in November. Locke was formerly a Republican.

Incumbent Sheriff Guy V. Pickett and District Attorney Joe Mike Egan of Kerrville had earlier announced their intention to seek new terms in their offices.

Egan, a Republican, is almost sure to attract an opponent. Attorney James L. Elliott of Kerrville, a former assistant DA, has been telling voters he intends to run against Egan, but he has not yet formally announced. There has been talk in the legal profession about some other potential candidates in that race, including some Democrats.

City and school elections will be held on June 2 and candidates have until March 6 to file for those offices. Positions subject to the election this year are those in the Bandera ISD held by Thomas (Bub) Keese and Katie Ruede, those in the Medina ISD now held by James E. Brown, John J. Derry and Randy MacNaughton.

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Registered voters in Bandera County will soon begin receiving their new voter registration certificates, according to Mrs. Stevens. She said the new certificates, blue this year, will be mailed to registered voters on Jan. 13. "These certificates are good beginning March 1," the tax assessor-collector said.

She urged voters to check their certificate when they are received in the mail, especially for correct spelling of names, accurate addresses and the right voting precinct.

Persons who have moved and failed to notify the tax office will not receive their certificates. "These certificates cannot be forwarded to a new address," Mrs. Stevens said. She urged those persons who do not receive certificates for any reason to contact the tax office at 796-3731.

Persons currently not registered as voters may do so at the tax office any time 30 days before an election in order to be eligible to vote. Youths who will attain the age of 18 during 1984 may register anytime, but will not be able to vote until they actually reach voting age.

Persons wishing to file for spots on primary election ballots must do so with their party chairman. Bandera County Republican Party chairman is Col. Louis Duquette, and County Democratic chairman is Ray Marvin Hay.

Alcohol dependence can change pattern of behavior, thinking

Psychological dependency on alcohol develops in about one of every 12 people who drink and is the "essence" of alcoholism, according to an article in Texas Medicine.

"Dependence means being influenced, controlled, or determined by something — to rely on or trust something other than one's self," writes Dr. Edgar P. Nace, a psychiatrist. "This is the effect alcohol is having on those vulnerable to the development of alcoholism."

Psychological dependency refers to the condition that remains long after the patient stops drinking and continues to influence thinking and behavior during early years of recovery, he says.

The article appears in the December issue of Texas Medicine, the monthly journal of the Texas Medical Association. Nace is an associate professor of psychiatry at The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston.

He notes that psychological dependency is expressed mainly through these changes in behavior and thinking:

- The person's actions revolve increasingly around obtaining and drinking alcohol. "He may bring his own bottle to a party, lest the host not have his particular brand, but really (he does this) to be certain that a ready supply of alcohol is available. In the early stages of dependency, the person is concerned with the possibility that his drinking will interfere with his job. Later, the concern is that work may interfere with obtaining a drink."
- Dependency results in serious self-doubts about one's ability to cope without alcohol. "Only the uplifting sedative effect of alcohol will restore confidence," Nancy says.
- The possibility of living without alcohol fills the alcoholic with a silent dread," he notes, adding that boredom, loneliness, and a void are the expected results of quitting drinking.
- The alcoholic may develop the belief that he cannot stop drinking. This result in part, Nace says, from repeated failures in attempting to reduce or stop drinking.
- The alcoholic loses control over how much he drinks. "This loss of control begins before the first drink," not after it, Nace explains.
- A craving for alcohol results from being around people, places, or things associated with alcohol use. Another cause of craving is the physical dependence on alcohol, which is triggered by declining alcohol levels in the blood.

Other well-known behavioral changes include morning drinking, binge drinking, and brief amnesia or blackouts, Nace says.

He encourages doctors to refer patients to competent alcohol treatment programs if necessary. Changes in lifestyle or environment may be needed. In addition, he notes that citizens in the community who go to Alcoholics Anonymous can be helpful when meeting informally with an alcoholic. "As optimism for recovery is communicated, the seeds of hope are planted," Nace writes.

Psychological dependency remains long after a patient stops drinking.

Purple Hills

Mada Wedgworth

New comers

We welcome two new residents Veonita Porter and Dolores Baker. We hope they will enjoy their stay with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kitzman, Grace Kitzman and Dorothy Hatfield visited friends. While they were here, Joe played the accordion for us. Thanks Joe.

Santa arrived last Thursday with a twinkle in his eye and gifts for all the residents at our annual Christmas Party.

Services

Pastor David Doerfler of the Grace Lutheran Church used the text Sunday, Jeremiah 31:31-34 "A Covenant with End." Letha Doerfler was the piano player.

Those who registered were David, Letha, Ashley and Meredith Doerfler, Becky Peterson, Ken Kling, Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Sandi Kling, Jeff Bogacz, Andrea and Paul Beschle, Alice Hoencke, Mildred Zuttermeister and Amelia Dickens.

Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Walters of Austin visited his mother, Lura Walters.

Phil, Marlene, Debbie, Carol, Laura and Brian Grothues visited her uncle, Willie Leibold.

Linda Day came by for a visit with Alice Mellis before leaving for her home in Japan.

Myrtle Heinen's granddaughter, Jean Crist, and sons, Michael and Eric, and Nancy Crist of San Antonio came by Sunday to visit with her. Jack McKandles came by to visit Myrtle also.

Ervin Heyen of Pipe Creek visited his mother, Hulda Heyen.

Lorene Bialkowsky of Kerrville came by to visit with her sister, Ruth Batto.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick visited their many friends Wednesday afternoon.

Fayrene Craddock visited Elsie Seale, Donna Mayfield and Mona Evans.

Annie Kollaus's and Ruth Batto's guests last week were Betty Childs, Theresa Helbert, Eva Batto, Aggie Batto, Mary Helbert, Kathleen Helbert and sister, Dorothy Batto.

Ann and Raymond Mayfield visited Brice and Annie Mayfield.

Ruby Tanner's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Tanner of Lakehills, came by for a visit.

Sam and Lois Armstrong visited his mother, Mae Armstrong.

Retha Anderwald and son, Danny, visited their grandmother and great-grandmother, Hazel Anderwald.

Ernest Rainey's guests were his wife, Eva, and son, Paul.

Visiting Mary Mazurek was her granddaughter, Ciscie Cox, of Hobbs, N.M.

Charlsie Porter of Utopia and Tootie Mayfield of Medina visited Ruby Sides.

Claire Thaman and Dolores Brister of Kerrville visited Claire's mother, Agnes Fortinberry.

Maude Stokes' daughter, Ople Boyle, and her daughter, Charlotte of Austin, and Maude's granddaughter, Sandra Vannatter, and sons, Nathan and Jordan, came by for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited friends Sunday morning and took Jack Holloway to church at the Church of Christ.

Vanveer

We're sorry to report our Mary Vandervaer died early Dec. 27. Mary came to make her home with us on July 19, 1978. We will miss her. Our sympathy to all her loved ones.

Thank you

We thank the ladies Bible class from Camp Bandina for the pretty snowmen door decorations and to Pearl Harrell and June Oberg for bringing them by and putting them on the door.

Lucille Moore of Lakehills visited her mother, Lucille Landrum.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Les Bierman of Camp Bandina visited Ethel Pott.

New Year

As we look back over 1983, we can't help but think of all the good things that has happened over the past year. We have several faithful, loyal and dedicated volunteers for which we are very thankful.

We appreciate each and everyone of them who have helped in any way to make this past year a fun one for everyone and we are looking forward to 1984 to bring us good health and happiness.

Medina

Larry Thomas Williams — 589-7770

Medina vs, Leakey

The holiday lay off was evident in the performances of the Medina Bobcat basketballers Tuesday night.

The varsity girls seemed to run out of breath and collapsed in the fourth quarter and Leakey was able to overtake and finally squeeze out a five point win, 38-33.

The slow motion game was marked by poor shooting from the field on both sides and dismal results from the free throw line by Medina.

The missed points from the line made the difference between winning and losing.

Coach Richard Mims said, "We weren't in shape... we just ran down..."

The girls host Harper Thursday in their first district game.

The Bobcat boys managed to win their test against Leakey, 48-30, as they re-sorted themselves from the time off blues. Starting slow, the 'Cats missed lots of shots and seemed weighted down under the offensive basket.

However, their defensive rebounding and ability to keep Leakey out of the lane enabled Medina to gradually build a lead. Their 1-2-2 zone defense was very effective, forcing the opponents to try low-percentage outside shots.

Each time Leakey tried to pass inside, the Bobcats were there to steal the ball (12 in all) or at least cause a fumble. As the game progressed, Medina began to increase the pace and a bit of the smoothness shown earlier this season became evident.

The boys will have another shot at Leakey very soon. In a strange twist of scheduling, the Bobcats will journey to Leakey on Friday to do-it all over again. The Boys' district play will begin on Jan. 12 at Center Point.

Medina menu

Jan. 9-13

Monday: Corn dogs, French fries, pork and beans, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Tacos, salad, corn, fruit and milk.

Wednesday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, fruit and milk.

Thursday: Chalupas, salad, corn, fruit and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Lakeshore

Mrs. Dell Lackey — 796-3944

New Year's Eve parties

Bob and Dorothy Rucker with Bill and Flo Rush, entertained approximately 30 Lakeshore neighbors and friends with a cocktail buffet. The table, decorated with poinsettias and candle lights was laden with gourmet food.

They rang in the New Year singing "Auld Lang Syne" accompanied by the guitar playing of Dick Simon and friends. Honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. Rucker, Fort Worth, parents of Bob and Dorothy.

Ritch and Dana Simmons of the Copper Lantern, hosted a New Year's party for all of their friends. The traditional black-eyed peas and cornbread were served at midnight and while whistles blew and confetti showered, everyone wished each other a happy and prosperous New Year.

Denny Fairbairn provided the music for the party.

Birthday

The Landing was very happy to host a birthday party for Theresa Sowell, who celebrated her 18th birthday with many friends attending. Hors d'oeuvres and chili were served with a good time being had by all.

Visitors

Mark Hall with Maryann and Dixie Hall of San Antonio celebrated New Year's Eve with friends at the Copper Lantern.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beatty of McAllen, daughter and son-in-law of Dolly Sarran, were here for New Year's. Dolly spent Christmas with her family in McAllen.

Mary and Floyd Portman of Lakeshore enjoyed a wonderful New Year's Day dinner at the home of Ed and Billie Liebe in Boerne.

Dart tournament

The Landing Dart Team is still in first place in the dart tournament

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- **What side effects the drugs can cause.** Medicines may produce a variety of other reactions. Not all people will have the same side effects but you should know what the possibilities are.

There are many sources of information about prescription drugs. Ask your doctor or pharmacist.

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What is the CHURCH OF CHRIST?

Millions have asked this question in view of its remarkable growth throughout the world. The answer to this question is found in the New Testament.

JESUS PROMISED TO BUILD HIS CHURCH. In Matthew 16:18 Jesus said, "...and upon this rock I will build my church; and the gates of Hades shall not prevail against it." In this passage the Lord promised to build His church. It is generally understood by Bible scholars that the Lord kept His promise and that the New Testament sets forth and describes the church.

Upon what rock did he build His church? It was not upon Peter as some contend. In Matthew 16:16 the Lord had asked His disciples, "But whom say ye that I am?" Peter answered, "Thou are the Christ, the Son of the Living God" (Matthew 16:16). Jesus then commended Peter for his answer and stated that man had not revealed this fact to him; "but my Father which is in heaven" (Matthew 16:17). Jesus continuing said, "And I say unto thee, that thou are Peter (Petros, Greek word for a stone smaller than a ledge), and upon this rock (Petra, Greek word for a large solid rock ledge or cliff) I will build my church; and the gates of Hades shall not prevail against it" (Matthew 16:18). Hence, Jesus promised to build His church upon the solid and firm statement of Peter ... Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God" (Matthew 16:17). "Other foundations can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ" (I Corinthians 3:11).

Fifty days after Jesus' resurrection (Pentecost of Acts chapter 2) Christ built His church when three thousand became Christians by being baptized (immersed) into the death of Christ (Romans 6:3-5) and were added by the Lord into His church (Acts 2:41-47).

JESUS CHRIST IS THE ONLY HEAD OF THE CHURCH and He alone has preeminence in it. "And He (Christ) is the head of the body, the church...that in all things He might have the preeminence" (Colossians 1:18). Jesus said, "All authority is given unto me in heaven and on earth" (Matthew 28:18).

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THE CHURCH OF CHRIST is pleading for primitive Christianity, the restoration of the apostolic church and the unity of all through Christ Jesus. Jesus said, "The seed is the word of God" (Luke 8:11). When this seed is sown today it will bear the same fruit that it produced in the first century of Christianity. "...

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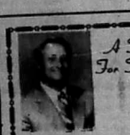

A Thought For The Week
By
John M. Grimes

I read this article the other day (author unknown) and with this being the beginning of a new year, I thought I would pass some of its thoughts to you:

"Suppose one were to sit down around the new year and ask himself, "What is the best possible resolution I can make and keep?"...

There are innumerable resolutions any one individual might make based upon his own weakness, his own failures, his own needs, ambitions, and hopes. For the individual concerned, any one of these resolutions offers a fitting challenge in the year ahead.

But there is one key resolution which puts iron into every other resolution. It is worthy of the high resolve of every individual, weak or strong, young or old, man or woman. It is a resolution most people can keep, although there may come times when it is not easy to do so.

This resolution is: NEVER STOP TRYING.

No matter how frequently you fail in whatever you have resolved to do, try again. Even if you can't stop failing, do not let yourself stop trying. However often you fail, if you never stop trying, who knows but one day you may succeed in reaching your goal."...

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Black-eyed peas have been the cen ter of historical tales and folk lore for years. Some have reported that Gen eral Sam Houston consumed a large meal of black-eyed peas and hog jowl the evening before the historic battle of San Jacinto-maybe black-eyed peas should be called Texas Independence Peas.

Later in history, about 50 years ago, a surplus of black-eyed peas overran the farmers markets in Texas. A gen tleman by the name of Elmore Torn, of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, is said to have originated the legend that connects eating black-eyed peas on New Year's with good luck.

In this part of Texas, Frio County is the leading black-eyed pea producer, with some 1,500,000 lbs. harvested last year. Gillespie County farmers harvested 267,000 lbs. last year, and in Atascosa County, about 150,000 lbs. of black-eyed peas were harvested in 1982.

Black-eyed peas are versatile in that they can be prepared a number of ways. This is evidenced by the annual Black Eyed Pea Jamboree held in Athens, Texas, where the peas are prepared as an appetizer, salad or a side vegetable. Athens, incidentally, is the black-eyed pea capital of the world.

When purchasing black-eyed peas, look for peas that exhibit a bright, uni form color. Color loss is an indication of lack of freshness. Older peas will take longer to cook.

Dried black-eyed peas have to be either soaked overnight before cook ing or softened using the quick method. Cover the peas with water, bring to a boil, remove from heat and let the peas sit, covered, for one hour.

Proceed to cook the peas in your favor ite way. Here's a recipe that is similar to the Southern favorite Hoppin' John.

Black-eyed peas

1 c. dried black-eyed peas
5 cloves garlic
4 slices bacon, chopped
1 small green or red pepper, chopped
1 small onion, chopped
2 cloves garlic, minced
1 tsp. basil
1 tsp. oregano
1 T. cilantro
4 c. cooked rice
3 green onions, chopped
Salt and pepper

Soak black-eyed peas in water over night. Do not drain. If necessary, add more water to cover the peas. Add the whole cloves of garlic and cook over low heat for 30 minutes or until tender.

Cook bacon until crispy and remove from skillet, reserving 2 T. of bacon fat in skillet. Add pepper, onion and minced garlic and saute until the onion is translucent. Add the basil, oregano and cilantro and remove from heat.

Leave a small amount of water in the peas after cooking, but remove the whole cloves of garlic. Add the bacon and onion-green pepper mixture. Salt and pepper to taste. Garnish with green onions. Serve black-eyed peas over hot cooked rice. Serves 6-8.

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Minister: Martin Smith
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
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Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Horvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Dount
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Bandina
Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

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Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
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Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
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Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
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Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting:
Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley
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562-3468

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Church of Christ
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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629

Baptist Church
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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
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Vanderpool
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Correction
The Bulletin last week reported a fire fought by volunteer firefighters on Highway 470 west of Bandera was fought by firemen from Bandera and Utopia. Though a Utopia firefighter was photographed on the scene, the fire was actually fought by the Bandera and the Tarpley Volunteer Fire Departments.

Weather
It was eight degrees in our area. Some had four to five degrees in low-lying areas or by creeks. The slow showers that fell Sunday night and Monday morning were appreciated as well as 54 degrees Monday. The Tarpley area had .4 of rain and the Rio Hondo Subdivision area had ½ inch.

Club meeting
On Jan. 10 at 2 p.m. the Williams Creek Homemakers Club will meet. This date is tentative. They will meet at the Tarpley Community Center.

Delayed holiday news
Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Woodrow Riley of Rio Hondo Subdivision went to Corpus Christi for Christmas to enjoy a few days with their sons and families, Dennis and Judy Riley and two children and Ken and Dana Riley and their two children. They report the weather dropped to 16 degrees at Corpus. Then the Rileys' sons and families came to spend New Year's with their parents.

Christmas news
Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Dean had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Newcomb and children, Molly and Jonathan.

They spent the night and met the plane on Monday to get their son and his family, Capt. and Mrs. Charles H. Dean and small son, Jacob, of Groton, Mass. They spent a week.

Other visitors were Dr. and Mrs. Larry Dean of Abilene, the Donnie Newcombs, and Coy Carr of San Antonio. On Saturday Mary and Joe Kolos of Dilley visited.

Baytown visitors
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hood of Rio Hondo Subdivision accompanied by their daughter, Edna Cheatham of Kingsland, drove to Baytown on Thursday to spend Christmas with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith and daughter, Steffani.

Christmas Day guests
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall's dinner guests were Ray and Mary Hietalahti and Margaret Cain all of Rio Hondo Subdivision.

Port Lavaca trip
Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Taylor and son spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.D. Holsey of Port Lavaca and their son, Skip Spahn.

New Year's guests
Mrs. Clay Taylor had as dinner guests on New Year's Day her son and his wife, Pat and Wilma Taylor of San Antonio, her son, Mickey and Suzanne Taylor and son.

Alabama visitors
Mr. and Mrs. Erhard Walzem enjoyed having Laura's sisters and husband during the holidays. They were Leroy and Jannette Mall of Andalusia, Ala. and Mary Jarmany of Saraland, Ala. They were here from Tuesday until Friday and came together. It was their first visit in three years.

Jacksons visit
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jackson returned Friday from a lot of visitation. In Raymondville they visited his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Callaway and their children and grandchildren on Christmas Day.

In Corpus Christi they visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jarbeaux and then drove to Bishop and visited old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morgan.

Christmas Day
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Erfurt and Maria's guests were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Erfurt and daughter, Sara, of Bandera, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sandidge and children, Matt and Carrie, Mrs. Erfurt's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Anderson and daughter, Beverly of San Antonio, and Nora Anderson of Tarpley and Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Anderson of Bandera and their daughter, Lydia Jo, of Little Rock, Ark.

Birthday greetings
Jan. 2 we wish Doyle Haner a happy birthday. Doyle and wife, Lou Ann, and son, Eric, were entertained with a birthday supper by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Haner, on New Year's Day.

He and his family have been living here for several months and left Monday for the Dallas area where he will be working. We wish the best for them on his job and in their new home.

I have surely appreciated everyone's help on writing the Tarpley News for 1983.

Rio Hondo club meets
Dec. 15 was the last meeting of the year for the Rio Hondo Homemakers Extension Club. Margaret Cain was selected at the last meeting as chairman and president.

Secret pal gift exchange names were revealed and it was decided to change from this program and adopt a needy family to help with clothes, cash, food and toys at Christmas time and continue to assist through the year. A Christmas basket was also prepared.

Nine members were present with two visitors, Carla Valesco and her sister, Alma Jones, of Florida.

Castroville visitor
Lynn E. Jeffers visited his mother, Edith Jeffers, and sister, Ethel M. Maxey, on Friday. Lynn has given his mother's home a new look, closing in the front.

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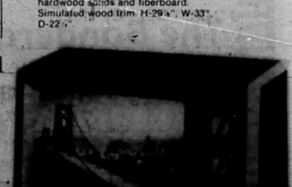

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Weather

Large areas of the nation have been hit by some of the worst weather experienced this century. While we've been spared the snow experienced elsewhere, we south Texans just don't have homes built for this kind of weather. Practically every home in the canyon has reported water lines, frozen pipes and such. We had nine days of below freezing temperatures. Everyone is hoping this is not a sign of what we should expect for January and February.

Chastine

Morgan Chastine reports he had a good Christmas with his daughter and her husband, George and Irene Porter of Boerne. They all had Christmas dinner with his granddaughter of San Antonio and family members, including Morgan's sister.

Alley

J.B. and Iona Alley and two daughters, Carol and Suzzane, enjoyed a visit from J.B.'s three sisters, Joyce Causey of San Antonio, Lois Bedenderder of Seguin and Jake and Doris Dolle of Bandera Tuesday.

Gresham

Mrs. Ted Ryann called Tuesday to say she received a message saying W.C. Gresham of Jonah, died Dec. 13 and was buried Dec. 15. He was Chief Warrant officer in the service and on retiring moved his family to Evans Creek, part of the old Ryann Ranch east of Vanderpool where they lived for many years.

Harp

Hub and I enjoyed our daughter and her husband, La Vern and Ray Harp of Texas City, during the holidays and for Christmas dinner.

Gabriel

Hamilton and Anna Pearl Gabriel had their daughter and family, Nita and Wende Raymond of San Antonio, Michael of Bryan and Patty and her new husband, Sonny Espey of Houston, for the holidays.

Swantner

Dick and Gloria Swantner of Corpus Christi are spending the holidays at their Arribella Ranch. They were joined by the children and families for Christmas dinner and to get in some hunting.

They were Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Swantner and baby son of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Jamon Swantner and baby son of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Swantner and baby son of Corpus Christi, Emily Swantner of Houston and David Swantner of Corpus Christi.

Hawkins

Nita Hawkins is spending the holidays with her daughter and family, Marva Ann and Richard Hill and Buddy, granddaughter and family, Jennette and Richard Wheeler and two children, Bethany and Cody Lee of Corpus Christi.

Schryver

Nick and Carmen Schryver's guests over the Christmas holidays were their daughter and family, Linda and Wade Graves and children of Dayton.

Wade is training to be a scuba diver so while here he decided to experiment a little with a 4 degree reading early Sunday morning. The Sabinal River was frozen over.

He slipped into his suit, broke the ice on the river and dived in. The water temperature was 38 degrees. Everything went fine until he came out of the water and leaned against the car to change his scuba suit. He froze to the car.

Thompson

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Thompson and grandson David spent the holidays with his sister, Lela, and Claude Wood and family of Dilley.

Fogle

Word was received that Lela (Cook) Fogle died Dec. 27. She was born Aug. 18, 1920, and lived most of her younger life in the Vanderpool vicinity.

Services were held Dec. 30 in Rose Lawn Memorial Park in San Antonio. Mrs. Fogle is survived by a son, Lee E. Fogle of Palmdale, Calif.; daughter, Ethel Stokes of Lytle; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and two sisters, Laura Loyd, Bandera, and Elizabeth Brewton, Lancaster, Calif.

Ivy

Alvin and Jessie Ivy enjoyed their granddaughter, Kathy, and her husband, Gary Berry of Carrizo Springs visit on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day their daughter and husband, Dorothy and Cliff Rosenbaum of Rosenburg, their son, Cliff Jr., and wife, Jo of Houston, and granddaughter, Linda Rosenbaum.

Thank you

How grateful we are for a bushel of nice sweet grapefruit given to us by hunters, Bob and Sharon Operseiney, picked from their yard in Houston before the freeze.

Fosters

Darlene Jackson and daughter, Tawnya, of San Antonio were New Year's weekend visitors of Hoyt and Doris Foster.

More visitors

Visitors of Finis and Margaret Thompson during the holidays were Bob and Mary Thompson and son, Robbie, of Odessa, Pam Wynn of Odessa, Gordon Thompson and children from Carrizo Springs, a granddaughter, Kathy, and husband, Gary Berry, who were recently married.

Other holiday visitors and spending a week's vacation in the former Long home were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Robertson of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Van Doyle Murphier of Big Springs, all getting in some hunting.

Lecil and Ruby Howard enjoyed all their family members for Christmas dinner and New Year's Day. They include Dahl and family, Kerrville, Tommie and family of Sabinal, J.B. and Iona Alley and family, Utopia, Ruby's brother, Ernen Haby Wharton, his daughter and husband, Bryan.

Pipe Creek

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Promoted

Paul Alguesova Jr., who attended Bandera schools and is the son of the late Paul Alguesova and Mary Ruth Grimaldo, now of Pipe Creek, has been promoted to the rank of senior master sergeant in the Texas Air Guard. He is a full-time employee of the National Guard.

Fire departments

The CLVFD will have its first monthly meeting of the year Jan. 7 at the firehouse.

The PCVFD will have its first regular business meeting in 1984 Jan. 12 at 8 p.m. at the firehouse.

These fire departments are for all of us. We should make it a New Year's resolution to attend and be part of these great organizations.

Cub Scouts

Cub Scout Den No. 3 will resume its regular meetings Jan. 6 right after school.

They got together with the Bandera Boy Scouts Dec. 20 and had a Christmas covered dish dinner and party.

This Friday will be a regular meeting, anyone interested please call 535-4750.

Senior Citizens

New Year

A New Year for progress and achievement. It is hoped that those of you who watched the Rose Bowl Parade were deeply impressed by their theme, stressed over and over in every float and touching every phase of living, "Volunteers."

So many good things are accomplished by good people willing to give of their means, and or of themselves, as volunteers.

This of course is leading up to reminding our area that in this new year, with your help and cooperation, the Silver Sage Corral can become a reality.

It will be a comfortable, lovely, and convenient place to meet your friends, make new ones, enjoy various activities, attend classes, rest a spell, have a cup of coffee. So many possibilities.

Working toward this goal, an important meeting of the Building Committee will be Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Center.

Before going on into 1984, it is the wish of all who over the years have been coming to the Center, to express our sense of loss over the passing of Max Fulbright. She came whenever she was able, was a staunch supporter of the Center, and, contributed so much pleasure to so many.

A correction of an announcement in the paper of last week. Melodiers practise will be, as usual, the second Friday, Jan. 13, not Jan. 6, as specified last week.

Resuming this week, on Thursday mornings, 9 to noon, will be art group who enjoy painting together. This is an informal group and any interested in attending, are welcome.

Next week, craft on Monday mornings will be resumed. This could become the most fun as well as helpful morning of the week. Make it a habit, to bring your ideas and materials and try this special morning.

Baptist women

Since Jan. 2 was a holiday the Baptist women of FC First Baptist church will have its meeting Jan. 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the church.

Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Landrum and family was pleased to have his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Landrum from Mobile, Ala. stay with them for the Christmas holidays.

Mt. Zion

A group of about 20 people from the Hill Country Chapel went to Cuchara, Colo. for four days during the Christmas holidays. They stayed at the Panadera Ski Resort. It is reported the skiing and fellowship was fantastic and that it was not as cold there as it was here at home.

They are also in the process of planning an old fashioned Frontier Rendezvous on the weekend of Feb. 10 and 11. I'll have more information at a later date, but be sure and mark your calendars now and reserve that date.

Guest

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lico of Live Oak Acres had as their guests for Christmas dinner their children, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Ryan and son, Kenneth of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lico and son, James, of Pipe Creek, Mr. and Mrs. L.V. Byrd and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald L. Byrd and son, Kenney, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. T.K. Flowers and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Flowers and their children, Alice and Brent of New Braunfels, Thelma Csimpbell and daughter, Lisa, and her granddaughter, Toni Wickline of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie L. Hollon and son, Michael of New Braunfels, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hollon and their sons, James Dale and Edward, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Wttien and daughter, Terry, of Cleveland, Tx. and Tim Arden of Houston.

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Thurs., Jan. 19th 7:00 p.m. — **Steps and stages of death and dying.** The "process" of dying will be our primary focu., seeking to use the knowledge and experience of others to help us develop a healthy balanced perspective.

Sunday, Jan. 22nd 12 noon — **The gift of life: Wills Awareness.** An estate planning mini-workshop. In this 1-1½ hour session we will cover the "how-to's" of deciding what you want to do with what you have. The Federal Estate Tax regulations will also be discussed. There will be worksheets for personal inventory of your possessions and other "idea papers" for each person participating.

Thurs., Jan. 26th 7:00 p.m. — **The pain and power of the gift of life.** How wide can I live? (not how long?). What personal resources are available to help me live a more meaningful life as I daily face the reality of death?

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Frontier landscapist's works exhibited at cultures institute



Stately cypresses, graceful herons and the peaceful Pedernales River compose this idyllic scene painted by German-born Texas landscapist Hermann Lungkwitz in 1885. Entitled "Herons on the Pedernales River" (also titled "Pinta Crossing of the Guadalupe"), the work is one of 95 paintings and drawings by Lungkwitz featured in the exhibit, "Hermann Lungkwitz: German Romantic Landscapist on the Texas Frontier," at The University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures in San Antonio Nov. 25 through Jan. 8, 1984.

The work of Hermann Lungkwitz, ordinary man and Texas landscapist extraordinaire, is showcased in an exhibit entitled, "Hermann Lungkwitz: German Romantic Landscapist on the Texas Frontier," at The University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures Nov. 25 through Jan. 8, 1984.

Ninety-five of Lungkwitz's drawings and paintings, on loan from public and private collections around the nation, are featured in the exhibit, which coincides with the publication of a book on Lungkwitz's life and works by James Patrick McGuire, director of program management at the Institute.

Though he died a man of little notoriety, Lungkwitz left a legacy of Texas landscapes in pencil, watercolor and oil. His work is considered a cornerstone in the state's cultural development, for he is the first artist trained in the classical romantic tradition to paint Texas settings. Lungkwitz is credited also with providing the state with its first collection of both artistically and historically significant landscapes.

Born in 1813 in Germany, Lungkwitz immigrated to America in 1850 and settled on a farm in Fredericksburg near the Pedernales River. An artist by trade and training in his native land, he soon found that he could not support himself and his family through his art in the New World. And so, for many years Lungkwitz struggled with the unruly and unfamiliar land to wrest from it a living, and was only moderately successful.

But after the chores were done each day, this Texas pioneer busied himself with pioneering work of a different sort. Drawing upon his extensive training at the Royal Academy of Art in Dresden, Lungkwitz set about capturing on canvas the wild, rugged beauty of the Texas frontier. No artist before him had chosen to portray the Texas countryside quite as Lungkwitz did: as a pastoral paradise — pristine, delicately detailed and serenely picturesque.

Consistent with the tenets of the classical romantic tradition, a love of nature and an appreciation of its force and beauty are evident in Lungkwitz's work. An admirer of Lungkwitz, Dr. Samuel E. Gideon of The University of Texas at Austin, wrote in 1918:

"The work showed the man to be a faithful student and lover of nature, a careful draughtsman with a wonderful sense of color and the gift to select simple but beautiful compositions.

"His Fredericksburg pictures showed that he had caught the spirit of the country, the intense blue of the Texas sky and the peaceful character of the bowl-shaped, flat-topped hills. He put all the majesty into the stately cypresses, into the twisted and gnarled live-oak trees, and caught the color of the outcropping granite-and sandstone boulders."

Another aspect of the romantic style is its emphasis on representational rather than abstract or fanciful treatment of subjects. Lungkwitz's work shares this characteristic. Because he painted the Texas countryside as he saw it, a realistic view of the state in frontier times is not lost today. As McGuire writes, "Lungkwitz's works are visual documents as well as art."

Within his lifetime, Lungkwitz never received acclaim as an artist, yet his art enriched the cultural heritage of his adopted Texas for all time. Both the book and exhibit pay a long-deserved tribute to Lungkwitz, German romantic artist and Texas frontiersman.

"Hermann Lungkwitz: German Romantic Landscapist on the Texas Frontier" is made possible by a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts. Funding for McGuire's book, "Hermann Lungkwitz: Romantic Landscapist on the Texas Frontier," was provided by the Brown Foundation, Inc., Houston; the Edna Fuegy Faust memorial Trust; First National Bank of New Braunfels; Wurstfest Association of New Braunfels; and numerous private donations.

For more information on the exhibit or book, contact the Institute of Texan Cultures, P.O. Box 1226, San Antonio, Texas 78294, (512) 226-7651.

DRINKING AND DRIVING CAN ADD UP.

Obesity in teens easier to prevent than to cure

Obesity is so difficult to reverse that it is easier to prevent in it childhood and adolescence than to cure it, says nutritionist Dr. Alice Hunt.

About 80 percent of overweight children become overweight adults, reports Hunt, a foods and nutrition specialist with Texas A&M's Agricultural Extension Service. At least 10 to 20 percent of adolescents are obese, notes the specialist.

Most researchers argue that obesity is usually the result of attitudes and behaviors which lead to overconsumption of food and underactivity. Because these attitudes and behaviors are difficult to change, between 75 and 95 percent of the people who lose weight will eventually regain it, says Hunt.

"Inherited metabolic factors, or differences in the way individuals use food energy, do have an impact on obesity. But that doesn't mean the children of overweight adults must necessarily become obese," says Hunt. "While it's clear that obesity is familial, the relative importance of genetics and family environment has not been determined."

According to Hunt, lack of participation in sports, games and other physical activities, dependence on the car and hours of sitting in front of a television are contributing factors in childhood and adolescent obesity.

Parents sometimes consider childhood obesity to be harmless "baby fat," says Hunt, and then are surprised when the excess weight does not go away as the child enters adolescence.

A weight problem can easily grow during adolescence, since teenagers often overeat as a way of coping. The problems that face every adolescent may appear overpowering to them and they withdraw from social contact, become increasingly inactive, seek comfort in food and grow progressively fatter, says Hunt.

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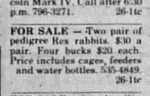

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Thousand Trails reports economic shot-in-arm

Thousand Trails' membership campground at Medina Lake will have contributed about $8.5 million to the local economy since 1982, according to Steve Phillips, preserve manager.

Phillips said that by the end of 1983, the facility will have invested $3.7 million in improvements, paid $5,00 in property taxes, and pumped $3.3 million into the area through wages, salaries and the purchase of goods and services.

"Employment at Medina Lake reached 67 during our summer peak," Phillips said. "Of that total, over half are permanent residents of the area."

In addition to the company's direct expenditures, Thousand Trails members and prospective members will have spent an estimated $735,000 in the area for food, groceries, entertainment, gasoline, automotive equipment and other supplies, Phillips said.

The company paid $700,000 on land and interest for the local facility during the 1982-1983 period.

Thousand Trails operates 30 campgrounds for 48,000 member-families in nine states and in British Columbia.

By year's end, the company's seven Texas preserves will have generated an estimated $36 million in expenditures since 1982.

Lake Medina Fishing Report

Water is clear but 30 feet low. Black bass fishing slow, striper fishing slow, catfish fishing fair with catches to 15 pounds on trotlines.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department

Special plates honor state's birthday

Around this time next year, you'll be able to buy those special plates that commemorate the Texas Sesquicentennial.

"Only twice before has the state allowed slogans on vehicle license plates, once in 1936 to commemorate the Texas Centennial and again in 1968 to recognize the HemisFair.

In honor of Texas' 150th birthday, the State Highway and Public Transportation Commission directed that approximately 7.5 million sets of plates be produced during the next biennium bearing the Sesquicentennial slogan.

When the Sesquicentennial license plates are ready, they will be issued for new vehicles and for out-of-state vehicles being registered in Texas for the first time. In addition, they will be issued at the time of registration if current plates are at least five years old and the owner wants new plates. The special plates will also be issued as replacement plates and annual license plates.

Individuals who wish to get personalized Sesquicentennial plates for the year 1986 can order them beginning Aug. 1, 1984.

Plans for the state's 150th birthday celebration began in 1979 when the 66th Texas Legislature created a special commission to coordinate the observance. The highway commission approved the issuance of the special plates at the request of the Sesquicentennial Commission who appeared before them last August.



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STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, AUSTIN
A tour of the state capitol building in Austin reveals one of the great architectural wonders in the state. The rotunda rises well over 280 feet from the floor to the top of the dome. Portraits of past governors of the state and the five presidents of the Republic of Texas are displayed on the walls of the first four floors. The floor is a composite design in terrazzo of the seals of the six nations of which Texas has been part. TTDA photo by Richard Reynolds.



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The Lou Mack Family
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Thank You

We wish to thank each of you for every act of kindness shown us during the extended illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Mary L. Vanderveer of Bandera, Texas.

Your friendship and love will always be remembered.

The family of Mary L. Vanderveer
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Thank You

I want to thank all my relatives, neighbors, friends, and churches for the many expressions of kindness, prayers, flowers, cards, food dishes, phone calls, and personal visits while I was in the hospital and since I've returned home. God bless each and everyone of you and may you all have a happy New Year.

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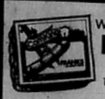

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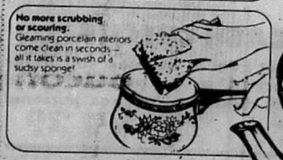

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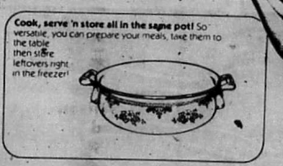

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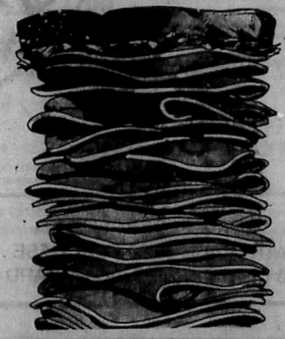

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Livestock show to run through Saturday

Becky Blakemore puts the finishing cosmetic touches on her Charolais heifer in preparation for entering her in the 48th annual Bandera County Junior Livestock Show which runs through Saturday at Mansfield Park. The featured livestock and baked goods auctions will be held Saturday, with the goodies going on the block at 10:30 a.m. and the animals being sold to the highest bidders at 1:30 p.m.

Judging begins Thursday at 3 p.m. and continues until Friday evening. Because most of the judging takes place outside and many of the animals are penned outside, show officials are hoping for favorable weather. They may be disappointed, however. The U.S. Weather Bureau in San Antonio told the Bulletin late Wednesday the forecast "doesn't look good for you." It called for cloudy conditions, with light rain or drizzle beginning Friday, high temperatures in the mid-40s. Temperatures are expected to dip as low as 25 degrees all three nights.

Mayor Wilvie Smith to quit after 14 years on the job

Bandera County '84 Elections

Mayor Wilvie Smith said Monday he does not plan to seek re-election to another term and instead plans to step down after 14 years as mayor. He's only the third mayor the city of Bandera has ever had.

At the same time, city councilman Tommy Kindla, a councilman since 1972, said he did not plan to seek re-election this year. Bandera County Commissioner Jim Russell of Precinct 1 said Tuesday he was still undecided whether to seek another term on the commissioners court.

The Bulletin reported last week that Russell has been telling friends he intends to run, but that was an erroneous report.

Mayor Smith has been the city's chief executive since 1970 when he succeeded one-term Mayor Gilbert Scheele. Ray Marvin Hay, former publisher of the Bandera Bulletin, was the city's first mayor.

"I think 14 years is enough," Mayor Smith said Monday. "There's got to be some new people with new ideas available.

"When I took this job, I sure didn't think I'd be mayor for 14 years," he said. "I have enjoyed it — most of it, at least."

He reminisced briefly Monday night at the efficient, municipal building on Main Street after the city council adjourned. "In 1970 we met in a little old, dark room behind the library," he recalled. "We didn't have anything, not even a phone."

Kindla expressed similar sentiments in explaining his decision not to seek a new term. "We need to get some fresh blood in here," he said. He has served since 1972 when he succeeded Howard Eckhart on the council. Eckhart died while a member of the council.

The departure of Mayor Smith and Kindla will mean the entire council and mayor who were in office just a year ago will be gone. Council members Raymond Smith, who had served since the city was chartered in 1964, and Pat Price resigned their seats during 1983 and Joe Hearn and Russell Zickler were defeated in the election last April.

Among those elected in April was Clint Dowell who had served on the council previously and hence will be the "dean" at the council table after the elections April 7.

Dianne L. Tobin, appointed in July to succeed Pat Price, said Tuesday she plans to seek a full term on the council in April.

Mayor Smith said he had not heard of anyone who intended to seek the mayor's office in the April elections. The deadline for filing for a place on the April ballot for mayor or councilman is March 7, according to city secretary Tammy Keseper. The deadline for filing for a place on the ballot in the May 5 county and district primaries is Feb. 6.

Thomas H. (Bub) Keese and Katie Ruede, incumbent Bandera school trustees whose terms expire this year, both told the Bulletin Tuesday they are still undecided whether they will seek re-election in the April school elections.

County commissioner Bob Ashley of Precinct 3 confirmed to the Bulletin Monday that he definitely does plan to seek another term on the county court, though he has not formally announced. He has already drawn an opponent, however, in the person of A.A. (Pete) Reed, who formally announced as a candidate last week.

State Rep. Jim Crockett of Pearsall also told the Bulletin he planned to seek another term and he scheduled a trip to Bandera for Wednesday night when he was to meet with members of the Bandera Volunteer Fire Department to discuss possible state aid for the firefighters.

He is expected to draw a second opponent next week when former school superintendent Elder Edge of Poth formally announces for the office. Antonio Garcia III of Hondo had notified the Bulletin he intends to oppose Crockett.

Two Republican attorneys from Kerrville, Bruce Curry and Jim Ellis, ott, attending the rally here Friday for U.S. Senate candidate Phil Gramm told the Bulletin they both plan to oppose District Attorney Joe Mike Egan in the GOP primary May 5. Egan has announced for re-election.

Pipe Creek man discovers wife killed in San Antonio wreck

A Pipe Creek man happened upon a traffic accident in San Antonio Tuesday and discovered his wife had been killed in the mishap when the sub-compact car she was driving rolled over six times.

Doretta Mikel, 31, of Pipe Creek was pronounced dead upon arrival at Medical Center Hospital in San Antonio at 11:19 a.m. Tuesday, a hospital spokesman said.

Robert Mikel drove up on the accident scene shortly after it occurred to find that it was his wife that was involved in the wreck. He followed the ambulance which transported his wife to the hospital.

According to police reports and witnesses, Mikel's car was in a collision with a pickup driven by Charles Plunkett, 24, of San Antonio. Though Plunkett's pickup flipped over after the collision, he escaped injury. He was trapped inside his truck until a passerby pried open the door of his vehicle.

Mikel's small car continued to roll over and over after colliding with Plunkett's pickup. Also involved was a small pickup waiting to turn left at the intersection of Bandera Road and Eckert Road in San Antonio. Clarence O. Arnold, 53, driver of the compact pickup also escaped injury.

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City hikes rates for water, garbage

Water and garbage rates were increased Monday by the Bandera City Council, but a proposed rate hike by Star Cable TV was shelved, at least until after a Feb. 14 council meeting.

The council increased garbage rates $2 per month for residents and businesses. That means residential users of the city garbage service will pay $8 per month instead of $6, the current rate. That's an increase of 33.3 percent in the residential rate. Rates for those that haul their own garbage to the dumps or to trucks will remain the same.

The water rate was increased to $5.50 for the first 1,500 gallons and 75 cents per thousand gallons for water used over 1,500 gallons. The current rate is $5.10 for the first 1,500 gallons and 65 cents per gallon above that. That's an increase of 7.8 percent in the basic rate and 15.4 percent in the rate for water used above the initial 1,500 gallons.

The rate hikes were necessary to keep the city utility departments out of the red, said Melvin King, utilities manager. He brought the council figures that showed the city had expended $167,526 to provide water, sewer and garbage services through the first 11 months of 1983 and had an income of $172,734 from users of the services. The city must still pay an estimated $18,000 to repay bonds issued to construct the new sewer plant off Texas Highway 16.

The new rates will go into effect "as soon as they can be put into the computer," said utility department secretary Margaret Callahan, probably in February.

The council earlier refused to act on a request by Star Cable TV to increase its rates from 5 percent to 26.7 percent, depending on the kind of service used.

The cable TV company had originally planned to increase its rates on Jan. 1, but Mayor Wilvie Smith pointed out to them that the city council had a contractural right to approve or disapprove of rate hikes, a fact the cable firm had overlooked.

Before such approval was obtained, however, the cable company sent letters to users informing them that rates would be increased on Feb. 1, though they had been informed that a public hearing had been set for Monday at which the new rates would be considered by the council.

The mayor and some council members expressed surprise the cable company did not come to the hearing prepared to justify its rate request with facts and figures. Diane Tobin said she thought the company's letter notifying users of a rate hike Feb. 1 was "presumptious."

Mayor Smith agreed. "They knew we were holding this hearing," he said. "I'm surprised they weren't here to show us why they need this increase. I think they should show us some figures to justify it," the mayor said.

The company seeks to increase its rate for the basic service from $8.95 to $9.95, a 11.2 percent increase. It wants to increase its rate for the basic service plus one movie channel from $19.95 to $20.95 (5.0 percent), basic plus two movie channels from $28.95 to $29.95 (11.1 percent), and basic plus three movie channels from $29.95 to $37.95 (26.7 percent).

Keith Sterner, local manager for the cable TV firm, told the council the company needed the rate increase because the services which provide movie channels have increased the rates Star Cable TV must pay.

The council scheduled another public hearing on the matter on Feb. 13. "We may approve it (then)," Mayor Smith said, "But I don't think we should raise these people's rates without a reason."

King provided the council with plenty of figures upon which they based their decision to hike water and garbage rates.

He said the water department took in $69,465 during the first 11 months of the year and expended $68,057, a surplus of just $1,408. The garbage department took in fees totaling $52,993 and spent $61,892, a deficit of $8,899 for the 11 months covered in his report.

The council did not change sewer rates, which were increased only last March. The sewer department took in $50,276 and expended $37,578 and still has to meet the estimated $18,000 note payment.

Mayor Smith explained to the council that he felt sewer rates were high enough, despite the apparent deficit during 1983, because it will have the benefit of last March's rate hike for the entire 12 months of 1984 instead of just nine.

Garbage rates were increased 100 percent, from $2 to $4 per month, only last March but water rates have remained the same since Aug. 1, 1979, according to Mrs. Callahan.

Co-op expects high electric bills

Many Bandera Electric Cooperative, Inc. consumers will receive some of the highest bills for electric service they may have ever experienced on or about Feb. 1, Co-op officials are predicting. "As you are all well aware, the record-setting cold weather began on Dec. 20. The electric bill you received early in January included the electricity used by you for the billing period from Nov. 20 to Dec. 20 most of which was used before the cold spell," the Co-op explained.

"The readings you send in on Jan. 20 will include your usage from Dec. 20, which will not only include the record-setting cold weather but any extra demand you may have had during the Christmas holidays," the electric utility pointed out.



Cat, a five-month-old Siamese kitten with no other legitimate name, is credited with saving Billy Halfmann (pictured) and his brother Jimmy when their Lakehills house burned Jan. 2. Cat climbed into Billy's bed and pawed his face until the hard-sleeper awoke. The fire had spread to the point where Billy could only awake his brother and taking Cat, flee to his mother's house to notify firefighters, who quickly extinguished the blaze. Cat's actions allowed firemen to confine the blaze to the living room and furnishings.

Bandera County Potpourri

By Nick Johnson

It was a typical gathering of Republican faithful. The finger sandwiches and fruit punch were delicious, and there was no beer in sight.

The audience was so large it even surprised county GOP chairman Louis Duquette.

"There may have been more than 100 persons in the room to greet Dr. Phil Gramm last week.

"Every congressman has special interest groups looking over his right shoulder and asking him to spend more (government) money. The problem is, nobody is looking over the left shoulder," he told the adulating audience, and they applauded.

It mattered not that one of Gramm's Republican opponents has charged that the College Station Ph. D. has all the business interest contributions already in his own campaign chest.

"I am for a mandated balanced budget and I will continue working for it until it becomes law," he told the crowd, and they applauded again. It mattered not that the Gramm-Latta bill he co-sponsored resulted in a federal deficit higher than any other ever contemplated by any government.

"Our election in Texas could very well determine if we have a Democratic or Republican majority in the U.S. Senate," he said. "It may assure that it will be run by Ted Kennedy," and they cringed at the thought. It mattered not that Robert C. Byrd, not Kennedy, is Democratic majority leader.

But Phil Gramm was quick to prove he was no demagog. It was only that morning that Democrat Jesse Jackson, like Gramm a Ph. D., returned from Syria with Lt. Goodman, the U.S. flier who had been held prisoner of the Syrians.

Despite repeated attempts from some in the audience to evoke criticism of Jackson from Gramm, the College Station neo-Republican adroitly demurred..

"I rejoice that Lt. Goodman has been released," he told the group. A questioner suggested that the aviator was released in an attempt to embarrass President Reagan. "Whether the Syrians freed Lt. Goodman because they thought they were hurting the president, I don't care," Gramm told them. "However they did it, he's free. I'm glad the event happened."

Another questioner attempted to elicit an endorsement of the flat rate income tax. Instead, Gramm told a story about a time when he told an audience he favored such a tax. After the meeting a Baylor University official came up and asked him why he wanted to do away with deductions for non-profit organizations such as the great Baptist University on the Brazos. And a representative of the homebuilders association asked him why he wanted to remove the deductions on home mortgages.

"Our problem is we all hate the part of our tax system that benefits the other fellow and we all love the part that benefits us," he told the group.

At that point, one person in the back who wanted to urge Gramm and his friend, President Reagan, not to make more cuts in programs for senior citizens decided to remain silent.



Volunteer firefighters praised by state representative

(Editor's note: State Rep. Jim Crockett noticed an article in the Dec. 22 issue of the Bulletin reporting that the Bandera Volunter Fire Department was appealing to the community for more support. The following article was the result.)

By Jim Crockett
State Representative

On the south lawn of the Texas State Capitol in Austin, near 11th Street, stands an imposing monument, about 16 feet tall. Atop the grey granite is a figure of a man, appropriately larger than life-size.

The man holds a child in his left arm. He has an old style lantern in his right hand. He is shod in high boots, and he wears a raincoat. On his head is a distinctive hat with its brim extending far to the rear. He is a fireman.

The statue is symbolic of all firemen, particularly volunteer firemen. It was erected in 1896, to commemorate volunteer firemen who gave their lives in their efforts to save the lives and property of their neighbors.

The monument lists names of many brave Volunteer Firemen — Nolte, Tidwell, Quinn, Nunez, O'Sullivan — representative of every ethnic group who migrated to Texas.

It lists the places where each gave his ultimate, final bequest in fulfillment of duty — Sabinal, Mercedes, Comanche, Lubbock — every part of Texas. Twenty-seven names appear as a result of the 1947 Texas City disaster.

The monument is not merely a relic commemorating the distant past. The earliest date on it is 1877. The most recent is in January 1983.

It reminds us of a past that made few headlines, unlike wars. The difference lies in the fact that this one commemorates warriors against a force capable of becoming a vicious destroyer which in minutes can undo the work of several generations, as well as snuff out the lives of the unwary.

For millions of Texans, the volunteer fire department is the sole source of help in the face of disaster.

The history of the VFD is long and distinguished, extending so far back that it had no distinct name. Neighbors came to assist at birth, to help raise a barn or house, to work at herding and branding, to help defend against marauders. When a fire alarm sounded, neighbors again responded, bringing buckets and blankets, just as they brought their own tools for other jobs.

From the bucket brigade, through hand-powered pumps, to trucks with large water tanks, the volunteer fireman's equipment has been modernized, improving with the growing complexity of technology and increasing the size of houses and other buildings.

Most communities now have complicated life-saving machinery to help victims of accidents, medical problems, and old age. Such Emergency Medical Service equipment has been entrusted to the Volunteer Fire Department, because we know we can depend on them.

Through all of the growing technology and expansion of society's expectation, one factor remains constant. It is the dedication and the investment of time of the individual volunteer fireman — the pharmacist or banker, the grocer or service station attendant, the retiree, the high school student, the housewife — who perpetually keeps an ear cocked for the fire alarm, which, as certainly as any war battlefield trumpet, calls for mobilization to fight man's sometime friend now turned enemy.

As times have changed, the job of the volunteer fireman has become more complicated. Newer equipment requires updated training. Such training is always during the volunteer's "free" time, and often at his own expense.

A survey of any VFD personnel's qualifications would doubtlessly reveal the accumulation of literally years of time spent in classes and training sessions, learning how to operate new pumps, nozels, breathing apparatus reassitors, and defibrilating shockers.

They work in laboratory settings to learn to extinguish fires fed by new materials, as well as traditional wood and asphalt. They learn to provide first medical attention to victims of car wrecks, heart attacks, and frost bite. Sometimes it is a volunteer fireman who delivers a baby; and volunteers have been known to rescue kittens from trees.

What does the volunteer fireman ask of his community? Fuel and maintenance for the VFD vehicles. A shelter to house the department's equipment and provide a training center. Special clothing to keep him or her dry, unburned, and able to breath while fighting fires.

For all they do, what do the volunteers get? An occasional pat on the back, although these are all too few. But they seek no other reward.

Let us hope that no volunteer man or woman in this community dies, and no fire victim suffers loss, for the sole reason that the Department's equipment is obsolete or inadequate.

The volunteer fire department is worthy of support. A contribution will be the best investment anyone in this community every made.

Road bond issue nearer reality

Bandera County commissioners Monday took one more step toward calling an election to get permission from voters to issue $500,000 in road bonds to purchase right-of-way for a proposed farm to market road that would run from Bandera to Bandera Falls.

The new highway would follow the route of English Crossing Road, now a county road, and would be approximately eight miles in length.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation said in November it would begin construction of the first 1.7 miles of the road with funds currently available, if the county agreed to purchase the right-of-way.

Under the state's farm to market road program, the state constructs and maintains such roads but requires counties to acquire the rights-of-way.

Financial advisor Tom Anderlich estimated a road bond issue of $300,000 would increase county road taxes by 1.47 cents per $100 valuation. He said that would increase taxes on a $30,000 home, which tax assessor-collector Marguerite Stevens said was average for Bandera County, by $4.41 per year. That estimate takes into account taxes that are uncollectable and other factors, he said.

The state highway agency said it would devote one-fourth of the funds available for the 16-county area that includes Bandera County to construct the first 1.7 miles of the road, and then would allocate additional funds in future years to complete the highway from its intersection with Texas Highway 173 just south of Bandera to its junction with Farm Road 1283 halfway between Pipe Creek and Lakehills.

Commissioner Dan Alanis III estimated it would cut four miles off the trip by paved road from Lakehills to Bandera.

The county must get an extension in the time limit which the state highway agency set in order to give it time to submit the issue to the voters, and resident engineer Chuck Hackebeil of Hondo said he thought such an extension would be granted.

He also said the state has authorized surveying only 1.7 miles more or less, and the county would seek highway commission authority to have the entire route surveyed so that all the right-of-way could be bought now. Buying right-of-way in stages would cost the county money because of inflation and would require bonds to be issued in series instead of all at once.

County Judge Tommy Curbo called the attention of commissioners to the fact that they had approved preliminary plats for six new subdivisions in the Lake Medina area during the last two months alone.

"We're looking at a potential city (in the area)," he remarked. "Until they do commercialize, they are going to use this road to come to Bandera or use another one to go to San Antonio to do business," he said.

Commissioners went on record Tuesday favoring the highway by accepting the offer of the state to convert English Crossing road to a farm to market road contingent on passage of a $300,000 bond issue. They said they would formally call the bond election on Feb. 13, if the highway department extends its deadline and if all financial information is prepared by that time.

In other action Monday, Commissioner Bob Ashley opposed payment of $283.36 for dues to Alamo Area Council of Governments, but other commissioners authorized the payment over his negative vote.

"I'm against it because I'm just against regional government," he said. "For every dollar that comes down from regional government, 90 cents is used up in bureaucratic costs and 10 cents gets to the people.

(Please see BONDS, Page 4.)

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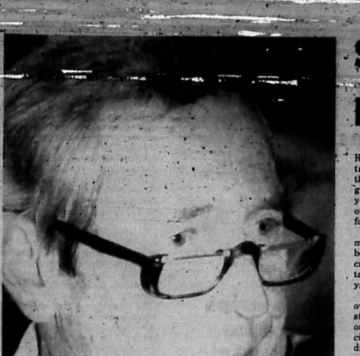
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Faces of Bandera County

Doctoring occasionally allows time for just fiddling around, as Dr. George Meador demonstrated at the recent Hunters Barbecue as he led the Los Gringos Band for the dancing. Clearly a celebrity Face of Bandera County.

Aid available for fuel bills

With predictions that December energy bills may set record highs, the Community Council of South Central Texas has announced a utility bill assistance program effective Jan. 11.

Persons who have had their utilities shut off, or who face a shut off for nonpayment of utility bills and who have incomes in one of the brackets indicated below should contact Cornelia G. Rue, senior outreach worker, Community Services, 1109 Pecan Street, Bandera, 796-3738. Rue will be available on Tuesdays only.

Size in family unit	Farm-non farm family (before deductions) total monthly income
1	$4,860
2	6,540
3	8,220
4	9,900
5	11,580
6	13,260
7	14,940
8	16,620

For family units with more than 8 members add $1,680 for each additional member.

School ponders program cuts

Bandera School Superintendent Ron Caloss recommended to the district's board of trustees Tuesday that the school's kindergarten program be cut to one-half day next year and that the district rent space outside the existing school facilities for business offices.

These were two of several recommendations Caloss submitted to the board as a means to alleviate overcrowded conditions in the elementary and junior high schools next year.

He also called for some major renovation of space now being used for storage and for crowding together in one classroom to accommodate special education students, a counselor, diagnostician and speech therapist.

He also suggested eliminating the junior high band program "if enrollment continues to increase," and in the event of "unanticipated growth it is very much in our mind to move junior high students from a seven-period day to a six-period school day."

That would require the elimination of elective subjects now offered such as eighth grade reading, Spanish, mechanical drawing, speech, woodworking, art and the school's new and successful program for gifted and talented students, Caloss said.

The board took no action on the proposed temporary solutions to over-crowding, but authorized Caloss to initiate a search for rental space for the school's business office and said that they would study Caloss' other proposals.

Bandera County voters last month rejected the school board's request for $2.95 million in bonds to finance the construction of a new elementary school four miles east of Bandera.

"None of this is stund education," Caloss told the trustees, and he pointed out that the new facilities called for will be costly and must be financed out of the operating fund which will probably result in tax increases.

In addition, he estmated that cutting the kindergarten program to one-half day would necessitate at least three new afternoon bus routes to return kindergarteners to their homes.

"All this in itself is poor financial management," noted trustee Eddie Joe Ryan, pointing out they would be spending tax money to vacate classrooms when it would be much more economical to be constructing classrooms.

Caloss reported a total enrollment in all 13 grades (K-12) of 1,206 students, including 526 in elementary grades, 322 in junior high and 358 in high school. There were 1,130 students in all grades on the first day of school last September.

Among the other suggestions Caloss submitted to the board to consider were converting the elementary school's audio-visual room into a classroom, use of the old Fletcher house near the school for classrooms, leasing or building additional portable buildings, designating one teacher as a "floating unit" without a classroom to teach classes in other classrooms vacant for one period at a time, and converting storage area in the old ag shop for classroom space.

He said the administration considered and rejected several other measures, such as teaching classes in the gymnasium and cafeteria.

"I really don't want to use the Fletcher house because I think it is a fire hazard," said Ryan. A minor fire broke out there several years ago when it was being used for kindergarten students because the house's electric stove was being used for heating.

"And I oppose constructing any more portable buildings," Ryan said. The school system now uses several portable buildings for classrooms.

In other action Tuesday, the school trustees formally called a school board election for April 7, accepted a compromise solution to what was called "a 40-year dispute" over some school district property in Tarpley, and made a minor amendment to the school's budget.

In accepting the compromise settlement in the land dispute, the school granted a small parcel of land to Calvin L. DeHart of Tarpley. The settlement will keep all roads open and allow everyone concerned free access to their own property, according to Don E. Karr.

Calendar

Today, January 12

School holiday.
Bandera County Junior Livestock Show.
Bandera Girls Basketball at Southside, 6 p.m.
Death and Dying Seminar, 7,p.m., Grace Lutheran.
Medina School Board, 7:30 p.m., school.
PCVFD, 8 p.m., firehouse.

Friday, January 13

School holiday.
Bandera County Junior Livestock Show.
Madrona Garden Club, 2 p.m., FSBCR.
Melodiers, 5 p.m.
Bandera Boys Basketball vs. Southside, 6 p.m., here.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Saturday, January 14

Bandera County Junior Livestock Show Sale Day.
PC Cub Scouts Den No. 3, noon, open fire cookout.
Medina River Ranch Assn., 2 p.m., Lundblad's Hangar, bring own chair.

Sunday, January 15

St. Mary's Catholic Church at Vanderpool, all day retreat.
Bandera United Methodist Church, 6 p.m., brown bag shower for Steve Muller family.

Monday, January 16

AARP Fun Days, Legion Hall, 1 p.m.
Ladies VFW Auxiliary to Post 9176, 2:30 p.m., post home.
Medina Jr. High Basketball, D'Hanis at Medina, 5 p.m.
Bandera Girls Basketball at Smithson Valley, 6 p.m.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin' R.
Vanderpool Wolf Club, 7 p.m., VC Bldg.
PCVFD Ladies Aux., 7:30 p.m., firehouse.

Tuesday, January 17

Medina Basketball vs. D'Hanis, 5 p.m., here.
Bandera Boys Basketball vs. Smithson Valley, 6 p.m., here.
Helping Hands, 7 p.m., First Baptist Church.
Bandera Co. Artist, 6:30 p.m. FNBBR, Pot Luck Supper.
Boy Scout Troop 146, 7:30 p.m., Scout Hut.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
Bingo, Am. Legion Hall, LH, 7:30 p.m.
BC Chamber of Commerce, 7:30 p.m., FNBBR.

Wednesday, January 18

Bandera AARP, 2 p.m., St. Joseph's School.
LVFD bingo, 7 p.m.
PC 4-H Community Club, 7 p.m., PC Community Center.
MLVFD training session, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.

Thursday, January 19

Bandera Chapter DAR, 2 p.m., FSBCR.
Extension Homemakers Club of Rio Hondo, 2 p.m., home of Billie Riley.
Bandera County Committee on Aging, 7 p.m., Senior Center.
Death and Dying Seminar, 7 p.m., Grace Lutheran.
Bandera Lodge 81, 7:30 p.m., Am. Legion Hall.
Hill Country Music Assoc., 7:30 p.m., FNBBR.
Medina VFD, 7:30 p.m. Medina Youth Center.

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—Worth noting

School board extends Ron Caloss' contract

Trustees of the Bandera Independent School District extended the contract of superintendent Ron Caloss through June 1987 Tuesday. Caloss has been superintendent here since 1977.

The school board also hired Marilyn Holloway to teach science, math and English at the junior high school for the remainder of the year. The additional teacher was made necessary by an increase in enrollment.

Because of lack of space at the junior high, the new teacher will be required to "float" from room to room, teaching classes in rooms vacated by other teachers during their conference hours.

The board also added three persons to the list of approved substitute teachers. They are Joseph Kurtright, Barbara McMahon and Linda Sklosa.



New Boy Scout patrol leader Joe Lopez, left, and new life scout Tim Lurker, center, visit with Bill Steele, Hill Country district representative of the Boy Scouts during the first ever joint Boy Scout and Cub Scout Court of Honor here last month. Lurker is just one grade below Eagle Scout, an achievement he hopes to attain this year. During the Court of Honor an Eagle Scout Memorial Scholarship Fund was announced. It was made possible by initial contributions from Pam and Keith Stefner and Kim and Daryl Schuchart as a memorial to Calvin D. Thompson.

Livestock show promoters due

Ambassadors from the 1984 San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo will be greeted by a mounted parade of Cowboy Capital cowboys Thursday, Jan. 19, and by what a Chamber of Commerce spokesman called "a big surprise."

The ambassadors will be making their annual trek to Bandera to promote the stock show, and Bandera Chamber of Commerce secretary Sue Martin invited anyone who wants to help escort them into town to meet at the Longhorn on Highway 173 North at 2:30 p.m.

Cowboys will escort the bus in which the ambassadors ride on a brief parade which will end up at the First State Bank where they will be treated to an informal reception, featuring refreshments.

The San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo is Feb. 10-19 and Hill Country Day is Feb. 13.

The ambassadors are committee chairmen and vice chairmen and other livestock show officials, and Martin reports that their reception in Bandera has become a highlight of their annual tour promoting the show.

Martin's "big surprise" is a closely-guarded secret, but she promises it will be worth witnessing. It will take place in the vicinity of the bank at about 3 p.m., she said.

The chamber is encouraging everyone to dress western on Jan. 19 to promote the Cowboy Capital image here when the ambassadors arrive.

Lodge will be raised at museum

A Blackfeet Indian Lodge will be raised at the Cowboy Artists of American Museum in Kerrville in conjunction with the opening Saturday of a showing of 53 bronze sculptures by Bob Scriver, covering 1,500 years of the history and culture of the Blackfeet tribe.

The lodge will be erected on the grounds by members of the tribe, who will come from their, tribal home in Montana for the opening.

Scriver describes how the lodge is raised in his book, "No More Buffalo," which tells the history of the tribe and the story of the sculptures.

Each lodge requires 21 poles from 22 to 27 feet long. At the beginning, four poles are raised as a frame to support 14 other poles which give the structure form.

There is much symbolism in how the lodge is placed and raised. The lodge skin pole, the 15th pole, is placed to the west. The door opening always faces the east. The cover is wrapped around the poles and laced with wooden pins. A fire pot, ringed with rocks, is dug in the center of the lodge.

The exhibit, which will open the museum's 1984 season, will last through April 15.

Seminar on death planned by Lutherans

Grace Lutheran Church will offer a special four-part seminar during January entitled, The Gift of Life: A Good New Perspective on Death and Dying," the Rev. David Doerfler announced.

Thursday's session is Part I: "Feelings and dealings with life and death", focusing on human emotions. Next Thursday, Jan. 19, Part II will examine the "steps and stages of death and dying."

The public is cordially invited to participate, says Rev. Doerfler. Each session will be held at Grace Lutheran Church beginning at 7 p.m.

Temperatures

Dates	Low	High	Rainfall
Wednesday, Jan. 4	40	69	
Thursday, Jan. 5	41	73	
Friday, Jan. 6	45	75	
Saturday, Jan. 7	48	68	
Sunday, Jan. 8	50	54	
Monday, Jan. 9	47	60	1.60
Tuesday, Jan. 10	23	48	.04

Rainfall so far this month: 2.25 in. Rainfall so far this year: 2.25 in.

Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Co-op, Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

Driving course slated

A defensive driving course for public employees only and persons driving official vehicles such as ambulances and fire trucks will be conducted Jan. 17 and 19 at the courthouse, according to Peace Justice Bonnie Towers.

The deadline for paying the $4 for the course has already passed, Judge Tower said, but there may be vacancies for someone to fill who did not sign up by the Jan. 10 deadline.

She emphasized, however, that this course is not open to the public. Courses are conducted by private contractors in Kerrville and San Antonio at a much higher fee for the general public, she explained.

Mileage forms needed

Tax assessor-collector Marguerite Stevens said a new state law that went into effect Jan. 1 requires that an autometer statement is required at the sale of all vehicles bought and sold.

Forms are available in her office, she said.

Seminar set at A&M for horse show judges

Individuals involved in judging and showing horses will have an opportunity to take part in a special seminar at Texas A&M University, Jan. 28.

The occasion is a Horse Show Judges Seminar hosted by the Texas A&M Horsemen's Association.

The seminar will be at the Animal Science Pavilion and will get under way at 8:30 a.m.; says Dr. Doug Householder, horse specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Obituaries

Dora C. Whitley

Dora C. Whitley, 91, died in San Antonio Jan. 1.

She was the widow of the late John Alex Whitley. She is survived by her daughter, Ruby Hall, San Antonio; two sons, Andrew G. Whitley, Medina, and Curtis C. Whitley, San Antonio; eight grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Whiteley's funeral was held on Jan. 3 and burial was in San Jose Cemetery, San Antonio.

Edna Mae Hart

Edna Mae Hart, 91, Lakehills, died Jan. 4 at her home. Authorities were unable to locate relatives. She was buried Jan. 10 at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery. The Rev. James Colley officiated at graveside services.

Lurline V. Callaway

Lurline V. Callaway, 64, died Jan. 7 in San Antonio. She was the sister of Helmer Jean Young of Bandera.

Other survivors include her husband, William T. Callaway of San Antonio; another sister, Muriel O'Lear of Austin; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services were held Jan. 10 at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in San Antonio with the Rev. David Tart officiating. Burial was in Mission Burial Park South.

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"I think that [illegible] you join (AACOG) that [illegible] the federal government you support it (regional government)," Ashley said.

Judge Curbo, who is active with AACOG, said the regional council of governments is the best control we have over how the money is spent: "If we don't have representation at that table (AACOG board of directors), we've got no control at all," he said.

Insurance agent Jon Dowell appeared before the commissioners to complain that they advertised for bids on one type of insurance coverage and accepted a bid from Joe McMullan Insurance Agency for a different kind of coverage.

He particularly called attention to coverage on the Emergency Medical Service ambulances (they call them modulances) and on the comprehensive coverage of sheriff department patrol cars.

The commissioners' explanation didn't satisfy him, I owever. "What (coverage) they've got now, I could have written cheaper," he told the Bulletin after the meeting.

The commissioners went into executive (secret) session and emerged to accept the resignation of John Dexter as manager of Mansfield Park, effective March 31.

They also set the official holidays for county employees, to include Washington's Birthday Feb. 20, Good Friday April 20, Memorial Day May 28, July 4, Labor Day Sept. 3, Thanksgiving Nov. 22 and 23, Christmas Dec. 24 and 25; and New Year's Eve Dec. 31. Employees have already observed Jan. 1 as a holiday.

Commissioners also increased the salary of county inspector Spot Wright to $810 per month plus $400 vehicle allowance. He took a voluntary salary cut last year for social security reasons.

Starving artist show

The 22nd annual Starving Artists' Art Show, sponsored by the Little Church of La Villita, will be held on Saturday and Sunday, April 7 and 8. It will take place in La Villita, along the Riverwalk, and on Hemisfair Plaza.

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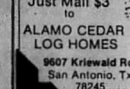

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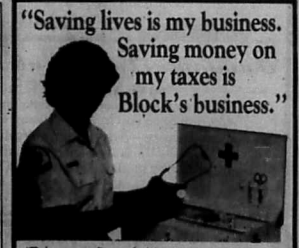

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Deadline extended

The Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department Board of Directors met with Ron Caloss, Superintendent of Bandera Independent School District, in a special meeting Thursday evening.

Mr. Caloss explained to the board that when his office contacted the U.S. Justice Department in Washington to obtain permission to move the voting place for school elections in our precinct from the firehouse to the Lakehills Civic Center they responded with a thick packet of federal regulations and paperwork.

Mr. Caloss stated the school board will move forward to comply with the federal regulations and complete the paperwork and return it to Washington, but some of the information requested by the Justice Department will require considerable time to gather the statistics and facts to complete the forms.

The Board agreed to allow the School District to continue to hold their elections at the firehouse through March, 1985.

One great kitten

Last week in the Lakehills column we reported a fire at the residence of Billy and Jimmy Halfmann. In talking with Billy and his mother this week I learned Billy's 8-month-old Siamese kitten is credited with saving the boys and the house. It seems Billy is a very sound sleeper, but the kitten persisted in annoying Billy until he was awake enough to realize there was a fire and smoke coming from an adjoining room.

Billy was unable to get to the phone in their home so they went to his mother's to call for help. The firemen were at the firehouse, refilling the pumpers from an earlier fire, so their response was rapid and the fire was soon out, with most of the damage confined to the living room and furnishings.

The kitten has adjusted quite well to her new position as Queen of the Halfmann household.

News of interest

It was sure good to hear Ruth Cowley had the pins removed from her toes and was able to go to bingo.

Harold Stein suffered a heart attack, and after several weeks in the hospital he was released just in time to spend the holidays at home. Kitty says he's doing much better and should be out and about real soon.

Bob Faurie is home from the hospital.

John Provance is still in intensive care.

Altar Society

St. Victor's Altar Society held their first meeting for the new year Thursday evening. New officers for the year are Maggie Pike, President; Mable Kentner, Vice President; Julia Lehman, Secretary; and Mary Schmandle, Treasurer.

Plans and ideas for the June barbecue were discussed. Refreshments were served following the meeting. The Altar Society meets the first Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at St. Victor's.

Are you bored?

Are you bored and have nothing to do on a typical Lakehills Saturday night? Are you looking for something different and exciting? Then try the 1950's Sock Hop this Saturday at the Lakehills Civic Center.

This new event, sponsored by the Medina Lake Betterment Association, starts with a 1950 short order cafe at 6:30 p.m. (When was the last time you indulged in a root beer float or cherry cake?)

Then D.J. Jim MacMillan will be spinning your favorite disco from the 50's era from 8:30 p.m. on. Prizes will be awarded for the most appropriate 50's outfit, best jitterbugging, and door prizes will also be awarded. There will be a "Round Dancing" demonstration.

Don't forget the Applewhite

The proposed Applewhite Reservoir downstream on the Medina River is of concern to all property and business owners in our area. A meeting has been called by the U.S. Corps of Engineers for Jan. 23 at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria of the Pearce Elementary School. The school is 14 miles south of San Antonio on U.S. Highway 281.

The purpose of the meeting is to gather information from concerned citizens prior to compiling its environmental impact statement, according to the Corps of Engineers.

Burglary

Popeye DeSalme of Lakehills reported his home and restaurant were burglarized Jan. 3. The breakins were thought to have been made between 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. while DeSalme was away.

In the restaurant, coin boxes on the cigarette and pool machines were pried open. The loss was estimated at less than $50 from these and a money bag containing approximately $300 was taken from beneath the bar.

In the home burglary a Sony television and Panasonic video camera, both still in the boxes; a pistol, described only as "cheap;" a box containing personal papers; and $1,400 in cash were taken.

Since the camera and television were brand new and DeSalme had not recorded the serial numbers and sheriff's investigators were unable to enter them into the police computer, making changes of recovery slight.

A sheriff's office spokesman has asked the Bulletin to re-emphasize that citizens should record and keep in a safe place serial numbers on all guns, electronic equipment, cameras and appliances in order to trace, identify and reclaim items that may be taken by thieves.

Brieno promoted

Marine Pfc. Robert A. Brieno, son of Aurora T. and Andrew C. Brieno of Lakehills, has been meritoriously promoted to his present rank upon graduation from recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

He received the early promotion for his superior performance during all phases of the 11-week training cycle, which emphasized physical conditioning, self-discipline and teamwork.

Board of directors

The next election of the board of directors of Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 will be held on Saturday, April 7, instead of in January as in past years.

This was announced by Cliff Mueller, president of the board, in explaining the provisions of the new laws governing elections of boards of Texas water districts.

The new laws applicable to the irrigation district require that directors be elected in April and serve four-year terms. Directors scheduled to be elected in 1985, however, will be elected for terms of one year, and directors elected in 1986 will serve terms of four years, Mueller said.

This will be the pattern for the transition to the new system. The result continues the existing staggered election system whereby only a portion of the board is elected at each election. However, after 1985 director elections will be held only on even numbered years.

In the past, members of the B-M-A board have been elected annually in January, with terms of two years each staggered so that the terms of two directors expire on one year, and terms of the three other directors expire the following year.

Mueller, Henry Lee Keller, and Vick Fielding were re-elected members of the B-M-A board in January, 1982, and Erich Linnartz and A.V. Thurman were re-elected in January, 1983.

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Five subdivisions get tentative OK

Five new subdivisions in the Lakehills area and a sixth in Pipe Creek received preliminary approval from Bandera County commissioners Monday.

Five of the new developments are projects of Dr. Guy Ransom who has developed several others in the county and the sixth is a project of Barney Sledge.

Four of Dr. Ransom's planned subdivisions are contiguous on Farm Road 1283 three miles north of its intersection with Park Road 37 on the old Leibold Ranch.

His fifth development will be in Pipe Creek and is a 137-acre subdivision for homes and mobile homes. Located just behind the Pipe Creek Post Office, the development will be called Pipe Creek Estates, according to the preliminary plat submitted for approval by Dr. Ransom Monday.

Sledge's subdivision will be called Medina Harbour Estates. It contains 32 lots, the smallest of which is 20,000 square feet in area. Roads in the subdivision will be privately constructed and maintained by a property-owners association. The deed to each lot will contain a statement that the county will never be asked to maintain the roads.

Sledge told the commissioners he intends to maintain a locked gate at the entrance to the subdivision to keep passers-by from entering the development.

Dr. Ransom's four Lakehills-area developments will be called Leibold Mountain, Oak Forest, Lake View and Deer Field. The lots in the Lake View subdivision will overlook Lake Medina. Lots in the four developments will range from just under one acre (in Lake View) to 10 acres (in Leibold Mountain Subdivision), according to the preliminary plats.

In all, the four developments contain 610 acres and are part of the old 1550-acre Leibold Ranch. Dr. Ransom has developed several other subdivisions in Bandera County, including Red Bluff Ranch and Bear Creek Estates.

Last month the commissioners gave preliminary approval to a 55-acre subdivision planned by Randy Courtney which he hopes will include some commercial development at the intersection of Farm Road 1283 and Park Road 37.

Lakeshore
Mrs. Dell Lackey — 796-8844

Weekenders and guest

Margaret and Bill Holmes, San Antonio, are enjoying their second home in Lakeshore with Charlie and Mildred Pedratti and mother, Irma Monroe, and grandnephew, Billie Bess, who turned eight years old Jan. 3.

Monthly covered dish

Spaghetti was served to many Lakeshore neighbors and friends at the Copper Lantern Saturday night.

Grass fire

The Lakeshore Fire Department was called out Friday afternoon to the home of Jeff Brown, where a grass fire got out of control. The fire department responded quickly and no damage was done.

Guests

Dana and Ritch Simmons' mother, Lucy Rogers, and son, Kenneth, visited them over the weekend.

Fleda Joe Searcy, Kerrville, is visiting old friends in Lakeshore.

Car accident

Lloyd Bishop was in intensive care at Kerrville hospital, from injuries received when his new pickup went out of control.

Lloyd is out of the hospital now and doing okay.

Weekend guest

Mike Avalon of San Antonio spent the weekend with Phil and Nola Bledsoe.

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Services

The Rev. Harvey Hulse of the First Baptist Church used for his text Sunday Romans 13. Ruth Mansfield played the piano and Pete Pigott led the singing.

Those registering were Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker, Allyne Davis, Dottie Davis, Ruth Mansfield, Pete Pigott and Rev. Harvey Hulse.

Visitors

Dorothy Anderwald visited Annie Kollaus, Hazel Anderwald, Mary Mazurek, Ruth Hatto and Lillian Lang.

Ann Neal of Pipe Creek visited Gertrude Werner Tuesday morning.

Louie Allsup enjoyed a visit from his sister-in-law, Ola Bell Allsup of Medina.

Aggie Hatto visited Annie Kollaus, Ruth Hatto and Cynthia Mayberry.

Elayne Mills, Frieda Walker and Debbie Walker of Medina stopped by to visit Ruby Sides.

Hill Country Chapel

We enjoyed the ladies from Hill Country Chapel when they came last week for their monthly visit. They sang a lot of old time favorite hymns and had a short devotional. Those registering were Judy John and son, Kevin, Jana Harris, Cindy Jacox, Darlene and Paul Marks and Stephanie Taylor.

Ople Hoyle visited her mother, Maude Stokes. Also visiting were Maude's granddaughter, Sandra Vannatter, and great-grandsons, Nathan and Jordan Vannatter.

Lillian Bush's guests last week were Josephine Leslie and Kay Redliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited their many friends last Wednesday and took Jack Holloway to church services at the Church of Christ that evening.

June and Rex Oberg visited his mother, Freda Oberg, and Mae Armstrong.

Tootie Mayfield visited her aunt, Ruby Sides, and Veonita Porter.

Mrs. Alfred Janert and children of San Antonio visited Ruth Hatto.

We're sorry to report Dannie Robinson and Hazel Anderwald in the Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville. We hope they will soon be feeling better and get to come home soon.

Birthdays

We had three celebrating birthdays last week, Annie Kollaus on Tuesday, Mildred Woltersdorf on Wednesday and Bessie Bradford on Thursday. They each enjoyed birthday cakes, flowers and gifts. Annie received Presidential Birthday Greetings and birthday greetings from Governor White.

More visitors

Donald and Doris Ahr and son, David, visited Hulda Heyen. Donald is Mrs. Heyen's grandson and David is her great-grandson. Other visitors were Mrs. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Heyen and Ervin Heyen.

Mae Armstrong's visitors were her son and wife, Sam and Lois Armstrong, Jimmie R. Saathoff and Janie Lee Saathoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Merris visited his mother, Mildred Woltersdorf, on her birthday.

Casey Faris and Jack McKandles visited Myrtle Heinen.

Wes and Betty Wallace of San Angelo visited her father, Rudy Hardebeck.

Mrs. Powers and daughter, Stephanie, visited Jack Holloway.

Welcome

We welcome Brack Hoggett to our family. We hope he will enjoy his stay with us.

Stock Show in Fort Worth sets record

The 88th annual Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show will set another record for the number of livestock entries, says W. R. Watt, Jr., show President/Manager. He said that while some entries are still being processed, the total estimate exceeds 17,000 head.

The Stock Show is scheduled Jan. 25 through Feb. 5 at the Will Rogers Memorial Complex, and will include 22 performances of the World's Original Indoor Rodeo.

"Practically all divisions of our show this year are posting increases," Watt noted. "We are delighted over prospects of another record-breaking year." The previous peak year was 1982, when 16,935 head of livestock were exhibited.

The Stock Show official reminded exhibitors of poultry, pigeons and rabbits that Jan. 15 is the deadline for entries in the Small Stock Division.

Rodeo tickets are on sale seven days a week from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. in the Will Rogers Coliseum lobby box office. Tickets are priced at $6 from Monday through Friday matinees, $8 for Monday through Thursday nights and $10 for Friday nights and all weekend performances.

For tickets by mail, send cashier's check or money order to Stock Show Office, P. O. Box 150, Fort Worth, Tx. 76101. Include $1 extra per order for postage and handling.

With the planned dedication of the new Amon G. Carter Jr. Exhibits Hall and the prestigious Livestock Appreciation Day event, Watt said, "We look forward to a very exciting year." Special day activities are scheduled Feb. 2 with the building dedication at 11 a.m., followed by the Livestock Appreciation Day luncheon program in the Round Up Inn with special guest speaker, noted national news commentator, Paul Harvey.

Applications are being accepted for participation in the show's All-Western Parade, Jan. 27. The parade will include riding clubs, marching bands and horse-drawn vehicles.

Pipe Creek

Nancy Ibach — 535-4217



Wedding

Dec. 3 Wade Marrs and Janine Wilson were married at Northwest Hills Baptist Church in San Antonio. Wade is a 1981 graduate of Bandera High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Marrs of Pipe Creek.

The couple now reside in San Antonio where Wade is employed at Francis Electric Company.

Cub Scouts

The PC Cub Scouts Den No. 3 will meet Jan. 14, instead of Friday, for an open fire cookout. The scouts will cook lunch for their parents. Next week they will have their regular meeting.

First Baptist Church

Feb. 11 and 12, Tom and Patty Estes from Kingsville will be performing at the church. I'll have more information later this month.

Acteens — They are going to be real busy having bake sales, cleaning houses and anything else they can do. This is to earn enough money to go to Ft. Worth in July to the National Acteen Association.

4-H

The PC 4-H Club will be working the concession stand Jan. 13 from 8 a.m. until 11 a.m. at the Junior Livestock Show. Because of the work and time put into this project they will not have a regular meeting this month. Their next regular schedule meeting will be Feb. 15.

PC homemakers

The PC Extension Homemakers Club had their first meeting of the new year Jan. 3. There were 12 members and one visitor present at the meeting in which they organized for the new year.

The club project this year will be to help the Helping Hand Center in Bandera. The club will also be helping with the food preparation and sale at the Livestock Show this weekend.

Their next meeting will be Feb. 7 at Betty Heinen's home. The program will be on "Furnishings: combining the new with the old." Everyone is welcome.

Baptist Women

The Baptist Women of the PC First Baptist Church met Jan. 9 at the church. Their program was "The Changing Population in the Sun Belt." There was a guest speaker, Cathryn Born, to further discuss the subject and explain why they moved into the Sun Belt.

Junior Livestock Show

The 48th annual Bandera County Junior Livestock Show will be this Thursday, Friday and Saturday and there will be a lot of 4-H youths from our community participating in this grand event. Let's all go and show our youth that we do care and we do support them for all the hard work and preparation in the past few months for this show.

Tarpley

Nettie Dean — 562-3463

Weather

We can all appreciate the past week of warm days and nights, after all the freezing weather. Showers started falling Sunday afternoon and light hail fell Sunday night, lots of thunder too. Odd for January. Two inches of rain fell at Rio Hondo.

Birthdays

Happy birthday to Marie Hood Jan. 9, Willie Morris on Jan. 11 which is also her anniversary, and Marie Dean Newcomb Jan. 14.

Visitor

Genevieve Mason of Temple came Wednesday to visit her friends Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Rhines. She and Alta were college friends. Genevieve left on Saturday after a lovely visit.

Rev. and Mrs. Rhines left on Monday to attend an Evangelistic conference at Ft. Worth. They will return Wednesday night.

Holiday house guests

House guests of Rev. and Mrs. Tra Harrison at Fern Springs Ranch above Rio Hondo Subdivision and at Bandera were Dr. Robert Thalmann and Mr. and Mrs. George File of Houston, Dr. and Mrs. Richard File of Tulsa, Okla., Kevin File of Uvalde, Mr. and Mrs. I.V. Garrison Jr., Debbie Garrison and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Storrs of Fort Worth, Jim Garrison of Dallas, Allison Wood of Temple, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Storrs of Denver and the Rev. and Mrs. Robert Storrs Jr. and daughters Emilyn, Dora and Donnelle of Fort Collins, Colo.

Bob and Joyce Storrs are here for an extended visit to enjoy the warmth of a Texas winter.

Club meets

The Extension Homemaker Club of Rio Hondo will meet at the home of Billie Riley at 2 p.m. on Jan. 19.

The primary purpose of this meeting will be to plan programs, meeting places and roll calls for the 1984 yearbook. All the women of this area are most cordially welcome to attend this and all future meetings of this organization.

Extension Homemakers is the largest women's organization in the United States. Our County Extension agents provide education directed toward helping people help themselves. Presently there are 23,600 homemakers representing the EHC in Texas.

Day retreats

St. Mary's Catholic Church at Vanderpool will sponsor all day retreats Jan. 15 and Jan. 22. The Rev. William E. Daly, S.J. of St. Joseph, Missouri will be retreat master.

Dinner guests Sunday

Lloyd Jeffers and his son, Lance, of Centex Point visited his mother, Edith Jeffers, and his sister, Ethel Mae Maxey. Other visitors on Saturday were Edith's grandson, Michael Jeffers, and his friend, Kathy Schultz of Castroville.

Visit relatives

Elzie and Nettie Dean visited relatives Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lutz and children, Tony and Janet of Hondo, on Saturday also Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dean and Mrs. Helen Wood of D'Hanis.

Get well wishes

We send good wishes to Vashti Dean Sparks of Kingsville who has spent a week in the hospital. She formerly lived at Tarpley and Pipe Creek.

Dallas trip

Little Eric Haner spent the week with his grandparents, Anton and Marilyn Haner. They returned him to Dallas Saturday to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Haner. They returned on Sunday. On their way home they stopped by and visited Marilyn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tatsch of New Braunfels.

Senior Citizens

Birthdays

January seems to be a popular birthday month. Jan. 3 about a dozen friends arrived at the Center, in a festive mood, to honor Minnie Hayes and Viola Sexton with a surprise birthday party. An afternoon of cards, and delicious refreshments made it a lovely tribute to two of the faithful and hard-working ladies who have contributed so much to the Center.

Jan. 17 will be the regular monthly covered-dish birthday noon meal at the Center, when several more January birthdays will be recognized. If you have never participated in this regular event, you are invited to come, bring one dish, and enjoy the varied and tasty food that is brought.

Building

Jan. 5 saw a large gathering of those interested in the building project for a new and larger home for the Center. Progress really is being made, and very soon now preliminary work can begin.

It was great seeing representatives from Tarpley, Lake Shores, Pipe Creek, Medina and Lakehills present, as well as Bandera, since this is a county-wide project. Offers are being made for contributions of equipment, supplies and labor when construction actually gets underway.

Also it is hoped that loyal Bandera County citizens will see fit to invest as tax write-offs in making this a truly community project. Another meeting will be held Jan. 19, at 7 p.m.

Thanks

Thanks are expressed for the many memorials that have been received. This is a lovely way in which to express tribute to friends and loved ones.

Bags

An appeal is being made for paper bags, which are in short supply in the kitchen. If you have an excess after shopping bring used bags to the Center, where they are used in many ways. And many, many thanks for the aluminum cans. We now have another load to take to the collection center and those dollars help the cause.

Illness

Very sorry to report illness has been troubling our area. Over the weekend Fran Culley was in Wilford Hall for tests. Also in Wilford was John Provance, who underwent open heart surgery Jan. 3 and was for several days in ICU, but now has been moved into a room. Jan. 9 Nora Thallman entered Sid Peterson, Kerrville, for tests.

Last week Melcese Rugh was quite uncomfortable for several days, and was very glad when her sister, Blondie, came from Uvalde to stay for the weekend to aid in caring for their mother, Mrs. Allen, who recently underwent eye-lens surgery, in Kerrville.

Jan. 10 Eugene Saathoff underwent lens surgery, also in Kerrville.

It is great, seeing M.R. Sandidge again up and about, after recent surgery and a hospital stay in San Antonio.

A suggestion has been made that any of you who have toys that have been damaged, but that are repairable, or perhaps dolls that your young no longer care for, or may need new clothes, make it a continuing habit to bring them to the Center.

The Monday craft group will be glad to cooperate in any manner possible, and have this an on going project. During the year, it is often desired to have some item to take to a sick child, or perhaps after a disaster.

Or if it seems more appropriate, pass repaired items on to Helping Hands. Let's make our area truly a community.

Sabinal Canyon

Lillie Thompson — 966-3189

Thawing

Everyone in the canyon is almost thawed out and enjoying warmer temperatures this first week of 1984. Many folks had water problems, frozen and busted water pipes, pump pressure gauges freezing and sticking and water heaters leaking. Back in 1935, lugging water for household use didn't seem a big chore, but to go back to the old days 48 years later, with arthritis in these old bodies is a different story.

Misty, cloudy weather has hung on for several days, a good rain is badly needed to revive all these oat fields.

Visitors

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. D.F. Neff during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Walker Freeman, Arla and Wayne of Follett, Thel and Shawn Neff, Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. William Hull Hammond, Indiana.

Guests of R.C. and Dorothy Cutler during the holidays were Earl and Belle Cutler and children, Carla and Nan of San Antonio, Carl Cutler, retired Navy of Jacksonville, Flor., Devin and Kim, Dallas, Don and Cathy Cutler and children, Jenifer and Lake, Tyler.

Allen and Edna McFadden and son, Richard, of Pasadena spent New Year's Day with her parents, Alvin and Jessie Ivy.

Guests of Les, Rachel and Bill Short during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. David Lee and Jeremy of Casper, Wyo., Dr. and Mrs. Bryan Baker, Richmond, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ball, Palmer, Susie and Hunter Batman, Kerrville, Teenie and Tim Langlinais, Joe, Beverly, Tana and Teri Short, Rick and Clara Jo Anderson and Jo, Les, Joy and Jake Short, Bandera.

Wolf Club

All members and interested parties are urged to attend a meeting of Vanderpool Wolf Club Jan. 16 at 7 p.m. at the Vanderpool Community Building. Some very important decisions need to be discussed and voted on.

Schaefer

Sunday visitors of Bill and Pat Schaefer were their son, Michael, and wife of Helotes, their daughter, Judy of San Antonio. They all attended Baptist church services Sunday morning.

Neff

Joe and Mable Hayes of Kerrville were Saturday visitors of Franklin and Velma Neff and dinner guests and visitors of Hub and Lillie Thompson.

Cornelius

Michael Cornelius and two children, Mike and Machelle, of Beeville were weekend visitors of his parents, Bill and Doris Cornelius.

Howard

Lecil and Ruby Howard were Sunday visitors of his brother and wife, Duward and Donie Howard, Con Can.

Showers

Slow showers fell Sunday afternoon and Sunday night a severe thunder storm moved in, dumping around three inches of rain in this area. It was badly needed on oat fields damaged from the hard freezes.

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BSAD 434.0	General Ins. Prin.	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
BDSY 231.0	Computer Applications	6:30-7:45 pm MW
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ENGL 235.0	World Lit. I	6:30-7:45 pm MW
GOVT 231.0	Organization	7:55-9:10 pm TTh
HIST 231.0	U.S. History I	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
MATH 131.3	College Algebra	6:30-7:45 pm MW
MDGT 231.0	Adver/Sales Promotion	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
PHIL 436.0	Philosophy of Religion	6:30-7:45 pm MW
PSYC 232.0	Child Growth/Development	6:30-7:40 pm TTh
REST 132.0	Real Estate Finance	7:55-9:10 pm MW
REST 232.0	Real Estate Law	6:30-7:45 pm MW
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ter says.

"A peace officer really has to be informed on legal court cases, what things can be admitted into a court of law and what can't and precedents set by major cases. Management of people in domestic crisis and the legal rights of citizens are two of the most important aspects," Vannatter said.

"It is a must to have training, skill and good common sense when entering into any situation to which a peace officer is called," Vannatter added. An obscure peace officer in any obscure precinct answering any call could be front page news or set precedents in court by his action, the new constable indicated.

As Vannatter says his major concern is the quiet visibility of a peace officer as a deterant to illegal activities. Vannatter sees a constable's job as assisting the county officers to pick up the slack in the less populated areas.

An example he singled out as a job for a trained constable would include being visable at such functions as ball games and special events. Such visability often deters vandalism and theft, he said. Because most school districts have games on the same nights, any sheriff's department would be hard pressed to be everywhere in a county at once and still be available when other disturbances occur.

Other local activities a constable may be asked to become involved in would be in traffic direction for funerals and special events, high speed chases and road blocks, following the orders of the court when arrest warrants are issued, and working with the justices of the peace in summoning witness and parties in litigation.

"The position of constable is not a full-time position due to the pay situation," said Vannatter. He receives $130 per month plus expenses. "Some day it will grow into that here."

For now Vannatter must continue to work in his present job with the Stokes oil business and preach and speak within his Christian ministry.

Louis and Sandra (Stokes) Vannatter were married in 1972 and they have two boys, Nathan and Jordan, in Medina Elementary School.

He considers his family and his area to be worth the effort to protect with peace.

Medina firefighters need residents' help

Medina's Volunteer Fire Department will have its monthly meeting Jan. 19 at 7:30 p.m. at the Medina Youth Center.

The Medina firefighters, like their Bandera counterparts, say they need more help from the community they serve. "The Volunteer Fire Department needs your help," says spokesman Anna Childs. "We hope you won't need them."

Fred Burch is president of the Medina firefighters, and he has invited all members of the community to meet with his firefighters. Cake and coffee will be served.

Indictment

The 198th District Court grand jury in Kerrville Friday handed down an indictment in the traffic accident that killed Kimberly Britt Eoff of Medina.

Ricky Burns of Bandera was charged with failure to stop and render assistance in the incident. Burns is in Kerr County jail under $50,000 bond.

Medina menu

Jan. 16-20

Monday: Lasagna, green beans, carrots, fruit, rolls and milk.

Tuesday: Burrito with chili, blackeye peas, carrots, fruit, rolls and milk.

Wednesday: Turkey sandwiches, salad, green peas, fruit and milk.

Thursday: Chili with beans, slaw, corn, fruit, cornbread and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

By N.S. Ramsen

The unusual spectacle of an oil rig at FM 2828 and Texas 173 near the Bandera County and Kerr County line has disappeared as quickly as it appeared. The result was a dry hole, the driller said.

The rig drew a lot of attention from passers-by on Texas 173 traffic for over a month. Although oil wells are not new to Texas, this venture was watched with much local speculation. According to state of Texas information, Bandera County has no producing oil wells to date.

This was a $723,000 adventure — quite expensive as far as oil well drilling is concerned for the 6,000 feet attempt, admitted Mr. Chapman of Chapman Oil Co. of Houston.

Chapman explained that the property has several layers of a specific type of soil that drilling personnel cannot add water to in the drilling process. These areas in the earth have specific industrial names. Laymen call them zones. When a drill team hits these zones, drillers must stop using the usual water or mud drilling process and put down pipe and use forced air to drill until they reach another zone.

Chapman explained that this well took a lot of air drilling and thus a lot of pipe, which added to the cost.

Chapman also stated that the crew and equipment used was not from his own company. Chapman Oil Co. had considered the cost of bringing its own rig and crew from Houston too expensive and had subcontracted the actual work to Brooks Drilling Co., Abilene.

Local witnesses had noted the burning of some gas at the site on a couple occasions. Chapman denied finding any amount of oil or gas at the site, and explained the burn may have been the crews' own industrial waste being burned. He had not been notified of any burn of any kind by the on site managers, he said.

Roland Walters of Houston is trustee of the property where the activity took place. According to Chapman, Walters leased them a portion of land to drill for oil or gas. Although Conoco has dug seven wells, all found to be dry, within the general area, Chapman says Walters is convinced there is oil on the property.

"He intends to drill again, I think," said Chapman, "but we came up dry and I doubt we will participate in another attempt there." Walters was unavailable for comment.



Local witnesses had noted the burning of some gas at the site, but the driller denied finding any oil or gas.

DWI can make a TV star

If you get arrested and booked for driving while intoxicated in Bandera some 30 days from now, you'll have television in living color.

Bandera County commissioners Monday authorized the expenditure of up to $2,999 for the purchase of videotaping equipment so that booking procedures can be taped, and be made available for use in court, if the case comes to trial.

County law enforcement officials are hoping, however, many of the cases won't go as far as the trial stage. If fact, that's the main purpose of the taping equipment, according to Sheriff Guy V. Pickett.

"When people know we've made a recording of their booking, they're not going to want a jury to see that," Picket explained. "If we just eliminate two jury trials, we've paid for the equipment," the lawman explained.

The taping of the booking of DWI suspects has proved so successful in other areas that the state legislature last year required counties with populations that exceed 25,000 to purchase and use the equipment. "It's not required in small counties (like Bandera County), but it's wise for any county that has to deal with DWIs," Chief Deputy Mel Lemons told commissioners Monday.

County judge Tommy Carbo supported the purchase of the equipment for two reasons, he said. "First, since laws have been stiffened, we're going to have more trials (in the future)," he explained. "And since I'm a non-lawyer judge, defendants can appeal and ask for a lawyer judge. This is going to make things even more complicated."

There was one more good reason to go ahead and begin the practice of taping DWI arrests now, according to Lemons. "It's the attorney general's opinion that eventually all counties will be required to adopt the practice because it is discriminatory to require it of some counties and not others," he said.

The commissioners voted unanimously to authorize Pickett to purchase the necessary equipment and tape. Though the amount of the purchase is less than the $3,000 which would require the sheriff's office to ask for bids, Lemons promised to contact local vendors at the urging of Commissioner Bob Ashley of Medina.

The new taping equipment is just one of the new tools in the hands of law enforcement officials to get drunken drivers off the road. New laws that became effective Jan. 1 will make it tougher on those drivers apprehended while under the influence of alcohol or other drugs.

Besides the mean increased sanctions and stiffer sentences, legal authorities say,

While driving while intoxicated is the most widely accepted of major crimes, it kills more people than the four other major violent crimes — murder, rape, robbery and burglary — combined.

The new laws mean that:

•Any person convicted of DWI who has a prior conviction for the offense — even if he got probation the first time, as is the rule in Bandera County — automatically goes to jail upon a second conviction.

•If the offender caused another person serious bodily injury when driving while intoxicated, the minimum confinement in jail is increased by 60 days and the fine is increased by $000.

•A person convicted of involuntary manslaughter or DWI will not be able to get an occupational driver's license or any other permit to drive until their period of license suspension has expired.

•Deferred adjudication — erasing a conviction from a person's record after he or she successfully completes probation — will not be available to anyone charged with involuntary manslaughter or DWI.

Under the new laws, sentencing someone to three days in jail for a second DWI offense will mean he or she must remain in jail 72 hours. The old law allows the offender to enter jail shortly before midnight on one day, serve the next full day and get out of jail shortly after midnight on the second day, thus serving only a little more than 24 hours.

•Prosecutors will be able to say during a trial that the defendant refused to take a breath or blood test at the time of the arrest. Last year such refusals generally resulted in a mistrial. Refusal will also result in a mandatory 90-day suspension of an offender's driver's license.

•Fines for the first conviction of DWI will be up to $2,000 and 72 hours to two years in jail. For the second conviction, the maximum fine is the same but the minimum sentence is 15 days in jail. For third offense DWI, the fine is from $500 to $2,000 and the sentence could be 30 days to two years in the county jail or 60 days to five years in the penitentiary.

Comfort theatre

The Kendall County Historical Commission and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Britt, will host a Texas History [illegible] of the Comfort Community Theatre on Sunday, Jan. 29, at 2 p.m.

Although the building is only 53 years old, it is deemed worthy of the award due to the unique architectural design and the service it has rendered not only to the people of Comfort, but neighboring Hill Country towns as well, Dorothy Britt says.

Richard and Dorothy Britt have produced hundreds of live stage productions during the past five years which have brought people to Comfort from all around the state.

"We're inviting all those folks who have good memories of exciting times shared here to return for the dedication ceremony and the reception following," said Dorothy Britt. "We feel the historical marker will insure the continuing use of this building to serve many more people as the oldest operating stage and screen theater in Texas.

UIL Choral, Lit and Performance Meet

Jan. 6 and 7 the Bandera UIL Literary teams competed at Jefferson High School in many fine tournament of the year. Bandera had entries varying from Standard Debate to Dramatic Duet acting.

Bobbe Calhoun and Sandy Riedner advanced in the semifinals with a segment from Neil Simon's Plaza Suit.

U.S. bonds selling

Bandera County more than tripled its U.S. Savings Bond goal for 1983 by the end of October, according to the district director of the Treasury Department's savings Bonds Division.

According to figures released this week, a total of $47,476 in savings bonds had been purchased in Bandera County during the first 10 months of the year, a figure more than three times higher than the 1983 goal of $15,000.

J. Burgin Davenport, former president of the First State Bank in Bandera, is county chairman of the bond drive. Statewide, people in Texas have purchased more than $200 million or 99.5 percent of its goal.

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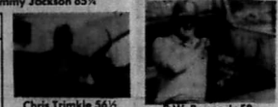



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Texas rangeland supports deer as well as cattle, a mix that can be managed to benefit both.

"Under good range conditions cattle primarily are grass-eaters, but only about three percent of a deer's diet is grass, so this mix of cattle and deer results in very little competition," he explains. "However, direct competition does result when the two must survive under drought or severely deteriorated range conditions. Cattle will then consume up to 30 percent of their diets as brush which is the main food for deer."

Several practices can be used with a cattle operation to benefit both cattle and deer. Guynn says some type of rotational grazing system will allow preferred range plants to reproduce and spread due to grazing deferment.

"Any type of rotation grazing system whether it be a one-herd, two-pasture switch system, three-pasture, one-herd system, four-pasture, or a three-herd system will help produce better quality deer and cattle than a continuous grazing system. "This type of controlled cattle grazing can be used to open the grass stands to allow for forb production and oak sprout generation."

The Texas A&M University wildlife specialist quickly points out that leaves or tips of twigs over shoulder-high to a human are out of reach to deer. "If a ranch does not have oak sprouts or desirable browse, a reduction of deer and sometimes cattle numbers is necessary to allow for production of these plants before improvements to the deer herd can be expected."

Proper adjustment of cattle and deer numbers can help reduce competition and produce better quality livestock and wildlife. Destocking cattle when drought reduces forage production, he emphasizes, is important to not only successful cattle management but to successful deer management as well.

"In addition, a reduction of deer numbers is often necessary and hunter harvests should be adjusted accordingly each year," he says. "To reduce deer numbers, doe harvests are mandatory since ranchers don't adjust cattle numbers by only selling bulls."

Putting out sufficient quantities of protein supplements for cattle as soon as they require it may reduce their use of browse, allowing more for deer use.

"Historians tell us that grazing by livestock since the mid-1800's has been a major reason that much grassland now supports dense brush stands," he explains. "Use of the same principle is one way ranchers may use cattle to allow for production of palatable brush sprouts. In most cases, deer numbers must be reduced initially in order for the new sprouts to have a chance to survive."

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Guynn concludes that it is primarily a matter of carefully watching the range plants and using the mix of cattle and deer as a tool in manipulating forage plants to produce adequate forbs and brush for deer and grass for cattle.

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589-2646

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535-4268

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751-2481

United Methodist Church
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Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
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For, about and by students in Bandera schools.
Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Speckman

Getting back into the swing of things in '84

New Year's resolutions, will they be kept?

By Daria Johnston

New Year's day is the beginning of a new year and it also brings new inspiration to people to break bad habits, start new projects, be nice to their neighbor, etc. No one knows for sure how long New Year's resolutions have been around. Someone long ago might have been inspired by the clean slate a new year brings and decided to change some habits, whatever they might have been.

Some students were asked what their resolutions were and these were their responses:

Nancy Herriott: To be the best person that I can be and for 1984 to be the best year ever.

Patrick Espinosa: Not to do work in any class and not to talk back to any teacher.

Jana Camp: To study the genetic make-up of a fruit fly.

Kathy Kimbrell: Not to burp in Mr. Stevens class any more and also to go on a diet.

Glynda Madden: Lose weight and improve social life.

Kim Moore: Lose weight! Be happy! Live one day at a time!

Dawn Maywald: Not to eat so much and to love Stevie.

Robert Saul: Play a lot of Dungeons and Dragons.

Russell Bates: Pass algebra at least one time this year.

Seana D'Spain: Go on a diet, get better grades, and keep on loving Mark more than ever.

Randy McHaney: Persuade my mom to get me a car.

Sandy Riedner: To surpass all my abilities and excell in everything. I'm in, for the remainder of the school year.

Some of those resolutions really sounded ambitious. Let's hope that some of them will be kept. It's nice to make a resolution, but it is even better to carry it out!

Finally, My own resolution, (hope, actually) and this is a plea to my parents who seem flo closer to buying me the car I need. Please, I swear I will help pay for it and I swear I will be good. Also I want to try to be nicer to people, and make better grades.

Good luck this year while you try to keep your resolutions, but if you don't keep them, remember, that's what next New Year is for.


Michele Speckman


Billy Morris

Speckman and Morris

Contra bass player, Michele Speckman, and trombonist, Billy Morris, advanced to Area Band Tryouts Jan. 7 in Alice.

In order to advance to this competition, members had first to tryout for district. District qualifiers then had to compete in Regional tryouts. Those qualifying for Region now advance to Area. Area Tryout is the last competition before State. BHS is proud of these two competitors and congratulate them for their hard word and effort.

—Karen Rizner

Seven make regional band

By Melissa Ross

Seven BHS students qualified for Regional band. In order for these students to qualify, they first had to make District band. After making District, they then advanced to Regional tryouts.

The tryouts were held in Bandera Dec. 15. The seven students who qualified were Chris Reeves-trombone, Billy Morris-trombone, Jake Frazier-tenor saxaphone, Ted Celis-tuba, Cheri Magon-clarinet, Jason Clardy-baritone and Michele Speckman-contra bass clarinet.

Drama prepares for district

'Chamber Music' cast

By Sandy Riedner

Lights, camera, action ... Yes, the Bandera High Drama Department is back on stage with their District UIL play, "Chamber Music." "Chamber Music" was cast based on experience, talent, and characteristic features.

Members chosen were Mrs. Mozart-Sandy Redner, Osa Johnson-Kim Compton, Gertrude Stein-Wendy Valdez, Pearl White-Nancy Hayes, Amelia Earheart-Mary Segovia, Queen Isabella-Janet Webber, Joan of Arc-Linda Karr, Susan B. Anthony-Betty Richmond, Man in White-Greg Tatum, His Assistant-Donald DeThorne.

"I'm pleased with the enthusiasm of this year's OAP cast. They are a talented group and they will benefit from the hard work we have already put in on "Dracula" and "Last Stop," commented Drama Director Baird Neville.

"Chamber Music," written by Author Kopit, deals with eight women in an insane asylum.

"It's a very difficult play, but I'm convinced that we have the group to do an outstanding job on it," said Neville.

"Chamber Music" will be performed for the public prior to competition. Bandera will host the One-Act-Play District Meet, which will be held in March.

Menu

Jan. 16-20

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Char-Burger with bun, H.B. salad, French fries, fruit and milk. At the salad bar, taco bar-Build your own taco!

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Toast with jelly, banana and milk. **Lunch:** "Finger Food Festival" steak fingers, French fries, carrot and celery sticks, cookie and milk. Second choice: Corn dog.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Pancakes, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Enchiladas, Spanish rice, tossed salad, pinto beans, cornbread and milk. Second choice: Burrito.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. **Lunch:** "Mad Hatter Day" "Beret" pizza, "Top Hat" fries, "Tongue" tossed salad, "Grannies Bonnet," fruit and "Farmer's" milk. Wear your craziest hat!

FRIDAY: Holiday

Basketball at its best

Bulldogs break losing streak

Bandera boys' basketball team raised their record to 8-5 Friday night against the Antonian Apaches.

The Bulldogs came back from a 5 point halftime deficit to defeat Antonian by a margin of 3 points. The score was 52-49. The Bulldogs are now 7-0 when holding teams to under 50 points. The Dogs are steadily improving and will be opening district play Friday night in Bulldog gym at 7:30.

The high scorer of the game was Steve Parker with 23 points and Bruce Robison followed with 20. The Bulldogs will be playing the South Side Cardinals here Friday to open district.

—David Schwarz

'Dogs defeat Pirates

Varsity and Junior Varsity girls basketball teams traveled to Center Point, coming out victorious in both games.

The Varsity girls started out slow, ending the first quarter with a score of 2-8. The halftime score was tied at 13-13. The Bulldogs came out the second half and dominated the Pirates by out-hustling, shooting and rebounding them. The final score was 37-22.

Susan Espinosa led the team with 3 steals, and Christine Caloss had 9 rebounds. Scorers were Fleming-15, Caloss-10, Espinosa-8, and Ryan-4.

The Junior Varsity Bulldogs shut out the Pirates the first half with a score of 15-0. The Pirates managed to score 9 points the second half ending the game with 37 points for the Bulldogs and 9 points for the Pirates.

Scorers were P. Youngblood-13, B. Clements-8, Adams-6, Mangold and Spencer-6, and Robbins-2.

—Christine Caloss

Student council on the go

Student council gets nacho break

Student Council members were treated to a nacho break, in the library, given by the teachers of BHS Dec. 12.

The previous week all Student Council members were advised of a "very important" meeting which was to be held the following Tuesday. This meeting turned out to be a special attraction to the average break day. There was a large supply of nachos and soft drinks set up for everyone to help themselves.

The teachers were showing their appreciation for all that Student Council has done throughout the year. Each holiday or special attraction at school, Student Council shows teachers appreciation by having buffet style foods set up in the teacher's lounge.

On behalf of all of the Student Council members, we would like to thank the teachers for their very kind and generous act.

—Randy McHaney

Dreamaker

In December the student council presented a multi-media presentation entitled "Dreamaker."

This Camfel production was shown on three large screens accompanied by stereo music. Student council will use the proceeds to have a Valentine's dance for the student body in February and to help pay for a trip to Del Rio.

—Nancy Herriott

ALS

By Michele Speckman

Dec. 15 the Association of Legal Students met in the First National Bank Board Room at 6 p.m. The program for the evening was conducted by officer Dan Butts, DPS.

The program was a slide presentation entitled "Drugs and Death." The pictures were taken from coroners reports and were very grotesque, but true to life. The slides were very informative.

Beside the slide presentation, old and new business was taken care of.

Bulldog briefs

The ALS will not have a meeting this month due to so many activities taking place in January, but will have their next meeting in February.

Financial aid program for seniors

By Wendy Valdez

Attention seniors. Do you need financial aid to attend college or technical school? Do you have any questions about financial aid? You and your parents should attend the Counselor's Financial aid program Jan. 24 in the BHS library. The meeting will take place after the basketball game with Randolph.

FAF and FFS forms will be handed out to apply for financial aid for college. The counselor will tell how to apply for grants and loans, and will answer any questions about applying for scholarships. Come and support the Bulldogs then attend the college program.

First semester exams

Toni Kunz

Jan. 18 and 19 the first semester exams will be held. This means BHS students will be tested on everything they have learned from day one of the school year. Unless, of course, the student is exempt.

For a student to be exempt, he/she is allowed 5 absences if they have an A average, 4 with a B, 3 with a C, 2 with a D.

The schedule is as follows:
Wednesday, periods 1, 3, 5 will be scheduled.
Thursday, periods 2, 4, 6 will be scheduled.
1st bell 8:15 1st bell
1st period 8:20-10:00 2nd period
Break 10:00-10:15 break
3rd period 10:20-12:00 4th period
Lunch 12:00-12:30 lunch
5th period 12:35-2:15 6th period

Girls' basketball undefeated in district



Junior Varsity: standing: Jolene Butler, mgr.; Judy Parkinson, Paige Youngblood, Gayla Adams, Leckie Clements, Sally Molina, Lorri Robbins, Coach Renkin. Kneeling: Melissa Mangold, Debbie Schmandle, Tami Rigsby, Shannon Mormando, Kim Spencer, Luana Langston.



Varsity: standing: Jolene Butler, mgr.; Kellie Clements, Jr.; Terri Butler, Jr.; Christine Caloss, Sr., 3 yr. letterman; Tina Doebbler, Sr., 3 yr. letterman; Shannon McMullan, Jr.; Christine Fleming, Jr.; Coach Shawna King. Kneeling: Kathy Ryan, Jr.; Susan Espinosa, Sr., 1 yr. letterman; Mary Bolan, Sr., 2 yr. letterman; Kim Cherry, Jr.

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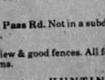

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Thank yous

Thank You

A big thank you to all our friends from the children and staff at Noah's Ark Day Care Pre-school for the many gifts you gave us at Christmas. God bless you all!

27-1tc

Thank You

Thank you to the Medina Lake Volunteer Firemen for your prompt and efficient response when our home was on fire. Despite the sub-freezing temperatures you were there when we needed you and we'll always be grateful to you for saving our home.

Billy and Jimmy Halfmann

27-1tc

Card of Thanks

Dear friends,

The Bandera Community is very fortunate to have a group of volunteers who work together.

Unfortunately I fell from the choir steps at St. Stanislaus Catholic Church at midnight mass as I was to be reader for the carols before services.

People were immediately by my side to offer comfort and help. Sam Vargas, with the EMS, was off duty and attending mass. He explained my dilemma, called for help, checked vital signs and filled out forms to expedite my move.

Shortly following, the EMS team, fire department representative and police arrived and all followed through in a professional and efficient manner.

Ginny Brient eased the pain and attended me on our trip to Kerrville in the modulance driven by Jimmy Kramer.

They were all terrific!

Being away from Bandera for over two decades allows me to reminisce how this was not available when I lived at home.

It is wonderful to see the love, care and talent given to the people of Bandera County and especially at Christmas time shows how beautiful it is to give such a special gift.

I want to share with you as a community that I had "Special Angels" Christmas Eve and say thank you.

With appreciation and all good wishes for the New Year to family and friends,

Howard C. Eckhart
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27-1tc

Public notices

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: DAVID BRADFORD PARDEE
GREETINGS:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable District Court, 216th Judicial District, Bandera County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said county in Bandera, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of the 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of PEGGY LEE MAYWALD, Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 15th day of December 1983, against DAVID BRADFORD PARDEE, Respondent, and said suit being number 3413 on the docket of said Court, and entitled 'In the Interest of DAVID BRADFORD PARDEE, JR., a child,' the nature of which suit is a request for name change. Said child was born the 3rd day of December 1967.

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment of decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you.

ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL of said Court at Bandera, Texas, this the 6th day of January, 1984.

VERA KING, Clerk of the District Court of Bandera, Texas

By Bonnie Bruce, Deputy

27-1tc

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF ROY G. HARTMAN, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ROY G. HARTMAN were issued on the 5th day of January, 1984, in Cause No. 1906, pending in the County Court of Bandera County, Texas, to: REBECCA DENISE OSTENSON.

The residence of such Executrix is Bandera County, Texas. The post office address is: REBECCA DENISE OSTENSON, P.O. Box 518, Bandera, Texas 78003.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 5th day of January, 1984.

LAW OFFICES OF DARDEN & WEHMEYER

By: SAM L. DARDEN
Attorney for the Estate

27-1tc

Notice

The dumps on the Rio-Ranchero Road and between the Willow Springs and Timber Creek Subdivisions are closed by action of the Bandera County Commissioners Court.

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27-2tc

Notice

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Seniors seeking materials for "Silver Sage Corral"

Senior citizens were urged to be on the lookout for new and used building materials that could be donated or purchased at cost to help keep down construction costs of the proposed new senior citizens center, to be known as "Silver Sage Corral."

Architect Dan Ochoa told members of the Bandera County Committee on Aging that several construction workers reportedly have offered some hours of labor when construction begins.

Marie Holland was elected chairman of the finance committee at the meeting on Jan. 5.

A long list of potential programs for the Silver Sage Corral was presented, some of them new programs and others continuing and expanded existing programs.

It was stressed that these opportunities are for all residents over 55 years of age in Bandera County, not just residents of the city. John Murphy pointed out that there are approximately 3,500 persons in that age bracket living in Bandera County.

The next meeting of the committee will be Jan. 19, at 7 p.m. at the Senior Center, says A.L. Robinson.

Brown bag shower slated for Muller

The Pairs and Spares Sunday School class of the Bandera United Methodist Church is sponsoring a covered dish supper and brown bag shower for the Steve Muller family on Sunday, Jan. 15.

Covered dish meal at 6 p.m. with shower to follow at 7 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Community is invited to attend.

AARP to meet Jan. 18

The Bandera Hills chapter of American Association of Retired Persons will meet on Wednesday, Jan. 18, at the St. Joseph's school meeting hall (across from St. Stanislaus Catholic Church.)

Directors of the past year and the newly elected directors will meet at 1 p.m. and the general meeting will be at 2 p.m.

Incoming president Davis May will announce committee chairmen for the new year.

Vice president and program chairman Dolorus Greene has promised a short and interesting film. Treasurer Becky Bononcini will be accepting 1984 chapter dues of $3. National dues of $6 annually are a prerequisite. A program report on project Silver Sage Corral will also be presented by A.L. Robinson, co-chairman of the building sub-committee of the Bandera County Committee on Aging.

Bandera briefs

Madrona Club

Mrs. A.B. Lewis will present "The History of Arbor Day" at the January meeting of the Madrona Garden Club Jan. 13 at 2 p.m. The club will meet in the Community Room at the First State Bank.

Mrs. Louis Postert will present a review from the Lone Star Gardener and Mrs. Den Wright will present a review from the National Gardener.

Mrs. W.J. Haynes will introduce the speaker and hostesses for the meeting will be Meadames W.L. Walker, W.J. Haynes, Frank Harrell, and Stella Hopkins.

Cheese and butter

New applications for households in Bandera County wanting to receive USDA surplus foods — cheese and butter — will be taken Jan. 17 at the Department of Human Resources office in Bandera. Applications will be taken from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The DHR office is located at 1109 Pecan St. in Bandera, phone 796-3739.

All households in Bandera County wishing to receive the surplus foods in 1984 will need to complete a new application and meet eligibility requirements.

USDA surplus foods are distributed to benefit low income households and slight changes have been made for 1984, to enable more senior citizens to receive the surplus.

Fine Arts Club

Members of the Fine Arts Club Tuesday enjoyed a western style show, with models from the club plus one gentleman.

All fashions were from Bandera stores — Steins, Boyles, Gingerbread House, Walker's, Everett's, and Trading Post. "The models left no doubt that Bandera stores do not lack for fine quality clothes," said spokesman Sally Lewis. Ballan Grant set the tone for the show with her own brand of western music and song. Cindy McMullan was mistress of ceremonies for the show which featured models Gay Guillott, Carolyn Sells, Pat D'Spain, Thelma Jean Vawter, Geri Valdez, Ann Thompson, Nancy Nightingale, Grace Kitzman, Cindy Woodland, Trina Sandidge, Peggy Tobin, Hazel Billings and John Boyle.

Donna Alexander led the business session and Tandie Jordan brought the meditation.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses Mattie Mae Pue, Lucille Broe, Gene Carr, Billie Crowell, Jewell Garrison, Grace Kitzman, Kathleen Krannick, Ruth Lewis, Elva McCullough, Jenna Montague and Lavora Williams.

Hospital admissions

Six Bandera County persons were admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital this week. They are Carlton J. Becker, Bandera; Ruth L. Jackson, Utopia; Nora R. Thallman, Bandera; Eugene F. Saathoff, Bandera; Clara B. Kelley, Medina; and Byron W. Joiner, Bandera.

Pecan workshop

A pecan and fruit orchard workshop will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 19, at Joe King's Pecan Valley Orchard.

The workshop will cover the proper pruning techniques for various fruit and nut trees. Dr. Loy Shreve, extension horticulturist, will continue with his pruning demonstration that has shown dramatic improvement on a pecan tree over three years. He will also cover pruning older peach and fruit trees.

Seasonal spray schedules for each will also be covered. Mrs. King has also said she will have coffee and small snacks available.

Ross graduates

Airman Lawrence E. Ross Jr., son of Lawrence E. and Linda J. Ross of Bandera, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force course for aeromedical specialists at Brooks Air Force Base.

Ross will now serve at Andersen Air Force Base, Guam, with the Air Force Hospital.

He is a 1982 graduate of Bandera High School.

Graduates of the course are trained in aerospace physiology, emergency treatment procedures and medicine necessary for the care of airborne personnel. They also earn credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

Artists supper

Bandera County Artists will have a pot luck supper at 6:30 p.m. Jan. 17 at the First National Bank Board Room. Artists are asked to bring an example of their recent work and a covered dish. Artists new to the area are invited to attend. For more information you may call Olga at 796-4839.

Helping Hand meets

The board of directors of the Helping Hand organization will meet at 7 p.m. Jan. 17 in the basement of the First Baptist Church.

This meeting will also include those persons who are to represent their non-profit organizations not previously enrolled. "Your attendance is important to the business of planning this year's operation," says Pete Pigott.

"The Helping Hand organization wishes to thank the community for their support at Christmas time," Pigott said. "Because of the donations of canned food, fruit, nuts, candy and cookies, we were able to assist the Spirit of Christmas Presents in preparing 39 bags and boxes of food for families in the area," he said.

"We thank Karen Jackson for allowing us to assist with this project," he said.

Volunteers are needed for the operation of Helping Hand, he said. Those interested may call the volunteer co-ordinator at 796-4941.

Any organization interested in knowing more about Helping Hand may call 796-3812 or 796-3615.

Park manager quits

John Dexter, Mansfield Park manager, has resigned his position with the county, effective at the end of March, and he says he plans to attend Angelo State University in San Angelo where he will major in physical education and minor in math and business.

Country music

The Hill Country Music Association will have its next meeting Jan. 19 in the board meeting room of the First National Bank at 7:30 p.m.

They invite all persons interested in playing, listening, or dancing to country and western music. At their last meeting they had a number of people who were dancing Herr Schmidt, Put Your Little Foot, Ten Pretty Girls to the music. They believe they have some of the best musicians in town and some who are trying to learn to be the best.

At their next meeting they will be talking about taking part in the trail ride to San Antonio, having a country and western amateur show in the near future, and having a Grand Old Opry meeting in May.

Schott's guests

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Schott were their son R.C. Schott of El Paso and his daughter Jean.

Grandson James Schott of Austin, daughter Linda and her husband Jess Hodges of Atherton, Calif.

Shan Hodges of Salem, Ark., Lorene Techtihart, Dunlay, Tex., and Randy and Debbie Schott of Lakehills.

Friends to meet

The Friends of the Library will meet on Thursday, Jan. 19, at 3:30 p.m. at the county library.

Cancer report

During December, the following donations were made to the Bandera Chapter of American Cancer Society's Memorial Fund:

For Warne Beavers from John and Betty Clarke, for Nina Redmon from Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Vander Zee; for Carolyn Bruce Frugé from Madrona Garden Club; Mr. and Mrs. Rose Bailey and Lonny Postert; for Mrs. Karl Hickfang from Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bilhartz; for Mrs. J.W. Fulbright from Della Mae Cox, Helen Akenzie and Edith Chandler; and for Mary L. Vanderveer from Fannie A. Jackson.

Cancer society

The Bandera County Chapter, American Cancer Society met Jan. 9 with nine members present. Anna Childs presided as Mrs. G.M. Merritt, Service/Rehabilitation Chairman reported that during September and October patients in the county received free services valued at $2,245.

Medina and Bandera schools have agreed to show cancer films to the students and the Home Extension Clubs will be viewing them at meetings.

A special project was planned, a dance at Mansfield Park May 19, with proceeds going to the annual Bandera County Crusade, which kicks off in April. The goal for this year's crusade is $6,800.

The Society's next regularly scheduled meeting will be Feb. 13 at 2:30 p.m. at the First State Bank building.

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Bulldogs open district play Friday

Bandera's boys basketball team kicks off district play here Friday when they entertain Southside in a 7:30 p.m. game, and Bulldog mentor Kevin Long sees it as the first game of "a dogfight" for the district title that will involve four of the six teams.

In fact, Long says, "All six teams are very even.

"It's going to be very, very tough," says of Bulldog pilot whose team is 8-5 through the first part of the season.

"Boerne is the pre-season favorite," Long says, but he also identified Randolph, Cole and his own Bulldogs as strong possibilities to be in the throne room when all the playing is done. Two teams from the district qualify for post-season playoffs.

The Bulldogs have shown momenta of brilliance this year, especially in winning its own invitational tournament last month. Among its victims in that tourney was Blanco, now 16-2 and ranked eighth among all the state's Class AA quints.

"When we play good defense, we can play with anybody," Long pointed out. "If we get sloppy, lazy and into foul trouble, we have problems."

Foul trouble seems to be a way of life for the Bulldogs. During one six game stretch, Bruce Robison and David Schwarz both fouled out in five games and the 'Dogs lost four of them.

Long also looks for more scoring from Schwarz and his guards, usually Tim Butler and Jonathan Graves. Robison and the team's leading scorer, Steve Parker, have carried most of the scoring load through the first 13 games. That makes it possible for teams to sag their defenses to apply double coverage on the two scorers.

The boys tuned up for district play by handing Antenian a 52-49 defeat. Parker and Robison produced fully 83 percent of the 'Dogs offense by scoring 23 and 20 points.

Friday's junior varsity tilt gets under way at 5 p.m. and the varsity tips off at 7:30 p.m.

Medina teams victorous

The Medina varsity boys wrapped up their pre-district play Tuesday with an easy win over San Antonio Christian, 68-39.

The victory came on the heels of a one-point defeat the preceding Friday by Leakey, a team the Bobcats had trounced earlier in the week.

This game, however, the 'Cats looked as if the sparkle was returning to their play. The team passed the ball a lot more and made very few mistakes. The combination of few fouls (10) and goofs (8 total) along with 13 steals, 53 rebounds and 44 percent shooting from the field made for a decisive victory.

Free shots are the only consistant weakness the Bobcats seem to have. They hit only 44 percent.

Thursday night the play will get a bit more serious as the 'Cats open district play in Center Point.

The Medina Bobcat varsity girls won at Utopia Tuesday night, 31-28, in a closely fought game.

The win, which puts Medina at 1-1 in district play, came in spite of the absence of two starters, and the further loss of two substitutes during the game due to fouls.

Coach Richard Mims was excited about the performance of his girls. "We really came together... we made the points when we had to," he said. Mims also remarked that the Bobcat girls had learned how to stall when ahead and not blow a lead with unnecessary shots.

The Coach had high praise for all the girls, but specially mentioned Tracy Willett's defensive play "with just a couple of minutes left" as the icing of the game.

The girls will face Center Point Thursday there with the JV game starting at 5 p.m.

Bandera's girls win opening district tilts

Bandera's girls sprinted to a 2-0 start in district play by downing Randolph and Cole in their openers, and Coach Shawna Hicks King is confident her charges will be in a three-team race for the title.

"Boerne and Smithson Valley are the teams to beat," she said. Her Bulldog girls are very improved from their somewhat ragged early-season efforts.

"They've a lot more poise," she explained. "That's been the key. They needed that, and they acquired it in the Devine Tournament," the coach said. They won the consolation title in that event, losing only by four points in the tourney opener to Hondo.

Mrs. King, a Bandera girl who starred at Southwest Texas State University as a collegian, is in her first year as Bandera's coach. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hicks, operators of the Mayan Guest Ranch.

Though she is six feet tall, she played forward in college. "Believe it or not, there are plenty of six-footers in college," she said. Because she had a better outside shot than others her height, she played forward instead of post.

Her victory in district opener with Randolph was especially satisfying because the Ro-Hawks are coached by a college teammate, Donna Lemley.

Christine Fleming poured in 22 points in the district opener with Randolph and 29 in the triumph over Cole to furnish the bulk of the Bulldogs offensive punch in the district openers.

The 'Dogs raced to a 32-17 half time advantage over the Ro-Hawks, and continued to pour it on to take a 65-31 win. Christine Caloss added 14 points and Shannon McMullan got 11. Kim Cherry dished out seven assists.

Caloss added 10 points to Fleming's 29 in the Cole contest.

The girls visit Southside Thursday for a 6 p.m. encounter and test Smithson Valley, one of the pre-season favorites, on the road Monday.

Frosh now 6-1

Bandera freshman cagers defeated Kerrville's freshmen last week, 33-31, to run their record to six wins and a single loss.

The team's only loss came in the Smithson Valley Tournament finals to St. Anthony of San Antonio by two points.



Shannon McMullan (34) bars the way as Susan Espinosa (43) steals the ball from an unidentified Randolph cager during Bandera's opening district victory over the Ro-Hawks. Bandera has jumped off to a fast start in district basketball competition.

Games at a glance

Boys

LEAKEY 44, MEDINA 43.
Leakey: Fernando Navarro 21, David Navarro 12, McIntosh 7, Ragor 2, Pape 2, Pate, Alvarado, Carter.
Medina: Mark Williams 11, Greg Cheney 11, Marshall Townsend 9, Payne 9, Geoeff Williams 3.
Halftime: Medina 24, Leakey 16.

BANDERA 52, ANTONIAN 49
Bandera: Steve Parker 23, Bruce Robison 20, Graves 7, Butler 2, Schwarz.
Antonian: Chris Buley 14, Craig Kainer 13, Chuck Montemayor 12, Fagan 6, Daniels 3, Martinez, Crane.
Halftime: Antonian 31, Bandera 26.

MEDINA 68, SA CHRISTIAN 39
Medina: Marshall Townsend 22, Greg Cheney 18, Richard Payne 12, Mark Williams 6, Geoeff Williams 6, Ashley 2, Ortiz, Parker.
SA Christian: Larry Smith 13, B. Williams 8, Human 8, Ganter 6, Anchors 2, Dixon, Lancaster.
Halftime: Medina 23, SA Christian 16.

HONDO 62, BANDERA 61
Bandera: Steve Parker 25, Bruce Robison 13, Butler 3, Schwarz 6, Avallone 2, Caloss, Graves, Adams.
Hondo: D. Lagon 26, Miller 12, Hayes 10, Quintanilla 2, Bernal 6, Ramirez 6.
Halftime: Bandera 31, Hondo 26.
Fouled out: Schwarz, Robison.

Girls

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BANDERA 65, RANDOLPH 31
Bandera: Christine Fleming 22, Christine Caloss 14, McMullan 11, Espinosa 6, Ryan 6, Doebbler 6, Solan, Cherry.
Randolph: Youngblood 9, Clements 8, Adams 7, Schmeidel 4, Sims 3, Ripsky 2, Spencer 2, Robbins.
Halftime score: Bandera 32, Randolph 17

BANDERA 53, COLE 42
Bandera: Christine Fleming 29, Christine Caloss 10, Cherry 6, Espinosa 6, Doebbler 2, Ryan.
Cole: J. Jaks 17, Angie Wright 12, Gaillard 6, Wheeler 3, Morgan 2, Elliott 2.
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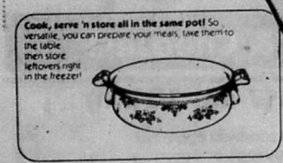

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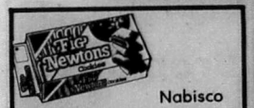

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Bulldog cagers alone atop District 26-AAA standings.

Please See Page 17.

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Staff photo by Rick Young

Kristopher Leibold was protected from the cold as he exhibited his chicken during the 48th annual Bandera County Junior Livestock Show.

Buyers bid record $75,000 at junior livestock auction

Complete results, photos Pages 8 and 9

By Nick Johnson
Editor

The 48th edition of the Bandera County Junior Livestock Show Thursday through Friday was "probably the best ever," according to the show superintendent, and bidders at the annual auction Saturday paid a record amount to the youthful exhibitors.

Businesses and individuals paid $75,434.06 for livestock and baked goods, including $2,440 for Tobey Sandidge's grand champion steer which was purchased for $2 per pound by the First National Bank of Bandera.

That compares with last year's record of $61,235.91 paid for more entries than were on hand this year. Top money paid last year was $1,160 for Manny Sandidge's steer.

Jack Huie's reserve champion steer brought almost as much as the champion when First Security Insurance of Bandera paid $2,320.50 for the animal ($2.10 per pound).

Wendy Frazier of Pipe Creek was named winner of the Larry Bausch Agricultural Citizenship Award, the highest award given during the three-day extravaganza of youth at Mansfield Park west of Bandera.

Cammie Burger of Medina was senior high point individual at the show and Tim Wells, also of Medina, was junior high point individual.

Richard Osgood was senior showmanship award winner and Ruth Lynn Mazurek of Utopia was winner of the junior showmanship award.

"It's probably the best show we've had," said show superintendent Ernest Mayfield Sunday who didn't even complain about the weather.

"We can't fuss about the weather," he said. "It may have been cold, but there was no drizzle and no rain.

"Everybody's happy—the Junior Livestock Association, parents and kids," the Pipe Creek man said. "Prices were quite a bit higher, and we had a lot of new buyers, which we were pleased about," he said.

Because many of the animals were penned out-of-doors and all the judging took place outside, show officials had hoped for good weather.

Plans have been announced to construct a new show barn in time for next year's show, and Mayfield reported the association received a donation of $1,700 in material from Dr. Conrad Nightingale and $760 in proceeds from a chile cookoff conducted by Turk's Store in Lakehills.

Bandera County agricultural producers were proud that the champion animals were produced by Bandera County breeders.

The grand champion steer was bred by Rhea Mansfield of Bandera and the reserve grand champion was produced by Wilton Crider of Medina.

Robert and Kristina Ashley swept all four of the top spots in lambs, and all were bred by their father, Bob Ashley of Medina.

First State Bank of Bandera purchased Robert's grand champion medium wool lamb for $720 ($6 per pound) and Pearl Beer Distributing Company paid $522.50 ($5.50 per pound) for Kristina's grand champion crossbred.

Ruth Lynn Mazurek's barrow was adjudged grand champion and was purchased by Super S Foods for $1,105 ($5 per pound) and her brother, Raegan, exhibited the reserve champion which was purchased by Bandera Veterinary Clinic for $3 per pound.

The high volume buyer of livestock was the San Geronimo Ranch which paid in excess of $5,000 for several animals it purchased.

The high total bid at the livestock auction came despite a decrease in total number of animals put up for sale and despite the fact that only 11 of the 18 grand and reserve champions went on the block.

Under show rules, each participant may sell only one animal, and the Ashley youths won all four of the top spots for their lambs and Lorri Robbins won both champion and reserve champion ribbons for her turkeys.

Besides the Ashleys and the Mazureks, the brother-sister team of Shannon and Jim Mormando from Pipe Creek also won champion and reserve champion ribbons for their rabbits.

In addition, several other exhibitors of champions chose not to sell their animals, opting instead to take their winners to other shows, including the distict show next week in Kerrville.

Michael Hill's champion pie was purchased for $170 by Frazier Electric, the top price among many high bids for baked goods.

Twin Elms Ranch paid $150 for Jason Powers' champion cookies and Murray LeStourgeon paid $115 for Nancy Dodson's reserve champion cookies.

The Disabled American Veterans paid $100 to Shannon Cowsert for her champion cake, The Bulletin paid $100 to Helena Robertson for her cake, Muller Ranch paid $100 to Tina Macon for her cake, and Ken's TV paid $100 to Missy Mangold for her champion cookies.

Three vehicles stolen from Rathke Motors

Thieves took the three 1984 Chevrolet vehicles, two pickups and a Monte Carlo, following an early Monday morning break-in at Rathke Motors in Bandera.

Burglars entered the dealership by breaking the glass out of a side door with two large rocks. Breking glass damaged another Monte Carlo parked in the show room.

The burglars entered Rathke's personal office and removed the ignition keys to the entire inventory of the dealership, including the used car stock. A newspaper delivery driver coming from San Antonio spotted the three vehicles parked along Highway 16 about three miles east of town and, recognizing the distinctively painted trucks, reported the incident to Bandera County's police dispatcher. Police Chief Walter Welch was able to place the time of the burglary at about 2:30 a.m.

Officers recovered one pickup near the Lazy Oaks Ranch road east of Bandera, where it was found to have run out of gas. The second pickup was recovered after it, too, ran out of fuel just east of Pete's Store in San Geronimo. An unconfirmed report said the Monte Carlo, with five or six people inside, was seen filling up with gas near Helotes.

PRCA rodeo, county fair planned

A county fair in July and a three-day professional rodeo in September were planned Tuesday by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce along with the group's traditional events.

The county fair will be a three-day event and will include booths, exhibits, a carnival and as many types of competition that organizers can line up.

"Anything the people of Bandera County are interested in doing is possible," said Beth Allert, the chairman of the event appointed by chamber directors Tuesday night. "Anything two or more people from the county will compete in is possible," she said.

A Miss Bandera County pageant will be conducted in conjunction with the fair, and Yvette Remple of San Antonio Savings was appointed to chair a committee to make arrangements for that.

The chamber will appeal to residents to help arrange events to be part of the fair, Allert said. "There will be no limit to what could be done," she said.

Professional rodeo producer Mack Altizer of Sonora proposed the three-day Professional Rodeo Cowboy's Association event to chamber directors Tuesday night, and they gave it preliminary approval.

Altizer has produced several rodeos in the area and is in the process of lining up several others in the South and Southwest Texas area.

He assured chamber directors that there were plenty of professional cowboys in Texas who would compete in the event and he said he expected several contenders for world championships to be here.

The rodeo would be conducted at Mansfield Park Arena west of Bandera, a facility Altizer called one of the best in the area.

Altizer, whose father is Jim Bob Altizer, a former world champion calf roper, said he wanted to line up a handful of towns in the area as sites for annual rodeo events, and he is concentrating on cities like Bandera that have been sites of professional rodeos in past years.

The chamber voted to make the rodeo an annual Labor Day event and appointed Don Hicks and Frank Anderwald as co-chairmen of the event.

The chamber Tuesday voted also to hold its annual awards banquet either on June 22 or 23 and named banker Ken Finley as chairman of the event. It decided to conduct its annual Funtier Days on May 26 and 27 and named another banker, Fabian Mazurek, as chairman of arrangements.

Dr. Phil Gramm seeks votes here

Pointing to his record as a congressman during which he has attracted national attention and was co-sponsor of President Ronald Reagan's economic program, U.S. Senate candidate Phil Gramm asked Bandera County voters for their support during an appearance here last week.

"Look at all the digging I've done with that little shovel in the House of Representatives," he said. "I'm asking you for a bigger shovel to dig with."

Some 100 persons were present for Gramm's afternoon appearance at the First National Bank's Board Room. "I expect the president to run again, but the real contest in '84 are not just the presidency, but the U.S. Senate also," he said.

"Our election in Texas could very well determine if we have a Democrat or Republican majority in the U.S. Congress," he explained. "It may assure that it will be run by Ted Kennedy," he told the group, mostly Republican faithful.

"Our state has benefited by having both a Democratic and Republican senator," he said, pointing out that the state has had an open door to the White House by having Republicans Sen. John Tower and Democratic Sen. Lloyd Bentsen in Washington.

He mentioned none of his opponents by name, though he must win nomination in the May primary before taking on a Democratic nominee in the November general election. He did mention the names of Democratic presidential candidates, however, and campaigned more for President Reagan than he himself.

"If '84 we face a clear choice," he said. "We can continue with a program I think is working or we can go back to the programs of the '60s or '70s and begin (government) spending again," he said.

"If it comes to a choice between taxing effort versus taxing consumption, I'm going to opt for taxing consumption," he told one questioner who asked if he favored a national sales tax. He told another questioner he favored "a constitutional amendment requiring a balanced budget.

Though he said he favored a system in which teacher pay raises would be based on merit, he was less than forceful in supporting the president's federal program providing such raises.

"I've heard the argument that we need more federal intervention in education (because of poor performances by today's students)," he said. "But we've got to return education to local control, to the people that have the biggest stake in education — parents."

Another questioner delivered a scorching indictment of the medical profession's use of Medicare for financial gain, and Gramm acknowledged the problem. "I see part of the medical profession benefiting more from the Social Security system at the expense of the elderly and the taxpayers," he said. "We've provided no incentive (for physicians) to be cost-conscious," he remarked. "We need to try to make the market system, that has worked so well elsewhere, work in the medical profession also."

Among those attending the minirally was Democratic County Judge Tommy Curbo, but he said his attendance was not an endorsement. "I admire the man," Curbo said, "but I'm not ready to make an endorsement." County Republican Chairman Louis Duquette gave Gramm a strong endorsement during his introduction of the College Station congressman, though Gramm has two opponents in the May primary.



Dr. Gramm visits with Raymond Hicks during his appearance here.

Bandera Daily Potpourri

By Nick Johnson

It wasn't William Garms who wrote this, but he probably wishes he had. It's an ad someone suggested we use to promote one of the Bulletin's favorite features: "Read *Potpourri*. The complete dope on politics."

We've had our share of criticism before for our column. Once a fellow was particularly vociferous in telling us he didn't like how we wrote it. "How would you write it if you were me?" we asked.

"Under an assumed name," he replied.

Well, such are occupational hazards of the newspaper columnist, and we're prepared to shoulder whatever criticism we earn. There's no way to write a weekly opinion piece, as this column is, and achieve universal agreement.

But we hope our readers will keep in mind that the purpose of *Potpourri* is to provide a vehicle in which we express our personal opinion, nothing more, nothing less.

What appears here is one man's view, pure and simple. It should be valued no more highly than that, nor no less highly. And while it may be petty at times, it should never be an affront to anyone.

Letter writer Garms has his opinion, and he'll find that there will always be space on this page for him to express it. It would surely be an affront if it were otherwise.

At the same time we will continue to strive for objectivity in the news we print on Page 1 and the other news pages of this newspaper.

Of course we draw our share of heat for that, also. During the recent school bond election campaign we were accused by persons against the bonds of biased reporting in favor of them. During the same week, one of those strongly for the bonds accused us of trying to defeat them.

"Propaganda" is a word each of them used to describe our reports, and it reminded me of *Houston Post* columnist Lynn Ashby's definition of that overused word.

"Propaganda," said pundit Ashby "is the other side of the story put so convincingly that it makes you mad."

It is also an occupational hazard in this business to take the blame for the content of a message when all you are doing is delivering it.

We often receive heat from readers who disagree with a public official that we have quoted. "Candidate Doe says a tax increase is necessary," we might report. A reader will collar us and say, "I saw in the paper where you said we need a tax increase and I say you're full of baloney."

We can't remember from college history if it was the Romans or the ancient Greeks or who that used to reward messengers who brought glad tidings with gifts of gold and kill those who carried bad news.

No, we haven't received any gold for the good news we report. But the satisfaction we derive is more valuable than gold when we are able to place on the front page the good news of a record junior livestock auction, for example, or the picture of a face as charming as that of Kristopher Leibold on Page 1 of this issue.



Letters

A petty mind

Dear editor:

The Potpourri article in the Jan. 12 paper is the product of a petty mind with a biased political opinion that is an affront to the voters of Bandera County who would never subscribe to your obvious one-lever mentality.

For future political events I suggest you hire some high school journalism students to report on them. Their's would be much more accurate, objective, and open-minded without those crude attempts at sarcasm as you always display when referring to activities of the local Republican Party. Their articles would help to make your paper a voice of all the citizens and could possibly dispel the partisan political stench that continues to permeate your newsroom from the 1982 elections.

William F. Garms Jr.
Bandera

A part of Bandera

Dear editor:

Wa[illegible] from Lakehills a[illegible] imately 12 years ago but still enjoy reading the Bandera paper. It's always very informative and makes us feel a part of Bandera as my grandpa Albert Maverick Sr. was a rancher in Bandera many years ago and Mr. Polly was his close friend. I knew him when I was young.

Jack McGarraugh
San Antonio

Welcome to the club

Dear editor:

Pop up tissue everywhere, boxes here and packets there.
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Tom Grant

The American Cowboy: Exhibit worth seeing

By Tom Denyer
Special Correspondent

a review

Less than two weeks remain in which to visit "The American Cowboy" exhibit at The Institute of Texan Cultures in San Antonio. The exhibit gives us one of the few good reasons for fighting San Antonio traffic.

Especially for those Banderans who take the "Cowboy Capital" slogan seriously, the exhibit will be a sobering experience. Those who think the cowboy has only been a sideshow in American life will also find the exhibit eye-opening.

In fact, the evidence collected in the exhibit argues forcefully that the cowboy is *the* American hero. Of course, he has competitors: G.I. Joe or the urban detective, for example. They are, however, comparative late-comers and have yet to demonstrate the staying power of the cowboy.

The exhibit effectively makes a number of remarkable points about the cowboy. There is a academic debate about who was the "true" original cowboy: the Nueces River valley vaquero or the southeast Texas immigrant from the South and border states.

In either case, the cowboy was basically a working man, sometimes a woman, a Black, a Mexican, or an American Indian. Some of the East Texas cowboys were actually experienced herdsmen from Europe and Australia. Wherever the cowboy's origins, he had to be young and vigorous, because the work was extremely hard.

The classical cowboy of the round-up and trail drive lasted only about 30 years. The open range system of cattle production ended in the mid-1880's because of a number of factors, including mass production of barbed wire, overgrazing of virgin grasses, extensions of railroads, stock quarantine laws, overproduction, and a terrible winter in 1885-1886.

If the classical cowboy was only on the American scene for 30 years, how has his image persisted for another one hundred years?

"He is like an old, family cedar chest: a space for saving memories, and for bringing them out from time to time, in order to see if they can still arouse certain emotions in us. His appeal began even before the open range system ended, and in a few years he was transformed from a landless rogue into a romantic individualist.

Dime novels in the 1870s and 1880s concentrated on the cowboy, often showing him rescuing maidens from Indians. The *National Police Gazette* combined cowboy images with those of other rugged, Western individualists, like the hunter, trapper, scout and miner.

Somewhat more highbrow articles appeared in *Harper's* magazine. Charlie Siringo's memoirs were a best seller, and Theodore Roosevelt's articles on his Dakota ranching experiences appeared in *Century* magazine. Dude ranches opened and rodeos began. The show known as Buffalo Bill's Wild West (1883-1916) went to the East and then Europe.

By the 1890s, there were 50 such shows. Paintings like Frederic Remington's further romanticized the cowboy. Remington's friend, Owen Wister, published *The Virginian*, a best-seller in 1902. It helped open the aluice for a flood of novels, plays, memoirs, short stories and even poetry.

Edwin S. Porter released *The Great Train Robbery* in 1903, and it became one of the first blockbusters in American cinema.

This was a time in which the reality of urban growth was overtaking America's rural image of itself, and the millions of eastern Europeans recruited for the factories of the North were introducing new cultural possibilities into American life.

In contrast, mass entertainment depicted the cowboy as thoroughly American, because he was an individual, his skin darkened only by the sun, his personality shaped only by the frontier experience.

He was a man who kept his thoughts mostly to himself, yet was quick to action when challenged, and had a chaste eye for a lady. He lived in the open spaces, worked closely and constantly with nature, and had no boss looking over his shoulder.

With his image firmly established by World War I, the cowboy has maintained a solid presence in American life throughout this century. When recorded country music began in the 1920s, many hillbilly bands changed themselves to Western, because it seemed more commercially useful.

Manufacturers of children's toys, cereal, and clothing sold their products as ways with which to act out the cowboy life. Cowboys on film and television came to represent law and order, even patriotism of the highest order, although the media have also shown us plenty of cowboys whose hats were more gray than black or white.

The exhibit takes up all the way to the modern cowboy, of which there are two main types. One actually works with cattle for a living and, despite worm guns and four-wheel drives, probably works as hard as the classical cowboy. The other cowboy smokes Marlboros, dances like John Travolta, and plays football in Dallas.

Of special interest to Banderans is the exhibit section on ranch women. This section centers on the story of Amanda Nite Burk, first recorded by Bandera's J. Marvin Hunter. Hunter's work was used as the basis for an illustrated story in a 1923 *Saturday Evening Post* and a 1924 movie, *North of 36*. In turn, that movie was remade in 1938 as *The Texans*, filmed on Burk's own La Mota ranch in Cotulla.

But almost all of the exhibit's 370 items, assembled by the Library of Congress, are well worth seeing. The exhibit never really succeeds in telling us why the cowboy, and not the miner or farmer or factory worker, is our most popular hero. The exhibit does, however, give us plenty of material with which to form our own conclusions.

Take the family and plan to spend at least a couple of hours. The Institute of Texan Cultures is close to the big tower in downtown San Antonio on South Bowie Street on Durango.

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Curbo to protest proposed dam



Faces of Bandera County

Joann Molina, a native of Bandera, adds charm to her duties at the Jr. Food Mart in Bandera, bringing a little enthusiasm to the early morning coffee, thereby brightening the day for a lot of folks. Another Face that adds to Bandera County.

Bandera County next week will tell the city of San Antonio to quit promoting tourism and growth if it can't provide for it's expansion without threatening Lake Medina.

A strongly-worded resolution, written by County Judge Tommy Curbo and passed unanimously by the Bandera County Commissioners Court, will ask the U.S. Corps of Engineers to deny a permit to the city of San Antonio to build Applewhite Reservoir on the Medina River in south Bexar County.

The resolution will be presented during a "scoping meeting" Monday, Jan. 23, at the Pearce Elementary School on Highway 281 approximately 14 miles south of San Antonio. The meeting begins at 7 p.m.

It calls on the Alamo City to quit promoting growth if it can't provide for that growth "without ravaging the natural resources of adjacent counties and cities." Curbo said the proposed Applewhite dam and reservoir would create a water shortage, an economic loss and a curtailment of Bandera County growth.

The San Antonio City Water Board has asked the CE for a permit to build the reservoir to store water for the use of residents of the city, and many Bandera County officials and residents believe it could destroy Lake Medina. The Bandera County Chamber of Commerce has also gone on record as asking the CE to deny the permit.

The resolution passed by the Bandera County Commissioners Court was passed unanimously last January and reaffirmed last week. Judge Curbo said he would personally attend the meeting and present the resolution.

The proposed reservoir would provide an alternative water supply for the city of San Antonio which presently depends solely upon the Edwards Aquifer for its water.

Water impounded in the propsed reservoir would be for human consumption, the highest use on the "pecking order" of priorities contained in Texas water law, according to Cliff Mueller of Devine, president of the Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Control District No. 1. The BMA owns irrigation rights to water in Lake Medina.

Since human consumption ranks higher on the priority list than irrigation or recreation, the proposed reservoir could use its full share of water in the Medina River, even in the driest years. Only what remains, if any, would be left for Lake Medina, according to Mueller. Lake Medina currently is more than 20 feet below normal.

In his resolution, Judge Curbo said the proposed reservoir would change the relationship of Bandera County with San Antonio from that of a people looking to its larger neighbor as a source of employment, shopping opportunity and cultural diversion "to one of contention as a victim in the grip of a municipal giant who, like a black hole in space, engulfs all matter within its proximity."

One Medina County group, the Medina Lake Protection Association, last year supported the construction of the proposed reservoir because it said Lake Medina is currently exempt from the Wagstaff Act which establishes priorities in law on water use and that the city of San Antonio promised to not use Lake Medina water even if that law is changed.

Curbo, however, rejected those arguments in his resolution because he said the Alamo City would take the water in an emergency situation "no matter what seemingly benevolent and equitable agreements and promises are made" now.

Calendar

Today, January 19

Bandera Chapter DAR, 2 p.m., FSBCR.
Extension Homemakers Club of Rio Hondo, 2 p.m., home of Billie Riley.
Bandera County Committee on Aging, 7 p.m., Senior Center.
Death and Dying Seminar, 7 p.m., Grace Lutheran.
Bandera Lodge 81, 7:30 p.m., Am. Legion Hall.
Hill Country Music Assoc., 7:30 p.m., FNBBR.
Medina VFD, 7:30 p.m. Medina Youth Center.

Friday, January 20

Bandera County Historical Commission, 2 p.m., Old Jail.
Friends of the Library, 3:30 p.m.
Medina Basketball at Ingram, 5 p.m.

Sunday, January 22

St. Mary's Catholic Church at Vanderpool, all day retreat.
Death and Dying Seminar, noon, Grace Lutheran Church.

Monday, January 23

Medina Lake AARP, 1:30 p.m., Legion Home.
Bandera basketball at Randolph, 6 p.m.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin R.
Square Dance Club, 7-10 p.m., FNBBR.

Tuesday, January 24

Bandera boys basketball vs. Randolph, 6 p.m., here.
Medina basketball at Harper, 6:30 p.m.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
MLVFD Board of Directors, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.
Boy Scout Troop 146, 7:30 p.m., Scout Hut.

Wednesday, January 25

LVFD bingo, 7 p.m.
Lakehills 4-H Community Club, 7 p.m., St. Victor's Chapel.
Medina Lake Shrine Club, 7 p.m., Evelyn's Restaurant.
Bandera VFD, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.

Thursday, January 26

Heritage Genealogical Society, 2 p.m., Bandera County Library.
Medina basketball vs. Utopia, 4:30 p.m.
Bandera girls basketball vs. Cole, 6 p.m., here.
Community Development Committee, 7 p.m., Extension Agent's office.
Death and Dying Seminar, 7 p.m., Grace Lutheran.
Lakehills American Legion Post 410 and Aux. monthly meeting, 7 p.m., Legion Hall.
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1. A set of Jumper Cables
2. Flares - 5 or 6 should be enough
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Photographer

Clinton Oehler, district photographer with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, was recently recognized again for his camera skills. He won first place honors in the Black and White Division in the Texas Public Employees Association's annual photo contest.

Oehler captures the spirit of pastoral days gone by with his shot of a 19th Century limestone farmhouse and windmill. It isn't the first notch on his Nikon. He has an impressive collection of First Place plaques and ribbons attesting to his talents.

A Lakehills resident, he is active in community and civil affairs. He has been a member of the Lakehills Volunteer Fire Department for 23 years and served as fire chief for 8 years. After a brief rest period, he resumed the post a few months ago. He regularly works with the Bandera County Emergency Medical Service as a certified technician. Oehler is a member of the board of directors of the Masonic Lodge and is a member of Hermann Sons Lodge. He also serves on the board of the Lakehills Methodist Church.

Married to the former Nancy Gough, Oehler is the father of two daughters.

AARP

The regular meeting of the Medina Lake Chapter AARP will be Jan. 23 at 1:30 at the American Legion Home in Lakehills. Dennis Wainwright of the Bandera Electric Coop will present a program on energy conversation which is of interest to everyone. Members are urged to attend and visitors are always welcome.

Medina Lake Betterment Assoc.

The monthly meeting of the MLBA was held Jan. 12. Twelve directors were present. The annual meeting for the entire membership will be held March 8 at 7:30 p.m. at the Lakehills Civic Center. Mark that date on your calendar, as a covered dish dinner will be held prior to the meeting and six new directors will be elected.

The date for the big, annual project has been set. The fourth Great Gumbo Cookoff will be Sept. 22 starting at noon at the Civic Center. Mark that date down too, as there will be a much expanded and larger cookoff and festival as a result of the previous year's successes and participation.

Watch for a large Tupperware party in early March to be sponsored by the MLBA, and the largest Flea Market ever will be sponsored by the MLBA at the Civic Center in April in May.

Applewhite meeting next Monday

The U.S. Corps of Engineers will hold a meeting Jan. 23 at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria of Pearce Elementary School, located 14 miles south of San Antonio on U.S. Highway 281. Purpose of the meeting is to gather information from concerned citizens prior to compiling their environmental impact statement on the proposed Applewhite Reservoir downstream on the Medina River. This reservoir could have a profound effect on property owners along the Medina River and residents in the Medina Lake area.

This meeting is an opportunity to let the Corps of Engineers know our concerns and feelings on this project.

Methodist Women

Lakehills United Methodist Women met in the fellowship hall of the church Jan. 4 for the annual observance of "A Call to Prayer and Self Denial." The program entitled "The Family of God" outlined many national and world projects for strengthening family life through the church, education and counseling.

The executive committee met Jan. 11 to plan programs for 1984. Programs are held on the first Wednesday of each month at 1:30 at the church and all ladies of the community are invited to attend.

The 16 members present enjoyed refreshments served by the hostesses, Ann Neal and Melissa Schneider.

Congratulations

Congratulations to John and Mabel Kleibrink on their 41st wedding aniversary Jan. 15.

Congratulations to Dawna Borchers on her 14th birthday Jan. 9. Dawna celebrated with friends at a movie and a slumber party. One of her presents was a round trip plane ticket to fly to Ft. Worth for a visit with her dad.

MLBA '50's Sock Hop' a success

Despite the flu bugs and cold weather over 150 people passed through the "Green Door" at the Lakehills Civic Center Saturday night. Dressed for the era in poodle skirts, rolled up jeans, bobby socks, saddle shoes, loafers, black leather jackets, pink carnations, neck scarves, and accessories of hair ribbons holding back pony tails, and class rings worn on gold chains, the contestants for the "Best Costume" paraded around the dance floor and back and forth to the snack bar. After much deliberation the judges chose Laurie McLeon and Norman Mansfield as the winners.

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Two Lakehills area men were arrested by Bandera County Sheriff's Department deputies and charged with aggravated assault following a double shooting at Lakehills Saturday.

Charles (Popeye) DeSalme, 49, and Randy Stamey, 31, of Bull Ground, Ga., were arrested Saturday after Pete and Peter Blanco of Lakehills were wounded during an altercation at DeSalme's residence.

The complainant told officers the victims had been engaged in a pool game involving wagering at Popeye's Lounge. Pete Blanco stated they won the last game and totalled the winnings which DeSalme allegedly paid them. Upon returning home, the younger Blanco recounted the winnings and found $50 short.

The two Blancos returned to Popeye's and asked for the remainder of their money. DeSalme allegedly held a gun to the head of the younger Blanco and threatened to kill him. After a scuffle, DeSalme called for Stamey to shoot the Blancos, which he allegedly did.

Pete Blanco was wounded once in the left hand and Peter Blanco once in the left shoulder from shots fired from a .22 caliber Derringer.

Texas Alcoholic Control Board officer Tommy Hall said that the beer license displayed at Popeye's was not issued to the lawful owner and statements made by several patrons indicate the proprietor was selling beer after hours. As a result, the liquor license has been suspended pending further investigation

Both DeSalme and Stamey were jailed on $10,000 bond on the assault charge. DeSalme was released after posting a surety bond and Stamey remains in Bandera County Jail

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- Long distance within Service Areas
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- Directory Assistance
- CO Centrex and ESSX-30

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We have kept the building relatively unchanged to preserve this link with Bandera's colorful past. It is in this building that we have had the pleasure of knowing and serving the people of Bandera County.

We invite you to come in and visit with us during our anniversary. For those new in the county or area, we invite you to come in and make yourself at home. We are located on what used to be the main street of Bandera across from the historical old First State Bank Building and M. Boyle Store.

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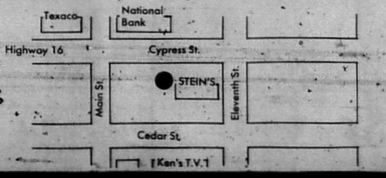

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Photos by Rick Young

Junior Livestock Show winners listed

Photo of grand champion steer not available from official photographer. We are attempting to get one to be published next week.

Trophy list
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Champion Registered Finewool Sheep — Cammie Burger, trophy donated by Buddy and Ann Thompson.

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Champion Steer — Tobey Sandidge, trophy donated by First State Bank.

Reserve Champion Steer — Jack Huie, trophy donated by First National Bank.

Champion Holstein — Derrick Berg, trophy donated by Keller's Meats & Smokehouse.

Reserve Champion Holstein — Derrick Berg, trophy donated by Super S Foods.

Champion Jersey — Derrin Berg, trophy donated by University Savings Association.

Reserve Champion Jersey — Derrin Berg, trophy donated by Hevenor Lumber Company.

Champion Angus Heifer — Robert Baker, trophy donated by Fellows Auto Parts.

Reserve Champion Angus Heifer — Robert Baker, trophy donated by O.S.T.

Champion Charolais Heifer — Jake Frazier, trophy donated by Raymond Hicks.

Reserve Champion Charolais Heifer — Becky Blakemore, trophy donated by DuPerier Texas Landman.

Champion Red Poll Heifer — Chris Macon, trophy donated by The Bandera Bulletin.

Reserve Champion Red Poll Heifer — Robert Baker, trophy donated by Gill Savings.

Champion British Crossbred Steer — Dona Evans, trophy donated by Optimist Club.

Reserve Champion British Crossbred Steer — Wendy Frazier, trophy donated by Bandera County Title Company.

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Reserve Champion American Breed Steer — Tina Macon, trophy donated by Radio Station KQRK FM.

Champion European Breed Steer — Tobey Sandidge, trophy donated by H-Bar-H Western Store.

Reserve Champion European Breed Steer — Letitia Huie, trophy donated by Larry and Amy Reagan.

Champion Barrow — Ruth Lynn Mazurek, trophy donated by Hubert Mazurek.

Reserve Champion Barrow — Raegan Mazurek, trophy donated by Bandera County Farm Bureau.

Champion Breeding Swine — Raegan Mazurek, trophy donated by Schott Ranch.

Reserve Champion Breeding Swine — Cammie Burger, trophy donated by Martin Smith and family.

Champion Pen of Broilers — Troy Balson, trophy donated by Leslie Duke.

Reserve Champion Pen of Broilers — Mark Mayfield, trophy donated by Ernest Faris.

Champion Turkey — Lorri Robbins, trophy donated by Pollock's Pharmacy.

Reserve Champion Turkey — Lorri Robbins, trophy donated by Texas State Pest Control.

Champion Pen of Rabbits — Shannon Mormando, trophy donated by Raymond Batto, Jr.

Reserve Champion Pen of Rabbits — Jim Mormando, trophy donated by The Gingerbread House.

Champion cake — Shannon Cowsert, trophy donated by Sandidge Electric.

Reserve champion cake — Tina Macon, trophy donated by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vanderveer.

Champion pie — Michael Hill, trophy donated by Mr. and Mrs. M.R. Sandidge.

Reserve champion pie — Candi Saathoff, trophy donated by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wharton.

Champion bread — Missy Mangold, trophy donated by Margie's Beauty Shop.

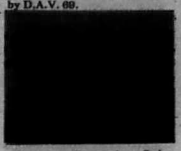
Reserve Champion bread — Michael Derry, trophy donated by Margie Keese.

Champion cookies — Jason Powers, trophy donated by Twin Elms Ranch.

Reserve Champion cookies — Nancy Dodson, trophy donated by True Value Hardware.



Champion Cake, baked by Shannon Cowsert, purchased by D.A.V. 69.



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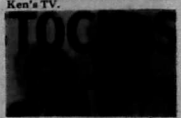

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Wendy Frazier gets Larry Bausch Agricultural Citizenship Award.



Grand Champion Medium Wool Lamb shown by Robert Ashley, purchased by First State Bank.



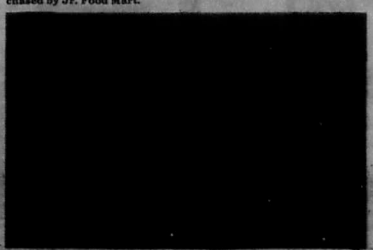
Grand Champion Barrow, shown by Ruth Lynn Mazurek, purchased by Super S Foods.



Reserve Champion Barrow, shown by Raegan Mazurek, purchased by Bandera Veterinary Clinic.



Grand Champion Pen of Broilers, shown by Troy Balson, purchased by Jr. Food Mart.



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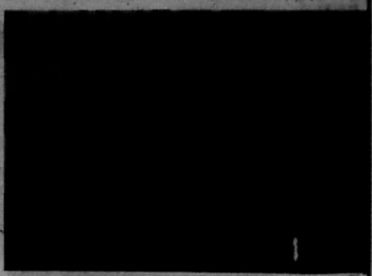

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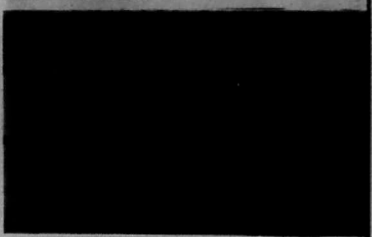

Grand Champion Crossbred Lamb, shown by Kristina Ashley, purchased by Pearl Beer Distributing Co.



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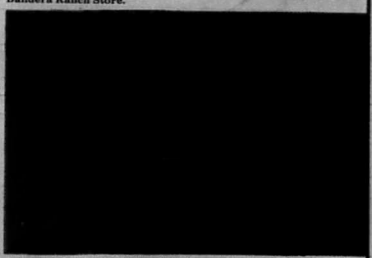

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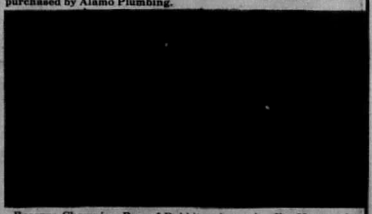

Reserve Champion Pen of Rabbits, shown by Jim Mormando, purchased by Hill Country Veterinary Clinic.



Reserve Champion Bread, baked by Michael Derry, purchased by Gooding Properties.



Champion Cookies, baked by Jason Powers, purchased by Twin Elms Ranch.

PEN in PAW

For, about and by students in Bandera schools.
Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Speckman

Compton named area AAA Player of the Year



Sophomore James Compton with plaque he won as Dr. Pepper's AAA Player of the Year.

By Nancy Heriott

Sophomore fullback James Compton won the title of Class AAA Dr. Pepper Player of the Year for the San Antonio area. Dr. Pepper representative Carol Cornelison presented the trophy and a check for $250 to Bandera High School.

Son of James Compton and Mrs. and Mrs. Don Jacox, Compton has been a two-year letterman in football. In track he runs on the sprint relay team and the 110- and 220-yard runs. His time in a 40 yard sprint is 4.8 seconds.

This is his second year in student council and he currently holds the office of sergeant at arms. He is also involved in the Gifted and Talented student program.

Compton was chosen by the San Antonio Light Sports Department and Dr. Pepper Bottling Company. Coach Tony Johnson stated that player statistics were turned in every week by the coaches to the San Antonio Light. The statistics were accumulated and the winner selected on the basis of the figures.

"Many people helped me to accomplish this goal," Compton said. "Some of these were the coaching staff, Tim Butler, and the offensive line."

He gained 1,665 yards on 330 carries, an average of more than five yards per carry, and 19 touchdowns.

Coach Danny Neuse said, "Jimmy Compton received the award, but it is also an award that can be shared with the offensive line. Jimmy is a super competitor and really deserved this award."

Wind ensemble tryouts begin

Wind ensemble tryouts began Monday, Jan. 16.

For those of you who don't know what this means, here is what happens: Everyone in the BHS band must try out on their appointed days, such as clarinet players on Monday, flutists on Tuesday, etc. Everyone has been informed prior to the tryouts what material they will be asked to play.

After tryouts are over, a list is posted informing everyone who has made wind ensemble. If you don't make it, you can practice some more and then challenge the last chair person in your section. If you beat them, you are in wind ensemble, and they aren't. You may challenge as many times as you want.

Here are some comments on tryouts from a few band students:

Daria Johnston: "You really have to prepare for the tryouts, because the music is demanding, and so is Mr. Walters."

Karen Rizner: "Only the best of the band makes it, and everybody works really hard in preparation for contest."

The first performance of the wind ensemble will be on Saturday, Feb. 25 at the Bandera Invitational Playing Contest.

—Melissa Ross

Bulldog briefs

Christine Caloss was the leading rebounder in the game with 16. Susan Espinosa and Caloss led with three steals. Christine Fleming's tremendous form helped her lead the blocked shots with two. Scorers were Fleming 29, Caloss 10, Cherry and Espinosa 6 each, and Tina Doebbler 2.

Improving very steadily, the junior varsity girls defeated the Cougars, 29-17. Beckie Clements showed many of her skills with 16 rebounds and 7 steals. Paige Youngblood was high scorer with 13 points.

—Christine Caloss

Bandera girls over Southside

Bandera varsity and junior varsity girls traveled to Southside last Thursday, returning home with another win, making their record 3-0 in district.

Bulldogs overpowered the Cardinals the first half to lead 24-21 at intermission. Bandera varsity maintained the lead throughout the game, ending the game ahead, 42-37.

Christine Fleming was the high scorer with 19 points followed by Kellie Clements with 8. Christine was also the leading rebounder with 15.

Junior varsity girls beat the Southside Cardinals, 36-19. Scoring for the 'Dogs were Paige Youngblood 12, Beckie Clements and Tammie Rigsby 8 each, Missy Mangold 5, Kim Spencer 2, and Debbie Schimandle 1.

—Kathy Ryan

Dogs win district opener

Bandera varsity Bulldogs won their district opener by defeating the Southside Cardinals, 64-60.

The Bulldogs came out flat in the opening two quarters in which they scored only 18 points while the Cardinals recorded 31. The Bulldogs got things together in the second half. From the tipoff, the 'Dogs out-scored their opponents, 46-29, in the second half and really showed how they can play.

If the 'Dogs would have scored the same in the first half as they did in the second they would have scored 92 points.

Scoring for the Bulldogs went Steve Parker with a whopping 34 points, Bruce Robison 9, David Schwarz 8, Heath Hulse 4, Jonathan Graves 4 and Tim Butler 3. Butler hit 2 key free throws for the 'Dogs to pull them ahead and get the rally going.

—David Schwarz

Jr. high basketball

Friday the 13th, as most people know, is supposed to bring bad luck. The seventh and eighth grade boys know that this is true.

The seventh grade boys were defeated in a hard-fought game with Ingram, 20-19. The high scorer was Alfredo Richardson with 15 points.

Unfortunately, the eighth grade boys suffered the same fate. Ronnie Baine was high scorer with 14 of the 41 points scored. He was followed closely by Steve Stoops with 12 points and Chris York with 10. The Bulldogs finished by going into overtime and losing, 42-41.

Coach White felt the boys played up to and well beyond their ability. He praised them on their well played games.

—Seana D'Spain

Stock show impressions

By Wendy Valdez

The annual Junior Livestock Show is an event that nearly empties the streets of Bandera for three days. In it, students exhibit anything from pies to pigs. Not only do the students compete and make money, they learn a great deal and have fun in the process.

I was, like nearly everyone, at the stock show on Saturday. While I was waiting for the bake show auction to begin and the winners to be announced, I took a walk to see what else was going on.

Roaming around the barns, looking at the animals, I saw that many of the people I know had won awards. I also was shown, with pride, the entries of many younger children that I know. I found myself watching a showmanship class. As many placid-looking cows looked on, sheep skittered in spite of their owners' attempts to calm them.

I made my way back inside, and found I hadn't won my much-sought-after ribbon. Like everyone else, however, I learned something. I feel that that is what the stock show is all about: not if you win or lose, but how you play the game.

Bake show a success

A wide assortment of luscious cuisine adorned the tables Saturday at the annual Bake Show and Sale at Mansfield Park. The bake show was just a part of the three-day extravaganza in which the youth of Bandera County participated by exhibiting livestock as well as bake show activities.

Early Saturday morning, contestants arrived bringing delicacies which they had slaved laboriously over in order to perfect.

After much tasting and debating, the judges finally chose the best of the entries.

Winners were announced and an auction followed in which first through fifth place items were sold as well as Champions and Reserve Champions.

The following people were chosen as divisional winners:

Champion Cake Shannon Cowsert, Champion Pie Mike Hill, Champion Bread Missy Mangold, Champion Cookies Jason Powers, Reserve Champion Cake Tina Macon, Reserve Champion Pie Candi Southoff, Reserve Champion Bread Michael Derry and Reserve Champion Cookies Nancy Dodson.

—Karen Rizner

Girl's undefeated in district

Undefeated in district competition, the varsity and junior varsity girls basketball teams each upped their record to 2-0 after frustrating the Cole Cougars.

The Cougars varsity team held a short-term lead the first quarter, ending it with a score of 8-10. However, the Bulldogs were ferocious the second quarter leading at halftime 26-20. The Bulldogs continued to out-smart the Cougars and won the game, 53-42.

Are you ready for semester change

By Randy McHaney

Bandera students are preparing for the semester change which will occur on Monday, Jan. 23.

Many are experiencing changes in the normal school-day routine which has been practiced for the past four and a half months. The hassles of having exemptions approved, cramming for tests, reviewing previous work, and the ever-dreaded changing of class schedules are just a few of the things that can be expected when the semester changes.

Class schedules are changed to fill graduation requirements, or for a student's personal reasons, but for many sophomores this is a mandatory act. Before school started, classes were divided to put half of these students in health and half in drivers education.

As the semester change is about to occur, many students are finding that this change could be a difficult one. One sophomore is quoted as saying, "Just as I was used to my classes, I have to change them all around." Another student said, "I really don't mind that my classes are being changed, it's my lunch period that I'm worried about."

A few of the students turned out to be quite lucky with only one class change.

BHS juniors complete research papers



Ms. Marilyn Wiles

Research papers are finally due. The final draft, including an outline, single copy of the paper itself and a bibliography will be turned in on the first day of the new semester.

The grade of the paper itself will not be counted on the fall semester grade, but will be on the first six weeks of the spring semester.

Students working on their papers enjoyed three weeks in the library preparing note cards and bibliography cards from as many sources as possible, up to 20. For those glorious weeks they were free from the monotony of the class room every day.

Starting Jan. 3, Marilyn Wiles classes returned to the dungeons of room 29. Once in class students were given until Jan. 11 to prepare a complete rough draft of their papers.

Routh draft grades were rendered promptly with instructions to either recopy or type the final draft with all corrections complete.

Topics for research papers ranged from abortion to adoption, motocross to rodeo, marriage to the use of animals in society.

Ms. Wiles' research paper assignment will be the last project of this magnitude for most Bandera students. Mr. Neville's senior English does not undertake what some call the cruel and unjust torture. Thanks for the memories, Ms. Wiles.

—Becky Blakemore

Menu

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: "Sooper Bowl Day" Turkey noodle soup, grilled Cheese, fruit, milk and corn bread.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Pancakes, ½ peach and milk. Lunch: Taco Grande, taco salad, carrot coins, pinto beans, cookie and milk.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Toast with jelly, juice and milk. Lunch: Char-burger, bun, h.b. salad, fries, fruit and milk.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Oatmeal, peach half and milk. Lunch: Fried fish, mac and cheese, tossed salad, corn bread, fruit and milk.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Pizza, butter fried veg. stix, cole slaw, fruit and milk.

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Course/Section	Title	Time
ACCT 132.0	Intro. Accounting	6:30-7:45 pm MW
BSAD 330.0	Real Estate Law	6:30-7:45 pm MW
BSAD 333.0	Real Estate Finance	7:55-9:10 pm MW
BSAD 338.0	Org. Management/Theory	7:55-9:10 pm TTh
BSAD 434.0	General Ins. Prin.	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
BINF 331.0	Computer Applications	6:30-7:45 pm MW
EDUC 111.0	Teacher Ed. Lab I	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
ENGL 131.0	Elmt. & Comp.	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
ENGL 235.0	World Lit. I	6:30-7:45 pm MW
GOVS 331.0	Organization	7:55-9:10 pm TTh
HIST 231.0	U.S. History I	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
MATH 131.3	College Algebra	6:30-7:45 pm MW
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PHIL 433.0	Philosophy of Religion	6:30-7:45 pm MW
PSYC 233.0	Child Growth/Development	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
REST 131.0	Real Estate Finance	7:55-9:10 pm MW
REST 232.0	Real Estate Law	6:30-7:45 pm MW
SOCI 131.0	Intro. to Study of Society	7:55-9:10 pm MW
SPAN 132.0	Conversational Span. II	6:30-7:45 pm MW

Purple Hills
Mada Wedgworth

Services

The Rev. Robert Bauer from the First United Methodist Church of Bandera used for his text Sunday, Proverbs 15:23. Judy Goodenough played the piano while we sang our favorite hymns.

Those registering were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker, Mrs. Wm. P. Jordan, Rev. and Mrs. Robert Bauer, Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Lois Hayes and Eva Freeman.

Melodiers

The Melodiers came for their monthly sing-a-long last Friday night. Kay Robinson plays the piano for this fine group. Dr. Meador brought the house down with his harmonica playing.

Those registering were Helen Abrescia, Dr. Meador, Fannie Caffall, Dolorsa Greene, Mae Bachelor, Minnie Hayes, Doris and Carter Beach, Kay Robinson, Bill Hathaway and Judy Goodenough.

Visitors

Si and Louise Turner from Medina Lake visited Willie Leibold.

Thanks to Martin Smith, who comes each Wednesday morning for Bible reading. Several residents enjoyed Bible reading last Wednesday.

Retha Anderwald visited her grandmother Hazel Anderwald.

Claire Thaman and Dolores Brister of Kerrville visited Claire's mother, Agnes Fortinberry.

Rex Oberg came by to visit his mother, Freda Oberg.

Jane Smith of Lake Charles, Louis. and Gladys Hallier of Port Neches visited their aunt, Myrtle Heinen.

Gr trude Werner enjoyed a nice visit from Ann Neal of Pipe Creek last Tuesday morning.

Lorene Bialkowsky of Kerrville visited her sister, Ruth Batto.

Last Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Merris took his mother, Mildred Woltersdorf, to San Antonio for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowman took his sister, Lorena Bowman, to San Antonio Wednesday where they enjoyed shopping and visiting friends.

Maude Stokes' visitors last week were her daughter Opie Boyle, her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lewis of Austin, her granddaughter Sandra Vannatter and her great-grandsons, Nathan and Jordan of Medina.

We welcome Ruth Jackson of Utopia to our family. We hope she will enjoy her stay with us.

We sure enjoyed Ballan Grant when she came Wednesday afternoon to play her guitar and sing for us. She brought her brother Weldon with her. We hope they will come back to see us again real soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited their many friends Friday afternoon. While here they took Jack Holloway for a ride.

Tootie Mayfield of Medina visited her aunt, Ruby Sides and friends.

Hulda Heyen enjoyed a visit from her son Erviz Heyen.

Visiting Ernest Rainey were his wife, Eva, his sons Robert Rainey and David Rainey, his granddaughters Lisa and Leigh Rainey.

Claude Buck of Bandera visited Willie Leibold and other friends.

Raymond and Aggie Batto visited Annie Kollaus, Ruth Batto and friends.

Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick, Jack Holloway enjoyed services at the Church of Christ Sunday morning.

Welcome home

We welcome Hazel Anderwald and Dannie Robinson home from the hospital. Hazel returned on Wednesday and Dannie on Friday. We're happy to report both are feeling much better.

Bookshelf

If you find that the cold, wet winter weather is getting to you, try the Bandera County Library.

We can supply you with that classic you've been intending to re-read for years (How about *War and Peace*? *Wuthering Heights*? *Pride and Prejudice*?) Or a current best seller — like *Pet Sematary*, *Blue Highways*, *Poland*, *Berlin Game*, *Name of the Rose*, *The Wicked Day*, *Kingdom by The Sea*, *One Brief Shining Moment*, or Bombeck's *Motherhood: the Second Oldest Profession*?

Or are you planning for your early spring garden? We have a good selection of books on gardening in addition to a collection of seed catalogs.

Or how about hooking a rug? A bit of needlepoint? A sweater to knit or crochet? We can surely start you on your way.

Find it so this is perfect weather for a big pot of soup or stew? Check out our cookbook section and "Winter Blahs" display for recipes and ideas.

In case you missed a previous announcement — we can now obtain selected video cassettes from the San Antonio Public Library. We have a listing of available films in the library. All we ask is time to obtain your choice and that they be returned promptly after use. There is no charge for these films.

If you have not been in the library for a while, you will note a few changes in check-out procedure. We are asking for time to check on your application card for any changes that might have taken place since last we asked. Also we are numbering all identification cards and will ask you to use that number in the future when checking out books. This new procedure is in accordance with the Right to Privacy Act which says it's not anyone else's business what you read. We thank you for your cooperation.

Free clinic slated

A free Immunization Clinic for all children 2 months to 18 years of age will be held at the Bandera School Nurse's Office in the junior high building every other month on the fourth Tuesday from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Parents are urged to bring shot records to the clinic.

Pipe Creek
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Doretta Mikel

Whenever Doretta "Dottie" Mikel went shopping or out in public, people walked up and asked: "Are you who I think you are?"

Dottie won the Express-News look-a-like contest last year for her resemblance to country-western singer Crystal Gayle.

Dottie died last Tuesday when her car and a truck collided in San Antonio. She, her husband and two sons lived in Pipe Creek and were fixing up their dome home. She was an accomplished artist and well known for her paintings of Indians. She was in hopes of becoming a model and was in the process of putting together a portfolio. She already had one commercial to her credit.

Her funeral was held at Mission Park Funeral Chapel-North last Friday, where the large crowd only proved that she will be greatly missed in this world.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my deep sympathy and that of all your friends and neighbors here in PC to Bobby, Robbie and Chris. May God be with you.

Visitors

Visiting Ray and Betty Heinen are her cousins, Bob and Zina Wright of Augusta, Kan.

Sanya

Sanya Berube an Acteen at First Baptist Church here in PC has earned her steps and qualified as a "Special Acteen." This enabled her to go on to the Medina River Baptist Association meeting. Out of three girls that made it that far, she won.

Now, coming up on Jan. 20 and 21 she will go on to Dallas for the State Level Competition. There will be four girls from Texas in this event.

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9 acres at Mason Creek, fronts 2 creeks. Deep, fertile soil, $35,000.00 with easy terms.

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FOR SALE — Sears lawn-mower w/catcher $40. Electric hedge trimmer $45 and edger $25. Call 796-4809. 27-2tc

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FOR SALE — Cougar - 1981 XR-7, one owner - low mileage, 6 cylinder - power & air. Also Allegro motor home, 28 ft., 1978 2 air conditioners, generator - in excellent condition. Low mileage. Tel. 751-2085. 27-2tc

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YARD SALE — Phone 796-4769, Montague Drive and San Angelo. 10 a.m.-6 p.m., 7 days a week. Turn left 1½ blocks then right at silver shed. No reasonable offer refused, everything must go on account of illness, watches, dishes, pots and pans, glasses & cups, saucers, lots of good clothes (cheap), furniture, clocks, lamps, pictures, & frames, chairs all kinds. 28-1tc

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FOR SALE — 1976 Ford PU, heavy 3/4 ton, 4 sp. air conditioning, radio. 796-3341. 28-1tc

FOR SALE — 1978 Toyota Corolla, 4 sp., AM/FM radio, air conditioning, new tires, 796-3341. 28-1tc

FOR SALE — Spanish goats, 29 nannies and five billies and 22 baby kids. Call 589-2342. 28-2tc

'78 Chevrelet pickup, 3/4 ton and 14 ft. cattle trailer, at Barrel House Feed in Pipe Creek, 535-4448. 28-2tp

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1974 Gremlin 6, good tires, good on gas, Good work car. $500. 796-3365. 28-2tp

1979 AMC Spirit, $1,875. This price is $300 below wholesale book, 796-4769. 28-1tc

Bandera Feed and Garden Center. Color sale. Stock up for bad weather. 3/4 inch Brazos Breeder Cubes $198 per ton. 3/4-inch Pali-O-Pep High Energy Cubes $247 per ton. Priced at the dock. 796-4539. 28-1tc

GARAGE SALE — Four families clothes, furn., heaters, misc. 3½ mi. on Dixie Dude Road, follow signs. Fri. & Sat., Jan. 20 & 21, 8:30 a.m. Free coffee. No sale if it rains. 28-1tc

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Office space for rent — approx. 400 sq. ft. 1 mile out Hwy. 16 west towards Medina. Call 796-3832. 28-2tc

FOR LEASE — Club & cafe on Medina Lake. Call Jeff or Karen 751-3722. 28-1tc

FOR RENT - 1 bedroom apartment. Furnished. No children or pets. Deposit required. Phone 796-3850. 27-tfc

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Commercial or office locations. $350 per month.
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lost & found

$100 REWARD. Cocker Spaniel, male, brownish-blonde, 3 years old, wearing chain collar and rabies tag with my name and phone number. Answers to Muffin. Disappeared from Red Bluff Ranch, Pipe Creek, 15 Jan. 84. 28-2tc

$100 REWARD for recovery of lost red and tan Doberman. Answers to the name "Wrangler." Lost in high school vicinity. 796-4643. 28-1tc

wanted

WANTED — Needed 5 experienced carpenters. Also need 3 carpenter helpers 796-4380 or 535-4990. 24-tfc

Sabinal Canyon

Lillie Thompson — 966-3493

Cold

Another norther moved in Tuesday with gusty winds. Wednesday morning temperatures dropped to 18 degrees in the Canyon with a hard freeze. All small ponds were frozen over and pasture lands resembled a big white snow. Thursday morning wasn't quite so cold with a 20 to 22 degree reading. Friday morning heavy mist was falling turning to sleet. Thank goodness it didn't last too long and soon melted.

Baptist conference

The Baptist Evangelistic Conference will be held Thursday morning at First Baptist Church of Del Rio.

Hutto

We are happy to state Jay Hutto recovering satisfactorily from an accident and surgery in Mercy Hospital in Laredo. Any one who would like to drop Jay a card, the room number is 323.

Patton

Funeral services were held for Jack Patton, 69, on Wednesday morning at Utopia Methodist Church with the Rev. Phillip Dibrell and the Rev. Kermit Gibbons officiating.

Jack was born and raised in Utopia. As a young man he helped his mother, the late Maude Patton, run a grocery and variety store. M. Patton and Sons. She also was tax assessor and collector in the late 20's and 30's.

Jack and Vera were married in 1937 and resided in Uvalde at the time of his death.

Survivors are his wife Vera; three sons, Joe Ray Patton, Uvalde, Samuel Patton of Glendale, Ariz. and Larry Patton of New Braunfels.

He was buried in Jones Cemetery, Utopia.

Thompson

Guests of Finis and Margaret Thompson Jan. 2 was their granddaughter Kim Smith of Odessa, their son Gordon and family and granddaughter Kathy and Gary Berry of Carrizo Springs.

Reavis

Holiday visitors of Ira and Ola Mae Reavis were their children Ray and family of San Antonio Ben and his wife and daughter, San Antonio, Daniel Reavis and Brice Patton of Macon, Ga. Mrs. Reavis reports her son, Henry, killed two Russian hogs and one of their hunters killed one during hunting season.

Brenda Boyd elected

Brenda Boyd was elected vice president of the Utopia Arts and Crafts Guild and three new members have been enrolled.

The new members are Evelyn McDonald, Marybel Banister and Mary Ann Ellis.

The group is expected to amend its by-laws during its regular meeting in February.

Dodge

Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge enjoyed three of their sons and families during the holidays, Sam Dodge, wife and son of Minnesota, Jake and wife of Idaho, Dan and wife of California, also Bill Grove and wife, San Antonio, their two sons, Randy and Kevin, and wives of Bryan and Darrell and Paul Grove of San Antonio.

Umlang

Emily Umlang is happy to be back home since Wednesday after undergoing eye surgery on her other eye at Sid Peterson Hospital Monday.

Massy

Therman Massy was a patient at Sid Peterson for two weeks and then moved to San Antonio where he is showing some improvement.

Thompson

David Thompson of Houston is visiting his parents the Lon Thompsons this weekend sawing and hauling in firewood.

Hans

Martha Hans attended funeral services of her brother, Zeno Stapelton, 85, in Leakey this week.

Matthews

Clarence Matthews has been a patient in a San Antonio hospital for two weeks suffering from blood clots and diabetes.

Alley

Carol and Stephanie Alley were Saturday overnight visitors of their parents J.B. and Iona Alley and Suzzane, and grandparents Ruby and Lecil Howard before going back to San Marcos where Carol will start her college work on Monday.

Foster

Hoyt Foster has completed the 36-hour Radiology Defense Officers Course in San Antonio. This course was offered through the Defense Civil Preparedness Agency, formerly known as Civil Defense.

The basic concept of the course is to know what to do in case of a nuclear accident of any kind.

Visitors at the Fosters over the weekend were Freddy, Teresa, Billy and Tina Gazaway of D'Hanis.

Temperatures

	Low	High	Rainfall
Wednesday, Jan. 11	23	53	
Thursday, Jan. 12	29	53	
Friday, Jan. 13	38	51	
Saturday, Jan. 14	35	38	
Sunday, Jan. 15	34	43	
Monday, Jan. 16	28	48	Trace
Tuesday, Jan. 17	39	43	Trace

Rainfall so far this month: 2.25 in. Rainfall so far this year: 2.25 in.

Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Coop, Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

Deadline near for enrolling in conservation program

The deadlines for agricultural producers to sign up for participation in the 1984 cost-share conservation program and to file applications for incentive payments are both Jan. 31, says Jimmie Saathoff, executive director of the Bandera County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

"The newest program procedure only allows accepting applications during these special signup periods," Mrs. Saathoff warns. "We do not have a continuous signup period."

The approved conservation practices for which some cost-sharing is provided continue to include establishing permanent grasses; improving pastureland by cross fencing; brush management, including burning, fireguards and reseeding; livestock water wells, pipelines, ponds and spring development; erosion control practices; and terraces and diversion terraces.

The county ASC committee will consider conservation practices applications for approval on Feb. 1, Mrs. Saathoff said.

Members of the county committee are L.D. Moore, R.R. Schott and Elton Boultinghouse. Extension agent Scott Durham serves as an ex-officio member. The committee meets the first Wednesday of each month.

Producers who do not sign up by Jan. 31 will have to wait until the next signup period which is tentatively set for May, Mrs. Saathoff said.

In addition to the annual conservation program, cost-sharing is also offered for agreements of up to three years, based on a conservation needs determination.

Applications for long-term aid will be accepted by Mrs. Saathoff's office from Jan. 16 to Feb. 17, she said.

The signup period for the government's feed grain and wheat payments is Jan. 16 through Feb. 24.

Under these programs, producers who agree to limit wheat acreage to 70 percent of the farm's base and barley, oats, corn and sorghum to 90 percent of the farm's base receive government aid.

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Thank you

We want to give our most heartfelt thanks and appreciation for all our friends and neighbors who helped us get through the past weekend. To the EMS teams; Dr. Meador and the Sheriff's Dept. who were always there whenever we needed them.

Our most sincere thanks to Elmer Hargrove, Hondo, Tx., Eddie Rowe, Stephen Jones, Richard Calhoun, Jesse Evans and Dug Carter, Bandera, who carried "Granny" the last time — we love you.

Our special thanks and love to Marilyn Morris who graciously gave Granny a final resting place.

The Hutchesons,
Bandera, Tx.
The McDaniels,
Sulphur, La.
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Thank you

Our thanks to the Pairs and Spares class and the congregation of the Bandera Methodist Church and other friends and neighbors for the lovely covered dish supper and "brown bag" shower given for us Sunday evening. The generosity and loving concern of the people in this town is a rare and beautiful thing. A love offering given for us at the church will enable us to buy a microwave oven — our very first — for our new home. But even above the financial help shines the caring of so many.

My favorite hymn of all time is, in the Episcopal Hymnal, entitled "The Children's Song." The words are by Rudyard Kipling, and one verse is as follows:

"Teach us the strength that cannot seek,
By deed or thought, to hurt the weak;
That, under Thee, we may possess
Man's strength to comfort man's distress."

You, our friends, have most certainly given our family much comfort in our time of distress. Thank You.

Sincerely,
Patsy & Steve Muller
Matt, Mike, Jim, Linda and Ann
28-1tc

Public notices

Public Notice

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 7 p.m. on February 16, 1984 at the County Courthouse at Bandera for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting and fishing regulations for Bandera County.

As the result of action by the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission, under the authority of the Wildlife Conservation Act of 1983 (previously the Uniform Wildlife Regulatory Act), Chapter 61, Texas Parks and Wildlife Code, is responsible for the setting of seasons, bag limits, means, and methods for taking the wildlife resources in Bandera County. All interested persons are urged to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations.

Additional information concerning the public hearing may be obtained by calling our Toll Free Number 1-800-792-1112 or 512-479-4974. 28-1tc

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Archives group elects Peggy Tobin

Peggy Tobin of Bandera was elected president Wednesday of a group whose objective is to build a regional library to house public and private records of a 19-county area of Southwest Texas.

New vice president of the Society for the Preservation of Local Records is Mark Connally of Floresville, secretary is Joyce Ray of The University of Texas Medical Center in San Antonio; and treasurer is Jodie Gregory, district clerk in Floresville.

Required by statute to be built with money from private sources, the library would be staffed and maintained thereafter by the state through the Texas State Library, Mrs. Tobin said.

Speaking at the meeting was Marilyn Von Kohl of the main library in Austin who said that the San Antonio region is the only one in Texas still without such an archives center.

D.W. (Speedy) Hicks, Dick Paxton, Karen Jackson and Margie Langford are other Bandera County citizens who attended the meeting or have expressed interest in the proposal of the society.

Jackson, Hicks and Paxton have agreed to serve on the board of directors. Other nearby counties represented were Kendall, Kerr and Uvalde.

The next meeting of the group will be Feb. 22 in the conference room of Alamo Area Council of Governments in San Antonio. Area county judges will be invited at that time, Mrs. Tobin said, to hear of plans for the center, participation in which is voluntary.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Dexter Lee Rainey, Utopia; Greg E. Tatum, Pipe Creek; Lydia M. Smith, Brad Risinger, Marie L. Hemsell, Cathy M. Crittenden and Maria B. Hernandez, all of Bandera.

Cheese and butter

USDA surplus foods, cheese and butter, will be distributed Jan. 24 from 1 to 5 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Bandera, basement level. The surplus foods are available for households having met eligibility requirements for the distribution by completing the new application form for this first quarter of 1984.

The surplus foods from USDA are distributed by the Community Council of South Central, Inc. – Community Services Division for Bandera County. The distribution is done by Comellia G. Rue, Senior Outreach Worker, and Dianne D. Pehl, Outreach Worker for Community Services.

Dieterle ride queen

Lisa Marie Dieterle, 17, has been selected 1984 Queen of the Cowboy Capitol Trail Ride.

For the 15th year, the Cowboy Board members are currently searching throughout the area covered by the society for a suitable building location, not necessarily in San Antonio.



Lisa Marie Dieterle

Capitol Riders will wind their way into San Antonio for this year's 35th annual Stock Show and Rodeo.

The riders are a great group and are really what makes the ride special, Lisa says. She enjoys the week-long ride with her family, along with out of town friends who "I only get to see once a year." This will be her fifth year with the ride.

A senior at San Antonio's Incarnate Word High School, this year's queen is an honors student and has been listed in the Who's Who of American High School Students. She also is president of her high school's booster club. After graduation she plans to study accounting at either St. Mary's University or at Texas A&M.

Lisa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dieterle of San Antonio.

The queen will be joined by the Cowboy Capitol Trail Riders on Tuesday, Feb. 7, in Bandera at their campsite to begin the trek into San Antonio. Leading the ride again will be trail boss Frank Anderwald. Assistant trail boss is Latto Martinez.

A warm-up ride and trail meeting has been scheduled for Jan. 28. The ride will begin at Twin Elm Guest Ranch at 2 p.m. and the meeting and supper will begin at the ranch at 5 p.m.

Membership applications to join in the trail ride are available at Twin Elm Ranch, 796-3628.

Area bank women to meet Jan. 26

The Hill Country Chapter of the National Association of Bank Women will hold its monthly dinner meeting at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 26 at the Holiday Inn, Kerrville.

A program on stress management will be presented by Nancy Marioles. A licensed professional counselor, she serves as consultant for numerous school districts and businesses.

The business session will be conducted by chairman Carol Ann Boyle, assistant vice president at the First State Bank in Bandera.

Obituaries

Arthur Edwin Benke

Arthur Edwin Benke, 54, of Helotes died Jan. 14 at his residence. He was the father of Ronald Arthur Benke of Pipe Creek and Carroll Wayne Benke of Mico.

Other survivors include his wife Ruby Gass Benke of Helotes; another son, Steven Anthony Benke of Castroville; one daughter, Arlene Benke of San Antonio; brothers, Gus Benke of Hondo, William, John and Daniel Benke, all of San Antonio; and four grandchildren.

Services were conducted Tuesday at the Zion Lutheran Church in Helotes with Chaplain Earl Milbrath officiating. Burial was at Zion Lutheran Cemetery in Helotes.

Bernice Henry Mullen

Bernice Henry Mullen, 86, of Bandera died Jan. 12.

She is survived by two daughters, Evelyn Hutcheson of Bandera and Madeline McDaniel of Sulphur, La.; five grandsons, Robert Hutcheson, John Hutcheson and Howard (Speedy) Hutcheson, all of Bandera, and Jack McDaniel of Dallas and Mark Randall McDaniel of Sulphur; and three great-grandsons.

Services were held Sunday St. Stanislaus Catholic Church and burial was in Tres Lomas Cemetery on Marilyn Morris' Ranch.

George Welwood

George Welwood, 92, of Garland died Jan. 1 at a Garland hospital. He was the grandfather of Roxanne Mayfield, formerly of Medina and now from Garland, and the great-grandfather of Brandon Lee Mayfield and Linden Mayfield.

Other survivors include his wife, Elizabeth Welwood of Garland; a son, Richard Welwood of Garland; and another granddaughter, Amanda Welwood of Kerrville.

Doretta Mikel

Doretta Mikel, 31, of Pipe Creek died Jan. 10 in a car accident near San Antonio. She is survived by her husband, Robert Wayne Mikel; sons, Robby and Christopher Mikel, Pipe Creek; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Williams, San Antonio; sister, Nona Matlock, Arlington; brothers, Bobby Meadows and Ronnie Williams, both of San Antonio.

Funeral services were held Friday at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. She was buried at Mission Burial Park North.

Alvin D. Mueller

Alvin D. Mueller, 76, died Jan. 13. He was the father of Joyce Quarles of Bandera.

A native of Nordheim, he operated a barber shop at Kelly AFB for 30 years and a shop in San Antonio for two years. He was a charter member of the Highland Park Lutheran Church in San Antonio.

Other survivors include his wife, Adela Mueller of San Antonio; two other daughters, Sharon Wolff of Houston and Gwen Morris of Conroe; a sister, Alma Mengers of Fredericksburg; a step-sister, Emma Hornaby of Commerce; a step-brother, Lee Mueller of Pearland; and eight grandchildren.

Services were held Monday at the Highland Park Lutheran Church. Burial was in Mission Burial Park South.

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Bernice Henry Mullen

Born Sept. 21, 1896 in Houma, Louisiana and died Jan. 12, 1984.

She had been living the past 8 years with her daughter Evelyn Hutcheson of Bandera where she made many friends who affectionately called her "Granny".

Services were held Sunday Jan. 15 at 3 p.m. at St. Stanislaus Catholic Church. Father Smith officiated with interment at Tres Lomas Cemetery on the Marilyn Morris Ranch.

She was preceeded in death by her husband Robert S. Mullen.

She is survived by her daughters, Evelyn Hutcheson, Bandera, Tx., Madeline McDaniel, Sulphur, La.; 5 grandsons; Robert Hutcheson, John Hutcheson, Howard (Speedy) Hutcheson all of Bandera, Tx. and Jack McDaniel, Dallas, Tx. and Mark Randall McDaniel, Sulphur, La.; 3 great grandsons; Ray Lee Hutcheson, Bandera, Tx., Kevin McDaniel, Sulphur, La. and Joshua McDaniel, Houston, Tx.

Also numerous nephews and nieces of Louisiana, Texas and Mississippi.

George Welwood

Mr. George Welwood of Garland, Texas passed away at Garland Memorial Hospital Jan. 1st, 1984 at the age of 92 years. He is survived by his wife Elizabeth; 1 son Richard Welwood of Garland; 2 granddaughters, Roxanne Mayfield of Garland and Amanda Welwood of Kerrville, Texas; 1 great-grandson, Brandon Lee Mayfield and Linden Mayfield, also of Garland. The Mayfields are former Medina residents. Burial was in Restland Memorial in Dallas Jan. 4th at 11:00 o'clock. Many friends also mourn his passing.

GOOD NEWS

Life in the OUTDOORS with Jack Frazier



LANDING NET CARE

It has been an accepted practice by most fishermen to soak cotton landing-net webbing in linseed oil to prevent rotting. If you will add some resin to this linseed oil, you will have a much more effective solution. Take some resin, about the size of a big gum eraser, melt it and add it to about a pint or so of the linseed oil. Soaking your net in this mixture is easier to handle and will also last a lot longer.

FISHING FROM A PIER

As you walk out on a pier to fish, cast your line ahead of you. Quite often, fish will lie under the deep end of the pier and can be caught before you spook them with your presence.

Again, as you begin casting and you find the rod to be stiff, perhaps causing you to cast hard and close, try this. Allow about two feet of line to hang down with your lure as this will soften the rod and will also elevate your casts.

Sometimes we find that fish want lures slow. But then again they want them fast. So, try each lure about 10 times slow, then try them 10 times fast. If this doesn't work, maybe they aren't biting.

'Dogs alone atop district standings



Steve Parker goes high for a rebound in Friday's game with Southside.

With impressive victories over Smithson Valley and Southside, Bandera's basketball Bulldogs found themselves all alone atop the District 26-AAA standings Tuesday night.

Coupled with Randolph's victory over Boerne Tuesday, Bandera's 58-40 victory over Smithson Valley left the 'Dogs atop the heap in district play as the only undefeated quint.

"We played very good defense, holding them to 40 points, and we were able to handle their press well," said Coach Kevin Long said Wednesday.

Steve Parker, whom Long called "without a doubt the best player in the district," led the 'Dogs as he has all season by scoring 24 points, leading the team in rebounds and helping handle the ball against the Ranger press.

Long also paid tribute to the play of guard Tim Butler who scored eight points and quarterbacked the team in defeating the press, a tactic most teams are employing against the Bulldogs.

Football banquet

John O'Hara, head coach at Southwest Texas State University, will be the principal speaker Feb. 9 at a football banquet honoring Bandera's Bulldogs which made it to the playoffs this year.

The banquet will be held at the Mansfield Park Rec Center, and tickets at $5 each are available from any football player or at the school.

According to Long, the victory over Smithson Valley was the first for a Bandera team over the Rangers since 1979.

Parker poured in 34 points in the 'Dogs' victory over Southside here last Friday. Bandera trailed by 13 by halftime, but put together a torrid second-half effort to win, 64-60.

Bandera's girls defeated Southside last Thursday, 42-37, but fell to Smithson Valley Monday. The junior varsity boys remained undefeated in district play by defeating Southside Friday and Smithson Valley Tuesday, 52-37.

Games at a glance

Boys

BANDERA 64, SOUTHSIDE 60

Bandera: Steve Parker 24, Robison 9, Schwarz 8, Hess 6, Graves 4, Butler 3, Avalione.

Southside: Leonard Cortez 18, Hugo Padilla 16, Bobby Rodriguez 11, Jeff Johnson 10, J. Cortez 2, Carrillo 2, Mayberry 1, Casarez, Gonzales.

Halftime: Southside 31, Bandera 18.

BANDERA 58, SMITHSON VALLEY 40.

Bandera: Parker 24, Robison 15, Schwarz 9, Butler 8, Graves 2, Heise, Avallone, Bronsoh, Adams, Sides, Calmes.

SV: Hays 19, Hegman 9, R. Thevenin 9, Irvine 2, Reyes 2.

Halftime: Bandera 26, SV 19.

Fouled out: Hegman.

MEDINA 60, D'Hanis 39

Medina: Geoeff Williams 15, Greg Chaney 15, Marshall Townsend 13, Richard Payne 8, Mark Williams 5, Robert Ashley 1, Eddie Ortiz 3, James Parker, Chris Kesley, Jack Haug.

D'Hanis: Garcia (14) 6, Garcia (32) 5, Gonzales 6, Mejia 8, Barbosa 3, Santos, Hernandez 6, Callicoatte 5, Lovett 2, Langfeld.

Halftime: Medina 44, D'Hanis 17.

MEDINA 61, CENTER POINT 33

Medina: Townsend 12, G. Williams 9, M. Williams 14, Chaney 14, Payne 6, Ashley 4, Chris Parker, Kesley 2.

Center Point: Rhodes 12, Anderson 2, Weighour 8, S. Smart 11, M. Smart, D. Boerner, Keuy.

Halftime: Medina 36, Center Point 10.

Girls

BANDERA 42, SOUTHSIDE 37

Bandera: Christine Fleming 19, Clementa 6, Espinoza 4, Cherry 2, Doebbler 2, Ryan 1, Calosa.

Southside: Renatta Brown 13, Dromgoole 7, Longoria 6, Peoples 6, Cortez 3, Cokley 2, J. Peoples, Gonzales.

Halftime score: Bandera 24, Southside 21.

Basketball scores

Boys

Bandera 64, Southside 60.
Leakey 58, Knippa 53 (2OT).
Boerne 63, Cole 61.
S. Valley 56, Randolph 51.
Medina 61, Center Point 33.
Medina 60, D'Hanis 39.
Randolph 71, Boerne 54.
Bandera 58, Smithson Valley 40.

Girls

Bandera 42, Southside 37.
Boerne 63, Cole 36.
Knippa 50, Leakey 47.
Medina 52, D'Hanis 12.
Medina 29, D'Hanis 26.

Medina overwhelms D'Hanis two times

Medina's Bobcats defeated the D'Hanis Cowpokes twice Tuesday in district.

The varsity girls moved out to a 3-1 record by smashing the cowgirls, 52-12, and the Bobcat boys bested D'Hanis boys, 60-39.

The girls game was fast-paced, and the ladies controlled play from the start. The Cowgirls simply had no chance against Medina's rebounding (54) and quick-handed steals (16).

Coupled with a healthy 38 percent from the field that made the game a walk.

"I like to see them shoot around 60 times," Coach Mims remarked, and that's exactly what they did. "We didn't shoot enough here," he continued, referring to last week's squeaker against Center Point. In that game the girls won by the breadth of a hair, 29-26, and only put the ball up 37 times. They did again hit 38 percent and that saved the game for them.

During the Center Point game, Melody Long hit the floor in a smashing fall and stayed down. She was transported to Sid Peterson Hospital emergency room facilities, but was released later with severe bruises on her left leg and hip. This week Melody is back in play, a bit slower but still moving.

The Bobcat girls close out the first round of district play this Friday when they travel to Ingram. Four of the district's six teams are at 3-1, so the second round race ought to be interesting.

The varsity boys of Medina coasted to their second easy win in district play to defeat D'Hanis. This followed a similar win last week over Center Point, 61-33.

In both games the boys on the bench got a chance to play when the starting five got a rest in the fourth quarter.

Against the Cowboys, Medina's starters ran up 26 points to D'Hanis' six in the first period, and that pretty well set the tone of the game. Lots of steals (18) and blocked shots (10) along with very good shooting from the field (45 percent) and improved shots (50 percent) made up for an increasing number of fouls and some bad passes.

Friday they meet their nemesis, the Pirates of Ingram. Having lost to the Pirates during pre-district play, the Bobcats are sure to be up for the game, which is expected to be a real barn burner.

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COUNTY TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT

of the Receipts, Disbursements, and Indebtedness of Bandera County, Texas for the Quarter beginning October 1, 1983 and ending on December 31, 1983

FUND	BALANCE 10-1-83	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS	BALANCE 12-31-83
COUNTY'S OPERATING FUNDS:				
General Fund	86,199.83	422,561.89	72,000.00 tr. 221,244.95	276,516.77
Ambulance Fund	683.08	12,398.02	12,000.00 tr.	657.64
Ambulance Savings Fund	2,603.25	14,423.46	266.46	16,760.25
		8,500.00 tr. R.S.	2,000.00 tr.	7,368.71
Lateral Road Fund	36,646.19	1,164.51	14,863.73	22,947.39
Castle Lake Road Fund	4,262.31	100.36	0	4,362.67
Special Road & Bridge Fund	54,464.70	1,295.58	0	56,760.28
County-wide Road & Bridge Fd.	83,811.20	117,206.34	78,188.82	122,828.67
Law Library Fund	822.79	160.21	198.50	784.50
Recreation Center-Mansfield Park	0	2,147.47	3,156.10	968.63
Parks & Rec. Bus.-C Fund	1,049.13	22.16	755.43	315.86
TOTAL OF OPERATING FUNDS	270,542.48	566,329.46	357,793.02	489,078.86
MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS:				
Mansfield Park Project Grant	4,748.50	65.61 Int.	0	4,814.11
Revenue Sharing Fund	12,758.29	15,867.99	37,070.42	11,554.76
EMS Memorial Savings Fund	3,723.50	683.26	3,085.00	3,321.76
Historical Commission Fund	0	985.48	150.00	835.48
Senior Citizens' Building Fd.	0	5,144.32	0	5,144.32
Sanitary Landfill Fund	0	32,907.50 tr.	75.00	25,832.52
TOTAL OF MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS	21,230.25	48,654.08	18,411.42	51,472.95
COUNTY SCHOOL FUNDS:				
Available	195.00	671.99	0	866.99
Permanent	0	0	0	0
TOTAL COUNTY SCHOOL FUNDS	195.00	671.99	0	866.99
SINKING FUNDS FOR PAYMENT OF DEBTS AND INTEREST:				
County Road Bonds Sinking Fund	25,543.06	11,976.31	0	35,019.37
1974 Road Bonds Sinking Fund	24,987.97	10,138.38	16,018.75	19,107.60
1976 Road Bonds Sinking Fund	25,314.43	9,370.65	0	35,285.08
Certificates of Indebtn.-Sag.	26,405.15	13,676.85	0	40,082.00
Permanent Improv. Bonds Sag. Fd.	66,907.23	43,764.67	0	110,671.90
Mansfield Park Debt Fund	26.39	13,007.07	0	13,042.46
TOTAL OF SINKING FUNDS	167,004.23	102,886.83	16,018.75	253,872.31
STATE FEE ACCOUNTS:				
Criminal Justice Planning Fund	1,862.00	822.50	1,862.00	822.50
Law Enfmt. Offs. Stand. Edu.	327.00	153.00	327.00	153.00
Crime Victims' Comp. Act Fund	110.00	120.00	180.00	50.00
TOTAL OF STATE FEE ACCOUNTS	2,299.00	1,095.50	2,369.00	1,025.50
PAYROLL TAX FUNDS:				
U.S., W.H., Retirement and Supplemental Death Benefits	17.74	58,780.92	58,780.80	17.91
QUARTER TOTALS	467,288.74	778,418.77	443,372.99	796,334.52

YTD Investments are included in above balances.

The Indebtedness of Bandera County as of December 31, 1983 is as follows:

Certificates of Indebtedness, 1970 Issue	$ 80,000.00
County Road Bonds 1965, 1974, and 1976 Issues	$47,000.00
Permanent Improvement Bonds, 1981 Issue	$50,000.00
Mansfield Park Project Loan at First National Bank	$60,000.00
TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS (excluding interest)	$237,000.00

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County of Bandera

I, Elizabeth James, Treasurer of the County of Bandera, State of Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the finances of said County for the quarter beginning October 1, 1983 and ending on December 31, 1983, as was approved by the Bandera County Commissioners Court in open session on January 9, 1984.

Elizabeth James
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BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 10th day of January, A.D., 1984.

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Bandera speech, drama students win sweepstakes.
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"If you choose to take the water from Medina Lake, you'll be sorry," Panchita Thomson tells Corps of Engineer Col. Ted Stroup Monday, with a shake of her finger. Leroy Miller, another lake area property owner, looks on during the Corps' hearing in South Bexar County Monday.

Lake area residents protest Applewhite

"Not one drop of water is going to be taken out of Lake Medina," said the manager of the San Antonio City Water Board.

By Nick Johnson
Editor

"If you choose to take the water from Medina Lake, you'll be sorry and we'll be sorry," said Panchita Thomson to the city of San Antonio Monday. "If you do, none of us will have water."

The Lake Medina octogenarian was pleading for her Lake Medina at a "scoping meeting" of the U.S. Corps of Engineers during which the extent of an environmental impact statement on the effect of the Applewhite Reservoir was determined.

"(Lake Medina) will be a ghost town if San Antonio takes our river," she told the Corps and more than 100 persons gathered at the meeting. Many of those in attendance and many of those who testified were from the Lake Medina area.

"If Applewhite is constructed, I want to tell you you won't have water a lot of the time, because we don't," she said.

Several persons at the meeting wondered why people from Lake Medina were concerned by the construction of a reservoir downstream, and Lake Medina resident Norman Mansfield told them, "I'd like to ask these people where they think all this water will be coming from," he said. You'll fill Applewhite but once. That's when you drain Medina Lake."

The Corps' environmental impact statement will cover a request by the San Antonio City Water Board to construct a $100 million reservoir on the Medina River downstream from Medina Lake in South Bexar County. It could take a year to complete the statement, a Corps spokesman said.

Critics point out that the proposed reservoir will have priority on water in the Medina River watershed and operators of the Medina Lake dam will be required to let water into the downstream reservoir even in the driest years.

Robert Van-Dyke, general manager of the City Water Board attended Monday night's meeting in South Bexar County, but he did not testify. After the meeting, however, he told the Bulletin he was surprised by the opposition to the proposed dam by residents of Lake Medina.

"I was overwhelmed at the concern (of Lake Medina persons), because it's just not so," he said about the alarm expressed that the proposed reservoir will damage Lake Medina.

"Not one drop of water is going to be taken out of Lake Medina," he said. "I am totally at a loss as to where this totally erroneous concept came from.

"The only water that will be impounded in Applewhite Reservoir will come from storm water runoff which would otherwise be lost to the ocean if it were not intercepted by Applewhite Reservoir," he said.

"The City Water Board is most concerned that citizens outside San Antonio in the Medina Lake area be informed of the facts so they will not be concerned needlessly in the future," he said.

Tom Fox, general manager of the Edwards Underground Water District, testified at Monday's meeting in support of the proposed reservoir, saying the city of San Antonio needed a surface water supply to augment ground water sources it depends on currently.

He told the Bulletin after the meeting that the so-called Wagstaff Act in state law would prohibit the city of San Antonio from taking water in Lake Medina because the Bandera County reservoir existed before the priorities on water use were established in state law.

He acknowledged, however, that could be changed by simple majority vote of the Texas Legislature, but "to get that law changed a whole lot of other people are going to have their water rights changed (also)."

An editorial in Tuesday's edition of the San Antonio Express, however acknowledged the possibility of "loss of water from Lake Medina to Applewhite," but said differing opinion among city councilmen in San Antonio may stall the proposed reservoir. "It is entirely possible that the Corps of Engineers will not grant the Applewhite permit because of city council inaction," the newspaper said.

That view was supported by the appearance at Monday's meeting of Alamo City council member Helen Dutmer. "I am not for Applewhite for a number of reasons, most of them environmental," she told the Corps.

County Judge Tommy Curbo presented a resolution passed unanimously by Bandera County commissioners detailing the reasons the county dads opposed the proposed reservoir. "Our perspective is entirely objective," he said. "As you know Lake Medina is in our county mostly, and we are very concerned about the future."

Tom Gibson of Medina Lake told the Corps that draining Lake Medina would effect shallow wells in the area, and he suggested diverting water from the upper Guadalupe watershed.

Don Nelson presented the Corps with petitions signed by 200 Lake Medina area persons. "I would urge you to consider the comments of the people out there, some of whom have lived there for 30 years or more," he said.

Tom Culberson, president of a group he identified as the Clean Air and Clean Water Association, said the people of San Antonio have not had an opportunity to express themselves on the proposed reservoir, which he called a "boondoggle."

"Your analysis should consider that the people have not been represented and they will not pay for this reservoir," he told the Corps.

Louise Mays of the Bandera County Fresh Water Supply No. 1, told the Corps she thought the proposed reservoir was ill-planned.

"You don't put a lake in and pump water uphill," she told the Corps. "Everyone knows that."

Col. Ted Stroup, district engineer for the Corps' Fort Worth office, said the proposed reservoir's "normal pool level" would be 536 feet above sea level, would cover 2,500 acres and contain 45,528 acre-feet of water.

GOP chairman Duquette quits post effective Jan. 31

Bandera County '84 Elections

Bandera County Republican Chairman Louis F. Duquette has resigned his post "for reasons of health."

The retired Air Force colonel submitted his resignation to state chairman George Strake in a letter dated last Thursday, asking that the resignation become effective on Jan. 31.

He said a meeting of the Bandera County Republican Party Executive Committee will be held on Jan. 31 to select a replacement. The Republicans will meet at 2 p.m. at University Savings Association.

In other election-related news, Republican Doyle I. Ely of Pipe Creek has told Col. Duquette he intends to seek the GOP nomination for County Commissioner, Precinct 1. He has not officially announced or filed, however. He has until Feb. 6 to do so.

His entry into the race sets up a contest in November's general election probably with incumbent Jim Russell of Bandera who told the Bulletin last week he does indeed plan to seek another term as county commissioner. No other Democrat or Republican has indicated they will enter this race.

As expected, Republican E. Bruce Curry of Kerrville has formally announced as a candidate for the GOP nomination for district attorney, challenging Republican incumbent Joe Mike Egan, also of Kerrville. A third Republican, Jim Elliott of Kerrville, is also expected to enter that race. No Democrat has announced or filed and none are expected.

Primary elections are scheduled for May 5 and the deadline for filing for a place on the ballot is Feb. 6. City elections in Bandera and school board elections will be held April 7 and the filing deadline for places on ballots in those elections is March 7.

A wide-open race is expected in the Bandera city elections where long-time Mayor Wilvie Smith and long-time councilman Tommy Kindla have both stated they do not plan to seek new terms.

The intentions of incumbent school board members in Medina and Bandera have not been announced as yet.

Bandera County ranchers developing new cattle breed

By Tom Denyer
Special Correspondent

An ambitious project begun 10 years ago in Bandera to develop a new breed of cattle has reached a turning point with the approval by the state of Texas of a charter recognizing the International Simbrasin Association as a non-profit organization.

Frank J. Kirchgraber of Fort Stockton told several ranchers and other following persons of the approval by the Texas Secretary of State of the group's application for a charter at an informal gathering here last [illegible].

Norm Mansfield, one of the founders of the Associa[illegible] "We haven't even muddied the waters good, yet. We've got the best cattle in the world, and they're going to get better."

The foundation stock were Hereford, Angus and Brown Swiss selected primarily for their good bodies, milk, bags, and teats. They were bred to a Simmental bull known to carry easy-calving genes, Mansfield said.

The Simmental is a dual purpose, beef and milk, breed developed in the Simme Valley of Switzerland sometime in the 1700s and first brought to North America in 1967. The resulting calves seemed to demand too much supplemental feed, so they were crossed to Zebu Brahman bulls, according to Mansfield.

Brahmans are known for their tolerance of heat and insects and their ability to forage on sparse vegetation. Their milk also tends to be surprisingly high in butterfat, higher than that of many dairy cattle.

In this case, Mansfield admits, "We got lucky. They passed on good teats."

In 1980, the "Simbra" heifers were crossed to Limousin bulls. The Limousin originated near the Limousin Mountains of southwestern France in the 1800s. They are a meat breed, known for easy-calving and carcass quality. Like the Simmental, they were first imported to North America in 1967.

At this point, four [illegible] mothers have successfully dropped over forty calves. A Simbrasin calf [illegible] Championship at the Kerr County Junior Livestock Show last weekend.

A dozen Bandera families are involved in the project. Over 20 persons attended the Jan. 16 meeting.

So far, the Simbrasin heifers seem to be fulfilling the breeders' complicated expectations. They want to produce small heifers that will require less grazing yet produce milk for up to eight months without stress.

That milk would be produced in a large bag, but not so large it becomes subject to injury and therefore infection in the rough Hill Country. The milk would also be delivered by teats large enough for a day-old calf to find small enough for the calf's mouth.

The calf itself, [illegible] be born small, yet weigh around 700 pounds in six to seven months, on milk and

(See NEW BREED, Page 14)



A Simbrasin calf, weaned at 205 days and weighing 665 pounds.

Bandera County's

Poupourri

By Nick Johnson

The western look

The following letter was received in response to an item here throwing kudos to a pair of upper Main Street businesses:

I noticed your mention of the meat market and real estate office recently remodeled or built with the western motif. I agree that this is an excellent idea for the city to stay western and authentic.

Some small mention should be made that Mary Wehmeyer several months ago completed a large new building in the city. This building is also western and conforms to the town.

Very truly yours,
Sam L. Darden

We couldn't agree more. Mrs. Wehmeyer's building is an excellent example of what downtown merchants are trying to achieve. We apologize for not mentioning the new Sears Catalog Store earlier.

And while it isn't new, the law offices of letter writer Darden and his partner, Bob Wehmeyer (Mary's husband) deserve mention here. It is the best example of the western motif on Main Street.

Insult plus injury

Of course, the Bulletin encourages readers to take out ads wishing happy birthday to relatives or loved ones. It's a nice Valentine's Day gesture too.

It's an excellent way to tell the world of your feelings.

We would, however, suggest that ages be left out of the happy birthday ads, especially for anyone over 18 years of age.

One recipient of advertised best wishes recently became irked not only because the wisher listed her age for all to see, but especially because they inadvertently added a year to her real age.

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You drive into a ditch five miles out of town and the word gets back to the OST before you do.

Someone asks how you feel, and then listens to what you say.

Able chairman

Bandera County Republicans will miss the services of Louis F. Duquette, who resigned this week as county party chairman.

Col. Duquette was an able spokesman for the party and always "johnny-on-the-spot" promoting its candidates and its philosophy.

Of course, there are a lot of able Republicans in the county, but they will be hard put to find someone to fill the colonel's black, plain-toed shoes.



Demos rally around Bentsen as possible VP nominee

Texas Democrats last week paused briefly from their primary election sparrings to defend U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen as the vice presidential choice.

In other events at the Capitol last week:

—Railroad Commissioner Buddy Temple and Land Commissioner Garry Mauro exchanged media shots over the Mobil Oil lawsuit settlement.

—Comptroller Bob Bullock, candidate for governor, proposed his public school funding plan to even the gap between rich and poor school districts.

—Gov. Mark White, Attorney General Jim Mattox and other state officials filed their quarterly financial statements as required by law.

The rally-around-Bentsen program began after a Washington, D.C. syndicated column reported the national labor union leadership was opposing Bentsen for the running mate slot this year.

Bentsen was not acceptable to organized labor, particularly AFL-CIO national president Lane Kirkland, according to the Evans and Novak column.

The stir was over almost after it began. Kirkland's aide phoned Bentsen the next day to deny the story, but in follow-up news interviews the group has not openly supported the Senator.

Bentsen clout

The whirlwind misstep illustrates Bentsen's growing national clout, and his importance to Texas Democrats.

As chairman of his party's committee which raises money for U.S. Senate candidates across the nation, Bentsen has filled the coffers and earned widespread respect. Only two years ago, he spearheaded the Democratic sweep in Texas, and they are ready to demand that Bentsen get second place on the ticket.

Texas Republicans

Although Texas Republicans have been relatively quiet since the '82 shellacking, they came out with a new strategy last week based on some lessons learned from Bentsen.

Texas GOP chairman George Strake said his party was openly discouraging potential Republican candidates from challenging in Democratic strongholds.

"All it does is kick the red ant bed. We just stimulate Democratic voters to come out against us," Strake explained.

Actually, until Bill Clements won in '78, Texas Republicans carefully picked their targets, and that's what they'll do in '84.

As a result, the Texas GOP will work strong to re-elect Reagan and to replace Alpha Tower, but will ignore some 10 congressional races, 13 state senate races and 84 house races.

Last election, Republicans fielded two candidates against Bentsen, prompting him to become highly active and lead a unified get-out-the-vote program.

Temple, Mauro

Railroad Commissioner Buddy Temple and Land Commissioner Garry Mauro exchanged media potshots last week over how much revenue the state will receive from its lawsuit settlement with Mobil Oil.

Mauro, who lead negotiations which resulted in the state's taking back about 15,000 acres in oil lands, predicted state coffers would eventually be richer by about $100 million. Mauro is in the process of leasing those lands in order to realize the $100 million or however much it turns out to be.

Temple told reporters Mauro's figures were wrong and the leases weren't worth the $100 million. He based his figures on '83 production, while Mauro based his on reserves.

Bad publicity

Temple's statement was not all that friendly, as he implied Mauro must be either "dumb or naive," and perhaps shouldn't be in public office.

Mauro, angered that Temple's remarks and resulting controversy might ruin the deal he is working to lease the land, responded, "I thought Temple and I worked for the same people (Texas citizens)."

Despite the bad publicity, Mauro is going ahead with his efforts to lease to a Florida-based group for $100 million. In the meantime, political watchers are trying to figure out what prompted Temple's attack.

Bullock unveils plan

Comptroller Bob Bullock last week told the select committee studying the state's public educational system about his plan to equalize funding for Texas public school districts.

Bullock suggested the Legislature prescribe funding according to average daily attendance, then adjust state aid according to the local tax base.

As a result, poor districts would get 100 per cent funding, while rich districts would receive less state aid. Cities like Dallas and Houston would lose assistance, while rural districts would gain.

Other suggestions proposed to the blue-ribbon panel included one which would increase the school day to nine hours, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Letters

Looks for it

Dear editor:

I like the Bulletin, because I know most of the people in Bandera County. I was born and raised there, went to school and graduated there.

Otis and Bubba Evans are my two brothers. I am very proud of them.

I love to know all the happenings around there about everyone. I look for the Bulletin every week.

Thank you.

Elnita Clay
Hillsboro

Let's join together

Dear editor:

Some of the dust is beginning to settle from the school bond election of last year. Maybe the day will come when we can all see the effects of our decisions with 20/20 hindsight, but for now there still seems to be differing viewpoints.

I would like to try and express the view that I have. Perhaps there are a great many other people in Bandera County who are waking up to the same view that I see.

First of all, the trustees of the Bandera Independent School District are correct in saying that there is continued growth here and that growth is causing overcrowding in our elementary school right now and that it will continue to worsen. This may seem obvious but I think it bears re-statement.

There is a strong chance that the kindergarten will go to half days next year and that by 1987 the entire elementary school will be going to school in split shifts. This means tremendous inconvenience for the families and increased costs for school operations.

Whether the children in elementary school now are yours or even distant relatives, we have a responsibility to them. If we agree on that point of view, then let us try the next one.

If we do not do something significant to resolve the overcrowding of our schools, we will quickly be at the point of denying our children a good education. To make space for next year's school population we may have to start renting classroom space and spending money to rehabilitate currently unsafe space. We also may have to give up junior high band and such courses as: speech, art, mechanical drawing, Spanish and woodworking, not to mention the gifted and talented program.

So what are we losing by not building a new elementary school? From here it looks as if we are going to lose money toward rental payments and renovation. Parents of kindergarten children who both work will lose the cost of one-half a day of day care for a year. We will also lose our current level of education by dropping courses and crowding classrooms.

I can only pray that our teachers, many of whom put out a lot more effort than you or I would under similar working conditions and circumstances, do not take our vote as an indication that it just is not worth it to try and give extra effort to teach in Bandera. How could we measure that loss?

The most distressing thing from my point of view is that the growth will continue and in a couple of years we will see clearly that a new school will have to be built even after expensive band-aid work to postpone the inevitable. Probably we will be threatened with loss of our accreditation by then. If that day comes several years from now, we will pay more money for land and building costs and will still have lost money and quality of education in the meantime. In effect we will have paid much more to have much less.

Certainly there may be errors from your point of view in the plan offered for your vote on Dec. 6 but if you did not like the proposed solution offered — then help to find a better way.

We have a lot to lose if we do not find a way to meet our school district's growing needs. We cannot hide our eyes from the inevitable growth. There must be space provided.

Someday I think we will look back on a $2.95 million bond issue and wish we had that instead of a price tag of perhaps twice as much in tax dollars spent to go backwards.

Even with the worst projected operating costs for the new school, our tax rate would still have been below that of Hondo, Boerne, Uvalde, New Braunfels and Kerrville. Poor planning and the inability to agree on needed expansion can guarantee us the highest tax rate in the area 10 years from now with one of the lowest levels of education.

Let us please join together now to envision a way to resolve Bandera's educational needs, or else pay the price for years to come. The records indicate that on the Dec. 6 election, very few parents voted. Perhaps next time?

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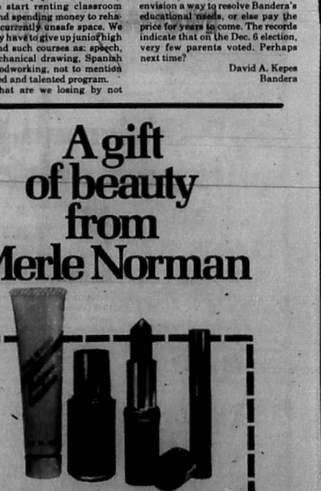

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Bandera man guilty of felony DWI charge

A jury of six men and six women late Tuesday assessed Arnold Ray Strickland, 31, of Bandera a two-year term in the state penitentiary after earlier finding him guilty of felony driving while intoxicated, subsequent offense.

Strickland was charged after an incident on March 28, 1983, when Sheriff's Deputy Robert Hines arrested him behind the wheel of his automobile which had plunged into a 15-foot gully on the upper Main Street in Bandera.

Deputy Hines testified he found Strickland in his car trying to climb out of the ravine. The car had left tracks for some 100 yards through brush and small trees, Hines said. The lawman reported that Strickland did not appear to be injured but he did appear to be intoxicated.

The jury deliberated 1½ hours on Strickland's guilt or innocence before returning a guilty verdict and then deliberated 30 minutes on his penalty.

Strickland was defended by court-appointed attorney Fred G. Rodriguez of San Antonio and District Attorney Joe Mike Egan and assistant Scott Stehling prosecuted the case.

Members of the jury were Carol Nash Adams, Bill T. Allen and Neva Belcher Reed, all of Medina; Geronimo V. Grimaldo of Pipe Creek; foreman Bill Edward Clendenen, Retha Gale Anderwald, Lynda King Ball, Patricia W. Benke, Juan Fernandez and Pedro M. Fernandez, all of Bandera; Lenda Gay Hempstead, Helotes; and Marion Lee Fox, Camp Verde.

Burglar convicted

Michael Ray Bryan, 20, of La Vernia was convicted Monday in the Oct. 2, 1983, burglary of the Bandera Western Auto Store.

Bryan was sentenced by District Judge Robert Barton to 12 years in the Texas State Prison on one bount of burglary.

Bryan, who was on parole at the time of the burglary, has been implicated in a number of Southwest Texas break-ins. He faces another burglary trial in Hondo in the near future, according to local authorities. Bryan waived a jury trial.

Medina home burns

The "Old Wolf Place" is gone. That's the name that all the old timers will remember when talking about the two story stone house on the ranch that the late Walter Thompson bought back in 1958. A small inferno gutted the old place, built in 1938, Tuesday afternoon, destroying 46 years of historic construction and all the contents within.

Thankfully, no one was injured during the blaze but a great many personal items are now nothing but ash. Walter's son Tommy Thompson, the present owner of the ranch discovered the fire about 2 p.m. while showing some visitors about his acreage.

"I looked over across the lake and saw the smoke," he said as he walked around the charred shell of his former home. "I couldn't get in to get anything out," he continued, "it was going too good."

While Thompson attempted to fight the blaze with a garden hose with no success, his wife, Pam, went to the mobile home where they now live and called the Medina VFD but by the time the truck arrived the house was a torch.

Neighbors also came to help but all anyone could do was prevent the conflagration from spreading.

He first blamed the propane gas water heater but later decided the cause had to be electrical when his son indicated that the L.P. gas tank was empty.

Thompson stated that the approximate $75,000 loss was not insured and no attempt would be made to rebuild.

Faces of Bandera County

Not everyone was all that enthusiastic about last week's Junior Livestock Show, as witness Laci Turner, 2, daughter of Rocky and Cindy Turner. As a matter of fact, Laci's giving in to just plain exhaustion during show preparations — the ability to nod off to sleep despite the commotion around her — earned her a place as a Face of Bandera County. Night night, Laci. Sweet dreams.

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CAR Comments with Phil Martin

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This is something we will do about 20-25 times in our car driving years. Hard to believe isn't it, but many of us got our first vehicle when we were 17 or 18 years of age. We generally will trade every 3-4 years and a great many of us now own more than one vehicle. It is hard to say when the best time to buy or sell is, but it will depend on your own situation. Consider some of the following thoughts when the "car-bug" attacks you:

1. Can you afford a new car? or truck?
2. Is your present vehicle still running okay?
3. What are the operational costs of your present car or truck vs. the new one?
4. What will the insurance costs be on the new one?
5. Would a few dollars spent on "fixing-up" be better than monthly payments? Note: If the old car or truck is getting expensive in the repair department, it may be best to trade it.
6. While this is strictly of sentimental thought, do you still enjoy driving your present car?
7. Can the mechanic you deal with keep your car in good operating condition?

When selling your car yourself, you generally will get more than you would on trading it in. But, consider this, if you don't want the hassle, that sometimes happens and if you don't have the time, then a trade will certainly be quicker.

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Calendar

Today, January 26

Heritage Genealogical Society, 2 p.m., Bandera County Library.
Medina basketball vs. Utopia, 4:30 p.m.
Bandera girls basketball vs. Cole, 6 p.m., here.
Community Development Committee, 7 p.m., Extension Agent's office.
Death and Dying Seminar, 7 p.m., Grace Lutheran.
Lakehills American Legion Post 410 and Aux. monthly meeting, 7 p.m., Legion Hall.
Cub Scout Pack 146, scout hut.

Friday, January 27

Bandera boys basketball at Cole, 6 p.m.
Medina Lake Shrine Club, 7 p.m.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Saturday, January 28

Warm up Trail Ride and Meeting, 2 p.m., Twin Elm Ranch.

Monday, January 30

Girls Basketball, Southside at Bandera, 6 p.m.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin R.

Tuesday, January 31

Basketball, Center Point at Medina, 5 p.m.
Boys basketball, Bandera at Southside, 6 p.m.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.

Wednesday, February 1

County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Committee, 9:30 a.m., Old Courthouse.
Health Clinic, 1-4 p.m., Senior Center.
LVFD bingo, 7 p.m.
Bandera Elect. Coop Board of Directors (closed to public).

Thursday, February 2

Tarpley Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Girls basketball, Smithson Valley at Bandera, 6 p.m.
St. Victor's Altar Society, 7 p.m.

Temperatures

Dates	Low	High	Rainfall
Wednesday, Jan. 18	27	41	-
Thursday, Jan. 19	19	44	-
Friday, Jan. 20	31	33	-
Saturday, Jan. 21	19	48	-
Sunday, Jan. 22	36	48	.2
Monday, Jan. 23	41	72	-
Tuesday, Jan. 24	43	62	-

Rainfall so far this month: 2.45 in. Rainfall so far this year: 2.45 in.
Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Co-op, Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

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Melinda Ridgaway of Kerrville and Andrew Persyn of Bandera will be wed March 10 at the First Baptist Church in Kerrville. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ridgaway of Kerrville. She is a 1983 graduate of Tivy High School. The groom-elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Persyn of Bandera. He is a 1981 graduate of Bandera High School.

Memorials

The Bandera County Emergency Medical Service acknowledges the following memorials which were received during December:

In memory of Mary Vanderstar from Mr. and Mrs. John V. Saul.
In memory of Roy Bonnett from Lola Linney, Hoyesse Grobe and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Fee.
In memory of E.C. Wells Sr. from Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Jones.
In memory of Wanda Mauer from Mr. and Mrs. Ray F. Mauer.
In memory of Michaele Jill Britsch from Mr. and Mrs. Claybourne Davenport.
In memory of Martha Willard from Mr. and Mrs. John V. Saul.
In memory of Charles Georg Jr. from the Leroy Hagendorf family.
In memory of Pres Word Sr. from Mr. and Mrs. John V. Saul, Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Lafbwr.
Mrs. John V. Saul, Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Lafbwr gson, Margarette Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley D'Spain, and Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Baumer.
In memory of Kim Koff from Lola Linney, Hoyesse Grobe and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Fee.
Donations from Burgie Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Cox, Ruth E. Raines Mosher and H. (Buddy) Andree.

Bandera briefs

DAR cites Reeves

Chris Reeves, Bandera High School junior, was awarded the 1983-84 Good Citizenship medal of the National Defense Committee, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, at the Bandera Chapter DAR meeting, Jan. 19.

Accompanied by his father, the Rev. Bill Reeves of Pipe Creek, and Ron Calose, Bandera School superintendent, Chris spoke to the group on his goals in life.

Presentation of the award was made by Mrs. Edward Rosentreter, chapter defense committee chairman.

Mrs. Rosentreter, Mrs. Alton Reininger, Mrs. John R. Langford, and Mrs. John K. Harrell are making plans to attend the state DAR conference in San Antonio in March. The delegation will be headed by Peggy Tobin, chapter regent. Mrs. Harrell is a state officer of TSDAR.

Two seniors nominees

Tim Butler and Dyks Ferrell, both Bandera High School seniors, are among ten nominees competing for one appointment by U.S. Rep. Tom Loeffler to the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y.

The two Bandera seniors were selected by an Academy Selection Board which serves at the request of Rep. Loeffler. The board this year was chaired by Army Maj. Gen. Warren Myers of San Antonio and included Navy Capt. Jack Stevens of Hunt, Navy Cmdr. Doug Lynch of San Antonio, Army Lt. Col. Richard Woodward of San Antonio, and Air Force Capt. Olen Bowman of Converse.

"The board faced a particularly difficult task in reviewing applicants because of the exceptionally high caliber of young people who expressed an interest in attending our service academies," Rep. Loeffler said. "I feel very confident about our military leadership in the future if all nominees are of the quality shown by these candidates. They are bright, enthusiastic and committed to upholding the military integrity of the nation," the congressman said.

Butler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace E. Butler of Pipe Creek and Ferrell is the son of Terry Ferrell of Pipe Creek and Jane Hunt of Troy.

Patient support group is being organized

A new support group for cancer patients, their families and friends is being formed in Kerrville, meeting at the Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library on the second and fourth Wednesday nights of each month, at 6 p.m.

Barbara Locher social worker at the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Kerrville, is the volunteer coordinator. Locher will be the keynote speaker at the Bandera Cancer Society annual meeting in March.

The support group, Dialogue, is an outgrowth of an earlier Cancer Society program called "I Can Cope." Previous attendance in this group is not, however, mandatory. All are welcome, there is no cost or obligation.

Joins Gullott realty

Velda Click has joined Gay Guilott Realty, as a Realtor, the company has announced.

A native Houstonian, Click and her husband, Noel, who is from Bandera, moved back in 1980.

Click studied various real estate courses at the American College of Real Estate in San Antonio. She was a secretary before entering the field of real estate.

Her husband is a heavy equipment operator in Bandera. They have three children.

Local record listed

Bandera singer Ken Pulford's new record release is one of 7 listed in the Jan. 14 issue of "Billboard magazine," the international newsweekly of music.

Released only two weeks ago, Pulford's "Hangin' On to What I've Got," a country and western song, was among 27 listed in the magazine's listed in the magazine's list of "new releases with the potential for chart entry."

The song is not yet playing on radio stations around here, says Pollard, but "it's playing in the East and West Coasts," says Pollard. He said it is only just beginning to appear in record stores.

Kroegers visit

Kathleen and Bob Krueger were in Bandera briefly this past week end visiting mr. and Mrs. Don Tobin and other family members.

They then headed for the Rio Grande Valley and Central Texas, respectively, to fill speaking engagements, according to Mrs. Tobin.

Make the Connection



Mr. and Mrs. James Logan Adams of San Antonio announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Merrill Ann, to Roy Marvin Angermiller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Angermiller of Uvalde.

Miss Adams and her fiance are employed as instructors at Southwest Texas Junior College in Uvalde.

The couple will exchange wedding vows March 23 at Oakhills Country Club in San Antonio.

NOTICE

On December 28, 1983, nine miles south of Kerrville on Hwy. 173 a serious accident occurred. A white pick-up was reported to be a witness to the accident. Would anyone who has knowledge of this pick-up, please contact Mr. or Mrs. Joe Britt at 589-2414 after 4 or between 8 and 4 at 589-2851.

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Hill Country Tuition Grants are available to permanent residents of Kerr, Kimble, Kendall, Edwards, Real, Gillespie and Bandera counties as of January 1, 1983.

For an application and additional information contact the Office of Admissions at 896-5411, ext. 226.

Evening Course Offerings

Course/Section	Title	Time
ACCT 132.0	Intro. Accounting	6:30-7:45 pm MW
BSAD 330.0	Real Estate Law	6:30-7:45 pm MW
BSAD 335.0	Real Estate Finance	7:55-9:10 pm MW
BSAD 338.0	Org' Management/Theory	7:55-9:10 pm TTh
BSAD 434.0	General Ins. Prin.	6:30-7:45 pm MW
BDSY 231.0	Computer Applications	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
EDUC 111.0	Teacher Ed. Lab I	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
ENGL 131.0	ESL II Comp.	6:30-7:45 pm MW
ENGL 233.0	World Lit. I	7:55-9:10 pm TTh
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MDGT 331.0	Org. Behavior	6:30-7:45 pm MW
MDGT 381.0	Adver/Sales Promotion	6:30-7:45 pm MW
PHIL 430.0	Philosophy of Religion	6:30-7:45 pm TTh
PSYC 332.0	Child Growth/Development	7:55-9:10 pm MW
RERT 332.0	Real Estate Finance	6:30-7:45 pm MW
RERT 332.0	Real Estate Law	7:55-9:10 pm MW
SOCI 131.0	Intro. to Study of Society	6:30-7:45 pm MW
SPAN 132.0	Conversational Span. II	6:30-7:45 pm MW

PUBLIC NOTICE

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Lakehills

Ellie MacMillan — 751-3566

Father Leyva dies

Father Leyva, better known as Father Joe to many in our area, died Dec. 31. Although he served as pastor of St. Stanislaus and St. Victor's for less than a year, he made many friends in our area. He served most recently as pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Cuero in the diocese of Victoria.

St. Victor's Altar Society

St. Victor's Altar Society will meet Feb. 2 at 7 p.m. for their monthly meeting. All members are urged to attend. Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

Mexican dinner and bake sale

The American Legion Post 410 annual Mexican Dinner and Bake Sale will be held Feb. 12, at noon at the Legion Home.

Panchita's Memory Lane Party

Don't forget Panchita's annual Memory Lane Party at the Civic Center Feb. 11. Glenda Rayé and her band will be providing the music for you and your sweetheart to dance to. This annual event combines Valentine's Day with the birthday of Lakehills "favorite sweetheart," Panchita Thomson.

Be sure and mark your calendar for this event. We'll have more details next week.

A surprise party

Diamond and Dutch Kruesel hosted a surprise birthday party for Kenneth Chestnut at Adolph's Jan. 14. Some 25 guests and relatives enjoyed cake, chips and dips. Several musician friends including Art Holt, Jack Bartlett, Drew Knoll, and Jim Samsel sang "Happy Birthday" to Kenneth, and then played on for dancing by the crowd at Adolph's.

Firehouse burglary

Serial numbers of stolen equipment are as follows:

Three low band Wilson Citi-Com 11 Radios, C-6B4A-0384, C-6B4A-0385, C-6B4A-0386; one Insta-Alert radio receiver, EC57755-180.

Historical Spettel Homestead

The old Spettel Homestead, on the grounds of the Thousand Trails Medina Lake Preserve, will receive national recognition in the near future. Becky Herron and a cameraman flew in from Seattle Saturday to shoot a film on the Medina Lake Preserve which covers the historical homestead and the "Best of America Sweepstakes" prize presentation. Becky is with TT's public relations department.

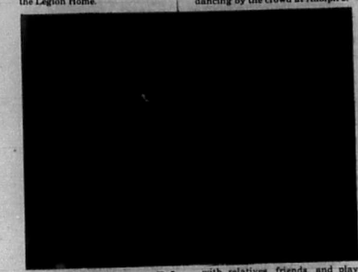
Ken and Mary Sanborn of San Antonio were the winners of a Coleman "San Valley" Pop Up Camper in the Thousand Trails "Best of America Sweepstakes." The Sanborns won in a field of 110,000 entrants. The winners said they have been looking at Colemans for many years and have always wanted one.

Tim Hawkins the new Medina Lake Preserve Sales Manager was introduced on film along with all the Preserve staff. Tim recently transferred to Medina Lake from the west coast. This film will be shown at all the Thousand Trails preserves in their national network of facilities which now reach from coast to coast. By viewing the film, members and prospective members will be acquainted with the facilities available at Medina Lake.

Gaines ready for duty

Army Spec. 4 Ray C. Gaines, son of Ed C. and Jeanette D. Gaines of Lakehills, has arrived for duty at Camp Casey, South Korea.

Gaines, a helicopter repairer with the 2nd Infantry Division, was previously assigned at Fort Carson, Colo.



James celebrates 5th

James Mazurek, assisted by brother Mark, cut his own cake this year at a party in honor of his fifth birthday. The celebration was held in Adolph's Party Room for James, with relatives, friends, and playmates in attendance.

Special guests of honor were grandmothers, Irene Hilderbrandt and Jane Swager, and his great-grandmother, Mildred Anderson, all of Lakehills.



Faith Christian School

Faith Chapel's private school in Lakehills opened officially Monday, with six students enrolled for the first day of classes. Utilizing a self-paced, supervised method of learning, the school has attracted students from Pipe Creek and Lakehills thus far.

Contact Sue Martin for country fair info

Sue Martin, executive secretary of the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce, is the contact person for the San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo's first Country Fair Day: a baking, jams, jellies, preserves and quilting contest.

For the first time, the stock show is offering Country Fair Day as part of its Special Days programs. Martin is also deeply involved, along with many other Bandera County residents, with the show's annual Hill Country Day Feb. 13.

Country Fair Day will be held in the Entertainment Center on the grounds of the Joe and Harry Freeman Coliseum on Wednesday, Feb. 15. Entries must be postmarked by Feb. 5.

The contests are open to anyone in the state of Texas. Contestants may enter only once in each of the following seven categories: yeast breads, cakes, pies, jams, jellies, preserves and quilts. The entry fee is $5 per entry.

There will be three winners in each category for a total of 21 winners. There will be three grand champions, one in the baking category, another overall champion in jams, jellies and preserves and a quilting grand champion. A total of more than $1,000 cash and special prizes will be awarded to the winners. Entry forms will be available at several San Antonio locations and the Bandera Chamber of Commerce.

Participants will receive a gate pass in the mail, when their entry is processed. For additional information, contact Martin, (512) 796-4312.

Lopez ready for duty

Marine Lance Cpl. Lionel G. Lopez, son of Arcadio C. and Maria F. Lopez of Bandera has reported for duty with 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

Historical commission

Bandera County Historical Commission will meet on its regular third Friday in February, Mrs. Don Tobin, chairman, announced this week.

Trail rides to warm up

A warm-up trail ride and meeting will be held Saturday, rain or shine, says trail boss Frank Anderwald, for those who intend to participate in the Cowboy Capitol Trail Ride to the San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo.

The riders Saturday will start at Twin Elm Ranch off FM 470 west of Bandera at 2 p.m. Supper and a meeting will be held at the ranch at 5 p.m.

The three-day, 65-mile ride to the Joe and Harry Freeman Coliseum will take place Feb. 7-9 with night camps planned at the Helotes General Store and the outdoor theaters at 600 Bitters Rd. and San Pedro.

The group will depart The Longhorn in Bandera at 9 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 7, lunch at Jennings' Store in Pipe Creek. After overnighting in Helotes the riders will hit the trail again at 8 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 8, and stop for lunch at Hill and Dale Store on Loop 1604.

On Thursday the riders will start out at 7 a.m. and join other trail riders at 12:30 p.m. at Loop 13 and W.W. White Road. All the trail riders will be welcomed during ceremonies at the Coliseum at 2 p.m.

The ride calls attention to the annual San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo which this year is scheduled to run through Feb. 19.

Kim Quarles honored

Kim Quarles bride-elect of Abel Herrera was honored with a bridal shower Jan. 14 at the First National Bank Board Room.

Hostesses for the occasion were, Sheila Quarles, Patsy D'Spain, Darcy Quarles, Elsie Word, Carol Teich, Cathy Gardner, Robbie Madrid, Pam Sterner, Florence Santos and Debbie Langford.

Rehearsal dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Raul Herrera hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Wrangler restaurant on Friday evening honoring their son Abel Herrera and bride-elect Kim Quarles. Those attending were the wedding party, immediate family and friends of the bride and groom.

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Senior Citizens

By Kay Robinson
Substituting for Mary Worley

Dietert Claim

We wonder if the Kerrville Senior Citizens were surprised at the number of Banderans who attended the Fun With Music program at Dietert Claim Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

The Melodiers were especially interested, as they hope to increase their numbers and prepare the next special program, which is to be on "Cowboy Songs." The next practice is Jan. 27 from 5:15 p.m. until 6:30 p.m., so there will be time to attend another evening engagement, if you'd like to join us.

Back to the Saturday program: some of the performers and some of the Banderans got together at a nearby fast food emporium and the hilarity rivaled a birthday party of wee ones in an adjoining booth.

In spite of the rotten weather, more Melodiers, who had to miss the program on Saturday, braved the elements to attend on Sunday. Thanks for the good time, Bliss Mapes.

Building committee

A meeting of the Silver Sage Corral Building Committee was held at the Center and Thursday with architect Daniel Ochoa, to revise the floor plans and hear reports on the progress of various sub-committees. Enthusiasm remains high and groundwork proceeds slowly but surely.

Advisory Board

The Senior Activity Center Advisory Board meets at 2 p.m. Jan. 27. Reports on the Memorial Fund, and the month's activities will be heard. All members are urged to be present.

Volunteers

Welcome to a dynamic young couple, Elaine and Rick Watson, who have offered their volunteer services to the seniors of Bandera County. They have just moved here from Houston and know the benefits of an active senior program for all ages.

Sick list

To those on the ailing list, we wish a speedy recovery; among them are Ernell Mallenax and Ada Schoo. The latter is staying with her daughter in Kerrville at last reports.

Clinic

Don't forget the monthly blood pressure clinic comes early this month. It is always the first Wednesday in the month, and that means Feb. 1 this month. No charge of course.

Minutes of meeting Committee on Aging

The building committee and the fund-raising Committee of the Bandera County committee on Aging met on Jan. 19 at the Senior Activity Center. Some 12 people were present, including architect Dan Ochoa.

Most of the discussion focussed on the revised interior plans which Mr. Ochoa presented. Suggestions for more storage space were entertained, needed for table and chairs, craft and quilting supplies, office supplies, and food storage in case of future expansion to the cooking of the congregate meals. Passive solar heat and availability of exposure to prevailing breezes dictated some changes.

The attempts to get the future building site surveyed have been stymied at every turn, but efforts are still being made. The amounts necessary for permits and related early costs were reported.

The relative economy and ease of erection of a metal building was again discussed. The concensus of opinion leans to a wood building, with rough cedar exterior, in harmony with the Cowboy Capital look.

Tax exemption papers and incorporation papers are in the hand of persons who have promised to complete them in the near future on behalf of the Silver Sage Corral.

The next meeting time was not announced, as it will depend on Mr. Ochoa's schedule.

AARP meeting

The Bandera Hills Chapter No. 3575 of the American Association of Retired Persons met Jan. 18 at St. Joseph's School meeting room. Hot coffee during the whole meeting was welcomed on this very cold day.

President Davis May announced the new committee chairmen, and urged each member to accept the role of committee member on the committee of his or her choice.

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Ray Marvin Hay was the song leader. Tim Sanchez led the opening prayer and Ray Marvin Hay the closing prayer.

Those registering were Dorothy Garms, Penny Smith, Sheila Lovern, Johnny Lovern, Jim Lovern, Martin and Mary Ann Smith, Tim Sanchez, Annette Pearce, Yvonne Fenner, Ray Marvin Hay and Eva Freeman.

Visiting

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Tanner of Lakehills visited his mother, Ruby Tanner.

Gracie Wilson of San Antonio visited friends last Monday.

Ann Neal of Pipe Creek visited Gertrude Werner.

Ernest Rainey's guests last week were his wife and her friend Mrs. Ryan. Also visiting was his son Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Heyen visited his mother Hulda Heyen. Also visiting was Mrs. Elton Schmidt.

Maude Stoke's guests last week were her daughter Ople Boyle, her son King Stokes, her granddaughter and great-grandsons, Sandra Vannatter, Nathan and Jordan.

Josephine Lackey of Kerrville and Edna Jones of Center Point visited friends Saturday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Herman Murph visited Gertrude Werner.

Mildred Wolteradorf enjoyed a nice visit from her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Merris.

Wendy Wallace visited her grandfather, Rudy Hardebeck.

Olen and Lura Lee Hughes visited her mother, Ethel Putt.

Retha Anderwald came by for a visit with her grandmother, Hazel Anderwald.

American Legion Auxiliary from Lakehills came for their monthly games party last Wednesday. Thanks to Evie Angell and Lucille Moore for the refreshments.

S.P. Baber visited friends one day last week.

Sheila and Mathew Lespreance visited Ruby Sides and Jack Holloway.

Birthday

At our staff meeting last Thursday Ester Bermudez, Socorro Ortega, Julia McDaniel, Carmen Hicks and Sylvia LeStourgeon celebrated birthdays.

Lyn Hamilton was presented a gift for her faithful employment during the last five years. Lyn is moving to Fredericksburg. We wish her the best.

Music

We thank the Devine Music Makers who came last Thursday afternoon to play and sing for us. They played many of our favorite songs for about two hours. We really enjoyed them and hope they will come back again real soon.

Page

We're sorry to report our Hettie Page died Jan. 16. She came to make her home with us on July 26, 1974. Our sympathy to all her loved ones.

Bible reading

Thanks to Martin Smith, night residens enjoyed Bible reading last Wednesday morning.

Pete Heinen visited his wife, Mary Frances Heinen.

Myrtle Heinen's granddaughters, Nancy Crist and Reba Williams and their aunt Carmen Williams of San Antonio visited her Sunday morning.

Margie Keese visited her mother Frieda Moseley.

Grace Feik's visitor last week was her daughter, Norma Barr.

Nettie Saul came by to visit her mother, Susie Hunter.

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By John M. Grimes

A pastor from a large city was asked to be the speaker in a small rural church. His son accompanied him. As the visiting pastor left the church after the program, he saw an empty collection plate and he put a dollar in it. After the coffee hour, the pastor and his son were ready to leave but an elder of the church stopped them.

"It is the tradition here", the elder explained, "that we give the visiting speaker whatever free-will offering is left in the collection plates. I am sorry that all that was collected was one dollar."

The pastor accepted the dollar (the same one he had given) and as they reached the car, the son said, "You know, Dad, if you had put more into it, you would have gotten more out of it".

Apart from the humor of this story, it indicates something worth remembering...You can get more out of life in general if you put more into it...

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"As often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, ye proclaim the Lord's death till he come: (I Corinthians 11:26)

"This Do In Remembrance Of Me"

The Lord intended that His death, burial and resurrection be remembered until His second coming. Man places more emphasis upon remembering the Lord's birth by the observance of a national holiday. The Lord did not choose to tell us what month or day He was born. The Bible does not even tell us to celebrate His birth. The above passage does tell us that He wants us to remember His death by partaking of the Lord's supper.

How often are we to partake of the Lord's supper? The New Testament gives us an approved example of the early church meeting on the FIRST DAY of the week for the purpose of keeping the Lord's supper. When the Apostle Paul was at Troas, he stayed seven days, "and upon the first day of the week, when the disciples came together to break bread, Paul preached unto them..." (Acts 20:7). This passage indicates that the early disciples met primarily to "break bread" (take the Lord's supper), which Jesus instituted the same night in which he was betrayed" (Matthew 26:17-20).

In Acts 20:7, we are told that the early Christians assembled to partake of the Lord's supper. In I Corinthians 16:2 it tells us how often these Christians took up the collection. "Upon the first day of the week let everyone of you lay by him in store as God hath prospered him..." The wording is the same! The first day of the week is the day that Jesus arose from the dead and God has chosen that day for us to remember His Son's sacrifice upon the cross. Notice that no special first day of the week is mentioned. Since every week has a first day, it is obvious that the Lord meant for His followers (Disciples) to remember His death on the FIRST DAY OF EVERY WEEK!

The church of Christ at Bandina meets EACH Sunday, the first day of the week, to worship God by singing, praying, proclaiming the Word of God, giving of our means and taking the Lord's supper. "This do in remembrance of me." We must not neglect this positive command of the Lord!

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Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Bandina
Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina
First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
Minister: Doyle Maynord
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
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Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor, R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley
Baptist Mission
Pastor: Glenn W. Rhines
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
562-3468

Utopia
Church of Christ
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629

Baptist Church
Pastor: Homer Stephens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
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Vanderpool
Community Church
Pastor: George Polvado
Worship: Sunday, 8 p.m.
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.
966-3420

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Pastor: Jose Luis Sandoval
Worship: Sunday, 2 p.m.

Other
Unity Church of the Hill Country
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The Melodiers were especially interested, as they hope to increase their numbers and prepare the next special program, which is to be on "Cowboy Songs." The next practice is Jan. 27 from 5:15 p.m. until 6:30 p.m., so there will be time to attend another evening engagement, if you'd like to join us.

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Building committee

A meeting of the Silver Sage Corral Building Committee was held at the Center and Thursday with architect Daniel Ochoa, to revise the floor plans and hear reports on the progress of various sub-committees. Enthusiasm remains high and groundwork proceeds slowly but surely.

Advisory Board

The Senior Activity Center Advisory Board meets at 2 p.m. Jan. 27. Reports on the Memorial Fund, and the month's activities will be heard. All members are urged to be present.

Volunteers

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Sick list

To those on the ailing list, we wish a speedy recovery; among them are Vernah Malleaux and Ada Sebon. The latter is staying with her daughter in Kerrville at last reports.

Clinic

Don't forget the monthly blood pressure clinic comes early this month. It is always the first Wednesday in the month, and that means Feb. 1 this month. No charge of course.

Minutes of meeting Committee on Aging

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Church of Christ

It was the fourth Sunday of the month and time for the Bandera Church of Christ to have church services Sunday afternoon. Martin Smith used for his text Proverbs 23:23, "Buy the truth and sell it not."

Ray Marvin Hay was the song leader. Tim Sanchez led the opening prayer and Ray Marvin Hay the closing prayer.

Those registering were Dorothy Garms, Penny Smith, Sheila Lovern, Johnny Lovern, Jim Lovern, Martin and Mary Ann Smith, Tim Sanchez, Annette Pearce, Yvonne Fenner, Ray Marvin Hay and Eva Freeman.

Visiting

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Tanner of Lakehills visited his mother, Roby Tanner.

Gracie Wilson of San Antonio visited friends last Monday.

Ann Neal of Pipe Creek visited Gertrude Werner.

Ernest Rainey's guests last week were his wife and her friend Mrs. Ryan. Also visiting was his son Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Heyen visited his mother Hulda Heyen. Also visiting was Mrs. Elton Schmidt.

Maude Stoke's guests last week were her daughter Ople Boyle, her son King Stokes, her granddaughter and great-grandsons, Sandra Vannatter, Nathan and Jordan.

Josephine Lackey of Kerrville and Edna Jones of Center Point visited friends Saturday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Herman Murph visited Gertrude Werner.

Mildred Wolteradorf enjoyed a nice visit from her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Merris.

Wendy Wallace visited her grandfather, Rudy Hardebeck.

Olen and Lura Lee Hughes visited her mother, Ethel Putt.

Retha Anderwald came by for a visit with her grandmother, Hazel Anderwald.

American Legion Auxiliary from Lakehills came for their monthly games party last Wednesday. Thanks to Evie Angell and Lucille Moore for the refreshments.

S.P. Baber visited friends one day last week.

Sheila and Mathew Lesprance visited Ruby Sides and Jack Holloway.

Birthday

At our staff meeting last Thursday Ester Bermudez, Socorro Ortega, Julia McDaniel, Carmen Hicks and Sylvia LeStourgeon celebrated birthdays.

Lyn Hamilton was presented a gift for her faithful employment during the last five years. Lyn is moving to Fredericksburg. We wish her the best.

Music

We thank the Devine Music Makers who came last Thursday afternoon to play and sing for us. They played many of our favorite songs for about two hours. We really enjoyed them and hope they will come back again real soon.

Page

We're sorry to report our Hettie Page died Jan. 16. She came to make her home with us on July 26, 1974. Our sympathy to all her loved ones.

Bible Reading

Thanks to Martin Smith, eight residents enjoyed Bible reading last Wednesday morning.

Pete Heinen visited his wife, Mary Frances Heinen.

Myrtle Heinen's granddaughters, Nancy Crist and Reba Williams and their aunt Carmen Williams of San Antonio visited her Sunday morning.

Margie Keese visited her mother Frieda Moseley.

Grace Feik's visitor last week was her daughter, Norma Barr.

Nettie Saul came by to visit her mother, Susie Hunter.

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A Thought For The Week
By John M. Grimes

A pastor from a large city was asked to be the speaker in a small rural church. His son accompanied him. As the visiting pastor left the church after the program, he saw an empty collection plate and he put a dollar in it. After the coffee hour, the pastor and his son were ready to leave but an elder of the church stopped them.

"It is the tradition here", the elder explained, "that we give the visiting speaker whatever free-will offering is left in the collection plates. I am sorry that all that was collected was one dollar".

The pastor accepted the dollar (the same one he had given) and as they reached the car, the son said, "You know, Dad, if you had put more into it, you would have gotten more out of it".

Apart from the humor of this story, it indicates something worth remembering...You can get more out of life in general if you put more into it...

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"As often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, ye proclaim the Lord's death till he come: (I Corinthians 11:26)

"This Do In Remembrance Of Me"

The Lord intended that His death, burial and resurrection be remembered until His second coming. Man places more emphasis upon remembering the Lord's birth by the observance of a national holiday. The Lord did not choose to tell us what month or day He was born. The Bible does not even tell us to celebrate His birth. The above passage does tell us that He wants us to remember His death by partaking of the Lord's supper.

How often are we to partake of the Lord's supper? The New Testament gives us an approved example of the early church meeting on the FIRST DAY of the week for the purpose of keeping the Lord's supper. When the Apostle Paul was at Troas, he stayed seven days, "and upon the first day of the week, when the disciples came together to break bread, Paul preached unto them..." (Acts 20:7). This passage indicates that the early disciples met primarily to "break bread" (take the Lord's supper), which Jesus instituted the same night in which he was betrayed" (Matthew 26:17-20).

In Acts 20:7, we are told that the early Christians assembled to partake of the Lord's supper. In I Corinthians 16:2 it tells us how often these Christians took up the collection. "Upon the first day of the week let everyone of you lay by him in store as God hath prospered him..." The wording is the same! The first day of the week is the day that Jesus arose from the dead and God has chosen that day for us to remember His Son's sacrifice upon the cross. Notice that no special first day of the week is mentioned. Since every week has a first day, it is obvious that the Lord meant for His followers (Disciples) to remember His death on the FIRST DAY OF EVERY WEEK!

The church of Christ at Bandina meets EACH Sunday, the first day of the week, to worship God by singing, praying, proclaiming the Word of God, giving of our means and taking the Lord's supper. "This do in remembrance of me." We must not neglect this positive command of the Lord!

Church directory

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Church of Christ
Minister: Martin Smith
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Bandina
Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina
First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
Minister: Doyle Maynord
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley
Baptist Mission
Pastor: Glenn W. Rhines
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
562-3468

Utopia
Church of Christ
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629

Baptist Church
Pastor: Homer Stephens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. and Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Vanderpool
Community Church
Pastor: George Polvado
Worship: Sunday, 8 p.m.
Sunday School: 10:30 am.
966-3420

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Pastor: Jose Luis Sandoval
Worship: Sunday, 2 p.m.

Other
Unity Church of the Hill Country
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Medina on the move

"Progress" — Webster defines the word as "a moving forward...development." The term can once more be applied to Medina as the sleepy little town by the river stirs again and stretches; one more step toward awakening. I'm referring to the soon-to-be-opened restaurant and the not quite as soon to be opened mobile home park. Yep! Another business arrives and another empty building comes back to life.

James and Cherry Jones are the latest additions to the Medina business community and also new residents. Cherry, the daughter of Patty Keese, and James hails from New Mexico. James, who is an experienced building contractor is now remodeling the old Medina Drug Store (cafe) and Cherry hopes he will have it ready for her to open by March 1. Mrs. Jones will call her establishment "Trail's End" and she plans to feature a varied menu.

The choices will range from hamburgers to "good ol' down home cooking" to Mexican food and on to more exotic dishes that Joneses have picked up in their worldly travels. (They spent the last eight years in Saudi Arabia.)

According to James, the decor will be "wood and rail rustic" with many antiques being featured inside. Dominating at least part of the interior will be a 4x7 ft. mirror that originally reflected the goings-on of a now forgotten saloon. In the near future the giant looking glass will show off the antique soda fountain that the Joneses plan to retain and use. (How long has it been since you've had a real Cherry-Coke?)

Outside, plans include a fenced off dining area under the trees, remodeled exterior and easy access, including a gentle ramp for those who need such.

Down the street to the east, the Joneses are also involved in another project. Even though an opening date is not set, progress is still being made on El Pisano (the roadrunner) Mobile Home Park. According to James Jones, who will manage the park, the facility will be similar to The Wilderness in Kerrville.

Located on Hwy. 16 across from Collins of Texas. The project will contain 66 spaces, a swimming pool (under construction), tennis court, club house and a picnic area/park along the river front.

A central utility system will be featured with water, gas, sewer, electric service and either cable or satellite T.V., supplied through meters to each space.

Jones stressed, when asked about the sewage system, that the central, chemical type treatment plant is state approved and that he already has his permit from the governing body.

The owner further stated that the effluent from the plant will not be disposed of directly into the river but will be recycled as irrigation water for the park area.

Jones also indicated that while individual space maintenance was the leasee's responsibility, several restrictions were planned to insure that the appearance of the development remained first rate and attractive.

In addition to pool construction being started, Jones has planted many trees and staked out the streets and spaces and will soon have a new asphalt drive and parking lot in front of the office building out front.

Look for more progress as the year goes on.

Guests

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilliam of Portamouth, Va. were the recent guests of Mrs. W.E. Moffett.

Valentine's dance

Dances Unlimited will hold their second event Feb. 11 from 8-11:30 p.m. in the Medina school cafetorium. The non-profit organization will sponsor a "50's type sock hop" complete with D.J. "Crazy Corky McHanny" spinning all the old "stax of wax" from that past era of magic.

Refreshments will be furnished and prizes given for the best 50's get-up so, you "chicks" put on your bobby sox and penny loafers and you "cats" slip into the old cardigan and white bucks, dust off the ol' 'vette and cruise on down to the hop.

Medina menu

Jan. 30-Feb. 3

Monday: Hot dog with chili, French fries, blackeye peas, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, fruit, rolls and milk.

Wednesday: Tacos, salad, corn, fruit and milk.

Thursday: Fish, scalloped potatoes, pork and beans, fruit, rolls and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Oat insurance now available

Federal crop insurance is now available in Bandera County on oats seeded for harvest as grain or seeded in the same manner with intentions to graze-off or cut for hay.

Applications for insurance coverage must be on file with a crop insurance agent by Feb. 15, said Tom Jean, district director.

Farmers tax guides

The 1964 Farmer's Tax Guide is now available at a number of locations in Bandera County, including Post Offices, the county judge's office and the county agents office.

This year's guide includes such topics as record keeping, filing requirements, accounting periods, soil and water conservation and land clearing expenditures, investment credit, casualty and theft losses, self employment taxes and other topics that are of interest in a farm and ranch operation, says Scott Durham, extension agent.

4.0 grade average

Coral Bates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bue Bates, achieved a 4.0 grade point average during the past semester, making her a candidate for the Presidents' Scholars list at East Texas State University in Commerce.

Coral is now a Junior majoring in accounting with a minor in computer science.

Tarpley

Nettie Dean — 852-5565

Weather

After temperatures of 16 degrees on Thursday morning and freezing weather for several days, the light showers that were falling Sunday morning were welcome, along with warmer temperatures.

Ray visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Othell Ray of Cedar Creek, Mo. were visitors of his brother Leon and wife Lillian Ray for several days recently. Other visitors on Thursday were her sister and husband Bonnie and Mac West of Utopia.

Belated anniversary

Jan. 7 Mr. and Mrs. A.B. (Bobby and Skeet) Singleton of Rio Hondo Subdivision had their 41st wedding anniversary. Bobby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rigdon Terrell, and his sister Dorothy and husband Bill Maness of San Antonio entertained them with a seafood dinner. Congratulations to this nice couple.

Jerri and Stan Pitts of Bryan spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Singleton.

In memoriam

Deepest sympathy is extended to the families of Margaret Callahan Schulze and her husband Arthur Schulze. Margaret grew to be a lovely young lady and lived at Pipe Creek once.

She was a schoolmate of many of us. She and her husband Arthur Schulze died within three days of each other from heart attacks at their home. A joint service was held Friday at Junction. They were buried in the Junction Cemetery.

Church day

Sunday was a special "Men's Day" at the Tarpley Baptist Mission. In the all-male program the Rev. Glenn Rhines brought the sermon, Kennith Shinn was the program announcer, Elzie Dean was song leader, Billy Morris was the pianist, Kennith Shinn and Earl Hood took the offering and Harold Jackson gave the prayer for it.

Visitors at the mission were Philip Singleton and Harry Clark of Bandera.

Attend concert

Mr. and Mrs. W.C. (Bill) Morris attended a band concert in Kerrville Saturday night. Their son Billy attended the band clinic Friday and Saturday and played in the Symphonic Concert Saturday night. Billy was one of seven Bandera band members from the Region Contest that played.

Attend christening

Mr. and Mrs. Milton F. Hausmann attended the christening services for their grandson Sunday morning at St. Christopher's Episcopal Church. Little Rex Devin Hausmann is the son of Gene and Renee Hausmann of San Antonio.

The Milton Hausamanns went to San Antonio to attend the reception and visit awhile with their son and family.

Boerne visitors

Elzie and Nettie Dean drove to Boerne last Thursday and while there stopped by and visited a friend, Zelda M. Vawter.

Lakeshore

Mrs. Dell Lackey — 796-3944

Fire Dept. building

An exhaust fan has been installed and they are in the process of adding a large gas heater which will heat the building adequately with our present wood burning stove. The officials work hard to maintain the building and to make it more comfortable for all the members. Have you paid your dues?

Belated

Margaret Holmes was honored with a belated birthday dinner party Saturday evening at the home of John and Mary Wells. Her birthday was Jan. 13 but a flu bug put her down for a week. Attending the party were Bill Holmes, the Benleys, Clarios, the Newmans and Overholsers.

Houston weekenders

Mary and Buddy Walker were here in their Lakeshore cottage visiting with their friends.

Illness

Sorry to hear that Butch Highnote is back in V.A. hospital. We hope he will be home soon and feeling much better.

Freer

Dana and Ritch Simmons' daughter-in-law, Yolando, was their guest for a week.

This 'n' that

So many of our residents are ill with the flu and with all this extreme cold weather, nobody goes anywhere or has any company, so our Lakeshore news will be short this week.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Mrs. Luci O. White, Utopia; Mrs. Twilah W. Reeves, Pipe Creek; Paul L. Garrison, Medina; John Saul, Bandera; Ada H. Sehon, Bandera; and Susie Adams, Medina.

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For, about and by students in Bandera schools.

Writers: Cindy Riedner, Michele Speckman

Speech, drama students bring home trophy



Trophy winning speakers, from the left, Matt Kelly, Donald DeThorne, Sandy Riedner, Babba Caloss, Linda Kerr, Terry Hodges and Shannon Hicks, Stacy Wedgeworth is not pictured.

Winning isn't everything, but it sure makes the hard work worth while!

It was a tantalizing victory for the Bandera Forensics team as they departed Boerne "territory" with nine individual trophies and an over-all second place sweepstakes trophy.

Boerne sponsored the T.F.A., Invitational Meet, which took place Jan. 14.

"I was very proud of everyone," commented director Baird Neville. "It's a type of meet that's needed after days of strenuous preparation in that recognition seems to make it all pay off."

Bandera took the top three places in duet-acting. Bubba Caloss and Sandy Riedner won the event, performing Plaza Suite by Neil Simon.

Donald DeThorne and Terry Hodges placed second; and Shannon Hicks and Stacy Wedgeworth placed third.

Freshman Matt Kelly took second in humorous and Sandy Riedner placed third. Humorous is a category which requires memorizing a comical piece. According to previous records, Kelly is the first Bandera Freshman to place in the top three at a forensics meet.

"For all you juniors or seniors who think success comes with seniority, look at Matt Kelly," Neville told the group. "Matt definitely proves if you work hard enough, you can do anything!"

Riedner also placed first in dramatic, interpreting the piece "Motherhood" by Erma Bombeck.

"Sandy is the only person I know of, who in representing Bandera, has received a first place at a TFA meet," commented Neville.

After breaking two rounds of preliminaries and semi-finals, Linda Karr placed fifth in extemperaneous speaking. Linda is under the coaching of Ms. Marilyn Wiles.

The Forensics team has once again commenced to work hard in preparation for its upcoming tournament at Smithson Valley, Feb. 4-5.

—Sandy Riedner

Bulldog briefs

Senior class 'tees' off shirt sales

Every year, seniors at BHS sell class T-shirts to wear as a reminder of their final year in high school, and to make money for their senior trip.

This year the shirts are blue and white jerseys with a blue emblem bearing a large 1984 at the top. Between the columns of seniors' names is a Bulldog.

Seniors can order their shirts from Tina Doebbler and Tiffin Youngblood for $9. The sale ends on Jan. 27, though, so order yours now.

—Wendy Valdez

Students attend cowboy exhibits

By Daria Johnston

Gifted and talented students grades 8-12, and their sponsor, Mrs. Sandy Neville, attended an exhibit at the Institute of Texan Cultures called "The American Cowboy." The exhibit was sponsored by the Library of Congress, and San Antonio was one of four cities honored to host it. A pleasant surprise for the Bandera group came when they saw materials collected by Marvin Hunter, founder of the local Frontier Times Museum.

After lunch at Fuddruckers, the next stop was in Kerrville at the Cowboy Artists of America Museum. Students saw the permanent collections of art and visiting collections of bronze statues. Connie Young, art teacher at BHS, also went along on the trip and on the way to Kerrville she explained the techniques of sculpting statues. She gave some history of the artists whose art was on exhibition at the museum.

When they had finished viewing the art, the students boarded the buses for home. Mrs. Neville felt that her students had a good time. She must have been right. One student asked her after they left "The American Cowboy," "Can't we spend more time there?"

Mrs. Neville was pleased with their reactions to the art and with the overall trip. Said the sponsor, "I had a wonderful time, the kids were super, interested and had many neat comments."

Jr. high basketball

With Coach White declaring that this was the best game so far, the eighth grade boys' basketball team clinched a 48-20 victory over Bulverde Thursday.

Ronnie Bain, Johnney Rodriguez, and Jeff Speckman led the victorious team as high point scorers for the game.

The girls' teams and the seventh grade boys did not fare as well. The seventh grade girls' team lost 26-0. The eighth girls had a near miss with a 22-21 loss as did the seventh grade boys with a 31-28 loss.

—Karen Rizner

Menu

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Char-Burger with bun, H.B. salad, fries, fruit and milk.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Muffin, juice and milk. Lunch: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, roll, milk. Second choice: Liver with onions.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Biscuit with honey, juice and milk. Lunch: Taco grande, taco salad, buttered corn, fruit and milk. Second choice: Burrito.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, juice and milk. Lunch: Beef and cheese nachos, pinto beans, lettuce and tomato salad, fruit and milk.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Pizza, fried okra, macaroni salad, cookie and milk. Second choice: Batter fried fish.

Basketball wrap-up

By Christine Caloss

Bandera Varsity girls suffered two hard fought defeats in district competition against the Boerne Greyhounds and the Smithson Valley Rangers, lowering their record to 3 wins and 2 losses.

The 'Dogs came out strong the first half, leading the Smithson Rangers at the half 20-20. However, their aggressiveness was slim the second half leaving the final score at 42-54 in the Rangers favor. Caloss pulled down the most rebounds with 16, and Ryan showed ferociousness, stealing the ball from the Rangers six times. Christine Fleming was high scorer with 21 points. Other scorers were Caloss 7, Doebbler 6, Ryan and Cherry 4.

The Junior Varsity girls came out on top, defeating the Rangers 42-25. Youngblood grabbed nine rebounds and Clements stole the ball 5 times. Leading scorer was Youngblood with 12 points. Other scorers were Mangold and Rigsby 7, Clements 6, Schimandle and Adams 4, Spencer 2.

Again the Varsity girls came out on top the first half, leading the Boerne Greyhounds 18-15. The 'Dogs came out fired up the second half, however, this time the scoreboard was not in their favor leaving the final score at 30-32. Doebbler was the leading rebounder with 8, and Cherry had 3 steals. Doebbler was the leading scorer with 8 points. Other scorers were Fleming 7, Ryan 6, Caloss 5, Cherry 4.

The JV girls came across their first loss in district competition against the Boerne Greyhounds, leaving their record at 4 wins and 1 loss. Adams was leading scorer with 7 points. Other scorers were Rigsby 6, Clements, Youngblood and Schimandle 4.

'Dogs lose first district

Bandera Varsity boys lost a tough game last Friday to the Boerne Greyhounds.

This game went into overtime but Boerne came out on top 54-52. The Bulldogs started out slow by getting down 16-9 at the middle of the second quarter but came back strong to just one point shy of tying Boerne at half-time by a score of 24 to 23.

The game was a battle until the bitter end with Boerne getting the needed baskets. At the tip of the overtime Boerne went down and scored, putting the Bulldogs back by two. The Bulldogs came back and had a lead on Boerne until Boerne scored six unanswered points, and with a tie at 46 seconds in the game the Greyhounds' Bo Sommer hit a three point play which the Bulldogs could not overcome. The players that scored for the Bulldogs were Bruce Robison 20, Steve Parker 14, David Schwarz 11, Tim Butler 6, Jon Graves 1. The score at the end of regulation time was 46 to 46.

—David Schwarz

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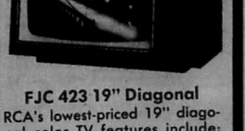

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Bulldogs lose two

Bandera's basketball Bulldogs lost twice this week — 2 x — dropping out of first place in District 26-AAA into a four-way tie for second place.

First it was Boerne that shot down the Bulldogs Friday in an overtime till, 54-52, on the Greyhounds home court.

Then Randolph's Ro-Hawks took sole possession of first place in the district by defeating the 'Dogs on Bandera's home court, 65-58.

The week's play left Randolph atop the heap in district play with a 3-1 record while four teams are knotted one game back with identical 2-2 records. They are Bandera, Boerne, Smithson Valley and Southside. Cole brings up the rear with a 1-3 slate.

Bandera matched Boerne basket-for-basket through four quarters of play, but it took some last-second heroics from Steve Parker to send the game into one extra three-minute period.

Leading 48-44, Boerne missed two chances to ice the game from the free throw line with 17 and 15 seconds left, and that set the scene for Parker's game-saving 12-footer that tied the score with two ticks left on the clock.

It was Parker upon whom the game turned in the overtime period also, this time when he fouled Bo Sommer with 1:50 left. Sommer hit the free throw to complete a three-point play and send Boerne into the lead, 51-48, and Parker, Bandera's primary offensive weapon, was sent to the bench with five fouls, leaving a gaping hole in the 'Dogs' attack.

Tim Butler tried to take up the slack, hitting two shots from outside and stopping the clock once with a timely foul, but it was too little, too late.

Bandera fell behind Randolph by as many as 15 points Friday, and despite a torrid last-half, could not make up the deficit.

Towering Bruce Robison led Bandera in scoring in both games, getting 20 at Boerne and 19 here against Randolph. Parker chipped in with 14 at Boerne and 17 in the Ro-Hawk contest.

A couple of nemeses from the gridiron wars of last falls led Boerne and Randolph. Quarterback-forward Trent Taylor scored 20 for the 'Hounds and quarterback-guard Benji Varn hit 21 for the 'Hawks.

Bandera's junior varsity lost a squeaker to Randolph, 39-38, and were overwhelmed by Boerne, 58-29.

Bobcats split four games

Medina's Bobcat boys fell victim to a fourth-quarter Ingram rally Friday, and lost a 48-44 thriller, but they bounced back at Harper Tuesday to take a 66-31 triumph.

The Bobcat girls were in a couple of close games, losing 29-26 at Harper, 37-36, and winning by four over Ingram, 34-30.

Medina's boys are now 3-1 in district play. They led during most of Friday's game with Ingram, but went ice cold in the final minutes.

Ingram outscored the 'Cats 19-8 in the final stanza and dominated the backboards as well.

Greg Chaney led Medina's scoring against Ingram with 15 points and Marshall Townsend added 11.

Townsend led the scoring at Harper with 15, but three others scored in the double figures. Richard Payne got 14, Chaney 11 and Mark Williams 10 in the 'Cats' romp over Harper.

The Bobcat girls — now 4-1 and then hung on to take their fourth district win over Ingram.

Some snazzy shooting during the final period from outside by Shiela House and high pointer Nancy Dodson kept the lady Bobcats in the lead until the final buzzer.

A trio of 'Cats scored eight points each in the losing effort at Harper. Dodson, Willett and Simon led the Medina scoring, but the lady Bobcats' effort fell one point short.

Basketball scores

Boys

Utopia 39, D'Hanis 15.
Boerne 54, Bandera 52 (OT).
Medina 65, Harper 31.
Randolph 65, Bandera 58.
Utopia 66, Harper 46.

Girls

Smithson Valley 44, Cole 29.
Bandera 44, Randolph 36.
Boerne 71, Southside 31.
Utopia 46, Harper 44 (OT)
Harper 37, Medina 36.

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—Public notices

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If you know of anyone who needs our help or services please contact one of the following Board members.

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Public notice

Notice of public hearing on Feb. 13 at 7:30 p.m. at city municipal bldg. for purpose of rate increase for Star CATV. 29-1tc

Notice

The dumps on the Rio Ranchero Road and between the Willow Springs and Timber Creek Subdivisions are closed by action of the Bandera County Commissioners Court.

Anyone caught dumping at any unauthorized dumps in the future will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law by order of Judge Tommy Curbo. 29-1tc

Public Notice

Bandera County is receiving applications for the position of Park Manager for Mansfield Park through February 15, 1984.

The positions requires:

1.) A working manager.
2.) Grounds and equipment maintenance.
3.) Activities schedule management.
4.) Building maintenance and supervision.
5.) Camping reservations management.
6.) Work to a specific job description.

Applicant must be able to deal with the general public and supervise part time labor.

Applications should be brought or mailed to the County Judge's Office. 29-3tc

.Thank yous

Thank you

The Directors of the Pipe Creek Community Center wish to express many thanks to Turner-Williams Well Service for their help in finding our water problem at the Community Center. And also a big thank you to B&M Plumbing of Pipe Creek for fixing our problem. The services of both companies were given to us free of charge and we greatly appreciate this.

Mona Morrison
Johnnie L. Newcomer
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Dear friends,

We would like to express our thanks to all of you who have been so thoughtful through cards and letters, phone calls and visits, and beautiful flowers and food.

Without such support from our community, church, and friends, we could not have borne our sorrow. Please continue to pray for us, and for those responsible that they may realize the irreparable hurt caused by drinking and driving.

The families of Kim Britt Eoff
Mr. Sam Eoff
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Britt and family
Mr. and Mrs. John Eoff and family
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Political announcement—

District attorney

E. Bruce Curry has announced his candidacy for the office of district attorney for the 216th Judicial District, subject to the May 5, Republican Party Primary.

Curry believes his courtroom experience as prosecutor, defense attorney and judge qualified him for the position and office of district attorney.

He earned a bachelor of arts degree in history from The University of Texas at Austin in 1969 and later graduated from The University of Texas School of Law with a doctor of jurisprudence degree, being licensed to practice in 1972.

After graduating from law school, Curry was appointed assistant attorney general for the state of Texas in the Enforcement Division, actively practicing in all federal district courts in the state, as well as the U.S. Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals. He also served with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in Austin as hearing officer in the hearings division and as special projects director.

In addition to practicing law in the 216th Judicial District, he has served as judge of the Municipal Court of Kerrville since 1977. In 1982 he was elected justice of the peace for Precinct No. 1 of Kerr County, which position he now holds.

Curry is currently a director of the Kerrville Rotary Club, a vice-president of the Kerrville Little League, and a past member of the Texas Trial Lawyers Association. He is a member of the Texas Municipal Courts Association and the Texas Justices of the Peace Association. Also, he has served as president of the Kerr County Bar Association and is a member of the State Bar of Texas, as well as all federal district courts and the Fifth Circuit.

He was born in Lubbock and is 35 years of age. A resident of Kerrville since 1976, Curry is actively engaged in the practice of law. He is married to Sharon Curry, who is currently a Spanish and English teacher at Ingram Tom Moore High School, having previously served as coordinator for the Kerrville adult community education program. They have two children — Rebecca and David — who attend Peterson Middle School and Starkey Elementary, respectively. The family attends the First United Methodist Church in Kerrville.

"The office of district attorney is a position which carries a great deal of responsibility and authority. It is a position which requires a capable and efficient relationship with all law enforcement agencies throughout the district. At the same time it requires the ability and willingness to deal with the public, to make rational decisions and to effectively prosecute cases.

"This responsibility encompasses all felony prosecutions within the four county area of Bandera, Gillespie, Kendall and Kerr Counties. I believe that my background and experience as both judge and practicing trial lawyer qualify me to properly handle the demanding responsibilities which this office requires. If elected I will serve the citizens of these four counties to the best of my ability, and I respectfully request your support."

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New cattle breed being developed

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grass alone.

The development of a new cattle breed is in itself a notable event, but several additional aspects of the Simbrasin project are unique.

The Simbrasin is a triple-cross hybrid, while most recognized breeds represent at most two distinct bloodlines. More significantly, the breeders chose the three bloodlines based on experiences raising cattle in this area. Those experiences include the difficulty of obtaining marketable weight gains on the local grasses, without resorting to increasingly expensive supplemental feeding.

In this way, the Simbrasin represents a "back to basics" approach, since a beef cow is primarily a way of turning grass into digestible protein.

If the breeders are successful, the Simbrasin should be good replacement heifers because of their maternal abilities.

Purebred and crossbred Simbrasin calves would also be good candidates for the "fat-calf" market with the growing public concern over the cholesterol, antibiotics, and hormones in the higher grades of more mature beef, especially that finished in feedlots.

The Simbrasin breeders also intend to keep their breed register as open as possible without compromising the integrity of the breed. Registration will probably be based on conformation and performance, without demanding fixed proportions of the three breeds.

"We'll breed good cattle to good cattle," said Mansfield. "We're not going to get tied up in our own papers. Later on down the line, if we need to, we'll bring in more hybrid vigor, probably with Brahmans."

This flexible approach is potentially controversial. Some breed associations often disqualify otherwise sound animals because of uncharacteristic spotting. The Simbrasin breeders may have to defend themselves against charges of going to the opposite extreme.

The breeders have some evidence to show that they are reaching their goals. They have had Simbrasin meat processed and claim that it is excellent. They have weaned calves of 665 and 745 pounds at 205 days.

Beside the beef market cycle and the established purebred competition, the Simbrasin breeders confront the usual problems of cattle breeding: a low reproductive rate, the long interval between generations, and the large number of desirable traits.

In their favor, however, are the rising costs of feed, labor, and overhead, as well as recent changes in consumer preferences.

There is a strong market for successful purebreds, currently only about three percent of U.S. cattle but always in demand for herd improvement.

Here, in what Mansfield calls "the sorriest cow country anywhere," a cow like the Simbrasin could make the difference for many trying to stay in the cattle business.

Chamber group to eye schools

Improvements in Texas Public School education and the tax revenue to pay for them will be the subject of presentations by Houston School District Superintendent Billy R. Reagan and two members of the Perot Committee on public school education at the annual meeting of the South Texas Chamber of Commerce in Laredo on Jan. 26 and 27.

Banderan Terry Joe Morrow is a director of the regional chamber.

Reagan, whose innovative approaches to problems in the huge Houston district have drawn national attention, was featured recently on a segment of the CBS television program "Sixty Minutes."

—Obituaries

Fred Larry Cosgrove

Fred Larry Cosgrove, 82, of Lytle died Jan. 17. He was born in Bandera Dec. 15, 1901.

A veteran of WW II, he is survived by a daughter, Mona Duke Wallace of Natalia; sister, Sally Parson, Bandera; grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held Jan. 20 at Bandera Cemetery, Mr. Martin Smith officiating.

Maurice Eugene Hay

Maurice Eugene Hay, 71, of Helotes died Jan. 19. He was born in Bandera July 31, 1912. He worked for the Northside Independent School District from 1956 to 1981. A veteran of WW II, he served under General Patton during the Normandy invasion.

He is survived by a sister, Virginia Burris Cuero; brothers, Ray Hay, Lockhart, and Stanley Hay, Helotes.

He was buried Jan. 21 in Bandera Cemetery. Pallbearers were Rex Sadler, George Dedeker, Johnny Hay, Alvin Thompson, Douglas Graves and Lance Schladoer.

Clarence Elsworth

Clarence Lamar Elsworth, 73, Bandera, died Jan. 22 in a San Antonio hospital. Born in Bulverde April 19, 1910, he was a construction worker. A member of Grace Lutheran Church, he was a mason and a member of the Carpenters Local 14 in San Antonio.

Survivors include his wife, Fleta, Bandera; daughter, Wanda Jean Robbins, San Antonio; sons, Ernest, Comfort, Jerry, San Antonio, and Edward, San Antonio.

Funeral services were held at Grace Lutheran Church with the Rev. J. David Doerfler officiating. He was buried at Bandera Cemetery with a Masonic Graveside Rite.

John Merl Williams

John Merl Williams, 49, Pipe Creek, died Jan. 22 at Methodist Hospital in San Antonio. He was born in San Antonio July 30, 1934. He moved to Pipe Creek around 10 years ago. He worked for Southwestern Bell Telephone for the last 30 years.

He is survived by his wife, Faye, Pipe Creek; mother, Ruth Brown, Houston; daughter, Cheryl Turner, Bandera; son, Paul Wayne Williams, Pipe Creek; brother, Larry Willams, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

Funeral services were held Jan. 24 at Grimes Funeral Chapel in Bandera with the Rev. Robert Bauer officiating. He was buried in Bandera Cemetery.

Wilburn L. Blackwell

Wilburn L. Blackwell, 74, of San Antonio died Jan. 21.

A veteran of WW II, Blackwell is survived by a daughter, Clara Blackwell Conn, San Antonio; grandchildren, Chris Conn Pearce, Dallas; Holly Conn Farmer, Bandera; great-grandson, Franklin Conn, Bandera.

Funeral services were held Tuesday in the Colonial Chapel at Porter Loring Mortuary in San Antonio. He was buried in San Jose Burial Park.

Jesse James Anderson

Jesse James Anderson, 86, died Jan. 21.

The Medina resident is survived by his wife, Gertrude, of McCoy; sons, James and Lloyd, Medina.

He was buried in Tuff Cemetery. Pallbearers were John Derry, Allie Allsup, Rabon Callaway, Tom Carpenter, Buddy Hubble and George Whitehead.

Ray Duncan

Ray Duncan, 46, died of a heart attack Monday in Uvalde.

He is survived by his mother, Gracy Duncan of Uvalde, and two sisters, Joyce Tucker of Fort Worth and Inez Westland of Beaumont.

Services were to be held Wednesday in Uvalde and burial was to be in Bandera Cemetery.

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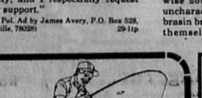

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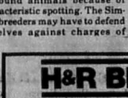

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The next time you hunt in your favorite squirrel-hunting country and see young pine trees have replaced the hardwoods, study the terrain. Generally squirrels don't live in pine forests, but the pine cones are a source of food. With the combination of hardwoods within the pines, this will make fair habitat for squirrels.

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The Bookshelf

By Jimmie Hughey
Librarian

There will be an after-school film [illegible] at 3:40 p.m. in the Bandera County Library. Two short films will be shown: Charlie Chaplin's "The Champion" and "Mole and the Car." Together, these should appeal to a wide age group and everyone is welcomed. There is, of course, no charge.

We are beginning to think about needs for the next fiscal year and would very much like to hear from you concerning services, schedules and book collections in the Library. Such things that need consideration are large print book collection; Saturday opening hours; programs which could be scheduled in the library, such as films, story hours, and etc.; and other services which could be performed by the library staff which could be held outside the library. Let us know how you feel about these things soon.

The library staff has been very active in district affairs in recent weeks. Jimmie Hughey attended the District Budget Workshop on Jan. 10. This meeting was for the purpose of setting priorities for all district libraries for the next three years.

On Jan. 19, Jimmie and Lissie Schneider, lay representative, attended the spring meeting of the Lay Advisory Council for the purpose of accepting or amending the proposed budget.

Jacque Denyer, assistant librarian, and Lissie Schneider attended the spring meeting of the Hill Country Multi County Library Association at Canyon Lake.

We still have a good supply of best sellers, although Stephen King's "Pet Sematary" (yes, that's the way it's spelled) doesn't stay long on our shelf. We have added Len Deighton's "Berlin Game" to the fiction list and Shel Silverstein's "Lafcadio, the Lion Who Shot Back" and "Where the Sidewalk Ends" to the juvenile collection. Also, Louis L'Amour has returned to the list after an absence.

Careful addressing prevents broken hearts

If you want your valentines to be delivered on target and on time, you can help the Postal Service by addressing them properly, Postmaster Short of Bandera Post Office said this week.

"A return address should be the first, address a person puts on an envelope," he said. "If there is a delivery problem, it will allow us to return the letter, card or parcel to the sender."

Both the return address and mailing address should contain complete address information. This includes all of the following elements that apply: Full name of recipient, apartment mailbox number or apartment number, rural route number and box number, street name and number or Post Office box number, and city, state and ZIP code.



The Normandy Show's at the left with professor Conrad Nightingale, was exhibitor of the Bandera County Livestock Show's reserve champion rabbits. Bunny Bandidge, at right with purchaser Terry Joe Morrow, exhibited the show's grand champion steer which was purchased by the First National Bank for $6,500.

More Livestock Show results

Here are some additional winners in the Bandera County Junior Livestock Show:

Champion Registered Angora Goat — Ray Chaffin, trophy donated by Bandera Ranch Store. Reserve Champion Registered Angora Goat — Ann Chaffin, trophy donated by Al Evans Body Shop. Champion Commercial Angora Goat — Tana Short, trophy donated by Ken's TV. Reserve Champion Commercial Angora Goat — Tana Short, trophy donated by James O. Evans Jr., Photography. Champion Registered Dairy Goat — Dawn Macon, trophy donated by John and Connie Hancock.

Reserve Champion Registered Dairy Goat —Chris Macon, trophy donated by Pearl Beer. Champion Commercial Dairy Goat — Clint Koenig, trophy donated by Macon Concrete Products. Reserve Champion Commercial Dairy Goat — Heather Koenig, trophy donated by Dave Jolin Training Stables.

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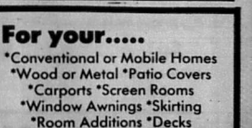

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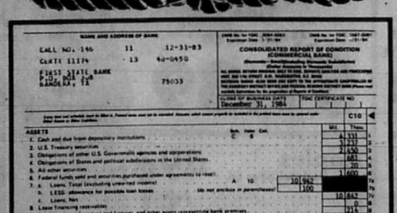

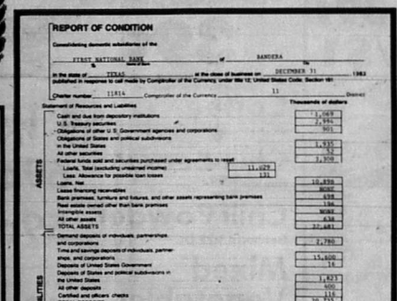

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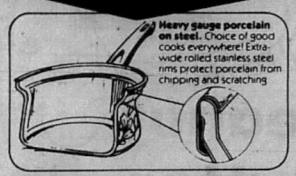

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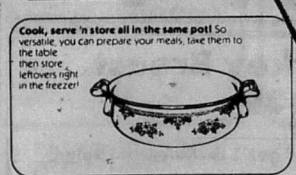

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Teacher apparent murder victim

By Rick Young
Staff writer

Marie Denise Walker, 36, Bandera Elementary School first grade teacher, was found dead early Wednesday morning, the victim of an apparent homicide.

Walker was pronounced dead at the scene by Peace Justice Bonnie Towers shortly after 8 a.m. She was found by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William I. Walker, at around 7:50 a.m. after she failed to arrive at their home to drop off her dog, as was her custom. Bandera County Sheriff's deputies investigating at the scene off Wharton's Dock Road were reticent about details of the death.

Walker was a first grade teacher here for the last eight years. She had taught second grade in the South San Antonio School District for seven years prior to moving to Bandera.

Judge Towers stated the cause of death appeared to be a blow to the back of the head. Due to some confusion regarding court orders, the Bexar County Medical Examiner's Office had not initiated autopsy procedures at press time.

The possibility of sexual assault has not been ruled out. Texas Ranger Bob Steele is assisting Bandera County Sheriff Guy Pickett in the continuing investigation.

Walker's father told officials he had driven to his daughter's isolated mobile home, where she lived alone, after becoming concerned she may be ill. When she had not brought her dog to his home, he tried to phone. Getting no answer, he went to her home, which he found locked. He went back for his wife and a spare key they kept and, on gaining access to Walker's home, he discovered the body.

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Walker was described as a "very active" member of Bandera First Baptist Church. She was not married.

It had not been decided at press time whether Bandera schools will close in observance of Walker's death. Funeral arrangements have not been announced.



Staff photo by Rick Young

Not all dogs are as friendly toward vunerable, new born lambs as Sergeant, who shows more curiosity than aggression.

Dog poisonings upset area residents

By Sherryl Leonard
and Nick Johnson

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The apparent malicious poisoning of two dogs inside their owner's fence and the disappearance of several others has touched off fears mostly in the Pipe Creek-Pebble Beach-Alamo Beach areas of Bandera County.

Schlepper, a rat terrier, and Molly Girl, "just a mut," were poisoned last week inside the fenced-in yard of Lois Case in Alamo Beach. A report of an autopsy performed at Texas A&M University said the cause of death of both dogs was strychnine contained in small pieces of chopped luncheon meat, according to Mrs. Case.

Sheriff Guy Pickett is investigating the matter, and he confirmed that strychnine killed the woman's dogs.

In an apparently unrelated incident, an aged German shepherd owned by Arkey Blue of Bandera, was found shot to death inside the city of Bandera. An autopsy revealed a .22 caliber bullet in the animal's heart. Blue declined to file a complaint in the matter.

Mrs. Case's dogs were found on separate days, one on Jan. 17 and the other on Jan. 19. According to Mrs. Case, the university told her strychnine takes only 15 to 20 minutes to kill. The dogs were found after she returned home, each time from brief errands.

She said residents in the areas centered on Pipe Creek where most of the dogs have disappeared are considering a neighborhood meeting to discuss methods of combatting the problem.

Mrs. Case said her dogs never left her two-acre fenced yard. Both died on her front, screened-in porch, she said.

She kept the dogs for companionship and protection, she said, and among the possible motives of the person or persons poisoning dogs that she mentioned was that of getting rid of protective dogs to facilitate a future burglary.

Despite clear laws requiring registration of all dogs, officials point [illegible] number of non-licensed dogs in the county.

County treasurer Elizabeth James said only 614 dogs were licensed during the fiscal year ending Sept. 30. She estimated the number of dogs to be as many as one-fourth the population of the county, which was 7,000 in 1980 and probably is as high as 10,000 today.

The law clearly prohibits unregistered dogs from running at large and unmuzzled dogs from running at night, regardless of registration. The same law also clearly authorizes the killing of dogs whether registered and tagged or not, when found attacking, about to attack or to have recently attacked domesticated animals.

Mrs. James said a total of $3,870 in county money is in a fund in which dog registration fees are placed. That money may be used only for expenses of administering the livestock act or for reimbursement of owners of domesticated animals killed by dogs.

Dr. Conrad Nightingale, the county's animal control officer, estimates that dog registration has decreased by 30 percent in Bandera County during the past year.

He speculates that the incidence of rabies in the county could increase because of the declining rate of vaccinations.

While legitimate sheep and goat ranchers are not suspected in the case of Mrs. Case's dogs, the onset of lambing and kid season has caused wary ranchers to step up protective measures in the vicinity of their animal herds.

Dog owners have been given special warnings to keep their dogs penned or tied through April, and the increased incidence of dogs running in the vicinity of domesticated animals has resurrected calls for a county animal shelter.

There is a difference of opinion among ranchers on that subject, however. Emmit Schmidt, foreman of the far-flung Flying A Ranch and president of the Community Wolf Club, is fully in support of such a [illegible] unlicensed and untagged dogs.

Gilbert Scheele, director of the statewide Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, said he was very much opposed to such an idea. "Dr. Nightingale has been after our commissioners court for several meetings to furnish a pound," Scheele pointed out. "County taxpayers should not be burdened with more taxes that would only help one person," he said.

He said the overwhelming preponderance of dogs that inflict damage upon domesticated animals and wildlife are pets with owners who knowingly allow them to roam.

"There's not enough stray dogs in the county to cause a problem," Scheele said. "They've all got a home."

Schmidt, however, thinks that most of the dogs causing damage to sheep, goats and wildlife are strays, but also thinks that a lot of loss is caused by unlicensed pets.

There are no figures available on how much damage to livestock are caused by dogs, though it is known to be heavy. Schmidt said the monetary loss in the case of lambs and kids range from $25 to $100 per animal, depending on the variety.

He said that in the last two weeks one rancher lost 25 Angora goats to dogs, for example. Most ranchers do not report losses, but every producer is affected from time-to-time in varying degrees, Schmidt said.

Scheele said part of the reason ranchers seldom report damage is their frustration at not having anything done. "If the city of Bandera, our Sheriff's Department and some individuals would file on some of these people (allowing dogs to run), I don't think it would take many trips to the justice of the peace's office to break them of the habit," he said.

He said he personally knows of 19 people that have had "dog problems" and the loss of livestock in these cases has amounted to more than $3,100.

"About 20 dogs were killed and only three had county and rabies tags on their collars," he said. "Two dog owners paid a total of $760 for damage that their dogs caused."

Both ranchers said that dogs also bother deer, but seldom kill them. Instead, the dogs just run the deer out of the area.

Bandera one of 200 towns on Krueger Karavan route

Bandera is one of 200 towns in 180 Texas counties that will be visited by the Krueger Karavan, an 18-wheeled two-week campaign blitz scheduled by Bob Krueger, Democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate.

Krueger and his Bandera wife, Kathleen, will appear on the Bandera County Courthouse lawn at 3:25 p.m., Friday, Feb. 10, said Peggy Tobin, Krueger's Bandera County campaign chairman and mother-in-law.

"Come say hello to the Hill Country's own Kathleen and Bob Krueger," said Mrs. Tobin in inviting everyone to participate in the old-fashioned political rally.

Campaign staffer Robert Mead of Krueger's Austin office explained Krueger's use of a traveling caravan as a campaign tactic. "In this day of high technology campaigning, airplanes, helicopters and television have generally replaced the old whistle-stop tours and "press the flesh" type campaigning," Mead told the Bulletin Tuesday.

"But Bob Krueger still understands the importance of small communities that don't often get to see a candidate for the U.S. Senate," Mead explained.

Republican Phil Gramm has visited Bandera, but Krueger's two Democratic opponents and Gramm's two Republican opponents have not been to Bandera County.

The Krueger Karavan will travel in a 400-horsepower, silver Peterbuilt tractor with trailer, with a caravan of automobiles following.

Mead said the Krueger Karavan will make some 200 brief stops during the two-week blitz. "We want to give all voters an idea of what Bob Krueger is about," Mead about, "and when they see our TV commercials, they'll be able to say, 'I know that fellow. I've heard him speak'," Mead said.

Bandera County '84 Elections

Monday is deadline to file for primary

Monday at 5 p.m. is the deadline for filing for a place on the primary election ballots for both major political parties, the county chairs have reminded.

Prospective candidates must file with their respective county chairs, Democrat Ray Martin Hey and Republican Louis F. Duquette.

Candidates for mayor of Bandera, two Bandera City Council seats, two Bandera Independent Schools District spots and two Medina ISD positions may begin filing for places on the April 7 ballot Monday.

The terms of 14-year Mayor Wilvie Smith and council members Tommy Kindla and Dianne Tobin expire in April as do the school board terms of Thomas (Bob) Keese and Katie Ruede of Bandera and James E. Brown, Jack J. Derry and Randy MacVaughn of Medina.

Mayor Smith and Kindla have indicated they do not intend to seek new terms while Mrs. Tobin said she definitely does plan to file for a full term on the council.

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Judge Towers stated the cause of death appeared to be a blow to the back of the head. Due to some confusion regarding court orders, the Bexar County Medical Examiner's Office had not initiated autopsy procedures at press time.

The possibility of sexual assault has not been ruled out. Texas Ranger Bob Steele is assisting Bandera County Sheriff Guy Pickett in the continuing investigation.

Walker's father told officials he had driven to his daughter's isolated mobile home, where she lived alone, after becoming concerned she may be ill. When she had not brought her dog to his home, he tried to phone. Getting no answer, he went to her home, which he found locked. He went back for his wife and a spare key they kept and, on gaining access to Walker's home, he discovered the body.

Initial evidence indicates robbery was not a motive, as Walker's purse and wallet were in the living room. Officials indicate they are curious about the fact that all the doors and windows of the mobile home were locked, as was the front gate and the doors of her car.

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Walker was described as a "very active" member of Bandera First Baptist Church. She was not married.

It had not been decided at press time whether Bandera schools will close in observance of Walker's death. Funeral arrangements have not been announced.



Staff photo by Rick Young

Not all dogs are as friendly toward vunerable, new born lambs as Sergeant, who shows more curiosity than aggression.

Dog poisonings upset area residents

By Sherryl Leonard
and Nick Johnson

There are no figures available on how much damage to livestock is caused by dogs, though it is known to be heavy.

The apparent malicious poisoning of two dogs inside their owner's fence and the disappearance of several others has touched off fears mostly in the Pipe Creek-Pebble Beach-Alamo Beach areas of Bandera County.

Schlepper, a rat terrier, and Molly Girl, "just a mut," were poisoned last week inside the fenced-in yard of Lois Case in Alamo Beach. A report of an autopsy performed at Texas A&M University said the cause of death of both dogs was strychnine contained in small pieces of chopped luncheon meat, according to Mrs. Case.

Sheriff Guy Pickett is investigating the matter, and he confirmed that strychnine killed the woman's dogs.

In an apparently unrelated incident, an aged German shepherd owned by Arkey Blue of Bandera, was found shot to death inside the city of Bandera. An autopsy revealed a .22 caliber bullet in the animal's heart. Blue declined to file a complaint in the matter.

Mrs. Case's dogs were found on separate days, one on Jan. 17 and the other on Jan. 19. According to Mrs. Case, the university told her strychnine takes only 15 to 20 minutes to kill. The dogs were found after she returned home, each time from brief errands.

She said residents in the areas centered on Pipe Creek where most of the dogs have disappeared are considering a neighborhood meeting to discuss methods of combating the problem.

Mrs. Case said her dogs never left her two-acre fenced yard. Both died on her front, screened-in porch, she said.

She kept the dogs for companionship and protection, she said, and among the possible motives of the person or persons poisoning dogs that she mentioned was that of getting rid of protective dogs to facilitate future burglary.

Despite clear laws requiring registration of all dogs, officials point out that in the county's growing number of non-licensed dogs in the county.

County treasurer Elizabeth James said only 614 dogs were licensed during the fiscal year ending Sept. 30. She estimated the number of dogs to be as many as one-fourth the population of the county, which was 7,000 in 1980 and probably is as high as 10,000 today.

The law clearly prohibits unregistered dogs from running at large and unmuzzled dogs from running at night, regardless of registration. The same law also clearly authorizes the killing of dogs whether registered and tagged or not, when found attacking, about to attack or to have recently attacked domesticated animals.

Mrs. James said a total of $3,870 in county money is in a fund in which dog registration fees are placed. That money may be used only for expenses of administering the livestock act or for reimbursement of owners of domesticated animals killed by dogs.

Dr. Conrad Nightingale, the county's animal control officer, estimates that dog registration has decreased by 30 percent in Bandera County during the past year.

He speculates that the incidence of rabies in the county could increase because of the declining rate of vaccinations.

While legitimate sheep and goat ranchers are not suspected in the case of Mrs. Case's dogs, the onset of lambing and kid season has caused wary ranchers to step up protective measures in the vicinity of their animal herds.

Dog owners have been given special warnings to keep their dogs penned or tied through April, and the increased incidence of dogs running in the vicinity of domesticated animals has resurrected calls for a county animal shelter.

There is a difference of opinion among ranchers on that subject, however. Emmit Schmidt, foreman of the 6-D Flying A Ranch and president of the Community Wolf Club, is fully [illegible] facility which could be used to keep unlicensed and untagged dogs.

Gilbert Scheele, director of the statewide Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, said he was very much opposed to such an idea. "Dr. Nightingale has been after our commissioners court for several meetings to furnish a pound," Scheele pointed out. "County taxpayers should not be burdened with more taxes that would only help one person," he said.

He said the overwhelming preponderance of dogs that inflict damage upon domesticated animals and wildlife are pets with owners who knowingly allow them to roam.

"There's not enough stray dogs in the county to cause a problem," Scheele said. "They've all got a home."

Schmidt, however, thinks that most of the dogs causing damage to sheep, goats and wildlife are strays, but also thinks that a lot of loss is caused by unlicensed pets.

There are no figures available on how much damage to livestock are caused by dogs, though it is known to be heavy. Schmidt said the monetary loss in the case of lambs and kids range from $25 to $100 per animal, depending on the variety.

He said that in the last two weeks one rancher lost 25 Angora goats to dogs, for example. Most ranchers do not report losses, but every producer is affected from time-to-time in varying degrees, Schmidt said.

Scheele said part of the reason ranchers seldom report damage is their frustration at not having anything done. "If the city of Bandera, our Sheriff's Department and some individuals would file on some of these people (allowing dogs to run), I don't think it would take many trips to the justice of the peace's office to break them of the habit," he said.

He said he personally knows of 19 people that have had "dog problems" and the loss of livestock in these cases has amounted to more than $3,100.

"About 20 dogs were killed and only three had county and rabies tags on their collars," he said. "If dog owners paid a total of $760 for damage that their dogs caused."

Both ranchers said that dogs also bother deer, but seldom kill them. Instead, the dogs just run the deer out of the area.

Bandera one of 200 towns on Krueger Karavan route

Bandera is one of 200 towns in 180 Texas counties that will be visited by the Krueger Karavan, an 18-wheeled two-week campaign blitz scheduled by Bob Krueger, Democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate.

Krueger and his Bandera wife, Kathleen, will appear on the Bandera County Courthouse lawn at 3:25 p.m., Friday, Feb. 10, said Peggy Tobin, Krueger's Bandera County campaign chairman and mother-in-law.

"Come say hello to the Hill Country's own Kathleen and Bob Krueger," said Mrs. Tobin in inviting everyone to participate in the old-fashioned political rally.

Campaign staffer Robert Mead of Krueger's Austin office explained Krueger's use of a traveling caravan as a campaign tactic. "In this day of high technology campaigning, airplanes, helicopters and television have generally replaced the old whistle-stop tours and 'press-the-flesh' type campaigning," Mead told the Bulletin Tuesday.

"But Bob Krueger still understands the importance of small communities that don't often get to see a candidate for the U.S. Senate," Mead explained.

Republican Phil Gramm has visited Bandera, but Krueger's two Democratic opponents and Gramm's two Republican opponents have not been to Bandera County.

The Krueger Karavan will travel in a 400-horsepower, silver Peterbuilt tractor with trailer, with a caravan of automobiles following.

Mead said the Krueger Karavan will make some 200 brief stops during the two-week blitz. "We want to give all voters an idea of what Bob Krueger is about," Mead about, "and when they see our TV commercials, they'll be able to say, 'I know that fellow. I've heard him speak'," Mead said.

Bandera County '84 Elections

Monday is deadline to file for primary

Monday at 5 p.m. is the deadline for filing for a place on the primary election ballots for both major political parties, the county chairs have reminded.

Prospective candidates must file with their respective county chairs, [illegible]ay Marvin Hay and Republican Louis F. Duquette.

Candidates for mayor of Bandera, two Bandera City Council seats, two Bandera Independent School District spots and two Medina ISD positions may begin filing for places on the April 7 ballot Monday.

The terms of 14-year Mayor Wilvie Smith and council members Tommy Kindla and Dianne Tobin expire in April as do the school board terms of Thomas (Bub) Kreses and Katie Ruede of Bandera and James E. Brown, Jo[illegible]berry and Sandy MacNaughton of Medina.

Mayor Smith and Kindla have indicated they do not intend to seek new terms while Mrs. Tobin said she definitely does plan to file for a full term on the council.



Gov. White on hot seat for lavish expenditures

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Governor Mark White found himself on the political hot seat last week for what has been pictured lavish expenditures of both state and political campaign funds.

The criticism in the press followed on the heels of White's, and other public officials', quarterly finance reports required by law.

White came under fire for different reasons:

—Republican Party chairman George Strake, a natural foe, said White could have pared $1 million in frills from the $3.1 million cost of his new foreign-made jet which will carry White on official state business. White recently replaced the 20-year-old twin engine plane used by previous governors.

Strake, in essence, accused White of spending too much money for "luxuries" at the same time that White is seeking a major tax increase to supplement teachers salaries.

—The press scrutinized the legality of White's diverting state money appropriated for the Texas Film Commission to build a children's playroom at the Governor's Mansion. The cost was $35,500, and the method was apparently legal.

"They were doing such a fine job at the film commission they didn't need that $43,000, and my children were having to play in the terrible weather conditions," White explained.

—The press also lumped White with several other public officials in asking to what extent they should be allowed to defray private expenses from public officeholder accounts. Expenditures listed in '83 topped $1.5 million for such items as Christmas cards, luxury hotel suites, food and liquor, etc., for a bevy of officials.

Political money

The outcome may be a move to have the Legislature limit the manner in which money from political supporters may be spent.

The potential for abuse is certainly there, according to John Hildreth, state director for Common Cause, a citizens lobby.

"The way they (public officials) finance their lifestyles is by living off people who have an interest in public matters," he said.

Other rough waters for White last week included release of a poll, taken by a national firm, showing 51 percent rate his job performance as favorable, but 34 percent unfavorable.

White's biggest problem was assessed as credibility: 55 percent said White had not kept his campaign promises. Only 29 percent said he had.

Bid-rigging?

Saying it was just the first of perhaps several cases to come, Texas Atty. Gen. Jim Mattox last week filed an anti-trust suit against a former prison construction estimator.

Mattox in the suit accuses the employee of helping to rig bids to help a firm in which he is listed as a partner.

The Attorney General contends that in some cases, fictitious companies bid against the partnership, while in other instances, the companies were real but the bids were fake.

The former employee was fired in December for violating Texas Department of Corrections rules. According to state officials, the man drew attention to himself in November by trying to buy more than $20,000 worth of construction materials without taking bids, at double the price.

Death penalties

Mattox also announced last week that, following a U.S. Supreme Court easing restraints on state use of the death penalty, two Texas inmates could be executed within the next three months.

The High Court ruling "upholds previous rulings that the way Texas handles its death cases is constitutional," he said.

Among three Texas inmates who are close to execution are a drifter convicted of killing a clerk during a Port Arthur robbery, a man convicted of killing his son by giving him poisoned candy on Halloween, and a man sentenced for killing a Killeen policeman.

Minority hiring

A recent report on four state officials who campaigned with a promise to increase minority hiring revealed:

—Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower has hired 9 percent black, 70 percent white and 19 percent Hispanic.

—Attorney General Mattox has hired 9.5 percent black, 79.4 percent white and 10.6 percent Hispanic.

—Land Commissioner Garry Mauro's staff is 13.4 percent black, 65.3 percent white, and 18.5 percent Hispanic.

Galveston gambling

A non-binding vote in Galveston two weeks ago saw pro-casino gambling forces solidly trounced 63 percent to 37 percent.

Had the move to restore gambling to the island scored high enough, State Sen. Chet Brooks promised to take a bill before the Legislature to legalize casinos there.

The issue, however, is now regarded as dead in most circles.

Letters

'Inadequate school buildings'

Dear editor,

Recently we received a questionnaire from our local school district. We returned their questionnaire, but it doesn't seem like enough. Our district seems to be like bulldogs. They have their teeth into this defeated bond issue and can't turn loose.

As I told them in their questionnaire comment section, "I feel the academic level should be considered before any building program. When we have children in our district who must be sent to private schools and other states to receive what is necessary to get into tough colleges, you, my friends, are like a confused coon dog and are barking up the wrong tree.

"Are we not in the business of education, not the construction business?

"Courses offered in our system are being taught at such a shallow level that top students (at Bandera ISD) are failing college entrance exams. My friends, let's look at our curriculum before we worry about expensive, unnecessary building. Jordache and designer buildings to match will not raise our educational level.

"Bandera schools, as I was told by a faculty member, are geared to take a cowboy off his horse, teach him to read and write, and put him back on a horse. This is antiquated thinking and so is our present system.

"If you float a bond issue to raise education standards in the classroom, you will have my vote but not until."

Now my feelings are if the district won't turn loose after being defeated, then we'll have to defeat it again. Much could be done with the present locations and buildings.

Ron and Iris Setts
Lakehills

Lake potential

Dear editor:

The north side of Medina Lake, which is mostly in Bandera County, has a great growing potential. Just down the road about 17 miles on Hwy. 471 is a new Northside High School being built. That shows how close we are to San Antonio.

On any cloudy night you can see San Antonio lights peering brightly at us above the hills!

Growth is coming and there is really not any way of stopping it and do we want to? Growth creates jobs for everyone!

I enjoy your newspaper. Hope this has given you a better view of Medina Lake and Lakehills. We'd like to read more of the positive side of our part of the county.

Mrs. W.E. Bradford
Lakehills

Flying toilet

Dear editor,

In a recent San Antonio Express news article, it was not surprising to find that Texans are again being raped by Orwellian "Big Brother" tactics.

Democratic Gov. Mark White took a lease-purchase agreement with Mitsubishi Aircraft Inc. for a $3.1 million jet complete with a custom made $4,500 toilet.

There just has to be some sort of comfort derived from the knowledge that one is so well-endowed that one must place his posterior on a $4,500 flying toilet at the taxpayers expense.

At a time when America's unemployment rate is so drastically high, our governor elected to buy from a foreign country that which can be and is manufactured and assembled by American-owned and -operated companies for less than $2 million.

Of course the American twin-engine propeller-driven aircraft would not contain a special swivel seat ($4,215), a deluxe food and drink galley ($5,135), a custom mobile radio telephone ($8,195) or the two digital clocks ($1,830).

At a time when middle class Americans are losing footage to the rich and slipping closer to indigency, it is apparent that many just don't care. Many elected officials nowadays think what's a million here or a billion there; after all it's not coming out of their pocket.

I have to practice economical measures everyday at my home when too much month is left at the end of my paycheck. Should we not expect less from all elected officials?

Gary MacMillan
Bandera

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Each letter must be brief, in good taste and must not be libelous. The editor reserves the right to edit letters for these reasons. While political endorsements and thank you notes will not be accepted as letters, we will be happy to arrange advertising space for these purposes.

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Faces of Bandera County

It isn't likely that Charla Salzman will be singled out for any special honors at the BHS Football Awards Dinner Feb. 9, but her service as a watergirl for the fighting Bulldogs this past season certainly endeared her to the team. It also earned her recognition as a Face of Bandera County.

Befriend the Medina River
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15 from county in Houston show

Fifteen entries of Future Farmers of America and 4-H members from Bandera County will be among 32,000 expected in the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Feb. 18-March 4, show officials said.

Included among those entered are six entering market lambs, seven entering beef heifers, three entering market steers, five entering broiler chickens, and four with market turkeys. Four Bandera County youths will enter the calf scramble.

Those entering lambs include Kristina and Robert Ashley and Ernest Faris, all of Medina FFA, and 4-H'ers Lorri Robbins, Cody and Tim Wells.

Wendy Frazier and Jack and Letitia Huie are entering market steers and exhibiting their beef heifers will be Robert W. Baker, Tina Macon, Chris Osburn, Richard Osgood, Cindy and Jake Frazier and Tim Fritsche, show officials said.

Entering market broilers will be Beckie, Genie and Kellie Clements, Missy Mangold and Wade Mayfield. Exhibiting market turkeys will be Tina Doebbler, Letitia Huie, Lorri Robbins and Tina Macon.

Chris R. Osburn, Robert W. Baker, Tim Fritsche, Jake Frazier, Kenneth Trenkelbach, Mary Mayfield, Kellie C. Clements, Gregory Maddox, and Ernest Faris will enter the calf scramble hoping to catch a calf they will be able to keep and raise for entry in next year's show.

Premium monies available for open and junior show exhibitors top more than half a million dollars in prize money and in premium auction prices paid in excess of market value. Volunteer committee members of the show line up auction buyers to insure that each junior market animal sold in the show's four market auctions brings a price above the current market value of the animal.

The show holds the world's record price for all champion market animals sold at auction.

Junior livestock competition includes beef heifers, dairy cattle, breeding sheep, goats, commercial steers, breeding rabbits, market lambs, poultry, swine and steers. Also for 1984, there will be carcass contests for the market lamb, swine and steer shows.

In the carcass competition, all first and second place winners in these three divisions will be slaughtered and their carcasses judged.

"The thrust of the junior market competitions is to develop the best market animal in terms of efficiency, profitability and consumer satisfaction," said Mike McCravey, Assistant Manager of the Show.

"By initiating these carcass contests and disseminating the results quickly after the show, exhibitors and livestock producers know exactly which animal types are producing the best all-round market animal by show and consumer standards." He added that the goal of market competition is to select a champion animal that is ready to go to market now and give the consumer the highest possible return for his food dollar, as well as providing the highest possible return for the livestock producer.

Medina girl on scholarship

Evelyn Melissa Huie of Medina is attending Texas A&M University through the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo's scholarship program.

Currently, the show's total scholarship program represents a commitment of more than $6 million, through its angual, four-year and endowment awards.

The Show annually awards 100, $6,000 four-year awards, divided evenly between outstanding 4-H Roundup. Evaluation of these FFA and 4-H applicants is carried out by appropriate personnel in the Texas Education Agency (FFA) and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service (4-H).

Hungarian ensemble

The San Antonio Performing Arts Association will present the colorful Hungarian State Folk Ensemble in its premiere visit to the Alamo City on Friday, Feb. 10, at 7 p.m. at Trinity University's Laurie Auditorium.

Calendar

Today, February 2

Tarpley Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Girls basketball, Smithson Valley at Bandera, 6 p.m.
St. Victor's Altar Society, 7 p.m.

Friday, February 3

Basketball: Medina at D'Hanis, 5 p.m.
Boys basketball: Bandera at Smithson Valley, 6 p.m.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Saturday, February 4

CLVFD monthly meeting, 10 a.m., firehouse.
Cowboy Capitol Trail Ride dance, 9-1.

Monday, February 6

Bandera County History Book, 2 p.m., FSBCR.
Bandera girls basketball: Bandera at Boerne, 6 p.m.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin' R.
Community Wolf Club, 7 p.m., FNBBR.
Bread making demonstration, 7-9 p.m., sponsored by Vocational Homemaking Advisory Committee of Medina.
Bandera County Softball Assoc., 7:30 p.m., FSBCR.

Tuesday, February 7

PC Extension Homemakers Club, 2 p.m., Betty Heinen's home.
Basketball: Ingram at Medina, 5 p.m.
Boys basketball: Boerne at Bandera, 6 p.m.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., American Legion Hall, LH.

Wednesday, February 8

County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Committee, 9:30 a.m., Old Courthouse.
Health Clinic, 1-4 p.m., Senior Center.
United Methodist Women, 1:30 p.m., LHUM Church.
LVFD bingo, 7 p.m.
ML Betterment Assoc., 7:30 p.m., annual meeting and covered dish dinner.
Bandera Electric Coop Board of Directors (closed to public).

Thursday, February 9

Tarpley Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Football Awards Banquet, 7 p.m., Mansfield Park's Rec Center.

Temperatures

Dates	Low	High	Rainfall
Wednesday, Jan. 25	38	68	-
Thursday, Jan. 26	32	71	-
Friday, Jan. 27	38	69	-
Saturday, Jan. 28	33	76	-
Sunday, Jan. 29	37	76	-
Monday, Jan. 30	46	85	-
Tuesday, Jan. 31	31	62	-

Rainfall so far this month: 0.00 in. Rainfall so far this year: 2.45 in.
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Softball association

The Bandera County Softball Association will hold a softball meeting Feb. 14 at 7 p.m. in the First State Bank Community Room. The purpose of this meeting is to elect new officers and to discuss old and new business for the coming softball season. "Anyone who is interested, please do try and attend," said Bobbie Mahrid, spokesman.

It's a girl

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence (Bernie) Bernhard of Bandera are pleased to announce the arrival of their daughter Keri LaNelle. Keri arrived at Methodist Hospital in San Antonio Jan. 16 weighing 8 pounds 10 ounces and measuring 21 inches.

Two arrested

Two Bandera persons were arrested in separate incidents in Kerrville last week and charged with driving while intoxicated. They are Quincy Eugene Derby, 20, and Shirley B. Koenig, 52. Both were released on personal recognizance.

Pump rebates

The Bandera Electric Cooperative will pay a $50 per ton rebate to purchasers of energy-efficient air conditioners and heat pumps, its supplier announced this week.

To qualify for this rebate, an air conditioner must have an energy efficiency ratio (EER) of 9 or better and have a cooling capacity of no more than 11½ tons. New heat pumps must have a seasonal energy efficiency ratio (SEER) of 9 or better and also be 11½ tons or smaller. This rebate offer applies to equipment purchased after Sept. 1, 1983, said the Lower Colorado River Authority.

This Air Conditioner Efficiency Program is part of a larger LCRA effort designed to reduce the demand for electricity in Central Texas.

Bandera briefs

Boy and cub scouts

Bandera County Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts will travel to the greater Houston area in February for a series of educational tours, according to leader Howard Larkar.

The group will leave Feb. 16 and will return Feb. 19. While there they will take a special scientific tour of Marineland, a complete tour of the design and development facilities of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration at the LBJ Space Center, and visit the San Jacinto Monument, Battleground and Battleship Texas.

Marine reports

Marine Lance Cpl. Lionel G. Lopez, son of Arcadio C. and Maria F. Lopez of Bandera has reported for duty at Marine Corps, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

Angelo State college honor students

Four area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo have been listed on the school's honor roll for the spring semester. On the 3.50 to 4.0 honor roll is Meredith Jolene Morrow, speech major, from Bandera.

On the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll are Rhonda Camille Fleming, psychology major, from Bandera, Karen Lisa Britt, nursing major and Michael Britt, chemistry major, both from Medina.



Texas CowBelles are planning their 1984 Texas Beef Cook-Off to be held in Lubbock April 27 and 28. Information on entering is available at the County Extension office or you may write, "Texas Beef Cook-Off, Route 1, Box 152, Colorado City, Tex. 79512. Deadline for entry is March 15. Pictured above are the president of American National CowBelles, Mrs. Marvin Berschet of Ohio, Mrs. King Terry, Alpine, past president of Texas CowBelles, and Mrs. Ed Huggins, Junction, newly elected Texas CowBelle president.

Becker elected

Phil Becker of Bandera has been elected president of the Associated General Contractors of Texas, Highway, Heavy, Utilities & Industrial Branch.

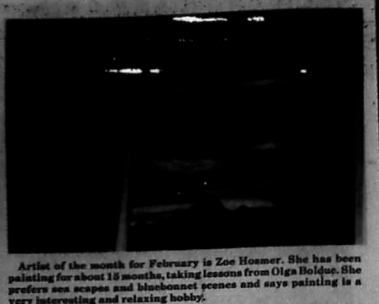
This organization is comprised of about 800 members and associates which it says perform some 90 percent of the public engineering construction work in the state. This includes highway construction, bridges, water and wastewater plants, streets, sewerage treatment plants, and sewer lines.

Becker has been active in the construction business for 31 years. For the past 17 years, he has been owner and president of Utilities Consolidated, Inc.

A member of the Longhorn Breeders Association, Becker owns and operates an active ranch. His hobbies include hunting and fishing.

He and his wife Ruth have three grown children and five grandchildren.

A past president of the Mission Water Association, Becker is a member of the Baptist Church.



Artist of the month for February is Zoe Hosmer. She has been painting for about 15 months, taking lessons from Olga Boldue. She prefers sea scapes and bluebonnet scenes and says painting is a very interesting and relaxing hobby.

Directors

Four directors will be elected during a general meeting of the Bandera County Junior Livestock Association Tuesday, Feb. 7, at 7:30 p.m. at the Bandera High School ag shop.

Association members will elect four directors to the 16-member board of directors. Directors whose four-year terms expire this year are Bill Fry, Buddy Wells, Tom Doebbler and Hubert Mazurek.

Members will also review results of the annual Junior Livestock Show which this year set records for the amount of money bid by buyers at the annual bake show and livestock auctions.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Mrs. William R. Hickman, Bandera; Ira V. Garrison, Bandera; Nancy B. Haby, Utopia; Linda B. Worley, Bandera; Margaret L. Lera, Medina.



Taylor — Abbott

Betty Ruth Taylor and Paul Abbott will wed Feb. 11 at Grace Wesleyan Church in San Antonio. Betty Ruth is daughter of Sam and Adelle Byrd of Bandera.

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Information about your changing telephone service from Doyle Bebee, Manager-Community Relations

Meeting your needs in 1984

With the splitting up of the Bell System, some aspects of your telephone service may change.

We've talked about many of these changes in previous columns. To help you better understand some of these changes, we've provided a checklist below, which can be used for a particular telecommunications service or product.

We suggest you keep this checklist with your phone book for easy reference.

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Local kids place in Jr. Livestock Show

Richie Osgood of Pebble Beach won Senior Showmanship Award with his heifer "Ernie" at the Jr. Livestock Show in Bandera earlier this month. Richie also placed second with the hay rack he constructed. Marcie McGoldrick placed second in the baking division, and Melissa Bridges took third place in the baking division. All of these children are newcomers to Pebble Beach and Bandera County. Richie, Marcie and Melissa, we're very proud of you.

Akin—Green wedding

The Zion Lutheran Church in Kerrville was the setting Jan. 14 for the marriage of, Tracie RaDean Green and Kenneth Wayne Akin. The Rev. Scholte officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lenny Grier of Kerrville. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Akin of Lakehills.

A reception was held at the Long Branch in Kerrville following the ceremony. The couple will make their home in Bandera.



Will it be another boy?

When Eddie Joe and Shirley Clark announced they are expecting another child in late July, the first question to pop into the grandparents, Ruth and Johnny Clark's, minds was "Will it be another boy?"

The proud grandparents already have seven grandsons, as pictured, John Clark, Bill Clark, J.W. Irwin, Chad Clark, Eric Irwin, Cody Clark, and Shirley and Eddie Joe's son, E.J. Clark Jr.

Shirley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Tschirhart are asking themselves the same question. The Tschirharts are the grandparents of two grandsons. A little girl could certainly liven up the Clark and Tschirhart households.

Old fashioned birthday celebration

Sunday afternoon George and Shirley McMullen of Alamo Beach got together with 20 friends and relatives and traveled to Castroville to the Country Bumpkin to celebrate George's birthday.

After a delicious meal complete with birthday cake, Tammy McMullen and George Wilson's niece, Darlene, entered into a pool game, which lasted for six hours. Darlene came out the champion.

While the youngsters enjoyed pool the adults enjoyed the celebration by reminicing over years gone by and speculating over years to come. The guests were from Alamo Beach, Lakehills, and out of state.

Beauty tips for the mature woman

The Medina Lake Chapter of AARP will sponsor a beauty workshop at 10:30 a.m. Feb. 13 at the Lakehills United Methodist Church. Barbara Engels will demonstrate and lecture on proper care of the hair and complexion of the mature woman. Everyone is invited to attend.

Annual Valentine's Day dance

The annual Valentine's Day dance, always in honor of Panchita Thomson's birthday, will be co-sponsored once again this year by the Medina Lake Betterment Assoc and Panchita Feb. 11 at 8 p.m. at the Lakehills Civic Center. Glenda and her band [illegible] Glenda always attracks a large crowd when she comes here.

MLBA annual meeting

If you haven't already marked your calendar for March 8, 7:30 p.m. at the Civic Center, for the Medina Lake Betterment Association's annual meeting and covered dish dinner, please do so now. As you can tell by the recent advances and changes made by the directors, the board is making every effort to greatly improve and open the Civic Association to everyone, all to the betterment of the community and its residents.

You ask, "What's next?" First there was the Big Band Dance, followed up by the 50's Sock Hop. What's next? Would you believe a Mardi Gras Costume Dance with a theme to dovetail with the Great Gumbo Cookoff and Cajun Festival?

Applewhite controversy is one of many

Last Monday evening my husband, Jim, and I joined over 25 local residents and property owners at Pearce Elementary School in south Bexar County. We attended because we were concerned over what effect, if any, the proposed Applewhite Reservoir would have on our beautiful Medina Lake. Others in attendance were from Medina, Bexar and Atascosa counties. They too were there out of concern over the effect the Applewhite might have on their area communities.

I will not go into the pros and cons of the proposed Applewhite. I feel editor Nick Johnson covered those much better than I could on the front page of the Bulletin Jan. 26. I did not go to the meeting as a reporter, only as a concerned citizen.

By the time the 20 plus speakers had expressed themselves on their likes and dislikes over the Applewhite I felt that Colonel Stroup of the Medina Lake Betterment Assoc and Ft. Worth District Corps of Engineers and his staff were genuinely interested in everyone and they would return to their offices and initiate the studies and data needed to answer the many questions raised by all concerned. The Colonel and his staff renewed my faith in our government, as they represented it and allowed everyone wishing to speak the opportunity to be heard.

After the meeting officially closed, the Colonel and his staff were available to talk to anyone wishing to ask more questions. In listening to the Colonel talk with a small group after the meeting, I learned his division covers several states and public hearings such as this one are being held all over our nation as concern for new sources of water is growing. As the population grows the need for water grows.

Perhaps all of us should give some serious thought to water and water conservation, and the growing need for new water sources to serve us and our future generations. I overheard the prediction that within a decade we will see elections at all levels of government, local, county, state and federal, decided on the stand political candidates take on water and water resources.

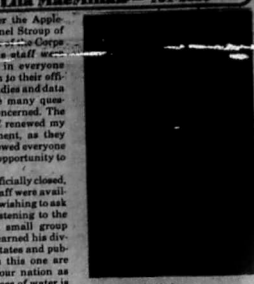
I for one feel it is time we all start educating ourselves and our children on water conservation and how not to waste this valuable natural resource which we depend on for so much.

Help — pictures needed

One of the newest projects of the MLBA is to gather up as many different pictures of various activities and the people of Lakehills for a collage of framed memories for the walls of the civic center as we can. If you have any such pictures (no matter how old or how weird), drop them off either at the Cut-A-Way Beauty Shop or Bob Caswell's law office in Lakehills. Target date for the display is the Feb. 11 Valentine's dance. Please hurry.

Mexican dinner

Don't forget the annual Mexican dinner and bake sale scheduled at noon at the American Legion Home Feb. 12. This event is sponsored by American Legion Post 410 in Lakehills.



New addition for Bandera police

Monday morning Joe MacMillan of Lakehills was sworn in as the newest member of the Bandera City Police Department. Joe was formerly a dispatcher with the Bandera County Sheriff's department.

Joe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James MacMillan of Lakehills and the second of their three sons to start a career in law enforcement.

Their oldest son, James, is a deputy with the Bandera County Sheriff's Department. The MacMillans are proud to have two sons interested in such a noble career field. At home the brothers used to be called "James and Joe," now their parents refer to them as "Starsky and Hutch."

Galway to perform

James Galway, the "Pied Piper" of music, will appear in recital with the Texas Chamber Orchestra at Trinity University's Laurie Auditorium on on Thursday, Feb. 16, under the auspices of the San Antonio Performing Arts Association.

Irish-born Galway has an enormous repertoire ranging from Bach sonatas to Irish marches and jazz and "is blessed with a seemingly inexhaustible capacity for bringing a smile to the lips or warming the heart of his audiences in whatever music he plays," says the London Times.

The Texas Chamber Orchestra, formed in 1979, is composed of 35 players specializing in 17th and 18th century Baroque and classical music.

Community wolf club

The annual [illegible] of the Community Wolf Club will be held Monday, Feb. 6, at 7:30 p.m. at the First National Bank meeting room.

[illegible] the revised policies and by laws and other business of the club, according to C.W. Rhodes, spokesman.

"It is important that everyone in our club area that is interested in the control of predators attend this meeting, especially ranchers, businessmen and hunters," said Rhodes.

"You know the coyotes will take a great toll of our game and livestock if they are not controlled."

This past year the club has verified kills and paid bounty on 43 coyotes that were taken from 17 different ranches in the club area for a total cost of $4,400. The county has paid or contributed $2,200 and the club membership has paid $2,200.

The county matches club members dues up to $700 per month. Dues are 4 cents per acre per year, Rhodes said.

There are two other wolf clubs in Bandera County and these clubs together, according to county, state and federal records in the county treasurers office, have caught 41 coyotes.

"Remember this is family night, so bring your family and friends so they may enjoy the movie film and fellowship with the other members," Rhodes said.

"Some (property owners) may never have had coyotes or possibly just a few. But the question is, how many would you have, if it had not been for this club and the other two clubs in the county," said Rhodes.

Cheese and butter

USDA surplus foods, cheese and butter, will be distributed on Tuesday, Feb. 14, from 1 to 4 p.m. (or until the supply runs out) at the First Baptist Church of Bandera, basement level. The surplus foods are available for households having met eligibility requirements for the distribution by completing the new application form for this first quarter of 1984.

The surplus foods from USDA are distributed by the Community Council of South Central Texas, Inc. Community Services Division for Bandera County. The distribution is done by Comellia G. Rue, and Dianne D. Pehl. They would like to make everyone aware that the distribution is handled on a first come first serve basis. Tentative plans are to have the surplus foods distributions on the secor d Tuesday of each month.

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Citizens

By Mary Worley

ces took me out of town for the early part of the week. I hope she will consider doing it often.

Inquiries

Many inquiries came in on Monday regarding the tour from Fredericksburg Center to the Rio Grande Valley, only to learn it was too late, all spaces had been filled. People unfamiliar with the planning and requirements necessary to firm up a tour need to know that early decisions must be made and adhered to.

More trips could be offered by our Center if there was assurance that those who eagerly sign up would actually mean it, and could be counted to go when the time arrives. Is most discouraging to do planning, say, for about 20, only to have about one earful still fulfilling their committment at going time.

With that in mind, would there be enough interest - and a pledge to carry through — to justify planning to go to the San Antonio Stock Show, say, Feb. 17? Matinees are only on weekends, and time is short to plan for the first weekend. Contact Glyn at the Center if you are interested and will really plan to go.

Memorial Fund

Many thanks to those who have made contributions to our Memorial Fund, as follows:

In memory of Bessie Powers, Glyn Taylor, Mary Worley, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. John Goodenough, Elizabeth Henley, and Elizabeth H. Henley.

For Louise Lucius, Vereella Evans; for Betty Faris, Glyn Taylor and Robert Buchanan; for Felix Newcomer, Mrs. Johnnie Newcomer; for Gatlen Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Wooten, Peggy Edwards.

For Gene Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Wooten; for Evelyn Taylor, Glyn Taylor; also Glyn Taylor for Ralph A. Pence; for Mrs. B.D. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. John Goodenough; and for Martha Willard, Tarpley Home Extension Club.

We appreciate the continued support for the can drive. We find it necessary to again take a load to the collection center, which adds a bit to our funds.

Silver Sage

After both a Building Committee meet, and a Board of Directors meet last week, it is encouraging to see the progress being made in all the required preliminary work towards the soon to happen Silver Sage Corral. Soon now, all citizens will be afforded the opportunity to share in this goal for a centrally located meeting place. Be warned, a big event is in the planning for the very near future.

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Weather

Everyone is enjoying beautiful spring like weather for the last three days. Sunshine never looked so good and with a 72 degree temperature.

Baptist speaker

The Baptist Church had a Gideon speaker Sunday morning sharing with everyone the work they are doing and giving an opportunity to give toward that work.

Stephens

Rev. and Mrs. Homer Stephens and Charles Paul enjoyed a visit from his brother and wife, Herbert and Ella Stephens from Gainsville, Tex.

It's a girl

Wyatt Marlin Ashworth and his wife Mary Jane are the proud parents of a baby girl Nicol Rae, born Jan. 29 weighing 8 lbs. 5 oz. Grandparents are Raymond and Hazel Parrish, maternal grandmother is Margo Wallis of San Antonio and maternal grandfather is Dr. Calvin F. Wallis of Corpus Christi.

Cutler

Our sympathy is extended to the family of R.C. Cutler after the death of his father. The funeral will be in Corpus Christi. It is the wish of the family that a gift be made to the building fund of the Baptist church rather than flowers.

Accident

Bill Schaefer suffered a serious accident. He sustained a badly sprained ankle, twisted muscles and damaged ligaments and will be on crutches for sometime.

Chism

Mahlon Chism attended graveside services for his sister, Pearl Chism at Memorial Oak Cemetery in Houston. She died suddenly at her home after a heart attack at the age of 86. She was born 1898 in Rocksprings, moved to Utopia in 1905 where she grew to young womanhood and married Charles H. Rose.

She is survived by three children, Bolen Rose, Ft. Worth; Charles Rose of San Antonio and Dorothy Milner of Houston.

Lions

Ada Ruth Reiber donated a nine month old filly to Lions Club at Utopia to bring in additional funds. Steve Hendershot of Gonzales offered $300 for the colt and members voted to accept his offer.

Norma Rose Duke was the lucky winner of a 1977 Cadillac. These benefit funds brought $2,746.

Flu

Many folks in the canyon are suffering from a severe case of flu. Some are Hoyt and Doris Foster down for two weeks and the Rev. Geo. Polvado has been sick. Many children are out of Utopia school.

Mitchell-Waltisperger

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Mitchell of Utopia announce the engagement of their daughter, Cindy, to Larry Waltisperger, son of Mrs. Elsie Waltisperger of San Antonio and the late August Waltisperger.

Miss Mitchell is a graduate of Utopia High School and Southwest Texas State University, and is presently teaching in Beeville. Mr. Waltisperger graduated from Holy Cross High School in San Antonio. He attended Southwest Texas Junior College and Southwest Texas State University, and is currently teaching at Clark High School in San Antonio.

A June 16 wedding at the Utopia United Methodist Church is planned.



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Services

The Rev. Wm. Moseley of the First Baptist Church of Medina used for his text Sunday, Ezekiel 16:32, "God Reveals Himself." Juanita Baker played the organ and Mrs. A.J. Flowers played the piano. Tommy Beaver was the song leader.

Those registering were Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Blackstock, Tommy Beaver, Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Moseley, Maria Tyson, Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Flowers, Juanita Baker, Sheila and Mathew Lespreance, Monique Lespreance, Elaine Clark, Clara Kelly, Eva Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lewis of Austin.

Visitors

Ernie, Vivian, Wendy Schladoer and Barbara Palmer of Boerne, J.T. and Mildred Gibson of Coahoma and Arthur Pickens of Pipe Creek visited Lee Pickens.

Dónna Moore visited her mother-in-law, Gertrude Moore.

Bertha Allen of Medina came by to visit her mother, Cynthia Mayberry.

Claire Thaman of Kerrville came over Wednesday to visit her mother, Agnes Fortinberry.

Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited friends last Wednesday evening and took Jack Holloway to church services at the Church of Christ. Sorry to report Laverne Hamrick not feeling well. Hope she feels better soon and comes for a visit.

Lorene Bialkowsky of Kerrville visited her sister, Ruth Batto.

Gertrude Werner's cousin, Allyn Woollvern of Schertz visited her Thursday afternoon. Ann Neal of Pipe Creek also was a visitor.

Louie Allsup enjoyed a nice visit from his sister-in-law, Ola Belle Allsup of Medina.

Florence Swanson visited Alice Mellia.

Tara Jain and Leanne Miller visited Mae Armstrong.

Retha Anderwald visited her grandmother, Hazel Anderwald.

Si and Louise Turner and Forest Howard were guests of Willie Leibold.

Ruth Jackson enjoyed a nice visit from David Dodge.

Marjorie Clark and Christine Matthews of San Antonio visited J.H. Lewis. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lewis of Austin.

Linnie Beth, Calvin, Marilyn, Sherlene, Victor and Vic of San Antonio visited their aunt, Donna Mayfield.

Raymond and Aggie Batto visited Annie Kollaus and Ruth Batto.

Myrtle Heinen's visitors last week were Jean Crist and s friend, Nancy Crist, Debra Crist, Reba Williams and her daughter, Becky of San Antonio.

Betty and Wes Wallace of San Angelo and Cindy Jacox of Pipe Creek visited their father and grandfather, Rudy Hardebeck.

Mr. and Mrs. King Stokes, Ople Boyle and Sandra Vannatter visited Maude Stokes.

Tootie Mayfield visited Ruby Sides.

Hulda Heyen's guests last week were her son, Ervin Heyen, her grandson Ervin Heyen Jr. and his wife Polly from San Antonio and Mary Mathews.

Birthday

Freda Oberg celebrated her birthday Monday with a pretty cake, flowers, Presidential greetings and best wishes from all the staff and residents. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Oberg visited his mother on her birthday.

Thank yous

Thanks to Mrs. Frank Harrell for the nice magazines.

Thanks to Raborn Calloway, Jack Holloway and Cynthia Mayberry enjoyed services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Thanks to the AARP group from Lakehills for the games party last Wednesday afternoon and to Nadine Hartmann and Helen Kerr for the refreshments.

Thanks to Martin Smith of the Church of Christ eight residents enjoyed Bible reading Wednesday morning.

We found a lovely arrangement of flowers at the nurse's station when we came to work. We would like to thank whoever brought them for us to enjoy.

Welcome

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Acceptable Worship—What Is It?

"God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth." John 4:24

In every age God has instructed men HOW to worship Him, and when men heeded His word, God accepted their worship. But what does it take to make worship acceptable? Our Lord's day worship should begin on Saturday night. This is our day of preparation when we make certain that the clothes we intend to wear Sunday are in proper order, and we have restudied our Bible class lesson to make sure that it is complete. Additionally, we turn off the TV early so that we may retire at a reasonable hour. This will preclude our over-sleeping on the Lord's day. Then we will be in the proper physical and mental condition to worship God acceptably.

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"...worship God" (Revelation 22:9). We must worship God. It will not be acceptable to worship men or possessions or departed saints. We must worship the true and living God!

Church directory

Bandera

Church of Christ
Minister: Martin Smith
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Bandina

Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina

First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
Minister: Dayle Maynard
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek

First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

Lakehills

Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley

Baptist Mission
Pastor: Glenn W. Rhines
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
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Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
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Pastor: Homer Stephens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. and Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Vanderpool

Community Church
Pastor: George Polvado
Worship: Sunday, 8 p.m.
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
966-3420

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Pastor: Jose Luis Sandoval
Worship: Sunday, 2 p.m.

Other

Unity Church of the Hill Country
Minister: Rev. Joan McKees
413 Louis St., Kerrville
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10:15 a.m. Guided meditation
10:30 a.m. fellowship
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...nsake supper

...The Medina senior class is sponsoring a pancake supper Feb. 10 at ...e High School Cafeteria from 5-...:30 p.m. Everyone is urged to at-...d this annual event for some ...ways good eats.

...rbor Day

The Medina Rose Garden Club ...elebrated Arbor Day a few days ...te due to the extreme cold Jan. 20.

Four representatives, LaVora Williams, Irene Hatfield, Luce Crenek and Delia Ortiz planted a crepe myrtle Tuesday afternoon in honor of the annual event. The ladies braved still inclement weather to place the tree on Hatfield property across from the telephone office on Highway 16.

A brief program had been planned but because of the rain LaVora Williams postponed her talk until the next meeting. She will refer to an article by Doug Welsh, Bexar County Extension Horticulturist in the Jan. 14 Express News, that discusses the lack of understanding most gardeners have regarding care of trees.

Jr. high basketball

The Medina Junior High Boys captured the District 59A championship Monday by defeating Harper, 39-24.

The boys had a perfect 6-0 record in district. Members of the team are Ricky House, Timmy Green, Chad Townsend, Scootie Melton, Troy House, Maurie Simon, Joel Sides, Israel Garcia, Jeff Walker and Eric Pump.

Bread making demonstration slated

The Vocational Homemaking Advisory Committee of Medina Public Schools is sponsoring a bread making demonstration Feb. 6 from 7-9 p.m. in the homemaking department of Medina High School.

The program is for beginners and will stress basic techniques. All interested persons are invited to attend. There will be no charge to the participants.

Weekend guests of the Buddy Hubble family were their children and grandchildren, Robert and Annette Hubble of Houston, Ricky, who is in Tampa, Fl., "trying out" for the Oklahoma Outlaws, Gail, Dana and Casey Evans of Bandera, Henry, Chula, Melissa, Luke, and Levi Hubble, Terry, Paxton, and Heather McDonald, Elaine and Gene Snell, Richard, Frances, and Karla Kaiser, all of Kerrville and Carol and Becky Bronstad of Jourdanton.

Robert will return in August to San Francisco 49ers.

Jackie, who could not be here, called by phone.

Medina menu

Feb. 6-10

Monday: Corn dogs, French fries, green beans, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes with gravy, slaw, fruit, rolls and milk.

Wednesday: Burrito with chili, blackeye peas, carrots, fruit, bread and milk.

Thursday: Beans and franks, corn, macaroni and cheese, fruit, bread and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Tarpley

Nettie Dean — 562-5165

Sunshine

To everyone's delight it was a week of sunshine. In our area the night temperatures were 28 to 30 degrees.

An error

It was an oversight that W.C. "Bill" Morris' name wasn't added to the list of men that had the "Men's Day program" last Sunday. Bill brought the Missionary Prayer Calendar Birthday list and a prayer for them. Sorry Bill!

Church dinner

Feb. 5 is the church dinner at the Tarpley Baptist Mission. It was rescheduled Jan. 15 due to so many being away for holidays. It's a covered dish dinner and everyone's interested.

Center Point visitor

Edith Jeffers and Ethel Mae's visitors Sunday were Loyd Jeffers and son Lance and friends of Center Point.

Ill

Sorry to report Edith Jeffers became very ill Sunday morning. We hope she improves soon. Visitors of Mrs. Jeffers and Ethel Mae Maxey Saturday were her granddaughter Alta and her husband Edward Kubecka and little son Alton Edward (Eddie) of Houston. He is Mrs. Jeffers' great-grandson and it was his first time to visit her.

Home again

Ray Hietalahti is glad to be home again since last Tuesday. He's been in Audie Murphey Hospital in San Antonio where he underwent foot surgery. He is getting around on crutches and doing well.

Services

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Monier and son John Leighton attended memorial services last Monday at Kingdom Hall in Austin for his uncle Harry Robbins. Mr. Robbins had been ill for a long time.

Birthdays celebrated

Anton and Marilyn Haner met her sister and husband Gloria and Joe Sweeney of Kerrville in Bandera Saturday for lunch and to celebrate the birthdays of Joe and Gloria the 25th and 28th.

Get well wishes

Sorry to report Leon Ray injured his foot last week and it is to be put in a cast.

San Antonio visitors

Marie and Donnie Newcomb and children Molly and son Jonathan visited her parents Elsie and Nettie Dean Saturday. The occasion was a belated dinner for Marie's birthday which was Jan. 14.

Mass

The Mass hour at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Vanderpool, has been changed for next Sunday only, Feb. 5, to 11:30 a.m. to permit the pastor, Rev. J.L. Sandoval to attend a special function in San Antonio on that day.

Mass at St. Mary's is regularly at 2 p.m. every Sunday.

The monthly meeting of St. Mary's Society will be held at the home of Frances Burk, Utopia.

Jana Camp, Catherine Caruthers candidates for Hill Country Sweetheart

Catherine Caruthers and Jana Camp will be twin queens atop the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce's float in the annual parade of the San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo Friday, Feb. 10, in San Antonio.

The two Bandera High School beauties will also be entrants in the annual competition for Hill Country Day Sweetheart who will be crowned during the annual Hill Country Day at the show, Feb. 13.

Chamber executive secretary Sue Martin has invited anyone to join in the Bandera County contingent in the annual parade.

"Anybody who wants to bring a horse, wagon, buggy, decorated cars or trucks are welcome," says Martin.

She already has commitments from enough people planning on participating to lead her to predict the Bandera County delegation will be one of the larger and more colorful in the parade.

Most of the Bandera County participants will leave Bandera in convoy at 6 a.m. on Feb. 10 in order to be in place at the designated spot at 9 a.m.

It will be the 35th annual edition of the big San Antonio parade. Trophies will be awarded, and horses and riders will be judged on costume, tack and animals between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m., parade officials say.

Hill Country Day activities get under way at 8 a.m. on Monday, Feb. 13.

A variety of Bandera County groups and individuals will participate in the Hill County Day doings, including many exhibitors in the Entertainment Center, according to Martin.

The Hill Country Day Sweetheart contest will be held in the Entertainment Center at 3 p.m. High school girls from Kerr, Kendall, Bandera, Gillespie, Comal, Blanco, Kimble, Edwards, Real, Llano, Burnet, Lampasas and Mason counties will compete.

Girls will be interviewed individually on stage and will talk with judges. There is no talent contest connected with the search for a sweetheart.

Lakeshore

Mrs. Dell Lackey — 796-8944

Dinner

The traditional Lakeshore monthly barbecue and covered dish dinner will take place at The Copper Lantern Feb. 4 late afternoon. Please bring covered dish.

Weekenders

Mark Hall and Mary Ann are in their cottage here over the week, and visiting with their friends.

Charlie Davis came up from San Antonio to work on his home here.

Illness

Dickie Andreas is in Wilford Hall for a physical check-up and some minor surgery.

Butch Highnote is in V.A. Hospital, Kerrville. He may have to have surgery on his toe and foot.

Visitors

Jackie and Dave Stocker and children, Brian and Lee Ann, from Austin are guests of John and Betty Ciarlo.

Merle and Lucille Welty, Ozona, are visiting with Monk and Lucille Searcy and their friends in Lakeshore.

Lee and Ruby Sewell, San Antonio, were Bethel and Dell Lackey's visitors Saturday. They were close neighbors when they all lived in Corpus Christi.

Entertainment

The band, "Country Do Gooders," Art Holt, Jack Bartlett, Chuck Harrison and Drew Knoll from Lakehills entertained the crows at the Copper Lantern Saturday night. A number of their friends from Lakehills came with them, also Chet Reeves, San Antonio, and Alton Rector.

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PEN in PAW

For, about and by students in Bandera schools.
Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Speckman

Seven BHS bandsmen in Region XI clinic and concert



By Michele Speckman

Jan. 20 and 21, seven BHS students took part in the Region XI clinic and concert. In order to qualify for this event you had to make the All-Region Band. Region Band is the second step in advancing to the All-State Band, which includes four separate try-out sessions.

Two bands were created from the region qualifiers. The symphonic band, which is the highest band, was under the direction of Tom Rhoads, Educational Director-Southern Music Company, San Antonio. The second band, which is the concert band was led by John Stansberry, Director of Symphonic Bands — Southwest Texas State University, San Marcos.

Bandera had four students in the symphonic band and three in the concert band. Michele Speckman, Billy Morris, Chris Reeves, and Cheri Magon were in the symphonic band. Michele and Billy both qualified for Area and received the honor of this last big step before All-State Band. Neither made it, but this is still a great accomplishment. Ted Celis, Jake Frazier, and Jason Clardy were in the concert band.

After two long days of rehearsing the bands were well-prepared for their concert Saturday evening. This was open to the public and was held in the Kerrville Municipal Auditorium at 7 p.m. Each performance ended with great applause and praise.

Both directors made pleasant remarks after experiencing a weekend with the Region XI top bandsmen. These students are indeed top bandsmen in the State of Texas to have reached their goals up to this point.

The ABC's of journalism

By Wendy Valdez

A is our annual, "The Bulldog" is its name.

B is for Becky, she's seldom the same.

C is Christine, she's never sedate.

D is Daria, David, and the deadlines we hate.

E is for everything we've got to get done.

F is for what we have the most of — fun.

G is for Glynda, she giggles a lot.

H is for headlines 'cause we write a lot.

I is the ink that we put in it all.

J is for John, he's quiet and tall.

K is Kathy, Karen, and of course, our Mrs. Keese.

L, is for leads, write better ones, please.

M is Melissa and Michele, who write ads all day.

N is our Nan'sys, Herriott and Hayes.

O is "Oh, gosh is that the story I got?"

P is Pen-in-Paw, our newspaper slot.

Q is for quiet, which is something we're not.

R is for Randy, what a smile she's got.

S is Shane, Steve, Seana and Sandy.

T is our Tonis, they're both just dandy.

U is underworked, something else we're not.

V is very busy with assignments we've got.

W is Wendy, yes, that's me.

X as in excellent, which we all try to be.

Y is for yell, which we don't often do.

Z means goodbye from our class, "The Zoo."

they are.

Tammie has attended Bandera Schools all twelve years, and she commented, "I think BHS has the best faculty ever. The teachers are the greatest."

Tammie's favorite quote is, "Live One Day At A Time," and if she does just that, she should be successful in reaching her goals.

—Melissa Ross



Brenda Jo Mayfield

"Do unto others as you would have others do unto you." That is the quote that Brenda Jo Mayfield plans to base her life on.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mayfield has been an active member of FFA and 4-H all her high school years, plus ALS and OEA and enjoyed a great three year athletic career. In this career she not only qualified for regional, but continued on to the state cross country meet. In track she ran as a freshman and received one of her four letters. Another cherished award Brenda has received is the Gold Star Award given at the District level of 4-H.

Brenda's main goal in life is to become a dental hygienist after attending college at Southwest Texas at San Marcos. The greatest influence on Brenda has been her parents; although her friends Tina Doebbler and Charles Newcomer have also played a great part.

Cricket, as she's affectionately called by her friends, wishes she had studied harder and kept her grades higher. That's the only thing she didn't get to accomplish in high school.

Brenda's final words to her friends and classmates, "I'm going to miss all your friendly faces at BHS. I want to thank all the people who have helped me to achieve my goals."

—Becky Blakemore

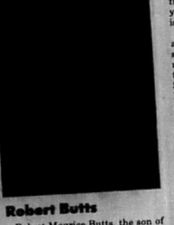


Tammie Ellis

Tammie Lynne Ellis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Ellis, is one of the friendly people seen around BHS each day. Tammie has many plans for after graduation.

Tammie's main goal is to attend UTSA for four years, and then go to work as a professional photographer for a popular magazine. She hopes someday to possibly own a magazine.

Tammie feels that the people who have played the most important role in her life are her parents. She believes that they back her in the career of her choice, and says she hopes to become as good a person as



Robert Butts

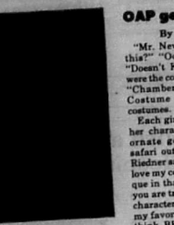
Robert Maurice Butts, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Butts, is one of the very friendly people seen on the BHS campus each day. Robert has established many plans for his future.

Robert's main goal in life is to be one of the best business men in Bandera. He plans to go on to college after graduation, and study gunsmithing for one year and then come back to Bandera and start his own business.

Robert feels that the Lord has most influenced his life. His favorite quote is "Make sure your mind is in gear before putting your mouth in action."

Robert attended FFA for four years and received the acclaimed Courtesy Award of the Junior Livestock Show his sophomore and junior year.

Seana D'Spain



David A. Schwarz III

David A. Schwarz III, a senior at BHS, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Schwarz II.

David's primary goal after he leaves BHS is to play college football or baseball and pursue a degree in veterinary medicine.

David feels that his friends and the coaches at BHS have been the greatest influence on his life up to this point. He also feels he has accomplished almost everything he has wanted to at BHS. Being involved in school on an extracurricular basis has obviously been important to David as proven by his being a member of ALS his junior and senior years, a member of FFA his freshman, sophomore and junior years, and also a member of journalism his senior year.

He has also been very active in athletics throughout his high school years. He is a 2 year letterman in football; receiving All-District Tight-End and All-District Strong Safety. He also is a 2 year letterman in track, basketball and tennis. He is a 4 year letterman in baseball. As a sophomore he received Honorable Mention Outfield, and as a junior he received first team All-District Outfielder.

If David could base his life on a quote, it would be "Live for the moment, not the past, nor the future."

Glynda Madden

Bulldog briefs

OAP gets costumes

By Wendy Valdez

"Mr. Neville, do I have to wear this?" "Ooh, I love that dress!" "Doesn't Kim look great?" These were the comments when the cast of "Chamber Music" went to Jill's Costume Shop to be fitted for costumes.

Each girl's costume was fitted to her character from Mrs. Mozart's ornate gown to Osa Johnson's safari outfit. Cast member Sandy Riedner said about the costumes, "I love my costume! Costumes are unique in that when you put them on, you are truly transformed into that character. Costuming is definitely my favorite part of performances! I think BHS students will be pleasantly surprised with "Chamber Music!"

After the fittings, the cast members had a Chinese lunch at Panda Inn. Then, tired but happy, the cast members made their way home.

Next stop is District One-act Play competition here March 17.

Speech class hits the air

Lights! Camera! Action! These words will become all too familiar in the coming weeks for the BHS speech class.

Ms. Wiles' first period speech class will be staging and videotaping their own newscast during the fourth six weeks. The newscast will include two anchor-persons, a sportscaster, a weather person, and commercial help. The production crew will consist of a director, technical director, and a camera person. There will be news clips, live action shots, as well as in-studio taping. Commercials will also be included during the course of the program. The reports will be centered around events that take place at BHS.

The news cast will be name the L-O-S-E News Team and the students hope it will be a big success.

This endeavor is the brainchild of Ms. Marilyn Wiles who has this to say about the upcoming project, "The primary reason for doing this activity is to familiarize students with career opportunities in the area of speech."

When the taping is finished it will be sent to the library for viewing by anyone who wishes to watch it.

So watch out, because soon the L-O-S-E News Team will be "comin' at 'cha!"

—Karen Rizner

Bulldogs up record

Varsity and Junior Varsity girls ended their seventh game in district play triumphantly against the Cole Cougars leaving their district record at five wins and two losses.

Throughout the entire game the varsity girls played close, with a halftime score of 24-24 and a final score of 48-46. With 12 seconds left in the game the score was tied at 46-46. Ryan was sent to the free throw line and made both free throws giving Bandera a two point lead at the end of the game. Fleming was the leading scorer with 18 points. Caloss grabbed 14 rebounds and Doebbler hustled down the floor stealing the ball 5 times. Sco...rs were Clements 12, Ryan and Doebbler 7, and Caloss 4.

The Junior Varsity played a tight game the first half, only leading by 1 point. However, the Bulldogs came out strong the second half, winning the game 50-40. Beckie Clemente played an extraordinary game scoring 15 points, pulling down 16 rebounds and stealing the ball 7 times. Othe...r scorers were P. Youngblood 13, Spencer 12, Molina 4, and Schimandle, Mangold and Mormando 2.

—Christine Caloss

For your Valentine

Student Council will begin selling carnations Feb. 6 through 9. For $1.50 a carnation will be delivered on Valentine's Day.

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Political announcement

Bob Ashley to seek re-election



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If re-elected I pledge to continue to serve the people fair and impartial, seeking to run the office in an efficient and businesslike manner.

I earnestly solicit the vote and support of all citizens of Bandera County.

(Pd. pol. adv. by Bob Ashley, Rt. 2, Box A-36, Medina, Tx.) 30-1tp

Needlework exhibit through Feb. 18

The Hill Country Arts Foundation Gallery in Ingram is presenting "Needleworks," an exhibit of very special handcrafted needle artistry, in a show which will continue through Feb. 18.

Antique needlework as well as new pieces will be featured in the display which contains portions of several private collections including the Victorian era needlework collection of Audie Hamilton and Melissa Nong, and the multinational collection of Elena Brineman.

Among the featured creations are an antique embroidered tablecloth from Great Britain upon which are embla zoned a rose representing England, a shamrock representing Ireland, a thistle symbolizing Scotland, and a leek for Wales; a crocheted doily made from cactus fiber; embroidered saddlebags from Iran; an antique (c.a. 1871) embroidered mural from Mexico; an antique baby cap; and a Devon crocheted lace collar with an inset of whitework embroidery.

The Hill Country Arts Foundation's Point Theatre has added its collection of antique clothing from the costume shop, many too fragile to be used as costumes.

Improving education

South Texas Chamber of Commerce members heard suggestions for improving public school education in the state and a warning that developments [illegible] of the border will impact the region's economy at their 57th annual meeting in Laredo.

Delegates also reelected R. Wade Lorenz of Brazosport as president of the chamber.

The meeting got under way Thursday afternoon and closed with a luncheon Jan. 27.

No one from Bandera County was reported to have attended the meeting.

Richard C. Brown, Director of the U.S. State Department's Grenada Task Force, told the group that the major impact on the South Texas economy from Central America and the Caribbean would be the generation of refugees. He pointed out that the first impact has been on Mexico which, in turn, impacts Texas.

Earlier, Dr. Khosrow Fatemi of Laredo State University told the delegates that the Mexican economy had fallen victim to a combination of a high dependency on imports, over-extended debt and a declining market for oil.

Dr. Billy R. Reagan, superintendent of the Houston Independent School District, outlined a number of proposals for improving the quality of education in the state's public schools.

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WED. FEB. 15 Dave Kemp and Family Tradition
FRI. FEB. 17 Last Road to Texas
SAT. FEB. 18 Gold Rush Mountain Band
WED. FEB. 22 Little Bit of Texas
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Classical trio to play in Kerrville

The Arden Trio, described by the New Jersey Star-Ledger as "a splendid ensemble, technically brilliant, with an impressive command of style," comes to Kerrville's Municipal Auditorium at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 12, as the third event of the Kerrville Winter Music Festival.

Advance discount tickets are on sale at $5 for adults, $2.50 for children under 12, at Brehmer's Jewelers and Commercial Office Supply in Kerrville, and by mail order from the Kerrville Performing Arts Society, P.O. Box 1884, Kerrville, Tex. 78028. Tickets at the door will be $6 and $3 respectively.

Also on sale now are the reserved seat tickets for the full production of "Madame Butterfly" set for Feb. 26.

The New York Times described the trio by writing, "There is a winning freshness about what they do and, so far, not a hint of routine in their performances."

Since their highly acclaimed Carnegie Hall debut in 1981, the Arden Trio is quickly becoming known as America's finest young chamber ensemble.

Winner of the 1981 Concert Artists Guild Award and finalist in the 1982 Naumburg Competition, the Arden Trio is also a recipient of the Chamber Music America Commissioning Program and the National Endowment for the Arts.

They have played forty cities including their 1983 appearance at Lincoln Center and their current tour, which began on Jan. 11 in New York, takes them to Texas, Louisiana, Arizona, Arkansas, Georgia, Florida, Utah and Oregon. They return to Texas on March 13 to perform for the Van Cliburn Foundation in Ft. Worth.

Members of the trio are Suzanne Ornstein, violin; Clay Ruede, cello; and Thomas Schmidt, piano. They will play music of Haydn, Mendelssohn and Ravel.

Pipe Creek
Nancy Ibach 535-4517

Mt. Zion Christian Mission

Weekend before last, they had a men's retreat; they camped out, cooked out, went three wheeling, and had Bible study. There was a good turn out and it is reported they all enjoyed it (even their own cooking).

Jan. 22 about 18 of the youth went to Skate Land West for a skating party.

Coming up in March the women will get their turn and have an overnight retreat.

The Christian Men's Rendezvous that I told you about earlier is just around the corner. It is going to be Feb. 10 and 11. Friday from 7:30 p.m. till Saturday at 1. There is going to be wild game dinner, muzzle loading, turkey shoots and rustic outfits for all who go. This is strictly for all men and young men who would like to attend. There is no cost, just donations, and all you have to bring is bedding for the bunks that are there. It should be lots of fun with fellowship, inspiration and spiritual growth.

Community Wolf Club

Feb. 6 at 7:30 p.m. will be the get acquainted meeting for all who are interested. The club will meet at the First National Bank Board Room in Bandera, and again there will be a film on wildlife and refreshments.

Castle Lake

The Castle Lake Volunteer Fire Dept. will have its regular monthly business meeting Feb. 4 at the firehouse.

Cub Scouts

Cub Scouts Den. No. 3 in PC will have its regular meeting Friday after school.

Extension Homemakers

The PC Extension Homemakers Club will have their meeting Feb. 7 at Betty Heinen's home. This month's program will be on "Furnishings — combining the new with the old." The meeting will begin at 1 p.m. and all are welcome to attend. You do not have to be a member to go by and visit and enjoy the program.

Grass fire

Six to eight acres of grass burned Saturday at the River Oaks Ranch. The PCVFD was called and controlled the fire and kept it from getting any worse said Phil Martin, fire chief of the PCVFD.

River Oaks Ranch is located off Hwy. 16 right across from Lewis Bros. Store. It seems a fellow was burning brush when it got out of control. A spokeman from the ranch said because our fire trucks responded so quickly the fire was kept under control and put out quickly.

Completes boot

Navy Seaman Henry T. Hunt, son of Judith A. Lemons of Pipe Creek has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

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Roots of Cowboy Capital found deep in Bandera's pass

By Peggy Tobin

With this year's Bandera cowboys cinching up their saddles for the big ride down to the San Antonio stock show, it's a good time to take up a frequently asked question.

"Why is Bandera called the Cowboy Capital of the World anyway? I thought they had sheep and goats around here."

Well, they did, but Bandera has some pretty strong associations with the cattle business and working cowboys too, even though those are names of champion rodeo ropers and riders inscribed on the handsome monument recently put on the front lawn of the court house.

The fact that so many nationally acclaimed rodeo stars have come from Bandera is usually given as the only explanation for the "Cowboy Capital" motto. It is likely that the motto was first proposed by early promoters of the old "Stompede" celebration back at the turn of the fifties. Those were the years when the rodeo stars were in their glory. Possibly the Stompede people were unaware of the even deeper significance of their phrase, "Cowboy Capital."

For a golden while — from the end of the War Between the States until the advent of barbed wire and railroads, Bandera truly was a cowboy capital. It was all because of the topography.

Bandera Pass first appeared in history as a way through the hills for raiding Indians and the Spanish forces opposing them. Many expeditions were launched during the 18th century to try to pacify the wilderness rancherias from which Apaches and Comanches rode down to harass and plunder Spanish settlements.

One route from Bejar to the north headed to present Bulverde and then struck up the Guadalupe to the vast wild plateaus. The other followed the Medina River and cut up Bandera Creek to Bandera Pass. Later companies of Texas Rangers and the U.S. Army continued to use the route through the pass. On one early plat in the Bandera County Court House, the trail through the pass is identified as "The Road to Fort Terrett."

With the establishment by the U.S. cavalry in the 1850s of Camp Verde up the creek near the pass, basic security against Indian danger was finally assured in the area. It followed naturally that the well-known trail would become a major road to the north and west.

There had always been cattle in Bandera County in the small numbers necessary for the support of the early families of shinglemakers and subsistence farmers. Abram Moncur of the Mormon Camp downriver registered the first entry in the brand book of newly-organized Bandera County in 1856. Six others followed, encouraged by the newfound safety of the countryside.

Captain Charles Jack laid out possibly the first real "ranch" on land now part of the J.W. Short Ranch toward Hondo. Other newcomers going into the livestock business were pioneers like Charles Montague and August Pingenot.

But just as the ranch economy was beginning to become stabilized, the outbreak of the Civil War dashed many personal hopes. Taken over by a casual Confederate contingent, Camp Verde was virtually abandoned. The threat of renewed Indian raids was added to that of rustlers from both sides of the Rio Grande.

Some cattle hit the trail through Bandera Pass in those days, driven by thieves. However they were frequently intercepted there by vigilante groups who waited in ambush to mete out justice.

With the end of the war, order and normalcy gradually returned, and markets for Texas cattle opened far to the north at the Kansas railheads. South Texas entrepreneurs and ranchers saw their opportunity.

One of the first of these was John Vance of Castroville, who sent a herd up the trail in the spring of 1873, with Bladen Mitchell as trail boss. Mitchell had built a set of herding pens at his ranch at Ten Mile Crossing on the Medina, now under the lake. Louis Schorp of Rio Medina drove the cattle to the Mitchell place and then proceeded up Elm Creek to take part in a roundup of cattle belonging to the firm of Perryman and Lytle. Schorp and four cowboys then pushed the Vance cattle up the river to Bandera where the herd was road branded and inspected by "a man named Pue."

Herding pens on the Medina River became more and more crowded with cattle being gathered from all over South Texas. The partnership which Louis Schorp formed with his brothers-in-law, John and Joseph Spettel, to handle these cattle became one of several thriving enterprises.

The trail up the Medina and through Bandera Pass was well-watered and shady, providing pleasant camping sites along a first leg of the long dry trail to the market. Bandera became a boom town. Local merchants made money as trail outfitters and contractors. Restless young men signed on as cowboys, learning the skills their grandchildren utilized a hundred years later on the rodeo circuit and in entertaining dudes.

One of these was a rookie schoolteacher, Arthur Burball. "After school was closed I went to the Pingenot Ranch down on Bear Creek and became a cowboy," he later told J. Marvin Hunter. "In the spring of 1871, Bladen Mitchell, Buck Hamilton, D.M. Oliphant and John Clark gathered up about 700 head of cattle to drive north. I went with them to Newton, Kan. There were 10 men of us with the herd. Tom Stevens was one of the 10. We sure had a tough trip."

Joseph Minear told this story to Mr. Hunter:

"In 1873, I helped drive a herd of cattle from Bandera to Wichita, Kan., for Schmidtke and Hay. (Contract drovers Charles Schmidtke and George Hay ran a mercantile business in the stone building now occupied by agricultural offices). In the fall of the same year, I went with cattle to Creston, Union County, Ia., and to show how easy it is to drive cattle at times will state that while camped at Wichita, the boss took several hands to Cow Creek, cutting out some cattle to ship and leaving me alone with 400 head ... to drive 12 miles west of there. I got the herd strung out and by riding up and down the line got on very well. When I reached a spot where the grass had been burned, they needed driving.

"Finally Henry Frick overtook me and we made it all right. He said the boss got drunk and forgot to send me help, so he volunteered to come. While on our way back to Texas ... Frank Jureczki and I, while driving loose horses, saw two men running a buffalo cow, and I roped her for them. They hauled her home in a wagon and said they were going to raise buffalo."

Years before, August Klappenbach, a German immigrant who had been operating the trading post at Camp Verde, had opened the first store in the new town of Bandera to serve the stream of travellers on the pass road. Later, in 1878, A. Huffmeyer, passing through Bandera with a large herd of longhorns heading for Ogallala, Neb., visited his brother, another Bandera storekeeper. He received such a glowing account of the mercantile business that he bought a half interest in his brother's store when he came back from the trail. He found money plentiful, he said in his memoirs, on account of the immense herds passing through the town.

Old accounts are replete with other stories of Bandera cattle drives, including one in 1869 by John and Henry Taylor. These daring strangers, upon their initial arrival in the Sabinal Canyon, assembled a herd of 900 cattle and, with the help of 15 locally-recruited cowboys, set off for range they had leased at San Bernardino, Calif. They made the difficult desert trek in about a year, wintering in Arizona. After a short time on the coast, they decided Sabinal Canyon was the best place to be after all. They sold their cattle and rode horseback back to Texas to stay.

During all this period of the great drives, homefolks were continuing to do well in the livestock business. In 1880, Andrew Mansfield brought in the first blooded cattle, six registered Durhams from Pennsylvania. However, the two carloads of Merino sheep which Mansfield and his associates, J.B. Davenport and James McElroy, bought on the same trip to the East symbolized the conflict growing all over the American West as well as in the Bandera country.

Sheep raisers and farmers welcomed the new barbed-wire fences being put up in the county, while cattlemen and drovers fought the closing of the open range.

Echoing national sentiment, the editor of the Bandera Enterprise, writing in 1883, said, "It appears to us that it is high time some effective steps were being taken to settle the troubles between the pasture men and their enemies. Considerable blood has already been shed, and dangerous sentiments are rapidly assuming such proportions as to become a rational source of alarm."

Every Texan knows that the fences won the war. Years went by, railroads and highways criss-crossed Texas, big ranches became smaller, the grass shorter, the brush thicker. Bandera cowboys, except for those wrangling dudes or entering rodeos, had to suffer hearing themselves called "goat ropers."

But they still knew in their genes, if not in their store-bought jeans, that they were living in the Cowboy Capital of the World.

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Trailriders to dance

A dance featuring the Mike Lord band will kick off annual Cowboy Capitol (sic) trailride to San Antonio this year, according to trail boss Frank Anderwald.

The dance will be at the Cabaret in Bandera Saturday from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. The cover charge of $4 will be reduced by one-half for trail riders, and Anderwald himself will welcome everyone to the dance and the trailride queen, Lisa Dieterle, is also expected to attend.

Anderwald has issued a special appeal to everyone who has ever ridden the trail with him and to all who are "cowboys at heart" to join him Saturday at the Cabaret.

Trail riders will be up early Tuesday to embark on the 60-mile odyssey that begins at the Longhorn at the west end of Bandera at 8 a.m. and ends Friday with participation in the annual San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo parade.



Modern-day cowboys Frank and Lynn Cadena pause on the banks of the Medina River at Bandera City Park. Many a real cowboy probably camped at that very site when drovers brought herds of cattle through the area.

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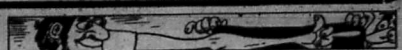

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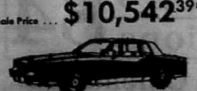

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With your love and support, it has made it easier through this trying time.
We would like to give a special thanks to Reverend Bauer and the church for their consolation and to Don and Gloria Cummings for responding so fast in a time of need.
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We want to thank our church and all our friends for serving the meal for our family and friends. We thank Pastor David Doerfler for being with us at the hospital, the prayers, the comforting words meant so much.
We also thank the masonic lodge, and the pallbearers.
The families of
Clarence Elsworth

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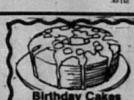

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With five lanes, only three of which are in operation now, the bank is prepared for even more growth, which bank president Sully Woodland is sure is coming. "We expect growth here in Bandera," said Woodland. "We wouldn't have constructed five lanes without anticipating using them."

The new facilities were constructed by Murry and Hugh LeStourgeon, contractors.

"I have appreciated the cooperation of customers during construction," said Woodland. "I think the wait was well worth it."

There will be little waiting at the bank from now on.

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Lower costs with rice

Rice can be your key to lower food costs. At 4-5 cents per serving, it is one of the greatest food bargains around today. Also a versatile food, rice can successfully be incorporated into every aspect of a meal, from salad to dessert.

Several forms of rice are available to the consumer. Regular milled rice is cleaned and graded in the milling process, with nutrients re-added that are lost during processing. Parboiled rice is processed by a special steam-pressure method that forces the nutrients into the core of the grain. Parboiled rice retains more nutrients than regular milled white rice, but takes a few minutes longer to cook.

Pre-cooked, or instant rice, has been cooked and dehydrated after milling, reducing the preparation time for the cook. Another form of rice, brown rice, is fast becoming a favorite with rice lovers. Brown rice gets its rich color from the presence of 7 bran layers, excellent sources of vitamins and minerals, especially B-complex. Preparation time for brown rice is about 50 minutes, but the end product has a tasty nut-like flavor with a chewy texture.

Always available in abundance, the rice you buy at your local grocery store will most likely be Texas rice. For insurance that you are actually buying a Texas agricultural product, check for a Texas address on the package. Twenty-one counties along the Gulf Coast harvested over 200 billion pounds of premium quality, long grain rice last fall. Rice is Texas' third largest acreage crop, last year bringing in an estimated $200 million the State economy.

Properly stored, uncooked rice will keep almost indefinitely with no loss of quality, flavor or nutrients. If covered and refrigerated, leftover cooked rice will retain flavor and nutrients for one week. For reheating cooked rice, add two tablespoons liquid for each cup of rice. Cover and heat 4-5 minutes on top of the range, or for 1-1/2 minutes on high in the microwave oven.

To lower your food bill, try "Pork Chops with Cumin Rice" as an entree or "Brown Rice Royal" as a savory accompaniment to beef. For more information about Texas rice, write to The Texas Department of Agriculture, Jim Hightower, Commissioner, 2800 N.E. Loop 410, #301, San Antonio, Texas 78218.



Pork chops with cumin rice

2-3 lean pork chops, about 1/2 in. thick
salt and ground pepper
1 T. vegetable oil
2 T. chopped onion
2 T. chopped green bell pepper
1/2 C. cooked rice
1 C. boiling chicken broth
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. cumin seed

Season chops with salt and pepper. Brown on each side in oil. Remove from pan and drain off excess fat. Add remaining ingredients to pan, stirring to loosen brown particles. Place chops over rice mixture. Cover and bake at 350 degrees F. for 30 minutes or until meat and rice are tender and liquid is absorbed. Fluff rice lightly with a fork. Serves 2. (Ingredients may be doubled for 4 servings.)

Brown rice royal

2 C. sliced fresh mushrooms
1/2 C. finely chopped green onions with tops
2 T. vegetable oil
2 C. brown rice, cooked in beef broth
salt to taste

Saute mushrooms with onions in oil until tender. Add rice and salt; heat thoroughly and fluff lightly with a fork. Serves 6.

—Obituaries—

Eugene David Gorski

Eugene David Gorski, 76, died Monday at Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi. In charge of the San Antonio Insurance Exchange for more than 40 years, he was born in Galveston. He married Dolores Conwill Feb. 15, 1936 here in Bandera.

Survivors include his wife of Rockport; son, Daniel Everett Gorski of Colorado Springs, Colo.; sister, Mrs. P.M. Williamson, Dallas; and one grandson.

Funeral services were held Thursday at Grimes Funeral Home in Bandera. Pallbearers were Carel D'Spain, Raymond Hicks, Bud Hainline, Perry Debrial, Dan Alanis and John Cox. The Rev. Robert Bauer officiated and he was buried in Bandera Cemetery.

Homer E. Mansfield

Homer E. Mansfield, 83, of Junction, a retired rancher, died Monday of a heart attack. He was born in Bandera and attended Bandera High School.

Survivors include his wife, Lillie Mansfield of Junction; a daughter, Margaret Allen of Junction; a son, Bill Mansfield of Junction; a brother, Frank Mansfield of Bandera; two sisters, Luella Vanderveer of Bandera and Dollie Mayfield of Amarillo; three grandsons; and three great-granddaughters.

Services were to be Wednesday at the First Methodist Church in Junction.

Fred Cosgrove

Fred Cosgrove, 82, died Tuesday, Jan. 17, in Lytle. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include a sister, Sally Parsons of Bandera; nieces, Mona Wallace of Natalia, Ruth Carlson of San Antonio, Anne McFachern of California, Naomi Kurz of Center Point; and a nephew, Robert Cosgrove of Castroville.

Graveside services were held Friday, Jan. 20, at t Bandera Cemetery with Martin Smith officiating.

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A Thought For The Week
By
John M. Grimes

One of the most disturbing news items in recent months comes from The American Cancer Society. In spite of huge sums of money spent to perSuade people to see a doctor at the first signs of cancer, people have NOT responded as hoped for. This indifference and casual attitude is hard to understand. There is no reasonable explanation why some people wait a month, 3 months, 6 months or longer after suspicions are detected in this potentially deadly disease.

This is the MAIN reason why thousands of people die every year from our nation's second largest killer. It is proved that most cancers CAN be cured IF detected early enough. Actually almost 2 million people HAVE BEEN CURED and are leading fine, productive lives!

As a common sense health habit, would it not be best to have a check up BEFORE suspicions exist and most certainly a PROMPT check up at the very first sign that maybe, just maybe, something may be wrong? With your life at stake, what possible reason can there be for you NOT to adopt this sensible health habit?...

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Football Awards Banquet to be held Feb. 9

Awards for the most outstanding, most spirited and most coachable Bandera Bulldog football players will be dealt out Thursday, Feb. 9, during the football awards banquet at Mansfield Park's Rec Center.

Head Coach John O'Hara of Southwest Texas State University will be the main speaker at the affair.

The banquet begins at 7 p.m. and tickets at $5 each are available from any football player or at the school.

Coach Danny Neuse and his staff will pass out awards to the most outstanding player in each class and will bestow the Coaches Award to the player who accepted advice of coaches the most readily, cooperated the most with the objectives of the coaching staff, displayed the best attitude, improved and generally was the most "coachable" among the Bulldogs.

A new award this year will be the Bulldog Award which will go to the player who showed the most spirit and enthusiasm.

Recipients of the awards are a closely-guarded secret to be revealed at the banquet. They are selected by the coaching staff.

A football banquet is a departure from the usual practice of recent years during which football awards were passed out at an all-sports event in the spring.

The Bulldogs advanced to the playoffs this year by winning second place in District 26-AAA. They lost to Van Vleck in the first round of the state playoffs, however.

Neuse was assisted in coaching the Bulldogs this year by a small staff consisting of Tony Johnson, Kevin Long and Paul Banks.

O'Hara's Bobcats won SWTSU's fourth Lone Star Conference title in a row this year in his first year as head coach. He replaced Jim Wacker who resigned to take a similar position at Texas Christian University.

The Bobcats lost in the quarterfinals of the national playoffs, averaging 32.5 points and 397 yards per game.

Prior to coming to Baylor, O'Hara was assistant coach at Baylor since 1973. After initially working with the offensive, line, he was named offensive coordinator in 1979.

In his first year as offensive coordinator, he guided the Baylor Bear offense that set school records for the most yards rushing per game (296.9), points in a season (315) and total yards in a season (4,848).

In that year the entire Baylor backfield was named to the all-Southwest Conference team and the Bears captured the SWC title.



SWTSU Coach John O'Hara

O'Hara began coaching as a high school mentor at Mangrum, Okla., in 1967 and was offensive line coach at Amarillo Palo Duro and offensive coordinator at Midland Lee.

As a player he was all-state in Oklahoma in both football and basketball and was named outstanding senior athlete of his collegiate graduating class at Panhandle State University in Oklahoma.

Games at a glance

Boys

BANDERA 77, SOUTHSIDE 66

Bandera: Steve Parker 24, Bruce Robison 22, Tim Butler 14, David Schwarz 13, Jon Graves 6, Adams 2, Avallone, Hulse, Caloss, Sides.
Southside: Hugo Padilla 19, Bobby Rodriguez 18, Leonard Cortes 15, Jeff Johnson 6, Carrillo 4, Gonzales 2.
Halftime: Southside 32, Bandera 30.

BANDERA 66, COLE 55

Bandera: Bruce Robison 18, Steve Parker 16, David Schwarz 15, Tim Butler 13, Graves 4, Hulse, Avallone, Adams.
Cole: Sam Broaddus 12, Mark Billingsley 12, Nahid 8, Gaillard 7, Usry 6, Madora 4, Burgess 4, Harvey 2.
Halftime: Bandera 33, Cole 27.

MEDINA 69, CENTER POINT 25

Medina: Greg Chaney 12, Mark Williams 14, Marshall Townsend 10, G. Williams 9, Payne 6, Ashley 4, Parker 2, Hess 2, Ortiz 2.
Center Point: W. Boerner 3, Rhodes 4, M. Smart 6, Weishaer 4, S. Smart 6, Boerner 2, Lackey, Anderson 4.
Halftime: Medina 29, Center Point 10.

MEDINA 69, UTOPIA 50

Medina: Townsend 9, G. Williams 3, M. Williams 7, Chaney 32, Payne 12, Ashley, Parker 5, Hess 1, Reese, Kesley, Ortiz.
Utopia: Davenport 2, Dodge 15, Valencia 12, Hillis 4, Rutherford 14, Beckman 2, Tacker 1.
Halftime: Medina 29, Utopia 28.

Girls

MEDINA 30, UTOPIA 28

Medina: Nancy Dodson 12, House, Willett 6, Long, Keeley 6, Bullock, Keese 2, Bedgwich 4, Heinen.
Utopia: Darla Bunk 16, T. Bilstock 2, Duke 4, Chaney 2, Hillis 2, Davenport, J. Duke 2.
Halftime: Medina 18, Utopia 17.

Medina cage teams win four games

Medina's Bobcat basketball machine roared across the hardwood again this past week, winning four games.

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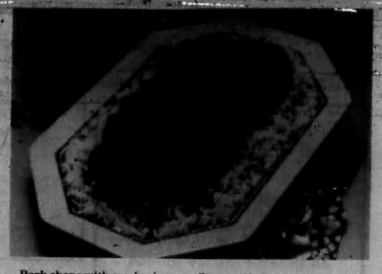

Rice can be your key to lower food costs. At 4-5 cents per serving, it is one of the greatest food bargains around today. Also a versatile food, rice can successfully be incorporated into every aspect of a meal, from salad to dessert.

Several forms of rice are available to the consumer. Regular milled rice is cleaned and graded in the milling process, with nutrients re-added that are lost during processing. Parboiled rice is processed by a special steam-pressure method that forces the nutrients into the core of the grains. Parboiled rice retains more nutrients than regular milled white rice, but takes a few minutes longer to cook.

Pre-cooked, or instant rice, has been cooked and dehydrated after milling, reducing the preparation time for the cook. Another form of rice, brown rice, is fast becoming a favorite with rice lovers. Brown rice gets its rich color from the presence of 7 bran layers, excellent sources of vitamins and minerals, especially B-complex. Preparation time for brown rice is about 50 minutes, but the end product has a tasty nut-like flavor with a chewy texture.

Always available in abundance, the rice you buy at your local grocery store will most likely be Texas rice. For insurance that you are actually buying a Texas agricultural product, check for a Texas address on the package. Twenty-one counties along the Gulf Coast harvested over 200 billion pounds of premium quality, long grain rice last fall. Rice is Texas' third largest acreage crop, last year bringing in an estimated $200 million the State economy.

Properly stored, uncooked rice will keep almost indefinitely with no loss of quality, flavor or nutrients. If covered and refrigerated, leftover cooked rice will retain flavor and nutrients for one week. For reheating cooked rice, add two tablespoons liquid for each cup of rice. Cover and heat 4-5 minutes on top of the range, or for 1-1/2 minutes on high in the microwave oven.

To lower your food bill, try "Pork Chops with Cumin Rice" as an entree or "Brown Rice Royal" as a savory accompaniment to beef. For more information about Texas rice, write to The Texas Department of Agriculture, John Hightower, Commissioner, 2800 N.E. Loop 410, #301, San Antonio, Texas 78218.

Pork chops with cumin rice

2-3 lean pork chops, about 1/2 in. thick
salt and ground pepper
1 T. vegetable oil
2 T. chopped onion
2 T. chopped green bell pepper
1/2 C. cooked rice
1 C. boiling chicken broth
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. cumin seed

Season chops with salt and pepper. Brown on each side in oil. Remove from pan and drain off excess fat. Add remaining ingredients to pan, stirring to loosen brown particles. Place chops over rice mixture. Cover and bake at 350 degrees F. for 30 minutes or until meat and rice are tender and liquid is absorbed. Fluff rice lightly with a fork. Serves 2. (Ingredients may be doubled for 4 servings.)

Brown rice royal

2 C. sliced fresh mushrooms
1/2 C. finely chopped green onions with tops
2 T. vegetable oil
2 C. brown rice, cooked in beef broth salt to taste

Saute mushrooms with onions in oil until tender. Add rice and salt; heat thoroughly and fluff lightly with a fork. Serves 6.



Bandera County Chamber of Commerce officials gather with officials of the First State Bank to cut a ribbon opening the new drive through facilities of the bank.

With five lanes, only three of which are in operation now, the bank is prepared for even more growth, which bank president Sully Woodland is sure is coming. "We expect growth here in Bandera," said Woodland. "We wouldn't have constructed five lanes without anticipating using them."

The new facilities were constructed by Murry and Hugh LeBlourgeon, contractors.

"I have appreciated the cooperation of customers during construction," said Woodland. "I think the wait was well worth it."

There will be little waiting at the bank from now on.

Obituaries

Eugene David Gorski

Eugene David Gorski, 76, died Monday at Spohn Hospital in Corpus Christi. In charge of the San Antonio Insurance Exchange for more than 40 years, he was born in Galveston. He married Dolores Conwell Feb. 15, 1936 here in Bandera.

Survivors include his wife of Rockport; son, Daniel Everett Gorski of Colorado Springs, Colo.; sister, Mrs. P.M. Williamson, Dallas; and one grandson.

Funeral services were held Thursday at Grimes Funeral Home in Bandera. Pallbearers were Carel D'Spain, Raymond Hicks, Bud Hainline, Perry Debrial, Dan Alanis and John Cox. The Rev. Robert Bauer officiated and he was buried in Bandera Cemetery.

Homer E. Mansfield

Homer E. Mansfield, 83, of Junction, a retired rancher, died Monday of a heart attack. He was born in Bandera and attended Bandera High School.

Survivors include his wife, Lillie Mansfield of Junction; a daughter, Margaret Allen of Junction; a son, Bill Mansfield of Junction; a brother, Frank Mansfield of Bandera; two sisters, Luella Vanderveer of Bandera and Dollie Mayfield of Amarillo; three grandsons; and three great granddaughters.

Services were to be Wednesday at the First Methodist Church in Junction.

Fred Cosgrove

Fred Cosgrove, 82, died Tuesday, Jan. 17, in Lytle. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include a sister, Sally Parsons of Bandera; nieces, Mona Wallace of Natalia, Ruth Carlson of San Antonio, Anne McPachern of California, Naomi Kurz of Center Point; and a nephew, Robert Cosgrove of Castroville.

Graveside services were held Friday, Jan. 20, at t Bandera Cemetery with Martin Smith officiating.



A Thought For The Week
By John M. Grimes

One of the most disturbing news items in recent months comes from The American Cancer Society. In spite of huge sums of money spent to persuade people to see a doctor at the first signs of cancer, people have NOT responded as hoped for. This indifference and casual attitude is hard to understand. There is no reasonable explanation why some people wait a month, 3 months, 6 months or longer after suspicions are detected in this potentially deadly disease.

This is the MAIN reason why thousands of people die every year from our nation's second largest killer. It is proved that most cancers CAN be cured IF detected early enough. Actually almost 2 million people HAVE BEEN CURED and are leading fine, productive lives!

As a common sense health habit, would it not be best to have a check up BEFORE suspicions exist and most certainly a PROMPT check up at the very first sign that maybe, just maybe, something may be wrong? With your life at stake, what possible reason can there be for you NOT to adopt this sensible health habit?...

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State Rep. District 68 — Phlon Edge (D)

Football Awards Banquet to be held Feb. 9

Awards for the most outstanding, most spirited and most coachable Bandera Bulldog football players will be dealt out Thursday, Feb. 9, during the football awards banquet at Mansfield Park's Rec Center.

Head Coach John O'Hara of Southwest Texas State University will be the main speaker at the affair.

The banquet begins at 7 p.m. and tickets at $5 each are available from any football player or at the school.

Coach Danny Nease and his staff will pass out awards to the most outstanding player in each class and will bestow the Coaches Award to the player who accepted advice of coaches the most readily, cooperated the most with the objectives of the coaching staff, displayed the best attitude, improved and generally was the most "coachable" among the Bulldogs.

A new award this year will be the Bulldog Award which will go to the player who showed the most spirit and enthusiasm.

Recipients of the awards are a closely-guarded secret to be revealed at the banquet. They are selected by the coaching staff.

A football banquet is a departure from the usual practice of recent years during which football awards were passed out at an all-sports event in the spring.

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Nease was assisted in coaching the Bulldogs this year by a small staff consisting of Tony Johnson, Kevin Long and Paul Banks.

O'Hara's Bobcats won SWTSU's fourth Lone Star Conference title in a row this year in his first year as head coach. He replaced Jim Wacker who resigned to take a similar position at Texas Christian University.

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Prior to coming to Baylor, O'Hara was assistant coach at Baylor since 1973. After initially working with the offensive, line, he was named offensive coordinator in 1979.

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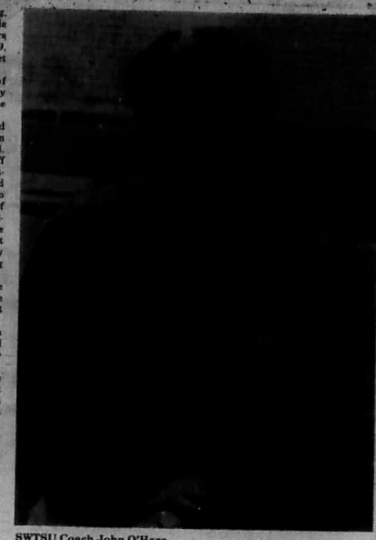

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Games of a season
Boys

BANDERA 77, HOUSTINDE 66

Bandera: Steve Parker 24, Bruce Robinson 20, Tim Butler 16, David Schwarz 13, Jon Graves 6, Adams 2, Avallone, Hulse, Calvin, Rider.

Southside: Hugo Padilla 18, Bobby Rodriguez 18, Leonard Cortez 15, Jeff Johnson 6, Carrillo 4, Gonzalez 2.

Halftime: Southside 32, Bandera 30.

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Cole: Beau Brandies 12, Mark Billingsley 12, Ashley 8, Gaillard 7, Usery 6, Maduro 4, Burgess 4, Harvey 2.

Halftime: Bandera 33, Cole 27.

MEDINA 63, CENTER POINT 55

Medina: Greg Chaney 12, Mark Williams 14, Marshall Townsend 10, G. Williams 8, Payne 6, Ashley 4, Parker 2, Hoie 2, Ortiz 2.

Center Point: W. Boerner 2, Rhodes 4, M. Smart 6, Weishaar 4, S. Smart 6, Boerner 2, Lackey, Anderson 4.

Halftime: Medina 29, Center Point 16. .

MEDINA 66, UTOPIA 50

Medina: Townsend 6, G. Williams 3, M. Williams 7, Chaney 22, Payne 12, Ashley, Parker 5, Hoie 1, Kesse, Keeley, Ortiz.

Utopia: Davenport 2, Dodge 15, Valencia 12, Hillis 4, Rutherford 14, Buckanan 2, Tacker 1.

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CUT YOUR COST

HOMETOWN MERCHANTS *796-4393

Franks Roegelein 1 Lb. **$1.49**

Little Sizzlers Hormel 12 Oz. **$1.29**

Luncheon Meat Regular/Ranch 1 Lb. **$1.49**

—U.S. Good Lb.—

Ground Chuck	$1.39
Rib Chops	$1.99
Sirloin Steak Boneless	$2.59
Chuck Roast	$1.39
Arm Roast	$1.59
Beef Ribs	$1.09
Stew Meat Boneless	$1.99
Pork Chops Center Cut	$2.29
Pork Chops End Cut	$1.39
Pork Steaks	$1.49

Lard Roegelein 1 Lb. **39¢**

Cut Potatoes Westpac Steak 2 Lbs. **95¢**

Pizza Totinos 12.5 Oz. **$1.29**

Onions Yellow Lb. **39¢**

Potatoes 8 Lb. Bag **$1.69**

Oranges Sunkist Navel Lb. **39¢**

Squash Zucchini Lb. **49¢**

We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantities
Effective Thurs. Feb. 2 thru Wed. Feb. 8, 1984
(We are not responsible for typographical errors.)
Store Hours: Mon. thru Sat. 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Sunday 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Dr. Pepper Reg./Diet/Free 2 Liter Bottles **99¢**

Ketchup Del Monte No Salt Quart **99¢**

Jelly Welchs Grape 24 Oz. **99¢**

Corn Pride of Illinois 303 Can **2/89¢**

Pearl Beer Reg./Light Hot Only 6 Pk. 12 Oz. Cans **$1.99**

Crackers Nabisco Snack 12 Oz. **89¢**

Trash Bags Glad 10 Ct. **$1.39**
Plates Dixie 100 Ct. 9" **$1.09**
Cleaner Dow Bathroom 17 Oz. **$1.49**
Dog Food Lone Star 20 Lbs. **$3.50**
Bath Tissue Coronet 8 Roll **$1.69**

COUPON SAVE with this coupon **Brim Coffee $2.99**

Oleo Quarters Kraft Parkay 1 Lb. **2/$1**
Cinnamon Rolls Pillsbury 15 Ct. **$1.15**
Amer. Cheese Indiv. Wrapped Kraft 12 Oz. **$1.69**
Cottage Cheese Foremost 12 Oz. **83¢**
Buttermilk Foremost ½ Gal. **$1.15**

Yogurt Foremost 8 Oz. **3 for $1**

Toothpaste Crest Reg. 6.4 Oz. **$1.99**
Eye Drops Visine ½ Oz. **$1.99**
Shampoo Head & Shoulders Reg/Con. 7 Oz. **$1.99**
Blades Atra Cartridge 5 Ct. **$2.29**
Stick Deodorant Old Spice 2.5 Oz. **$1.99**

Dr. Pepper All Flavors 6 Pk. 10 Oz. No Return **$1.09**
Riunite Wine Lambrusco, Bianco, Rosatq 187 4-Bottles **$2.79**
Crisco Oil 32 Oz. **$1.59**
Mayonnaise Kraft Quart **$1.49**
Flour Gladiola 5 Lbs. **89¢**
Kool-Aid All Flavors Unsweetened Env. **10/$1**
Instant Coffee Taster's Choice 4 Oz. **$2.95**
Taco Sauce Pace 8 Oz. **79¢**

Save Your Certificates for

Floral Classic

PORCELAIN-ON-STEEL OVEN-TO-TABLE

Cookware



- Finest heavy gauge porcelain bonded to steel for even heat distribution over economical low heat.
- Snug-fitting recessed covers seal in moisture and lock in natural vitamin-rich flavors.
- Beautiful oven-to-table serving convenience!

1 qt. Open Saucepan FREE with 1 filled card!

START YOUR SET TODAY AND SAVE!

1 qt. Saucepan Reg. Price $5.99 Cover Reg. Price $2.99

Just look at these extraordinary features!







START YOUR SET TODAY AND SAVE!

GET ONE CERTIFICATE WITH EACH $5.00 PURCHASE
30 CERTIFICATES FILL A CARD

ITEM	Price with card	No. of cards	Price without cards
1 Qt. Open Saucepan	FREE	1	$ 5.99
8" Open Frypan	$3.99	2	10.99
Open Warmer/Server	$4.99	2	11.99
10" Open Frypan	$4.99	2	11.99
1 1/2 Qt. Covered Saucepan	$5.99	2	12.99
10" Open Au Gratin	$6.99	2	13.99
2 Qt. Covered Saucepan	$6.99	2	13.99
16" Round Tray	$7.99	2	14.99
3 Qt. Covered Dutch Oven	$8.99	2	15.99
2 Qt. Tea Kettle	$9.99	2	16.99
5 Qt. Covered Dutch Oven	$11.99	2	18.99
Cover for 1 Qt. Saucepan			2.99
8 Qt. Covered Stock Pot			26.99



USDA Heavy Beef **Sirloin Steak** lb. $2.29



USDA Heavy Beef **T-Bone Steak** lb. $2.79



Roegelein Smoked **Ham Sha** lb. 9

USDA Heavy Beef **Chuck Steaks** lb.	$1.59
USDA Heavy Beef **Shoulder Steak** lb.	$1.89
Chuck Shoulder **Round Bone Roast** lb.	$1.79
Lean **Stew Meat** lb.	$2.09
Lean **Chill Meat** lb.	$1.89

Boneless **Flounder Fillets** lb.	$1.49
Lean **Ground Beef** lb.	$1.79
Delicious **Chicken Fried Steaks** lb.	$1.59
Decker **Kornkist Cervelat** lb.	$1.59
Roegelein Center Cut **Ham Slices** lb.	$1.98

Delicious **Beef Tripe** lb.
Tasty + Tender **Pig Feet** lb.
Great for Tamales **Beef Tripas** lb.
Whole Seasoned + Ready **Fryer Legs** lb.
Jimmy Dean **Pork Sausag**



Rath **Meat Franks** 12 oz. $1.09



Sliced + Skinned + Deveined **Beef Liver** lb. 69¢



Roegelein Smoked **Smoked Ham** lb. $1.09

Rath **Bologna or Salami** lb. $1.59

Rath **Sliced Bacon** 12 oz. $1.49

Bar S **Turkey Ham** lb. $1.69

Save 5¢ per lb. on our FAMILY PACKS!





Super S Foods Lowers Everyday Prices On Hundreds of Health & Beauty Aids...

That's right — All through the department — HUNDREDS of prices Lowered to make Super S Foods your only store for One Stop Shopp



30 Count
Anacin Tablets $1.59
Johnsons
Baby Oil 4 oz. $1.93
Eye Drops
Visine ½ oz. $2.09
Tablets
DI Gel 30's $1.29
Ast. Lozenges
Sucrets 24's $2.07
Shampoo & Conditioner
Agree 8 oz. $1.89
Disposable Razor
Good News 2 pk. 85¢
Gillette Shave Cream
Foamy 11 oz. $1.99
Tablets
Alka Seltzer 36's $2.19
Cotton Swabs
Q-Tips 84's 87¢



24 count
Doans Pills Ea. $3.19
Pain Reliever
Midol 12's $1.39
30¢ off Label
Aqua Fresh 8.2 oz. $1.64
Cold Medicine
Alka Seltzer Plus 20's $2.13

Mennen
Speed Stick 2½ oz. $1.89
Tablets
Maalox 12's 59¢
Colgate Adult
Toothbrush Ea. $1.19
Antiseptic
Listerine 6 oz. $1.39
Tablets
Sine Off 24's $2.77
Regular Tube
VO-5 Shampoo 1¾ oz. $2.55
Antacid
Tums 75's $1.99



Shampoo & Conditioner
Suave 16 oz. $1.53
Noxema
Shave Cream 11 oz. $1.79
Tablets
Allerest 24's $2.79
After Shave
Old Spice 4¼ oz. $3.29
Laxitive
Feenamint 16's $1.59
Ointment
Preparation H 1 oz. $2.63



Skin Cream
Noxema 10 oz. $3.09
Denture Adhesive
Fasteeth 2 oz. $2.17

Ointment
Cortaid ⅛ oz. $2.69
Ointment
Mycitracin ⅛ oz. $2.81
Cotton Swabs
Q-Tips 170's $1.29
Lotion
OXY-10 1 oz. $4.19



Hand Lotion
Suave 10 oz. $1.37
Antacid Tablets
Rolaids 12's 35¢
Capsules
Ornex 24's $3.03
Infant Drops
Tylenol ½ oz. $2.95



Regular
Robitussin 4 oz. $2.51
Milk of Magnesia 4 oz. $1.09
Medicated Pads
Stridex 42's $1.83
Spray
Chloraseptic 6 oz. $2.51





Vicks
Cough Drops 15's 43¢
Tablets
Excedrin 100's $3.89
Shampoo & Conditioner
Finesse 11 oz. $2.49
Solid
Lady's Choice 2 oz. $2.51



Liquid
Vitalis 4 oz. $2.33
Solid
Arrid Extra Dry 2 oz. $2.51
Cotton Swabs
Q Tips 300's $1.99
Condition
Clairol 2 oz. $2.29



Johnson
Cotton Balls 65's $1.35
Toothbrush
Reach Adult $1.59
Johnson's
Baby Oil 16 oz. $3.79
Regular & Mint
Crest Gel 4.6 oz. $1.39

Johnson's
Baby Bar 3 oz. $1.59
Toothpaste
Close-up 6.4 oz. 30¢ off label $1.29
Tablets
Sine Aid 24's $2.87
Aspirin
Maximum Bayer 60's $2.69



Antiperspirant
Secret 6 oz. $2.99
Tube Shampoo
Head & Shoulders 7 oz. Concentrate $2.89
Prell Shampoo 7 oz. Liquid $3.19
Pepto Bismol 12 oz. $2.79



Tablets
Head & Chest 18's $2.79
Mouthwash
Scope 24 oz. $2.79
Liquid Maalox 12 oz. $2.29
Stick Deodorant
Old Spice 3 3/4 oz. $2.89
Assorted
Breck Shampoo 7 oz. $1.99
Vick's
Vaporub 3 oz. $2.89
Tablets
Dristan 50's $4.69
Nasal Mist
Dristan ½ oz. $2.77

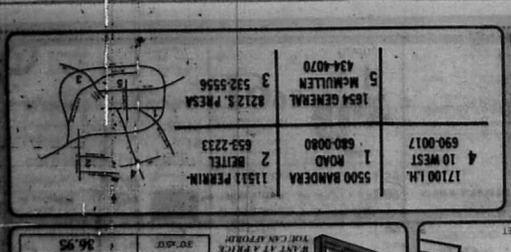


Eye Drops
Murine Plus
Laxative
Correctol
Mouthwash
Signal
Pepsodent
Toothbrush
Deodorant Talc
Ponds
Hair Tonic
Vaseline
Lotion
Ben Gay
Johnson
Odor Eaters



Regular
Creamulsion
Johnson
Baby Powder
Tablets
Comtrex

























25 cents

Sanders Independent established a Starship Fund. We like to contribute payable to the Starship Fund. Hospital's office or P.O. Box 7271.

dragged three stockmen in a vain attempt murder weapon.

Sunday

County continued to ... accounts of officers ... arrested officers ... with reviewing over ... and seemed like scant evidence gathering more ... developments in the ... ported Sunday.

Monday

ported Monday that ... nothing the interior ... matching the cartridge ... bullet fragment found ... life's brain during the ... confirmed what a rob... ened by Wood ... trailer door apparently been fired. No other

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ROOFING



FIBERGLASS MAT ROOFING SHINGLES

- Durable fiberglass mat construction
- Class "A" fire rating-the best
- White, tan and other colors as available
- 20 year warranty

19.95 PER SQUARE (100 square feet)

FIBERGLAS

ROLL ROOFING

- Covers about 100 square feet
- Mineral surface
- White or brown

FIBERGLAS **10.99**

ASPHALT FELT

- Made in U.S.A.
- #15 pound (400 square feet)
- #30 pound (200 square feet)

9.99

PLASTIC ROOF CEMENT

1 gallon	2.89
5 gallons	10.95

FIBERED ROOF COATING

1 gallon	2.59
5 gallons	12.49

COLD PRESS & LAP CEMENT

1 gallon	3.19
5 gallons	12.49

ALUMINUM ROOF & MOBILE HOME COATING

1 gallon	5.39
5 gallons	22.77

FIBERGLASS PANELS



Shakerplast by sequentia **SALE**

- 26" wide
- White, clear or green

CORRUGATED FIBERGLASS PANELS

Choose From Two Types

SALE

	STANDARD LIGHT-DUTY	PEBBLE-FINISH TEXTURED HEAVY-DUTY
8'	3.69	5.99
10'	4.59	7.99
12'	5.59	8.99

6 CORRUGATED WOOD STRIP 1.19
3 CORRUGATED RUBBER STRIP 59¢

GUTTER



Billy Penn

8' GALVANIZED GUTTER **2.95**

10' GALVANIZED DOWNSPOUT **3.69**



A. B. C.

10 FT. GALVANIZED ROOF EDGE

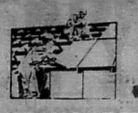
A. 1½x1½ Angle Flashing	1.09
B. 1x2 Angle Flashing	1.09
C. Drip Edge	1.59

12' GALVANIZED STEEL EXTERNAL-BRACE TURBINE VENT

19.95 BASE 6.77

Arvin

CORRUGATED IRON

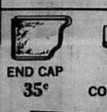


STRONGBARN II

- 26" wide
- Heavy G-90, galvanized steel

8'	5.19
10'	6.49
12'	7.77
14'	8.99
16'	10.39

MADE IN U.S.A.



END CAP 35¢

CORNER 1.77 EACH

END PIECE 99¢

SLIP CONNECTOR 39¢

90% of our nails are American-made—Your assurance of quality

RED HEAD

NAILS

MOST BRIGHT NAILS	MOST GALVANIZED NAILS	MOST ROOFING NAILS
* 35¢ PER POUND	55¢ PER POUND	49¢ PER POUND

BRIGHT NAILS *

	50 POUNDS
8d common	16.95
12d common	16.79
16d common	16.59
8d box	17.49
16d box	16.99

Not stocked in Galveston, Texas City, Baytown, Beaumont

GALVANIZED, 50 POUNDS

6d common	26.95
8d common	25.95
16d common	24.99
6d box	26.99
8d box	25.99
16d box	25.77

GALVANIZED ROOFING NAILS 50 POUNDS

1"	23.95
1 1/4"	23.77
1 1/2"	22.95
1 3/4"	22.77

GALVANIZED SHEETROCK NAILS 50 POUNDS

1 1/2"	31.88

CONCRETE

READY-MIX CONCRETE *80 pounds **1.88**

MORTAR MIX OR GROUT-SAND MIX **2.49**



REINFORCING MESH

- 5'x150'
- 750 square feet

10 GA. 35.88
6 GA. 69.95

REINFORCING BARS *20' long

3 8"	1.69
1 2"	2.29
5 8"	3.49

BEAUTY CRAFT BATHROOM VANITIES



A — 20"x17" • 1 door unit • Antique pecan • Marble top — **47.77**

CDE — 25"x19" • 2 door unit • White marble — **119.95**

25"x19" Pecan **119.95**

H — 25"x19" • 2 door unit • Light oak • White marble — **159.95**

31"x19" Pecan **135.95**

B — 25"x19" • 2 door unit • Antique pecan • Marble top — **79.95**

F — 25"x19" • 1 door unit • Antique pecan • Marble top — **139.95**

J — 37"x19" • 2 doors, 2 drawers • Light oak • White marble — **233.95**

FAUCETS



PEERLESS 4" LAVATORY FAUCET

- 2 handles with pop-up — **18.99**
- With-out Pop-up — **28.95**

4" OAK HANDLE FAUCET **39.99**

PLASTIC PIPE

EAST TEXAS PIPE COMPANY

4"x10' SEWER AND DRAIN PIPE **3.09**

- Belled end
- Solid or perforated
- 1500 pound crush strength

CRESLINE CPVC HOT OR COLD WATER

*100 PSI at 180°

½"x10'	1.69
¾"x10'	2.99

COLD WATER PVC

*400 PSI at 73°

½"x10'	1.09
¾"x10'	1.29
1"x10'	1.99

DRAIN, WASTE AND VENT

- Schedule 40 PVC
- 10' long

1½"	2.88	3"	7.99
2"	3.99	4"	10.99

COLD WATER POLY-COIL

- 80 pound test
- NSF approved for drinking
- 100' long

½"	7.29	1"	13.59
¾"	9.39	1¼"	31.88

Nautilus

- Easy to install
- Economical

CEILING OR WALL FAN **13.88**

LIGHT, VENT FAN COMBO *Bulb extra **33.49**

HEATER, VENT FAN-LIGHT COMBO *Bulb extra *With switch **69.88**

Accent NON-METALLIC WASHERLESS FAUCETS

WITHOUT POP-UP 9.99

WITH POP-UP 14.99

WITHOUT SPRAY 14.88

WITH SPRAY 19.99

GLASS TUB ENCLOSURE

- Obscure glass for privacy
- Tempered safety glass

58.95

FIBERGLASS TUB-SHOWER COMBO GlasTec

* Left or right hand

WHITE 219.95

ALMOND 229.95

GlasTec **SQUARE FIBERGLASS SHOWER STALL**

- Recessed
- With drain and soap dish

WHITE, 32" SQUARE 166.95

WHITE, 36" SQUARE 189.95

ALMOND, 32" SQUARE 177.95

ALMOND, 36" SQUARE 199.95

KIRKHILL

PVC "P" TRAP *Plastic **1.79**

T-2311A

FLAPPER TANK BALL *Toilet repair **1.29**

IRON Silhouette SHOWER DOOR

*Tempered safety glass *66" high *Adjustable on both sides *Hang right or left

*32" door **68.95**

WATER HEATERS

- Glass-lined
- High recovery

REVERE

30 GALLON NATURAL GAS	119.95
30 GALLON L.P. GAS	149.95
40 GALLON NATURAL GAS	129.95
20 GALLON ELECTRIC	112.95
30 GALLON ELECTRIC	109.95
40 GALLON ELECTRIC	123.95
50 GALLON ELECTRIC	135.95

DOORS

MAHOGANY EXTERIOR DOORS

2'8" Hollow Core	18.88
3'0" Hollow Core	19.77
2'8" Solid Core	28.95
3'0" Solid Core	29.95

MAHOGANY INTERIOR HOLLOW CORE DOORS

- 6'8" tall
- 1-3/8" thick

2'0" wide	11.95
2'6" wide	13.95
2'8" wide	14.77
3'0" wide	15.95

DOOR UNITS

- Aluminum
- 6'8" tall
- Door includes weatherstrip, lockset, hinges not included

INTERIOR 1-3/8" thick

2'0" wide	29.77
2'6" wide	31.77
2'8" wide	31.95
3'0" wide	34.95

EXTERIOR 1-3/8" thick

2'0" wide	45.49
2'8" wide	46.95

DOOR JAMBS

- Wheeler Jamb
- Finger-jointed

32" HEADER	1.39
48" HEADER	2.19
6'8" SIDE PIECE	3.99
EXTERIOR DOOR JAMB SET	19.95
36" DOOR SILL	2.99

ALUMINUM WINDOWS

Binning's Building Products

MasterCard VISA

NORDLAND ENTRY DOORS

A. 1-3/4" THICK DOOR, tempered glass

1-0"x6'8"	97.95
1-2"x6'8"	99.95

B. RAIN FLOW, tempered glass

1-0"x6'8"	84.95

C. 4-PANEL

1-0"x6'8"	79.95
1-2"x6'8"	79.95

D. OLD ENGLISH tempered glass

1-0"x6'0"x6'8"	109.95

E. CROSS-BUCK, tempered glass

1-0"x6'0"x6'8"	109.95

(SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY)

1-0"x6'0"x6'8"	109.95

The Decorating Ideas Are At A Single Glance

ALUMINUM FINISH SINGLE-HUNG

BROWN FINISH SINGLE-HUNG

BROWN FINISH THERMO-INSULATING

- Screen included
- Vinyl weatherstripping
- Full screen
- Sash locks
- Aluminum sash and outer storm window
- White half-screen
- Triple track storm window with half-screen
- Vinyl weatherstripping seals inner and outer sash
- Hardware finish
- Hardware included
- Cartons packaged separately

2'0"x4'4"	21.95	NOT AVAILABLE	58.49
2'0"x5'0"	25.69	32.95	58.49
2'8"x4'4"	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	74.39
2'8"x5'0"	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	79.77
2'8"x3'0"	27.95	37.95	65.77
2'8"x4'4"	31.95	42.77	78.69
2'8"x5'0"	35.77	44.95	82.95
3'0"x4'4"	29.95	39.95	68.77
3'0"x5'0"	33.95	43.95	83.49
3'0"x6'0"	36.95	46.77	89.95
3'0"x6'8"	19.95	49.95	103.69

ALUMINUM PATIO DOORS

- 6'0"x6'8" with tempered safety glass
- Right or left hand
- Screen included
- Inside door slides for security

ALUMINUM **149.95**

DARK BROWN DUAL-INSULATING **239.95**

KEY LOCK **7.77**

SINGLE-HUNG SLIDING

ALUMINUM FINISH HORIZONTAL

- White
- Half-screen

2'0"x2'0" Obscure Glass "Bath"	20.95
3'0"x3'0"	28.95
4'0"x3'0"	31.95
6'0"x3'0"	41.95

BIFOLD DOOR UNITS

- Hardware included
- Carton packaged

2 DOOR 2'0"x6'8"	FLAT	LOUVERED	20.95
2 DOOR 2'6"x6'8"	FLUSH	LOUVERED	22.95
2 DOOR 3'0"x6'8"	23.77	36.95	32.95
2 DOOR 3'0"x6'8"	23.95	38.95	33.95
4 DOOR 2'0"x6'8"	25.88	39.95	39.88
4 DOOR 2'6"x6'8"	43.88	67.95	58.95
4 DOOR 3'0"x6'8"	48.88	72.95	65.95

STORM DOORS

- Primed with hardware
- Tempered safety glass
- 6'8" or 7'0" tall
- 11" wide
- Right or left hand

ALUMINUM FINISH **57.95**

BROWN FINISH **66.95**

ELECTRICAL

GENERAL ELECTRIC QUIET SWITCH

- Choice of brown or ivory

59¢

NON-METALLIC SHEATHED ELECTRIC WIRE

TYPE	100'	250'
12-2 NM INDOOR COPPER	11.49	21.95
14-2 NM INDOOR COPPER	22.95	45.95
12-2 WG INDOOR COPPER	9.59	17.95
14-2 WG INDOOR COPPER	17.95	35.95
12-2 WG UNDER GROUND FEEDER	26.95	53.95

OTHER SIZES AVAILABLE

SWITCH PLATE

- Brown or Ivory

19¢

RECEPTACLE PLATE

19¢

KEYLESS RECEPTACLE

- Price does not include bulb

99¢

125 AMP. LOAD CENTERS

- Can use 100 amp main for greater service requirements

FLUSH INDOOR 4 SPACE	11.99
SURFACE INDOOR 4 SPACE	11.99
OUTDOOR 4 SPACE	21.99
FLUSH INDOOR 6 SPACE	18.77
SURFACE INDOOR 6 SPACE	18.77
OUTDOOR 6 SPACE	24.77
FLUSH INDOOR 8 SPACE	23.88
SURFACE INDOOR 8 SPACE	23.88
OUTDOOR 8 SPACE	29.95
FLUSH INDOOR 12 SPACE	32.95
SURFACE INDOOR 12 SPACE	32.95
OUTDOOR 12 SPACE	49.95

200 AMP LOAD CENTERS

- Master main installed

INDOOR • 20 space	129.77
OUTDOOR	139.95

Sylvania Soft White Bulbs

- 40, 60, 75 and 100 watts

2 BULBS FOR **88¢**

GROUNDED RECEPTACLE

- Brown or Ivory

44¢

14 GAUGE WELDED WIRE FENCE

HEAD HEAVY

17.95

FARMASTER GATES

- Galvanized steel
- 52" high with hardware

4'	15.95
10'	33.95
12'	36.95
14'	39.95
16' GALVANIZED DOOR PANEL	42.95

RED BRAND GALVANIZED FIELD FENCE

32"x330'	Standard Duty	43.95
39"x330'	Heavy Duty	53.95
48"x165'		61.95

TRACTOR LAWNMOWER TIRES 6" JUMBO

3.69

POULTRY NETTING

- 2" mesh, 25' • Priced per roll

24"	2.99
36"	3.99
48"	15.99

1½ GAL. "QUICHO" U.S.A. BARN WIRE

- 1" mesh, 50'

19.95

RED-BRAND BARB WIRE 13½ GA. 12½ GA.

28.88 31.88

2.25 6' STEEL T-POST

- Universal fit
- Pre-punched for tie wire
- With 3 clips

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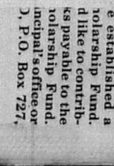





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Convicted sex offender may be teacher's killer

By Rick Young
Staff writer

Bandera County investigators confirmed Wednesday that the prime suspect in the murder of Bandera school teacher Marie Denise Walker was a known sex offender with a record of two prison terms for rape and sodomy.

The search for the killer has now expanded out of Texas, and through information received from an unidentified source, police have reason to believe the suspect may be headed for Las Vegas, Nev., where he is thought to have lived in the past. When he works, he generally seeks employment as a waiter, he told the source.

The individual's name and record are well-known to police, although they have not made the name public pending filing of formal charges.

"It might be somebody else," Sheriff Guy Pickett has said several times during the last week's intensive search. "We aren't positive yet. But we're still looking. We're looking at every possibility."

The suspect is described in police reports as having served a three-year sentence in California for rape. After being released and moving to Texas, he was arrested in San Antonio on a sodomy charge and a separate rape charge. During the San Antonio rape he is reported to have threatened his victim with a machete.

The suspect pleaded guilty to both charges and was sentenced to a five to 20 year term. He was released some six months ago after serving 10 years in Huntsville.

A photograph of the suspect has been circulated among local law enforcement officials and has been wired to other states. He is thought to be hitchhiking westward at this time, police say.

Police said this week they intend to seek a first degree murder warrant for the arrest of a suspect they still refused to name in the murder.

First degree murder carries a possible death sentence and applies when a murder is done while another felony is being committed. "In this case we're safe (trying for a first degree murder warrant) because there was more than one felony crime committed," said Texas Ranger Bob Steele.

He explained officials would charge that the murder of the popular, young school teacher was committed during commission of the crime breaking and entering her home.

Walker was found wearing only a bra in the bedroom of her mobile home on an isolated part of the Walker Ranch off the Wharton Dock Road south of Bandera last Wednesday morning.

She had been shot once in the top of her head with a small caliber weapon. An empty .22 caliber shell casing was found at the scene, but no murder weapon had been located by press time Wednesday.

A massive sweep by 15 men, members of six separate law enforcement agencies, covered more than 200 acres of rugged brush on or near the Walker mobile home Saturday as the community turned out in large numbers for funeral services for the popular native.

The massive search sought evidence that would tie one individual, whom Pickett refused to name, to the murder. Although Sheriff Pickett agrees there is a single, prime suspect, he is also investigating two other possible suspects, he says.

Residents throughout Bandera County, but especially in the Wharton's Dock area south of Bandera, admit to fear, and many have been reported to have armed themselves and reinforced locks.

Texas Rangers and other Department of Public Safety investigators have been assisting in the investigation since they were called in by Sheriff Pickett last Wednesday.

Evidence was found to indicate the killer may have staked out a spot from which to observe Denise Walker's activities. He may have stalked his victim for several days.

Also under examination in Austin is a possible palm print turned up by a DPS investigator during continuing searches Tuesday.

None of the results from this testing was available late Wednesday.

Walker had taught first grade in Bandera for seven years, after having taught in South San Antonio for six years following her graduation from Southwest Texas State University. Described as a quiet, independent person, Walker was liked and respected throughout the community.

"She enjoyed living alone, with just her animals and flowers," principal Al Kindla said. "She never said a harsh word about anyone. She would say, 'Don't worry about me. Pray for that poor soul.' She was very active in the First Baptist Church. I don't think she had an enemy in the world."

Kindla's statements seemed to echo the overall opinion of Denise Walker.

"She was an excellent teacher," school superintendent Ron Caloss said. "Her whole life seemed to be the kids she taught. She even took some of their clothes home and washed them. I've been told she even bought some clothes for some of them."

Evidence was found Saturday to indicate the killer may have staked out a spot from which to observe Walker's activities. Investigators have speculated that the killer may have stalked his victim for several days before committing the act that took her life.

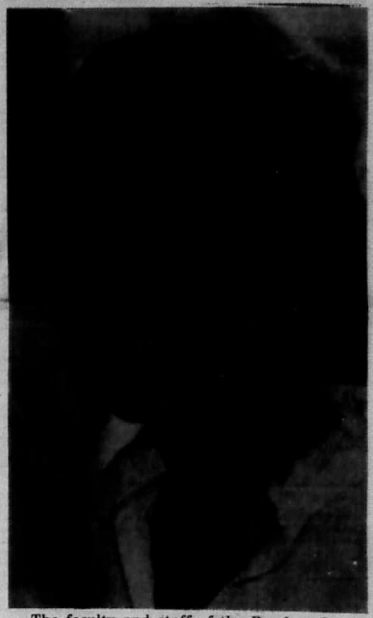
The isolated location of her mobile home apparently aided him in his activities, evidence indicates. Tracks found along several fence lines indicate that he moved at night, probably without a light, depending on the cleared areas along the fences to guide him.

One suspect in the case is known to walk long distances in the Wharton's Dock area at odd hours.

The condition of Walker's body when found indicate that the attack may have been sexually motivated, although lab evidence has been inconclusive. The final results of an autopsy performed by Bexar County Medical Examiner Dr. William Yudt, will not be available for several more weeks. Results of toxilogical tests are not yet complete. If indicated by the tests, police say rape charges will be added to the first degree murder charge.

Saturday's search turned up empty shell casings matching the caliber of one found earlier at the scene. In a dry wash below Walker's isolated home, searchers found a pair of binoculars suspected of linking one of the suspects to the death scene.

This and other items discovered were sent to the DPS crime laboratory in Austin to be tested and evaluated.



The faculty and staff of the Bandera Independent School District have established a Denise Walker Memorial Scholarship Fund. Parents and friends who would like to contribute to the fund may make checks payable to the Denise Walker Memorial Scholarship Fund. Donations may be left in any principal's office or may be mailed to Bandera ISD, P.O. Box 727, Bandera 78003.

Here's a chronology of what's known and suspected

Information on the brutal and so far baffling murder case that has shaken Bandera County has been slow to come out. Here is a chronology of what is known and suspected in the case.



Game Warden Carlton Becker, left, Sheriff Guy Pickett, Deputy James MacMillan and Texas Ranger Al Moreno prepare to drag the first of three stock tanks checked searching for the murder weapon during Saturday's sweep of the area near the victim's home.

Wednesday

The peacefulness of a normally mundane Bandera County day was abruptly pierced throughout mid-morning as word began spreading through the community of a murder ...on Wharton Dock Road... the Walker Ranch...Oh, no Denise Walker, that pretty, little, quiet schoolteacher.

First news reports reported the facts in a straight-forward manner. The Bulletin called it "an apparent homicide," because no official rulings had been made. Robbery was ruled out as a motive because Walker's valuables were not taken during the crime. Her body was found almost nude.

As quickly as shock and disbelief [illegible] anger [illegible] the day. If it could happen to Denise Walker, it could happen to anyone, people theorized.

Thursday

The community's worst fears were confirmed the next day when the Bexar County Medina Examiner's office ruled that the victim died of a single gunshot wound in the head. Evidence as to whether she was sexually molested "was inconclusive," officials said. Sheriff Pickett confirmed that no murder weapon had been found at the scene.

Friday

By Friday, authorities said they had a list of suspects, with at least three names on it, but one of those on the list was identified as a local man and the prime suspect. Officials steadfastly refused to identify any of the suspects. They say they fear the suspects may read their name in the newspaper and flee. Officials conceded, however, their prime suspect [illegible]

Saturday

A task force of 15 law enforcement officials from five local and state agencies began again combing the area around Walker's remote trailer home at about the same time most of the rest of the community began gathering to pay their last respects to Miss Walker at the First Baptist Church and later at Bandera Cemetery.

It was a day devoted by townspeople mainly to express their grief over the loss of a loved one. Fear and anger were emotions most persons tried to put out of their mind, though few were totally successful.

Lawmen, however, were busy, as they had been constantly since the cruel crime was reported Wednesday morning by the victim's father.

Their early-morning search turned up a pair of binoculars that may be connected with the case, some cigarette butts, and a shell fragment.

It was during this day that it became known that law [illegible] may be hunting a [illegible] criminal as the prime suspect, and an un-named "investigator" was quoted as saying the ex-convict could have stalked the victim for days and shot her when his plan went awry.

Searchers dragged three stock tanks in the area in a vain attempt to find the murder weapon.

Sunday

Bandera County continued to mourn its loss on Sunday morning, and law enforcement officers busied themselves with reviewing over and over what seemed like scant evidence, and gathering more where they could.

No major developments in the case were reported Sunday.

Monday

It was reported Monday that officers searching the interior of Walker's small mobile home found a shell casing matching the caliber of a .22 rifle bullet, fragment found in the victim's brain during the [illegible]

It was also confirmed that a rifle shotgun owned by Walker and found near the trailer door appeared not to have been fired. No other

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Potpourri

By Bill Johnson

(I gratefully turn my space this week over to Brent M. Hewgley, a Bandera Junior High student.)

Open letter to President Ronald Reagan and the editor:

In the beginning I had wanted this letter to be dated 1 January 1984 and to act as a resolution of intent, but the last 31 days have been spent tossing page after page of verbal script onto the floor in the effort to find the right words that will best express my thoughts.

I write to both of you gentlemen because you both are so powerful and respected. You Mr. Reagan are the leader of a most powerful nation and Mr. Editor, you are the writer of a great newspaper. Your words and actions can turn American citizens on to helping their country so my generation can perhaps save it from possible doom.

I am an American who is confused by teachers who no longer want to teach; policemen who no longer want to protect and firemen who no longer want to fight fires.

I am an American who is bewildered by fellow students who disrupt the classrooms where I learn and they don't.

I am an American who is troubled by workers no longer wanting to work.

I am an American who is embarrassed by vandals who burn and plunder my school books, my school and its equipment.

I am an American who is humiliated by juvenile colleagues who look and act like Hell's Angels, thus giving me a bad name.

I am an American who is mortified by mature patriots who spit and walk upon the Flag my forefathers carried into battle to protect and defend.

I am an American who is disheartened by politicians who promise the universe but don't or don't deliver their own back yard.

I am an American who is inflamed by arsonists who burn my stores, my church and my place of education.

I am an American who is overawed by fellow earthlings who bootagize Americans as some type of punishment against their country men.

I am an American who is puzzled by revenuers who's tax cuts means my Dad pays more and gets less.

I am an American who is mistified by lawmakers who condemn fireworks but do nothing to stop the explosives from being sold at roadside stands.

I am an American who is ashamed, Mr. President and Mr. Editor, to be growing up in an environment where the virtures of justice; temperance; prudence; fortitude; faith; hope and charity are just conceptions for everyone else to follow and everyone else thinks the same way.

I am an American who at 14 years of age can see that this country needs help; Mr. President and Mr. Editor. With all the power at your finger tips, is there not a way that you can help?

Brian M. Hewgley
Bandera



Letters

Enjoys editorials

Dear editor:

We very much enjoy receiving your paper, especially enjoy your editorial comments and "Letters" debating the issues.

We feel you are doing an excellent job. Incidently, we have no complaints on delivery.

We feel so far away from our ole friends, but your paper keeps us in touch. Owning property there, we like to know what's going on.

Hi to all our friends from the Frozen North.

The Heitz's
Westerville, Ohio

Call a meeting

Dear editor,

I began visiting Bandera some 22 years ago and finally moved here. I have been living in my present house for nine years. My children have gone and some still attend BISD schools.

My experience has been life is a two-way street and you always get back what you put into something. Let's look at the school bond issue which went down recently, and some still like to point fingers about.

The BIDS wanted to build a new facility saying they were overcrowded and would be more so in a few years. A few far-sighted people hunched their shoulders, spit, and said, "It was good enough for me 30 years ago, it should be good enough for you now."

To be sure, some of our school facilities are inefficient and cannot be made to work efficiently at today's standards. Efficient design for the future is needed.

Whoa, "we want higher education standards before we'll vote for new buildings," someone else said. I know that BISD has some excellent teachers, but we also have some who say their job is "Baby sitting," "crowd control," or simply to "keep the little urchins off the street so decent people can be about their business." I have overheard several of Bandera's responsible citizens lament the same statement during one of the school's off days.

But what about the teachers who can't teach? We have boys who can't read a tape measure; a girl who will soon graduate and can't read time from a clock with hands on it; a reputation with some military recruiters that maybe 1 in 5 graduates can pass military academic standards.

Well, what would you expect from the Cowboy Capitol of the World? This community is not academically inclined. We are most likely the only school district this size which doesn't have a PTA.

On the other hand, the lack of community support should be expected by a school system that has slowly been closing the door on the rest of the community. Whatever happened to the after the game dances? Little Olympics? School plays or concerts? When was last time you heard the school band play for the Christmas tree lighting?

If the BISD Board needs space, why not get local citizens involved. We have engineers and planners right here in this community who could help if you'd ask. If you have to pay them for their services, do it. I'd rather see the money be spent here on local talent or on supplies for a needy classroom than on an outside group.

If it's higher academic standards you want for your kids, get down to the school board meeting and help them understand that's what you want. Not by yourself or just once, but bring your mother, brother, sister, in-laws, outlaws, or anyone who feels the way you do.

When they (trustees) need someone who can help do something, jump up in your chair and tell them you'll do it. Because if you don't you can be sure the anti-spend, we-can't-do-it crowd will be there. It's your child that loses most, but you and the rest of the community will lose too. If you're serious about your child's future, (you should be) and the school board is serious about them too (they had better be), let's all get together and talk about where we are, where we're going, and how we can get there. Whatever the problems are in between we'll take care of them. But for now, some one call a meeting to start.

See you at the meeting.

J.R.
(Name withheld by request of the writer.)

Keep 'em chained

Dear editor:

On Jan. 16 and Jan. 23 neighborhood "dog packs" killed 2 pregnant nanny goats inside my pasture fence. A result of irresponsible owners who continue to violate the laws and let these 'killers' run loose day and night. Therefore, any dog seen on any part of my property (creek bed included) will be shot and killed and I will file charges on its owners. So, if you 'love' those 'killer pets,' keep them chained or penned day and night!

D. Driver
Red Bluff Creek

He needs help

Dear editor:

The autopsy is back: strychnine. A horrible death for any of God's creatures. How helpless and hurt I felt, and bewildered. Who would do such a thing? My yard is completely fenced and Molly-Girl and Schlepper died inside my screened-in porch! An invasion of my privacy, a poisoning of my pets, and worst of all, a poisoning of my dreams. And the fear and the thanks (yes, thanks). Thank God it wasn't a child! What if one of my nieces or nephews or visiting friend's toddlers had picked up the deadly offering? Children, like family pets, are trusting and not too careful about what goes into their mouths.

I've recently read the article presenting both sides of the issue. Pet owners vs. ranchers. But, you see, I grew up in West Texas, I knew when I bought my land and moved to those beautiful hills that my Molly-Girl and Schlepper had to have their "safe area." And so they did, I thought. "No climb" fence surrounding one and one-half acres.

They couldn't get out, so man came in. Not to protect his sheep or goats or cattle from predators, for he became the predator.

And, somehow this predator must be stopped; and somehow he must be helped. For it is one thing to protect the range animals and quite an act of sickness to trespass on private property and kill, just for the sake of killing!

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Bandera County Elections '84

Political Calendar

The Bandera Bulletin has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following candidates:

Bandera County Sheriff — Guy V. Pickett
Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gordon Nordlund
Bandera Co. Tax Assessor Collector — Marguerite Stevens
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — A.A. (Pete) Reed (D)
Bandera County Commissioner, Pct. 1 — Jim Ruccell (D)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — S. Blair Gray (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — Joe Mike Egan (R)
State Rep. District 45 — Eldon Edge (D)

Prison's books kept in duplicate?

A Duncanville state legislator investigating the Texas prison system last week charged two sets of books are being kept in a fringe benefits scam.

State Rep. Ray Keller, chairman of the committee overseeing prisons, said he got his hands on a confidential list of how much prison-produced food is allocated to prison officials and families.

The list differs from the official list given this fall to the Legislative Budget Board, leading Keller to charge that a "scam" was being perpetrated by some prison officials.

Prison construction cost overruns over the past few years and the Legislature to probing discrepancies in a number of areas.

Two weeks ago, a prison official was charged with rigging bids for construction materials to help a firm in which he is listed as a partner.

Prison officials withheld comment on Keller's charges pending their own investigation into the matter.

New home loans

Amid camera lights, handshakes and wide grins, a San Antonio veteran became the first to buy a new home under the state's new Veterans Housing Assistance Program.

Land Commissioner Garry Mauro, who runs the new state program and campaigned statewide for its passage last November, was on hand to congratulate Rolando and Mirea Castro, as was Gov. Mark White.

Castro, an Army officer in Vietnam, signed for the cameras the first new mortgage; a fixed-rate, 30-year note at 12½ percent.

Ironically, the Mortgage Bankers Association of America announced last week that federal veterans mortgages might be harder to come by, unless the Veterans Administration alters its intent to force lenders to sell foreclosed properties.

Criticizes president

Governor White a few days earlier told a press conference that President Ronald Reagan's foreign trade policies have "devastated" the economy and launched into bitter criticism of other Reagan policies.

White particularly targeted Reagan's failure to provide economic relief to the Rio Grande Valley economy and to drought-hit counties in West Texas.

Bush responds

The attack, not his first, was taken by many observers to be the beginning of a full-fledged campaign by White to see Reagan lose Texas in the November elections.

Vice President George Bush responded by promising to campaign repeatedly in Texas to counter White.

The Lone Star State is of "paramount importance" to the Reagan-Bush ticket, he said.

Redistricting

A three-judge panel last week upheld the congressional lines in Dallas County, a ruling which renewed the issue that has split Dallas Democrats and the black community.

Texas Republicans and the NAACP had objected to the plan, which makes safe the seats now held by two white liberals, John Bryant and Martin Frost.

The two groups wanted, but failed to get, a plan that would have favored election of a black and a Republican from Dallas.

Senate race

Republican Phil Gramm, a candidate for the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by John Tower, was expected to lead all candidates in the fund-raising department. Liberal Democrat Lloyd Doggett was thought to come in second, ahead of front-runner Ambassador Bob Krueger.

Doggett last week had some Democrats seething in anger after he implied in a televised debate that the mild-mannered Krueger supported assassination of foreign leaders.

Doggett actually dragged up a 1976 vote in which Krueger voted against an amendment prohibiting foreign aid funds for use in assassinations or political influence abroad.

Krueger naturally denied the distortion, but some yellow-dog Democrats wondered out-loud if Doggett, a real fighter in the Texas Senate, is crippling the so-called Democratic Party unity with what Krueger supporters regard as low-blow attacks. That race is heating up early and fast.

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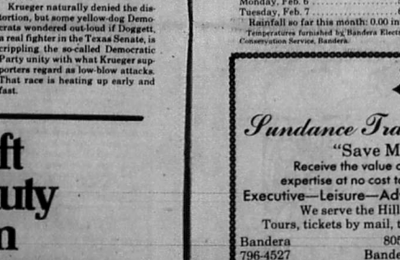

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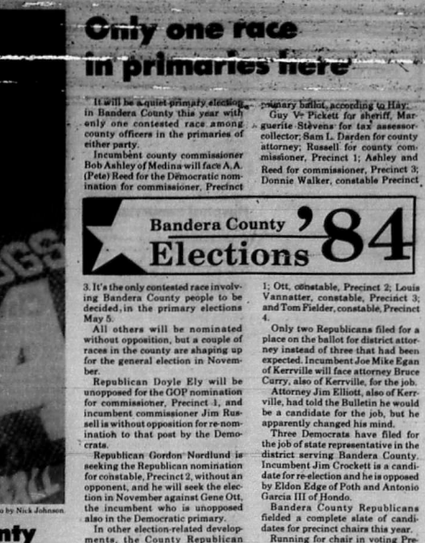

Staff photo by Nick Johnson.

Only one race in primaries here

It will be a quiet primary election in Bandera County this year with only one contested race among county officers in the primaries of either party.

Incumbent county commissioner Bob Ashley of Medina will face A.A. (Pete) Reed for the Democratic nomination for commissioner, Precinct 3. Ashley and Reed for commissioner, Precinct 3; Donnie Walker, constable Precinct 1; Ott, constable, Precinct 2; Louis Vannatter, constable, Precinct 3; and Tom Fielder, constable, Precinct 4.

January ballot, according to Hay.

Guy V. Pickett for sheriff, Marguerite Stevens for tax assessor-collector; Sam L. Darden for county attorney; Russell for county commissioner, Precinct 1; Ashley and Reed for commissioner, Precinct 3; Donnie Walker, constable Precinct 3. It's the only contested race involving Bandera County people to be decided, in the primary elections May 5.

All others will be nominated without opposition, but a couple of races in the county are shaping up for the general election in November.

Republican Doyle Ely will be unopposed for the GOP nomination for commissioner, Precinct 4, and incumbent commissioner Jim Russell is without opposition for re-nomination to that post by the Democrats.

Republican Gordon Nordlund is seeking the Republican nomination for constable, Precinct 2, without an opponent, and he will seek the election in November against Gene Ott, the incumbent who is unopposed also in the Democratic primary.

In other election-related developments, the County Republican Executive Committee picked investor Buddy Edwards, Precinct 4, to replace Col. Louis Duquette as county party chairman, and he took over his new duties immediately.

Among the names he reported to have filed for a place on the Republican Primary ballot May 5 is his. He will be the only candidate running for county chairman.

At the same time, long-time Democratic county chairman Ray Marvin Hay said he would step aside after the present term and newsman Nick Johnson filed for that position.

Here is the complete list of other persons from Bandera County who filed for a place on the Democratic ballot:

Only two Republicans filed for a place on the ballot for district attorney instead of three that had been expected. Incumbent Joe Mike Egan of Kerrville will face attorney Bruce Curry, also of Kerrville, for the job.

Attorney Jim Elliott, also of Kerrville, had told the Bulletin he would be a candidate for the job, but he apparently changed his mind.

Three Democrats have filed for the job of state representative in the district serving Bandera County. Incumbent Jim Crockett is a candidate for re-election and he is opposed by Eldon Edge of Poth and Antonio Garcia III of Hondo.

Bandera County Republicans fielded a complete slate of candidates for precinct chairs this year.

Running for chair in voting Precinct 1 is Mary Sealy, Precinct 2 Carolyn Edwards, Precinct 3 Helen Costello, Precinct 4 Norma Gray, Precinct 5 Mildred Brown, Precinct 6 Dorothy Pue, Precinct 7 Ruby Abbott, Precinct 8 Bill Morris, Precinct 9 George Williams, and Precinct 10 John W. Hughes.

Three Democrats filed for precinct chairman jobs, MacVon Meyer in Precinct 2, Arthur Erfurt in Precinct 8, and Marjorie Jordan in Precinct 9, according to Hay.

Democratic election judges appointed for the election include those three and Marianne Sandidge in Precinct 1, Johnnie Newcomer Precinct 3, Dorothy McCracken Precinct 4, Telvy Robbins Precinct 5, Maynard Phillips Precinct 6, Martin Smith Precinct 7, and Roy Gazaway Precinct 10.

Faces of Bandera County

Sophomore fullback James Compton added yet another award to a rapidly growing list (see story page nine.) While this is nothing new to Compton, many proud Bandera residents agree, this is truly a Face of Bandera County.

Temperatures

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Wednesday, Feb. 1	60	44	
Thursday, Feb 2	68	51	
Friday, Feb. 3	72	33	
Saturday, Feb. 4	67	32	
Sunday, Feb. 5	67	33	
Monday, Feb. 6	54	31	
Tuesday, Feb. 7	67	28	

Rainfall so far this month: 0.00 in. Rainfall so far this year: 2.45 in.

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CAR Comments with Phil Martin

DRIVING WHEN IT'S FOGGY!

When we drive in inclement weather, we should always be extra careful — even more so than driving on a clear night. Here are some tips on driving when its foggy and also night driving in the fog. To begin with, drive with your headlights on, but use the low beam. Using your high beam, the lights shine upward into the fog causing you to see more glare from the fog than the road.

If you are in an area where you have a lot of fog, you might consider getting some fog lights. When putting them on your car, mount them low, even lower than your headlights, but keep them 12 inches or higher from the ground. Besides having your lights on, use the wipers also to remove the moisture that will accumulate on the windshield. Drive slower than normal, but continue to move and be alert. You'll be surprised how quickly you can come upon another car if you aren't ready for it.

Should you have to leave the road because of an emergency or break-down, turn your hazard flashers on. It is also good to put a flare out about 200-250 feet behind you. In any case, don't just leave your tail lights on by themselves, because someone coming up behind may not realize that you are off the road, instead, they may think that they are following you and be unable to stop in time. Again, let me remind you to always be extra alert.

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Calendar

Today, February 9

Tarpley Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Football Awards Banquet, 7 p.m., Mansfield Park's Rec Center.
Medina School Board, 7:30 p.m., school.

Friday, February 10

Madrona Garden Club, 2 p.m., FSBCR.
Pancake supper, 5-6:30 p.m. Medina Senior Class - sponsors.
Boys basketball: Bandera at Randolph, 6 p.m.
Boys basketball: Harper at Medina, 6:30 p.m.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion.

Saturday, February 11

LSVFD, 10 a.m., art of fighting fires.

Sunday, February 12

Am. Legion Post 410 Mexican Dinner and Bake Sale, noon, Legion Home.

Monday, February 13

Bandera County Commissioners Court, 9 a.m.
ML Chapter of AARP, 10:30 a.m., beauty workshop at LHUMC.
B. Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m., Univ. Savings.
Bandera County Chapter of American Cancer Society, 2:30 p.m., FSBCR.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rocking R.
B. City Council, 7 p.m., municipal bldg.
Square dance club, 7-10 p.m., FNBBR.
Medina 4-H Community Club, 7:30 p.m., Medina school.
Game Bird Management, 7:30 p.m., Bandera Electric Coop.
Hill Country 4-H Community Club, 7:30 p.m., Medina Baptist Church.

Tuesday, February 14

Cheese and butter, 1-4 p.m., First Baptist Church.
Williams Creek Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m., home of Nettie Dean.
Boys basketball: Cole at Bandera, 6 p.m.
Boys basketball: Medina at Utopia, 6:30 p.m.
Board of Trustees of BISD, 7:30 p.m., BHS.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
MLVFD business meeting, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.
Hill Country Rabbit Breeding Assn., 7:30 p.m., FSBCR.
PC Community to meet, 8 p.m., Community Center.

Wednesday, February 15

Bandera AARP, 2 p.m., FNBBR.
LVFD bingo, 7 p.m.
PC 4-H Community Club, 7 p.m., Community Center.
Hill Country Music Assoc., 7:30 p.m., FNBBR
MLVFD training session, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.

Thursday, February 16

Hill Country DAR, 2 p.m.
Rio Hondo Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Golden Agers, 2 p.m., Bandera Methodist Church.
Friends of the Library, 3:30 p.m., County Library.
Bandera County Little League, 7 p.m., FSBCR.
Medina VFD, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
Banderb Lodge 81, 7:30 p.m., American Legion Home.

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Farm Bureau Week

...Feb. 5-11 as "Farm Bureau Week" ...

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Earl Blackstock of Medina is chairman of the membership committee which is responsible for membership acquisition and maintenance.

"The Texas Farm Bureau, with more than 300,000 member families on its membership rolls, is the largest state Farm Bureau in the nation," the proclamation reads.

"The Farm Bureau is a grass-roots organization, and its foundation is the county Farm Bureau. There are 216 organized county Farm Bureaus in the state, including the Bandera County Farm Bureau," the proclamation states. Fitzgerald said the local county Farm Bureau has 790 member families and is seeking to exceed that figure in 1984.

He said that the Farm Bureau is a general farm organization that seeks to improve income and living conditions of farm and ranch families. It represents the farmer and rancher at the local county courthouse, in Austin, and in the nation's capital, Washington, D.C.

Rabbiteers' bake sale

The Hill Country Rabbit Breeders Association will hold a bake sale Saturday, Feb. 11, in front of the "OST" Restaurant in Bandera.

The public is invited and your support will be appreciated, a spokesman said.

Around Bandera

S/Sgt. (A.F. Ret.) and Mrs. Lester Nance of Lake McQueeney and niece, Darlene Click, visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Click of Utopia and Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Heinen of Bandera over the weekend.

Darlene is a freshman at Texas Lutheran College in Seguin and lives on campus.

AACOG elects

The Alamo Area Council of Governments, which includes Bandera County representatives, has elected County Judge Sid J. Williamson, Jr. as its executive committee chairman and Mayor Gene Bernard of Universal City as...

Member government representatives from the 12-county region, including Bandera County Judge Tommy Curbo, gathered last week to approve the AACOG's budget and work program for 1984.

Harden Wiedemann, director of the Gov. Mark White's Office of Economic Development, addressed the group.

Medina County commissioner Leon Tschirhart has been appointed by Gov. White to serve on the state's Municipal Solid Waste Management and Resource Recovery Advisory Council, the AACOG reported.

Bandera briefs

Summer food service

The Texas Department of Human Resources has announced the availability of a summer food service program for children to eligible organizations during the upcoming summer.

The primary purpose of the program is to provide food service to children from needy areas during periods when area schools are closed for vacation.

Service institutions eligible to sponsor the summer food service program include public or non-profit private school food authorities, public or nonprofit private residential camps, and units of local, municipal or county government.

Organizations interested in sponsoring a summer food program are urged to contact Rebecca Everhard, Texas Department of Human Resources, P.O. Box 2960, Austin 78769.

Food service management companies must be registered with the Texas Department of Human Resources to be eligible to bid for contracts for the summer food services program.

All applications for registration must be received by March 15.

Food service management companies which were registered in the prior two years will be mailed applications.

Rabies clinic in March

The annual Bandera County Rabies Drive will be held again this year on the first Saturday in March, says Dr. Conrad Nightingale.

The dogs will be vaccinated from 9 a.m.-noon at the Bandera Fire Station on Main Street. Vaccination charges remain the same as last year: $5 per dog, including the Bandera County dog license fee, Nightingale said.

Cats will be vaccinated at Hill Country Veterinary Hospital from 2 p.m.-4 p.m. Again charges are the same as last year at $4 per cat. Licensing is not a requirement for cats in this county, according to Nightingale.

Bookshelf

The Friends of the Library, Who are they? What do they do? Why are they always raising money? What do they spend that money on?

The Friends of the Library is a group of men and women who have a common concern for their county library's active participation in community life.

They have a conviction that good library service is important to everyone. Friends raise funds by memberships and fund-raisers for needed library items not provided for in the budget.

Our county library is on a very limited budget. The Friends of the Library have a big job to do — and not enough people to do it. We meet once a month to discuss the needs of our library, our community, and how we can help meet those needs. We need men and women who care about our library and the quality of library service our community should be receiving.

The Friends of the Library can make a difference between a good library and a library that truly meets the needs of its community. The more people in our organization, the less work it will be for each individual.

There are too many responsibilities for just a few people to have to handle. Won't you please take some time out of your busy schedules and join the Friends of the Library in their work to give our county the quality of library service we deserve?

We meet the third Thursday of every month at 3:30 p.m. at the County Library. Our next meeting is on Feb. 16, please come and show your support for our county library.

Homemakers to meet

The extension homemakers of the Bandera E.H. Club will have their meeting Feb. 13 at 2 p.m. at University Savings.

This month's program will be on furnishings — combining the new with the old.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Mrs. Genevieve M. Banack and William T. Hatfield, both of Medina.

Bird management

In the past, much of the Extension Wildlife program has centered on the production and management of our whitetail deer herd.

On Monday, Feb. 13 a Game Bird Management program will be presented at 7:30 p.m. at the Bandera Electric Co-op. Dr. Dwight Guynn, extension wildlife specialist, will present the program which will address specific management practices and problems of upland game bird management and production.

The program is free to the general public and should be of value to most land owners and managers in our area.

"Hope to see you on Monday, Feb. 13, at 7:30 p.m. at the Bandera Electric Co-op," said Scott Durham, extension agent.

Charged

Mildred Lovett Staner, 69, of Bandera remains in custody in Kerrville under a $120 cash bond on a shoplifting charge.

Rancher to be honored

Bandera oil man and rancher Albert B. Alkek will receive an honorary membership in St. Mary's University's Delta Mu Delta Business Honor Society Friday at 6:30 p.m. at the School of Business on the university's campus.

The award is being presented in recognition of Alkek's contributions to the university.

The society also will induct 50 new members during the ceremonies.



Girl Scouts Heather Gardner, left, and Corina Diaz sell a box of Girl Scout cookies to a local resident. Cookies are now on sale from any Girl Scout or at local stores on weekends.

Chronology

(Continued from Page 1.)

weapon had been found, however.

Officials confirmed that residents had been calling law enforcement officers expressing fears and questioning rumors that continued to sweep the county as officials continued to be closed-mouth.

"People call, and they're scared. Women call," Deputy Sheriff Ken Mingo told a newspaper. "There's a lot of rumors flying around. What can you tell people like that? You try to put them at ease."

Tuesday

A reported rape that occurred in the county on Thanksgiving Day was reportedly linked to the Walker murder in the minds of some investigators, a newspaper reported, but Sheriff Pickett refused to discuss the earlier crime with reporters nor would he discuss a reported attempted rape which is said to have occurred prior to Thanksgiving.

A special investigator from the Department of Public Safety found a possible palm print during the continued search of Walker's mobile home. The new evidence was sent to Austin for possible identification.

Wednesday

One week after the stunning crime was discovered, Sheriff Guy Pickett reported an arrest in the case to be near, and the anger and continued fear remain in the community.

Applications now being sought for game warden's training

Law Enforcement officials of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department will accept applications during February for the next Game Warden Training Academy which will convene here in the fall of 1984.

Officials stressed that applications will be accepted only during the month of February.

Completed application forms must be received by 5 p.m. Feb. 29 to be eligible. They may be obtained from Parks and Wildlife Department field offices, Austin headquarters at 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, TX 78744, or by calling toll-free 1-800-792-1112.

Extensive interviews and background investigations will be conducted before the successful applicants are announced. The exact number of cadets to be accepted will not be announced until later, but enrollment normally is limited to approximately 35, officials said.

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Hillbillies have outing

The St. Victor's Chapel "Hillbillies" Youth Choir got together on Jan. 21 to go to the World of Sports in San Antonio. Leaders of the group were Maggie Pike, Julie Aguilar, Katie Ruede and Josephine Kliana.

Kids from Lakehills, Pipe Creek, San Antonio and Bandera participated in bowling, skating and playing arcade games. A great time was had by all and it is reported the World of Sports "may never be the same again."

Altar Society meets

Fifteen members of the St. Victor's Altar Society met Thursday evening at St. Victor's for their monthly meeting, presided over by President Maggie Pike.

Plans were formulized for a June barbecue and festival. Dottie Casey was welcomed as a new member. A beautifully decorated Valentine's cake and other refreshments were served following the meeting.



Local horsewoman recognized

Teresa Prater of Lakehills completed a "Register of Merit" on her three-year-old quarter horse mare, Miss Brandys Scamp, while in competition in Kingsville in late January.

Register of Merit are acquired by accumulating a total of 10 performance points at registered AQHA shows. The competition takes the horse, or its offspring more valuable, Teresa points out.

Teresa and Brandy participated in several events including halter conformation junior and amateur western pleasure, amateur horsemanship and trail. Overall this team has compiled a total of 16 performance points and seven halter points since this time last year.

Coming shows include the stock shows in San Antonio, San Angelo and Austin as well as weekend circuits in San Antonio, Seguin and Corpus Christi.

Medina Lake AARP

The Medina Lake Chapter American Association of Retired Persons has received its charter and its number is Chapter 3638.

This active group is holding an aerobic's type exercise class every Monday morning at the United Methodist Church in Lakehills. This class is geared to a comfortable tempo for mature men and women. Everyone is welcome to attend and you can set your own pace. The group meets from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m.

Next Monday they will sponsor a workshop on beauty for the mature woman. Barbara Engel will demonstrate and lecture on proper care for the hair and complexion of the mature woman. This beauty workshop will be held at the Lakehills United Methodist Church at 10:30 a.m.

This group is also sponsoring the "We Care" phone line, for people living alone in our area. It's their way of keeping in touch and contact with those who don't get out often or have someone close by. Anyone wishing to participate in the "We Care" line should call Mimi Lavarre at 751-3192.

Bying your sweetheart

Get your sweetheart and go to the Lakehills Civic Center Saturday night. It's the Medina Lake Betterment Association's annual Valentine's Dance honoring Lakehills' favorite sweetheart, Panchita Thomson, who was born on Valentine's day.

The party will begin at 7 p.m. and Glenda Raye will strike up her band at 9 p.m. and they will play for your dancing pleasure until 1 a.m.

New officers installed

The installation of officers for the Medina Lake Chapter AARP was held Jan. 23 at the American Legion Home in Lakehills. Installing officer was Adele Adams of San Antonio. Adele is a past state director of AARP.

Installed at the candlelight ceremony was Nadine Hartmann, president; Lucille Moore, vice president; Clarine Hosmer, treasurer; Jerry Mauer, recording secretary; and Dorothy Webber, corresponding secretary.

Directors installed for second year were June Settlemeyer and Waldo Blanke. First year director was Louise Marmor.

Following the installation ceremony, Dennis Winwright of the Bandera Electric Co-op presented a program on Energy Conservation and outlined many useful ways to conserve energy.

Methodist women

United Methodist Women celebrate the Centennial of Methodist women in mission in 1984. On Feb. 1, the local unit met to see a film on the history of Methodist Women depicting their work, growth and goals during the last 100 years.

Helen Kerr led a program in which Irene Zigler gave a history of the local unit. Ellen Tipton and Carol Hamilton spoke on the significance of prayer.

The hostesses, Nadine Hartmann and Margaret Talk, served refreshments to 16 members and guests Johnie Ernst and Helen Davenport.

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Sam's barbecue

Sam Byrd gave a big barbecue for his "son," Ritch Simmons at the Copper Lantern Saturday night. His special guests were Ralph and Susan Haywood, from Harlingen. They will be new residents of Bandera.

The "Country Do Gooders" provided the music for the festival. They included Art Holt, Jack Bartlett, Chuck Harrison and Drew Knoll, all from Lakehills.

A large crowd of their friends from Lakehills were present. Also attending were Roy and Wanda Lich of Kerrville, Tom and Elaine Chaney, and Adelle Byrd, all of Bandera; and Buster and Merledene Talley of San Antonio. Merledene is the daughter of the Newmans.

Visitors

Sherry Cable, daughter of Nola and Phil Bledsoe, and sons, David and Joseph from Kentucky, are the Bledsoe's guests this week.

Lucy Rogers, San Antonio, and Vience and Yolonda Simmons, Edinburg, are visiting Dana and Ritch Simmons.

Carmen Lee and Hazel Smith, San Antonio, were guests of Dell and Bethel Lackey over the weekend.

Birthday greetings

Happy birthday to Tammy Pollard, Dana Simmons and Leslie Coffee.

Weekenders

Bob and Sue Smith were working on a clean-up job on their lakeside home.

New resident

Roy Alexander has moved a mobile home on his lot near Otman and Billie Byars. He is their uncle.

East Coast trip

Mary and Floyd Portman returned Sunday evening from a three week's trip to the East Coast. They were present at the wedding of their Godchild, Lorinda Fischer in East Meadow, New York and visited many old friends in that area. On the way back home they stopped in Arlington, Va., and visited with more friends.

Fire training

Instructions will be given in the technicalities and mechanical art of fighting fires. All members are urged to attend on Saturday Feb. 11 at 10 a.m.

Drought, freeze impact food prices

For most consumers far from the farm and ranch, the impact of the 1983 summer drought and winter freeze will be measured at the grocery store.

"Since the impact on food prices may come later than consumers expect, planning ahead can save dollars this year," says Dr. Dymple Cooksey, a foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service.

The drought will affect consumers almost exclusively through meats and poultry, especially beef, she says. Higher feed costs and shrinking margins for producers will probably mean some reduction in meat supplies and higher meat prices in the last half of 1984 and into 1985.

In the meantime, beef supplies and prices remain steady and attractive, because producers responded to reduced returns by sending more animals for processing last fall and winter, explains Cooksey.

Economists expect this picture to continue for the next few months, but supplies will tighten by summer.

"Now is an excellent time for consumers to purchase and freeze beef," she says.

A similar situation exists with pork, adds the specialist.

The winter freeze has taken its toll on citrus and fresh vegetable prices, says Cooksey. According to the United State Department of Agriculture, prices have moved up this month, even on commodites from areas not affected by the freeze.

The produce supply may be seriously disrupted for another month, since the tomato crop was wiped out in Florida and Texas and other tender crops, including peppers, squash, cucumbers, lettuce and even cabbage were affected, she says.

"Wise shoppers will change their buying habits to minimize the effect of the freeze on their family food costs," says Cooksey.

Although fresh citrus from Florida and Texas are available, greater quantities of California and Arizona oranges and grapefruit are being shipped. "But buyers should avoid panic overstocking on citrus if they want to avert further price advances," she cautions. Fortunately, apples and winter pears continue in good supply, and consumers may find better buys in canned or frozen fruits and vegetables.

Food prices will probably rise in 1984, but not all of that increase should be blamed on the weather, says the specialist. In any given year, food prices respond to many factors including inflation, domestic and foreign demand and stocks on hand, she notes.

"Consumers should remember that farm prices are usually not the major component in the food price picture, especially since processing and marketing costs make up about 70 percent of retail prices," explains Cooksey.

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Senior Citizens

By Mary Worley

A reminder that Feb. 14 is cheese distribution day for those who have met qualification requirements, hours, 2 to 4:30 p.m. at the Baptist Church annex.

We have become accustomed to the blood pressure clinics so regularly being available on each first Wednesday, through the auspices of the Texas Department of Human Resources. The cheerful and courteous nurse who conduct these clinics deserve our heartfelt thanks.

They seemed genuinely distressed last week to have to inform us there will be no clinic in March. They said they had really not been supposed to come last week, but since the changed rules had come so late that they could not inform the community, so they came anyway, rather than disappoint our residents.

The next clinic will probably be in early April, with definite conformation to be made about mid-March. Be alert to this announcement, when word is received.

The hearing clinic, sponsored by Bolton-Jan. 22, had some two dozen participants taking advantage of the service. This also will be a repeat event, probably in early summer.

The regular meeting of AARP will be Feb. 15 at the meeting hall of First National Bank, unless otherwise notified. Members are reminded to bring labels from Maxwell House coffee containers, to help procure that needed coffee urn. This particular brand is being featured quite often now as specials.

Feb. 16 will be Golden Age date, when you are invited to join neighbors for an afternoon of games in the Fellowship Hall of First Methodist Church, 2-4 p.m.

Mondays at the Center are interesting and busy times, with work on several crafts going on simultaneously, while nimble fingers fly, and good conversation keeps pace. Most of the results can be found in the Craft Corner, some of them only briefly, as per example the baby quilts mentioned last week. Both are gone, but there is a promise of more available soon. Also it pays to watch the Mini Mart section, where some astonishing bargains can be found from time to time.

It is hoped that with more reliable weather few interruptions will occur and that more people continue to join in the activities. Friday at 5:15 is the regular Melodier sing time.

There is such enjoyment in relaxed, just-for-fun singing of the songs we all remember. Why not come, see for yourself? All are welcome, and you still have time for whatever, in the evening.

New wool market sought by sheep men

Developing new markets for American wool has been identified as the top priority of the American Sheep Producers Council's Wool Advisory Committee.

The group's specific projects approved this month were the result of input it received during lamb and wool workshops conducted at various locations recently.

By way of developing new markets, the group allows for more involvement by blended product manufacturers, stressing new product development, particularly of a wool/cotton blend fabric.

The group also plans to prepare a directory of regional wool suppliers and a sheep identification pamphlet describing alternative identification methods.

It also plans to coordiate more fully wool projects being conducted the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Texas A&M and Texas Tech universities, and others.

Political announcement

Constable Pct. 2

Gordon Nordlund authorized the Bandera Bulletin to announce his candidacy for the office of constable for Bandera County Commissioner, Precinct 2, subject to the action of the Republican Primary on May 5.

Nordlund has lived in Lakehills for the past seven years. After retiring from the Air Force in 1974, he has been active in the local business community as owner of Viking Enterprises Boat Storage and a partner in G&N Motors. He is an active member of the Lakehills Shrine Club, Alafar Shrine of San Antonio, and the American Legion Post 410 in Lakehills.

Nordlund and his wife, Johnnie, have four daughters and a son and nine grandchildren.

"I believe to be constable you need the desire to get involved and have availability to all the people, and if elected I will serve all the people of this community to the best of my ability," he said. "Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated."

(Pd. pol. adv. by Gordon Nordlund, Rt. 3 Box 313B, Lakehills, Tx.) 31-1tp

Pipe Creek

Nancy Ibach 535-4517

Mini-concert

Tom and Patty Estes, full time evangelistic singers from Kingsville, will be at the First Baptist Church Saturday, Feb. 11, for a mini-concert, and Sunday morning they will have control of the music portion of the services.

Sunday night they will perform for the entire service. Saturday night they are going to have Valentine dinner on the grounds, serving to begin at 6:30 p.m.

"If you plan to go, please bring the following for your family; fried chicken, potato salad, green salad, green beans, and dessert," said a spokesman. Everyone will be eating everyone else's food, but this way there will be enough to go around. The mini-concert will follow the dinner.

Feb. 12-18 are the dates for "Focus on WMU Week" and in the Sunday morning services. These organizations will be recognized; Baptist Women, Acteens, GA's, Mission Friends, and the RA's.

Last Saturday, Feb. 4, 16 of the young people went to Leon Valley for a skating party after choir practice.

Club meetings.

The Pipe Creek Cub Scouts will meet this Friday after school. The Pipe Creek 4-H'ers will meet at 7 p.m. at the Community Center on Wednesday, Feb. 15.

Aerobic plus

Have you seen what is happening at the Community Center? On Monday and Wednesday mornings and on Tuesday and Thursday evenings there are Aerobic Plus lessons going on.

Sabinal Canyon

Lillie Thompson — 966-3486

Bill and Margie Griffin were in Ft. Worth and Granbury Jan. 24-28. Mary stayed at the home of her daughter and husband Dixie and Tom Williams, taking care of her three grandsons, Tim, Cole and Sean, while the Williams attended the James Robison crusade in Dallas.

Tom Williams is the music director. Bill Griffin visited his parents in Granbury while Marg took care of her grandchildren in Ft. Worth.

B and R Ranch

Jack and Mary Caldwell of McAllen have bought property on the B and R Ranch. The former Hanson place is where they will build a new cabin.

We are happy to state Tiny Boultinghouse is back home after having a flare-up with her heart last Thursday. She was transported to Uvalde Memorial Hospital by EMS, had a check up, was treated and released Friday.

Ill

Nancy Haby became seriously ill and was transported by EMS to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville last week. She is reported to be slightly improved.

Stored canned foods safe

Those canned green beans you have stored in the garage may taste a little musty when you finally get around to eating them, says a Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension foods and nutrition specialist.

"A decrease in quality or texture may be noticeable in canned foods which were stored in garages or sheds during December's freezing temperatures," says Dr. Alice Hunt.

If you haven't already, check stored foods now for broken seals and cracks in jars or bulging cans, says the specialist. These foods will not be safe to eat and should be discarded, she adds.

Rust formed from condensation on the outside of cans poses no danger, says Hunt, although you may want to wipe up any remaining moisture to prevent further rusting. The food will not be safe to eat "if the rust has gone through the can," cautions the specialist.

If Texas is hit with more severe cold this winter, canned foods stored in unheated areas would have an additional slight decrease in quality. But it would take many severe freeze-thaw cycles to make the food completely unpalatable, Hunt says.

Persons with specific questions about the safety of canned goods should contact their county Extension office.

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Purple Hills — Mada Wedgworth

Lutheran services

Pastor Harold Doerfler of the Grace Lutheran Church used for his text I Corinthians 2:1-5. Jodi Holen played the piano for us.

Those registering were David Doerfler, Becky Peterson, Jodi and Ian Holen, Mrs. Joe Kalka, Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Catherine Baker, Lois Armstrong, Norma Barr, Carolyn Pfeiffer and Kay Ochoa.

Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Tannner of Lakehills visited his mother, Ruby Tanner, last Monday afternoon.

Mary Mazurek's visitors last week were her son, Tony Mazurek, and granddaughter, Dorothy Fox.

David Hodge, Marie and Suzanne Balderrozy-Emge, Barbara K. Helms, and Sylvia Grevnia of Utopia visited Ruth Jackson, Velma Porter and Ruth Ratto.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bowman of Lakehills came by to visit his sister, Lorena Bowman, Monday after noon.

Thanks to the Ladies of Camp Bandina for the lovely door decorations for February. Thanks also to Allyne Hines and Pearl Harrell for putting them up for us.

Zelma Moffet and Margie Hohon of Medina visited Maude Stokes and Donna Mayfield.

Bertha Allen of Medina visited her mother, Cynthia Mayberry.

Thanks to Martin Smith of the Church of Christ, 11 residents enjoyed Bible Reading Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevis Heyen visited her mother, Hulda Heyen.

We are happy to report Ruth Jackson feeling well enough to go home. We will miss her but wish her the best.

Vera Kunz came by to visit Clara Sprott and Annie Kollaus. Also visiting Miss Annie were Thelma Jurecki and Betty Childs.

Milton Leibold of Lakehills visited his brother Willie Leibold.

Betty Ruede visited her aunt, Lillian Lang.

Winnie D. Chaddock visited Ruby Sides, Henry Lewis and Donna Mayfield.

Wilfred Perkins visited his mother, Frances Linscomb.

Tom Mayo came by and took her aunt, Ruby Sides, out for dinner Friday.

The Rev. William Moseley of the First Baptist Church in Medina visited residents Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ferrell of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hunter of Kerrville visited Susie Hunter.

Claire Thaman of Kerrville visited her mother, Agnes Fortinberry.

Veonita Porter spent the weekend at home with her family.

We welcome Thelma Keene to our family. She came to make her home with us last Saturday. We hope she will enjoy her stay with us.

Mrs. Ernest Rainey and son [illegible] visited [illegible] and father, Ernest Rainey.

Thanks

Thanks to Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick of Kerrville, Cynthia Mayberry, Alice Mellis and Jack Holloway attended services at the Church of Christ Sunday. It sure is good to see Laverne up and about after being under the weather for a few days.

More visitors

Ople Boyle and her daughter, Charlotte, visited their mother and grandmother, Maude Stokes. Sandra Vannatter and sons Nathan and Jordan visited their grandfather and great-grandmother, Maude. They also visited Henry Lewis.

Mae Armstrong's visitors were her son and daughter-in-law Sam and Lois Armstrong, Ruth Edwards and Anna Lee Tucker.

Myrtle Heinen's granddaughters, Nancy and Debra Criet, Rebe Williams, and their aunt, Mary, came by Sunday and took her for a nice ride to Hondo where they enjoyed dinner.



A Thought For The Week

By John M. Grimes

The legend of Lincoln carries on through the years. His words have been quoted more than any other man on the American scene. His were words of wisdom. His wisdom and, in fact, his basic strength most surely emanated from a spiritual source. He had unwavering, unashamed belief in God; a steadfast faith and profound love of God.

Remember his words when he left Springfield? "Without the assistance of that Divine Being, I cannot succeed. With that assistance, I cannot fail."... And in his inaugural address—"Intelligence, patriotism, Christianity, and a firm reliance on Him who has never forsaken this favored land are still competent to adjust in the best way all our present difficulty."

Is not his thought applicable and sorely needed today for all of us, for leaders and followers alike?...

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Christ In You.... What Does It Mean?

A fact the Bible makes clear is that Christ dwells in every believer. As a matter of fact, if Christ, or the Spirit of Christ, is not in a person "he is none of His" (Romans 8:9-10). The Bible states it in various ways. Jesus himself used the expression, "I in them." (John 17:23). Paul speaks of Christ who "liveth in me" (Galatians 2:20) or of Christ who "may dwell in your hearts by faith" (Ephesians 3:17), or simply of "Christ in you" (Colossians 1:27). The fact is clear, what does it mean?

There are some who take this to mean that at conversion one invites Jesus into his heart; that Jesus from that time on takes over one's life, takes over the struggle he has been waging against sin, resolves his sins one by one, and makes him a new person. Of course, from one standpoint, all of this can be regarded as true. There is even a sense in which Christ "does it all." But the impression is often left, whether intentionally or not, that one does nothing himself but simply turns it all over to the Lord. It is just not that simple.

The same apostle who said, "Christ liveth in me" also said to Christians in the same epistle, "until Christ be formed in you" (Galatians 2:20, 4:19). That is, like an embryo develops into the child, Christ must develop in the Christian. Christ is in us to the extent that we measure up to "the stature of the fullness of Christ" (Ephesians 4:23). Christ dwells in our hearts by faith (Ephesians 3:17), but faith is something that grows (II Thessalonians 1:3). These scriptural facts ought to dispel the illusion that Christ enters by heart fulfillment at conversion and takes over completely. In the light of Galatians 4:19, it would be more proper to say he begins as a seed that subse-

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Bandera

Church of Christ
Minister: Martin Smith
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Bandina

Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina

First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
Minister: Doyle Maynord
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek

First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

Lakehills

Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley

Baptist Mission
Pastor: Glenn W. Rhines
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
562-3468

Utopia

Church of Christ
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629

Baptist Church
Pastor: Homer Stepl ens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
and Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Vanderpool

Community Church
Pastor: George Palvado
Worship: Sunday, 8 p.m.
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
966-3420

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Pastor: Jose Luis Sandoval
Worship: Sunday, 2 p.m.

Other

Unity Church of the Hill Country
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This 'n' That

The February meeting of the Bandera Fine Arts Club was entertained by the Hill School members of Medina's Concert Band. Director Michael Farmer said that she group played three selections: "Man of Harlech," "Little English Suite" and the always popular "Can Can." Farmer also stated that this was the second year that the musical group had been asked to perform for the club.

Hospitalized

Nita Gallant is hospitalized in San Antonio Humana Community Hosp. for surgery. Silvia Hinds is at Methodist Hosp. cardiac unit after entering last Saturday. We wish speedy recovery to both ladies.

Senior citizens

Jan. 20 a meeting was held at the youth center at Medina to discuss the possibility of organizing a senior adult center. A very good crowd turned out for the meeting.

Sarah Graham reported that the group had been offered the use of a very nice large building by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brown free of charge.

After much discussion, three board members were elected, Sarah Graham, Josie Brown and Virginia Johnson.

Sarah reported that she had already made application at the Medina Telephone office for service in the Brown building. At this time it was decided to take up a collection to take care of this payment and $150 was collected.

Also discussed at this time was the kinds of projects that could make money to help defray expenses. It was decided to have a sale of anything that would be donated to us. Furniture of most any kind, other household goods, handcraft or anything that would be saleable. Also handcrafts that you have made and want to donate. A date for this sale will be finalized later and the public will be notified. Stella Keese said, "We just want all adults to know you are welcome to take part, in fact you are encouraged to do so as we are looking forward to working and playing with those who take part.

"We hope to be self supporting so that we do not have to take any federal funds, so that we do not have to be federally regulated."

You can leave your donations at Hatfield's store Feb. 18-20 or 21 from 9 till 12 as someone will be there to receive it.

OES school

The District V, Section III, Order of the Eastern Star annual School of Instructions was held Jan. 23 at Center Point at the First Methodist Church. The school was followed by a banquet at the Inn of the Hills at Kerrville, and a Fraternal visit at the Kerrville Masonic Lodge hall.

Honored guests were Margorie Johnson, Worthy Grand Matron; Dr. Effie Mae David, Grand Examiner; Dorothy Howard, District Deputy Grand Matron; and Mary L. Garrett, Deputy Grand Matron.

Honor roll

Medina Schools
First semester

Amy Caddell, Cody Wells and Tony Martin, fourth grade; Rebecca Chambles, fifth grade; Will Hatfield, sixth grade; Lisa Chamblee, seventh grade; Michael Greenwalt, Chris Keeley and Danny Reid, ninth grade; Mark Williams, 10th grade; Michelle Ellison and Sheila House, 11th grade; Greg Chaney and Darrell Moffett, 12th grade.

Medina menu

Feb. 13-17

Monday: Sausage, scalloped potatoes, pork and beans, fruit, rolls and milk.
Tuesday: Chicken patie, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, fruit, rolls and milk.
Wednesday: Chalupas, salad, corn, fruit and milk.
Thursday: Turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, bread, fruit and milk.
Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.



LaVora Williams, Irene Hatfield, Luce Kuenek and Delia Ortiz, left to right, braved the recent cold to plant a tree in observance of Arbor Day in Medina.

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Our temperature was 32 degrees Monday morning with sunshine.

In memoriam

Our small community was shocked and saddened to learn of the untimely passing of Marie Denise Walker last week. We send heartfelt sympathy to her mother, Lenna "Wright" Walker, and her father, William Walker, and to her many friends and loved ones. "Surely someday there will be a brighter tomorrow."

Meeting

The Williams Creek Extension Homemakers Club will meet Tuesday, Feb. 14, at 2 p.m., at the home of Nettie Dean. Peggy Edwards will have charge of the program and the subject will be "Furnishings — combining the new with the old." All are invited.

Birthday

Tuesday Vashti (Dean) Sparks will be observing her 83rd birthday in Kingsville.

Vashti was born and grew up in the Tarpley area. She enjoys the Bandera Bulletin each week. "Happy Birthday to Tidie."

Nickols visit

Elmer and Viola Nickel of Marion, Tex. enjoyed visiting with his cousin and wife, Mr. and Mrs. H.E. (Boss) Haner and Mr. and Mrs. Anton Haner Sunday afternoon. Other visitors on Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Haner of San Antonio. They were dinner guests of his parents.

Attend funeral

Anton and Marilyn Haner and his brother and wife Jerome and Barbara Haner attended the last rites for their cousin on Wednesday at Grimes Funeral Home in Kerrville. Howard Orth was born Sept. 20, 1912, and died the first of last week. Orth was injured in a car accident approximately a year ago and had spent about a year in the hospital and nursing home since the accident.

His wife Bernice and a son and a daughter survive him, as well as many relatives and friends, including Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Haner of Tarpley. Deepest sympathy is extended.

Visitors

Earl and Marie Hood drove to Kingsland Thursday morning to visit Edna and Ray Chentham. They returned Friday afternoon. Edna is their daughter.

Sunday afternoon Viola and Harold Jackson motored to Bandera to visit friends from Corpus, Billy and Elizabeth Becker, who have built a lovely home about four miles out of Bandera on the Dixie Dude Road.

Also on Saturday the Harold Jacksons enjoyed having old friends they'd known since 1928 visit them. They were Elmer and Thelma Schaefer who live near Seguin.

Illness

Sorry to report Willie Morris of the Rio Hondo area has been quite ill since Thursday. We hope she will soon be much better.

Congratulations

We are all proud of Billy Morris on the many honors he has won and continues to win. Saturday Billy placed third in the University Interscholastic League Region calculator and math contest.

Lampasas visitor

Mrs. Alton (Nell) Woods came last Monday and visited her mother, Edith Jeffers, and her sister Ethel Mae Maxey. She left Thursday. We are most happy to inform everyone Mrs. Jeffers is much improved following a stroke.

Rio Hondo news

The weekend was a special time for many of the residents when 30 Boy Scouts and 14 adults from Seadrift came for a camp out and a Survival Program.

Each year the Seadrift Troop 106 comes for a weekend. Friday night when they arrived, Eric and Deniz Morley and their two little girls visited the group. Eric gave a fine talk on Indian lore and survival. He also went again on Saturday.

They enjoyed hiking through the mountains. The scout party camped on the Milton Hausmann's. Bill Morris's and Larry Weaver's places and these neighbors hosted a turkey dinner for them on Friday night.

Other guests were the Dick Paxtons and John and Judy Goodenough of Bandera. John and Judy have worked many years with boy scouts and John has a Silver Beaver Award and Judy has Silver Fawn Award. These are the highest honor awards.

Guests in the Hausemann home were Tom Richards, Port Lavaca, also a scout master; a nephew of the Hausmanns, Chris Moeller of Odessa; Chris's friend Gay Griffin; Perry Winkler and his son and daughter from Granada, Tex. Winkler's 7-year-old daughter stayed with Milton and Roberta. Perry Winkler is a ranger for the Mauritz Scout Reservation of Granada.

I love you friends for your help to make our column. Please don't let me down!

Wild turkey leaflet is now available

The spring Turkey gobbler hunting season is still a couple of months away, but prospective hunters should start brushing up on their turkey lore now to be prepared.

Spring turkey hunting season in Bandera County is April 14-29. There will be a one-gobbler limit per hunter, the Parks and Wildlife Department points out.

To help in preparing for the season, the department is offering a free leaflet entitled "Learn About Turkey." Authored by biologists Robert L. Cook and Horace Gore, the publication is a comprehensive review of turkey identification, habits, distribution and past history in the state. It also includes illustrations for building a turkey feeder.

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PEN in PAW

For, about and by students in Bandera schools.
Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Speckman

BHS literates sweep

By Michele Speckman

Bandera's math, science, journalism, ready writing, and spelling participants placed second in sweepstake competition at the Boerne University Interscholastic League literary meet.

Two 3-A schools, John Jay and Holmes, finished first and third.

In journalism, Bandera swept newswriting by placing all three of its competitors. Randy McHaney placed second, Seana D'Spain third, and Becky Blakemore fifth.

Mary Bolan placed third in Ready Writing and Lisa Vakey eighth.

The ready writing and journalism competition both took place on Thursday, Jan. 26, and math, science and spelling contests were Saturday, Jan. 28.

Biology competition brought two winners to Bandera, Todd Weber placed third and Kenny Trenkelbach placed eighth. Billy Morris placed fifth in novice calculator and Derrick Berg placed sixth overall in science competition.

A new section of UIL took place at this meet called the Science Olympiad. The sections under this division were Paper Airplanes (distance and time aloft), Mousetrap Races, Bird Call Contest, Egg Drop, Biology Scavenger Hunt and Musical Coke Bottles. Bandera brought home two winners in this division. Derrick Berg won second in the paper airplane time aloft, and Derrick Berg-Ted Celis won second in the egg drop.

BHS did well at Boerne this year. Let's keep up the good work at all the other meets, including district!

Boerne meet

Kelley and Morris win

The BHS Speech, Math, and Science teams came home from Smithson Valley High School's Forensics Meet with two medals won by Matt Kelley in prose, and Billy Morris in calculator applications.

Matt won first place with a rendition of "Thirteen," by William Lodge. Billy placed third.

Members of the team advancing to finals were Sandy Riedner, Kelley and Wendy Valdez in prose, and Sandy Riedner in poetry.

Those advancing to semi-finals were Riedner, Kelley, Valdez, and Kim Compton in prose; Riedner, Valdez, Janet Weber, Mary Segovia, Betty Richmond and Nancy Stephens in poetry; and Linda Karr in informative speaking.

Speech coach Baird Neville commented, "Our Speech kids' realize their hard work is beginning to pay off. Ms. Wiles and I are proud of them and know that they are committed to that extra effort to be at their very best for district (competition)."

The next stop for the team is the Mason meet on Feb. 18.

—Wendy Valdez

Bulldog briefs

In order to qualify an applicant must be a senior and a member of NHS. Students nominated completed a questionnaire describing academic achievements, extracurricular activities, work experience, personal activities, and standardized test scores. Applicants wrote a few short paragraphs on a topic selected by the scholarship board. The two best applicants then had to fill out another form to compete in National Competition.

Students selected as winners in the national competition must enroll in an accredited institution in the United States in a program leading to a degree. Scholarship funds are paid to the school selected for the freshman year immediately following graduation from high school.

Kaleidoscope stars

By Sandy Riedner

With a thunderous applause, Bruce Kates appeared before the cameras, as did numerous Bandera journalism and speech students. Was it stars of tomorrow? No, it was San Antonio's local show "Kaleidoscope" these students appeared on, Jan. 24.

Kaleidoscope was only the first stop for the students as they journeyed through their field trip which consisted of a complete tour of Channel 5 studios.

Upon arrival, students were immediately seated in the audience section on the show. Following this, an assistant supervisor who has been working at Channel 5 studios for thirty years, explained to the students the technical functions of the set, such as the cameras, lights, etc. It was time to begin the show and as soon as the cameras started rolling, comments such as, "Look I'm on TV!", "Wave, there's the camera!," could be heard. It was a fun-packed thirty minutes, with a special appearance by Christine Caloss. Tiffin Youngblood and Wendy Valdez were prize winners after answering "animal" questions.

Following the show, the students were taken by Ish and Bob Garcia on an extensive tour through the studio. From the Eyewitness News set to the engineering room, students viewed the process by which a studio is run.

"Can you believe that it cost $500,000 for a commercial during the Super Bowl?" Shane Yates exclaimed, after talking with a technician.

Much was gained by all, as proven by Christine Caloss's comment, "It's so exciting. I was thinking of studying communications in college and now I know it's definitely the challenging career I want to pursue." Special appearances were made by Gary DeLaune, Bob Salter, and the notorious Grimm Reaper.

Luby's served as the final stop, in which everyone blindly filed through, heaping delicious dishes onto their trays.

Many thanks as extended to KENS TV for overwhelming hospitality!

Financial aid conference held

Twenty-one persons, both parents and students, attended a session [illegible] High counselor on how to apply for financial aid for college.

Topics discussed were [illegible] grant and loan programs, and resources were the main topics of discussion for the evening.

The College Board Financial Aid Form (FAF) and the ACT Family Financial Statement (FFS) are the two main financial aid forms used by most institutions for higher learning. Any student who has not picked up one of these should do so immediately if he intends to seek monetary assistance in college, the counselor said.

Financial aid officers at each college evaluate individual needs by use of these forms, the counselor said. Each college has different financial aid deadlines.

January and February are the best months for applying for financial aid. By using the forms, students can also apply for the Pell Grant.

A new item added to the financial aid program this year involves registering for the selective service system. Any boy not registered on his 18th birthday will not receive any financial assistance. A student must also have applied for admissions and been found acceptable to attend that particular school of his choice.

—Michele Speckman

Compton named

Sophomore fullback James Compton is the recipient of another award. Compton has been named to the All Southwest Texas first team.

Sportswriters throughout southwest Texas selected the first and second teams from all the schools. These players were chosen from reports given by the coaches.

BHS Head Football Coach Dan Nesue said, "It is very unusual for a sophomore to be picked. They really like to honor the seniors and will occasionally pick a junior, but it is almost unheard-of to pick a sophomore. I think this is just another fine pat on the back for the great year that Jimmy had."

James is very honored and appreciative in winning this award. He commented, "I want to give credit to the coaching staff, the offensive line, and to Tim Butler. Because without them, none of this would have been possible."

—Randy McHaney

Bandera beats Southside

Bandera varsity and junior varsity girls beat Southside last Tuesday for another win in district.

Varsity girls started off strong to hang up a halftime advantage of 30-12. The Bulldog offense was tough and the Cardinals were not able to stop it.

High scorers were Christine Fleming with 15 points, Christine Caloss 12, Kellie Clements 10, Tina Doebbler and Suzie Espinosa 8 each, Kathy Ryan 4, Mary Bolan, Terri Butler and Kim Cherry 2 each.

Defensivély the Bulldogs were able to hold the Cardinals to only 36 points, making the final score 63-36. Leading rebounders were Christine Fleming with 18 and Christine Caloss with 12.

Junior Varsity girls also got an early lead over the Cardinals, leading 17 points over Southside's 9 at halftime.

Scorers were Paige Youngblood 10, Beckie Clements and Sally Molina 7 each, Lorri Robbins 4, and Tammy Rigsby and Missy Mangold 2 each. Final score was 34-13 Bandera.

Smithson Valley creeped by Bandera [illegible] Friday night, [illegible] trouping their hopes for district play-offs.

[illegible] and sent Smithson Valley to the free throw line, helping them up their score, 26-20, at the half.

Helping on the offense for the Bulldogs were Christine Fleming with 8 points, Christine Caloss 7, Kathy Ryan and Kim Cherry 6 each, Kellie Clements 5, Terri Butler and Tina Doebbler 2 each, making the final score, 36-46.

Christine Caloss was leading rebounder for the Bulldogs with 14.

Bandera JV defeated Southside, 41-23. Bandera's defense held the Cardinals throughout the game.

Scorers were Beckie Clements with 14, Paige Youngblood 10, Missy Mangold 9, Kim Spencer 3, Carol Dailey and Sally Molina 2 each, and Tammy Rigsby 1.

—Kathy Ryan

Tickets on sale now

Buy your tickets now for the annual Salad Supper and Concert sponsored by the Bandera Bulldog Band.

It will be held March 5 starting at 5 p.m. in the High School Cafeteria. The supper will be followed by a concert at 7 p.m. in the auditorium.

The price of tickets is $2.50 per person, and all band students will be selling them. Mark your calendar for March 5 and don't forget to get your tickets in advance. You can also buy them at the door if you care to, a spokesman said.

—Michele Speckman

Seniors hold meeting

Senior Class T-shirts were the topic of discussion at a meeting held Wednesday, Feb. 1 during break.

Sponsors discussed the T-shirt sales and explained what the shirts would look like. The shirts will cost $9 and are available for order through Tiffin Youngblood and Tina Doebbler.

—Karen Rizner

ALS meeting

The ALS will meet Thursday, Feb. 16 at 6 p.m. in the National Bank Board Room.

Mrs. Helen Zickler will be the guest speaker at this meeting.

—Michele Speckman

Menu

Feb. 13-17

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Char-Burger with cheese and bun, French fries, H.B. salad, fruit and milk.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Oatmeal with brown sugar, peaches and milk. **Lunch:** "Heart-O-Mine" pizza, "Cupid's Arrow" fries, "Tempest" tossed salad, "Island Paradise" cookies, "Sweetheart" punch and "Snow White" milk.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Muffin with honey, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Beefy enchiladas, pinto beans, Spanish rice, fruit, corn bread and milk. Second choice: Burrito.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Toast with jelly, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Sliced turkey, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans Italiano, roll, and milk. Second choice: liver with crisp bacon.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Chili cheese dog, French fries, lettuce salad, chocolate drop cookie and milk. Second choice: Sausage with bun.

City Council member Tobin visits BHS

Dianne Tobin, member of the Bandera City Council, visited Nancy Hunter's government class Feb. 2, discussing the history of Bandera and modern Bandera politics, policies and problems.

In her discussion of the history of Bandera she stated that the town was a pass to the plains. Later Bandera was used as an ogtrigging supply post for trail drives. And as a [illegible] supply center for nearby [illegible].

The major problems Bandera will face in the future will be better fire and police protection, a larger library as Bandera grows in population, the council member said.

Mrs. Tobin has been on the city council for one year.

—John Cornelius

Valentine messages to your sweetheart

Carrot,
Someone loves ya, bunches!
Your Little Bunny

BAS
I love you.
JA

Chuck,
Happy Valentine's Day! I love you!!
XOX Shannon XOX

Mom and Margie,
Y ou two are very special people, We love you very much!
All your kids

Mark,
I love you very much! Always and forever!!
Seana

Missy, Daria, and Janet,
I wuv ya'll very much!!
Seana

Nancy, Happy Valentine's Day! I love you.
Jeff

Mom and Tom, Dad and Claire, Melissa, Seana, and Janet,
I love you all very much and I hope you have a very good Valentine's Day!!
Your friend and daughter,
Daria

John T.
I will love you always!!
Rio

Mom and Mema, .
Happy Valentine's Day!!
Love,
Nancy and Jeff

Jeff,
Roses are Red
Violets are Blue
Jeff, you're my special guy
And I love you!!
Guess who!!

To the Otts
Roses are Red,
Violets are Blue
We want to say
"Happy Valentine's Day you two!!"
Love,
Jeff and Nancy

Roses are Red, Violets are Blue,
Hey Mom and Dad, I really do love you! P.S. Dad, can I please have that new truck?
Love you both,
Tina

Roses are Red, Violets are Blue,
Guess what Mom and Dad!? I still love you!. P.S. Remember my birthday's coming up soon!
Love always,
Kelly (Mrs. Charlie Crooked)

Happy Valentine's Day
Waddies!
Guess Who!

Bam-Bam,
I love you!
Pebbles

Shannon Mormando:
You're a very special person. Happy Valentine's Day.
Love,
Gary

Rio,
I'll love you always also.
John Taylor, Simon LeBon, and Cy Curnin

Kelly and Vicki,
I love you! N.M.A.J.C.— U.M.! Friends forever,
Toni

Mom and Dad, Seana, Daria, and Janet,
I love you all, and hope you have a very happy Valentine's Day!!
Love,
Missy

Hi Scott H.
Remember your friends from the Bandera Stock Show? Well, we want to say "Happy Valentine's Day" to you and to all those other good looking Medina guys!
Love, K.C., K.K.

My Dear Cast-Mates, Crew, and Mr. Neville,
I just wanted to say that they better watch out because Chamber Music is going to Stat8! Happy Valentine's Day!!
Love always,
Trudy

Mom, Dad, Jerry, and Deb,
Happy Valentine's Day! And I love you very much!
Glynda

Sandra!
Happy Valentine's Day! I wuv you!!
Glynda

Deb,
Happy Birthday!!
Love,
Glynda

Charles,
Happy Valentine's Day! I love you.
Brenda

Russell,
Happy Valentine's Day!
Love,
Tina

By Glynda Madden, Melissa Ross and Daria Johnston

What's up

By Nancy Hayes

Feb. 9-Football Banquet.
Feb. 10-JV and varsity boys basketball vs. Randolph, there, 6 p.m.
Feb. 10-11-Student council workshop, Del Rio.
Feb. 10-Solo and Ensemble contest, Hondo.
Feb. 13-First day to administer the TABS test.
Feb. 14-JV and varsity boys basketball vs. Cole, here, 6 p.m.
Feb. 14-16-TABS test for 9th grade.
Feb. 18-"Beyond the Horizon" computer session.
Feb. 21-Student council executive board meeting, Whetley High School.
Feb. 24-Last day to administer TABS test.

For your Valentine

Student Council will be selling carnations through Feb. 9. For $1.50, a carnation will be delivered on Valentine's Day.

Colors of the flowers will be red, white, pink and peppermint. If you purchase a carnation, you may write your own message to your prospective Valentine, a spokesman said.

—Nancy Herriott

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Zoning law "invalid"

District Judge Robert R. Barton has ruled invalid a zoning ordinance that gained the necessary votes for passage by the Bandera City Council only because of a so-called "absentee vote" submitted by a councilman who was absent.

The effect of the judge's ruling, issued Feb. 1, was to set aside the zoning ordinance passed by the city council which would have allowed Ray D'Spain to construct a mobile home park in Bandera.

The judge said "proxy" voting is not prohibited by law, but only the "quorum" (those present) of the city council has power to enact ordinances, and councilman Bob Cowan was not a member of the quorum when he was not present.

A change in zoning that is protested by immediate neighbors must have the affirmative vote of four of the five council members for passage. Council member Patricia Price voted against it while the three other members present voted for the change.

Cowan had sent a written note before the meeting stating that he favored the change of zoning, and his vote was counted as the fourth favorable vote.

"Because the favorable vote cast for the absent alderman (Cowan) must be excluded, the ordinance in question received the favorable vote of only three-fifth of all members of the council," ruled Judge Barton.

"Therefore," said the judge, "(the ordinance) fails of passage."

Attorneys Sam L. Darden and Robert Wehmeyer, who opposed the zone change during the council meeting in question and who filed this suit to challenge the ordinance, had also charged the city failed to give the required notice.

Judge Barton, however, said that by their attendance at the meeting, the two attorneys had waived their right to prior notice. Obviously, he said, they must have heard of the hearing because they attended it.

The judge failed to consider a question by the city challenging Darden's suit on the grounds he waited until D'Spain invested what he said was $20,000 developing his mobile home park.

Honor roll

Third six weeks

12th grade, All As: Vicki Bates, Kim Compton, Wendy Frazier, Jonathan Graves, Linda Karr, Chris Reeves, Sandy Riedner, Karen Rizner, Michele Speeman, Lisa Vakey and Wendy Valdez.

11th grade, All As: Bubba Caloss, Trey Graves and Shane Yates.

10th grade, All As: Billy Morris.

12th grade, As and Bs: Derrick Berg, Mary Bolan, Tim Butler, Robert Batts, Toni Byam, Tammie Ellis, Linda Erfurt, Dyke Ferrell, Nancy Herriott, Keith Kindla, Ralph Kluna, Kelly Maier, Malisa Methvin, Gavin Pearson, Bruce Robison, Dawn Stubenazy, Tracy Thompson and Tiffin Youngblood.

11th grade, As and B's: Clara Albright, Ann Anderson, Terri Butler, Tommy Callahan, Phyllis Graham, Scott Kelly, Kelly Kindla, Jill MacMillan, Shannon McMullan, Denise Moore, Cindy Park, Kevin Parker, Wayne Peck, Kathy Ryan, Tana Short and Kris Stell.

10th grade, As and Bs: Derrin Berg, Ted Celia, Tim Prioche, Mark Hanna, Clint Koenig, David Pardee, Nancy Patton, Skipper Swonke and Janet Weber.

9th grade, As and Bs: DeAnn Adamietz, Nancy Anderson, Jarod Balson, Troy Balson, David Wade Barefield, Jim Brown, Scott Caloss, Mark Evans, Mike Hill, Matt Kelly, Daniel Potts and Lorri Robbins.

Fourth grade, all As: Colby Anderson, Carrie Goode, Christine Jackson, John Montague and Gary Yates.

Fourth grade, all As and Bs: Rebecca Bates, Melinda Burns, Cindy Calhoun, James Clifford, Shawn Edwards, Brad Floyd, Patricia Hamilton, Daisy Holcomb, Rachel Hoffer, Robert Kalka, Melissa Kinsey, Heather Koenig, Paul Mangold, Deanna Martinez and Wendy Matthews.

Also Wade Mayfield, Carrie McFarland, Chance O'Dell, Lahree Pearson, Patrick Rehder, James Robinson, Donna Sandoval, Manny Sandidge, Micki Shelton, Heather Small, Lorielle Schmidt, John Stroud, Lisa Wharton, Angela Wilson and Kenneth Wilson.

Semester

12 grade, all As: Kim Compton, Wendy Frazier, Jonathan Graves, Sandy Riedner, Karen Rizner, Wendy Valdez and Lisa Vakey.

12th grade, all As and Bs: Vicki Bates, Mary Bolan, Tim Butler, Toni Byam, John Cornelius, Donald DeThorne, Tina Doebbler, Tammie Ellis, Linda Erfurt, Dyke Ferrell, Robert Hynes, Nancy Herriott and Linda Karr.

Also Kelly Maier, Linda Patton, Gavin Pearson, Jimmy Perkins, Kim Pereyn, Sue Pickett, Chris Reeves, Bruce Robison, Theresa Sowell, Michelle Speckman, Dawn Stubenazy, Tracy Thompson, Laura Wilton and Tiffin Youngblood.

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Fourth grade, all As: Carrie Goode, Christine Jackson, John Montague and Cary Yates.

Forth grade, all As and Bs: Colby Anderson, Rebecca Bates, Melinda Burns, Cindy Calhoun, James Clifford, Shawn Edwards, Brad Floyd, Patricia Hamilton, Robert Kalka, Melissa Kinsey, Heather Koenig, Troy Konvicka, Shannon Lant, Paul Mangold, Deanna Martinez and Wendy Matthews.

Rettko, Haby married



The marriage of Diane Haby and Kenneth F. Rettko Jr. was solemnized Jan. 7 at the Lakehills Civic Center in Lakehills. The Rev. James Colley officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mrs. Alvina M. Haby and the late Howard R. Haby Sr. of Lakehills. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth F. Rettko Sr. of Spring Valley, Ill.

Matron of Honor was the bride's sister, Danielle Martinez of San Geronimo. Attending as best man was the groom's brother, James Rettko of Lakehills. Bridesmaids were Nancy MacMillan and Tammy Ott, both of Lakehills. Groomsmen were David Weeks of Conroe, and Ron Sitta of Bandera. Erica Martinez, niece of the bride, was flower girl and Paul Murry was ringbearer.

Wearing a floor-length bridal gown of white satin fashioned with fitted bodice with lace overlay, sweetheart neckline, and full lace sleeves cuffed with loops and buttons, the bride was given in marriage by her mother and brother, Howard R. Haby Jr.

She carried a bouquet of white carnations and ball mums. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a caplit of pearl tiarra. Her "something old" was her mother's engagement ring and "something new" was her dress.

The bride's attendants were gowned in floor-length replicas of the bride's gown in powder blue, champagne beige, and mint green. They carried long stemmed waltzing carnations to match their gowns.

The groom, his father, and the bride's brother all wore nutmeg tuxedos. The groom's attendants wore fawn tuxedos. All the men wore white carnation boutonnieres.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Haby wore a floor-length red dress with sheer long sleeves, with black accessories. Mrs. Rettko wore a street-length dress of purple with long sleeves and black accessories.

The bride's grandmother, Mrs. Arthur Lich, wore a floor-length, long-sleeved floral gown with black accessories. All three ladies wore white carnation corsages.

Iris Sitta presided at the guest registry. Dorothy Mortola served the bride's cake, which was a three-tier white with blue roses and daisies cascading down the side topped with a bride and groom standing in front of a lace heart.

The groom's cake was served by Gwen Akin and baked by Nancy MacMillan. The cake was German chocolate decorated with a youthful bride and groom encircled by white carnations.

Candice Saathoff caught the bride's bouquet and Jeff Bachmann caught the blue garter.

The hall was decorated with white bells and streamers. The latticed arch trellis used for the ceremony was entwined with live English ivy and white carnations. The table for the wedding party was decorated with floral arrangements of gladiolas and carnations enhanced by blue candles in the candelabra and place cards.

The Nashville Drifters played for dancing.

Stanley Tschirhart prepared the meal for the approximately 300 guests from Lakehills, Helotes, Mico, Pipe Creek, Boerne, Kerrville, Center Point, Seguin, St. Hedwig, Rio Medina, San Geronimo, Wisconsin and Illinois.

Ruth Tschirhart directed the house party which was made up of Don and Nancy Burns, Earl and Judy Klein, Dennis and Rita Lugg, Leroy and Gwen Akin, Gene and Barbara Ott, Marie Pickett, Dorothy Mortola, Rose Ann Scott, and Don and Dorothy Tietz.

On Friday evening prior to the wedding, the groom's parents and his sister, Julie Rettko of Spring Valley, Ill. hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Hill Ton Cafe in Mico.

Parks — Recreation

Ida Faris of Brookhaven, Miss. wishes to announce the engagement of her daughter, Brandy Ellen, to Paul Eric Nagman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Neuman of Bandera.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Brookhaven High School and is employed with Nash Phillips-Copus Realtors in Austin.

Her fiance is a graduate of Bandera High School and is employed with Austin Door Products in Austin.

The couple plans a Feb. 24 wedding in Austin.

Fine Arts hears Medina band

A feature of the program for Fine Arts on Tuesday at the Bandera Coop was the presentation of three numbers by the Medina High School Band under the direction of Michael Farmer.

The band members were well received when they played "Men of Harlech," March, "Little English Suite," and "Can Can."

The speaker for the afternoon was Decorator Buz Kinkaid who gave some interesting pointers on interior decoration. He gave specifics of the decoration of a penthouse in San Antonio and a Victorian house in Uvalde. He stressed the need to arrange the furniture in the house to capitalize the view from inside the house. "Let the different seasons shine in," he said.



Carla Suzanne Buzbee and Gary Keith Osborn were married Dec. 30 at First Presbyterian Church in Mineral Wells. Grandmother of the groom is Bessie Schmidtke of Bandera.

Helping Hand to elect officers

The annual Helping Hand board of directors meeting for the election of officers will be held Feb. 21 at 7 p.m. in the basement of the First Baptist Church, Bandera.

"All member organizations should be sure that their representative is present at this important meeting," a spokesman said.

Each representative is automatically a member of the board of directors, and each participating organization is entitled to one vote in the election of officers.

The board of officers to be elected for the coming year include president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, and will be selected from and voted on by the board of directors.

The participating organizations and their representative, according to records on file, include Bandera Historical Commission, Mrs. A.V. Pue; Masonic Lodge No. 1123, Carter Beach; First Baptist Church, Pete Pigott; United Methodist Church, Betty Swinford; Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Jane Dry; St. Stanislaus Catholic Church, Linda Cook; Grace Lutheran Church, Earline Lindig; Senior Citizens Activity, Glyn Taylor; AARP, Al Robinson; Child Services Board, Mae Bachelor; VFW Post 9176, Phillip Singleton; American Legion, Gary MacMillan; Mission Bautista, Bro. Joel Garcia.

Also Pipe Creek Baptist Church, Oleta Davis; Hill Country Chapel, Albert Marks; American Legion Aux., Sue Kruse; Lakehills Volunteer Fire Dept. Aux., Norma Gray; AARP, Nadine Hartmann; United Methodist Church, June Settlemeyer; United Methodist Church, UMW, Aren Neal; Faith Chapel, Jim Colley; Medina Lake Shrine Club, W.W. Settlemeyer; Medina United Methodist Church, Ruth Lewis; Medina Rotary, Ollie Clark; Williams Creek Est. Homemakers, Marilyn Haner; Tarpley Extension Homemakers, Jewel Cartrett; Tarpley Baptist Mission, Rev. Glenn W. Rhines.

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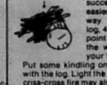
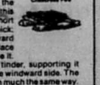
BUILDING CAMP FIRES

More and more people are escaping to the outdoors on weekends for relaxation — and camping. Due to this popular recreation, firewood has become harder to find — especially kindling. Some of the most popular camp fires are the following: Slab-Dab Fire Lay, Criss-cross Fire and Hunter's Fire.

Slab-Dab Fire Lay



Criss-cross Fire



A good fire lay is the secret to fire success. One of the easiest is made this way. Take a short log, 4-5 inches thick; point the log toward the wind and place your tinder beside it. Put some kindling on top of the tinder, supporting it with the log. Light the tinder on the windward side. The criss-cross fire may also be used in much the same way. (See diagrams.)

Hunter's Fire



The most popular is the hunter's or trapper's fire. Using rocks or logs, it can be built very quickly. Take several logs, a couple of feet or so in length, about 5-7 inches in diameter, setting them apart far enough so your pots may rest on them without falling between. When using rocks, flat-top rocks are the best. CAUTION: Do not use rocks from streambeds, lakes or even shale rocks. When they get too hot, they can explode. If you aren't familiar with shale rock, build some other type of fire.

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In the meantime, try this sweet treat featuring Texas carrots.

Carrot spice cake

3 C. flour
2 C. sugar
1-1/2 C. peanut oil
3 eggs
1 small can crushed pineapple
2 C. Texas carrots, grated
1 C. pecans, broken
2 tsp. cinnamon
2 tsp. soda
3 tsp. vanilla extract

Mix all ingredients and bake in greased floured tube pan 1-1/2 hours at 325 degrees F. Mix 1 C. brown sugar with enough orange juice to spread over cake while it is still warm.

Cowboy artist museum

Artist Ken Riley from Tucson, Ariz., will conduct a design workshop at the Cowboy Artists of America Museum in Kerrville April 2-6 for individuals seriously pursuing careers in professional art.

The workshop is part of the ongoing educational program of the Cowboy Artists of America Museum.

Individuals interested in enrolling in the workshop must send a letter of application with biography and three slides of finished works to the CA Museum by Feb. 28. The application should be addressed to Griffiths C. Carnes, Director, CA Museum, P.O. Box 1716, Kerrville 78028.

There is no charge for the workshop, but participants are asked to become members of the Museum if they had not already done so, a spokesman said. Class size will be limited to 20.

Families can ease transition

Moving an elderly relative into a nursing home can produce a family crisis.

"Whether the move is initiated by the older person or the family members, it brings to the surface all the mixed feelings that characterize close human relationships," says Judith L. Warren, a family life education-aging specialist.

With the move to an institution, all family members aware of the older person's declining health, and aware that it is probably the last move which he or she will make, says Warren, who is with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service home economics program.

Families need to maintain close ties at this time in spite of feeling angry, hurt, afraid of rejection and deeply sorrowful. The entire family may actually be grieving for the passing of an era," she says, "and adult children may be confronting their own mortality for the first time."

In this difficult situation, many adult children may have the impulse to retreat, notes Warren.

Yet research indicates that the best thing families can do is to stay close during the first few weeks after the move while the older person adjusts to the new surroundings.

At least one family member should spend the entire first day at the home and daily visits by as many family members as possible should be made for the first two weeks, suggests the specialist.

While the adjustment period is critical, it's also important that family members continue contact with visits, phone calls and notes, she adds.

"This contact demonstrates the adult childrens' commitment and reduces their parent's fears of abandonment," says Warren.

Prior to admitting an older person to a nursing home, Warren suggests that families carefully select an institution that encourages the maintenance of family ties.

Nursing homes that have open visiting hours, provide facilities like coffee shops and lounges where families can spend time together, encourage families to bring special food treats and reduce obstacles for visits to relatives' homes encourage family closeness, says the specialist.



"Cowboy," a bronze by George Phippen, is one of several art works reflecting the romance of the American West included in the exhibit, "Art From the Diamond M," on display at The University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures in San Antonio, Feb. 15 through April 15.

American West exhibit scheduled at Institute

"Art From the Diamond M," an exhibit featuring artistic images inspired by the romance and adventure of the American West, is on display at The University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures, Feb. 15 through April 15.

The exhibit is composed of selected art works from the collection of the Diamond M Museum in Snyder, founded in 1964 by West Texas oilman and rancher C.T. McLaughlin.

Among items included in the display are several Currier and Ives lithographs; paintings by such artists as N.C. Wyeth, Dalhart Windberg, W.H.D. Koerner, Wayne Baize and George Phippen; and sculptures representing the work of James Earl Fraser, Anna Hyatt Huntington, Frank B. Hoffman and George Phippen.

Though Western art is the predominant theme of the exhibit, examples of American, English, European and Eskimo works are incorporated to show the diversity of the Diamond M Collection.

The Institute of Texan Cultures is located in downtown San Antonio on HemisFair Plaza, just off Bowie Street. The hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Sunday. Admission is free and parking is $1.

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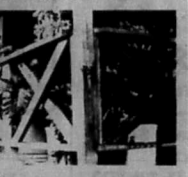

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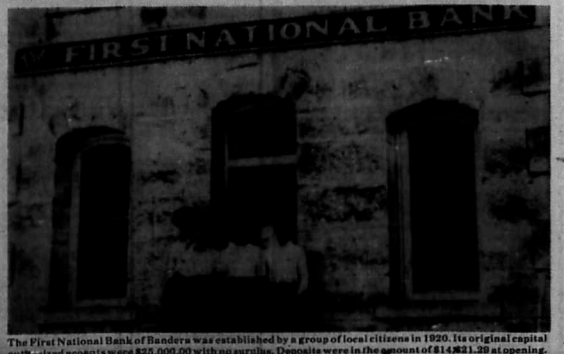

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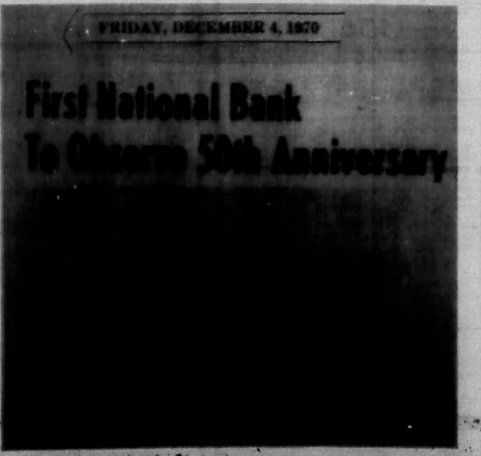

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Henry & Virginia Moeller
Medina River Ranch
31-1tc

Thank You

Dear friends,

We wish to express our sincere thanks to each of you who were so thoughtful through cards, letters, flowers, phone calls and visits during our hospitalization and recovery.

It is friends such as you that really make life so great and we will be forever grateful. May God bless each of you always.

John Provance
31-1tp

Public Notices

Notice

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For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, J.F. Huie, at P.O. Box 1415, Medina, Texas 78055, 589-2851, or the Section 504 Coordinator, J.F. Huie, P.O. Box 1415, Medina, Texas 78055, 589-2851.
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Bandera County is receiving applications for the position of Park Manager for Mansfield Park through February 15, 1984.

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5.) Camping reservations management.

6.) Work to a specific job description.

Applicant must be able to deal with the general public and supervise part time labor.

Applications should be brought or mailed to the County Judge's Office. 29-3tc

Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 22nd day of February, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 12:00 o'clock noon, THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BANDERA will sell at Public Sale to the highest bidder or bidders for cash the following described personal properties:

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Texas does not permit short-term debt or borrowing to finance general government operations.

The most common bond programs authorized by the state include Veterans Land bonds, Water Development bonds, College Student Loan bonds and Farm and Ranch Loan Security bonds.

Texas' bonds, expressed as outstanding long-term debt, amount to about two percent of the $135 billion worth of outstanding debt of all state governments for the year 1981.

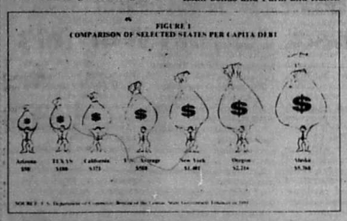
With a total of $2.7 billion in state government debt, the per capita share — what each citizen would owe were it divided up and called for payment - is well below the national average of $588.

Texas' per capita debt stood at $180, compared to the nation's highest, in Alaska, at $5,768 and the lowest, Arizona, at $50. See illustration.

There are only four other states with lower per capita debts than Texas. These are Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and Arizona.

Local governments borrow much more frequently to finance activities and projects. Municipal and school district debt are not included in these calculations.

FIGURE 1
COMPARISON OF SELECTED STATES PER CAPITA DEBT



SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, 1982 Government Finances in 1982

—More Public Notices—

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International Truck #FA6464H (used for parts -no title)
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Poclaim Excavator 912 Type B 74 Serial Number unknown
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Allis Chalmers Plains Motor Grader #D-51718; Allis Chalmers HD6G Loader #13581
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One (1) Allis Chalmers HD6G Diesel Craler/Loader, S/N: 45821
One (1) 1967 International Harvester Scraper, Model #2211, S/N: 1084
One (1) 1967 International Dirt Buggy, Model #211, S/N unknown
Two (2) 1970 Ditch-Witch Trailers, S/N: 8525 & 8522
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One (1) 1970 Ditch-Witch Backhoe, Model 140, S/N: 7194
One (1) 1978 Ditch-Witch Boaring Unit, S/N: 5682
One (1) Ditch-Witch Tractor, S/N: 647873
One (1) Ditch-Witch Trencher and attachments, S/N: 62242
One (1) 1978 Ditch-Witch Front End Loader, Model AT, S/N: 90014
One (1) 1978 Ditch-Witch Trencher Model R30, S/N: 340975
One (1) Caterpillar D7E Bulldozer, S/N: 48A7933

Said sale shall be held at the headquarters of Oak Country Subdivision in Bandera County, Texas, about 8 miles South of Pipe Creek, Texas, off Highway 16.

These properties will be sold as one unit.

The First National Bank of Bandera
BY: KEN FINLEY
Assistant Vice-President
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Bandera Rainfall Record
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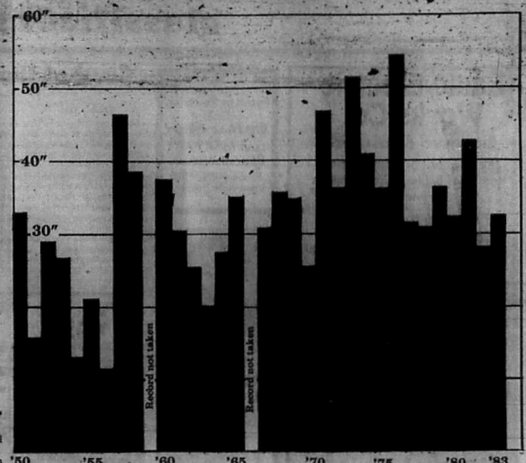

Winter's cold weather may hurt this summer's pecans

The late December cold spell in Texas could have a major impact on the 1984 pecan crop, says a Texas A&M expert.

"Many rapidly growing young pecan trees (less than seven years old) as well as pecan trees in nurseries took it severe beating from the prolonged cold weather," says Dr. George Ray McEachern, horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

"Mature trees that were stressed from a heavy crop in 1983 could also have suffered some freeze injury," adds McEachern. "This is especially true of Barton, Mahan and Wichita varieties."

Also, mature trees that were drought-stressed at the time of the severe cold weather likely suffered more severe freeze damage, notes the horticulturist.

Commercial pecan growers as well as homeowners interested in nursery pecan trees to plant this winter should inspect them closely for freeze injury before making a purchase. McEachern suggests slicing the buds, cambium (layer of growth just under the bark) and screen (base of plant) to check for brown tissue, which would indicate freeze damage.

The horticulturist also advises against pruning back existing trees until mid-May to determine the extent of any freeze injury.

Still No. 1

This question was asked Texans this year:

"If you wanted information on where to shop, where would you most likely turn to first — TV, radio, newspapers, magazines or other?"*

57% Said they would usually turn to the local newspaper for information on where to shop.

18.9% Indicated they would usually turn to other sources such as yellow pages, shoppers, direct mail circulars.

9.3% Television.

5% Radio

4% All others.

7% No response.

*The research was commissioned by The Texas Press Association and jointly conducted by Consumer Data Service (CDS), a market research firm, and the University of Oklahoma Journalism Research Center. The survey utilized the telephone interviewing method. A total of 4,507 interviews were conducted with consumers in 1,129 Texas towns and cities during the period of Nov. 8, 1983 to Jan. 5, 1984.

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Bulldogs near district title



Bandera's Steve Parker goes high into the air for these 2 points in an earlier game. Parker scored 26 and 18 points to lead Bandera to two key victories this week. The 'Dogs close out play here Tuesday with Cole.

A clear, one-game lead with two games to go is the unexpected but satisfying perch occupied by Bandera Bulldogs after a pair of key wins this week left them with a 6-2 district slate.

That puts the 'Dogs a full game ahead of second-place Smithson Valley, 5-3, and two games ahead of Boerne, Southside and Randolph, all at 4-4.

The Bulldogs got two of their biggest victories this week by knocking Smithson Valley out of a tie for the lead Friday and all but eliminating defending champion Boerne here Tuesday.

Coach Kevin Long got good defensive performances out of his team on both occasions this week, holding Smithson Valley below 40 points and Boerne under 50.

Coach Long attributed part of the Bulldogs fast start here Tuesday with Boerne to the large and noisy crowd at the game. "The crowd was really a big factor. It got us pumped up in the first quarter, and that's when the game was decided," Long said of the demonstrative audience.

Bandera outscored the young Greyhounds 20-8 in that first quarter. The 'Dogs applied a full-court press from the outset, a departure from their usual tactics, and that and the vocal crowd seemed to goad the 'Hounds into numerous turnovers, most of which Bandera took advantage of.

The victory is the first basketball victory over Boerne in several years. "First ever," says Coach Long.

With college scouts in the audience, Steve Parker had an excellent game, scoring 26 points despite constant double-teaming, and helping the good Bandera defense and playing a good floor game.

Games at a glance
Boys

BANDERA 58, BOERNE 48

Bandera: Steve Parker 26, Bruce Robison 15, David Schwarz 10, Butler 5, Graves 2, Hulse, Avallone, Adams, Bronson, Sides, Calose.
Boerne: Trent, Taylor 16, Bo Sommer 13, Bradley 8, Lambert 4, Voigt 2, Pruett 2, Corcoran 2, Phillip 1, San Miguel.
Halftime: Bandera 30, Boerne 18.

BANDERA 43, SMITHSON VALLEY 39.

Bandera: Parker 18, Robison 6, Schwarz 6, Butler 5, Graves 4, Avallone 4, Bronson 4.
SV: Hegeman 16, R. Trevino 9, Ballmer 5, Hayes, Booth 4, Irving 2, Lehman 1.
Halftime: SV 26, Bandera 21.

Bruce Robison scored 15 and David Schwarz 10 in the satisfying victory over Boerne.

At Smithson Valley Bandera had to come from behind to win against the co-leaders of District 26-AAA.

It was largely a defensive struggle, but Parker led the Bandera scorers again with 18 points.

The home team led by seven points at halftime, but the Bandera defense allowed Smithson Valley only 11 points in the second half while the 'Dog defense produced 22 points, just enough for a 43-39 victory.

Bandera travels to Randolph Friday to try again against one of two teams in the district that have beaten them. It closes out the regular season Tuesday when it entertains Cole, now 1-7 and in the cellar of District 26-AAA.

A pair of Bandera wins would clinch the title for Bandera as would any combination of two Bandera wins and Smithson Valley losses.

Medina's girls clinch title; boys beat back Ingram Warriors

The lady Bobcats of Medina tucked away a district 59-A basketball championship Tuesday as both of Medina's varsity teams had to come from behind to win in two heart-stoppers.

The Bobcat girls edged Ingram, 40-39, and in a second "cardiac contest," the boys did their own tight rope act to nip the Warriors, 59-57.

The new district champs looked like anything but that in the first quarter. Nerves apparently took the upper hand as the ladies from Medina put the ball up 19 times and only once found the net.

Those two points and a free shot were the only points along side Ingram's 10 at the first period buzzer.

Diane Simon kept the 'Cats in the game during the second period, scoring eight from the outside corners. Nancy Dodson hit five to make the halftime talley, 18-16, still in Ingram's favor.

The third and most of the fourth quarter stayed even as the teams matched each other's scores.

Forty-eight minutes of basketball boiled down to a twenty-second game as Medina's Tracy Willett went to the line. She missed the 1 and 1, and Ingram's Lisa Plant made two from the lane to put the lady Warriors ahead 39-38.

Medina drove deep to the right side and with two seconds left when Plant fouled Simon.

To add to the tension, Ingram also took time out before the penalty shots.

Back on the line Simon looked calm as she popped the net with her first shot.

That point and the next one she tossed in made the Lady Bobcats district champs as the stands erupted onto the floor following Ingram's final desperation shot that was grabbed by Sheila House.

The girls now can regroup for bi-district play coming up Feb. 16-17-18.

It looked like a run away for the boys at the half as Medina's boys faced a 34-28 deficit to Ingram's Warriors.

During the first 16 minutes the 'Cats couldn't seem to get the shots to drop while Ingram's Huffstetler and Fairchild seemed to score at will.

Medina got back in the game during the third quarter, however, outpointing their opponents 16-11 with some outstanding shooting by Townsend and some good moves underneath by Mark Williams and Guy Chaney.

With Ingram clinging to a one-point advantage, the 'Cats finally edged ahead late in the final period.

Two freebies from the line by Geoeff Williams put the 'Cats on top by one point.

Ingram drove hard and with just seconds left, Huffstetler tried one from the lane and was stuffed by three Bobcats around him.

Townsend came up with the ball and was put down hard by the tall Huffstetler in a scramble for possession. The Bobcat high pointer went to the line with 4 seconds to go and made his 20th point to ensure the victory.

Medina had beaten Ingram 59-57. With one more win the Bobcat boys will clinch a bi-district play off spot for the first time since 1977.

If Medina and Ingram both win their final two games, they will have to play off to see who wins the district title. The two teams each have Harper and Utopia left on their schedules with the Bobcats hosting Harper on Friday and then visiting Utopia the following Tuesday.

This winter's cold weather causes problem among fish population

A prolonged siege of cold weather, such as the one that blanketed Texas in late December, can be tough on a lot of living things, including fish in Lake Medina and in private ponds.

While some fish, such as shad, redfish and Florida largemouth bass, may die for low temperatures, others are afflicted with a different problem.

"The problem is that cold weather weakens fish and makes them more susceptible to a naturally occurring fungus," points out Dr. Ken Johnson, a fish disease specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

The fungus appears as brownish, cottonlike patches on the skin of fish, Johnson explains. Some fish with the fungus will likely die over the next few weeks, but, even in cases of heavy infestation, most will survive, he says. Live fish with the fungus are safe to harvest and eat.

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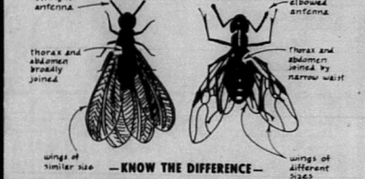

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Police name suspect in killing

A capital murder warrant was issued late Tuesday for the arrest of a Lakeshore man, Gerald Rodger Sorenson, 40, in connection with the slaying on Jan. 31 of Bandera school teacher Marie Denise Walker.

Police Wednesday morning released a photograph of the man they say is a twice-convicted sex offender and who they say they want for killing Walker.

He served three years in California and was released in July from a Texas penitentiary in Huntsville after serving ten years on rape and sodomy charges which deputies say he pleaded guilty to in Bexar County.

A father of one, Sorenson lived with his parents in a cozy and tasteful home barely one mile from the mobile home occupied by the murder victim, deputies say.

A rape reported to police Thanksgiving morning occurred just one mile in the opposite direction from the suspect's home, deputies say. He may be a suspect in that assault also.

The victim in that incident has not identified her attacker, but evidence gathered by deputies in that case match evidence gathered in the rape for which Sorenson was convicted, deputies say.

It also matches evidence gathered by investigators at Walker's residence.

The Bexar County Medical Examiner's office, where an autopsy was performed, was not able to determine if Walker was raped, but evidence of sexual assault is present, police reports say.

Sorenson was reported to have been seen at Jim's Restaurant at Loop 410 and 1H16 as late as last Thursday morning. The manager of the restaurant, Rick Wester, after being alerted by a waitress, called Leon Valley police and reported the suspect was drinking coffee in the restaurant.

"They sent a couple of cops and they watched him for a while," Wester said.

"The guy was kinda weird. He was drinking coffee and talking to himself. You know, laughing out loud and that sort of thing.

"The police looked him over and told me, 'If he tries to leave without paying, call us.' He paid, but when he left, I called and told them he was gone. They had said to see if he was afoot or driving. This guy was walking."

The employees of Jim's were shown a photograph of the suspect last Monday by a task force of Bandera deputies and game wardens. The waitress, knowing the suspect by the fact that he was known to frequent the restaurant, was able to recognize him and point him out to the manager. The manager, having seen the same police mug shot, confirmed the opinion

This Tuesday, when shown a more recent photograph obtained by the Bulletin, Wester said, "That's him," with finality. "This picture looks a whole lot more like him than the one the officers showed us."

The Leon Valley police reportedly took the suspect into custody after he left the restaurant. A Leon Valley police corporal, who declined to be identified, said the individual was checked out and was determined by them not to be the suspect in this case.

He was released after a computer check failed to turn up a connection between the names of people wanted by the police. He had carried no identification.

Local police learned early this week that the suspect may have been in custody in Leon Valley and agree that he may still be in the area. Deputy Ken Mingo, when asked if the suspect may still be here, replied, "You bet. You've seen the area. He could hide out."

(See SUSPECT, Page 4.)



Gerald Rodger Sorenson, 40, of Lakeshore is the prime suspect in the Jan. 31 murder of Bandera school teacher Marie Denise Walker. The six-foot, 165-pound suspect has brown hair and blue eyes, tattoos of naked Indian maidens on his chest and arm and is twice-convicted sex offender. A warrant for capital murder was issued late Tuesday by Judge Tom Grant.

Fear still lurks in wooded areas of Wharton's Dock

By Rick Young
Staff writer

Despite police reports that the suspect has fled the state, residents of Wharton's Dock, a sleepy community at the north end of Medina Lake, feel threatened. The as-yet unsolved murder of schoolteacher Marie Denise Walker has brought a rush of gun and ammunition sales in Bandera and dogs accustomed to being on a chain in the yard find themselves invited to sleep at the foot of their master's bed at night.

But the single thing most Wharton's Dock residents have in common is that they do not want to be quoted or identified in the newspaper. They fear the murderer is still in the area.

"He's still here," one man said. "Just look at all the hunting camps, the cabins and trailers that belong to people who only come up on weekends, or even just in the summer time. He knows this area. He's walked all over it and he knows who comes up here and when they come. Just by sticking to those cabins and keeping on the move at night, he could hide out up here for months with nobody ever seeing him. People are scared."

Ron Queen, a retired 20-year veteran police officer summed up the area's feelings this way: "People here will never take a chance again."

"You're afraid to leave your wife and kids alone at home," a father of three confessed. "You load the whole family into the car just to go for a loaf of bread. And it ain't just me. My wife won't stay alone at night. The kids are scared, too."

Wharton's Dock residents know the suspect the police are seeking in the murder.

"I knew the guy," Tom Andreas said. "He used to come into the Lantern 'bout every night. He'd sit right there at the end of the bar.

"A few days before the murder he poked a hole in the men's room wall, down under the sink, then whenever a woman went to the lady's room, he'd get up and go into the men's. He could see into the lady's room through the hole in the wall."

Gerald Rodger Sorenson was seen on a number of occasions walking the Wharton's Dock area. He was known to wear blue deck shoes with white soles. Footprints found of this type of shoe at his residence match prints found on the porch of victim Marie Denise Walker the morning her body was discovered by her parents in a remote mobile home on the Walker Ranch off Wharton's Dock Road.

"He was thrown out of the Landing," a woman told us. "He was bothering little girls. One family with a fourth grader, first grader and one preschooler told their mother he took their panties one evening. Another girl, in the eighth or ninth grade, told her mother he fondled her. He took her panties, too." The Landing, now closed, was a popular night spot in Wharton's Dock.

Parents of the children bothered by the suspect indicate he "...did everything but actually rape them," according to one source, who lives in the area and frequented the Landing.

From evidence gathered, police theorize that Sorenson collected women's panties and suspect he may have a hide-a-way somewhere in the area where he keeps them and other items he may be interested in protecting and revisiting.

It is thought he may have a fetish for fondling items taken from his victims, and police are especially interested in finding this location as it may be where the murder weapon in the Walker case is hidden.

Sorenson was seen in possession of a pair of binoculars found at a spot about halfway between Walker's mobile home and his own residence. His father reported that on the night of the murder, at a time between 10 p.m. and 10:30 p.m., his son returned to their home and immediately took a cold bath.

> "You're afraid to leave your wife and kids alone at home," a father of three confessed. "You load the whole family into the car just to go for a loaf of bread..."

He told police his son had left the home at approximately 7:40 p.m. A Bandera deputy walked the victim's home and the suspect's residence in 12½ minutes, indicating that sufficient time, according to the suspect's mode of operation, for the crime to have been committed.

Bexar County Medical Examiner Dr. William Yudt said that Walker's death occurred between 9 p.m. and 10 p.m. Jan. 31.

Police are awaiting results from the latest of a long chain of laboratory tests conducted by the DPS Crime Analysis Unit in Austin. Local police, in cooperation with the Texas Rangers and other law enforcement agencies, are hoping a palm print found in the murder victim's mobile home on a remote section of the Walker Ranch will positively connect the suspect to the crime scene.

Road bond election April 7

Bandera County Commissioners Monday called an election for April 7 to ask voters for permission to issue $300,000 in road bonds to finance the purchase of highway right-of-way for a proposed new farm-to-market highway from south of Bandera to Bandera Falls.

The date was picked to coincide with the school board elections the same date. Voting in the school election and the bond election will be on separate ballots, but voting sites will [illegible] ated.

Commissioners also voted to hire the firm of Rauscher Pierce, Refsnes, Inc., and its representative, Tom Anderlich, as financial advisor at fees which will total some $6,270.

Anderlich said earlier $300,000 in bonds would increase county road taxes by 1.47 cents per $100 valuation. That would increase taxes on an average, $30,000 home by $4.41 per year, he [illegible] ed.

The money realized from issuing the bonds would be used to purchase right-of-way along the present English Crossing Road which now in- [illegible] through Bandera Falls to its intersection with State Highway 1283.

According to Commissioner Dan Alanis the road would cut four miles off the trip by paved road from Bandera to Lakehills and vice versa.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation has agreed to begin construction on the first 1.7 miles of the farm-to-market road if [illegible] funds currently available, if the county agrees to purchase the right-of-way.

Completion of the entire project covering eight or more miles will be [illegible] ... [illegible] ... highway agency [illegible]

Funds to construct the first 1.7 miles of the highway represent 25 percent of the total funds available for such construction in the entire 16-county highway agency region

Chuck Hackebiel, highway agency's resident engineer, indicated the highway commission would authorize the money to be spent in other counties if Bandera County indicates, by failure of the bond issue for example, that it did not want to acquire the right-of-way.

Curbo said the highway agency's first 90-day deadline for indicating the county's willingness to purchase and [illegible] long enough for officials to conduct the April 7 election.

Lone Star Gas Co. seeks increase in most rates

Lone Star Gas Company has filed a statement of intent to change rates charged for natural gas service in Bandera that could decrease the amount some people pay but would increase most between $2 and $3 per month.

The new rate schedule would increase the rates for all residents using more than 7,000 cubic feet of gas monthly. A resident using exactly 7 Mcf would find his bill increased $2.17 from $40.78 to $42.95.

A resident using 8 Mcf per month would find his bill decreased by 24 cents to $33.57, for example, and a resident using 9 Mcf [illegible] find his bill increased $2.39 to $48.33, according to [illegible] filed with the Railroad Commission. [illegible] ... monthly meeting on March 12.

Bandera County's Potpourri

By Nick Johnson

An item here a couple of weeks ago naming Darden and Wehmeyer's law offices as the *best* example of the "western look" on Main Street has drawn some reaction.

With her tongue not all that firmly planted in her cheek, Geri Valdez writes:

"Now I ask you, 'where do you tie your horse when visiting the above mentioned attorneys?'"

Of course, the Roundup Realty office of Geri and husband David nearby comes equipped with its own wagon-wheel styled hitchin' post, an item of which Geri is obviously and justifiably proud.

The city of Bandera may bail out the attorneys on that score.

The hitching posts are going in on city property across the street from Darden and Wehmeyer's offices, and soon they'll be able to tell their mounted clients to just tie up in the city livery.

A tragedy such as we've suffered recently in our town has many ill effects upon a community in which it occurs.

One of them is the bad publicity. Few cities or towns remain forever free of such things, but it doesn't help at all to point to the fact that this doesn't happen here often.

San Antonio newsmen were mystified when the sheriff's deputies couldn't remember the last murder in Bandera, and historian Edith Butler Edwards of Pipe Creek says the killing was the first of a woman in Bandera County since the Indian raids of 1900.

San Antonio papers played this case up more than they usually would have precisely *because* law enforcement officials were slow to reveal facts in the case to the press.

That made every new fact "a discovery" which newsmen had to dig for. Even routine information became big headlines when "discovered" by newsmen.

But thanks to the San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo and our Cowboy Capital reputation, last Sunday's editions of San Antonio newspapers were more favorably inclined toward Bandera.

Of course Frank Anderwald's trail riders always get their share of nice publicity, and 1984 was no exception.

And Sue Martin's dog and pony show during Hill Country Day was impressive, our man Tom Denyer reports.

Nicest thing of the weekend, however, was the definitive analysis of Bandera as the cowboy capital in the opinion section of the Express-News.

Penned by local writer Robert H. Williams, 86, the article takes prominent notice of Bandera's rodeo champions of yore.

Cowboy Capital? "Don't smirk at the sentiment as mere chamber-of-commerce self-esteem," writes author Williams. "The parade of both men and horses from Bandera who have achieved fame in the rodeo arena could make an anthropologist wonder if there is something special in Bandera County's soil."

Of course, we insiders *know* there's something special in the soil. Though it may not make all of us cowboys, it does make most of us happy.



More letters

Let's get together

Dear editor:

The smoke has cleared from the defeat of the proposed bond issue, but the overcrowded conditions and educational needs of Bandera school children are still smoldering.

They won't go away even if we ignore them or deny that they exist.

That we do have a problem is evident and the task ahead is a very difficult one; to find the compromise solution that will provide the badly-needed classrooms, cafeteria space, playground area, restrooms, etc. but in a format acceptable to the majority of Bandera Independent School District residents.

To this end a group has been formed called Citizens for Better Schools, or CBS, to act as a vehicle of communication and to provide input to the school board and BISD administrative officials.

If you would like to join us in taking an active role in coming up with a workable, desireable plan for our schools that will solve today's problems plus provide continuity for future growth, please let us know by contacting us through Bill Anderson.

If you have ideas and opinions to express, call us and we will be glad to set up a meeting with you.

Or call a school board member. They want to know what you think. That's why they sent out the questionnaires.

There are those who say they are interested in raising the standard of education in our schools but refuse to consider the construction of a new facility as a step in that direction. We feel that school curriculum, teacher qualifications, etc. are certainly all important issues, but much more basic than that is classroom space.

Even the most qualified teacher presenting the most progressive curriculum in the most interesting manner must have a classroom in order to be effective.

Let's get together, talk it over, study the problem, and come up with some constructive ideas to insure that BISD children will receive the quality education to which they're entitled.

Bill Anderson, spokesman
Bandera

Ride with us

Dear editor:

Who is this phantom "J.R." that penned the recent letter "Call a Meeting?" Surely not a character so sure of himself as old J.R. Ewing, who though a rascal has enough faith in his convictions that he would be proud to sign his full name to a published letter.

We are aware that our education system has problems, both local and national, and that the support and cooperation of our citizens is needed. Our school officials and teachers must have the citizens' interest and help. To this question I do not take issue, although I do not agree with all his claims.

His correlation between the growing pains our school is experiencing and his question of "Well, what would you expect from the 'Cowboy Capital of The World'" is slanderous to our citizens and to our area. Charges that our community is not "academically inclined" needs further explanation.

I point out that there are many college-educated people in our area, many of these holding advanced degrees. Some 63 graduates of Texas A&M University alone, plus degree holders from The University of Texas, Baylor University, San Angelo State, Abilene Christian College, Sul Ross, Texas A&I, Notre Dame, and many other out-of-state universities. The list grows longer. All these graduates serve the county in business and professional positions. There are at least 40-50 college graduates in our school system alone. Add the many graduates and lesser degrees and certificates from fine trade and technical schools. We may not be Academia, Ivy League —because we choose to live, work and promote "The Cowboy Capital of The World," does not label our citizens a bunch of dummies!

Did "J.R." not like our Cowboy Capital image just a wee bit when he started visiting our area 22 years ago? Just enough, perhaps, to have moved here at least nine years ago? We welcome our new neighbors, we want to grow and succeed together. Please understand that we are proud of our heritage and it is not necessary to defend it.

Bandera County was settled in 1850 by pioneers whose way of life was the life of the farmer and rancher. Our economy was built on farming and rauching. These same hard-working people of the land gave birth to our present guest ranch industry that helps sustain our local economy. These same pioneer families through their sons, daughters and grandchildren continue to serve our county in agriculture, ranching and business.

It is through the inspiration of our pioneers that our beautiful hills and climate continue to beckon others to Bandera County for their opportunity to get back to the land. When you get back to the land, Mr. Editor, you get back to our heritage and to the cowboy image.

Sorry, "J.R.", if you live in Bandera County, you are in The Cowboy Capital. Saddle up and come ride along with us.

Mrs. Frank R. Anderwald
Bandera

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Letters

To be commended

Dear editor:

I think Brian is to be commended for his brilliant editorial to President Ronald Reagan. Here is a young citizen who recognizes many problems in our American society today and he is to be commended for the courage to state these problems.

If our elected officials had equal courage including Ronald Reagan, and bring this nation back to a republic that will adhere to the Constitution of The United States, any reasonable human being could understand without question, that this would solve the major ills that plague us today.

We need to educate all our citizenry, especially those under 18 years old, because herein lies the most valuable resource available to us. Time is shorter than we think.

Doyle Ely
Pipe Creek

P.S. You are to be commended for your actions by letting Brian M. Hewgley write this little editorial. I would like to see a continuation of this, not by eliminating your editorial altogether, but as an addition to your paper.

D.E.

Harmful to children

Dear editor:

Three years ago we bought a toy poodle from some friends. We have watched Muppy grow from a puppy. He swam with the kids during the summer, played football with the boys, greeted us every day when we came home from school. He was an inside dog and only went out to play. He gave our family a lot of joy and love, and he wasn't even considered an animal to us.

We came home from school today and found him lying dead in our front yard, thanks to the someone that poisoned him with strychnine. If you are the one carelessly using such a strong poison, you should be aware that small children can be harmed as well as other pets that are dear to their families.

Ann-Marie, Buddy, Nancy
and Allan Anderson
Pebble Beach

Taxpayers, "look out"

Dear editor:

County commissioners do what?

Did you know each of Bandera County's commissioners draws a salary of $762.30 per month, plus a $300 car allowance, for a total of $1,062.30 per month?

In the past there were road commissioners. I recall we had news coverage stating that our commissioners would take a salary cut in order to hire a county road superintendent to do their (road) jobs. Isn't it odd that their salaries are still $762.30 plus $300 car expenses per month? And did they hire a county road superintendent?

This writer merely professes concern. If past conduct is a reliable criterion, taxpayers "look out!"

Wayne Bunch
Bandera

(Editor's note: County road superintendent is Buddy Hubble.)

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Questionnaire results show residents favor new school construction



Faces of Bandera County

Traci and Teri Harrison, 7, attracted nearly as much attention as candidate Bob Krueger Friday. The daughters of Chuck and Mildred Harrison of Lakehills, the identical twins proved there is more than one pretty Face of Bandera County.

By Nick Johnson
Editor

The results of a questionnaire sent to every postal customer in Bandera County showed that the people of Bandera County overwhelmingly favor the construction of a new elementary school, despite the heavy vote against a specific proposal in December.

A total of 72.8 percent of those answering the question told school trustees they "feel the community needs a new elementary school," results of the survey revealed.

Even more overwhelmingly, people responding to the questionnaire feel the Bandera Independent School District has a problem with over-crowded elementary and junior high facilities. A total of 180 of the 228 persons answering the question, or fully 78.9 percent, agreed that over-crowding was a problem.

Still, 55.9 percent of those who said they feel over-crowding is a problem and that the community needs a new facility actually voted against the ballot proposal Dec. 6.

Results of the questionnaire were made public Tuesday at the regular meeting of the Bandera ISD board of Trustees, and they learned during the meeting that a group of citizens has united to help the school district gain passage of another bond issue.

"We offer our undivided support in helping the citizens of our community come to the only sensible decision possible," said postal employee Bill Anderson. That decision? "Victory for the next elementary school bond election," said Anderson.

He appeared before the school board Tuesday to inform them that the group, called Citizens for Better Schools, intends "to help in any way to resolve problems regarding the last bond issue."

Anderson told school trustees his group intends to use newspaper advertising and other media to constantly show different positive aspects of the bonds that need to be made clear.

"We intend to reach the hundreds of apathetic parents who just didn't bother to vote in the last election," Anderson said. "We want them to know that the future of their children is in *their* hands."

Besides newspaper communication, Anderson said the group also plans to use telephone committees, and radio.

Anderson expressed support of the current board of trustees, and another spokesman, Cindy Woodland, told the Bulletin the group did not intend to field a candidate to run in the April 7 school board election.

Not only did people generally favor a new elementary school, according to the results of the questionnaire, but some would even be in favor of increasing the amount of the building program.

The school trustees offered a $2.95 million proposal, but more than one-fourth of answering the question (29.3 percent) said they would favor increasing the amount.

A total of 57.2 percent said they thought the bond issue voted on was too large, but 42.8 percent agreed it was not too expensive.

From the results of the survey, it appeared it could have been the location that spelled defeat of the bond issue. Trustees submitted a proposal to the voters calling for the purchase of property four miles west of Bandera toward Pipe Creek.

Only 18.7 percent of those who favored a particular location wanted the school at the site suggested by trustees, the survey revealed.

A total of 53.5 percent favored a Bandera location, 28.3 percent favored a location between Pipe Creek and Lakehills, and 2.4 percent suggested various other solutions.

Almost all (95.5 percent) said they understood the bond program and had enough time (89.5 percent) and information (68.1 percent) to make a decision, and most of those (54.4 percent) said their main source of information was the Bulletin.

The most often repeated suggestion made by respondents to the survey was that the school build a new facility on land already owned. A total of 33 of the 251 questionnaires returned mentioned this possibility (13.1 percent), though some wanted it on land owned by the district between Lakehills and Pipe Creek and others wanted it on district-owned land in Bandera.

Two-eighths of those responding, or 19.2 percent, wanted to move the football stadium to the high school and build at the present site of Bulldog Stadium. Eighteen, or 7.2 percent, wanted to spend more money on quality of education and less on extra-curricular activities, and 17 (6.8 percent) wanted to build a new junior high adjacent to the high school.

Though some wanted more expenditures for more emphasis on academics, respondents generally praised the quality of current schools. A total of 87.0 rated the quality of education in Bandera ISD excellent or good while 33.0 percent rated it only fair or poor.

Temperatures

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Wednesday, Feb. 8	60	50	-
Thursday, Feb 9	76	49	-
Friday, Feb. 10	80	46	-
Saturday, Feb. 11	71	54	-
Sunday, Feb. 12	70	33	-
Monday, Feb. 13	78	33	-
Tuesday, Feb. 14	82	38	-

Rainfall so far this month: 0.00 in. Rainfall so far this year: 2.45 in.

Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Coop. Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

Calendar

Today, February 16

Bandera DAR, 2 p.m.
Rio Hondo Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Golden Agers, 2 p.m., Bandera Methodist Church.
Friends of the Library, 3:30 p.m., County Library.
Bandera County Little League, 7 p.m., FSBCR.
Medina VFD, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
Bandera Lodge 81, 7:30 p.m., American Legion Home.

Friday, February 17

Bandera County Historical Commission, 2 p.m., Old Jail.
Bake sale, 3-6 p.m., Bandera County Library.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Saturday, February 18

Medina River Ranch Assn. workday, 8:30 a.m.

Monday, February 20

AARP Fun Days, noon, Legion Hall.
Ladies VFW Auxiliary to 9176, 2:30 p.m., post home.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin' R Restaurant.
PCVFD Ladies Aux., 7:30 p.m., firehouse.

Tuesday, February 21

Bandera County Helping Hand, 7 p.m., First Baptist Church.
Bandera County Artists, 7:30 p.m., FSBCR.
Medina Rodeo Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m. LH American Legion Hall.
Bandera County Chamber of Commerce, 7:30 p.m., FNBBR.

Wednesday, February 22

LVFD bingo, 7 p.m.
LH 4-H Community Club, 7 p.m., St. Victor's Chapel.
ML Shrine Club, 7 p.m., Evelyn's Restaurant.
Bandera VFD meeting, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.

Thursday, February 23

Heritage Genealogical Society, 2 p.m., Bandera Co. Library.
Am. Legion Post 410 of LH and auxiliary, 8 p.m., Legion Home, 7 p.m. -covered dish.

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Political Calendar

The Bandera Bulletin has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following candidates:

Bandera County Sheriff — Guy V. Pickett
Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gordon Nordlund
Bandera Co. Tax Assessor Collector — Marguerite Stevens
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — Bob Ashley (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — A.A. (Pete) Reed (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Jim Russell (D)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — E. Bruce Curry (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — Joe Mike Egan (R)
State Rep. District 45 — Eldon Edge (D)

CAR Comments with Phil Martin

WHAT TO DO IF THE ACCELERATOR GETS STUCK

What a frightening thing, you say, to have the accelerator get stuck while driving. It is a rare thing, but remember what to do if this does happen. To begin with don't take your eyes off of the road. Try to pull the accelerator up with the toe of your shoe. Should you have a passenger with you, have him or her reach down to pull it up. Don't do it yourself. You can put the car in neutral, and even though the engine will "race" on by itself, this will allow you to pull off the road. **WARNING!** If you think about turning off the engine, you may not realize it, but some cars will lose the power steering and/or the steering wheel could lock on you. Why not check on these ahead of time.

WHAT TO DO IF THE HOOD FLIES UP

Goodness, what a thought! Needless to say, you will have to stop, but don't jam on your brakes. Especially on a crowded road, this could be dangerous. You will be able to see the road through the opening between the hood and dash board, so try to get your car off of the road smoothly. As another choice, you could lean out of the window to see the road. Let's hope, neither of these things ever happen to you, the sticking of the accelerator or having the hood fly up!

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Lakehills

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Early arrival

Jessica Lorraine Seriend arrived Feb. 1 at Southwest Methodist Hospital, seven weeks ahead of schedule. Jessica's proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Seriend of San Antonio. Tiny Jessica has now passed the three pound mark on the scales and is growing stronger each day.

Jessica's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Tietz and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Oehler of Lakehills, and Mr. and Mrs. George Seriend of San Antonio. Jessica's mom, the former Sherry Oehler, is dividing her time between visiting Jessica at the hospital and getting the nursery ready at home.

Full house honors Panchita

Over 250 people turned out at the Lakehills Civic Center Saturday night to honor Panchita Thomson on her 84th birthday. Among those present was a 5th grade student she taught in 1935 and numerous families she helped to find just the right home. Hattie Harrison recited a poem just for Panchita which drew a standing ovation.

It took two trips to the refreshment table in order to sample all the delicious refreshments and special Valentine delicacies. The beautifully decorated double heart cake was the center of attraction.

This event which is co-sponsored by the MLBA grows each year. Panchita was one of the original founders of the organization and she remains one of the most active supporters of this organization. The decorating committee did a super job with red and white mobiles hanging from the ceiling and the red heart collage on a ruffled lace background which contained photos and memorabilia of events past.

Among those dancing with their favorite sweethearts to Glenda Raye's renditions of Rose of San Antone, Always, and Together Again were Milton and Alice Leibold, Floyd and Peggy Galland, Buddy and Sarah Devlin, Preston and Barbara Boggs, Harold and Doris Keslar, Jim and Louise Terry, Ken and Alice Retiko, Dick and Elaine Mixon, John and Judy Dunn and Bob and Pam Elliot.



Kelley Mansfield, 3, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman H. Mansfield of Lakehills, lives in Sherman Oaks, Calif. with mom and dad, Linda and John Mansfield. Her dad's an actor but he'd better watch out...he's being upstaged by Kelley.

Special Valentine bouquets

Lakehills sends a special Valentine's bouquet to Jeffie and Cliff Waterman and Jean and Waldo Blanke. Both couples celebrated wedding anniversaries on Valentine's Day.

American Legion Post 410 meeting

American Legion Post 410 of Lakehills and the auxiliary will meet in regular session Feb. 23 at 8 p.m. at the legion home. Twenty-first District Commander, Chuck Hubbard and his wife, Joyce, Department Leadership Chairman, will be guests at the meeting. All Legion and auxiliary members are urged to attend.

A covered dish dinner will be served at 7 p.m. prior to the meeting.

Medina Lake Betterment Assoc.

The MLBA met Feb. 9 with 15 directors present. New members announced were Timmy Young, Kathreen Porter, and Preston and Barbara Boggs of Lakehills, and Jim and Louise Terry of San Antonio.

On March 4 at 3 p.m. at the Lakehills Civic Center, the MLBA will sponsor for the benefit of the building fund, a Tupperware party with prizes, drawings, and refreshments. Following at 5 p.m. the MLBA will also sponsor a "French Market Bean Soup" dinner at the Civic Center with recipes to be sold.

Plans are also being finalized for the first Easter parade and judging of the best bonnets April 21 at 6 p.m. There will be adult and children's categories.

The next theme dance, following the Big Band and 50's Sock Hop, will be a Mardi Gras Costume Dance, complete with New Orleans Carnival Beads, Dubloons, and jazz music. Keep March 31,8 p.m. to midnight open.

April 14 has been set for the MLBA Flea Market at the Civic Center. This annual fund raiser gets bigger every year. Start gathering up all those salable items now.

Watch for the all new and revised MLBA Talent and Variety Show coming May 19 at 7:30 p.m. This event promises a good time for the whole family.

Lakeshore

Mrs. Dell Lackey — 796-3844

Memorial

The Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Dept. has contributed to the Denise Walker Memorial Scholarship Fund.

Condolence

The residents of the Lakeshore community extend their deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. William Walker in the loss of their daughter. We hope this poem written by Harold G. Mohn will comfort you.

"May your faith in God sustain you in time of grief and pain,

For faith in God that you possess is never placed in vain.

God's always standing by your side in moments of despair,

To strengthen and to comfort you For He does truly care.

He's always there to lend a hand And be your friend and guide,

So don't believe you walk alone For God walks by your side."

Weekenders

Working on their vacation homes were Lloyd and Kate West and Harold Moore from Jourdanton, Roy and Wanda Lich, Kerrville, Mark Hall and his mother, Dixie.

Illness

Harold Bentley was in Methodist Hospital, San Antonio, last week for tests and a check-up. He is at home now, doing OK.

Dolly Sarran fell on the sidewalk at her home and is in Community Memorial Complex. She was feeling much better on Sunday.

Bulch Highnote, is in the V.A. Hospital, Kerrville. He had surgery on his toe. Irene says he is doing fine.

Visitors

Walter Burrell, San Antonio, had lunch with Bethel and Dell Lackey and visited with the Andreas family.

Marietta and Jay Overholser's guests were her sister, Mamie Baker and daughter, Sandra Goodall from California, sister Vera and Carlos Barrera of Lytle.

Marvin and Ariel Drewry, Edinburg, are visiting Marie and Harold Bentley over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Krauss, Starla and Raymond Krauss, and Mr. and Mrs. Tyrone England and Leah, all of Kerrville, visited at the Copper Lantern with Bill Stevens, Denny and Berniece Fairbairn. Ray and Allene Krauss purchased some property in Lakeshore beach for a vacation from their business in Kerrville.

Trip to Austin

Jay and Marietta Overholser visited their daughter, Debby and husband, Bill Cody, and had dinner with son, Dewey at his home, and breakfast at Paula Cody's house then returned home Sunday afternoon.

Suspect

(Continued from Page 1.)

The individual seen at Jim's was wearing a Navy pea coat, jeans and the manager did not notice what type shoes. The shoes could be a significant lead in the case, according to local authorities.

Edith Butler Edwards, well-known historical writer and researcher, says the murder of Denise Walker is the first murder of a woman in Bandera County since the Lipan Indian raids in 1900. Mrs. Edwards, who will be 90 March 3, says to her knowledge no white man has ever killed a woman in the county.

Meanwhile, citizens in Bandera, as well as the community of Wharton's Dock, are concerned.

Bob Cowan to run for mayor in Bandera

Raymond J. Adamietz, 32-year-old Bandera lawyer and Dan Mac Miller, 58-year-old retired businessman, have filed for places on the ballot for the Bandera City Council, and Robert W. Cowan, 54-year-old architect, has filed for mayor in the April 7 election.

A third candidate, incumbent Diane Tobin, is almost certain to enter the race for the two seats open on the Bandera City Council. Mrs. Tobin, a realtor, was appointed by the present council to fill out the term vacated by Patricia Price who resigned.

Only one candidate has filed for a spot on the ballot in school elections April 7, but incumbent Thomas (Bub) Keese is expected in the race soon.

Bandera County librarian Dr. Jimmie Hughey has filed for a place on the ballot for one of two seats up for election in the Bandera Independent School District.

Neither Keese nor Hughey have announced or filed for re-election, but it was learned that the necessary forms have been picked up for Keese.

About 100 persons turned out last Friday for a rally for U.S. Senate candidate Bob Krueger of New Braunfels on the courthouse lawn. His stop in Bandera was one of a series of 180 stops on the so-called "Krueger Karavan" to promote his candidacy.

His Bandera wife, Kathleen Tobin Krueger, appeared with him here, helping him greet friends and supporters at the courthouse.

"The Krugers traveled in the cab of a 400-horsepower Peterbilt tractor cab. The candidate touched on some of the issues he sees in his race to succeed U.S. Sen. John Tower.

"First, we have to control the enormous federal deficit," he said.

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"First, we have to control the enormous federal defieit," Bob Krueger told a Bandera audience.

"We mortgage our future when we lack the discipline to manage the federal budget. We must immediately freeze spending at current levels and not allow them to increase beyond our revenues," Krueger said.

He also called for simplifying our tax system to encourage productivity as well as to help trim budget deficits.

"We must meet the challenge of foreign competition in trade," Krueger said.

He said nations that are our allies in one sense are competitors in another. "They must be willing to trade with us on the same terms we trade with them," he said.

"If elected," the candidate said, "I will work hard to see to it Bandera County has a senatorial wife it can be proud of and Texas will have a senator who will speak up and be effective in Washington."



Bob Krueger, candidate for the U.S. Senate, and wife Kathleen Tobin Krueger visited with Bandera citizens on the courthouse lawn as the well-publicized "Krueger Karavan" swept through the area as part of the recent whirlwind campaign of 180 Texas communities.

Curbo, Alanis to attend conference

Bandera County Judge Tommy Curbo and Commissioner Dan Alanis will attend the 26th annual County Judges and Commissioners Conference in college Station Feb. 28-29-March 1.

Some 800 participants from throughout Texas are expected at the conference expected to feature Gov. Mark White, who will address the group at 11:30 a.m. on March 1, and U.S. Rep. Phil Gramm, who will speak at 4:15 p.m. Feb. 28.

State Rep. Gary Thompson of Abilene, chairman of the House Committee on County Affairs, will deliver the keynote address at 2:35 p.m. Feb. 28, following a welcome address by Dr. Zerle L. Carpenter, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Bernard Kade, Dallam County commissioner and president of the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas, will open the meeting, says John Gilmartin, Extension Service coordinator for the V.G. Young Institute of County Government.

Brief remarks also will be presented by Ted Simmons, Gray County commissioner and president of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners' Association; Jerry Shamburger, Smith County commissioner and president of the North and East Texas County Judges and Commissioners' Association; and Gus Mutscher, Washington County judge and president of the South Texas County Judges and Commissioners' Association.

Addressing the opening afternoon session also will be Sam Cloutt of Austin, executive director of the Texas Association of Counties; and Giles Dalby of Post, Garza County judge and president of the Texas Association of Counties.

Separate sessions for county judges and commissioners will be held the morning of Feb. 29. At the judges' session in Ramada Suite D, discussions will concern House Bill 1212, the new continuing education requirement for all judges; legislative changes in the DWI law, and recent changes in the Texas penal code.

County commissioners, meeting in Suite B, will discuss such issues as building better county roads, working with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, instant concrete bridges and pavement maintenance management systems.

Featured in a special workshop Feb. 29 for probate judges will be discussions on 1983 legislation and the new mental health code. Another workshop held concurrently will include discussions on how to make the legislative process work for county officials; basic legal guidelines for commissioners courts; and discussions about programs of the Farmers Home Administration.

The role of commissioners courts in establishing agricultural development corporations will be discussed by Katy Bond of Austin, attorney for the agricultural development bond programs of the Texas Department of Agriculture.

A discussion on disaster request procedures will be presented by Robert A. Lanaford, state coordinator, division of emergency management, Texas Department of Public Safety.

Other discussions Feb. 29 will deal with telecommunications and the courthouse, planning for rural fire protection, and solid waste management and disposal.

Speakers the morning of March 1, besides Gov. White, will include Jay Stanford of Austin, representing the Texas Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; Donnie Carriker, Austin, the Texas Department of Community Affairs; J. Robert Brown of Austin, the Texas County and District Retirement System; Randall Wood of Austin, attorney; Helen Farabee of Austin, who will report on the State Task Force on Indigent Health Care.

Other officers of the association, besides Kade, are Sam Seale of Edna, Jackson County judge, first vice president; and Henry Lee Grimes, Caddo Mills, Hunt County commissioner who is second vice president.

The conference is sponsored by the Extension Service in cooperation with the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas.

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Madrona garden club re-elects its officers

The Madrona Garden Club met [illegible] First State Bank's Community room and re-elected officers by acclamation.

Officers are Mrs. H.L. Bruce, president; Mrs. W.J. Haynes, first vice-president; Helen Ahr, second vice-president; Mrs. Felix Billings, third vice-president; Mrs. Ruth Billings, recording secretary; Mrs. Louis Poteet, treasurer and corresponding secretary; Mrs. A.B. Lewis, parliamentarian.

Club members voted to plant a flowering tree on the grounds at the First Baptist Church in memory of Denise Walker, on Feb. 20, at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. Ahr was also elected a delegate to the district meeting of the Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., in Hondo on March 13-14.

Mrs. Bruce announced the County Fair to be held in July at which time club members will bring plants for sale.

Plans were made to hold the annual Mexican lunch on Feb. 27, at the Bandera United Methodist Church.

A program entitled, "Our Feathered Friends, Getting to Know Them," was presented by Mrs. J. Burgin Davenport, Mrs. Felix Billings and Mrs. M.M Chipman. They spoke on humming birds, wrens and warblers.

Mrs. Edwin Vawter and Mrs. L.A. Hein gave brief reviews from the Lone Star Gardener and the National Gardener magazines.

Hostesses at the social hour were Mesdames L.A. Hein, M.M. Chipman, Taylor Wootton and John Saul.

Editor to judge

Nick Johnson, editor and general manager of the Bandera Bulletin, will participate March 2 in Austin judging entries from newspapers in the Nebraska Press Association's annual contest for excellence.

Johnson is one of 36 newspaper executives from throughout Texas that will gather at the Wyndham Southpark Hotel in Austin to judge the entries in the 1984 contest of the Nebraska press group.

It's a boy

Charles and Sharon Glock are the proud parents of Micheal James Glock, born Feb. 4 at 4:39 p.m. Micheal James weighed 6 lbs. 8 oz. and has been having a few problems. His mother is in hope that he will get to go home for the first time this week.

On the brighter side, little Micheal's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Glock are here visiting from South Carolina.

Infant car seat loaner program saves

The Extension Homemaker Council of Bandera County is sponsoring an Infant Car Seat loaner project.

The purpose of this community service project is to provide an infant car seat for new babies that fits the needs of a very small baby and makes riding much safer. Usually a baby out-grows this seat within six months and can then go on to a toddlers seat. The EH council knows that most parents can't afford two car seats, thus the very economical rental for six months can and should help young parents. For more information regarding the Infant seat loaner program, please call Bonnie Cowsert, project chairman, at 796-3051.

Cancer society

The annual Cancer Crusade of the Bandera County Unit of the American Cancer Society will be kicked off at the next regular meeting, March 12, at noon with a covered dish luncheon at St. Joseph's School Hall.

Guest speaker will be Barbara Locher, social worker from the Veterans Administration Hospital in Kerrville. She is volunteer coordinator for a new support group called "Dialogue" that deals with helping cancer patients, their families and friends cope with the disease.

As a special event, a dance will be held at Mansfield Park on May 19 from 8:30 to midnight. Cakes will be auctioned and proceeds will go to the annual crusade.

Prior to the luncheon on March 12, Erwin Sherman, field representative, will give a training session to anyone interested in volunteering to drive patients to and from treatments.

It was reported that three patients from Bandera County are being serviced at the present time.

Volunteers who can spare a few hours a month, are asked to help "drive somebody along the road to recovery." Those interested may call 589-2368.

Bandera briefs

The bookshelf

The major event for this week in the Bandera County Library is a bake sale being sponsored by the Friends of the Library Friday, Feb. 17, from 3 p.m.-6 p.m. and Saturday, Feb. 18, from 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

The library will be open for business during these hours also. Save your sweet tooth for this event.

The library will be closed Feb. 20 for Washington's birthday and again the entire week of Feb. 27 to March 2 in order to accomplish an inventory of the library holdings. We realize that this will be an inconvenience to all of you, but we would hope that the end result will benefit the community.

So, stock up on your reading material before Feb. 27.

EMS donations

The Bandera County Emergency Medical Service acknowledges with appreciation, the following memorials which were received during the month of January 1984.

In memory of Bernice Mullen from the V.B. Grossies and Annabell and Charlotte Palm.

In memory of Nina Redman from Mr. and Mrs. William L. DuBose.

In memory of Kimberly Britz Koff from Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert Jonas and Frances Jackson.

In memory of Pvt Ward Sr. from Mr. and Mrs. Ray F. Mauer and Mrs. Ashley M. Rugh Sr.

In memory of Martha Willard from M.D. and Mabel Cottingham, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer DeViney.

In memory of Evelyn Thompson from Mr. and Mrs. William L. DuBose.

Donations were received from Lt. Col. and Mrs. Harry Webb, Bandera Arts and Crafts Club and International Tire Company.

Sentence upheld

A two to four-year sentence and a $2,500 fine against Robert Wayne Marshall for delivery of marijuana has been upheld by the 13th Supreme Judicial District Court of Appeals in Corpus Christi.

The high court reviewed Marshall's trial in March 1982 in Judge Robert R. Barton's 216th District Court in Bandera. "It is the opinion of the court that there was no error in the judgement of the (district) court and said judgment is hereby affirmed," the high court said.

Marshall was charged in connection with an incident that occurred on May 24, 1980.

Helping hand meeting

The board of directors of Bandera County Helping Hand will meet at 7 p.m., Feb. 21, in the Fellowship room of First Baptist Church, Bandera.

This meeting is to elect officers for the coming year representatives of all member organizations are urged to attend.

Beginning Feb. 20 the Helping Hand building will be open from 9 a.m. to noon, Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week. The building is located on Highway 16, near Eckhard's Flower Shop.



Running the new State Farm Insurance office is Carolyn Maier, a lifelong Bandera resident. Interestingly, the office is located in the old Best Yet Cafe building, a business owned and operated by Carolyn's parents. Secretary for the new office is Doris Doebbler.

Prisoner rehabilitation subject of Baptist film

Bandera First Baptist Church will be showing a motion picture release [illegible] Prison ministry entitled, "Changed Lives in San Quentin."

Actually filmed inside the prison, this documentary features the stories of four notorious criminals. Interviews conducted by Art Linkletter and the director of IPM, Chaplain Ray, focus on rehabilitation as a result of conversion to Christianity.

The film is free to the public and will be shown at the Bandera First Baptist Church, on Feb. 26, at 7 p.m.

From inside the gas chamber Jerry Graham says, "I came very close to ending it all right here." In stark contrast to his life of crime, he now directs a ranch for abused children. James Williams served time in San Quentin after a gun battle with police. Now he's employed by a criminal justice organization teaching men "the way to go out," as he puts it.

Another changed life is George Meyer, Al Capone's favorite driver. Now 74, he counsels teenagers about the evils of drug abuse. And Jack Burbidge, once an enforcer for organized crime, is now a preacher. The film concludes with a look inside the gas chamber.

Medina Lake opens nutrition center

The Medina County Aging Program has announced the opening of a Senior Citizen Nutrition Site at the Mico Fire Department in Mico.

The Medina Lake Senior Center will be in operation five days a week. Meals will be prepared at the central kitchen in Hondo and transported to the Medina Lake site. Eighteen to 20 participants lunch at the site daily. The senior citizen residents of Medina Lake hope to have special activities scheduled for the near future.

The Medina Lake site was made possible through the efforts of the Medina County Commissioner's Court, the Administration Assistant to the Court and Aging Coordinator Sid Malone, the Mico Volunteer Fire Department and the Alamo Area Council of Governments.

The Medina Lake Senior Center Nutrition Site marks the opening of the eighth site in Medina County.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Mrs. Cheryl L. Walker, Lakehills; Edna F. Rainey, Utopia; Mrs. Zola H. Moore and Mrs. Creo R. Weatherford, Medina; Beverly J. Griffith, Bandera; and Larry Town, Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas D. Walker of Lakehills had a boy Feb. 10.

Homemakers off to fast start

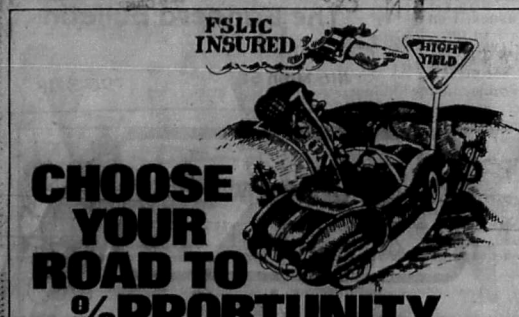
By Peggy Edwards
Extension Agent

January '84 starts off a brand new year of club work for the six EH Clubs and one EH Study group in Bandera County. Their clubs meet monthly to have educational programs on subjects that interest the members and are designed to improve homemaking skills. EH Clubs membership is open to all people regardless of race, color, sex, socio-economic level, religion or national origin.

Programs in '84 will focus mainly on Housing and Home Furnishings. The County Extension Agent, Peggy Edwards will present programs on "Focus on Floors", (in April) and "A Little Sweetner in your life," (in September); She will also train leaders to present programs on: "Quilting-By Newer Methods" (in Feb.); "How to Mat, Frame and Hang Pictures" (in April) and "Heritage in the Home" (in September).

Other County-wide programs sponsored by the Extension Service Family Living Committee will include: "How to Hang Wallpaper" (in March); Seminars on "Home Design and Remodeling" (in April); Expanding and Improving Mobile Home Living (in May). A food preservation workshop will also be held in May.

Other clubs in Bandera County are welcome to send a leader to receive the training meeting subjects. They may also contact Peggy Edwards at 796-3840 regarding the programs she might present.



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Education: It's the most important fire prevention tool

By Al Evans
Firefighter

What will you do? What will your children do?

Almost every night we see burning [illegible] casts.

It's always happening to the other person, but it could be you next time.

The odds are that every person reading this newspaper will have to deal with a fire some day. We think it would be wise to ask yourself, "What would I do in case of fire?" "How can I prevent fires?"

You may have to do it alone, or with infants or older children.

Each year fire claims thousands of lives and destroys millions of dollars worth of property.

Fire is not selective; it feeds on human carelessness and takes its toll on the most important of natural resources: people.

Children and adults; parents, the aged and helpless, and the young and helpless are its victims.

While fire is not selective, it can often be prevented by simple precautions [illegible] and other can take. When fire does occur, easy-to-do emergency planning can save lives.

Everyone in your family should know what to do and how to escape from the home in case of fire. This may sound over simplified, but if you or a child wake-up in a flaming, smoke-filled house, panic can set in.

The difference between minor fire damage and total destruction of the home, including loss of life, depends on how well we prepare for and deal with fire.

It is especially important for rural people to be informed as help may be miles away.

Planning and knowing what to do make it less likely that you will panic and more likely that you will survive.

Every home should have smoke detectors. Consider a home that has shown that if the family is warned early enough of the presence of fire, they can escape. If the warning is not given — if the family is asleep when fire breaks out — chances are very good that there will be a fatality.

You may think that you will wake up as the house fills with smoke. But the facts move differently. A smoldering couch — nothing else touched — gives off sufficient smoke, heat and other gases to fill the house silently, quickly, so that no one escapes. It's happened time after time.

Among the measures that can be taken to reduce fire loss, none is more important than educating people about fire.

Fire program for residents set for Feb. 24

A fire prevention and control seminar for home and business owners will be held Friday, Feb. 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Bandera Fire House under the sponsorship of the Bandera Volunteer Fire Department.

San Antonio Fire Chief Larry Upton will present the program.

Members of the VFD's ladies auxiliary will serve refreshments and two smoke alarms will be given away as door prizes, according to fire department spokesman Al Evans.

Bandera well represented at stock show

By Tom Denyer
Special correspondent

The thirty-fifth annual San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo Monday paid special attention to this area by means of "Hill Country Day" in the Freeman Coliseum's Entertainment Center, a building donated by Harry Freeman primarily for the purpose of honoring the distinctive rural regions surrounding San Antonio.

The Kendall and Comal County Fairs, Boerne and Fredericksburg chambers of commerce, and the New Braunfels Smoke House had tables in the center. Bandera establishments, however, dominated the exhibit hall and the day's activities.

Bandera's representatives included the Bandera Ranch Store, Bo's Rodeo and Ranch Shop, the Bandera Bulletin, The Cabaret, Bandera County Chamber of Commerce, Fred Collins Workshop, Colljns Handbags of Medina, Dixie Dude Ranch, First National Bank, Flying L, Frontier Times Museum, Irvin Stevens Realty, Keller's Meats and Smokehouse, KQRK-FM, Lee's Country Crafts, Mayan Dude Ranch, OST, Personal Business Computers, Scooter Fries' School (for roping and horsemanship), and Thousand Trails.

The Fitzpatrick family alone sent ten members from three generations. They included Kevin, who joined ropers Mike Lowrie, Bruce Montague and Juan Montano (of Lytle) in several performances of their art. Eileen Fitzpatrick displayed her macrame. Bud Fitzpatrick demonstrated the classic skills of the blacksmith, transforming heat and metal into objects of use and beauty.

Lee Estep, the artist, also presented a large display of her work, including saw paintings, print extensions, and tole painting.

Arkey Blue rounded out Bandera's artistic representatives.

Jana Camp and Catherine Caruthers competed for the title of Hill Country Day Queen won by Karyl Liebig, a senior at Pleasant Hope Academy in Boerne. Traci Wicker of Fredericksburg was the Hill Country Princess and Kandra Deike, also of Boerne, was Hill Country Duchess.

Several of those representing Bandera were quick to praise Sue Martin, executive secretary of the chamber, for her hard work and long hours spent organizing the Bandera contingent and arranging their smooth reception at the Coliseum grounds.

Martin, herself, gave credit to the Bandera members of two stock show committees, one for hospitality and the other for special days. They included Jack Frazier, Sheila Fries, Fabian Mazurek, Joy Short and Nell Zunker.

Martin also emphasized that several other Banderans, not formal members of the committees, worked as hard preparing the event.

Beth Allert, who managed The Cabaret, said that the enthusiastic Bandera participation reflects "a growing confidence.

"People are beginning to realize that we can compete in San Antonio, that we have something special to offer."

That message was seen by quite a few people. One of the Entertainment Center's managers estimated that as many as 7,000 people visited the Center during the day.

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Two Bandera area youths placed in the calf scramble at the San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo last week. Becky Clements won second place, $350, and Jake Frazier won fourth, $250. Calf scramble winners must use their prize money for the purchase of livestock for the following year's FFA or 4-H project.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited friends Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. William Moseley from the First Baptist Church of Medina visited friends Wednesday afternoon.

Girl Scout Troop 82 under the leadership of Beverly Hearn and Ann Neal brought us some beautiful flowers for the dining room table they had made. They also had a Valentine for each of the residents. We thank the fine group of girls for being so thoughtful and remembering us.

Lorene Bialkowski of Kerrville visited her sister Ruth Batto Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Heyen visited his mother Hulda Heyen.

Alice Mellis, visitors last week were Florence Swanson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams.

Hafvey Bowman of Lakehills visited his sister Lorena Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Tanner of Lakehills visited his mother Ruby Tanner.

Ernest Rainey's guests last week were his wife Mrs. Ernest Rainey, his son Paul Rainey and Mrs. Ryan.

Raymond and Aggie Batto visited Annie Kollaus and Ruth Batto.

Ople Boyle visited her mother, Maude Stokes. Also visiting was Maude's granddaughter, Sandra Vannatter.

Bob and Joyce Storrs of Denver, Colo. visited, Donna Mayfield, a long time friend.

Sure was good to see Edna Pipkin and Johnny and Kathy Clark of Sulphur, Okla. when they came by to visit all their friends last weekend. Edna and Kathy worked for us several years ago.

Nancy Crist and her husband visited her grandmother Myrtle Heines. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Louie Williams.

Birthday

Agnes Fortinberry celebrated her birthday last Friday with a pretty cake, flowers and Presidential greetings. Her daughter, Claire Thaman and Dolores Brister of Kerrville spent the day with her.

Thanks

Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick, Alice Mellis, Cynthia Mayberry and Jack Holloway enjoyed services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Thanks to Henry Keerie for all the nice magazines he brought us last week.

Thanks to the Utopia Baptist GA's who came Saturday afternoon with some delicious cookies. They also sang some lovely songs for us. Their leader is Leanne Bownds.

Bible reading

Thanks to Martin Smith, ten residents enjoyed Bible reading Wednesday morning.

Church directory

Bandera

Church of Christ
Minister: Martin Smith
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. Dovid Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Dount
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Bandina

Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina

First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
Minister: Doyle Maynord
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek

First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

Lakehills

Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley

Baptist Mission
Pastor: Glenn W. Rhines
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
562-3468

Utopia

Church of Christ
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629

Baptist Church
Pastor: Homer Stephens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. and Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Vanderpool

Community Church
Pastor: George Polvado
Worship: Sunday, 8 p.m.
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
966-3420

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Pastor: Jose Luis Sandaval
Worship: Sunday, 12 noon.

Other

Unity Church of the Hill Country
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Senior Citizens

By Mary Worley

Cheese and butter

We were sorry to be told on Tuesday morning that plans were changed and there would be no cheese distribution on that date. We're sure many were distressed to come in and be disappointed.

Birthday luncheon

Unless some very dire circumstance surfaces, there will be the regular third Tuesday birthday noon luncheon Feb. 21. With the lovely weather we've experienced recently, it is probable there will be good attendance. This means a great variety of food and a good chance to see friends. This seems to be one of the most enjoyable events each month.

Virus

We hope those who have been ill with this virus infection now so common are much improved. When even our Dr. Meador has to give up for a few days we know the situation is bad. Those known recovering include Mae Bachelor, Mary Glasscock and Ada Sehon.

It is great to welcome Fran Culley home following several weeks in a San Antonio hospital.

Bill Hathaway and Mary Worley went to Beeville one day last week and found his sister-in-law Margaret in the hospital and his brother Elmer not especially well. A call early this week informed Bill that Margaret came home during the weekend, but now his brother has been taken to the hospital. Hopefully nothing serious.

Weekenders

Kay and Al Robinson had a pleasant weekend when their daughter Sara Kay and husband Curtiss Cargill arrived late Friday from Pasadena to share Sara Kay's birthday with them.

Center

Progress is being made toward plans for the new Center. The committees have gotten to that delayed action stage when so many preliminary obstacles seem slow in being solved. But this should soon all be cleared and everything ready for a go-ahead signal.

It is hoped the entire community will join in this worthwhile cause and offers of volunteer labor, as well as generous contributions come pouring in. The planned building will add to the attractions of our town and be a convenient center for many activities.

One-day approach changing surgery

• Day surgery is one of the most rapidly growing areas of health care and will help "change the face of American surgery," according to an article in Texas Medicine.

"Improved anesthetics, better educational preparation, and a healthier public are permitting surgical care to change quite dramatically," Dr. James Tang writes in the January issue of the Texas Medical Association's monthly journal.

Day surgery means the patient is released from a hospital or free-standing surgical clinic the day of the operation, which often involves general anesthesia. Also called ambulatory surgery, in-and-out surgery, or outpatient surgery, it includes many none-life-threatening procedures such as tonsillectomies, plastic surgery, and orthopedic, dental, and gynecological procedures.

Tang, a Friendswood plastic surgeon, is a former assistant professor of surgery at The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston.

The advantages of day surgery usually mentioned are reduced cost, less exposure to hospital infections, less disruption of family life (especially important for children), and a potential reduction in medication errors in hospitals, Tang says.

"Hospitals often can make better use of their facilities, especially the operating and recovery rooms, if they have an ambulatory surgery service," he writes. "Hospital beds are freed up for sicker patients who really need in-hospital care."

Tang notes an estimate by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services that 20 million surgical procedures are performed in this country each year.

According to a study by the Kaiser Permanente Medical Care Program in Oregon, almost $800 million would be saved nationally each year if ambulatory surgery increased from 10 to 30 percent of all surgery. The average annual savings per patient would be $192.

Two other studies have shown that up to 40 percent of all surgery can be safely performed on an ambulatory basis without compromising the quality of care. The savings would be about $1,000 per patient, or approximately $5 billion nationally each year, according to the Orkand Report and Rhode Island Blue Cross-Blue Shield.

"Of the $200 billion that is spent in America each year on health care, about $50 billion is for surgical care," Tang writes. "The impact of ambulatory surgery on the entire health care system is uncertain, but direct savings have been demonstrated for individual patients."

Tang also notes the disadvantages of day surgery. "One problem is the lack of time available for medical personnel to develop rapport with the patient."

"There is also less time to examine the patient being prepared for outpatient surgery," he says.



March 21, 7:30 p.m., at the First State Bank Community Room local artist Sharon Koehler will demonstrate the metal-look technique she uses to create interesting art using brown paper bags.

Sabinal Canyon

Lillie Thompson — 966-3385

Weather

Everyone was awakened and startled by a loud clap of thunder Saturday night. Skies were clear, with a bright moon and lots of stars at bed time, so what a surprise when a severe thunderstorm with high winds blew in. Very little moisture was received and rains are badly needed.

Alley

Carol and Stephanie Alley of San Marcos were Saturday overnight visitors of their parents J.B. and Iona Alley and Suzanne and grandparents, L.O. and Ruby Howard of Utopia. On Sunday Carol, Stephanie and Suzanne attended the San Antonio Livestock Show to see Colby Hillis exhibit his European heifer. They also met their cousins Dahl, Jeff and Gayla Howard of Kerrville at the show.

Gazaway

Our sympathy goes to the Gazaway family in the death of their father, Jack Gazaway, 94. Services are pending.

Tane

Donnie Clarkson, a representative for Tane (Texas Alcoholic Narcotic Education), was guest speaker at First Baptist Church Feb. 12. He is a teacher in the Floresville Independent School District.

Revival

Tom Clawson of Conroe will hold a revival at Utopia Baptist Church March 11-18. Everyone is invited to come.

Boultinghouse

Tiny Boultinghouse will go to a heart specialist in San Antonio this week for tests and observation in order to give her the correct medication.

Thompson

Gary and Pat Thompson of Poteet were Thursday overnight visitors of his parents Lon and Liz Thompson.

Gabriels

Nita Raymond and daughter Wende were Sunday visitors of her parents, the Hamilton Gabriels

Hill

Richard and Marva Ann Hill of Corpus Christi were weekend visitors of her mother Nita Hawkins.

Wolf Club

We are happy to mention three new members to Vanderpool Wolf Club. They were Eitole Rynn, Frankie Jones III and Allen E. Reilly, who made a nice contribution.

SAC to offer workshop on depression

The Homemakers' Education/Employment Re-Entry program of San Antonio College will offer an 8-hour workshop on "Overcoming Depression," Tuesday and Thursday evenings, Feb. 21-March 1, from 7 p.m.-9 p.m.

"Tired of Being Tired?" Some call it burnout while others just feel wornout. Explore some alternative ways of revitalizing your life. An eight-hour workshop on "being tired" or burned out will be held on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, March 27-April 5 from 1 p.m.-3 p.m.

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Medina

Larry Thomas Williams — 589-7770

Sockhop — a success

One hundred and fifty or so "cats and kittens" relived the beginning of rock and roll at last Saturday's 50's Sock Hop sponsored by Dances Unlimited.

Crazy Corky McHaney did an admirable job as DJ, spinning out such mouldie oldies as "Love Me Tender", "Chances Are" and "Wake Up Little Susie." The curtains of time were rolled back as the costumes of that golden era appeared at the door.

Winners of the best 50 outfits were: adults: Jim Rambin and Kathy Baxter. Each received a dinner at the Kountry Kitchen. High School: James Parker and Diane Simmon, who were awarded $10 gift certificates from Hastings Record shop in Kerrville and Kelly Rambo and Steph Keeley, who received leather goods from Collins of Texas.

Other winners were Joe Sides, Dee Raines, Charles Knueper and Holly Pittman from the junior high and elementary classes and Bill and Jenny Simmons from pre-school.

A large number of nostalgia buffs from Bandera came. A hearty thanks goes to them and all those who gave of their time and money to support the fun.

Until next time "See you later alligator."



Medina's VFD answered a call about 2 p.m. Tuesday at the property of Art Cartwright. Apparently a discarded cigarette started the fire in the dry roadside grass and with the wind fanning it the fire moved rapidly across a field. The fire reached the property of Max Thompson but was stopped at the fence line.

By the time both tank trucks and several helpers from the children's home extinguished the flames, an estimated 80 acres had been blackened.

Hospitalized

We are pleased to report Nita Gallant is doing well after her surgery and is on the way to recovery. The report is that she may be coming home very soon.

Hinds

Sylvia Hinds, who is in Methodist Hospital in San Antonio, is out of intensive care following open heart surgery and has been moved to a room.

Those wishing to drop her a card can mail it to her at Room 635, Methodist Hospital, Medical Drive, San Antonio.

Medina menu

Feb. 20-24

Monday: Barbecue on bun, pork and beans, corn, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, fruit, rolls and milk.

Wednesday: Enchiladas, beans, slaw, fruit and milk.

Thursday: Chicken pattie, mashed potatoes and gravy, carrots, fruit, rolls and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Galley Proof

"Galley Proof," a comedy based on the Book of Exodus will be presented at the Grand Opera House in Uvalde at 8 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 23, sponsored by the women of St. Philip's Episcopal Church and the Uvalde Arts Council.

A.D. Players is a Christian professional theatre company under the direction of Houston actress, author and playwright, Jeannette Clift George. Now in their 16th season, the 28-member troupe has a resident theatre and a traveling unit that performs across the country.

"Galley Proof" is a whimsical approach to the Book of Exodus. "As you watch the Biblical accounts of Moses in the bulrushes, or the parting of the Red Sea, you will be laughing and learning at the same time," says Eva Sanderlin, a spokesman from Knippa.

The play, contemporary and funny, was written by Jeannette Clift George and will be performed by the six-person traveling company of the A.D. Players. Tickets are available in advance by calling the Opera House Box Office, 1-278-4082, or by writing P.O. Box 1451, Uvalde 78801.

Weather

Residents of the area were awakened Sunday morning around 2 a.m. with high winds, loud thunder and lightening. Small amounts of hail fell and the amount of rainfall was approx. ½ inch in most areas. Some of us had only .04.

Mass

Effective Sunday, Feb. 19, the hour for mass at St. Mary's Catholic Church at Vanderpool will be changed to noon. This is a permanent change to the new time.

Brian M. Hewgley

Wondered how many of you took time to read Brian's letter in "Potpourri column," in last week's Bulletin. It was wonderful and something to think about.

Surprise

Olga and Willie Schmidt were happily surprised Sunday afternoon by a visit from Olga's cousin Fred Mesch and son David of San Antonio. Last Friday Willie and Olga drove to Bergheim to visit his brother Freddie and wife, Helen.

Somerset

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Krause visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Dean.

Visitor

Laura Walzem visited Edith Jeffers and Ethel Mae on Saturday.

Church visitors

Visitors at the Tarpley Baptist Mission Sunday were Ed Gates and a friend Hurford Thomas of Corpus Christi. Hurford is a chaplain at Memorial Hospital in Corpus. Other guests were Phillip Singleton and John W. Schmidt of Bandera.

Missouri visitors

Harold and Eva Marie Evans of Lee's Summit, Mo. were in Tarpley Friday. They visited the Rev. Glen Rhines and wanted to see the Tarpley Baptist Church building once more.

Eva Marie is the former Eva M. Mansfield, daughter of the late Lee and Clara Hicks Mansfield of our area.

In memoriam

Our community was saddened when the news came that another friend, Elmer Charles Sprott, died suddenly. See obituary elsewhere in this issue.

Tarpley

Nettie Dean — 563-5464

Pipe Creek

Nancy Ibach 535-4517

PC youth at the rodeo

Wendy, Cindy and Jake Frazier from Pipe Creek have been busy this past week at the S.A. Rodeo and Stock Show. Wendy placed ninth with her Hereford and 11th place with her Chianina out of 40 steers. Her sister, Cindy will show her Charolais heifer this week and their brother, Jake, has a Charolais heifer and Hereford heifer that he will show this week. Jake was in the calf scramble Monday night.

Derrin Berg, also of PC, will be showing his Jersey heifer this week. Good luck to all of you!

Also the first time ever, there was a "Country Fair Day" this past Wednesday. Nancy and Amy Thompson, Derrick and Derrin Berg, and Becky Blakemore are some of our youths who have entered this contest. I hope to have a completed list and a list of the winners by next week.

Events

Cub Scouts Den No. 3 will have its regular meeting Friday after school.

The Baptist Women will have a salad supper and book study Feb. 20 at the church. The book is "I call Missions America." Everyone is welcome, men and women.

Their next regular meeting will be the first Monday in March.

There were 65 men that attended the Christian Men's Rendezvous at Mt. Zion last weekend. They had a lot of fun and great fellowship.

Valentines

Lots of Valentine activities this past week, like the Junior High school Valentine's Dance, the First Baptist Church Valentine's Dinner, and Noah's Ark exchanged Valentine's cards, and the list goes on. But have you stopped to think how our hearts are made full of joy and love that comes with Thanksgiving and Christmas. Then the happy and fun times we have on Fourth of July, and of course, we remember our loved ones on Valentine's. This country was founded upon faith in God and love toward mankind. Where is that love? Does it only emerge on certain days or do we still have it, and we're just too busy to show it? Let's slow down and live each day as if it were Valentine's Day!

Friends toast Linda Wynn's birthday

By Ruby Jackson

From the huge "happy birthday" banner stretched across the banquet room wall to the black garbage bags of gag gifts, Linda F. Wynn, the former Linda Ball of Medina, was welcomed into the ranks of the "over-the-hillers" — those who've put 40 years of living behind them.

Linda, decked out in a prim gray wig, granny glasses, support hose that didn't quite reach her knees and a drifting dress of her birth era, greeted her guests from a wheelchair. She was wheeled from the welcoming archway to the head table by her husband, he too aged beyond recognition in gray beard and mustache.

Fifty-five guests, including Linda's mother, Ruby Jackson of Medina, were in attendance at Ninfa's Restaurant in Dallas, Feb. 2, enjoying the evening's menu of Beef Tacos Carbone, Shrimp Accapulco and Pechugas Addison, accompanied by nachos and Margaritas. The piece de resistance, however, was a birthday cake with 40 candles.

Two of Linda's friends, Shirley Donnell and Sherry Barchfield, composed "She's the Biggest Boss in Texas," a four-verse song which told of Linda's youth in the "hills of Medina" and her later years — as a student at Trinity University where she met the man who was to be her husband, Michael A. (Tony) Wynn, and on into her "old" years.

Accompanied by their husbands, ukelele-plucking Curtis Donnell and baritone Carl Barchfield, the women presented their song to the audience, asking for and receiving an audience sing-along during the chorus.

A Linda-Roast, with various of her friends exaggerating her traits and actions, was started with a discussion of her "saving" ways, her inability to throw anything away, be it food or package wrapping paper and ribbons. So, in honor of this trait, the guests filled a turkey-sized roaster with their leftovers — shrimp, chicken, nachos and all.

The guests and Linda were treated to a singing telegram delivered by a young man in a birthday cake costume. He brought not only songs but black roses, indicative of the "over-the-hill" theme, and lots of laughs.

As the evening progressed, Linda opened her gifts, showing off such necessities as WD-40 to lubricate her morning joints and Geritol to put some youth in her step, an immense crossword puzzle for persons with limited vocabularies, the puzzle requiring but one word — forty — and a vast selection of other appropriate gifts.

In addition to her mother, Linda's brother, Phillip Jackson, also a former resident of Medina, helped Linda celebrate. Linda and Tony's eldest son, Douglas, and Douglas's guest, Loring Sumner, and Tony's brother, Bill B. Wynn, were also "up front" where the action was.

Linda, whose mother, great-aunt Evy McHaney, various cousins, and many friends still reside in the Medina area is a frequent visitor, often bringing her family and friends to share with her the Medina life. The next time you see her, remember she's come a long way — 40 plus to be exact.

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Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Speckman

Eight first divisions won at solo, ensemble



Reeves honored with two firsts

By Michele Speckman

Eight division one's were brought home by the solo and ensemble competitors at BHS. Friday evening 16 BHS bandamen began playing their well-prepared solos and ensembles before the judges in Hondo. Ones were received in four solos and one quartet.

Kenny Trenkelbach, Jim Mormando, Billy Morris and Chris Reeves received a I on their trombone quartet. Phyllis Graham, Shannon McMullan and Wendy Valdez received a II on their woodwind trio. Tracy Thompson, Ted Celis, Jason Clardy, Derrin Berg, and Derrick Berg received a III on their brass quintet.

Wendy Valdez on flute, Cheri Magon on clarinet, Chris Reeves on trombone, and Ted Celis on tuba all received division I's on their solos. Wendy Frazier received a II on her Class II flute solo. Michele Speckman received a II on her contra-bass clarinet solo. Skipper Swonke received a III on his tympani solo.

All students receiving a Division I on a Class I solo are now eligible to attend the State Solo and Ensemble Contest in June. This will take place at UT Austin.

Editorial

'Nine hour school day'

By Michele Speckman

A nine hour school day ... could it be possible? The Texas Board of Education Commission is seriously thinking about this matter, as one of the many different ways to improve the quality of education in Texas schools. I feel it would be a big mistake and only decrease the quality of education.

This change will create a lack of teachers and a large deficit. Just who will pay for all the extra expenses it will lead to? Teachers are hard to come by these days as it is, especially good ones. This driving away of teachers will merely lead to a decline in the quality of education.

Ronald Caloss, Bandera Schools Superintendent, stated, "A seven hour school day is long enough providing the time is spent on actual academic work." A nine hour day is entirely too long, seven hours is a sufficient amount of time per day.

"My parents don't even work that long in an average work day," stated junior Shannon McMullan.

Children, especially at elementary age, need to be at Home with their parents. Suzy Speckman, elementary student, commented, "I don't think I'd be able to last that long at school."

This would probably lead to more dropouts in the older age groups. The increased day would be used more as a babysitting service than a learning period.

"I think students minds quit functioning shortly after lunch," said Mrs. Nancy Hunter, high school government teacher.

The matter needs to be looked into carefully and we need more alternatives before making a final decision. I feel this is not the answer for better quality education.

Boys making tracks

By Wendy Valdez

Boys' track practice began Feb. 1 with what coach Tony Johnson describes as a very good turnout.

Some hot prospects for this year's teams include Delbert Ducheneaux in the 110 and 330 meter hurdles; Gene Matthews and Steve Nolan in sprints; Tim Fritsche at long distances, and Warren Clingon in shot and discus.

There are also some good prospects from last year's District-winning eighth grade team. These include John Miller, Eric Verhelst and Scott Caloss.

The first meet for the team will be March 3 at Cole, with following meets March 10, 24 and 31 at Smithson Valley, Devine and Randolph. The District meet is April 16 at Randolph. There the J.V. team will defend last year's District title. Coach Johnson feels the teams will be strong district contenders if the high turnout at practice continues.

San Antonio Stock Show

Experiences the thrills and chills at the San Antonio Stock Show as several Bandera students are. The stock show, which began last week, is drawing a large number of students from Elementary, Jr. High and High School. These students are exhibiting animals from horses to calves, lambs to hogs, and a few chickens and turkeys in the bunch.

The work many students may pay off soon in the stock show sales and other animals may be saved for the Houston stock show in early March.

Overall, about 20 Bandera youths will be competing in the two week event.

—Becky Blakemore

What's up in March

March 1-6 weeks tests- periods 2, 4 and 6.

March 2-6 weeks tests - periods 1, 3 and 5.

March 2-3-Bandera band clinic.

March 3-Band salad supper.

March 7-Report cards.

March 9-PTA barbecue supper and elementary talent show.

March 10-Jr. High band playing contest - Beyond the Horizon computer session.

March 13-14-DAT testing for 10th grade.

March. 15-16-Playing contest at Bandera.

March 16-Teacher inservice day - Student Holiday.

March 16-23-Spring break.

March 26-30-Deficiency notices to be handed out.

—Glynda Madden

Salad supper tickets on sale now

The Salad Supper and Concert is March 5, and tickets will be on sale until then.

The price is $3.50 per ticket and you may buy them from any band student. The tickets will also be on sale on the day of the Salad Supper. Buy your tickets now.

—Melissa Ross

Tiffin Youngblood

Since starting eighth grade at Bandera, Tiffin Elise Youngblood, daughter of Sara Youngblood, has been very active in extra-curricular activities.

Her accomplishments in athletics included three years as a varsity letterman in volleyball. As a sophomore, she was named second team All-District and as a senior, first team All-District. During her four years on the track team, she was a two year letterman and went to regionals her freshman and sophomore years.

Tiffin names athletics as the greatest influence on her life. "I feel that participation in athletics has enabled me to want to keep up my grades and has made school much more enjoyable."

Tiffin is also a member of various clubs and organizations. As a freshman, she was in FFA, her junior and senior years she was a member of the Association of Legal Students. She has been in 4-H and Teens for Christ for three years. Also, in her sophomore, junior, and senior years, she was elected to National Honor Society.

Tiffin's main goal in life is to be happy at whatever she decides to make of herself, to live life to its fullest and get whatever she can out of what life has to offer.

When asked a favorite quote on which she would like to base her life, she replied, "I find the great thing in this world is not so much where we stand, as in what direction we are moving." She is now moving toward furthering her education in the field of computers. Tiffin feels like she has accomplished everything up to her potential throughout her high school years, and has worked her hardest to satisfy others as well as herself.

Girls wrap-up season

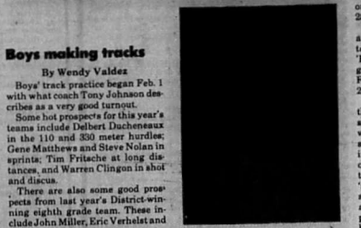
By Christine Caloss

"The season was fun and we worked hard. We accomplished many goals with much thanks to Coach King," commented Tina Doebbler, senior starter on the varsity team. The girls ended their 1983-84 basketball season after an upset against the Boerne Greyhounds leaving their season record at 6-4.

The varsity girls trailed the game the first half leaving the half-time score 15-26. Early in the second half the girls lost Christine Fleming due to an ankle injury. Kim Cherry was also unable to play the game because she was ill. When the final buzzer went off the 'Dogs came out on the wrong side with a score of 28-53.

Doebbler pulled down 9 rebounds and Espinoza used her quick hands to steal the ball away from the Hounds four times. Scorers for the game were Caloss 9, Doebbler 8, Fleming and Clements 4, Espinoza 2, Ryan 1.

Coach Shawna King summed up the season by saying, "The road to success runs uphill and our season was a tough climb. The girls made slow but steady progress never looking back to our first stumbles. Due to ourstanding senior leadership, enthusiasm by all, and lots of grueling 'suicides' (exercise) our basketball season was a success. I have to admit coaching the girls' basketball program at Bandera High School has been one of the most challenging and enjoyable times of my life. I can't begin to tell my players how proud I am to be their coach. Thanks, girls, for a super year!"



Laura Herrera

Laura Elizabeth Herrera, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raul Herrera, has attended all of her 12 years of schooling of Bandera ISD. Laura stated that her friends and Jason always seem to be there. They have had the greatest influence on her life along with making cheerleader.

After Laura leaves BHS, she plans to go out and get a secretarial job and maybe in two years, she will get married. Laura said that she wishes that she had made better grades and if she was given the chance to change that, she would.

Her main goal in life is to do the best at everything and be proud of it. "Live one day at a time," is her favorite quote.

She has accomplished many things throughout her four years in high school, such as FHA 4 years and 1 year V.P. Projects; OEA, 2 years and 1 year Parliamentarian; Student Council Rep. 1 year, cheerleader, senior year, Laura went to regional in OEA for Interview I; and during her junior year, she was chosen by her class as a Miss BHS candidate.

—Toni Kunz

Junior High honor roll

Six weeks

Sixth grade, all As: Shannon Cowsert, Shawn Franco, Tiffany Moseley, Jack McWhorter and Laurie Reagan.

Seventh grade, all As: Michael Gusdarrams, Kim Lukachik, DeLeene Wilkerson and Shannon Walburn.

Eighth grade, all As: Becky Bauer, Shannon Cardelle, Eve Elkins, Yvette Pearson, Krishna Vanderzee and Nancy Thompson,

Sixth grade, all As and Bs: Rachel Cole, Valerie Hines, Leela Kendrick, Scott Key, Betty Martinez, Carlyn Pearson and Steve Smith.

Seventh grade, all As and Bs: Shawn Aamodt, Faye Comingore, Barbra Hildenbrand, Angelika Kluna, Ruth Mazurek, Ann Muller, Priscilla Obledo, Helena Robertson and Sharon Wehmeyer.

Eighth grade, all As and Bs: Cynthia Adamson, Carolyn Beach, Selena Cook, Debbie Hay, Molly Hughey, Brad Key, Erika Kluna, Jennifer Moore, Darthula Mauldin, Michelle Morrison, Jillina Moseley, Helen Neville, Johlen Painter, Shannon Perry and Jeff Speckman.

Semester

Sixth grade, all As: Shannon Cowsert, Shawn Franco, Jack McWhorter and Laurie Reagan.

Seventh grade, all As: Faye Comingore, Michael Guadarrama, Kim Lukachik, Ruth Mazurek, and Shannon Walburn.

Eighth grade, all As: Becky Bauer, Selena Cook, Eve Elkins, Yvette Pearson, Nancy Thompson and Krishna Vanderzee.

Sixth grade, all As and Bs: Danny Bowermaster, Rachel Cole, Katheryn Holcomb, Valerie Hines, Leela Kendrick, Scott Key, Betty Martinez, Carlyn Pearson and Steve Smith.

Seventh grade, all As and Bs: Shawn Aamodt, Barbra Hildenbrand, Angelika Kluna, Sally Langston, Ann Muller, Helena Robertson, DeLeene Wilkerson, Bryant Youngblood and Sharon Wehmeyer.

Eighth grade, all As and Bs: Cynthia Adamson, Carolyn Beach, Channon Cardella, Debbie Hay, Molly Hughey, Erika Kluna, Kim Kibbe, Darthula Mauldin, Michelle Morrison, Helen Neville, Johlen Painter, Chris York and Michelle Bates.

Menu

Feb. 20-24

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Cheeseburger, hot, French fries, pickles and onions, cherry cobbler and milk. Second choice: Fish stick.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Oatmeal with raisins, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Steak fingers, mashed potatoes with gravy, tossed salad, fruit and milk. Second choice: Chicken patty.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Muffin and honey, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Burrito with chili and cheese, pinto beans, Spanish rice, cookie and milk.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Toast, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Pizza, breaded vegetable stix, corn off the cob, fruited jello and milk.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, 1 year and milk. **Lunch:** "Italian Festival" Lasagna and meat, sauce, mixed greens, salad, Italian vegetables, garlic bread and milk. Salad bar: Italian veg. soup.

Vicki Lynn Bates

"My school years were the best years of my life and I wouldn't do anything to change them," stated senior, Vicki Lynn Bates. Vicki is the daughter o Ir. and Mrs. William Bates and has lived in Bandera for 11 years. When asked who has really made the greatest influence on her life, Vicki said, "My parents have played a very important role in my life and without them I wouldn't have been able to accomplish many of the things I did."

After high school Vicki plans to attend Southwest Texas State Junior College in Uvalde and major in secretarial works. After college she hopes to find a good job and enjoy life. Vicki feels she has accomplished everything she wanted to in high school because she got a good education and had fun doing it.

Vicki played a very active roll during her four years at BHS. She was involved in ALS, NHS, and Teens for Christ her junior and senior years. Vicki has been in band all four years and in the Flag Corps her sophomore through senior years. She served as Flag Corp Co-Captain her senior year. OEA was another one of Vicki's many involvements her junior year. She served as reporter that year and won fifth place at Area in Prepared Verbal. A few other honors she has received in high school are the 20 "A" Award and the Outstanding Academic Achievement Award in American History.

A quote that Vicki would like to base her life on is, "It is common sense to take a method and try it. If it fails, admit frankly and try another. But above all try something," by Franklin D. Roosevelt. Her main goal in life is to do the best at everything she does. If I know Vicki she will reach all her goals in life.

—Michele Speckman

Valentine's Dance

Bandera High School Student Council will host an after Valentine's Dance at the cafeteria Feb. 17 at 8 o'clock. The cost will be $2 per person or only $1 if you have your Computer Match sheet at the door.

Music will be provided by D.J.'s, Gary Galland, Gerald Boyd and Shane Yates. Class Favorites will be announced at the dance. There will be plenty of refreshments and good music.

—Nancy Herriott

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Kerrville is one of 18 cities in the nation to receive the lavish, full-scale production of the Texas Opera Theater's "Madame Butterfly" when it plays Kerrville Municipal Auditorium at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 26.

Set as the fourth event of the Kerrville Winter Music Festival and sponsored by the non-profit Kerrville Society for the Performing Arts, the production celebrates the Texas Opera Theater's 10th anniversary as the touring arm of the Houston Grand Opera and the nation's busiest touring opera company.

Puccini's tragic tale of the ill-fated marriage between Geisha Cio-Cio-San and Lieutenant Pinkerton will be directed by Cynthia Auerbach and conducted by Louis Salemno on the podium of the 25-member opera orchestra. Full sets by Peter Dean Beck and costumes by Molly Maginnis are lighted by Marie Barrett.

It will take a crew of 12 strong men to unload the 20,000 pounds of props, scenery, light fixtures, and costumes arriving late this morning of the production. Grand Point Theater's Larry Seymour is putting together the crew of carpenters, electricians and stagehands to assist the traveling crew.

The opera is the most ambitious project of the Society and its predecessor but previously scheduled, unfamiliar opera events here the past two seasons by the Texas Opera Theater have been well received. This expensive full scale production is underwritten in part by a generous grant from the Texas Commission on the Arts and the National Endowment for the Arts.

All seats are reserved and may be purchased in advance and $12 at the door, considerably under normal opera prices, which is on sale now at Brenner's Jewelers and Commercial Office Supply where they have seating charts available. More than 500 seats are already sold and the remaining tickets, if any, will be sold at the door on the 26th following the closing of the advance locations on the 25th.

Menotti to perform

Gian Carlo Menotti, internationally known as one of the most prolific living composers of opera, will appear in two evening performances of his works at The University of Texas at San Antonio Recital Hall beginning at 8 p.m. on Feb. 20 and 21.

UTSA deadline

The University of Texas at San Antonio is accepting applications for its Gifted and Talented Student program through March 2.

UTSA's program provides bright [illegible] during the summer and earn four credits that may later be applied to a college degree. The program is in its fifth year.

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Card of thanks

Thank You

Thank you so very much for the prayers, visits, cards and calls during my hospitalization and convalescence. The family wishes to thank the American Legion Aux. and the Lakehills Volunteer Fire Dept. Aux. for the dinner and the support on the death of our Papa. We appreciate all the prayers, cards, memorials and love during this sad time.

Ralph & Clare Willis
Skip, Cathy, Miles, Roger, Cheri, Heather, Jake, Joey and Paul Kenyon
32-1tc

Thank You

To the Civic Center Directors, my friends including all the wonderful people who helped to make my party a wonderful evening. And especially my friends from Uvalde, San Antonio, Boerne and Houston. Thank you for being here.

Thanks, director, for the beautiful large red carnations as well as other flowers and gifts. Thank you all.

Panchita Thomson
32-1tp

Thank You

I wish to thank my friends, neighbors, and relatives for the visits, flowers, cards and prayers while I was in the hospital. Also the food and visits since I have been home. Thanks for my neighbors and friends who took me to the doctor. It would be impossible to say what your friendship means to me. May God bless you!

Clara Kelly
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Public notice

Proposed amendment to Article VIII of the By-Laws of Bandera Lodge No. 81, Sons of Hermann: Bandera Lodge No. 81 will hold its monthly meetings at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month at Evelyn's Restaurant. 32-1tc

Advertisements for bids

Sealed proposals for replacement of roofs and roof repair work at the Medina Independent School District located at 240 College Street, Medina, Texas addressed to James E. Brown, President, Medina Independent School District, P.O. Box 1415, Medina, Texas 78055, will be received until 7:30 p.m. March 8, 1984, at which time all proposals will be publicly opened at Medina Public School and read aloud. Specifications may be secured at the above address.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to waive any irregularities in bidding and to reject any or all proposals.

John J. Derry, Secretary
Board of Trustees
32-2tc

Notice

The First National Bank of Bandera will be closed, Monday, February 20, in observance of President's Day. 32-1tc

Notice

The First State Bank of Bandera will be closed, Monday, February 20, in observance of President's Day. 32-1tc

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JOHN MERL WILLIAMS, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters Testamentary for the Estate of JOHN MERL WILLIAMS were issued on February 14, 1984, in Cause No. 1914, pending in the County Court of Bandera County, Texas, to: LILLY FAY WILLIAMS, Executrix.

The residence of such Executrix is Bandera County, Texas. The post office address is: Rt. 2, Box 6340, Pipe Creek, Texas 78063.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 14th day of February, 1984.

LAW OFFICES OF DARDEN & WEHMEYER
By: Robert E. Wehmeyer
Attorney for the Estate
32-1tc

Public notice

I will not be responsible for Jocy (Victoria or Josephine Nealy) Nealy's debts.

Bill Murray
31-4tp

Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 22nd day of February, 1984, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 12:00 o'clock noon, THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BANDERA will sell at Public Sale to the highest bidder or bidders for cash the following described personal properties:

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One (1) 1967 International Harvester Scraper, Model #E211, S/N: 1084
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Antlerless harvest lagging, says state

The deer hunting season of 1983-84 now is over, and again Texas hunters failed to get a passing grade in the harvest of antlerless deer, in the view of one wildlife official.

Ted Clark, director of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's Wildlife Division, told members of the Texas Outdoor Writers Association that overpopulation continues to be a problem for the state's deer herd, and hunters and landowners continue to harvest too few antlerless deer.

"It may be difficult for some to believe that in a state where hunters harvest 300,000 deer we can say the harvest is too low," Clark told the writers. "The problem lies in the fact that 75 percent of the harvest is bucks, while we are taking only about a fourth of the number of antlerless deer needed to control populations."

Overpopulation in much of the state's deer range is causing degradation of the habitat, Clark said. This in turn results in poor antler and body development and sets the stage for die-offs during periods of stress such as droughts.

The department began efforts to control numbers of antlerless deer with the first issuance of antlerless deer hunting permits in 1953. "Every year since then, only a small percentage of the permits has been used, and although there have been some increases during the past few seasons the utilization rate still is only about 30 percent," Clark noted.

"The problem is that 80 percent of the state's deer population is found in 28 million acres of the state's 70 million acres of deer range," Clark added. "We simply are not getting enough hunters access to these regions of high deer densities."

Clark told the writers he is urging landowners to obtain antlerless permits next season in areas where they are issued, and asks them to encourage hunters to utilize them as well.

The other major factor in maintaining good deer herds is habitat, and the department can assist landowners in that regard. Clark pointed out that in many cases biologists can make on-site inspections and recommendations for habitat improvements, and the department also has free literature to assist the landowner in making decisions on range management.

Public hearing scheduled on hunting, fishing rules

Providing an either-sex white-tailed deer archery only season in Bandera and several other counties is among a proposed hunting and fishing regulation changes to be aired in a public hearing scheduled by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department at 7 p.m., Feb. 16, at the Bandera County Courthouse.

The public is invited to attend the hearing, one of a series of hearings to be held by the wildlife department in all counties of Texas during February.

Here are a few of the other proposed changes planned by the agency:

•Establishing a statewide uniform quail season beginning the first Saturday in November and lasting through the last Sunday in February.

•Prohibiting the use of fully-automatic firearms or silencer-equipped firearms.

•Providing a general season and bag limit for white-tailed deer in Kerr and Medina counties.

•Standardizing minnow seines at a maximum of 60 feet with mesh size no larger than one-fourth inch.

•Allowing the use of bait traps with openings no larger than one inch by three inches.

•Standardizing the method of measuring fish.

•Defining freshwater bait fish.

The either-sex archery only season will apply to all counties where antlerless deer permits were issued during last year's general open season, including Bandera County, according to the wildlife agency.

Public comments at the hearings will be reviewed by the Parks and Wildlife Commission before final adoption of the new regulations, most of which will go into effect Sept. 1.

Passage of the Wildlife Conservation Act in 1983 by the Texas Legislature took away the veto power over proposed changes that the Bandera County Commissioners Court enjoyed. Full responsibility for management of wildlife resources in all counties now rests with the state and the county has no role in regulating hunting and fishing.

When adopted by the wildlife commission, the 1984-85 regulations will represent the total assumption by the state of the power to regulate hunting and fishing. The only exceptions granted by the legislature are the regulation of taking shrimp and oyster in only some counties.

The wildlife commission established a spring season on turkey gobblers in Bandera County over the objection of the commissioners court one day after the law went into effect.

Tamale pie

By Alicia Romo

1 tablespoon oil
1 cup onion, chopped
3/4 pound ground beef
2 -8 ounce cans seasoned tomato sauce
1 -12 ounce can whole kernal corn, drained
1 cup ripe olives, chopped
1 clove garlic, minced
1 tablespoon sugar
1 teaspoon salt
2-3 teaspoons chili powder
dash pepper
1 1/2 cups sharp cheese, shredded

Topping:

3/4 cup yellow corn meal
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 cups cold water
1 tablespoon butter

Fry onion until soft; add meat, brown lightly. Add next 8 ingredients. (Do not add cheese.) Simmer 20-25 minutes or until thick. Add cheese. Stir until cheese is melted. Pour into greased 6x10" baking dish.

Topping: stir corn meal and salt into cold water. Cool. Stir until thick, medium low heat. About 24 minutes. Add butter and mix well. Spoon this over pie mixture. Bake 40 minutes in 375 degree oven.



INSTEAD OF BAKING a cherry pie for Washington's Birthday, celebrate this year with an apple pie in a nutritious whole wheat crust. Wheat is an important part of the Texas farm economy. In 1983 161 million bushels were harvested, putting Texas in second place in national wheat production.

APPLE PIE WITH WHOLE WHEAT CRUST

6 med apples
Whole Wheat Crust (below)
1 C. sugar
1/4 C. flour
Dash salt
1/2 tsp. cinnamon
1/2 tsp. nutmeg
1/2 C. butter

Peel, core and slice apples; place in uncooked pie crust. Mix together with forks remaining ingredients; sprinkle over apples and place strips of uncooked crust over top. Bake at 350 degrees F. 1 hour and 15 minutes.

Whole Wheat Crust

1 C. whole wheat flour
1 C. white flour
1 tsp. salt
2/3 C. (heaping) shortening
1/2 C. cold water

Stir together both kinds of flour and salt; add shortening and cut into mixture until mixture looks like small granules. Add cold water and mix until dough forms ball. Divide dough in half; roll out one-half and place in pie plate. Use other half for strips on top of pie.

New peach variety

By Robert L. Haney
TAES Science Writer

'Textar' peach has been released by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station to provide growers with early, frost-hardy variety adapted to the mild winter areas of Texas.

It is adapted to areas with about 450 hours of chilling temperatures at or below 45 degrees F. and ripens about 45 days before Elberta.

'Textar' can be grown with minimal risk of frost damage south of a line through Center, Trinity, Cameron, Lockhart and Del Rio and north of a line through Silsbee, Bellville, San Antonio and Eagle Pass.

'Textar' is a 1973 selection made by Dr. H.H. Bowen at College Station. Though its parentage is unknown, 'Textar' was tested, as TAES M9 on Nemaguard rootstock, over a period of seven year.

Trees of 'Textar' are vigorous with fully fertile, non-showy flowers, according to Dr. D.H. Byrne, TAES Fruit Breeder, who has been involved in the testing and release of this new variety.

Bacterial leaf spot has not been a problem on the trees in the areas tested. 'Textar' is susceptible to peach leaf curl.

Flowering and fruit set have been heavy each year it has been evaluated. Heavy thinning is necessary to size the fruit. During the same time period, 'Junegold,' which normally ripens with 'Textar,' has had one crop failure due to a late spring freeze.

Byrne says 'Textar' has moderately large 2¼ to 2½-inch fruits that are firm and yellow fleshed with good flavor and texture. The skin has a moderate amount of fuzz and an attractive red blush over about 40 percent of its area.

At full maturity, it has few split pits, is semi-freestone, and hangs well on the tree. The fruit has good storage life, Byrne says.

At College Station, 'Textar' is in full bloom by March 8 and ripening date is about May 29. This early, consistant producer is suited to areas of Texas and commodate areas where peach varieties are grown that need about 450 hours of chilling below 45 degrees F., Byrne says.

A limited amount of budwood has been released to nurserymen for propagation under a memorandum of agreement with the Foundation Seed Service, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. Trees will be available on a limited basis from the three commercial propagators.

Obituaries

Elmer Charles Sprott

Elmer Charles Sprott, 65, of Quihi died suddenly last week en route to Medina Memorial Hospital in Hondo. He was born near Tarpley on Dec. 12, 1918, to pioneers Emma Pressler Sprott and Otto Sprott.

He is survived by his wife, Esther Neuman Sprott of Quihi; a daughter, Jeanie Beavers; and a grandson, Jimmy D. Beavers; a brother, Bennie Sprott of Kerrville; and two sisters, Ella Sprott Britsch of Bandera and Nora Sprott Boerner of Comfort.

Services were held in the Hondo Lutheran Church Feb. 9 and burial was in the Hondo cemetery.

Carl R. Dorrow

Carl R. Dorrow, 76, of San Antonio died Saturday. He was the stepson of Annie Lee Dorrow of Utopia.

Other survivors include his wife, Opal L. Dorrow of San Antonio; daughters JoAnne Smith of Bossier City, La., Dottie Klaus of Wetmore, and Ginger Walker of Houston; brothers Theo (Ted) Dorrow of Pearsall, Frederick Dorrow of Addy, Wash., H.A. (Buddy) Dorrow of Kingsville; sisters Ethel Jane Hoffman of Cache, Okla., Regina Dolan of Beeville, Clara Mae Deavers of Portland, Ernestine Charter of Commanche, Okla.; eight grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday, Feb. 15, in San Antonio.

Homer E. Mansfield

Homer Edward Mansfield, 83, of Junction died Jan. 30 in Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital in Kerrville. He was the son of Bandera County ranching pioneers Cora Mae Buck and William Edward Mansfield.

Born May 29, 1900 in Bandera, he married Lillie Ramsey July 1, 1926, and they lived in Kimble County most of the past 60 years. He was always involved in ranching, but retired this year and moved with his wife to Junction.

Survivors include his wife, a son, Bill Mansfield of Junction; a daughter, Margaret Allen of Junction; a brother, Frank Mansfield of Bandera; two sisters, Luella Vanderveer of Bandera and Dollie Mayfield of Amarillo.

George H. Lowther

George H. Lowther, 58, of San Antonio died Saturday. He was the father of Bonnie Downie of Pipe Creek.

Other survivors include his wife, Lou Lowther of San Antonio; another daughter, Emma Rohm of San Angelo; and six grandchildren.

Graveside services with military honors were to be held at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

L.B. Bauerlein Sr.

L.B. (Pete) Bauerlein Sr., 64, of Medina died Saturday, Feb. 11, in the Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital in Kerrville. A prior resident of Houston, Bauerlein was born Jan. 21, 1920, in Medina. He was married to Elnor Byerly on Aug. 6, 1944, in Port Arthur. He was a member of the St. Andrew's United Methodist Church in Houston, Operating Engineers Local 1450, and a member of the Gus A. Brandt Masonic Lodge-Houston.

Survivors include his wife, Elnor Bauerlein of Medina; three sons, Elvyn Burks Bauerlein Jr. of Houston, Lewis William Bauerlein of Houston, and Peter Lynn Bauerlein of San Antonio; four sisters, Leora Ewing of Bridge City, Gladys Chalmers of Port Arthur, Vera Wilson of Port Arthur, and Faye McCristion of Houston; and three grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday, Feb. 14, in the Grimes Funeral Chapels of Bandera, with Rev. Joyce Shadden and Rev. C.H. Murph officiating. Burial was in Oak Rest Cemetery, Medina.

Marie Denise Walker

Marie Denise Walker, 36, died Jan. 31 at her home near Bandera.

Survivors include her parents, William and Leona Walker of Bandera; a brother, William I. Walker Jr., and his wife Ricky Rugh; a niece, Lenna Roxanne Walker of Midland.

Services were held Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Bandera Cemetery.

Out-of-town relatives that attended the services included Dr. Lewis H. Walker of Akron, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, Fresno, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wright of Tarpley; Dr. and Mrs. Granville Wright and family, Alief, Tex.; Gladys Wright of Kerrville; Mr. and Mrs. Granville Patrick Wright of Austin; Dr. and Mrs. Frank Duckett and family of Dallas; Bill Coffey of Hondo; Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hall of Leon Valley; Milton Padgett of Uvalde; Mrs. Bob Masters, Ruth Avis and Mrs. Gayle Miller, all of Wichita Falls; and Ellen Hall of Corpus Christi.

Genealogy workshop

The Genealogical Society of Kendall County will host Everton's "Family Tree Climbing Can Be Fun" workshop March 28.

Everton workshops are conducted throughout the United States by professional genealogists from Everton Publishers. Their major publication is "The Genealogical Helper."

This workshop is for persons who have been actively researching and have problem family lines. Research materials will be available for use and private consultation, if desired, will be included in the workshop.

For further information contact Elizabeth Hudson, president. The Genealogical Society of Kendall County, P.O. Box 623, Boerne, 78006.

Cowbelles

The Hill Country Cowbelles will meet at the Holiday Inn in Kerrville at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 21, at 12:30 a.m. The members from Comfort will be hostesses.

Emerald Isle

The San Antonio Irish Dancers share a bit of the Emerald Isle's cultural heritage during a special performance 3 p.m., Sunday, March 4, in the Dome Theater of the University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures.

SAR

The Sons of the American Revolution will jointly honor President George Washington and area Eagle Scouts at the Inn of the Hills in Kerrville Feb. 20.

Bulldog cagers win crown with fifth straight victory

Bandera's Bulldogs tucked away the school's first basketball title since 1974 Tuesday by completing a five-game sweep of the district in the second half of play with an easy 79-60 victory over Cole.

The Dogs will play Van Vleck Satrday, Feb. 25 in Gonzales in the first game of the state playoffs. It could amount to a measure of revenge for most Bulldogs who played on the football team that lost in the first game of the playoffs to Van Vleck in San Marcos.

The Bulldogs' triumphant victory over Cole Tuesday sealing an undisputed District 26-AAA championship was a satisfying one for Coach Kevin Long.

Appropriately, it was also a showcase for the considerable hardwood talents of Bulldog senior Steve Parker who poured in 41 points, led the team in rebounds, played an outstanding defensive game, and handled the ball often as Bandera almost toyed with Cole's press.

"I told them at the beginning of the year that if they didn't quit they'd be district champions," Long remembered after the game.

"They didn't quit. They have lots of guts and excellent attitudes. These kids just didn't quit," the Bulldog coach said.

He was pleased with Tuesday's performance against Cole because it was the kind of team effort he has been trying to get from his team.

"The bench came through tonight, and that was a key," Long said. Cliff Bronson and Bubba Calose each scored one bucket coming off the bench; Heath Hulse got in a lot of playing time, performing excellently on defense; and Tim Avallone, Kevin Parker and Jimmy Sides also played in the final quarter.

Coach Long also singled out the ball handling of Tim Butler as "outstanding," and called Jonathan Graves' defensive play "great."

"He's probably the best defensive player we have," Long said.

David Schwarz is without a doubt the most improved player on the team," Long said. "He's the reason we went 5-0 in the second half of district play."

Towering Bruce Robison also drew Long's praise for his play Tuesday night, but Long was even more lavish in describing Robison's game against Randolph Friday.

He scored 19 points in leading Bandera to victory over the Roadhawks in a road game that actually clinched the district title for the Bulldogs.

Parker put on a clinic Tuesday night, demonstrating even how failure to convert free throws can hurt.

"If he had made his free throws, he'd have scored 50," a scorer remarked of Parker's effort. The usually accurate free throw shooter made only three of nine attempts Tuesday.

He was deadly from almost everywhere else, however, flipping in four shots from the field in each the first and final quarters, five in the second stanza, and six in the third quarter in which Bandera put the game away.

Parker's 13-point third quarter helped build a 12-point Bandera advantage at the end of three quarters, to much for the visitors to make up.

Like Parker, its leader, Bandera played well in all aspects of the game Tuesday night except free throws. Had other factors been closer, the game may have wound up differently.

Cole made 22 of its 31 charity tosses while Bandera converted on only 11 of the 25 free thows it was awarded.

An interesting aspect of this title win is Bandera is the first 1984 Bruce Robison is one of the stars of the district champions. In 1974, Bruce's father, Gerald Robison, coached the district winners.

Game at glance

Bandera 79, Cole 60.
Bandera—Steve Parker 41, Bruce Robison 10, David Schwarz 13, Jonathan Graves 4, Tim Butler 7, Cliff Bronson 2, Bubba Calose 2, Tim Avallone, Heath Hulse, Jimmy Sides and Kevan Parker.
Cole—Broadnox 18, Madorn 8, Aulick 14, Ussery 2, Billingsley 5, Lackley 2, Burgess 8 and Harvey 5.
Halftime—Bandera 41, Cole 26.

Medina tied for first

After Medina assured it a bi-district playoff spot by defeating Harper last week, the Bobcats knotted the district 59-AA race with Ingram Tuesday by winning over Utopia, 71-66.

Medina went undefeated in the second round as did Ingram in the first, with each school's single loss coming from the other, thus setting up a playoff game Friday, Feb. 17, to decide who is district champions and who is runner-up.

The two teams are arch rivals, so the game on Friday should be a real show. The contest will be at 7 p.m. in Twin Gym, Kerrville.

The two schools met in Medina a week ago in a two-point barn-burner that saw Ingram getting singed. The Cats were defeated in the first round at Ingram when the Warriors got hot in the fourth period and came back from an eight-point deficit while Medina went cold as ice.

Marshall Townsend with 24 points and Greg Chaney with 23 led Medina's scoring Tuesday.



Bulldog Bruce Robison goes to the hoop in an earlier game during Bandera's five-game race to the district title. Bandera was in a four-way tie for the lead at the halfway point with a 3-2 mark, but its five consecutive second-half victories sealed the school's first district title since 1974.

Ferrell, Clingon get grid awards

Dyke Ferrell received the Coaches Award and Warren Clingon won the Bulldog Award last Thursday at the football awards banquet of the Bandera Bulldogs.

A large crowd was on hand to help head coach Danny Nease and Southwest Texas State University coach John O'Hara heap praises upon the Bulldogs.

"You guys are winners," Coach O'Hara told the Bulldogs. "You know what it takes to win, and I think that's great," he said.

"What I want to ask you is are you willing to take that extra step? Are you willing to accept that challenge for greatness?"

Though praising the 'Dogs for their 8-3 year that ended in the state playoffs, Coach O'Hara told the players, "Don't be satisfied with what you have accomplished. You are on the threshhold of greatness.

"Take that extra step."

Coach Nease pointed out that this year's seniors as freshmen were 0-10 and scored only two touchdowns in a whole year of football.

"This bunch came from there to this year to play in a state playoff game," Coach Nease said in praise.

Gerald Boyd spoke on behalf of the players. "We learned more about life playing football than we did about football," he said, paying tribute to the coaching staff for "making us winners."

"Among the other award winners were freshman kicker Greg Marshall, sophomore fullback James Compton, junior tackle and punter Gene Matthews, and senior quarterback Tim Butler.

Jeff Ott was recognized as lineman of the year and linebacker Teddy Popham was named junior varsity player of the year.

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Often, after a day in the woods or fields, you may find your clothes have picked up burrs, of which can be painful to remove. Try this suggestion. Run the blade of a sharp knife along the cloth with the blade held in a perpendicular position to the fabric. The knife will then pick up these burrs, leaving them in a clump for easy removal. Do not move the knife sideways, as this may cut your clothes.
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Staff photo by Rick Young

Volunteer firefighters battle house blaze

Volunteer firefighters from Boerne, Pipe Creek and Bandera fought this early Monday afternoon blaze at the Madrona subdivision of Highway 46. Dusty Scovel was home alone when the fire broke out, her husband Mike at work and their two children in school. Cause of the fire has not been officially determined. Damage to the rented house was extensive.

Sorenson due here

Murder suspect Gerald Rodger Sorenson, arrested in Binghamton, N.Y., after he sought a ticket for a Salvation Army shelter, could be extradited to Bandera to face charges in the murder of Bandera school teacher Marie Denise Walker this week.

Sorenson was charged after accumulated evidence gathered by Texas Rangers, the DPS, game wardens, city police and Bandera County Sheriff's Department pointed to the twice-convicted rapist. Sheriff Guy V. Pickett, convinced of a solid case against the suspect, put out a capital murder warrant on Sorenson last week, entering the information contained in records into computers. That led to a routine check that led to the arrest by Binghamton police.

Why would a fugitive in a murder case enter a police station and give his correct name and date of birth?

"He has an extensive education in the penal system and he's had a chance to talk over with other prisoners how they got caught and how our computer systems work," says Sheriff Pickett. "Like most of them, he likely thought we didn't have the systems bigger towns have.

"Our system is just like the ones in bigger towns, like San Antonio and Houston," the sheriff said. "We put the information in, name, date of birth, warrant, warrant number, charges, criminal history, distinguishing marks, the whole thing. The officers at another location put in a query about a name and date of birth and, if there is a warrant anywhere in the U.S., the computer will give them a hit. That's what happened with Sorenson."

On Wednesday, Detective Bill Mooney, of the Binghamton police department, told the Bulletin that Sorenson had denied having been in Canada, as had been previously reported. He had been in Island Pond, Vt. He took a bus from San Antonio to New Orleans. Then he hitchhiked northward. Island Pond is in northern Vermont, in Essex County, very near the Canadian border.

"He said he had been in Vermont for about a week. Now, we don't know how long it took him to get to Vermont, if that's where he really was. But he was arrested Feb. 19. If he was in Vermont for a week, that makes it Feb. 12 when he got there. Which gives him 11 days to have to gotten from Texas. Enough time," the lawman said.

Asked about the extradition procedure, Sheriff Pickett said it is the policy of the county to seek out the most financially reasonable method, with security conditions taken into consideration, for transportation back. Due to the distances and time involved, Pickett has tentatively decided to use a professional prisoner transporting company that operates nationally. The sheriff would not reveal the likely landing spot for a transporting aircraft, but it is not likely to be in Bandera County.

"If they show up here with a warrant and identify themselves properly," said Mooney, "we'll take them to the jail and they could be on their way to Texas within an hour. Then it'll be however long their mode of

(See ACCUSED, Page 3.)

City gets request to annex property on SH 173 South

The Bandera City Council refused to take action last week on a request by three property owners on State Highway 173 South to have their property taken into the city limits, preferring instead to "wait until after the election."

The controversy that resulted the last time this issue arose swept two incumbent city councilmen to defeat at the polls and kept a developer out of town who said he wanted to build a $1.5 million apartment unit.

This time it's a different developer who wants to construct a modern, 50-to-60-unit motel at the corner of State Highway 173 South and Dixie Dude Ranch, at a cost estimated to be near the $1.3 million the apartment unit would have cost.

Owners of the three parcels of land that would be taken into the city submitted letters last Monday formally asking for annexation. Nell Carr asked that her 12 plus acres be taken into the city, Ben and Betty Ferguson asked that their 1.3 acres be annexed, and Rain Vander Zee wants the 7.5 acre site he owns included. It is on Vander Zee's property that the motel would be built.

He said after the meeting that the council's refusal to act may cause the motel to be built in Hondo instead of Bandera. If that were to happen, Vander Zee said he plans to install a mobile home park at the site.

In the event he opts for a mobile home park, he would not seek annexation by the city, he said, but would install septic tanks, drill a well and perhaps file a preliminary plat with the county to give him back-up authority to sell individual mobile home sites.

A firm known as Bassler Construction Co., headed by L. Miller Bassler and David K. Pendleton, told the city it is looking into the possibility of building a motel at the site in question.

Bassler wrote he is interested in the site at the intersection of SH 173 South and FM 1735 (Dixie Dude Road) "but it is in need of sewer, water and gas.

"Our request is for the city of Bandera to deliver these utilities to this property," Miller wrote.

Mayor Wilvie Smith, who leaves office in April, supported expansion of the city in that direction. "I think this is the most probable direction that Bandera will grow," he told the council. "Within 10 years the whole Flying L Subdivision will be in the city and we will own their water and sewer systems," the mayor prophesied.

"I make a motion we shelve this until after the election," said councilman Clint Dowell. His motion was altered to declare that the matter would be taken up at the regular meeting of the council May 14. City elections are April 7.

Councilman Bob Bowan saw in the renewed efforts by landowners to be taken into the city additional reasons for the comprehensive planning both he and Mayor Smith have been calling for.

"I still feel super strongly we need to continue with comprehensive planning," Cowan told the council. "We've got to get this thing rolling."

Cowan is a candidate for mayor in the April 7 elections.

Dowell said consideration should be given at the same time to take some other areas near the city into the town's limits. "Something ought

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Lakehills firefighters get cash, pat on back

The Lakehills Volunteer Fire Department was given a pat on the back and words of thanks from an insurance company for the department's efforts in control a fire at the James P. Richardson residence on Lakehills Drive last week. Presenting the check to the department is Jerry Hall, left, of the Insurance Company of North America. Accepting the check is Fire Chief Jerry Hall. Richardson's insurance company presented the department with a check for $1,000 for its efforts in saving the home. Damage to the home was estimated at $50,000.

San Antonio man drowns in Lake Medina mishap

Justice of the Peace Ed Jennings of Pipe Creek ruled accidental in the drowning death of George A. Brack, 45, of San Antonio at Lake Sunday.

The ruling, issued Tuesday, was based on evidence compiled by Jennings and Bandera County Sheriff Guy Pickett.

Indications in the accident show a party of four, including Brack's 12-year-old son, had been on the lake at Bob's Cove at the north end of the lake and were preparing to bring the boat out of the water when Brack decided to "take it out again by himself. . . ."

A short distance from shore, Brack, for some still-unexplained reason, fell overboard. The boat began circling and the propeller on the outboard motor caught Brack's jacket, dragging him underwater.

"The witnesses got him loose from the propeller and got him out of the water, but he'd been under too long," the sheriff said.

Deputy reprimanded after TV incident

A verbal reprimand Sheriff Guy V. Pickett said he gave Deputy Robert Hinze after the deputy allegedly mistreated a San Antonio television reporter has apparently satisfied a San Antonio television executive.

Though news director Jay Solomon of KMOL-TV in San Antonio was quoted this week in a San Antonio newspaper as saying he plans to discuss the matter further, he told the Bulletin Wednesday he never had any plans to take the matter any further than it has already been taken.

"I just wanted the sheriff to know of my reaction," he told Wednesday. "I don't like my people being pushed, and I don't like them being pushed."

Sheriff Pickett said he called the reporter in question, Richard Hirst, to apologize for the incident and he verbally reprimanded Hinze.

Hirst had been in Bandera Sunday to get copies from the sheriff's department on the arrest of Gerald Sorenson, who has been charged with the murder of schoolteacher Marie Denise Walker on Jan. 31.

Hinze, who had responded to the scene of the arrest, had told Hirst he could not have copies, that everything would be released to the media at a news conference later, the newspaper said.

Bandera County Fotpourri

By Nick Johnson



It's an easy test that's fun to take, and the answers are given below:

1. In which state do most visitors to Texas originate?
a. California
b. Michigan
c. Illinois
d. Oklahoma

2. Which Texas city do most short-time visitors go to?
a. San Antonio
b. Muleshoe
c. Dallas
d. El Paso

3. Which Texas city do most long-term visitors go to?
a. McAllen
b. Austin
c. Dime Box
d. San Antonio

4. Which Texas city is most visited by foreign tourists?
a. Langtry
b. San Antonio
c. Austin
d. Houston

5. When visitors from other states come, how many days do they spend in Texas?
a. Two days
b. Seven days
c. Four days
d. Five days

6. How much money does the average Texan spend per day when visiting other parts of Texas?
a. Twenty-five cents
b. Twenty-five dollars
c. Twenty-five pesos
d. Twenty-five longnecks

7. Who spends the most while visiting in Texas?
a. Other Texans
b. Visitors from other states
c. Visitors from other countries
d. Visitors from other planets

8. What three types of expenditures represent about 80 percent of a tourists expenses?
a. Wine, women and song
b. Food, lodging and ball game tickets
c. Fast food, fast cars and fast women
d. Food, cars and lodging

9. How much is spent by travelers in Texas on sightseeing and suntan lotion, hamburgers and roller coasters, hunting and golf? Pencil in your answer.

Disclaimer

The questions above and the answers below were taken from the 1983 Texas Auto Visitor Profile compiled by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation on the basis of questionnaires returned by more than 29,000 parties who visited Texas Tourist Bureaus in 1983.

Answers

1. d, but if you answered California, you weren't far off. 2. c, and if you answered Muleshoe you are a short-term visitor. 3. a, and that probably proves a visitor can take only so much of Dallas. 4. b, unless you count Okies as foreigners, in which case see No. 1. 5. b, but we know a Swede that spent a week in Bandera in only three days. 6 b, but *some drink* that many longnecks per day. 7. a, of course. No good, red-blooded Texan is going to let an Okie out-spend him. 8. d, but only a few years ago it would have been c. 9. $13 *billion* per year.

Letters

Let's get involved

Dear editor:

As the Bandera County Little League season approaches, it is a good time to remind ourselves of the value of sports programs for our children as well as the value of our own involvement as adults in such programs.

There is no better place than Little League for our children to learn new skills, to find out what they excell in and what they need to work on. There is no better place for kids to learn to compete fairly, to win graciously and lose gracefully.

Our involvement as parents becomes crucial as we shape these ideals in our children. We can set an example of supportive adults working together to achieve a goal in a spirit of fun, learning and community.

Let's get involved in Little League this year, not just for a championship season but for a valuable experience in teamwork, competition and fellowship.

John Slocomb
President, Bandera County Little League

Bandera Bulletin letter policy

The Bulletin solicits your letters on any subject of general interest. Each letter must be brief, in good taste and must not be libelous. The editor reserves the right to edit letters for these reasons. While political endorsements and thank you notes will not be accepted as letters, we will be happy to arrange advertising space for these purposes.

Wanted: Director for state prison

Texas is searching for a new director of the Texas Department of Corrections following the departure a few days ago of W.J. Estelle, Jr.

Estelle took the post 12 years ago, heralded as one of the finest penologists in the nation. He left with numerous prison system audits and investigations of corruption underway.

While no one has charged Estelle with a criminal offense, his administration and its recent history of construction cost overruns and other expenditures has been under close scrutiny by the Texas Legislature.

Last week, the prison system reported that the cost of maintaining state prisoners has increased over 275 percent during the past decade. That same report incidentally found that 27 percent of the prisoners are from Houston and 26 percent from Dallas; 44 percent are black, 37 percent are white and 19 percent are Hispanic.

According to one Board of Corrections member, Estelle's taking actions and spending money without board approval got him into hot water he couldn't survive.

In 1979 the Legislature appropriated $300 million for emergency prison construction to be managed by Estelle and other TDC officials. Critics charge he mismanaged those funds and other revenues, by arbitrarily awarding sweeping merit raises and hazardous pay to clerical and white-collar workers.

In stepping down, Estelle made no statement in defense of the criticism. Board members will attempt to replace him in the next three months.

Texas House

The leadership in the Texas House of Representatives will be different next session. At least 11 of the 33 standing committee chairmen are not going to run for re-election.

Some are going into the private sector; others, like Tom DeLay of Fort Bend County running for Congress, are seeking higher office.

The vacancies will allow Speaker Gib Lewis to choose a good many new lieutenants as about 30 of the 150 incumbents are estimated to voluntarily step down.

No tax bill?

Some observers believe that one factor influencing the decision not to return is the threat of a special session to raise taxes that Gov. Mark White wants to call before the summer ends.

Many legislators do not want to be forced to vote on a tax hike just prior to either the primary or general election. By calling it quits, they can serve until January 1985 with no such pressure.

But the en masse retirement might spell doom for White's tax bill.

The 30 departing members may not want to vote for the tax hike in special session, preferring to postpone it until the regular session just six months later.

And legislators eager to find favor with Speaker Lewis so they may fill the leadership slots may be hesitant, to pass a tax bill which Lewis opposes.

Goddess of Liberty

Experts renovating the Capitol have discovered several cracks in the statue of the Goddess of Liberty atop the Capitol dome.

The 96-year-old zinc statue was originally cast in the Capitol basement and raised to the dome in 1888. The Goddess holds a sword in her right hand while she raises a five-pointed Texas star with her left.

The experts plan to repair the Goddess where she stands — on top of the Capitol — rather than attempt to lower her to the ground.

War of words

The war of words between two Democrats running for the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by John Tower has entirely embroiled Democrats wringing their hands.

Last week, for the second week in a row, State Sen. Lloyd Doggett, an Austin liberal, delivered a caustic attack on former Ambassador Bob Krueger.

This time Doggett's campaign mailed out over 50,000 fund-raising letters highly critical of Krueger and another opponent, Congressman Kent Hance of Lubbock. The letter depicted Krueger as a tool of special interests and criticized Hance for cosponsoring Reagan's three-year income reduction bill.

Though mailed by the Doggett campaign, the letters bore the signature of Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower.

Hightower apologizes

Hightower immediately issued a statement disavowing the letter, saying it was distributed without his approval by Doggett. He apologized to both Krueger and Hance for the error.

Earlier, Doggett had accused Krueger of voting to support foreign assassinations while on a television debate.

Krueger has responded by accusing Doggett of distorting his record and running "the dirtiest campaign I've ever encountered," which Doggett denied.

Ratepayers pay

An attorney for Consumers Union and others says Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. is building a $5.5 billion communications network residential customers don't need but will wind up paying for.

"Our major concern is that the company is ravaging the ratepayers to build a corporate empire," Carol Barger told a news conference this week.

Several groups Monday asked the Public Utility Commission to dismiss $524 million from Bell's $1.1 billion rate hike request, which is pending.

They ask that the rate case be reopened and charges that Bell had concealed information that would result in lowering telephone rates for residential customers.

Attorney General Jim Mattox meanwhile ruled that Bell must wait until April 22 to put $279.7 million in higher rates into effect. Bell had scheduled the increase to take effect this week.

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
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Bandera County '84 Elections

Political Calendar

The Bandera Bulletin has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following candidates:

Bandera County Sheriff — Guy V. Pickett
Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gordon Nordlund
Bandera Co. Tax Assessor Collector — Marguerite Stevens
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — Bob Ashley (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — A.A. (Pete) Reed (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Jim Russell (D)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — E. Bruce Curry (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — Joe Mike Egan (R)
State Rep. District 45 — Eldon Edge (D)

Register to vote
Bandera County tax office



Staff photo by Nick Johnson.

Faces of Bandera County

Pretty Kirsten Robinson of Pipe Creek is an energetic seventh grader in Bandera Junior High. Her warming smile certainly qualifies her as one of the Faces of Bandera County.

Temperatures

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Wednesday, Feb. 15	80	44	-
Thursday, Feb 16	79	35	-
Friday, Feb. 17	75	43	-
Saturday, Feb. 18	68	34	-
Sunday, Feb. 19	53	33	.36
Monday, Feb. 20	49	34	-
Tuesday, Feb. 21	68	30	-

Rainfall so far this month: 0.36 in. Rainfall so far this year: 2.81 in.

Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Coop, Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

Computers' role in law enforcement effective in small towns and large

The terms TCIC and NCIC are familiar to most scanner listeners, but the computer's role in the recent capture of murder suspect Gerald Sorenson has increased interest in this surveillance system.

"He's had an extensive education in the prisons," Sheriff Guy Picket said. "He's had a chance to talk to the other prisoners about how they got caught and how to get away the next time. He probably thought, like most of them do, that a town this size don't have the computer facilities the bigger towns have. That ain't true. We're as well equipped as any city in Texas," the sheriff said.

The terms TCIC and NCIC mean, simply, Texas Criminal Information Center and National Criminal Information Center. The former is located in Austin and the latter in Washington, D.C.

"When you make an entry," Deputy Ken Mingo said, "for instance, a stolen gun, you give the description, the make and model, the serial number or an owner-applied number, like a driver's license number. With this, a found gun can be run and matched with a stolen report. This is why everyone should always record the serial numbers of everything they have.

"Serial numbers should be stored somewhere that a burglar won't find them," the veteran deputy said. "A safe deposit box is ideal, but a location in the home away from the item will work," Mingo said.

"With a number, well, we found a gun in Rhode Island that had been stolen from Alamo Heights some three years before," he explained.

When a warrant is issued, the information is keyed into the TCIC computer from a terminal located in the Bandera County dispatcher's office along with the details of the warrant and information on the suspect.

The name, date of birth, home address, location of the court issuing the warrant, charges and the warrant number are entered into the TCIC unit.

As soon as a warrant, or a stolen item, is entered into the TCIC computer, it is automatically relayed to the NCIC in Washington. The information, within a second, is available to every law enforcement agency in America.

As in the case of Sorenson, when police in Binghamton, N.Y., ran a check for wants and warrants, the familiar 10-27, on his name and date of birth, the computer made a 'hit' on the combination and confirmed warrants for theft and capital murder.

New York police then requested details and, after receiving the description of tattoos known to have been displayed on Sorenson, confirmed they had the Bandera suspect in custody.

Accused

(Continued from Page 1.)

transportation takes as to how long before Sorenson is back in Texas and in their own jail."

On taking custody, Sheriff Pickett will transport the suspect to Bandera County to seek an indictment on the capital murder charge from the Bandera County grand jury. Technically, Sorenson is charged in New York State as a fugitive from justice.

The federal charge of interstate flight to avoid prosecution could apply in the case, in addition to a theft charge filed by his father that was the basis for the initial search.

Sorenson, twice convicted on sex offense charges, has spent 13 of the last 18 years in prisons. The penalty for capital murder could be death by injection.

Republicans to gather

Bandera County Republicans have invited fellow Republicans, conservative Democrats and interested independents to a general open meeting to discuss the May 5 primary election.

Announcement of the meeting, to be held at 3 p.m., Monday, Feb. 27, in the First National Bank's board room, was made by new GOP county chairman Buddy Thompson of Bandera.

"Plans will be discussed for the upcoming primary as well as other 'election '84' topics," Thompson said. "Some local and area candidates will be on hand to get acquainted and to answer questions," he said. Among those he expects are incumbent district attorney Joe Mike Egan of Kerrville and his opponent in the GOP primary, Bruce Curry, also of Kerrville.

Loeffler presented golden bulldog award

Congressman Tom Loeffler was presented with the Golden Bulldog Award on Feb. 1 by the so-called Watchdogs of the Treasury, Inc., for his voting efforts to keep federal spending down and thus avoid waste and burdensome deficits.

The award is presented to those members of Congress who vote for fiscal responsibility in government based on the "Economy Voting Record," a compilation of selected congressional votes published by an independent research firm. Congressman Loeffler maintained a 100 percent voting record according to their index.

Watchdogs of the treasury is a nonpartisan organization whose award for fiscal integrity in government is presented during each Congress.

Calendar

Today, February 23

Heritage Genealogical Society, 2 p.m., Bandera Co. Library.
Am. Legion Post 410 of LH and auxiliary, 8 p.m., Legion Home, 7 p.m. -covered dish.
Boys basketball playoffs, Bandera vs. Van Vleck at Seguin, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, February 24

Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.
Fire Prevention and Safety Program, 7:30 p.m., Bandera Firehouse.

Saturday, February 25

United Methodist Youth Group, 9-5 p.m., Lone Star Ice House, Lakehills, on Park Road 37.

Monday, February 27

Medina Lake AARP, 1:30 p.m., Legion Home.
Bandera County Republican meeting, 3 p.m., FNBBR.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin' R Restaurant.
Square dance club, 7-10 p.m., FNBBR.
Medina PTO, 7 p.m., School cafeteria.

Tuesday, February 28

Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
MLVFD Board of Directors, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.

Wednesday, February 29

Bandera League of Women in Business, 5:30 p.m., Sundance Travel.
LVFD bingo, 7 p.m.

Thursday, March 1

Tarpley Extention Homemaker Club, 2 p.m.
St. Victor's Altar Society, 7 p.m., St. Victor's Chapel.

County Commissioners Do What?

Did you know each of Bandera's County Commissioners draws a salary of $762.30 per month, plus a $300.00 car allowance, for a total of $1,062.30 per month!

In the past, there were road commissioners. I recall we had news coverage stating that our commissioners would take a salary cut in order to hire a county road superintendent, to do their jobs. Isn't it odd that their salaries are still $762.30 plus $300.00 per month? And they did hire a county road superintendent.

This writer merely professed concern. If past conduct is a reliable criterion, tax-payers — look out!

W. Bunch
Bandera, Tx.

CAR Comments with Phil Martin

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Plants and goodies

Sue Kruse, President of the American Legion Auxiliary announces that the Auxiliary will sponsor their annual Plant and Bake Sale on March 31 at the Legion Home in Lakehills. More details on this next month.

Voting in Lakehills

Recently, the Lakehills Volunteer Fire Department agreed to allow voting to continue at the firehouse on Park Road 37 for School Board Elections and voting through April 1985.

At the regular monthly business meeting on Feb. 14, the department agreed to a request from County Judge Tommy Calvo to allow county voting to also continue at the firehouse through April of next year.



Outstanding officer

Linda R. English, daughter of Johnnie R. and Terrance G. Nordland of Lakehills, has been named outstanding non-commissioned officer of the quarter for the 3743rd Basic Military Training Squadron at Lackland Air Force Base.

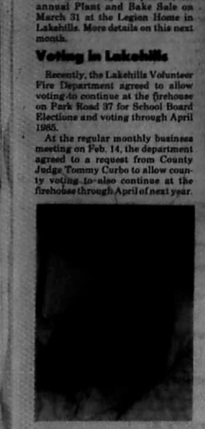
The competition was based on job knowledge, significant self-improvement, leadership qualities, ability to be an articulate and positive spokesman for the Air Force and other accomplishments.

English is a military training instructor.

Retirees to meet

The first regular meeting of the Medina Lake Chapter of American Association of Retired Persons under its new charter will be held Monday, Feb. 27, at 1:30 p.m. at the American Legion home in Lakehills.

Some members will present a skit, "The Exercise Class." Al Robinson of Bandera will speak and answer questions on the proposed Senior Citizens Center for Bandera County. Members and visitors are invited to attend.



John Steven Clark

John Steven Clark arrived Feb. 10. Son of John and Milanie Clark of San Antonio, Steven weighed 7 lbs 5 ozs. and was 21 inches long.

The maternal grandparents are Newton and Margie Roberson of San Antonio.

The paternal grandparents are Tom and Mary Frances Clark of San Antonio, formerly of Lakehills.

John is a 1980 graduate of Bandera High School.

Faith Chapel Christian School

Tony Kruse, Commander of American Legion Post 410, presents the Rev. James Colley with a donation to Faith Chapel to help with building and playground improvements.

A Sunday outing

Don't forget the Medina Lake Betterment Association's "Big Tupperware" Party March 4. It starts at 3 p.m., so gather up your friends, relatives, and neighbors and come on down.

Peggy Ashmore and the board of directors promise there'll be something of interest for everyone. Marie will have a Mary Kay display and demonstration, and Lila will have her Avon Store display. All earnings will go to the MLBA building fund. The MLBA hopes to get the slab in for the out-door pavilion before summer.

After you've browsed and shopped for your Tupperware, Mary Kay, and Avon, you'll want to stay for the "French Market Bean Soup" dinner at 5 p.m. Soup will be $1.50 per bowl and the recipes will be on sale also. There'll be lots of samples, prizes, drawings, and refreshments.

MLBA meets

The MLBA semi-annual membership meeting will be held March 8, at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to come early at 6:30 p.m. for a covered-dish supper. A regular business meeting will be held and six directors will be elected. If you are unable to attend, please vote by marking your official ballot which you received in the mail and return it in time for your vote to count.

A shower for Sherry

Everything was pink and white in the fellowship hall of the Lakehills United Methodist Church on Saturday when Mrs. Gerald Farland of San Antonio was honored with a baby shower.

We announced Jessica Lorraine's early arrival in last week's Bulletin. Jessica's mom, the former Sherry Oehler, reports she's now at 10½ lbs.

Maternal grandmothers are Dorothy Tietz and Nancy Oehler, and they were on hand to help welcome the 28 guests who attended.

Hostesses for the occasion were Helen Somsel, Helen Travis, Dorothy Denton and Dicie Etcheyson. Sherry was assisted by Dorothy Tietz and Carrie Oehler when she opened the many beautiful gifts.

The hall was lovely with the pastel and pink decorations. The refreshment table was decorated with an ivy and pink floral centerpiece, and the pink and white cake decorated with a baby motif, and pink punch. Sherry's sister, Carrie, registered the guests in Jessica's baby book.

Altar Society meeting

St. Victor's Altar Society will hold its March meeting, on Thursday, March 1, at 7 p.m. in the fellowship room at St. Victor's. All members are urged to attend. Plans for the June barbecue will be finalized.

Youth group bake sale

The United Methodist Youth Group will hold a bake sale on Saturday, Feb. 25, at the Lone Star Ice House in Lakehills on Park Road 37 by the Post Office. These kids and their moms are putting a lot of work into this fund raiser, and you're sure to find the treats you've been longing for. They'll be at Lone Star from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. unless they run out of goodies early. The UMYG appreciates your support.

Faith Chapel issues rosy report

"Faith Chapel Christian School has been open four weeks, and things have been going very well," says the Rev. James W. Colley, director. "Our students have been working hard, and we are proud of all of them.

Students at FCCS work through units of material called PACE's in five subjects, English, math, science, social studies and spelling (or word building).

"Students must score at least 80 percent on PACE tests before being permitted to advance to the next PACE," Rev. Colley explains.

To lessen the problem of superficial learning and short retention that can result from "cramming" for a test, students are not allowed to take materials home the night before they take their PACE test. "They must know the material well enough to turn in their PACE the day before they take the test, and still make at least 80 percent," says the Rev. Colley.

At Faith Chapel Christian School the emphasis is on learning, according to Rev. Colley. "We work at motivating students to learn." Students must earn the privilege of attending weekly field trips, for example. Trips have included a visit to Cascade Caverns, a rehearsal of the San Antonio Symphony Orchestra, and a trip to the Planetarium.

Students in the school's reading program are trying to develop their comprehension and reading rate. "The students read stories at a prescribed rate which increases only as they score at least 90 percent on comprehension tests," Rev. Colley said. Students may progress to a rate of 1,800 words per minute, he said.

In the school's physical education program, the Royal Canadian Air Force 5 BX and XBX physical fitness program is utilized, Rev. Colley said. "At the present time the students are also learning to play tennis," he said. "We appreciate American Legion Post 410 for providing an area suitable for our students to learn to play."

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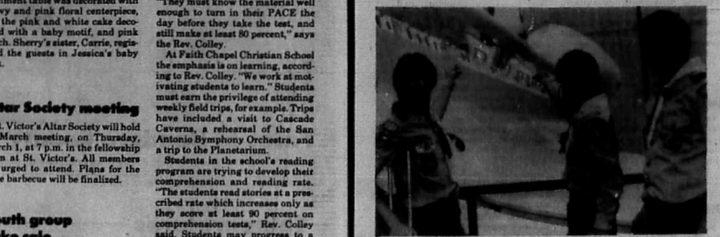

Collage workshop at museum of art

San Antonio fiber artist, Susan Oaks, will conduct a Collage Workshop for children aged 5 to 7 years on Saturday, March 3, at 2 p.m. at the San Antonio Museum of Art.

The workshop is being held in conjunction with the museum's newest exhibit, "Silken Threads and Silent Needles."

A short tour of the exhibit, with an emphasis on applique, will start the workshop. Following this, young participants will explore the art of collage with Oaks, working on colorful felt banners with many different materials.

Fee for the workshop is $3 for contributors and $5 for non-contributors. For reservations, call the Education Department, 226-5544. The Museum of Art is located at 200 W. Jones Avenue.

Cub Scout Troy Sterner (above) stands in the cargo bay of a space shuttle model at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration exhibit at the LBJ Space Center near Houston while Tim Larker, Troy Loefler and Charles Anderson (left) become interested in the space shuttle's bay doors and right side.

Six Cubs, 11 Boy Scouts and two adult leaders toured not only the LBJ Space Center, arranged by U.S. Rep. Tom Loeffler, but also Sea-Arama in Galveston, Fort Louis, Bolivar Lighthouse, the submarine U.S.S. Cavalla, the destroyer escort U.S.S. Stewart, the San Jacinto Monument, and the Battleship Texas.

Cubs making the trip were Troy and Greg Sterner, Troy Adamietz, Tybor Cook, Dennis Duff and Matthew Lurker, and Boy Scouts Tim Lurker, Charles Anderson, Joe Lopez, Ermilo Rodriguez, Edward Munoz, Jason Sisler, Chad Parker, Mauric Simon, Scott Anderson, Cody Tripp and Chris Winfield. Adult leaders were Howard Lurker and Francis Small.

Gardening

Get roses ready

With a little "tender loving care," rose plants will provide plenty of beautiful blooms during 1984.

"While roses are a worldwide favorite, they do require considerable maintenance if they are to be productive," says Everett Janne, landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Set out new varieties of bare-root plants no later than four weeks before the area's average last frost date. However, container plants can be set out at any time.

Prune roses in early spring, just as leaf buds begin to swell but before active growth starts. Because of the severe December freeze over Texas, pruning may have to be delayed until actual growth starts, notes the horticulturist. Cut off all winter-killed growth and remove any broken or diseased canes.

Prune most bush roses to leave about five vigorous canes 18- to 24-inches tall. Hybrid tea varieties may be cut back one-fourth to produce an abundance of small blooms, one-half to produce a moderate number of medium-sized flowers, and three-fourths to provide a smaller number of exhibition-sized roses.

Prune climbing and rambling roses after they bloom, advises Janne. They produce flowers on one-year-old canes from buds that developed late last summer. If canes are too long, they can be trimmed now, but they must not be cut back drastically because it would eliminate most flowers this year.

Treat all cut ends with asphalt wound dressing or a drop or two of common white glue to keep insects out, suggests the horticulturist.

To promote vigorous green growth of rose plants, broadcast one-half cup of 8-8-8 fertilizer, or an equivalent, around each bush, but at least 12 inches from the trunk. Work the fertilizer into the top inch of soil and water thoroughly. On sandy or infertile soil, fertilize every three to four weeks.

Janne recommends keeping several inches of a mulch of sawdust, wood chips or peat moss around the plants. And, to control blackspot, a fungus disease, spray plants every week during the summer with benlate, manzate or Funginex.

Lakeshore

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Birthdays cited

The Copper Lantern was host this week for seven friends whose birthdays are in February. They were Bob York, Dick Newman, Warren Hopkins, Lucy Rogers, Dana Simmons, John and Janie Searcy and Louise Carr, all of Kerrville. All enjoyed delicious barbecue and covered dish dinner.

The "Country Do Gooders" Band from Lakehills entertained the crowd, with the popular singer and guitarist Chet Reeves joining the band with his great music.

Friends of the band members from Seguin were Jim and Lorlene West and family. Sam Byrd's guests at the barbecue were Jake Babbitt, Olivia Berube, Rebecca Rodriquez, Doris Hamm, Charlotte Reyna, Denise Saenz and Sonia Rodriquez, all of San Antonio.

New property owners

Ben and Doris Bullard are property owners in The Lake Medina Shores area. They commute to San Antonio daily. Ben is a claims investigator and Doris teaches math and science at the Kazen Middle School. They said they moved to Bandera because the people are so friendly and the air is so pure.

Jeffery and Susan Sutton are building a new home in Lake Medina Shores. They say they love the Hill Country community.

Grass burning

The Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department has been busy burning grass, debris and litter along the banks of the river. This should make fishing better when the lake fills up. Residents are catching white bass, catfish and some black bass.

Visitors

From Corpus Christi, Bill and Audry Burge spent some time at their vacation home and visiting friends.

From Austin, Bill and Debbie Cody were the guests of their parents, Jay and Marietta Overholser.

From Peoria, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. George Cheney, former Peoria neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. John Queen, came by to see them Thursday afternoon.

From Kerrville, James and Donna Evans visited Denny and Bernice Fairbairn; Joe and Louise Carr were guests of Linda and Bob York; Roy and Wanda Lich and Mr. McFarland visited Dana and Rich Simmons.

From San Antonio, Merledine and Buster Talley and family were house guests of Deanie and Richard Newman, and Sue and Bob Smith, Mark Hall and mother, Dixie, were checking repairs on their vacation homes and visiting friends.

From Ozona, Lucille and Merle Welty were guests of Monk and Lucile Searcy.

Trip to Lytle

Jay and Mariette Overholser made a trip to Lytle to see their relatives.

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Stratton 'not guilty'

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On UT list

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City

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More than one-half the old council had been replaced by a resignation and two defeats at the polls, and the three new members voted to leave the property in question out of the city council.

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Essentially, however, those expenses would be met by the city, but in theory be paid back in future years in the form of utility fees and property taxes on the $1 million plus motel. Additional development in the area could swell the taxable value well beyond that figure, officials says.

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The city once gave D'Spain a change of zoning ordinance to allow him to install his mobile home park, but a lawsuit by neighbors resulted in the ordinance being set aside by 216th District Court Judge Robert L. Barton.

That ordinance was passed by the necessary four to five vote only by counting an absentee ballot cast by Cowan, who could not attend the public hearing at which the ordinance was approved.

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In other council action last week, the city dads agreed to allow Star Cable TV to increase its rates from $1 to $8 per month, depending on the amount of service received.

"The bottom line is we have no control over the prices pay services such as CBN, USA Network and ESPN charge us," said a Star Cable TV spokesman. "Within the last year there has been a 60 percent increase per subscriber for these charges."

After the council approved the increase, the mayor took advantage of the opportunity to criticize the cable company for moving its antenna and other facilities to a site leased from the county without first obtaining a building permit or conferring with the city inspector.

The mayor also took a swipe at the county for leasing the property, behind the old jail building, to the cable company which had been leasing from a private individual.

They also agreed to ask the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation to install a blinking caution light at the intersection of State Highway 16 and the old San Antonio Highway. School superintendent Ron Caloss initiated the request for a safety device at the site.

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Chris graduated from John Jay High School in San Antonio and is an All-American offensive tackle at Texas Lutheran College in Seguin. He is a junior and will receive his Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology.

No wedding date has been set.

Medina menu

Feb. 27-March 2

Monday: Hot dogs with chili, French fries, barbeye peas, fruit and milk.
Tuesday: Beans with chili, slaw, scalloped potatoes, fruit, cornbread and milk.
Wednesday: Tacos, salad, corn, fruit and milk.
Thursday: Chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, fruit, roll and milk.
Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Jennifer

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schneider, Kerrville, announce the arrival of a baby girl born Feb. 8. Jennifer Annette weighed 6 lbs., 5 oz. and measured 19 inches long. She is welcomed by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Glenn, Medina.

Medina PTO

The Medina Parent-Teachers Organization will meet Feb. 27 at the school.

There will be a full-length Walt Disney movie shown for the children and interested young people and adults, starting at 6:30. The PTO business meeting will begin at 6:30 and the program at 7.

The program for adults will feature guest speakers who are actively dealing with the problem of drunk drivers in our local areas.

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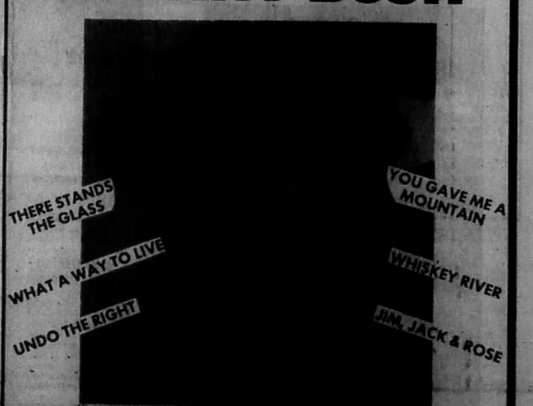

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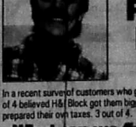

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Birth

Edith Jeffers is again excited about the birth of another great-grandchild. Laurie Faye was born to Lelah Faye and Bill Barrett of Midland Feb. 16. She weighed 8 lbs. 10 ozs. Her happy grandparents are Faye and Clyde Estes of Sterling City. Congratulations.

Recovery

Edith Jeffers is improving slowly these days. Some of her visitors have been her brother-in-law and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moreau of Center Point, her son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jeffers of Castroville, Mrs. Marvin Dean and Helen Woods of D'Hanis, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dean of D'Hanis, Marie Hood, Laura Walzem and Nettie Dean, and Edith's daughter Nell Woods of Lampases.

Birthday

Corey Lynn Johnson is celebrating her second birthday Feb. 21 out in Sunnymead, Calif. She is the granddaughter of Anton and Marilyn Haner. Happy birthday Corey.

Ill

Mrs. Joy Frear of Rio Hondo subdivision has been ill also with flu.

Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Dean visited Marie and Don Newcomb and children, Molly and Jonathan, of San Antonio Sunday and attended church at Oak Ridge Baptist Church. It was also a birthday dinner for Donnie Newcomb Feb. 20.

City

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to be done to bring into the city Montague Drive and Indian Waters Subdivision," he said.

Opposition to a move to take the SH 173 South property into the city limits last year caused continuing controversy that didn't end until a new city council voted to rescind the actions of the old council.

More than one-half the old council had been replaced by a resignation and two defeats at the polls, and the three new members voted to leave the property in question out of the city council.

Mayor Smith told the council last week that the Bassler Construction Co. had indicated a willingness to share some of the costs of extending utilities across the river.

Essentially, however, those expenses would be met by the city, but in theory be paid back in future years in the form of utility fees and property taxes on the $1 million plus motel. Additional development in the area could swell the taxable value well beyond that figure, officials says.

In another property matter, the council last week set a public hearing for March 13 at 7 p.m. to consider again a request to change the zoning of property in Bandera on which Ray D'Spain has started work on a mobile home park.

The city once gave D'Spain a change of zoning ordinance to allow him to install his mobile home park, but a lawsuit by neighbors resulted in the ordinance being set aside by 216th District Court Judge Robert L. Barton.

That ordinance was passed by the necessary four to five vote only by counting an absentee ballot cast by Cowan, who could not attend the

Tarpley Home Extension Club

The Tarpley Home Extension Club met Feb. 2 at the University Savings. There were 22 members and visitors in attendance.

Mrs. Parker Meyers, owner of the Old Office Interiors, in Hondo gave the program on "How to hang wall paper." She explained the types of paper that harmonize and how to select the correct borders. She had many swatch books to help in your selection of wall paper.

Hostesses for the meeting were Jean Barnhill, Nora Ludwig, Billie Crowell and Doris Ward.

A rate hike for Star Cable TV was OKed and a new caution light will be sought.

public hearing at which the ordinance was approved.

Cowan's vote was declared null and void and the ordinance also was voided.

Councilmen were careful to check their calendars to assure themselves they would be present for the March 13 meeting. Other parts of the lawsuit, brought by former city attorney Sam L. Darden and his partner, Bob Wehmeyer, are still pending in district court.

In other council action last week, the city dads agreed to allow Star Cable TV to increase its rates from $1 to $8 per month, depending on the amount of service received.

"The bottom line is we have no control over the prices pay services such as CBN, USA Network and ESPN charge us," said a Star Cable TV spokesman. "Within the last year there has been a 60 percent increase per subscriber for these charges."

After the council approved the increase, the mayor took advantage of the opportunity to criticize the cable company for moving its antenna and other facilities to a site leased from the county without first obtaining a building permit or conferring with the city inspector.

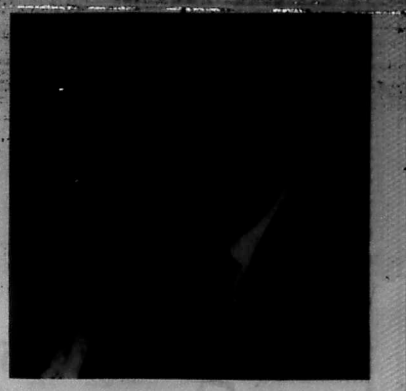
The mayor also took a swipe at the county for leasing the property, behind the old jail building, to the cable company which had been leasing from a private individual.

They also agreed to ask the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation to install a blinking caution light at the intersection of State Highway 16 and the old San Antonio Highway. School superintendent Ron Caloss initiated the request for a safety device at the site.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Maggie G. Anderson, Bandera; John T. Kindla and Mrs. Dorothy L. D'Spain, Bandera; and Robert S. Monsees, Utopia.



Glenn — Ormiston

Mr. and Mrs. Dan C. Glenn, Boerne, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Dicy Diane Glenn, to Christopher Robert Ormiston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ormiston of San Antonio.

Dicy is a graduate of Medina High School and attended Schreiner College where she was a member of the basketball team for three years until her transfer her senior year to UTSA where she will receive her Bachelor of Business Administration degree in Finance this year.

Chris graduated from John Jay High School in San Antonio and is an All-American offensive tackle at Texas Lutheran College in Seguin. He is a junior and will receive his Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology.

No wedding date has been set.

Medina menu

Feb. 27-March 2

Monday: Hot dogs with chili, French fries, blackeye peas, fruit and milk.
Tuesday: Beans with chili, slaw, scalloped potatoes, fruit, cornbread and milk.
Wednesday: Tacos, salad, corn, fruit and milk.
Thursday: Chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, fruit, roll and milk.
Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Jennifer

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schneider, Kerrville, announce the arrival of a baby girl born Feb. 8. Jennifer Annette weighed 6 lbs., 5 oz. and measured 19 inches long. She is welcomed by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Glenn, Medina.

Medina menu

March 5-9

Spring break

Medina PTO

The Medina Parent-Teachers Organization will meet Feb. 27 at the school.

There will be a full-length Walt Disney movie shown for the children and interested young people and adults, starting at 6:30. The PTO business meeting will begin at 6:30 and the program at 7.

The program for adults will feature guest speakers who are actively dealing with the problem of drunk drivers in our local areas.

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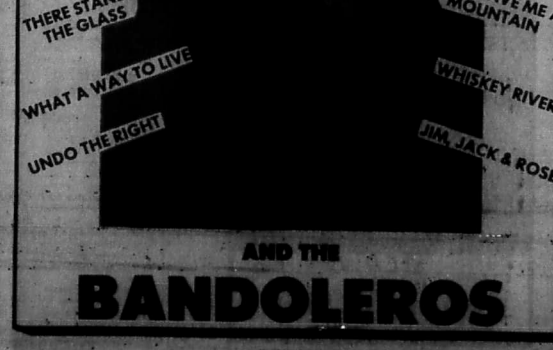

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Rabies Clinic March 3rd



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The rate schedule is expected to furnish a 3.12 percent increase in the Company's revenues from residential and commercial customers in the City of Bandera, Texas.

A Statement of intent has been filed with the City of Bandera and is available for inspection at the Company's business office located at 331-333 Earl Garrett Street, Kerrville, Texas.

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Lone Star Gas Company

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visited Mr. Rainey.
layfield and Mary Ellen

Walker visited their aunt, Ruby
Hides, and other friend Mary Ellen
recently moved here from Californ-
nia.

Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt
Hamrick, Jack Holloway attended
services at the Church of Christ
Sunday.

Betty Crawford visited Ethel Putt,
Floyd and Una Billingsley and
Freda Obery.

Staff birthday

Sandy Richards was the only
staff member celebrating her birth-
day at our staff meeting last week.

Goes home

We're happy to report Veonita
Porter feeling well enough to go
home. We will miss her.

Cynthia Mayberry spent Sunday
in the home of her daughter and
husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen.
Other family members enjoyed the
day with them.

Pipe Creek

Nancy Daniels 796-3517

Scholarship fund

The date has been set for the fourth annual Chili Cook-off. It will be April 14. I know, that issues a weeks away, but it is never too soon to discuss benefits of this event. The proceeds go into a PC Scholarship Fund. This is exclusively for our PC students. Anyone wishing to donate to this worthy cause may do so by making their check payable to:

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Donations as little as $5 for individuals and $10 for business would be greatly appreciated. If we all pitched in, it wouldn't be a burden for any one business or individual.

I'll have more information later on about the cook-off itself.

Rodeo results

I told you last week I'd have the results from our PC residents that participated in the SA Stock Show and Rodeo, and here they are:

Cindy Frazier entered her Charolais heifer but did not place. Jake Frazier entered his Charolais heifer and placed second in Jr. and second in Open Show. Jake also entered a Hereford heifer and placed third in Jr. and fourth in Open Show.

Becky Blakemore entered a Charolais heifer and placed fifth in the Open Show. Derrin Berg entered a Jersey heifer and placed second in Jr. Show and third in Open Show.

Country Fair Day sponsored by Pioneer Baking Company was the first one ever at the rodeo. Entering from PC were:

Nancy Thompson did not place. Amy Thompson took sixth place with her "Steeles Braid," Derrick Berg took sixth place with his "Angel Food Cake," Derrin Berg did not place, Diane Berg took fifth place with her "Pumpkin Fruit and Nut Cake," Jackie Blakemore did not place, Becky Blakemore took fourth place with her "Tea Rings," Sharon Peck did not place, Virginia Henry did not place and Susan Henry took sixth place with her "Mint Jelly."

Five out of the ten that entered from PC placed. I think that is pretty good. Congratulations to all of you.

Birthday

Happy birthday Kristine Henry. I understand that you will be 11 years old.

PCVFD

We have had several small brush fires in the last month. The firehouse was pretty dirty after the freeze we had in December because of smudge pots used to keep the water tanks from freezing.

There was a clean-up party Saturday and Sunday.

Firewood for the barbecue coming up in May was cut several weeks ago and things look real good. The spring barbecue will be May 19 and 20.

There was a house fire in Madrona Ranch Monday. Because of Boerne VFD, Bandera VFD and Pipe Creek VFD the fire was controlled but water and smoke took its toll.

Many volunteers were there and did what they could. This county is very dry and the winds strong. Please, be careful when burning brush, trash, etc.

Here in Pipe Creek we are in terrible need of more people in the day time.

Come to the next meeting and give your name and phone number.

You don't need to attend the meetings to be on the calling list.

This community is growing and as it grows, we must have more fire department coverage.

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A Thought For The Week
By
John M. Grimes

Procrastination, as everybody knows, means putting things off. It means not doing the things you ought to do, when it ought to be done—whether you like it or not. It is a self induced arch-enemy to good intentions. And quite often it is needless.

For example, how long does it take to offer a helping hand? How long does it take to express a congratulation or compliment—especially when it is well deserved? How long does it take to make a phone call, or write a note or letter, or pay a visit in person?

These and other "put offs" can and often do cause later regret. The regrets are often heard in funeral homes during visitation hours when last respects are shown. It is truly sad to hear someone say: "I was going to do it, but just never got around to it." This sadness can be avoided by doing things WHEN they ought to be done. If this thought strikes a note of response, why not do it NOW...?

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"...it is impossible to restore again to repentance..." (Hebrews 6:4)

The Danger In Delay

A monk once took a vow that he would not speak for fifty years. At the end of that period of time he discovered that when he attempted to speak, his voice was completely gone.

Anything we refuse to use eventually becomes useless. This is true with an arm or leg — even a conscience.

Whether we want to admit it or not, those who neglect the needs of their souls risk coming to the point where the conscience is seared, and they cannot accept salvation. The longer they refuse (neglect) His grace the more crippled in Spirit they become. As an example of individuals who neglected doing God's will is Pharoah, King of Egypt, and Saul, King of Israel. Pharoah resisted persuasion and appeal. He would not be humbled, so his pride and the pride of Egypt was broken by the death of the first born and by the disaster in the Red Sea when the Pharoah and the Egyptian army attempted to cross the Red Sea on dry ground which God had provided for the Israelites when they were led out of Egypt by Moses. Saul put his will against God's will. He was reproved but kept on in his self-willed ways until there was no turning back. This led to the calamity at Gilboa (I Samuel 31:1-6) where Saul took his own life.

We live in a world in which sin exists, and we, too, have sins that so easily beset us: sensual indulgences, sensual pleasures, and resisting all the warnings to repent and turn away from them. Our sin—yes, our sin—may get to be beyond remedy, and then the judgment of God that overwhelms us must fall—even upon us.

It is a terrible thing to trifle with your soul. The time may come when you will "grope at noonday as in the night" (Job 5:14).

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Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

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Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina
First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
Minister: Doyle Maynard
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley
Baptist Mission
Pastor: Glenn W. Rhines
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
562-3468

Utopia
Church of Christ
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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629

Baptist Church
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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
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Vanderpool
Community Church
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Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
966-3420

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Senior Citizens

By Mary Warley

Spring Fling camp

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Each spring, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service sponsors a three-day camp filled with activities and learning opportunities for people over 55.

The cost, including lodging and meals, is $69.50 for each camper.

Camping sessions will be held April 10-13, 17-20, 24-27, May 1-4 and 8-11 at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood in Brownwood, Texas where campers can enjoy natural surroundings with all the modern conveniences. Each camp is limited to 100 participants.

Campers will have the opportunity to hear feature presentations on gardening, lamb cuts and cookery, health in the later years, estate planning and improving your memory.

At camp "learning centers" participants can learn how to do miniature oil painting, stained glass and woodworking through "hands-on" experiences. Some of the camp sessions will offer additional learning centers on wind chimes, chair-caning, homemade games and picture framing.

Card and table games, tennis, horseshoes and volleyball will be available at all times. Campers will also enjoy social activities such as sing alongs and dances, omelets by the lake and a 1908 box social.

For more information or registration details, contact Bandera County Extension Office.

Big Bend

There is something about flowering fields and freshly green trees that rouse the desire to see more of our beautiful country. This was evident last spring when it seemed that half the people in this area wanted to go to Big Bend. Should those wishes remain and are for real, you now have opportunity to do so. Last Thursday at the AARP meeting, Davis May announced that a 4-day tour is possible, provided enough people wish to go. A charter bus would depart from Bandera this morning of April 24 and return late afternoon april 27, with overnight stops at a dude ranch near Ft. David, at LaJitas, near the west end of Big Bend National Park, and a third night in Alpine.

Cost of the tour would be $310 and would require a deposit of $25 in early March. This cost includes entry fees, tips, luggage handling, several meals, transportation and lodging, double occupancy.

In order to arrange this tour, at least 34 firm reservations would be required. It would not be restricted to AARP and/or Senior Citizen members. Discuss it with your friends and see if this tour can become a reality.

Late April and early May are the most favored times to see Big Bend at its best, when the desert blooms. Mr. May will be glad to hear from you on this proposal.

Friday

Friday will be a busy day at the Center, with bridge in the morning, followed at 2 p.m. by the monthly meeting of the Board of Directors. Then, at 5:15 the regular fourth Friday gathering of the Melodiers, to rehearse and make plans for a possible program to be performed for your entertainment in early spring. Any over-55 who would like to join this song group are very welcome. The more voices, the mightier the chorus.

Quilts

Monday was a busy day at the Center, the big room filled with ladies hard at work on several crafts, idea exchanges being discussed, and over all, laughter and conversation. Two more baby quilts have been made ready for the quilters to finish off. In the meantime, several attractive and useful items are being added to the Craft Corner Mini Mart.

However, Mae Bachelor says that the wares in Penny Wise shop are quite low. During your spring housecleaning you may perhaps find items you no longer need, or are perhaps just weary of looking at. They will be appreciated at the Penny Wise and some other person may be quite happy to find them.

Cheese and butter

The February distribution of surplus government cheese and butter for eligible households in Bandera County will be Tuesday, Feb. 28, from 1 p.m.-4 p.m., or until the food supply runs out, officials say.

The distribution will take place at the First Baptist Church of Bandera, basement level. The Community Council of South Central Texas, Community Services Division, is in charge of the distribution. Bandera County workers for this agency are Comellia Rue and Dianne Pehl.

The original date for distribution in this month was cancelled. Surplus food shipments to Bandera County (as well as to other counties) were cancelled immediately prior to the original distribution date by the foods supplier, officials said.

Households qualify for surplus foods by completing an application and meeting the low-income eligibility requirement, officials explained.

Classes

We are starting a new class of crocheting and tatting! Minnie Hays will be the instructor. This new class meets Feb. 29 at 10 a.m. for the opening day.

Please tell your friends who want to learn. This will be one of our big cast craft projects.

Birthday luncheon

We had 20 guests at our birthday luncheon on Tuesday. So good to see Ada Sehon back and playing cards as usual.

Be sure to mark on your calendar that we won't have clinic on the first Wednesday as usual. This will be in April and the date will be announced later.

Quarles — Herrera

Kim Denise Quarles and Abel Jodo Herrera were married in a double ring ceremony Jan. 21 at St. Stanislaus Catholic Church in Bandera. The Rev. Fred Quarles, uncle of the bride, officiated, with Mary Helen Anderwald providing the nuptial music.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Quarles and Mr. and Mrs. Raul Herrera.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of white soft tulle with a fitted bodice covered with baby pearls and clear sequins with appliques and scalloped lace covering her skirt and train. Her hat was also embossed with pearls and sequins with a tulle veil.

She carried a bouquet of a dozen white roses, snowflake mums, babys breath and greenery. For something old, a handkerchief from her grandmother, Mrs. Alvin Mueller, her gown was new, something borrowed was a pearl necklace from Mrs. Oleta Bolles, and her garter was blue.

The maid of honor was Sheri Veselka with Shelly Quarles, Carol Teich, Robbie Madrid and Florence Santos as her bridesmaids. The brides attendants were royal blue satin dresses trimmed with white fur. They carried fur muffs adorned with red sweetheart roses. The flower girl was Amy Quarles, niece of the bride. She also wore royal blue satin and carried a fur muff with sweetheart roses.

The groom wore a white tuxedo with a white rose boutonniere and babys breath. The best man was Ralph Mitchell with Rocky Hubble, Pat Herrera, Teddy Obiedo and John Caufield serving as groomsmen. Ushers were Steven Jones, Jerry Herrera and Randy Evans. Both fathers and the groom's attendants wore black tuxedos with royal blue ruffled shirts and a red rose boutonniere and baby breath. The ring bearer was Sean Santos, nephew of the groom, he was dressed in a white tuxedo with a red rose boutonniere.



For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Quarles wore a burgundy floor length gown. Mrs. Herrera wore a baby blue floor length gown. Both mothers wore a white cymbidium orchid corsage.

The wedding reception followed at the Bandera Recreation Center, with Jessica Quarles, niece of the bride, at the guest registry. Mrs. Darcy Quarles and Pam Sterner served the bride's cake and the groom's cake was served by his two sisters, Laura and Gina Herrera. Laura Herrera caught the bride's bouquet and Montie Robertson of Dallas caught the garter.

A Mexican buffet and dance were enjoyed by some 250 guests.

The newlyweds are making their home in Houston.

Sheep, goat men support colleges

Directors of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association unanimously voiced their support of a proposed constitutional amendment to create a fund to provide for the future building and capital equipment needs of state-supported universities.

The resolution was passed at the urging of former TS&GRA president John Cargile of San Angelo, now chairman of the board of regents of the Texas State University System.

Association directors also asked the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to accept computerized management information system now being used by the Texas Animal Damage Control Service and asked the same agency to take quick action to obtain registration of the Humane Coyote Getter from the Environmental Protection Agency.

They also asked the EPA to release modifications relating to the use of the M-44 device for coyote control; asked the U.S. Department of Agriculture to intervene in a strychnine issue due to be heard in April; and urged the Texas Department of Agriculture to develop a system to certify users of the 1080 toxic collar.

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UIL team brings home the gold



United spirit produces victories

By Sandy Riedner

According to Webster, "unity" is the quality of being one in spirit or purpose. In the past, BHS has been referred to as an extremely unified school, but with the arrival of basketball season, doubt has arisen.

At a recent game the cheerleaders were faced with opposition by a few of their own fans, namely high school members. They were criticized for lacking consistency in their cheers. These mixed feelings caused friction, thus interferring with the over-all spirit being produced. Holding a position such as cheerleader requires one to adapt to frequent criticism, however, these "critics" need to look beyond the surface when making negative statements.

All these factors should be taken into consideration when evaluating the cheerleaders' performance. A schedule change was made this year which consisted of a separation of game nights for boys and girls, causing four games a week. At the end of the first semester, cheerleading class was eliminated. Three out of six cheerleaders are involved in other after-school activities, and one member of the squad is suffering from broken tendons due to a fall while performing a cheerleading stunt.

Cheerleader sponsor Liz Vakey said, "This year has been extremely hard on the cheerleaders, who had a very busy football season. The four games and no class make it really tough. Most of the cheerleaders are involved in other activities and cheering has to come second."

A cheerleader's purpose is to stimulate the crowd to support their team. This is impossible without cooperation and unification. Senior cheerleader Lisa Vakey commented, "If everyone would put the energy they use to override us together, and concentrate it in a positive way, we could do a great job cheering on our team. It seems as if we're all competing."

Everyone must keep in mind that the main objective and goal of spirited expressiveness, is to motivate the team. "An encouraging crowd is inspirational and keeps us going," stated senior starter Steve Parker. Parker also said, "A roaring crowd pumps you up and gives you that needed extra push when you're behind. I think fan involvement is extremely important and can make the difference between a win or loss. I have no complaints and think this year's cheerleading squad and the fans are better than ever."

It might be noted that Bandera cheerleaders are the only squad in the district that attend out-of-town games in full uniform.

Team members also commented on the over-whelming support of underclassmen; while on the other hand, there is a noticeable lull in game attendance by upper class members. "It is definitely evident who supports our team," commented Parker. "As a player, it makes a difference to look up into the stands and know the student body as a whole is backing you 100 percent."

With the crowning of "District Champs 1984," the basketball season will be extended. If you have not been able to attend a game previously, now is the time. Your support is needed more than ever as the Bulldogs make their way through Bi-District and Regional playoffs. After all, a victory achieved by fan encouragement and spirit, is a victory shared by all!

Bandera UIL brings home third place

By Sandy Riedner

It was another victory for the Bandera UIL team as they racked up 70 points, placing them third of 24 schools, at the Mason UIL practice meet, Feb. 18.

Four gold medals were presented to BHS participants. Mark Kelly and Sandy Riedner won first in Duet-Acting performing "Next" by Terrence McNeally. Daria Johnston received first in Feature Writing, and Derrick Berg took first in Physics.

Other individual awards consisted of: **Speech: Prose**- Sandy Riedner-3rd; Mat. Kelly-4th; **Poetry**- Janet Weber-3rd; **Humorous**- Wendy Valdez-2nd; Janet Weber-3rd; **Informative**- Linda Karr-4th.

Journalism: Christine Calosanto-2nd-Feature Writing; Sandy Riedner-3rd-Editorial Writing; Seana D'Spain-4th-News Writing; Melissa Ross-5th-Editorial Writing.

Math Calculator: Billy Morris-6th; Wendy Frazier-7th; Ted Celis-9th; **Novice Calculator**-Wade Barefield-8th; Mike Hill-10th; **Number Sense**-Wendy Frazier-6th.

Science: Overall- Derrick Berg-6th; Kenny Trenkathach-8th; **Physics**- Kenny Trenkathach-3rd; **Biology**-Mary Bolan-3rd.

Bandera was defeated by Commanche by only 2½ points.

"I think everyone turned in an outstanding performance that will strengthen our chances of winning district," commented journalism coach, Marilyn Manilow.

Bandera UIL will be back on the road Feb. 24 and 25, for their upcoming meets at Alamo Heights and Pleasanton.

Valentine's Dance is enchanted evening

Feb. 17 turned out to be Some Enchanted Evening for BHS students. It was the night of the Valentine's Dance sponsored by the Student Council.

The crowd danced to music played by disc jockeys Shane Yates and Gary Galland (alias Simon LeBon and The Urban Cowboy). The songs ranged from Duran Duran's "Union of the Snake" to Air Supply's "Making Love Out of Nothing at All." Pictures were taken in front of a red and white backdrop bearing a large heart. The photographer was Bubba Caloss.

The highlight of the evening was the announcement of Class Favorites. The favorites were Freshmen: Gina Herrera and Ernest Malone; Sophomores: Beckie Clements and James Campton; Juniors: Cindy Park and Bubba Caloss; Seniors: Lisa Vakey and Gerald Boyd.

They were presented with red roses and rose boutonnieres with red streamers bearing their names and pink sashes. The next dance, Barry Manilow's "Read 'em and Weep" was dedicated to the favorites.

—Wendy Valdez

Pink Floyd's 'The Wall'

Showing at Northwest Ten for late shows. This cult film has the lyrics of Pink Floyd's album "The Wall."

It is a film in which the main character Pink withdraws from the world. This withdrawal is accompanied by his placing a "Wall" around himself.

The first brick in the "Wall" is his father's absence from home. The second is his sadistic schoolmaster. Pink enjoys writing, but the teacher embarasses him in class. So Pink becomes rebellious against authority. Which adds another brick to the "Wall."

The only person admittable through "Wall" is his mother who could have stopped its construction. But she had other concerns and therefore she helped build the "Wall."

In his middle age he is puzzled at how to finish the "Wall." He does so by having the wrong acquaintances who are interested in their investment and not him as a person. Also groupies want him but he is so introverted by this time that all he does is constantly watch television.

Another brick is his wife cheating on him which causes his mental breakdown, hallucinations and violent outbursts.

He decides he neither needs companionship nor drugs (he's addicted). He believes he knows what the meaning is for his life (the writing on the "Wall"). He doesn't need anything at all. He sees that these things make up the "Wall."

He commits suicide before the "Wall" is pulled down and he is exposed to all his fears.

—John Cornelius

Oops

Kelly Maier and Jake Frazier were left off the Solo and Ensemble story last week. They both received division I's on their solos. I'm sorry Kelly and Jake!

Sharon Wyrick was the first BHS student to win a First Place award at a TFA tournament. Sharon won in poetry interpretation at Robert E. Lee High School Tournament in 1979.

Love is in the air

Spring time! A time when flowers bloom, birds sing, and everyone's thoughts turn to love and romance.

"Love is what makes the world go 'round" is a common saying used this time of year to describe thoughts of frivolity.

Mr. Neville, Senior English teacher, has taken advantage of this particular time of year and has had students working on love poems. The students have to write a poem of love following a format that Mr. Neville outlined. Some students really took heart in the project and gave their all to compose the best possible poem. Here are some of the best works performed by BHS senior students.

LOVE,
happy, joyful
smiling, laughing, talking
Bruce, church, store, Kool-aide
giggling, stumbling, singing
silly, weird
Love
Special
happy, fun
laughing, crying, sharing
new, smiles, different, joy
love, trust
Friend
Boy
tall, thin
slamming, shooting, rejecting
sunglasses, Mustang, goose
Big Bird
scribbling, drawing, laughing
crazy, goofy
BRUCE.

—Karen Rizner

ALS meeting

Thursday evening the Association of Legal Students met in the First National Bank. Approximately 25 students were present along with two sponsors, Mrs. Perkins and Mrs. Hunter. Helen Zickler led the program for the evening.

The program was a brief description of how a bank operates on a daily routine. She told us about the many rules and regulations they must abide by each and every day. After the talk, she gave us a short tour of the different areas of the bank, highlighting mostly the bookkeeping department.

Mrs. Zickler is the loan officer and she filled us in on many things you must consider or be considered for before receiving a loan. Mrs. Batto showed us around the interesting bookkeeping dept.

The next meeting will be in March so watch for an announcement in the paper.

—Michele Speckman

Teachers honored

Valentine's Day is a special day, even for teachers. Student Council lavished the faculty with goodies such as cake, cookies, cupcakes and candy. The teachers lounge transformed magically into cupidland.

Student Council honors the teachers as often as possible with small items so that they will know how much Council really appreciates their consideration. "We hope they enjoyed it," said member Christine Caloss.

—Nancy Herriott

Local FHA chapter celebrates FHA week

Feb. 13-17 was National FHA Week, and the Bandera chapter celebrated it with activities for every day. Mrs. Lonette Wilton, FHA sponsor, had officers think of different things for each day.

Monday: FHA Awareness Day. Mrs. Wilton showed slides with information about FHA-HERO, Encounter, and other such FHA activities to all of her Home Ec. and Child Development classes.

Tuesday: Red and White Day which was appropriate in two ways, one because those are the FHA colors, and also because it was Valentine's Day.

Wednesday: Dress-Up Day, Home Ec., Child Development, and FHA students were encouraged to dress nicely, or differently from their usual jeans and sneakers that they wear to school.

Thursday: Baby-Picture Day, all students in Mrs. Wilton's classes and FHA members were asked to bring their favorite baby picture. They were displayed in the display case by the cafeteria with a sign that said "Guess Who?" The next day the names were put under the pictures.

Friday: Teacher Appreciation Day. Home Ec. classes baked cookies, wrapped them up and sent them around to all of the faculty to show them that for all their help and efforts, they really are appreciated, even if the students don't show it.

U2 at Red Rocks Associates

"There's been a lot of talk about this next song. Maybe ... Maybe... too much talk. This song is not a rebel song ... This song is Sunday Bloody Sunday."

—Bono

And so starts the U2 at Red Rock Concert which has been on MTV and is subject to periodical screening on HBO, SHOWTIME, and on the VCR at my house.

U2's new album "U2 Live Under a Blood Red Sky" was taken from this concert and two other concerts on U2's "War" tour in 1983. The concert contains nine of their hits from previous albums.

In one of the most dynamic concerts I've ever seen, Bono puts on quite a show. The visual in this concert are excellent. Bono's use of a white flag on Sunday Bloody Sunday and Electric Co., make a lasting impact. During the song Electric Co., (while Bono sings send in the crowd, I love the crowd...) he stands above the crowd on a pedestal holding the white flag while the crowd cheers him on.

This concert is definitely an audience participation concert, when at least three times Bono is nearly pulled off the stage by "adoring" fans.

Although this is a "fun" concert it also holds some very serious notes and ideas, like the point when Bono says, "There is but one flag, the white flag." This combined with other anti-war statements make a very opinionated concert.

—Shane Yates

Salad supper

• The annual salad supper and concert will be held **March 3** starting at **5:30 p.m.** The concert following will begin at 7 p.m., presented by the Bulldog Band. Buy your tickets now for $2.50. Don't forget **March 3!**

—Michele Speckman

Senior Spotlight

Ollis D. Oliver

Ollie Dean Oliver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger H. Oliver, embodies the Bulldog motto, "The Will to Win Cannot be Beat," as that is what he plans to base his life on.

"He all you can be" will also become a special part of Ollis after high school life since he plans on joining the Armed Forces soon after graduation.

Ollis, a 2 year letterman in football, playing line backer as a sophomore (his first year at BHS) for the J.V. teams, moved upward his junior year to play the same position as a varsity player. As a member of this year's varsity team, Ollis played defensive end and received Honorable Mention Defensive End. "I feel I've accomplished everything I wanted to except beating the Boerne Greyhounds for the District trophy," says Ollis.

Ollis's main goal is to spend life one day at a time with the person he loves. Ollis feels his parents have been the greatest influence on his life. "I don't think anyone could say they could make it without their parents," said Ollis.

Ollis leaves BHS behind with his farewell to next year's Bulldogs. "Go get Boerne, beat 'em and beat 'em good!"

—Becky Blakemore



Invitational Playing Contest

The second annual Bandera Invitational Playing Contest will be held Feb. 25. Approximately 18 bands from all the best regions in the state will be performing. Both the Bandera Jr. High and High School bands will be performing. It will begin at 8 a.m. and end around 3 p.m. followed by an awards presentation.

The Bandera Jr. High band will perform at 8:50 a.m. and the High School band at 3 p.m. The public is welcome to attend. If you enjoy fine music and need a way to fill up your Saturday afternoon, please come. Your attendance will be appreciated.

—Michele Speckman

District Champs, 1984

Bandera Bulldogs clinched the District Championship by defeating Cole Cougars 79-58 last Tuesday night at Bulldog Gym.

Bandera Bulldogs are the District Champions for the first time since the District Championship Team of 1974, ten years! The Bulldogs are very proud of this championship team, because of working together as a team.

The Cole game was an exciting game, with many points scored before the home team. 79 to be exact. Steve Parker scored 22 points, to date the most he has scored all year, although I think that would be the most for a big of people all year. Others who scored in the Cole game were David Schwarz with 13, Bruce Robison with 10, Tim Butler with 8, and Jon Graves with 4.

Now let's go to the totals of the year. Of course Steve Parker was the big leader in that department, scoring 232 points in the 10 district games. That is a 23.2 PPG. Bruce Robison scored 151 points and David Schwarz scored 105 points, Tim Butler also scored 73 points and Jon Graves 40. The Bulldogs outscored opponents in 10 games 60.1 to 52.0 points per game.

The Bulldogs are in Bi-District [illegible] off against Van Vleck Thursday, Feb. 23, 7:30 p.m. at Texas Lutheran College Gym. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

—David Schwarz

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Jalapeno pecan cheese

3 ounces cream cheese (room temperature)
3 ounces bleu cheese (room temperature)
1 pint sour cream
2½ teaspoons unflavored gelatin dissolved in ½ cup water, then heated
2 tablespoons vinegar
2 minced fresh jalapenos
1½ cups toasted chopped pecans
1 2-ounce jar pimentos, chopped and drained
½ teaspoon salt

Mix cheese until smooth with sour cream. Add gelatin that has been softened in ½ cup of water and heated to dissolve. Add vinegar, let stand until slightly thickened. Add jalapenos, pecans, pimento pieces and salt. Pour into mold and chill. Turn out on leaf lettuce and garnish. Serve with crackers.

Chewy pralines

2 cups sugar
2 cups white corn syrup
1 pound sweet cream butter
2 cups whipping cream
2 teaspoons vanilla
7 cups chopped pecans

Over medium low heat cook together sugar and white corn syrup. Cook until candy thermometer reaches 250 degrees. Remove from heat and add butter. Stir until dissolved. Add whipping cream (not whipped) slowly. Return to heat and cook until thermometer reaches 242 degrees, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and add vanilla and pecans. Drop on foil. When cool, wrap in Saran Wrap.

Pecan pie

Pie crust

3 cups flour
1½ teaspoons salt
1 cup shortening
1 egg, beaten
4 tablespoons iced water
½ teaspoon vinegar

Cut shortening into flour and salt mixture. Add beaten egg and 4 tablespoons of iced water and ½ teaspoon vinegar (mixed in water). Mix and roll out. Yield 2 pie crusts.

Filling

3 eggs
1½ cups white corn syrup
3 tablespoons butter
1 cup sugar
4 tablespoons flour
½ cup brown sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 cups chopped pecans
Pecan halves for decoration

Mix flour, brown sugar, and sugar; add to slightly beaten eggs. Add vanilla and melted butter into the mixture. Next add white corn syrup and chopped pecans. Decorate with pecan halves. Bake in pie crust for 40 minutes at 350 degrees F.

Whole wheat-pecan muffins

1-1/2 C. whole wheat flour
1 C. sifted all-purpose flour
1 tsp. baking powder
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. soda
1/4 C. shortening
1/2 C. sugar
2 beaten eggs
1-1/2 C. buttermilk
1/2 C. chopped pecans

Preheat oven to 425 degrees F. Combine unsifted whole wheat flour and sifted all-purpose flour. Sift flours three times with baking powder, salt and soda. Add eggs and beat until fluffy. Add flour mixture and buttermilk alternately in 3 or 4 portions, beginning and ending with flour. Mix to blend ingredients. Stir in pecans. Spoon batter into greased muffin pans, filling 2/3 full. Bake 20 minutes or until golden brown. Makes 12-18 muffins.



These Texan favorites look almost as good as they taste. Clockwise from lower left are Pecan Pie, Chewy Pralines and Jalapeno Pecan Cheese.

Abundance of pecans

What makes the taste buds of native Banderans shift into overdrive? Just the mention of a new crop of Texas pecans, those luscious little nuggets of pure delicious flavor that add zest to just about anything you can name.

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Card of thanks

Thank You

We would like to thank our dear friends and relatives for the many acts of love shown us during our recent tragedy. We appreciate each of you who have been so thoughtful through cards, letters, memorials, calls, visits, flowers and food at the house and church. Your uplifting of prayers have touched our hearts.

Our special thanks to Rev. Harvey Hulse and Rev. Jack Rotan for the beautiful service in memory of our precious daughter, sister and aunt.

May God bless each of you always.

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Mr. & Mrs. William I. Walker Jr. & daughter Lenna Roxanne Walker
33-1tc

Thank You

The "Friends of the Library" organization wishes to thank each person who helped make our recent bake sale a success.

We appreciated so very much the ladies who baked for the sale, the people purchasing the cakes, pies, cakes and cookies, the individuals who gave donations and the ones who helped work at the sale.

Special thanks go to the First State Bank for advertising our bake sale on their marquee.

By working together on projects like this we can all help maintain the high standard we now enjoy in our County Library.

Pat D'Spain
President
"Friends of the Library"
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Thank You

We wish to thank every one from Medina and our neighbors who helped contain the grass fire on Rt. 16 last week. If it weren't for the hard, fast, work of the two Medina fire engines and all our neighbors we would have lost our buildings. Special thanks to the one who turned in the alarm and to the two young boys who came later and carried water to water down the burning trees and stumps.

Max and Pat Thompson
33-1tp

Thank You

We wish to thank each of you for your visits, calls, flowers, cards and memorials at the death of our husband and father, Homer Mansfield. Your friendship and love will always be remembered.

Mrs. Homer Mansfield
Mr. & Mrs. Billy Allen & family
Mr. & Mrs. Bill Mansfield & family
33-1tp

Thank You

Dear friends and neighbors,

The E.B. "Pete" Bauerlein family wishes to express our deepest appreciation for your thoughts and prayers during the loss of my beloved husband and our father.

Sincerely,
Mrs. E.B. Bauerlein and family
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Bill Murray
31-4tp

Advertisements for bids

Sealed proposals for replacement of roofs and roof repair work at the Medina Independent School District located at 240 College Street, Medina, Texas addressed to James E. Brown, President, Medina Independent School District, P.O. Box 1415, Medina, Texas 78055, will be received until 7:30 p.m. March 16, 1984, at which time all proposals will be publicly opened at Medina Public School and read aloud. Specifications may be secured at the above address.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to waive any irregularities in bidding and to reject any or all proposals.

John J. Derry, Secretary
Board of Trustees
32-2tc

Notice

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on March 13, 1984 at 7 p.m. in the City Municipal Building for the purpose of rezoning a R-1 Residential district to a R-M Mobile home district located on Range 1, lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, between 1st and 2nd Streets and Pecan and Hackberry Streets.
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Purchasing a computer: It's a new ball game

A home computer may be just another household appliance, but purchasing one is certainly not like buying a refrigerator or stereo set.

Home computers are being mass produced, but they are not a mass product with a high degree of standardization, says Bonnie Piernot, a specialist with Texas A&M University's Agricultural Extension Service home economics program.

Computers are powerful tools designed to be used in highly individual ways, so consumers will probably never find it as simple to select a home computer as other appliances, she says.

The more a consumer knows about how computers work and what they can do, the easier it will be to match a system to his or her needs, says the specialist. This requires becoming familiar with the jargon and the wealth of information about microcomputers that is now readily available.

Trade magazines and books, computer user groups, adult education and community college courses and friends who own computers are all excellent resources, she notes.

Before buying a computer, Piernot suggests that you identify your needs and those of all potential users in your family. Typical home computer applications include word processing, games, educational programs, data base management, financial recordkeeping and telecommunications.

To help determine what models to consider, try to project what you will do with your computer in a year's time, says Piernot.

Microcomputer prices range from under $100 to over $5000, but machines under $300 have limited capabilities. Since system prices vary from computer to computer and there is no one best machine for everyone, consumers should try to balance their needs against their budget.

According to Piernot, a specialist in family financial management, the addition of a home computer requires careful budgeting, since there are many hidden costs.

In addition to the cost of the basic computer, you will need to budget for software, which can be expensive. Word processors, for example, can cost as much as $500.

Other necessary expenses could include blank storage disks or cassette tapes and a small television set or video monitor, says the specialist. A desk, chair and lamp are also part of the typical home computer workspace as well.

Piernot also recommends budgeting for a magazine subscription, a few books and a few classes to help you get started. "Budgeting time can be equally important," she says, "since it may take several weeks or even months for you to become familiar with your computer and to learn how to use it effectively."

Richard Flach, Kristina Ashley have grand champions in SA

Richard Flach 96, Bandera exhibited the grand champion Angora goat buck at the San Antonio Stock Show last week and Kristina Ashley of Medina showed the grand champion Suffolk ram as a variety of Bandera County youngsters took home honors.

Angora goats from Bandera County took the bulk of the awards, with Mike Kendrick showing the first-place doe kid, Tana Short exhibiting the first-place aged buck, and Flach showing the best buck.

Ray Chafin exhibited the third-place aged doe, the fourth and fifth-place buck kids, and the 12th place doe kid. Ann Chafin showed the third-place 2- to 4-tooth doe, the fourth-place group of two goats, and the fifth-place buck kid.

Amie Nightingale exhibited the sixth place buck kid, the seventh-place buck kid in the open show, and the 11th-place doe kid.

In addition to his doe kid, Mike Kendrick also exhibited the sixth-place aged doe and Leela Kendrick showed the 11th-place buck kid.

Flach's grand champion buck was in the 2 to 4-tooth buck category, and he also exhibited the ninth-place buck kid in the open show.

Jennifer Evans exhibited the eighth and 11th-place doe kids and the tenth place buck kid.

Medina youth did well showing sheep at the big San Antonio show. Besides Kristina Ashley's grand champion ram, she exhibited the reserve champion suffolk ewe, the first-place pair of Suffolk ewe lambs, the first-place pair of sheep, the second-place ewe lamb, the third-place yearling lamb, and the fifth-place ewe lamb.

Brother Robert Ashley showed the second-place pair of ewe lambs, the third-place ewe lamb, the fourth-place yearling lamb, and the 12th place ewe lamb.

Tim Wells of Medina exhibited the fifth-place 4-tooth Hampshire ewe and the fifth-place group of two Suffolks; Cody Wells showed the sixth-place group of two Suffolk sheep; and Misti Wells showed the fifth-place 2-tooth ewe and the eighth-place Suffolk ewe lamb in the open competition.



Richard Flach, 13, of Bandera won first place and Champion of Show with this angora billy at the San Antonio Livestock Show Feb. 15. The goat won first place in the 2-4 tooth buck class and received a silver goblet given by the American Angora Breeders Association.

Todd Nightingale of Bandera exhibited the first-place Hampshire ram and the first-place pair of Hampshire, the third-place aged ram, and the third-place 2-tooth ewe.

Raegan Mazurek exhibited the fifth- and 17th-place breeding swine in the July class and sister Ruth Mazurek showed the sixth- and 13th-place breeding swine.

Wendy Frazier exhibited the ninth-place lightweight steer, a Hereford, and the 11th-place lightweight steer, a Chianta.

Jack Frazier exhibited the second-place Charolais and third-place Hereford in the junior show and the second-place Charolais and fourth-place Hereford in the open show.

Robert Baker placed seven breeding heifers among the award winners. He won fourth places with an Angus, a red polled heifer, a red polled bull and a Sire; sixth place for a red polled heifer; seventh for an Angus heifer and a red polled bull.

Randy Osburn of Bandera won fourth place in the open show for his Angus heifer and sixth in the junior show.

Clothing is good buy, expert says

Clothing was a good buy last year, but finding real bargains this year will still take time and shopping skill, says a Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service home economist.

The Consumer Price Index indicates that clothing prices increased only 2.7 percent over 1982 costs, while prices in general increased 3.9 percent, reports clothing specialist Becky Saunders.

Americans spent an average of $629 for clothing and shoes in 1983, which represents a $16 dollar increase from the previous year, she says.

Although two thirds of this light increase was due to higher prices, one-third resulted from increased consumer spending.

Spending for women's suits and dresses increased more than other clothing and footwear categories, says Saunders, probably because of the rising employment rate for women, and the fashion emphasis on "investment" dressing.

Even though clothing prices are not escalating as rapidly as they have in the past, many people are looking for ways to reduce clothing costs, says Saunders.

Anticipating clothing needs in advance allows a family to save from one-third to one-half of their clothing budget by shopping during sales, she says.

While shopping sales saves money in the long run, it requires patience to wait for mark-downs and time to search sale racks for good items.

If you are going to shop clothing sales, take the time to compare prices, advises the specialist. A retailer may mark-up the initial price to make the reduction seem greater.

Bulldogs in cage playoffs in Seguin

By Nick Johnson
Editor

Bandera's playoff with Van Vleck will be Thursday, Feb. 23, at 7:30 p.m. in Seguin instead of Saturday in Gonzales, school officials said this week, but the change doesn't alter the plans of Coach Kevin Long and his Bulldogs.

The change came at the request of Van Vleck who wanted Saturday off because they felt their girls' team would be in regional tournament play that day.

In order to get Bandera to agree to the change, Van Vleck officials agreed to play in Seguin, a site closer to Bandera than to Van Vleck, instead of Gonzales, which is about equal distance between the two schools.

Van Vleck is in Matagorda County near Bay City.

Whether he plays Thursday or Saturday, Coach Long sees as his Bulldogs' task the stopping of the Leopards' running game. "If we keep them under 50 points, we'll win," says Coach Long. So the game depends on Bandera defense? "You bet," answers the coach.

"Fans will see a different kind of team in Seguin than they're used to," Long explains. "They're going to see a Houston Cougar type of team," explaining the Leopards love to run, glide above the floor, and use the slam dunk, a weapon they certainly have the capability to deliver.

"We won't change our style of play, if we can help it," Coach Long said. "We're going to try to get inside and slow it down. That's the style of play Long used in piloting his team to the playoff, the first from Bandera to appear in post-season play since 1974.

For many on both teams and many spectators, the game will be reminiscent of the first game of football playoffs last fall, a contest that involved these same two schools.

It may be painful to remember that it was Andrea Martin, the Leopard quarterback, who ran for a 57-yard touchdown and passed for three more scores in Van Vleck's 27-7 victory over Bandera.

It will be the same Martin leading Van Vleck on the hardwoods Thursday. He's the Leopard point guard, and "a darn good one," says Coach Long who watched Van Vleck in its season's windup Friday.

They also have a freshman post man who stands 6-7, the first player as tall as Bruce Robison to face the Dogs this year. "And they can jump out of the gym," Long says.

He's looking to a team effort to slow down the high-scoring leopards with hustle and solid defense. "These kids were 0-32 in junior high school," Long explained. "They've come a long way.

"I don't think they've got the talent we've had (at Bandera) in recent years, but they made up for it by their attitudes," he said. "Talent doesn't always win, but hustle usually does. The only two times we got outhustled (in district play), we got beat.

"Least year we lost by 44 points to Smithson Valley, and by 35 to Boerne, then we came back this year and beat both teams. That takes character," Long said.

And the entire team has contributed to their success, according to their coach. "If any one of these kids had not been here, we could not have won (district)," Long explained. "That includes the bench, and it was always someone different."

He especially singled out Heath Hulse's play against Boerne and Tim Avallone's against Smithson Valley, but said they were only examples of how each member of the bench contributed.

"We are starting five guys that play as one, and that's what you try to achieve in basketball," Coach Long said. "Steven Parker is without a doubt the most valuable player of the league," Long said, though the voting for that honor and all-district has not yet taken place.

Heled the team in scoring, averaging 23.2 points per game in the 10 district encounters. His shooting percentage of 51 percent was remarkable when it is recalled that most of his shots were hanging, jump shots from about 15 feet away from the basket.

He hit on 101 of the 198 shots he tried in the 10 district games, and he added 28 charity tosses on 46 tries, a percentage of 61 percent.

Accuracy from the field was one of the hallmarks of this year's Bandera team which hit on 50 percent of its shots while its opponents made only 43 percent of theirs.



The 1984 District 26-AAA champions. Back row, from the left, Tim Avallone, Heath Hulse, David Schwarz, Bruce Robison, Steve Parker, Cliff Bronson, Tommy Adams and Coach Kevin Long. Front row, Kevin Parker, Jonathan Graves, Tim Butler and Jimmy Sides.

Robison averaged 15.1 points per game in district play while David Schwarz averaged 10.5 points per game.

Guard Tim Butler averaged 7.2 points per game in district play and the other guard, Jonathan Graves, averaged 4.4 points.

Van Vleck was second in the state last year, losing by 10 in the Class AAA final in Austin. The Leopards were knocked out of their district's throne room this year by Sweeny, the state's 10th ranked Class AAA team, though Van Vleck beat Sweeny once.

The winner of the Van Vleck-Bandera playoff will face the winner of another playoff encounter in which Medina Valley is a heavy favorite. That game will be played Tuesday, March 6, at a site to be determined.

Thursday's contest in Seguin will be in the Texas Lutheran College gymnasium.

Both Medina teams in basketball post-season play

By Larry Thomas Williams
Correspondent

The Medina Bobcats and Ingram Warriors played a three-minute District Playoff basketball game Friday with Ingram coming away on top, 49-48.

The whole evening at Tivy Gym in Kerrville boiled down to overtime-when regulation time ran out with the score knotted at 44 each.



Both teams played controlled ball to get to that point and no one except Ingram's Todd Burdick was in foul trouble.

In the final seconds of regulation time, Burdick drew his fifth foul and on the way to the bench also got a technical foul.

Mark Williams went to the free throw line and hit two and Marshall Townsend shot the technical foul shot, but missed.

The additional three minutes went this way:

Ingram's Huffstetler - layup for two — Down the court and Medina's Mark Williams counters with his own two from underneath.

Back to the other end and Jack Fairchild pops from outside. Again down to Williams and another two.

The pace was then broken by a foul on Ingram's Eden Burgh which gave Medina the ball. Geoeff Williams drew a foul from Fairchild and went to the line for the 1 and 1 with 22 sec. to go.

Williams first shot failed to fall, and Ingram got the rebound and Chaney fouled Leonard as he shot. The Warrior went to the line and dropped in the first and missed the second.

In a scramble for the ball a tie ball was called and with three seconds left. A Warrior moved too soon on the jump, and Medina got the ball with two ticks remaining. A long pass to Townsend resulted in a final shot at the buzzer, but it fell short and Ingram was District Champ, 49-48.

Both teams go to bi-district play, with Medina meeting Nueces Canyon on Thursday again at Tivy Gym at 7 p.m.

If both teams continue to win they could meet one more time in the regional playoffs.

Lady Bobcats win, 35-30

The lady Bobcats of Medina clawed their way up one more notch to win the area championship by beating Lago Vista, 35-30.

Playing in Johnson City, the 'Cats out-pointed their opponents in the second and third quarters, 17-12, and stayed even during the first and fourth stanzas.

Normal high-pointer Nancy Dodson, recovering from the flu, only scored two points, but the rest of the team took up the slack and did the necessary scoring.

Sheila Howse hit nine, Tracy Willett made eight and Diane Simon poured in a game-high 14.

Melody Long only scored two points, but contributed greatly with her strong rebounding against some much larger players.

The ladies of Medina now journey to the Regional Tournament in San Marcos on Friday where they will probably meet Moulton.

The times are not set at press time, but information can be had by calling the Medina school office.

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5% Radio

4% All others.

7% No response.

*The research was commissioned by The Texas Press Association and jointly conducted by Consumer Data Service (CDS), a market research firm, and the University of Oklahoma Journalism Research Center. The survey utilized the telephone interviewing method. A total of 4,507 interviews were conducted with consumers in 1,129 Texas towns and cities during the period of Nov. 8, 1983 to Jan. 5, 1984.

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Sorenson jailed in lieu of bond



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Peace Justice Tom Grant, right, advises Gerald Rodger Sorenson, 40, of his rights in the Bandera County Law Enforcement Center Sunday after the accused slayer was returned to Bandera County from Binghamton, N.Y., where he was arrested. Sheriff Guy V. Pickett, left, watches the preceedings.

By Nick Johnson
Editor

The Bandera County grand jury investigated the case Friday and found enough evidence to warrant bringing him to trial. A pre-trial hearing has been set for 1:30 p.m. on March 22 in the Bandera County Courthouse.

The accused killer of Bandera school teacher Marie Denise Walker, 36, is now in Bandera County jail in lieu of $500,000 bond.

The Lakeshore man charged with capital murder in the case, Gerald Rodger Sorenson, 40, was indicted Friday by the Bandera County grand jury and was returned to Bandera County by a professional prisoner exchange service.

He was flown by the transport service to Kerrville Sunday where he was turned over to Bandera County Sheriff Guy V. Pickett, Texas Ranger Bob Steele, Deputy James MacMillan and Constable Gene Ott of Lakehills.

Sorenson was charged in the Feb. 1 killing that shocked the Hill Country community two weeks ago after results of an intensive investigation by local law enforcement officers and the Texas Rangers pointed in his direction.

The ex-convict lived near the victim and he disappeared from the area the morning after her almost-nude body was discovered in her mobile home in a remote part of the Wharton's Dock area of Bandera County.

When he was charged his name was entered in a nation-wide computer network that contains the names of all persons wanted by law enforcement agencies in the United States.

He was arrested Feb. 19 ago as he sought a ticket for a Salvation Army shelter in Binghamton, N.Y. Police there routinely investigate those seeking shelter.

Sorenson waived extradition proceedings in New York and was subsequently returned to Bandera County to face trial for capital murder. The penalty could be death.

Capital murder indictments are sought when a person is murdered during the commission of another crime.

The Bandera County grand jury investigated the case Friday and found enough evidence to warrant bringing him to trial.

Sorenson on Feb. 1 in Bandera County "did then and there unlawfully while in the course of committing and attempting to commit the offense of aggravated sexual assault of Marie Denise Walker, a female, intentionally cause the death of Marie Denise Walker by shooting her with a firearm," the grand jury said Friday.

An autopsy showed the cause of death to be a .22 caliber gunshot wound to the top of the head.

A pre-trial hearing hearing has been set by District Judge Robert L. Barton for 1:30 p.m. March 22 in the Bandera County Courthouse.

Ironically, on March 22 Miss Walker would have celebrated her 37th birthday, according to her close friend, Kathy Vander Zee.

A pre-trial hearing has been set by District Judge Robert L. Barton for 1:30 p.m. on March 22 in the Bandera County Courthouse.

Sorenson arrived in Bandera County Sunday night about 9 p.m. and was taken immediately before Peace Justice Tom Grant of Bandera.

Judge Grant advised Sorenson of his rights under the law and the U.S. Constitution. The half-million dollar bond had been set by Judge Barton.

No unusual or additional security measures had been imposed upon Sorsenson as of late Wednesday, according to Deputy Ken Mingo of the Bandera County Sherrif's Department.

He said Sorenson was placed in a cell by himself in the Bandera County Law Enforcement Center.

The accused killer hasn't had an opportunity to visit with other prisoners since being booked into the Bandera jail, says Mingo.

His cell is currently adjacent only to cells containing illegal aliens who are unable to speak English, Mingo said.

Sorenson served three years in California on a sex-related charge and was released in July from a Texas prison where he had served 10 years on Bexar County charges of rape and sodomy, police said.

Stepped-up drive to vaccinate, license county's dogs under way

A stepped-up drive to have as many dogs as possible vaccinated against rabies and licensed by the county as required by law gets under way Saturday when the first of what turns out to be a series of clinics will be conducted.

Dogs will be vaccinated and licensed Saturday from 9 a.m. until noon at the Bandera Fire Station in the Municipal Building on Main Street in Bandera. A $5 fee will include the county's $1 license fee and $4 for the vaccination.

Additional clinics have been scheduled in Lakehills on March 31 and on a weeknight in Bandera on April 12.

A dramatic decrease in the number of dogs licensed last year has led the county's animal disease control officer, Dr. Conrad Nightingale, to express fears of an increase in rabies in the county. No confirmed cases of the disease have been discovered in the past couple of years, Dr. Nightingale says, but he fears the low number of pets being protected against the disease may mean trouble in the future.

A law passed by a county-wide vote of residents in 1951 requires that all dogs in the county be licensed by Bandera County, but treasurer Elizabeth James estimates that less than one-fourth of the county's dogs were among the only 614 licensed during fiscal year 1983.

Dr. Ray F. Smart will administer vaccinations at the Lakehills American Legion Post 410 on March 31 between the hours of 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. Arrangements have not been made to make county licenses available at that time, but they may be prior to the clinic.

Dr. Stephen Sells of Bandera will offer vaccinations and licenses on April 12, tentatively at the Bandera Fire Station, as an accommodation to dog owners who are unable to make a Saturday morning date.

Consideration is being given to scheduling still another clinic in Medina, if the demand is sufficient, officials said.

A mild controversy has been growing more intense between ranchers and dog owners over the presence of so many unlicensed or untagged dogs in the county. Many have become dangerous to livestock, especially to young sheep and goats.

The law passed in 1951 clearly prohibits unregistered and untagged dogs from running at large in the county and just as clearly authorizes their destruction, but only when they are about to attack, attacking or just finishing an attack upon livestock.

Money realized from licensing dogs may be used only for administering the livestock law, including building and maintaining a dog pound, or reimbursing livestock producers for losses caused by dogs.

County Judge Tommy Curbo expressed strong opposition to a county pound at last month's meeting of county commissioners. "A dog pound for the city of Bandera would be feasible, but I don't think a county dog pound is possible," Curbo said. "I think the county's too large to consider any one central location for a pound, and we'd have to hire a dog catcher in each (commissioner's) precinct.

"I sure don't want a rancher-citizen war," the county judge said, "but I've heard of some serious threats of ranchers being made by citizens."

Commissioners took no action on the problem last month, but tentatively scheduled further discussion of the issue during their March 12 meeting.

Tee ball program due for youngsters

The board of directors for the Bandera County Little League has announced the adoption of a Tee Ball program for the 1984 season for boys and girls aged 6 and 7 years.

"Tee Ball is a vehicle by which youngsters can practice and develop baseball skills at an early age," says John Slocomb, the group's president.

"Conventional baseball does not provide the younger players the opportunity to learn and to practice the various skills of the game because the pitcher has difficulty getting the ball in the strike zone," Slocomb explains.

As a result, the batter does not gain the confidence to hit the ball or to run the bases, and fielders do not learn to field and throw." The use of a tee produces many hits, thus developing the players faster," says Slocomb.

Registration for Tee Ball will be held along with regular Little League registration. To be eligible for tee ball, a child must reach age 6 and must not reach age 8 before Aug. 1.

Registration will be Saturday, March 3 and March 10 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at First State Bank in Bandera and at Edward's Ranch Realty in Pipe Creek.

Registration in Medina will be held Saturday, March 10, at 9 a.m., at the Medina field.

Little league registration set

Little League registration will be held Saturday, March 3 and March 10 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at First State Bank in Bandera and at Edward's Ranch Realty in Pipe Creek.

Registration in Medina will be Saturday, March 10 at 9 a.m. at the [illegible] field.

Little League has programs for boys and girls ages 6 to 12. No prior baseball experience is required.

Senior League baseball, for ages 13 to 15, will have registration at a date to be announced soon, according to John Slocomb, Bandera Little League president.

Public schools here invite visitors during their week

Public School Week is being observed in Bandera March 5-9 and the Bandera schools have issued an invitation to every resident of the district to visit the schools, meet the teachers and to see the schools programs in action.

"It is our hope that you will consider this a very personal invitation from the Bandera School Board, faculty and administration to visit us any day during this special week," Superintendent Ronald Calosa wrote to parents and others interested in the school.

A school bond issue which officials said was needed to construct a new elementary school in the district was rejected by voters last December, but the topic of education and its quality has been brought up often in the past year in various ways.

Calosa and members of the school board have been consistent in their desire to have parents and other residents of the county visit the schools and assess the needs for new facilities for themselves. The renewed emphasis on Public School Week has been seen as a continuation of that effort.

"The interest and support of all citizens in this community are needed to keep our schools constantly progressing in quality of instruction and excellence in programs," Calosa said. "Everyone, parents and non-parents alike, has a stake in our educational system."

Bandera Masonic Lodge has reinforced the invitation from the schools by urging "all people interested in education visit their public schools during Public School Week."

Masons originated Public School Week, and they and the Eastern Star and Rainbow Girls help promote the special occasion.

The Eastern Star will provide a covered dish dinner in celebration of Public School Week at 6:30 p.m., Monday, March 5.

Rainbow Girls will assist in serving dinner and afterwards will be auctioned off to the highest bidder as "slaves," in a fund raising effort to help Rainbow Girls attend their convention in Dallas this summer.

"The Masonic Lodge [illegible] with public schools.

The Masons of Texas is sponsoring an essay contest for [illegible] students on "The Power of an Educated Mind." Scholarships of $2,000, $1,000 and $1,000 will be awarded, and the first place essay from Utopia High School will win $500 from the Utopia Lodge and the second place essay will earn the author $250.

Bandera County Potpourri

By Nick Johnson

(Editor's note: Because of the importance of his topic and because it is relevant throughout the county, I am turning my space this week over to correspondent Larry Thomas Williams.)

Rites of spring

By Larry Thomas Williams
Medina Correspondent

Ah! Spring is in the air. Yellow jonquils are peeking from beneath the limestone shards. Lately plowed and planted fields are turning oat-green, and fan-tailed gobblers are stomping dust from the dry grass.

That is dust isn't it?

Surely it is. But wait... The rising wind brings the sharp scent of burning grasmna and cedar to the nose. A series of quick pfione calls, and soon racing engines and wailing sirens announce to the world —Fire!

Ten minutes, several disrupted afternoons and 40 gallons of gas later, the trucks return. False alarm. Ol' man Fussbudget's just burning his fields. He does it every year 'bout this time.

If the foregoing scenario seems familiar, it should. It's repeated around here several times each spring. Closely related stories are the ones about the brush pile burning that got away and the thoughtlessly-tossed cigarette.

The point that the local fire departments and I are trying to make is this: It's dry, folks, and it tends to be windy this season. If you need to burn, do it with common sense and a little concern for your neighbors, two- and four-legged.

If you plan to burn call your local volunteer fire department and tell them, so they won't make unnecessary tripa.

If you are burning a field, choose a calm day and if possible plow a fire break around the perimeter, or use a chemical retardant

If you are burning a brush pile, clear a fire break all around before lighting and then stay and watch it. Don't just leave the fire to its own designs.

If you burn your garbage, put a screen over the barrel or container and make sure there is no tall dry grass against the base. Again, check on the progress of the blaze now and then.

And if you smoke — anything — don't throw the butt out — ever. Dispose of the glowy leftover in an ash tray. If you must put it on the ground, grind the butt out on bare ground or rock. And make sure it's out!

Sounds like a fire prevention lecture in elementary school doesn't it. If that bothers you, just consider that the Medina VFD alone has answered at least seven calls in the last week.

That's a fire a day and that's too many.



State's prison system remains on-the-carpet as exhaustive investigation continues in Austin

The state Board of Corrections continued its probe last week of the Texas prison system and learned:

—The Texas Department of Corrections over-paid architects $1 million for fees not called for in written contracts.

—Departed prison system director W.J. Estelle received a gift pickup truck paid out of prison employees "barber funds."

—It may be necessary to radically reshape the complex prison system bureaucracy, according to a management consulting firm's report.

The accounting firm looking into huge cost-overruns in recent prison construction found some $1 million was paid for architects fees which did not correspond to the architects' written contracts.

If the attorney general permits, the Board of Corrections may sue for the overpayments.

The Board also wants to review the "barber fund," which is funded by voluntary employee donations. The name comes from the free haircuts and shoeshines in the inmate-staffed prison barber shops which is utilized by employees who contribute to the fund.

Official gifts

Contributions are supposed to be used to pay dues in organizations, and to underwrite employee parties, gestures of condolences, etc. But Board chairman Robert Gunn is unhappy with what he has learned about the way the fund is managed and wants a full review.

Gunn said he has been told the money was also used to buy gifts for retiring prison officials. Other state officials have heard that prison employees are pressured to contribute, and that the wardens, not employees, control how the dollars are spent.

Estelle was presented the gift pickup truck at his going-away party this fall, an acting prison director said.

The prison director's job should be divided into two jobs to handle the complex state agency and new offices should be created for planning and financial controls, according to a team of efficiency experts hired by the Board.

Televised execution?

So far, prison officials haven't accepted a death row inmate's two-week-old plea to have his execution televised.

But Texas Atty. Gen. Jim Mattox last week indicated he had no objection to broadcasting the execution and that the prison board had the authority to allow television coverage and to issue strict guidelines on handling the broadcast.

Convicted killer James David Autry has told the press that a televised execution would be a deterrent to crime, but Mattox apparently doesn't share that view, according to a spokesman.

The Texas prison system traditionally allows some press coverage, but has never permitted television or still camera photography in the death chamber.

Phone rates delayed

Meanwhile, Mattox also succeeded in delaying the proposed telephone rate hike by Southwestern Bell.

Mattox warned the Public Utility Commission that in his opinion, it would be violating state law if it rushed new rates.

The PUC members, who at first did not want to hear an appeal of the rate hike approval, agreed to listen.

Mattox said a new law prevents bonded rates from going into effect for an additional 60 days.

Coastal bonanza

Texas government won big last week — about $350 million — after a federal judge ruled the federal government had to share half of new offshore oil and gas lease money with the state.

The state's case was pushed mainly by former Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong and his successor, Garry Mauro.

Mauro said about $215 million will go to the Permanent School Fund and $100 million representing interest money can be used by the Legislature for education.

Teacher exams

While the Legislature considers whether teachers can get a raise, it also will debate whether to make public teachers take a competency exam. The president of the largest teacher organization in Texas, however, thinks that is an absurd idea.

The head of the Texas State Teachers Association, Dale Young of Fort Worth, implied that principals could tell which teachers were competent just by looking at the "blizzard of paperwork teachers submit every day."

Black Democrats

The Texas Coalition of Black Democrats meeting in El Paso last week surprised the state with a narrow straw poll support for state Sen. Lloyd Doggett, seeking to replace retiring U.S. Sen John Tower.

The funniest wise crack of the evening's featured guests probably came from Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower who told the convention, "This is the first time I've flown 600 miles west to speak to a bunch of East Texans."

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Bandera Bulletin letter policy

The Bulletin solicits your letters on any subject of general interest. Each letter must be brief, in good taste and must not be libelous. The editor reserves the right to edit letters for these reasons. While political endorsements and thank you notes will not be accepted as letters, we will be happy to arrange advertising space for these purposes.

March is important month for Medicare

March is the last month of the 1984 general enrollment period for people who failed to sign up for Medicare medical insurance at their first chance, William M. Archuleta, Social Security district manager in San Antonio, stated.

There is a general enrollment period during the first three months of each year. Also eligible to enroll at this time are people who once had medical insurance but who dropped this protections.

Medical insurance protection will start July 1, 1984, for those who signed up during the general enrollment period. The basic monthly premium for medical insurance is $14.60 for the period ending December 1984. It is increased by 10 percent for each year a person could have had this protection but did not.

The premium paid by those with medical insurance represents about one-fourth of the costs. The remaining amount is paid by the Federal Government from general revenues.

Medical insurance helps pay for doctors', outpatient hospital services, and many other items and services not covered by the hospital insurance part of Medicare.

In general, after a person has had $75 in approved charges for covered medical expenses in a year — the annual deductible — medical insurance will pay 80 percent of the approved charges for any additional covered services a person has during the rest of the year.

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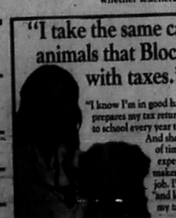
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Faces of Bandera

Our public servants in Bandera County are an interesting lot, taken as a whole. Taken individually, Peace Justice Herman Rogers of Medina has one of those faces that make Bandera County faces unique.

—Temperatures—

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Wednesday, Feb. 22	74	29	
Thursday, Feb. 23	77	34	
Friday, Feb. 24	78	34	
Saturday, Feb. 25	74	39	
Sunday, Feb. 26	72	48	.08
Monday, Feb. 27	57	44	
Tuesday, Feb. 28	57	32	

Rainfall so far this month: 0.51 in. Rainfall so far this year: 2.96 in.
Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Coop, Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

Wife of candidate for senate to visit in Bandera Tuesday

Catherine Moshacher, wife of U.S. Senate hopeful Rob Moshacher of Houston will be guest of honor at a coffee to be held at the First State Bank's Community Room Monday, March 6, from 9:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m.

The candidate's wife is on a "whistle-stop" tour of the Hill Country on behalf of her husband.

"All interested voters in Bandera County are invited to the coffee," said County Republican chairman Buddy Thompson of Bandera.

Moshacher is a leading member of President Ronald Reagan's Advisory Council on Private Sector Initiatives. This week he praised the American Medical Association's attempts to voluntarily freeze physician's fees for a year.

"The American Medical Association's action Thursday is precisely the kind of cooperative effort between the public and private sectors that President Reagan and the Advisory Council on Private Sector Initiatives have been seeking for the last three years," Moshacher said in a news release issued this week.

"Although I am deeply concerned about the sharp increase in the cost of health care in this country, I am delighted to see the willingness of the medical profession to act voluntarily and forcefully to deal with the problem," Moshacher said.

"I remain convinced that we will never permanently reduce the involvement of government in our lives and businesses until we find new ways of dealing with our social and economic problems," the candidate said.

As a member of the president's council, Moshacher says he has implemented or assisted in the development of a number of public-private partnerships which require little or no government money or meddling in such areas as child care, job training, and housing and neighborhood revitalization.

Moshacher is vice president of Moshacher Production Co., a Houston-based oil and gas company. His wife, Catherine Clark, is an attorney and assistant director of government relations for Texas Eastern Corporation.

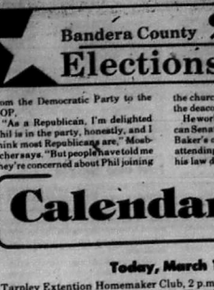
He is the son of Robert A. Moshacher, chairman of Moshacher Production Co. and longtime GOP fundraiser who was national finance chairman in the campaigns of both Gerald Ford in 1976 and George Bush in 1980.

Admitting Phil Gramm has a head start in their race for the Republican nomination, Moshacher is counting on his lifelong committment to the GOP, his ability to raise money and what he perceives as a weakness in Gramm's chances.

Gramm is vulnerable, Moshacher says, because of his switch this year from the Democratic Party to the GOP.

"As a Republican, I'm delighted Phil is in the party, honestly, and I think most Republicans are," Moshacher says. "But people have told me they're concerned about Phil joining the church this week and becoming the deacon the next."

He worked for 6½ years in Republican Senate Majority Leader Howard Baker's office both before and after attending SMU, where he received his law degree in 1977.


Catherine Moshacher

Bandera County Elections '84

Calendar

Today, March 1
Tarpley Extention Homemaker Club, 2 p.m.
St. Victor's Altar Society, 7 p.m., St. Victor's Chapel.

Friday, March 2
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Saturday, March 3
Bandera County Rabies Drive, 9 a.m.-noon, firehouse, dogs; 2 p.m.-4 p.m., Hill Country Veterinary Hospital, cats.
Castle Lake Volunteer Fire Department monthly meeting, 10 a.m., firehouse.

Monday, March 5
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin' R Restaurant.
Community Wolf Club, 7:30 p.m., University Savings.

Tuesday, March 6
Bandera Fine Arts Club, 2 p.m., High School Auditorium.
Pipe Creek Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m., home of Joe May.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
Bingo, Lakehills American Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, March 7
County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Committee, 9:30 p.m., Old Courthouse.
United Methodist Women, 1:30 p.m., Lakehills United Methodist Church.
Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department bingo, 7 p.m.
Bandera Electric Co-operative Board of Directors (closed to public.)

Thursday, March 8
Medina Lake Betterment Association membership meeting, 6:30 p.m., covered dish supper.
Medina School Board, 7:30 p.m., School office.
Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department meeting, firehouse.

Bandera County Elections '84

Political Calendar

The Bandera Bulletin has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following candidates:

Bandera County Sheriff — Guy V. Pickett
Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gordon Nordlund
Bandera Co. Tax Assessor Collector — Marguerite Stevens
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — Bob Ashley (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — A.A. (Pete) Reed (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Jim Russell (D)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — E. Bruce Curry (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — Joe Mike Egan (R)
State Rep. Distrlct 45 — Eldon Edge (D)

CAR Comments with Phil Martin

VINYL TOPS — CLEANING

When washing your car and you are one that has a car with a vinyl top, use a mild soap to wash the vinyl. Using warm water if possible is also a good idea. The grainy texture of the vinyl will collect dirt in the grooves, so in order to get the top really clean, you will want to take a small, soft-bristle brush and scrub in a circular motion. Once this is done, remove the soilage with fresh water. If you have any mildew or even fungus growth on your vinyl top, use a commercial mildew remover to get rid of this growth. Now that the washing and cleaning is done, put a vinyl top dressing on to enhance the life of the vinyl. Vinyl can "dry" out and this liquid dressing is a must to keep your vinyl top looking new. Bear in mind that vinyl tops cost $125-$200, so take care of yours.

VINYL TOP — REPAIRING ANY DAMAGES

Should you find that you have a tear or rip in your vinyl top, here are some suggestions on how to repair them. To begin with, put a piece or strip of waterproof tape over the damaged part until you are ready to repair it. Keep moisture from getting underneath the vinyl, because this would make it harder for the patchwork to hold and sometimes it won't hold. There are vinyl repair kits available from auto parts stores, service stations and hardware stores to do the job. This may sound simple, but follow the directions, because it is important that the job be done right!

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Little League registration Saturday, March 3rd & 10th. First State Bank & Edwards Ranch Realty.

Lakehills

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45th birthday

The American Legion will observe its 45th anniversary, March 15-17, and the citizens of Lakehills and Pipe Creek are planning a gala celebration of this significant milestone, Commander Tony Kruse of James P. Pearson Post 410, announced this week.

Commander Kruse announced the appointment of a special committee, headed by Bill Angell, to direct the local observance which will feature a dance from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., March 17, at the Lakehills Civic Center with Music by Glenda Raye. "Everyone is invited," says Kruse.

The festivities will be part of a globe-spanning celebration among the more than 15,000 posts located throughout the United States and in several overseas countries and territories.

The American Legion was founded March 15-17, 1919, during a caucus in Paris, France, attended by representatives of the various outfits of the American Expeditionary Force of World War I.

The organization has since opened its membership ranks to veterans of World War II, the Korean War, and the Vietnam War, Commander Kruse explained.

As part of its preparation for the 60th Birthday, Post 410 is also winding up its 1984 membership drive, he reported. The action here is enjoying an increase of 35 new members over its all time high in 1963 and has won five awards to date.

Commander Kruse extended an invitation to all eligible war veterans of Lakehills/Pipe Creek to become Legionnaires. "More and more eligible war veterans are recognizing that the Legion is an organization which 'Helps America Work.' Membership in the American Legion gives the veteran an opportunity to be involved in meeting the needs of the community, state, and nation through the Legion's many and varied programs," Kruse said.

Just one candle

Forty friends attended a surprise birthday party for Johnie Bartlett at the A&L Mexican Restaurant Friday. There was one candle on Johnie's birthday cake and a "7," but he admits she is now eligible for Medicare.

Johnie received many lovely gifts and cards. The Country Do-Gooders Band featuring Drew Knoll, Jack Bartlett, Art Holt and Chuck Harrison played for dancing. The hostesses, Dimitrul Krueuel and Doris Holt, served dips and chips and other finger foods.

A special 'thank you'

The Lakehills United Methodist Church Youth Group wishes to extend warm thanks to everyone for the support shown at their Bake Sale last Saturday. The event was termed a huge success. Watch this column for news of future LHUMC activities.

Just elapsed

This Sunday is the date for the Medina Lake Betterment Association's Big Tupperware party and French Market Bean Soup Dinner.

It all begins at the Civic Center at 3 p.m. Stop by for browsing, shopping, sampling, prizes, drawings and refreshments. Don't forget the MLBA semi-annual membership meeting on March 8 at 7:30 p.m. It will be preceded by a covered dish supper at 6:30 p.m.

Strong and handsome

Douglas and Cheryl Walker of Lakehills are very pleased to announce the arrival of Douglas Dean Walker Jr. Feb. 10 in Kerrville. He weighed 8 lbs. and 2 ozs. and is 21½ in. long.

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Walker of Lakehills.

16 candles for Tori and Trad

The 20 guests who gathered at Adolph's Party Room on Feb. 18 to celebrate Tori and Traci Harrison's 16th birthday saw two of everything.

The party, hosted by Paul, Helen, Millie, and Chuck, had two birthday cakes, two pinatas, and two stacks of gifts for the pretty twins. Among the games played was the all-time favorite, Pin the Tail on the Donkey.

Healthy and beautiful

Katie Loreen Haase was welcomed into the world Jan. 26. Katie weighed 7 lbs., 2 ozs. The proud family includes Katie's parents, Ken and Lorri Haase and sister Megan of Austin.

Maternal grandparents are Guy and Marie Pickett of Lakehills and Jack Billings of San Antonio. Paternal grandparents are Jack and Darlene Haase of San Antonio.

Two great-grandmothers, one great-grandfather, and a host of aunts and uncles say "Welcome, Little Katie!"



Dog-gon, it's that time again

Dr. Smart of Boerne will be at the American Legion Post 410 building in Lakehills on March 31 from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. to inoculate house pets against rabies and other diseases. Sgt. Millie is the guiding force behind this annual, popular and very convenient event. Make your plans to bring Fido and Fifi up-to-date on that date.

Hondo trial begins

Jurors Monday began hearing testimony in Hondo in the capital murder trial of the second of three men charged in the 1982 beating death of a Uvalde County deputy sheriff.

Alberto Rodriguez, 27, of Eagle Pass is accused of the clubbing death of Chief Deputy Clyde Hobbs. Also charged in the case were two relatives, Gerardo Rodriguez and Jose Louis Rodriguez, also of Eagle Pass.

Taxpayers to be told how to get tax relief

The State Property Tax Board has announced a statewide effort to inform Texas property owners of their rights, remedies, and responsibilities as taxpayers.

According to Ron Patterson, executive director, SPTB will coordinate efforts with appraisal districts and all local news media to help make taxpayers aware of rendition and exemption filing deadlines and methods by which exemptions or other forms of tax relief may be obtained.

"The first priority for property owners is to file renditions and applications for tax relief before May 1 this year," Patterson said.

Rendition is the method through which a property owner reports or lists the taxable property he owned or managed on Jan. 1. It is also the means by which a taxpayer is allowed to record his own opinion of his property's value.

Patterson noted that taxpayers may file all exemption applications and property rendition forms with the central appraisal district office. State law also allows one-time applications for homestead exemptions, disabled veterans' exemptions and open-space land valuation.

However, he said, persons whose property is located in more than one county appraisal district have an additional responsibility. These property owners may be required to file for exemptions and productivity valuation in each appraisal district in which their property is located.

Property owners who last year received homestead exemptions, disabled veterans' exemptions and open-space land (1-d-1) valuation do not need to reapply in 1984. However, the chief appraiser may confirm a person's current qualification by requesting a new application form be completed.

Applications must be filed in 1984, Patterson said, by property owners who have not previously received tax relief on their present homestead or land.

State law also requires that applications for agricultural (1-d) valuation be filed each year in all appraisal districts.

Agricultural (1-d) and open-space land (1-d-1) valuations are available to property owners using land for farming or ranching purposes. Such land may be taxed based on productivity rather than market value.

Certain property owners are required to render their property. "Any person who owns or manages income-producing personal property on Jan. 1 is required by state law to file a rendition statement with the appropriate appraisal district," Patterson said.

Special rendition procedures exist for property on which an exemption applicable on Jan. 1 ends the tax year. In such a case, the person who owns or acquires the property when the exemption ends must render the property for taxation within 30 days.

And, the chief appraiser may require rendition of other taxable property upon notice to the property owner or manager. Transportation companies, banks and railroads must also file special rendition statements.

Patterson said rendition forms are available from appraisal district offices. Transportation businesses may obtain property report forms from the SPTB.

Complete information on tax exemptions and rendition requirements is contained in "Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities," a taxpayer pamphlet produced by the SPTB.

The pamphlet also reviews how to prepare and present an appeal to the appraisal review board. It is available at no charge from appraisal district offices or from the SPTB in Austin.

"The property tax is the primary source of local government revenue in Texas," Patterson noted. "It will generate about $8 billion this year to help fund public schools, cities, counties and special districts."

"We urge all property owners to become familiar with the tax process, to file renditions and to apply for all exemptions or other tax relief to which they are entitled," Patterson concluded.

Pipe Creek

Nancy Ibach — 535-4517

Chili cookoff

The fourth annual Pipe Creek Chili Cookoff has been set for April 14 at a new location.

This year it will be held away from the Community Center, where it was always held in the past, at Tony's Chat and Chew on State Highway 16.

There are a lot of advantages to having the cookoff there. At any rate, be sure to tell everyone you know about the date and location.

More details later.

Extension homemakers

The Pipe Creek Extension Homemakers Club will meet Tuesday, March 6, at 1 p.m. at Joe May's home. The program will be "Quilting by Newer Methods," which should be very interesting and enlightening. Visitors are more than welcome.

Missing skirt

Mrs. Berube, 535-4847, has found a brand new shirt on the highway in Pipe Creek with the tags still on it. If you can describe it, you can have it!

Firefighters

Things were pretty quiet for firefighters this week until the weekend.

One fireplace almost caused a big problem at a residence on FM 1283. A build-up of residue and soot had the chimney clogged. It's still winter time and many fireplaces are still in use. Have you checked your's lately? firefighters ask. If not, it only takes little time and it could be time well spent.

Pipe Creek firefighters assisted Bandera twice Sunday. It was the same fire both times in the Mason Creek area out 173. The strong winds made it rough. The trucks were parked and the volunteers went home about 10 p.m. Sunday night. Bandera and Pipe Creek people left one truck at the fire to make sure it didn't flare up during the night. They went home at 6 a.m. Monday morning, satisfied the fire was controlled and no danger of a flare-up.

The firefighter's regular meeting is March 8. Please try to attend.

Grassfire battled twice

Bandera and Pipe Creek volunteer firefighters battled a grass and brush fire on Lower Mason Creek Road twice Sunday, but finally got it under control before it could destroy any homes or other buildings.

It was the 21st alarm answered by the Bandera VFD since Jan. 1.

The alarm sounded at about 12:30 p.m. Sunday, and the fire was quickly brought under control. But high winds rekindled smoldering logs, and flames blazed anew, and firefighters were called back to the scene.

At about 6:30 p.m. a backfire was set, firefighters said, and this helped them control the fire. "By nightfall there were a lot of red-eyed, tired firefighters," a spokesman said.

The Bandera firefighters expressed their thanks to the Pipe Creek volunteers who aided the firefighting effort and to the many neighbors who brought food and other refreshments to the firefighters.

Wayne Cummings, Phillip Tobin, Daniel Thaler and Norman Butler stood vigil at the fire scene until Monday morning to watch for possible flare-ups, but none were spotted.

Tarpley

Nettie Dean — 562-5564

Weather

High, dry, blustery winds hit Tarpley area Sunday, coming in from the north west. Some destruction was caused to barns and homes.

Trip to Abilene

Your correspondent and her husband drove to Abilene Saturday to visit their son and family, Dr. and Mrs. M.L. (Larry) Dean and children, Sara and Michael Dean.

We were snowed in Sunday by a beautiful snow, but rain and sleet followed and all was clear when we left for home Monday.

Revival

Tarpley Baptist Mission is having its annual revival April 1-6. Evangelist will be the Rev. Harvey Hulse of Bandera and song leader will be the Rev. Homer Stevens of Utopia. Pianist will be Jeanne Shinn.

Birthday

Edith Riley Jeffers will be celebrating her 85th birthday on Tuesday, March 6, at her home in Tarpley. A card would be nice to remember her. She's come a long ways since her birth in a log cabin.

Visitors

Anton and Marilyn Haner's guests the weekend were their son and family, Doyle and Lou Ann and their young son, Eric Haner of Mesquite.

Rio Hondo club

Marie Hood was the hostess when the Extension Homemakers met at her home recently, enjoying a luncheon.

Peggy Edwards showed films on "Combining the Old and the New" with emphasis on kit and new furniture.

Surprise

Alta Kinps was pleasantly surprised Wednesday night by a birthday reception after prayer meeting.

Cake and cocoa were served and eight guests were present.

Mrs. Shinn and her brother-in-law, Charles Easley of Rio Hondo

Rev. and Mrs. Shinn's and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Easley of Rio Hondo Subdivision attended along with other relatives from San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wagner were Tarpley Baptist Mission visitors Sunday. They have a home in the To-Pat Acres Subdivision and have recently returned from Saudi Arabia.

Lakeshore

Mrs. Dell Lackey — 796-3941

Return home

Ken and Renee Parks arrived home Sunday after spending two months in Acapulco.

Butch Highnote returned home from the Kerrville hospital where he had minor surgery on his toe. He is doing OK.

This 'n' that

Congratulations to Ken Follard of Lakeshore. His song, "Hangin' On To What I Got," has hit 96th on the chart of top 100 country and western songs.

Belated birthday greeting to Mary K. Andreas who was erroneously left off the February birthday list last week.

Visitors

Brandy and Tammy Evans of Kerrville visited their grandmother, Bernice and Denny Fairbairn, and grandfather, Bill Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett from Bettendorf, Ia., old friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Queen, were their guests this week. They took them to San Antonio sightseeing and visited the River Walk. This was the Bennett's first trip to Texas.

Dan Cable, Nola Bledsoe's son-in-law, is here visiting and will be leaving Saturday with his wife and children to their new station at Ft. Riley, Kan.

Duane Stevens of Muleshoe visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Haley and friends in Lakeshore.

Walter Burrell, San Antonio, spent Friday night with Bethel and Dell Lackey and visited with the Andreas family.

More visitors

Larry and Karen Hilton and sons, Eric and Michael, from Bovina visited Chuck and Maradelle DeWitt Thursday through Sunday. Larry is Maradelle's son and athletic director at Bovina where Karen teaches third grade.

While here, Larry attended a coaches clinic in San Antonio. Eric and Michael had fun trying to catch a fish and playing games.

Also on Sunday, Larry and Esther Hein of Bandera drove out for a short visit.

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He has been trained by the Alamo Area Law Enforcement Academy which is certified by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officers Standards and Education. He has attended numerous schools directly in line of his duties and has kept himself abreast of everything that has taken place in the field of law enforcement.
Commissioned as a Texas Peace Officer, he has served as a Deputy Constable for Precinct 2 for the past 4 years. He has been a resident of Bandera County for 30 years and is a graduate of Bandera High School.
Gene Ott is a man of integrity and has proven himself to be a dedicated officer. He has the experience and knowledge to continue to serve the people of Precinct 2 in the capacity of Constable.
Vote for Gene Ott on March 6th.
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"What's good about Southwestern Bell?"
While not addressed quite so bluntly, that was the main question we tried to answer in recent group sessions with our customers. These "focus group" meetings were held to give us a better idea of what people perceive to be strengths of our company.
We also asked for, and received, commentary on our weaknesses as seen by these customers.
Good service — particularly its dependability and reliability — was by far the main strength cited in these sessions.
Here are some of the comments made by our customers:
"We couldn't survive without the phone service. I have to have my telephone for communications. If you have an emergency or a fire, you need it. I could live without the service, but I wouldn't want to. It is a big part of everybody's life."
It's dependable
"I would stress the dependability. I would point out to consumers being able to rely on your telephone for just about anything, your business, your home life, your social life."
"I'd say they have good service. Their phones work, and you can depend on the calls. If you have any repair work, it gets done."
"I've called to ask questions about rates and bills, and the people I've spoken to have been very polite and willing to answer all my questions."
"The phone company is every day coming up with more efficient ways of doing things, or better ways."
"I think the strength of the telephone company is that they have been more economical as compared to other items in your household budget. They have not gone up proportionately as much. That has been a tremendous asset for the lower income people."
Rate increases
"In relationship to every other company, we're in line. The regulated companies have more trouble than the unregulated companies things cost today. I would say telephone service is a good value. It saves me money because I do a lot of comparison shopping through the phone book. I make the telephone work for me."
"You pay for contact with most of the world. You can use the phone to talk to anybody about anything, check on relatives, children, and you don't have to worry about it. It always works. What value would you put on that? A call to poison control, when your child just drank a glass of bleach. What do you do? What's the value of that?"
"I like the bills because they come with a return envelope. It's one less address you have to write out and one less envelope you have to work up."
"I think the size of the company and the fact that it has been such a good company for people to work for has been a real asset here."
Divestiture confusion
Some customers did tell us they were still confused and uncertain about our separation from AT&T. Here are some of the comments about life after divestiture:
"I feel uneasy about it. I don't really understand what is actually happening and how it is going to affect me. I really can't say anything about it because I really don't know."
"We will be able to tell shortly how well Southwestern Bell Telephone will do on its own — whether in the coming years it is going to fail on its face or lay an egg. Or spread its wings and fly."
"Well, the breakup has come and gone and I can assure you Southwestern Bell Telephone isn't laying any eggs. Our service in Texas has never been better. And we're going to work hard to keep it the best there is.
How about you? What do you think is good about Southwestern Bell Telephone? What faults do you find with us? I'd like to hear from you either way — just drop me a line at the address below.
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Bandera briefs

Fine Arts Club

Speech and Theater Arts students at Bandera High School will provide entertainment for the Fine Arts Club March 6, at the High school. Scenes from the UIL one-act play, "Chamber Music," by Arthur Kopit will be presented, as well as a selection of poetry and prose selections which have been performed during this year's UIL competition. The cast and crew for "Chamber Music" include Betty Richmond, Janet Weber, Mary Segovia, Kim Compton, Sandy Redner, Linda Karr, Nancy Hayes, Wendy Valdez, Greg Tatum, Donald DeThorne, Bobbie Caloss, Christine Caloss, Gavin Pearson and Matt Kelly.

The Fine Arts Club will meet at the high school auditorium at 2 p.m. March 6.

Park contributions acknowledged

The Bandera County Commissioners Court gratefully acknowledges a contribution to the Mansfield Park fund from the Estate of Bruce Mansfield presented by his sister, Mrs. Jack Vanderveer, and contributions from Frank H. Mansfield in memory of his brother, Homer Mansfield of Junction, and his friends, G.M. Merritt and Preston Word Sr. of Bandera.

Daughter has grave marked

The Bandera Chapter National Society Daughters of the American Revolution Sunday placed a DAR Insignia on the headstone of a Charter Member, Gladys Fisher, in Jones Cemetery near Utopia.

These participating in the memorial service for Miss Fisher were Mrs. W.P. Jordan, chaplain Bandera NSDAR; Mrs. John K. Harrell, Texas State Organizing Secretary; Mrs. J.D. Evans, Registrar, Bandera Chapter; Mrs. Leonard Hicks, regent Sabinal Canyon NSDAR; and Mrs. James B. Brady, Bandera Chapter NSDAR.



John Slocomb

Slocomb named advisory director

John G. Slocomb, First State Bank senior vice president, has been elected Advisory Director according to an announcement by First State Bank President Sully S. Woodland.

Slocomb has been with First State Bank since August of 1981. He has been in banking since 1976, the year he earned BS and BA degrees in finance from the University of Arkansas.

Slocomb is director and past president of the Bandera Optimist Club and serves on the financial committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

He is treasurer of the Bandera United Methodist Church, president of the Little League Association and also serves as coach in the local Soccer Association.

Blood drive

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Bandera March 13 at the First Baptist Church of Bandera from noon until 6 p.m., according to Edith Chandler, blood drive chairman.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

John M. Tyra, Utopia; Susan E. Goodwin, Medina; Sandra L. Young of Bandera; Mrs. Cora L. Bowles of Utopia; Carey H. Noble of Pipe Creek; and Dulcie P. Finney of Medina.

Art

Sculptress Shermalee Mack of Bandera was one of 19 artists that completed the twice-postponed sculpting workshop led by veteran sculptor Fritz White at the Cowboy Artists Museum in Kerrville.

Originally scheduled for Dec. 4, the class had to be put off due to heavy snow which prevented White from leaving Loveland, Colo. The class was re-scheduled for Jan. 5, but White was in bed in Loveland, with pneumonia.

This was the second educational program for serious art students conducted at the museum by members of the Cowboy Artists of America.

The workshop was conducted by White as a basic sculpting class and covered basic sculpting techniques and principles and working with a live model.

The special exhibit "No More Buffalo," a history of the Blackfeet Indians in bronze done by Robert Scriver of Browning, Mont. opened at the museum on Jan. 14. The 53 one of a kind pieces comprising this collection were done over a period of 22 years. Being in the museum at the time of the workshop, it provided a unique opportunity for the students to study an exciting and moving group of sculpture.

Fritz White won the Best of Show and Gold medal for sculpture at the annual Cowboy Artists of America show and sale held at the Pheonix Art Museum in October. The prize winning piece, "Out of the Mystic Past," was done in a series of 16.

The third museum workshop will be held at the museum for week beginning April 1. This will be a design workshop led by Kenneth Riley of Tucson. Riley won the silver medal in oil at the annual Cowboy Artists of America show and sale this past October.

Obituaries

Sandra L. Young

Sandra L. Young, 37, of Bandera died Monday at Sid Peterson Hospital following a short illness.

A native of Houston, she lived there most of her life. After attending the University of Texas at Austin, she was employed by NASA during the Apollo space flight series, she worked for Brown and Root as an administration specialist until moving to Bandera with her husband one year ago.

She is survived by her husband, Rick, and daughter, Dawn, of Bandera; her father, Paul Kinney, and aunt, Florence Knowles, Lorena; sister, Gail Mize, Pasadena.

Funeral services were Wednesday at the graveside in the Vanderpool Cemetery with Monsignor Ralph Smith officiating.

Jane Ray Hayeraft Hall

Jane Ray Hayeraft Hall, 82, of Bandera died Friday Feb. 24 in Brooke General Hospital at Ft. Sam Houston.

Born in Rocksprings May 26, 1901, she was a member of the Bandera Church of Christ.

Survivors include a daughter, Eula Crafton of Bandera; a son, Lester Hayeraft of Bandera; a granddaughter, Janis Rodriguez of Bandera; two grandsons, Kelly Crafton of Mt. Home, Idaho, and Joe Crafton of Anacortes, Wash.; four great-grandchildren and a niece, Laura Norwood of Pipe Creek.

Funeral services were held Monday in Grimes Funeral Chapel of Bandera with Martin Smith officiating. Burial was in Oak Rest Cemetery in Medina.

Rosie White Schmidt

Rosie Belle White Schmidt, 74, of Pipe Creek, died Tuesday, Feb. 28, in Kerrville. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Pipe Creek.

Survivors include three daughters, Ruthel Calahan of Menard, Betty Lou Sassey of Menard and Imajane Watkins of Gonzales; two sons, Frank L. Killough of Illinois and Freddie Schmidt of Oregon; a sister, Lydia Mae Robertson of San Antonio; four brothers, George, Ely, Dan, and J.V. White, all of San Antonio; 15 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

Services will be Friday at 4 p.m. at Grimes Funeral Chapel in Bandera with the Rev. Bartlett Mills officiating. Pallbearers will be Jerome Edwards, Robert Clark, Keith Mansfield, Walter Stricker, Jay Carpenter and Arthur Heinen. Honorary pallbearer is Leonard Keeling. Burial will be in Pipe Creek Cemetery.

Gladys M. Flanigan

Gladys M. Flanigan, 77, died Tuesday, Feb. 28, at her residence in Lakehills.

She was born in Dow, Okla. March 5, 1906. A member of the Lakehills United Methodist Church, she retired from Civil Service at Kelly Air Force Base 15 years ago.

Survivors include a sister, Sara Wilkinson of Lakehills; a brother, William Reeder of San Antonio; many friends and nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be Friday at 11 a.m. at Sunset Memorial Park Chapel in San Antonio, with Rev. Joyce Slade officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Park.

Medina briefs

Medina student district winner

Lisa Chambles, seventh grade daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William Chambles of Medina, has been chosen as the outstanding essayist in a contest for Texas History students sponsored by The Daughters of the Republic of Texas.

The essay entitled "Signing of Texas Declaration of Independence" was required to be between 300-500 words and to meet certain other restrictions.

Lisa's efforts won for her a $25 cash award, a Texas Flag for her school, and the right to be considered for the state award.

The winner of the state award will be presented during Historical Evening at the annual State D.R.T. convention to read their essay and to receive a silver bowl from Gov. Mark White.

Medina homemakers

The Medina Extension Homemakers will meet Thursday, March 8, at 10 a.m. in the home of Juanita Baker.

Peggy Edwards, county extension agent, will present the program, "Furnishings—Combining the New with the Old."

PTO plans film

The families of Medina school children have been invited to come to the school for an evening of entertainment Thursday, March 1.

This is spring break from the usual routine at Medina Public School. The film is "The Old and Only Original Family Band" from the Walt Disney Studios. See the 10-member Bower family hit the presidential campaign trail in the 1880s.

Show time is at 7 p.m. and all the family is invited. A special thanks to the Bandera County Library for providing this film. No admission will be charged.

Textiles to be cited

Solve the shawled mysteries lacing a family closet or maybe even attic. Unlock secrets about grandma's crazy quilt or discover whether that old shawl is a paisley or genuine kashmir.

On Saturday, March 3, between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., San Antonians will have the opportunity to bring any sewn, woven, embroidered, and quilted heirlooms to the Museum of Art for Textile Identification Day where a team of textile experts will bring treasured items out of the closet and into the limelight.

Oriental rug expert Basil Scaljon, senior curator Cecilia Steinfeldt, and Witte Wonder textile conservation volunteer will be on hand for this special workshop called "Out of the Closet..." They will help participants identify and date any and all textiles, including old laces, clothing, ethnic costumes, quilts and coverlets. They will even assist in research and provide advice on protection and restoration.

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Our weather has been — the warm side; lots of sunshine and no rain.

Although moisture is badly needed, spring seems to be here. Grass is greening, foliage budding and fruit trees blooming, but let's not all be too optimistic. Remember the old saying, "thunder in February means frost in April." Usually it's on, or close to the same dates.

Clothing drive

A lot of clothes has been brought to Baptist Church. Ladies will meet Thursday afternoon to separate and pack boxes. The church is endeavoring to start a different ministry, that of first helping local people who need some of these clothes.

Illnesses

It was nice to talk to Tiny Boulinghouse Saturday. She is so grateful to be back home with no major problems or illness.

Visitors at the Schryver's home last week were two of Carmen's sisters, Thelma Smith and Bernice Richey, and two of Mrs. Richey's children, David Richey and Doris Peach.

Carson reunion

The Carson family reunion was held Saturday, Feb. 18, at the home of Stonewall and Cleo Carson, Seco Ridge Ranch Road, Utopia.

Four sisters were present. They were Gertrude (Carson) Berry of Poteet; Agnes (Carson) Perkins and her husband Ira D. Perkins of San Antonio; Winnie (Carson) Smith of Brownwood, her daughter, Margret (Smith) Neal; and Lucille (Carson) Arthur of Uvalde, along with daughter Marion (Arthur) Beasley, granddaughter Paige (Beasley) of Leander and great-grandchildren, Luke and Abbey.

Also present was a brother, Joe Carson of Brazaria, his wife, Eunice, their daughter, Lora (Carson) Beeson, and her husband Carl of San Antonio.

Stonewall and Cleo's daughter Beth (Carson) Franklin of Uvalde, was present with her two daughters, Leslie and Cheryl Kay Franklin.

Also attending were a cousin, William Prince and wife Mc-; of Uvalde; friends, Mr. and Mrs. Osco and Rothe of D'Hanis, Mrs. Herman Ney of D'Hanis and Mr. and Mrs. Hub Thompson of Utopia.

Weekend visitors

Carol and Stephnie Alley of San Marcos were weekend visitors of their parents, J.B. and Iona Alley and sister, Suzzane, and grandparents, Lecil and Ruby Howard.

John and Brenda Journey and three children of Sonora were weekend visitors of her parents, Rafie and Mary Lou Snow. They also attended Baptist Church services Sunday morning.

Dick and Gloria Swantner of Corpus Christi spent the weekend at their Arrebella Ranch home. Dick is starting a new project: Planting some 400 cypress trees on the banks of the Sabinal River on his ranch.

Bob and Sharon and Don and Karen Operstteff of Houston and Corpus Christi were here over the weekend moving their hunting supplies.

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Oberg, and Gus White from Hedwigs.

Ople Boyle visited her mother, Maude Stokes. Another visitor was her granddaughter, Sandee Vanmatter of Medina.

Ann Neal of Pipe Creek visited Gertrude Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited friends Wednesday afternoon and took Jack Holloway to services at the Church of Christ that evening.

Lovene Bialkowsky of Kerrville visited her sister, Ruth Betto.

Marion E. Gray visited Henry Lewis, Willie Leibold, Louie Allsup and Lee Pickens one day last week.

Tony Mazurek visited his mother, Mary Mazurek.

Tootie Mayfield and Ellen Walker, nieces of Ruby Sides, came by Friday evening and took her out for a catfish dinner. On Sunday her husband, Edward Sides, came by and took her for a nice drive and they enjoyed lunch. Other visitors were Frieda Walker and Elayne Mills.

Wilfred Perkins visited his mother, Frances Linscomb.

Myrtle Heinen's granddaughters, Nancy Crist, Debra Moody and Reba Williams of San Antonio, visited her Saturday morning.

Robert Merrie visited his grandmother, Mildred Wolterstorf.

Adam and Alice Walters visited his mother, Lura Walters.

Visiting Ernest Rainey were his wife, Mrs. Rainey, and son, Robert Rainey.

Enjoyable music

We really enjoyed the music of Frank Montague Jr., Jimmy Russell, Dr. Mendor and Kay Robinson when they came to play and sing for us. We hope they will come back again real soon.

Birthdays

Ona Billingsley and Emma Strum celebrated their birthdays last week with a pretty cake, flowers, gifts, and Presidential Greetings.

Thanks

Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick, Alice Mellis and Jack Holloway enjoyed services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Thanks to Bill Hathaway for the nice magazines.

More visitors

Rudy Hardebeck's visitors were his daughter and husband, Betty and Wes Wallace of San Angelo, and his granddaughter, Wendy Wallace.

Sam and Lois Armstrong visited his mother, Mae Armstrong.

Mayo and Ada Tanner of Lakehills came by for a visit with his mother, Ruby Tanner.

Retha Anderwald visited her grandmother, Hazel Anderwald.

Ola Belle Allsup of Medina visited her brother-in-law, Louie Allsup.

Church directory

Bandera
Church of Christ
Minister: Martin Smith
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Bandina
Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina
First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
Minister: Doyle Maynord
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley
Baptist Mission
Pastor: Glenn W. Rhines
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
562-3468

Utopia
Church of Christ
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629

Baptist Church
Pastor: Homer Stephens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
and Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Vanderpool
Community Church
Pastor: George Polvado
Worship: Sunday, 8 p.m.
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
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St. Mary's Catholic Church
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Senior Citizens

By Mary Worley

This information regarding a revised bus schedule has been prepared and will be in effect until further notice.

On Monday, the bus will pick up passengers at Lakehills, Pipe Creek and surrounding areas. On Tuesday the bus will pick up passengers in Medina. Please make your plans to come to Bandera on these designated days. Please call the Center if you would like any more information on the new schedule.

At board of directors meeting on Friday many ideas were discussed for near-future plans. Loretta Rees, ranking member from the Kerrville State Hospital directors and also of AACOG, gave encouraging reports regarding construction of a new center building. Planning is underway for the Spring Plant Sale for either late April or early May.

Vernell Mullenax is in charge of this event and asks those of you who were lucky enough to have plants survive this winter, and will be willing to share your good fortune, please bring them to the center. Sooner the better so they may be potted and off to a good start by sale time.

Also any empty pots, or planters, you feel can be spared will be gratefully accepted. Also requested are large one-gallon, or so, plastic containers. For the next two weeks, these will be gratefully received at the center, and put to good use.

The Plant Sale last fall was such a success, it is hoped to make this Spring one even more so.

At this point the directors wish to say Thank You for continued support on aluminum cans. Another load has just been taken to recycling center and those extra dollars do help.

Melodiers, plus all who would like to join this group, now working on a program of songs relating to the cowboy theme, are asked to be at the center this Friday, March 2, by 5:15 p.m. for practice before going on to Purple Hills to sing for our friends there. A tentative date for presenting the aforementioned program to the public has been set for April 8. More information will be issued later.

Last week the art group met on Wednesday rather than usual Thursday, and voted to use this day on a trial basis. Should work is well with Minnies new crochet class, also on Wednesday mornings. Like on Monday's Craft Workshop, the Center should hum with activity.

I am glad to report Ruth Hayes is home, after undergoing recent surgery in a San Antonio hospital. Both she, and husband Roscoe are at present in their home. And Fran Culley is happy to be recuperating at home, following a long stay in the hospital.

AARP

The Bandera Hills chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons were told the group nationally opposes the current government policy of unlimited Medicare reimbursement to hospitals in favor of short-term regulation and long-term moderation.

That's the message delivered Feb. 15 by its legislative chairman, Kay Robinson.

The AARP also opposes higher taxes on employees and cutbacks in benefits for the elderly, Mrs. Robinson said.

Registered nurse Eleanor Densford of Pipe Creek pointed to the growing use of paraprofessionals and home nursing care as ways to help hold down the mushrooming cost of medical care.

She said the elderly should consider better knowledge of health as a prevention of disease and the acceptance of the body's inevitable breakdown with advancing age.

Neonatal care relating to the unborn and newly born child is one field of medicine which is receiving much attention and making much progress at the present time, she said.

Advanced technology should not be used with the terminally ill to the exclusion of considering the patient's desires and human dignity, she suggested. Sample copies of the so-called "living will" were displayed at the meeting.

Chapter president and tour committee chairman Davis May outlined plans for a trip to Big Bend National Park via motor coach originating in Bandera on April 24. A minimum of 36 and a maximum of 42 passengers are required, and those interested must make a down payment of $25 by March 15. Total cost for four days and three nights is $310.

Coffee and cookies were served by hospitality chairman Doris Delle. The next meeting will be on March 21.


Don Lardie

Blind concert pianist brings 'music for everyone'

"Music is for Everyone," a series of concerts by blind concert pianist-composer Don Lardie in Kerrville on Sunday, March 4, at 4 p.m. at the Municipal Auditorium in Kerrville.

This concert will feature original compositions in the classical vein written by Lardie since he lost his sight in an accident four years ago. The concert is free, but contributions will be accepted.

A feature of Lardie's concerts is his running commentary throughout the presentation that acquaints listeners with the origin and inspiration of these compositions.

Lardie has composed nine major piano sonatas, assorted geographic or national pieces, nocturnes, waltzes and preludes. Critics have described his music as being typical of early baroque as well as reminiscent of the romantic composers such as Brahms, Schumann, and Rachmaninoff.

Lardie has taught and performed in Texas, Michigan, New York and in Scandinavia. He is presently teaching in Llano, where he also resides. "Many persons do not realize why they prefer one type of music over another, and we will explore the reasons for this as well as encourage musical awareness in the concert presentations in Kerrville," Lardie said.

February 25, 1984

Louise Karr
P.O. Box 133
Medina, Texas 78065

Bandera City Council
City Police Department
Any Other Interested Party

Dear Sirs and/or Madams;

First I want to state that I am not what could be classified as a drinker. I may drink 32 ounces of alcohol in a year's time.

In my opinion, if persons are driving, being a public nuisance or even walking on a public road while drunk, they should be charged as such, with the arresting officer remembering that he or she is employed as a public servant, and that all the people who have contact with the police are not hardened criminals and should not be treated as hardened criminals.

This letter is to express my opinion of the mixed messages the town of Bandera gives citizens and/or visitors of Bandera.

First, Bandera is advertised as the place to come have a real, good-old western time in "The Cowboy Capital," this includes taking part in the activities offered by "The Silver Dollar," "Purple Cow," "The Cabaret," and etc.

Second, for some time I have heard from people in the Bandera area and the surrounding areas that Bandera is "trap city," as far as police enforcement goes. Up to now I did not believe what was said about our local law enforcement.

At the present time, in my opinion it appears that some of the policemen in Bandera are overly-zealous in duty performance. By watching which vehicles are parked on the main street of Bandera at night, law enforcement could play the game of stopping every second, third or whatever numbered vehicle chosen to be stopped. Ninty-nine times out of a hundred, at least one person in each vehicle stopped will have had a drink or so. As I said before, my concern and complaint is not for the truly drunken driver. I believe they should not drive and if stopped, be prosecuted, no matter who they are, myself included, for DWI.

My concern is for citizens and/or visitors of Bandera who have three or four drinks over a period of several hours, who are then stopped and accused of speeding exactly six miles an hour over the speed limit, which I understand is the breaking point that the city police issues tickets for speeding. Then if the persons stopped have had a drink, to be charged with "public intoxication," this includes passenger as well as driver of the vehicle. In my opinion either the driver of said vehicle is driving while drunk and should face full charges for DWI, including alcohol breath content test and video of accused being booked, or else only be issued a speeding ticket for the accused six miles an hour over the speed limit.

In the past I have entertained out-of-town guests by taking them on a tour of Bandera during the day and also to visit the "old west" saloons in Bandera at night. But never again. I would be afraid that should my guests and myself indulge in a couple of drinks, we would be invited to spend the night per the hospitality of our new jail sleeping on a concrete slab, without benefit of mattress or even a blanket.

Then after my good night's sleep we would be told without benefit of counsel from anyone except our local authorities, that if I plead "Not Guilty," I could not win, but if I plead "No Contest," and paid $194.50, there would be no charges and nothing on my record, even though mug shots and fingerprints were taken.

In my own personal opinion, this would smell just a little like a scourge for the city to make money.

Once again I want it clear that the entire contents of this letter are my personal opinions. I believe that the arresting officer of my son and a young lady employed by me, on February 25, 1984, owes both of them an apology for an injustice to them in their arrest for "public intoxication."

It is problematical that nothing can be done for the injustice to my son, as he thought the only way out without leaving a police record was to make the plea of No Contest, and pay the $194.50. Fortunately the young lady said she was not guilty of "public intoxication" and would plead "not guilty." Whatever the monetary cost, I hope to see that the injustice to the young lady is rectified.

I feel the monetary cost is insignificant compared to the injustice to my son and the young lady, both of whom are hard-working, upstanding citizens of the community, with no prior accusations from law enforcement.

I also feel that by writing this open letter for the entire public, myself and my family will be zealously observed for minute infractions of the law by some of the officers of Bandera. But I believe this is a case of "right one" wrong," "injustice or justice." Because we are a law-abiding family, (this includes the young lady) we do not mind being observed.

Sincerely,
Louise Karr
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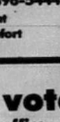
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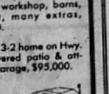

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For, about and by students in Bandera schools.

Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Speckman

rio advances to state

By Randy McHaney

Three girls advanced onto the ate contest at the Area II VOE meet ld in Corpus Christi on Feb. 24. ese girls are Sue Pickett, Terri iller and Malisa Methvin.

Sue, a second-year student, placed cond in Informative Communica- ons. Terri, a first-year VOE stu- nt, placed fourth in Typing and elated II. Malisa has also been in OE two years, and she placed sixth Record Management II.

Four other girls placed in the con- test. They were Tammy Ott eighth in Record Management I; Lisa Vaky eighth in Typing Related III; Ste- phanie Hill 14th in General Clerical I; and Linda Erfurt 15th in Prepared Verbal II.

In all, 12 students participated in the contests. Others included Kelly Kindle, Joy Smith, Shannon Hicks, Laura Herrers and Ann Anderson.

Sue, Terri and Malisa will attend the state convention in Dallas on March 22-24. Congratulations to all the girls that participated.

r. High UIL akes first place

By Toni Byam

Bandera Junior High literary eam placed first in the Fredericks- burg Meet on Feb. 18. This first place victory marked the first time for the Junior Literary Club to take sweep- stakes in its history, officials said.

Bandera's victory was clinched with a total of 118 points, close behind were Fredericksburg with 112½ points and Llano with 79. There were ten teams entered, but with the numerous victories, Ban- dera Junior High UIL members came out on top.

Here are students placing:

Eighth Grade — Ready Writing, 2nd Helen Neville; Spelling, 3rd Channon Cardella; Poetry Reading, 1st Wendy Lindley, 4th Jim Mor- mando; Prose Reading, 1st Helen Neville, 3rd Michelle Morrison; Dramatic Presentation, 1st Michelle Bates; Duet Acting, 1st Jennifer Moore and Lori Smith; Duet Pan- tomime, 2nd Christie Schindler and Kirsten Robison.

Seventh Grade - Ready Writing, 4th Ann Muller; Poetry Reading 4th Vicki Hearn; Prose Reading, 1st Shannon Walbrun; Informative Speaking, 1st Helen Robertson, 5th Barbara Hildenbrand; Dramatic Presentation, 2nd Joey Cielenski, 4th Tasha Vander Zee; Duet Acting, 2nd Ann Muller and Kim Lukachik.

Previously Bandera entered the Peterson Middle School competition, finishing fourth behind Kirby Jr. High, Kitty Hawk Jr. High, and Peterson Middle School.

Winners were:

Eighth Grade — Informative Speaking, 6th Molly Hughey; Calcu- lator, 7th Eve Elkins; Poetry Read- ing, 2nd Jim Mormando; Prose Reading, 1st Helen Neville; Duet Acting, 6th Jennifer Moore and Lori Smith;

Seventh Grade — Prose Reading, 3rd Shannon Walbrun; Dramatic Presentation, 5th Tasha Vander Zee; Duet Acting, 1st Ann Muller and Kim Lukachik.

Students are looking forward to district competition working dili- gently to improve their perfor- mances.

Alamo Heights meet

By Sandy Riedner

Being the smallest school out of 38 others didn't stop four BHS drama participants from advancing to semi-finals at the Alamo Heights TFA Meet, Feb. 24-25.

In duet acting, Matt Kelly and Sandy Riedner received first in their preliminary round, advancing to semis where they placed fourth.

They performed "Next," the duet that won them a gold the previous week.

Tiffin Youngblood and Cindy Parks also advanced in duet acting, receiving second in preliminaries and sixth in semis. They performed "Porch."

Sandy Riedner placed first in the preliminary round of the humorous category. Riedner advanced to semis where she placed sixth, performing "I Can't Breath" by Ring Lardner.

These four students were the only members of Class AAA schools in their rounds. All other contestants were from Class AAAAA schools.

"This was a good meet to prepare us for district," commented drama coach Baird Neville. "The students performed very well against such stiff competition."

Toni Byam, Randy McHaney in top five

Toni Byam and Randy McHaney placed third and fifth respectively in the Pleasanton University Inter- scholastic League Meet Feb. 25.

Five other Bandera contestants competed.

Toni placed third in the news writ- ing category and Randy placed fifth in editorial writing.

Christine Caloss competed in the feature writing contest. Wade Bare- field and David Edwards competed in the non-verbal skits and science con- test. Wade, a BHS freshman fin- ished in 15th place in biology. Com- peting in the typing category was Shannon Mormando and Dyke Fer- rell. Shannon placed 15th and Dyke placed 27th.

Sponsors attending the meet were Margie Keese, journalism and typ- ing; Bill Marshall, science; and Rus- sell Zickler, head UIL coach and math instructor.

—Toni Byam

Student council crosses the border

By Kathy Ryan

Chattering enthusiastically, Bandera Student Council loaded up the yellow mini-bus early Saturday morning, Feb. 11, to prepare for the long ride to Del Rio for a student council workshop.

After a two-and-a-half-hour drive, students arrived at Del Rio and were greeted by another group of council members from the San Antonio area. Together the group corssed the border and spent two hours roaming Mexico, shopping, bargaining, and just having a good time.

Later they went back and checked into the hotel to get ready for the first session of the workshop. Sessions were headed by Pat Kershner of Galveston Ball High School, who discussed a number of areas such as communications, organization of committees, and most of all, leadership.

Kershner's main point was lead- ership and she emphasized the importance of being a leader in stu- dent council. She talked about what it takes to be a leader and what char- acteristics helps make a good leader.

When the workshop was over and it was time to leave everyone, said goodbye to the new friends they had made.

Bulldog movie review

"Love Letters" Now showing at Northwest Ten, Galaxy.

It is a love story with a twist. The woman falls in love with a married man.

TWO BULLDOGS

"Footloose" Now showing at Northwest Ten, Century South, Gal- axy, Ingram Mall Six, San Pedro, Mission, Aztec Three.

A take-off on "Flashdance," there isn't much of a plot so enjoy the dance and listen to the music.

FOUR BULLDOGS

"Blame it on Rio" Now showing at North Star Mall, Galaxy, Ingram Mall Six, Century South.

It has a lot of laughs and a surprise ending. Michael Caine is at his best and Valerie Harper only plays a bit part.

FOUR BULLDOGS

—John Cornelius

Menu

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal or breakfast taco, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Char-burger, wholesome bun, lettuce salad, crispy fries, fruit and milk. Second choice: Pizza.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Oatmeal, toast, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, chocolate cake, roll and milk. Second choice: Liver and onions.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Muffin, banana and milk. **Lunch:** Chili and cheese dog, fries, lettuce salad, fruit and milk. Second choice: burritos.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Toast and jelly or burrito, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Enchiladas, tossed salad, pinto beans, cookie and milk. Second choice: Burrito.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Mardi Gras! Batter fried fish or steak, fries, cole slaw, French fries, fruit, hush puppy and milk. Second choice: Fish stick.

Students perfect performances

Elementary students in kinder- garten through grade 5 began prac- ticing for the annual Talent Show. The Talent Show is scheduled for March 9th. Many students will be performing, so mark your calendar and plan to go. You might be sur- prised at some of the talent!

—Daria Johnston

Teens for Christ party

Come join the fun Friday, March 2, at the Teens For Christ party.

It will be at the Catholic Church Parish Hall from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. Bring your favorite table game. Girls bring snacks and bdys bring soft drinks. All high school students are invited. Don't miss it!

—Christine Caloss

Senior calendar

As the 1984 school year nears an end, it becomes a busy time for Seniors as they prepare to leave High School and enter the "real world." The following dates are especially important for Seniors.

April

Scholarships

Pick up applications as indicated: ALS — From Mrs. Hunter; Masonic Lodge — Counselor; Her- man Schlemmer — Mr. Pfeiffer; Gill Savings and Loan — Mr. Zickler; Joe E. Langford or Doan Foundation — Mr. Caloss.

11-Senior Slave Sale

12-Senior Slave Day

May

4-Senior Picnic

5-Prom

14-Senior Exemption Forms Available

18-Deadline for Exemption Forms

27-Senior Group Picture-Library

6:15 p.m. Baccalaureate-7 audi- torium.

28-Final Exams for Seniors 2, 4, 6

29-Final Exams for Seniors 1, 3, 5

June

1-Graduation! High School Audit- orium, 8 p.m.

—Karen Risner

Senior Spotlights

Warren Keith Clingon

Football is the main highlight of Warren Keith Clingon's high school years at BHS. Warren is the son of Ralph Clingon and Karen Roos. He has attended Bandera schools all 12 years.

"Tough times don't last but tough people do!" This is the quote Warren would like to base his life on. This quote follows the goals he has set for which is in the sport of football. To pursue this goal he plans to attend SWTSU, ACU, or Stephen F. Austin and work toward a degree in physi- cal education.

Warren is a two year letterman in football and track and a one year letterman in baseball. He made the All District Football Team his junior and senior years and was team cap- tain his senior year. In track he placed third at District his junior year. Warren also played on the BHS District Champ Baseball Team his freshman year. He also received the Bulldog Award in football this year.

Warren was involved in many other activities during his years at BHS. He was in ALS his junior and senior years. ODP his senior year and president of that club, band seventh-tenth. He made Jr. High All Region Band his eighth grade year.

Coach Danny Neuse has most influenced Warren's life as both coach and friend. He has gotten so much advice from him that if he putt all together he could write a 1,000 page book. "He is a really great guy," says Warren.

—Michele Speckman

Linda Karr

Linda Kay Karr, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Don E. Karr, has been involved in many activities throughout her high school years. Included in these activities are FHA and UIL.

In PHA, Linda was a member her freshman year. Vice-President of Projects her sophomore year, and Secretary of Programs her junior year.

In UIL, Linda received first place and went to district in informative speaking her junior year. Linda also participated in Duet Acting, Poetry, and Prose. This year, Linda per- formed in "Last Stop," a play put on by the drama class. Linda has also participated in band all four years in high school.

Linda feels that her sister Donna has been the biggest influence in her life thus far. She and Donna have attended many different schools together and therefore they are very close to each other.

After graduating, Linda hopes to attend Texas A&I University in Kingsville. She plans to possibly pursue a career in Deaf Education by obtaining a Bachelor of Science degree in Deaf Education.

Linda commented, "I will be sad- dened to be leaving Bandera High School. I have met and established many friendships with students and teachers that are priceless."

—Melissa Ross

Bandera Invitational Playing Contest — a big success

By Michele Speckman

Fourteen bands attended the second annual Bandera Invitational Playing Contest Saturday, Feb. 25. The Bandera High School Band was ineligible to compete because it was the host band, but it was in fact rated the best band in its class.

Winning best in their class were Comfort Sixth Grade, McDowell Middle School (Hondo), Asherton High School (Class AAA), and Med- ina Valley High School (Class AAA).

Sightreading plaques for receiv- ing a division I in sightreading were presented to Comfort Sixth Grade, McDowell Middle School (Hondo), Medina Valley Middle School, Asherton High School, and Bandera High School.

Other schools attending were Cotulla High School, Bandera Jun- ior High, Boerne Middle School and High School, Uvalde Junior High, Comfort Middle School and High School.

This was a preparatory contest before UIL. "The judges were not easy nor was the competition," a band spokesman said. "We would like to thank all the bands for being so cooperative and having such a great turnout."

An excellent panel of judges pre- sided throughout the entire day. They were Darrall Ramsey, director of bands, UTSA; Gary Rosenblat, director of bands, Clark High School; Lee Boyd Montgomery, director of bands, Texas Lutheran College. Sightreading judge was Wayne Tucker, director of bands, New Braunfels High School.

"These judges were not grading easy, because they didn't want to raise hopes of winning at UIL region contest," the spokesman said.

Turn in those Spotlight forms! Attention Seniors:

You need to turn in your Senior Spotlight forms *as soon as possi- ble.* The journalism class needs this information for both your Spotlight story and the senior achievement page in the annual.

Turn your forms in to Mrs. Keese in the typing room so we can start to work on your Spot- light!

—Wendy Valdez

Salad supper

The annual salad supper and con- cert will be held **March 3** starting at **5:30 p.m.** The concert following will begin at **7 p.m.** presented by the Bul- ldog Band. Buy your tickets now for $2.50. Don't forget **March 3!**

—Michele Speckman

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Texans were asked where they would go for information on where to shop. Fully 57 percent said the local newspaper.

Four Bulldogs all-district

Bulldog Steve Parker was named District 28-AAA's most valuable player and towering Bruce Robison was also named to the seven-man all district honor squad.

In addition, Bandera's David Schwarz was a second-team selec- tion and guard Tim Butler was honorably mentioned.

Bandera bowed out of state playoff contention last Thursday when Van Vleck virtually blew away the first district champions Bandera has had since 1974.

The running Leopards, faster by far than any other team the 'Dogs have faced this year, virtually ran their Hill Country cousins out of the Texas Lutheran College gymnasium.

"Their speed was a definite fac- tor," said Bulldog Coach Kevin Long after the game. "We just didn't have the speed to handle it."

He also cited Van Vleck's playoff experience as a factor in its favor.

The state runner-up in 1983, Van Vleck "piled up a 35-23 halftime advantage based partially on their own ability to execute the fast break and to hit from from 15 to 20 feet out and partially on Bandera's inability to shoot.

Only Parker was able to find the basket in the first half, and he had compiled 20 of Bandera's 23 first- half points. Robison had two and Schwarz one.

With only one Bulldog scoring, the Leopards quickly applied even more pressure on him in the second half, holding the Bandera ace to just two points in the last two quarters.

For the night, Robison scored 11 points, Schwarz three and Cliff Bronson a pair of free throws. That was the scoring.

Many-a-lous Mickey Martins was just that for the Leopards as he tossed in 24 points to lead the all scorers. Keith Grice added 12 to the Van Vleck total.

Others named to the District 28- AAA first team all district, besides Parker and Robison, were Butch- Hegeman, Smithson Valley senior; Rolando Trevino, Smithson Valley sophomore; Bobby Rodriguez, Southside senior; Norman Jones, Randolph senior, and Trent Taylor, Boerne senior.

Besides Schwarz, second-team selections included Leopard Cortes, Southside junior; Sam Broadnax, Cole junior; John Ulm, Randolph junior; and Bo Sommer, Boerne junior.

Honorably mentioned along with Butler were Benji Varn, Randolph junior; Jeff Johnson, Southside sophomore; Sean Hayes, Smithson Valley senior; Paul Booth, Smithson Valley sophomore; Ken Madura, Cole senior; Mike Usry, Cole junior; and Mark Billingsley, Cole junior.

The four Bulldogs on the honor squad are all seniors as is Bandera's fifth starter, Jonathan Graves.

That caused Coach Long, pilot of a district championship team in only his second year as a head coach, to look on next year as a "building year" for the Bulldogs.

But he looks forward to putting several promising young stars from the junior varsity together with some who played backup roles on this year's district champions for what he hopes will be a good team next year and an excellent one the year after that.

Public Notices

ELECTION PROCE- DURES FOR THE BAN- DERA COUNTY FWSD #1 DIRECTORS ELEC- TION

WHEREAS under the terms and provisions of the Texas Water Code and the Texas Election Code an election shall be held in this district on the first Saturday in April 1984 for the purpose of electing members to the Board of Directors;

Whereas the laws of the State of Texas do not fully set forth the procedure to be followed by candidates fil- ing for said office of Direc- tors of said District, and this Board has the power and authority to establish said procedure.

THEREFORE be it or- dered by the Board of Direc- tors of Bandera County Fresh Water Supply District #1.

1. That an election be held in said District on April 7, 1984, for the purpose of elect- ing to the Board of Directors of said District three (3) Directors.

2. That all candidates for the Board of Directors of said District at the above mentioned election shall file their application to become a candidate with the (office) Secretary of this Board at Water Board Office, 16 Water View Drive, Pebble Beach I on or before 30 days before the date of said election.

3. That all of said applica- tions shall be available from the office secretary.

4. All candidates shall file with said application the loyalty affidavit required by Art. 6.02 of the Election Code.

5. The Secretary of the Board of Directors shall conduct a drawing for the order in which names of the candidates for the above mentioned election are to be printed on the ballot, and shall also post notice of the time and place of said draw- ing in accordance with the terms and provisions of Article 6.05c, Subdivision 3 of the Election Code.

6. It is further found and determined that notice of the time, date, place and subject of this meeting was posted in accordance with the terms and provisions of Art. 6252- 17 at least 72 hours preced- ing the scheduled time of this meeting and that the terms and provisions of said Article 6252-17 have been complied with and copies of said postings and return shall be attached to this order and become a part thereof.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the follow- ing members of the Board voted AYE: George J. Wal- lace, Jud Ashmore, William C. Mooney, Wilbur L. Brad- ford, and the following voted NO: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 22 day of February, 1984.

Jud Ashmore
President, Board of Directors of Bandera County Fresh Water Supply District #1

ATTEST:
George J. Wallace
(for the Secretary) 34-1tc

Notice

The First National Bank of Bandera will sell at Pub- lic Sale to the highest bid- der, or bidders, for cash, at said Bank in Bandera, Texas, between 10:00 o'clock a.m. and 11:00 a.m. on the 8th day of March, 1984, the following describ- ed personal properties:

One (1) 1981 Kawasaki Motorcycle

The above may be viewed prior to the sale date and sealed bids may be submit- ted to be opened on the date. The Bank reserves the right to refuse any or all bids. The Bank may also accept addi- tional bids by Public Outcry at the above time and date.

For further information, contact The First National Bank of Bandera, Bandera, Texas, 796-3711. 34-1tc

NOTICE OF COMPLE- TION OF UNCOMPEN- SATED SERVICES OBLIGATION

Medina Memorial Hospi- tal of Hondo, Texas, Med- ina County met its annual compliance level for Uncompensated Care (Hill- Burton Program) of $26,173.11 on February 23, 1984. With this, Medina Memorial Hospital has also met its total obligation of a twenty (20) year commit- ment. As of this date, Med- ina Memorial Hospital will no longer provide Uncom- pensated Service. 34-1tc

Public notice

I will not be responsible for Jocy (Victoria or Jose- phine Nealy) Nealy's debts.

Bill Murray
31-4tp

Both Bobcat teams fall in playoffs

The Bobcat basketball machines that started the season full of expec- tations finally ground to a halt last week, scarred, scratched, dented and worn.

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Canyon got those five points back in the third stanza, outscoring Med- ina, 14-8, and managed one more than Medina at the final buzzer to win Bi-district, 45-44.

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Lady 'Cats lose, 46-45

The lady Bobcats faired a little bet- ter, moving all the way to the regional playoffs in San Marcos before going down to Falls City, again by one point, 46-45.

Outpointed in the first half, 26-17, Medina regrouped during the third period and came blazing back in the fourth, scoring 21 to FC's 12.

The lady 'Cats took a one-point lead with about three minutes to play, and each team matched the other basket for basket until the final ticks. One point down, Medina's Wil- lett launched a final try from around 25 feet. The buzzer had buzzed when her shot fell, perfectly on line but an eyelash too short. The ball grazed the rim and did not drop through.

Again, a good season (20-7) inspite of flu and injuries. The girls matched their season of two years ago and bettered their area lose last year.

Track and field

The first track and field meet will be in Utopia on March 10.

Medina's Coach Richard House indicates strength in the distances and hurdles for the boys and proba- ble talents in relays, long jump and sprints for the girls.

He still is looking at several new- comers this year and hasn't done a full evaluation of the Bobcat prospects.

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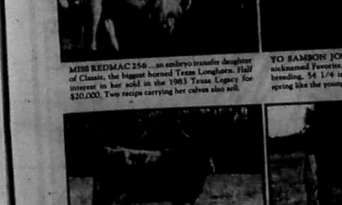

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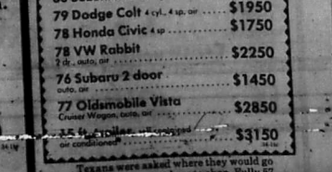

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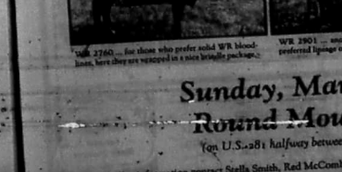

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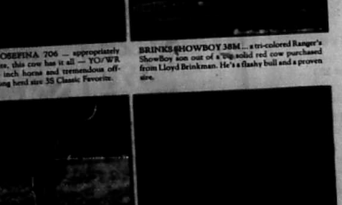

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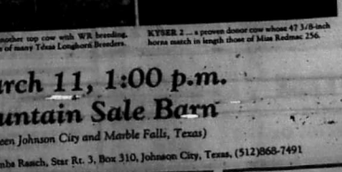

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Global nuclear war

The possibility concerns a Kerrville audience. An analysis by special correspondent Tom Denyer.

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City livery inaugurated



Staff photos by Rick Young.



Bandera's much ballyhooed hitching posts were erected and inaugurated Saturday amid speeches, celebrities, applause and rope tricks. And, of course, horses.

The hitching posts, located on the site of the old BanTex movie theater on Main Street were erected at the urging of downtown businesses in an effort to magnify Bandera's Cowboy Capital image. They hope they will increase business in the area by encouraging guests from local dude ranches to ride in and shop.

Cedar posts were donated by Bill Richards and Speedy Hicks, Frank Anderwald served as project chairman and many others volunteered time and muscle for the actual building. Riders from Hill Country Expeditions, Mayan and Twin Elms guest ranches joined individuals in opening the hitching posts for the benefit of nearly 100 on-lookers and the cameras from San Antonio's Chopper 5 as well as the newspaper.

Capping the event, Don Busbee was presented a golden shovel in order that he carry out a promise made at a City Council meeting and quoted in the Bulletin.

"If it's going to enhance our image as the Cowboy Capital of the World," Busby said, "I'm willing to shovel a little." He shoveled a little Saturday.







Bandera man files for two positions

Bandera County Elections '84

Gary MacMillan, already a candidate for city council in the April 7 election, filed also for school trustee this week, and the 43-year-old newspaper distributor plans to run for both jobs.

He joins four other candidates for two school trustee seats and he is in a four-person race for two seats on the city council.

Dorothy M. Darden, wife of former city attorney Sam L. Darden, and incumbent Dianne L. Tobin this week filed for city council seats. Raymond Adamietz, a ranch supervisor, and MacMillan had filed earlier.

Johnnie Newcomer of Pipe Creek, outspoken opponent of last December's school bond issue, joined MacMillan, incumbents Thomas H. (Bub) Keese and Katie Ruede, and librarian Jimmie L. Hughey of Tarpley in the Bandera school trustee election.

A school spokesman said Superintendent Ron Caloss queried the secretary of state's office as to whether MacMillan could legally run for two offices at the same time.

According to the spokesman, the Austin office told him it was legal to seek two offices at the same time. If elected to two, however, he would have to choose one in which to serve and resign from the other.

Caloss was out of town Wednesday and unavailable for comment.

Bandera architect and incumbent councilman Bob Cowan remained the only person seeking the mayor's job in Bandera. He will replace hardware man Wilvie Smith, who has served as Bandera's chief executive for 14 years.

Wednesday midnight was the deadline for filing for a place on the ballot in either the school or city election.

Darden's husband, an unopposed candidate in the May 5 Democratic primary for re-nomination as county attorney, is currently engaged in a pair of lawsuits with the city of Bandera.

He served as city attorney as well as county attorney until a zoning ordinance he opposed because he owned property near that being rezoned prompted him to resign as city attorney.

Mrs. Tobin was appointed to the council last spring to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of a long-time council member Pansy Price.

Mrs. Tobin had told the Bulletin in January she intended to seek election to a full term, but did not officially file until last week.

Adamietz is a ranch supervisor at Purple Sage Ranch. He was among the first to file for the council.

Newcomer was an organizer ad spokesman for Common Sense Taxpayers, an ad hoc group formed to oppose the $2.95 million school bond issue in last December's election.

Ruede is a school teacher in San Antonio who also lives in Pipe Creek, and Keese is a rancher who has served for several years as president of the school board of trustees.

Hughey is librarian at the Bandera County Library.

District attorney candidates seek votes in local talks

Incumbent District Attorney Joe Mike Egan told a Bandera audience last week he has tried three times the number of contested cases than were brought to trial by his predecessor, but Egan's opponent Bruce Curry said his own experience as both judge and defense attorney will help him if he is elected.

The two Kerrville attorneys are seeking the Republican nomination for district attorney for the four-county 216th District.

Egan said he has tried 66 cases before juries in Bandera, Kerr, Kendall and Gillespie counties in the three years, two months he has been prosecutor, and nine more criminal cases were pleaded before a judge.

He said his predecessor, Joe Grady Tuck, tried only 10 cases before juries and prosecuted defendants in 11 non-jury trials in four years.

He indicated these figures were evidence he has made good on his promise four years ago to reduce plea bargaining in the district.

"I love this work and I want to keep on doing it, with your blessing, of course," he told the Bandera County conservatives gathered by newly-named county Republican chairman Buddy Thompson.

Curry pointed to his experience in the enforcement division of the Attorney General's Department, as judge of municipal court and as justice of the peace.

"The district attorney's office is very important and powerful," Curry told the gathering at the First National Bank. "I feel I am experienced to handle the job," he said.

Thompson, elected Jan. 31 to succeed Col. Louis Duquette as county party chairman, sounded the keynote of the meeting when he called for increased activity by Republicans in Bandera County.

"It's time our conservative voice is heard in Bandera County," he told the gathering, "not only to help me as newly-elected chairman, or the Republican Party, but to help the United States of America."

(See GOP, Page 3.)

Work under way on senior center

The first stage in the construction of a new senior citizens center in Bandera arrived Monday as the first loads of fill for the facility's foundation were delivered.

The recently-formed Bandera County Committee on Aging has approved final plans for the 40-foot by 70-foot building to be erected behind the Bandera Municipal Building.

The site of the center is a one-fourth block site bounded by Hackberry and 11th streets leased from Bandera County.

While some monetary assistance has been received from Dietert Claim in Kerrville, the sponsoring agency for the new center and the Alamo Area Council of Governments, a drive for contributions of money, material and labor has been planned," says A.L. Robinson, spokesman for the group.

The first of several fund-raising events already scheduled is a pancake breakfast Thursday, March 22, from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. at the Catholic Parish Hall in Bandera.

Davis May of Pipe Creek and Robinson are co-chairmen of the building committee and Marie Holland of Bandera is fund-raising chairman. Bill Hathaway is treasurer.

The many activities for senior citizens of Bandera County now take place in a small building adjacent to the First Baptist Church on 13th Street. "Activities have increased to the point where more space is needed for the participants," said Robinson. "The (Baptist) church's expanded programs would also be accommodated if the senior center were able to vacate those premises," he said.

The new senior center will be called the Silver Sage Corral, in keeping with Bandera's cowboy capital image and reminiscent of the hue of most of the participants' hair.

The exterior of the facility will be board and batten, says Robinson, and a rock fireplace chimney and V-crimp metal roof, in keeping with the predominant western or pioneer look of downtown Bandera.

Potpourri

By Nick Johnson

What an editor wouldn't know if he didn't open his mail

The 1983 calf crop in Texas represented the fifth year of decreased calf numbers in the nation, Texas A&M University tells us.

That will perhaps "stimulate improved price levels for producers," says an A&M economist in livestock marketing.

Translated that means higher prices ahead for consumers.

So, what else is new?•

The Institute for Low Back Care writes to tell us the United States leads the world in the number of people suffering from low-back problems.

That could be the result of the fact that the United States has carried the rest of the world on its upper back financially for the last half-century. Such a burden would give anyone a pain in the lower back, and for many the pain is lower down.

The National Wildlife Federation sends this information which we find not only fascinating but also quite useless:

"To prevent getting separated during a flood, some ants on the North American prairie cling together, forming a big ball," says the wildlifers. "The ball becomes a floating raft that constantly tumbles, giving each ant a turn to breathe.

"Amazingly, few ants drown," says the wildlife group.

Where is he now that we need him

Former Vice President John Nance Garner from Uvalde once lost a $10 bet on a Washington baseball game. The winner asked the vice president to autograph the bill. "I'm giving it to my grandson for a souvenir," he explained. "He wants to frame it and hang it in his room."

"You mean the money's not going to be spent?" asked Garner.

"That's right."

"Well," said Garner, "then I'll just write you a check!"

Generally, a man that careful with his own money is also careful with funds with which he is entrusted, and Garner's insight went further than economics.

He once called Washington politics "a freak show," and that has got to be an example of telling it like it is, Howard.

Garner himself was one of the most colorful characters in the "freak show," and his story has been portrayed in a musical comedy called "Sideshow."

The Uvalde Arts Council will present this rollicking musical look at presidential politics of yesteryear June 1-3. If there is a good time to schedule a trip to Uvalde, this may be it.

There will be a party on the lawn of the Garner Home following the opening of "Sideshow" where the arts council assures us "notable guests will be entertained."

A speaker series is scheduled on Saturday, June 2, featuring historians, colleagues, friends and relatives of the late vice president.

The play is scheduled to run in Uvalde's newly restored Grand Opera House concurrently with Cactus Jack Days, Uvalde's annual Southwest Texas-style celebration.



Tight money could be mother of governmental invention

When it comes to redirecting government policy, tight money might be the real mother of invention. When government's coffers get low, some creative office-holders look for new ways to raise revenues, while others simply fall back on tax increases.

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro last week briefly pointed out a new direction his office will take to raise money for Texas schoolchildren from management of public lands.

Mauro wants to trade non-productive state land for land he can rent at commercial rates, a new tact he says could bring in extra millions to the Permanent School Fund.

Interest money from the Permanent School Fund is divided and given to Texas public school districts by the Legislature. Traditionally, the fund is replenished by proceeds from oil and gas leases on state lands which Mauro managed. State lands without oil and gas are leased for other purposes such as grazing, hunting, etc.

Mauro's intent is to swap the low-revenue lands for commercial tracts which can be leased at 10 percent of purchase price or more. Although the concept is not new, Mauro is pursuing it with emphasis. Should he be able to put it together, the school fund could grow by several hundred million.

Encroachment settlement

Mauro told reporters last week he will use $2.5 million obtained from a recent coastal encroachment settlement to purchase three to four commercial tracts in the near future. he did not identify the tracts.

The settlement was reached with a Texas City firm that had unintentionally, but illegally, used 106 acres of state land for over 70 years. It is the largest encroachment settlement in Texas history, but Mauro says his office is looking at more than 50 other coastal sites where encroachment may have occurred.

Mauro will reinvest money from any future settlements in more commercial real estate, according to Jack Boettcher, Director of Encroachments.

White, Reagan

Texas Governor Mark White visited the president at the White House while attending the National Governors Conference last week.

A few hours later, White spoke to the National Press Club and blasted Reagan on a number of issues ranging from the federal deficit to the economic plight of the Rio Grande Valley. It was the latest in a long stream of public criticisms of the president by the governor who has promised to campaign and unseat him.

In Washington, White also visited with Texas congressmen and other dignitaries. White is mentioned in Democratic Party circles as a vice presidential possibility.



Speaker's water plan

Texas House Speaker Gib Lewis last week pulled the drapes off his comprehensive state water plan which he will push in the next legislative session.

Included is a proposed constitutional amendment to provide $600 million in bonds to develop water resources and improve water quality over the next 10 years. The dollar figure is twice the amount passed last year by the Senate but rejected in the House.

Lewis' plan would allow local water suppliers to adopt water conservation regulations as necessary.

Special session

The speaker's proposed water plan and the governor's proposed tax hike to raise teacher salaries may be found loosely tied together in a special session later this year. The speaker's forces killed the tax bill last session, but Lewis has indicated he could support a self-destructing tax for education while the Texas economy recuperates.

The governor needs the speaker's support and the votes of the West Texas delegation to keep his campaign promise of raising teacher salaries.

The two issues could be headed for a mutual trade-off. Meanwhile, rumors of a special session have sparked several groups and agencies to prepare to ask Gov. White to include their budget concerns in the special session.

MAD convention

Texas Mexican-American Democrats held their endorsement convention in San Antonio last week and, when the smoke cleared, failed to underline any candidate for U.S. Senate.

A two-thirds victory is needed for a MAD endorsement, and the two main contenders for the endorsement, Bob Krueger and Lloyd Doggett, campaigned hard. A third candidate, Kent Hance, acknowledged he had little endorsement support but told the convention he wanted their November votes, should he get the nomination.

Krueger got the endorsement committee's nod, but failed by a couple of percentage points to get the two-thirds necessary.

The Bulletin solicits your letters on any subject of general interest. Each letter must be brief, in good taste and must not be libelous. The editor reserves the right to edit letters for these reasons.

Nuclear war Kerrville topic

By Tom Denyer
Special correspondent

As a topic for Hill Country conversation, global nuclear war falls far behind land deals, mohair prices, and, more recently, murder trials.

Monday evening in Kerrville, however, those concerns disappeared briefly, as activists from Austin and Great Britain spoke to about 50 listeners in the Schreiner College Student Union.

Izzy Guy from Scotland currently resides in Connecticut, where she acts as a liaison between peace groups in the United States and Great Britain. She told the story of the Women's Peace Camps, especially the one outside the U.S. base at Greenham Common.

Women in South Wales marched on Greenham Common in September of 1981. They demanded that the British defense minister debate them concerning the installation of Cruise and Pershing II missiles. When he ignored their demand, they remained to camp at the base.

The U.S. and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization military planners had decided in 1979 that they would follow a "double-track" strategy of deploying new weapons while negotiating about the old ones.

The Cruise and Pershing missiles, responses to the Soviet SS20 missiles, were the first moves in the strategy. If their developers can eliminate some remaining technical problems, the Cruise and Pershing missiles will be so fast, accurate and undetectable that they will make the Soviet Union virtually defenseless.

In that case, the only Soviet options remaining will be either to surrender or to strike first.

The Soviets have already responded by deploying their next generation of missiles in Eastern Europe and by breaking off arms negotiations.

According to Guy, the implications of the new strategy motivated the women at Greenham Common to begin their long vigil. In December of 1982, on the anniversary of the double-track strategy, 30,000 women "embraced" the nine-mile perimeter of the base, decorating its fence with flowers, baby clothes and children's photographs.

Despite this and other protests across the U.S. and Western Europe, the U.S. and NATO began to deploy Cruise and Pershing missiles last fall. For example, the U.S. battleship New Jersey currently carries Cruise missiles off the coast of Lebanon. Guy argued that the double-track strategy has failed, since there are now many more U.S. and Soviet missiles in Europe than there were before 1980.

Marcus Lynch, a chemist and a staff member of the Birmingham (England) Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament said his group is one of about 1,000 local organizations in Great Britain.

He said that British opinion has moved even more toward opposing the new missiles since the Grenada invasion, which Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's opposed. Consequently, many British began to doubt they would share control over a U.S. decision to launch missiles.

An announcement last November, by the British Defense Minister, that U.S. soldiers would fire on British peace demonstrators also upset British public opinion.

Lynch said that his group and others now plan to blockade the Greenham Common base when the military there attempts the first "dispersal exercise," a very slow, long caravan of missiles necessary before firing.

The British CND groups also plan protests around the unloading of missiles in British ports, the elections for the European parliaments in May and June, and a British civil defense exercise in the fall.

Their ultimate goal is unilateral nuclear disarmament for Great Britain.

They are also watching the U.S. elections very closely, warning supporters of the "nuclear freeze" and similar proposals not to expect clear results. The British and West German experiences last year, he said, show that economic issues remain more important than peace issues for most voters.

British anti-nuclear groups now try to convince the public that nuclear weapons production shares much of the blame for Britain's sagging economy.

The British activists were on a whirlwind tour of Texas, including stops in Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth, Wichita Falls and Austin. The Kerr County Peace Council and the Schreiner College Campus Ministry arranged their visit to Kerrville.

They were introduced by Roxanne Elder, a member of Austin peace groups, who spoke briefly about plans for a "Pantex Pilgrimage" in July. A vigil and interfaith service is planned Aug. 6, Hiroshima Day, at the Pantex nuclear warhead plant, 14 miles north of Amarillo.

To questions charging them with either deliberately or inadvertently supporting Soviet policy, the speakers replied that they would not do so consciously. They said they share concerns for the legal problems of peace activists in Eastern Europe and the U.S.S.R., that the new missiles add nothing to a defense already capable of destroying those countries, and that current NATO strategy could frighten the Soviets into attempting some disastrous action.

Current nuclear strategy could frighten the Soviets into nuclear war, protesters say.



Staff photo by Rick Young

Faces of Bandera

Jeanne Lyssy may live on the very western edge of Bandera County, but her personable smile still brightens up the General Store in Vanderpool, and she's still a lovely Face of Bandera County.

Temperatures

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Thursday, March 1	61	26	
Friday, March 2	71	36	
Saturday, March 3	84	57	
Sunday, March 4	69	57	
Monday, March 5	72	57	.09
Tuesday, March 6	57	43	
Wednesday, March 7	62	37	

Rainfall so far this month: 0.09 in. Rainfall so far this year: 3.05 in.

Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Coop, Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

GOP hears DA candidates

(Continued from Page 1.)

Thompson announced the appointment of D.W. (Speedy) Hicks as Chairman of the Bandera County steering committee for the nomination of Dr. Phil Grant over his opponents, Rob Mosbacher and Ron Paul.

He also announced that Norma Barr of Pipe Creek had been named chairman of the Bandera County steering committee to nominate Curry for district attorney. Others on his committee are Mildred Brown, Dorothy Callahan, Milton Culley, Helen Costello, Norma Gray, and Jim and Lila MacMillan.

Dick Paxton, chairman of the county's Republican resolutions committee said he was already working on some resolutions to be considered at precinct conventions May 5, and he urged a campaign to encourage attendance by Republicans at those meetings.

"It's the only time people in the party meet at precinct level," Paxton pointed out.

Clerk, deputy attend 'nuts and bolts' workshop

Bandera County Clerk Vera King and deputy clerk Aundee Kirkindall have been attending the 12th annual County and District Clerks' Seminar at Texas A&M University. The event ended Thursday, March 8.

"Nuts and bolts" workshops were expected to be the highlight of the seminar, which is designed to provide county officials with information critical to their jobs, points out John Gilmartin, coordinator of the V.G. Young Institute of County Government, a part of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Keynote speaker was to be Gov. Mark White, who was to address the seminar Thursday.

The opening session the first day featured addresses by Sam Clonts, executive director of the Texas Association of Counties; Ray Judice, administrative director of the Office of Court Administration; and Gary Bledsoe, assistant attorney general of Texas.

The second day's program featured a talk by Reagan Brown, former Texas Commissioner of Agriculture.

Special workshops for both county and district clerks continued throughout the remainder of the day and part of the next morning and dealed with such topics as "Mental Illness and Probate," "Elections" and "Family Law."

Calendar

Today, March 8

Medina Lake Betterment Association membership meeting, 6:30 p.m., covered dish supper.
Medina School Board, 7:30 p.m., School office.
Citizens for Better Schools, 7:30 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.
Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department meeting, firehouse.

Friday, March 9

Madrona Garden Club, 2 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.
Bandera Elementary Talent Show, 7:30 p.m., gym.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Sunday, March 11

Bandera Lodge 81 of Hermann Sons, workday on Park Road 37 property.

Monday, March 12

Bandera County Commissioners Court, 9 a.m.
American Cancer Society Luncheon, noon, St. Stanislaus Parish Hall.
Bandera Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin' R Restaurant.
Bandera City Council, 7 p.m., municipal bldg.
Quilt-as-you-go Workshop, 7-9 p.m., Homemaking Department of Medina High School.
Square Dance club, 7-10 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Medina 4-H Community Club, 7:30 p.m., Medina school.
Hill Country 4-H Community Club, 7:30 p.m., Medina Baptist Church.

Tuesday, March 13

Red Cross Bloodmobile, noon-6 p.m., First Baptist Church of Bandera.
Williams Creek Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m., home of Mrs. Glenn Rhines.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
Bandera County Softball Association, 7:30 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department business meeting, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.
Hill Country Rabbit Breeding Association, 7:30 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.
Board of trustees of the Bandera Independent School District meeting, 7:30 p.m., Bandera High School.
Pipe Creek Community to meet, 8 p.m., Pipe Creek Community Center.

Wednesday, March 14

Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department bingo, 7 p.m.
Bandera Junior 4-H Community Club, 7 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Bandera Volunteer Fire Department meeting, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.
Hill Country Kennel Club, 8 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.

Thursday, March 15

Golden Agers, 2 p.m., Bandera Methodist Church.
Bandera Daughters of American Revolution Chapter, 2 p.m.
Rio Hondo Extension Homemakers Club study group, 2 p.m.
Friends of the Library, 3:30 p.m., Bandera County Library.
Committee plans Funtier Days, 6 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Bandera Lodge 81, 7:30 p.m., American Legion Hall.
Medina Volunteer Fire Department, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.

Bandera County '84 Elections

Political Calendar

The Bandera Bulletin has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following candidates:

Bandera County Sheriff — Guy V. Pickett
Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gordon Nordlund
Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gene Ott
Bandera Co. Tax Assessor Collector — Marguerite Stevens
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — Bob Ashley (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — A.A. (Pete) Reed (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Jim Russell (D)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — E. Bruce Curry (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — Joe Mike Egan (R)
State Rep. District 45 — Eldon Edge (D)

CAR Comments with Phil Martin

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1. Write down your license plate and check occasionally to see that the right ones are there. While this doesn't seem important, thieves will sometimes switch license plates if they have stolen a car.

2. If you have a garage, use it! If you don't or should the garage be otherwise used and you need to park in the driveway or street, consider making sure it is well lit.

3. Should you be away from home and needing to park your car, a heavily trafficked area is best both day and night. A well lighted place is desirous at night.

4. Special locks can deter the theft also. Consider a hood lock, which would protect the battery, carburetor, etc. There are also hub cap locks, locking gas caps and locks for your seats.

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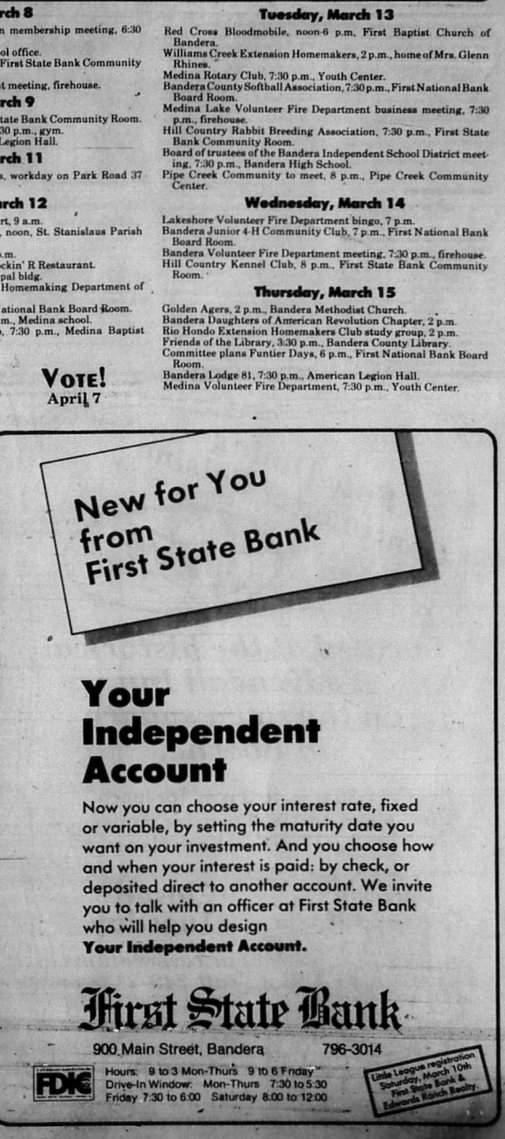

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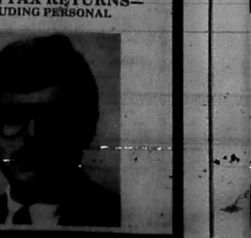

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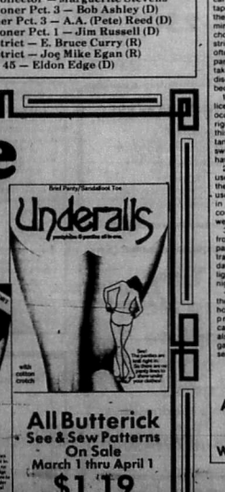

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Lakehills

Lila MacMillan — 751-8566

Lakehills on the move

Dr. Stephen Gleason is moving forward with his plans to establish a 2,800-square-foot family medical center at the junction of Park Road 37 and FM 1283 in Lakehills.

Dr. Gleason, a native Texan, received his undergraduate degree from Texas Christian University, and his medical degree from the Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine in Fort Worth. He feels that the Lakehills area is more than large enough to justify a family clinic.

"At the present time, the Medina Lake area comprises 60 percent of the Bandera County population," Dr. Gleason said. That fact, added to the present developments in the Lakehills area and the growth taking place in Pipe Creek and Mico certainly indicate a need for this type of service, he feels.

"We will have a lab, an X-ray room, a trauma room, business hours convenient to the working hours of local residents, and an emergency tie-in with the area EMS, as well as a radio link with San Antonio hospitals," Dr. Gleason said.

A dental function is also in the planning stage, with two dentists presently interested in establishing a twice-weekly service as an adjunct to the medical facility.

Tentative plans call for ground-breaking ceremonies to take place around the middle of this month. If that occurs, the opening date for these much needed services could be as soon as July 1.

Condolences

Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to the relatives and many friends of Gladys Flanigan, who died Feb. 28.

Gladys became a friend to everyone she met and worked with. After her retirement from Kelly Air Force Base 15 years ago, she became an active member and supporter of the Lakehills United Methodist Church, American Legion Post 410, The Medina Lake Betterment Association, Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary, and the American Association of Retired People.



St. Victor's Altar Society

Twenty-two members of St. Victor's Altar Society gathered Thursday evening for its regular meeting. Mimi Lavarre displayed the Afghan she and other members made for the June 3 barbecue gift.

Mimi Lavarre will replace Elinor Halfmann as sick and welfare chairperson. Plans were finalized for the June 3 Barbecue and Festival.

Mabel Kentner won the door prize. Everyone enjoyed the delicious refreshments furnished by Mary Schimandle and Barbara Stroud following the meeting.

On Friday afternoon Martha Mazurek, Irene Hildebrandt, Mabel Kentner, Grace Gonzales, and Lila MacMillan took cookies supplied by the members to Purple Hills to be distributed to the residents. It was a most enjoyable afternoon visiting with old friends and the Purple Hills staff.

Irene and Martha had a great time remembering events past with "the mayor," Willie Leibold. Mayor Leibold asked about all his many friends in Lakehills and would enjoy a visit from all of you.

Special notice

The American Legion's health clinic which operates once a month at the Legion Hall has been temporarily suspended due to restructuring of the program. A notice will be placed in this column when the service is resumed.

Don't forget

The monthly business meeting of the Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department will be at the firehouse on Park Road 37, at 7:30 p.m. next Tuesday night. All members, and especially prospective members are urged to attend.



MLBA activities

The Countywide Tupperware Party sponsored by the Medina Lake Betterment Association on Sunday afternoon was a real success. It was well attended by people from Bandera, Pipe Creek, Mico and Lakehills, as well as San Antonio. Over 175 bowls of French Market bean soup were served following the party.

Next event is the MLBA's Mardi Gras Dance on March 31. This will be a costume dance, so start planning your outfits now. There will be special discounts and prizes for those in costume and a promise of a good time and lots of jazz music for everyone.

The dance will be from 8 p.m. to midnight. Before the dance there will be something special at the snack bar, planners say.

Barbara and Bob Caswell went to New Orleans last week for the Mardi Gras and while there they did a lot of shopping for prizes and ideas.

Hermann Sons will clean up

Hermann Sons Bandera Lodge No. 81 will have a work day Sunday, March 11, to clean up their property on Park Rd. 37 (next to Millie's Pavilion).

Its goal for the present is to make this into a lovely park area. They invite all members, friends, and neighbors to bring their rakes, hoes, shovels, and a picnic lunch and join in for a fun day in the sun (hopefully).

Goodie, plants and pets

The American Legion Post 410 will be a beehive of activity on March 31, the date of the annual Plant and Bake Sale at the Legion home. Dr. Ray Smart will make his annual pilgrimage from Boerne to take care of your household pets annual vaccinations. Dr. Smart will be there from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m.

Eighty-six justices of the peace attended a 20-hour Texas Justice of the Peace Training Center seminar Feb. 14-17, in San Antonio, including Bonnie F. Towers of Pipe Creek, left; Herman W. Rogers of Medina, center; and E.S. (Ed) Jennings of Pipe Creek. The training center is based at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. The seminars are held in compliance with Article 5972, Section B, of the Texas Revised Civil Statutes. (SWT News Service Photo)

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Just about everybody gets a headache once in awhile, so why should you be unduly upset if you happen to be suffering from one? If you've been celebrating with friends and eat or imbibe too much, it certainly would not be unusual to wake up with a headache the next day. But that kind of headache usually goes away as soon as you're eating and drinking sensibly again, and getting enough sleep. But what about the other kinds of headache?
Some illnesses, such as flu, include headache among the symptoms. But if you're in reasonably good health, you have a right to wonder why you suffer from headaches. A resort to aspirin and other medication may dull the pain for a while, but if the headaches persist you should seek treatment. Among the causes of persistent headache are problems with the cervical vertebrae, the spinal bones in your neck. If they are out of alignment, this could cause headaches until you get the treatment you need.
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Tarpley

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Temperatures

Monday morning a dry norther came in at 5 a.m., dropping temperatures considerably. Only a few sprinkles of rain, however.

Correction — on the joint birthdays of Alta Rhines and her brother-in-law, Charles Easley, Mrs. Rhines' sister, Lynna Webb of Boerne, entertained with a birthday supper for them.

Meetings

Rio Hondo Extension Homemakers Club will meet at the home of Jerry Hall at 11 a.m. on Thursday, March 15. A demonstration entitled "Quilting by Newer Methods" will be presented by Marie Hood, Carla Velasco and Jerry Hall.

The meeting will conclude with a luncheon. An invitation is extended to all the women of the subdivision to attend, including those who may not be members of the club.

The regular monthly meeting of the Utopia Arts and Crafts Guild will be held at the Community Building at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 13. Members are reminded that the annual dues are payable now through the May meeting.

The Extension Homemakers Club meets on Tuesday, March 13, at 2 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Glenn Rhines. The program will be by Rev. Martin Smith and it will be on EMS. Everyone is invited.

Improving

Happy to report Elaine Paxton of Rio Hondo Subdivision is improving somewhat in the Methodist Hospital. We wish her a complete recovery.

Tarpley Baptist Mission

A special day for the church is coming soon! On Sunday night, March 11, there will be a special program put on by the Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Branch of Tow.

They will bring slides of their missionary work with the Indians in the United States.

Refreshments will be served after the program and everyone is cordially invited.

Church news

Phillip Singleton of Bandera came for Baptism in the Tarpley Baptist Mission Sunday and for Membership in the church. Visitors Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Newcomb and children Molly and Jonathan of San Antonio. Clayton Beck and Randy Van Dyke of Bracken stopped by and visited after church.

Visitors

Steve and Judy Johnson and two year-old daughter Corey Lynn of Sunnymead, Calif., flew in Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Haner, for a week.

News

Bobby and Skeet Singleton received a phone call from their son, CPO Leonard Singleton of Charleston, S.C., and he and his wife were going to see the Daytona 500 stock car races at Daytona Beach. Bobby said they watched the races on TV but couldn't see their son in the crowd! That would be a miracle!

Visitors of the A.B. Singletons recently were her sister Dorothy Maness, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Peterson and son Joe and Ron and Louise Sawyer and son Rick and grandson Dustin Singleton, all of San Antonio. Dustin is also Bobby's and Skeet's grandson.

From Oregon

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sauter from La Coste visited Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Monier and Gayle and Sue Monier and son John last Tuesday. They will be returning to their home in Oregon after spending the winter in La Coste.

Attend concert

Some of those who attended the concert of the blind pianist, Don Lardie, at the auditorium in Kerrville Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Monier and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hausmann of Rio Hondo Subdivision area.



Barbara Kosko-Holm of Rio Hondo has announced the engagement of her daughter, Marcia Anne Kosko, to Aaron Grady Lewis. Both graduates of Lenoir-Rhyne College in Hickory, N.C., the couple will reside in Hickory following a May wedding.



Artist of the month Edith East moved to Pipe Creek from Corpus Christi almost three years ago. She enjoys painting landscapes and the surrounding area provides plenty of inspiration for that.

Home Extension Club

The Tarpley Home Extension Club met March 1 in the University Savings Bldg. There were 21 present to enjoy the program presented by Peggy Edwards. Subject of the program was "Combining Old and New Furniture." Mrs. Edwards used slides to present the program.

In combining old and new furniture, one style should dominate. In combining furniture to fit your home, remember to fit your home the way you and your family live. Peggy explained how to tell a real antique, plus many other ideas.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses Viola Sexton, Pat Price and Jewell Cartrett.

Home program

Due to scheduling difficulties, the Home Garden Program has been rescheduled for Wednesday, March 28, at 7:30 p.m. at the First National Bank Meeting Room, extension agent Scott Durham announced this week.

Dr. J.W. Stewart, extension entomologist, and Dr. Jerry Parsons extension vegetable specialist, will present programs on insect control and vegetable variety selection, cultural practices and general garden management.

In addition to the program, Dr. Parsons has said that he will have flats of a new and promising tomato variety to pick up free.

Better schools

There will be a meeting of the Citizens for Better Schools March 8 at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Room at First State Bank. Anyone interested in the educational environment of Bandera schools is invited to attend, says spokesman Cindy Woodland.

Lakeshore

Mrs. Dell Lackey — 796-3944

Dinner

The Lakeshore Community covered dish dinner was held at the Copper Lantern Saturday evening. A large crowd attended and enjoyed the music of Denny Fairbairn and Jerry Kennedy.

Trip

Jay and Marietta Overholser went to Austin to see their daughter Debbie and Billy Cody, his mother, Paul Cody, their son, Dewey Overholser, and friend, Elizabeth Alexander.

New resident

Judy Underwood, a sister of Joyce Sewell, has rented the Smith's trailer and will be a permanent resident of Lakeshore.

Illness

Monk Searcy has been in the Hondo hospital. He returned home recently and is feeling much better.

Sympathy

Dana Simmon's aunt, Dorothy Moke, died Feb. 29 in San Antonio. She was buried in Mission Park Saturday. We extend our sympathy to the family.

Weekenders

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd West and Harold Moore, Jourdanton.

Bob and Sue Smith, San Antonio.

Flo and Bill Rush, Hondo.

Roy and Wanda Lich, Kerrville.

Margaret and Bill Holmes, San Antonio.

Visitors

Audine and Jack Searcy, Kerrville, former residents of Lakeshore, are visiting old friends here.

John and Melanie Chaney, daughter of H. Baird, were here over the weekend, taking care of her Dad's home and visiting with friends.

Raby and Les Sewell, San Antonio, called on the Lackeys Tuesday evening. Hazel Smith spent the weekend with them.

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Boards

Pearl Tobin, D.W. (Speedy) Hicks, Carmen C. Hicks, Dick Paxton, and Mrs. John K. Harrell Sr. from Bandera County attended the meeting of the board of directors of the Society for the Preservation of Local Records in San Antonio Feb. 22.

At the meeting, Mrs. Tobin, president, announced the names of ten persons who will serve as honorary directors of the Society, including former Govs. Dolph Briscoe and Price Daniel; Ambassador Bob Krueger; San Antonio councilwoman Marie Berriozabal; former San Antonio mayor Lila Cockrell; author and historian T.R. Fehrenbach; John M. Bennett, member of the Texas Historical Commission and former member of the Texas Records Preservation Advisory Board; Dr. Dorman H. Winfrey, director of the Texas State Library; and Dr. David B. Gracy, state archivist.

The Society for the Preservation of Local Records encourages and supports the preservation of local public and private records for historical, legal, genealogical and other research purposes. It was incorporated last November.

Other officers of the Society are Mark Connally, vice-president; Jody Gregory, treasurer; and Joyce Ray, secretary.

The Society's first project will be to support the development of a regional archives depository to preserve business, family, local government and other records of the south central Texas region. This area, which includes Bandera, San Antonio, Uvalde, and many smaller communities, is the only one in the State not currently served by a regional depository.

At the Feb. 22 meeting, directors heard a brief presentation by Marilyn von Kohl, director of the State Library's Local Records Division, on the requirements for a depository facility. The Board then discussed possible depository locations and requested the Local Records Division to prepare a written statement of criteria used in assessing the suitability of sites for a regional depository.

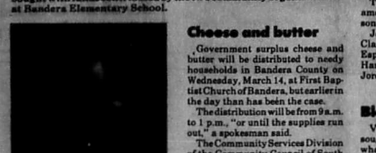
It was agreed that proposals for possible sites should be submitted to the State Library in time for review before the next meeting of the board, which was set for April 11. The Uvalde delegation invited the Board to meet in that city, and the board accepted.

Membership in the society is open to all persons interested in the preservation of local business, family and government records. The society encourages persons knowing of materials in possible need of preservation to contact the secretary of the society.

Bandera briefs



Special Education teacher Kathy Gardner (left), Red Moores, Optimists Club, Tim Butler, CYO and student Lisa Gaines watch as Mary Jane Rodrigues tries out the new Commodore 64 computer bought with funds contributed by the two community organizations at Bandera Elementary School.



The engagement of Nancy Kathryn Brown to Greg Kerry Hicks has been announced by Arthur and Kathryn Brown of Waukesha, Wis.

Greg is the son of Don and Judy Hicks of the Mayan Dude Ranch. Greg will graduate from Texas A&I University in May.

Nancy is a second lieutenant with the 47th Medical Battalion at Furth, Germany.

Nancy and Greg plan to be married Aug. 4 in Bandera.

Cheese and butter

Government surplus cheese and butter will be distributed to needy households in Bandera County on Wednesday, March 14, at First Baptist Church of Bandera, but earlier in the day than has been the case.

The distribution will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., "or until the supplies run out," a spokesman said.

The Community Services Division of the Community Council of South Central Texas is in charge of the distribution. For more information, contact the Community Services office on Tuesday, March 13, at 796-3720 or go by the Bandera office of the Department of Human Resources on Tuesday in the Bandera County Library building.

Student honored

Rhonda Fleming of Bandera will be inducted into Kappa Delta Phi, a national honor society for education students, at San Angelo University on March 31.

The Bandera student will accept a position as graduate assistant to a professor of psychology at the University in September while working towards a master's degree in psychology.

She will graduate from San Angelo University in May and has passed the preliminary requirements for entrance into training as a state highway patrolman with the Department of Public Safety. This class begins in June.

School board to meet

The Board of Trustees of the Bandera Independent School District will meet in regular session on Tuesday, March 13, 1984, at Bandera High School at 7:30 p.m.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Jewel N. Polvado, Vanderpool; Clara B. Kelley, Medina; Bobbie M. Espinoza, Lakehills; Barbara M. Hampton, Medina; and Raymond L. Jordon, Bandera.

Bloodmobile due

Volunteer blood donors are being sought to donate blood March 13 when the Red Cross Bloodmobile will visit Bandera, says Edith Chandler, drive chairman.

The bloodmobile will be at the First Baptist Church of Bandera from noon until 6 p.m., Chandler said.

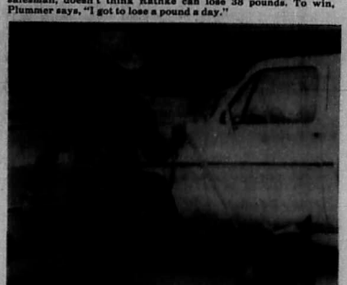
Softball

The Bandera County Softball Association will hold a regular meeting March 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the Board Room behind the First National Bank. All softball players, that are interested, men or women, are urged to attend and participate.



A couple of guys who carry a lot of weight in Bandera want to shed some of it, and have put up their money to give them an added incentive. Bill Rathke, left, and Al Plummer Jr. were far too heavy to be weighed together on this Bandera Ranch Store scale, capacity 500 pounds.

The pair has entered into a contest to see who can shed the most poundage in 30 days of crash dieting. The winner will get to designate the charity he wishes the $50 each dieter wagered on the contest. Rathke, a former professional wrestler and now owner and operator of a Bandera auto dealership, hopes to lose 38 pounds in 30 days, and that will put him at 300 pounds even. Plummer, an auto salesman, doesn't think Rathke can lose 38 pounds. To win, Plummer says, "I got to lose a pound a day."



Lobo, a 125 lb. Belgian Shepherd, escorts his owner Ron Sullivan into the Bandera County rabies vaccination center set up in the firehouse Saturday.

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Wind

No serious damages were reported last Saturday and Sunday nights when gale-force winds were blowing at the rate of 40 to 50 miles per hour. Some metal roofs had sheet iron loosened and blown off; while others were just flopping, making you think the house was coming down.

On Tuesday morning temperatures dropped to a low 25 degrees.

Revival

First Baptist Church of Utopia will hold a revival March 11-18 with Brother Tom Clawson bringing the message each day and Doc Sublett in charge of the song service.

Young

Graveside services were held Wednesday in Vanderpool Cemetery for Sandra L. Young, with Monsignor Ralph Smith officiating. Sandra died Monday after a short illness in Sid Peterson Hospital, Kerrville. She is survived by her husband Rick Young and daughter Dawn of Bandera.

Diver

A scuba diver drowned in Jacob's Well at Wimberley. Graveside services for 36-year-old Wayne Wood Russell Jr. of Austin, were held Wednesday in Warrenville Cemetery, Utopia, with Rev. Kermit Gibbens of Utopia Methodist Church officiating. Russell and two companions are reported to have entered the cave wanting to map Jacob's Well. He became the sinkhole's 15th drowning victim.

He is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell Sr. of Utopia and a sister Mrs. Barbara Swangle of Abilene.

Visitors

Visitors in the Hoyt and Doris Foster home over the weekend were Teresa Gazaway and two children B.J. and Tina of D'Hanis and Carl and Jeanie Kollies of Port Lavaca.

Schaefer

Bill and Pat Schaefer are the new owners of the former Jana and Bob Mauldin home, close to Pat's work at the post office. The Schaefer's sold their trailer to Don and Jennifer Stroud, a daughter and son-in-law of John and Mazelle Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schaefer are the proud grandparents of a new grandson named Justin Michael, born Feb. 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schaefer of Helotes. Nettie Schaefer of Utopia is the paternal great-grandmother.

Congratulations

We join in extending our congratulations to Rev. Donald Dibbens and Martha Bloys Boone of Kerrville who were married Feb. 24 in the First Presbyterian Church at Fort Davis. The informal ceremony was performed by the Rev. Ted Peck. This church was founded by Martha's grandfather, Rev. W.B. Bloys around 1890.

The couple honeymooned at a friend's ranch in Van Horn before returning home Sunday with many Indian artifacts which they collected on their honeymoon.

Donald and Martha were honored by their friends with a barbecue supper March 2 at their home in the Sabinal Canyon. Our warmest wishes to the newlyweds.

Fowler

Charley and Leora Fowler are spending several days in Dallas taking care of their daughter who underwent surgery.

Howard

Lecil and Ruby Howard and the J.B. Alley's honored Dahl Howard and his family with a birthday dinner for Dahl on Saturday. Lecil's brother Jessie Howard of Sabinal and Ernen Haby were Sunday dinner guests.

Hines

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hines and their 5-week-old baby were Baptist Church visitors Sunday. Jim is a grandson of Mrs. Carter, former owner of the home on the West Sabinal.

Alley

J.B. and Iona Alley enjoyed their two older daughters, Carol and Stephenie of San Marcos, over the weekend and as Baptist Church visitors.

Winning

John Winning of San Antonio was a visitor of Morgan Chastine, checking property here.

Utopian sentenced

Austin Wayne Donaghe of Utopia was sentenced this week to three years probation and fined $500 plus court costs on a charge of driving while intoxicated, subsequent offense.

Beef course continuing

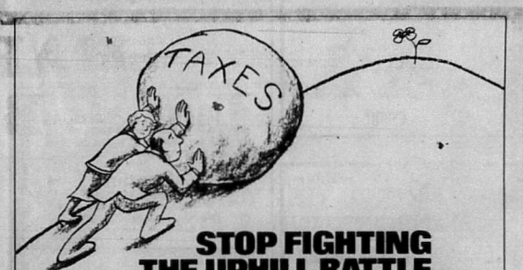
Part 2 of a Beef Cattle Short Course offered by the extension service will be held Wednesday, March 14, at 7:30 p.m. at the Mansfield Park Auditorium.

Part 2 of the course should have some tips for most cattlemen in our area, says extension agent Scott Durham.

The first part of the program on market strategies will be presented by an order buyer from our area, he said. The second part of the program will cover replacement heifer selection.

A live animal demonstration on heifer selection will be included with 2012- to 15-month-old heifers representing most of the breeds in our area.

The program is free to the public and should be full of good ideas and tips, says Durham. "Give your neighbor a call and both of you come," he said.



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Claire Thaman and Dolores Brister of Kerrville came by to visit Claire's mother, Agnes Portinberry.

Rev. and Mrs. Herman Murph of Bandera Falls visited Gertrude Werner and brought her some delicious cookies.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Merris visited his mother, Mildred Woltersdorf.

David Dodge visited friends Friday afternoon.

Birthday

Larry Jureski celebrated his birthday a day early on March 2. He enjoyed a pretty birthday cake, flowers and birthday wishes from everyone.

Melodiers

The Melodiers from the Bandera Citizens Center came Friday evening dressed in their western garb to entertain us, and entertain us they did! They put on one of their best programs.

Those registering were Mary Joe Kirkpatrick, Minnie Hayes, Doris Beach and her granddaughter, Lisa Evans, Fannie Caffall, Winnie Pee, Dolores Greene, Gene Baathoff, A.R. and Kay Robinson, Judy Goodenough, Tandy and Perc Jordan, Dean and Florence Isaacs, Mary Worley and George Meador.

Kites

Thanks to the Ladies Bible Class from Camp Bandina we now have pretty kites on our doors for March.

Cookies

Thanks also to the ladies of St. Victor's Chapel of Lakehills for the delicious homemade cookies they brought us last week.

Ladies signing our book were Grace R. Gonzales, Lila MacMillan, Mabel Kentner, Irene Hildebrandt and Mrs. Charles Mazurek.

More visitors

Bessie Schmidtke and Bill Scantlin visited friends.

Olla Belle Allsup of Medina came by to visit her brother-in-law, Louie Allsup.

Frances Linscomb enjoyed a nice visit from her son, Wilfred Perkins.

Larry Jureski spent the weekend at home.

Willie Leibold enjoyed a visit from Claude Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cyka of Lolita visited Andy Pyka Saturday afternoon.

Visiting Ernest-Rainey were his wife Mrs. Rainey and son Paul Rainey.

Sam and Lois Armstrong visited his mother Mae Armstrong and others Sunday.

Thanks to Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Alice Mellis and Jack Holloway attended services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Flowers

Thanks to the family of Sandra Young for sharing the pretty memorial flowers and to Tom Grant for bringing them to us. Our sympathy to all her loved ones.

Church directory

Bandera

Church of Christ
Minister: Martin Smith
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert I. Baker
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerller
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-0510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m.; Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Bandina

Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina

First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
Minister: Doyle Maynord
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek

First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

Lakehills

Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting:
Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley

Baptist Mission
Pastor: Glenn W. Rhines
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
562-3468

Utopia

Church of Christ
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629

Baptist Church
Pastor: Homer Stephens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
and Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Vanderpool

Community Church
Pastor: George Polvado
Worship: Sunday, 8 p.m.
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
966-3420

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Pastor: Jose Luis Sandoval
Worship: Sunday, 12 noon

Other

Unity Church of the Hill Country
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Bandera briefs

Bowlers sign up Saturday

Youngsters — six through 13 years will complete registration for Bandera County Little League play on Saturday, March 10.

Senior leaguers, through age 18, will be registering later, according to John Slocomb, league president.

Boys and girls aged 6 and 7 years can sign up Saturday for tee ball, a new program this year, and youngsters aged 8 through 12 years will play in regular Little League competition.

Registration Saturday will be at Edwards' Ranch Realty in Pipe Creek, First State Bank in Bandera, and the baseball field in Medina. Banderans and Pipe Creek players can register anytime between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. and registration in Medina will be at 9 a.m.

Play presented to Fine Arts Club

The members of the Fine Arts Club met in the High School auditorium Tuesday afternoon to conduct regular business and see the one-act play, "Chamber Music" by Arthur Kopit presented by high school students under the direction of Baird M. Neville.

The president, Mrs. Robert W. Alexander, presided at the short business session which included election of officers. Those elected were President, Mrs. Joe W. McMullan; First Vice-President, Mrs. G.T. Sandidge III; Second Vice-President, Mrs. John V. Saul; Third Vice-President, Mrs. J.O. Evans; Treasurer, Mrs. Bill Boyington; Secretary, Mrs. Raymond Hicks; Historian, Mrs. Ervin C. Krannick; Parliamentarian, Mrs. G.T. Sandidge Jr.; Publicity, Mrs. A.B. Lewis; Chaplain and Courtesy, Mrs. W.P. Jordan; two new board members, retiring president Mrs. Robert W. Alexander, and Mrs. John F. Bellbery, Mrs. Edwin Boyington all of the board this year.

The program, which was introduced by Baird Neville, was a delightful presentation of the play. It is the entry in the UIL contest. The cast included Sandy Bleicher, Kim Compton, Wendy Valdez, Nancy Hayes, Mary Segovia, Janet Weber, Linda Karr, Betty Richmond, Greg Tatum, Donald DeThorne with assistance from the stage crew, Bubba Caloss, Christine Caloss, Matt Kelly and Gavin Pearson.

Mr. Neville did an excellent job with these young people and it is clear that he has good material. Their performance was outstanding.

Refreshments for members and cast were served by the hostesses of the month under the direction of Mrs. Glendon Roberts.

Silver wedding

Friends have been invited to attend a silver wedding reception for Brother Bob and Betty Baser on Sunday, March 11, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the Bandera United Methodist Church.

Helping Hand elects Pigott

Pete Pigott of Bandera was elected president of the Bandera County Helping Hand Center and Earline Lindig was named vice president Feb. 21 during the group's first annual meeting.

Other officers elected to term expiring in one year were Linda Cook, secretary, and Carter Beach, treasurer. The officers and committee chairmen, to be named, will comprise the group's executive committee.

Jeanine Shinn has been named center director with full responsibility to oversee the center's functions, the group's spokesman said. She will be in charge of establishing a records system for activities and a budget system for the group, supervising provided by the group, supervising kitchen coordinator work, and accounting for donations made to the center.

Though this group would not provide information on how much or what assistance it has provided, its spokesman said "the center is pleased to say it is aiding citizens of the county."

The group's spokesman said the center is still in need of donations of baby clothing, blankets, small children's clothing and canned meat items.

The group's directors consist of representatives of organizations in Bandera County collaborating to extend a "helping hand" to citizens in need.

"Local organizations are encouraged to seek membership," the spokesman said. The group hopes to have representatives from each of the county's volunteer fire departments on its board, the spokesman said.

Funtier Days group to meet

A meeting of the committee planning the 14th annual Funtier Days Celebration of the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce will be held at 6 p.m., Thursday, March 15, at the First National Bank Board Room.

Banker Fabian Mazurek, committee chairman, said he has several persons who have expressed a willingness to work on the celebration, but he is seeking more.

"I want to invite anyone that is interested in helping," said Mazurek. "I need the help."

The celebration this year will be held on May 26 and 27 with Saturday's activities scheduled downtown and Sunday's events at Janeta field Park.

Among the events scheduled this year are 3- and 10-km. races, a river events, a beauty contest, food and arts and crafts booths, a parade, a fiddlers' contest, a rodeo and a dance.

Library completes inventory task

The Bandera County Library staff thanks all of you for your cooperation during the past week while we tackled the inventory job — or it tackled us, as the case may be.

Needless to say, the job goes on, but we feel that much good has come of these early efforts. The aim is for a collection that meets the needs of this community and a card catalog which meets the needs of the collection — that is one in which the reader may find what he's seeking by author, title, or subject.

The Elderhostel catalog is in the Library now. Please ask at the desk if you are interested. There are several locations in Texas for courses in this fine program for senior citizens.

"Pet Sematary" is still No. 1 on the fiction best seller list, followed by "Poland," "The Name of the Rose," and Erma Bombeck's "Motherhood: the Second Oldest Profession" (No. 1 on the non-fiction list).

Come check us out!

Deaf students to perform in Medina

"Silent Acts of Love" will be performed in Medina Friday by students of the Southwest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf, including Joyce Brown of Medina.

The unusual and inspiring presentation will be at the First Baptist Church in Medina at 7:30 p.m. Friday, March 9.

"Come 'hear' these deaf young people," said Andra Atchison. "You'll miss a treat if you don't see this outstanding group."

The presentation is free but a "love offering" will be taken to help deaf persons in the Rio Grande Valley, Atchison said.

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Medina Quilting workshop

The Vocational Homemaking Advisory Committee of Medina Public Schools is sponsoring a "Quilt-as-you-go" Workshop March 12 from 7-9 p.m. in the homemaking department of Medina High School.

The workshop is for beginners who would like to learn a fast method of quilting on the sewing machine. The "log cabin" square will be demonstrated. All supplies will be furnished to the participants at a cost of $2. Anyone who can bring a portable sewing machine is encouraged to do so.

Silent Wind

Mary Walker of the First Baptist Church of Medina, has announced that March 9 from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. the public can enjoy "Silent Wind," a musical performing group from South[illegible] for the Deaf.

The Big Springs group will present a special program set to music entitled "Silent Acts of Love."

Distinguished Apple

Evelyn M. Huie from Medina, junior agricultural economics major, has earned "Distinguished Student" status at Texas A&M University.

Recipients of the "Distinguished Student" honor must earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio, out of a possible 4.0, during the most recent grading period. The student must also be registered for 15 semester hours.

Dr. Jimmie Hughey

Dr. Jimmie Hughey has authorized the Bandera Bulletin to announce her candidacy for election to the Bandera Independent School District's board of trustees April 7.

Dr. Hughey urges all parents and other citizens concerned about the educational future of Bandera County to express their wishes at the polls.

In addition to Bandera's recent school bond election, complex issues and proposals certain to impact strongly upon America's educational system are being debated at national, state and local levels. Several proposed changes could have profound effects upon Bandera County schools, students and taxpayers. Meeting the challenge of these controversial issues will require understanding of all options on a professional academic basis as well as sound administrative and financial planning experience.

Jimmie Hughey earned her doctorate from The University of Texas and was a research immunologist at the USAF School of Aerospace Medicine during the Mercury and Gemini spaceflight projects. As associate professor of biology at Incarnate Word College in San Antonio, Dr. Hughey originated that institution's postgraduate degree program in the natural sciences and was named chairman of the Medical Technology Department.

She also headed federally-funded laboratory research into improved tuberculosis treatment methods, in cooperation with the Texas State Chest Hospital and Wilford Hall USAF Hospital.

A resident of Tarpley since 1972, Dr. Hughey has had actual teaching experience in the Bandera school system at all grade levels.

As county librarian since 1980, she has acquired managerial insights into budgetary and administrative problem-solving, and is in close daily contact with students, parents, teachers and community action groups.



She emphasizes that present and future problems affecting Bandera ISD's taxpayers and administrators can be efficiently solved only by the combined efforts of all citizens.

Dr. Hughey is firmly dedicated to the achievement of academic excellence as the key to unlocking tomorrow's puzzles. She believes Bandera can produce leaders only by prompt and forthright action on impending educational issues.

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Bill Jenkins

Bill Jenkins, born Sept. 1, 1929, in Charleston, West Virginia, to William M. Sr. and Rosalie Jenkins. Bill passed through death to eternal life on March 1, 1984.

At the age of seven, Bill was enrolled at Parker Military Academy where he found an interest in the military, or maybe it was just ground into him.

Later he attended North Carolina State University where he studied textiles, co-eds and good clean fun. Consequently, he never did get his textiles degree.

In 1951 he joined the U.S. Army as a second lieutenant and was stationed at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, right outside Columbia. While stationed there he married Juanita Blitchington Smith, and fell in love with her and her son, Bruce. In fact, there were many who said jokingly that he loved Bruce so much that he married Nita so he could be the boy's daddy. They were married on both sides of midnight of Jan. 31 and Feb. 1, 1954 after one of the world's all-time short courtships and engagements. It was magic then and it's been magic ever since.

Shortly after their marriage, the family was joined by Nita's niece, Geraldine (Gerri) Jackson, and in 1956, on Nov. 1, they had another son, Keith. On Sept. 5, 1958, a daughter named Julie Rose was born. She got her name from her grandmothers, Julia Hankinson and Rosalie Jenkins.

Through all the years of military service, a tour of duty in Korea and two in Vietnam, and all the other hardships every family sees, you couldn't find a family that loved each other more. While Nita was the strength of the house, Bill supplied the calm and they seemed made for each other.

They first came to Texas in 1957 as Bill attended flight school at Camp Gary in San Marcos. After living there a while, he told Nita that Texas was where he wanted to retire, and she agreed.



In 26 years of service in the Army he served once in Korea, twice in Vietnam, became a pilot of planes and helicopters, attended the Armed Forces Staff College and the U.S. Army War College, worked three years in the Pentagon, earned a bachelor's of science degree in business management from St. Benedict's University in Atchison, Kan., and a master's degree in business administration from St. Mary's University in San Antonio.

He was a man of God, a soldier to his country, a loyal friend and servant to his neighbors, a good husband to his wife, a great father to his children and everyone who knew him called him a friend.

We love him very deeply and his passing makes us sad. But, to us, he will never die so long as our hearts remember.

Bill was preceded in death by son Bruce. He is survived by his wife Nita, one son Keith, one daughter Julie Jenkins Bernstein, and niece Gerri Jackson Meade, and grandson John Jenkins Campbell and many close friends.

Bill Jenkins was a man it didn't take long to acquire a deep respect and admiration for. With a heart [illegible] and a true love for people, it was [illegible]

He was my inspiration and he will continue to be my inspiration through the love of his adoring wife, Nita.

Although I mourn his parting, I take comfort in remembering he shall never be gone from those of us who will always love him.

Thank you, [illegible] Nita, for being [illegible] am today without your confidence and love.

Eternally,
Kaleen Waddell

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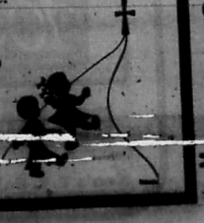
We Thank God For The Life Of Bill Jenkins

who shared his faith through his very gifts in computers, communication & compassion as a member of the Family Of Grace.

Bill felt strongly that we must "mold little lives at the age of 5", and because of this conviction fulfilled an integral role as a member of the governing board of Noah's Ark Day Care/ Pre-School.

As an extension of God's love through Bill's life and as a living memorial to him, Nita Jenkins has established a memorial fund which will provide scholarships to Noah's Ark in his name.



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can be properly started by that time. Hopefully, you will be able to find something for your pleasure at that sale. And to complete another project she is asking that any of you who may have pieces of jewelry you have tired of, or an extra earring that you lost the mate for, or whatever, to please bring to the center.

Bachelor

Sorry to report that Mae Bachelor, one of the tireless volunteers at the Center, and elsewhere, lost a sister last week. Aralee Grantland of San Antonio died after a long illness.

Chordsmen

An event that many of us have enjoyed for several years, and eagerly anticipated, is again here. The annual evening with the Chordsmen will be March 10 at 8 p.m. in Trinity Auditorium, San Antonio. This performance by combined talents of winning barber shop groups is truly outstanding.

Plans are to take a van for those wishing to attend, leaving the Center parking lot at 5 p.m. so that a stop may be made on the way for a quick meal, possibly at a Luby's. Please confirm your plans with the director at the Center, phone 796-4969 or by calling 796-4381.

Virgin Islands

Two lucky Bandera ladies recently returned from a truly enjoyable 2½ weeks in the Virgin Islands. Gene Carr and Dee Henderson decided February could be more fun in a tropical setting, and proved it by flying from San Antonio to lovely Christenstad, St. Croix where Gene had lived for 16 years prior to coming to Bandera. They enjoyed good food, seeing her old friends, swimming, plus some touches of sunburn, before returning to Bandera and winter.

AARP

Remember the regular meeting of AARP March 21 and Golden Age at Methodist Fellowship Hall March 15 at 2 p.m.

Seniorcise

An exercise class, or seniorcise, will hold its first session next Wednesday at 10 a.m. Come along and shape up with the group under good supervision.

Golden Agers to party

Members and friends of Golden Age are reminded that the March party will be at the Methodist Fellowship Hall on March 15, 2 p.m.

Hostesses will be Meleese Rugh, Emmy Davenport, Anna Laura Vaughn, Esther Everett, Larbee Wilson, Peggy Alanis and Rena Sandidge.

Beef is nutritious, economical



Beef can still be a good buy, particularly if the consumer follows a few simple rules to save dollars. Eliminating beef from the diet is not the answer to lowering food costs, mainly because of the high quality nutrient content of beef.

Beef contains complete protein, a necessary nutrient that is essential for the growth and repair of body tissues. The word protein comes from the Greek word meaning "first" or "of primary importance." Many parts of the body are primarily protein and since man cannot manufacture protein, foods high in this nutrient must be eaten.

Other nutrients contained in beef are the B-vitamins riboflavin, thiamin and niacin which act as coenzymes in metabolizing carbohydrates, fats and protein in the release of energy for the body to use. Beef is also a source of iron and zinc, minerals that play an important role in bone and teeth formation.

The first step to saving money with beef is simple — plan your menus around food specials in the newspaper. While food prices are rising, stores still offer beef specials that are a bargain.

Be familiar with the cuts of beef. The more tender cuts are from the rib, short loin and sirloin and are usually higher in price than the less tender cuts. The flank, short plate, brisket, chuck and round are less tender but still high in flavor and nutrition.

Buy beef according to "cost per serving." Consumers in the past were advised to buy meat according to cost per pound, a misleading practice because the bone content of the meat was not considered. To buy according to "cost per serving," divide the cost per pound of the beef by the number of servings per pound of the cut - then compare prices. Servings per pound of less tender cuts are:

Two servings per pound: Chuck blade steak and roast and chuck arm steak and roast.

Three servings per pound: Boneless chuck roast, beef brisket, round steak and sirloin tip.

Four servings per pound: Ground beef.

Let us suppose that chuck roast costs $1.69 per pound while boneless chuck roast costs $1.79 per pound. By dividing the price per pound by the number of servings per pound, the chuck roast costs about 85 cents per serving and the boneless chuck roasts costs 60 cents per serving.

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Teriyaki Pot Roast

3-4 lb. beef chuck roast
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1/2 tsp. ground ginger
1 crushed clove garlic
1/4 C. soy sauce
1 bunch green onions
2 T. cornstarch (optional)

Brown roast in deep heavy skillet. Combine, water, ginger, garlic, soy sauce and onion and pour over roast. Cover and cook slowly for 2-1/2 hours or until meat is tender. Remove pot roast to heated platter and thicken remaining liquid, if desired, with cornstarch dissolved in cold water. Bring to boiling, stirring constantly, until thickened and smooth. Yield: 6 servings.

Pedernales Co-op changes by-laws

The Pedernales Electric Co-op in Johnson City, beleagured by customer complaints that erupted during the co-op's annual meeting last year, has accommodated critics by making it easier to vote by proxy and to hold this year's membership meeting on a Saturday.

Changes approved at the February Board meeting will encourage increased participation in decision-making.

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Kathy Ryan, Mary Bolan win gold, bronze UIL medals

Tracy Thompson, Keith Kindla sweetheart and beau

By Michele Speckman

Seniors Tracy Thompson and Keith Kindla were named Band Beau and Sweetheart at the Salad Supper and Concert March 3. The band was clinicedby Mr. Lee Boyd Montgomery, Director of Bands, Texas Lutheran College, for a total of eight hours in two days.

Lee Boyd Montgomery Jr. has taught in the public schools for 20 years as a music conductor. He has also received many individual honors in the field of music. This was Montgomery's sixth year as guest conductor and clinician for the Bandera wind ensemble.

Band Beau and Sweetheart is an award given every year to the favorites of the band. Tracy has been in the band all four years and is a pleasant person to be around. Keith has also been active in band all four years, drama and speech, ALS, NHS, and Teens for Christ. Keith is currently president of the student council.

The Salad Supper was a big success and we'd like to thank the community for their support of the band. We have two more upcoming contests to be held in Bandera. The public is cordially invited to both. March 10 is the Jr. High UIL playing contest and March 15 and 16 is the High School UIL Playing Contest. These are all-day affairs and everyone is invited to attend and listen to fine music.

Keith Kindla

Keith Allen Kindla is one of the very active seniors in BHS. Keith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Kindla, and has attended Bandera ISD all twelve years.

This year Keith has participated in ALS, NHS, Band, Student Council, and UIL in Drama and Debate. Keith has played the role of a leader in many of these organizations. He is NHS Vice President. He was elected the Band Beau, and is President of Student Council and the Bandera 4-H Club.



Keith was involved in athletics from the ninth grade to the 11th grade. His freshman year, he was in football and basketball. During his sophomore year he continued basketball and when Keith became a junior, he ran cross country.

Keith has been a leader throughout his high school years. He was Student Council and Band Representative in the 10th grade, and Parliamentarian and Band Secretary in the 11th grade. He has been in NHS three years.

"My main goal in life is just to be happy. If I can accomplish that in this day and age, it will be quite an accomplishment," said Keith.

This year Keith has participated in Keefer, plans to attend college and major in Political Science or Business. Eventually he plans to be his own boss whether in business or government.

"I know no strangers for they are only friends I haven't met" is the quote on which Keith hopes to base his life. Keith feels that his friends, along with his parents, teachers, and student council, not necessarily in that order, have been the greatest influence in his life.

—Toni Kunz



Tracy Thompson

Tracy Lee Thompson is the sweet, bubbly daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Lemons. She has attended schools in cities such as Lubbock, Houston, and Carrollton. She attended Bandera schools in third grade and returned in her sophomore year.

Tracy is a member of the Bulldog band and plays trumpet and French horn. This year she was elected Band Sweetheart. While in her freshman year at Roosevelt High School in Lubbock, she was president of the FFA and on the Parliamentary Procedure team.

Tracy's close-knit family has been the biggest influence on her life. One reason for this is they watch out for each other. Tracy's favorite quote is "Live each day as it comes. If you try to live too much or worry about the future, you will miss out on something that is happening now."

Tracy feels she has accomplished everything she set out to in school but would try to make better grades if she had her school years to live over again.

After leaving BHS, Tracy plans to attend either a technical school or a school of nursing. Eventually, she hopes to marry and use her nursing skills to help those in need.

Tracy's main goal in life is to be happy no matter what happens and to make others happy because that is what she enjoys most.

—Wendy Valdez



Kathy Ryan and Mary Bolan brought home a gold and bronze medal from the Hondo UIL meet last Saturday.

The Bandera literary and academic team traveled to Hondo to compete against 14 other schools in the UIL invitational meet. Kathy Ryan placed first in Journalism-Feature writing and Mary Bolan placed third in Ready Writing. Other contestants placing in the top ten were Patty Walker-9th in typing, Wade Barefield-8th in novice calculator and 9th in novice science, and David Edwards 10th in novice calculator.

Mr. Zickler, coach for Bandera, said "Congratulations to all the Bandera contestants who participated in the Hondo UIL meet. Their experience will help them at district."

—Kathy Ryan

"Chamber Music" has first dress rehearsal

A first dress rehearsal always brings up lots of complications, and if anything can go wrong it usually will.

After the first rehearsal, participants realize how much work is left to be done to prevent those ripped-hem lines, literally "cracked" whips and records that just will not break. But after you get the first rehearsal out of the way, things seem to fall into place.

"Most of the characters found that dealing with the wide variety of costumes produced a special challenge," says Mr. Baird Neville, director. "Rehearsals have moved quite smoothly and we will be ready for our public performance Saturday, March 10, as well as for District competition March 17.

"I would like to urge the public to attend either or both performances, and especially to be present when we compete March 17 for district," said Neville. "An audience of our supporters will certainly help us perform better for competition," he said.

—Betty Richmond

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"Chamber Music" attends workshop

In preparation for district contest, which is only two weeks away, the BHS one-act-play cast attended a workshop at Sam Houston High March 3, with their first performance of "Chamber Music."

Following their performance, the cast received constructive criticism from a professional UIL critic. These comments and suggestions will hopefully aid the cast members in perfecting their performance for District, March 17.

"I thought it was very constructive. I feel that now there's nothing stopping us from state," said cast member, Betty Richmond.

"Chamber Music" will hold three performances before the contest. This Saturday night "Chamber Music" will be open to the public. This special performance will begin at 8 p.m. admission $1. Don't miss this opportunity to view Arthur Kopit's action-packed thriller.

—Sandy Riedner

'Dogs slay Warriors

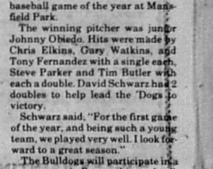
Thursday the Bulldogs defeated the Ingram Warriors 12-6 in the first baseball game of the year at Mansfield Park.

The winning pitcher was junior Johnny Obiedo. Hits were made by Chris Elkins, Gary Watkins, and Tony Fernandez with a single each, Steve Parker and Tim Butler with each a double. David Schwarz had 2 doubles to help lead the 'Dogs to victory.

Schwarz said, "For the first game of the year, and being such a young team, we played very well. I look forward to a great season."

The Bulldogs will participate in a tournament in Boerne this weekend.

—Nancy Herriott



Karen Renee Rizner

Karen Renee Rizner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Del Rizner, has made many plans for after graduation. Karen hopes to attend college and major in fashion merchandising or business.

Karen will probably attend UTSA to get her degree, and then get a job. She hopes to be very successful in whatever she does.

During her high school years she has been involved in many organizations. Karen has been a two year member of ALS, NHS, FFA, and 4-H. She is a first year member of journalism, and has been a member of the flag corps for three years. Karen has been in UIL spelling and typing. She has also received the All A's Award.

Karen feels that the people who have influenced her life the most are her Mom and Dad, and Ms. Wiles.

The quote on which Karen would like to base her life is, "For the things we have to learn before we can do them, we learn by doing them."

—Melissa Ross

"Chamber Music"

"Chamber Music," the district one-act play, will hold its first performance March 10 at the Bandera High School auditorium. The performance will begin at 8 p.m. admission is $1. Don't miss this powerful play with author Arthur Kopit at his best.

—Sandy Riedner

Bandera public schools invite visitors this week

Bandera schools are observing Public School Week through March 9 and are inviting every resident in the district to come visit the schools, meet the teachers and check out the education programs.

This might help the public realize how much a bond issue for a new elementary school was and still is needed. The Masonic Lodge originated this special week, with the Eastern Star and Rainbow Girls helping to promote it.

The Eastern Star provided a covered-dish dinner in celebration of Public School Week on March 5. If you care about the educational system in Texas, which everyone should for the sake of the students, please accept the invitation to visit the public schools. Superintendent Ronald Caloss said, "Everyone, parents and non-parents alike, has a stake in our educational system."

The Masons have played a big part in the education department in Bandera through various things. One major thing they are doing this year is offering three scholarships of $3,000, $2,000, and $1,000. Help support todays students and tomorrows adults by supporting the public school.

—Michele Speckman

Menu

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Chalupa Burger, wholesome bun, lettuce salad, crispy fries, fruit and milk, dessert cheese pizza.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Scrambled eggs and toast, juice and milk. Lunch: Barbecue on a bun, pinto beans, potato salad, fruit, cookie and milk. Second choice: Cheese sandwich.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Biscuits with jelly, juice and milk. Lunch: Taco grande, taco salad, fries and carrots, fruit and milk. Second choice: Chili with cheese dog.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Cereal or hot rice, juice and milk. Lunch: Spring Celebration: Hamburger with bun, lettuce and pickle chips or fries, quiche, or pizza and fruit (Elementary, each lunch with ice cream cup.)

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Teacher inservice and student holiday.

Wendy Valdez

Wendy Lee Valdez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Valdez, plans to attend college at either Carleton College, Macalester College, Vanderbilt University, or Southwestern University, and major in Communications or English.

Wendy feels that she has just about accomplished everything she wanted to and if she makes district band and gets a part in the One Act Play (OAP), she will have accomplished everything.

"If you love something set it free. If it returns, it is yours forever. If it does not, it was never meant to be," this is the quote which Wendy would like to base her life on and she hopes that if she works hard, she will be a successful person at whatever she attempts.

Wendy's mom and dad and her favorite teachers, Mr. Neville, Mrs. Welch, Mrs. Neville and Miss Hunter have played the greatest influencing role in her life up to this point. She has accomplished many things in her 12 years at Bandera. She has participated in band since the fifth grade, she plays the flute and piccolo and has been first chair both her junior and senior years. Drama has also taken up a great part of Wendy's time. She was on the OAP crew her freshman and jr. years. During her junior year, she was in the Christmas play and so far this year she has had a part in "Last Stop" and "Dracula."

She has been in NHS since her sophomore year and added ALS to her things to do.

When asked if she could relive her school years, what she would do differently, Wendy replied, "Try to be a little more friendly to everyone and work a little harder at my grades."

—Toni Kunz

OAP takes a field trip

Feb. 27 the cast and crew of this year's one-act-play, "Chamber Music," attended a production of William Shakespeare's "Hamlet." It was presented by the San Antonio College Performing Artists Series at McAllister Auditorium and performed by the National Shakespeare Company.

Hamlet is perhaps Shakespeare's most popular tragedy. It is the story of a young man, haunted by his father's death, his mother's remarriage, and his own fears. Members of the cast of "Chamber Music" hope to learn from this performance.

"I learned a lot about characterization and voice control from watching professionals at work," said Sandy Riedner, "Chamber Music" cast member.

Wendy Valdez, when asked how "Hamlet" would affect the school's production of "Chamber Music," she replied, "I think the performance taught us many things that will make us better actors and actresses in this play and others."

—Nancy Hayes

Library expands book variety

Now that the juniors at BHS have finished doing all their research papers, maybe they can go to the library to do some reading for pleasure.

Through the efforts of JoAnn Caloss, the library has gotten many new and exciting books, ranging from "As the Waltz Was Ending" by Emma Macchiles Butterworth to a unique fiction lovers book, "No Enemy But Time" by Michael Bishop.

If you enjoyed such books as "Jaws" and "The Deep," then you would likely be interested in Peter Benchley's newest book, "The Girl of the Sea of Cortez." Mrs. Caloss said, "We are expecting a wide variety of new books to arrive before school is out."

—Betty Richmond



Susan Espinosa

"Always smile, God loves you and so do I," says Susan Vela Espinosa and she does her very best to keep a bright and shiny smile on her face.

Susan has attended BHS for the past two years and in that time has become a celebrity on the campus.

During her high school career Susan played volleyball for four years, basketball for four years, ran track for two years and even gave tennis a one-year tryout.

Office Education is also one of Susan's favorite activities, and this year she was elected vice president of the Office Education Association.

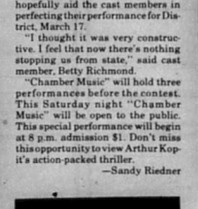
When Susan leaves Bandera High after graduation, she plans to visit all her friends and have a great time before attending college at Schreiner in Kerrville. After her basics, Susan plans to receive a degree in physical education and while in college Susan also hopes to be able to play basketball on the college team.

Upon graduation, Susan will pursue a career coaching physically-handicapped children.

Susan feels her parents are the greatest influence in her life, "because they have brought me to this point."

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Espinosa feels she has accomplished everything she wanted to in high school and that in itself, is a great accomplishment.

—Becky Blakemore



Randy Andrews

Randall Lea Andrews, otherwise known as "Redneck" to his friends, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Andrews.

Randall came to Bandera two years ago from John Marshall High School. After leaving BHS, Randall says he would like to take a vacation and then start to work full time as a carpenter.

He bases his life on the quote, "Live one day at a time and take your problems one step at a time." His main goals in life is to work, buy a nice home, and raise a family.

When asked what he would do differently if he could relive his school years, he replied, "I would take school more seriously and make better grades." Randall also says he would have liked to play football.

Randall participated in Future Farmers of America his junior year and Future Homemakers of America his junior and senior years.

Randall credits his family as being the greatest influence on his life.

—Kathy Ryan

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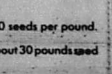

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Obituaries

William Jenkins Jr.

Col. William McGarvey Jenkins Jr., 56, died March 1 at his residence in Bandera. A member of Grace Lutheran Church, he was retired from the U.S. Army.

He is survived by his wife, Juanita, Bandera; mother, Rosalie Jenkins, North Carolina; daughter, Julie Bernstein, Ft. Worth; son, Keith Thomas Jenkins, San Antonio; brother, Allen Jenkins, South Carolina.

A memorial service was held March 4 at Grace Lutheran Church with Rev. J. David Doerfler officiating. He was buried at the Bandera Cemetery.

Elizabeth Mechler

Elizabeth Josephine Mechler, 82, died March 7 in a Hondo nursing home. Born in Castroville Oct. 29, 1901, she was a member of St. Stanislaus Catholic Church in Bandera.

Survivors include her daughters, Margaret Williamson, San Jose, Calif., Charlene Ghan, Idaho Falls, Idaho, Corrine Keil, Federland, Gustie Carpenter, Bandera; son, Roy Mechler, Hondo; sister, Theresa Roth, San Antonio; grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Rosary was Tuesday at Grimes Funeral Chapel in Bandera and Mass Wednesday at St. Stanislaus. Monsignor Ralph Smith was celebrant. Burial was in La Coste.

Coy LeMeilleur Sr.

Coy LeMeilleur Sr., 67, Kerrville, died Monday morning in Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital. A resident of Kerrville since 1945, he was born Aug. 1, 1916 in Leonio and was a member of First Baptist Church. He was a former partner of LeMeilleur R.V. Sales and partner of West End Grocery in Kerrville. He also was a former owner of LeMeilleur, Dairy.

He is survived by his wife, Theda LeMeilleur, Kerrville; three daughters, Lynn LeMeilleur and Denise LeMeilleur both of Kerrville and Andree Hayes of Levelland; five sons, Coy Jr., Craig, Lance and Shawn LeMeilleur all of Kerrville and Mark LeMeilleur of Bandera; one brother, Ray LeMeilleur, Kerrville; a sister, Bonnie Kershner, Odessa; and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at First Baptist Church Tuesday with Rev. Ernest R. Wells officiating. Burial was in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Public Notices

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COUNTY OF BANDERA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of a certain Execution, #82CI-14095 issued out of the Honorable 166th Dist. Court of Bexar County, 13th day of February 1984, by David Garcia, District Clerk of said 166th Judicial District Court for the sum of three hundred ninety three dollars and fifty cents and costs of suit, under a judgement of said court, in favor of H.E. Mendez in a certain cause in said Court, No. 82CI-14095 and styled Marie V. DeLeon vs. Oscar V. DeLeon, placed in my hands for service, I, Guy V. Pickett as Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas, did, on the 15 day of February 1984, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Bandera County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: lots 7, 8, 19, and 20, Block 94, subdivision "G", of Avalon Ranch Subdivision on Medina Lake in Bandera County and levied upon as the property of Oscar V. DeLeon and that on the first Tuesday in April 1984, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Bandera County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said Execution I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Oscar V. DeLeon in and to said property.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Bandera Bulletin, a newspaper published in Bandera County.

Witness my hand, this 15th day of February 1984.

Guy V. Pickett
Sheriff
Bandera County, Texas.
By Mel Lemons, Deputy.
35-3tc

Wife promotes Mosbacher

Rob Mosbacher's wife, Trendi, Ronald Reagan to encourage efforts by the private sector to combat mushrooming bureaucracy is what "I think separates Rob from the other (Republican) candidates in the race" for U.S. Senate, the candidate's wife said here this week.

Catherine Mosbacher appeared in Bandera Tuesday to greet a small group of voters on behalf of 32-year-old Houston businessman Mosbacher who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for U.S. Senate to succeed GOP Sen. John Tower.

Pointing to Mosbacher's extensive business background as part of a family-owned, Houston-based oil business, Mrs. Mosbacher said, "Rob is the only (GOP) candidate in the race that has business experience."

Taking a swipe at the front-runner in the race, Phil Gramm, Mrs. Mosbacher said her husband "would inject an element of fiscal responsibility to the Congress, no just economic theory." Gramm was formerly an economics professor at Texas A&M University.

Like the other candidates in the three-... race for the nomination, Mosbacher "is absolutely committed to what the president has done," Mrs. Moabacher said. The third candidate in the race is Ron Paul of Houston.

"He'd like to go up to Washington and help him (the president) do what he has to do" to continue the apparent economic recovery, reduce taxes and build our nation's defense, the candidate's wife said.

What separates Mosbacher from Paul and Gramm, she said, was her husband's search for "alternative approaches" to our economic and social problems "that will continue to exist."

She called special attention to a program in which candidate Mosbacher encouraged efforts by the private sector in his role as a member of the president's Task Force on Private Sector Initiatives. Mentioned especially was a program Mosbacher fostered in Houston in which local churches took over the cost of the "meals on wheels" program for elderly.

"Rob wants to encourage more of this, and I think that separates Rob from the other (GOP) candidates in the ..." she told about 11 persons who gathered to hear her at the First State Bank.

"Rob, who has been a Republican all his life, knows there are thousands of people that share the Republican viewpoint but don't call themselves Republicans," Catherine Mosbacher said. "Rob wants to increase the number that vote in the GOP primary."

Mrs. Mosbacher, herself a former legislative counsel to the U.S. Senate, said the candidate is deeply concerned about the pressure that the federal deficit is placing on the apparent economic recovery which she said the country is now enjoying.

"Rob believes the president has put this country on the right track but that we must continue to seek ways to reduce the size and cost of the federal government," she said.

The primary is May 5 and the Republican nominee for the senate selected in that election will face the Democratic nominee in November's general election. Bob Krueger of New Braunfels, Kent Hance of Lubbock and Lloyd Doggett of Austin are seeking that nomination.

Candidate wed in Alamo rites

Bobby Locke, 44-year-old candidate for U.S. Rep. Tom Loeffler's seat in Congress, took time out from the campaign trail long enough Tuesday to make a different kind of promise.

He promised to love and to honor his bride, Catherine McInerney, 37, in a brief ceremony at the Alamo chapel on the 148th anniversary of the fall of the Alamo.

The candidate, a former Republican twice nominated by the GOP for congressional races, switched to the Democratic party to make the race against Loeffler.

He said he believed the wedding to be the first in the Alamo since its fall in 1836. The couple joined in what Locke described as the "Alamo prayer," which recalled the sacrifice made by the 183 defenders of the Alamo against 2,000 Mexican troops.

Locke has a Democratic opponent in the May 5 Democratic primary. Loeffler is unopposed in the Republican primary May 5 and will face the Democratic nominee on Nov. 6.

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The rate schedule is expected to furnish a 3.12 percent increase in the Company's revenues from residential and commercial customers in the City of Bandera, Texas.
A Statement of intent has been filed with the City of Bandera and is available for inspection at the Company's business office located at 331-333 Earl Garrett Street, Kerrville, Texas. 32-4tc
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Bandera girl sells turkey for $5,000



High school senior Tina Doebbler of Bandera sold her fourth-place tom ... for $5,000 at the Houston Livestock Show auction last week and several others from Bandera ... honors at the biggest of ... shows.

Missy Mangold and Lorri Robbins, both also from Bandera, also placed with their turkeys at the show, and Mangold's brought her $433 at auction and Robbins' sold for $350.

Greg Maddox of Bandera earned a $600 certificate towards the purchase of a beef heifer that must be shown next year in Houston in the calf scramble.

Tim Pitsche won first among Brahman heifers in the calf-scramble exhibition and Jake Frazier placed fifth among Hereford heifers.

Wendy Frazier's middleweight Chiania placed eighth in its division.

Robert Baker of Medina won eighth in the calf scramble and 12th in the junior Angus show and Randy Osburn won 12th in the calf scramble and fourth in the junior Angus show.

Former state record bass now only eighth largest

Since H.R. Magee of San Antonio landed that 13-pound, 8-ounce largemouth bass in Lake Medina in January of 1943, seven Texas anglers have landed larger bass in Texas.

Magee's lunker, however, stood as the state record for fully 37 years, and those that outweighed it were all caught after the Florida strain of fish, which produces bigger animals, was introduced in Texas.

"Introduction of the Florida strain of largemouth bass in the early 1970s apparently triggered an explosion in catches of trophy-sized fish, according to Bob Bounds, inland fisheries management coordinator for the Texas Parks And Wildlife Department.

"Ten years ago, the 13-pound, eight-ounce state record bass caught in 1943 looked unbeatable," said Bounds. "Now seven bass bigger than that have been taken, and a fisherman has to catch a bass of 13 pounds or more even to make the top 20 list.

Here are the 20 biggest bass caught in Texas:

Weight	Angler	When and where caught
13-8	John Alexander, Dallas	Feb. 7, 1981, Lake Echo
15-3-3/4	Bill Ockerhausen, Mount Pleasant	Dec. 23, 1983, Lake Welsh
14-5	John Alexander, Dallas	Jan. 10, 1981, Lake Echo
14-3.4	Jackie Walker, Longview	Feb. 2, 1984, Lake Monticello
14-1/2	Jim Kimbell, Pittsburg	Feb. 2, 1980, Lake Monticello
14-1	Max Bennett, Long Branch	Jan. 29, 1984, Lake Monticello
13-9	Bill Galliani, San Antonio	July 15, 1982, Lake Calaveras
13-8	H.R. Magee, San Antonio	Jan. 16, 1943, Lake Medina
13-6-3/4	Jimmy Roy, Mount Pleasant	Feb. 28, 1982, Lake Monticello
13-6½	Joe Solomon, Lewisville	Jan. 7, 1984, Lake Welsh
13-6	Brown Addison, Center	July, 1983, Lake Pinkston
13-5	Louis Keller, Austin	March 2, 1983, Lake Brazos
13-4	Brady Hayerah, San Antonio	Jan. 24, 1983, Lake Calaveras
13-3½	Mike Riley, Pittsburg	Feb. 26, 1983, Lake Monticello
13-3	James Franklin, Houston	Jan. 3, 1984, Lake Houston Co.
13-2	Gary Martin, Grand Prairie	Jan. 2, 1981/Lake Echo
13-2	Ronald Waits, Longview	Dec. 29, 1982, Lake Welsh
13	John Goolsby, Austin	Jan. 16, 1966, Lake Calaveras
13	Charles Barnes, Dallas	Dec. 2, 1980, Lake Echo
13	Tom Howarth, Aledo	Feb. 12, 1980, Lake Monticello
13	Jack Goolsby, Waxahachie	Dec. 28, 1981, Lake Echo
13	Keary Lambrecht, Converse	Jan. 11, 1983, Lake Calaveras
13	Rhomas Boganshalte, Carthage	Feb. 24, 1983, Lake Pinkston

VOTE! April 7

Bandera Boys baseball schedule

Mar. 5	Kerrville Ivy
Mar. 6	at Comfort
Mar. 8-10	Boerne tournament
Mar. 12	at Pearsall
Mar. 15	at Hondo
Mar. 23	Comfort
Mar. 27	D'Hanis
Mar. 29 at NB	Canyon
Apr. 5	at D'Hanis
Apr. 7	Ingram tournament
Apr. 9	Fred'burg (2)
Apr. 12	*Southside
Apr. 17	*Boerne
Apr. 19	*Smithson V.
Apr. 24	*Cole
Apr. 26	N.B. Canyon
May 1	*Southside
May 3	*Boerne
May 8	*Smithson V.
May 10	*Cole

* district contest

1984 Medina track schedule

Mar. 10	Utopia Relays
Mar. 17	Medina Bobcat Relays
Mar. 23	Ingram (JH) Relays
Mar. 24	Ingram Relays
Mar. 31	Cotulla Relays
Apr. 5	District meet, Medina
Apr. 7	Utopia Jr. High Relays
Apr. 13	District (JH) Meet, Medina
Apr. 18-19	Regional (girls)
May 4-5	Regional (boys)



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Four Bobcats all-district

Four Medina Bobcats were selected for the 1983-84 All-District Basketball First Team: Greg Chaney and Marshall Townsend of Medina joined Jack Fairchild and Sam Huffsteadler of Ingram for the honors. Tied for 5th position were Benny Dodge of Utopia and Jim Peril of Harper.

First Team girls included Nancy Dodson and Sheila House of Medina, along with Julie Valdevez of Center Point, Dana Bunk of Utopia and Debbie Wooten of Ingram.

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BANDERA
Name of City (Nombre de la Ciudad)

Notice is hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 7th day of April, 19 84, in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city: Mayor, 1 (2) Alderman, 4 Assessor. Said election will be held at the following polling places in said city:

In Election Precinct No.	4	at	City Municipal Building;
In Election Precinct No.		at	Building;
In Election Precinct No.		at	Building;
In Election Precinct No.		at	Building;
In Election Precinct No.		at	Building;

The polls at each of the above designated polling places shall on said election day be open from 7 o'clock a.m. to 7 o'clock p.m.

The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at City Municipal Building, in said city, and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least 8 hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8 o'clock a.m. and 5 o'clock p.m.

Dated this the 13th day of February, 19 84.

(Se da aviso por la presente que se llevará a cabo una Elección de Funcionarios de la Ciudad el día 7 de ABRIL de 19 84, en el condado arriba mencionado para el propósito de elegir a los siguientes funcionarios para dicha ciudad: Alcalde, 1 (2) Concejales, 4 Asesor. Dicha elección se llevará a cabo en los siguientes lugares de votación en dicha ciudad:

El Precinto Electoral Núm.	4	en el Edificio	Municipal de la Ciudad
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Las urnas de votación arriba designadas para dicha elección se mantendrán abiertas en el mencionado día de elección de las 7 a.m. a las 7 p.m.

La votación durante para la elección arriba designada se llevará a cabo en el Edificio Municipal de la Ciudad, en dicha ciudad, y dicho lugar de votación estará se mantendrá abierto durante por lo menos 8 horas en cada día de votación excepto un sábado, domingo o día festivo oficial del estado, comenzando el día 20 y continuando hasta el 4 día antes de dicha elección. Dicho lugar de votación se mantendrá abierto de las 8:00 a.m. a las 5:00 p.m.

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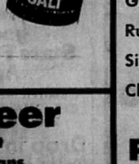

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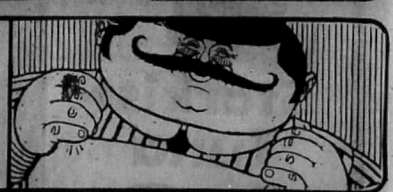



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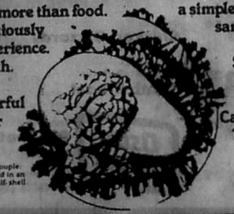

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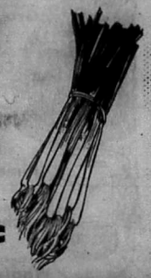

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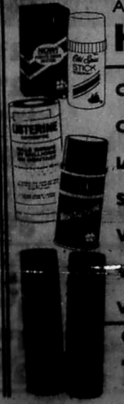

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Kim Compton, center in safari outfit, makes a point during a special performance of "Chamber Music," the one-act play Bandera High School will perform in University Interscholastic League competition. Bandera will compete at 11:30 a.m. at Bandera High School auditorium. Miss Compton is speaking to Sandy Riedner, with back to camera, while Nancy Hays, left, and Betty Richmond, right, look on. Others in the cast include Wendy Valdez, Nancy Hays, Mary Segovia, Janet Weber, Linda Karr, Greg Tatum and Donald DeThorne. The play is directed by Baird M. Neville and the stage crew consists of Bubba Calos, Matt Kelly, Gavin Pearson and Christine Calos.

Half-day OKed for kindergarten

By Nick Johnson
Editor

Bandera school trustees Tuesday adopted a four-point plan as a temporary solution to over-crowding at the Bandera Elementary School, including cutting the kindergarten program to one-half day.

Trustees continue to study additional steps to alleviate crowding to be instituted if an unexpected increase in enrollment occurs in any grade.

Cutting the school's kindergarten program to one-half day will provide an additional classroom for other elementary school students. Currently, two classrooms are being utilized for 70 kindergarten students. Next year one-half of the kindergarten students will utilize a classroom in the morning and the other half will use the same room in the afternoon.

In addition to slashing the kindergarten program, trustees Tuesday also ordered the use of the elementary school's audio visual room as a special education classroom.

Audio visual presentations will be made in regular classrooms with the bulky and sometimes fragile audio visual equipment being taken from room-to-room as needed.

In addition, the trustees ordered the use of Room 2 in the elementary school as an additional fifth grade classroom. Because of the size of next year's fifth grade, four classrooms will be needed instead of the presently used three.

Superintendent Ron Caloss said trustees did not take action on other suggestions to alleviate crowded conditions. Should enrollment increase beyond expectations in any grade from kindergarten through fifth, the trustees may order the renovation of the old Fletcher house near the elementary school for a classroom, lease or build additional portable buildings, or rent facilities near the school.

Bandera voters rejected in December a $2.95 million bond issue that would have financed the construction of a new elementary school for 800 students three miles east of Bandera on State Highway 16.

School trustees Tuesday asked Caloss to set up a meeting with the school's architect Jim Pfluger of Austin to begin the process which may result in another bond issue being submitted to voters.

A $300,000 road bond issue will face voters April 7.

Meanwhile, a group calling themselves Citizens for Better Schools met for a second time last Thursday and vowed "to deliver what our name implies."

Bill Anderson, spokesman for CBS, said the group intends to mount a voter registration drive to get potential voters registered, with particular emphasis on unregistered parents of school-aged children.

"Members of CBS feel 1984 is a crucial year for citizens of all ages to be registered to vote," said Michelle Adamson, CBS vote drive committee chairman.

CBS has established the second Thursday of every month as its regular meeting date. The next regular meeting will be April 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the First State Bank Community Room.

"Our goal is to provide a forum for the people in this (school) district," said Anderson, the group's general chairman. "Voting down the bond issue hasn't eliminated the overcrowded conditions in our schools. If we are interested in offering the kind of education our children deserve, then the people of this district must come up with a viable solution," Anderson said.

Trustees Monday night also offered new contracts to 111 full-time members of the faculty and staff and five part-time employees. Among those offered contracts were 42 faculty members, including head coaches of all the boys and girls athletic teams.

The trustees also adopted textbooks for use in the 1984-85 school year. While some members of the public reviewed the books selected at least briefly Tuesday, the books were adopted without discussion from the public.

The board also adopted a school calendar that calls for classes to begin on Aug. 27, a break from early dismissal on Dec. 20 through Jan. 4, a two-day holiday Jan. 10 and 11 for the junior livestock show, and a spring break March 18-22, 1985.

Meet the candidates March 27

All the candidates for election to the board of trustees of Bandera Independent School District have been invited to appear at a "Meet the Candidate" meeting at 7:30 p.m., March 27, at the First National Bank Board Room.

The meeting will be sponsored by Citizens for Better Schools, an ad hoc group organized to foster schools in Bandera. Similar meetings in the past have been sponsored by the now-defunct Parent-Teacher Association.

Candidates for the two seats subject to the April 7 election are incumbents Thomas H. (Bub) Keese and Katie Ruede and Dr. Jimmie L. Hughey, Gary MacMillan and Johnnie L. Newcomer.

Council changes zoning to allow mobile home park

It may have been a case of *deja vu* for some in the room, but for the rest *they had been there before.*

It was a not-too-instant replay of the ill-fated public hearing to consider a zoning change to allow Ray D'Spain to build a mobile home park on 1st Street between Hackberry and Pecan streets in Bandera.

The result Tuesday was also the same. The necessary four councilmen voted for the ordinance that would change the zoning, including Bob Cowan who was present in body and spirit as well as by his vote.

The original zoning ordinance passed last April was struck down by 216th District Court because an absentee vote cast by Cowan was ruled to be void.

Based on the council's original ordinance changing zones to authorize him to construct the mobile home park, D'Spain says he has spent $20,000.

One council member voted against the ordinance Tuesday, just as was the case last April. Dianne Tobin cast her vote against the ordinance Tuesday. A year ago it was Fanay Price who voted against the mobile home park. Tobin replaced Price on the council after Price resigned last summer.

Because more than 20 percent of the property owners within 200 feet objected to the mobile home park, the ordinance required four votes for passage.

Former city attorney Sam Darden and his law partner Bob Wehmeyer filed suit against the city in the case. They own the bulk of the other property in the area. The case is still pending in the 216th District Court.

A change in D'Spain's original

(See ZONING, Page 3.)

Council OKs gas rate hike

Bandera's City Council Monday somewhat reluctantly gave Lone Star Gas Co. permission to increase natural gas rates in Bandera that will hike most Banderans' gas bills from $2 to $3.

Councilman Clint Dowell voted against the rate increase, saying he did not see any justification for it, and members Diane Tobin, Bob Cowan and Tommy Kindla voted for it, but not before subjecting C.R. Bellamy to more than a half-hour of intensive questioning. Ross Bailey was absent.

Lone Star submitted its request to the council Feb. 13, but it was tabled until Monday so that members of the council could study data submitted by the gas company.

Bellamy explained to the council that Lone Star's rates were based on a principle of returning a fair profit to the company based on its market value.

He said improvements made by the company since its last rate hike two years ago and the effects of inflation during those two years had made the company's investment in Bandera more valuable.

Since, their investment is more valuable, the gas company reasons, then the company deserves a rate increase.

"When the value of the system increases, then rates must increase to maintain a fair return on the investment," Bellamy told the council.

He admitted that the company's costs to deliver gas to Bandera homes and businesses had not increased significantly and he was unable to supply Dowell with the amount of money the company had spent in the last two years to expand the system in Bandera County.

Dowell wondered aloud what he would answer constituents who ask why the council approved the rate increase if we approve this, "I'd like to be able to say the cost of (the gas company's) operations have increased," he said. "But, all I can say is the value of their system has increased, also they want to make more money."

Mrs. Tobin asked Bellamy point blank if the gas company would continue to provide gas service if the council turned the rate hike request.

He answered that in the long run he felt the company would not be able to continue to attract or retain investors if the return on those investments were in the neighborhood of 4 percent, which the company says would be the case without a rate hike. The increase would give the company a little more than 7 percent return, Bellamy said.

In other action Monday, the city council started the ball rolling to change the zoning of property on 11th Street near the Bandera Junior High for the construction of what a Kerrville developer says is a 20-unit (to start with) apartment facility.

"It will not be low-income housing," explained David Braden of Kerrville. "We're going to build some nice units and fix up the riverfront behind it."

The council scheduled a public hearing to air the matter for 7 p.m., April 2 — the Municipal Building.

Also scheduled to be heard at the same time is a zoning change requested by Judy Pue to allow her to operate a commercial business at the "old laundry building" on 10th Street between Hackberry and Cedar streets.

Pue told the council she has continually operated a business at the building since before there was a zoning ordinance and she wants to continue to do so.

The council Monday also voted to issue a two-year permit to Jim and Emma Sides to operate a taxi and pick-up and delivery service in Bandera. They will be assessed a fee amounting to 2 percent of the service's gross receipts, required by an existing ordinance which also requires regular financial reports and adequate insurance.

Mayor Wilvie Smith, who leaves the mayor's office next month after 14 years on the job, told the council super-large speed limit signs and warnings of radar patrols will be installed on all four highways leading into the city in the near future.

Smith said he ordered the signs

(See COUNCIL, Page 3.)

Shoplifters hit merchants in downtown Bandera

One person has been arrested in connection with a rash of shoplifting in Bandera last week. Merchants report as many as five persons were involved, and they are thought to be members of a ring.

In Bandera County Jail in lieu of $3,000 bond set by Peace Justice Tom Grant is Aurelia Morales, 40, of Kerrville. He is charged with theft of property valued at more than $200 in connection with an incident at Boyles Grocery Monday.

Downtown merchants reported several persons, apparently working together, shoplifted in most stores Tuesday. Among the items reported missing was a custom made ring valued at $1,300 reported missing from Jewelry by Design.

Morales was arrested by Kerrville police on a warrant issued in Bandera.

In an unrelated case, Ray LP Alaniz, 38, of San Antonio, was arrested Friday and charged with driving while intoxicated. The bond was quickly reduced on a $1,000 bond.

Shoplifting seminar March 21

The Bandera County Sheriff's Department will conduct a short seminar for area merchants on safeguarding against shoplifting and theft.

Sponsored by Women in Business of Bandera, the seminar will be held March 21 at 6:30 p.m. at the First National Bank.

Bond bond outlook: Pessimistic, at best

Bandera county commissioners won't go into each commissioner's precinct to campaign for the proposed $300,000 road bond issue, but County Judge Tommy Curbo will issue material supporting the bonds before the election April 7.

According to Curbo, other commissioners are so pessimistic over what they expect at the polls, they don't see any hope, even if they were to campaign vigorously.

The bonds have been proposed to finance the purchase of some eight miles of right-of way on English Crossing Road southeast of Bandera.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation has offered to make the county road a part of the state's paved farm-to-market system.

County road taxes would increase a maximum of 1.47 cents per $100 valuation. The average Bandera County homeowner would pay $4.41 per year to retire the bonds, experts figure.

Actually, it's a pretty good deal for the county. We buy the right-of-way now and the state will build and maintain the paved road from now on.

And its value is beyond estimation to residents who will be using it and to the school district and mailmen who must operate buses and delivery vehicles on the road.

The real estate it will open up for development will increase tax revenues much more than $300,000 in the long run.

But it was Rudyard Kipling who said, "The sins you do by two and two you pay for one by one." The same is true of taxes. While the school and county and the city and state are increasing them two by two, the hapless taxpayer pays for them one by one.

Short takes

It's spring—almost anyway. And one of the signs in Bandera of the new season are businesses putting on new faces for the summer.

One of the first to get started is Deanies Barbecue on Main Street. Kudos are due for the good job they're doing. It helps make the whole Main Street look better.

Did you hear about the guy that worked hard and conscientiously for 10 years but had not received a promotion.

"Why not," a friend asked.

"Many years ago I had an argument with my boss," the man explained.

"I won."

There's a handful of Bandera kids who have been working hour after hour and day after day to excell in acting and music.

This weekend their efforts come to fruition when they compete in University Interscholastic League one-act play and band competition at BHS.

Gentle reader, you can get some of the best entertainment around Friday at 7 p.m. when the Bulldog Band competes and Saturday at 11:30 a.m. when the thespians compete.

It'll help the kids do their best too if they have a large and friendly crowd for which to perform.



Ross Perot wants to dismantle State Board of Education

Reform of Texas public education took a most dramatic turn last week when the blue-ribbon committee chairman urged dismantling the elected State Board of Education.

The chairman, H. Ross Perot, said the 27-member elected state board must be ousted before he will recommend higher taxes for education reform.

Some board members sitting on the panel with Perot vowed to stop passage of the chairman's proposal, which replaces the board with a seven-member board appointed by the governor.

Perot's attack on the board was the latest of a series of sniper fire between the conservative multimillionaire from Dallas and the education establishment.

Earlier, State Board of Education chairman Joe Kelly Butler of Houston accused Perot of trying to impose on the state his own personal views about public education.

The blue-ribbon panel is to meet in Dallas this week to consider a long list of reform proposals, construct a reform package for the Legislature, and decide whether to recommend raising taxes for education purposes.

Tax issue

The panel under Perot's direction has been studying reform proposals for several months, including:

—Lengthening school days.

—Opening schools to four-year-olds.

—Raising public schoolteacher salaries, and

—Requiring a "C" average prior to participation in extracurricular activities and sports.

Perot has, in effect, taken the public education system to the woodshed for an old fashioned caning. But his eleventh-hour blast really underscores his reluctance to recommend a tax increase.

That, after all, is probably the main issue at stake in the education issue in Texas.

Special session

In fact, the panel was created near the end of last year's legislative session as a compromise between Gov. Mark White, who wanted a tax hike for teacher salaries, and House Speaker Gib Lewis, who did not.

White has vowed to call a special session to raise taxes as soon as the panel finishes its report, and Perot has taken nearly a year to complete that task.

Now with the report deadline approaching, Perot is surely going to fight a tax hike unless some of his reforms, which the State Board of Education opposes, are included.

Sales tax boost

White's hopes of raising taxes took another subtle blow last week when Texas Comptroller Bob Bullock announced that Texas sales tax receipts were up more than 12 percent, indicating the state's economy is improving.

According to Bullock, the border cities reported gains, and only Midland and Odessa, hard hit by the petroleum industry slump, were still suffering.

Since state government revenues are tied to the economy and not personal income taxes, the well-being of the economy is essential to avoid tax increases.

Bullock's announcement could be a subtle message to legislators that they may not have to rush into special session this summer to raise taxes. Meanwhile, Gov. Mark White is still trying to round up a majority of votes to pass his tax hike. Coincidentally, Bullock plans to challenge White in '86 for the Governor's Mansion.

Dollar amounts

Some of the taxes being discussed as ripe for increasing are alcohol and tobacco taxes, gasoline and motor fuels taxes, amusement machine taxes and the sales tax.

A recent report estimates the state could get an additional $15 million by raising cigarette taxes one cent; $352 million by taxing all fuels at 10 cents/gallon; and $6 million by raising liquor taxes by 25 percent.

Legislator probed

An El Paso legislator was reported being investigated by his local police and grand jury for hiring an accused bookmaker's wife two years ago.

At question is whether State Rep. Bob Valles, D-El Paso, hired the woman as a legislative aide in order to pay off gambling debts.

State records show the woman was paid $12,000 as a member of Valles' staff in 1982. She and her husband have been granted immunity from prosecution in exchange for testimony.

Valles has hired famed Austin attorney Roy Minton, who besides currently defending Attorney General Jim Mattox against charges of commercial bribery, also defended former House Speaker Billy Clayton in the "Brilab" case.

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndall Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Gramm picks D.W. Hicks

U.S. Rep. Phil Gramm, candidate for the U.S. Senate, this week announced a 21 member steering committee for Bandera County, naming D.W. (Speedy) Hicks chairman.

"I am honored to have the active support of key leaders in the economic, political and civic life of Bandera County," Congressman Gramm said. Like Gramm, Hicks is also a former Democrat turned Republican.

Members of the Bandera County committee also include Buddy Thompson, Bandera County Republican chairman; Bill Boyington; Raymond Hicks; Mrs. Rudy Abbott; Norma Barr; Frank Anderwald; Jeanne Evans; Patsy D'Spain; Jackie Whitney; Harold Brown and Dorothy Callahan, all of Bandera; George Williams and Ward S. McCollough of Medina; Helen Edwards; Helen Costello; Charles Donaford and Edward Block of Pipe Creek; Norma Gray of Lakehills; Dick Paxton of Tarpley and L.L. Tublis of Vanderpool.

Congressman Gramm is seeking the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by U.S. Senator John Tower.

Letters

Truism in publishing

Dear Editor:

I am sensitive in direct response to Mr. MacMillan's odd political manifesto as published in last week's Bulletin classifieds. I cheerfully presume that my motives may be scoffed at as ulterior as my wife is busily accumulating votes for a seat on the very school board which MacMillan so myopically has attacked. Nevertheless, these words are strictly my own.

I too am not at all pleased with the state of education in America. I have a daughter, and she is the future coming toward us in sneakers and tight jeans and I spend a sizable fraction of my work week battling in Bandera's trenches as a substitute teacher.

What smoked my tires upon first reading the Mac Attack was this: he gives me the impression that these kids thronging the halls of Old Main are a rebel rabble. A gang of glue-sniffing stoneheads. Rotten little cretins armed with zipguns, switchblades and a sullen contempt for anything more cerebral than "...basket weaving ... and finger painting." Gee whiz. I wasn't even aware that Bandera offered such esoterics.

These kids, most of them, really do want to learn things and understand what it all means in a depressing, scary world. They're just a little confused about how to do it. Some aren't confused at all. A troublesome few are bombed out.

Oh my, yes, there are problems. Everyone agrees there are problems. Serious ones. But restating the obvious, embellishing a worst-case scenario with creative particulars which don't exist in fact and then blithely telling us that the whole sordid mess can be whacked into shape simply by teaching a little red-white-and-blue Free Enterprise arithmetic is an insult to the public intelligence. It's, well, simple. Politics is no excuse.

I, too, feel a sense of outrage. Teachers ought to be inspiring and creative and well-drenched in their specialty's subject. Administrators should somehow be totally kid-oriented and never shackled by miserly budgets or gutted textbooks. No school should be a football mill, or a flag corps mill, or a band mill, or a pass-through mill, or a paper mill or even a Free Enterprise Gross National Product mill.

Every faculty member should be efficient, an open-handed dispenser of fact and wisdom and justice. Every teacher should further be capable of putting on a lively dog-and-pony show when students nod off in sixth period because they had to gobble an unappetizing lunch and the classroom is a drab Dickensian aphorism for the Global Greenhouse Effect.

Children of fractured marriages shouldn't have to endure a whole year of uneasy puberty without access to a trained guidance counselor. School libraries should have ample nonfiction reference books (apart from encyclopedias) so entire classes can have equal access — and time — to do assigned research projects, instead of putting it on a revival of the fittest basis. And there bloody well ought to be more such projects assigned, even on taboo subjects like evolution (dirty word) and materialism and Communism and comparative religion.

Teachers have a right to demand respectful attention, and they need to know how to command it, too. Students ought to enter the room excited over the prospect of a new body of knowledge. Society itself has a right to expect disciplined tolerance from its newest citizens. School boards? They should be the county's liveliest, most literate bunch, deeply committed to, at the very least, open communication and a radical tendency to paint classrooms.

School itself ought to be fun, a little. Hyperactive kids shouldn't be forced to survive junk food diets, empty ethics and pure vacuums of parental apathy — but some surely are.

The problems' sorry scope could go 60 more paragraphs.

Okay, some of the school problems are whoppers and I am angry, like you. Many of the answers are beyond our reach because when push comes to shove, it's the TBE, the TEA and the Austin lawyers who are going to ram certain guidelines down our collective gullet.

But there are some things we can deal with locally. Just don't try to smoke screen us with emotional claptrap. It is not going to be easy, man. It is going to be very, very difficult and loud words are just something else to trip over.

So why is it, now that I'm rereading your hot-eyed lambast of the Evil System, that I get this faint reek of smoky torch in my nose? Why is it that I can almost hear the night-riders' hoofbeats coming through darkness? Or, to mutate the metaphor, are we by any chance getting up on witch hunt?

Witch hunts don't work worth spit, Mac. Ask Hester Prynne. Ask Joe McCarthy. Ask yourself.

Maybe we better keep this whole educational mess on the back burner, Mac. It's awfully complicated the way it is.

And here comes HB 246, with H. Ross Perot snuffling along right behind it. You really ready to deal with it all?

Paul A. Hughey
Tarpley

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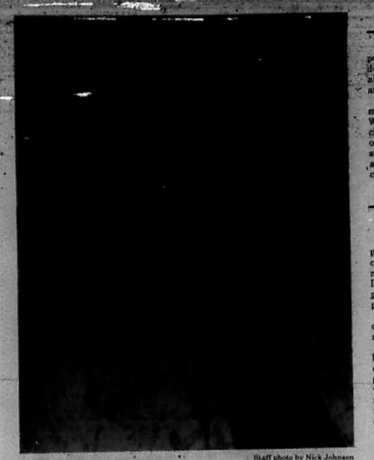

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Faces of Bandera

One of the very special people and certainly one of the interesting faces of Bandera County is Olga Schmidt. Retired after a long and rewarding career as county and district clerk, Olga can be seen still around the courthouse whenever she's needed. That makes the courthouse and the rest of Bandera County a little better place than it would be without her.

Council

pursuant to directions of the council during a discussion two months ago about charges Bandera police operate a speed trap.

As a result of that discussion and mounting pressure on Police Chief Walter Welch on that subject, the chief Monday changed the foremat of his monthly report to the council to show that not all the tickets issued are for speeding, Smith told the council.

Welch's report of activities for February showed his department issued 176 citations during the month, 84 of which (or 47.7 percent) were for speeding. The other charges included 28 persons cited for failure to show proof of liability insurance, 22 for public intoxication, and a variety of others.

A total of 98 of the citations were for moving traffic violations, which means that 85.7 percent of moving traffic citations issued were for speeding.

Smith said 91 warning tickets were issued during February.

The council Monday also added to the city's insurance coverage by purchasing from Joe McMullan Insurance an umbrella over the city's current $300,000 limit on liability to increase the liability to $1 million. Premium for the additional coverage is $500, McMullan said.

Councilmen also ordered coverage for themselves to the tune of $1 million each at a cost to the city of $1,200 for three years. It would provide coverage in the event an elected official of the city were sued individually for his or her action as a city official.

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plans for the area concerned some council members Tuesday, but did not change any votes. Originally D'Spain indicated to the council he planned to operate the mobile home park by renting spaces.

Subsequently, however, he told the council he plans to sell individual mobile home spaces within the park.

Cowan said Tuesday he would have voted against the zone change originally had he known spaces were going to be sold individually. He voted for the change Tuesday with reluctance, he said, a major factor in making the decision was pointing out the fact D'Spain had invested considerable money on the basis of the council's original act.

That fact also concerned Russell Zigler, one of the neighbors of the mobile home park who did not object originally. "If that is the intent, my wife and I want to change our position," he told the council. "If (the park) is to be broken up and sold (as individual spaces), we're against it."

Zigler, a former councilman, had written a letter supporting the change of zone.

Council members Clint Dowell, Tommy Kindla and Ross Bailey joined Cowan in voting for the zone change. "The decision was made months ago," said Dowell.

Grant's justice office moved to city building

Peace Justice Tom Grant of Precinct 4 will move his justice office to the Bandera Municipal Building where he offices as municipal judge, leaving the office he now shares with Precinct 1 to Justice Bonnie Towers.

The Bandera City Council Monday night gave approval to the move. County commissioners had considered it in executive (secret) session earlier in the day, but took no action in open session.

"As you know, the justices of the peace for Precincts 4 and 1 share the same room in the Law Enforcement Center," Mayor Wilvie Smith told council Monday. "County Judge (Tommy) Curbo called and they would like to separate them (Justices Grant and Tower) for reasons of privacy.

"He requested that JP 4 (Grant) be allowed to use (his city office) as justice of the peace office," Smith said.

Grant is both justice of the peace and Bandera municipal judge. Council members unanimously approved the move.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Larry Town, Medina; Vickie L. Stevens, Tarpley; Coen M. Sutherland, Medina; Lindy L. Padgett, Utopia; and Laurence A. Hein, Bandera.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley R. Stevens Jr. of Tarpley announce the arrival of a boy born March 10 at 7:22 p.m. in Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital.

—Temperatures

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Wednesday, March 7	71	30	
Thursday, March 8	79	34	
Friday, March 9	77	54	
Saturday, March 10	75	60	
Sunday, March 11	65	59	1.6
Monday, March 12	88	51	
Tuesday, March 13	88	47	

Rainfall so far this month: 1.69 in. Rainfall so far this year: 4.65 in.

Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Co-op. Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

Calendar

Today, March 15

Golden Agers, 2 p.m., Bandera Methodist Church.
Bandera Daughters of American Revolution Chapter, 2 p.m.
Rio Hondo Extension Homemakers Club study group, 2 p.m.
Friends of the Library, 3:30 p.m., Bandera County Library.
Committee plans Funtier Days, 6 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Bandera Lodge 81, 7:30 p.m., American Legion Hall.
Medina Volunteer Fire Department, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.

Friday, March 16

Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Saturday, March 17

Medina River Ranch Association workday, 8:30 a.m.
Medina Bobcat Relays.

Monday, March 19

American Association of Retired Persons Fun Days, noon, Legion Hall.
Ladies Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary to Post 9176, 2:30 p.m.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Lazy Oaks.
Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.

Tuesday, March 20

Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
Bandera County Artist, 7:30 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Lakehills American Legion Hall.
Bandera County Chamber of Commerce, 7:30 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.

Wednesday, March 21

Bandera American Association of Retired Persons, 2 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department bingo, 7 p.m.
Pipe Creek 4-H Community Club, 7 p.m., Community Center.
Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department training session, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, March 22

Heritage Genealogical Society, 2 p.m., Bandera County Library.
Bandera Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, 2 p.m., Tobin Ranch.
Lakehills American Legion Post 410 and Auxiliary monthly meeting, 7 p.m., Legion Hall.

Bandera County Elections '84
Political Calendar
The Bandera Bulletin has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following people:
Bandera County Sheriff — Guy V. Pickett
Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gordon Nordlund
Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gene Ott
Bandera Co. Tax Assessor Collector — Marguerite Stevens
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — Bob Ashley (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — A.A. (Pete) Reed (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Jim Russell (D)
District Judge — 216 Judicial District — Robert R. (Bob) Barton (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — E. Bruce Curry (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — Joe Mike Egan (R)
State Rep. District 45 — Eldon Edge (D)

CAR Comments with Phil Martin

A TIRE BLOW-OUT — WHAT TO DO

We certainly hope this never happens to you, but it could, so let's discuss what and how to do should you experience a blow-out. Depending on whether it is a front tire or back tire, you will have different reactions. Should a front tire blow out, the car will pull hard to the side of the blow-out. Stay off of your brake and try not to panic. The steering wheel will vibrate, but hang on tight and take your foot off of the gas. You will gradually slow down (again, with your foot off of the gas), so now concentrate on staying in your lane. This is important so as not to have an accident with vehicles in the other lanes. Slowly pull off the road.

If one of the back tires should blow out, the car will not pull hard to either side, but will vibrate and may cause a back and forth weaving. Treat this the same way as already mentioned.

FUEL SAVING TIP

Routinely check your tires. Radial tires will give you about one extra mile per gallon — but low inflation in your tires will rob you of this and even more. Low inflated tires will also wear out quicker and increase possible blow-outs. Check the recommended tire pressure requirements or with your mechanic if you're not for sure. Remember, SAFETY PAYS!

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FLOWERS, PLANTS, etc.: WITH Punkie Eckhart Camp
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Notices of church entertainments, bazaars, concerts, etc., where a charge or admission is made, lengthy programs, notice of church, resolutions of respect, and all other matter not news, will be charged for at regular rates.

Lakehills

Lila MacMillan — 751-3538

Thousand Trails expanding

Thousand Trails' Medina Lake Preserve manager, Steve Phillips, announced extensive expansion plans during an open house attended by county officials, business men and women and civic leaders.

Plans call for the construction of a 3,500-square-foot family center, complete with laudromat facilities and an arcade for the young; a face-lift for the Spetile Homestead which will be used as an adult center; extensive landscaping; a pavilion at the lake; and more recreational vehicle camping sites.

The preserve now has 179 sites, which aren't enough to accommodate members and their families during the peak summer season, says Phillips.

He introduced several of his key staff people. Thousand Trails has 40 permanent, year-round employees, and during the peak season Phillips predicts they will employ 80 to 90 persons.

The presentation was followed by a catered barbecue lunch from Thousand Trails snique "Chuck Wagon." Following the luncheon many guests toured the preserve and waterfront facilities by automobile.

Sgt. Turner honored

Staff Sgt. Ronald Turner, program director of the Ramstein Recreation Center at Ramstein AFB, Germany, has been selected as sound technician for 1984 USAF Entertainment Showcase.

Showcase personnel are selected as best singers, dancers, musicians, and technicians in USAF Europe.

The group will tour Germany, England, Greece, Turkey, Italy, Spain and the Netherlands putting on musical shows at Air Force Bases in these countries. Sgt. Turner attended Bandera High School and is the son of Silas and Louise Turner of Lakehills.

This 'n' that

On Wednesday, little Jessica Feriend reached 4 lbs. 6 ozs. and left the hospital with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Feriend.

Laura Norwood is recuperating at home now, after her hospital stay.

Marie Tomasini's sister Frances Payne of Fredericksburg is convalescing at their sister, Pauline's home in San Antonio after undergoing surgery.

The Monday Night Munchies gathered last Monday night for a buffet dinner.

Peace Justice Ed Jennings had a busy week showing his cousins around the area, they particularly enjoyed an evening at the Long Branch Saloon.

The Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department has installed burglar bars on the doors and windows as added protection prompted by the recent break-in.

Lo ise Ivy is still in ICU but she is resti g more comfortably.

It' sure great to see John Provan s out and about again.

Hard working group

Last week when Hermann Sons Bandera Lodge No. 81 asked members and friends to come down and help clean up the Park Road 37 site of their future lodge, they asked everyone to bring shovels, rakes and etc. But, good citizens, Travis Latham and Ken Grimm went one step further and arrived with a bulldozer and other heavy equipment. Housewife Jimmy Padalis saw a job to be done and pitched right in.

As we drove by this site Monday morning, we couldn't help but notice the transformation of vacant land becoming a park-like setting. Thanks to these 25 weary and sore workers, Lakehills has another asset on Park Rd. 37. Although the sun was absent, everyone joined in the fun when the picnic lunch was served.

Methodist women

Lakehills United Methodist Women met March 7 in the fellowship hall of the church with 17 members present. Mrs. Herman Murph and Mrs. Harold Ernst were guests.

Melissa Schneider, assisted by Alice Landblad, Jean Blanks and Alice Smart, presented a program entitled "We Are Yet A Part of the Mission Parade." It told of the organizations that preceded the UMW during the last 100 years and of their role in mission.

After a business session, refreshments were served by Irene Zigler and Blanche Lloyd.

MLBA elects

The MLBA semi-annual meeting was held March 8 at the Lakehills Civic Center. The meeting was preceded by a large and varied covered dish supper. Sixteen directors and 32 members were present.

New directors elected for a three-year term were Peggy Ashmore, Pam Elliott, Jim MacMillan Sr., Donna Mansfield, Dave Noble, and Joe Talk. New members announced were Bert Nickerson, Luvera Verstaft, Drew Knoll of Lakehills, and Judge and Mrs. Tommy Curbo, and Clark Woods of Bandera.

Panchita Thomson was elected an "Honorary Lifetime Director," the working 17th director, so to speak, an honor and unique distinction that is well-deserved.

Treasurer Polly Lawsen generated a lot of enthusiasm when she announced the mortgage balance is now down to a mere $2,500.

At the end of the meeting, a very surprised Mrs. Ashmore was presented with a beautiful plaque on behalf of the board of directors and members in appreciation of her initiative, creativity, and hard work as president. Ruth Caswell presented the plaque, as Peggy shared the first-time honor with her husband, Jud.

Mardi Gras theme to kickoff GG cookoff

The Mardi Gras Costume Party and Dance March 31 looks like it's going to be a lot of fun.

The dance will be preceded by a Carnival of French Food at 6:30 p.m. including prize-winning seafood, filet gumbo, cajun red beans, rice, and original French market bergnet donuts and coffee with chicory.

D.J. Jim MacMillan will spin jazz, Cajun, and all other kinds of great dance music at 9 p.m.

Judging of the best costumes will be at 10 p.m. with great New Orleans, French and Acadian cookbooks as prizes. Small floats with local kids or riders will throw beads, dubloons and other trinkets.

The cost is $2.50 per person if you come in costume or $3.50 without costumes.

This Mardi Gras celebration takes place March 31 at the Lakehills Civic Center. What a great way to celebrate Mardi Gras as well as lead into the spirit of our annual Great Gumbo Cook-off set for Sept. 22!

Legion St. Patrick's Dance

American Legion Post 410 will sponsor a 65th anniversary dance and celebration at the Lakehills Civic Center March 17, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Glenda Raye and her band will be playing for the dancing, and Bill Angell and his committee have worked very hard organizing this event. Everyone is invited.

Don't forget

Remember, March 31 is the American Legion Auxiliary's annual Plant and Bake Sale, as well as the day to get your household pets vaccinated. These events will be held at the Legion Post in Lakehills. Dr. Smart will be there from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m.

Lightning strikes twice

Elvin Munk, known as "Pappy," owner and operator of Pappy's Liquor Store on Park Road 37, had some good news and some bad news for this column this week.

Around 7 a.m. last Thursday morning, a break-in was attempted at his place of business. The good news? His alarm system scared the burglar(s) away.

Last Sunday afternoon, while Pappy was out, his mobile home beside his place of business was broken into and a .22 caliber rifle was stolen. The Sheriff's Department is investigating.

This might be a good time to remind everyone that we are, in a very real sense, the eyes and ears of law enforcement in our community. Whenever something out-of-the-ordinary occurs, the sound of a vehicle when it doesn't fit, for example, or a noise that doesn't belong, call 796-3771.

The folks who wear a badge in our community, and who spend their time patrolling our streets, would much rather make a "milk run" then drive aimlessly about, a mile or less away, while a crime is being committed.

Spaghetti supper slated

Be sure to mark your calendar now, so you won't forget the Spaghetti Supper and Bake Sale which will be sponsored by the students, parents and faculty of Faith Chapel Christian School on Saturday, March 31, from 3-7 p.m. All proceeds from the event will benefit the school.

In the face of the hue and cry about modern schools, and the quality of the present educational system, and the debate over prayer in schools, Lakehills can count itself very fortunate indeed, to have, right here in our midst, a school which fosters the kind of quality education we all want for our children. Not only do the students receive fully accredited class instruction and a well rounded physical education program, they have the added benefit of an appreciation of Christian ideals.

The school will have an Open House, so parents and students will have an opportunity to see the classroom, examine the books, talk with the students, and see for them-selves just what sort of educational advantage is offered right here in Lakehills.

You won't want to miss this.

New voting site

Approval by the U.S. Justice Department has been received for changing the Lakehills polling place to the Civic Center on Park Road 37, and voting will take place at the new location for the city, school and road bond voting on April 7.

The Lakehills Volunteer Fire Department in whose station voting has been conducted, asked school and county officials to find another site. A change in a voting site requires approval by the U.S. Justice Department.

88th birthday

Elizabeth Heisler celebrated her 88th birthday at her son's home at Lakehills , Adrin and Gladys Heisler. Relations of Mrs. Heisler and a host of friends gathered for a barbecue lunch. The evening was enjoyed just talking to Mrs. Heisler and visiting with old friends.

Mrs. Heisler did live at Pipe Creek and she has been a practise chiropractor around Bandera and Pipe Creek. She's been an inspiration to all her friends and family, always ready to help in way.

Her hobby is making dolls, one of which is shown with her.

White bass

The white bass are running at the north end of Medina Lake and fishermen say that this year's crop is good. Running from 2½ to 3 pounds, they are hitting on live minnows, jibs and small spinning lures.

Reliable sources at the lake say the unseasonably warm weather seems to have driven the fish into shallow waters and stimulated their run. With the lake about 20 feet below normal level, the shallows extend further into the lake than usual, thereby stimulating the bass even more.

Pop's Place reports a large number of fishermen out, with sales of spec rigs and beetle-spins brisk. Experienced fishermen anticipate an impressive harvest this year.

Senior Citizens

By Mary Worley

Driver needed

There is need for a driver for the senior citizens' mini-bus. Applicants must be responsible drivers, 55 or older, be able to pass a physical, and meet certain income guidelines. This involves trips to Kerrville, Lakehills, and Medina, as well as helping older citizens who need transportation for errands about the area. For information call 796-3781 or 796-4573.

Musical salute

Melodiers and interested singers who would like to be a part of the upcoming "Musical Salute to the Cowboy," are reminded to be at the center, Thursday afternoon, 5 p.m. for rehearsal.

Chordsmen Chorus

The mini-bus, with nine Bandera citizens, had an interesting Saturday evening, leaving Bandera at 5 p.m. for San Antonio. A stop for meal-of-their-choice at Luby's on the way to Laurie Auditorium, Trinity University, for an outstanding performance by the Chordsmen Chorus. This is the third year a group from the center has attended this annual event, and each time have found it well worth any effort. Each time it shows how satisfying it can be working and singing in a relaxed group. Of course our Melodiers can in no way compare with all those talented barbershop groups, but no doubt, they also started small. Attending this year were Mae Bachelor, Glyn Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dolle, Bill Hathaway, Mary Worley, Eva Butts, Mellie Weade, and Fanny Caffall.

Pancake breakfast

Do remember the pancake breakfast being planned for March 22 at St. Joseph Hall, hours 7 to 10 a.m. Plans are about complete and you can se promised a good meal. Just wai till you see the cooks. Any dou ts will vanish. Come and enjoy gett ng your day off to a good start by shaving an early meal with friends. Bring a neighbor or cousins.

We're very happy to see Emma Langford out again after a siege of miseries, and seeming to be much her cheerful self. It is so good to hear that Mack Joiner is home again, following a very long stay in the hospital.

Travelers

Some regular travelers have again been on the go. Recently returned from a few days in Las Vegas are Mr. and Mrs. Wilvis Smith and Glen and Pat Price. Pat's mother, Viola Sexton, was very glad to welcome them back, so she could again be off for an East Texas visit.

Plans for a spring plant sale in mid-April are progressing, thanks to your response, plus a lot of tedious work by Vernell, in potting, caring for, even moving in and out because of weather changes.

Birthday luncheon

Next week, March 20 is the regular birthday luncheon. With spring finally happening, and everyone cheered by the surprise rain on Sunday night, it should be a large gathering. If you have a March birthday, this is your month to come as a guest — no covered dish.

Stuntmen

Professional stuntman Dean Dawson has been telling San Antonio news media he plans to open a school for stuntmen at Bandera County's Mansfield Park this month.

"A bona fide, knock-'em, sock-'em stunt school located in nearby Bandera," said the San Antonio News last week.

Fee for the six weeks of intensive training is $2,000.

Dawson, 35, who said he performed feats in almost 30 movies and television shows, said students in the Bandera school will learn how to "get exploded" safely.

"Standing on a platform and getting exploded is the second hardest stunt," Dawson said. The hardest? Falling off a horse and being dragged, says Dawson.

Other techniques he promised to teach at the school include jumps and falls, fighting skills, fire handling and horsemanship.

But Rudy Robbins of Bandera, a colleague of Dawson's, said the stuntman won't give the course here unless he can interest at least 10 students in the venture. Both men and women, 18 years of age and older, are invited to enroll, says Dawson.

He sets only three requirements. First, the prospective student must have "the desire" to complete the school. Second, they must have a health certificate. "I want to make sure my students don't have any trick knees or pins in their joints," explains Dawson.

Lastly, they must have fully-paid-up insurance, the stuntman says.

Robbins, who The News called "one of Texas' most famous stunt artists," will help at the school as will Kelly Walton, who Dawson described as "the best stuntwoman in Texas and my wife-to-be."

Robbins said Dawson will rate the graduates at the end of the six-weeks course and give awards to the top grads, and the plans graduation exercises to be a demonstration of the skills of the graduates and the public is invited to witness that show.

Lakeshore

Floyd Portman — 796-4112

New correspondent

Due to illness in Dell Lackey's family, she will not be able to write the Lakeshore News.

Floyd Portman will take over the news and we are asking all the residents to help him by calling Floyd when you have guests, take a trip, entertain and/or any items of interest around Lakeshore.

Visitors

Pat and Lillian Kingery from Kingsland visited Dell and Bethel Lackey Saturday evening. Lillian is Bethel's sister.

Christi Salinas and her sons, with friends Nanette and Mandy Mendiola of Freer, visited with Al and Bernice Smalley this past Wednesday. Ronnie and Betty Newman spent Saturday night with parents Dick and Deanie Newman. The grandchildren Bryan and Laura will spend the week with them.

Birthday party

John Portman went to San Antonio for the birthday party of Jojo Mayorga's daughter Mary Lou. They were regaled with many gourmet dishes. Over the weekend they were paid a visit by Jojo's daughter Margie and husband Mike Cotugno along with her son Johnny and friend Cindy.

Dart league

The Lakeshore Community Dart League has organized two teams. No. 1 team includes Joe, Joyce and Tom Sowell, Doug and Kathie Smith, Dick and Barbara Simons. No. 2 team includes Dorothy and Warren Hopkins, Chuck Hopkins, Gary and Rich Simmons, Bob Lewis and Don Jones. They will meet every Tuesday evening. More news as the teams progress.

Edith Buckner Edwards feted on 90th birthday

Some 300 persons honored pioneer Edith Buckner Edwards on her 90th birthday Saturday with a celebration at the Pipe Creek Community Center.

"The celebration certainly was worth waiting 90 years for," Mrs. Edwards said.

She was born near Tarpley and remembers with clarity people and happenings in Bandera County since 1900. She entered Tarpley school in 1900 and attended business college in San Antonio in 1910 and 1911.

She taught at Pipe Creek School from 1913 through 1915, at Taylor School near Utopia in the 1915-16 school year, and at Rocky Creek School near Medina in 1916-17.

She married in 1917 and moved to Pipe Creek where she has lived ever since except for a brief period when her husband, J.W. Edwards, was with the American Expeditionary Force in Europe during World War I.

Guests Saturday came from as far away as Houston, Dallas and Austin. The celebration was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Jay Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Mansfield.

Spring cleaning slated at the old jail building

A Spring Cleaning and Archives Work Day for the old Bandera County Jail has been set for Wednesday, March 28, at 10 a.m.

Members of Bandera County Historical Commission are urged to come armed with rakes, brooms, brush clippers, rags and sack lunches, Peggy Tobin, chairman, said.

Former County Clerk Olga Schmidt will be on hand to begin sorting and transporting back to the courthouse numerous old documents required by law to be kept in the clerk's office.

The documents were sent to the dead storage at the jail by mistake during the time the courthouse was being renovated in 1961.

The remaining old papers at the jail, of possible interest to genealogists and historical or legal researchers, will be put into better order with the help of Mrs. Schmidt, Mrs. Tobin said.

DAR to guide tours of Alamo City

Guiding and directing a bus tour of historic San Antonio is the assignment of the five-member delegation of Bandera Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution attending the DAR state meeting in San Antonio, March 15-17.

The delegation is composed of Peggy Tobin, Evelyn Rosentreter, Marge Langford, Margaret Evans and Jalene Dowell. Barbara Harrell of Vanderpool is DAR state organizing secretary.

The Bandera chapter will meet Thursday, March 22, at 2 p.m. at the Tobin Ranch.



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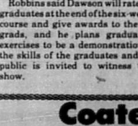
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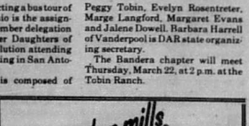
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Manager appointed of Mansfield Park

Phillip L. Parker of Pipe Creek, a county road maintenance employee, has been hired by the Bandera County commissioners to take over management of Mansfield Park.

He succeeds John Dexter who resigned.

He has been employed by Bandera County since 1982, coming here from North Carolina. He has on occasion been assigned to perform tasks at the park while working with the Bandera County road crew.

In the military service he managed recreational facilities at a military facility in Greece and helped coordinate athletic events and facilities at a military base in North Carolina.

Parker was picked from among three finalists for the job who were interviewed Monday by county commissioners. Other finalists for the position were James D. Bronson of Lakehills and William O. Vanderveer of Argyle, Tex.

He will begin his duties at the park immediately so that he can work with Dexter until his resignation becomes effective March 31.

Named chairman

Charles Graves has been named chairman of a project of Bandera's First Baptist Church to distribute New Testaments and to locate persons that are not members of a local congregation.

Called its Scripture Distribution/Prospect Discovery program, the effort will be conducted April 8. It is part of an effort by the Evangelism and Sunday School Divisions of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Processing chairman for the project is Nell Carr and publicity chairman is Anna Montague.

Clinic scheduled

A free immunization clinic for all children from two months of age through 18 years will be held March 27 in the school nurse's office at Bandera Junior High from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., the school has announced.

AARP

The Bandera Hills Chapter of American Association of Retired Persons will meet Wednesday, March 21, at the First National Bank Board Room at 2 p.m., with director's meeting at 1 p.m.

The topic of the program, to be presented by Kay Robinson, will be "Elderhostel," a fun and learning experience available to anyone over 60, provided by colleges and universities in all 50 states and a number of foreign countries.

The total package of Elderhostel accommodations include rooms and board in the regular student dormitories, instructors and special events of particular interest to the older students, and a chance to become better acquainted with the area of the school selected.

A copy of the massive Elderhostel catalog for Summer 1984 is available at the county library.

The Robinsons attended on Elderhostel week at LeTourneay College in East Texas last summer and have reservations for other week-long experiences for this summer.

As always, guests are welcome at the AARP meetings.

Good Turn Day

Saturday, March 17, is St. Patrick's Day as well as Boy Scouts' Good Turn Day, but you don't have to be Irish to help Scouts help handicapped people.

Just fill grocery bags with usable materials, mark them for "Scouts," then put them on your porch by 9 a.m., St. Patrick's Day. Scouts will pick them up and see they get to Goodwill Industries.

"The clothing, shoes, and small household items you put in the bags are the pot of gold that makes jobs and wages for handicapped individuals at Goodwill," says W.L. Williams of Goodwill.

"Please be a real leprechaun, Irish or not," he said. "Have your filled bags on your porch or at your doorstep by 9 a.m., Saturday."

Talent show 'successful'

By Beana D'Spain

The eighth annual talent show, held on March 9, was again a success.

The groups were judged in three different categories, large group, which consisted of six or more people, small group, consisting of two to five people, and the individual entries.

"La Cucaracha" was the theme played by the SPH class rhythm band, winning them a first place. The band consisted of Mary Jane Rodriguez, Lisa Gaines, Sandi Wilson, Tara Ann Stephens, Todd Wimpee, Mario Rodriguez, Matthew Myers and Christopher Gould. They were assisted by Mrs. Kathy Gardner and Mrs. Shelly Quarles. Second place went to Mrs. Rasmussen's second grade class for their version of the play "Soup For A King." Mrs. Graves' Kindergarten class placed third with their "Songs and Finger Games."

A tap dance called "This Little Piggy" won first place in the small group competition. The little "piggies" were Natalie Koehler, Melissa Schmidt, Ashley Doerfler, Melanie Schneider, and Kim Morgenstern, all of the second grade. Second place was stolen away by another tap dance, this time called "Stray Cats Strut." The three dancers were Lisa Wharton, fourth grade, Jennifer Wharton, and Julie Ruede, third grade. The third place spot was filled by yet another tap dancing routine. Tandy Clements, third grade, Colby Anderson, fourth grade, and Genie Clements, fifth grade performed to "Elvira."

First place in the individual category went to Kristi Henry, fifth grade. She did a dance routine to "Rock Around the Clock." Jeri Dawn Martin, fifth grade, did a vocal solo to "Summer of Roses" which won her a second place spot. Third place, performed by Todd Verciglio, was a dance routine to "Billy Jean."

Political announcements



Robert R. Barton



Katie Ruede

District judge

Judge Robert R. (Bob) Barton has authorized The Bandera Bulletin to announce that he is a candidate for re-election to the office of District Judge, 216th Judicial District, subject to the Republican Primary on May 5.

In announcing his candidacy, Judge Barton stated that he appreciates the honor of having served as judge of the 216th District Court since 1977, and his only promise is to continue serving in an impartial, diligent and conscientious manner.

(Pd. pol. ad., Joyce Barton, Campaign Treasurer, 604 Overhill Drive, Kerrville, Texas 78028.)

School board

Mrs. Gene (Katie) Ruede will seek her third term on the Bandera School Board in the April 7 election.

A graduate of McMurry College with a bachelor's of science degree in elementary education and a specialization in Physical Education in 1966, a master's degree in education from The University of Texas at San Antonio in 1982 and Mid-management Certification in 1983 are just part of my qualifications. Also, I have been a resident and taxpayer of this county for the past 12 years. Last, but not least, is the fact I am the mother of two children, Julie and Jim, who presently attend the Bandera Elementary School.

A background in education, six years experience as a school board member and the mother of two children in our schools should be ample reasons for running for the Bandera School Board, but it is not the whole picture. I believe that every individual owes to his or her community and country a certain amount of time or energy to make it a better place to live. I am committed to preparing young people to be productive citizens. I feel serving on the school board can best achieve this goal.

In the next few weeks before the election, I plan to run several ads expressing my stand on the issues facing our district. I am available to talk with any organization concerning my stand on the issues and I am always available to any patron who would like to call me.

Mrs. Gene (Katie) Ruede
(Political advertisement)

Weddings

Wood — Turner

Ada Elizabeth Wood, daughter of Alvis and Katrina Wood of Bandera, and Glenn Alan Turner, son of Gale and Leeanna Turner of McClave, Colo., were united in marriage March 3, in St. Mary's Catholic Church in Brownwood. Rev. Francis R. Vanhee CICM performed the double ring ceremony.

Bronze candelabras were set upon each end of the alter table, behind which set fan-shaped candelabras. These were accented with white candles, greenery, and cotillian blue silk flowers.

The bride, given in marriage by her parents and escorted by her father, wore an Alfred Angelo formal gown of white taffeta, featuring a Victorian neckline with a fitted bodice and lacy overlay. The off-shoulder gown was accented with sequins and seed pearls on the neckline and tierid lace sleeves.

The full bouffant skirt fell softly into a chapel train outlined in matching lace. The exclusively-designed veil featured a full-length, double-tier bluish illusion falling from a bandeau headpiece of lace and seed pearls. The bride carried a cascading bouquet of white roses, blue carnations, and greenery with accents of white and silver lace.

For luck the bride had a penny of her birth year in her shoe, a 75-year-old solid gold ring of her late grandmother, Minnie Bea Harrell Lovelace, a new pearl necklace, gift of the groom, pearl earrings borrowed from the matron of honor, and a blue garter.

Amy Hazlewood Barley of Stanton was matron of honor. Diana Wood of El Paso, cousin of the bride, and Donna Turner of Amarillo, sister of the groom, were bridesmaids. The ladies wore identical floor-length gowns of cotillian blue and carried bouquets of white roses, blue carnations, white daisies and greenery accented with silver ribbon.

Joan Turner of Stephenville presided at the register table.

The groom, groomsmen and ring-bearer wore identical silver tuxedos accented with blue Durango ruffled shirts. Each groomsman and the ringbearer wore blue carnation boutonnieres, while the groom wore a white rose boutonniere.

Shelby Barley of Stanton, served as bestman. Groomsmen included Bob Reddell of McClave, brother of the groom, and Mike (Slack) Jordan of Nolan. Ringbearer was Christopher Wood of May, nephew of the bride.

Ushers were Leonard Wood of May, brother of the bride, and Mike Stevens of Bandera. They escorted the bride's mother, who was wearing a mauve gown with matching jacket, the groom's mother, who wore a gray dress, and the groom's grandmother in a black and white dress. The bride's grandmother wore a formal gown of light blue.

Bernie Batto of Bandera provided the music. The processional was "The Bridal Chorus" and the recessional was "The Wedding March." Stacy Walker of Bangs sang "Lady" as the mothers were being seated prior to the bride's entrance. During the ceremony Walker and Cynthia Wood, sister-in-law of the bride, of May, sang duets of "Sunrise, Sunset" and "Just You and I."

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in St. Mary's Parish Hall. The bride's table featured a three-tiered white and blue wedding cake made by Noni Cavender of Ranger. The cake, served by Carla Adams of Sephenville, had a flowing fountain of matching blue water on the first layer. Topping the cake was a bride and groom center-piece which was first used on the 64th wedding anniversary cake of the bride's great-grandparents in 1957.

The centerpiece was made of mother-of-pearl and the original English lace intact. The table was decorated with Byrd's crystal candlesticks and basket, containing the bride's bouquet surrounded by the bridesmaids bouquets. Punch was served from a silver punch bowl, by Rici Wood of Orangevale, Calif., aunt of the bride.

The groom's table featured a chocolate cake, served by Debbie Finecy of Hutchinson, Kan., sister of the groom.

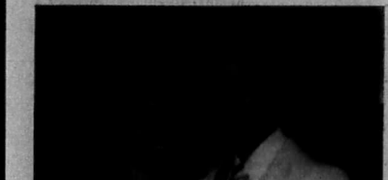
The hors d'oeuvre table featured foods served in matching crystal bowls and servers, prepared by Vella Rae and Eugene Pallette of May. Four-foot bronze candlesticks completed the decorations.

After the wedding trip to New Mexico, the couple will make their home in Rising Star. The couple, both 1983 graduates of Tarleton State University are employed, she at Republic Bank Brownwood and he is self-employed.

The rehearsal dinner was held at the home of Leonard and Cynthia Wood, of May. Guests were the wedding party, friends of the bride and groom, and out-of-town relatives.

On the day of the wedding, a bridal brunch was held at the home of Eugene and Vella Rae Pallette for the bride and her attendants.

A shower was held in February in the home of Peggy Hawkins of Brownwood.



Mr. and Mrs. Telvy Robbins have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Leslie Lynn, to John Michael Follett, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Follett Jr. of Sweeny.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Bandera High School and Southwest Texas State University, is presently employed with the Gonzales Independent School District as Junior High Athletic Coach.

The prospective groom, graduate of Sweeny High School and Brazosport Junior College, is a design draftsman with Phillips Petroleum Company. The couple is planning a June wedding.

Murray — Schaefer

Jean Murray and Randy Schaefer exchanged wedding vows in a double-ring ceremony on Feb. 11 at Grace Lutheran Church in Bandera. The Rev. J. David Doerfler officiated, with Jodi Holen providing the nuptial music.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and mother, Charles Murray of San Antonio and Bobbie Horne of Albuquerque, N.M. She is the granddaughter of Hazel Billings and the late Joe Billings of Bandera.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schaefer of Bandera. He is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Haegelin of Bandera.



Mrs. Randy Schaefer



Mr. and Mrs. Glen Alan Turner

The bride wore a floor-length gown of white chantilly lace with a fitted bodice and a sweetheart neckline with a high collar and bishop sleeves that fell into a chapel length train. The skirt was trimmed in six rows of four inch ruffles of chantilly lace and satin ribbon trim. Her veil was of white illusion accented with a Juliett cap with matching chantilly rose lace that fell over her shoulders to fingertip length.

In keeping with tradition, the bride wore an old diamond ring belonging to her grandmother, a new wedding gown and a white bible given to the bride by her aunt, borrowed diamond stud earrings belonging to the matron of honor and something blue was her garter.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Christine Wedgworth. Serving as bridesmaids were Joan Murray, Debbie Schott and Tammy Murray, sisters of the bride, and Luella Vanderveer. Cora Beth Vanderveer attended as flower girl.

Bridal attendants wore floor length burgundy gowns with sheer rose and burgundy overdresses with burgundy flowers and baby's breath in their hair.

The groom wore a white tuxedo to match the bride.

Rhea Kalka served as best man. Groomsmen were Charles Murray, brother of the bride, Randy Schott, brother-in-law of the bride, Henry Schaefer, brother of the groom, and Billy Bratton. Ushers were Wendell McMahan, cousin of the bride and Allen Calloway, cousin of the groom. Candlelighter was Johnnie Wedgworth.

The groomsmen and ushers wore burgundy tuxedos with white ruffled shirts trimmed in burgundy. The ring bearer was Christopher Giles. He was dressed in a white tuxedo.

The mother of the bride wore a rose floor-length gown and the groom's mother wore a cream colored dress.

Peggy Patton, cousin of the bride, served as personal adviser to the bride. Serving as hostesses at the reception were Elsie Schott and Candee Bybee, cousin of the bride at the bride's table; Leola Schaefer, sister-in-law of the groom and Nancy Stewart at the groom's table; Brenda Hutcheson, cousin of the bride at the bride's book and Gayle Patton, cousin of the bride at the food table.

A reception was held at the Recreation Center, Manafield Park where some 250 guests enjoyed tamales, cheese fondue and homemade bean dip. A cheers table and beverages were served and danced to the music of a country and western band.

The couple enjoyed a honeymoon trip to West Texas and now are making their home in Bandera.

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Tarpley

Weather

Light showers fell Sunday and Monday night, if we can call showery weather since easy are "dreary." In plant their gardens, since Easter isn't until April 22.

Achieve

The Tarpley Acteens will have a bake sale March 31 in front of Tarpley General Store. The purpose is to help raise money for their trip to the National Acteen Convention in July. Donations of cakes, pies and cookies will be needed.

Visitors

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A.B. "Skeets" Singleton this week are their son and family Richard and Donna Singleton and daughter Marci of Temple. Also Skeets' brother and family J.B. and wife Prisco City, Ala.

Youth

The Tarpley Youth Fellowship group enjoyed a trip to San Antonio Sunday afternoon. They attended the Dallas Haim Concert and went by Show Biz Pizza afterwards.

Those attending were Troy Padgett, Donna Kerr, Sheri Padgett, Linda Karr and Deiani Holt and their leader Jeanne Shinn.

Brown

Eva Mae Brown of Uvalde visited her son Bob Padgett and children Troy and Sheri Saturday and Sunday and attended church services at Tarpley Baptist Mission Sunday. Nice to see Eva Mae.

Services

The Tarpley Baptist Mission reports a wonderful service Sunday night, when Rev. Eugene and wife Garnet Branch of Tow, Tex. came to put on a special missionary program of slides on Indian mission fields they have worked in many areas of the United States. When Rev. Branch finished college he asked for mission work where no one else would go. Twenty-six guests were present and refreshments were served.

Guests

Guests of the Rev. Glenn Rhines Sunday night were Rev. and Mrs. C.E. Branch of Tow. They left Monday for home.

Hoods

Earl and Maris Hood enjoyed a week's visit with relatives last week. They spent Wednesday night at Kingsland with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cheatham, then on to Shepherd where they visited Earl's brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hood and Marie's sister Gladys Pettin and other relatives. Then they drove to Baytown visiting their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith and Steffani, and Edna Oliver at Baytown.

Dinner guests

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Erfurt and son David of Bandera were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Erfurt and daughter Marcia.

Birthday dinner

Among those attending the delightful 90th birthday celebration of Edith Buckner Edwards of Pipe Creek Sunday from our area were Rev. Glenn Rhines and Elsie and Nettie Dean and grandchildren Sara and Michael Dean. You couldn't believe all the folks who came to remember "Miss Edith" (as most of us always called her through the years.) She said she was really surprised so many came.

It was most interesting to meet and talk with Thomas Addison Buckner III of San Marcos, a cousin of Miss Edith's. He was a printer for his father T.A. Buckner years ago who once owned the Bandera New Era paper and it was sold April 1, 1921 to J.M. Hunter of Bandera. Many friends and relatives came from all over for this wonderful occasion. Barbecue and all the trimmings were enjoyed. A most happy birthday to a lovely and talented pioneer lady of Bandera County.

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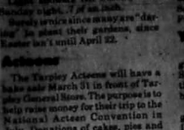

A Thought For The Week
By
John M. Grimes

Do you ever think how other people react to you upon meeting you for the first time? Do you project yourself favorably or vice-versa? We all know the importance of first impressions. They can be good; they can be bad. They can be the start of a friendship or they can nip a future friendship in the bud.

Have you ever thought how facial expressions contributes to first impressions? A smile can be so important. It can be warm with eyes sparkling or can be just a contraction of the facial muscles. A smile can be the difference between making a friend or a nodding acquaintance or even an enemy...

We are all aware that friendship is a very precious thing. We need friends in time of trouble just as we need them in our times of joy and pleasure. However, we sometimes forget that just as we find the first overtures difficult, so do other people find them equally hard. The rules of social behavior help us over these awkward moments. But couldn't it be said that it is our attitude, our willingness to be friendly, our interest in the other person that is the deciding factor? This is where the smile comes in. Oh yes, it can say so much more than words...

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Grace Lutheran Church
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GOOD NEWS

Some More "Excepts" Of The Bible Part 3

In the last two articles we called attention to some indispensibles that applies to building the church, the Kingdom of God, which are emphasized by the word "except." In addition to those we explore two more indispensibles.

STRIVING LAWFULLY

"And if a man also strive for masteries, yet is he not crowned except he strive lawfully." (II Timothy 2:5). The Revised Standard Version reads: "Unless he competes according to the rules." Thus a Christian must work and worship according to divine instruction. This instruction is found in the New Testament. When a thing is to be done, and that thing is specified, everything else is excluded. Some things are left to man's wisdom and discretion. Remember, it is just as much a failure to strive lawfully to make rules in such cases as it is to fail to observe divine rules.

EXCEPT YE EAT MY FLESH

"Except ye eat my flesh and drink my blood, ye have no life in you" (John 6:53). When Jesus said this He was not teaching cannibalism. Later, He took bread, blessed it, and said, "Take eat: this is my body," and regarding the fruit of the vine, "This is my blood..." (Matthew 26:26 28). He was in the flesh and His blood was flowing when He said it. Hence it is evident that these emblems were to represent His flesh and blood. If there was a process to change them into literal flesh and blood it would be sinful to partake. Christians are to abstain from "things strangled and from blood" (Acts 15:29). But to eat His flesh and drink His blood, as it is symbolized by the bread and the fruit of the vine in remembrance of His death upon the cross, stirs our deepest emotions.

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PEN in PAW

For, about and by students in Bandera schools.

In-hours contest, 'Chamber Music' results good



The cast takes a well-deserved bow.
...one-act play competition at 11:30 a.m. Saturday

'Chamber Music'

By Wendy Valdez

"Chamber Music," Bandera's entry in the district one-act play competition was performed for a large audience Saturday, March 10.

"I think the performance was a constructive one," said cast member Nancy Hayes. "Every performance we give is just a rehearsal for the next one, and I think we learn and progress each time."

Drama director Baird Neville added, "It was a good performance and we are right on target for district."

The next performance is March 14 for the school board and any other interested viewers. Then the cast will perform at district in the BHS auditorium, Saturday, March 17. The competition will begin at 10 a.m. in the following order: Smithson Valley, Cole, Randolph, Boerne and Southside.

"Chamber Music" will be performed at approximately 11:30 a.m.

The cast said it would appreciate support from the community as they compete for the District crown and the right to advance to Area competition.

OAP performer for Fine Arts Club

Tuesday, March 6, the one act play "Chamber Music" gave it's first public performance to the Ladies Fine Arts Club. Mr. Neville, the director of the play and drama coach, was pleased with the performance and also the reaction of the audience.

The members of the play hope to learn and improve each time the play is presented. They also appreciate the support given to them by the Fine Arts ladies.

The cast and crew were treated to cookies and punch after the performance.

—Nancy Hayes

Eighth graders win Devine track meet

Bandera's eighth grade boys won the Devine Track Meet Friday, March 9, with a total of 115 points while Bandera's eighth grade girls placed third in their division, seventh grade boys fourth and seventh grade girls sixth.

For the eighth-graders, Steve Murtan won both the shot put and discus. Ronnie Bain won the pole vault and Norman Moreno placed first in the long jump.

Moreno also finished third in the high jump and fourth in the 100-meter and 200-meter dashes.

Chris York finished second in both the 100-meter and 200-meter dashes. Brad Key was second in the discus and sixth in the shot. Paul Minor was second in the high jump and third in the 300-meter low hurdles, and Jeff Speckman won fifth in the long jump.

The team of Bain, Moreno, Key and York finished second in the 400-yard relay and Chris Mathews, Joe Baker, Brian Alanis and Speckman combined to win fifth in the 1,600-meter relay.

Shea Hicks won the triple jump, the high jump, finished fourth in the 100-meter hurdles and ran on the fourth-place 400-meter relay team to lead Bandera's eighth grade girls.

Erika Kluna won the shot put and second-place finishes were made by Shannon Walbrun in the triple jump and Liz Fernandez in the discus.

Fernandez also won fifth in the shot put, and Walbrun also won fifth place in the 100-meter hurdles and she ran with Tracy Johnson, Becky Walker and Cindy Fritache on the third-place 1,600-meter relay team.

Other eighth graders placing included Eve Elkins, fourth in the 800-meter run, Johnson sixth in the 100-meter dash, and Ruth Lynn Mazurek in the 400-meter run. Hicks, Kluna, Mazurek and Shannon Perry combined to win fourth in the sprint relay.

Here are the seventh grade boys who placed:

Brent Hoffer — 1, 100-meter and 200-meter dashes. Tony LeStourgeon — 1, Discus. Alfrado Richardson — 1, Low hurdles. 3, 100-meter dash. Bryant Youngblood — 5, High hurdles. Johnny Gonzales — 6, 1,600-meter and 800-meter runs. Manuel Hermuder — 6, 400-meter dash. Johnny Jones — 6, Discus and shot put. 400-meter relay — 3. Hoffer, Youngblood, Willie Bates and Richardson. 1,600-meter relay — 5, Gonzales, Manuel Bermuder, Jeff Cole and Larry Cardenas.

Here are the seventh-grade girls who placed:

Sharon Wehmeyer — 2, Triple jump. Jovvanne Meyer — 4, Shot put. Tasha Vander Zee — 4, Discus. Amie Nightingale — 3, 1,600-meter and 800-meter runs. Helena Robertson — 6, 800-meter dash. Sprint relay — 5, Barbara Graham, Mary Molina, Kelly Perry and Kristy Schindler.

—Karen Rizner

Chamber Music

"Chamber Music," the district one act play, will compete Saturday, March 17, at 11:30 a.m. This performance is open to the public and your support is encouraged.

Sandy Riedner

Bulldogs defeat Comfort

By Toni Byam
and Betty Richmond

With six returning lettermen leading the varsity boys baseball team the Bulldogs now stand with a record of 2-2-1. On March 8, they defeated the Comfort Bobcats, 10-3.

Junior Johnny Obiedo was the winning pitcher. The Bulldogs had nine hits, whereas the Bobcats were held to only three. Second-year coach Paul Banks said, "We are playing pretty good defense."

During a three-day Boerne tournament the Bulldogs suffered three consecutive defeats.

In the first game, the Bulldogs tied Hayes Consolidated, a Class AAAA school. However, the victory was given to Hayes because they scored first. Steve Parker was pitching.

After a short break, the Bulldogs faced another tough Class AAAA opponent. Fredericksburg handed Bandera a 9-0 defeat. Pitching this game was Kevin Parker.

Due to the loss of both of their games, the "Dogs played against Kerrville in the consolation bracket. Bandera suffered this loss with a 8-1 score. When asked about this Boerne tournament, Coach Banks replied, "We are just not winning."

This year's team is composed of mostly underclassmen, who are improving as the season progresses. The Bulldogs are to play at Pearsall, March 12, at 4:30 p.m. and at Hondo, Thursday, March 15.

Dogs track team

Last Saturday the boys Varsity Team travelled to Smithson Valley to compete against 38 teams, of which 80 percent were Class AAAA schools.

Senior Warren Clingon placed second in the discus throw with a throw of 141 ft., 3½ in. Delbert Ducheneaux, a senior, placed sixth in the 300-meter hurdles.

Track coach Tony Johnson said, "All and all, everyone did a lot better than they did in the first track meet, which was at Cole. We didn't do as well team-wise, but that was because it was a good Class AAAA track meet. Some of the teams were the best in the state."

The team's next meet is in Devine on March 24. "We're getting better every week so we should be ready by District," Johnson said.

—Nancy Herriott

Bandera in house

By Sandy Riedner

In preparation for District competition, the Bandera High School UIL department hosted an in house meet sponsored by the Optimist Club, March 10. An estimated 150 junior high and high school students participated.

This is the second annual in house meet, which offers everything from chemistry to duet acting. Judges of the events consisted of Optimist members and various other Bandera citizens. Plaques were given to the top three in each category.

The winners:

High School

Journalism

Newswriting — 1, Sandy Riedner, 2. Kathy Ryan, 3. Melissa Ross. Feature writing — 1. Toni Byam, 2. Sandy Riedner, 3. Seana D'Spain. Editorial writing — 1. Melissa Ross, 2. Michele Speckman, 3. Sandy Riedner. Headline writing — 1. Toni Byam, 2. Wendy Valdez, 3. Michelle Speckman.

Speech and Drama

Prose Interpretation — 1. Wendy Valdez, 2. Sandy Riedner, 3. Matt Kelly. Poetry Interpretation — 1. Wendy Valdez, 2. Sandy Riedner, 3. Janet Weber. Persuasive speaking — 1. Donald DeThorne, 2. Linda Karr, 3. DeAnn Adamietz. Informative Speaking — 1. Linda Karr, 2. Donald DeThorne, 3. Stacy Wedgeworth. Duet acting — 1. Sandy Riedner and Matt Kelly, 2. Janet Weber and Betty Richmond, 3. Donald DeThorne and Terry Hodges.

Math and Science

Number Sense — 1. Wendy Frazier, 2. Mike Hill, 3. Skipper Swonke. Calculator applications — 1. Wendy Frazier, 2. Ted Celis, 3. Billy Morris.



Ann Muller receives plaque from Richard Thornber.

...she won junior high impromptu speaking

Overall Science — 1. Wendy Frazier, 2. Ted Celis, 3. Derrick Berg. Biology — 1. Ted Celis, 2. Derrick Berg, 3. Billy Morris. Chemistry — 1. Wendy Frazier, 2. Mary Bolan, 3. Derrick Berg. Physics — 1. Mary Bolan, 2. Derrick Berg, 3. Billy Morris.

Spelling — 1. Karen Rizner, 2. Michele Speckman, 3. DeAnn Adamietz. Typing — 1. Seana D'Spain, 2. Patty Walker, 3. Phyliss Graham. Ready Writing — 1. Mary Bolan, 2. Lisa Vakey, 3. Gerald Boyd. Debate — 1. Keith Kindla, 2. Nancy Hayes.

Junior High

Number Sense — 1. Terry Skinner, 2. Karen Edwards, 3. Erika Kluna. Prose Interpretation — 1. Michelle Morrison, 2. Helen Neville, 3. Shannon Walbrun. Impromptu Speaking — 1. Ann Muller, 2. Jennifer Moore, 3. Marcus Johnston. Spelling — 1. Channon Cardella, 2. Yvette Pearson, 3. Jillina Moseley. Ready Writing — 1. Helen Nevi..., 2. Molly Hughey, 3. Shannon Walbrun. Calculator applications — 1. Selena Cook, 2. Erika Kluna, 3. Barbara Snow. Informative Speaking — 1. Channon Cardella, 2. Molly Hughey, 3. Barbara Hildenbrand. Earth Science — 1. Selena Cook, 2. Erika Kluna, 3. Molly Kluna. Poetry Interp. — 1. Wendy Lindley, 2. Jim Mormando, 3. Nicloe Swonke. Life Science — 1. Marcus Johnston, 2. Christi Schindler, 3. Terry Skinner.

The UIL Department would like to thank everyone who helped with the meet. This meet will aid the students as they compete in District March 27 and 31. The one-act play "Chamber Music" will compete Saturday, March 17, at the Bandera High School auditorium. Their performance will begin around 11:30 a.m. and the public is welcome. Show your support of these fine students as they participate throughout District.

Girls all-district basketball

Three BHS girls were named to the 1983-84 All-District Basketball Team. They are Tina Doebbler and Christine Caloss, first team selections, and Christine Fleming, second team.

Tina and Christine displayed outstanding senior leadership, good offensive play and loss of hustle, according to their coach. "Both girls were just great all season," commented Coach King. "With Tina as a forward and Christine a guard player, it was like nothing could stop them."

The coach called Doebbler the outstanding defensive player, best outside shooter, and second-leading rebounder on the team. She has lettered in basketball three years. Caloss was the team's leading rebounder. She averaged over 10 rebounds a game. She is also a three-year letterman.

It was quite an honor for Christine Fleming to be named to the second team as a junior. "She had a hot-hand with an average of 16 points a game," said Coach King. Christine played the post position on the team and is a two-year letterman.

—Randy McHaney

NHS attends Freedom Forum

This year's annual San Antonio Freedom Forum theme was "Critical Choices in the 80s." The Forum was held on March 7 in the Ruth Taylor Hall of Trinity University in San Antonio. Eight Bandera junior National Honor Society members attended with counselor Charles Graves.

The Freedom Forum is sponsored by The American Citizenship Center and is designed to develop citizenship responsibility.

The first speaker was Scott Appleton, a well-known athlete of the late 1950's and the 1960's. Appleton played football for the University of Texas and later professionally for Houston, San Diego and Cincinnati.

Judge Roy R. Barrera, the third speaker, is a native of Texas who, at age 31, is one of the youngest district judges in the state. He is a graduate of St. Mary's University School of Law.

The last speaker, Cynthia Joye Rowland, is a former TV reporter, producer, and anchor person. She gave up her television career in 1983 to establish the Bulimia Foundation of America to assist the 15,000,000 Americans suffering from eating disorders.

The forum staff has arranged this one-day program to hopefully bring lasting values in citizenship and personal responsibility to the young men and women attending. The staff hopes that these few young people will carry the message that they received back to their own schools.

—Toni Kunz

Honor roll

Bandera elementary school
Fourth six weeks

Fifth grade, "A" — Nikki Callahan, Bo Mansfield, Eric Schimandle and Jason Schneider.

Fifth grade, "A-B" — Tony Adamietz, Sharon Adamietz, Melissa Bridges, Leroy Brown, Tyler Cook, Crystal Ely, Lacey Fellers, Shayne Fellers, Teresa Guadarrama, Tricia Helmle, Kristina Henry, Deniella Lenz, Bari Leibowitzer, Cherith Mills, Kelli O'Keefe, Jeannie Paradee, Amy Thompson and Brian Youngblood.

Fourth grade, "A" — Colby Anderson, Joe Craven, Christine Jackson, Carrie McFarland and Lahree Pearson.

Fourth grade, "A-B" — W.B. Andrews, Melinda Burns, Cindy Calhoun, Sonya Causey, James Clifford, Shawn Edwards, Brad Floyd, Carrie Goode, Patricia Hamilton, Daisy Holcomb, Rachel Hoffer, Melissa Kinsey, Heather Koenig, Paul Mangold, Deana Mattiza, Wendy Matthews, Michael Mazurek, John Montague, Dustin Moore, Chanez O'Dell, Matthew Rae, James Robinson, Manny Sandidge, Donna Sandoval, Shelly Santos, Lori Schmidt, Micki Shelton, Heather Small, John Stroud, Stacy Wakeley, Angela Wilson, Kenneth Wilson and Gary Yates.

Movie reviews

Against All Odds — Showing at Northwest Ten and Galaxy.

This show is about an old pro football player who gets involved in finding his friend's girlfriend, who happens to be the owner of the team's daughter. Later he falls in love with her.

Two Bulldogs

Preppies — Now showing at Northwest Ten, Windsor, Century South, San Pedro Outdoor, Cinema Four Ingram Square, Mission Drive-In.

It concerns three preppies who are going to law school to become lawyers and their weekend which is complicated by three girls that are paid to keep them away from their books.

One Bulldog —John Cornelius

High School UIL Playing Contest

By Michele Speckman

Bandera Bulldog Band would like to invite everyone to the UIL High School Playing Contest, Thursday and Friday, March 15 and 16. All are welcome to come says director Tome Walters.

Thursday, bands will begin performing at 2:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium and play through 8:30 p.m. Friday is an all-day affair and will begin at 8 a.m. The Bulldog Band is the last band on stage Friday and will perform at 7 p.m.

Bands running from Class AAAA, all the way down to Class A will be performing at this contest. They will be from all over Region XI.

This is the contest which determines who does and does not receive the Sweepstakes Award.

The Bandera Band is up for this award for the first time in 10 years. It consists of receiving a Division I in both marching and concert.

Everyone is cordially invited to come and support the Bulldog Band!

ALS meet

Association of Legal Students met Thursday night, March 8, in the National Bank Board Room. Attorney Ron Jackson was the guest speaker.

Jackson spoke about his profession as a lawyer and of the different cases he has defended and prosecuted in both criminal and civil law.

Vicki Bates commented, "It was interesting to hear about some of the cases Mr. Jackson had represented."

The meeting was adjourned and followed by refreshments furnished by Mrs. Perkins. Our next ALS meeting will be in April, the date will be announced later.

—Michele Speckman

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FOR SALE—One (1) 1978 Mercury XR-7 Cougar with AM FM track stereo, auto-

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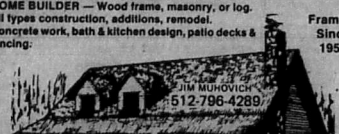

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—Card of thanks—

Thank you

Thank you Mrs. Marjorie Langford, Mrs. Betty Leighton and Mrs. Helen Edwards and for the nice dinner at Los Patios in San Antonio in honor of our March birthdays.
Mrs. Edith Edwards
Mrs. Grace Fisher
36-1tc

Thank you

Thank you family, kin, neighbors, friends and all the lovely children who came Sunday to give me that grand reception in Pipe Creek Community Center. It was worth 90 years living for! Mrs. J.W. Edwards
36-1tc

Thank You

Words cannot express the gratitude we have for the consideration and kindness shown da following Sandy's death. The community of Bandera showed through deeds and actions the deep-seated concern every community should enjoy. We appreciate it, Bandera. Thank you.
Rick and Dawn Young

Card of thanks

We want to thank our friends for the concern they had for me while I was in the hospital with a 5 by-pass heart operation for two months.
My daughter and my wife stayed by my side for the first 30 days. My wife continued staying the next 30 days with the encouragement of friends sending get well cards from Masonic Lodge, Bandera County Court, past and present Judge, Commissioners, Treasurer and County Clerk, Bandera H.D. Club, our Methodist preacher, church organizations and their prayers. Neighbors' help and concern, visitors, telephone calls, flowers and food were all appreciated. I am finally back home.
Mack Joiner
36-1tp

—Public Notices—

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BANDERA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of a certain Execution, #82CI-14095 issued out of the Honorable 166th Dist. Court of Bexar County, 13th day of February 1984, by David Garcia, District Clerk of said 166th Judicial District Court for the sum of three hundred ninety three dollars and fifty cents and costs of suit, under a judgement of said court, in favor of H.E. Mendez in a certain cause in said Court, No. 82CI-14095 and styled Marie V. DeLeon vs. Oscar V. DeLeon, placed in my hands for service, I, Guy V. Pickett as Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas, did, on the 15 day of February 1984, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Bandera County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: lots 7, 8, 19, and 20, Block 94, subdivision "G", of Avalon Ranch Subdivision on Medina Lake in Bandera County and levied upon as the property of Oscar V. DeLeon and that on the first Tuesday in April 1984, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Bandera County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said Execution I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Oscar V. DeLeon in and to said property.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Bandera Bulletin, a newspaper published in Bandera County.

Witness my hand, this 15th day of February 1984.
Guy V. Pickett
Sheriff
Bandera County, Texas
By Mel Lemons, Deputy.
35-3tc

Notice

I will not be responsible for any debts other than my own from this day forward.
Cliff Mattern 36-1tc

Public notice

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Monday, April 2, 1984, at 7 p.m. in the city municipal bldg. for purpose of rezoning the property located on Range 9, SW ¼ of lot 26 from a R-1 (residential) district to a B-1 (commercial) district. 36-1tc

Public notice

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Monday, April 2, 1984, at 7 p.m. in the city municipal bldg. for the purpose of rezoning the property located on Range 10 of lot 2 from a R- (residential) district to a I-1 (commercial) district. 36-1tc

(More public notices on Page 14)

The following resolution was adopted March 13, 1984 by the board of trustees, Bandera Independent School District:

WHEREAS: On January 31, 1984 we lost our beloved first grade teacher Marie Denise Walker, esteemed faculty member, and a valuable and respected citizen and,

WHEREAS: We of Bandera and surrounding counties have thereby lost a good and faithful friend,

THEREFORE: Be it resolved that we remember her kindly, that we hereby express our sincere condolence to the bereaved ones, that we furnish the surviving family a copy of this resolution, enter it in our minutes, and have it published in the Bandera Bulletin. 36-1tc

Saddle & Tack Auction
This is only a partial list.
Too many items to list.
Large selection of ranch saddles, some silver, some tooled, some plain, five (5) year guarantee on tree.
Pony saddles, bits, pads, blankets, Sun Beam clippers, ear clippers, head stalls, bridles, reins, ropes, show halters, leads, breast collars, girths, flank girths, Neatsfoot oil, tie straps, whips and spurs.
DEALERS WELCOME!
All items will be sold singly and/or in lots.
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION DE REGENTES)

The Bandera Independent School District Board of Trustees hereby gives notice of an election to be held on April 7, 1984, for the purpose of electing two trustees for a full three year term.

(Por la presente la junta de regentes del distrito escolar independiente da aviso que se llevara a cabo una eleccion el dia 7 de Abril de 1984 con el proposito de eligir dos officiales escolares por tres anos consecutivamente.)

ABSENTEE VOTING by personal appearance will begin on 19th, March, 1984, and continue through 3rd, April, 1984, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday. (VOTACION POR AUSENCIA en persona comenzera el 19th de Marzo de 1984 y continuara hasta el 3rd de Abril de 1984 desde las 8:00 a.m. hasta las 4:00 p.m. en todos los dias que no sean sabado, domingo, o dia oficial de vacaciones estatales.)

Absentee voting in person will be conducted at Superintendent's Office, Bandera High School, Old Highway 16, Bandera, Texas 78003. Applications for absentee ballots by mail should be mailed to Superintendent's Office, Bandera High School, Box 727, Bandera, Texas 78003. (Votando por ausencia personal va ser condocido acerca de la oficina del Superintendente, Bandera High School, Camino 16, Bandera, Texas 78003. Solicitudes para una boleta de ausencia por correo deben dar vuelta por correo al la oficina del Superintendente, Box 727, Bandera, Texas 78003.)

THE POLLING PLACES designated below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election. (Los sitios de votacion indicados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. el dia de la eleccion.)

Pct. No. (Num. de precinto)	Location (Colocacion)
1, 5, 7, 8	Bandera Junior High School, Bandera, Texas
2, 3	Community Center Bldg., Pipe Creek, Texas
4	Lakehills Civic Center, Lakehills, Texas

36-1tc

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION DE REGENTES)

The Medina Independent School District Board of Trustees hereby gives notice of an election to be held on April 7, 1984, for the purpose of electing three trustees for positions designated as Place 1, Place 2 and Place 3.

(Por la presente la junta de regentes del distrito escolar independiente da aviso que se llevara a cabo una eleccion el dia 7 de Abril de 1984 con el proposito de elegir tres regentes a cada puesto designado por numero uno, numero dos, numero tres.

ABSENTEE VOTING by personal appearance will begin on Monday, March 19, 1984, and continue through Tuesday, April 3, 1984, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday. (VOTACION POR AUSENCIA en persona comencera el lunes 19 de Marzo de 1984 y continuara hasta el martes 3 de Abril de 1984 desde las 8:00 a.m. hasta las 4:00 p.m. en todos los dias que no sean sabado, domingo, o dia oficial de vacaciones estatales.)

Absentee voting in person will be conducted at Medina Public School. Applications for absentee ballots by mail should be mailed to Mrs. Carleen Craddock, Medina Public School, P.O Box 1415, Medina, Texas 78055. (Votando por ausencia personal va ser condocido acerca de Mrs. Carleen Craddock, La Escuela Publica de Medina, Texas 78055. Solicitudes para una boleta de ausencia por correo deben dar vuelta por correo al Mrs. Carleen Craddock, La Escuela Publica de Medina, Texas 78055.)

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Pct. No. (Num. de precinto)	Location (Colocacion)
5, 6 and 9	Medina Public School
5, 6 and 9	La Escuela Publica de Medina

36-1tc

More Public Notices

NOTICE OF BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT #1 DIRECTORS ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
BANDERA COUNTY
TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED VOTERS OF BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT #1

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 7 day of APRIL, 1984, at the places, in the manner, and for the candidates for the office of said district, as set forth in the attached copy of an ORDER FOR DIRECTORS ELECTION, duly entered by the Board of Directors of said above mentioned district on the 7 day of March, 1984. Said attached Order for Directors' Election is made a part of this notice for all intents and purposes.

Jud Ashmore
President,
Board of Directors
Bobby Solomon
Secretary,
Board of Directors

AVISO DEL DISTRITO MUNICIPAL DE SERVICIOS PUBLICOS
ELECCION DE DIRECTORES

EL ESTADO DE TEXAS
CONDADO DE BANDERA

A LOS RESIDENTES VOTANTES CAPACITADOS DE BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT #1

TOMEN NOTA que se llevara a cabo una election el dia 7 de APRIL de 1984, en los lugares, en la forma y por los candidatados al puesto de dicho distrito, como lo indica la copia anexa de la ORDEN DE ELECCION DE DIRECTORES, debidamente asentada por la Junta Directiva del arriba mencionado distrito el dia 7 de MARCH de 1984. Dicha Orden de Eleccion de Directores anexa se considera en todo caso se parte de este aviso.

Jud Ashmore
Presidente,
Junta Directiva
Bobby Solomon
Secretario,
Junta Directiva
36-2tc

Public notice

The Voting Precinct #1, polling place which was located at the Lakehills Volunteer Fire Department building, has been changed by official Federal sanction, to the Civic Center located on Park Road 37.

This means that you will vote at the Civic Center instead of the Firehouse.
36-2tc

Order for Directors Election

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

On this the 7 day of MARCH, 1984, the Board of Directors of THE BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DIST. #1, convened in SPECIAL/REGULAR session open to the public with the following members present, to-wit:

Jud Ashmore, President,
Wilbur Bradford, Vice-President; Bill Mooney, George Wallace; Bob Solomon, Secretary,

and the following absent: None, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings had by said Board of Directors was the following:

Whereas on the 7 day of APRIL, 1984, there will be a directors election in this district.

Whereas this Board by order dated the 22 day of FEBRUARY, 1984, established the procedure for candidates who desire to file for said election;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT #1

1. That an election be held in said district on the 7 day of APRIL, 1984, for the purpose of electing to the Board of Directors of said District 3 BOARD MEMBERS

2. That said election shall be held at the following places DISTRICT OFFICE in said District, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election.

For Election at WATER DISTRICT OFFICE Building, in PEBBLE BEACH, LAKEHILLS, Texas, within said District with FRANK KERR as Presiding Judge, HELEN KERR as Assistant Judge and JEANE ANDERSON and CHARLA COOK Clerks.

3. The polls at each of the above designated polling places shall on election day be open from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 7:00 o'clock p.m.

LOUISE MAYS is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting, and CLYDE KELLEY are hereby appointed Deputy Clerks for absentee voting. The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at THE WATER DISTRICT OFFICE within the boundaries of the above named district and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at lease 6 hours on each day for absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:00 and 2:00 on each day for said absentee voting. The above described place for absentee voting is also the absentee clerk's mailing address to which ballot applications and ballots voted by mail may be sent.

4. The following named persons have duly filed as candidates for said election in accordance with the above mentioned order for election procedure in Directors Election passed by this Board, and their names shall be placed on the ballot for said election in accordance with a drawing held by the Secretary of this Board in the following order: Wilbur Bradford, Jud Ashmore, Bob Solomon.

5. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order once a week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the county on which the district is located. The first publication date is at least 14 days before the election.

6. The manner of holding said election shall be governed, as nearly as may be, by the Election Code of this state, and this Board of Directors will furnish all necessary ballots and other election supplies requisite to said election.

7. Immediately after the votes have been counted, the officers holding said election shall make and deliver the returns of said election and perform all other duties as provided by the Election Code.

8. It is further found and determined that notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting was posted in accordance with the terms and provisions of Art. 6252-17 at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of this meeting and that the terms and provisions of said Article 6252-17 have been complied with and copies of said postings and return shall be attached to this order and become a part thereof.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Board voted AYE: Jud Ashmore, Wilbur Bradford, Bob Solomon, Bill Mooney, George Wallace, and the following voted NO: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 7 day of MARCH, 1984.

Jud Ashmore
President,
Board of Directors of
Bandera County Fresh
Water Supply District #1
ATTEST:
Bobby Solomon,
Secretary 36-2tc



For a "Go-Go" shake, combine a small banana, 1/4 cup smooth peanut butter, 1/2 pint vanilla ice cream and a cup of milk. Whirl in a blender until smooth. Serves two.

Hospitality Seminar April 6

The second annual Hospitality Seminar for businesses in Bandera, who deal regularly with the public will be conducted Friday, April 6 at the First National Bank's board room.

The program is jointly sponsored by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce and the Community Development Committee of the Agricultural Extension Service.

The morning session will be from 9 a.m. until noon and the second will be from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m.

The seminar is designed to familiarize Bandera persons who deal with the public with the pertinent facts and courtesies important to generate return business from tourists, passers-through and local residents.

A fee of $2 per person will be charged to cover the cost of refreshments, handouts and other program expenses, Mrs. Edwards said. Attendance is by reservation only, and those interested are asked to make reservations by calling the chamber office, 796-4312.

Sabinal Canyon

Lillie Thompson — 966-5483

Revival

Baptist Church revival had a great start this Sunday morning with a house full. Bro. Tom Clawson brought the message and will be preaching through this week. Everyone is urged to come and bring a friend.

John and Brenda Journey and family came by promise of a letter, moved from Sonora to Utopia Baptist Church. We are happy to welcome them back.

Lewis

The entire community was shocked and saddened by a tragic accident Thursday morning, taking the life of Slick Lewis. He was born 1930 in the Utopia area and spent most of his life in and around the Sabinal Canyon. Slick was well known and loved by everyone, known for his love of horses, working on ranches, breaking, training, and shoeing horses here and many surrounding towns. He was buried Saturday in Jones Cemetery with Rev. Homer Stephen officiating.

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We regret to report so many folks ill. Eitole Rynn is in Sid Peterson for tests and will enter Hiramina Hospital, San Antonio, for three weeks of treatments.

Stella Fenley is in Medina Memorial Hospital again and very ill.

Tiny Boultinghouse has been back to San Antonio for a check up and to get straightened out on her medication. Best wishes for an early recovery go to each one.

Fire

The home of Adolfo and Mary Garcia was completely destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon, destroying everything they had. When a butane gas stove supposedly sprung a leak in the gas line and exploded, burning the house down before the Fire Department trucks could get there.

Guests

Weekend guests of Hamilton and Anna Pearl Gabriel were Mr. and Mrs. Toby Kendall and son of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cunningham of Goliad were visiting her mother, Nettie Schaefer, over the weekend and Baptist Church visitors on Sunday.

Visitors Mahlon and Ada Lee Chism on Tuesday was Mahlon's nephew Charles Rose of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schaefer and baby son Justin Michael of Helotes were Sunday visitors of his parents Bill and Pat Schaefer.

Donations

It was announced in church Sunday that boxes will be placed in churches and stores for any one who wishes to contribute clothing, food, or make donations to the barn out victims Adolpho and Mary Garcia.

Obituaries

Austin Earl Lewis

Austin Earl (Slick) Lewis, 53, of Utopia died Friday at his home in Utopia.

Survivors include his wife Betty Whitaker Lewis of Utopia; three sons, Butch Lewis of Houston, Bubba Lewis of Cameron and Glenn Lewis of Dallas; his father, Austin Lewis of Utopia; two brothers, Dock Lewis of Brackettville and C.G. Lewis of Utopia; a sister, Sue Donaghe of Utopia; and eight grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday at Jones Cemetery in Utopia with the Rev. Homer Stephens officiating. Pallbearers were Bud Thompson, Elby Hutto, Dutch Oliphant, Dugie Mobley, Lonnie Bomer, George Bowers and James Langlinais.

Jim Mark Mitchell

Jim Mark Mitchell, 69, of Valley Springs, Tex., died Monday.

Born in Bandera County on Feb. 2, 1915, he married Hettie Wood on Dec. 23, 1944, in Kerrville.

Survivors include his wife, Hettie Mitchell of Valley Springs and a sister, Frankie Green of Eden.

Services were Wednesday at Grimes Funeral Chapel in Bandera. Pallbearers were Arthur Erfurt, Leroy Erfurt, Wayne Moore, Billy Ray Wood, Johnny Parma, Johnny Geuea. Burial was in the Bandera Cemetery.

Thelma T. Keene

Thelma T. Keene, 86, of Bandera died Sunday in Brooke Army Medical Center.

Born in Washington, D.C. on July 31, 1897, she was a member of St. Stanislaus Catholic Church.

Survivors include her husband, Henry W. Keene Jr. of Bandera; and two nieces, Zita E. Membert of Silver Springs, Md., Mrs. R.W. Shropshire of Monord, Wisc.

Funeral services were Wednesday, March 14, at St. Stanislaus Catholic Church, with Monsignor Ralph Smith officiating. Burial was in Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio.

Alta Byttlo

Alta Lucille Byttlo, 71, died Saturday at her home in Lakehills after a short illness.

Survivors include her husband, Don Byttlo of Lakehills; four daughters, Sue Kathryn W. Hington of Porter, Constance L. Green of Houston, Jean Lewis of Kerrville and Beth Carliale of Ace; two sons, William Robert Reldus of Corpus Christi and Lewis Redus of Houston; a sister, Mrs. Charles H. Dillman of Westhoff, a brother, W.R. Lester of Lakehills; and her mother, Alta S. Laster of Westhoff.

Services were held Tuesday in Cuero and burial was in Westhoff Cemetery.

Purple Hills — Shaun Wedgworth

Services

Rev. Harvey W. Hulse of the First Baptist Church of Sandia and for his text Sunday afternoon, I Corinthians 1:18,. "The Wonderous Cross."

A special song, "Amazing Grace" was sung by Amy Stevens, Jeanelle Kaika, Bobbie White and John White.

Those registering were John and Bobbie White, Ruth Mansfield, Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Hulse, Doris and Carter Beach, Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Eva Freeman, Jeanelle Kaika, Joe Baker, Della Mae Cox and Amy Stevens.

Visitors

Shannon and Charles Kneuper visited their great-grandmother Elsie Seale and their great-aunt Donna Mayfield.

The Rev. David Dodge of Utopia visited friends last Tuesday.

Ann Neal from Pipe Creek came by for a visit with Gertrude Werner.

Cynthia Mayberry's daughters, Bertha Allerr of Medina and Artie Leggett of Ft. Worth, came by Tuesday and took her out for lunch and a nice drive.

Lee and Ella Moseley of Kerrville visited their uncle, Henry Lewis, and Donna Mayfield.

Thanks to the family of Bill Jenkins for sharing the beautiful memorial flowers and to Becky, Garner, and Landon Peterson for bringing them to us. Our sympathy to all his loved ones.

Gertrude Moore had a delightful day March 6 when she celebrated her birthday with a pretty cake, flowers, presidential greetings and birthday wishes from Gov. White.

The Rev. William Mc[illegible] of the First Baptist Church of Medina visited his friends and brought them some Church bulletins.

Afternoon singing

Residents enjoyed the ladies from Hill Country Chapel of Pipe Creek when they came Wednesday afternoon to sing. Those registering were Gwynette Lackey, Darlene Marks, Cindy Jacux, Judy John and Kevin, Margie Shantz and Justin, Monica Wilson and Melissa, Jackie Blakemore and Helen Wenzel.

More visitors

Mae Armstrong's brother Laurence Edwards and niece Lema Lynd came by for a nice visit. Other visitors were Mae's son and wife Sam and Lois Armstrong.

Roy Leslie Jr. and Roy Leslie III visited their mother and grandmother Lillian Bush.

Lorene Bialkowsky of Kerrville visited her sister Ruth Batto.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Tanner of Lakehills visited his mother, Ruby Tanner, Thursday afternoon.

Thanks to Mr. Keene for the nice magazines.

Betty and Wes Wallace of San Angelo visited her father, Rudy Hardebeck.

Nathan, Jordan, Louis and Sandy Vannatter of Medina and B.H. Stokes of San Antonio visited Maude Stokes.

Ernest Rainey's visitors last week were his wife, Mrs. Rainey, son David Rainey and grandson, Dexter.

Aggie Batto visited Annie Kollaus and Ruth Batto.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited friends and took Jack Holloway and Cynthia May-Berry to services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Hughes and Sarah Spalding and her brother Joe visited Ethel Pett.

Myrtle Heinen's granddaughters Nancy Crist, Debra Moody and Reba Williams and Casey Faris of San Antonio visited her last week.

Reyna, Chad and Billy Craddock visited Elsie Seale and Donna Mayfield.

Ed Merris visited his mother Mildred Woltersdorf Monday morning.

Ervin Heyen of Pipe Creek visited his mother Hulda Heyen.

Cousin dies

Mrs. John G. James returned Sunday from Normanna where she spent several days with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Rabe, following the death of their son, Marvin Rabe, last Wednesday.

Funeral services were held for Rabe at Beeville last Friday. In addition to his parents, he is survived by his wife, Pauline Rabe of Tuleta, two sons, two daughters, five grandchildren, and a brother, Hubert Rabe of Comfort.

Medina youth places in San Angelo

Three Medina youth won awards at the livestock show in San Angelo last week.

Robert Ashley exhibited the third-place pair of ewes and the fifth-place ewe lamb and placed third in the calf scramble. He also placed sixth among individuals in livestock judging.

Kristina Ashley's pair of sheep placed third and her ram placed fifth.

Jack Huie placed fourth in the calf scramble.

Wedding shower

A miscellaneous wedding shower will be held honoring Merrill Adams Angermiller and husband Ray Marvin Angermiller at the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church March 26 at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Medina menu

March 19-23

Monday: Sausage, scalloped potatoes, hickory peas, fruit, rolls and milk.

Tuesday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, fruit, rolls and milk.

Wednesday: Chalupas, salad, corn, fruit and milk.

Thursday: Roast, mashed potatoes with gravy, green peas, fruit, bread and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Pipe Creek — Nancy Ibach

A few brush fires were extinguished this past week. Firefighters ask that you watch out while burning, just because the brush is dry and the winds can take a controlled burn out of control in seconds.

A barbecue benefiting the VFD is coming up May 19 and 20, and it promises to be the best yet. Good food, brisket and sausage with all the trimmings will be available along with plenty of cold drinks, a country store and much more, organizers say. Mark this date on your calendar for a good time with friends and neighbors.

The next regular meeting of the department will be April 4. "It is your fire department," says Richard Hines. "Your time and money is what keeps it operating. If we all pull together, it will continue to operate in the future as it has in the past," he said.

Party

Much barbecue and trimmings was put away Sunday, March 11, when family members gathered to celebrate Cora and Charles Densford's 52nd anniversary and Tom Densford's 28th birthday.

Bucky and Ellie Densford hosted the party at their Madrona Ranch place.

From San Antonio came George and Nena Allen, and Henry and Lucille Giano, Dee Fender, Jenni and Jodi Fender of Helotes, Julia Swanson and Bear Carlson with their children Heather and Alex from Houston, also Steve and Susie Densford of Pipe Creek.

Community Wolf Club

The Wolf Club has started off its new year with a big bang. Just in the past month they have killed six Russian dogs and four adult female coyotes.

One of the coyotes was at Dewitt Leibold's here in Pipe Creek, two of them were caught south of Bandera on Arnold Haegelin's place, and the others were just northwest of Bandera, says Bob Mansfield a spokesman for the club.

I for one am glad they are keeping us informed and aware of the coyote situation. You know the coyotes will and do take a great toll of the game and livestock if they are not controlled. So keep up the good work.

Chili cookoff

Don't forget the fourth annual PC Chili Cookoff April 14 at Tony's Chat and Chew. For more information, please contact Johnnie Newcomer.

Firefighters meet

The regular meeting of the Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department was held Thursday. Many thanks were given, to the ladies auxiliary who paid for the cost and installation of ceiling fans for the firehouse.

Members voted to buy a water holding tank to be installed at the firehouse. This will eliminate the problem of going to Heisler's crossing or English crossing only to find them too dry to draw water to fill the trucks.

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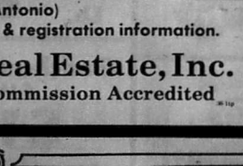

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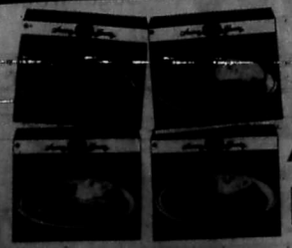

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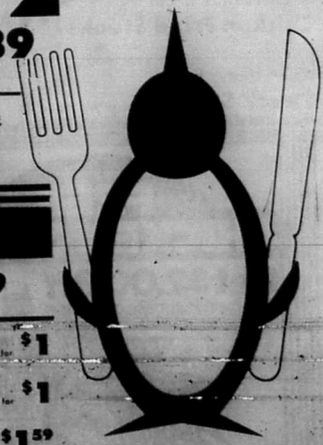

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Boneless **Pork Steaks**	lb. $1.59	Rath **Pork Links**	8 oz. pkg. 89¢	New Braunfels Wurst Beef **Summer Sausage**	lb. $2.39
Fresh Waste Free **Pork Cutlets**	lb. $1.98	Louis Rich **Turkey Franks**	12 oz. 79¢	New Braunfels Wurst **Rope Sausage**	lb. $1.89
Market Ground **Pork Sausage**	lb. $1.39	Louis Rich **Turkey Bologna**	8 oz. 79¢	Market Ground **Chorizo**	lb. $1.39
Rath Hot or Regular **Pork Sausage**	1 lb. roll 89¢	Louis Rich • Variety Pack **Turkey Pack**	12 oz. $1.69	Decker's By The Piece **Kornkist Cervelat**	lb. $1.59



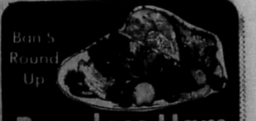
Beef Ribs $1.59



Lunch Meat $1.79



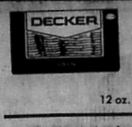
Meaty Pork
Spare Ribs $1.09



Boneless Ham $1.89



Boneless
Flounder Fillets
lb. **$1.49**



Deckers
Sliced Bacon
12 oz. pkg. **$1.39**



Kraft Sliced American
Cheese Singles
12 oz. **$1.79**

Deckers Heat n' Eat **Chicken Fried Steaks**	lb. $1.69	Roegelein Ends & Pieces **Bacon**	3 lb. box $1.79	Beef **Finger Ribs**	lb. 89¢
USDA Heavy Beef **Chuck Steak**	lb. $1.69	**Save 5¢ per lb. on our Family Packs!**		Ready to Barbeque! Seasoned Beef **Finger Ribs**	lb. $1.09

FREE CHICKEN OFFER

Get $2.00 Off Your Next Purchase of Chicken



Here's How:

Buy one bottle of 44-oz. Heinz Ketchup®; one bottle of Mazola® Corn Oil, 24-oz. size or larger; one 2-lb. package of Ore-Ida Golden Fries® or Golden Crinkles® and chicken (any amount).

Just send proofs-of-purchase and this certificate and we will mail you a certificate worth $2.00 toward your next purchase of chicken. See full details on certificate.

MAIL-IN CERTIFICATE

FREE CHICKEN



Heinz Ketchup	44 oz. $1.79
Mazola Corn Oil	48 oz. $2.59
Ore-Ida Potatoes*	*regular or crinkle 2 lb. 99¢



"Cents-Saving" Grocery Buys!



Potato Chips
Ruffles
Reg. $1.39 size **$1.09**



6 oz. Can Chicken of the Sea
Tuna
69¢
Tuna Noodle Helper assorted 97¢



Big Roll Hi-Dri
Paper Towels
2 for $1

Kelloggs **Frosted Flakes**	25 oz. $2.39			Purina Seadog **Dog Food**	4 lb. $2.29
Real Lemon **Lemon Juice**	24 oz. 99¢			Downy • 40% Off **Fabric Softener**	64 oz. $2.19
Maryland Club **Instant Coffee**	8 oz. $2.99			Sofa **Clear Cups**	9 oz. 20 ct. 79¢
3 Pack- ¼ lt. **Hi-C Drinks**	89¢			Pine Sol **Liquid Cleaner**	28 oz. $2.29
Del Dixie **Whole Dill Pickles**	32 oz. $1.19			Delight **Dog Food**	15 oz. 4 for $1
Welch's **Grape Juice**	40 oz. $1.59			Convenient **Liquid Drano**	32 oz. $1.39
American Beauty • Assorted **Noodles**	12 oz. 65¢			Windex **Window Cleaner**	32 oz. refill $1.29
Jello • Assorted **Instant Pudding**	3½ oz. 2 for 89¢			Coronet • Big roll **Paper Towels**	each 69¢
Quick n' Easy **Adolphus Rice**	28 oz. 79¢				





• Blueberry • Apple • Cherry
Muffin Mix
each **$1.19**

Rosarita

Rosarita Refried Beans	16 oz. 39¢
Rosarita Picante Sauce	16 oz. $1.09
Rosarita Spicy Refried Beans	16 oz. 39¢



15 ½ oz. can
Honey Boy
Pink Salmon
$1.79



12 oz. jar
Jif
Peanut Butter
99¢



1 lb. can
Maryland Club
Coffee
$2.29



4 roll pkg
Coronet
Bath Tissue
97¢



FREE MILK
MAIL-IN-OFFER
from OREO® Cookies and NESTLÉ® QUIK® Chocolate Flavor
See store display for details.

Oreo Sandwich Cookies	19 oz. $1.76
Nestles Quik	2 lb. box $2.79



KLEENEX SAVINGS!

Kleenex Facial Tissue	175 ct. 79¢
Kleenex Facial Tissue	white or asst. 250 ct. $1.09
Kleenex Boutique	100 ct. 69¢

BAKERY SPECIALS



Rainbo **Honey Grain Bread**	1 lb. 79¢
Earth Grain **French White Rolls**	99¢
Rainbo Multi Pack **Little People Snacks**	79¢
Butterkrust **Grainola Bread**	1½ lb. 99¢
Butterkrust **Wheatberry Bread**	1½ lb. 99¢

Super Buys...

Bluebonnet **Light Spread Margarine**	lb. $1.69	Renown Cut **Green Beans**	303 can 3 for $1	Carnation **Evaporated Milk**	tall can 49¢	Detergent **Super Suds**	giant $1.29
Wishbone • French • Italian • 1000 Island **Salad Dressing**	8 oz. 79¢	Renown **Tomatoes**	303 can 2 for $1	Sanka **Instant Coffee**	9 oz. Bonus jar $4.69	Detergent **Tide**	giant 25¢ off $1.99
Pace **Picante Sauce**	8 oz. 79¢	Pride of Illinois **Whole Kernel Corn**	303 can 2 for $1	Coffeemate **Coffee Creamer**	16 oz. $1.89	Crisco **Shortening**	25¢ off 3 lb. can $2.49
Gebhardt **Hot Sauce**	8 oz. 3 for $1	Ranch Style **Blackeye Peas**	300 can 39¢	Hormel **Spam**	12 oz. $1.49	Velvet **Bath Tissue**	8 roll $1.39
Tree Top **Apple Juice**	2 pack 97¢	Contadina **Tomato Sauce**	8 oz. 4 for $1	Swift **Potted Meat**	3 oz. 3 for $1	Velvet **Facial Tissue**	150 ct. 2 for $1
Dole **Pineapple Juice**	46 oz. $1.19	Gold Medal **Flour**	5 lb. 99¢	Ramen Pride • Assorted **Oriental Noodles**	3 oz. 5 for $1	Velvet **Paper Towels**	Big Roll 2 for $1
Rich n' Ready **Orange Drink**	qt. $1.19	Pioneer **Flour**	5 lb. 89¢	Sno • Brite **Rice**	28 oz. 59¢	Lea **Saltines**	16 oz. 59¢
Orchard **Orange Drink**	64 oz. $1.09	White Wing **Tortilla Mix**	8 lb. $2.99	Purina **Dog Chow**	35 lb. bonus $7.99	Leadway **Vanilla Wafers**	12 oz. 69¢
New Era **Soda Pop**	2 lt. 89¢	White Wing **Corn Tortilla Mix**	1 lb. $1.49	Lone Star **Dog Food**	20 lb. $3.49	*More in every aisle!!!	

STUDS

TREATED YELLOW PINE

Fresh, Crispy and Tasty!!



US No. 1 Large California Ruby Red

Grapefruit

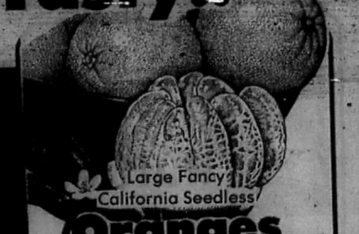
3 for $1



Chilean Sweet Thompson Seedless

Grapes

99¢ lb.



Large Fancy California Seedless

Oranges

3 lbs. for $1



California Crisp Green Pascal

Celery

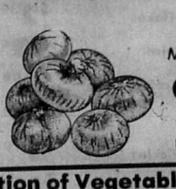
large stalk 59¢



US No. 1 Texas Fresh Crisp

Carrots

1 lb. bags 39¢



US No. 1 Colorado Medium Yellow

Onions

lb. 39¢

Plant Now For Spring Gardens! Wide Variety! Complete Selection of Vegetables; Flowers!

Bedding Plants

Tray of Six 89¢



US No. 1 Red

Watermelon 25¢



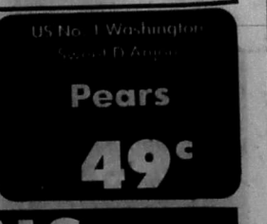
Large Sweet

Pineapple 79¢



US No. 1 Sweet

Melons 49¢



US No. 1 Washington

Pears 49¢

BAKERY & DELI SPECIALS

Fried Pies	5 for $1	Bologna Ham	lb. $1.99
Empanadas	6 for $1	American Cheese	lb. $2.99
Danish Squares	4 for $1	**Breakfast Specials Served 7AM-10AM**	
Italian Bread	2 for $1	• Scrambled Eggs Ranchero Refried Beans • 2 Flour Tortillas	99¢
Pan Frances	2 for $1	• Pancakes Sausage or Bacon	$1.19
Carrot Cake	each $3.99	**Lunch Specials 11AM-2PM**	
		• Fajitas • Pinto Beans Rice • Salad	$1.99
		• Chicke Nuggets Order of Fries	$1.99

Tucker Plastics Sale!



Choose from 30 Gallon Round or Rectangular!

Tucker Unbreakable Trash Can (FULL 3 YEAR WARRANTY) $9.99

Tucker 6 gallon **Plastic Trash Can** $2.99

Tucker 36 qt. plastic **Clothes Hamper** $4.99

Health and Beauty

Tussy Roll-On Deodorant 2 pr. 99¢

Phillips • Regular/Mint **Milk of Magnesia** 12 oz. $1.39

Conditioner or **Finesse Shampoo** • regular • extra body 11 oz. $2.19

Extra Protein • Extra Moisturer **Soft Sense** $1.09

Impulse **Body Spray** 2.5 oz. $2.29

Regular or Maximum Strength **Bayer Aspirin** 50 or 100 ct. $1.89

























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STUDS

#2 "STUD GRADE" PRECUT STUDS • 92 5/8" long • Kiln-dried — YELLOW PINE 1.55 — WHITE WOODS 1.75

#2 "STUD GRADE" 8 FOOT STUDS — Yellow Pine 1.65

TREATED YELLOW PINE LUMBER • Pressure treated (.40CCA retention for ground contact) • Odor-free and oil free

#2 grade

	8'	10'	12'	14'	16'	18'	20'
2x4 YELLOW PINE	1.65	2.35	2.79	3.29	3.75		
2x4 WHITE WOODS	2.35	2.79	3.29	3.75			
2x6 YELLOW PINE	2.88	3.55	4.29	4.75	5.59	7.19	
2x8 YELLOW PINE	4.80	6.49	7.29	8.59			
2x10 YELLOW PINE	8.29		10.95				
2x12 YELLOW PINE	10.80		14.59				

2x4-8'/#1 OR STUD GRADE 1.29

YELLOW PINE AND WHITE WOODS FRAMING LUMBER

SHOP McCOY'S

EXTERIOR SIDING

CD GRADE SHEATHING PLYWOOD • 4'x8' sheet • Standard thickness • Exterior glue

3/8"	6.39
1/2"	6.99
5/8"	9.59
3/4"	11.29

BC GRADE SANDED PLYWOOD • 4'x8' sheet • Standard thickness • Exterior glue

1/4"	8.59
3/8"	8.99
1/2"	10.99
5/8"	13.99
3/4"	15.69

NEW APA RATINGS ALLOW 1/32" THICKNESS VARIATION

L-P WAFERWOOD The Smart Man's Plywood 4'x8'x7/16" APA Rated Sheathing 24/16 Span — 4.95

PARTICLE BOARD • 4'x8' sheet — 1/2" 5.59; 5/8" 6.29; 3/4" 8.39

HARDBOARD SIDING • 7/16" • 6" centers • 4'x8' sheet • Premium grade — 12.49 PER SHEET

RUF-TEX PLYWOOD SIDING • 4'x8' exterior pine plywood • Premium grade • Compare our quality

3/8", 4" centers	9.99
5/8", 4" centers	13.77
5/8", 12" centers	14.77

PRIMED HARDBOARD LAP SIDING • First quality • 7/16" x 12" x 12' — SMOOTH 3.99; TEXTURED 4.49

#2 grade-marked • Standard and better • #3 grade

PINDEROSA PINE 1 Lx 49½¢

PONDEROSA PINE 30¢-5¢

1x6 ... 31¢
1x8 ... 52¢
1x10 ... 17¢
2x2 1x4 YELLOW PINE ... 11¢
2x4 1x6 YELLOW PINE ... 11¢
2x4 1x8 YELLOW PINE ... 30¢-5¢

GYPSUM NEW ALLBOARD

Check Our Price

• 4'x8' sheet • 1/2" thick

GYPSUM WALLBOARD TAPE 250' roll ... 1.29

ALL PURPOSE POWDER 25 lb. bag ... 3.33

ALL PURPOSE LIQUID 1 gallon pail ... 3.49; 4 gallon carton ... 5.29; 5 gallon pail ... 7.99

SPRAY CEILING TEXTURE 40 lb. bag ... 5.99

1/2" FOIL FACED INSULATION BOARD R3.6 — 6.79

3/4" BIRCH CABINET PLYWOOD • 4'x8'x3/4" • One-piece box — 29.95 SHEET

McCOY'S LUCK O' THE IRISH SALE!

BUILDING SUPPLY CENTERS

51 LOCATIONS STATEWIDE

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"HUMDUP" ECONOMY GARDEN TOOLS • "American Made" 2.99 3.99 3.99 8.88

"CHAMPION" 8 PLY PECAN PAVERS 6.99 SALE!

"HUMDUP" BYPASS LOPPER 9.99 SALE!

"No. 2" PRECUT YELLOW PINE STUDS 1.55

G.E. CLEAR SILICONE 2.99

18' GALVANIZED STOCK PANEL 13.95

HIGH-SMART 39" FIELD FENCE 36.88

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LUCITE OUTSIDE HOUSE & TRIM PAINT 10.49 SALE!

"BRINKMAN" DARK BROWN ALUMINUM WINDOW

Save not on sale AFTER $3.50 REBATE!

FREE THIS SATURDAY, MARCH 17

Soft Drinks • Coffee • Doughnuts • Helium Balloons • Utility Knife (One per household)

FREE

8 FOOT JUMBO LANDSCAPE TIMBERS Limited 2.99 SALE!

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STORE HOURS: 8-6 MON-FRI; 8-5 SATURDAY; CLOSED SUNDAY

1	17100 I.H. 10 WEST 690-9017 David Meech MANAGER	
2	690-0080 Mike Ammons MANAGER	5500 BANDERA ROAD
3	1654 GENERAL McMULLEN 434-4070 Art Rodriguez MANAGER	8212 S. PRESA 532-5556 Ruben Valdez MANAGER
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Chrome finish

8" KITCHEN FAUCET
#9230 25.95

4" FAUCET
#9600 without pop up drain 18.99
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Oak handle faucets

4" FAUCET
39.99

8" FAUCET
#3654
3.99
with spray 46.99

#3655

Antique Pecan
•pertato marble top
A •20"x17" •1 door 47.77
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Deluxe Cane
•pertato marble top
C D E •2 door
C antique white 25"x19" 119.95
D antique pecan
E antique pecan 31"x19" 135.95
F 25"x19" •1 door •3 drawers •antique pecan 139.95

Villager Oak
•Antique white tops
•Light oak bases
G 20"x17" •1 door 99.95
H 25"x19" •2 door 159.95
I 31"x19" •1 door •3 drawer 219.95
J 37"x19" •2 door •2 drawer 233.95
hooks not included

EAST TEXAS PIPE COMPANY
4"x10" SEWER AND DRAIN PIPE
•Belled end
•Solid or perforated
•1500 pound crushed strength
3.09

CRESLINE CPVC
HOT OR COLD WATER
•100 PSI at 180°
1/2"x10' 1.79
3/4"x10' 3.19

COLD WATER PVC
•Sch. 40 •400 PSI at 73°
1/2"x10' 1.09
3/4"x10' 1.29
1"x10' 2.19

DRAIN, WASTE AND VENT
•Schedule 40 PVC
•10' long
1-1/2" 2.88 3" 7.99
2" 3.99 4" 10.99

COLD WATER POLY-COIL
•80 pound test
•NSF approved for drinking
•100' long
1/2" 7.29 1" 13.59
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Buy your plumbing supplies at McCoy's!

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6379 6389 WITHOUT POP-UP 9.99
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WITH SPRAY 19.99
8" FAUCET

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Billy Penn
8' GALVANIZED
GUTTER 2.95
BROWN FINISH 4.39
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BROWN FINISHED 4.39

END CAP
Galvanized 35c
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Galvanized 99c
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SLIP CONNECTOR
Galvanized 39c
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1x6x6' #2 AND BETTER DOG-EAR CEDAR PICKET 1.79
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TREATED FENCE POSTS
•Pressure treated for long life
2"x6½' 1.29
3"x6½' 1.99
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INSULATE NOW!!!
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•Kraft paper lining moisture barrier
•Sold in full rolls of 94" batts only
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32"x330' 48.88
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Less Rebate -5.00
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15½ GA. "GAUCHO" U.S.A. BARB WIRE
•2 pt. •1320' 19.95
13½ GA. "RED-BRAND" BARB WIRE
•1320' •80 lb. 32.88

14 GA. WELDED WIRE FENCE
•48" high
•50 ft. long
•2"x4" mesh opening
17.95

7' RUSTIC LANDSCAPE POST
•4½" Top, stabbed
•Perfect as a line post or economy landscape timber
•Pressure-treated 2.59

FARMASTER GATES
•Galvanized steel
•52" high with hardware
4' 15.95
10' Solid 29.95
12' Solid 33.95
14' 39.95
16' 47.95

POULTRY NETTING
•50 foot roll •Priced per roll
1" MESH
24" 8.99
36" 11.99
48" 15.99

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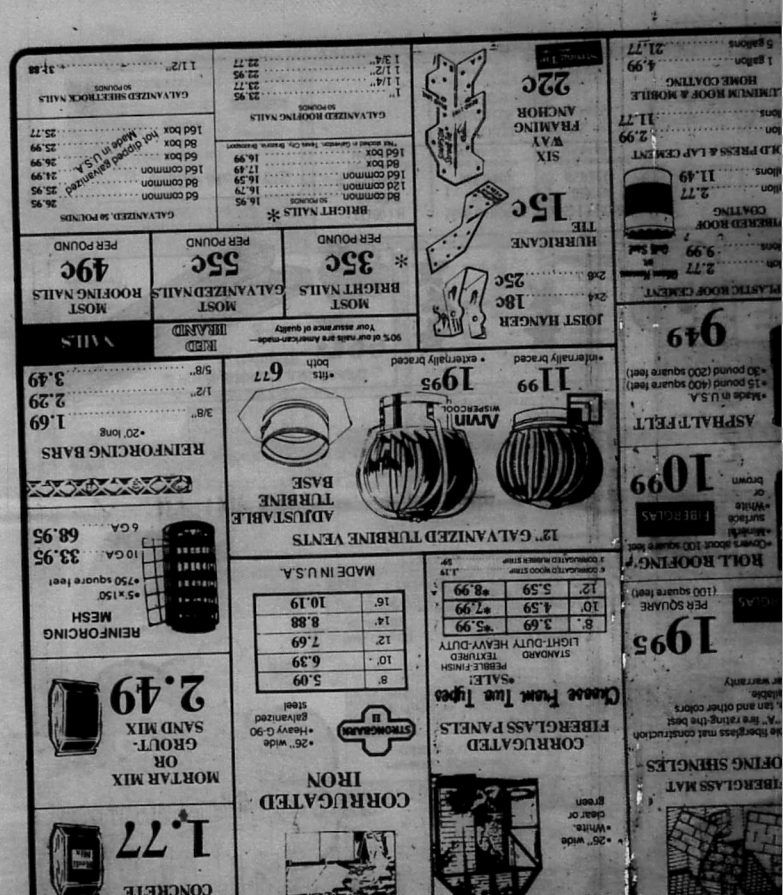

DOORS

MAHOGANY EXTERIOR DOORS
- 1 3/4" thick

2'8" Hollow Core	18.88
3'0" Hollow Core	19.77
2'8" Solid Core	28.95
3'0" Solid Core	29.95

MAHOGANY INTERIOR HOLLOW CORE DOORS
- 6'8" tall
- 1 3/8" thick

2'0" wide	11.95
2'6" wide	13.95
2'8" wide	14.77
3'0" wide	15.95

Alexander DOOR UNITS
- 6'8" tall hollow core mahogany
- Lockset and trim not included

EXTERIOR 1-3/4" thick

2'8" wide	45.49
3'0" wide	46.95

INTERIOR 1-3/8" thick

2'0" wide	29.77
2'6" wide	31.77
2'8" wide	31.95
3'0" wide	34.95

6'8" WOOD SCREEN DOORS
- 3 bar #49
- 2'6" or 3'
- Heavy duty
- Hot finger jointed

29.95

2'8" T-BAR #45
- Paint or stain
- Hot finger jointed

22.95

MODLAIC ENTRY DOORS

A. 15-LIGHT "FRENCH DOOR" tempered glass

1-3/4"x2'8"x6'8"	97.95
1-3/4"x3'0"x6'8"	99.95

B. AIR-FLOW, tempered glass

1-3/8"x2'8"x6'0"	84.95

C. 6-PANEL

1-3/4"x2'8"x6'8"	79.95
1-3/4"x3'0"x6'8"	79.95

D. OLD ENGLISH tempered glass

1-3/4"x3'0"x6'8"	109.95

E. CROSS-BUCK, tempered glass

1-3/4"x2'8"x6'8"	109.95
1-3/4"x3'0"x6'8"	109.95

(SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY)

STORM DOORS
- Prehung with hardware
- Tempered safety glass
- 2'8" or 3'0"x6'8"
- Right or left hand
- 1 1/8" thick- Compare!

ALUMINUM FINISH **57.95**

BROWN FINISH **66.95**

BIFOLD DOOR UNITS
- Hardware included
- Carton packaged

		PLAIN FLUSH	LOUVERED
2 DOOR 2'0"		20.95	32.95
2 DOOR 2'6"		22.95	34.95
2 DOOR 2'8"		23.95	36.95
2 DOOR 3'0"		24.95	37.95
4 DOOR 4'0"		39.95	58.95
4 DOOR 5'0"		45.90	69.90
4 DOOR 6'0"		49.90	75.90

- 6'8" tall
- 1-1/8" thick
- 2 or 4 doors

WINDOWS - PATIO DOORS

ALUMINUM WINDOWS

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The Quality You Want At A Price You Can Afford

ALUMINUM FINISH **SINGLE-HUNG**
- With half-screen

BROWN FINISH **SINGLE-HUNG**
- With half-screen

ALL ON **SALE!**

BROWN FINISH **THERMO-INSULATING**
- With half-screen
- Insulates with air held between inner and outer sash
- With venting sash and movable storm panel for regular ventilation

2'0"x2'4"	21.95	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE
2'0"x3'0"	25.69	27.99 Sale!	58.49
2'0"x4'4"	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE
2'0"x5'0"	NOT AVAILABLE	34.99 Sale!	79.77
2'8"x3'0"	27.95	32.77 Sale!	65.77
2'8"x4'4"	31.95	35.99 Sale!	78.69
2'8"x5'0"	35.77	38.77 Sale!	82.95
3'0"x3'0"	29.95	33.99 Sale!	68.77
3'0"x4'4"	33.95	37.99 Sale!	83.49
3'0"x5'0"	36.95	39.99 Sale!	89.95
3'0"x6'0"	NOT AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES	43.99 Sale!	103.69

ALUMINUM PATIO DOORS
- 6'0"x6'8" with tempered safety glass
- Right or left hand
- Screen included
- Inside door slides for security

ALUMINUM..... **149.95**

DARK BROWN DUAL-INSULATING **239.95**

KEY LOCK..... **7.77**

Binning's Building Products
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Public to preview new equestrian park.

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Realtors endorse road bond issue

Bandera County Elections '84

The Bandera County Board of Realtors unanimously supported the April 7 road bond issue, and its Medina president reminded voters that county-wide support had been received for earlier bond issues, benefiting other parts of the county.

County commissioners will ask voters April 7 to approve issuing $300,000 in road bonds to finance purchase of rights-of-way for eight miles of county road the state has offered to make a farm-to-market road.

The road in question is the only English Crossing Road for Bottle Springs Road) which runs from just south of Bandera to Bandera Falls Subdivision on FM 1283 south of Pipe Creek.

According to Commissioner Dan Alanis, the new road will cut four miles off the trip by paved road from Lakehills to Bandera.

Officials say approval of the bonds by voters on April 7 will mean a maximum increase in county road taxes of 1.47 cents per $100 valuation, or $4.41 per year on a home valued at $30,000.

The Realtors, meeting March 14 at the Mayan Ranch, heard Alanis tell them the majority of the cost of the highway would be paid for by the state.

Under the state's farm-to-market road program, counties pay for the purchase of rights-of-way while the state completely funds the construction and perpetual maintenance of the road.

Currently the road in question is a caliche-topped road with low-water crossings at Bandera Creek and the Medina River. The state will completely pave the road and construct costly but safer bridges over both streams.

Only 1.7 miles of the road will be constructed this year, even if the bond issue passes, highway officials have said. The remainder of the highway will be completed in subsequent years as funds become available.

The money devoted to contruction of the 1.7 miles in question represents one-fourth of all the money available for construction in the 16-county area that includes Bandera County, highway officials said.

Commissioner Alanis, himself a member of the Board of Realtors, told other members the continuing burden of maintaining the road would be removed from the county.

W.O. Hatfield of Medina, president of the Board of Realtors, reminded voters that in past years the people of the entire county supported bond issues benefiting other parts of the county.

"One was for the Medina area," he said, mentioning the road from Medina to Lost Maples Park, "and one was for the Bandera area," he said, pointing to Ridge Route Road. "This time the road would be for the fast-growing Pipe Creek-Lakehills area.

"If passed," says Hatfield, a former Bandera County judge, "the final outcome would be a paved, state-maintained road replacing the dirt road now maintained by the county."

County Judge Tommy Curbo this week welcomed the Realtors' support. "I really appreciate it," he told the Bulletin Tuesday. "Generally people who sell real estate are more acutely aware of the needs (of the county) pertaining to roads and development as well as increases in population," the judge said. "They usually are looking forward and planning for the future, so I can see why they endorse this (bond issue)."

Alanis had earlier pointed out that he figured the increase in taxable value of all the property the new, paved road would open for development by Realtors and developers would more than pay for the $300,000 the county seeks for purchase of the rights-of-way along the road.

Co-op members nominate Daniel Callahan for director

For what may be the first time in history, members of the Bandera Electric Cooperative attending a district nominating meeting last Thursday turned out the incumbent director.

Members of the co-op's District 2, which comprises primarily the city of Bandera, nominated Daniel C. Callahan, a one-time director who was forced to resign because of a by-law provision that has now been changed.

Callahan received 35 votes from among the members jamming the First State Bank Thursday while incumbent Werner Lindig received 24 and a third man nominated, Joe Hearn, received 21.

Lindig has represented District 2 on the Co-op's board of directors since 1979 when Callahan, a long-time Bandera plumber, was removed because of a previously intentionally overlooked provision of Co-op by-laws which prohibited persons who sell plumbing supplies from being a director.

Lindig, a former extension agent and municipal judge, served as the Co-op's president and is completing a full term to which he was elected after serving the balance of Callahan's unexpired term.

A total of 83 members registered at Thursday's district nominating meeting in Bandera, and while Co-op manager Shannon Seale said this is the first time an incumbent has been defeated it was not the largest crowd ever at such a meeting.

That milestone was reached last year when 95 persons attended a nominating meeting in Medina, but they voted to re-nominate incumbent Paul Lavon Garrison III over James A. Gallant by a vote of 54-40.

Only three members attended the District 1 nominating meeting Wednesday in Pipe Creek to re-nominate Jerry Word, the Co-op's current president, and only nine showed up at the Co-op Friday to re-nominate Raymond Hicks, the Co-op's current secretary.

Co-op by-laws require that district nominating meetings pick the incumbent unless a full quorum of members from that district attend the meeting in person. Except in the cases of Medina last year and now Bandera this year, a full quorum has never attended a district meeting.

Because of other provisions of the Co-op's by-laws, nomination at a district meeting is tantamount to election, which will formally take place during the Co-op's annual meeting May 12.

Co-op directors meet the first Wednesday of each month, but their meetings are closed to members, the public and the press.

Ballots containing Callahan's name will be mailed to Co-op members in the Bandera area Monday, Seale said, as will ballots containing names of other district nominees in their districts.

Seale said the usual recognition of employees will be made at the annual meeting, and he doesn't expect any issues to be brought up. "If there's any issues, I don't know about them (now)," he said.

Seale also said Tuesday that Co-op members in February benefited from the Co-op's share of the fourth distribution of funds from the lawsuit against Valero Transmission Co.

He said the Co-op received $100,700, and that amount was passed on to consumers in the form of lower electric bills for February.

He also reported that Co-op customers have received $4,800 in rebates on the purchase of energy efficient heating and cooling. Through the Lower Colorado River Authority, which sells power to the Co-op, the electric company offers a rebate of $50 per ton on the purchase of heating or air conditioning with an energy efficiency rating of 9 or above.

Musicians, thespians advance



Donald DeThorne and Wendy Valdez concentrate on musical notes as they help the Bulldog Band achieve its first Sweepstakes in 10 years.

"Chamber Music" to play in area competition

Bandera's University Interscholastic League one-act play, "Chamber Music," is on its way to area competition after winning the district championship Saturday.

Bandera received six individual awards, including "Best Actress."

Sandy Riedner was awarded Best Actress of District 26-AAA for her portrayal of Mrs. Mozart in Arthur Kopit's contemporary play.

All-Star Cast honors were awarded to Kim Compton, Mary Segovia, and Janet Weber, and Wendy Valdez and Nancy Hayes received honorable mention.

"It was definitely our best performance ever," said Riedner. "The concentration was so strong that real tears were shed as the curtain closed."

When asked about her award as Best Actress, Reidner said "There are only two words to describe it — Baird Neville. He's taught me everything I know. He's put so much hard work into all of us and I know this would all be impossible without his encouragement and enthusiasm. Mr. Neville is more than a teacher, he's a creator."

Randolph was picked as alternate representative to the area meet and will compete if anything happens to Bandera or Boerne. Kevin Johnson of Boerne was awarded Best Actor.

Casts from Bandera and Boerne, who performed "Everyman," will both advance to area competition March 29. A first place at area would qualify "Chamber Music" to compete in regional competition.

This is the second district championship for Neville, director of "Chamber Music" and teacher at Bandera High.

Band wins sweepstakes, first time in ten years

Bandera Bulldog Band received the Sweepstakes Trophy Friday for the first time in 10 years, receiving the highest ratings in Class AAA. The band received straight one's in both Concert and Sightreading.

A Sweepstakes trophy is earned when a band receives a Division I rating in marching, concert, and sightreading contests. The Bulldo, and earned a Division 1 rating in marching last November in Hondo.

A total of 33 bands competed during the two-day extravaganza of music at Bandera High School. The bands performing ranged from Class A to AAAA. Four sweepstakes trophies were given out in the two days.

Concert judges were Gerald Babbitt of Austin, Linda McDavitt of Dripping Springs, and Eddie Zamora of Austin. Sightreading judges were Don Haines of Austin, Arthur Nutt of Mexia and Charles Arsuaga of Falfurrius. "It was a pleasure to end two hard days of judging with such a super band as this one," said Zamora, the Bulldog band was the last to perform.

When asked Thursday afternoon why the Bulldog Band was playing last on Friday night, Director Tome Walters commented, "hopefully we're saving the best for last!" How right he turned out to be.

The Bandera band received a division I from all six judges. Mr. Walters said, "I am extremely proud of all the hard work the students and parents did in running this contest so smoothly, and extra proud of the students who worked so hard in making this the best performance ever. Everyone did a super job congratulations and thank you!"

In the concert contest Friday the band performed "KMB March" by Edgar Theissen, "Sarabande and Polka" by Malcom Arnold, and "Faces of Kum Ba Yah" by John Zdechick.

The last time a Bandera band earned a Sweepstakes trophy was 1974.

The band will be in statewide competition on May 12 at The University of Texas at Austin.

—Michele Speckman



Sandy Riedner ... She was named best actress in District 26-AAA and Bandera's version of "Chamber Music" advanced to area competition.

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Bandera County Potpourri

Something new

We keep saying, "There's got to be other ways to raise funds for a worthy cause." But they keep saying raffle (illegal), bake sale (fattening) and barbecue (nothing really wrong with barbecue, right Don?)

But the senior citizens and car dealer/wrestler Bill Rathke have come up with a new idea in fund-raisers.

In order to earn some cash for the very much needed senior center ("They'll call it Silver Sage Corral), the senior citizens and big-man-around-town Rathke (300 pounds, plus) are combining efforts to promote a "world class" wrestling match here May 12 in Bulldog Stadium.

Rathke promises well-known wrestling stars many of us will know from their television appearances.

The match here will be an afternoon affair, scheduled at 2 p.m. (It's a Saturday).

There's method in such scheduling madness, says ringwise Rathke. Seems there's some major matches in the Alamo City that night, and some of the wrestlers may (probably will, in fact) compete here in the afternoon and in Freeman Coliseum on television in the evening.

Sure, Rathke admits such a double-header is exhausting physically for the wrestler. It is also enriching economically, and that's why wrestlers are doing it.

Rathke hopes they'll "do it" twice a year in Bandera, and he's looking for a suitable charity to benefit from a fall promotion.

It's different, anyway, and it's for a good cause.

Incidently, Rathke shed 15 pounds in the first 14 days of dieting in his weight-loss contest with Al Plummer Jr. Plummer lost 9.

World class record

Ken Pollard's record, "Hangin' On To What I got" continues on the so-called "charts" of the 100 most popular country and western records, based on radio play.

You'll be lucky to hear it here, however, because most the C&W stations around here are "top forty," we're told. That means they generally play songs among the top 40 in the country, according to the "charts."

Ken's record, 98th the first week, climbed to 92nd two weeks later.

Pollard, by the way, will join such superstars as Tammy Wynette, Johnny Rodriguez and George Straight on stage in Austin during the first week of the Capital City's big Aquafest this summer.

Also on the road again is our town's own Arkey Blue and his Blue Cowboys. They'll be at The Lonesome Armadillo in Houston on Saturday, March 31.

These entertainers and others do our river city a lot of good by calling attention to it during their on-the-road-again appearances. Both sing some of the traditional Bandera songs (Arkey wrote most of them) and boast about Bandera, their home town.

Of course, we all do that. Don't we?



Doggett's campaign gets help

State Sen. Lloyd Doggett, D-Austin, picked up a little momentum for his U.S. Senate campaign this week by gaining the endorsement of the Texas AFL-CIO.

Meeting in Austin, delegates to the two-day labor convention gave Doggett their endorsement despite an attempt by supporters of former Congressman Bob Krueger to block the endorsement.

Doggett picked up 73 percent of the vote in a straight up-or-down roll call on whether to support the Austin Democrat or make no endorsement.

Doggett needed only a two thirds margin to win the group's approval. Despite strong opposition to Doggett by electrical workers and other labor factions, the Krueger people could only muster 26 percent of the vote, far below the 33 percent needed to block the Doggett victory.

The endorsement is expected to be a major boost to Doggett's campaign, which was given little chance of success when he began last year.

Doggett supporters also expect to see a considerable sum of labor dollars rolling into their candidate's war chest as well.

Krueger has generally been acknowledged as the front-runner in the race for the Democratic Senate nomination, but Doggett has been gaining ground.

Last month, Doggett succeeded in blocking a Krueger endorsement by the Mexican-American Democrats.

After the roll call vote, Krueger released a statement chastising rank-and-file labor people for "blindly" following the positions of state AFL-CIO leaders.

Education reform

While labor was in Austin trying to ignite the Doggett campaign, education officials were meeting in Dallas, where the real fireworks were expected.

The Select Committee on Education, chaired by outspoken Dallas billionaire Ross Perot, proposed dramatic education reforms that include requiring public school teachers to pass a basic skills test and replacing the elected State Board of Education with an appointed board.

The proposal to abolish the 27-member, elected board in favor of a seven-man, appointed panel has caused friction among members of the education community.

Members of the board, including board chairman Joe Kelly Butler of Houston — the patriarch of Texas public education — blasted Perot for trying to grease the skids for his committee's recommendations.

Board member Wayne Windle of El Paso told reporters that Perot wants the elected panel scrapped because no group of elected officials "who are responsive to the needs and desires of the people" would go along with some of Perot's recommendations.

Those recommendations have included fining parents whose children failed to achieve in school, de-emphasizing high school athletics and extending the school day to nine hours.

Perot claims the smaller, appointed board is needed because the present panel is to unwieldy to be effective.

Under the plan to make teachers take basic skills tests, those teachers who fail the test would not have their contracts renewed when they expire.

Even if only 10 percent of the state's teachers are incompetent, they could be harming thousands of students, Perot said.

Capital punishment

Debate over the death penalty heated up again this week with the execution of James "Cowboy" Autry, who was convicted of killing a convenience store clerk during a 1980 robbery.

Autry was the second Texas inmate to die by lethal injection. His attorneys and opponents of the death penalty had attempted to win a reprieve for Autry claiming his sentence should have been commuted to life in prison because of his close brush with death last October.

Autry came within 30 minutes of being executed Oct. 5 before being granted a stay of execution by the U.S. Supreme Court.

Four other Texas death row inmates are scheduled to die this year, while three others are on an unofficial list of condemned killers most likely to be executed in 1984.

Nuke approval

Seven years behind schedule and nearly $5 billion over budget, the South Texas Nuclear Project finally won a first-round approval to begin operation when construction is completed.

A Nuclear Regulatory Commission licensing board this week made a preliminary decision to approve a license for the troubled plant.

However, that decision is subject to change after at least two more hearings on the matter before the final decision can be made.

The plant originally was set to open in 1982 at a cost of $1 billion. Now, completion is not expected until 1989 and estimates of the final cost are put at $5.5 billion.

Still, some nuclear power supporters hailed the NRC board decision as a victory at a time when other troubled nuclear plant projects are being scrapped.

Letters

Mere Medina news

Dear Sirs:

We enjoy the paper very much and look forward to it every week.

I do wish the Medina writer would do a little longer column. I was raised there and enjoy hearing about the home folks.

Curly and Louise Williams
San Antonio

Big Brother propaganda

Dear editor:

Bravo to Mr. Hughey! I am so pleased to see someone step forward and point out the inconsistencies in Mr. MacMillan's ridiculous "wanted." I can see why he is a "newspaper distributor" (is that a paperboy, by chance?) instead of a journalist.

Mr. MacMillan seems to think he is an expert on George Orwell's "1984," but he is using our teachers and school trustees as a scapegoat for all the problems of our educational system — and that is a "Big Brother" propaganda tactic. It is also a bad excuse for not providing decent school buildings for children. Is he saying they don't deserve them?

—Michelle Adamson
Bandera

Needs new manager

Dear editor:

Paul A. Hughey's letter printed in your Bulletin of March 15 convinced me of one thing, that I may not vote for MacMillan, but I think Dr. Jimmy Hughey should get her another campaign manager.

Doyle Ely
Pipe Creek

The Bulletin solicits your letters on any subject of general interest. Each letter must be brief, in good taste and must not be libelous. The editor reserves the right to edit letters for these reasons.

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Wednesday, March 14	82	66	
Thursday, March 15	86	68	
Friday, March 16	88	68	
Saturday, March 17	84	68	
Sunday, March 18	90	68	
Monday, March 19	72	46	
Tuesday, March 20	78	40	

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Two events scheduled to allow voters to question school, city candidates

A "meet the candidates" event for hopefuls running for the Bandera City Council has been scheduled for April 3 by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce, exactly one week after the Citizens for Better Schools' program for school board candidates.

The candidates for city council will all be invited to appear April 3 at 7:30 p.m. at the city offices in the Bandera Municipal Building, said Nick Johnson, who is coordinating the event for the chamber.

Candidates for the Bandera Independent School District board of trustees have all be invited to meet the voters at 7:30 p.m. in the First National Bank Board Room, says Cindy Woodland of the CBS.

In each race, the top two vote-getters in the April 7 elections will win spots on the respective governing boards.

Candidates for the Bandera school board are incumbents Thomas H. (Bub) Keese and Katie Ruede, and Johnnie L. Newcomer, Dr. Jimmie L. Hughey and Gary MacMillan.

Candidates for the city council are incumbent Dianne Tobin, Dorothy Darden, Raymond Adamietz and MacMillan, who is seeking both posts but can serve in only one.

Martin Smith will serve as moderator for the evening with school board candidates. Each school board candidate will be given the opportunity to give an opening statement, and then they will respond to questions submitted beforehand in writing.

A similar foremat will be utilized one week later when city council candidates are offered an opportunity to meet the voters, Johnson said, though he said he hoped to throw the floor open to questions after that.

Mayor Wilvie Smith, not seeking re-election, will be on hand and has agreed to introduce the candidates. Mayor Smith is not seeking re-election after 14 years in the job.

Councilman Bob Cowan is the only candidate to succeed Smith as a mayor. He has also been invited to the April 3 meeting, Johnson said.

A meet the candidates night for school board hopefuls has been a tradition in Bandera under the sponsorship of the Parent-Teacher Association, but since that organization no longer exists, sponsorship was taken over by CBS, a group formed to help promote another attempt to sell bonds to construct a new elementary school and otherwise promote education.

The special event for city council candidates were scheduled only Tuesday by the chamber as a result of a discussion of the impact on the county's business of what many persons say is a bad reputation as a speed trap.


Staff photo by Rick Young

Faces of Bandera

Kim Brittain, 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Brittain, is a very active student at Bandera Elementary. Aljng with her activies, she brings a charm and grace that insure her a place as a Face of Bandera County.

Sorenson scheduled for arraignment here on Thursday

Gerald R. Sorenson, 40, of Lakeshore will be arraigned Thursday before 216th District Judge Robert Barton in the murder of Marie Denise Walker. Sorenson is charged with one count of capital murder in the death of the Bandera school teacher whose body was found by her parents Feb. 1 at her isolated mobile home on a remote part of the Walker ranch.

Sorenson became the object of a nation-wide search after records revealed a history of sex crime convictions in California and Texas. He was apprehended by Binghamton, N.Y., police after he sought shelter in a Salvation Army center there.

Sorenson told arresting officers he had been in Canada when the Texas murder was committed, then later changed his story to indicate he had been vacationing in Vermont at the time of the killing.

Sorenson has indicated he has obtained an attorney for the arraignment hearing. This is important in this case because, under the Texas penal code, a suspect charged with a capital offense must have an attorney before entering a plea.

If Sorenson has not retained an attorney, Thursday's hearing could consist entirely of appointing an attorney to represent him. Sorenson is expected to request a change of venue to move his trial out of Bandera County.

Bandera County '84 Elections

Political Calendar

The Bandera Bulletin has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following people:

Bandera County Sheriff — Guy V. Pickett
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Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gene Ott
Bandera Co. Tax Assessor Collector — Marguerite Stevens
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — Bob Ashley (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — A.A. (Pete) Reed (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Jim Russell (D)
District Judge — 216 Judicial District — Robert R. (Bob) Barton (R)
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CAR Comments with Phil Martin

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(3) When cleaning upholstery, quite often a solution of one (1) part household ammonia and three (3) parts water will usually do an excellent job.

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Calendar

Today, March 22

Heritage Genealogical Society, 2 p.m., Bandera County Library.
Bandera Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, 2 p.m., Tobin Ranch.
Lakehills American Legion Post 410 and Auxiliary monthly meeting, 7 p.m., Legion Hall.

Friday, March 23

Bandera boys baseball vs. Comfort.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Saturday, March 24

Little league tryouts, 8:30 a.m., Mansfield Park; 8:30 a.m. Pipe Creek Community Center.
Ingram relays.

Monday, March 26

Medina Lake American Association of Retired Persons, 1:30 p.m., Legion Home.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Lazy Oaks.
Medina Parent-Teachers Organization, 7 p.m., School cafeteria.
Square dance club, 7-10 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.

Tuesday, March 27

Bandera boys baseball vs. D'Hanis.
Meet the candidates, 7:30 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department board of Directors, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.

Wednesday, March 28

Lakehills 4-H Community Club, 7 p.m., St. Victor's Chapel.
Medina Lake Shrine Club, dinner and meeting, 7 p.m., Evelyn's Restaurant.
Home gardening program, 7:30 p.m. First National Bank Board Room.
Bandera County Youth Soccer Association general meeting, 7:30 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.
Bandera Volunteer Fire Department, 7:30 p.m., general meeting.

Thursday, March 29

Cub Scout Pack 146, Mansfield Park, scout hut.
Bandera boys baseball at New Braunfels Canyon.

Lakehills

Lila MacMillan — 751-8586

Baseball bat blues

Last weekend vandals knocked down approximately 25 mailboxes along FM 1283, FR 37, Angel Drive and Georges Road. Thanks to an alert citizen getting involved and quick action by the sheriff's department, one adult is in jail and two juveniles are probably thinking of using their bat on baseballs in the future.

POW visitors

The Medina Lake area played host to members of the "Lost Battalion" this past week. The "Battalion" consists of almost 500 Army, Navy and Marine Corps prisoners of war of the Japanese in World War II.

In the early days of the war, members of the 19th Bomb Group, credited with inflicting 90,000 casualties on the enemy, would upon the ground in Java, fighting under a Dutch commander. At the same time, the U.S.S. Houston was fighting offshore.

The Houston sank on March 1, and the Dutch commander surrendered on March 8, 1942. Survivors underwent several years of captivity, experienced the "Death Railway" in Burma, and forged a bond that exists today.

Frank Fujita and his wife from Abilene, members of Thousand Trails, were spending some time at the popular local preserve and called several of their friends for a few days of fishing, camping, relaxing, and of course, reminiscing.

Among those on hand were Jesse Bumpass, Roger White, Alex Solinas, Carl Clements, Ray Reed and Jack Kellum.

The national group plans a reunion in San Antonio in August.

Chow time

Plans are being finalized for the semi-annual Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department barbecue April 28-29. Over 600 letters are being sent to local residents and businesses in our area inviting them to attend, supplies are being ordered, road signs are being prepared, and volunteers are lining up for this massive and most important effort.

Our fire department relies on contributions and fund-raisers like the barbecues to support its firefighting efforts in our growing area. Let's all be there on the last weekend in April.

Green turns red, white and blue

On entering the Civic Center Saturday night, over 150 guests were greeted by the cashiers and bartenders wearing St. Patrick's day dress of green derbys, garters, and vests. But as they entered the hall, the green was transformed into red, white and blue for the 65th birthday party of the American Legion sponsored by Post 410. Signs of patriotism were abundant as Glenda Raye and her band did their rendition of "Glory, Glory Hallujah" that brought everyone to their feet. It was a great party and dance.

Flea market time

The Medina Lake Betterment Association will sponsor its annual Flea Market at the Civic Center April 14. Call Elaine Mixon to reserve your table inside for $5 or space outside for $3. On outside spaces you will need to bring your own tables. Elaine can be reached at 751-2100.

The market will open at 9 a.m. with the snack bar and bake sale open all day.

Confirmation class

Dr. Ernest Mayfield is instructing the confirmation class at St. Victor's on Saturday evenings at 6 p.m. If you want to enroll your student in the class, bring him or her to St. Victor's at 6 p.m. Saturday. Confirmation services will be in Bandera on May 8.

A double star

Boone Almanza, a 6-5 college junior from Austin, could be called a star in two different fields. With his hustle and defense on the Houston Baptist University basketball team, he has helped his team win the Trans American Athletic Conference championship. In the classroom Boone maintains a 3.75 point grade average in economics and political science and is a nominee for the national academic all-American team and a Rhodes Scholarship.

He is president of the Houston Baptist University Student Senate and a member of the President's Honor Roll and the National Honor Society. Boone is the great-nephew of Helen Temple and has visited in Lakehills since infancy.

Alamo Beach guests

Robin and Kimberly Rigdon of Canyon Lake are spending part of their spring break with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Duke of Alamo Beach. The girls are in the first and eighth grades. Like all first graders, Robin was very excited when she received a ride on "Grandpa Jimmy's" road grader Saturday afternoon. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. William Rigdon who visit at Alamo Beach frequently.

Green corned beef?

The beer was green, the cakes were green and most of the 60 guests who enjoyed a St. Patrick's party at Adolph's Thursday evening were green.

A buffet table was loaded with all the usual goodies. However, green corned beef and cabbage with green jalapeno corn bread was a special treat.

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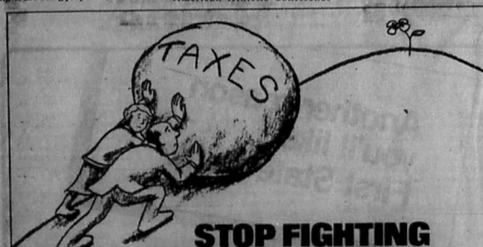

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By Lila MacMillan

While growing up in San Antonio, Ronald Basinger and his family spent every available weekend and summer vacation at Medina Lake. As he grew a dream grew of someday living at the lake and having his own business at the lake.

That dream is now a reality for Ron, his wife Glenda and their 12-year-old son Boyd.

Over 10 years ago they purchased their own property at the lake and began commuting from San Antonio on weekends. Four years ago they moved here as permanent residents.

Ron left Sears in San Antonio and started learning the real estate business as a salesman for Pioneer Realty. He now has started his own business, Basinger Realty.

The Basinger Realty office is the first of several commercial businesses to be built on ground in Randy Courtney's development located at FM 1283 and Park Road 37. The foundation is in for the 650 square foot office, and Ron predicts it will be framed in within 30 days.

The design will be "Early Western Settler" with extensive landscaping utilizing railroad ties to compliment the natural terrain, Basinger said.

He will maintain a full-service realty, with rental, leasing and sales not only in our area, but county and statewide as well. Ron is using all local contractors and subcontractors in the construction of his business.

At this time, 80 percent of the 55 commercial and residential sites in the new development have been sold. Other businesses planned will include a medical center across the road from Basinger's office and a Bill Castle real estate office fronting on Farm Rd. 1283.

Developer Courtney says he is currently negotiating with supermarket chain executives to have a small, full-service supermarket as well as a banker to have banking and loan facilities in the center.

All residential buyers are planning to build permanent homes, says Basinger who predicts there will be five to eight homes in various stages of completion by September.

The buyers range from young families with children to couples wanting a retirement home with the average buyer in his or her 40s, Basinger said.

AS plans are finalized on the commercial businesses to be constructed we will announce them.

Magic show scheduled

Whoa thar, partner! Don't you reckon further 'till you hear about them thar Bandera Rainbow Gals and their latest shenanigans.

Seems like they got this here James Goss, that "tricky" dude from Kerrville, coming down on April 7 at 8 p.m. to put on a magic show, a sight that you ain't likely to see again soon.

He can pull a rabbit out of a hat; can make ropes and handkerchiefs dance a jig; and he can even saw a gal in two. Why he's a magician after your own heart.

By cracky, if you want to whoop it up right, round up them kids, big and little, and trot on down to the Lake Hills Civic Center on Park Road 37 for this bang-up Magic Show with all them cute little Rainbow Gals in attendance.

Admission is free to youngsters under five years of age, $1 for kids 5 through 12 years, and $2 for those 13 years of age and older, says Beverly Snow, one of the organizers.

Soccer meeting slated

There will be a general meeting of the Bandera County Youth Soccer Association on Wednesday, March 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Room at First State Bank for the purpose of electing officers and setting up the season for the fall of 1984.

Anyone intested in holding a position on the board of directors or helping with the administration of the organization should contact Louis Dubose. The public is cordially invited to attend the meeting.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Ruth J. Batton and Luciano Ybarra, both of Bandera; Betty I. Simons and Robin F. Seale, both of Medina; Bonnie S. Gaconnet, Bandera; and Margaret J. Thompson, Utopia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gaconnet of Bandera are the parents of a girl born March 18 at 8:22 p.m. in Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital.

HEADACHES AREN'T NORMAL

Just about everybody gets a headache once in awhile, so why should you be unduly upset if you happen to be suffering from one? If you've been celebrating with friends and eat or imbibe too much, it certainly would not be unusual to wake up with a headache the next day. But that kind of headache usually goes away as soon as you're eating and drinking sensibly again, and getting enough sleep. But what about the other kinds of headache?

Some illnesses, such as flu, include headache among the symptoms. But if you're in reasonably good health, you have a right to wonder why you suffer from headaches. A resort to aspirin and other medication may dull the pain for a while, but if the headaches persist you should seek treatment. Among the causes of persistent headache are problems with the cervical vertebrae, the spinal bones in your neck. If they are out of alignment, this could cause headaches until you get the treatment you need.

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Weather

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Remember

Please don't forget the Acteen's bake sale March 31 in front of the Tarpley General Store. If you would like to donate a baked item please have it at the store by 9 a.m. There will also be a few Tarpley's Best Cookbooks there.

Meeting

Willie Morris, Dorothy Cutler and Margaret Cain, all of Rio Hondo Subdivision, attended the Utopia Arts and Crafts meeting March 13 at the community building. Pauline Robinson, professional cake baker, presented an excellent demonstration showing how she prepares and decorates cakes for special occasions. Pauline, who is a Utopia resident, is also talented in other art forms. Her interst in ceramics has been very helpful in creating designs for her beautiful cakes and she even finds time to do oil painting which she displays and sells at the annual Arts and Crafts Fair in Utopia, in November of each year.

Birthday in Rio Hondo area

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hood honored Mrs. Billie Riley with a birthday dinner Friday night at their home. Those present to enjoy the festivities were Mr. and Mrs. S.P. Baber of Bandera, Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Riley, the Ray Hietalahtis and the Earl Hoods. After dinner numerous games were enjoyed.

Visitor

Parishioners of St. Mary's of the Hills Catholic Church at Vanderpool were pleased to have a visit from Monsignor Bernard F. Popp, D.D. Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of San Antonio March 17. Concelebrants of the noon mass were Bishop Popp, Rev. Vincent Fecher of Uvalde and Rev. Jose Luis Sandoval, pastor of St. Mary's. During his homily, Bishop Popp remarked that perhaps St. Mary's parish is the smallest in the archdiocese but that the dedication of its membership is inspirational in community spirit.

Following worship, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Reilly were hosts at a luncheon at their ranch home near Utopia for the clergy and parishioners.

The bishop's visit to St. Mary's was a part of his schedule for this area which also included St. Patrick's Day celebration with a 7 p.m. mass at St. Patrick's Church in Sabinal. His visit concluded with a mass at St. Joseph's parish at Knippa March 19, the feast day of St. Joseph.

Rev. Jose Luis Sandoval is pastor of all three parishes.

Memoriam

Our deepest sympathy is offered to the family and friends of Jim Mark (Bud) Mitchell whose death came last week near his home in Valley Spring where he and his wife, Hattie, had moved to from Marble Falls.

His last rites were performed by the Rev. Mark Copeland of Marble Falls. Bud was born and grew up in Bandera County and had lived several years near Tarpley.

Rev. Copeland stressed, "Our memories cannot be taken away," even though our loved ones are, and sorrow is like a river of sorrow one we can find a way to pass through.

Rio Hondo Extension Club

The Extension Club met at the home of Jerry Hall on Thursday with 14 ladies in attendance.

Guests were Cleo Cutler, Corpus Christi, sister-in-law of Dorothy Cutler; Betty Haecock, Houston, sister-in-law of Sandra duPerier; and Alma Jones, Leesburg, Fla., sister of Carla Velasco.

A program entitled "Quilting by Newer Methods" was presented by Marie Hood, Jerry Hall, Carla Velasco and Dorothy Cutler in which a variety of items utilizing the quilting method were displayed.

The meeting concluded with a sandwich and salad luncheon and a social get-together with everyone enjoying the mild weather on the Hall's front porch which overlooks the lake and surrounding mountains.

Visitors

Edith Jeffers and Ethel Mae's visitors last Tuesday and Wednesday night were Nell and Alton Woods of Lampasas and on Wednesday her grandchildren Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kubecka and baby son Eddie and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Woods and two children Lacey and Clay of Floresville. They were all here to attend the last rites of Jim Mark (Bud) Mitchell.

Sara and Michael Dean of Abilene have spent 10 days visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Dean. Another tiny visitor in the Elzie Dean home is their four month old grandson Jonathan Newcomb of San Antonio. They all drove to Junction Sunday to meet Dr. Larry Dean to return to their home.

Sympathy

We extend our deepest sympathy to the families of Ruby Chipman Stabler of Bandera in her passing Saturday night after a short illness. Ruby had attended church services at Tarpley Baptist Mission. We have loved and respected her friendship.

Memoriam

Deepest sympathy also to the loved ones of Boyd Edwards of Pipe Creek on his death. He had been ill for quite some time. Many of the schoolmates of Pipe Creek are fast slipping away but some day a brighter reunion will follow.

SC receives grants

Schreiner College has received unrestricted grants totaling $500 from the Sears-Roebuck Foundation, according to area representative Rick Gilliam. Schreiner is one of 37 private colleges and universities in Texas to be awarded grants from the foundation this year.

Katie Ruede Runs For Third Term

I feel it's very important for the voters to have a clear understanding of what each candidate stands for and the concerns each has for the school district he/she will serve. In this article, I will provide the readers with more information about what I feel is the job of a school board member and the concerns I have for the problems facing Bandera School district. The following questions will be addressed:

1) What is a good school board member?

2) Why I am running for a third term?

3) What have I done to become a better school board trustee?

4) What concerns did I have before the last election and what has happened to them?

5) What issues face the new board?

I feel a good school board trustee is a person who not only attends school board meetings but also takes every opportunity to attend workshops and clinics on topics that are vital to the school district. A person that makes every effort to visit the three campuses several times a year to see how the facilities are functioning with the students present in their daily routine. A person who has a concern about all the children in Bandera County and the quality of education they receive.

Before I could answer the second question, I took a great deal of time thinking about what I felt was in the best interest of the taxpayers and students of Bandera county. I came to the conclusion that my reasons for running for a third term on the Bandera School Board were the same as those that I had expressed in the last election, with one exception. I still feel a deep commitment to the community to make it a better place to live. Providing our young people with a good education will strengthen the future of Bandera County. The past thirteen years teaching in the elementary school has reconfirmed me further of the importance of providing a strong educational foundation on which to build. Unlike the last election, I feel the Bandera School district is facing a critical period in its existence with the rapid growth and the changes in the curriculum due to House Bill 246.

To become a better school board member I have attended the joint convention of the Texas Association of School Board Members and the Texas Association of School Administrators each year. I have read the legislative print-outs and magazines that the Texas Association of School Board Members mails to board members. I have attended workshops and taken classes on topics such as, school finance, general school administration, and the changes that will occur due to House Bill 246.

In looking back over an article that I wrote in the last election concerning what I felt the school district was faced with in the next few years, I was amazed. I will restate those issues again and what has been done to date.

1) Dealing with the new county taxing board and the new tax laws will be a great challenge. A challenge it has been, but one I feel the members of the board have met. Bandera School District pays the largest sum to the county appraisal district in the amount of $33,847.24 a year.

2) Keeping good teachers, bus drivers and other staff. Efforts have been made to improve the working conditions and provide more benefits for our staff, but a great deal still needs to be done.

3) Keeping up with growth in enrollment; thus, facilities. Temporary buildings have been added and teachers hired when facilities were available, but this an on going problem.

4) Improvements on older facilities. This board has taken every opportunity when the money was available to improve the older facilities, but it is at best been a bandaid approach.

Now, I will state the issues I feel will need to be faced by the new school board.

1) Implementing the changes that will occur because of House Bill 246.

2) Providing the proper facilities and materials for mandated programs.

3) Keeping and hiring qualified teachers for the educational programs.

4) Facing the problems of inadequate restroom facilities, classroom space, etc., because of the continued growth.

5) Getting more people concerned, informed and involved in what is going on in our schools.

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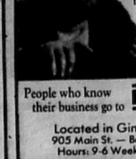

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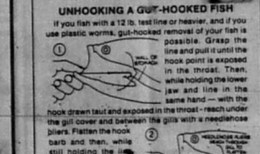

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Junior 4-H'ers here learn about culture of Indians

Eric Marley, better recognized as White Turtle, doesn't believe in taking the life of an animal but uses carcasses of already-dead animals to fashion useful articles.

He was the guest speaker Wednesday at the Bandera Junior 4-H Club meeting. He and his family live as Indians in a teepee, using skills learned from Indians to live.

He told the 4-H'ers about his family's Indian culture and the handicrafts they make, and members were able to see examples of his beadwork, clothing made from hides, and animals made from animal shells.

Among the most interesting things he demonstrated were how he uses carcasses of animals found run over or otherwise killed, such as armadillos and turtles, to make purses. Members indicate they enjoyed the presentation and extended their appreciation to White Turtle.

Terry Robertson
Reporter

Lakeshore

Floyd Portman — 796-4118

Visitors

Steve Groh, son of Bob and Sue Smith, spent the weekend cleaning and painting his vacation property.

Visiting with Buck and Lee Jones on Sunday were their son, Wayne, and his wife Marla, and their daughter Audrey Ann, her friend Norman and Audrey's children Joe, Kim, Chris and Jenny.

Bob and Margaret Jones (Buck's brother and sister-in-law) were here this weekend working on their house. They are getting ready to retire at the end of the year.

Ronnie Miller from Willow City was here this weekend visiting his mother, Mary K. Andreas. Walter Burrell, who was visiting with Ken and Renee Parks and the Andreas family, will take Ronnie back to Willow City when he returns to San Antonio on Monday.

Visitors at the Dixie and Mark+ Hall home this weekend were Kevin, Gina and Dustin Huser, friends Vicki and Summer Sepulveda. They all had a great time, the Hall's report.

Joe Sowell's brother Howard from Waxahachie enjoyed the weekend here visiting the Sowell family.

Dick and Deanie Newman took their grandchildren, Bryan and Laura, to San Antonio this weekend and brought back Lana Talley to spend the week.

Mexico trip

Yoyo Mayorga, with daughter Mary Lou, flew to Mexico City this week to be with her ailing mother.

Wedding

Yoyo's son Johny and Cindy Barber were united in marriage on March 15. A reception will be held at the home of Mike and Marge Cotugno in Leon Valley on March 31.

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By Lorena Bowman

Services

We wish to thank Rev. Milton H. Culley from the First United Methodist Church, Bandera, for the church services Sunday afternoon. He used for his text Isiah 7:14.

Those registering were Judy Goodenough, Nora Thallman, Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Jeff Speckman, Amie Nightingale, Connie Young and Mr. and Mrs. Joe G. Baker.

Visitors

Maude Stokes' guests this week were her granddaughter and grandson, Rev. and Mrs. Louis Vannatter and their children, Nathan and Jordan; also her daughter, Ople Boyle, and granddaughters, Amy and Kathleen from Austin.

Lum Holloway took his brother, Jack Holloway, to visit for three days in San Antonio.

Clara Kelley and Ruth Whitehead visited Henry Lewis, Buddy and Vivian Lewis from Austin and Sandra Vannatter also visited him.

Claire Thaman from Kerrville visited her mother, Agnes Fortinberry, March 14.

Rex and June Oberg visited Freda Oberg, Ethel Putt and Mr. and Mrs. Billingsley.

Allyn Woolvren from Sherts visited her cousin, Gertrude Werner, March 14 and brought her two bunnie dolls.

Jonie Lee, Candice and Jimmie Ruth Seathoff, Tara and Leanne Miller visited friends in the home.

Retha Anderwald visited Hazel Anderwald.

Mary Emma Mathis visited her aunt, Hulda Heyen, March 17. Also visiting was another niece, Mary Ann MacCammon.

Lois Armstrong took Mae Armstrong to Pipe Creek where she visited her son and Amie Ruth Weyand came by to visit her.

Aggie and Raymond Batto visited Annie Kollaus.

Visiting Ernest Rainey were his wife and son.

Mary, Michelle, Cristy and Karrie Utz visited Clara Sprott.

Mr. and Mr. Hoyt Hamrick visited friends in the home Sunday and took Jack Holloway to services at the Church of Christ Sunday morning. They also took Jack and Cynthia Mayberry to the evening services.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bowman from Lakehills took his sister, Lorena Bowman, to San Antonio to the home of their daughter, Bonnie Lou Mason, Sunday for a birthday party for Mrs. Bowman.

Services

Bro. Martin Smith from the Church of Christ gave Bible reading to eight residents of the home Wednesday morning.

The Pipe Creek Baptist Church members had services for the residents of the home Friday evening. The services were lead by Jeanine Mansfield who used as her text 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 and Romans 8:28.

Those registering were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Jones and mother, Connie Mansfield, Rachel Hoffer, Sarah Hoffer and Louie C. Allsup.

Magazines

We wish to thank Ernest Reich for the nice magazines he donated.

St. Patrick's Day party

Mada Wedgworth had a St. Patrick's Day Party Saturday afternoon for residents. Lorena Bowman read a story on the life of St. Patrick. We also played some Irish songs on the record player.

Hospital

We are sorry to report that Ruth Batto is in the Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville.

Sympathy

We wish to offer our sympathy to Mada Wedgworth on the passing of her sister.

Home garden program slated

A Home Gardening Program will be held at the First National Bank Board Room at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 28.

Dr. J.W. Stewart, extension entomologist and Dr. Jerry Parsons, extension vegetable specialist, will present programs on insect control, variety selection, vegetable garden management and even some on organic gardening.

As an added bonus, Dr. Parsons has said he will have a number of free tomato plants of a new variety that is supposedly great for our area.

The program is free to the public.

Local group schedules art show

The Cowboy Culture Club will host the second annual April Fools Invitational, a comprehensive art show which opens on Saturday, March 31.

It is an informal group of artists that meets each year to show their diverse art in Bandera, the Cowboy Capital.

The opening event will be held in a historic building at 311 11th St., with a reception open to the public from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Visual art will be on display and shown by appointment through April 30 at this former bank building dating to the 1860s which features a permanent neon installation by San Antonio Museum of Art artist David Didear.

"Few of the artists in this show ride the range, but all are trailblazers in the sense that they bring their art and their audience to the Hill Country resort town of Bandera, better known for its ropers and riders," said Terry Nicholas of Bandera, one of the participating artists.

Artwork includes both traditional and contemporary, representational and non-representational visual art, fine jewelry, paintings on silk, romantic pop drawings, postcard watercolors, photography, woven paintings and pictures of cows.

The artists from Bandera are Joe Glasscock, Nicholas, Rick Meadows, Gail Stone and Beth Sutton.

Dallas artists include Harriet Hearne, Bobby Reagan, David Didear, Georgia Stafford, John Walker, Gordon Young, Melanie Walker (currently living in Toronto) and Susan B. Walton (currently living in Boston).

Hill Country area artists include Dusty Pendleton and Cecilia Faith Black of Austin, William Kern of Sisterdale, Danelle Bocock of Hunt and Carlton Ingram of Kerrville.

The show is being produced by Gail Stone and Terry Nicholas of Bandera, who convert their studio into gallery space for the April event.

Corrections

The Bulletin erred in last week's edition by mis-identifying the brides whose pictures are re-printed at the right.

The newspaper also failed to mention that Billy Adamson and Kenneth Wilson tied for third place in the elementary school talent show's small group category.

In a separate article, the newspaper also misspelled the name of former city councilman Russell Zickler.

The Bulletin apologizes for these errors.

Sabinal Canyon

Lillie Thompson — 966-8498

Weather

It seems as if spring has sprung. We have had heavy mist and sprinkles every night and morning this week. Our gauge shows a total of 1/2 in. which has been very beneficial to the grass and oat fields. Everything is beautiful and green, even the mesquite is budding, however we need a general rain for bottom moisture.

Revival

Sunday was the closing day of Baptist Revival meeting. Rev. Tom Clawson brought inspiring messages at each service and Bro. (Doc) Bablett did a marvelous job of leading the singing and bringing special music each night.

We hope the spirit of revival will linger on in every heart.

A large crowd enjoyed dinner on the grounds and fellowship.

Weekenders

Allen and Edna McFadden and his son, Billy, of Pasadena spent the weekend with her parents, Alvin and Jessie Ivy. Alvin's nephew Dale and wife DeLoris Turner and son Darrell of Austin were Sunday visitors.

R.C. and Dorothy Cutler have enjoyed their sister-in-law, Cleo Cutler of Corpus Christi, visit with them this week.

Shower

Ladies of The Church of Christ honored Tammy (Couch) Coppes and Cliatt with a miscellaneous shower on Thursday at Utopia Community Center. The young couple received many nice and useful gifts. After viewing the gifts everyone enjoyed a social hour of cake and punch.

Tubbs

Manetta La Cross, a teacher at John Jay School in San Antonio, is enjoying a week's break and visiting her parents L.L. and Janie Tubbs in the Hill Country at Vanderpool.

L.L. Tubbs joined Jimmy Tubbs and wife and a group of ten on a fishing trip in Mexico.

Rynn

We are happy to hear Eitole Rynn was feeling better this Sunday morning in Humana Medical Center Hospital, San Antonio, where she is undergoing a series of therapy treatments. Her room number is 233 for anyone wishing to send cards.

Rita Hawkins is happy to have her son Jimmy Trayler of Washington visit with her.

Bomer

Orba McVay Bomer, father of Lonnie, Bennie and Roy Bomer, suffered a stroke. He underwent brain surgery but is still in critical condition remaining in a coma.

First Baptist Church

March 24 First Baptist Church of Bandera is celebrating "Back to the Old Paths." The program will begin at 9 a.m. with dinner at the church and continuing until 3 p.m. We are all invited to join them in this program.

Birthday

The family members of Lecil and Ruby Howard, Dahl and family of Kerrville, Tommie and family of Sabinal and J.B. Alley family of Utopia all gathered at the Howard home to help Lecil celebrate his birthday on Saturday.

Visitors

Dr. George Scheuster and wife Thelma of Kerrville were weekend visitors of Emmett and Jerry Trader of Vanderpool.

Jimmy Wicks and wife Willa Lou of Tyler are visiting her parents Charley and Lena Belle Chaney this week.



Mr. and Mrs. Randy Schaefer



Mrs. Glenn Alan Turner

Senior Citizens

By Mary Wor[illegible]

Thank you, Bandera [illegible] and surrounding areas, for your support of the pancake breakfast on Thursday morning. A full report will be made next week. We trust the food and service were satisfactory.

The Golden Age party last Thursday was a lively affair, complete with Irish decor. Then, with refreshments carrying out the green theme, an accompaniment of recorded Irish songs, jigs and dances was provided. Thanks, imaginative hostesses.

The birthday luncheon on Tuesday was, as usual, one of the popular events of the month, with a large number coming for the covered-dish lunch. Birthday honorees were Callie Parsons and A.L. Robinson. Approximately 35 friends wished them well.

It is reported that Friday Bridge day is proving to be a real winner. The group has grown, and interest increased. Many stay for lunch, then continue playing into the afternoon.

An exercise class is now in progress on Wednesday mornings. It promises to be so well-attended that members of the art class has agreed to return to meeting Thursday mornings, as they had previously.

Foundation material recently dumped on the site for new senior center remains static, in a settling process, no doubt. But with growing interest in many events, it becomes evident that more room would be better.

This lovely spring weather generates the wish to go places, and see things, as evidenced by many. Mildred Zuttermeister has just returned after about a week in the Phoenix area. From some reports, she must have had a taste of summer heat.

The Pigott and Beach families and kin spent a week exploring Big Bend country, going early to perhaps avoid some of the rush. It was no doubt good timing for Doris, however, to help her nerves relax after her car was totally destroyed a few days before departure when she was tackled by someone in Leon Valley area running a red light. She received only minor scratches and bruises, fortunately.

The Cowans had planned spring break in Topeka, Kan., but wisely heeded weather reports and watched blizzard conditions on TV while snugly at home.

Larry Hein is quite ill. After a week in Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville, he was transferred on Monday to Methodist Hospital in San Antonio for more thorough testing.

There will be important rehearsal on Friday, March 23, at 5 p.m. for the early-April performance of the Meloddiers, when they will make a Salute to the Cowboy. Subsequent practices will be on the fourth Friday with the directors meeting at 2 p.m.

Applications are still being taken for a driver for the senior citizen mini-bus on a three-day-per-week basis. Please call 796-3781 or 796-4573 if interested.

Two lovely quilt tops have recently been donated and one is now in frames, hoping for nimble fingers to quilt them. Visiting and quilting is still a most satisfying pastime, as many who come can attest. Join the fun.

The possibility of a Bluebonnet Trail trip is now being discussed. Each year, several towns in the Highland Lakes area plan craft shows to coincide with the two weekends estimated to be best for viewing bluebonnets in their areas. This year those dates are the weekends of April 7 and 8 and April 14 and 15.

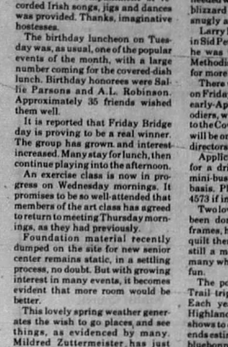
Since the first weekend would conflict with Melodier's program, it was decided that Saturday, April 14, will give more time for better bloom in the area, and be a better date.

—Political announcements—

School board

Johnnie L. Newcomer is announcing [illegible] candidacy for Bandera School Board Trustee on April 7.

"I have been very active in our community, mainly the school system, since moving to Pipe Creek 12 years ago," she said. "All four of my children are Bandera High School graduates. The youngest one, Charles, graduated in 1983. I have one grandson that will be a student in Banders in the future.



"I worked with Bandera PTA for 11 years and was president for two years. I was a room mother for 11 years and worked with numerous other school organizations.

"I am currently a trustee of the Pipe Creek Community Center where I initiated a scholarship fund for a Bandera student. I am also a member of the Department of Human Resources' (Child Welfare) board.

"I am aware of the over-crowded conditions and wish to help solve them, even though I'm only opposed the bond issue for various reasons.

I have always and will continue to dedicate my time and energy to building the future's citizens.

We must build better communications between the schools and the people of the community in order to help our children.

(Political advertisement.)

City council

Dorothy Darden has authorized the Bandera Bulletin to announce her candidacy for the Bandera City Council subject to the April 7 city election.

Mrs. Darden has lived in Bandera for 30 years. She is a registered nurse, retired.

She worked with the Bandera County chamber of commerce several years in an unofficial capacity, and during the years her children were in the Bandera schools she was active in school activities and in support groups for the school.

She is a member of the St. Christopher's Episcopal Church in Bandera and has served on the church vestry a number of years and was church treasurer for 15 years.

She is now an active real estate agent in Bandera.

"I have great interest in Bandera's future growth and that it grow in a way that is planned for the betterment of those of us who live here now," she said.

(Political advertisement)

County commissioner

This is to advise the Bandera Bulletin that Doyle Ely is a candidate for County Commissioner, Precinct 1 on the Republican ticket, subject to the general election in November.

A resident of the Pipe Creek area for 4½ years and an independent businessman with offices in Pipe Creek, specializes in rebuilding water well equipment. He has complete machine shop and fabrication facilities for the purpose of manufacturing what he calls The "Bandera Sky Hook" with customers nationwide.

"I believe the Constitution should be adhered to by all tax-consuming public servants. I will be expressing [illegible] between now and November. However, if any sovereign citizens wants more information, feel free to drop by our office in Pipe Creek or give us a call on the phone," says Ely.

(Political advertisement)

City council

Gary MacMillan has authorized the Bulletin to announce his candidacy for the Bandera City Council, subject to the election of April 7. In announcing his candidacy he released the following statement:

"Annexation was brought up at the city council last year. It's on the agenda for debate again this year and probably will arise again next year unless it is dealt with effectivity now.

"We cannot close our eyes and expect this problem to go away. A look down Main Street shows that many of our local businesses are remodeling, expanding and fixing up. They are not spending money without an expected return. The City of Bandera, thru annexation, must grow to meet the expectations of the local business community and the growth rate.

"I am not against annexation because it is not the problem. Direction is the problem, and that is where I will vote a big "no" to any annexation that will cost the city taxpayer more money.

"Vote for Gary MacMillan for City Council and I will vote against every item that dips into your pocket."

(Political advertisement)

Medina menu

March 26-30

Monday: Barbecue on bun, pork and beans, corn, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Hamburger pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, butter beans, fruit, rolls and milk.

Wednesday: Enchiladas and tamales, beans, slaw, fruit and milk.

Thursday: Chicken pattie, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, fruit, rolls and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomato, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Medina girls win at Utopia

Medina's girls won the Utopia Relays Saturday, March 10, and the Bobcat boys won fifth.

Nancy Dodson won the long jump for Medina with a leap of 14-2 and took first in the triple jump with a mark of 31-8.

Sheila House won the 100-meter hurdles in 16.5, beating teammate Cindi Caddell who finished second.

The Medina sprint relay team consisting of Dodson, House, Jerri Bullock and Cadell won their specialty in 55.2 seconds.

Dodson, who also ran on the second-place 800-meter relay and third in the 100-meter dash in :14 seconds was the meet's high scorer with 35 points.

Other Medina girls who placed included Traci Willett third in the shot put and fifth in the 200-meter dash; Jenia Watson fourth in the 400-meter dash and sixth in the high jump; Jerri Bullock third in the long jump; Melody Long fifth in the long jump and fourth in the 800-meter run; Tami Tatch third in the 200-meter dash; and Christine Colley sixth in the 1,600-meter run and the 3,200-meter run.

Geoff Williams finished second in both hurdle events and third in the high jump in the boys division and brother Mark Williams finished just behind him in the two hurdle events and fifth in the high jump.

Richard Payne won third in the discus while John Payne came in sixth in the 1,600-meter run.

Navarro's girls finished second with 121 points to Medina's 125. Leakey's boys won with 108 points, Center Point was second with 98, and Medina fifth with 44.

Shower

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Marvin Angermiller (nee Merrill Ann Adams) will be honored with a wedding shower, March 26 at 7 p.m., at First Baptist Church in Medina.

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Next, cut the flower stems with a knife. A slant or straight cut is ok. The cutting of the stems will remove any drying or clogging that may be noticed in your flowers. Sometimes you may need to mash or split woody stems and in some instances you may have to dip the stems in boiling water or burn the stem ends to seal in the milky substance. This is noted only under specific flower descriptions.
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Survivors include a son, Logan Adams of San Antonio; two sisters, Daisy Newby of Medina and Lizelle Sample of Lemoore, Calif.; two brothers, Tom Carpenter of Medina and Bill Carpenter of Zypher; four grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

Funeral services were held Monday, March 19, at the First Baptist Church of Medina with Rev. Bill Moseley and Rev. Louis Vannatter officiating. Burial was in Oak Rest Cemetery, Medina.

Sara Jackson

Sara Jackson, 88, died March 14 at Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital in Kerrville.

Born in Medina Nov. 26, 1895, to Francis Moffett and Josephine Smith Moffett, she married the late Necious Jackson Sept. 24, 1913 in Medina. She was a member of Medina Church of Christ.

Survivors include two daughters, Hayzie Mae Kriuba and Hattie Light, both of Medina; a son, Royce Jackson of Medina; a sister, Alice Miller of Yuma, Ariz.; three grandchildren, Tommy Jackson of Medina, Sarah Tondre of San Antonio, Lucille Chaney of Medina; six great-grandchildren, Roy Gene and Roger Chancy of Medina, Virginia and Naomi Jackson of Medina, Michael and Jeffrey Tondre of San Antonio; and a great-great-granddaughter, Corrina Chancy of Medina.

Services were Saturday at Grimes Funeral Chapel in Bandera with Rev. Ronnie Brooks officiating. Pallbearers were Richard Adams, Jim Daniels, Bodie Holliman, Morgan Akin, Murray LeStourgeon, Henry Murphy.

Boyd H. Edwards

Boyd H. Edwards, 81, of Pipe Creek died Thursday, March 15, in Kerrville Veterans Hospital. Burial Pipe Creek on Dec. 25, 1903, he married Rebecca Veuter Aug. 14, 1947, in San Antonio. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Rebecca Edwards of Pipe Creek; three sons, Norman Edwards of California, Raymond Edwards of Delaware, and Kenneth Edwards of Pipe Creek; three sisters, Lillie Hamilton of San Diego, Calif., Vina Davis of Animas, N.M., Mabel Cain of Tieton, Wash.; a brother, Luther Edwards of Pipe Creek; and two grandchildren.

Services were Monday at Grimes Funeral Chapel in Bandera with Rev. Bartlett Mills officiating. Pallbearers were David Valdez, Jerome Edwards, Gene Rands, Bill Studstill, Paul Minor and Richard (Cesino) Fitzgerald. Burial was in Pipe C— Cemetery.

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The Bandera County Emergency Medical Service acknowledged the following memorials and donations received during February:

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In memory of Homer Mansfield, from Mrs. Billie Crowell.

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Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

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Pastor: Rev. Joel Garcia
Corner of 13th and Mulberry
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.

Bandina
Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina
First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
Minister: Doyle Maynard
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
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United Methodist Church
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Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
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St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
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Tarpley
Baptist Mission
Pastor: Glenn W. Rhines
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Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
Prayer: Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
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Church of Christ
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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629

Baptist Church
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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
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Methodist Church
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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

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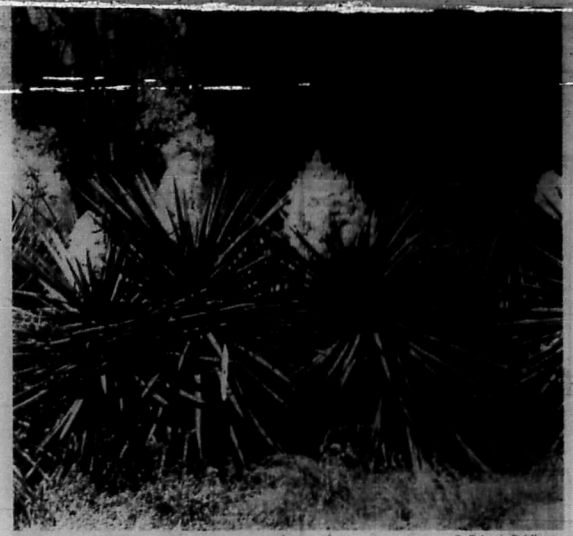

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The calendar may say spring, but to many Bandera Countians, the first blooming of the yuccas are a sure sign. This impressive collection is on Highway 16 near Pipe Creek.

County Fair searching for local participants

Arrangements for the first annual Bandera County Fair are proceeding ahead of schedule, according to fair chairman Beth Allert, who is in the midst of a continuing search for individuals and groups to sponsor booths, contests or participate in other ways.

The fair will be July 6-8 at Mansfield Park and will be fashioned to reflect the image of old, traditional county fairs, and the widest possible participation by local people is being encouraged.

Among the events already scheduled are carnival rides, cowboy contests, a fashion show, adult and kiddie games and contests, a parade, exhibits to be judged, booths and much more, according to Allert.

The fair's purpose is to provide an opportunity for a weekend of family fun and competition and to show off the best Bandera County can produce in many, many categories. It is sponsored by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce.

Allert said committees have been appointed, and she urged persons interested in participating in the fair in any way to contact her or the committee chairman over the area in which they have an interest.

Committee chairmen announced this week include Peggy Edwards who heads the Classification, Division and Judges Committee; Punkie Camp in charge of beer sales, Pat Frazier and Vickie Garza in charge of soda pop sales; Dee McGee heading food sales; Beverly Hearn coordinating contests and games; Jack Frazier heading the insurance committee; Joy Short in charge of public relations; Karoline Moreland in charge of judging arts and crafts; Tammy Knueper heading food judging; the Madrona Garden Club supervising plant judging; and Lesa Hauer judging sewing projects.

Allert is personally handling arrangements for exhibit booths. She can be reached at 796-3251.

The chamber's fair committee will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, March 22, at the First National Bank Board Room, and Allert invited anyone interested to attend.

Old-fashioned program planned by Bandera County Baptists

"An old-fashioned day of singing, praying and preaching" has been scheduled by the First Baptist Church of Bandera, with nine area ministers participating, says the Rev. Harvey W. Hulse, pastor.

"The First Baptist Church extends a cordial invitation to everyone in the area to join them for a 'meeting of friends'," says the Rev. Hulse.

The program begins at 9 a.m., Saturday, March 24, with singing of old and familiar hymns of praise.

Area ministers expected to bring messages from the Old Testament text, "Ask for the old paths, and walk therein." They include the Revs. Homer Stephens of Utopia, Jack Rotan of Utopia, Jack Stevens of San Antonio, Bill Moseley of Medina, Richard Porche of Center Point, Ken Dewey of Hunt, Bartlett Mills of Pipe Creek, Glenn Rhines of Tarpley and Joel Garcia of San Antonio.

Worshipers will join for a covered-dish lunch served in the church's Fellowship Hall at noon or in local restaurants, as they prefer, said the Rev. Hulse.

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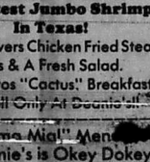

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Barbecue, trail ride to be preview of park

The Hill Country State Natural Area in Bandera County will be the first equestrian park in Texas when it opens in 1988, and Bandera County residents will get a preview of the new park on April 1.

The park will encompass some 5,000 acres of scenic hills, valleys, creeks and lakes, all teeming with native Texas wildlife and flora.

It is located on the old Wheeler Ranch 12 miles southwest of Bandera on the old Wheeler ranch at the end of Dixie Dude Road.

A barbecue will be served April 1 at 4 p.m. to last until dark. The $5 ticket price includes a meal and one beverage, additional beverages will be for sale at the park, according to the 11-member group coordinating the event.

Entertainment will be provided by Bandera musicians Ballan Grant and Rudy Robbins.

Tickets must be purchased by Monday, organizers of the barbecue says.

Those persons listed among organizers of the barbecue are Carole Rambo, Ben Nolen, Bunny and Jay Tenberg, Donna Walters, Sue Martin, Linda and Cliff Padgett, Diane Carrington, D.W. (Bill) Hicks and Robbins.

Among the celebrities expected is LaShawn Wardlow of Del Rio, a Texas A&M University co-ed who is the reigning Miss Rodeo Texas.

She will join a special group of riders April 1 prior to the barbecue for an invitation-only ride over the sprawling state park that is spread over 5,000 acres.

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The Bandera Bulletin will join most other newspapers in the country in converting to a new six-column advertising format in its issue of April 5.

This change will have little effect on readers. They will merely be the beneficiary of a format which is easier to read and more pleasing to look at.

It will also have little effect on most advertisers. A quarter-page ad, for example, will remain a quarter-page ad and will be sold at the same rate.

Some regular advertisers will find the size and shape of the ad they are accustomed to running in the Bulletin will not be available in that particular shape.

The advertising staff of the Bulletin will of course be available to help those advertisers re-shape their ads to fit the new format.

Classified advertising will not change noticeably.

This new format is being adopted by virtually all legitimate newspapers in the United States for the primary purpose of standardizing the size of ads. Ads that fit the column width of the Bandera Bulletin will also fit the columns of the New York Times, the Harvey (N. Dak.) Herald or the Kiowa County (Colo.) Press.

The six-column format was adopted because readership studies have shown that columns two inches wide receive a higher readership than narrower or wider columns and because it helps create more attractive pages which draw readers.

That's why the Bulletin changed to six columns for its non-advertising, or news material. Most persons agree that the change has resulted in a cleaner, more attractive look.

The Bulletin staff will be contacting regular advertisers whose ads will be difficult to adjust to the new column width during the next few days. If you have any questions, please feel free to call us.

We want to emphasize that this is not an increase in advertising rates, but simply a change in format. The cost of an ad of the same size will not change.

This is another move to enable us to continue to bring to our readers and furnish for our advertisers the most attractive, most interesting, and best newspaper in Texas for a community of this size.

Advertisers have been glad to hear that the citizens of Bandera County appreciate their newspaper, as evidenced by its continual growth in circulation.

We are committed to continuing to provide Bandera County with a newspaper of which each citizen can be proud.

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Too many items to list.
Large selection of ranch saddles, some silver, some tooled, some plain, five (5) year guarantee on tree.
Pony saddles, bits, pads, blankets, Sun Beam clippers, ear clippers, head stalls, bridles, reins, ropes, show halters, leads, breast collars, girths, flank girths, Neatsfoot oil, tie straps, whips and spurs.
DEALERS WELCOME!
All items will be sold singly and/or in lots.
Place: Mansfield Park Recreational Center
2½ miles west — Hwy. 16 — Bandera, Tx.
Date: March 25, 1984 2:30 P.M.
Auctioneer:
Floyd T. Hutton - License No. TXS-053-1338

AUCTION
Complete estate of Jimmy Dodd (deceased)
Sunday, March 25th, 1984
405 Lucille St. — Kerrville, Tx.
Auction begins 12 noon, viewing time 10 a.m. date of sale till sale time.
—FOOD & DRINKS AVAILABLE—
Auctioneers note: This is one of the most interesting auctions we have been associated with. Jimmy was King Ranch photographer for over 30 years. Worked in Hollywood, traveled on PGA tours, worked for newspapers and captured Texas History. Many photographs of executive presidents, movie stars, most all of them autographed. Small gun collection, Smith and Wesson 38 special revolver, Winchester 30/30 model 94 bicentennial edition, 44 Smith and Wesson chrome plated revolver, Colt 25 automatic, 380 automatic, race horse shoes worn by "Assault" (Triple Crown Winner in 1946).
Civil War bayonet, mesquite coffee and end tables, [illegible] bed, Original Bronze of Will Rogers by Leo [illegible], many good [illegible] Superbator, tool chest and hundreds and hundreds of other items.
Auctioneer: A.D. Hill Sr. TXS 015-0072
—3 P.M. SHARP—
House and lot will be offered and sold with approval.
1983 XLT Super Cab Ford pickup loaded, like new.
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DATED March 5, 1984
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Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of M
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Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Ba
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By M. Lemons, D

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS BY VIRTUE OF AN OR
COUNTY OF BANDERA OF S

DATED March 5

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Independent School District vs. Olin W. Mason, et al
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Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of M
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Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Ba
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Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of M
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Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Ba
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Independent School District vs. Edgar James Wuest,
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titled cause, together with interest, and costs of suit, and the proceeds to the satisfaction thereof, and the applied as the law directs.

Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.

Jeff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED March 5, 1984

a judgment decree of the District ty, Texas by the Clerk of said Court in suit, No. 3221 styled Flying L vs. H.R. George, Jr., et ux., Vicki directed and delivered as Sheriff of the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the of said month, at the Courthouse the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 , by and through the LAW OFFI- N, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 305, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my ed to sell for cash to the highest and interest of the defendants in e following described real estate erty of said defendants, the same l in the County of Bandera and the

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exas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.

ff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED March 5, 1984

a judgment decree of the District y, Texas by the Clerk of said Court in suit, No. 3227 styled Flying L n. James A. Hankins, a/k/a James and directed and delivered as Sheriff on the 5th day of March, 1984, will, on the first Tuesday of May, the 1st day of said month, at the d County, in the city of Bandera, on said day, by and through the ATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar n, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) d agent, proceed to sell for cash to he right, title and interest of the in and to the following described s the property of said defendants, ng situated in the County of Ban- xas, to-wit:

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f of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED March 5, 1984

a judgment decree of the District y, Texas by the Clerk of said Court in suit, No. 3334 styled Flying L s. Philip V. Blakely, et ux., et al., delivered as Sheriff of said County, March, 1984, seized, levied upon, day of May, 1984, the same being th, at the Courthouse door of said ndera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on h the LAW OFFICES OF GATES ar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 476-4688, my authorized agent, pro- e highest bidder all the right, title ndants in such suit in and to the wing described real estate levied upon as the property ause lying and being situated in and the State of Texas, to-wit:

deed is filed for record, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.

Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 2961 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Lake Medina Properties, Inc., et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 8, Block 1, Subdivision A of the Avalon Subdivision, Bandera County, Texas, and as shown by the plat filed of record at the Bandera County Clerk's Office;

Lot 9, Block 1, Subdivision A of the Avalon Subdivision, Bandera County, Texas, and as shown by the plat filed of record at the Bandera County Clerk's Office;

Lot 22, Block 27, Subdivision A of the Avalon Subdivision, Bandera County, Texas, and shown by the plat filed of record at the Bandera County Clerk's Office;

Lot 7, 8, Block 28, Subdivision A of the Avalon Subdivision, Bandera County, Texas, as shown by the plat filed of record at the Bandera County Clerk's Office;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.

Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3133 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. J. Lawrence Dean, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 10, Block 2, Morgan Heights #1, and being more particularly described in Volume 1, Page 50 of the Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas, SAVE AND EXCEPT, however, from said Lot A, triangle out of the front part of Westerly part of said Lot 15 feet in depth on the roadway along with the South line of said lot, and along a straight line angle between this 2 foot depth and the 15 foot depth, all as described in Volume 109, Page 348, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.

Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3153 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. C.H. McLain, et ux., et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon,



SASA promotes Yvette C. Rempel

Yvette C. Rempel has been named an assistant secretary at San Antonio Savings Association, W.W. (Bo) McAllister III, the association's chairman of the board announced this week.

Now the manager of SASA's Bandera office, Rempel was previously the assistant manager of the association's Alamo Heights office in San Antonio. She received a regents' diploma from the Institute of Financial Education.

A member of the Bandera Chamber of Commerce board of directors, Rempel is chairman of its Bandera County Rodeo Pageant. She and her husband Jeff have one daughter, Michelle, 1½.

Bandera group visits distribution center

Six employees of True Value Hardware of Bandera attended a full-day of activities at the Cotter & Co., a new, 435,000-square-foot regional distribution center in Corsicana.

Those participating included Cindy Martin, Nona Hearn, Cindy and Pat McCoy and Myra and Mike McCoy. Accompanying the group were Clint and Clay McCoy, sons of Cindy and Pat McCoy, and Mary Grace and Lynn Brown, parents of Myra McCoy from Fort Worth.

The tour was a special one for owners and employees of independently-owned True Value Hardware stores. They attended special merchandising and servicing seminars, visited national known manufacturers, and were offered special prices and merchandise categories.

The distribution center presently has an inventory of 29,157 items valued at $16 million, according to Mike McCoy.

Shop in Bandera

...it pays

Morris Whitney and Ben Nolen have recently purchased the real estate operation of Holt, Wellbacher, and Whitney in Bandera. The offices will remain the same at 1206 Hackberry, but the new company name will be Whitney and Nolen Realty.

Agents now working out of this office, along with Morris and Ben, are Jan Verhelst, Dorothy Moorman and Curtis Young.

Must make restitution

Buddy Broussard of Bandera was given a two-year sentence, suspended for five years, and ordered to make restitution to a Bandera bank in the amount of $8,000.

Broussard was sentenced after a half-day trial in 216th District Court in Bandera Monday. He was charged with hindering secured creditors in connection with a loan he received from the First National Bank for the purchase of a vehicle and some tools.

According to the indictment, Broussard was accused of removing the vehicle and tools from the state without the consent of the bank.

Seco Spring Ranch of Bandera paid $2,000, the top price bid at a recent bull sale in Luling, to purchase the top bull from eight breeds at the sale.

Consigned by Glenn Murchison of Pflugerville, the bull swept all of the honors at the sale, including average daily gain of 3.56 pounds during the 126-day test, weight per day of age at 3.51 pounds, and yearling weight of 1,283 pounds.

Extension agent explains 'survival gardens'

Peggy Edwards, Bandera County Extension Agent, was a special guest at the regular meeting of the Madrona Garden Club last Friday.

Mrs. J.W. Haynes presented Mrs. Edwards, who centered her program on "Survival Gardens." Mrs. Edwards spoke on cultivting the various plants in a vegetable garden, a variety of fruits, pecans, herbs, and planting to save space. She pointed out the location of planting, the proper sunlight, soil and watering necessary to proper gardening. She showed interesting slides and gave Garden Club members a copy of "Gardening Guidelines," a publication put out by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. At the conclusion of Mrs. Edwards' program Mrs. H.L. Bruce, club president, presented her a potted plant.

Mrs. Bruce presided at the business meeting and announced that the club had won an award from District 7, Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., which will be presented at the state meeting in April.

Helen Ahr will be a delegate to the District 7 meeting of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., in Hondo March 24.

Five minute reviews were presented from the Lone Star Gardener and the National Gardener by Marie Holland and Mrs. J. Burgin Davenport.

Mrs. Loney Postert won the attendance prize, floral arrangement.

Hostesses for the occasion were Amelia Dickens, Helen Ahr, Billie Crowell and Eva Freeman.

Junior football tryouts Saturday

Tryouts for Little League baseball and T-ball will be held in Bandera and Pipe Creek Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

Bandera hopefuls will gather at Mansfield Park and Pipe Creek players will convene at the Pipe Creek field at the Community Center.

Registration will also be accepted at that time, officials say.

Births

Quarles

Jessica and Amy Quarles would like to announce the arrival of their new baby brother, John Lloyd, born March 13 weighing 9 lbs. 1 ounce.

Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Quarles Jr. of Karnes City. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Willis Fellows of Karnes City and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Quarles of Bandera.

Stehling

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Stehling of Kerrville announce the birth of their daughter, Shelby Elise Stehling March 13 at Sid Peterson Hospital. The maternal grandparents are Jimmye Kramer of Bandera and Chester Kramer of Portland. Paternal grandparents are Tony and Lavern Stehling of Ingram.

Beef cattle short course part III

Part III of a Beef Cattle Short Course will be held on Thursday, March 29, at the First National Bank Board Room at 7:30 p.m., according to extension agent Scott Durham.

Part III will cover herd health care. Representative from Bio-Ceutic and Muck laboratories will be there to talk about the latest developments in disease and parasite control.

Dr. Steve Sells and Dr. Conrad Nightingale will wrap up the program with a herd health program designed for Bandera County.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATE the 15th day of March, 1984.

LAW OFFICES OF DARDEN & WEHMEYER
By: Robert E. Wehmeyer
Attorney for the Estate
37-1tc

Format change

The Bandera Bulletin will change its advertising format from eight 5 6/16-inch columns to six 2 1/16-inch columns on April 5.

Regular advertisers are asked to call 796-3718 for more information. 37-2tnc

Notice

As of March 20, 1984 Linda Gay Reynolds is no longer responsible for debts made by James Claitor Reynolds Jr.

37-1tp

Amended Public notice

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Monday, April 2, 1984 at 7 p.m. in the city municipal bldg. for purpose of rezoning the property located on Range 9, SE ½ of lot 26 from a R-1 (residential) district to a B-1 (commercial) district. 37-1tc

-Card of- thanks

Thank You

I wish to express my appreciation to my friends and neighbors for their vote of confidence in their nomination of me as director of the Bandera Independent School District.

Your continued support at the May annual meeting will be appreciated.

Sincerely,
Jerral C. Callahan
37-1tc

PEN in PAW

For, about and by students in Bandera schools.

Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Speckman

To the seniors of BHS — we salute you

Robert Lee Haynes

Robert Lee Haynes known as "Bob" to his friends and family is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Haynes of Lakehills. Robert's interest lie mainly in automobiles and waterskiing.

Robert's main goal in life is to open his own body shop. He plans to go to college to attain this goal. He feels that one marketing strategy at a body shop has played the greatest influence in his life.

Robert has enjoyed his years here and specifically stated that, "I would not trade my experiences at BHS for anything."

Sue Pickett

Glenda Sue Pickett, daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. Guy Pickett, has been active in BHS organizations throughout all her years in BHS.

FFA was her main interest her freshman and sophomore years. In her junior year, Sue participated in ALS. She was OEA Vice President and placed third in All-District Office Communications II. Sue's senior year, she has continued to participate in OEA and ALS and added Teens for Christ to her list of things to do."

Sue, better known to her friends as "Scoon Toole," plans to attend a beauty college in San Antonio and become a cosmetologist after she graduates from BHS.

When asked if she could relive her school years, what she would do differently, Sue replied, "I would try to be a nicer person and get to know everyone possible. I'm happy with my school years but I would like to have been in more clubs so I would be able to meet people. I love to meet people."

Sue feels that her friends, parents, and grandmother have been the greatest influence upon her life. When she needed them, they were here to give her some good advice to help her through her hard times.

"Remember yesterday, live today, and dream tomorrow," is Sue's favorite quote, one on which she would like to base her life.

—Tony Kunz

The quote on which he would like to live his life is different than others. Robert would like to prove that saying, "Nice guys finish last," wrong.

Robert has been a member of ALS his junior and senior years. He taught at Padre Island and also aked in a ski show there.

Among his interest in automobiles is an also an interest in motorcycles. Robert placed first in the 1984 High School Drags on his Honda CB900F.

Robert plans to keep working in a body shop and attend college next fall to obtain this goal. Robert is a valued member of the BHS and his presence will be missed after graduation.

—David Schwarz

Jonathon Lee Graves

Senior Jonathon Graves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graves, bases his life on, "Seek first the Kingdom of God and you'll receive all these things shall be added unto you."

Jonathon started school here in eighth grade and has become a definite asset to BHS since then. He was a member of NHS his sophomore and junior year. He was president his senior year. In ALS his junior year he is vice-president this year. In Teens for Christ he was vice-president both his sophomore and junior years and currently as a senior, is president. It's evident why Jonathon feels he has accomplished everything he wanted to throughout his school years.

Laura Wilton

Success, according to Laura Annette Wilton, is the result of her supportive parents and many friends who have influenced her life greatly. She especially thanks Mr. Hunter, one of her teachers, for making a lasting impression on her life.

She has been one of Mr. Hunter's students for five of her school years beginning with the seventh grade. The classes were Spanish, world geography, and a teachers aid in her junior year.

Laura is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Wilton and has attended Bandera schools for 12 years. During this time she has participated in basketball and track when she was in jr. high, FHA as a freshman and sophomore, became the vice-president of Encounters as a junior, and is currently the president of FHA.

Along with her jr. high and high school accomplishments, Laura has received a certificate of graduation from the Barbizon School of Modeling. After high school, she would like to major in law government, or computer science at Trinity University. After that, she would like to attend school at the Art Institute of Houston or Dallas and major in interior design or fashion merchandising and design, but a modeling career is something that she truly wants to persue.

Laura would like to base her life on a quote from Richard Bach's, "Jonathon Livingston Seagull," a book which has inspired her greatly. "The gull sees farthest who flies highest." With this in mind, Laura will continue to reach out for all of her goals.

—Nancy Hayes.

Gary Galland

Gary Wayne Galland, better known as the "Urban Cowboy" to those in Student Council, has attended Bandera schools all 12 years. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Galland.

When asked what has influenced his life the most, Gary attributed his accomplishments to his parents, job, and school. The biggest single factor that has influenced his life thus far was being adopted. He feels that if he hadn't been adopted into a great family there would have been no telling where he would have ended up.

Gary's long term goal in life is to do the best he can with what he's given. If he's knocked down he plans to get up and try again.

Gary's plans after leaving BHS include going to college, maybe to study law. He also would like to do some traveling to different areas and maybe study music in addition.

Gary's favorite quote is "A Good Heart Cannot Lie." Gary tries to live by this quote as often as possible.

Gary has been quite active in many organizations throughout high school. He has been in band four years and was nominated as a Band Beau Candidate his senior year. He has been active in Student Council for the past two years. He is Vice-President of Student Council this year.

Athletics have also been one of Gary's favorite interests. He participated in track his freshmen and senior years.

Gary has been a member of NHS his junior and senior years.

Gary's last comments were directed to Seniors of the future.

"Enjoy your high school years as long as you can, because before you know it, you're confronted with the choice, what am I going to do with my life? Believe me, it is a very scary reality."

—Karen Rizner

Record review

SAGA-heads or tales

Saga's newest release is called Heads or Tales, a production by Rupert Zline. It is probably one of their best releases to date. Unfortunately it is not getting the air time I think it deserves.

Heads or Tales contains many surprisingly different tracks. If you buy the tape instead of the LP, you get a bonus track called "Cat Walk - (Unabridged)."

Saga, commonly known for its "On the Loose"-type rhythms (Worlds Apart) and "Images"-type dreamery (Images at Twilight), has changed its style somewhat with Heads or Tales.

They've become musically more powerful. The opening track, "The Flyer," is a strong opener, followed by the excellent song, "Cat Walk."

Things get better from there! The lyrics are unique and slightly ambiguous, but still clear enough for you to understand what is being said.

The guitar is allowed to eat loose on "Cat Walk" and "Intermission" for some mind-bending solos, and keyboards give a magical quality to the music.

Most of the songs seem to be about the problems of a man in society and in the family. "The Vendetta (Still Helpless)" is about a family run by a dictator-type father, and the son tells of his problems.

"Cat Walk (Unabridged)" is a longer, guitar soloish version on "Cat Walk." "The Writing" is about a man using a fortune teller to find happiness.

All tied together, this is one of the flashiest, most exciting new albums for the new year. This album rates a 9 on my scale of 1 to 10.

Most Saga-fans will be surprised but delighted by Heads or Tales. Heads or Tales will grab you by the brain, shake your inner thoughts, and leave you wanting more.

—Shane Yates

Sophomores take DAT

Tuesday and Wednesday Bandera sophomores took DAT. DAT is the Differential Aptitude Tests. These tests which are given to sophomores every year are used to measure abilities important in school and job success. This test had many different categories. Verbal Reasoning, Numerical Ability, Verbal plus Numerical, Abstract Reasoning, Clerical Speed and Accuracy, Mechanical Reasoning, Space Relations, Spelling, and Language Usage.

Many students felt that these tests gave them an advantage because they are much like the Armed Forces test that is given to seniors. The tests are sent to the Education Service Center, and results should be in in about a month. —Daria Johnston

NHS inducts 11 new members

May 7 at 7:30 p.m. the National Honor Society will induct 11 new members.

The new members are Derrin Berg, Clifford Bronson, Ted Celis, Greg Fest, Clint Koenig, Billy Morris, Nancy Patton, Janet Weber, all of whom are sophomores. There were also two seniors, Nancy Herriot and Derrick Berg. One junior will also be inducted, Kris Stell Jr.

These 11 students were selected from 29 outstanding students. They had to have outstanding grades, service to their school, leadership, and character to become NHS members.

—Seana D'Spain

Honor roll

Bandera Junior high school
Fourth six weeks

Sixth grade, "A" — Shannon Cowsert, Wayne McWhorter, Tiffany Moseley and Lorie Reagan.

Sixth grade, "A-B" — Jennifer Craven, Kathery Halcomb, Scott Key, Betty Martinez, Kelyn Pearson and Kelly Stanbrough.

Seventh grade, "A" — Michael Guadarrama.

Seventh grade, "A-B" — Shawn Aamodt, Faye Comingore, Kim Lukachik, Ruth Navarek, Ann Muller, Helena Robertson, Christi Schindler, Delenne Wilkerson, Shannon Walbrun and Bryant Youngblood.

Eighth grade, "A" — Sandy Hunter, Selena Cook and Eve Elkins.

Eighth grade, "A-B" — Michelle Bates, Carolyn Beach, Dorothy Duff, Shea Hicks, Tony Johnson, Brad Kelly, Erika Mendez, Jennifer Moore, Michelle Morrison, Helen Neville, Yvette Pearson, Jeff Speckman, Nancy Thompson, Becky Walker and Chris York.

Honor roll

Bandera high school
Fourth six weeks

9th grade, "A" — Matt Kelly.

9th grade, "A-B" — DeAnn Adamietz, Jarod Balmer, James Brown, Anne Chapman, Mike Hill, Ernest Malone, Danny Potts, Lorri Robins and Scott Celoss.

10th grade, "A" — Billy Morris.

10th grade, "A-B" — Mike Adams, Ted Celis, Floyd Clifton, Kelly Kindle, Scott Koenig, Michelle McGee, Melissa Ross, Jeff Skoops and Janet Weber.

11th grade, "A" — Terri Butler, Tommy Callahan, Bubba Cuellar, Trey Graves, Shannon McMullan and Shane Yates.

12th grade, "A-B" — Carol Dailey, Kim Gurley, Mike Hill, Kelly Kindle, Scott Kelly, Toni Kunz, Jill MacMillan, Denise Reves, Sheri Padgett, Wayne Peek, Tana Short and Kris Stell.

12th grade, "A" — Kim Compton, Wendy Frazier, Jonathan Graves, Sandy Riedner, Karen Rizner, Lisa Vakey and Wendy Valdez.

12th grade, "A-B" — Vicki Bates, Derrick Berg, Mary Bolen, Tim Butler, Toni Byam, Christine Calame, Dale Ferrell, Keith Kindle, Kelly Maier, Gavin Pearson, Sue Pickett, Chris Reeves, Bryan Rogers, Trenda Sewell, Dawn Shumway, Tracy Thompson and Laura Wilton.

Menu

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Taco pie, tossed salad, cookie, hot sauce and pickles. Bran, fruit and milk.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Biscuit with sausage, juice and milk. Lunch: Chicken fried steak, French fries, tossed salad, cookie, and milk. Spiced pears, Dagwo.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Chalupa, fried steak, potatoes, green beans, fruit, roll and milk. Spiced cheese. Chicken pasty 9

THURSDAY: breakfast: Cinnamon roll, juice and milk. Lunch: Taco grande, taco relish, fries, chocolate cake and milk.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Pizza, breaded vegetable stix, corn off cob, fruit and milk.

Journalism workshop

The Bandera Journalism Class attended a workshop at Trinity University on Friday March 9. It was sponsored by the San Antonio Light Newspaper and was entitled "Producing a School Newspaper."

The workshop began with a general session on "Ethics in Journalism." The speakers were Joe Carroll Rust, associate editor, San Antonio Light, and Dr. Richard Gentry, professor, of journalism, radio and television, Trinity University. Various workshops were led by members of the San Antonio Light staff.

Some 4f the Workshops offered were features, news, sports and editorial writing; graphics of communication; being the critic; business, advertising and circulation; photography; editorial cartoons; and role of the editor.

These workshops were all very interesting. One member of each school was asked to attend a session on layout and design, this was a 2-hour session in the morning.

"This workshop was an excellent educational experience for all those who attended," one participant said.

—Michele Speckman

Movie review

Police Academy — Not yet released, it starts Friday.

Police Academy is the "Airplane" of 1984. If laughs are what you want, then here is where you'll find them.

Four Bulldogs
—John Cornelius

West Texas leadership

William C. Morris Jr., a sophomore at Bandera High School, has been selected to represent Bandera at the Hugh O'Brian West Texas Leadership Seminar, April 6-8, in San Antonio.

Morris will join 119 other outstanding sophomores from the western district of Texas which includes an area from El Paso to Waco to Brownsville. The three-day seminar, sponsored by San Antonio Optimist Clubs, will be held at Lackland Air Force Base.

The weekend state seminar is modeled after the Hugh O'Brian Youth (HOBY) Foundation's International Leadership Seminar. The Foundation's purpose is to bring together distinguished leaders in business, government, and the professions with the future leaders of tomorrow to explore the topic, "America's Incentive System."

There are 82 statewide seminars each spring from which one boy and one girl are selected to represent each state at the annual International Leadership Seminar to be held this August in Boston, Mass.

The objectives of the HOBY Foundation include seeking out, recognizing and rewarding leadership potential in high school sophomores; encouraging and assisting members of this formative age group in their quest for self-identification and self-development; and exploring the American incentive system and its democratic process.

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of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

The Southeast 20 feet out of Lot 26, Range 8, Town of Bandera, and being more particularly described in Volume 137, Page 145, Deed Records of Bandera County, Texas;

Part of Lot 35, Range 8, Town of Bandera and being more particularly described in Volume 137, Page 145, Deed Records of Bandera County, Texas;

Lots 1, 2, 3, 13, and 14, Block 1, Subdivision A, Lake Medina Highlands, according to the Plat thereof in Volume 1, Page 5, Map & Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

Lots 16 through 30, Block 86, Subdivision G, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 14, Map & Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.

Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, Block 51, Subdivision C, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake according to the Plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 14, Map & Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.

Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas
78003

By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE:
DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3163 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. C.F. Walden, et us., Bertha A. Walden, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 13, 15, and 16, Block 101, Subdivision B, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof in Volume 1, Page 48, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.

Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas
78003

By M. Lemons, Deputy
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NOTICE OF BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT #1 DIRECTORS ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
BANDERA COUNTY

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED VOTERS OF BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT #1

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 7 day of APRIL, 1984, at the places, in the manner, and for the candidates for the office of said district, as set forth in the attached copy of an ORDER FOR DIRECTORS' ELECTION, duly entered by the Board of Directors of said above mentioned district on the 7 day of March, 1984. Said attached Order for Directors' Election is made a part of this notice for all intents and purposes.

Jud Ashmore
President,
Board of Directors
Bobby Solomon
Secretary,
Board of Directors

AVISO DEL DISTRITO MUNICIPAL DE SERVICIOS PUBLICOS ELECCION DE DIRECTORES

EL ESTADO DE TEXAS
CONDADO DE BANDERA

A LOS RESIDENTES VOTANTES CAPACITADOS DE BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT #1

TOMEN NOTA que se llevara a cabo una eleccion el dia 7 de APRIL de 1984, en los lugares, en la forma, y por los candidatos al puesto de dicho distrito, como lo indica la copia anexa de la ORDEN DE ELECCION DE DIRECTORES DE BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT #1 aprobada por la Junta Directiva con fecha mencionado distrito el dia 7 de MARCH de 1984. Dicha Orden de Eleccion de Directores anexa se considera en todo caso ser parte de este aviso.

Jud Ashmore
Presidente,
Junta Directiva
Bobby Solomon
Secretario,
Junta Directiva
36-2tc

Public notice

The Voting Precinct #4, polling place which was located at the Lakehills Volunteer Fire Department building has been changed by official Federal sanction, to the Civic Center located on Park Road 37.

This means that you will vote at the Civic Center instead of the Firehouse.

36-2tc

Order for Directors Election

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

On this the 7 day of MARCH, 1984, the Board of Directors of THE BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATERSUPPLY DIST. #1, convened in SPECIAL/REGULAR session open to the public with the following members present, to-wit:

Jud Ashmore, President;
Wilbur Bradford, Vice-President; Bill Mooney, George Wallace; Bob Solomon, Secretary.

and the following absent: None, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings had by said Board of Directors was the following:

Whereas on the 7 day of APRIL, 1984, there will be a directors election in this district;

Whereas this Board by order dated the 22 day of FEBRUARY, 1984, established the procedure for candidates who desire to file for said election;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF BANDERA COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT #1

1. That an election be held in said district on the 7 day of APRIL, 1984, for the purpose of electing to the Board of Directors of said District 3 BOARD MEMBERS

2. That said election shall be held at the following places DISTRICT OFFICE in said District, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election.

For Election at WATER DISTRICT OFFICE Building, in PEBBLE BEACH, LAKEHILLS, Texas, within said District with FRANK KERR as Presiding Judge, HELEN KERR as Assistant Judge and JEANE ANDERSON and CHARLA COOK Clerks.

3. The polls at each of the above described voting polling places shall on election day be open from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 7:00 o'clock p.m.

LOUISE HAYS is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting, and CLYDE KELLEY are hereby appointed Deputy Clerks for absentee voting. The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at THE WATER DISTRICT OFFICE within the boundaries of the above named district and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at lease 6 hours on each day for absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:00 and 2:00 on each day for said absentee voting. The above described place for absentee voting is also the absentee clerk's mailing address to which ballot applications and ballots voted by mail may be sent.

4. The following named persons have duly filed as candidates for said election in accordance with the above mentioned order for election procedure in Directors Election passed by this Board, and their names shall be placed on the ballot for said election in accordance with a drawing held by this Board in the following order: Wilbur Bradford, Jud Ashmore, Bob Solomon.

5. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order once a week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the county or counties in which the district is located. The first publication shall be at least 14 days before the election.

6. The manner of holding said election shall be governed, as nearly as may be, by the Election Code of this state, and this Board of Directors will furnish all necessary ballots and other election supplies requisite to said election.

7. Immediately after the votes have been counted, the officers holding said election shall make and deliver the returns of said election and perform all other duties as provided by the Election Code.

8. It is further found and determined that notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting was posted in accordance with the terms and provisions of Art. 6252-17 at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of this meeting and that the terms and provisions of said Article 6252-17 have been complied with and copies of said postings and return shall be attached to this order and become a part thereof.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Board voted AYE: Jud Ashmore, Wilbur Bradford, Bob Solomon, Bill Mooney, George Wallace, and the following voted NO: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 7 day of MARCH, 1984.

Jud Ashmore
President,
Board of Directors of
Bandera County Fresh
Water Sppply District #1
ATTEST:
Bobby Solomon,
Secretary
36-2tc

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF BANDERA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of a writ of execution issued out of the Honorable 166th Dist. Court of Bexar County, 13th day of February 1984, by David Garcia, District Clerk of said 166th Judicial District Court for the sum of three hundred ninety three dollars and fifty cents and costs of suit, under a judgement of said court, in favor of H.E. Mendez in a certain cause in said Court, No. 82CI-14095 and styled Marie V. DeLeon vs. Oscar V. DeLeon, placed in my hands for service, I, Guy V. Pickett as Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas, did, on the 15 day of February 1984, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Bandera County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: lots 7, 8, 19, and 20, Block 94, subdivision "G", of Avalon Ranch Subdivision on Medina Lake in Bandera County and levied upon as the property of Oscar V. DeLeon and that on the first Tuesday in April 1984, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Bandera County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said Execution I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Oscar V. DeLeon in and to said property.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Bandera Bulletin, a newspaper published in Bandera County.

Witness my hand, this 15th day of February 1984.

Guy V. Pickett
Sheriff
Bandera County, Texas.
By Mel Lemons, Deputy.
35-3tc

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF CLARENCE L. ELSWORTH, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of CLARENCE L. ELSWORTH were issued on March 15, 1984, in Cause No. 1917, pending in the County Court of Bandera County, Texas, to-wit: LEE ELSWORTH.

"The residence of such Executor is Bexar County, Texas. The mailing address is: JERRY LEE ELSWORTH, 138 Jo Marie, San Antonio, Texas 78222.

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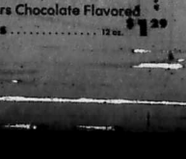

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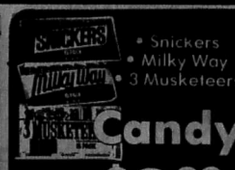

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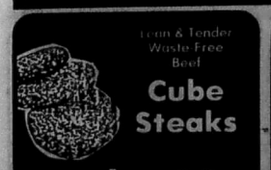

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Jello Instant Pudding 4 oz. Regular or Assorted **2 for 89¢**
Bama Peach **Preserves** 16 oz. **79¢**
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Magic Shell • Asst. **Ice Cream Toppings** **$1.29**
Carnation • Asst. **Salad Spreads** 7 oz. **$1.29**
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Stove Top **Stuffing** 6 oz. **97¢**
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Oscar Mayer Meat or Beef
Bologna
8 oz. **99¢**



Rath Hickory Smoked Sliced
Bacon
12 oz. **$1.49**



Rath Jumbo
Weiners
1 lb. **$1.49**

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Fine For Barbeque! **Lamb Breast**	lb.	69¢
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California Fresh Green Pascal
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59¢

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Pan Frances	2 for $1	LUNCH SPECIALS (11 A.M.-2 P.M.)	
Bolillos	6 for 99¢	Enchiladas • Rice • Beans	$1.99
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Sorenson enters not guilty plea

By Rick Young
Staff writer

Gerald Rodger Sorenson, 40, of Lakeshore pleaded not guilty before District Judge Robert R. Barton in 216th District Court Thursday in the murder of Marie Denise Walker in a courtroom only half-full with onlookers.

Sheriff Guy V. Pickett denied any extraordinary security precautions, but Sorenson and two other prisoners were surrounded by DPS Troopers, Texas Rangers and deputies and Deputy Mel Lemons watched from the jail roof as the transfer from the jail to the courthouse took place.

Sorenson was given a bench trial in that he was indigent and had no money or property to retain an attorney for his own defense. Kerrville lawyer Richard Mosty was appointed by Judge Barton to defend him in his upcoming trial for the Jan. 31 murder of the Bandera school teacher.

Mosty told the Bulletin he was contacted Wednesday by Barton and asked if he would accept an appointment to defend Sorenson. He agreed, contingent on a visit and interview with the murder suspect.

Mosty said he has defended persons in two capital murder cases, one of which resulted in an aquittal and the other a death penalty.

Mosty has been practicing law in Kerrville since 1976. He is a graduate of St. Mary's School of Law. Texas Ranger Bob Steele, who has worked with Mosty in the past, said Sorenson, in accepting Mosty as his court appointed attorney, is well represented. Other law enforcement officials interviewed agreed with Steele's assessment of Mosty as an attorney.

Mosty said that he had no opinions concerning the case following his appointment. He said that all he knew of the murder was what he had read in the newspapers. When asked if he was convinced of Sorenson's innocence, Mosty replied "That's not my concern. My job is to defend him."

No trial date has been set. Capital murder, (murder committed in the act of committing another felony crime) carries a possible sentence of death by injection. Two death row inmates in the Ellis Unit of the Department of Corrections in Huntsville have been executed this year.

In the one-sentence indictment, Sorenson was charged with "... while in the act of committing sexual assault, causing the death..." of the popular Denise Walker by firing a single gunshot, which struck her in the head. Following a short conference in a jury room, Mosty entered a not guilty plea on behalf of his client. Judge Barton set April 26 for a pretrial hearing, at which time Mosty said he will entertain a motion for a change of venue to move Sorenson's trial out of Bandera County.

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Staff photo by Rick Young

Flanked by Bandera Sheriff Guy Pickett (left) and Texas Ranger Captain Jack Dean, suspect Gerald Rodger Sorenson is moved from the Bandera County jail to the courthouse for his arraignment in the death of Marie Denise Walker.



Katie Reede



Johnnie Newcomer



Thomas (Bub) Keese



Gary MacMillan



Dr. Jimmie Hughey

Candidates for new school immediately

By Nick Johnson
Editor

All five candidates for two seats on the Bandera school board would support an effort as soon as a new bond issue could be voted on to build a new school. That fact was stated in a candidates' meeting Tuesday when all five appeared on the same platform during a Citizens for Better Schools program at the First Methodist Church.

Incumbents Thomas (Bub) Keese and Katie Reede joined challengers Gary MacMillan, Johnnie Newcomer and Dr. Jimmie Hughey for more than two hours of debate on the future of education in Bandera, and about 150 spectators participated by submitting questions.

The most asked question was some variation of this: Do you agree there is overcrowding in the school, and what solution do you favor?

All favored building a new school as quickly as possible, but there the agreement ended.

"We need to build a new school somewhere, somehow," commented Dr. Hughey, the Bandera County Librarian. "I think we could deal with it at a higher level by building a junior high school at the high school campus."

"I'm in favor of a new school," said MacMillan. "I believe one could be put between Pipe Creek and Lakehills, but not just for elementary (school) kids, but a complete new school, including junior high and high school.

"That would cost a lot of money," the candidate admitted. "But it will overcome the crowded conditions at the elementary school."

Newcomer, who said she opposed the [illegible] bonds last December because of the location of the proposed school, had still another solution. "I propose to build (a new school) right here on the elementary school campus and move the (football) stadium to the high school campus where the students are that use it," the Pipe Creek housewife said.

"We should build a new elementary school and we should do it yesterday," said Thomas H. (Bub) Keese, current president of the school board. "If we're re-elected, that will be my No. 1 priority as it has been for three years."

Mrs. Reede, also an incumbent, agreed with Keese. "If it were up to me, we'd have made the Guiness Book of World Records for re-submitting (the bond issue) to voters and if it were defeated again I'd like to make the book for the most times."

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Bandera County '84 Elections



Letters

Dear editor:

On April 7, 1984 many citizens will have the opportunity to vote in a most important road bond election. If passed the road bonds may be issued to purchase needed right-of-way to create a state-maintained farm-to-market road along the now-existing county road known as the English Crossing Road.

The cost to the taxpayer will be very small as compared to the many advantages of having this road.

The main advantages are:

1. Jobs will be provided for several years.

2. Distance from Bandera Falls to Bandera will be shortened by four miles.

3. Two high-water bridges will be erected.

4. Maintenance costs of $850 per-mile per-year for eight miles of road will be transferred to the state forever.

5. Paved highway will enhance travel and school bus routes.

6. Increased traffic will generate more business between Bandera and the Pipe Creek — Lakehills areas.

7. Property values and development in the area will be enhanced.

8. Tax base will be broadened, thus reducing cost of bonds to the individual.

I feel these advantages more than offset the cost of the project. Currently, the average property valuation in Bandera County is $30,000. And this bond would cost the property owner $4.41 annually on that evaluation. This is only 36 cents per month and a very small amount to pay for the many benefits that will be received.

The appropriation by the State Highway Department to start the first 1.7 miles of this road has been several years coming. The original offer by the state gave county commissioners 90 days to accept the offer or have it withdrawn. Commissioners Court was successful in obtaining a 90-day extension of the offer to allow time for the upcoming election. If the road bond does not pass, the state funds will be lost and the allocated monies will be released for use by the other counties in our region. The opportunity to start this road will be past and we will not get another chance for many years to come — if at all.

I feel this is a great opportunity for Bandera County, and that we should take advantage of this one time offer. I strongly urge each of you to vote in favor of this road bond.

Dan C. Alania III
Commissioner Pct. 2

Group seeks to abolish death penalty

In the wake of several executions in Texas and the nation, a prison-reform group is going grassroots to build support to abolish the death penalty.

The head of that organization, citizens United for the Rehabilitation of Errants, wants precinct caucuses to approve resolutions opposing the death penalty and said CURE is considering endorsements of political candidates.

Up to now, CURE has been a non-partisan group lobbying the Texas Legislature for a fair shake for Texas prisoners.

But with the court system again permitting capital punishment and with a majority of legislators making no move to stop executions, CURE now has no alternative but to throw itself at the mercy of the electorate.

Charlie Sullivan, who leads CURE, argues that while several public opinion polls may have indicated support for the death penalty, the recent series of executions have produced a backlash.

"At one time, the majority of the people in this country were against the death penalty. Now that we're having executions again, we're hoping that people think again and go back to their roots by opposing capital punishment."

Both parties

Sullivan is going to both major political party caucuses for support, hoping to join with anti-abortion or "pro-life" forces among Republicans and to emphasize to Democrats that most death row inmates are poor or minorities.

President Reagan is an advocate of executions, while all his Democratic challengers are apparently against them. Mondale and Jackson are on record in opposition and Hart recently voted against the death penalty in the U.S. Senate.

Political ads

The Texas law imposing discount rates for political advertising was struck down last week by the U.S. Supreme Court.

The High Court ruled 6-3 that the law was unconstitutional, upholding an earlier decision by the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

A 1971 federal law requires broadcasters to offer discount rates just prior to primary or general elections, but a 1975 Texas law imposed the discount rates year-round. The courts upheld the federal law.

State oil lands

The controversial oil and gas leases which the state took back from Mobil Oil Corp. a couple of months ago may be bought by a Dallas-based corporation, American Resources, Inc.

According to Land Commissioner Garry Mauro, the agreement is tentative and other companies are still looking at the property, 78,000 acres on the Duval County Ranch.

The oil leases were the center of a $1.7 billion lawsuit the state filed against Mobil for failing to meet drilling requirements, and after the oil company surrendered them, several Texas politicians have clashed over the estimated revenues to be received on future energy production.

New farm program

Two state officials, Gov. Mark White and Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower last week announced a new state program that will provide about $40 million in '84 to help small farmers buy land to begin farming.

Actually the law was passed in 1979 but never implemented, partially because of political opposition. Hightower has rejuvenated the program to allow farmers and ranchers with a net worth less than $100,000 to borrow with 90 percent backing from the Department of Agriculture.

The loans must be for land only, and cannot be used to buy stock, equipment or to refinance existing debt.

Glenn supporters

With Glenn out of the presidential race, his Texas supporters last week were recruited by other political camps, and a good many were joining Hart's campaign.

The most notable is State Sen. Ray Farabee, but still uncommitted as of last week were Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and finance heavyweights Jess Hay of Dallas and James C. Calaway, Sr. of Houston.

Women's caucus

The Texas Women's Political Caucus last week endorsed Democrat Lloyd Doggett and Republican Rob Moabacher campaigns for the U.S. Senate party nominations.

The group on endorsed giving a dual Democratic endorsement to former Ambassador Bob Krueger, but went for Doggett on the basis of his Texas Senate voting record.

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Good government group to be organized in Bandera

A new group is being formed to address a variety of local government, issues, an organizer says, but "the major contributing force" behind the organization is Bandera's reputation as a "speed trap" and other complaints against traffic law enforcement.

Louise Karr, who has charged that "policemen in Bandera are over-zealous in duty performance," is organizing the group, and she listed a handful of citizens she said are expected to join with her.

The group calls itself Citizens For Good Government and it will meet Wednesday, April 4, at 7:30 p.m. in the conference room at the University Savings Association.

Mrs. Karr, wife of a retired naval officer, said the group would not put forth candidates in any election or endorse candidates, but would get involved in the electoral process.

"The strength is with the voters who can elect officials who respect the voters' viewpoints," she said. The thrust of the CGG's efforts would be educational in nature, she said.

She said the group plans to sponsor meetings or seminars during which attorneys, government officials or other experts will be present to inform citizens of the proper procedure and legal avenues available.

They also plan to survey members and otherwise seek opinions of local persons and to set priorities for issues the group may address.

There will be no dues and the group has no fund raising events in mind, but Mrs. Karr said the group does plan to spend money to accomplish its objectives. Money is expected to come from donations, she said.

Objectives of the group were listed on a typewritten sheet Mrs. Karr has prepared.

It said the group intends to make the citizenry aware "of the proper procedure and legal avenues available for their use if government officials are not responsive to their needs."

Katie Ruede Seeks Re-Election

On Saturday, April 7, the people in Bandera County will have a unique opportunity to vote for two school board members and cast a vote for or against the proposed road bond. I urge each voter to go to the polls and make his/her preferences known. In my last election, the importance of each vote was brought to light. It was the first time in the history of the Bandera School District that there was a tie with two candidates for the school board. I have made several firsts in my life but that one is one I will always remember.

I would like to emphasize that I have two children who are enrolled in the Bandera Elementary. Julie is presently enrolled in third grade and Jim is in first grade. Also, I have thirteen years experience in the classroom teaching all levels in the elementary with the exception of kindergarten and third grade. The past six years I have served on the board which has given me valuable experience and I feel the next three years for the Bandera School District will be crucial for the students of this district.

(Ad put out by Katie Ruede, Rt. 1 Box 1125 Pipe Creek, Texas 78063)

TPA MEMBER 1984

Citizens for Good Government

What Can Be Done — Plenty!

There will be a meeting of C.G.G. April 4, 1984 at 7:30 p.m. in the conference room at UNIVERSITY SAVINGS ASSOCIATION.

The goals of C.G.G. are to make all citizens of Bandera County;

I. Aware of the proper procedure and legal avenues available for your use, if any member and/or members of Government perform their duties in an improper procedure of law.

II. Aware of your Constitutional Rights: Concerning all levels of city, county and state government,

III. Aware of the proper function of government, at the city, county and state level.

THIS MEETING IS OPEN TO ALL PERSONS WHO DESIRE A GOOD GOVERNMENT

School election

(Continued from Page 1)

a bond issue is submitted to voters," she said. "I'd vote for a new elementary school, but not at the present site."

There were some other areas of disagreement and some agreement among the candidates seeking the non-paying school trustee job. Outling the school's kindergarten program to a half-day prompted one exchange when MacMillan suggested a full-day kindergarten program for half the year as a means of saving money on transportation.

This brought heated disagreement from Mrs. Ruede who pointed out that half the kindergarten students would have to wait some seven months before entering the first grade. "January to September is too long a time for a five-year-old to retain what is learned in kindergarten," she said. "I will never support a full day for half a year."

None of the candidates suggested cutting any programs, either academic or extra-curricular, and instead gave general votes of confidence to the school's present emphasis on special education, vocational education and athletics.

Each candidate also encouraged the resurrection of some kind of parent-teacher group while calling for more involvement in the school's activities by parents and other citizens.

None agreed with recent proposals to lengthen the school day, extend the school year or start public education at four years of age. Mrs. Ruede stated the consensus when she said, "I think the answer is in the quality of the time students spend in school."

Ruede and especially Keese defended the school district and the results it produces. "I think the schools are doing a good job," said Keese.

"I don't apologize for the Bandera Independent School District," he said. "I'm proud I graduated from it and I'm proud my daughter graduated from it."

No one challenged him specifically, but Dr. Hughey and MacMillan in their opening statements used statewide and national figures to criticize education in general. "Kids are getting out of school functionally illiterate, unable to read a newspaper," Dr. Hughey said.

In answer to [illegible] Dr. Hughey said she thought there was an over-emphasis on athletics in Bandera and MacMillan said he "would lean toward" agreeing with her.

"Missed classes cuts into their education," said MacMillan.

"It puts too much stress on students, even the A students," said Dr. Hughey.

Newcomer agreed with incumbents Ruede and Keese that the balance is about correct in Bandera. "We have some kids that wouldn't be in school if it were not for band or athletics," said Mrs. Newcomer.

"Our football budget is $6,000," Keese pointed out. "If you go down the road a few miles you will find about the same size school in the same classification with a budget of $50,000."

"Our junior high football program is sponsored by the Boosters Club. It costs the school district nothing," the school board president said. "Do we over-emphasize sports?" he asked rhetorically.

In his opening statement, MacMillan recommended a limit be put on the number of terms a school trustee may serve and called for the defeat of incumbent trustees so a new group can take steps to build a new school.

"Are we going to sit by and let the same board (members) invest more money and more time in picking another site for a new school?" he asked.

Mrs. Newcomer said one of the school's primary problems was "lack of communication. "Over the last 10 years community involvement with our school has disappeared, and I would like to see it returned."

She said the school board should take the lead in promoting unity within the district. "Our community seems to be pulling against each other instead of together," she observed.

Mrs. Ruede defended the work of the present school board, but she agreed with Newcomer on the need to stimulate parent and citizen involvement. "I don't see it and I'm worried about it."

Keese criticized those who are quick to condemn education today. "It bothers me when education is accused, when all schools and all administrators and all trustees are called bad," the board president said in his opening remarks.

"I think the schools are doing a good job. Personally, I [illegible] daughter got a good education. She was able to handle college work," he said.

"Preparing students for the future is the self-responsibility of a school, and I think we're doing a good job of that in Bandera."

Calendar

Today, March 29

Cub Scout Pack 146, Mansfield Park, scout hut.
Bandera boys baseball at New Braunfels Canyon.

Friday, March 30

Bandera County Beauty Pageant Committee, 6:30 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Saturday, March 31

Acteens Bake Sale, 9 a.m., Tarpley General Store.
Pet vaccination, 2-5 p.m., Lakehills American Legion Hall.
Mardi Gras Party and Dance, 6:30 p.m., Lakehills Civic Center.

Sunday, April 1

Tarpley Baptist Mission Revival, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. through Friday night April 6.

Monday, April 2

Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Lazy Oaks.
Revival, First Baptist Church of Medina, 7 p.m. through April 8.
Community Wolf Club, 7:30 p.m. University Savings.

Tuesday, April 3

Fine Arts Club, 2 p.m., First Baptist Church
Pipe Creek Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Lakehills American Legion Hall.
Bandera County Softball registration, 7:30 p.m., First National Bank Board Room, (men and women.)
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., youth center.

Wednesday, April 4

County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Committee, 9:30 a.m., Old Courthouse Building.
United Methodist Women, 1:30 p.m., Lakehills United Methodist Church.
Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department Board of Directors, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.
Citizens for Good Government, 7:30 p.m., University Savings.
Bandera Electric Coop Board of Directors, (closed to public.)

Thursday, April 5

Medina track district meet.
Tarpley Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m., home of Marilyn Haner.
Bandera boys baseball at D'Hanis.

Faces of Bandera



Staff photo by Rick Young

Retha Anderwald is a familiar face to many Bandera residents, brightening things in the business district downtown. A lovely Face of Bandera County.

Temperatures

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Wednesday, March 21	82	39	-
Thursday, March 22	82	54	-
Friday, March 23	86	60	-
Saturday, March 24	82	46	-
Sunday, March 25	85	42	-
Monday, March 26	88	63	-
Tuesday, March 27	95	65	-

Rainfall so far this month: 1.69 in. Rainfall so far this year: 4.65 in.
Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Coop, Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

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Lakehills

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Boat group formed

Officers in the newly-formed Medina Lake Boat Association are Bob Moore president, Frank O'Brian vice president and Shirley Grimm secretary-treasurer. Competition started this week with three teams sponsored by the Texas Wrangler, three teams with Hard Times as sponsor, two teams from Pop's Place, two from The Copper Lantern, and the Cedar Landing sponsoring 1 team.

In order to participate members must be over 18 years of age, and each team must have a minimum of 4 players and no more than 7. The season starting this week will go for 22 weeks. Any individuals or businesses interested in participating should contact one of the above named officers or sponsors. At this time there are 15 openings on the established teams.

Fun on the lake

Pat Walsh has announced he will open his Sailboard Shop for the 1984 season on April 13. This will be his second year at Medina Lake. Due to the success he had his first year in our community, Pat has plans to expand his services and inventory this year.

Walsh will be offering for sale sailboards, T-shirts, harnesses and other sailboard accessories during the first six weeks of this season. He also offers special lessons for parties of two and three persons.

While Pat's shop was closed during the off-season he was working on developing a certification program for sailboarders. Such certification would enable them to rent boards anywhere around the world. Rental units are also available at his shop, which is just off Park Road 37 on 9th Street.

Walsh will be giving free seminars in schools in the area surrounding Medina Lake as well as in San Antonio, he says. Last weekend he was at a sailboard regatta in Rockport. Because of the interest generated in this sport, he hopes to see a fleet formed in the Medina Lake area and would like to hold a sailboard regatta at the lake.

The formation of a fleet here would include film sessions, up-to-date regatta results and social get-togethers, he says.

Walsh is presently working with the management at Thousand Trails to get members there involved in this sport, and he hopes to work with several of the dude ranches in our county to enable them to make sailboarding available to their guests.

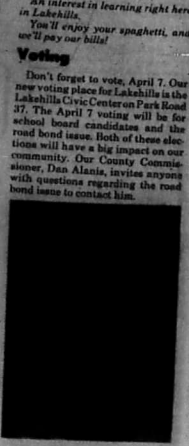
New talent discovered

We all are familiar with the many talented artists, musicians and designers in our area, but did you know Dorothy Alatorre is a talented poet? Here's a sampling of her work...

Listen, my Lakers, and you will hear
Of a fabulous supper; the date is quite near.
We'll feature spaghetti like Mama once made,
Served out 'al fresco' while under the shade.
Of lovely old oak trees, a cedar or two,
In the yard of Faith Chapel, where just a few
Students and parents of its Christian School
Who need to raise money, their talents will pool
To put on a supper you'll not soon forget,
With baked goods a-plenty; but we're not through yet.
We'll have entertainment, a laugh and a song,
Our singer ravaged from a show called "The Gong"?)
For parents and students who might want to see
The way that our school works, we'll have, and it's free,
A tour of our school room, a glance at our books,
A talk with our Principal, leaflets to look
Over to see how the schooling is done
Which combines education with fitness and fun.
So everyone come out from three until dark
On March thirty-first, for a supper to spark
An interest in learning right here in Lakehills.
You'll enjoy your spaghetti, and we'll pay our bills!

Voting

Don't forget to vote, April 7. Our new voting place for Lakehills is the Lakehills Civic Center on Park Road 37. The April 7 voting will be for school board candidates and the road bond issue. Both of these elections will have a big impact on our community. Our County Commissioner, Dan Alanis, invites anyone with questions regarding the road bond issue to contact him.



Wayne Peck, a Bandera high school junior from Lakehills, has been selected as a delegate to the 1984 session of Texas American Legion Boys State, said Commander Hans G. Kruse of James F. Pearson Post No. 410 of the American Legion.

Peck is the son of retired Lt. Col. and Mrs. Jud Ashmore and retired Lt. Col. M.V. Peck, all of Lakehills.

The 1984 Boys State will be in session June 2-8 at The University of Texas, Kruse said. During the sessions, Peck and other representatives will participate in the organization of political parties, campaigns, elections, and the enactment and enforcement of their own laws within a mythical state.

Elected Boys State officials function "for a day" at the State Capitol on June 8, and events conclude with a joint session of the Boys State Legislature.

"As one of the American Legion's outstanding youth-training programs, Boys State affords these youngsters an opportunity to learn the functions of local and state government," Kruse said. "They will also see the importance of a good citizen discharging his citizenship responsibilities. They soon discover how good government depends upon the active interest of every citizen."

Boy Scouts

At the Lakehills United Methodist Church Advisory Council Meeting on Monday night it was announced a Boy Scout Troop will be formed in the Lakehills community. The Lakehills United Methodist Church will sponsor the troop.

The troop is open to all boys living in Lakehills and the surrounding area who are at least 10½ years of age and have completed the fifth grade at school.

There will be a covered dish supper Monday, April 9, at 7 p.m. at the Lakehills United Methodist Church to kick off the Boy Scout troop. All parents with their boys and any interested parties are invited to attend this get-acquainted gathering.

For additional information call Gordon Nordlund 751-2315 or Merve Kaiser 751-2561.

Faith Chapel trackstars win

Students from Faith Chapel Christian School recently won three ribbons in a track meet with Blessed Hope Academy in Boerne. This was the school's first venture into interscholastic competition. Although greatly outnumbered, FCCS students put forth a fine effort. Connie Brandt, Gregg Stewart and Alex Villalobos each won ribbons in the competition.

Parent group to meet

Faith Chapel Christian School's Parent Teacher Fellowship meeting is scheduled Friday, March 30 at 7 p.m. The meeting is open to the public, and those who are interested in learning more about the school are invited to attend, according to school officials.

Pre-registration begins

Pre-registration for new students for the 1984-85 academic year at Faith Chapel Christian School begins Saturday, March 31.

For more information on the school's individualized and accelerated curriculum in a Christian context or if you would like to pick up registration materials, residents have been invited to an open house on March 31.

Goodie time

Don't forget this Saturday, March 31, is the day for the annual Bake and Plant Sale sponsored by the American Legion Post 410 Auxiliary at the Legion Home in Lakehills. This annual event grows larger each year and promises to be the biggest ever.

Bring your pets

The Legion Home is also the place to bring your dogs and cats March 31. Dr. Smart will be there from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. to bring them up to date on their shots and vaccinations.

'Mardi Gras' Saturday

The Medina Lake Betterment Association will sponsor its Mardi Gras and Dance Saturday night at the Lakehills Civic Center. The fun will begin with the snack bar opening at 6:30 p.m. featuring Cajun food. Jim MacMillan will start spinning those favorite jazz, cajun, and dance tunes at 8 p.m.

There'll be lots of costumes, contests and prizes. Don't forget, you get in for $2.50 each if you're in costume and $3.50 each in street dress.

Spring cleaning time

Now's the time to call Elsine Mixon at 751-2100 to reserve a table or space at the MLBA's annual Flea Market coming up on April 14.

This annual event is held at the Lakehills Civic Center on Park Road 37, and everyone who participates benefits.

The MLBA benefits from the snack bar and rental fees, and the marketeer puts cash in his or her pocket when the no-longer-needed items are sold.

Of course, the buyer takes home many unique and useful bargains.

Mark your calendar, the fun begins at 9 a.m.

Firehouse news

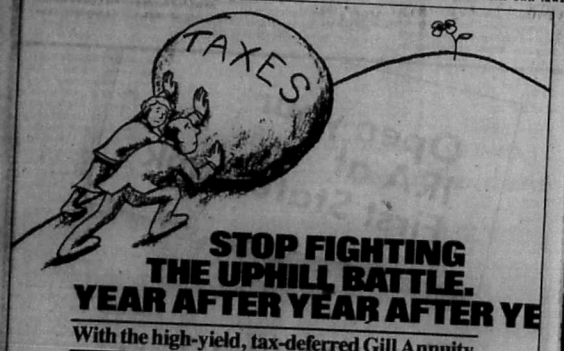
Our Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department has been extremely busy with structural, brush and grass fires the past couple weeks. Several of these fires were controlled burns that got out of control.

It has been very windy lately, and anyone burning outside, should use extreme caution, firefighters say. "When you burn debris, wait for a mild day with no wind, keep garden hoses and faucets handy, and stay with the fire until you're sure it's burned out and cool," they suggest.

Our firemen are very busy getting everything organized for the semi-annual barbecue to be held April 28-29.

This event always brings families to the lake from all over our county and from Medina, Bexar and other surrounding counties. The food, prizes and fellowship at this annual event are always worth the drive, participants agree.

It's a lot of work for our firemen and the ladies auxiliary, but the proceeds brought in keep our fire department among the top with trained men and up-to-date equipment when the fire alarm sounds.



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Some illnesses, such as flu, include headache among the symptoms. But if you're in reasonably good health, you have a right to wonder why you suffer from headaches. A resort to aspirin and other medication may dull the pain for a while, but if the headaches persist you should seek treatment. Among the causes of persistent headache are problems with the cervical vertebrae, the spinal bones in your neck. If they are out of alignment, this could cause headaches until you get the treatment you need.

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Lakeshore

Floyd Portman — 796-4116

A general membership meeting will be held at the Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department on Saturday, April 14, at 10:30 a.m., with lunch being served after the meeting.

Baby shower

Cindy Wiley was given a baby shower Sunday by her parents, Glen and Billi Byars, and other relatives. About 30 people attended. After having barbecue chicken at the Byars home, Cindy received many beautiful baby gifts.

Birthdays

A happy birthday was celebrated by Betty Ciarlo with a cake baked by her daughter, Judy Hines. Harold and Marie Bentley, Judy and Bob Hines enjoyed a nice evening with Betty and Bud.

A barbecue dinner was given for Roy Lich of Kerrville in honor of his birthday Saturday night at the Copper Lantern.

Visitors

Jennifer, Kris and Katie and their parents, Marvin and Linda Wright from Odessa, visited this past week with their grandparents, Chuck and Maradelle DeWitt. The DeWitts were in San Antonio Sunday to attend another granddaughter's (Naomi Pitamber) birthday.

Troy and Sheri Padgett from Tarpley, son and daughter of Helen Haley, were visiting with the Haleys on Thursday.

Joyce, Buddy and daughter Kim Reese were in visited this weekend with her mother Juanita and J.B. Ratliff also spent some time with her brother, Ritch Simmons.

Meridine and Buster Talley were here this weekend to be with Dick and Deanie Newman and to pick up their daughter Lana, who had been with the Newmans for the past week.

The Overholsers had their daughter Debbie and husband Billy Cody from Austin spend Saturday and Sunday of last week with them. Jay and Marietta attended a funeral in Laredo this past week for a very dear friend, Blas Garcia, who was a school principal. Every school in Laredo sent flowers, and the school where he was principal closed for the day in his honor.

Jay and Marietta are happy to report that granddad had his physical and came through with flying colors.

Dana and Yolanda Simmons went to Alice this weekend to visit with Yolanda's family. Yolanda had lost her uncle in an unfortunate accident.

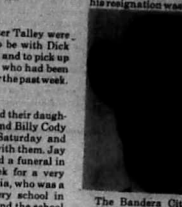
Jim and Vicki Searcy from Converse said they enjoyed their visit here with Monk and Lucille this weekend.

Denny and Bernice Fairbarin put on a feast featuring fajitas this weekend for Wayne and Fran Hildenberg, Olivia Andrade and Jack Collins, Bill Stevens, Larry and Genene Troyer, Rudy and Daylene Lackey.

Tom Grant quits as city judge

Peace Justice and Municipal Court Judge Tom Grant won't be moving his justice office to the city hall, as reported last week, and instead has resigned his city post.

He announced his resignation as municipal court judge late last Wednesday, though the letter extending his resignation was dated March 19.



The Bandera City Council two weeks ago OKed Grant's operation of both his justice of the peace court and his municipal court out of the same city hall office.

He has been performing his city-related duties in a city hall office and his justice court duties in an office he shares with Peace Justice Bonnie Tower in the Bandera County Law Enforcement Center.

During a meeting of the Bandera City Council March 12 Mayor Wilvie Smith told council members County Judge Tommy Curbo wanted Grant to vacate the county facility "for privacy reasons."

Grant resisted the move of his justice office from the courthouse to the law enforcement building last year because he said he thought the penal nature of the law enforcement building was not conducive to the duties performed by a justice of the peace.

He would not elaborate on his resignation this week.

Purple Hills

Martin Smith of the Church of Christ [illegible] last Sunday Psalms 121: 1-8, "Help from God."

Those who registered were Laurie and Kati Reagan, Penny Smith, Timothy Sanchez, Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Mrs. John Saul, Betty Crawford, Yvonne Fenner, Joy Smith, Larry and Amy Reagan, Annette Pearce, Martin and Mary Ann Smith, and Sherry, Janson and Stephanie Powers.

We welcome three new residents, Jerry Harrell, Bobbie Espinosa and George Strange, to our large family at Purple Hills. We hope they will enjoy their stay with us.

We would like to thank the family of Theima Keene for the beautiful memorial flowers. Our sympathy to all her loved ones.

The Rev. William Moseley of the First Baptist Church in Medina visited all his friends and gave them church pamphlets last Monday.

J.O. McCarthy of San Antonio and Jack McKandles visited Lee Pickens.

Ann Neal of Pipe Creek visited Gertrude Werner Monday morning and brought her some pretty flowers.

Marjorie Clark and her grandchildren, Rebecca, Christine and Laurie Matthews of San Antonio visited their father and grandfather, Henry Lewis. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jetton of San Antonio and Mrs. Earl Weed.

We're happy to report Ruth Batto and Pat Freeman home from the hospital. Both are feeling much better.

We have a new volunteer, Bennie Mahan, who comes by and helps the residents with many little chores that need to be done.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Tanner of Lakehills visited his mother Ruby Tanner.

Claire Thaman of Kerrville came by Tuesday afternoon to visit her mother Agnes Fortinberry.

Tony Mazurek visited his mother Mary Mazurek.

Thanks to the Lakehills American Legion Auxiliary Post 410 for the lovely games party last Wednesday afternoon and to Eleanor Lane and Trudy Zoeller for serving the delicious refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited friends last Wednesday evening. They took Jack Holloway to services at the Church of Christ.

Genie and Tandie Clements visited Annie Kollaus.

Mildred Bullock, Lucy Bullock and Dorothy Conaway visited with Willie Leibold.

Raymond and Aggie Batto came by to visit with Ruth Batto, Annie Kollaus and Mary Mazurek.

Bertha Allen of Medina visited her mother, Cynthia Mayberry.

Mildred Woltersdorf enjoyed a nice visit from her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Merris.

Rex Oberg visited his mother Freda Oberg.

Dorothy Jean Williams of Boerne and Linnie Beth Arquette of San Antonio visited their aunt Donna Mayfield.

Maude Stokes's guests last week were her daughter Ogle Boyle, also Louie, Sandy, Nathan and Jordan Vannatter.

Pat Freeman enjoyed visits from his wife Eva, also Tom and Dixie McGuire.

Cindy Jacox and Kim Compton visited Rudy Hardaback.

Ernest Rainey enjoyed a visit from his wife Mrs. Rainey and son Paul.

Tina Atlen visited Annie Kollaus and Hazel Anderwald.

Sam and Louie Armstrong visited his mother Mae Armstrong.

Patty Leslie visited her grandmother Lillian Bush.

Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick, Cynthia Mayberry and Jack Holloway enjoyed services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Myrtle Heinen celebrated her birthday with a beautiful cake, flowers and Presidential Greetings. On Sunday her granddaughters Debra, Reba, Nancy and grandson-in-law Don all of San Antonio took Myrtle to the Wrangler Steakhouse for her birthday. Casey Faris also visited with Myrtle last week.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF BANDERA COUNTY

As County Judge, I would like to give you as clear an account as possible concerning the Road Bond Election to be held on April 7, 1984.

THE PROPOSAL:

The State Highway Department has responded to Bandera's request of long standing by offering to build a paved Farm or Ranch road over the present Bottle Springs or English Crossing road. This road extends from Highway 173, 1 mile south of Bandera around the back side of the Flying "L" across Julia (Julian) Creek, on to the English Crossing at the Medina River, then through Bandera Falls, and comes out on 1283 (the road that connects Pipe Creek to Park Road 37).

The State Highway Department has asked Bandera County to survey the right-of-way, purchase it, and fence it.

THE COSTS:

Bandera County will have to acquire thirty feet of right-of-way on each side of the present road and fence it. Sixty feet of right-of-way equals to sixty acres on an eight mile stretch of road. This means we will be acquiring 60 acres of land eight miles long and sixty feet wide to add to the sixty feet of right-of-way now existing.

The Commissioners' Court has estimated the amount needed would be $300,000.00. This amount would be marginal because we also need to move utility poles, some buildings, and provide for minor unseen expenses.

ADVANTAGES:

1. The Texas Highway Department will fund the construction and maintain the road in perpetuity. At present labor and material costs, the construction will cost the Highway Department $180,000.00 per mile (for a distance of eight miles). Bandera County's $300,000.00 will be matched with approximately over $1,440,000.00 plus the cost of building two bridges, one at Julian Creek and one over the Medina River at English Crossing.

2. The road maintenance cost by the County will have been absorbed by the State Highway Department and in a few years this will defer the costs of the Bond Issue of $300,000.00 to a great extent.

3. The shortcut will be four miles less (one way) from the Lake to Bandera. Over a period of [illegible] approximately $4.41 a year to pay off this Bond Issue.

2. Acquiring the right-of-way will put an added burden on the County officials and employees. We are working a very heavy schedule on all fronts at present. All landowners along the road will have to be negotiated with.

3. It will cost $8,270.00 to hire Rauscher Pierce Refsnes, Inc. to do all the necessary work of floating a bond.

4. The road will be constructed in sections as the State Highway Department receives funds. (Funds for the first 1.7 miles are available.) This means that the whole project will probably be spread over four or five years. (Unless the recent release of funds to the Federal Highway System is prorated and expedited to Texas. Our Regional Highway people are very optimistic about these latest developments.)

SUMMATION:

We believe that the Bond Issue of $300,000.00 will:

1. Not jeopardize Bandera County's financial capacity. The retirement record of previous bond issues is right on schedule. The County's basic resources and indebtedness capacity have a healthy margin for extension.

2. Be justified on the basis of growth in the County, especially in the Eastern end of the County and the Lake area. Based upon the more than a thousand acres of subdivision plats authorized by the Commissioners' Court in the last five months, at the present rate of growth, the population increase is projected to be 5,000 to 8,000 more inhabitants by 1990.

I realize that we, the American Citizens, are to the breaking point on taxation as a whole. Mention taxes and I get angry! I'm tired of graft, excessive Federal spending, wasted welfare money to ineligible recipients, foreign giveaway, Military fraud and all the other ills stemming from it. However, a local bond issue is just that! Every penny will be applied right here in our own county! If everyone would just do without one beverage a month, there would be more than enough saved to finance the County's part in getting this much needed road. The costs per year, per individual is less than what one would ordinarily

...name is derived from the wooden shoes worn by common settlers who arrived from the old country.

Depending on the side of the mountain from which a specific clog is born, significant differences in rhythym and step emerge, he observed.

Alamo Cloggers will appear Saturday, April 7, of 1984 Strawberry Festival Weekend at 4 p.m. and again at 6 p.m. Fire-On-The-Mountain will be featured on Sunday, April 8, at 2 p.m. and at 4 p.m.

The 1984 Berry Festival opens at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 7, with the 37th annual parade. Other events include the Strawberry Contest with Dr. Jerry Parsons and Dr. Loy Shreve serving as judges, the Strawberry Auction, the Strawberry Foods Show, STARS Model Air Show, two performances of the 1984 Festival Rodeo, Old Fiddlers Contest, and numerous local organization food booths.

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Scholarship fund drive at Schreiner tops goal

The 1983 Hill Country College Fund [illegible] with a total of $210,421.36 pledged from 564 donors throughout the Hill Country. Figures represent a $10,200 increase in gifts from the fall, 1982 campaign.

Hill Country Tuition Grants for 1984-85 will use $200,421.36, while $10,000 will be used to begin an endowed financial aid program, so assistance will always be available to worthy Hill Country students, including those in Bandera County.

Rose and Jane Rommel were co-chairmen of the 1983 HCCF.

"We have always thought independent higher education was a very important aspect of American life, and leading this year's fund drive gave us a way to express that belief publicly," said Rommel. "We thank each family and business which supported the fund drive and the wonderful group of men and women who invested their time and energy as volunteers."

Edgar A. Wallace was the 1983 HCCF vice-chairman and will lead the fall, 1984 campaign.

The annual HCCF drive finances Hill Country tuition grants, reductions of up to $1,000 per year for every area resident who takes courses for credit at Schreiner. Students from Kerr, Gillespie, Kendall, Bandera, Kimble, Real and Edwards counties benefit from these college grants.

Congressional candidate seeks votes in Bandera

Joe Sullivan, Democratic candidate for U.S. Congress, 21st District, was in Bandera this week trying to drum up support for his race against Bobby Locke in the May 5 primary election.

The winner of the Sullivan-Locke faceoff in May will win the honor and difficult task of meeting incumbent Rep. Tom Loeffler of Hunt in the general election in November.

Sullivan is a San Antonio College professor, but he has also been a businessman, real estate broker, minister, Boy Scoutmaster and decorated veteran of the Korean War. He is a retired colonel in the U.S. Air Force Reserve.

He said among the country's greatest concerns should be a balanced economy. "We must stop deficit spending," he said. "Vote out politicians (who are) increasing the federal deficit. We cannot make our government work long on more borrowed money."

He also said he is against massive military aid to "questionable powers," charging that President Reagan's "six-gun diplomacy" has failed.

"It is wrong to cheat our youth out of educational development (because of lack of funds) while at the same time quadrupling our military aid to Central America," he said.

Loeffler has supported President Reagan's economic policies which Sullivan said have caused the federal deficit to mushroom and his military aid policies in Central America.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Robert S. Monsees, Utopia; Lee Estep, Bandera; Sherry L. Heisler, Lakehills; Trudy P. Ohlenburger, Pipe Creek; Margaret J. Thompson, Utopia; Byron R. Watts and Nevin Marr, both of Medina; and Raymond H. Batto Sr. and Mrs. Addie Faris, both of Bandera.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Heisler of Lakehills are the parents of a girl born March 22 at 9:28 p.m. in Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital.

The following persons were among those admitted to Medina Memorial Hospital in Hondo this week:

Alfred Wolfahobl of Mico and Guadalupe Lopez of Bandera.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosalio Lopez of Bandera are the parents of a girl born March 21 at Medina Memorial Hospital.

Baby girl

Ricky and Kelley Smith of Bandera wish to announce the birth of their daughter Angela Rae, 7lbs. and 19 inches long. Welcoming her home were her two sisters Rebecca and Cody.

Kalka — Schulte

Annette Kalka of Bandera and Charles "Sonny" Schulte of Quihi were married March 11 in St. Stanislaus Church, the Rev. Ralph J. Smith officiating.

Hornbeck

Eric Christopher Hornbeck Jr. is the name of a 9 lb., 9 oz., 22-inch baby born March 14 to Eric and Kelly Hornbeck.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lee Hornbeck and Mrs. Betty Collins.

Fine Arts Club

The Fine Arts Club will meet at the First Baptist Church Tuesday, April 3, for a program of music including piano selections by Jodi Holen and vocal selections by Dianne Tobin. Mrs. Ward McCollough is program leader.

Following the program, officers for the coming year will be installed and refreshments served by the hostesses under the direction of Mrs. Calvin Cartrett.

Promoted

Marine Cpl. David K. Vakey, son of John K. and Sharlot S. Vakey of Pipe Creek has been meritoriously promoted to his present rank while serving with Third Force Service Support Group on Okinawa.

He received the accelerated promotion in recognition of outstanding performance, duty proficiency and demonstrated professional abilities.

Arthritis screenings

Free arthritis screenings by physicians from Humana Hospital San Antonio will be offered from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, March 31, at McCreeless Mall, 4100 S. New Braunfels in San Antonio.

Bandera briefs

He's Mr. TSU

Todd Searcy, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Scheele of Bandera and Mr. and Mrs. Monk Searcy of Lakeshore has been named Mr. TSU for 1984 at Tarleton State University in Stephenville.

A junior majoring in marketing, Todd is the son of Tommy Searcy and the former Barbara Scheele, both of Cleburne.

He is student body vice president at Tarleton and editor of Grassroots, the university's yearbook. He was named Mr. TSU on vote of the student body.

Ladies auxiliary

Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion Post 157 met Tuesday at home of President Lois Bailey for March meeting.

Plans were made to have Girls State Representative and an alternate appointed on the recommendation of Teachers of Bandera High School.

Della Mae Cox was voted representative to District Convention in Kingsland and Mrs. J.W. Edwards alternate to represent Post 157 April 7 and 8 at Kingsland.

Helping Hand seeks donations

The Bandera County Helping Hand Center is now open five days per week from 9 a.m. until noon, says director Jeanne Shinn, and it is now seeking donations especially of infant and children's clothing, men's work jackets, canned meat, chairs for the center and floor fans.

The center is also seeking volunteers from throughout the county. "This is a county-wide operation," Shinn reminded residents this week, and she asked those interested in helping to call the volunteer coordinator, Linda Cook at 796-4941.

The Helping Hand Center is a central crisis intervention center for those in need," Shinn explains. "It is designed to aid persons in time of crisis or emergency." The center is located at 1306 Cypress, next door to Eckhart Flower Shop.

Adult education classes offered

Free adult basic education classes will be offered on Mondays and Wednesdays from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., beginning Monday, April 2, Bandera school officials announced this week.

The classes are open to anyone 17 years of age or older who needs additional classes to complete their high school education, and they offer an opportunity to upgrade basic speaking, reading, writing and math skills.

Registration will be at 6 p.m. Monday at Bandera High School. The instructor will be Silverio Cuellar, a consultant with the Education Service Center.

The classes lead to successful GED test preparation and will continue through May 23.

Video firm opens

A movie and video recorder rental firm has opened on Main Street in Bandera offering membership-type rental services on VHS cassettes and on machines.

The firm, called Video Junction, will also sell and service satellite television receiving systems, according to Corky McHaney, one of the firm's principals.

Managers of Video Junction will be Darrell and Casey Beakley, McHaney's daughter and son-in-law, and McHaney's wife, Virgie, will also be involved in the family-type business.

Membership is $50 and members may rent movies for $3 or as many as one per day for a $20 monthly charge. Video tape recorders will rent for $10 per day, according to McHaney. Non-members will pay slightly higher prices.

He said they already have in stock many, many tapes ranging from Walt Disney and exercise-type films to the latest, R-rated first-run

The firm opened quietly last week and plans a grand opening Saturday. They are open from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. six days each week.

Special competence

Ronald W. Jackson of Bandera has joined the ranks of board certified attorneys in Texas, receiving a certificate of "special competence" in residential, farm and ranch real estate law.

Jackson's certification was announced by Judge C.C. (Kit) Cooke of Cleburne, chairman of the State Bar of Texas' board of legal specialization.

The bar's certification program originated in 1974 as the result of a seven-year bar association study. To qualify, Jackson had to pass a comprehensive, six-hour exam, receive positive rating from other lawyers and judges, and be substantially involved in and attained a specified level of experience in both residential and farm and ranch real estate law.

"The objective of this program is to identify to the public attorneys who have special competence in a specific area of law," Cooke said.

Preaching mission

April 8-10 Dr. Claus A. Rohlfs will be the guest speaker for a preaching mission at the Bandera United Methodist Church. Worship services will start each evening at 7:30 p.m. with plenty of hymn singing. On opening night April 8 there will be a covered dish supper at 6:30 p.m. Everyone will bring a dish and take part in a time of fellowship and have an opportunity to get acquainted with Dr. Rohlfs and his wife, Doris Zirkel Rohlfs.

Dr. Rohlfs has served church appointments in both the North Texas Conference and the Southwest Texas Conference. Among the appointments in the Southwest Texas Conference are Laural Heights and McKinley Avenue in San Antonio, Dilley, St. Marks in Corpus Christi and as District Superintendent of the San Antonio District. From 1969 to 1983 he was connected with the Perkins School of Theology and is now Professor Emeritus of Southern Methodist University.

Is Jackson a Bible scholar and he has always been active in community affairs, he was reported to be a man with a wide background of experience, a man with an exciting and agreeable personality and a preacher who knows how to preach.

Come to the Bandera United Methodist Church April 8 at 6:30 p.m. for a covered dish dinner followed at 7:30 by worship services, and keep on coming Monday and Tuesday nights at 7:30 p.m.

Cheese and butter

USDA surplus cheese and butter will be distributed to needy households in Bandera County at the First Baptist Church of Bandera April 10 from 1-4 p.m., or until supplies run out.

Since April is the beginning of the second quarter of 1984, applicants must again be certified for a three month distribution period. Recertification of current applicants will take place April 3 from 9-12 a.m. and 1-3 p.m. The recertification will be handled from the Community Services office at 1109 Pecan St. (Dept. of Human Resources office building). The recertification process is necessary and applicants are asked to be cooperative.

District extension homemakers meets

"Reaching People — Training Leaders" will be the theme of the District 13 Texas Extension Homemakers Association meeting when it convenes in Carrizo Springs on Thursday, April 5.

Lanell Neumann, district director from Frio County, said approximately 225 members are expected at the meeting.

Guest speakers include Stella Rothe, legislative chairman of South Texas Cowbelles, and Elna Richards, state TEHA president.

Rothe will talk on getting involved in the legislative process and making your vote count. Richards' challenge from the State Board will be "Leadership — It's Your Decision."

Voting delegates who will represent Bandera County are Lois Mongesters, Virginia Johnson, and Hazel Billings.

Church directory

Attend the service of your choice.

Bandera
Church of Christ
Minister: Martin Smith
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Mision Bautista
Pastor: Rev. Joel Garcia
Corner of 13th and Mulberry
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.

Bandina
Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina
First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-2395

Church of Christ
Minister: Melvin Placke
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2440

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sundoy, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

The Apostolic Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 10 a.m.
535-4225

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley
Baptist Mission
Pastor: Glenn W. Rhines
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
Prayer: Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
562-3468

Utopia
Church of Christ
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629

Baptist Church
Pastor: Homer Stephens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
and Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Vanderpool
Community Church
Pastor: George Polvado
Worship: Sunday, 8 p.m.
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
966-3420

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Pastor: Jose Luis Sondoval
Worship: Sunday, 12 noon.

Other
Unity Church of the Hill Country
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John Denver to headline banquet

Entertainer John Denver will be the featured speaker honoring Schreiner College's 1984 Distinguished Alumnus, Dr. Russell Scott, Jr., April 26, in Kerrville.

Denver, the William T. president of Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, and some 400 invited guests will honor Dr. Scott at a banquet at the Inn of the Hills.

Denver and Dr. Butler are both friends and associates of Dr. Scott. Dr. Scott is a nationally-recognized urologist. He received the Ramon Guiteras Award in 1961, the highest honor given to an American urologist by the American Urological Association. He attended Schreiner in 1942-43.

Born John Deutschendorf (later changed to John Denver) on New Year's Eve, 1943, in Roswell, N.M., the entertainer grew up in an Air Force family.

He studied architecture at Texas Tech University, but was deeply moved by the folk music of the 1960s. He went to Los Angeles and later landed a spot with the successful Chad Mitchell Trio singing group.

Two and one-half years later, he decided to try it as a solo artist. He has recorded 22 albums, including his latest — "It's About Time."

Senior Citizens

By Mary Worley

Clinic

Word has been received that our gracious Health Department nurses will be back on Wednesday, April 4, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. to hold a blood pressure clinic.

It is doubtful this service will be resumed on a monthly basis, and will be changed to quarterly. But you can learn more by being present on the afternoon of April 4.

Pancake breakfast

The Pancake Breakfast last Thursday drew a great response from the community, and the workers thank you, one and all. The weather cooperated nicely, and St. Joseph's Hall was an ideal setting for such an event.

It is estimated that about 175 were served, and that's a lot of pancakes!

The next event planned by the Silver Sage group is the Musical Salute to the Cowboy — no admission — to be performed on Sunday, April 8, at 2 p.m. in the auditorium of the Bandera Electric Co-op.

Those lively "Sagers" are bubbling with ideas and plans in anticipation of seeing that new building on the lot back of the fire station grow from current foundation material into a finished and usable center.

In planning stage are a spring plant sale, probably on April 12, and an Old Timer's Reunion in early July, in cooperation with the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce's three-day fair at Mansfield Park.

Yes, and there is the wrestler's contest planned by Bill Rath ke for early summer.

Memorials

During the meeting last Friday of the board of directors of the Senior Center, a question was asked whether the memorials could be made to living persons. Answer is "no."

Such a tribute may be made "in honor of," sort of "Honormorials."

Memorials received recently are for Deniee Walker from Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Wooten; for Ruby Akin from Helen Ahr and Mary Worley; for Gatlin Merritt from Eleanor Merritt; for Homer Mansfield from Frank Mansfield; and for Cora Bell Nunn also from Mansfield.

Illness

Ruth Risinger recently spent several days in the hospital, but we are happy to report she now has returned to her home.

John Murphy is home after a week spent in Wilford Hall Hospital in San Antonio during which time his wife was thrown from a horse. Fortunately, she was not seriously hurt.

It is good to see Tandy Jordan up and about again, after an uncomfortable bout with the flu.

Lerry Hein remains in Methodist Hospital and would appreciate your prayers.

Visitors

Recent visitors were Helen and Shannon Alcorn from Hanford, Calif., here to visit Helen's sister, Ruth Caffall, and other relatives and friends.

Last week they had a few days in the Lower Rio Grande Valley where on Sunday morning they attended services in the Rio Hondo Community Church. This was a rewarding experience for Helen, since her father, the Rev. Carson, was the first minister of the newly-organized Community Church in the growing young town of Rio Hondo in the very early '20s when she was quite a young girl.

Sabinal Canyon

Lillie Thompson — 966-8488

A real breezy cool front blew in Friday night and Saturday morning, bringing only a trace of rain and clearing away all the heavy clouds.

Margaret Thompson is a patient in Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville, this week where they are continuing to run tests and X-rays to diagnose her illness.

Our get-well wishes go out to Margaret.

Janie Mae Chaney had the misfortune of falling on Tuesday sustaining a broken rib and fractures. She was taken to San Antonio for a check up.

Nick and Carmen Schryver are happy to have their son Doug come in from Albuquerque to spend some time here.

Hub and Lillie Thompson were happy to have their grandson, Randy Harp of Texas City visit them Wednesday through Sunday.

Hamilton and Anna Pearl Gabriel were in Corpus Christi last week to visit her sister who is ill.

Carmen Schryver goes to a specialist in San Antonio Monday and Tuesday for scans, X-rays and tests. Our good wishes go out to Carmen.

Michael Cornelius of Beeville was a weekend guest of his parents, Bill and Doris Cornelius. Mike, his son, returned home while Machelle stayed with her grandparents.

Chief Petty Officer William Michael Cornelius will soon be transferred to Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

Richard and Pauline Wilkson just returned from Big Foot where they spent some time with their daughter, Jo Ellen Smith and family.

Lonnie and Emma Bonner and Lonnie Wayne and Bennie were Sunday visitors of his dad, Mrs. Bomer in San Antonio. His condition remains the same, still in a coma.

Financial aid available for VN students

Financial aid and Hill Country Tuition Grants are available now to qualifying applicants for Schreiner College's vocational nursing program.

VN program Director June Gibbons, RN, says there are openings in the 12-month course, but potential students must apply through the college's admissions office and take an aptitude test. The next test for potential nursing students is April 3 at 8 a.m. in Room 106 of Weir Building on campus. The next VN class begins in September.

Your turn...

It is a principle of U.S. law that a defendant should be tried in the county in which the crime is committed, except when it is clear he cannot get a fair trial there. Do you think Gerald Sorenson should be tried in Bandera County?

Your turn is a new feature from the Bulletin in which we will ask the same question of a number of citizens on a subject of interest to our readers. Your opinion will appear here. This week's question:



Sandy Sullivan
Pipe Creek

"I think he should be tried in Bandera County. To move the trial, in the first place, will cost the county a lot of money. To get his trial on the court docket in another area will be very, very time-consuming.

"The chances are witnesses and law enforcement officers are going to forget some pertinent information.

"Law officers going off to testify (in another county) is going to leave the county unprotected."



Ralph Brogdon
Lakehills

"There are enough people in Bandera County that he could probably get a fair trial. He'd have less chance of getting out on something here, probably. But I really don't see why he couldn't get a fair trial.

"I mean, there's people, new people, around here that's never even heard of her."



Marcia Walker
Bandera

"I have my own convictions against him, which is bad, but I don't think he could get a fair trial here because of the animosity and the feelings toward him by everyone in town.

I just...I want him tried here. Badly. But I don't want him to get an unfair trial."



Don Baumgartner
Lakeshore

"I had a preconceived idea before anybody even mentioned his name. I'm just speaking for myself, but I think he's guilty.

"I think they ought to get him out of here, out of this county, for him to get a fair trial. Let somebody else determine his guilt or innocence."

Photos and interviews by Rick Young

Well-placed trees improve appearance of any home

Trees may be our best bargain for environmental improvement. No matter what the condition of a home or building, some well placed and carefully selected trees can often make the entire environment much more attractive. Carefully selected, properly placed and cared for trees indicate a community or homeowner's pride in their environment.

March is a good time to transplant landscape plants as they are initiating breaking dormancy and are ready to grow upon transplanting. You might also be able to obtain them at a reasonable price from your local nurseryman as it is near the end of the tradition-al planting season for trees. However, balled or container grown trees may be transplanted year-round. Trees also have additional assets other than aesthetic value.

Sometimes called nature's air conditioners, trees moderate the climate by protecting from extremes in wind, heat, cold, and drouth. Trees also help to purify the air as adequate numbers of them can considerably reduce smog, noise, and other air-pollution problems common to some urban areas.

Wildlife enthusiasts are also quick to point out the worth of trees in providing food and shelter to many birds and other animals. Proper tree placement in the landscape can also benefit energy conservation in the home or business.

There are several species of trees and shrubs that are well adapted to Southwest Texas (the Hill Country and Rio Grande Plains) but one sure method of determining adaptability is to select plants that are native to our area. The Edwards Plateau and Rio Grande Plains support a veritable treasure trove of native plant materials that have potential use in home and commercial landscape settings. Why are these plants potentially valuable? For one, they are so highly varied in growth habit, foliage color, drought, heat, and water requirements, and in their aesthetic appeal that they can fill the needs of almost any landscape theme. Of equal importance is the fact that they are adapted to the variety of local climatic conditions.

Native species are relatively free of disease- and insect-type problems in landscape settings similar to those in their native habitats. This resistance to pathogens and insects has been acquired over some of time through natural processes. The result is a trouble-free landscape requiring less use of pesticides, water, fertilizer, and general upkeep compared to landscapes populated by "exotics."

Some of the most commonly transplanted native species in this area are as follows: Mountain Laurel, Redbud, Golden-ball Lead-tree, Mexican Pinyon Pine, Ashe Juniper, Lacey Oak, Prairie Flame-leaf Sumac, Texas Madrone, Texas Persimmon, Texas Silverleaf Cenizo, Common Hald Cypress, Mexican Buckeye, and Cedar Elm. If you need additional information or a complete list of species available, contact your local Texas certified Nurseryman or County Extension office.

A knowledge of native species allows a greater appreciation of one's natural surroundings. Once you have experienced this satisfaction, the motivation to learn and experience more will be self-sustaining. The art of making your landscape an eye-pleasing kaleidoscope of seasonal colors and special effects and the pride of preserving a specimen of the rare or the unusual will help you to realize why such things were created.

Longhorn cattle owned by Texas winning honors at shows

Many Texans may not realize they are part owners of more than 100 longhorn cattle, some of which are prize-winners.

At a recent longhorn show held during the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, several entries owned by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department won ribbons. They are part of the official state herd which is distributed in seven state parks.

A steer named Blaze was crowned champion senior steer and grand champion steer of the show, while White Face II was champion senior cow and Lady Lack and her heifer calf were the champion senior pair.

Herd Manager Lester Galbreath of Albany said the state longhorn herd was established at Lake Corpus Christi State Park in the late 1930s and was moved to Ft. Griffin in 1948.

Possum Kingdom State Park currently has the largest herd, at 46 adult animals, followed by Ft. Griffin, 37, Dinosaur Valley and Copper Breaks, both with eight, Abilene and Palo Duro Canyon, both with four, and Lyndon B. Johnson, one.

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the area and broaden the County's tax base.

Besides the modest increase in taxes, Curbo listed as disadvantages the added burden on county officials who "are working a very heavy schedule at present, the $8,270 expense of a bond advisor, and the fact that it may take five or more years to complete the project.

Softballers to meet Tuesday

The Bandera County Softball Association will hold its softball registration for the Men's and Women's Open Softball League and the Men's Church League on Tuesday, April 3, at 7:30 p.m.

The registration will take place at the Board Room right behind the First National Bank on Main Street. A $10 deposit will be requested upon registration.

All softball players that are interested, men or women, are urged to attend and to participate. If further information is needed contact Herb Syring at 796-4737.

Candidates to meet voters

Candidates for city council will be invited to appear Tuesday, April 3, at 7:30 p.m. at the Bandera Municipal Building during a "meet the candidates" event.

Sponsored by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce, the program will give voters the opportunity to hear each of the five candidates for the two council seats subject to the April 7 city elections.

Candidates in the race include incumbent Dianne Tobin, seeking her first full term, and challengers Dorothy Darden, Raymond Adamietz and Gary MacMillan.

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A tried and true recipe to be served in pita bread

A day without bread is like a day without sunshine, to coin a popular phrase. Waffles or french toast for breakfast, sandwiches for lunch and hearty rolls for supper are just a few of the endless meal variations based on wheat. Wheat products are a substandial part of the diet, contributing many essential nutrients such as B-vitamins, vegetable protein and small amounts of the mineral iron.

Partaking of bread and bread baking has been a tradition for centuries. Agricultural tools, Egyptian tomb paintings and ancient grinding emplements indicate the art of bread baking began some 5,000 years ago. Early breads consisted simply of stone ground grain mixed with a little water, and then baked on a hot stone near a fire.

Today Texas is supplying millions of people with their daily bread. In 1982, Texas wheat growers harvested 144 million bushels of wheat, including both hard red and soft red winter types. Now that is a lot of bread; since one bushel of wheat will yield 73 one-pound loaves of white bread. Ninety percent of Texas wheat is exported to other countries, and today wheat is the second largest acreage crop here in South Texas.

A number of wheat products are on the market today for pure enjoyment or the preparation of fresh bread at home. Whole wheat flour is a beautiful light brown in color, retains the original minerals and vitamins of the wheat kernel and is best combined with all-purchase flour when making quick or yeast breads. Cracked wheat is cut wheat kernels which add texture to whole wheat breads. Wheat germ is the highly nutritious part of the wheat kernel, greatly increasing the nutritive value of breads and meat loaves when added.

Increasing in popularity in Texas is wheat bulghur, long a staple of the middle eastern diet. Bulghur is whole grain wheat that has been parboiled, dried and cracked. A popular recipe featuring wheat bulghur is Taboleh served in whole wheat pita bread. Here is a tried and true recipe from The Deaf Smith Country Cookbook by Marjorie Winn Ford and Susan Hillyard.

Taboleh

1 cup warm water
2 cups raw cracked wheat cereal or bulghur
1 cup chopped parsley
1/2 cup onions, chopped fine
2 tomatoes, chopped fine
2 tablespoons fresh mint, chopped fine
1 cup lemon juice (use less for less "kick")
1/2-1 cup vegetable oil
salt and pepper to taste

Soak the bulghur in the warm water for 1 hour. Add the other ingredients and toss together lightly. Refrigerate before serving to allow the wheat to absorb the moisture. Serve in pita bread. Yield: 6 servings.



Lamb: It's always tender and versatile

Texas is the major producer of lamb in the United States, but little of it stays in our state — and it's all our fault. Texans do not always include this delicately flavored meat in their menus and its high time we started! At the present, most of our Texas lamb is exported to the lamb lovers of the East coast.

Lamb is available year round in Texas, with sheep produced on some 9500 Texas farms and ranches. Val Verde county leads all Texas counties in the production of lamb and sheep, a 100 million dollar industry important to our state economy.

Technically, lamb is the meat of sheep less than one year old, with most lambs being marketed before 8 months of age. Lamb is always tender which makes it versatile to many cooking methods, though dry heat cookery is recommended by the experts. Examples of dry heat cookery include barbecue, pan frying, broiling and deep fat frying.

Lamb is at least 97 percent digestible and contains all of the amino acids in proper proportions for building and maintaining body tissues. This succulent meat is also a good source of the B-vitamins thiamin, riboflavin and niacin which act as coenzymes in metabolizing carbohydrates, fat and protein in the release of energy for the body to use.

When buying lamb, look for meat that exhibits a pinkish red color with a fine, velvety texture. The fat should be smooth, firm and white in color.

Many creative dinners can have lamb as the center of attention by simply substituting lamb for any meat, poultry or fish. "Stir-Fry Chinese Lamb" is a tasty way to prepare Texas lamb and winter vegetables.

Stir-fry Chinese lamb

1 tablespoon cornstarch
2 tablespoons soy sauce
1 pound lean lamb leg, cut into 1/2 by 2-inch strips
4 tablespoons peanut oil
1 clove garlic, minced
1/2 teaspoon ground ginger
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon ground pepper
1 cup sliced green onions and tops
1/3 cup diced celery
1 cup broccoli flowerettes
1-1/2 cups bean sprouts
1 cup thinly sliced carrots
1/4 cup chicken bouillon

Combine cornstarch and soy sauce in 1-quart bowl. Add lamb and mix until lamb is thoroughly coated. Place wok on high heat or set electric skillet regulator for 450 degrees F. Add 2 tablespoons oil and stir fry green onions, celery, broccoli, bean sprouts and carrots until crisp-tender. Remove to platter. Add remaining 2 tablespoons oil and stir fry garlic for one minute. Add lamb, ginger, salt and pepper and stir fry until well done. Add bouillon, cover and steam for a few minutes. Serve on hot Texas rice.

Cook broccoli briefly as possible to retain crispness and nutrition

Broccoli did not make its debut on the plates of Americans until well into the 1820's, even though a few citizens knew about the delightful vegetable. In 1775, John Randolph of Williamsburg described broccoli in "A Tretise on Gardening by a Citizen of Virginia," by saying, "The stems will eat like asparagas and the heads like cauliflower."

However you decide to prepare broccoli, cook the vegetable as briefly as possible to preserve the crisp texture and to retain nutrients. Here are two recipes featuring Texas broccoli that are quick and easy, adapted from "The Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Book."

Fresh broccoli parmesaan

1 bunch (1-1/2 lbs.) fresh Texas broccoli
1 teaspoon salt
*2 tablespoons olive oil
1 clove garlic, split
1 cup diced cooked ham
1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
1/8 teaspoon pepper

Wash and trim broccoli; split all large stems to decrease cooking time. Place in medium-sized saucepan with 1 inch boiling water and salt. Cook, uncovered, for 5 minutes. Cover and simmer 5 minutes or until partially cooked. Drain, saving liquid to use later. Heat oil and garlic in 9-inch skillet. Add broccoli and saute 3 to 5 minutes to finish cooking. If pan gets too dry add a little of the water drained from broccoli. Add ham and cook until hot, sprinkle with Parmesan cheese and black pepper. Serve immediately. Yield: 6 servings.

Broccoli egg divan

1 bunch fresh Texas broccoli
4 hard-cooked eggs
1/2 teaspoon salt, divided
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1 can (10½ ounces) condensed Cheddar cheese soup
1/3 cup milk
1/4 cup fine dry bread crumbs
2 tablespoons melted butter

To prepare broccoli, cut off large leaves and the bottom of the stalk. Wash well. If stalk is more that 1/2 inch in diameter, make 2 lengthwise slits almost to flowerets. Cook broccoli, uncovered in boiling salted water to cover until tender, about 15 minutes. Drain. Arrange broccoli, stems toward the center, in a 10-inch pie plate. Slice egg crosewise and layer over broccoli. Sprinkle with 1/4 teaspoon salt and pepper. Mix undiluted soup with milk until smooth. Pour over broccoli and eggs in pie plate. Mix together bread crumbs, melted butter and remaining 1/4 teaspoon salt. Sprinkle over cheese sauce. Bake at 375 degrees F. oven 20 minutes, until cheese sauce is bubbly and bread crumbs lightly browned. Yield: 4 servings.

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Firemen battle raging brush fires in area

By Rick Young
Staff writer

Firefighting units from Kerrville South, Pipe Creek, Medina Lake, Lakehills, Lakeshore, Tarpley and Bandera responded to an out-of-control brush fire west of the Medina Children's Home partially on the 71 Ranch Tuesday.

Winds gusting to as high as 60 miles per hour pushed flames and dense smoke over more than 3,000 acres before the fire began dying out in the early hours of Wednesday morning.

No cause had been identified by officials Wednesday.

As winds began picking up at mid-morning Wednesday, firefighters returned from Bandera and other points to continue to battle the flames.

The fire, which straddled the county line between Bandera and Kerr counties, was actually just one of several in the Hill Country that sent smoke billowing into the sky that was visable as far away as San Antonio.

At least six homes in Kerrville were reported destroyed early Wednesday morning and the state's wildlife management center west of Ingram was also said to be threatened.

In all, more than 15 fire departments from four counties battled the series of blazes.

No injuries were reported in Bandera County from among volunteer firefighters or of residents. No estimate of property damage was available.

Hundreds of firefighters and volunteers fought a losing battle Tuesday as thick brush and few roads made access to the actual fire impossible.

Early in the afternoon a fixed-wing airplane and a television news team helicopter directed firefighters through difficult terrain to flare-ups and areas where flames threatened to jump roads and spread further.

As darkness fell Tuesday, volunteers in Bandera gathered food donated by Boyle's Food Store and Super S Foods for auxiliary members to make sandwiches for exhausted firefighters, some of whom had been on the scene since noon. The Lone Star Distributing Company of Kerrville sent eight cases of soft drinks to firefighters.

Jr. Food Mart contributed 200 pieces of chicken and Old Timer in Medina contributed lunchmeat, bread and soft drinks to the efforts. A number of individual citizens made contributions to the volunteer fire fighting units involved as well.

Bandera Sheriff Guy Pickett, coordinating efforts at the scene, at one point said all firefighters could do, given the terrain, was try and keep the blaze confined.

The fire was actually one of several in the Hill Country that sent smoke billowing in to the sky.

One home which was occupied at the time was evacuated at the urging of firefighters and DPS troopers on the scene just minutes before fire engulfed the structure.

No one on the scene knew the identity of the occupant.

Sheriff's Deputies returning to the scene Wednesday morning found a small camper trailer and a cabin that had been destroyed by flames during the night.

The thick smoke that so severely hampered firefighters was visable from as far away as Bandera early in the afternoon and by early evening was lowering viability in northern Bexar County.

As the evening progressed, other fires broke out making assistance calls to Tarpley and Utopia necessary.

At one time Tuesday officials considered requesting help from Hondo on a blaze on the Phil Becker ranch between Tarpley and Bandera.

At approximately 8:30 p.m. Tuesday Sheriff Pickett, requested through the DPS personnel and equipment from the Texas National Guard. By late Tuesday, however, Sgt. Womack, the San Antonio DPS dispatcher, was sent to the fire scene to evaluate the situation, and he declared the Guard was not needed.

The state military force remained on stand-by until Wednesday morning in case the infrequent flare-ups caused the fire to shift direction or gain in intensity.

Officials were careful to monitor the fire throughout the night and area residents were warned they should be prepared in the event an evacuation should become necessary. With the fire contained, however, no one was moved from the area.

Medina firefighters remained on the scene Wednesday to guard against flare-ups as high winds continued in the area and residents and firefighters alike were keeping one eye on the sky in the hopes that rain will reduce the danger of flareups or new fires.

The early extended forecast for the weekend, furnished by the U.S. Weather Service Wednesday at noon holds out hope (or "a chance" for thundershowers over the weekend.



Volunteers waiting along Highway 16 across from the Medina Children's Home ice down soft drinks for thirsty firefighters Tuesday night. Drinks, along wth mounds of food, were donated by businesses and private individuals and was transported to the scene by volunteers and Bandera County Sheriff's Deputies. Volunteers remained through the night in support of the firefighters.

Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department issues plea for help

The Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department has joined its colleagues in Bandera in calling for more volunteers to help it battle fires in the county.

"The bottom line is that we need help now," said department spokesman George Hohon. "The fire department is made up of only a handful of people that donated their own time and money to help. This handful needs help from other members of the community," the pharmacist said.

The Pipe Creek plea is mostly for able-bodied help, Hohon points out. "The people who donate (money) have been generous, and we're able to make ends meet (financially)," Hohon said.

The plea for help comes less than three months after a similar plea by the Bandera VFD was issued in December. A Bandera VFD spokesman said this week it resulted in considerable financial contributions and three or four new firefighters.

The Bandera firefighters pointed out in December that the community's failure to support the department could result in dramatic increases in county taxes and in fire insurance rates.

"We can't do it alone," the Bandera firefighters said. "We need your help, bodily and financially."

The plea to Pipe Creek residents was similar.

"We mainly want to speak to those of you that think the fire department owes you protection," the firefighters said in a statement Hohon said was "the opinion of most of the active members."

"The fire department does not owe you anything," the statement said. "This is a volunteer group that owes only the people that donate to the fire department."

Evoking visions of tragedies that have occurred elsewhere, the firefighters said they don't want to see a situation evolve in which the department would fight fires only for members.

"The department responds to help everyone at this time," the firefighters said. "But what would happen if the department started to charge a monthly fee for fire protection?" they asked. "Say for instance, your house was on fire and the fire department responded to your location but found you were not paid up for fire protection. Your house would just have to burn 'til your dues were paid," the Pipe Creek firefighters said.

"This may sound impossible, but it already takes place in other parts of the country," they point out.

While there has been little discussion here of private fire departments that would serve members only, there has been talk of the possibility of a county contribution to fire departments which could be financed from an increase in county taxes.

Additionally, volunteer fire departments with too few members and too little training cause fire insurance rates to be increased.

Hohon said the Pipe Creek VFD has only about 10 active members and during weekday hours as few as two or three firefighters are available. During the sprawling brush fire Tuesday north of Medina, the Pipe Creek Department sent a truck and two firefighters to help. "I don't know what would happen if a fire broke out in Pipe Creek," Hohon said, pointing out that the two firefighters committed in Medina were all that were available in Pipe Creek.

"During the day the chance of getting help is almost non-existant," the Pipe Creek firefighters said. "Many of you have been real lucky that your home has not burned down due to some so-called 'little grass fire.' The little fires grow up to be big fires that can do considerable damage. If you don't believe it, ask someone that lived in South San Antonio several weeks ago and lost everything," the firefighters said.

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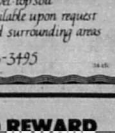

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA
TO ALL RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on and throughout Bandera County, Texas, on April 7, 1984, which election was duly called and ordered pursuant to an order passed and adopted by the Commissioners Court of said County on February 13, 1984, a copy of which order is made a part of this Notice, and reads as follows, to-wit:

AN ORDER BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS, CALLING A COUNTY-WIDE ELECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING A PROPOSITION RELATING TO AUTHORIZATION AND ISSUANCE OF $300,000 COUNTY ROAD BONDS.

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Bandera County, Texas (the "County"), has determined that in order to make needed improvements to county roads it is necessary to call and order an election to be held in the County, to determine whether or not bonds of the County shall be issued for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; and

WHEREAS, this Commissioners Court now desires to order and call an election to be held in and throughout the County, for the purpose of submitting to the resident qualified electors of the County the hereinafter set forth proposition for the grant of the authority therein contained; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS:

I

That an election be held in and throughout Bandera County, Texas, on April 7, 1984, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, at which election there shall be submitted to all resident qualified electors of the County, for their action thereupon, the following proposition, to wit:

PROPOSITION

"Shall the Commissioners Court of Bandera County, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of Bandera County, Texas, under and pursuant to and as now authorized by subsection (c) of Article 3, Section 52 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, and laws applicable thereto, in the principal amount of THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($300,000), which said amount of bonds does not exceed one-fourth (¼) of the assessed valuation of the real property in the County, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, within Bandera County, Texas; said bonds to mature at such time or times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners Court of Bandera County, Texas, but not exceeding thirty (30) years from this date; any issue or series of bonds to bear interest per annum (payable annually or semi-annually) at any rate or rates as shall be determined within the discretion of the Commissioners Court of said County, provided that such rate of interest shall not exceed the maximum rate per annum authorized by law at the time of the issuance of any issue or series of said bonds; and shall ad valorem taxes be levied annually on all taxable property in said County, subject to taxation, sufficient to pay the annual interest on said Bonds and to provide a sufficient sinking fund for the redemption of said bonds at maturity?"

II

That the polling places for holding said election shall be located in the election precincts as shown on the County Election Precinct Map on file with the County Commissioners Court of the County at the County Courthouse, Bandera, Texas, said election precincts being the regular county election precincts fixed and determined by order of the Commissioners Court entered in the minutes of said Court, and being the numbered precincts shown on the last voter registration certificates issued generally to voters by the Tax Assessor-Collector of the County, and the polling places designated for the holding of said election in said election precincts shall be as follows:

ELECTION PCT. NO.	POLLING PLACE	LOCATION
1	Bandera High School	Bandera, Texas
2	Pipe Creek Community Center	Pipe Creek, Texas
3	Pipe Creek Fire Station	Pipe Creek, Texas
4	Medina Lake Civic Center	Lakehills, Texas
5	Bandera Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Bandera, Texas
6	Medina Public School	Medina, Texas
7	Bandera County Courthouse	Bandera, Texas
8	Tarpley Community Center	Tarpley, Texas
9	Medina Youth Center	Medina, Texas
10	Taylor Voting House	Vanderpool, Texas

That for each of said election precincts, the following persons are appointed Presiding Judge and Alternate Presiding Judge of said election. The Presiding Judge for each precinct shall appoint as many resident qualified electors as necessary to serve as clerks of said election, one of such clerks in each precinct to be a person who is fluent in the Spanish language to render oral aid in the Spanish language to any voter desiring such aid at the poll on the day of said election. In the absence of the Presiding Judge for any precinct, the Alternate Presiding Judge hereinbelow designated shall perform the duties of Presiding Judge of such election for such precinct. Those appointed as Presiding Judges and Alternate Presiding Judges for each precinct are as follows:

ELECTION PCT. NO.	PRESIDING JUDGE	ALTERNATE PRESIDING JUDGE
1	Marianne Sandidge	Beth Allert
2	June Bennack	Helen Edwards
3	Johnnie Newcomer	Margarite De La Guerra
4	Dorothy McCracken	Norma Gray
5	Telvy Robbins	Luella Vanderveer
6	Maynard Phillips	Dorothy E. Pue
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IV

That the polls of said election on the day of said election shall be open from 7:00 o'clock A.M. to 7:00 o'clock P.M.

V

That absentee voting in said election shall be conducted during the regular office hours of the County Clerk in the County Courthouse, Bandera, Texas, and the County Clerk is hereby designated as the Early Voting Clerk for said election, as provided by law.

VI

That the ballots to be used in said election shall be prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Election Code, as amended, and in such manner that the electors may cast their ballots either "FOR" or "AGAINST" the following ballot proposition:

The issuance of $300,000 of Bandera County Road Bonds and the levy of the tax in payment thereof, as submitted in the Proposition.

That in holding and conducting said election, all voter forms, instructions and other materials required therefor including the ballots, shall be in both the English and Spanish languages.

VII

That a substantial copy of this election order, designated as a notice, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

That notice of said election shall be given in accordance with the requirements of Article 752f, Revised Civil Statues of Texas; that is, said notice of election shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the County for three (3) successive weeks prior to the date set for said election. In addition to such publication, the County Clerk shall post notice of said election in at least four (4) public places within the County, one of which shall be at the Courthouse door of the County; the posting of such notices to be not less than three (3) weeks prior to the date of said election.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this, the 13th day of February, 1984.

Tommy W. Curbo
County Judge, Bandera County

ATTEST:
Vera King,
County Clerk, Bandera County

YOU WILL, THEREFORE, TAKE NOTICE of all the matters and facts set out in the foregoing Notice of Election.

Vera King, County Clerk
Bandera County, Texas
37-3tc

AVISO DE ELECCION

EL ESTADO DE TEXAS
CONDADO DE BANDERA
A TODOS LOS VOTANTES CAPACITADOS SIENDO RESIDENTES DEL CONDADO DE BANDERA, TEXAS

NOTIFIQUESE que se llevara a cabo una eleccion en y por todas partes del Condado de Bandera, Texas, el dia 7 de abril de 1984, la eleccion siendo debidamente llamada y ordenada de acuerdo con una orden accordada y adoptada por la Corte de Comisionados de dicho Condado el dia 13 de febrero de 1984, una copia de la cual se considera parte de este Aviso, y lee como lo siguiente, a saber:

UNA ORDEN POR LA CORTE DE COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO DE BANDERA, TEXAS, LLAMANDO UNA ELECCION POR TODAS PARTES DEL CONDADO CON EL PROPOSITO DE SOMETER UNA PROPOSICION PERTENECIENDO A LA AUTORIZACION Y LA EMISION DE $300,000 DE BONOS PARA LA CARRETERA DEL CONDADO

VISTO QUE, la Corte de Comisionados del Condado de Bandera, Texas (el "Condado"), ha determinado que para hacer los mejoramientos que necesitan las carreteras del Condado, es necesario llamar y ordenar una eleccion que se llevara a cabo en el Condado, para determinar si se deberan emitir bonos del Condado con el proposito de construir, mantener y operar caminos y carreteras principales que estan macadamizadas, arenadas o pavimentadas, o en ayuda de ellas; y

VISTO QUE, la Corte de Comisionados ahora desea ordenar y llamar una eleccion que se llevara a cabo en y por todas partes del Condado, con el proposito de someter a los votantes capacitados siendo residentes del Condado la proposicion manifestada mas abajo para la concesion de la autoridad contenida alli dentro; AHORA, POR LO TANTO,

ORDENESE, JUZGUESE Y DECRETESE POR LA CORTE DE COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO DE BANDERA, TEXAS:

I

Que se lleve a cabo una eleccion en y por todas partes del Condado de Bandera, Texas, el dia 7 de abril de 1984, siendo no menos de treinta (30) dias de la fecha de esta orden, y en la eleccion se les sometera a todos los votantes capacitados siendo residentes del Condado, para su accion y consideracion sobre la siguiente proposicion, a saber:

PROPOSICION

¿Debera estar autorizada la Corte de Comisionados del Condado de Bandera, Texas, para emitir bonos del Condado de Bandera, Texas, bajo y de acuerdo con y como Condado de Bandera, Texas, bajo y de acuerdo con y como Condado de Bandera, Texas, bajo y de acuerdo con y como

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...statement of canvass of all absentee ballots cast in said election, as provided by law.

VI

That the ballots to be used in said election shall be paper ballots prepared in conformity with the requirements of the Texas Election Code, as amended, and in such manner that the electors may cast their ballots either "FOR" or "AGAINST" the following ballot proposition:

The issuance of $300,000 of Bandera County Road Bonds and the levy of the tax in payment thereof, as submitted in the Proposition.

That in holding and conducting said election, all voter forms, instructions and other materials required therefor including the ballots, shall be in both the English and Spanish languages."

VII

That a substantial copy of this election order, designated as a notice, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

That notice of said election shall be given in accordance with the requirements of Article 703f, Revised Civil Statues of Texas; that is, said notice of election shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the County for three (3) successive weeks prior to the date set for said election. In addition to such publication, the County Clerk shall post notice of said election in at least four (4) public places within the County, one of which shall be at the Courthouse door of the County; the posting of such notices to be not less than three (3) weeks prior to the date of said election.

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Tommy W. Curbo
County Judge, Bandera County

ATTEST:
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County Clerk, Bandera County

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Vera King, County Clerk
Bandera County, Texas
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EL ESTADO DE TEXAS
CONDADO DE BANDERA

A TODOS LOS VOTANTES CAPACITADOS SIENDO RESIDENTES DEL CONDADO DE BANDERA, TEXAS

NOTIFIQUESE que se llevara a cabo una eleccion en y por todas partes del Condado de Bandera, Texas, el dia 7 de abrirde 1984, la eleccion siendo debidamente llamada y ordenada de acuerdo con un orden acordada y adoptada por la Corte de Comisionadas de dicho Condado el dia 13 de febrero de 1984, una copia de la cual se considera parte de este Aviso, y lee como lo siguiente, a saber:

UNA ORDEN POR LA CORTE DE COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO DE BANDERA, TEXAS, LLAMANDO UNA ELECCION POR TODAS PARTES DEL CONDADO CON EL PROPOSITO DE SOMETER UNA PROPOSICION PERTENECIENDO A LA AUTORIZACION Y LA EMISION DE $300,000 DE BONOS PARA LA CARRETERA DEL CONDADO

VISTO QUE, la Corte de Comisionados del Condado de Bandera, Texas (el "Condado"), ha determinado que para hacer los mejoramientos que necesitan las carreteras del Condado, es necesario llamar y ordenar una eleccion que se llevara a cabo en el Condado, para determinar si se deberan emitir bonos del Condado con el proposito de construir, mantener y operar caminos y carreteras principales que estan macadamizadas, arenadas o pavimentadas, o en ayuda de ellas; y

VISTO QUE, la Corte de Comisionados ahora desea ordenar y llamar una eleccion que se llevara a cabo en y por todas partes del Condado, con el proposito de someter a los votantes capacitados siendo residentes del Condado la imposicion y manifestada mas abajo para la concesion de la autoridad contenida alli dentro; AHORA, POR LO TANTO,

ORDENESE, JUZGUESE Y DECRETESE POR LA CORTE DE COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO DE BANDERA, TEXAS:

I

Que se lleve a cabo una eleccion en y por todas partes del Condado de Bandera, Texas, el dia 7 de abril de 1984, siendo dicho termino de treinta (30) dias de la fecha de esta orden, y en la eleccion se les someta a todos los votantes capacitados siendo residentes del Condado, para su accion y consideracion sobre la siguiente proposicion, a saber:

PROPOSICION

"Debera de estar autorizada la Corte de Comisionados del Condado de Bandera, Texas, para emitir bonos del Condado de Bandera, Texas, bajo y de acuerdo con y como ahora autorizado por la subseccion (c) del Articulo 2, Seccion 52, de la Constitucion del Estado de Texas, y las leyes aplicables a eso, en la principal de TRESCIENTOS MIL DOLARES ($300,000), dicha cantidad de bonos no excediendo un cuarto (¼) del valor imponible de los bienes inmuebles en el Condado, con el proposito de construir, mantener, y operar los caminos o carreteras principales que estan macadamizadas, arenadas o pavimentadas, o en ayuda de ellas, dentro del Condado de Bandera, Texas: dichos bonos se vencieran a tal tiempo o tiempos que se pueda determinar mas conveniente por la Corte de Comisionados del Condado de Bandera, Texas, pero no excediendo treinta (30) anos desde su fecha; cualquier emision o serie de bonos llevara interes por anotpagadero cada uno de cada seis meses o a cualquier tipo o tipos que se determine dentro del miramiento de la Corte de Comisionados de dicho Condado, con tal de que tal tipo de interes no exceda el tipo maximo por ano autorizado por ley al tiempo en que fueren emitidos dichos bonos; y dichos bonos no deberan de imponerse cada ano impuestos ad valorem sobre todos bienes imponibles en dicho Condado, sujetos a impuesto, suficiente para pagar el interes por ano sobre dichos bonos y para sustituir un fondo de amortizacion para la rendicion de dichos bonos al vencerse?"

II

Que los sitios de votacion para administrar dicha eleccion se encontraran en los precintos electorales como mostrados en el Mapa de Precintos Electorales del Condado, el cual esta registrado con la Corte de Comisionados del Condado en la Casa de Corte del Condado, en Bandera, Texas, dichos precintos electorales siendo los preintos regulares del Condado fijados y designados por la Corte de Comisionados registrados en las actas de dicha Corte, y siendo los sitios de votacion designados en los siguientes certificados de votacion semejados para ser usados en dicha eleccion por el Asesor Colector de Impuestos del Condado, y los sitios de votacion semejados para ser usados en dicha eleccion son en dichos precintos serán los siguientes:

Num. de Precinto	Sitio de Votacion	Localidad
1	Escuela Secundaria de Bandera	Bandera, Texas
2	Centro de la Comunidad de Pipe Creek	Pipe Creek, Texas
3	Estacion de Fuegos de Pipe Creek	Pipe Creek, Texas
4	El Edificio Municipal Civico	Lakehills, Texas
	Park Road 37, Medina Lake	
5	Cooperativo Electrico de Bandera	Bandera, Texas
6	Escuela Publica de Medina	Medina, Texas
7	Casa de Corte del Condado de Bandera	Bandera, Texas
8	Centro de la Comunidad de Tarpley	Tarpley, Texas
9	Medina Youth Center	Medina, Texas
10	Casa de Votacion de Taylor	Vanderpool, Texas

III

Que para cada de dichos precintos, las siguientes personas son nombradas Juez Presidente y Juez Presidente Alterno de dicha eleccion. El Juez Presidente para cada precinto nombrara a tantos votantes capacitados siendo residentes como sea necesario para servir como escribanos de dicha eleccion, uno de tales escribanos en cada precinto siendo un persona afluente en el idioma espanol para prestar ayuda oral en espanol a cualquier votante de cuando tal ayu-la en el sitio de votacion el dia de dicha eleccion. Si el Juez Presidente de cualquier precinto esta ausente, el Juez Presidente Alterno senalado abajo cumplira con las obligaciones del Juez Presidente de tal eleccion para tal precinto. Esas personas nombradas como Juez Presidente o Juez Presidente Alterno para cada precinto seran las siguientes:

Num. de Precinto	Juez Presidente	Juez Presidente Alterno
1	Marianne Sandidge	Beth Allert
2	June Bennack	Helen Edwards
3	Johnnie Newcomer	Margarite De La Guerra
4	Dorothy McCracken	Norma Carey
5	Tevy Robbins	Luella Vanderveer
6	Maynard Phillips	Dorothy E. Pue
7	Martin Smith	Melesse Rugh
8	Arthur Erfurt	Anton Haner
9	Marjorie Jordan	Arilla Adams
10	Charlsie Porter	Cynthia Mauldin

IV

Que los sitios de votacion para dicha eleccion estaran abiertos desde las 7 de la mananana hasta las 7 de la noche el dia de dicha eleccion.

V

Que la votacion en ausencia para dicha eleccion se manejara durante las horas regulares de negocio del Secretario del Condado, en la Casa de Corte del Condado de Bandera, Texas, y el Secretario del Condado por lo presente esta encargado de la obligacion de manejar la votacion en ausencia en dicha eleccion durante el plazo y en la manera requerida por ley. El Secretario del Condado nombrara un Subsecretario para la Votacion en Ausencia quien esta afluente en el idioma espanol para prestar ayuda oral a cualquier votante deseando votar en tal eleccion quien pide tal ayuda. Que Vera King como Juez Presidente y Bonnie Bruce y Aundee Kirkendall como escribanos electorales, por lo presente son nombrados oficiales electorales para formar una Junta Especial de Escrutinio encargados de la obligacion de hacer un calculo, de contar y escudrinar las boletas votadas en ausencia en dicha eleccion, y de hacer el resultado y la debida declaracion del escrutinio de todas las boletas votadas en ausencia en dicha eleccion, como dispone la ley.

VI

Que las boletas que se usaran en dicha eleccion seran boletas de papel que se prepararan de acuerdo con el Codigo de Elecciones V.A.T.C.S., como enmendado, y de manera que los votantes puedan votar o "A FAVORDE" o "EN CONTRA DE" la siguiente proposicion sobre la boleta:

La emision de $300,000 de Bonos Para la Carretera del Condado y la imposicion del impuesto en pago de eso, como sometido en la Proposicion.

Que en llevar a cabo y manejar dicha eleccion, todas las formas para votantes, instrucciones y otros materiales requeridos para eso, incluyendo las boletas, estaran impresas en ingles tanto como en espanol.

VII

Que una copia substancial de esta orden de eleccion, designada como un aviso, servira como aviso propio de dicha eleccion.

Que se dara aviso de dicha eleccion de acuerdo con los requisitos del Articulo 703f, Estatutos Civiles Revisados de Texas; es decir, se publicara dicho aviso de eleccion en un periodico de circulacion general en el Condado por tres (3) semanas sucesivas antes de la fecha fijada para dicha eleccion. Ademas de tal publicacion, el Secretario del Condado fijara aviso de dicha eleccion en a lo menos cuatro (4) lugares publicos dentro del Condado, uno de los cuales estara en la puerta de la Casa de Corte del Condado; se fijaran tales avisos no menos de tres (3) semanas antes de la fecha de dicha eleccion.

ACORDADO, ADOPTADO Y APROBADO este dia 13 de febrero de 1984.

Tommy W. Curbo
Juez del Condado
Condado de Bandera

CERTIFICO:

Vera King, Secretario del Condado
Condado de Bandera

USTED, POR LO TANTO, NOTARA todos los asuntos y hechos manifestados en el precedente Aviso de Eleccion.

Vera King, Secretario del Condado
Condado de Bandera, Texas
37-3tc

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER
COUNTY OF BANDERA OF SALE

DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3104 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Olin Mann, a/k/a Olin Mann, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

All of Block C, Twin Lakes Resort City, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 72, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

All of the foregoing property being located in the Bandera Independent School District, Bandera County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.

Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003

By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER
COUNTY OF BANDERA OF SALE

DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3129 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Olin W. Mason, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 23 and 24, Block 144, Subdivision A, of the Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake and being more particularly described in Volume 1, Page 14 of the Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3104 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Robert H. Wooldridge, et ux., Kathlyn Wooldridge, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 10, 11, and 12, Block 1, Subdivision D of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, and being more particularly described in Volume 1, Page 14 of the Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3131 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Robert H. Wooldridge, et ux., Kathlyn Wooldridge, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 10, 11, 40 and 41, Block 142, Subdivision A, Avalon Ranch, on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 46 and 48, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

Lots 1 through 3, 16 through 18, Block 52, Subdivision G, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 46 and 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

Lots 10 through 12, and 22 through 24, Block 46, Subdivision K, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3280 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Marie Linn Bedingfield, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 1 through 3, 16 through 18, Block 52, Subdivision G, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 46 and 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

Lots 10 through 12, and 22 through 24, Block 46, Subdivision K, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3247 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Henry Birdsong, et ux., et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 15 thru 18, Block 58, Subdivision K, of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lots 44, 45, 46, 47, and 48, in Block 119, Subdivision A of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake in Bandera County, Texas, in accordance with the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lots 33, 34, 35, and 36, in Block 108, out of Subdivision B of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake in Bandera County, Texas, in accordance with the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lot 15 thru 18, Block 58, Subdivision K, of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lot [illegible] Block 7, Lakeshore Subdivision No. 1, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 7, Plat Records of said County;

All of the one-half of Lot 2, Block 132, Subdivision K of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and

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Lots 1 and 2, Block 48, Subdivision "G", Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 46 and 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

Lots 14, Block 15, Subdivision "A", Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 16, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

Lot 5B, Bandera Estates, according to the map thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 17, Map Records of Bandera County, Texas;

Lot 1, Block C, Twin Lakes Resort City, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 72, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

All of the foregoing property being located in the Bandera Independent School District, Bandera County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3240 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Ollin Mann, a/k/a Ollin Mann, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 15 in Block 6, Subdivision G of the Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lots 44, 45, 46, 47, and 48, in Block 119, Subdivision A of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake in Bandera County, Texas, in accordance with the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lots 33, 34, 35, and 36, in Block 108, out of Subdivision B of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake in Bandera County, Texas, in accordance with the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lot 15 thru 18, Block 58, Subdivision K, of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lot [illegible] Block 7, Lakeshore Subdivision No. 1, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 7, Plat Records of said County;

All of the one-half of Lot 2, Block 132, Subdivision K of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3188 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Edgar James Wuest, Jr., et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 15 in Block 6, Subdivision G of the Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lots 44, 45, 46, 47, and 48, in Block 119, Subdivision A of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake in Bandera County, Texas, in accordance with the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lots 33, 34, 35, and 36, in Block 108, out of Subdivision B of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake in Bandera County, Texas, in accordance with the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lot 15 thru 18, Block 58, Subdivision K, of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

Lot [illegible] Block 7, Lakeshore Subdivision No. 1, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 7, Plat Records of said County;

All of the one-half of Lot 2, Block 132, Subdivision K of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3221 styled Flying L Public Utility District vs. H.R. George, Jr., et ux., Vicki George, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 13, Block 124, Subdivision B, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3168 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. William Thomas Vernon, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 1 and 2, Block 71, Subdivision C of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3227 styled Flying L Public Utility District vs. James A. Hankins, a/k/a James Hankins, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 6, Flying "L" Ranch Subdivision, Section #6, Bandera County, Texas; according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 2, Page 34, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of the owners or other persons to redeem said property, in the manner provided by law, within two (2) years after the date on which the purchaser's deed is filed for record, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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those newsy notes behind their counter.

Tasty outs

I believe the cafe in Medina is going to be a success. I base that statement on the fact that I personally have tried their eats and found them quite tasty.

My opinion is only one of many since I have asked several people who have dined at the Trails End their feelings also and have received a unanimous positive answer. The continuing full parking lot also seems to support that view. Good luck and good eating to the Joneses and their new business.

Wedding shower

A wedding shower will be held Sunday April 8 at 2 p.m. at Medina's First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall in honor of Glenn Davis and Colleen Rush.

UIL winners

Here are the Medina winners in University Interscholastic League competition in Utopia.

First place

Joel Sides, ready writing; Lisa Chambles, number sense, spelling and oral reading; Sherry Lanam, number sense; Robert Keeling, spelling; and Karen Gilbreath, oral reading.

Second place

Will Hatfield, spelling; Troy House, number sense and oral reading; Scott Williams, story telling; Israel Garcia, oral reading; Stacy Burke, spelling; and Rebecca Chambles, oral reading.

Third place

David Kelley, modern oratory; Joel Sides, number sense; Sherry Lanam, ready writing; Rebecca Chambles, oral reading; Don Ray McIntosh, story telling; Maya Lay, story telling.

Fourth place

Will Hatfield, number sense and oral reading; Rebecca Chambles, picture memory; Cynthia Anderson, picture memory; Amy Cadell, picture memory; Maurie Simon, oral reading and spelling; Jenny Chaney, number sense and spelling; Lee Winright, story telling; and Alvin Smith, spelling.

Fifth place

Joel Sides, modern oratory; Charles Anderson, ready writing and spelling; Naomi Jackson, story telling; and Monica Melton, oral reading.

Sixth place

Charles Anderson, number sense; Alien Simons, number sense; Scootie Melton, oral reading; and Shannon Bates, oral reading.

Rose Garden Club

On Thursday, March 22, 11 members and two guests went on a pilgrimage to San Antonio. They first had lunch at Los Patios in the grazebo, and then browsed in a boutique and greenhouse.

This was followed by a trip to the greenhouses at "Shades of Green," and a tour guided by Bob Webster, who answered many questions and gave good advice on both flower and vegetable gardening.

The trip was enhanced by the many signs of spring through the beautiful hills.

The next meeting will be on the regular meeting day Wednesday, April 11, at 2 p.m. The guest speaker will be Scott Durham, county extension agent of agriculture.

World Uprooted

The March meeting of Medina United Methodist Women was at the Youth Center. Florence Isaacs gave a study on missions called "The World Uprooted."

It was a joint study with Bandera, Center Point, Lakehills, Utopia and Medina women.

After the call to worship, there was a Litany and a group study on various Bible verses and their meaning to present day hardships.

A skit called "The Giver and Receiver" was presented and Florence then told us about the refugees and their needs.

Hostesses Kathryn McBryde and Irene Hatfield served refreshments to some 37 ladies.

Completes training

Army Reserve Pvt. Christine Ortiz, daughter of Joe S. and Delia J. Ortiz of Medina has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

She is a 1983 graduate of Medina High School.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Oriental cooking

The Vocational Homemaking Advisory Committee of Medina Public Schools is sponsoring an Oriental cooking program April 2 from 7-9 p.m. in the homemaking department of Medina High School.

The demonstration will be presented by Peggy Edwards, County Extension Agent. There is no charge for the program. Everyone is invited to attend.

Medina menu

April 2-6

Monday: Hot dog and chili, French fries, carrot sticks, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, fruit, rolls and milk.

Wednesday: Tacos, salad, corn, fruit and milk.

Thursday: Beans and franks, scalloped potatoes, slaw, fruit and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

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this the 5th day of March, 1984. ndera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

OF SALE

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE
DATED March 5, 1984
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CE NO. 84

NU AND DETERMINING TEXAS, GAS COMPANY TO GAS TO RESIDENTIAL SUMERS IN THE CITY OF UNTY, TEXAS; PROVID- IN WHICH SUCH RATE STED, AND AMENDED, ARGE; AND PROVIDING RVICE CHARGES. HE CITY COUNCIL OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Effective with gas bills rendered on and after thirty (30) days from the final date of passage of this ordinance, the maximum general service rate for sales of natural gas rendered to residential and commercial consumers within the city limits of Bandera, Texas, by Lone Star Gas Company, a division of ENSERCH CORPORATION, a Texas Corporation, its successors and assigns, is hereby fixed and determined as set forth in Item A, in the Attachment hereto which is incorporated herein.

SECTION 2. The residential and commercial rates set forth above shall be adjusted upward or downward from a base of $4.2762 per Mcf by a Gas Cost Adjustment Factor expressed as an amount per thousand cubic feet (Mcf) of natural gas for changes in the intracompany city gate rate charge as authorized by the Railroad Commission of Texas or other regulatory body having jurisdiction for gas delivered to the Bandera distribution system, according to Item B, in the Attachment hereto which is incorporated herein.

SECTION 3. Company shall also receive tax adjustments according to Item C, in the Attachment hereto which is incorporated herein.

SECTION 4. The residential and commercial rates set forth above shall be adjusted upward and downward by a Cost of Service Adjustment Factor expressed as an amount per customer for changes in the cost of service over a twelve month period ending December 31, according to Item D, in the attachment hereto which is incorporated herein.

SECTION 5. Rate case expense is not included in the calculation of proposed rates. If rate case expense is incurred in this current case, it is the intention of Lone Star Gas Company to recover the current and any prior rate case expense through a surcharge designed for a six-month nominal recovery period. The surcharge per Mcf would be calculated by dividing the rate case expense to be recovered by one-half of the adjusted annual sales volume to residential and commercial customers. If there is no current rate case expense, the Company will forego recovery of any unamortized prior rate case expense. When a surcharge is applicable, monthly status reports will be provided to account for the collections.

SECTION 6. In addition to the aforesaid rates, Company shall have the right to collect such reasonable charges as are necessary to conduct its business and to carry out its reasonable rules and regulations in effect. The service charges set forth in Item E, in the Attachment hereto which is incorporated herein are approved. Services for which no charge is set out in Item E may be performed and charged for by Company at a level established by the normal forces of competition.

SECTION 7. The rates set forth in this ordinance may be changed and amended by either the City or Company in the manner provided by law. Service hereunder is subject to the orders of regulatory bodies having jurisdiction; and to the Company's Rules and Regulations currently on file in the Company's office.

SECTION 8. It is hereby found and determined that the meeting at which this ordinance was passed was open to the public, as required by Texas law, and that advance public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the 12th day of March, A.D. 1984.

ATTEST:

Tammy Kneuper, Secretary — W.D. Smith, Mayor
City of Bandera, Texas

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

I, Tammy Kneuper, Secretary of the City of Bandera, Bandera County, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Bandera at a regular session held on the 12th day of March, 1984, as it appears of record in the Minutes of said Council meeting in Book 2, Page 118.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID CITY, this the 14th day of March, A.D. 1984.

Tammy Kneuper, Secretary
City of Bandera, Texas

ATTACHMENT TO ORDINANCE NO. 84
CITY OF BANDERA, TEXAS
LONE STAR GAS COMPANY
TARIFFS & SCHEDULES

Item A. The following rates are the maximum applicable to residential and commercial consumers per meter per month or for any part of a month for which gas service is available at the same location. Summer rates shall be applicable between the meter reading dates in May and October (five months). Winter rates shall be applicable at all other times.

Residential:	Winter	Summer
Customer Charge	$6.0000	$4.0000
All Consumption @	5.2785 Per Mcf	4.9285 Per Mcf

If the service period is less than 28 days in the winter months, the winter customer charge is $.2143 times the number of days service.

If the service period is less than 28 days in the summer months, the summer customer charge is $.1429 times the number of days service.

Commercial:	Winter	Summer
Customer Charge	$10.0000	$6.0000
All Consumption @	5.2785 Per Mcf	4.9285 Per Mcf

If the service period is less than 28 days in the winter months, the winter customer charge is $.3571 times the number of days service.

If the service period is less than 28 days in the summer months, the summer customer charge is $.2143 times the number of days service.

Bills are due and payable when rendered and must be paid within ten days from the monthly billing date.

Item B. Gas Cost Adjustment

Each monthly bill at the above rate shall be adjusted for gas cost as follows:

(1) The city gate rate increase or decrease applicable to current billing month residential and commercial sales shall be estimated to the nearest $0.0001 per Mcf based upon:

(a) A volume factor of 1.0526 determined in establishing the above rates for the distribution system as the ratio of adjusted purchased volumes divided by adjusted sales volumes.

(b) The city gate rate estimated to be applicable to volumes purchased during the current calendar month, expressed to the nearest $0.0001 per Mcf (shown below as "Re").

(c) The base city gate rate of $4.2762 per Mcf.

(2) Correction of the estimated adjustment determined by Item B above shall be included as part of the adjustment for the second following billing month. The correcting factor (shown below as "C") shall be expressed to the nearest $0.0001 per Mcf based upon:

(a) The corrected adjustment amount based upon the actual city gate rate, less

(b) The estimated adjustment amount billed under Item B (1) above, divided by

(c) Distribution system residential and commercial sales Mcf recorded on the Company's books during the prior year for the month that the correction is included as part of the adjustment.

(3) The adjustment determined by Item B (1) and Item B (2) above shall be multiplied by a tax factor of 1.01550 to include street and alley rental and state occupation tax due to increasing or decreasing Company revenues under this gas cost adjustment provision.

In summary, the gas cost adjustment (GCA) shall be determined to the nearest $0.0001 per Mcf by Item B (1), Item B (2) and Item B (3) as follows:

GCA = (Item B (1) + Item B (2) X Item B (3))
GCA = (1.0526) (Re - $4.2762) + C X 1.01550

Item C. Tax Adjustment

The tax adjustment shall be an amount equivalent to the proportionate part of any new tax, or increased tax, or any other governmental imposition, rental, fee or charge (except state, county, city and special district ad valorem taxes and taxes on net income) levied, assessed or imposed subsequent to July 1, 1983, upon or allocable to the Company's distribution operations, by any new or amended law, ordinance or contract.

Item D. Cost of Service Adjustment

Each monthly bill for residential and commercial gas service shall be adjusted for changes in the cost of providing such service as follows:

(1) Effective with bills rendered for the month of May, 1984 and annually effective each May thereafter, the residential and commercial monthly rate shall be adjusted for changes in the cost per customer of providing gas service (including depreciation but excluding cost of gas, gross receipts taxes, income taxes, and return) for the previous year ended December 31 above or below such cost incurred in the second prior calendar year. These annual adjustments shall be cumulative. The operating expenses used in calculating the adjustments shall be for the applicable distribution system as reported to the Railroad Commission of Texas in the annual report of Lone Star Gas Company.

Should the percentage change in cost of service per customer of providing gas service exceed the rate of change in the Implicit Price Deflator of the Gross National Product over the same period of time, the adjustment will be limited to 2/3 such change computed by multiplying the cost of service per customer of providing gas service in the second prior calendar year ended December 31 by the rate of change in the Implicit Price Deflator of the Gross National Product. The adjustment per bill shall be rounded to the nearest whole cent.

(2) The adjustment determined by (1) above shall be multiplied by the same tax factor used in calculating the gas cost adjustment contained herein to include street and alley rental and state occupation tax due to increasing or decreasing Company revenues under this cost of service adjustment provision.

Item E. Schedule of Service Charges

(1) Reconnect Charge

In addition to the charges and rates set out above, the Company shall charge and collect the sum of;

Schedule	Charge
8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday	$20.00
5 p.m. to 8 a.m. Monday through Friday	30.00
Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays	30.00

as a reconnect charge for each reconnection or reinauguration of gas service, where service has been discontinued at the same premises for any reason, with the following exceptions.

(a) For a builder who uses gas temporarily during construction or for display purposes.

(b) For the first occupant of the premises.

(c) Whenever gas service has been temporarily interrupted because of system outage, service work or appliance installation done by Company; or

(d) For any reason deemed necessary for Company operations.

(2) Returned Check Charges

A returned check handling charge of $5 is made for each check returned to the Company for reasons of non-sufficient funds, account closed, payment withheld, invalid signature or improper preparation. 38-1tc

PUBLIC NOTICE

All Developers and Subdividers planning projects in Bandera County are urged to obtain and follow the regulations governing subdivisions in Bandera County. Failure to follow these established regulations will almost certainly result in costly delays. Some of the most critical items are:

1. Written request to proceed accompanied by a statement from Bandera Electric Cooperative that electricity will be furnished.
2. Utility easements indicated by survey.
3. Road dedication indicated by survey.
4. Construction and maintenance bonds on roads.
5. All lots or tracts adequate in size.
6. Plats to be drawn to a scale of 200 feet to the inch, on 18" by 24" sheets. A key map shows the entire area to be drawn on U.S.G.S. maps which are available in the County Judge's office.
7. Compliance with Bandera County Regulations covering sanitary facilities and water wells.

These directives, most of which have been in force since 1972, by order of the Bandera County Commissioners' Court, are available for any developer at the office of Permits and Inspections, County Courthouse. I urge all concerned to obtain this document and follow it closely during the course of your planning and development schedule.

Tommy W. Curbo
Bandera County Judge

Card of thanks

Card of Thanks

Words can not express our thanks for the many acts of love and concern shown us during our loved ones (Sarah Jackson) stay in the hospital and after her death. We would like to thank Bro. Rhnnie Brooks for the beautiful service, and to all of you for your prayers, calls, cards, flowers, and other gifts, and a special thanks to the ones who sent food and helped with the lunch after the service.

The family of Sarah Jackson
38-1tp

Thank You

To friends, neighbors and relatives of Ora Walker.

The family wish to express thanks and appreciation for the food and kind expressions of love at the loss of our mother.

Calvin & Clara Walker & family
Dorcelle & Charles Keese & family
Melva West & family
38-1tp

Thank You

"Words alone are not enough to thank everyone for their visits, phone calls, food and words of comfort during the illness and death of our loved one, Ruby Stabler. May God bless each of you."

The family of Ruby Stabler
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For, about and by students in Bandera schools.

Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Frankson

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Other girls placing were Beckie Clements, fourth, fifth and sixth in the long jump, 440-yard dash and triple jump respectively; Missy Mangold, fourth in the 220-yard dash; and the 880-yard relay team of Beckie Clements, Debbie Schimandis, Kim Cherry, and Mangold, fourth.

The team traveled to Devine March 24 where they placed ninth. Members of the team placing were Kellie Clements first in the shot; Beckie Clements third in the long jump and triple jump and fifth in the 440-yard dash; Paige Younghlood sixth in the hurdles; the sprint relay team of Beckie Clements, Younghlood, Lorri Robbins, and Mangold sixth; and the half-mile relay team sixth.

Next stops for the team is the Randolph meet on March 31 and the district meet also at Randolph on April 6.

Coach Barbara Mazurek commented, "Our girls are working very hard and we have several chances to go to regional. This district is loaded with speed, and there won't be any room for mistakes."



Terri Butler, Melissa Methvin and Sue Pickett

Melissa Methvin wins fourth in the state

Three girls represented Bandera High School at the Vocational Office Education State Meet, March 22-24 in Dallas. Melissa Methvin placed fourth in Records Management II.

Methvin missed qualifying for the national competition by one place. The top three places advance to Indiana for nationals. Methvin will serve as alternate and will compete if any of the other finalists are unable to.

Terri Butler, a junior at BHS, competed in Typing and Related II. Butler commented, "I've gained so much through the VOE program, and I recommend it to anyone who plans a future in business."

Sue Pickett also participated in the state meet, competing in Information and Communication II. "I feel that VOE has enabled me to learn the basic business skills that will help me in my future," she said.

In order to attend the state meet the girls had to previously win in the area meet which was held in Corpus Christi.

The VOE program at BHS is taught by Mrs. Kathy Stevens who stated, "The girls worked very hard and did extremely well. I am very proud of them."

—Music beat

Video update

By Shane Yates

Union of the Snake — Duran Duran — (Four Star Rating) Duran Duran is back with $10,000 video filmed in some desert somewhere. This video is no tone of Duran's girlie videos, it is very different. This is also the first time they are not depicted as a group but more as individuals. Nick even plays the bad guy in this one. Simon gets captured by some underground meanie (Nick) and Andy and a little kid help him escape. John and Roger seem to be bystanders but are very visual. Elaborate sets and a great song make this an excellent video.

Thriller — Michael Jackson — (Three and a half Star Rating) This video has been banned in Australia due to its violent nature and ghoulish villians. Unfortunately this is mostly a dance oriented video just like Beat-It and I think this subtracts from the overall effect of the video.

The fab five, Duran Duran, are in Paris filming a 12-minute video for their song "New Moon on Monday."

....38 Special will perform in San Antonio on April 1 with opening act the Golden Earring.... REM's second album is slated for an April 16 release.... The Kurythmics will be in San Antonio on April 17 at 8 p.m. at the Majestic Theater.... The Beach Boys announced that they will continue to tour without drummer Dennis Wilson....

Rick Springfield's movie "Hard to Hold" will be released soon.... Sting of the Police is starring in Frank Herbert's "Dune," a sci-fi fantasy.... MTO will have its own awards show, the "Annual MTV Music Video Awards," and the air take is sometime in June.... Record Magazine chose U2 as the top live act and rock-n-roll hero for 1983, Michael Jackson also appeared on the hero list....

Go-Go's drummer, Gina Schock, underwent surgery to correct a hole in her heart, very successfully, we're told.... The Go-Go's also have a new album slated for March release.... Maybe next time in the Music Beat I'll have an answer to the all important question "Where's the Beef?" but I doubt it.

Until then, let there be music!

BHS participates in Youth Art Month

By Sandy Riedner

March not only marks the beginning of spring, but it has been chosen as the "Youth Art Month" by art educators and is encouraged throughout the state of Texas.

Bandera's art classes have been very busy preparing for this event.

When passing through the halls at Bandera High, one will notice numerous bumper stickers attached to walls and doors. BHS art students made them, creating their own slogans and designs as a form of publicity for art month.

The students have also been at work preparing drawings, paintings, prints, and sculptures for competition. These pieces of art range from abstract to realistic. Finished artwork will be entered in art shows designed especially to display the work and original designs of the students.

Miss Young, art instructor at Bandera schools, stated, "Unlike sports or UIL events, we don't have meets or banquets to reward students. Instead, this is the time we take to recognize our talented and artistic students."

Bandera Junior High will also be competing in the art shows with different types of graphics, mosaics and scratch art.

If you would like to view the work of Bandera's young artists, you are encouraged to attend any of the following: Ingram, end of March; Beeville, March 29-April 9; San Antonio Market Square Student Art Display, April 14; and Austin, April 19.

Participants are eligible to win scholarships and many other types of awards.



Six Bandera thespians recognized for one-act play performances

Bandera's One-Act-Play members of "Chamber Music" are on their way to Area competition after winning the championship of District 26-AAA, March 17. The "District Champs" of 1984 received six individual awards.

Sandy Riedner was named best actress of District 26-AAA for her role as Mrs. Mozart in Arthur Kopit's contemporary classic. All-star cast status was awarded to Kim Compton (Osa Johnson) and Janet Weber (Queen Isabella). Mary Segovia, Wendy Valdez, and Nancy Hayes received honorable mention for their performances.

Area Competition will be held at Schulenburg, March 29. Boerne, who performed "Everyman," will also be competing there. Kevin Johnson from Boerne received Best Actor. Randolph High School was chosen as alternate.

Two teams will be chosen at area to compete at regional level. "This is the type of play that could take us all the way to state," said Director Baird Neville. This is Neville's second district championship.

BHS will perform at 6:30 p.m. in Schulenburg.

—Sandy Riedner

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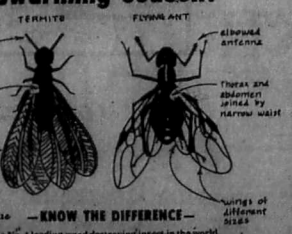

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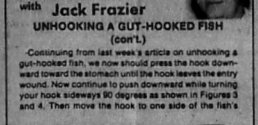
Life in the OUTDOORS with Jack Frazier

UNHOOKING A GUT-HOOKED FISH (con't.)

Continuing from last week's article on unhooking a gut-hooked fish, we now should press the hook downward toward the stomach until the hook leaves the entry wound. Now continue to push downward while turning your hook sideways 90 degrees as shown in Figures 3 and 4. Then move the hook to one side of the fish's



throat and carefully lift it out. The most critical part of the hook removal operation is sliding the needlenose pliers through the gills to blunt the hook barb. The most fatal of all injuries in hooking mortality is gill damage. Many fishermen have even gone to barbless hooks to reduce this all-too frequent cause of death of fish.

VOTE! April 7

City and school elections.

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*Excavating

Worth noting

Black magic

...fill the air when that wonderful, wacky world of magic, the Magic Show, is presented by the Bandera chapter of the Rainbow Girls.

James Goss, master illusionist, will bring his mystical talents, his now-you-see-it, now-you-don't impressions, his fantastic rope and handkerchief tricks, and, best of all, his show-stopping act of sawing a girl in half.

All this entertainment awaits at the Lakehills Civic Center on Park Road 37 on Saturday, April 7, at 8 p.m. Admission for children under 5 years is free, $1 for those aged 5 to 12 years, and $2 for persons 13 years and older.



James Humphries

Revival scheduled

"Christ Lifted Up" is the theme for revival services at Bandera First Baptist Church the week of April 15-19. Services will be conducted at the regular worship hours on Sunday, April 15.

There will be a covered dish lunch served in fellowship hall, On Monday through Thursday services will be at noon each day and at 7 p.m. each evening.

Evangelist for the week will be the Rev. James Humphries, pastor of the First Baptist Church of San Marcos. Dr. Humphries was a missionary pastor in Saigon, Vietnam from 1968-73, teaching theology and preaching at the Vietnam Baptist Seminary.

He was contributed more than 50 articles to religious and secular publications, including materials used by the New York Times, Denver Post and Commission Magazine.

Dr. Humphries has spoken in Bandera before at which time he brought a special guest from Vietnam.

Everyone is invited to hear the evangelist and to share fellowship with the members of First Baptist Church. The noontime services will be of interest to Bandera working people. Lunch will be served at noon and the services will dismiss before 1 p.m., says Rev. Harvey W. Hulse, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

City to buy brochure

The Johnson City Council voted to pay $2,400 to produce a color brochure which could be used to answer inquiries and to attract visitors to the city.

Funds for the brochure would come from proceeds of a hotel-motel tax from which the city realizes about $4,000 per year, according to City Secretary Betty Prehn.

Art spring show

Area artists and craftsmen have been invited to enter the New Braunfels Art League Spring Art Show to be held May 26-27 in the New Braunfels Civic Center, 380 S. Seguin.

Demonstrations and doorprizes will be part of the action. Admission is free and refreshments will be available.

Fees for inside 8 x 10' spaces are $15 for members and $25 for non members; outdoor spaces will cost $10 and $20. Entry deadline is April 15.

Restrictions require original work only; no kits, nudes, commercial exhibits or items purchased for resale will be allowed.

For entry forms and more information, contact the New Braunfels Art League, Box 325, New Braunfels, 78131-0325, 512-629-2773 or 629-4607.

Public speaking

Women's Opportunity Workshops at San Antonio College will present a 6-hour seminar "Public Speaking For The Professional." The workshop will provide the opportunity to improve speaking skills before small or large audiences, including television and radio. Led by Charles Wright, Chairman — SAC Radio /TV Dept.

Topics will include presentation skills, nervousness and self-confidence, audience analysis, speech organization, physical presentation and much more.

The course will be held Saturday, April 14, 9-3 p.m. For more information or to register, call Women's Opportunity Workshops, San Antonio College Continuing Education, 733-2648. Cost of the course is $6.

Final tryouts Saturday for little leaguers

Bandera County Little League will have its final day of tryouts on Saturday, March 31, at 8:30 a.m. at Mansfield Park for Bandera area kids and at the Pipe Creek Community Center for Pipe Creek-Lakehills area players.

Officials at both sites will also be accepting last minute registrations.

This year the Little League Association is offering tee-ball competition for younger boys and girls aged 6 and 7 years on Aug. 1. Boys and girls who will be 8 on Aug. 1, will be placed on minor league teams, and those 9 through 12 will try out for a spot on a major league team.



Members of Miss Poole's third grade visited the Bandera Bulletin where editor Nick Johnson, far right, showed them how the paper is put together.



Selected high school principals from across the state recently attended a two-day "shirt sleeve" conference, hosted by the educational administration segment of the Department of Education at Southwest Texas State University, at 7-A Ranch in Wimberley. The conference provided an opportunity for participants to interact with SWT faculty, visiting consultants and each other regarding current issues in school administration. SWT officials working with the conference participants included John Beck, left, assistant professor of education. Among the officials attending the conference was Gus Pfeiffer, Bandera High School principal. (SWT News Service Photo).

Phone company puts rep in Hondo office

Southwestern Bell Telephone has announced the appointment of Karen O'Neill as community relations manager for the company's operations 12 area cities, including Bandera. She will be headquartered in Hondo.

O'Neill said her new position is a result of changes in the telecommunications industry and the need to communicate with customers face-to-face.

"With massive changes taking place in the way we serve customers, as well as in the services we provide, we are concerned about keeping channels of communication open with our customers," O'Neill said. "These are times when we need to be more visible and accessible, not less."

O'Neill said the telephone company runs the risk of "losing touch" with its customers.

"Consumers want to know how the changes in our business will affect them. We need to talk with customers more, and we hope to do this by being more involved in the communities we serve," she said.

O'Neill served as community relations manager in San Antonio before her appointment to the newly created community relations job.

She began her career with Southwestern Bell Telephone in 1967 as a service representative in San Antonio. O'Neill has held various positions including managing the company's educational relations program in South Texas.

While her office will be in Hondo,



Karen O'Neill

O'Neill said she anticipates frequent travel to some cities for which she has community relations responsibilities. They include Bandera, Brackettville, Carrizo Springs, Castroville, Cotulla, Crystal City, Devine, Eagle Pass, Medina Valley, Pearsall and Uvalde.

Bluebonnets, snakes set to make appearance

Warm spring weather fills the air with anticipation for the annual appearance of Texas' beloved bluebonnets. It also heralds the appearance of some less delightful fauna — poisonous snakes.

Biologist Floyd Potter of Texas Parks and Wildlife Department said by the time bluebonnets bloom along roadways and fields, snakes and other reptiles are emerging from their winter dens.

Potter says you don't have to let snakes prevent full enjoyment of bluebonnets and other spring sights if you take a few precautions.

"The great majority of Texas snakes, both as to kinds and numbers, are nonpoisonous," said Potter. "Relatively few places in the state have locally abundant poisonous snakes where the hazard of snakebite is substantial."

The poisonous snakes native to Texas are the various subspecies of rattlesnake, cottonmouth, copperhead and coral snak

Potter offers a few tips for avoiding snakebite. "When you walk through areas where snakes might be, go slowly to give snakes a chance to move out of your way. Watch where you put your hands and feet, because most snakebites occur on extremities after a person fails to watch where he or she is stepping or climbing," he said.

The TP&WD offers two publications on poisonous snakes which include identification, snakebite prevention and first aid. One is a free leaflet entitled "Watch Your Step." Another is a color-illustrated booklet entitled "Poisonous Snakes of Texas," (Bulletin #31) which costs $2.70. To obtain either of the publications, write the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, Tex. 78744.

New ad format due

The Bandera Bulletin will join most other newspapers in the country in converting to a new six-column advertising format in its issue of April 5.

This change will have little effect on readers. They will merely be the beneficiary of a format which is easier to read and more pleasing to look at.

It will also have little effect on most advertisers. A quarter-page ad, for example, will remain a quarter-page ad and will be sold at the same rate.

Some regular advertisers will find the size and shape of the ad they are accustomed to running in the Bulletin will not be available in that particular shape.

The advertising staff of the Bulletin will of course be available to help those advertisers re-shape their ads to fit the new format.

This new format is being adopted by virtually all legitimate newspapers in the United States for the prim-

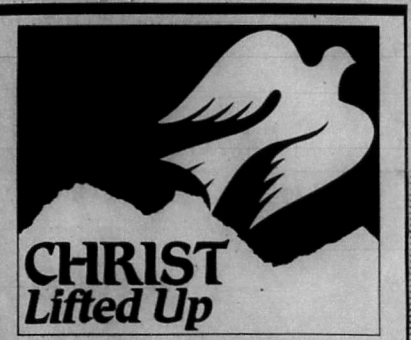
The six-column format was adopted because readership studies have shown that columns two inches wide receive a higher readership than narrower or wider columns and because it helps create more attractive pages which draw readers.

That's why the Bulletin changed to six columns for its non-advertising, or news material. Most persons agree that the change has resulted in a cleaner, more attractive look.

The Bulletin staff will be contacting regular advertisers whose ads will be difficult to adjust to the new column width during the next few days.

We want to emphasize that this is not an increase in advertising rates, but simply a change in format. The cost of an ad of the same size will not change.

This is another move to enable us to continue to bring to our readers and furnish for our advertisers the most attractive, most interesting, and best newspaper in Texas for a com-



CHRIST Lifted Up

Revival
April 1st thru 6th
Tarpley Baptist Church
Glenn Rhines, Pastor
Evangelist Harvey Hulse — Singer Homer Stephens
Sunday — 11:00 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.

We accept Food Stamps.

We gladly cash authorized payroll checks

We sell American Express Money Orde

Western Days with us..
nd our Tender Sirloins!!



U.S.D.A. Heavy Beef

USDA Heavy Beef

Sirloin Steak

$2.29 lb.

Super S, is the only store in town where you can really get your 2¢ worth!! Don't leave home without this coupon!!



Jumbo Roll Gala

Paper Towels

2 for $1

Super S

Sandwich Bread



with Coupon only

2¢

Limit One Per Coupon. One Coupon Per Family. Good Only at Super S. Coupon Expires: April 4th, 1984

Coupon Coupon Coupon

California

ious • Red • Ripe

wberries





- RC Cola
- Big Red
- Crush Flavors

Regular or Diet

Dr. Pepper

6 pack 10 oz. non rt. btls

99¢

Cleaning Buys!

25¢ off label

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Johnson Spring Cleaning Buys:

Pledge • Regular or Lemon
Furniture Polish $2.09

Future •No-Wax
Floor Polish 27 oz. $3.19

Bathroom Air Freshener
Spin Fresh $1.09

Floor Cleaner
Clean 'n Clear 15 oz. 97¢

Shout
Pre-Wash 22 oz. $1.69



ALMOLIVE SPECIALS!



Giant Size
Super Suds $1.19

Family Size
Purex $4.39

Kal Kan Asst.
Dog Food 14 oz. 39¢

Crave
Cat Food 3¼ lb. $2.49

Cat Treats
Bonkers 4 oz. 69¢

Effective
Scrub Free 14 oz. $1.79



WITH REAL LEMON JUICE
Ajax
All Purpose
Cleaner $1.00
28 oz.

RAINBO SPECIALS

Rainbo Old Fashion
Sandwich Bread 1½ lb. 69¢

Rainbo
Cinnamon Rolls 8 ct. 59¢

Rainbo • Multi Pack
Little People Snacks 79¢



Maxwell House
Coffee $2.29

ant Coffee $4.29

Bakery Buys

Wheat Bread	84¢
Raisin Bread	$1.15
Snack Bars	3 $1

Super Coupon

Good on 4 Lb. White Wings Corn Tortilla Mix.
Coupon good at:
Super S Foods
Store
Expiration Date April 4th, 1984
Limit one coupon per customer. Not valid with other coupon offers.

4 Lb. Bag.
49¢
With Coupon



SUPER BUYS • SUPER BUYS •

...es	300 can 2 for $1	Lipton Tea Bags	100 ct. $2.69
	5 lb. 89¢	Hormel Spam	12 oz. $1.49
...dol			

Western Days



Sirloin Steak $2.29 lb. USDA Heavy Beef



T-Bone Steak $2.79 lb. USDA Heavy Beef

Pilgrims Pride • Grade A Fresh
BUCKET OF CHICKEN
Limit 3 Please
49¢ lb.



Bar-S Smoked
Sausage $1.98 lb.

Smoked
Sliced Picnics lb. $1.19

Roegelein's
Smokets 12 oz. $1.59

Extra Lean
Boneless Stew Meat lb. $2.29

Lean• Tender• Waste-Free
Beef Cube Steaks lb. $2.89

USDA Heavy Beef
Chuck Steak lb. $1.69

USDA Heavy Beef
Boneless Rump Roast lb. $1.98

USDA Heavy Beef Heel of Round
Boneless Roast lb. $1.99

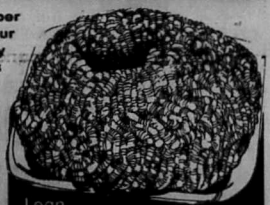
USDA Heavy Beef Rump
Boneless Steaks lb. $2.29

USDA Heavy Beef Boneless
Top Round Steak lb. $2.49

USDA Heavy Beef Boneless
Bottom Round Steak lb. $2.29

USDA Heavy Beef
Sirloin Tip
Boneless Roast $2.29 lb.

Save 5¢ per lb. on our Family Packs



USDA Heavy Beef
Round Steak $1.98

USDA Heavy Beef
Club Steaks $2.79

USDA Heavy Beef
Boneless Rib Eye Steak $4.98

Lean
Ground Beef $1.79

Fresh Whole
Catfish $2.09

Market Cut Longhorn
Cheese $2.29

Boneless Flounder
Fillets $1.49

Roegelein Smoked
Picnics 99¢

Rath Meat
Bologna or Salami lb. pkg. $1.59

Rath
Sliced Bacon 12 oz. $1.49

Rath
Porklinks 8 oz. 89¢

Rath
Pork Sausage lb. 89¢

Rath
Cooked Ham .5 oz. $1.49

Jimmy Dean
Pork Sausage lb. $1.89

Jimmy Dean
Pork Sausage 2 lb. $3.75

Wurst Smoked
Rope Sausage $1.89

Louis Rich
Turkey Ham 8 oz. $1.49

Louis Rich Turkey
Chopped Ham 8 oz. $1.49

Louis Rich
Smoked Turkey 8 oz. $1.49

Bigt
Boneless Hams Half or Whole lb. $1.89

Dairy Delights



Foremost ½ gallon square
Ice Cream $1.99

Frozen Favorites



Mrs. Smiths Apple Pie regular or dutch 26 oz. $1.69

Patio Mexican Dinner asst. 14 oz. $1.19

U.S. No. 1 Medium Yellow

Onions



lb. 49c



California Fresh Tender Green

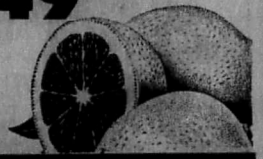
Broccoli

lb. 79c

California Large Juicy

Lemons

lb. 49c



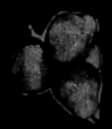


Avocadoes 3 $1



Mushrooms $1.00

Carrots 3 $1



Pears 2 $1



J. G. DURAND *International*

Glassware Savings!

Diamant Salad Set	7 pcs.	$10.99
Rosaline Goblet	8 oz. • set of 4	$7.49
Rosaline Wine	5 oz. • set of 4	$6.99
Rosaline Flute	4 oz. • set of 4	$7.39
Rosaline Bowl	set of 3	$6.79
Brittannia Mug	19½ oz.	$1.59
Haworth Mug	19½ oz.	$1.59
Jardineir Jar	1½ pt.	$2.99
Jardineir Jar	1 qt.	$3.49
Jardineir Jar	1½ qt.	$3.79

Health and Beauty Aids

Colgate • Twin Pack

Toothpaste 7 oz. $1.99

Mitchum Deodorant • regular • unscented • roll on • solid 15 oz. • 2 oz. $1.69

Gillette Trac II Blades 9 ct. $2.99





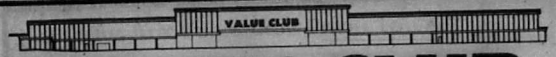
Effective Relief

Tempo Antacid • Chewable • Soft 30 ct. $1.49

Conditioner or

H.D.R. Shampoo • regular • Extra body 7 oz. $1.39

Baby Fresh Wipes • regular • unscented 80 ct. $2.49



VALUE CLUB

A CASH AND CARRY WHOLESALE* WAREHOUSE

SPRING CATALOGUE

Grand Opening Celebration

We're celebrating the GRAND OPENING of our newest Value Club at Huebner & Bandera in San Antonio!

There's nothing like VALUE CLUB in San Antonio!

3 LOCATIONS TO SERVE YOU:



We're Open

Mon.-Wed.-Fri. 10:00-8:00pm

Tues.-Thur. 8:00-8:00pm

Saturdays 9:00-7:00pm

Sunday 12:00-6:00pm

We Honor Consumer Commissary Membership Cards

WHAT IS VALUE CLUB?

VALUE CLUB is a MEMBERSHIP CASH AND CARRY WHOLESALER who currently operates three Warehouse Clubs in San Antonio and one in El Paso. The Company sells a wide selection of brand name merchandise and supplies to independent businesses of all kinds. Sales are limited to members only. VALUE CLUB currently serves more than 18,000 Business Members and 350,000 Individual/Group Members in the San Antonio and El Paso areas.

WHAT IS CASH AND CARRY?

Cash and Carry means that VALUE CLUB members walk through the building, pick out the products they wish to purchase and take the merchandise to the registers, paying by cash or check only.

WHAT ARE THE ADVANTAGES?

- Lower prices than from current sources.
- Immediate product availability.
- No hidden charges — all prices are as posted.
- Opportunity for Business Members to buy in small quantities and reduce their inventory investment.
- Opportunity to buy supplies as well as merchandise from the same source at substantial savings.
- Opportunity for Business Members to expand their business by trying new products without a large inventory investment.
- Opportunity to purchase many categories of merchandise for personal use at true wholesale* prices.
- Constant wholesale pricing on all items means Assured Savings everytime you shop VALUE CLUB.

*Business Members pay the posted wholesale price. Individual and Group Members pay five percent above posted wholesale price.

HOW CAN I BECOME A MEMBER?

VALUE CLUB has two types of memberships;

Why Are Value Club Prices Lower?



You Do The Picking . . .
The members select their own merchandise



You Handle The Delivery . . .
The members carry the merchandise away at their own expense.



No Accounts Receivable . . .
Members pay by cash or check at the time of purchase.



No Salesmen . . .
Members are their own salesperson. No high-pressure selling, just outstanding values!



No Fancy Showrooms . . .



VALUE CLUB

Wholesale Prices

Lawnmower
by Murray



- 22" Cutting Deck
- 3.5 HP Briggs & Stratton Engine
- Self Propelled Side Discharge

169.99

Riding Lawnmower
by Murray



- 30" Cutting Deck
- 8-HP Briggs & Stratton Engine
- Electric Start
- Rear Discharge

739.99

Lawn Tractor
by Murray



- 36" Cutting Deck
- 11 HP Briggs & Stratton Engine
- 5 Speed Transaxle Trans.
- Electric Start

915.96

Garden Tractor

MURRAY
4-HP Briggs-Stratton 21" Cut Rear Discharge Self-Propelled, Rear Drive Lawnmower 249.97

DOUGLAS
Leaf Rake 24 Tine 6.97
Bow Rake 14 Teeth 10.49
Long Handle Cultivator 6.29
Long Handle Garden Hoe 8.79
*Drain Spade 12.51
Long Handle Shovel Round Point 8.47
Long Handle Shovel Square Point 11.69
Post Hole Digger 15.36
Hedge Shear 7.97
Lopping Shear 8.97
Grass Shear 7.47
Anvil Pruner 6.49

ALL TRADE
70" Digging Bar 15.43
Pick Mattocks 6.76
Single Bit Axe 36" Handle 10.39

DURACO
Professional Quality Lawn Edging ..... 4½ Wide x 20' Long 5.49

PRESTO
Plastic Sheeting
10 ft. x 24 ft., 4 Mil Clear 3.69
Plastic Sheeting
10 ft. x 25 ft., 4 Mil Black 3.69

SPECTRACIDE
Spectracide 6000 ..... 10 lbs. 7.43
Spectracide Pest Control ..... 1/2 gal. 6.37

VALUE CLUB

Wholesale Prices

TEKNOR APEX
Garden Hose ½" x 50' Biflex 6.97
Garden Hose ½" x 80' Hiflex 9.93
Garden Hose ½" x 50' Tube Sprinkler 3.68

DOUGLAS
Cart Hose Reel 150 foot capacity 25.78

GREEN LIGHT
Liquid Flowable Sevin ..... Qt. 7.32
Diazinon 12½E ..... Qt. 5.69
50% Malathion ..... Qt. 7.69
10% Sevin Dust ..... 4 lbs. 2.91
Dursban ..... Qt. 2.99
Fire Ant Killer ..... Qt. 4.99
Fire Ant Control ..... 5 lbs. 4.99
Rose Food ..... 10 lbs. 2.77
General Purpose Plant Food ..... 25 lbs. 6.18
Liquid Edger ..... Gal. 3.89

K & S
Electric String Trimmer 15" Swath ..... Model TA1018 35.69
Gasoline Power Edger 2 HP, 4 Cycle Engine KS-70 169.99

WOODS
Woods Outdoor Extension Cords
100 Ft., 16/3 ..... 8.99
50 Ft., 12/3 ..... 14.69
100 Ft., 12/3 ..... 26.69

POWER LAWNMOWER PARTS
Bulk Trimmer Line For Electric Trimmer approx. 600 ft. 6.53
Bulk Trimmer Line For Gas Trimmer approx. 400ft. 6.53

Gas Trimmer

Garden Hose



½" x 80'
- 4-Ply Construction
- Tire Cord Reinforced

9.93

16 inch Electric Hedge Trimmer
by Lawnmate



- High Carbon Steel Blades for fast double edged cutting
- Thumb-tip control
- Wrap-around handle

28.49

Power Blower
By Paramount



- 1-HP motor
- Includes 2-pc. tube and concentrator nozzle

Model PB-150

45.79

Electric Edger

VALUE CLUB

Wholesale Prices

Tank Sprayer

by Root-Lowell

3.0 Gallon Stainless Steel

Model 120-SN

25.99

Broadcast Spreader

by Kelly

50 lb. Capacity

Model PB-47

24.19

Loadmaster

Wheel Barrow

by Kelly

- 15 in. pneumatic tire
- 4.5 cu. ft. capacity

Model K-450

39.99

Insecticide and Fertilizer

ROOT LOWELL

1 Gallon Poly Sprayer 15.99

KELLY

Industrial Hand Cart 46.19

DURACO PLANTERS

Contemporary Style Planter	13 in.	5.49
Contemporary Style Planter	15 in.	6.59
Contemporary Style Planter	17 in.	8.99
Full Depth Planter	12"	4.99
Full Depth Planter	14"	6.99
Full Depth Planter	16"	9.49
Full Depth Planter	18"	12.89
Full Depth Planter	20"	14.89

JOBES

Tree & Shrub Spike ..... 20 pk. 6.99

RUBBERMAID

Ceramic Design Planter ..... 10 in. 2.47

MELNOR

Time-A-Matic	Model 101	6.99
Pulsating Sprinkler Sled Base	Model G575	5.96
Aqua Gun	404C	3.49

GILMORE

Insulated Pistol Grip Nozzle ..... Model 57119BC 2.89

Oscillating Sprinkler

VALUE CLUB

Wholesale Prices

S. PARKER HARDWARE

Entry Lock Set	6.45
Passage Lock Set	3.82
Privacy Lock Set	4.69
Deadbolt Single Cylinder	7.18
Deadbolt Double Cylinder	8.28

KELLER LADDERS

6' Wood Ladder	16.99
8' Alum. Ladder	45.99
16' Alum. Extension	36.49
24' Alum. Extension	61.29

CASTLE GLOVES

Split Leather Driving Gloves	2 pair	3.99
Cuff Cowhide Palm Gloves	2 pair	7.99
Top Grain Driving Gloves	2 pair	7.99

LIGHTS OF AMERICA

Under the Cabinet Lite	5.82
Bright Plant Lite	7.93

UNITED TAPE

Masking Tape ¾" x 60	6pk	2.99
Masking Tape 2" x 60	3pk	3.98
Strapping Tape ¾" x 60	4pk	4.98
Electric Tape ¾" x 60	10pk	2.99

KELLY TRASH CANS

20 Gallon Galvanized	6.52
30 Gallon Galvanized	9.62

TAB

4000 Watt Generator	535.99
5000 Watt Generator	682.35

Low Voltage Outdoor Lights

by Malibu

- Fully Automatic w/timer
- 6 lights
- LW1006T

57.35

10 inch Electric

Band Saw

by Shopcraft

124.92

½ inch Electric

Drill Press

by Shopcraft

69.93

Portable

Electric

Truck

Tool

VALUE CLUB Wholesale Prices

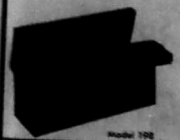
41-piece Socket Set



- Standard and Metric
- ¼ inch and ⅜ inch driver

3.98

19 inch Metal All Purpose Tool Box



Model 198

7.49

by SKILSAW 7¼ inch Circular Saw



2¼ HP Model 575

42.35

White Enamel Toilet Seat

ALLIED INTERNATIONAL

½" Socket Drive SAE or Metric 25pc	11.75
Wrench Set SAE 11pc	10.55
Box Ratchet Wrench Set 5pc	6.33
Pipe Wrench Set 4pc	10.57
Plier Set 5pc	9.42
Locking Plier Set 3pc	5.32
Screwdriver Set 11pc	3.62
Tool Set 42pc	16.28

MAYFAIR

Embroidery Toilet Seat	15.87
Padded Toilet Seat	9.87

McGUIRE NICHOLAS

Leather Carpenter Apron	22.99
Electrician Tool Pouch	14.99

MILLER FALLS

Hammer 16 oz	9.98
Hand Saw 8pt	11.98
Hand Saw 10pt	11.98
Steel Measure Tape 100 ft	14.90
8 Vial Alum. Level 24 inch	11.93

SKIL

Electric Drill ½" VSR 1300RPM	31.99
Orbital Sander	29.27
Jigsaw VSA	34.35
Cordless Screw Driver	29.27
Belt Sander	42.35

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VALUE CLUB Wholesale Prices



Swinger II Covered Cooker by Meco

39.99

Little Pal Portable Grill



23.79

Turco Patio Cart Gas Grill



- Twin 30,000 BTU Stainless Steel Burners
- 20 lb. Tank
- Self Igniting
- Dual Heat Controls

139.99

Cooking Kettle by Weber

One-Touch Design

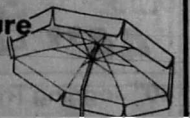


Porcelain Finish

55.99 22½" Kettle

Aluminum Folding Patio Furniture

ALMET LAWNLITE



In new Earthtone Multi-Colors

This fine furniture features:

VALUE CLUB Wholesale Prices

AMERICAN CAMPER
- Double Mantle Propane Lantern 12.99
- Propane Stove Single Burner 8.99
- Propane Tank 11 lb. Refillable 26.66
- Propane Cylinder 16.4 oz. 1.99
- Propane Hose Adapter 6 ft. 6.85
- Cookware Set 13 pc Enameled 18.99
- Blanket Covered Canteen 2 qt. 2.99
- French Air Mattress 18 pocket 5.99

ERO
- Sleeping Bag 3 lb., 33" x 75" 14.77

CAMEL
- Canvas Cabin Tent 8' x 10' 79.99

CROWE
- Ski Tow Rope 75' Tournament 6.99

PARIS
- Boating Vest Foam Filled 3.99
- Ski Vest 3 Belt Foam Filled 16.49

KRANSCO
- Hydro Slide 69.99
- Tube-in-it 23.99
- River Tuber 12.77
- Swim Sweater 11.49
- Swimmies 2.39

WHAMO
- Slip-n-Slide 13.99

CROWN
- Deluxe 3-Game Combo Badminton, Volleyball, Lawn Dart 17.77
- Deluxe Volleyball Set 10.59

ALLIED INTERNATIONAL
- 6 Ton Bottle Jack 11.75
- 2 Ton Industrial Trolley Jack 88.25

WD-40
- WD-40 ..... 12 oz. 1.68
- WD-40 ..... 1 Gal. 7.95

WOODS WIRE PRODUCTS
- 25' Metal Trouble Light 6.25
- Clamp Light 3.25
- Booster Cable 400 AMP 9.99

CLEAN RITE
- Home & Auto Clean-Up Kit 5.93
- Shop Towels 24pk 6.21

ROBERK
- Wiper Blades 1.47
- Wiper Refills 1.47
- Truck Mirror ..... #709 10.99

SM ARNOLD
- Chamois ..... 5 sq. ft. 7.99
- Squeegee with 24-in. Handle 1.46

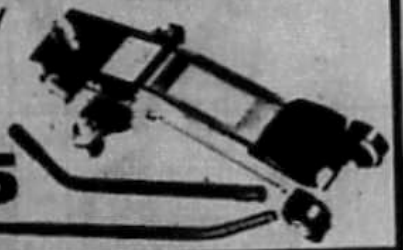
LIBERTY
- Gear Lube SAE 90 ..... 5-gal. 13.12
- Hydraulic Fluid 5-gal. 11.50

VALVOLINE
- Oil Filters 1.69
- Air Filters ..... 1.09 to 2.99

GENUINE
- Brake Fluid Dot 3 ..... 12 oz. Can .85
- Brake Fluid Dot 3 ..... Qt. Can 1.93
- Brake Fluid Dot 3 ..... 1 Gal. 6.86
- PCT Oil Treatment ..... 15 oz. Can .79

Hydraulic Floor Jack
2-Ton Capacity

For Cars and Trucks



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Portable Air Compressor
Interdynamics

200 PSI with Flasher



27.99



KRACO Car and Truck Mats
by Kraco

Twin Elegance Car Front Mats	9.89	Car Rear Mat	6.29
Clear and Smoke	5.89	Pick-up Mat	13.99

Air Filters

Fast Finish

VALUE CLUB

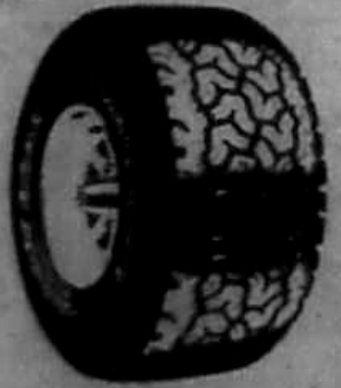
Wholesale Prices



Mach II Belted 60 RWOL

2 Polyester/2 Fiberglass

Size	Wholesale Member Price
P205/60B13	35.53
P225/60B14	41.34
P235/60B14	41.54
P245/60B14	42.04
P275/60B14	50.04
P235/60B15	44.65
P265/60B15	50.85



Trail King On-Off Road

Polyester

Tire Size	Ply Rating	FET	Wholesale Member Price
700-15	6/C		41.95
750-16	8/D		52.96

Tubeless Tires

H78-15	6/C	FET	53.95



Super Traction King

Premium Traction King

Tire Size	Ply Rating	Wholesale Member Price
700-15	6/C	48.95
H78-15	6/C	58.95
750-16	8/D	63.96



Light Truck and RV Tires

Tube Type

Tire Size	Ply Rating	Wholesale Member Price
700-15	6/C	41.95
750-16	8/D	52.96

Tubeless Tires

H78-15	6/C	FET	53.95

Maintenance Free Automobile Batteries



Battery installed no charge with trade-in battery.

Normal Duty Service

For Air Conditioned Cars-Original Equipment & Accessories

Model and Group Number	Plates Per Cell	Reserve Capacity	Cranking Amps	Wholesale Member Price
1-543	15	155	343	$29.92
4-849	21	205	849	$44.92
118-425	15	110	425	$25.92
46-329	10	80	329	$29.92
227-384	9	77	384	$29.92
24F-442	11	100	442	$29.92
24-442	11	100	442	$29.92
42-329	11	77	329	$32.92
56-505	13	86	505	$32.92
71-452	10	75	452	$32.92
74-442	11	100	442	$32.92

Heavy Duty Service

For Reserve Capacity and Extra Starting Power

Model and Group Number	Plates Per Cell	Reserve Capacity	Cranking Amps	Wholesale Member Price
24-525	13	110	525	$36.92
24F-525	13	110	525	$36.92
74-442	13	100	442	$38.92
27-500	15	145	500	$38.92
27F-500	15	145	500	$38.92

RV and Marine

Model and Group Number	Plates Per Cell	Reserve Capacity	Cranking Amps	Wholesale Member Price
24-525	13	110	525	$36.92
24F-525	13	110	525	$36.92
74-442	13	100	442	$38.92
27-500	15	145	500	$38.92
27F-500	15	145	500	$38.92

VALUE CLUB

Wholesale Prices

GENERAL ELECTRIC

Steam Iron F363	13.89
Toaster Oven T938	31.85
Food Processor FP1 w/Factory Rebate of 5.00	31.99

WEST BEND

Hot Air Corn Popper #82102	14.96
Electric Skillet #72119/29	22.87

HAMILTON BEACH

Mini-Drip Coffee Maker	13.69
Roaster Oven 527AL	71.65

SUNBEAM

Spray-Steam-Dry Iron #12256	15.78
Hand Mixer #03016	11.33
Food Processor #14056 w/Factory Rebate of 8.00	31.12

RIVAL

Can Opener 781M	9.69
Food Grinder #303W	12.49
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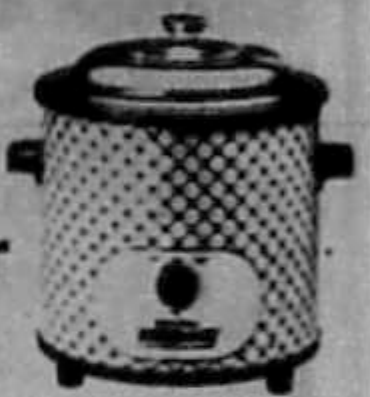

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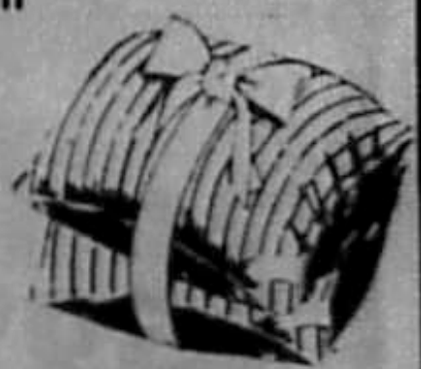

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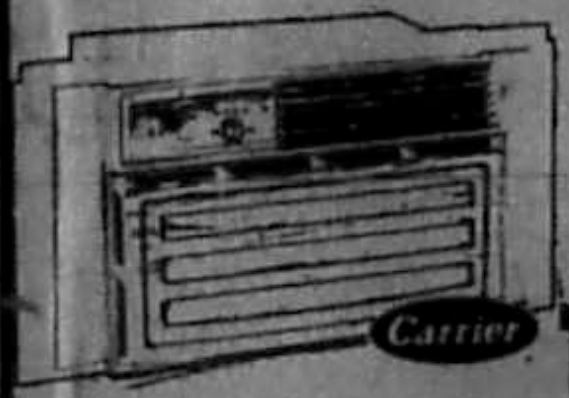

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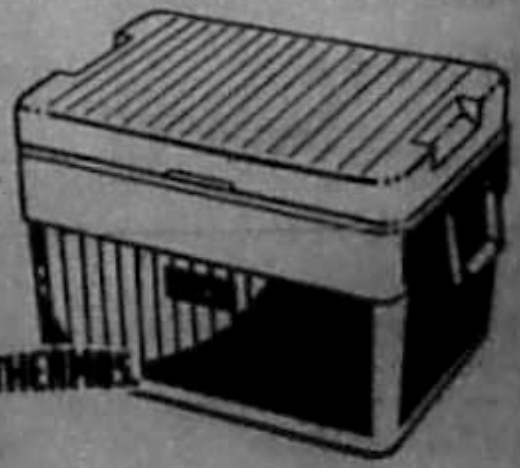

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Staff photo by Rick Young

A rather confused yellowjacket found the "See Paris" poster in the front window of Sundance Travel Agency rather appealing. So appealing, in fact, that she selected one of the pink flowers on the poster as her spring dwelling place and began construction of her nest. Granted, it's a nice poster, but hardly the normal place for a yellowjacket nest. Or, perhaps she just likes Paris.

Voters to go to polls Saturday

A good turnout is expected Saturday in city of Bandera and Bandera school board elections, and the heightened interest in those races may even kindle an average turnout in a road bond issue election that so far has drawn little interest.

Average turnouts are expected in Medina and Utopia school board elections.

Record or near-record attendance at pre-election "meet the candidate" gatherings are only one indication of the interest in the Bandera city and school elections. Governing bodies of both have been beset by controversy this year.

The school's difficulty climaxed with the defeat in December of a $2.9 million bond issue. Interest in the city election stems largely from an annexation issue that has pitted advocates of growth against those "that want to keep Bandera small." Several other issues have drawn the interest of voters, including the manner in which the city's streets are policed.

Voters who live in Bandera will have to vote in three different elections at three separate polling places Saturday in order to do their civic duty, but most other voters will be able do all their voting at one location.

The exception, besides Bandera voters, are those who live in Pebble Beach and Jones Beach Sub-

(See ELECTION, Page 11A.)

Where we vote

Road bonds

Voting Precinct	Location
1	Bandera High School
2	Pipe Creek Comm. Ctr.
3	Pipe Creek Fire Sta.
4	Lakehills Civic Ctr.
5	Bandera Electric Co-op
6	Medina Public School
7	County courthouse
8	Tarpley Comm. Ctr.
9	Medina Youth Ctr.
10	Taylor Voting House, Vanderpool

Bandera city election

Bandera Municipal Building, Main Street, Bandera

Bandera School District

Voting Precinct	Location
1, 5, 7, 8	Bandera Junior High
2 and 3	Pipe Creek Comm. Ctr.
4	Lakehills Civic Ctr.

Medina School District

Medina Public School

Utopia School District

Utopia School Library

Frash Water Supply District

Water District office

Council candidates not expansionists

By Nick Johnson
Editor

Incumbent Dianne Tobin Tuesday said it is not the intent of the current council to say "no" to all new development in Bandera, despite appearances, but none of the four candidates for the council expressed many expansionist views Tuesday during a "meet the candidates" event.

A proposal to annex highway property south of the Medina River and extend utilities there for a motel drew most of the attention of the nearly 50 persons who jammed the city offices to question the candidates.

The city council has postponed consideration of that issue until after the election, and candidates for the two seats subject to Saturday's balloting all approached the issue from an economic standpoint. Each hesitated to side completely with a plea from one in the audience to "keep Bandera small."

In the end, each of the candidates indicated they would require the developer of the proposed motel to pay "up front" for all or most of the costs incurred by the city if utilities were extended to the site, at State Highway 16 South at Dixie Dude Road.

Each indicated he or she would vote for the annexation only if the issue came with an absolute, iron-clad guarantee the revenues from utility fees and the expanded tax base would exceed the city's costs.

"I'm against annexing (property) across the river for the benefit of a few people, but we have to broaden our tax base," said Gary MacMillan, who is running both for city councilman and school trustee. "The only way to do that is to annex property," he said.

"I think the city will have to share in the cost of utilities, but developers should pay for most of it," Tobin said.

"I think we will get the money (spent to extend utilities) back," said Dorothy Darden. "Other cities have found a way to get the money (for utility expansion) up front, and we can too."

"I wouldn't annex a piece of property on a promise," said Adamietz, who said he would OK extension of utilities if developers paid for them up front.

As for the concept of annexation in general, all four candidates indicated it was necessary, but Adamietz called attention to the apparent "standoff" the city finds itself in by becoming ringed with residences who, as Adamietz said, "want our water but don't want us."

Bandera County '84 Elections

The 90-minute program featured free give-and-take between the candidates and members of the audience. The announced format, which called for written questions, was abandoned at the outset of the meeting by unanimous agreement among the candidates.

Mayorial candidate Bob Cowan, running unopposed, also appeared on the program, and outgoing Mayor Wilvie Smith made a "cameo appearance" to

(Please see CITY, Page 11A.)



Bob Cowan | Raymond Adamietz | Gary MacMillan | Dorothy Darden | Dianne Tobin

Bandera County Potpourri

by Nick Johnson



Former Congressman O.C. Fisher of Junction was a Popular Times Museum visitor Friday, Nettie Saul reports.

Rep. Fisher served with distinction for many years as congressman of the 21st District, representing Bandera County in Washington. He is now retired and enjoys writing at his ranch near Junction, Mrs. Saul tells us.

He has penned a book on the remarkable life and career of John Nance (Cactus Jack) Garner.

Mrs. Saul says the book is an interesting chronicle of Garner's life and career during which he served as a congressman and speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives, as well as veep.

Cactus Jack was a colorful character, and Fisher's book traces his life from its log-cabin beginning, Mrs. Saul says. It follows the Uvalde man as "he scaled the heights of power, influence and respect rarely equalled in American politics," Mrs. Saul says.

Another of Congressman Fisher's books is a 1980 effort entitled, "Political Miscellany." It's an assortment of gems we want to remember but too often forget, says Mrs. Saul.

"It includes choice selections of political humor, common sense commentaries, excerpts and quotes and bits of prose and poetry that linger," she said. "It is a delightful book."

The congressman was in Bandera in connection with still another book. He was gathering material for a work he'll call "The Angora Goat," which also should be interesting to Bandera County readers.

Political steps

There's no political significance, they tell me, in the fact the Republican steps at the Tarpley Community Center were not repaired until after the Democrat steps, but both will be ready for Saturday's election.

That's the word from Marilyn Haner over there, and she paid tribute to the fine efforts of Skeets Singleton and Anton Haner, who did the work on the steps.

The supplies, she said, were bought with funds raised during two bake sales of the Williams Creek Extension Homemakers Club.

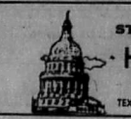
Mrs. Haner hopes voters in Precinct 8 will notice the new steps Saturday, even though the Republican steps won't be used until the primary election, May 5.

How do steps join a political party?

It seems when the Republican Party in Texas began to hold primaries, state law stated that the two parties may share a building for their respective primary elections, but they had to have separate entrances for the separate parties.

The main, south steps (or porch) are used for most center activities, and the north (or Republican) steps are rarely used, except by the GOP for primary voting.

Cost of Perot's reform estimated at $19 billion



STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Texas Comptroller Bob Bullock last week estimated a $19 billion price tag over the next five years for a select committee's proposed public education reforms, setting the state for the Legislature's expected budget trims.

The whopping cost is seven times higher than Bullock's previous estimate of $2.6 billion, driven up by projected costs in enrollment and teachers salaries, according to a Bullock aide.

Although the Select Committee on Public Education has recommended a $2.6 new appropriation for reforms beginning next year, the Legislature is expected to approve only $1 billion, if that.

New revenues would partly come from a tax increase which Gov. Mark White is expected to advocate in a special legislative session sometime after the primary elections this spring.

The Committee, appointed last year when the Legislature rejected White's efforts to raise taxes for increased teacher salaries, recently finished its study of public education in Texas and listed reforms.

Although White and the panel chairman, H. Ross Perot of Dallas, have indicated the total list of reforms is outside the Legislature's budget restraints, the new estimates put many of the proposed reforms in financial jeopardy.

Reform costs

State and local taxes would have to be raised to fund the proposed reforms at the following costs:

—$5.4 billion for a career ladder for teachers.

—$6 billion to limit class sizes through Grade 4.

—$2.6 billion to educate 4-year-olds.

—$1.9 billion to extend the school day by two hours.

—$558 million to lengthen the school year by 10 days.

—$1.9 billion for full-day kindergarten for 5-year-olds.

—$39 million for annual testing of students.

—$117 million for adopting textbooks every six years instead of every eight years.

—$4.9 million for parenthood education.

—$5.5 million for stipends for upgrading teachers.

—$4.9 million for increased funding for teacher education.

—$6.7 million for management control.

White vs. Bullock

The coming special session will pit White against Bullock over an education funding issue that may decide who will be governor in '86.

Two years ago, just a few days before White was to take office, Bullock astounded Democratic Party leaders by announcing that he would challenge White for governor in '86.

Since then, the two state officials have conducted subtle political warfare over the state budget, mainly on the education issue.

White has been foremost an advocate of new taxes to pay teachers an increased salary, but, so far, Bullock's conservative revenue projections have discouraged the Legislature from making new expenditures. The series of devaluations of the Mexican peso, the devastating December freeze, and the oil industry slump have all combined to jolt the jaw of state revenues, particularly in the Valley.

Valley plan

Now months later, with oil industry and border economy slumps partially stabilized, U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen said last week he is drafting a legislative package to spur the Valley's economic comeback.

His package would direct federal aid to the Valley for education, for hospital care and for technical assistance to economically crippled counties.

"I have walked down streets on a Saturday in some of those towns (on the border) where you used to have to elbow your way through the crowds. Now you could fire a cannon down those streets and not hit anyone. Many stores are just shut down," Bentsen said.

Letters

Protect your investment

Dear editor:

Recently (March 29) there was an article in the Bandera Bulletin asking or pleading for help in fighting fires in Pipe Creek. This article, if it weren't so close to being true, was downright ridiculous.

In the past, many people have stated their desire to join and were told, as were some active firefighters, "we don't need you or want you."

In this organization (Pipe Creek VFD) you are welcome just so long as No. 1 you don't know anything, No. 2, you won't think for yourself, or No. 3. You don't voice your own opinions, if you are of Mexican descent. As long as you go along with certain members and their mouth-pieces, you are welcome.

If your ideas are not the same as theirs, then you are (thought of as) a troublemaker. When a person is in office, his or she is treated rudely, ridiculed and harrassed, and not even the office he or she holds is respected.

Many times the trucks have been sent out and no one knew for sure where the fire was. If they had known the exact location they could have arrived sooner. The active members know the locations of the other members' homes, but they don't know where you live.

Since the death of our long-time treasurer (Ed Coalson), this department has gone downhill in memberships, due to the efforts of these same members. This was a fine organization and one to be proud of, until these members took control.

A few months ago three members turned in their fire phone, three firehouse keys and two fire truck keys. So, the fire department lost two engineers and one was a daytime volunteer.

Yes, fire departments do need volunteers. This area needs volunteers with guts. So residents, stand up! Go to the meetings! Get involved! Take charge of what is left of your area fire department, and help make it the best in the county again.

You have until October to attend three meetings so you can vote for new officers in November. If you can't find anyone suitable for an office, then you run. He counted. Be responsible for your future. Only you can do it.

Remember almost no home is fireproof, unless it is in a cave with no lights nor heat. Protect your home, your investments and your family. Join and rebuild something to be proud of — Your (Pipe Creek) Fire Department.

Jeannine Lawson
Pipe Creek

Thought over issue

Dear editor:

Yesterday I thoroughly read and thought over the road bond issue, the school board candidates saying they are going to resubmit the school bonds, county commissioners and school board members saying they are both going to raise taxes again this year, and Gov. White and his legislature raising taxes for education and roads. I feel like one very tired and frustrated taxpayer wondering when and where the hell will this madness stop.

I am all for better schools and roads, but my God, those of us on fixed incomes (and we are at least half of this county) just can't keep coming up with money we don't have, not that it appears that our county or school leaders seem to be concerned about this. All they want is more taxes for more new things. And it seems that once they get a new tax, once it outlives its usefulness, they sure don't rescind it. One good example is the emergency road tax that was passed to pay for road damage after the 1978 flood and which six (6) years later we are still paying with no end in sight. Enough already!

W.H. Williams
Bandera

Wonderful job

Dear editor:

You folks are doing a wonderful job publishing a paper that I like to read. The only thing I don't like is the fact that I don't live up there in your town.

H.W. Key
San Antonio

Scholarship fund

Dear editor:

Upon reading letters to the editor for the past couple of weeks, I am convinced there are at least a few citizens that are concerned about the present and future quality of our educational system.

Even though several writers are seeking political endorsements, I'm certain they are sincere in their endeavors. These people are competing for a difficult job in which it is even more difficult to realize any immediate rewards or gratification. All I can say is good luck.

Now, my real reason for writing. I think I can provide treatment for these and many other fine citizens that can offer immediate rewards and gratification.

Prescription: Attend the Pipe Creek Community Center fourth annual Chili Cook-off on April 14. Better yet, come on out and lend a helping hand.

Prognosis: Immediate gratification and rewards as all proceeds go to the Pipe Creek Scholarship Fund.

Tony Downing
Pipe Creek

New to Lakehills

Dear editor,

We are new to the area of Lakehills and have begun reading your paper. We find it interesting and informative. How do you cover so much territory?

Edward and Crystal Skolaut
Lakehills

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Bandera County Elections '84

Political Calendar

The Bandera Bulletin has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following people:

Bandera County Sheriff — Guy V. Pickett
Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gordon Nordland
Constable Bandera County Pct. 3 — Jones Ott
Bandera Co. Tax Assessor Collector — Bjerne Steven
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Doyle Ely (R)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Jim Russell (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 2 — Bob Ashley (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — A.A. (Pete) Reed (D)
District Judge — 216 Judicial District — Robert R. (Bob) Barton (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — E. Bruce Curry (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — Joe Mike Egan (R)
State Rep. District 53 — Kleon Edge (D)



CHRIST Lifted Up

—REVIVAL—
First Baptist Church
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April 15 - 19
(Pre-Easter Services)
—Sunday—
9:45 A.M. Bible Study 10:55 A.M. Worship Service
12:00 Noon Lunch 7:00 P.M. Revival Service
—Mon.-Thurs.—
Noon Worship Services 7:00 P.M. Revival Services
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Calendar

Today, April 5

- Medina track district meet.
- Tarpley Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m., home of Marilyn Haner.
- Bandera boys baseball at D'Hanis.
- St. Victor's Altar Society, 7 p.m., St. Victor's Chapel.

Friday, April 6

- Hospitality seminar, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
- Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Bandera American Legion Hall.

Saturday, April 7

- Vote, 7 a.m.-7 p.m., (See Page 1A for voting places.)
- Bandera Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary Craft Sale, 9-4 p.m. firehouse.
- Bandera Rainbow Assembly presents a magic show, 8 p.m., Lakehills Civic Center.

Sunday, April 8

Musical Salute to the American Cowboy, 2 p.m., Bandera Electric Co-op.
Bandera United Methodist Church, 7:30 p.m., 200 years, Methodist Church.

Monday, April 9

Bandera County Commissioners Court, 9 a.m., courthouse.
Bandera Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Lazy Oaks.
Covered dish supper, 7 p.m., Lakehills United Methodist Church, to kickoff Boy Scout troop.
Bandera City Council, 7 p.m., municipal building.
Square Dance Club, 7-10 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Medina 4-H Community Club, school, 7:30 p.m.
Hill Country 4-H Community Club, Medina Baptist Church, 7:30 p.m.
Bandera United Methodist Church, 7:30 p.m., 200 years, Methodist Church.

Tuesday, April 10

Grace Lutheran Women's Salad Luncheon, 11 a.m., First National Board Room.
Cheese and Butter distribution, 1-4 p.m., First Baptist Church.
Utopia Arts and Crafts Guild, 1:30 p.m., Community Building.
William Creek Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Bandera County Sesquicentennial Committee, 7 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department, business meeting, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.
Hill Country Rabbit Breeders, 7:30 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., youth center.
Pipe Creek Community, Pipe Creek Community Center, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, April 11

Bandera Junior 4-H Club, First National Bank Board Room, 7 p.m.
Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department bingo, 7 p.m.
Bandera Volunteer Fire Department, 7:30 p.m., meeting.
Hill Country Kennel Club, 8 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.

Thursday, April 12

Rio Hondo Extension Homemakers, 11 a.m., home of Dorothy Cutler.
Rabies Clinic, Bandera Firehouse, 5 to 8 p.m.
Citizens for Better Schools, 7:30 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.
Medina School Board, 7:30 p.m., school office.
Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department meeting, 8 p.m., Pipe Creek firehouse.



Staff photo by Rick Young

Faces of Bandera

Earl Evans of Wharton's Dock was wondering why no one from his neighborhood had made it into this feature when the camera captured him and added his to the Faces of Bandera County.

Temperatures

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Wednesday, March 28	71	46	
Thursday, March 29	76	37	
Friday, March 30	76	55	
Saturday, March 31	86	59	
Sunday, April 1	72	59	
Monday, April 2	83	50	.11
Tuesday, April 3	80	42	

Rainfall so far this month: .11 in. Rainfall so far this year: 4.76 in.

Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Coop, Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

Quiet Valley sets 13th folk festival

"This is our lucky year," said Kerrville Music Festival's producer Rod Kennedy, joking about his 13th annual Kerrville Folk Festival set for May 24-June 3 at Quiet Valley Ranch north of Medina.

Established in 1972 with 13 performers, the festival has had some "bad luck" during its first 12 years with three consecutive years of heavy rains during the late '70's, but in recent years the festival has been retiring its debts and has gained an international reputation for excellence.

Last year's Memorial Day weekend festival drew 19,000 fans from 40 states and six foreign countries and now that it is established as the state's premiere song writers' event, the festival seems to have more than enough momentum to overcome the superstition of the number 13.

In fact producer Kennedy is launching a new Celebrate Austin Music Festival in Austin on Friday, April 13, and held their very successful press luncheon to announce it on Friday, the 13th of January.

Airplane reported down in county

Bulletin

Bandera County Sheriff Guy Pickett late Wednesday afternoon called on the Civil Air Patrol out of San Antonio to search western Bandera County for an aircraft reportedly seen smoking and going down "behind a mountain."

The aircraft was reported at about 12:45 p.m. Wednesday, and when lawmen couldn't find wreckage immediately, Pickett requested that the CAP conduct an aerial search.

Reeves to appeal speeding ticket

Retired Col. Elmo Reeves of Bandera pleaded no contest Friday to charges of driving 46 mph in a 35 mph zone in Bandera Municipal Court.

Reeves plans to appeal the conviction to Bandera County Court and says he will ask for a jury trial.

A former president of the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce, Reeves claims he was ticketed because he has been outspoken on the subject of what he called the city's reputation as a speed trap.

"Because of my outspokenness, I was being laid for," Reeves charged.

CAR Comments with Phil Martin

CHECK YOUR BRAKES!

One does not have to be a mechanic to make this simple test. Push the pedal down. If the pedal goes down more than half way, that's too far. The pedal should feel like it is hitting something hard, with resistance. A "spongy" feeling could indicate air bubbles in the brake line. Try this next. Push down hard and count to ten. If the pedal continues to go down, you could have a master cylinder problem. Keep in mind, with power brakes, this test needs to be done with the engine running. Your brakes are, without a doubt, very important, so if you find anything suspicious, take it to an expert right away.

REMOVING BUMPER STICKERS

Does it seem to you, the glue that is used is the best permanent glue ever made? Well, here are a few suggestions on how to remove the bumper stickers without removing the bumper!

Soak the sticker with HOT water, then peel the sticker off slowly. Any remaining pieces may come off with the aid of a little paint thinner or finger nail polish remover. Wipe clean, let the area dry and apply the new bumper sticker! (ha)

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Members Cowboy Musical April 8th — 2:30 p.m. at Bandera Elec. Coop. Aud.

Lakehills

Lila MacMillan — 751-3866

A little sister for Joey



With those big brown eyes shining and a big smile on his face, four-year-old Joey Heisler announced the arrival of his sister, Jamie Lynn on March 22.

The proud parents, Joe and Sherry Heisler reported their new addition weighed 6lbs., 10oz. and arrived at Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville.

The grandparents are Fred and Peggy Collins of San Antonio, Gus and Lola Heisler of Lakehills, and two great-grandmothers Jessie Clayton and Elizabeth Heisler.

Not only have Joe and Sherry increased the size of their family, they have increased their business enterprise also. For several years Sherry has been our post master in Lakehills and Joe has operated the Big Tow towing service and automotive repair business in our area. Now they have moved into the center behind the post office and have the laudromat, car wash, Big Tow towing, a complete automotive repair shop, and their home all right on Park Road 37 by the Lakehills Post Office.

Congratulations and best wishes to this young family on the grow.

Lakehills, Pipe Creek and Mico boys unite

All boys in the Medina Lake area who are 10½ years of age and have completed the fifth grade in school and are interested in Boy Scouting should bring their parents and any other interested parties to the Lakehills United Methodist Church at 7 p.m. Monday, April 9.

There will be a covered-dish supper and an opportunity to get acquainted with the Scout master, assistant Scout master, and Boy Scout officials from San Antonio.

This Boy Scout troop will be open to all boys in our area. The LUMC will sponsor the troop and provide the facilities for the meetings and activities. For more information call Merv Kaiser at 751-2551 or Gordon Nordlund at 751-2315.





Mardi Gras winners

The MLBA Mardi Gras Dance was a success. The judges had a difficult time deciding the costume prize winners. First place prize for the best ladies costume went to Lois Case for her Smurf outfit and second place went to Donna Mansfield for her Fruit of the Loom Bunch of Grapes balloon outfit.

In the men's category, first place went to Ed Moore, who came as Uncle Tom, and second place went to Norman Manafield for his Julius Caesar costume.

Heisler — Carroll engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Heisler of Lakehills announced the engagement of their daughter, Sally Marie to Steven Edward Carroll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Carroll of Corpus Christi.

The couple plans a a June 23 wedding.

The Terrys have moved

Louise and Jim Terry have given up their home in San Antonio and are now permanent residents of Lakehills. They are living in a mobile home temporarily, until the construction on their home is completed.

They have been very active in our community for several years, spending all their weekends at the lake. Since Jim retired from civil service at Kelly Field last year, they have been very busy planning this move to the lake.

Out and about

Sure is great to have Bill Harmer home from the hospital. Ann reports he will have to take it easy for a while.

Marion and Kay Heisler report they couldn't have made their move to their new location off 30th street without the help of their many friends in the community. Friends such as these make moving day a fun day.

Dave Furrows is at Wilford Hall for a few days, but hopes to be back with the coffee crowd by the end of the week.

Special bouquets for Bob Faurie, Ann Jack, Louise Ivey, Jeffie Waterman and Sam Henderson. Hope you're all feeling better soon.

You know spring is here when you receive a report that the Sugarcanes were seen strolling toward Hawk's Nest over the weekend.

The Flea Market is filling up

Elaine Mixon of the MLBA reports that the sale of reserved table space for the Flea Market to be held at the Lakehills Civic Center on April 14 is going well. Because one person's trash is another person's treasure, this is an ideal time to do some spring cleaning and raise some cash, but don't wait too long. Call Elaine at 751-2100 to reserve your table space.

Don't forget to vote

Both the school board election and road bond election voting will take place at the Lakehills Civic Center on April 7. This is the first time that voting has been held at that location instead of the firehouse. The polls open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.

It's magic

The Bandera Rainbow Assembly will present "One Enchanted Evening," a magic show starring master illusionist James Goss at the Civic Center, Park Road 37, at 8 p.m. Saturday.

Fire Department to meet

Don't forget the regular business meeting of the Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department will be at the Lakehills Firehouse at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 10. Aside from the regular monthly business, the department will be finalizing plans for the upcoming spring barbecue.

All members and prospective members are urged to attend.

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News needed... individuals and organizations

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Answer to plea

The Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department responded to two fires since its plea for additional manpower appeared in the last issue of the Bulletin. According to George Hohon, spokesman for Pipe Creek VFD, "Several new faces showed up and helped out at the scene of the fires."

Both of the fires were trash and brush burnings that got out of hand. In one, a small building was lost, and in the other a camper shell was destroyed. In both instances, quick action by firefighters resulted in other facilities being saved at the scene.

Hohon stressed that while the addition of new faces at the scene of fires was encouraging, the most immediate need is for volunteers to attend the next scheduled meeting and to be placed on the Fire Call Roster.

"We can always use financial help," said Hohon, "but our most critical need is for people who can sign up, get on the roster, and be available, especially during the day when most of our firefighters are at work.

The Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department will hold it's next meeting at the Pipe Creek Firehouse at 8 p.m. on April 12. All prospective members and interested persons are urged to attend.

(Editor's note: Please see LETTERS, Page 2A, for a related item.)

Pipe Creek residents stole the show

Many Pipe Creek residents attended the Mardi Gras Dance in Lakehills last weekend. Lois Case and Ed Jennings went all out. Lois brought home the first prize in the ladies costume contest for her very creative "Smurf" outfit. Lois says it may take weeks for the blue to wear off, but it was worth it.

Judge Jennings dug out his best long johns, handlebar moustache and old hat, and attended as Cowboy Ace Reid.





Pipe Creek boys: read this

You are invited to a covered dish supper at the Lakehills United Methodist Church on Monday, April 9 at 7 p.m. to help organize a Boy Scout troop in our community.

If you are 10½ years of age and have completed the fifth grade, bring your parents Monday night, meet the Scoutmaster and officials who will be organizing the troop, and enter the exciting world of Scouting.

It's voting time

This Saturday is voting day for both the school board election and road bond issue. Election Precinct 2 will vote at the Pipe Creek Community Center, and Election Precinct 3 will vote at the Pipe Creek Fire Station. The polls will be open from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m.

The singing Mireles family of Cherokee, Okla. will be at the First Baptist Church of Pipe Creek April 8 at the 11 a.m. service. Everyone is invited to join them.

Enchanted Rock park opened March 30

Officials of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department announced that Enchanted Rock State Natural Area opened Friday, March 30.

The popular park, located 18 miles north of Fredericksburg on FM 965 in Gillespie and Llano Counties, has been closed for construction and development since Oct. 1, 1982.

Construction projects included a park headquarters, restrooms, a bridge, campsites, roads and utilities.

For overnight reservations or other information, call the park at (915) 247-4934.

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But the Polish colony that settled Bandera was of a strong and hardly lot. Each member of the colony had been chosen by trade so they could be self-sustaining once in America.
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Obituaries

Richard J. Jurecki

Richard J. Jurecki, 62, of Bandera died March 30 at Huntsville Memorial Hospital. Born in Bandera, he was a member of the Catholic church.

Survivors include daughters Shirley Jurecki of Kerrville and Dolores Jurecki of Amarillo; sons Richard Jurecki of San Antonio, Albert Jurecki of Kerrville, Carl Jurecki of Houston, SteveJurecki of Camp Verde and Michael Jurecki of Bandera.

Funeral Mass was held Tuesday at St. Stanislaus Catholic Church. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

Paul P. Guzzardo

Paul Guzzardo, 46, of Bandera died March 31 at his residence. Born in Waco, he was a member of St. Stanislaus Catholic Church.

Survivors include his father, Ben Guzzardo of San Marcos; mother, Iris Guzzardo of Boerne; and sister, Margaret Terry of Bandera.

Funeral mass was at St. Stanislaus Catholic Tuesday with Monsignor Ralph Smith as celebrant. He was buried at Bandera Catholic Cemetery.

Orba M. Bomer

Orba M. Bomer of Batesville, 79, died March 29 in San Antonio. A member of the Church of Christ, he is survived by his wife Margaret, Batesville; five sons, Roy, Lennie, O.M. Jr., Ben and Gary, all of Utopia; four daughters, Maxine Bomer, San Antonio, Lawanda Guillory, Trout, La., Cheryl Berry, Portland and Susan Shoopman, Corpus Christi.

Services were held Saturday at the Church of Christ in Utopia with burial in the Vanderpool Cemetery.

Claude L. Lindley Sr.

Claude Lindley Sr., 68, died April 1 at the Nix Memorial Hospital in San Antonio. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Pipe Creek.

Survivors include his wife Pansye of Pipe Creek; daughters Connie Hayes of Houston, Barbara Ann Swonke of Pipe Creek; son Claude Lindley Jr. of Pipe Creek.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at the Pipe Creek First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Bartlett Mills officiating. He was buried in the Pipe Creek Cemetery.

Joseph C. Villemain

Joseph C. Villemain, 75, died March 28 in San Antonio. Born in Pipe Creek, services were Friday at the Alamo Chapels in San Antonio with Rev. Robert C. Taylor officiating.

Survivors include a daughter, Mary L. Hunt, San Antonio; sisters, Elsie Perkins, San Antonio, Emily Stein, Bandera and Louise Wier, Odessa.

He was buried in the Roselawn-Resurrection Cemetery, San Antonio.

Henry Lewis

Henry Lewis, 91, of Medina died Tuesday, March 27, at Purple Hills Nursing Home.

Services were held last Thursday at the First Baptist Church in Medina with the Rev. Bill Moseley and the Rev. Louis Vannatter officiating.

Pallbearers were Kevin Lewis, Carl Lavery, Larry Eckert, Lewis Neal Matthews, King Stokes, James A. Gallant, Hough Le-Stourgeon, Murry LeStourgeon, Paul Garrison, Allie Allsup and Orville Wier.

Bookshelf

April 10, at 3:30 p.m. we will show a Star Trek movie called "Tomorrow is Yesterday." This film is 52 minutes in length and is, of course, free to the public. The movie will be held in the Library.

We have received several new pieces of furniture in the library in recent weeks: a new magazine display rack, a new walnut bookcase for display of topical material and collections, and a melamine marker board and easel for use in story hours, announcements, etc. All these items have been donated to the library in memory of Julia Awe by friends and family. We appreciate their thoughtful way of expressing their regard for this fine lady.

We wish to welcome two new members to the Library Board of Trustees: Mrs. Astrid Box of Pipe Creek and Barbara Harrell of Utopia. And, it is with great regret that we say goodbye to Mrs. Winnie Hicks as Board Member and current Chairman. We will miss her on those first Mondays of each month but will hope to see her frequently at other times. Mrs. Willie Morris, vice-chairman will take over duties as chairman next month.

Panel to meet on 150th

Jeanine Hicks, a native Bandera run ruive program officer with the Texas Sesquicentennial Commission in Austin, will be present Tuesday, April 10, for an organizational meeting of the Bandera County Sesquicentennial Committee, says committee chairman Carmen Hicks.

The meeting will convene at 7 p.m. at the First National Bank Board Room.

Mrs. Hicks heads a five-member steering committee named by County Judge Tommy Curbo to plan Bandera County's part in the year-long 150th birthday celebration of the state of Texas in 1986.

Other members of the steering committee are Jack Frazier, Peggy Tobin, Rudy Robbins and W. O. Hatfield .

The organization of the county planning group here is part of a major statewide effort by the commission to have such committees organized and working in every community and every county of Texas.

The commission is also planning several major statewide celebrations as part of the 150th birthday celebration. Jeanine Hicks is the daughter of Carmen and Speedy Hicks.

Mrs. Hicks and her steering group is trying to involve as many people in Bandera County as possible in the project. "It is the sincere wish of every member of the steering committee that all citizens of Bandera County will want to have a part in this exciting celebration," Mrs. Hicks said.

Besides the steering committee, 15 other persons have been appointed to the Bandera County Sesquicentennial Committee, Mrs. Hicks reported.

They include Sue Martin, Robert Cowan, Jean Young, Nick Johnson, Ronald Caloss, Robert Stein, Vickie Garza and Charles Georg, all of Bandera. Others are Barbara Harrell of Utopia, Jaak Tabba of Vanderpool, Fabian Mazurek of Boerne, and Peggy Ashmore, Bob Caswell and Tony Kruse, all of Lakehills.

Among the ideas that have been discussed in Bandera is the adoption of a "twin city" from South Australia, a state which is also celebrating its 150th anniversary during 1986.

AN OPEN LETTER TO PARENTS
SUBJECT: A Problem Faced By Young People

Dear Parents:

This letter is being sent by a group of concerned citizens. The topic is one that concerns all of us as parents of young people who are in school. We are all concerned about the welfare of young people because we love them and they represent the future of our community and families.

We fully admit that the issue involved is sensitive and may incite strong feelings. Some parents will agree and some will disagree.

There has been much study and work done on the part of society to protect students from drugs. This is good. However, there is a tendency to forget that another insidious danger lurks everywhere. It is a danger that has the tolerance and acceptance of millions and it causes more damage than all the marijuana, heroin, cocaine and pills in the world.

THE PROBLEM

It seems that it is fast becoming acceptable to both the students and some parents to celebrate after school functions with a beer party — in many cases supervised and/or condoned by parents.

In some cases the beer is provided by the parents, while others the parents provide the place and supervision and the students bring their own beer; and still others, the parents provide the place and then leave.

And, in some cases, the parents are totally unaware of what the young people are doing. The point is that some student activities culminate with beer parties and we adults should be thinking about the risks involved to the health and safety of the children. It should be quickly pointed out that not every activity ends with a parent-supervised or parent-condoned party. But, every parent should know that some activities do and with such parties. You should also know that the School Board, the administration, or the sponsors of school activities do not support alcohol for youth.

WHY PARENTS SPONSOR BEER PARTIES

We know that the reason parents are willing to supervise these parties is the fear that the young people will have a party anyway and they figure that it's better to hold the party in a supervised environment where car keys can be confiscated and the kids' behavior controlled. And, in spite of strong disagreement with what they are doing, we appreciate their concern for the kids and their willingness to go far out on a limb for them. But, we are not doing our children any favors by providing them with supervised beer parties.

By now, someone may be asking, "What business do they have in this anyway? It was a private party." Our response to that is what a parent does and provides for his own children in his own home is his business, but when his home or property is opened up to a group, to other people's children, it becomes our business. At the very least, it becomes our concern.

THE GENERAL PROBLEM OF TEENAGE DRINKING

Drinking among teenagers has become so prevalent that we as parents are almost overwhelmed by the situation. It is easy to become confused by this issue. Being told by their kids constantly that "everyone does it" and getting little or no evidence to contradict that statement, many parents give up on frustration and hope for the best. Again, you should know that the churches and the schools of this community stand firm against permissiveness.

THE LEGAL QUESTION

There is also the legal question that can't be ignored. What would happen if a student were killed in a car accident after one of these parties? It could be that the parents would be held legally and civilly responsible. Even without an accident, the parents could be charged by the police with breaking the law.

IT'S HARD TO SAY 'NO'

But, the most common problem created by parent-sponsored beer parties is the position that they put other parents in. What can parents who do not want their kids to go to a beer party say to their kids? The very fact that other parents are providing a "supervised" beer party makes it very hard for these parents to say, "No, you can't go." The only thing the kids want to do is to be at a party with their friends, and for the parents to tell them they can't go to that party when everyone else can, comes across as unfair. So, many parents give in and the students go.

THREE SUGGESTIONS

There are no simple solutions. But, here are three suggestions in the form of questions:

1. Is it possible that there are enough parents who are willing to fight the battle to join together and tell their children, "No, you can't go to the party!" The key to this is that the other parents are saying "No." We need to get parents together at school, or at churches or in private homes, and support each other in our efforts to do what is right by saying "No."
2. Is it unreasonable for parents of teenagers to call the host parents of a party-to-be to find out whether or not kids will be allowed to drink and how much supervision the host parents will provide? Maybe they could even offer to help out for part of the evening.
3. Is it possible that instead of a beer party, the parents could throw a beer-less party with delicious food and good music, maybe even live music? We simply feel that we have to continually tell kids it's okay not to drink, that it is wrong for them to drink as teenagers.

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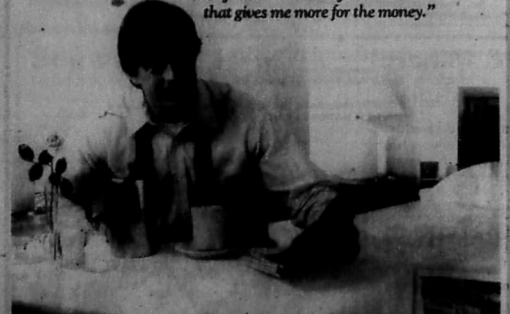

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Tennis and Car Rentals

Third anti-rabies clinic scheduled during evening

A third anti-rabies clinic for pets will be held April 12 at the Firehouse in Medina, from 6 to 8 p.m., with Dr. Steve Sells giving the vaccinations.

A Grst clinic was held three weeks ago on a Saturday, and drew 217 dogs to be licensed and vaccinated by Dr. Conrad Nightingale. Several cats were also immunized, but records were not kept on the felines since they do not have to be licensed.

A second clinic was held Saturday at Lakehills where Dr. Ray Smart of Boerne reported he vaccinated 163 pets. The dogs at the Lakehills clinic were not licensed in Bandera County, however, so owners must still have them licensed to be in compliance with the law.

The 217 licensed in Bandera three weeks ago compares with 248 licensed a year ago, but dog owners knew this year that the April 12 clinic would give them one more opportunity to have their animals immunized. Officials hope the two dates together will surpass last year's total.

Dr. Nightingale, the county's rabies control officer, said he fears that the dwindling number of pets that are being vaccinated may portend the spread of rabies in the county, and county officials have been trying to get as many dogs as possible licensed.

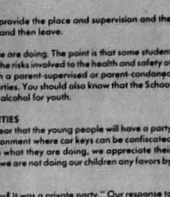
11 compete in food show

Eleven Bandera County youths were among the 175 4-H'ers from 19 counties competing in the District 13 4-H Food Show in Uvalde Saturday.

In the pre-teen division Tony Martin won third place in the main dish category, Amy Thompson won third in breads and cereals, Dawn Macon won a white award in fruits and vegetables, and Julie Reade won a red award in snacks and desserts.

Junior Candi Raathoff won a red award for her main dish entry, Tracie Kriedler won a white award in breads and cereals, Shannon Cowsert won fourth in fruits and vegetables, and Faye Comingore won a red award in snacks and desserts.

In the senior category, Cynthia Pennock won a white award for her main dish, Nancy Patton won third place in breads and cereals, and Linda Patton won fourth in snacks and desserts.



Linda Patton receives 4-H opportunity

Linda Patton, Bandera High School senior, has received notice that her 4-H record book, which was entered in the district Texas Extension Homemakers Ass'n. scholarship contest, has been chosen to go on for judging at the state level.

This gives Patton the opportunity to win one of seven scholarships for $650 each that the TEHA gives to 4-H students each year.

She will speak on her 4-H experiences and be recognized for her outstanding 4-H work at the annual District 13 TEHA meeting in Carrizo Springs on April 5.

Recuperating

Edith Brownlee of San Antonio, who recently underwent surgery in the Baptist Memorial Hospital, is recuperating in the home of her sister, Clara Duff of Bandera.

Garden club

Madrona Garden Club will meet Friday, April 13, at 2 p.m. in the Community Room at the First State Bandera.

The program will feature a book review by Mrs. John Saul on Texas Wild Flowers. Reviews from the Lone Star Gardener and the National Gardener will be presented by Kathryn Dewoody and Gladys Huseby.

Hostesses for the occasion will be Mesdames Annette Pearce, Loney Postert, Johnnie Newcomer, Gladys Huseby and Hedwig Twiefel.

Back on her crutches

Our town's Marian Coker is back on her feet again — sort of —after a serious leg operation. She will be on crutches for several weeks, however.

Jolene Morrow named Baptist summer missionary

Jolene Morrow, a student at Angelo State University, was recently appointed a Texas Baptist Student Union summer missionary.

Morrow, who will serve in California, is the daughter of Terry Joe Morrow of Bandera.

She is one of 152 summer missionaries who will serve in 17 states and five foreign countries. They are supported by fellow students at 100 colleges and universities throughout Texas. Last year students raised more than $144,000 to support their summer missionaries.

Texas Baptist Student Unions are supported through Cooperative Program gifts from 4,700 churches and missions of the 2.3-million-member Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Melodiers going public

For the first time in their three year history the Melodiers, a singer-fun group organized by Mary Worley and Kay Robinson, is going public!

Aside from a few guest appearances and a regular date at Purple Hills nursing home, they have not until now prepared a full program.

"A Musical Salute to the American Cowboy" will be presented at the Bandera Electric Co-op auditorium on Sunday, April 8, at 2:30 p.m. No admission will be charged, but any free will contributions will be for the benefit of the Silver Sage Corral (senior center) building fund.

The program consists of a group of authentic cowboy songs, with historical notes given by Master of Ceremonies W.B. Kirkpatrick, and a second group of songs emanating from the myths of film and fiction. Soloists include Mary Joe Kirkpatrick, who also serves as director, Elbie Denaford, Judy Goodnight, Terry Spence, Dr. George Meador, and Frank Smith of Kerrville. The piano accompaniment of Kay Robinson will be embellished by violins, guitar, and harmonica.

Water customers to vote

Three candidates are seeking re-election to the board of directors of the Bandera County Fresh Water Supply District No. 1 election in Pebble Beach Saturday, April 7.

Board president Jud Ashmore, vice president Wilbur Bradford, and secretary Bobby Solomon are seeking new terms on the governing body of the water district that furnishes water to customers in Pebble Beach and Jones Beach.

Other directors of the water district who do not face re-election this year are Bill Money and George Wallace.

Balloting will be from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. in the district office.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Wilvie D. Smith and Dorothy L. Spain, both of Bandera; Floyd R. Mayfield and Sara E. Garrison, both of Medina; and Gilbert G. Grawunder, Sabine.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Garrison III, Medina, announce the arrival of a girl born March 29 at 8:02 a.m. in Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital.

Pageant planners to meet

The Bandera County Chamber of Commerce committee planning the Bandera County Beauty Pageant, which will be held in conjunction with the Bandera County Fair July 6, will meet Friday, April 13, at 6:30 p.m. at the First National Bank Board Room.

Anyone who wants to help on the pageant is invited, says Yvette Rempel, pageant chairman.

Hospitality seminar to be given here

The second annual Hospitality Seminar will be presented Friday, April 6, at the First National Bank Board Room with two identical sessions from 9 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

The program is designed to help business owners and employees build good relationships with customers and clients. Speakers for the seminar will be Rudy Robbins, Ben Nolen, Beverly Cox, Bob Cowan and Dick Jones.

The public is invited and may register at the door. There is a $2 registration fee. This program is sponsored by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce and the County Extension Service Community Development Committee.

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A Thought For The Week
By John M. Grimes

Thinking and thanking are two words that belong together...Think about this! If you think enough about what you have, instead of complaining about what you don't have; if you think enough about the good that has happened to you, instead of feeling sorry for yourself about all the bad luck you have had, you will thank god for His goodness and His mercy.
Couldn't it be said that it's not so much what happens to us, but how we choose to react and respond? The trouble is that most of us don't do enough positive thinking. We moan and groan about the bad things, and take the good things for granted. We complain that the cup is half empty, instead of thanking God that is half full.
Years ago there was a popular ballad entitled, "Aren't You Glad You're You?" It went something like this: "Every time you're near a rose, aren't you glad you've got a nose...When the meadow lark appears, aren't you glad you've got two ears...And when the dawn is fresh with dew, aren't you glad you're you?"
We think this is a pretty good philosophy...What do you think?
Paul wrote to the Colossian church: "Let the peace of God rule in your heart...and be ye thankful." If you want a formula for happiness and contentment, isn't this it?

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Senior Citizens

By Mary Worley

Cowboy salute

See you Sunday, 2:30 p.m. at the Bandera Electric Co-op auditorium.

This is the last chance to remind you that Melodiers will be singing both the old original ballads sung around campfires and while riding the range in early cowboy days, as well as those popularized by such groups as "Lightcrust Doughboys."

Come along Boys, and Listen To My Tale, I'll Tell You of My Travels on the Old Chisholm Trail.

Last rehearsal for this will be held Friday, April 6, at the Co-op at 5 p.m.

Cheese day

Announcement has been made that another surplus government cheese distribution is set for Tuesday, April 10, at the First Baptist Church 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. To be eligible it is required that certification be renewed at the Community Services, 1109 Pecan St., (Dept. of Human Resources). This renewal must be approved each three-month period, officials say.

Plant sale

Everyone may participate and benefit from the Spring Plant Sale to be at Senior Center Thursday, April 12. It's a chance to replace some you may have lost this past, frigid winter, or to find new ones.

There will be a large cactus grouping for any interested in the really hardy plant family. The sale will begin early, by 8 a.m., and continue to about 6 p.m., provided stocks last that long.

As one who profited by the sale last fall, I am most pleased by plants procured at that time and I eagerly watch now for the first blooms to appear.

While at center, come on in and either do a critique as the artclass works or go further and do a few stitches on that lovely quilt in progress.

Tour

Spaces on the tour Saturday, April 14, are filling fast. It is now planned to make it sort of a San Antonio Missions trip, since chances of seeing quantities of bluebonnets at that time seem more probable in this area. Incase there are no bluebonnets, there is much to see in San Antonio and it will be a memorable tour. Call the center for information and to make a reservation.



Amanda Taylor of Pearsall (right) donated this painting to the fund raising efforts of the Bandera Senior Center's Building Committee. Her aunt, Amelia Dickens, is a member of the Center.

Travelers

Mrs. Octavio Herrera returned Saturday after having spent a few weeks visiting with her son James and family in the Valley.

Mary Worley and **Bill Hathaway** were weekend visitors in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, making brief visits with families and friends in Mercedes, Harlingen, San Benito, Los Fresnos and Rio Hondo. On Sunday before starting home, they attended services at the First United Methodist Church in McAllen, where **Rev. Bill Hathaway Jr.**, is pastor.

The Valley suffered hugh losses in the freeze, but as always is recovering and most areas are green again. Missing was the scent of orange blossoms one usually finds at this time of year. Many orchards are being bulldozed. In some, however, where the trees had been pruned back earlier, one now sees considerable green growth in the lower branches.

It will take many years for recovery. The tallest and oldest palms which had lined many roadways and fields since early in the century may never be replaced.

Some species are putting out new growth, but not the old tall sentinels. Wildflowers which usually make roadsides a real showcase at this time of year, are also missing. It's the effect of cold and drought evidently.

Connie Taylor recognized

We all know Connie Taylor, since she is so often a volunteer driver for the center, especially when the vans are used for tours. All will be happy to learn that she has been selected as one of five San Antonio drivers to be awarded the "1984 Jefferson Award" sponsored by KSAT-TV Channel 12. This award is designed to recognize individuals who give unselfishly of themselves for the betterment of others, and is both local and national in scope. Connie will be among those honored at a dinner on Thursday, April 5, hosted by KSAT-TV.

Illnesses

Larry Hein remains in Methodist Hospital, San Antonio, Room 633, but he is hopeful he can return home before long.

Ruth Hayes was again taken to San Antonio this week for treatment, but was able to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lundblad recently made a trip to California to attend a funeral for the sister of Mrs. Lundblad.

Cheese and butter

Government surplus cheese and butter will be distributed to needy households in Bandera County April 10 at First Baptist Church of Bandera starting at 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. or until supplies run out.

The Community Services Division of the Community Council of South Central Texas is in charge of the distribution.

Haig to lecture

Former secretary of state, Gen. Alexander M. Haig, will be the final speaker in the Trinity University 1983-84 Distinguished Lecture Series in Laurie Auditorium, at 8 p.m., Friday, April 13.

Haig's speech, which is free and open to the community, will culminate the lecture series on "Global Views," made possible by an endowment gift from Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Brown of San Antonio.

Lakeshore

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VFD

The Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department will hold a general meeting for all members April 14 at 10:30 a.m. Barbecue sandwiches will be served after the meeting. This meeting is important as we are making plans for our June 9 barbecue and we urge all members to attend. A reminder: Have you paid your 1984 membership dues? Our fire department helped fight the fires at Tarpley.

Home again

Dell Lackey has returned home and will resume writing The Lakeshore News for our community. I will appreciate the cooperation of all the local residents helping me in reporting the news.

Trips

Ross and Lois Bailey went to Hawaii for two weeks, enjoyed their first honeymoon in 30 years. They came back home and made a trip to Brady Lake to do some fishing but won't tell how many they caught.

Marie and Harold Bentley went to Ganado to see her brother, Floyd and Margaret Drewry.

Walter Barrell went to Willow City to bring Ronnie Miller home to the Andreas family, did some fishing with the children and spent the weekend in the home of Bethel and Dell Lackey.

Floyd Portman flew to Nebraska to attend his aunt's funeral.

Jay and Marietta Overholser visited her sister, Vera and Carlos Barrera in Lytle Sunday.

John Portman attended a wedding reception for Jo Jo Mayorga's son, Johnny and wife Cindy in San Antonio Saturday evening. They are Jo's son, Max, Windy and son Travis from Houston and Mondo and Tina Mayorga from San Antonio returned to Lakeshore Sunday.

Illness

Monk Searcy is in Humana Hospital in San Antonio. He will have heart surgery Thursday.

Lakeshore friends are glad to have Bethel Lackey home from the hospital.

Party

Cliff and Mary Maston celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary. A family party was held in their home Saturday evening. Cake, ice cream and refreshments were served. Those who attended were their daughters, Jeanie and Karen and their families, Daniel Queen, grandson, and wife Gay, who also celebrated his 20th birthday with his grandparents. Music was provided by Cliff and Daniel.

Weekenders

Mr. and Mrs. James Tampke, Corpus Christi, are vacationing at their summer place this weekend.

Floy and Bill Rush, Hondo, are spending some time in their mobile home.

Glad to see Bob and Dorothy Rucker are back home after their many travels.

Roy and Wanda Lich, Kerrville, were here for the weekend. Wanda went to San Agtonio to pick up her son Keith from Houston and Bill Hansen was their guest.

Visitors

Frances Ann, niece and children visited her grandmother, Ida Klaus, and Aunt Dolley Sarran.

Dan Gazaway and son Ronnie were here from Kerrville to visit with friends at The Copper Lantern, and Wayne and Frances Hildenburg.

Kenneth and Kathy Andreas and their two children from Sonora were guests of Bruce and Pam Cherry and his father, Tom and Mary K. Andreas.

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Services

In the absence of Pastor David Doerfler, Becky Peterson brought the message Sunday afternoon. She used for her text Matthew, 20: 17-28, "Jesus the Suffering Servant." Norma Barr played the piano for us. We thank Landon Peterson and Lynette Morrow for their fine singing.

Those registering were Norma Barr, Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Eva Freeman, Becky Peterson, Landon Peterson, Lynette Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. T.K. Flowers a. 1 Joe Baker.

Sympathy

Our sympathy to Letha Doerfler and her family. Her father died last week.

Visitors

Linda Garza and Andy visited Robbie Espinosa.

Elton and Jerri Moore visited their grandmother.

Thanks to Henry Keene and Bill Hathaway for the nice magazines.

Vestine Hill visited Willie Leibold.

Tony Mazurek and Dorothy Cox visited their mother, Mary Mazurek.

AARP

Thanks to the Lakehills AARP group for the wonderful party last week and to Louise Leibold and Lucille Moore for the delicious refreshments.

Shopping

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bowman of Lakehills came by Thursday morning and took his sister Lorena Bowman to Kerrville where they enjoyed shopping and dinner in River Hills Mall.

Dottie and Alfred Leslie came by for a nice visit with Lillian Bush.

Bible reading

Martin Smith from the Church of Christ had Bible reading for nine residents Wednesday morning. Wednesday evening he took Jack Holloway to church services.

Guests

Gertrude Werner's guests last week were Allyn Woolvern of Shertz, Ann Neal and the Rev. and Mrs. Herman Murph of Pipe Creek.

We're happy to report Bobbie Espinosa feeling well enough to go home. We will miss her.

On Thursday, Myrtle Heinen's granddaughter, Barbara Phillips of South Carolina came to visit Myrtle. They enjoyed dining out in Kerrville. They also went shopping.

Maude Stokes' guests last week were her daughter Ople Boyle, granddaughter Sandra Vannatter, great-grandsons, Nathan and Jordan Vannatter of Medina, her cousins Vay and Wilda Moore of Hawley, Woodrow Bagley and Jack Grogon of Anson.

Lewis

We're sorry to report Henry Lewis died last Monday night. Our sympathy to all his loved ones.

More visitors

Claire Thaman and Dolores Brister of Kerrville visited Claire's mother Agnes Fortinberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick visited Myrtle Heinen and Willie Leibold Friday.

Ernest Rainey enjoyed a visit from his wife and son David.

Myrtle Heinen's granddaughters Nancy Crist, Debra Moody and Reba Williams of San Antonio visited her Sunday morning. They enjoyed dinner in town.

Thanks to Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick Jack Holloway and Alice Mellis enjoyed services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T.K. Flowers visited Pat Freeman. Also visiting was his wife Eva.

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Bible Study: Sunday 9:25 a.m.

Medina
First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2850 or 589-7395

Church of Christ
Minister: Melvin Plocke
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4264

The Apostolic Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 10 a.m.
535-4225

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
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Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley
Baptist Mission
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Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
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562-3468

Utopia
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966-3629

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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
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Vanderpool
Community Church
Pastor: George Polvado
Worship: Sunday, 8 p.m.
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
966-3420

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Pastor: Jose Luis Sandoval
Worship: Sunday, 12 noon

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Unity Church of the Hill Country
Minister: Rev. Joan McKees
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Senior Citizens

By Mary Worley

Cowboy salute

See you Sunday, 2:30 p.m. at the Bandera Electric Co-op auditorium.

This is the last chance to remind you that Melodiers will be singing both the old original ballads sung around campfires and while riding the range in early cowboy days, as well as those popularized by such groups as "Lighterost Doughboys."

Come along Boys, and Listen To My Tale, I'll Tell You of My Travels on the Old Chisholm Trail.

Last rehearsal for this will be held Friday, April 6, at the Co-op at 5 p.m.

Cheese day

Announcement has been made that another surplus government cheese distribution is set for Tuesday, April 10, at the First Baptist Church 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. To be eligible it is required that certification be renewed at the Community Services, 1109 Pecan St., (Dept. of Human Resources). This renewal must be approved each three-month period, officials say.

Plant sale

Everyone may participate and benefit from the Spring Plant Sale to be at Senior Center Thursday, April 12. It's a chance to replace some you may have lost this past, frigid winter, or to find new ones.

There will be a large cactus grouping for any interested in the really hardy plant family. The sale will begin early, by 8 a.m., and continue to about 6 p.m., provided stocks last that long.

As one who profited by the sale last fall, I am most pleased by plants procured at that time and I eagerly watch now for the first blooms to appear.

While at center, come on in and either do a critique as the art class works or go further and do a few stitches on that lovely quilt in progress.

Tour

Spaces on the tour Saturday, April 14, are filling fast. It is now planned to make it sort of a San Antonio Missions trip, since chances of seeing quantities of bluebonnets at that time seem more probable in this area. In case there are no bluebonnets, there is much to see in San Antonio and it will be a memorable tour. Call the center for information and to make a reservation.



Amanda Taylor of Pearsall (right) donated this painting to the fund raising efforts of the Bandera Senior Center's Building Committee. Her aunt, Amelia Dickens, is a member of the Center.

Travelers

Mrs. Octavio Herrera returned Saturday after having spent a few weeks visiting with her son **James** and family in the Valley.

Mary Worley and **Bill Hathaway** were weekend visitors in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, making brief visits with families and friends in Mercedes, Harlingen, San Benito, Los Fresnos, and Rio Hondo. On Sunday before starting home, they attended services at the First United Methodist Church in McAllen, where **Rev. Bill Hathaway** *Jr.*, is pastor.

The Valley suffered hugh losses in the freeze, but as always is recovering and most areas are green again. Missing was the scent of orange blossoms one usually finds at this time of year. Many orchards are being bulldozed. In some, however, where the trees had been pruned back earlier, one now sees considerable green growth in the lower branches.

It will take many years for recovery. The tallest and oldest palms which had lined many roadways and fields since early in the century may never be replaced.

* Some specie are putting out new growth, but not the old tall sentinels. Wildflowers which usually make roadsides a real showcase at this time of year, are also missing. It's the effect of cold and drought evidently.

Connie Taylor recognized

We all know Connie Taylor, since she is so often a volunteer driver for the center, especially when the vans are used for tours. All will be happy to learn that she has been selected as one of five San Antonio drivers to be awarded the "1984 Jefferson Award" sponsored by KSAT-TV Channel 12. This award is designed to recognize individuals who give unselfishly of themselves for the betterment of others, and is both local and national in scope. Connie will be among those honored at a dinner on Thursday, April 5, hosted by KSAT-TV.

Illnesses

Larry Hein remains in Methodist Hospital, San Antonio, Room 633, but he is hopeful he can return home before long.

Ruth Hayes was again taken to San Antonio this week for treatment, but was able to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lundblad recently made a trip to California to attend a funeral for the sister of Mrs. Lundblad.

Cheese and butter

Government surplus cheese and butter will be distributed to needy households in Bandera County April 10 at First Baptist Church of Bandera starting at 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. or until supplies run out.

The Community Services Division of the Community Council of South Central Texas is in charge of the distribution.

Haig to lecture

Former secretary of state, Gen. Alexander Meig Haig, will be the final speaker in the Trinity University 1983-84 Distinguished Lecture Series in Laurie Auditorium, at 8 p.m., Friday, April 13.

Haig's speech, which is free and open to the community, will culminate the lecture series on "Global Views," made possible by an endowment gift from Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Brown of San Antonio.

Lakeshore

Mrs. Dell Lackey — 796-8948

VFD

The Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department will hold a general meeting for all members April 14 at 10:30 a.m. Barbecue sandwiches will be served after the meeting. The meeting is important as we are making plans for our June 9 barbecue and we urge all members to attend. A reminder: Have you paid your 1984 membership dues? Our fire department helped fight the fires at Tarpley.

Home again

Dell Lackey has returned home and will resume writing The Lakeshore News for our community. I will appreciate the cooperation of all the local residents helping me in reporting the news.

Trips

Ross and Lois Bailey went to Hawaii for two weeks, enjoyed their first honeymoon in 30 years. They came back home and made a trip to Brady Lake to do some fishing but won't tell how many they caught.

Marie and Harold Bentley went to Ganado to see her brother, Floyd and Margaret Drewry.

Walter Burrell went to Willow City to bring Ronnie Miller home to the Andreas family, did some fishing with the children and spent the weekend in the home of Bethel and Dell Lackey.

Floyd Portman flew to Nebraska to attend his aunt's funeral.

Jay and Marietta Overholser visited her sister, Vera and Carlos Barrera in Lytle Sunday.

John Portman attended a wedding reception for Jo Jo Mayorga's son, Johnny and wife Cindy in San Antonio Saturday evening. They, Jo Jo's son, Max, Windy and son Travis from Houston and Mondo and Tina Mayorga from San Antonio returned to Lakeshore Sunday.

Illness

Monk Searcy is in Humana Hospital in San Antonio. He will have heart surgery Thursday.

Lakeshore friends are glad to have Bethel Lackey home from the hospital.

Party

Cliff and Mary Maston celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary. A family party was held in their home Saturday evening. Cake, ice cream and refreshments were served. Those who attended were their daughters, Jeanie and Karen and their families, Daniel Queen, grandson, and wife Gay, who also celebrated his 20th birthday with his grandparents. Music was provided by Cliff and Daniel.

Weekenders

Mr. and Mrs. James Tampke, Corpus Christi, are vacationing at their summer place this weekend.

Floy and Bill Rush, Hondo, are spending some time in their mobile home.

Glad to see Bob and Dorothy Rucker are back home after their many travels.

Roy and Wanda Lich, Kerrville, were here for the weekend. Wanda went to San Antonio to pick up her son Keith from Houston and Bill Hansen was their guest.

Visitors

Frances Ann, niece and children visited her grandmother, Ida Klaus, and Aunt Dolley Sarran.

Dan Gazaway and son Ronnie were here from Kerrville to visit with friends at The Copper Lantern, and Wayne and Frances Hildenburg.

Kenneth and Kathy Andreas and their two children from Sonora were guests of Bruce and Pam Cherry and his father, Tom and Mary K. Andreas.

Purple Hills

Mada Wedgworth

Services

In the absence of Pastor David Doerfler, Becky Peterson brought the message Sunday afternoon. She used for her text Matthew, 20: 17-28, "Jesus the Suffering Servant." Norma Barr played the piano for us. We thank Landon Peterson and Lynette Morrow for their fine singing.

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Sympathy

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Vestine Hill visited Willie Leibold.

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AARP

Thanks to the Lakehills AARP group for the wonderful party last week and to Louise Leibold and Lucille Moore for the delicious refreshments.

Shopping

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bowman of Lakehills came by Thursday morning and took his sister Lorena Bowman to Kerrville where they enjoyed shopping and dinner in River Hills Mall.

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Lewis

We're sorry to report Henry Lewis died last Monday night. Our sympathy to all his loved ones.

More visitors

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Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m and 7 p.m.
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Minister: Melvin Plocke
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
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United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646
Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057
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535-4225
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United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
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Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.
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Baptist Mission
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Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.
Prayer: Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
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Church of Christ
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
966-3629
Baptist Church
Pastor: Homer Stephens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688
Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343
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Community Church
Pastor: George Polvado
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April 1 was a cloudy, windy day and Sunday night brought "light drizzles" but no "April showers" so far. It is surprising to me how the grass is green, trees are budding, and the wild flowers are blooming. But spring did begin March 20.

Congratulations

Saturday was a special day for Linda Karr when she won first place in informative speaking at the district level at Cole High School in San Antonio.

Arts and crafts guild meeting

The Utopia Arts and Crafts' Guild will meet Tuesday, April 10, at 1:30 p.m. in the Community Building.

Inez Donoho, Utopia resident, will present a program on "Hanging Basket Construction," stilizing natural materials.

All of the women of the Utopia area are cordially invited to attend.

Study club to meet

The Rio Hondo Extension Study Group will meet at the home of Dorothy Cutler Thursday, April 12, at 11 a.m.

Alice Gorman of Uvalde will present a demonstration on personal color analysis entitled "Beauty for All Seasons." There will also be a plant and seed exchange.

The meeting will conclude with a light lunch. All the women of Rio Hondo area are invited to attend.

Fern Springs outing

The Ira Garrison Ranch was the scene Saturday for a lovely day in the mountains when Bob and Joyce G. Storrs entertained the choir of the First Baptist Church of Bandera with a pot luck luncheon.

Activities in the afternoon included riding up in the canyons of Fern Springs Ranch, hiking and lots of singing and fellowship.

Those present were Jewel Cartrett, Odie Grissom, Ruth Mansfield, Amy Stevens, Gloria Carlson, the Carter Beaches, the Pete Pigotts, the Joe Dunns, the John Whites, the Charles Newkirks, and the Bruce Montagues and children Cyrus, Regina and Paul. Hosts Bob and Joyce Storrs report a lovely special day.

Visitors

Edith Jeffers became very ill Wednesday morning, but she had improved very much by press time.

Her daughter, Nell Woods of Lampasas, came Thursday and left Friday. Another daughter and her family came Friday. They were Faye and Clyde Estes of Sterling City and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garret and infant daughter Laurie, 6mo. all of Midland.

Faye remained to visit her mother and sister Ethel M. Maxey. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn E. Jeffers and son Michael and friend, Tracey Schulte, all of Castroville.

Mrs. Jeffers was happy for phone calls Sunday from her two sisters, Leora and Glays of San Antonio.

She was also grateful for all her friend's prayers and concern. We send our special wishes for her full recovery.

On the sick list

"Get well" wishes are sent to Earl Hood of Rio Hondo Subdivision who has been ill this week.

Snow

The Elzie Deans were happy for a call from their son, Capt. Charles H. Dean, Saturday. He reported 20 inches of snow at Groton, Mass., since Thursday. He said it really didn't feel cold, but due to ice and snow he said 100,000 residents of Boston hadn't had any electricity for two days.

His big news was that their son has eight teeth. Jacob will be seven months of age on April 10.

Timing in textiles affects your buys

If you've wondered why the stores are filled with bathing suits in February and winter coats in July, it's because of the textile manufacturing chain.

"The textile timing schedule which puts spring and summer clothes on the market in January, or fall and winter clothes on the market in July, leaves some consumers satisfied and others exasperated," says Dr. Ann Vanderpoorten, a clothing specialist with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service.

According to a fiber industry study, the cycle from fiber producer to consumer takes about a year and a half, she says.

For example, fiber producers and mills begin in March of 1984 to project color and fabric trends for the fall and winter of 1985. The fabrics they produce will be shown and delivered to the various cutting trades from August of 1984 through February of 1985. Garments will then be manufactured for delivery to the stores in May and June for display in July and August of 1985. In the meantime, a similar cycle will begin for spring and summer clothes, she explains.

Timing in textile production evolved mostly as a function of the cotton crop and wool shearing season as well as the weather in the northeastern United States, which has been the traditional center of the garment trade, notes Vanderpoorten.

While September is considered cool in the northeastern states, however, it's still in the 90's and 100's in the south states and many consumers are not psychologically ready to buy warm clothing. Consumers who live in warmer climates, are also leaning toward somewhat more seasonless clothes, says the specialist.

In addition, the economic climate means they may not be willing to part with their dollars two to three months before they need the apparel.

In spite of this, fashion merchandisers are often anxious to give their customers something new before their competitors do. So consumers who are not satisfied with the timing of clothing seasons in the stores need to let their feelings be known to retailers, suggests Vanderpoorten.

Knowing something about the textiles industry timing can help you get more for your clothing dollar, says the specialist. Over a six month fashion season, consumers seem to fall into four different categories.

•The "innovators or pioneers" want to be first and don't worry about price. They usually buy during the first five weeks of the season.

•The "early majority" buy trend merchandise when they need it, in proper season and at the regular prices. They usually buy during the second and third months.

•The "late majority" wait to buy until they see others with the merchandise. They are price-conscious and like to keep their dollar for as long as possible. They will typically buy during the fourth and fifth month.

•The "laggards" are discount-oriented and do not buy unless there is a break in price. They tend to purchase during the last month of the season.

Probably all of us fit in several of these categories, depending upon the type of clothing we're buying, says Vanderpoorten. One consumer, for example, might be in the early majority when buying clothes for work, yet purchase casual clothes only at the end of the season.

Sales are often used at the end of the early majority buying period to draw the majority into the market, notes the specialist. Retailers will also drop prices substantially during the last weeks of the season to attract discount-oriented buyers and clean out their inventories.

By following textile timing and clothing sales, consumers can save significiently on their clothing costs, says Vanderpoorten.

Bandera briefs

Council rejects apartment plans

The Bandera City Council Monday rejected a request from developer Dave Braden of Kerrville for a change of zoning to allow him to build a 20-unit (at least) apartment unit on 11th Street adjacent to Bandera Junior High School.

With one member disqualifing himself because of a personal interest in the matter and another abstaining because she wanted more information, the council voted 3-0 to reject the request.

Ross Bailey, who owns property within 200 feet of the property in question, did not participate in the discussion or the voting and actually absented himself from the council room during the hearing.

Dianne Tobin abstained, explaining afterward that she had hoped to see at least an informal site plan upon which to base her decision and she was honoring a request from school officials to delay consideration of the matter until the school could study it in detail.

The remaining council members, however, voted to reject the zone change based on opposition from Lois Bailey, Ross's wife, and Frank Mansfield, both of whom own property within 200 feet of the site in question.

Oyster bake

The annual Fiesta Oyster Bake and Auction at St. Mary's University will provide food, fun and entertainment for all tastes. The auction will take place from 2 to 5 p.m., Saturday, April 21.

Helping hand

Helping Hand held its monthly meeting last week with representatives of the community. Its next meeting will be April 26 at 7 p.m. in the basement of First Baptist Church. Everyone is welcomed to attend.

Plans have been made to have a rummage sale to raise funds for the center. The date has been set for May 5 from 8-5, at the American Legion Hall. That day the center will have an open house so the community can come and get acquainted with their operations. If you have any items that would be good for the rummage sale, they can be dropped by the center Monday-Friday from 9-12.

To remind others who aren't acquainted with our work; We are an emergency crisis center, set up to help persons in time of need with food, clother and any referral services they may need, said a spokesman. They are located at 1306 Cypress, and their phone number is 796-8300.

Road meeting slated

There will be an "urgent meeting" regarding the Bear Creek Road paving fund at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Castle Lake Firehouse, according to Opal Word.

"The committee has a commitment of $35,000 that must be matched within 45 days," Mrs. Word said this week. "If you have any interest in the paving of Bear Creek Road, please be there Sunday."

City Council
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introduce the candidates.

Mayor Smith, who has served as mayor for 14 years, didn't participate in the debate, but at one point he interrupted a discussion of whether candidates favored annexing Indian Waters Subdivision by pointing out that general law cities such as Bandera could not annex property unless owners petition the city.

He also praised the turnout at Tuesday's event, sponsored by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce. "I've seen elections here where fewer people than this turned out to vote," he said.

Cowan said one of his major goals as mayor would be to bring to fruition an effort revived recently to have a master plan prepared for the future development of the city. He also said he would encourage a new cooperation among the city council, the chamber of commerce, the commissioners court, the school board and other groups.

All the candidates endorsed developing a master plan, but Adamietz qualified his support. "A master plan is a good idea to a certain extent," he said, "but not to spend $100,000 for an outside company to prepare a plan, 95 to 100 percent of which the people won't accept, unless attitudes change."

Two candidates in special circumstances were quizzed on them.

MacMillan was asked which of the two offices he is seeking he preferred or which he would accept if elected to both, and Darden was asked if she could decide impartially on issues before the council which may involve her husband, Sam Darden who is engaged in two lawsuits with the city.

Mentioned only briefly were charges the city is gaining a reputation for running a speed trap.

MacMillan said he didn't expect to be elected to both offices. If he were, however, he said he would probably accept the one in which he got the largest majority from the voters.

Darden said she would disqualify herself from voting or participating in discussions of issues in which her husband is involved. That is required by law, she acknowledged, but beyond that my honesty and my integrity would cause me to do it."

Adamietz, son of Henry Adamietz, one of the original Bandera City Council members, promised in his opening statement he would "try to vote the way I feel the community should go.

"I don't mind spending money," he said, "if it's for a good and necessary cause," but he said he would eye expenditures closely, as did all the other candidates.

Mentioned only briefly were charges that the city is gaining a reputation for running a "speed trap" and that reputation is hurting business here.

MacMillan addressed the issue in his opening statement, but the only question on the subject from the audience was not fully discussed.

MacMillan said he rode in a patrol car with a city policeman one night this week, and he praised the officer and the police force in general. "A large albatrose has been hung around the neck of our police force," he said.

"I don't believe in speed traps or police harassment," he said. He indicated he would try to stop such action if he were councilman, but he is unconvinced that such conditions exist in Bandera now. "Many citizens are embarrassed when they are stopped, and they cry harrassment."

MacMillan also said in his opening statement he expected the council would have to continue to wrestle with problems of growth, and that their attention must extend to such areas as the fire department, roads "that don't belong to us," tourist and business development and housing, and activities for teen-agers.

Darden said she has been a booster of the city for 30 years, and she promised she would "examine the facts of every issue and vote for what I believe to be in the interest of the people who live in Bandera."

Tobin said she wants to keep Bandera a place with "special appeal for people who want to let their imagination run wild" by being surrounded by a Cowboy Capital atmosphere, though she deplored lawlessness as did all the candidates.

She said she wants the city to take the lead in preserving and enhancing the beauty of the town, "including the Medina River area."

"Everyone has their own opinion on what should be done for Bandera, and that makes it more difficult to get things done there," Tobin said. "But that's part of the uniqueness of Bandera."

Election
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divisions who get their water from the Bandera County Fresh Water Supply District. They'll vote for water district directors at the district office and for school board members and on the road bonds at the Lakehills Civic Center.

Bandera voters will vote on school board members at the Bandera Junior High School, on city officials at the city municipal building, and on the road bonds at Bandera High School.

Polls at all locations will be open from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m.

The locations of all the polling places are listed elsewhere in this issue.

Bandera County will have ballot boxes at 10 locations for voters to decide the fate of $300,000 in road bonds. The bonds were proposed to finance purchase of right-of-way for eight miles of road the state has offered to make part of its system.

The road would run from Farm Road 1283 at Bandera Falls to State Highway 173 one mile south of Bandera.

Voters in the Bandera Independent School District will select two trustees from among four candidates. They are incumbents Thomas (Bub) Keese and Katie Reude and challengers Johnnie Newcomer, Gary MacMillan and Dr. Jimmie Hughie.

In the city of Bandera, the top two vote-getters in a field of four will be elected to the council and architect Robert Cowan is running unopposed for mayor.

Council candidates are incumbent Dianne Lindig Tobin and challengers Raymond Adamietz, Dorothy Darden and MacMillan, who is seeking two elected positions.

In Medina, where they run for places on the school board, Louis E. Vannatter is challenging incumbent board president James E. Brown for Place 1, Maynard Phillips is taking on board secretary John J. Deery for Place 2, and Randy MacNaughton is unopposed for another term in Place 3.

In Utopia, Gentry Rigby of Vanderpool is seeking a seat on the school board along with Billy Thornton, who only recently moved out of Bandera County.

Others seeking two seats on the Utopia School Board are incumbents Monte Blalock and John Hillis and Jonathon Goff, none of whom are from Bandera County.

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At the Meet The Candidates night last week it became painfully clear that a change is necessary, starting with the Board of Trustees. Both incumbents seem to feel that the status quo is fine—it was fine for them years ago and is fine for them now.
The problem is, Mr. Keese, that education in Bandera (and most other places, for that matter) is NOT what it was when you graduated from BHS. The facts indicate the opposite and these current facts are what we need to address today; not what it used to be.
This is the very substance of the problem we are addressing—educational excellence has declined steadily for the last 20 years to a point at which a high school graduate is often functionally illiterate and therefore practically unable to enter the job market at any level, and can expect no advancement if he is able to obtain a job. These are the facts — reported in many studies — federal commissions, state agencies and private foundations. These are available to any interested person.
And Mrs. Reude, do you really feel that one year of teaching in Bandera and one day per year to visit the school you purport to lead and support as a Trustee is any more than token support? In fact, such a statement made so proudly and arrogantly and with a perfectly straight face to a public audience would appear to be an insult to that audience. Do you really think one day per year gives you any insight into the real problems confronting this school today? I think not.
When asked about the lack of maintenance in the elementary and junior high school buildings, Mr. Keese saw fit to extol the virtues of the high school which was not the subject of the question.
Mr. Keese, in defending the expenditure on the athletic program said that the "School down the road" was spending $50,000 on football as opposed to our $6,000 — but, you see, we are not interested in how big a football team that "School down the road" has or how many consecutive losses they have had. It would be interesting to see what actually constitutes our budget for athletics. Supplies and equipment are clearly listed in the budget, but teachers' salaries are lumped together. Nowhere is it stated how much actual budget goes to the athletic program for equipment, travel, officials and salaries as compared with the department of English or math or science. True, most coaches do teach some academic courses. But should they? The end result in the classroom is seldom gratifying to the serious student.
We all seem to agree that new high school facilities are needed. Where is the main problem. I feel that the recent bond issue failed primarily because of the location selected and what were considered by many to be "back room" tactics. I still feel that consideration of the land purchase issue in executive session violates the privilege of executive session. Considering that the area of greatest expansion and population growth in our county is the Pipe Creek-Lakehills-Medina Lake communities. It would seem appropriate to locate a school in that vicinity. If scientific projection can be made for the number of kindergartners for next year, certainly such determination can be made for the future in these population centers. A school located there would cut down on transportation costs for the school and decrease the time that these students now spend on the bus.
The only other logical location is somewhere within Bandera. Why add all the Bandera City students to the bus load by locating their school out of town? And, I still maintain that one other alternative is to relocate the junior high school to the high school site since there is already considerable sharing of faculty and bond and athletic facilities.
If elected, I pledge my full time support and attention to the issues at hand. After having seen first hand, the change in incoming college freshmen over the last years, I can appreciate how great our problem is. A vote for the incumbents will buy you only what you have already been getting for the last six years—mediocrity. To be sure, there is a group and dedicated minority of highly motivated students and excellent teachers in our schools, but I believe that all these other students deserve a better chance at excellence. I believe I can help give them that chance, and I would appreciate your vote on April 7.
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By Tom Denyer
Special Correspondent

Trail riding is only one of several "themes" being considered for the new state park, or natural area, 10 miles southwest of Bandera, state park officials said this week.

It could instead be designated the site for part of the state's herd of longhorn cattle, an exotic animal park, a "living history" facility preserving ranch life of an earlier day, or it could simply be leased for grazing purposes.

A trail ride and barbecue last Sunday demonstrated the growing local interest in the park, now called the Hill Country State Natural Area.

Gabe Anderwald led 38 riders, some from as far away as Corpus Christi, on a four-hour tre k across the park's rugged terrain. Busbee's Barbecue served 119 dinners, and the Lightning R Wranglers provided musical entertainment.

The occasion was coordinated by Sue Martin, Carol Rambo and Bunny Temberg, and it marked the official opening of the park for limited use.

The park's 4,753 acres began moving, in seemths, into state hands in January, 1976. Louise Merrick, owner of what was then the Merrick Ranch, deeded the land to the state with the provision that the Parks and Wildlife Department convert it to a state natural area.

The park straddles the line between Bandera and Medina Counties, and the park's unpaved, county-maintained road continues where Ranch Road 1077, the Dixie Dude Road, ends.

Raymond Ludwig, a 17-year employee of the Parks and Wildlife Department, manages the park, and lives with his wife, Nora, in the former ranch foreman's house.

Ludwig said that riders, backpackers and dayhikers can use the park now, but only with reservations (796-4413) and careful observance of park rules regarding care of the trail and sanitation.

He stressed the special need, at this early stage of the park's development, for community cooperation.

"A lot will depend on how the community helps us take care of it, and sets the tone for future development."

The only public facilities available now are parking space, drinking water, and a trail to a primitive camping area. Nevertheless, Ludwig reports a growing volume of inquiries, by phone and in person, regarding the park's status.

Some local publicity has indicated that the Area will become an "equestrian park" emphasizing horseback riding. At this point, however, the future development of the park remains very much an open issue.

Ed Werland, project planner with the Parks and Wildlife Department in Austin, said this week they will begin working in earnest in late June or early July to develop a master plan. Even that schedule remains tentative, however.

The state park's planning and development process begins with acquisition of the site. In this case, acquisition was completed last year. Then the state gained ownership of the final one-seventh of the Merrick Ranch.

The transfer of ownership was planned to take seven years for tax reasons.



Riders strike out for a mounted tour of the Hill Country State Natural Area.

The next step, the one tentatively scheduled to be taken this summer, involves a complete and detailed inventory of the park site's assets. For example, land (including gradients and soil composition), water (including springs, creeks, and flood plains), vegetation, wildlife, structures, archeology, and history. Some of this data is already available, but most remains to be gathered, officials said.

Werland's group will interpret the information in light of a variety of practical and thematic ideas for possible public uses of the park. Practically, this means considering whether to install such familiar facilities as screen shelters, camping and picnic sites, group pavilions, and playgrounds.

Some of the themes which could apply to the park include the following:

•An equestrian park, as at Palo Duro Canyon, Lake Mineral Wells, Copper Breaks, Lake Sommerville, and Lake Arrowhead.

Surprisingly, such parks are not popular among many riders, who prefer unstructured trails to carefully regulated ones. The equestrian park also raises the touchy issue of government competition with private enterprise. In this case, it's with the area's guest ranches.

•A park which emphasizes public observation of the exotic game animals, as well as the still thriving native species, which seem to do well in the Hill Country.

•A park which carries part of the state's longhorn herd, currently on range at Fort Griffin and Possum Kingdom. (There is also a single bull in residence at the Lyndon Baines Johnson State Park near Stonewall.

•A "living history" park which would perhaps display the daily working lives of a ranch family in earlier times. The LBJ Park includes such an operation. There, Parks Department staff actually live much as German farmsteaders did around 1918.

•A park, as at LBJ and Fort Davis, in which grazing lands are leased to area ranchers, in exchange for fees, fence maintenance, and brush control.

These are only some of the possibilities, all of which will also be subject, of course, to state budget limitations.

In fact, the park could even go through a name change, including dropping the "Natural Area" designation, as the planning and development process progresses. According to Werland, master plan development normally takes about six months. Actual development would follow, assuming that funds were t. on available.

It seems likely, then, that the park will continue at its present level of operation for some time.

The Department encourages suggestions from local residents. Anyone with an idea or comment can write Dale Robinson, Chief of Planning and Development, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department; 4200 Smith School Road; Austin 78744.

If invited by an agency such as the Chamber of Commerce or County Commissioners' Court, the Department will also hold public hearings here, Werland said.

The park site centers on one of the county's best-known ranches. The precise definition of the "original" ranch will probably remain ambiguous because various sections were bought, sold, traded and leased throughout its history. Furthermore, as with most Hill Country ranches, fence boundaries and legally-surveyed and recorded boundries do not necessarily coincide.

Locally available records show, however, that the State of Texas conveyed the core of the ranch's land to William H. Davenport on Sept. 6, 1877. Members of the Davenport family worked the place until Feb. 26, 1925, when William J. (Shorty Bill) Davenport conveyed it to S.E. Garrard.

Over the next 20 years, the ranch passed through several hands, including S.D. Mulcahy Jr., G.W. Sanderfur, J.L. Hensley (who extensively renovated the original Davenport house), and, in 1945, S.E. Lindsey.

Lindsey, in turn, conveyed the place to his daughter, Louise Lindsey Merrick, on April 1, 1946. She began turning the land over to the state on Dec. 22, 1976.

Thus, after 107 years, the people of Texas again own the property.

The ranch has been known throughout the county, at least in this century, for the quantity and quality of its agricultural products. Some local ranchers, in fact, regard it as having been the best-improved, working ranch in the county, especially as it operated under its last two foremen, Gabe Anderwald and Walter Langehenning.

At least as far back as the turn of the century, the ranch had developed a reputation for the abundance of its oats, hogs, horses and mules, as well as deer and wild turkeys. The Davenport threshing machine, driven by 14 horses, was a familiar sight along West Verde Creek during harvest time.

In some years, over 300 acres were under cultivation. Several sources, including Roland Britsch, a lifelong resident of the area, confirm that the sprawling, one-story ranch house has flowed out from a core log cabin.

Given the ranch's reputation, it is not surprising that many ranchers express disappointment at its removal from production, and its probable contribution to a growing coyote problem.

Damage from brush fires could exceed $1 million

By Rick Young
Staff Writer

Teamwork between firefighters, law enforcement officials and volunteers was the key to controlling raging brush fires that destroyed an estimated 1,500 to 2,000 acres near Medina last week and caused damage estimated at more than $1 million.

The Bandera County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service said damage to cedar and pasture could range from $300 to $900 per acre, or a total of $450,000 to $600,000.

No estimate of the value of livestock lost has been made nor is the value of structures burned added up yet. The ASCS is still working on estimates of erosion damage, which will depend on the amount of rain that falls before the burned acreage is revegitated.

Damage to wildlife is also unknown.

Medina firemen were called around noon, March 27, to fight an out-of-control brush fire near the 71 Ranch approximately two miles west of the Medina Children's Home. Within minutes, Bandera VFD was called to assist as winds from 40 to 60 miles per hour pushed the fire through the area. Very low humidity (10 percent) and high temperatures, (95 degrees) aggravated things according to ASCS officials.

Bandera VFD sent a brush truck and three firefighters. By 2:30 p.m. a second call went out, and Bandera sent a second brush truck and another three firemen.

Additional calls for help that afternoon brought crews and equipment from Kerrville South, Pipe Creek, Lakeshore, Lakehills, Medina Lake and Fredericksburg.

The terrain, steep slopes and low-lying valleys with heavy cedar growth and very few roads, made controlling the blaze nearly impossible in the early hours.

Firemen at the scene were quick to cite the Bandera County Sheriff's officers and DPS trooper Dan Butts for their efforts. Civil Defense Coordinator Tommy Adams handled communications between the different fire departments, which operate on differing radio frequencies. Constables from Bandera and Medina directed the unusually heavy traffic along State Highway 16 and the two roads that gave access to the fires.

As the day wore on and it became apparent that firefighters were in for a long night. Sheriff Pickett ordered the jail staff to begin making sandwiches, and almost immediately, the owners of The Old Timer in Medina began sending lunchmeat, bread and drinks to the fire.

In Bandera, volunteers went to Super S, Foods, Boyle's Food Store and Jr. Food Mart to collect food and drinks to be transported to Medina, and the Lone Star Distributing Company of Kerrville sent ice and eight cases of soft drinks to the scene.

Volunteers from all over the area converged on the area slightly north of the Children's Home and began an orderly distribution of food as firemen were able to come down from the fire for fuel and replenishment of water supplies.

Relief firefighters, most of whom work regular jobs in San Antonio and elsewhere, began arriving at dark to relieve crews as trucks came down for supplies. In many cases, firemen who had been on the scene since noon remained with their trucks, despite additional firefighter s arrivals.

During the night one home, a cabin and a small mobile home were destroyed by the fire that moved at times up to 30 miles per hour, jumping creek beds and roads in its path. Firemen put in as much as 20 hours attempting to contain the blaze.

During the night the Tarpley fire truck, which was assisting on the Medina fire, was called to another fire that had spread from the Kyle Ranch onto the Phil Becker Ranch and the Dossman's place. This fire also remained active much of Wednesday.

Firemen from Medina remained on the fire scene into Thursday watching hot spots and guarding against flare ups.

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Stress and conflict management

Women's Opportunity Workshops of San Antonio College Continuing Education Center will be offering a six-hour seminar on Stress Management on April 10 and 12 from 9 a.m. until noon.

Instructor Judith Kovacs-Long will help participants understand the nature of stress, recognize its signals, and learn effective methods of managing it.

Singles night at the Witte

A slide-lecture exploring Texas wildflowers and their photography, focusing on the high plains, timberlands and the Edwards Plateau will be presented at the Witte Museum by author Alex Thomas on Friday, April 6.

Thomas' lecture, a sneak preview of his soon-to-be-published book on Texas wildflowers, is scheduled from 7 p.m. to 7:45

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Cattle raisers consider political issues

Over 2,500 members of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, meeting last month in San Antonio, looked into political issues facing both Texas and the United States. The meeting was the 107th annual convention for TSCRA members and included a large trade show and Heritage Sale.

Americans should not be naive in their thinking about Central America and the influence it has on the U.S., warned Dr. Henry A. Kissinger at the TSCRA Kickoff Luncheon. To abandon these countries could mean large scale mass immigrations to the U.S., political disruptions and an open door for Communism. The former secretary of state went on to say his commission's recommendation for $12 billion in aid is only slightly more than is already budgeted by the U.S., but should be used to foster private industry cooperation instead of working through government agencies.

Statewide attention was focused on a debate between U.S. Senate candidates Rep. Phil Gramm (R-Texas) and former Democratic representative Bob Krueger. The two squared off on issues as diverse as illegal aliens and taxation. Texas Rep. Kent Hance (D-Texas), also a candidate for the seat of retiring Sen. John Tower, addressed TSCRA members at a later session.

Changes proposed for the Texas education system drew a sellout audience to hear H. Ross Perot, chairman of the Select Committee on Education, talk about his committee's recommendations. Chief among them was a plan to restructure the State Education Commission from an elected body to an appointed group. This would bring "accountability" to these educational leaders. Perot also called for schools to be less concerned with entertainment and more concerned with teaching, citing numerous examples of time spent away from the classroom during regular school hours.

In his final address, retiring TSCRA President Frates Seelgson, San Antonio, Texas, called on cattlemen to become more involved in the political process. He urged them, both as cattlemen and citizens, to make their lawmakers more aware of their views on state, local, national and livestock industry topics.

Clayton Yeutter, president and chief executive officer of the Chicago Merchantile Exchange, was in San Antonio to discuss the upcoming test program for the trading of options in agricultural commodities. Options will probably be offered on fat cattle and fat hogs at the outset, Yeutter told the cattlemen, with the possible addition of trading in feeder cattle options later on. Noting the controversial outlook on futures trading by many cattlemen, Yeutter stressed the value of options — as well as futures — as a marketing tool which every cattleman should make a point to understand and possibly use.

TSCRA Secretary-General Manager Don C. King of Fort Worth told TSCRA members the 107-year-old association has increased its membership to 14,652 representing ownership of 2,174,101 head of cattle. This is the largest cattle ownership total by association members since 1974.

The TSCRA field inspector force, working closely with state and local law enforcement officers, developed 150 theft cases during 1983. Of these, 112 came to trial resulting in dispositions totaling 96 years in prison sentences, 212 years of probated sentences, fines of $16,777 and restitution totaling $301,892.55. During the year field inspectors recovered or accounted for 1,100 strayed or stolen bulls or steers, 1,220 strayed or stolen cows and heifers, 412 strayed or stolen calves, 160 strayed or stolen yearlings, 30 stolen horses, 34 saddles, 13 trailers and miscellaneous ranch property with a total market value of $1,750,121.62. Over 6.6 million head of livestock were inspected at 159 auction markets during 1983.

"The average value of property recovered or accounted for each day by TSCRA field inspectors was $4,819.75," noted King.

The Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Foundation continued to grow and expand its scope of educational activities, continued King in his address to the association membership. A life-sized bronze of a brand inspector was installed in front of the TSCRF headquarters building in Fort Worth in 1983.

In heavily-attended committee meetings during the four-day convention in San Antonio, cattlemen discussed issues in the areas of animal health, animal research, environment, marketing, legislation and taxation, land use and labor.

The membership passed a resolution in favor of a funding priority for grazing land conservation and research in line with Subtitle M-Cooperative-Rangeland Research as introduced into the 1984 Farm Bill by Rep. Kika de la Garza (D-Texas). A funding level of at least $1 million is sought. Also passed was a resolution calling for oversight hearings into the Soil and Water Resources Conservation Act to be held in Texas.

The annual Heritage Sale of bulls, Quarter Horses and Western art grossed $193,850. Houston cattleman Mike Reyes was the high bidder at the sale, offering $40,000 for a Simmental bull bred by Diamond C Ranch, Stephenville, Texas.

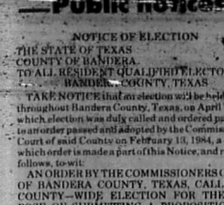
"Buckle-up" month

Governor Mark White has declared April "Buckle-Up" Month and urged all Texans to buckle up themselves and their children in cars. Citing an estimated 3,850 traffic deaths in Texas last year, White noted that traffic collisions are the leading cause of accidental death, especially for young people.

Texas leads the nation in traffic deaths of children between the ages of 0 and 4. At least 162 children in Texas in that age group died while riding as passengers in motor vehicles within the last two years, according to Department of Public Safety accident records.

According to national estimates of use, only about 15 percent of drivers wear safety belts. About 27 percent of children are properly protected in vehicles.

Everyone should "take a few extra seconds to protect themselves and their passengers by the use of safety belts and car seats," said White, who is an habitual safety belt user.



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NOTICE OF ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA
TO ALL RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on and throughout Bandera County, Texas, on April 7, 1984, at which election was duly called and ordered pursuant to an order passed and adopted by the Commissioners Court of said County on February 13, 1984, a copy of which order is made a part of this Notice, and reads as follows, to-wit:

AN ORDER BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS, CALLING A COUNTY-WIDE ELECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING A PROPOSITION RELATING TO AUTHORIZATION AND ISSUANCE OF $300,000 COUNTY ROAD BONDS.

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Bandera County, Texas (the "County"), has determined that in order to make needed improvements to county roads it is necessary to call an order an election to be held in the County, to determine whether or not bonds of the County shall be issued for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; and

WHEREAS, this Commissioners Court now desires to order and call an election to be held in and throughout the County, for the purpose of submitting to the resident qualified electors of the County the hereinafter set forth proposition for the grant of the authority therein contained; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS:

I

That an election be held in and throughout Bandera County, Texas on April 7, 1984, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, at which election there shall be submitted to all resident qualified electors of the County, for their action thereupon, the following proposition, to-wit:

PROPOSITION

"Shall the Commissioners Court of Bandera County, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of Bandera County, Texas, under and pursuant to and as now authorized by subsection (c) of Article 3, Section 52 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, and laws applicable and specified in the principal amount of THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($300,000), which said amount of bonds does not exceed one-fourth (¼) of the assessed valuation of the real property in the County, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, within Bandera County, Texas; said bonds to mature at such time or times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners Court of Bandera County, Texas, but not exceeding thirty (30) years from this date; any issue or series of bonds to bear interest per annum (payable annually or semi-annually) at any rate or rates as shall be determined within the discretion of the Commissioners Court of said County, provided that such rate of interest shall not exceed the maximum rate per annum authorized by law at the time of the issuance of any issue or series of said bonds; and shall ad valorem taxes be levied annually on all taxable property in said County, sufficient to tax, sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and to provide a sufficient sinking fund for the redemption of said bonds at maturity?"

II

That the polling places for holding said election shall be located in the election precincts as shown on the County Election Precinct Map on file with the County Commissioners Court of the County at the County Courthouse, Bandera, Texas, said election precincts being the regular county election precincts fixed and determined by order of the Commissioners Court entered in the minutes of said Court, and being the numbered precincts shown on the last voter registration certificates issued generally to voters by the Tax Assessor-Collector of the County, and the polling places designated for the holding of said election in said election precincts shall be as follows:

ELECTION PCT. NO.	POLLING PLACE	LOCATION
1	Bandera High School	Bandera, Texas
2	Pipe Creek Community Center	Pipe Creek, Texas
3	Pipe Creek Fire Station	Pipe Creek, Texas
4	Medina Lake Civic Center	Lakehills, Texas
5	Bandera Electric Cooperative, Inc.	Bandera, Texas
6	Medina Public School	Medina, Texas
7	Bandera County Courthouse	Bandera, Texas
8	Tarpley Community Center	Tarpley, Texas
9	Medina Youth Center	Medina, Texas
10	Taylor Voting House	Vanderpool, Texas

III

That for each of said election precincts, the following persons are appointed Presiding Judge and Alternate Presiding Judge of said election. The Presiding Judge for each precinct shall appoint as many resident qualified electors as necessary to serve as clerks of said election, one of such clerks in each precinct to be a person who is fluent in the Spanish language to render oral aid in the Spanish language to any voter desiring such aid at the poll on the day of said election. In the absence of the Presiding Judge for any precinct, the Alternate Presiding Judge hereinbelow designated shall perform the duties of Presiding Judge of such election for such precinct, in manner, appointed Presiding Judges and Alternate Presiding Judges for each precinct are as follows:

ELECTION PCT. NO.	PRESIDING JUDGE	ALTERNATE PRESIDING JUDGE
1	Marianne Sandidge	Beth Allert
2	June Bennack	Helen Edwards
3	Johnnie Newcomer	Margarite De La Guerra
4	Dorothy McCracken	Norma Gray
5	Telvy Robbins	Luella Vanderveer
6	Maynard Phillips	Dorothy E. Pue
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IV

That the polls of said election on the day of said election shall be open from 7:00 o'clock A.M. to 7:00 o'clock P.M.

V

That absentee voting in said election shall be conducted during the regular office hours of the County Clerk in the County Courthouse, Bandera, Texas, and the County Clerk is hereby charged with the duties of conducting absentee voting in said election, for the same and in the manner required by law. The County Clerk shall appoint a Deputy Absentee Voting Clerk who is fluent in the Spanish language to render oral aid to any voter desiring to vote in such election who request such aid. That Vera King as Presiding Judge and Bonnie Bruce and Aundee Kirkindall as election clerks, are hereby appointed election officers to constitute a special Canvassing Board charged with the duty of casting, counting and canvassing the absentee ballots in said election, and with making due return and statement of canvass of all absentee ballots cast in said election, as provided by law.

VI

That the ballots to be used in said election shall be paper ballots prepared in conformity with the V.A.T.C.S. Election Code, as amended, and in such manner that the electors may cast their ballots either "FOR" or "AGAINST" the following ballot proposition:

The issuance of $300,000 of Bandera County Road Bonds and the levy of the tax in payment thereof, as submitted in the Proposition.

That in holding and conducting said election, all voter forms, instructions and other materials required therefor including the ballots, shall be in both the English and Spanish languages.

That a substantial copy of this election order, designated as a notice, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

That the form of said election shall be given in accordance with the requirements of Article 752f, Revised Civil Statues of Texas; that is, said notice of election shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the County for three (3) successive weeks prior to the date set for said election. In addition to such publication, the County Clerk shall post notice of said election in at least four (4) public places within the County, one of which shall be at the Courthouse door of the County, the posting of such notices to be not less than three (3) weeks prior to the date of said election.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this, the 13th day of February, 1984.

Tommy W. Curbo
County Judge, Bandera County

ATTEST:
Vera King,
County Clerk, Bandera County

YOU WILL, THEREFORE, TAKE NOTICE of all the matters and facts set out in the foregoing Notice of Election.

Vera King, County Clerk
Bandera County, Texas
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A TODOS LOS VOTANTES CAPACITADOS SIENDO RESIDENTES DEL CONDADO DE BANDERA, TEXAS

NOTIFIQUESE que se llevará a cabo una elección en y por todas partes del Condado de Bandera, Texas, el día 7 de abril de 1984, la cual fue siendo debidamente llamada y ordenada de acuerdo con una orden acordada y adoptada por la Corte de Comisionados de dicho Condado el día 13 de febrero de 1984, una copia de la cual se considera parte de este Aviso y los mismos Condados, a saber:

UNA ORDEN QUE LA CORTE DE COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO DE BANDERA, TEXAS, LLAMANDO UNA ELECCION POR TODO EL PARTES DEL CONDADO EL PROPOSITO DE SOMETER UNA PROPOSICION PERTENECIENDO A LA AUTORIZACION Y LA EMISION DE $300,000 DE BONOS PARA LA CARRETERA DEL CONDADO.

I

VISTO QUE, la Corte de Comisionados del Condado de Bandera, Texas (el "Condado"), ha determinado que para hacer los mejoramientos que necesitan las carreteras del Condado, es necesario llamar y ordenar una elección que se llevará a cabo en el Condado, para determinar si se deben emitir bonos del Condado con el propósito de construir, mantener y operar caminos y carreteras principales que estan macadamizadas, arenadas o pavimentadas, o en ayuda de ellas; y

VISTO QUE, la Corte de Comisionados ahora desea ordenar y llamar una elección que se llevará a cabo en y por todas partes del Condado, con el propósito de someter a los votantes capacitados siendo residentes del Condado la proposición manifestada mas adelante para la concesión de la autoridad contenida allí dentro; AHORA, POR LO TANTO,

ORDENESE, JUZGUESE Y DECRETESE POR LA CORTE DE COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO DE BANDERA, TEXAS:

I

Que se lleve a cabo una elección en y por todas partes del Condado de Bandera, Texas, el día 7 de abril de 1984, siendo no menos de treinta (30) días de la fecha de esta orden, y en la elección se les someterá a todos los votantes capacitados siendo residentes del Condado, para su acción y consideracion sobre la siguiente proposición, a saber:

PROPOSICION

¿"Debera de estar autorizada la Corte de Comisionados del Condado de Bandera, Texas, para emitir bonos del Condado de Bandera, Texas, bajo y de acuerdo con y como ahora autorizado por la subseccion (c) del Articulo 3, Seccion 52, de la Constitucion del Estado de Texas, y las leyes aplicables a eso, en la principal de TRESCIENTOS MIL DOLARES ($300,000), dicha cantidad de bonos no excediendo un cuarto (¼) del valor imponible de los bienes inmuebles en el Condado, con el proposito de construir, mantener y operar los caminos o carreteras principales que estan macadamizadas, arenadas o pavimentadas, o en ayuda de ellas, dentro del Condado de Bandera, Texas; dichos bonos se venceran a tal tiempo o tiempos que se pueda determinar mas conveniente por la Corte de Comisionados del Condado de Bandera, Texas, pero no excediendo treinta (30) años desde su fecha; cualquier emision o serie de bonos llevara interes por ano (pagadero anualmente o semi-anualmente) a cualquier tipo o tipos que se determine dentro del miramiento de la Corte de Comisionados de dicho Condado, con tal de que tal tipo de interes no exceda el tipo maximo por ano autorizado por ley al tiempo en que fue emitida cualquier emision o serie de dichos bonos; y deberan de imponerse cada ano impuestos ad valorem sobre todos bienes imponibles en dicho Condado, sujetos a impuesto, suficiente para pagar el interes por anos sobre dichos bonos y para suministrar un fondo de amortizacion para la rendicion de dichos bonos al vencerse?

II

Que los sitios de votacion para administrar dicha eleccion se encontraran en los precintos electorales como mostrados en el Mapa de Precintos Electorales del Condado, el cual esta registrado con la Corte de Comisionados del Condado en la Casa de Corte del Condado, en Bandera, Texas, dichos precintos electorales siendo los precintos regulares del Condado fijados y determinados por orden de la Corte de Comisionados registrada en las actas de dicha Corte, y siendo los precintos enumerados mostrados en los ultimos certificados de votante emitidos en general a los votantes por el Asesor Colector de Impuestos del Condado, y los sitios de votacion serán los siguientes, a saber, dicha eleccion en dichos precintos seran los siguientes:

Num. de Precinto	Sitio de Votacion	Localidad
1	Escuela Secundaria de Bandera	Bandera, Texas
2	Centro de la Comunidad de Pipe Creek	Pipe Creek, Texas
3	Estacion de Fuegos de Pipe Creek	Pipe Creek, Texas
4	El Edificio Municipal Civico de Park Road 37, Medina Lake	Lakehills, Texas
5	Cooperativa Electrico de Bandera	Bandera, Texas
6	Escuela Publica de Medina	Medina, Texas
7	Casa de Corte del Condado de Bandera	Bandera, Texas
8	Centro de la Comunidad de Tarpley	Tarpley, Texas
9	Medina Youth Center	Medina, Texas
10	Casa de Votacion de Taylor III	Vanderpool, Texas

Que para cada de dichos precintos, las siguientes personas son nombrados Juez Presidente y Juez Presidente Alterno de dicha eleccion. El Juez Presidente para cada precinto nombrara a tantos votantes capacitados siendo residentes como sea necesario para servir como escribanos de dicha eleccion, uno de tales escribanos en cada precinto siendo una persona afluente en el idioma espanol para prestar ayuda oral en espanol a cualquier votante de cuando tal ayuda en el sitio de votacion el dia de dicha eleccion. Si el Juez Presidente de cualquier precinto esta ausente, el Juez Presidente Alterno senalado abajo cumplira con las obligaciones del Juez Presidente de tal eleccion para tal precinto. Esas personas nombradas como Juez Presidente o Juez Presidente Alterno para cada precinto seran las siguientes:

Num. de Precinto	Juez Presidente	Juez Presidente Alterno
1	Marianne Sandidge	Beth Allert
2	June Bennack	Helen Edwards
3	Johnnie Newcomer	Margarite De La Guerra
4	Dorothy McCracken	Norma Gray
5	Telvy Robbins	Luella Vanderveer
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7	Martin Smith	Melesse Rugh
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9	Marjorie Jordan	Arilla Adams
10	Charlsie Porter	Cynthia Mauldin

IV

Que los sitios de votacion para dicha eleccion estaran abiertos desde las 7 de la mananana hasta la 7 de la noche el dia de dicha eleccion.

V

Que la votacion en ausencia para dicha eleccion se mantuvo durante las horas regulares de negocio del Secretario del Condado, en la Casa de Corte del Condado de Bandera, Texas; y el Secretario del Condado por lo presente esta encargado de la obligacion de manejar la votacion en ausencia en dicha eleccion en el Condado Bandera, y en la manera requerida por ley. El Secretario del Condado nombrara un Subsecretario para la Votacion en Ausencia quien esta afluente en el idioma espanol para prestar ayuda oral a cualquier votante desendo votar en tal eleccion quien busque ayuda. Que Vera King como Juez Presidente y Bonnie Bruce y Aundee Kirkindall como escribanos electorales, por lo presente son nombrados oficiales electorales para formar una Junta Especial de Escrutinio encargada de la obligacion de hacer un calculo, contar y escudrinar las boletas votadas en ausencia en dicha eleccion, y de hacer el resultado y la debida declaracion del escrutinio de todas las boletas votadas en ausencia en dicha eleccion, como dispone la ley.

VI

Que las boletas que se usaran en dicha eleccion seran boletas de papel que se prepararan de acuerdo con el Codigo de Elecciones V.A.T.C.S., como enmendado, y de manera que las votantes puedan votar "A FAVOR DE" o "EN CONTRA DE" la siguiente proposicion sobre la boleta:

La emision de $300,000 de Bonos Para la Carretera del Condado y la imposicion del impuesto en pago de los mismos, como aparece en la Proposicion.

Que en llevar a cabo y manejar dicha eleccion, todas las formas para votantes, instrucciones y otros materiales requeridos para eso, incluyendo las boletas, estaran impresas en ingles tanto como en espanol.

VII

Que una copia substancial de esta orden de eleccion, designada como un aviso, servira como aviso propio de dicha eleccion.

Que se dara aviso de dicha eleccion de acuerdo con las requisitos del Articulo 752f, Estatutos Civiles Revisados de Texas; es decir, se publicara dicho aviso de eleccion en un periodico de circulacion general en el Condado por tres (3) semanas sucesivas antes de la fecha fijada para dicha eleccion. Ademas de tal publicacion, el Secretario del Condado fijara aviso de dicha eleccion en a lo menos cuatro (4) lugares publicos dentro del Condado, uno de los cuales estara en la puerta de la Casa de Corte del Condado; se fijaran tales avisos no menos de tres (3) semanas antes de la fecha de dicha eleccion.

ACORDADO, ADOPTADO Y APROBADO este dia 13 de febrero de 1984.

Tommy W. Curbo
Juez del Condado
Condado de Bandera

CERTIFICO:
Vera King, Secretario del Condado
Condado de Bandera, Texas

USTED, POR LO TANTO, NOTARA todos los asuntos y hechos manifestados en el precedente Aviso de Eleccion.

Vera King, Secretario del Condado
Condado de Bandera, Texas
37-3tc

NOTICE OF SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS — BY VIRTUE OF AN
COUNTY OF BANDERA — ORDER OF SALE
DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3168 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. William Thomas Vernon, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Undivided four-fifth (4/5) interest in Block No. 48, Subdivision "A" of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 16, Bandera County Plat Records.

Lots 18 and 19, Block 130, Subdivision "A", Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 16, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.

Lots 1 thru 24, Block 48, Subdivision "G", Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 16, Bandera County, Texas.

Lot 58, Bandera Estates, according to the map thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 17, Map Records of Bandera County, Texas.

Lot 1, Block C, Twin Lakes Resort City, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 79, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.

All of the foregoing property being located in the Bandera Independent School District, Bandera County, Texas;

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.

Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

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THE STATE OF TEXAS — BY VIRTUE OF AN
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DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3247 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Henry Birdsong, et ux., et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 10, 11, 40 and 41, Block 142, Subdivision A, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 46 and 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.

Lots 1 through 3, 16 through 18, Block 52, Subdivision G, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 46 and 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.

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Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas:
Lots 10 through 12, and 22 through 24, Block 46, Subdivision K, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.
Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

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DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3280 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Marie Hurd Bednarchak, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2'o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
Lot 15 in Block 46, Subdivision G of the Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;
Lots 44, 45, 46, 47, and 48, in Block 119, Subdivision A of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake in Bandera County, Texas, in accordance with the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;
Lots 33, 34, 35, and 36, in Block 108, out of Subdivision H of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake in Bandera County, Texas, in accordance with the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;
Lot 15 thru 18, Block 58, Subdivision K, of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;
Lots 1 thru 5, Block 7, Lakeshore Subdivision No. 1, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 48 of the map records of said County;
North one-half of Lot 2, Block 120, Subdivision K of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in the deed records of said County;
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.
Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3218 styled Flying L Public Utility District vs. Fred Taylor, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2'o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
Lot 7, Flying "L" Ranch Subdivision, Section #1, Bandera County, Texas, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 111, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of the owners or other persons to redeem said property, in the manner provided by law, within two (2) years after the date on which the purchaser's deed is filed for record, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.
Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
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DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3227 styled Flying L Public Utility District vs. James A. Hankins, a/k/a James Hankins, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2'o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
Lot 6, Flying "L" Ranch Subdivision, Section #6, Bandera County, Texas; according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 2, Page 34, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of the owners or other persons to redeem said property, in the manner provided by law, within two (2) years after the date on which the purchaser's deed is filed for record, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.
Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3334 styled Flying L Public Utility District vs. Philip V. Blakely, et ux., et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2'o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
Lot 41, Section 5, Flying L Ranch, Bandera County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Volume 2, Page 8 of the Plat Records of said County;
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of the owners or other persons to redeem said property, in the manner provided by law, within two (2) years after the date on which the purchaser's deed is filed for record, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.
Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 2961 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Lake Medina Properties, Inc., et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2'o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
Tract 1: Lot 4, Flying L Ranch Subdivision, Section #6, Bandera County, Texas; according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 2, Page 34, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.
Tract 2: Lot 3, Flying L Ranch Subdivision, Section #6, Bandera County, Texas; according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 2, Page 34, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of the owners or other persons to redeem said property, in the manner provided by law, within two (2) years after the date on which the purchaser's deed is filed for record, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.
Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3227 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Olin Wm. Mason, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2'o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
Lot 8, Block 1, Subdivision A of the Avalon Subdivision, Bandera County, Texas, and as shown by the plat filed of record at the Bandera County Clerk's Office;
Lot 5, Block 15, Subdivision A of the Avalon Subdivision, Bandera County, Texas, and as shown by the plat filed of record at the Bandera County Clerk's Office;
Lot 22, Block 27, Subdivision A of the Avalon Subdivision, Bandera County, Texas, and shown by the plat filed of record at the Bandera County Clerk's Office;
Lot 7, 8, Block 39, Subdivision A of the Avalon Subdivision, Bandera County, Texas, as shown by the plat filed of record at the Bandera County Clerk's Office.
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.
Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3104 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. J. Olin Nunn, a/k/a J. Olin Munn, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2'o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
All of Block 4, Subdivision F of the Avalon Subdivision, on Medina Lake, and being more particularly described in Volume 1, Page 16, Plat Records, Bandera County, Texas.
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.
Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3123 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Olin W. Mason, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2'o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
Lots 23 and 24, Block 144, Subdivision A, of the Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake and being more particularly described in Volume 1, Page 14 of the Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3131 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. Robert H. Wooldridge, et ux., Kathlyn Wooldridge, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2 o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
Lots 10, 11, and 12, Block 1, Subdivision H of Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, and being more particularly described in Volume 1, Page 14 of the Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.
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and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3133 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. J. Lawrence Deen, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2'o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
Lot 10, Block 2, Morgan Heights #1, and being more particularly described in Volume 1, Page 50 of the Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas; SAVE AND EXCEPT, however, from said Lot A, triangle out of the NW part of Westerly part of said Lot, 15 feet in depth from the roadway along with the South line of said lot; and along a straight line angle between this 2 foot depth and the 15 foot depth, all as described in Volume 1083, Page 345, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs;

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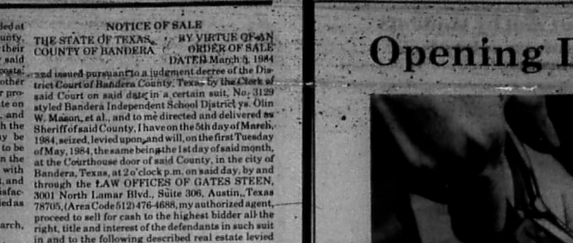
Opening Day



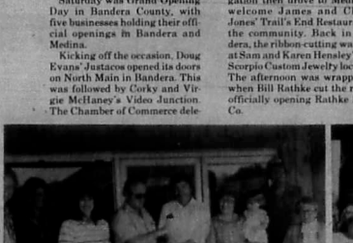
Trail's End Restaurant



Justacos



Video Junction



Scorpio



Rathke Motors

Saturday was Grand Opening Day in Bandera County, with five businesses holding their official openings in Bandera and Medina.
Kicking off the occasion, Doug Evans' Justacos opened its doors on North Main in Bandera. This was followed by Corky and Virgie McHaney's Video Junction. The Chamber of Commerce delegation then drove to Medina to welcome James and Cherry Jones' Trail's End Restaurant to the community. Back in Bandera, the ribbon-cutting was held at Sam and Karen Hensley's new Scorpio Custom Jewelry location. The afternoon was wrapped up when Bill Rathke cut the ribbon officially opening Rathke Motor Co.

Photos by
'Rick Young

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subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
Dated at Bandera, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1984.
Guy V. Pickett, Sheriff of Bandera County, Bandera, Texas 78003
By M. Lemons, Deputy
37-3tc

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS BY VIRTUE OF AN
COUNTY OF BANDERA ORDER OF SALE
DATED March 5, 1984

and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit, No. 3133 styled Bandera Independent School District vs. J. Lawrence Deen, et al., and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 5th day of March, 1984, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday of May, 1984, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the city of Bandera, Texas, at 2'o'clock p.m. on said day, by and through the LAW OFFICES OF GATES STEEN, 3001 North Lamar Blvd., Suite 306, Austin, Texas 78705, (Area Code 512) 476-4688, my authorized agent, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Bandera and the State of Texas, to-wit:
The Southeast 30 feet out of Lot 28, Range 8, Town of Bandera, and being more particularly described in Volume 1083, Page 345, Deed Records of Bandera County, Texas.
Part of Lot 15, Range 8, Town of Bandera, and being more particularly described in Volume 177, Page 145, Deed Records of Bandera County, Texas.
Lots 1, 2, 3, 11, and 14, Block 1, Subdivision A, Lake Medina Highlands, according to the Plat thereof in Volume 1, Page 3, Map & Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.
Lots 16 through 30, Block 86, Subdivision G, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 14, Map & Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.
Lots 13, 15, and 16, Block 101, Subdivision B, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof in Volume 1, Page 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.
Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, Block 51, Subdivision C, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake according to the Plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 14, Map & Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
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Lot 7, Flying "L" Ranch Subdivision, Section #1, Bandera County, Texas, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 111, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas;
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of the owners or other persons to redeem said property, in the manner provided by law, within two (2) years after the date on which the purchaser's deed is filed for record, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
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Lot 13, Block 124, Subdivision B, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 49, Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.

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DATED March 5, 1984

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Lots 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, and 22, Block 51, Subdivision C, Avalon Ranch on Medina Lake according to the Plat thereof recorded in Volume 1, Page 14, Map & Plat Records of Bandera County, Texas.
or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered and entitled cause, together with interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.
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Notice

The First National Bank of Bandera will sell at Public Sale to the highest bidder, or bidders, for cash, at said Bank in Bandera, Texas, between 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 11:00 o'clock A.M. on the 18th day of April, 1984, the following described personal property:
1976 Ford 1/2 ton Pickup 4X4, s/n: F14YRC04495.
The above may be viewed prior to the sale date and sealed bids may be submitted to be opened on the date. The Bank reserves the right to refuse any or all bids. The Bank may also accept additional bids by Public Outcry at the above time and date.
For further information, contact The First National Bank of Bandera, Bandera, Texas, 796-3711.
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Notice of meeting

The Board of Trustees of the Bandera Independent School District will meet in regular session on Monday, April 9, 1984, at 7 p.m. at Bandera High School.
39-1tnc

Cards of thanks

Thank You

Thanks to all our wonderful friends and relatives for the love and concern shown to us at the death of our father,
Henry Lewis.
Majorie Clark
Cecil & Hildegarde Lewis
Buddy & Vivian Lewis
and Grandchildren

Thank You

We would like to thank the Pipe Creek firemen for responding so fast in putting out the grass fire on our property.
Mr. & Mrs. Bob Turner
39-1tc

PEN in PAW

For, about and by students in Bandera schools.
Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Speckman

BHS literary teams places third in district



Standing: Billy Morris, Sandy Riedner, Ted Celis, Donald DeThorne. Sitting: Toni Byam, Christine Caloss, Linda Karr, Melissa Ross. Not pictured: Matt Kelly.

By Wendy Valdez

The BHS Literary team placed third in District when they traveled to Cole March 31. The Journalism competition was held here March 27, and the Ready Writing competition was held at Cole March 26.

Nine BHS students will be advancing to regional competition in Kingsville by placing in the top three in their event. Those advancing are: Prose-Sandy Riedner-1st, Matt Kelly-3rd; Informative Speaking-Linda Karr-1st; Persuasive Speaking-Donald DeThorne-2nd; Calculator-Billy Morris-2nd, Ted Celis-3rd; Feature Writing-Christine Caloss-2nd; Headline Writing-Tony Byam-2nd; Editorial Writing-Melissa Ross-3rd.

Other members of the team placing but not advancing are Prose-Wendy Valdez-5th; Poetry-Janet Weber-4th, Cindy Park-5th; Informative-Stephanie Beach-6th; Spelling-Karen Rizner-4th, Deann Adamietz-6th; Ready Writing-Lisa Vakey-5th; Typing-Dyke Ferrell-4th; Calculator-Wendy Frazier-4th; Biology-Wendy Frazier-3rd (advancing in Science was a combination of Biology, Physics and Chemistry) Physics-Mary Bolan-5th; News Writing-Toni Byam-6th; Editorial writing-Michele Speckman-6th.

Speech coach Baird Neville commented on the competition, "Our speech team did exceedingly well at District. We place eight of our nine entries in the finals and four qualified for the Regional meet. I can't remember a better year. Certainly we had talented students this year, but more importantly, we had students who were willing to work. Our District competition is so intense that it takes great commitment to become a winner. Ms. Wiles and I are really pleased that our students are responding to the program so well. There is no question that UIL competition is one of the best preparations for college and success in life."

—Senior spotlight—

Ralph Kluna

Ralph Kluna, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Kluna, is another outstanding member of the Class of '84. Ralph's most treasured memories lie in the Bandera athletic program.

His membership in the program impressed him the most while attending Bandera High School. As a one year letterman in football, Ralph played middle linebacker and place kicker. He also played tennis during his sophomore year. His quote (which he bases his future on) comes from a man that has impressed Ralph greatly, head coach Danny Neuse. "The quote 'Tough times don't last, tough people do!' has compelled Ralph throughout his high school athletic careers.

Ralph has also been a member of FFA all four years during high school. He has competed in the annual stock show. He has attended Bandera schools for five and a half years. Although he has enjoyed his years at BHS, he wishes that he had worked harder in both athletics and general schoolwork.

Ralph's future plans include attending Stephen F. Austin. He hopes to study in the business field. Ralph is a accomplished member of his class, his versatile personality and nice disposition have gained him many friends here at BHS.

—Tony Byam

—Spring time

By Christine Caloss

"I've got a date to the prom with the guy of my dreams. He's everything I've ever wanted. I'm so full of energy and I feel like I'm in heaven. It must have something to do with the spring time weather," said Junior Tammy Rigsby.

Spring is a season of many amazing occurrences. The grass changes from a burnt brown to a bright green, birds tweet harmonizing tunes, and flowers bloom. Senior Derrick Berg said, "I look forward to spring because the dreary days of winter are finally over, the flowers begin to bloom and everyone seems to be in a better mood."

Student's wardrobes are also more exhilarating in the spring. It's a time to pack up the hot sweaters and take out bathing suits, tank tops and shorts. Shopping in the spring is always fun. Senior Nancy Herriott said, "My favorite time to shop is in the spring because I love the cool clothes and the bright colors." David Schwarz went on to say, "I like the sidewalk sales, the blue light specials, and there's also more to buy at TG&Y."

Spring is also a time when love blossoms. "Love is like a spring flower it grows more as each day passes. There is nothing better than being with the girl you love in the spring," said romantist Dyke Ferrell. Laura Herrera describes love in the spring as being "Great!"

Spring is a wonderful time of the year. Bruce Robison said, "I love to bask in the sun, read a good novel and do macrame in the spring."

Every one should take advantage of this wonderful spring time weather. Couples can go on picnics and enjoy the beautiful weather. Guys don't forget that the prom will soon be here. Don't wait until the last minute to find a date. With this wonderful weather no girls in their right mind will turn you down.

Menu

April 9-13

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Char-Burger with bun, lettuce, tomato, pickles. French fries, fruit and milk.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Taco Grande, taco salad, glazed carrots, cookie and milk.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Scrambled egg with toast, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Corn dog, buttered corn, fried okra, fruit and milk.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Biscuits with honey, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Fried chicken, baked beans, tossed salad, fruit and milk.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. **Lunch:** Pizza, French fries, buttered corn, fruit and milk.

One-act-play competes at Area

"Chamber Music" faced its final curtain close at Area Competition, March 29, held at Schulenburg High School. Bandera did not place in the top three, thus not qualifying for Regional competition.

Out of 60 actors, 18 individual awards were given. Sandy Riedner received one of these awards. Riedner was awarded Honorable Mention for her role as Mrs. Mozart. Everyone in "Chamber Music" gave a worthy performance as Director Baird Neville stated. "The cast and crew of Chamber Music gave a flawless performance, and individual performances were as good as I've ever seen them in any contest."

Mr. Neville also said, "We played to a full house in Schulenburg and the audience was absolutely enthralled with our play."

Boerne, performing "Everyman," won the competition and are on their way to Kingsville for Regional competition. Needville also was named champion and Kennedy was awarded alternate. "I'm really proud of our students and the growth that they made this year in the 12 performances of the three productions we did," stated Mr. Neville, who also said, "The cast certainly proves that in UIL One-Act-Play competition there are no losers."

—Sandy Riedner

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Junior High School UIL winners.

Junior High speech wins district title

By Wendy Valdez

Bandera Junior High's Literary Team is now District Champions after successfully competing at the district meet at Cole.

Under the coaching of Mrs. Kaye Walters, Ms. Yvonne Fenner and Mr. Tom Doebbler, the team earned 95 points to beat second-place Boerne by five.

BJH students placed in all but one event.

Those placing at the meet were:

Speaking events: Prose — Helen Neville first, Michelle Morrison second, Shannon Walbrun fifth. Poetry — Jim Mormando first, Wendy Lindley second. Informative Speaking: Channan Cardella third. Impromptu Speaking: Ann Muller third.

Writing Events: Ready Writing — Helen Neville third, Molly Hughey fifth. Spelling: Channan Cardella first, Yvette Pearson fifth.

Math and Science: Calculator — Eve Elkins fifth. Number Sense — Terry Skinner second, Karen Edwards fifth. Earth Science: Darthula Mauldin third, Erika Kluna fourth, Selena Cook fifth.

Many of these students will be moving up to compete in the high school level next year and will contribute to the continued success of the BHS literary team.

What's up

April 5 — Varsity baseball in D'Hanis at 4 p.m.

April 6 — Girls district track at Randolph

April 7 — Ingram baseball tournament

April 9 — Varsity baseball at Fredericksburg at 4:15 p.m.

April 10 — JV baseball at Utopia, 4:30 p.m.

April 12 — Varsity baseball at Southside at 4:15 p.m.

April 20-23 — Easter holiday

April 24 — Varsity baseball vs. Cole here at 4:15 p.m.

April 25 — Report cards handed out

April 26 — Varsity baseball vs. N. B. Canyon, here at 4:15 p.m.

April 26-27 — Little Olympics

April 26-28 — Texas Ass. of Student Councils state convention at Dallas-Ft. Worth

ALS meeting

There will be an ALS meeting tonight at 6:30 p.m. in the First National Bank Board Room. The guest speaker will be Robert M. Caswell, Attorney at Law. Many important things will be taking place at this meeting so all are urged to attend. —Michele Speckman

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—Political announcement—

Post hole philosophy

What's a post hole? If you ask that question to a number of people, you'll likely to get back a variety of answers. It may be a shrugged "I dunno" from the city dweller, "Damn hard work" is the reply of a bristle-faced, leather-handed local. Sometimes it's punctuated with a hard look and a tobacco brown period between your feet.

Actually both answers are acceptable, but each falls far short of the potential that is a post hole.

The statement by our grizzly faced friend is essentially correct, for a post hole (the finished product that is) is just that...hard work! Our local definer has had uncountable hours of experience with post holes and looks upon them without relish. They are the means to amend.

Since I've had a fairly long and close association with both grizzled old timers and those infamous rookies in the ground, I've developed a bit more of a feeling for the lowly post hole and a great respect for anyone who can successfully dig one.

Now I'm not talking about your run-of-the-mill, go out in your Bermuda shorts, suntan lotion, sandy loam city dweller, back yard 14" deep post hole to support a trellis for the wife. No sir!

What we're discussing here is the one every fifteen feet, 30-inch deep, three miles over the mountain limestone and red clay caliche, gut bustin' rock bar type post holes. The kind that brings torrents of sweat even when the mercury's bouncin' on the bottom end of the weather.

That type of a diggin' is a chronicle and can be (if not a joy) at least an exercise in history, values, craftsmanship and pride along with a few sensual experiences to boot. Now don't call the padded wagon yet - hear me out and you just might agree -- post holes can be a philosophy.

Post holes line themselves before you like the milestones of life, each one an individual task containing its own set of problems and yet possessing difficulties similar to those before it and also those to follow.

Techniques used once can be applied again and new ones learned in the process and each task is completed, one after another.

A quick hard thrust here, a subtle twist of the bar there and *voila!* The job is finished. That is, if one approaches the work with an open mind. Post holes fight back when challenged belligerently and can whip a person down quickly, if he takes their cussedness personally.

Think, if you will while the steel bar scars a circle in the ground, of the feet that tread the ground you now disturb — long before your time. In recent times that non-yielding earth might have glistened with the shine of spring green oats, planted along with the sweat and hopes of a young immigrant from Germany.

The layer of mixed gravel encountered a bit deeper may give up another sort of rock, one shaped by the patient skills of a milennium ago — sharp edged and direct, like the thrust of the spear it pointed...like the metal shaft in your hand.

Deeper still, the digging tool rings on solidity, as a seam of limestone appears. If you scoop out the loose shards and dust, there just might be the moulded form of some creature that swam the ancient shallow seas; looking back at you and the sunlight not seen for several million years.

And what lies beyond? Ah, but the hole is deep enough — the prescribed 30 inches — and so you seek nothing further down.

But what if...?

Now your attention turns to the shape of the excavation. Is it round and large enough in diameter to facilitate the installation of the required post? Are the sides vertical with no slope so the post will be the same?

With a few correcting chips of the bar, you stand back and look. As "your new limber, muscles warm to the tasks ahead, you catch a whiff of the ages. The pungent scent of newly-disturbed soil. Or perhaps the almost oily, gun-powderish smell of freshly-chipped rock still hot from the sparks thrown off the steel.

Behind you a straight, evenly-spaced row and in front of you less of a task than before. In your footprints, a job well done. In your future, more challenges. Reality. Not some far out, plastic adventure, solved in thirty minutes in an electronic box...

Hey! They're only post holes. Maybe everybody should dig one.

A change

The wedding shower honoring Colleen Rush and Glenn Davis will be held Sunday, April 8, 2 p.m. at the Methodist Youth Center instead of the Baptist Recreation Hall as announced last week.

Shower scheduled

An invitation has been extended to the Medina community to attend a bridal shower honoring Sherry Kinsey and Robert Selement.

The miscellaneous shower will be held at 7:30, Tuesday, April 17 in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church in Medina.

Menu

April 9-13

Monday: Corndogs, French fries, black eye peas, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Chicken pattie, mashed potatoes, lima beans, fruit, rolls and milk.

Wednesday: Burrito with chili, beans, slaw, fruit, cornbread and milk.

Thursday: Pizza, corn, green beans, fruit and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Medina Public School calendar

April 4 District girls golf.

April 5 District track meet at Medina, exercise class, 7-9 p.m.

April 6 PHA and FFA meetings, 3rd period.

April 7 School board election, Jr. High Release at Utopia.

April 9 4-H meeting, 7 p.m., exercise class, 7-9 p.m., gym, senior class meeting, 5th period.

April 10 6 weeks test, first, third, fifth, seventh period classes; MAHI meeting, Tiny High School Library, 7 p.m.

April 11 6 weeks test, second, fourth, sixth period classes; sixth grade class field trip to Bandera.

April 12 6 weeks test, (make-up or re-scheduled tests), exercise class, 7-9 p.m.

April 13 Medina Jr. High Track Meet, Regional UIL Literary Meet, Blinn College, leave at 11:15 a.m., end of fifth six weeks, and quadrimester, 5:30 p.m., adults $2.50, students, $1.50, sponsored by Sophomore class.

April 14 Jr. High Band Solo and Ensemble Contest at Smithson Valley.

April 16 Exercise class, 7-9 p.m., gym, Beta Club, meet third period.

April 17-18 Girls Regional Golf meet, Blinn Jr. College.

April 18 Students dismissed at 2:30 p.m., 6th/7 development, student council, meet third period.

April 18-19 Girls regional track, tennis and field meet at Blinn Jr. College in Brenham, exercise class, 7-9 p.m.

April 20 Holiday.

April 23 Holiday, exercise class, 7-9 p.m.

April 24-27 Science Fair, exhibits on stage.

April 24 PTO, 7 p.m.

April 25-26 Grades 1-6 track meet, 12:30-3:30 p.m.

April 25 Class meetings, third period.

April 26 FFA Banquet, 7:30 p.m., cafeteria, exercise class, 7-9 p.m.

April 30 Exercise class, 7-9 p.m.

Easter tour of homes

The Gillespie County Historical Society and Commission will present its annual Easter Tour of Homes, Saturday, April 21 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. in Fredericksburg.

Tickets and tour information will be available on the day of the tour from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Vereins Kirche on the Pioneer Park at the Market Square and at the Fassel House on the Pioneer Museum grounds. Tickets will be $6 for adults and $4 for young persons under 12.

Medina School

Mr. John J. Derry is running for re-election to the Medina Independent School District Board of Trustees.

John has had years of experience off the board and has seen the building of the new school facilities, which has been an example for many other schools to build toward. During twelve of these years, he has had a child in school, which is why he has had a great concern for the welfare of all the students and teachers. John now has a son in kindergarten, and because of this fact, he will continue to be concerned for the school system and its workings.

John has worked on his ranch in Medina for 30 years and has been a great part of this community. He has worked in the U.S. Post Office in Medina for 26 years, the last seven as postmaster. These two assets give him the experience with the ranchers of the hill country and the businessmen. Also, due to his working in the Post Office he has had to deal with the public and can communicate well with them.

John has been a deacon in the First Baptist Church of Medina for three years and had a part in the building of the new educational annex there.

John received his Bachelor of Science degree at Texas A&M University.

When compared to his opponent's experience and qualifications, you will surely continue to support and vote for John J. Derry, on April 7, 1984 at Medina High School.

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Lisa A. Chamblee of Medina was a first-place winner of the Texas Essay Contest sponsored by the Caddell-Smith Chapter of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas, winning $25 in cash for herself and a Texas flag for her school. She is the daughter of Dr. Bill and Sharon Chamblee of Medina.

Realtors awarded GRI designation

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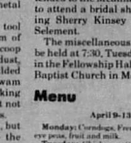

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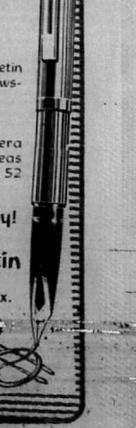

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Turkey hunting season prospects here called 'good'

"Hunters in Bandera County should come away with a good number of birds," says biologist Mac Traweek of the Parks and Wildlife Department on the eve of the county's first spring gobbler season April 14-29.

Prospects are good in all or portions of 146 Texas counties in which hunting turkeys is legal during April, the wildlife agency said.

"The birds in Bandera County are spread out a lot better in the spring, so hunters will discover they are easier to find," Traweek said. He said the bulk of the breeding, which started about three weeks ago, will be completed by April 14, but the gobblers will still be "responding pretty good to calls."

He said the turkey hatch in Bandera County last summer was "above average," but the state wildlife agency's biologists don't expect a real good hatch this summer "unless we get some moisture soon."

Traweek said the prospects for the coming season are good throughout the Hill Country, except the extreme western sections, though he acknowledged there are few turkeys in the lake area of Bandera County because of the development there.

Don Wilson, wild turkey program leader for the Parks and Wildlife Department, said turkey production statewide in spring 1983 was about average or slightly below, but overall populations may be higher than normal because of good numbers of mature birds held over from previous nesting seasons.

Wilson said turkey populations were not adversely affected by the December and January cold spell which hurt quail populations in some regions of the state.

There actually are two spring turkey seasons in the state, with April 14-29 being the standard season for most counties where Rio Grande turkeys range.

However, in portions of Houston, Jasper, Newton, Polk, Trinity and Tyler Counties in East Texas, where restocking efforts have reestablished the eastern strain of turkey, the season will be March 31-April 15.

The wildlife department has published a 1983-84 guide and supplement to hunting regulations which lists which counties offer a spring season, and boundaries within counties where only portions of the county are open for spring turkey hunting. The guides are available at department offices and hunting license outlets.

Wilson said season dates are set after the turkey breeding activity has peaked. "Most gobblers are actually surplus birds, since the old gobblers are polygamous and are the dominant breeders," said Wilson. "We have found that hunting gobblers in the spring within regulations has no biological effect on overall populations."

Wilson said the annual harvest each spring is 15,000 to 20,000 gobblers, a figure which is growing due to increased hunter interest and because of seasons being authorized in additional counties during the past several years.

Wilson advises prospective turkey hunters to consider learning to operate a turkey call. "Using a call is not really difficult to learn, and it can dramatically increase the hunter's chance of success," Wilson said. "In addition to being effective, it is one of the most exciting hunting techniques I know of."

Inexperienced hunters should seek the counsel of those who have used a call in the past. Camouflage is another important aspect for the spring hunter, as an approaching tom can quickly spot a hunter who doesn't blend with his surroundings, wildlife officials say.

—Sports briefs—

Bulldogs defeated by Canyon

David Schwarz scored two runs for Bandera March 30, when the Bulldog baseball team took on the Canyon Cougars in New Braunfels. Bandera lost 3-2.

Schwarz scored one of the two runs off of a Gary Watkins' hit, and the other he scored by stealing base on a sacrifice fly by Steve Parker.

In the sixth inning Canyon hit a two run homer bringing the game to an end.

March 5 the Bulldog baseball team will go against D'Hanis there at 4 p.m. Your support is greatly appreciated.

—Betty Richmond

BHS girls place sixth in Ro-Hawk Relays

Last weekend the Bandera girls track team participated in the Ro-Hawk Relays at Randolph. The girls placed sixth out of 11 schools with a total of 50 points.

Those placing were Kellie Clements -2nd in shot put, Beckie Clements-3rd in triple jump and also tied for 4th and 5th place in long jump. The relays placed 3rd and 4th in the 400 meter and 800 meter respectively. Those members are Beckie Clements, Kellie Clements, Lorri Robbins, Missy Mangold, Debbie Schmaltfe, and Kim Cherry. In the 110 meter hurdles Lorri Robbins placed second, Tiffin Youngblood placed 4th and coming in 6th was Terri Butler.

Their next track meet will again be in Randolph April 6.

—Nancy Herriott

Girls all-district basketball

Three BHS girls were named to the 1983-84 All-District Basketball Team. They are Tina Doebbler and Christine Caloss-1st Team and Christine Fleming-2nd Team.

Tina and Christine displayed outstanding senior leadership, good offensive play and loss of hustle. "Both girls were just great all season," commented Coach King. "With Tina as a forward and Christine a post player, it was like nothing could stop them."

Tina was said to be the outstanding defensive player, best outside shooter, and 2nd leading rebounder on the team. Tina has lettered in basketball 3 years. Christine was the team's leading rebounder. She averaged over 10 rebounds a game. She is also a 3 year letterman.

It was quite an honor for Christine Fleming to be named to the 2nd Team as a junior. "She had a hot hand with an average of 16 points a game," said Coach King. Christine played the post position on the team and is a 2 year letterman.

—Randy McHaney

Boys track places

Delbert Ducheneaux placed first in the 100 meter hurdles at the Randolph track meet March 31. The boys team placed sixth overall at the meet.

Ducheneaux also placed second in the 300 meter hurdles. Warren Clingon placed sixth in the shot put. Gene Matthews placed fourth in the 100 meter dash, and Steve Nolan placed sixth in the 200 meter dash. The sprint relay team consisting of Delbert Ducheneaux, Steve Nolan, Gene Matthews, and James Compton placed fifth. The mile relay consisting of Gene Matthews, Louis Rodriguez, John Miller, and Chuck Perry also placed fifth.

The boys' next track meet will be in Randolph April 18. This is going to be their district meet so come on out and support the Bulldog tracksters.

—Michele Speckman

Mohair contest set May 11

The annual Hamanaka Mohair Trophy Competition will be held May 11 at the Inter-Continental St. Anthony Hotel in San Antonio. The host warehouse for the 1984 competition is Rocksprings Wool and Mohair, Inc.

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Information concerning entrance in either the adult or kid category can be obtained by contacting the Mohair Council office (915/655-3161). Entries must be delivered to Rocksprings Wool and Mohair by April 1.

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You can expect these churches to have wholesome respect for the Holy Word of God, the sole and complete authority in religion today. "If any man speak, let him speak as the oracles of God" (I Peter 4:11). "Let us walk by the same rule" (Philippians 3:16). Since churches of Christ accept the Word of God as an all sufficient rule of faith and practice, you can expect them to reject all human creeds (Galatians 1:8-9; Revelation 22:18-19).

Since Jesus declared, "Upon this rock I will build my church" (Matthew 16:18), churches of Christ are identified as belonging to Him (Romans 16:16). In these churches you will hear everyone entreated to obey the Lord's commands, namely: BELIEVE in Christ (John 8:24), REPENT (Luke 13:3,5), CONFESS Christ (Matthew 10:32-33), and be BAPTIZED into Christ for the remission of sins (Acts 2:38). After becoming a Christian, a member of the Lord's church, having been added to His church (Acts 2:47), these disciples are then accouraged to continue faithfully in worshipping and serving the Lord as the New Testament directs.

You may expect to hear gospel preachers pleading for all who would follow Christ to return to the original pattern of Christianity as revealed in the New Testament. It is their conviction that since the Word of God is the seed of the Kingdom (Luke 8:11), if it alone is planted in the hearts of men, it will produce the same fruit today as it did in the first century!

Churches of Christ [illegible] to use [illegible] 470 congregations everywhere this basic approach to serving God. It is the conviction of these Christians that He is the only real answer to Christian UNITY and FELLOWSHIP in Christ (Ephesians 4:3; 1 Corinthians 1:10).

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Voters re-elect incumbents

Bandera County voters Saturday generally gave votes of confidence to incumbent city and school officials but rejected $300,000 in road bonds proposed by county commissioners.

Voters re-elected two incumbents on the Bandera school board, three on the Medina school board, three on the Pebble Beach Water District board of directors, and the only incumbent running for the Bandera City Council.

Only in the Utopia school district was an incumbent defeated. Voters in that district, only a portion of which is in Bandera County, elected Billy Thornton over incumbent Monte Blalock and re-elected John Hillis.

The only Bandera County resident in that Utopia race, Gentry Rigby, tied with Blalock for third place. Thornton is a former Bandera County resident.

The turnout throughout Bandera County was heavy, despite threatening weather that may have kept some away from the polls.

A total of 949 persons voted in the Bandera school board election, and that was thought to be a record. School superintendent Ron Caloss said it was by far the largest turnout in the eight years he has been here.

Only 247 persons voted in the Bandera school board election last year when Patty Adamson and Rob Sandidge were elected, and the top vote-getter in the 1982 election, Richard Evans, received 320 votes.

The top vote-getter Saturday was Mrs. Ruede who polled 530 votes, and Keese finished second with 454 votes. Dr. Jimmie L. Hughey got 314 votes, Johnnie L. Newcomer 361, and Gary MacMillan 152.

A total of 185 persons voted in the Bandera city elections, re-electing Tobin to her first full term and electing a son of a former councilman to the council.

Raymond J. Adamietz led all vote-getters in the city election, polling 110 votes, and Mrs. Tobin received 84 votes. Councilman Robert W. Cowan was elected mayor without opposition, being named on 117 ballots.

Cowan's election creates a vacancy on the council that he said the council will fill May 14.

The council refused to name the third-high vote-getter in the 1983 election to replace Pat Price last year, selecting instead Mrs. Tobin. If they look to the third-place finisher in Saturday's election as a possibility for appointment to Cowan's old seat, there may be some debate.

Joe Hearn, a former councilman and a write-in Saturday, received 43 votes for councilman. MacMillan received 40, Russell Zickler received 38, and Dorothy Darden 37. Darden, however, also received seven write-in votes for mayor, so her total, if both totals were counted, would be 44.

The 185 voters who cast ballots in the city election surpassed the total of 168 that voted last year and fewer than 125 that voted in

(See ELECTION, Page 6.)



Raymond Adamietz



Dianne Tobin



Katie Ruede



Bub Keese

How you voted

Road bonds

Voting precinct	For	Against
Absentee	14	16
1. Bandera	100	76
2. Pipe Creek	35	66
3. Pipe Creek	38	60
4. Lakehills	143	111
5. Co-op	48	60
6. Medina	57	52
7. Courthouse	81	130
8. Tarpley	21	11
9. Medina	43	75
10. Vanderpool	23	54
Total	603	711

Bandera city election

Mayor

Robert W. Cowan	117
Wilvie Smith*	12
Dorothy Darden*	7
4 other write-ins	7
*Write-ins	

City Council

Raymond J. Adamietz	110
Dianne L. Tobin	84
Joe Hearn*	43
Gary MacMillan	40
Russell Zickler*	38
Dorothy M. Darden	37
Two other write-ins	2
*Write-ins	

Bandera School District

	Bandera	PC	LH	Total
Katie Ruede	272	114	114	530
Thomas Keese	278	77	99	454
J. Hughey	181	66	67	314
J. Newcomer	178	83	100	361
Gary MacMillan	58	29	65	152

Medina School District

Place 1

James E. Brown	153
Louis E. Vannatter	112

Place 2

John J. Derry	173
Maynard Phillips	96

Place 3

Randy MacNaughton	217

Utopia School District

Billy Thornton	165
John Hillis	116
Gentry Rigby	80
Monte Blalock	80
Jonathan Goff	16

Fresh Water Supply District

[illegible]	39
Bob Solomon	37
Jud Ashmore	33
Four write-ins	7

Autopsy ordered on body found near Lake Medina

An autopsy has been ordered to determine what killed a 20-year-old San Antonio man found dead [illegible] Wednesday afternoon on the slopes of Lake Medina.

Marshall Finney of 306 F m. San Antonio, was declared dead at the scene by Bexar Justice Ed Jennings of Pipe Creek. At press time Thursday morning, the Bandera County Sheriff's Department was awaiting results of an autopsy from the Bexar County medical examiner, said Chief Deputy Sheriff Jim Bones.

The dead man had been alone for a companion at a summer afternoon outing when he left the scene to summon the fire department to extinguish a small grassfire, Lemons said.

Another source said the man's body was nude except for socks and shoes. His body was found "very near the water's edge" in Pebble Beach subdivision, Lemons said.

River, museum projects eyed as sesquicentennial events

By Nick Johnson
Editor

A project to beautify and develop the Medina River and the expansion of the Frontier Times Museum were mentioned Tuesday as possible projects of the Bandera County Sesquicentennial (150th birthday) celebration culminating in 1986.

These two projects were among many possibilities submitted by the steering committee coordinating Bandera County's participation in the state's year-long birthday party, but the chairman of that committee says [illegible] projects would be the centerpiece of the observance.

A variety of ideas were presented to a group of about 30, most of whom are members of the Bandera County Sesquicentennial Committee. Some ideas even got to involve the majority of the community and to encourage participation by churches, civic groups, clubs, youth groups and the school, businesses and interested individuals.

Though it is too early to officially designate sesquicentennial projects, the list submitted Tuesday were only suggestions, a starting point, from which the committee hopes to continue to get input from others in the county before a master plan is drawn up later this year, explained county chairman Carmen Hicks.

Other projects mentioned Tuesday included the possible publication of a new history of Bandera County, the collection of oral histories, special observances by churches, continued emphasis on westernizing downtown Bandera, the construction of sidewalks in downtown Bandera, heavy participation by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce, building mini-parks, a swimming pool, a historical pageant staged by drama students or even a community acting group, equine activities, and participation in the "twin town" program with a South Australian town.

Meeting with members of the local committee were Jeanine Hicks, program officer for the Texas Sesquicentennial Commission who is also the daughter of Carmen and D.W. (Speedy) Hicks, and Linda Kline, coordinator of the Jubilee 150 celebration of the province of South Australia.

Hicks explained the many

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Bandera County Potpourri

By Nick Johnson

"Fools rush in where angels fear to tread," a poet said, and newspaper columnists are certainly no angels.

That may be part of the explanation for the proclivity of writers to analyze election returns as avidly as football fans enjoy quarterbacking the team on Monday morning.

Of course, there's a different opinion about the meaning of Saturday's voting at the end of each coffee cup at the OST.

That's the good thing about discovering the deeper meaning from the way voters cast their ballots. No one knows for sure what is in a voter's mind at the instant he marks his ballot, so one man's opinion is as good as the next.

The extremely heavy turnout of voters throughout the county and especially in the Bandera school board race is the healthiest sign I read from the results.

Of course, part of the interest can be laid to the fact that the school and city of Bandera in particular have been engaged in running controversy for the past year.

But controversy is not unusual here or in any town where dialogue about public business takes place.

Nor can the big turnout be attributed simply to deeper newspaper coverage of election issues.

Instead, it indicates deeper involvement in the issues of the day by the people in the county.

The primary election next month is the dullest in recent memory, with little to pique the voters' interest. But unless I have miss-read the signs, look for an above average turnout (even for Bandera County), especially in the Republican primary.

One other thing I get from Saturday's election is a clear mandate for the Bandera school board to submit another building idea to the voters for their approval.

Sure, its $2.9 million plan for an elementary school east of Bandera was soundly defeated in December.

The voters don't want to spend the money, some said.

But a survey revealed that even those who voted against the bonds favored a new school—just not *that* school.

The overwhelming election of both incumbents in Saturday's election confirms the suspicion.

The fact that all candidates, incumbents and challengers alike, favored building some kind of new school was as revealing as Saturday's results.

I have watched politics for more years than I would care to admit to. In that time I have noticed that whenever there is strong sentiment for a particular point of view, a candidate steps forward (or is pushed forward) to carry the banner.

No such candidate emerged this year.



Letters

Poor service rewarded

Dear editor:

Ma Bell keeps asking for and receiving increases in phone rates. If they were improving their services may be we could understand their requests. But it is just the opposite, their services deteriorate with each increase they receive.

Last week I received a call from Brenda Mosely of Waco, area code 817. She said my phone bill was in with her bill! Knowing how the phone company was, she thought they wouldn't believe me when I said I did not receive a bill. I called Southwestern Bell's business office to report this and was told the amount I owed and to send it in. I requested a statement because I like to know what I am paying for. Sure enough I received one, but no envelope to mail it back.

We all make mistakes, but for this they want a raise?

Geneva Dowell
Bandera

Rob Mosbacher

Dear editor:

Catherine Mosbacher told me she had an informative and enjoyable visit with you while she was in Bandera. We appreciate your time and interest in Rob Moabacher's bid for the U.S. Senate.

As I am sure Catherine shared with you, we feel confident that Rob Moabacher's base of support grows each day. Catherine will continue her statewide tour on Rob's behalf while Rob is crisscrossing the state with his campaign. And, occasionally they even get together for a campaign appearance.

We look forward to seeing you again. Please give me a call if I can assist you in any way.

John Cozart
Houston

'No-growth' instructions from Speaker Gib Lewis puts officials between a rock and a hard place

When the news broke last week that Texas House Speaker Gib Lewis had written state agencies to prepare for "no-growth," the ripples spread fast and wide around the Capitol complex.

It quickly increased the stakes and the number of players in the state government budget game.

The shock was enough to prompt Gov. Mark White, who advocates raising taxes to increase teacher salaries, to attempt to soothe political nerves by offering assurances that state government will survive the financially troubled period and still find ways to take care of expensive improvements in education and highways.

Lewis' letter arrived at state agency head offices at a time when they are preparing their budget proposals for the Legislative Budget Board and the Legislature, which meets again in nine months.

Specifically, Speaker Lewis recommended state agencies prepare a no-growth budget for the 1986-87 biennium.

"We suggest that you not include any considerations for inflation, salary changes or growth," he wrote.

The letter comes on the heels of Comptroller Bob Bullock's estimate that the surplus at the end of the present biennium will be only $15 million.

Taxes or cuts?

The letter puts state agencies very close to a rock-and-a-hard-place position. Unless the Comptroller can scrape up the extra cash for them to spend, legislators will be debating whether to raise taxes or cut state services.

A co-author of the letter, House Appropriations Chairman Jim Rudd, said he is shaping a budget for the bare necessities of state government and will be taking a "very critical look" at all agencies.

"We're not going to have enough money. We're going to be in the red the next time if we don't do something," he told reporters.

White blamed

The chairman of the Texas Republican Party, George Strake, didn't miss his cue to blame the governor and Democratic-dominated Legislature for the money problems.

"If Governor White had set the example of being a bit more restrained with such items as his new playroom and had not increased his political appointee payroll by 70 percent, maybe state officials would now be more aggressive in cutting excessive state government spending," Strake said.

Strake, speaking for the Republicans, praised the call for no-growth budget, and suggested limiting the number of state employees by a formula based on population.

Party split?

The budget letter underscored the odds stacking up on the governor's promised special session coming months to discuss a $2.5 billion education reform package. While the tight-money situation certainly emphasizes the need for more revenue, it puts legislators in the politically uncomfortable position of approving a tax increase before an election.

Also in a touchy position are the agency heads, including the statewide-elected Democrats who swept into office in '82. If their budgets fail to hold up under scrutiny, they will certainly come under attack from Republicans at the ballot box in '86.

And again caught square in the middle are the conservative Democrats who might buck a tax hike trend pushed by their governor and risk being pushed out of their party. As in the past, they may or may not want to cross over to the GOP, and may not be wanted there anyway.

Land office

A federal agency last week gave the go-ahead to the Texas General Land Office request to sell natural gas from state lands at current market value as payment-in-kind.

The ruling allows the Land Office to sell the gas to utilities below what private companies are offering. The sales revenues go to the Permanent School Fund, which is divided among Texas public school districts.

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro announced the state earned an additional $17.5 million at a mineral production lease sale last week. New policies resulted in almost doubling the average bonus bid for lease of state-owned oil and gas lands.

The average bid was $216.49, almost twice the $120.40 per-acre bonus average for October.

Here's how you can cut your own medical costs

Considering what Americans spend on health care, you might think the key to good health is money.

But the idea that you can buy good health adds significantly to the cost of health care through unnecessary use and overuse of the system, says the Texas Medical Association.

That's the message in a brochure titled "Good Health—Does it Have to Cost a Lot?" It notes that other factors contributing to the high cost of health care include technological advances and government regulations.

TMA says containing health care costs will require the collective efforts of the public, doctors, and public and private organizations.

Because about two-thirds of all major illness and premature deaths are linked to lifestyle habits, the individual has a primary role in controlling medical costs. Some tips:

- If you smoke, stop.
- If you drink alcohol, drink in moderation.
- If you are overweight, try to lose the extra pounds. Extra weight puts stress on your heart and other organs.
- Eat a balanced diet low in fat and high in fiber.
- Learn to deal with stress through relaxation and exercise.
- Exercise regularly to prevent premature aging and to keep in good condition.
- Get adequate sleep.

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STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
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I want to express my appreciation to those who supported my re-election to the BISD Board of Trustees. The school has many challenges ahead — I welcome the opportunity to address these as a member of this board.

The large number of voters in this election indicate the community interest in education. The future of our community is determined by the quality of education provided our youth. As citizens of this district we must face the challenges of our school together.

Thank you,
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Bandera County Elections '84

Political Calendar

The Bandera Bulletin has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following people:

Bandera County Sheriff — Guy V. Pickett
Constable Bandera County Pct. 3 — Gordon Nordland
Constable Bandera County Pct. 3 & Gene Ott
Bandera County Tax Assessor Collector — Marguerite Stevens
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Doyle Boyle (R)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Otto Reed (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — Bob Ashley (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — A.A. (Pete) Reed (D)
District Judge — 216 Judicial District — Robert R. (Bob) Barton (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — E. Bruce Curry (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — Joe Mike Egan (R)
State Rep. District 48 — Eldon Edge (D)
State Rep. District 48 — Sam J. Ewing, Jr. (R)



Faces of Bandera

Hans Box, 9, of Bandera is a familiar sight on the playground at Bandera Elementary during school days, with a personality smile that earns him a place as a Face of Bandera County.

Shannon Seale dies at age 57

Charles Shannon Seale, 57, general manager of the Bandera County Electric Cooperative, Inc., died Monday in a Corpus Christi, Tex., hospital. He suffered a heart attack April 7 while vacationing.

A native of Medina, he has been manager of the Co-op since July 1, 1977 and a Co-op employee since June 25, 1951.

His successor will be selected by the Co-op's board of directors. That body last week gave assistant manager Russ Vander Zee authority to sign certain documents but did not designate him full acting general manager, according to board member Raymond Hicks of Bandera.

Services were held Wednesday morning for the co-op executive at the First Baptist Church in Medina with the Rev. Bill Moseley officiating.

Honorary pallbearers were all the employees of the Co-op and pallbearers were Vander Zee, Manuel Rubio, Jimmy Kinsey, Henry Heinen, Ron Barton, Raymond Batio, Melvin Pankratz and John Jenschke. Burial was in Oak Rest Cemetery in Medina.

Survivors include his wife, Mona Seale of Medina; his mother, Elsie M. Seale of Medina; two daughters, Fayrene Craddock of Shallowater, Tex., and Tammy Kneuper of Medina; a son, Charles Allen Seale of Austin; and seven grandchildren.



Shannon Seale

A 1944 graduate of Medina High School, Seale attended New Mexico A&MA in Las Cruces and served in the U.S. Air Corps until November, 1946.

He started his career with the Co-op as a work order clerk and worked up through the accounting-bookkeeping department to general manager. He served eight years on the Medina school board, seven of which he was board president.

He occupied several positions of leadership in professional groups related to his position at the head of Bandera Electric Co-op.

CGG wants a meeting with law enforcement officials

Claiming police tactics in Bandera is hurting business and unjustly penalizing residents and visitors alike, members of the new-formed Citizens for Good Government last Wednesday scheduled meetings with law enforcement personnel to discuss the city's growing reputation as a "speed trap."

Former chamber of commerce president Ben Nolan presided at the meeting, and those sitting at the head table included Norman Mansfield and Louise Hill.

Nolan said there is a gap between the feelings of many businessmen and citizens of Bandera and law enforcement officials. "All of us see this gap widening," said Nolan. "Unless we can settle it to the satisfaction of both sides, it will get wider."

Several in the audience lashed out at law enforcement people and described their arrests for various offenses they didn't think merited as harsh treatment as they said they received.

Leaders of the CGG said they would attempt to line up a series of programs outlining the rights of citizens in police matters

Temperatures

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Wednesday, April 4	77	47	-
Thursday, April 5	79	38	-
Friday, April 6	75	50	-
Saturday, April 7	76	59	.25
Sunday, April 8	83	53	-
Monday, April 9	92	47	-
Tuesday, April 10	86	54	-

Rainfall so far this month: .36 in. Rainfall so far this year: 5.01 in.

Temperatures furnished by Bandera Electric Co-op, Inc., and rainfall figures by U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Bandera.

Calendar

Friday, April 13

Madrona Garden Club, 2 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.
Bandera County Chamber of Commerce Beauty Pageant Committee meeting, 6:30 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Bingo, Bandera American Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m..

Saturday, April 14

Medina Lake Betterment Association Flea Market, Lakehills Civic Center, 9 a.m. til ?.
Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department general membership meeting, 10:30 a.m., with lunch.
Pipe Creek Community Center Chili Cookoff, judging at 5 p.m., Tony's Chat & Chew.

Monday, April 16

American Association of Retired Persons Fun Day, Medina Lake meeting, 10:30 a.m., lunch, noon, games 1 p.m., American Legion Hall.
Ladies Volunteer Fire Department Women Auxiliary to Post 9176, 2:30 p.m., post home.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rocking R.
EMS training, Pipe Creek Community Center, 7 p.m.
Boy Scout No. 204, 7 p.m., Lakehills United Methodist Church.
Bandera County History Book group, 7 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.
Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.

Tuesday, April 17

Bandera County Artists, First State Bank Community Room, 6:30 p.m. pot luck supper.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., youth center.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., American Legion Hall, Lakehills.
Bandera Chamber of Commerce, 7:30 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.

Wednesday, April 18

Bandera American Association of Retired Persons, 2 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Health Clinic, Lakehills American Legion Hall, 2-5 p.m.
Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department bingo, 7 p.m.
Pipe Creek 4-H Community Club, 7 p.m., Pipe Creek Community Center.
Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department training session, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.
Citizens for Good Government, 7:30 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.

Thursday, April 19

Golden Agers, 2 p.m., Bandera Methodist Church.
Bandera Chapter of the Daughters of American Revolution, 2 p.m.
Friends of the Library, 3:30 p.m., Bandera County Library.
Medina Volunteer Fire Department, 7:30 p.m., Youth Center.
Bandera Lodge 81, 7:30 p.m., American Legion Hall.

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Senior's quick action stops break-in

Long-time Lakehills resident Hattie Harrison's peaceful Saturday night's rest was abruptly interrupted by loud banging on her door and the sound of someone tampering with the windows at her home.

It was about 11 p.m., and when she went to the phone to call for help, she found it dead.

Looking out the window she saw a male looking back at her, and realized he had removed the window screen already.

At this point she began screaming for help she said, and she went for her gun — a combination, double-barrel .22-caliber rifle/.410 gauge shotgun.

Hattie continued to scream as she unlocked her door and screen door and went outside and shot two shots into the air to summons help.

Neighbors responded immediately and called the Bandera County Sheriff's Department. Sheriff Guy Pickett and two of his deputies and Constable Gene Ott arrived within minutes. The intruder or intruders had disappeared.

Investigators found the telephone line had been cut outside the house. Hattie said she did what she feels anyone whose life was being threatened would do under the circumstances. This is the first time Hattie has ever been in a situation such as this, but she says, "I'm keeping my gun beside me now, and I'll go for it before I go for the telephone should this happen again."

Faith Chapel School ends first quarter

On Friday evening, March 30, a parent-teacher meeting was held at the Faith Chapel School. The gathering marked the end of the first quarter of school, and parents were given a report of student accomplishments.

According to the Rev. Jim Colley, "Each of our students did a good job and we are proud of their Christian commitment, their concern for each other, and their academics."

The Rev. Colley singled out many students and several staff members for their individual efforts during the first quarter of operation of the Faith Chapel Christian School.

This and that

The Bake and Plant Sale at the American Legion Home on March 31 was a success. Auxiliary President Sue Kruse credited the volunteers who donated their time, plants and baked goods with making this project a success.

Tom and Mary Frances Clark recently celebrated their 26th wedding anniversary.

The "Italian Night" Spaghetti Dinner and bake sale for Faith Chapel Christian School was a great success. The whole community turned out to support the school.

POA treasurer, Carmen Hayes will take on the bookkeeping now.

Shirley's husband, Clyde, who is in charge of security at the park in Pebble Beach, has been commended for the repairs to the barbecue pits and for redoing the broken picnic tables in the park.

MLBA Flea Market

This Saturday is the day for bargain hunters in Lakehills. The MLBA Flea Market opens at 9 a.m. Elaine Mixon reports a few tables are still available. To reserve your table or space, call her at 751-2100.

Gib Gray will have the grill hot at 11 a.m. for those famous Gib burgers and dogs. The snack bar will be open all day for drinks.

A boy for the Graphmans

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craig Grahman and 2-year-old Mellasa welcomed Robert Craig Graphman Jr. into their family on March 24. Robert Jr. weighed 8 lbs. 10 ounces and was born in a Houston hospital.

The grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Charles Kenward of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Grapman, formerly of Lakehills. Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Graphman of Lakehills are the great-grandparents.

The Graphman clan are planning to get together at Bob and Ellen's home here in Lakehills for Easter.

Shirley Kelley honored

Shirley Kelley was honored by the Property Owners Association of Pebble Beach for the outstanding job she did as bookkeeper for the Pebble Beach Aqua Club the past two years. The Property Owners Board presented Shirley with a beautiful cedar sign for her front yard.

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Medina Lake Chapter AARP

The Medina Lake Chapter of American Association of Retired Persons will hold "fun day" at the American Legion Home in Lakehills on Monday, April 16.

Executive committee meeting will begin at 10:30 a.m., a covered-dish luncheon at noon, and games at 1 p.m. All members and prospective members are cordially invited.

The regular chapter meeting will be held at 1:30 p.m., same location, on Monday, April 30, instead of the usual fourth Monday meeting date.

President Nadine Hartmann and Vice President Lucille Moore will attend the national convention of the association in St. Louis. The program will be a report of the events of this convention by Mrs. Moore.

Members have thoroughly enjoyed the programs of the past two meetings, says Lucille Moore. Iris Durham brought members up-to-date on the activities of Bandera County EMS and Thomas Wheery, assistant state director, then presented them with their charter.

Al and Kay Robinson of the Bandera Hills Chapter, AARP, gave a complete report of the proposed Senior Citizens Center to be located in Bandera.

On the lighter side, a great time was had by all in watching Polly Larsen, Evie Angell, Joan Wallace, Jerry Mauer, Alice Smart and Nadine Hartmann in a skit entitled "The Exercise Class."

Community Services Director Louise Leibold and Lucille Moore brought the monthly Bingo Party to the Purple Hills residents on March 23.

Join the American Assn. of Retired Persons (membership drive now in progress) and become informed and involved in community activities, proposed legislation and enjoyable social activities.



Poll workers turned in a long day Saturday helping the unusually heavy turnout of voters in bond, school and water district elections. In the top picture workers Peggy Galland, left, Polly Larsen, center, and Dot McCracken watch as a voter casts his ballot in the road bond election while in the bottom picture, school election officials Clare Willis, left, and Lucille Moore assist voters.

American Legion schedules health clinic in Lakehills

Sue Kruse reports that the American Legion Post 410 will sponsor a health clinic on Wednesday, April 18, from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. at the Legion Hall in Lakehills. This free service will offer blood pressure checks, weight control advice, diabetes testing and more.

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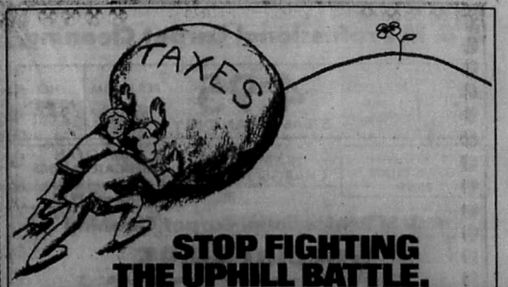

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More Lakehills news



Shriner Bill Angell

Shrine Club stops traffic

The Medina Lake Shrine Club went county-wide Saturday to raise money for the Shriners Hospital for crippled children and the Shriners Burns Institute. This group donned their fezzes and clown costumes recruited a few volunteers from the American Legion Post 410, set up teams at the intersections of Park Rd. 37 and 1283 and at traffic lights in the city of Bandera. By quitting time Saturday night the Shriners had raised over one thousand dollars in their efforts.

St. Victor's Altar Society

St. Victor's Altar Society met on Thursday evening with 19 members present. Plans were finalized for the June 2 barbecue.

Anyone wishing to donate canned goods, paper goods, or cash for the country store should contact Grace Gonzales and arrange to drop the goods or money off by May 19. All members have been asked to help collect egg shells for the confetti eggs used in the fishing pond.

Mimi Lavarre won the door prize Thursday. Alice Leibold and Julie Lehman supplied the refreshments and decorated the table with a beautiful Easter Basket centerpiece.

Magic in Lakehills

It was billed as "An Enchanted Evening," and for the residents of Bandera and Kerr counties who attended. It was just that.

Master Illusionist James Goss, assisted by Katie and Allison Kennedy, presented a two-hour program of magic and illusion that thoroughly entertained everyone in attendance. All proceeds went to support the Bandera Rainbow Assembly. Goss, in his first appearance at the Lakehills Civic Center, showed his skill at everything "from card and rope tricks to levitating one of his assistants in mid-air and sawing his other assistant in half.

United Methodist Women meet

Lakehills United Methodist Women met April 4 in the fellowship hall of the church for an interesting study of the Gospel of Luke. "The Great Physician: The Healing Stories in Luke and Their Meaning for Today" was conducted by June Settlemeyer.

A salad luncheon was provided by and for the 15 members present.

Following the business session, refreshments were served by Alma Nae Martin and Faye McCurry.

On May 12 beginning at 9 a.m. at the Civic Center, the UMW will have its annual cake and plant sale, bazaar and flea market. This sale will afford an opportunity to replenish plants and pick up Mother's Day gifts, and the community is invited to attend.

Talks to celebrate 44th anniversary

Joe and Margaret Talk of Lakehills will celebrate their 44th wedding anniversary on April 13. Margaret's sisters, Pauline Brown and Francis Payne of San Antonio, plan to come out for the weekend and join with their other sisters, Marie Tomasini and Edith Stark, also of Lakehills, in a family celebration.

Boy Scout troop formed

Monday evening, 25 boys, parents, scout officials, and interested parties gathered in the fellowship hall of the Lakehills United Methodist Church to organize a Boy Scout troop for Medina Lake area boys.

Boy Scout Troop 204 will meet at the LUM Church every Monday evening at 7 p.m.

Bill Steele with the Alamo Area Council of Boy Scouts introduced Gordon Nordlund, scout master; Merv Kaiser, assistant scout master; Dr. Stephen Gleason, assistant district commissioner, Alamo Area Council of Boy Scouts, Carol Hamilton church coordinator, and Dave Noble and Robert Perry, committee representatives for LUMC.

Seven of the boys present were registered for Troop 204. They were Alex Villalobos, David Brieno, Tiger Calhoun, Holly Perry, Chris Childress, John Martinez and Stan Childress.

Any boy 10½ years of age or older and who has completed the fifth grade is eligible for membership. This troop is open to boys living in Mico, Pebble Beach, Lakehills, Alamo Beach, Rio Rancheros and Pipe Creek communities.

After the covered-dish dinner, Bill Steele presented a very informative slide presentation on the various levels and badges in Scouting as well as slides on the Bear Creek Camp facilities and activities.

Weekend visitors

Ken and Lorri Haase with daughters Megan and Katie came from Austin for the weekend. While in Lakehills they stayed with Lorri's parents, Guy and Marie Pickett, and attended the magic show at the Civic Center Saturday night.

From Lakehills they went to visit Ken's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haase, in San Antonio where they enjoyed a barbecue honoring Ken on his birthday, Tuesday.

EMTs needed

The EMS of Bandera County is starting a new series of classes to train new volunteers in our county. More volunteers are needed in the Lakehills area. The classes will start on April 16 and run through June 20.

Classes will be held at the Pipe Creek Community Center on Highway 16 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. For more information call Dee Sharp at 796-3833 or Mary Wheeler at 796-3614.

To qualify you must be 18 years of age by June. Present EMTs that need to re-certify should enroll in this session, officials say.

POA flea market

The Property Owners Association of Pebble Beach will sponsor a flea market and bake sale on April 21 and 22. They will also sell T-shirts, hats, cedar signs, and the annual spring picnic.

A 19-inch color TV will be among the prizes to be given away. Come to Pioneer Realty on FM 1283 and participate in these fun events.

The fun will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. both days. Part of the proceeds from this event will go to make new street signs for each road in Pebble Beach.

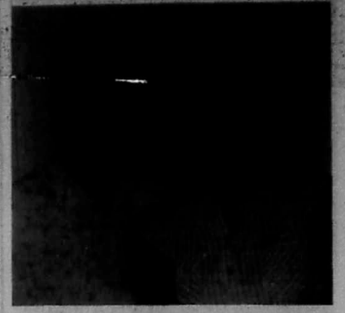
MLVFD semi-annual barbecue planned

The Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department annual Barbecue April 28 and 29 is fast approaching.

This event is always one of the largest fundraisers in our community. Plan now to take the whole family out for a delicious barbecue dinner, and don't forget to register for the great prizes which will be given away on Sunday afternoon.

Condolences

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to Estelle Odom and her family. Estelle's father, Raymond Letcher, died April 2 at the age of 92. Burial was at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery with full military honors.



Mrs. Ruby E. Techirhart wishes to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Rosemarie, to James W. Popham Jr. Both are graduates of Bandera High School. They plan an August wedding.

Dart throwing results

Shirley Grimm, president of the Medina Lake Dart Association, reported team standings after the first week into the playoffs.

Copper Lantern No. 1 13-1, Texas Wrangler No. 1 10-4, Texas Wrangler No. 2 10-4, Hard Times No. 2 8-6, Copper Lantern No. 2 7-7, Cedar Point Landing 6-8, Hard Times No. 1 5-9, Pop's Place No. 1 4-3, Pop's Place No. 2 4-10, Hard Times No. 3 3-12, and Texas Wrangler No. 3 1-6.

New residents

A big welcome to Mr. and Mrs. David Bessecker, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Westphal, and David Pope, new residents in the Pebble Beach Community.

Completes course

Marine Pfc. Robert A. Brieno, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Brieno of Lakehills, has completed the six-week Basic Helicopter Course at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Millington, Tenn.

Students received instruction on the operation of helicopters and studied mechanic training, the theory of rotary-winged flight and power plant principles. In addition, Brieno underwent five days of practical application on transmission systems, flight controls and general helicopter maintenance.

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Congratulations, Katie

Our Katie Reede was re-elected to the Bandera School Board in Saturday's election. We can be very proud of Katie. She received more votes than any other candidate. Bob Reese was also re-elected to the board.

Coyotes said on the increase

Bob Mansfield, spokesman for the Community Wolf Club of Pipe Creek and Bandera, reports two coyotes were killed during the month of March, one on the Middle Verde Ranch and the other on the Moennie Ranch south of Tarpley.

One large Russian boar was also killed on the Leibold Ranch near Pipe Creek in March.

Mansfield stated three coyotes were killed the first week of April, one on the Roland Britsch Ranch southwest of Bandera, one on Pat Freeman's ranch in the Privilege Creek area, and the third on the Freddie Glen Fitch ranch at the head of Privilege Creek.

The latter was a female coyote with pups. Bob says it is unusual for the females to have pups this early in the spring.

This organization appreciates the support they have received from the area, and asks for your continued support. They meet the first Monday of each month in the meeting room at University Savings Association.

Fourth annual chili cookoff

This Saturday is the big day for the fourth annual Chili Cookoff hosted by the Pipe Creek Community Center. This fun event will be held at Tony's Chat & Chew on Highway 16. Judging will be at 5 p.m. All proceeds will go to the Scholarship Fund.

EMT training starts

A county-wide class for prospective emergency medical technicians will be held at the Pipe Creek Community Center from April 16 through June 20. Classes will be held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 7 p.m. until 10 p.m.

County Judge Tommy Curbo and the dedicated volunteers who man our county ambulances 24-hours-a-day urge any interested persons who have the motivation to join this needed and vital service to call Mary Wheeler at 796-3614, or Dee Sharp at 796-3833 for details.

Easter Sunrise Service

The Hill Country Chapel, a non-denominational Christian Church on Highway 46, invites everyone to their Easter Sunrise Service, with pastor, Albert (Skip) Marks. The 6:30 a.m. service will be followed by a breakfast served by the women of the chapel. After breakfast the regular Sunday service will be held at 10 a.m.

Applications being accepted for Miss Bandera Pageant

Applications are now being accepted for the Miss Bandera County and Little Miss and Mister Bandera County contests to be selected July 6.

Applications may be picked up at the sponsoring Bandera County Chamber of Commerce office on Main Street in Bandera, at Bandera County schools, all financial institutions, and Trails End Restaurant in Medina.

Miss Bandera County competition is open to any Bandera County resident in freshman, sophomore or junior classes in Bandera, Medina or Utopia schools. They must also be citizens, never married and never have had a baby.

Little Miss or Mister Bandera County competition is open to kindergarten, and first- and second-grade students who are residents of Bandera County and U.S. citizens.

A pageant will be held on Friday, July 6, at the Bandera High School Auditorium during which the winners in each category will be selected, says Yvette Rempel, chairman in charge of arrangements for the pageant. This will be in conjunction with the Bandera County Fair.

The last Miss Bandera County selected was Karrie Oehler of Lakehills, who was named in 1982. No selection was made in 1983. Tracy Felten of Bandera was the Little Miss of 1982 and Richard Towers of Pipe Creek was Little Mister Bandera.

Judges of the 1984 contest will be by a panel of judges, all of whom live out of Bandera County and whose identity will be kept secret until the evening of the Pageant, according to Rempel.

Applications contain space for telling contest officials of the contestants' favorite school subject, their goals after school, club or church membership, hobbies, and names of pets and routine family information.

Miss Bandera County candidates are sponsored by area businesses, and Rempel said she is trying to find sponsors. Sponsor fee is $25 and sponsors may enter a contestant of their choosing or may be assigned a contestant who does not have a sponsor.

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statewide activities being planned for the year-long celebration and offered suggestions of how Bandera County and the communities in the county may join.

"It's a very good time to give yourself a birthday present," she explained, suggesting projects such as river beautification and museum expansion as lasting sesquicentennial projects.

She told the statewide celebration and its many activities will attract many new people to Texas. "Twenty-five million people are expected to visit Texas and spend $35 billion in 1986," Hicks said. "There's no reason a lot of that money can't be spent in Bandera County."

She suggested extra effort to promote Bandera statewide. "This is a time to educate Texans about Bandera," she said.

Ellis said Bandera will join with the city of Orroroo in South Australia for a mutual exchange of communication and visits in a program much like a "sister city" project.

Orroroo is a town on 1,100 people that is the Australian equivalent of a county seat, Ellis said. It is rural in character, raising cattle, sheep and grain.

"It's in hilly country that looks exactly like this," she said. It is known for its extremely wide streets constructed to turn-a-team of oxen teams.

"It's a town that looks like Bandera," said Ellis, "and the people there have a marvelous outlook on life."

Carmen Hicks paid special attention to projects to beautify the Medina River and to expand the Frontier Times Museum, now operated by a non-profit foundation.

"Not every town has a beautiful river that we have, but we just haven't developed it," she said.

"We would like to see further development of the Frontier Times Museum," she said, explaining that the museum is already crowded and it gets frequent requests to take additional artifacts for which it has no room.

"Right now it is too crowded to be efficient and neat," she said.

Another public meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday, May 8, at 7 p.m., tentatively planned for the First National Bank Board Room. The public is invited and urged to attend and participate in this meeting, Mrs. Hicks said.

Election

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1982.

The county road bonds were rejected by 541 percent of the voters, 711 votes to 603.

Voters voting at Bandera High School, Lakehills Civic Center, Medina School and Tarpley voted for the bonds while those in the other six voting boxes voted against them.

The most overwhelming vote against the bonds came from Vanderpool where only 29.9 percent of the voters favored them and only 36.4 percent of those voting at the Medina Youth Center voted for the bonds.

The proposed road would have allowed travellers from Lakehills to Bandera to bypass Pipe Creek, and this apparently didn't sit well with Pipe Creek voters.

Only 34.7 percent of those voting at the Pipe Creek Community Center favored the bonds, and only 38.8 percent of those voting at the Pipe Creek Fire Station were for the bonds.

In Medina's school board election, incumbent James E. Brown defeated Louis F. Vannatter, 153 votes to 112, and John J. Deery was re-elected over Maynard Phillips, 173-96.

Randy MacNaughton, running unopposed, was named on 217 ballots.

A total of 269 persons voted in Medina, and that compares to fewer than 210 that voted last year and 143 that voted in 1962.

In Utopia, Thornton polled 165 votes and Hillis got 116. Rigby and Blalock got 80 each and Jonathan Goff got 16.

You Are Wanted And Needed
Citizens For Good Government Will Meet Again

WHEN: April 18, 1984 - 7:30 P.M.
WHERE: First National Bank
WHY: To seek answers to the following questions: (asked at the April 4th meeting)

1. What are your concerns about law enforcement in our city of Bandera and/or Bandera County?
2. What do you think should be done.
3. Are you willing to take an active part in your city & county government by attending various public meetings such as school board, chamber of commerce, city council, and county commissioners meetings.
4. Do you feel there is a need to attract a more substantial flow of tourism to the City of Bandera? What are some ideas as to how this may be accomplished.
5. Do you have suggestions as how to get our young people to actively participate in the fun things our city has to offer to the public such as the Trail Ride & Rodeo Parade in San Antonio, and other such parades and functions sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.
6. Any other questions you wish to address.

(Please bring your questions/ideas with you to the meeting if you have one, if not your questions on a sheet of paper will be fine.)

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To All Public Officials:
You are cordially invited to attend this meeting and to respond to the citizens questions and concern, and to become a participating member of this organization.



A Thought For The Week
By John M. Grimes

"Do not think that what your thoughts shall speak is of no matter, for thoughts are making you." — Bakop Steere.

One cannot develop nothing that does not exist first of all in one's mind. It is your thinking that is your most precious asset. Nothing outside you can possibly affect you and your life as much as what goes on in your mind. What you think affects your actions. Lovable thoughts produce one result. Thoughts of hate produce the opposite result.

Norman Vincent Peale in his book "You Can Have God's Help With Daily Problems" writes: Practice letting your mind stretch itself. Deliberately think bigger and bigger thoughts of faith. Conceive of greater things occurring through your faith. Take a deep breath and venture out beyond your depth. Do not hug the shore; do not fear high places. You can go as far as you think you can. Think high and wide and deep and far.

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Optimists to hold benefit auction on May 19

An auction sale to benefit youth projects of the Bandera Optimist Club will be held at 1 p.m., May 19, at Mansfield Park.

The sale will be the Optimist Club's "annual fund-raising project." Optimists are called the "friends of youth," and most of their projects are on behalf of the youth of our community.

"This is the only time during the year that Optimists make an all-out fund-raising effort, and the money obtained through the auction will finance the youth work done by the club for the next year," said Red Moores, a club spokesman.

Among the many items that will go on the auction block will be golf clubs, a Longhorn bull, a cave exploration trip, gutters and downspouts, airplane rides, tractor work, a savings bond, an antelope, a 12 gauge shotgun, a natural gas heater, and a security light installed.

Merchants and other citizens of Bandera County will be contacted by Optimist Club members and asked to donate other items, Moores said.

The club reports that during 1983 the group spent more than $2,500 on behalf of youth of Bandera County, including $110 on eyecare, $150 for physical examinations, $380 for hospital expenses, $125 contribution to the Hugh O'Brien Foundation, $200 donation to the Bandera County Junior Livestock Show, $240 to Boy Scouts, $365 for literary achievement trophies, $100 to help provide summer movies, $102 to Project Love, $100 in Christmas gifts, and $670 for the Youth Rodeo Association.

During 1984 the club has spent $86 for students with eye problems, $75 for Boy Scouts, $300 toward a computer for the School for the Double Handicapped, $65 for literary achievement awards, plus several smaller donations.

"The community has wholeheartedly supported the club the past two years in their fund-raising projects, and the members are looking to Bandera County (residents) for their continued support," said Moores.

Bandera briefs

Bandera Hills AARP

"Stress," which may range from frustration over burnt toast to grief over a major catastrophe such as the death of a loved one, touches every life, every day!

Kent Bressler, social worker at the Veteran's Administration Medical Center in Kerrville, has some helpful suggestions on how to cope with stress, and he'll share his recommendations with members of the Bandera Hills chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons Wednesday, April 18, at 2 p.m. in the First National Bank Board Room.

Tickets for the American Cancer Society's Benefit Dance on May 19 will be available at the meeting, according to ACS Public Education Chairman Al Robinson.

AARP Chapter President Davis May will report the progress being made on the construction of the Silver Sage Corral, a major project of the Bandera Hills chapter. Marie Holland will report on the financing efforts of the Bandera County Committee on Aging, which have resulted in two successful fund-raisers, the Pancake Breakfast and the Melodiers' musical.

Future events the Committee has arranged include the benefit world class wrestling matches May 19, and an Old Settlers' reunion, to be held in conjunction with the Bandera County Fair July 6-8.

Family dinner

Mr. and Mrs. John Shuptrine of Bandera hosted their family with a turkey dinner and all the extras Sunday.

Their visitors were Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Doughty, Debbie and Shirl and friend Barry, all of Austin, Edith Applegate and sons Bryan and Phillip and his wife Alice and baby daughter Morgan, all of San Antonio; Sandie Applegate and friend Mike from Dallas; Dr. and Mrs. Kelly Shuptrine from Columbia, S.C., and their daughter Brenda and husband Jim Cure of Arden, N.C.

EMS course to start April 16

The Bandera County Emergency Medical Technician Course will begin April 16 at the Pipe Creek Community Center.

Conducted by qualified EMT instructors, the course leads to state certification as an emergency medical technician, qualified to provide emergency medical care and assistance in the event of an accident or natural disaster.

EMTs man Bandera County's ambulances in addition to providing a valued, and often needed, extra service in remote areas where emergency medical care may be needed at a moment's notice.

A spokesperson for the EMS told the Bulletin that a good many people have taken the course in the past and never applied for state certification, gaining the knowledge just for the sake of their families.

The course is open to any resident of Bandera County 18 years of age or older. It will be conducted at the Pipe Creek Community Center beginning April 16 and concluding June 20. Classes will be held Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 7 p.m. until 10 p.m.

For more information call 796-3833 before 6 p.m.

Cancer Society meet

The Bandera County Unit of the American Cancer Society met Monday, April 9, with 13 members present.

Volunteers Al Robinson and Dorothy Darden reported they are taking turns driving a cancer patient from Pipe Creek to and from San Antonio for treatment.

A Volunteer Leadership plaque was awarded to Anna Childs, the County Unit received an Award of Merit for exceeding its quota last year, and Gladys Huseby was given an Award of Merit as crusade chairman.

Robinson reported that he showed the film "Because We Care" in Spanish to a group at the Bandera Baptist Church.

Extensive plans were finalized for the Crusade Dance to be held May 19 from 8:30 p.m. to midnight at Mansfield Park Recreation Center.

Outstanding unit

Master Sgt. Samuel R. Kalka of Bandera is a member of the 433rd Tactical Airlift Wing, the Air Force Reserve's first unit to win the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award for the third time.

The 433rd TAW, based at Kelly AFB at San Antonio, was also the first Air Force Reserve or Air National Guard unit to receive the award. That was in 1964, when aircrews devised a technique for air-dropping cargo from C-119 Flying Boxcars which was adopted throughout the Air Force.

Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Cardwell, formerly of Bandera, were honored Saturday on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary with dinner and festivities at the La Mansion del Norte Hotel in San Antonio. The event was hosted by their children, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Hal Hunter of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Willard D. D'Spain of Bandera and Dr. and Mrs. F. Kelly Shuptrine of Columbia, S.C. Others attending were their grandchildren, Brenda and Jim Curl of Ashville, N.C., Patrick D. D'Spain of Dallas, Kevin LeStourgeon and Tal LeStourgeon of San Antonio, and Terry D'Spain of Bandera.

Registration

Guardians or parents of kindergarten-age children who reside within the Bandera Independent School District should come to the elementary office during the week of April 30-May 4, school officials say.

Kindergarten students must be five years of age on or before Sept. 1. A current shot record and birth certificate are required at the time of registration, says Al Kindla, principal.

"If your friends, relatives or neighbors have children who will be eligible to attend kindergarten next year, please encourage them to come in and register their youngsters this spring and not wait until August," said Kindla. "We need to know how many (there will be) and where they live so bus routes can be planned to transport them."

Community Easter rites scheduled

The annually-celebrated community Easter Sunrise Service will be offered by Bandera churches on the Bandera County Courthouse lawn at 6:30 a.m. Easter morning, April 22.

Special music, preaching, prayers and fellowship will highlight this brief but special service. "The service is a very informal experience, so those participating are encouraged to bring their own chairs or blankets and to wear blue jeans," says the Rev. David Doerfler of Grace Lutheran Church. "Everyone is welcome and encouraged to participate," he says.

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Services

The Rev. Harvey Hulse of the First Baptist Church of Bandera held services Sunday afternoon, using for his text Hebrews 4:12, "The Bible Is A Special Book."

Ruth Mansfield played the piano, John White sang a beautiful solo, "Lift The Savior Up."

Those registering were Eva Freeman, Adele Akin, Rev. Harvey Hulse, Joys Hamrick, Winnie Chaddock, John White, Jean Barrows, Joe Baker and Ruth Mansfield.

Visitors

Rex and June Oberg of Camp Bandina visited his mother, Freda Oberg, last Monday afternoon.

David Dodge of Utopia visited his many friends one day last week.

Mrs. E.I. Bailey of Kerrville visited Maude Stokes.

Thanks to Mary Denton of Center Point for all the nice supplies she brought us last week.

Lorene Blackwell of Kerrville visited her sister Ruth Batto Wednesday morning.

Martin Smith from the Church of Christ had Bible reading for ten residents Wednesday morning.

Tony Mazurek visited his mother, Mary Mazurek.

The first Wednesday of each month the ladies of Hill Country Chapel of Pipe Creek come to sing and have a short devotional.

Those registering last Wednesday were Gynette Lackey, Cindy Jacox, Margie Shantz, Darlene Marks and Paul, Monica Wilson and Melissa, Candy and Kaysha Wheeler, Judy John and Kevin, Johnnie L. Newcomer and Jackie Blakemore.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited friends Wednesday afternoon and took Jack Holloway to services at the Church of Christ that evening.

Kevin Heyen of Pipe Creek visited his mother Hulda Heyen.

Ruby Tanner's visitors last week were Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Tanner of Lakehills and Mr. and Mrs. Hugey Pinkston of Houston.

The Pinkston's brought nice gifts for Mrs. Tanner and Lorena Bowman, Mrs. Tanner's room mate.

Raymond and Aggie Batto visited Annie Kollaus, Ruth Batto and other friends.

Bertha Allen of Medina visited her mother Cynthia Mayberry.

We welcome Gladys Blackwell to our family. We hope she will enjoy her stay with us.

Claire Thaman of Kerrville visited her mother, Agnes Fortinberry.

Si and Louise Turner of Medina Lake visited her uncle, Willie Leibold.

Mes Armstrong's guests last week were her son and wife, Sam and Lois Armstrong and Ruth Edwards.

We're sorry to report Rudy Hardebeck and Eloise Little are both in Peterson Hospital in Kerrville. We'll be glad when both are feeling better and get to come home. We miss them.

Myrtle Heinen's granddaughters, Nancy Crist, Debra Williams and Reba Williams of San Antonio visited her Saturday morning. On Sunday morning Jean Crist and her two sons and a friend from San Antonio came for a visit.

Ernest Rainey enjoyed a visit from his wife, Mrs. Rafney, and son, Robert Rainey.

Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited friends Sunday morning and took Alice Mellis and Jack Holloway to services at the Church of Christ. We sure missed Mrs. Hamrick who wasn't feeling well. Hope to see her next week.

Lois Schulte visited her sist, Lee Pickens, Sunday.

Ann Neal of Pipe Creek visited Gertrude Werner Monday morning.

Ed Merris visited his mother, Mildred Wolteradorf, Monday.

Sympathy

We were saddened to learn George Strange had passed away Sunday night, when we came to work Monday morning. Mr. Strange came to make his home with us on March 17, 1984. He had been here such a short time and we will miss him.

Our sympathy to all his loved ones.

Heritage association

Celebrating the 10th anniversary of its Tours of Distinction, the Heritage Association of San Marcos will offer tours of turn-of-the-century houses Saturday, May 5, and Sunday, May 6.

Noah's Ark plans kindergarten class

Noah's Ark Day Care Preschool is expanding with the addition of a kindergarten class for 5-year-olds, beginning Aug. 27.

The Bandera Independent School District has already announced it would continue kindergarten classes on a half-day basis, beginning in August, in an effort to free up space needed by older students.

Pre-registration for the Noah's Ark preschool and kindergarten begins April 30 at Grace Lutheran Church. A child must be 4 years old by Sept. 1 to enter the preschool class and 5 years old by Sept. 1 to enter the kindergarten class, a school spokesman said.

Carolyn Pfeiffer is the preschool teacher and Jodi Bergland Holen is the kindergarten teacher.

Enrollment for either class is limited, school officials said.

Helping Hand

Helping Hand is working to get the community acquainted with its services with posters containing information about the center.

The coordinators of the center would like to encourage everyone to stop by and take a look at the center at 1306 Cypress.

Anyone knowing persons in need may refer them to the center. The phone number is 796-8300, and the hours are Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. to noon.

The center's volunteers are gathering items for a rummage sale May 5 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the American Legion Hall.

All sales will benefit Helping Hand, so any items suitable for a rummage sale will be greatly appreciated, and can be dropped by the center, a spokesman said.

Sabinal Canyon

Lillie Thompson — 558-5581

Cloudy, misty weather hung on Friday and Saturday with a promise of thunder showers Sunday and a cool front moving in, but this area got only .04 inches of rain.

Carmack Schryver is back home doing nicely after undergoing surgery in Methodist Hospital, San Antonio, on Tuesday. She received a good report.

Debbie Dodge and a girl friend from San Antonio Bible School were visiting her parents, David and Nora Ruth Dodge over the weekend.

Joe Aguilar is in Baptist Hospital San Antonio where he underwent back surgery on Friday. Their young daughter, Sabrina, is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Rawls.

Hamilton and Anna Pearl Gabriel were in Corpus Christi Wednesday through Friday visiting her sister and husband and old friends. He also enjoyed a big reunion and party with the men who he worked with for so many years before retiring.

Jessie Ivy has been a patient in Sid Peterson Hospital, Kerrville, Wednesday through Friday, suffering from an attack of colitis.

Cliff and Dorothy Rosenblum of Rosenburg were visiting her parents, Alvin and Jessie Ivy, over the weekend.

I wish to correct a mistake. Rev. Homer Stephens is leading the song services and bringing special numbers each night while Rev. Hulse of Bandera is holding the revival at Tarpley Baptist Mission Church. The little church was full Wednesday night with some 25 Utopians attending.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend Easter sunrise services at Vanderpool tabernacle at 6:30 a.m. Sunday, April 22, under the direction of the Rev. Donald Dibbens.

J.B. and Iona Alley entertained their young daughter Susanne with a birthday party at their home on Saturday night. Some 20 young folks enjoyed the supper and party.

EMS needs volunteers

The EMS is in desperate need of personal. They will be holding an emergency care attendant course in May. If you are interested, contact Mary Ann Coffman or any of the EMS members.

A singing group from Mary Hardin Baylor University, will be in our community this weekend. They will sing at the school Friday evening and in Baptist church during the Sunday night worship service.

The youth choir and Band Bells from Trinity Baptist Church of Kerrville will be in Baptist Church Wednesday night, April 18.

Saturday, April 14, will be workday at Baptist church. This is the time for "spring" house and yard cleaning. Everyone who can meet at 9.

L.N. Coffee president of Vanderpool Wolf Club called a business meeting Tuesday night April 3 at Vanderpool Community Center. A financial report was given by secretary-treasurer Hoyt Foster and Lonnie Bomer reported catching 63 coyotes, 46 Russian hogs, 14 bobcats, 25 to 30 foxes, which he said are known killers of small kids and lambs.

Refreshments of cookies and coffee were enjoyed by 16 members.

Church directory

Attend the service of your choice.

Bandera
Church of Christ
Minister: Martin Smith
Worship: Sunday, 8 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4177

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Conon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m.; Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Mision Bautista
Pastor: Rev. Joel Garcia
Corner of 13th and Mulberry
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.

Bandina
Church of Christ
Minister: R— — Cl—
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 9:25 a.m.

Medina
First Baptist Church
Pastor: William S. Moseley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2830 or 589-2795

Church of Christ
Minister: Melvin Placke
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor: E. Bartlett Mills
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Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
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Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

The Apostolic Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 10 a.m.
535-4225

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley
Baptist Mission
Pastor: Oleen W. Rainer
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Prayer Meeting: Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.
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Church of Christ
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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
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Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
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Pastor: Robert Goff
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Community Church
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Medina Lake Shores plans resort facility

The developers of Medina Lake Shores subdivision off Wharton's Dock Road southeast of Bandera plan to begin work immediately on a 30-acre recreation resort "similar to Thousand Trails "in Lakehills" but for which undivided interests will be sold.

Bob Hooper of Medina Lake Shores filed a plat of the resort with the Bandera County commissioners court Monday. The commissioners gave preliminary approval to the project.

Hopper said the project would be located on Scenic Drive in Medina Lake Shores, and they hope to sell undivided interests to 360 people. "Each person will own 1/360th interest in the resort," Hopper said.

It will be affiliated with Camp Coast-to-Coast, which has other affiliated resorts throughout the nation and in Europe and whose facilities will be available to owners of Medina Trails Recreation Resort.

He said they would install pads for 36 recreation vehicles, restrooms, washers and driers, and other amenities.

Commissioners Monday also approved a preliminary plat for another section of Medina Lake Shores, and agreed to accept a reduced inspection fee on lots in the new section in exchange for the swap of some property which the county can use as a sanitary landfill.

The commissioners voted to collect a $10 inspection fee instead of $25, if testing reveals that the site in question is suitable as a landfill.

Commissioner Jim Russell abstained from voting on the issue, explaining he has a personal interest in the matter. All other commissioners voted for it.

In other action Monday, commissioners appointed County Judge Tommy Curbo's secretary Marcia Erfurt to the Bandera County Child Welfare Board, replacing Mary Evans.

Erfurt, 23-year-old Tarpley native, has been employed by Bandera County since 1978.

A delegation of Pebble Beach property owners appeared before the court to ask commissioners to take over and maintain all roads in Pebble Beach Subdivision. "We're getting a pretty big development out there and a lot of people," said spokeman Bob Jones. He said the tax base in the subdivision now amounts to some $9 million. "We should be getting some of that money back."

Commissioners agreed to meet with property owner representatives and county road superintendent Buddy Hubble to assess how much road is involved and how much construction would be necessary to bring them up to county standards.

Most of the roads in the subdivision are already being maintained by the county, Jones said.

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The Lakeshore Community Dinner was held Saturday night at the Copper Lantern. Barbecued and covered dish dinner was served to many local residents and their guests. The talented, blind musician, Ted Lacy, entertained.

Anniversaries

Bill and Audrey Burge of Corpus Christi were here to celebrate their 34th wedding anniversary. They were married in Corpus Christi April 6, 1950, and spent their honeymoon at the Silver Spur Hilltop Inn in Bandera.

Tom and Elane Cheney celebrated their 44th wedding anniversary Thursday, April 12.

Shower

Dana Simmons hosted a baby shower for her daughter-in-law, Yolanda Simmons, Sunday afternoon. Friends and family brought many beautiful and useful gifts for the new baby. Punch and cake were served.

Illness

Good news. We had a report Sunday that Monk Searcy was sitting up and doing OK after open heart surgery.

Permanent resident

Dick and Barbara Simon sold their home in Center Point and are now full-time residents of Lakeshore.

Weekenders

Bob and Sue Smith weekended here with their guests, retired Col. Henry Ruff and Karin A. Gilliam, who purchased some property in Lakeshore.

Flo and Bill Rush visited from Hondo. They are interested in buying some lots here and plan to build a home.

Wanda and Roy Lich, Kerrville, enjoyed their summer cottage here over the weekend.

Visitors

Ruth Bierschwale and Roy Morales were guests of Ida Klaus and Dolly Serran.

Lucille Murray visited Edna and Jeff Brown.

Visiting with Olivia Andrade are Mrs. Ray Saldana and son, John, and grandchildren from Findlay, Ohio.

Jay and Mariette Overholser's daughter, Debbie, and her husband Bill Cody of Austin spent the weekend.

Guests of Bob and Linda York were her brother, Joe, and Louise Carr, both of Kerrville.

Former residents of Lakeshore, LaVonne and Ray Burnett, now of San Antonio, visited Richard and Deanie Newman.

Tamale party

Phil and Nola Bledsoe, Richard and Deanie Newman, Mary and John Wells and Marie Bentley gathered at the Overholser's home to make tamales. They were very good, I had some samples....



Artist Donald Lipski fan-folded a ledger book and now it is part of an exhibit of 10 award-winning artists from across the country that will premiere at the San Antonio Museum of Art on Sunday, May 13. Artist Lipski received the $15,000 Award in the Visual Art for this creation, as did each of the 10 creators of painting, sculptures and photographs in the exhibit.

Schreiner College plans variety of summer classes

A variety of day and evening classes are available at Schreiner College this summer semester, June 5-Aug. 3.

New students must be accepted by the admissions office before registration. Preregistration is April 24-27. New students may also register June 4 at the registrar's office in the Tom Murray Building.

Evening courses include basic real estate, management, introduction to data processing, and beginning and advanced typing.

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Hill Country Tuition Grants are in effect for the summer term. Students living in Kerr, Gillespie, Kendall, Kimble, Bandera, Edwards and Real counties as of Jan. 1, are eligible for the grant which reduces tuition $100 per course. With the grant, a three-hour course costs $260.

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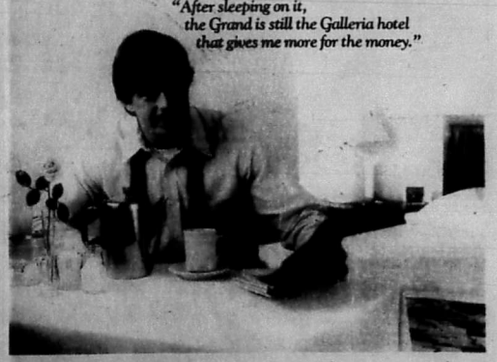

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Rainfall reports

Saturday, when the rumbling thunder was heard, everyone expected a good rain. Five in our area, only 2 inches fell but .5 inches was reported at the Ira Garrison Ranch above Rio Hondo Subdivision.

It feels like summer already. Wild turkeys are gobbling in the woods, doves are cooing in the mornings, and everything is getting green.

Surprise birthday

The Ira Garrison Ranch, known as Fern Springs Ranch, was the setting Saturday for a surprise birthday luncheon honoring Lila Garrison. Hosts were the Garrisons' children, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Thalmann and Mr. and Mrs. George File, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. I.V. Garrison Jr., Fort Worth; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Storrs, Denver.

Guests were Mrs. Fabian Garrison and Mrs. Jim Jordan of Hondo, Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lavon Garrison; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garrison, all of Medina; Mrs. Connie Wood and children Allison and Robert of Temple; Kevin File of Uvalde; James Garrison of Dallas; and Mr. and Mrs. William Storrs of Fort Worth.

The youngest present was 16½ months and the oldest was 91 years old.

Ham, chicken, salads, cakes and all sorts of goodies were enjoyed.

Hiking and picture-taking and much visitation was fun, and surprising and honoring a gracious lovely lady on her birthday was also fun.

Revival ends

Friday was the close of the Tarpley Baptist Mission Revival that had opened the Sunday before. Wonderful messages were brought each night by the Rev. Harvey Hulse and the song service by Rev. Homer Stevens was enjoyed by everyone.

Wednesday night was Utopia night, and approximately 70 were present.

Thursday night Bandera friends came for services and Friday night refreshments of ice cream, cake and cookies were enjoyed.

Visitors

Pat Taylor of San Antonio came Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. Clay Taylor, and his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Taylor and son.

Edith Jeffers and Ethel Mae's guests this weekend were her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holler and children, Chuck, Melody and Barbara of Water Valley.

Faye Estes returned with her children after spending a week here helping care for her mother.

Other visitors included Mrs. Jeffers' grandson, O.C. Estes of Sterling City; Loyd Jeffers and son Lance of Center Point; Hazel Billings and her daughter, Norma Schultz of Bandera; Edith's grandchildren, Dianne, Nancy and Michael Jeffers and his friend Tracey Schulte of Castroville.

Leadership seminar

Bill and Willie Morris were among approximately 130 parents attending the Hugh O'Brian Leadership Seminar Banquet Sunday noon at Lackland Air Force Base Officers Club.

Their son, Billy Morris, represented Bandera High School as an outstanding sophomore at the three-day seminar which began on Friday. The seminar included selected sophomores from 124 high schools in South and West Texas.

Shower

Friends of Mary and Adolfo Garcia of Utopia will sponsor a miscellaneous shower in their honor on Saturday, April 14, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Utopia Community Building.

The whole community is invited to participate to help the Garcias replace some of their possessions lost in the recent fire.

More visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Woods and children Tracey and Clay of Floresville visited his grandmother, Edith Jeffers and Ethel Mae, Sunday afternoon.

Health care aide training available

A homemakers/home health aide training program will be offered in this area through a grant from The University of Texas at Galveston School of Allied Health and under the auspices of the Visiting Nursing Association, a United Way organization.

Patricia A. Mormando, RN, director of services for Diversified Nursing Services, Bandera, will be instructing the 160-hour course at Bandera High School.

The course, which will begin in May, will cover all aspects of homemaking/home health aide services. Certification at the end of the course will allow participants to apply for positions as aides in home health agencies, nursing home facilities, and in hospitals.

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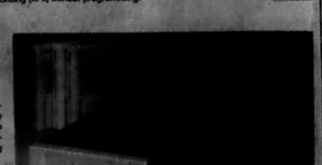

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Jane Malone was winner of the miniature Corvette given away by Bill Rathke, of Rathke Motors, Co., in celebration of their grand opening. Jane indicated her children could drive the car as soon as she finished.

Egg cutter wanted

Anyone have an egg cutter or some large asbestos pads or an extra-large serving platter with a high dome cover?

The Bandera Band Booster Club needs these, and certain other specific items, to operate the many concession stands they do in order to raise funds to help the band.

If you have any of the above or some of the items listed below, contact Alice Fleming after 5 p.m. at 796-3243.

Other items needed include two large crock pots, a large Teflon hot plate, a good can opener, several large serving spoons, knives, an ice pick, two large plastic pitchers, a heavy duty extension cord with several plugs, four pot holders, a coffee pot, four large plastic bowls, a large, a medium and a small cooking pot, and an electric grill.

Hospitality seminar

Tourism as a business helps a community such as Bandera become more attractive and prosperous, persons attending the second annual Bandera County Hospitality Seminar here Friday were told.

Tourism helps a community become more attractive because businesses clean up and fix up their facilities to attract tourists, speakers told those attending the seminars, jointly sponsored by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce and the Bandera County Extension Service.

The average tourist spends between $50 and $60 per day on lodging, food, recreation, shopping and entertainment, it was reported.

According to a national survey cited during the seminar, an area attracting just 100 new visitors per day for a year would create approximately 100 new full- and part-time jobs, $960,000 in personal income, $192,000 in additional bank deposits and enough tax money to educate 42 children for one year.

Rudy Robbins and Terry Joe Morrow conducted the bulk of Friday's two identical seminars designed for Bandera County people who must meet the public as part of their jobs.

Col. Reeves wins another trap title

Retired Col. Elmo Reeves of Bandera won the middle yardage championship at the first spring trapshooting tournament at the Greater Houston Gun Club last weekend.

Reeves, a vetgran sharpshooter, lost the club's overall championship to India's famous champion, Makloum Saud, by one target after a gruelling shootoff.

Utopia Footprints

Members of the Utopia Footprints were guests of Jerri Tagge Wednesday for breakfast and a very interesting trail.

Members attending were Lois Boyce, Pauline Robinson and Vivian and Harry Webb. Guests were Suzanne Barbaroy-Emge and Angelina, her sister-in-law from Peru, Edna Kellner, David and Evelyn MacDonald, Ada Ruth Rieber, Mary Smith and Gwen Watkins.

The Footprints will walk the American Volksport Association-sanctioned trail in Fredericksburg May 2. Individuals in Utopia interested in joining can contact Pauline Robinson or Lois Boyce about carpool and departure time. Anyone in Bandera interested can contact Harry or Vivian Webb at 796-3140.

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Obituaries

Dorothy Spain

Dorothy Spain, 69, of Bandera died Tuesday in the Sid Peterson Hospital.

She is survived by her husband, Floyd Spain of Bandera; four daughters, Joan Holley, Willa Powell, and Marsha Barnett, all of Sweetwater, and Doris Poggemiller of Bandera; two sons, James Green of Sweetwater and Gary Herren of Bandera; and 15 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Cate-Spencer Funeral Home in Sweetwater.

Alfonso L. Calderon

Alfonso L. Calderon, 57, of Brenham died Saturday in a Brenham hospital. He was a brother of Rita Campos of Bandera.

A former Kerrville resident. Other survivors include his daughter, Lisa Arreola of Galesburg, Ill.; two sons, Alfonso Calderon Jr. of Galesburg and Pete Calderon of Kerrville; his mother, Ramona Calderon of Kerrville; three other sisters, Anita Lara, Minerva Barron and Angelita Torres, all of Kerrville; and four brothers, Gasper Calderon of Rawlings Wyo., Jesus Calderon of Texas City, and Eloy and Homero Calderon of Kerrville.

Funeral mass was celebrated Tuesday it Notre Dame Catholic Church in Kerrville and burial was in Guadalupe Cemetery, Kerrville.

Florence F. Dugosh

Florence F. Dugosh, 84, of Kerrville die Sunday, April 8, in the Meadowview Nursing Home. A Kerrvill resident since 1968, she was born April 30, 1899 in Bandera County. She was a member of the Notre Dame Catholic Church.

Survivors include a sister, Clara Dugosh Reeves of Kerrville, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Rosary was said Monday in the Grimes Funeral Chapels, Bandera, and Mass was celebrated Tuesday in the St. Stanislaus Catholic Church with Monsigner Ralph Smith officiating. Burial was in St. Stanislaus Catholic Cemetery, Bandera.

Bertie Schaefer

Bertie Pearl Schaefer, 79, of Uvalde died April 6 at Southeast Baptist Hospital in San Antonio.

A member of Northside Baptist Church, she is survived by three sons, Pete Schaefer, Raymond Schaefer and Gene Schaefer, all of Uvalde; three daughters, Orene Clayton, Palacios, Rosalie Taylor, San Antonio, and Linda Hocker, Uvalde; two sisters, Gertrude Highsmith, Ingram, and Thora Guess, Devine; two brothers, Bert Guess and Isaac Guess, Utopia.

Funeral services were Wednesday. She was buried in the Hillcrest Cemetery.

George Strange Sr.

George Erwin Strange Sr., 79, died Monday, April 9, at Purple Hills Nursing Home in Bandera.

Born in New Lexington, Ohio, July 14, 1904, to Robert Erwin Strange and Fairro Bell Gordon Strange, he was a member of the Baptist Church and a retired mail carrier. He married Helen Louise Orrell May 7, 1926, in Lakeland, Fla.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Louise Strange of Houston; two sons, Howard L. Strange of Bandera and John E. Strange of Spring; and three grandchildren, Connie Jo Ann Strange of Houston, Robert B. Strange of College Station and Michael E. Strange of Universal City.

Services were Tuesday at the graveside in the Bandera Cemetery with the Rev. Harvey Hulse officiating.



In 4-cup glass measure combine brown sugar, evaporated milk, and butter or margarine. Place in microwave oven.

Cook brown sugar mixture at HIGH for 2½ minutes till smooth and syrupy, stirring every minute. Stir in pecans, rum flavoring, and vanilla. Serve over ice cream. Makes 1¾ cups.

GINGER-ORANGE CHICKEN (shown)
Total cooking time: 33 minutes, 30 seconds

1 2½- to 3-pound broiler-fryer chicken, cut up
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¼ teaspoon paprika
⅓ of 6-ounce can (⅔ cup) frozen orange juice concentrate, thawed
2 tablespoons brown sugar
2 tablespoons snipped parsley
2 teaspoons soy sauce
½ teaspoon ground ginger
1 tablespoon cornstarch
1 tablespoon cold water
Hot cooked rice

Arrange chicken pieces in 12x7½x2-inch baking dish. Sprinkle with salt and paprika. Combine orange juice concentrate, brown sugar, parsley, soy sauce, ginger, and ¼ cup water, pour over chicken. Cover and place in microwave oven.

Cook chicken at MEDIUM HIGH for 20 minutes till tender. Remove chicken to serving platter. Cover; keep warm. Skim off fat from pan juices. In small bowl combine cornstarch and water. Add to pan juices in baking dish.

Cook sauce at HIGH for 3½ minutes till thickened and bubbly, stirring after each minute. Spoon the orange sauce over chicken. Garnish with parsley, if desired. Serve with rice. Serves 5.

Kerr County Fair

The Kerr County Fair Association has invited high school bands, square dance clubs, magicians, jugglers, singers, bands, musicians, trick ropers, children's gymnastic and dance studios, to participate in the Kerr County Fair, July 27, 28 and 29 in Kerrville.

"Local entertainers are always a great asset to their community and the Kerr County Fair would like to provide a showcase for them," said Linda Fort, one of the fair's organizers.



Preparations underway for annual Easter bonfires

The annual Fredericksburg Easter Fires Pageant will be presented April 21 the Saturday night before Easter Sunday. The pageant will again be held in front of the large grandstand at the Gillespie County Fair Grounds, located approximately three miles south of Fredericksburg on Highway 16, beginning at 8:15 p.m.

For 38 years, the Easter Fires Pageant has been presented by a cast of over 800, and is sponsored by the Gillespie County Historical Society and Commission.

The Fredericksburg Easter Fires pageant is the country's most unique, in that it blends the history of the community and the local fable of the "Easter Bunny" with the deeply religious facets of Easter for a most delightful evening.

When you and yours come to Fredericksburg in April, you will, among other things, suddenly find yourself in the past. You will be in the year 1846 and witness John O. Meusebach, and other assorted colonists from Germany, come to the hill country of Texas to found Fredericksburg. You will see the story unfold as Meusebach, and other select men, in order to live without fear among the Indians of the area, wisely decide to journey to the San Saba River, the winter camp of the fierce Comanches, Apaches, and Tonkawas, in the hopes of making a treaty of peace with them.

It is now 1847, and while the colonists and Indians are in meeting, other Indians are stationed on the hills surrounding Fredericksburg. They are to keep watch on the small community and transmit messages to each other by way of smoke signals. When word finally comes on the honesty of the colonists with their treaty of peace, the Indians are to burn their fires high as a sign that all is well.

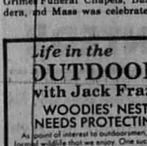
Meanwhile, a pioneer mother, left alone with her children in a cabin while her husband is away with Meusebach, is distressed by her children's anxious questions and fright as they see the Indian signal fires on the hills. She remembers the story told her as a child in Germany; a tale that on a certain night, fairies came out to dance around fires on the hills. The legend tells that fairies set fire to the old wood to make room for growth of new timber, plants, and flowers, signifying that winter was over and spring would soon be there. (Today historians tell us that for centuries it was customary to set Easter eve fires ablaze on the hills of Germany.) However, she realizes that her children would not understand about fairies on the wild Texas frontier. You will relive history and hear as the mother actually weaves her own tale about the little rabbits her children had seen as they played in the woods. Because of Eastertime, the children are told that the "Easter Rabbit" was boiling eggs in large kettles over the fires. He was coloring them with dyes made of beautiful wild flowers, and if the children would go to sleep, they would find the eggs in their "Easter Nests" at the cabin door on Easter morning. Thus the story of the "Easter Bunny" and the Fredericksburg Easter Fires Pageant is born.

The Meusebach story, having been retold many times and handed down through the years, actually gives a fairly complete history of the founding of Fredericksburg. However, the enactment of the "Easter Fires" and the rabbits in all sizes, ages, and colors, is the high point for everyone, young and old, in the audience.

Women's workshop scheduled May 3

A workshop entitled "Women: Making It Happen, Now Is the Time!" will be presented May 3 at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 1018 East Grayson St. in San Antonio.

The workshop is sponsored by the Alamo Area Council of Governments and the mayor's Commission on the Status of Women, with co-sponsors being the Task Force on Women and Alcohol/Drugs, San Antonio Council on Alcoholism and St. Paul's Episcopal Church.



As point of interest to outdoorsmen, we all need to help preserve nature and the many forms of wildlife that we enjoy. One such species is the Wood Duck.
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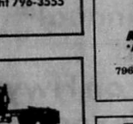

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For further information, contact The First National Bank of Bandera, Bandera, Texas, 796-3711. 39-2tc

—Thank yous—

Thank You

I would like to thank everyone who supported me in the recent city councilman election. I appreciate your support and trust. I will try to carry out my duties to the best of my ability and to the satisfaction of the majority of the voters.

Again thanks,
Raymond J. Adamietz
40-1tp

Thank You

A great big thank you to the people of the Medina Independent School District for your marvelous turnout for the Trustee Election. I personally thank all of you for your encouragement and your vote. May we all work together to continue having a good school in our community. I thank my son Michael for writing the political announcement that was in the paper in my behalf.

Sincerely,
John J. Derry
40-1tc

Thank You

I sincerely thank all of you who supported me in the municipal election.

Dorothy Darden
40-1tc

Thank You

I would like to express my appreciation for the cards, food, and visits received from friends and relatives during my recent hospitalization. Your generosity and expressions of love during this time reconfirm my faith in the people of this community. God bless all of you.

Bill Anderson
40-1tp

A word of thanks from councilperson Dianne L. Tobin

As your newly-elected city council member, I wish to thank all my friends and constituents who so loyally supported me in the city elections on April 7. I realize that in the complicated business of our everyday lives, it is often difficult to take the time to recognize the importance of participation in and understanding of political matters, no matter how directly they affect us. Thanks to all of you who cared enough to speak with me and support me with your encouragement and your votes.

To all of the citizens of Bandera, I express my dedication to making Bandera the best place to live that it can be- to reducing those negative aspects that need correcting, as well as enhancing those positive characteristics that we all associate with the unique experience of living here. As I continue to serve you on the Council, as I have the last six months, I look forward to approaching all matters of city government with a fair and impartial attitude, and to helping prepare our town for the challenging future that lies ahead of us.

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PEN in PAW

For, about and by students in Bandera schools.
Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Speckman

Clements sisters advance to regional meet



Pictured are High School winners Daniel Potts, Troy Stevens and Joe Kalka.

By Christine Caloss

Talent was displayed by sisters Kellie and Becky Clements at the 2B AAA Track and Field meet when they placed in their individual events to enable them to advance to the regional competition.

Junior Kellie Clements, a 3-year letterman in track, placed first in the shot put and second in discus. She threw the discus 115 feet, her best throw ever, and she put the shot 36-5½.

"Last year I placed fourth at the regional meet," she said. This year I hope to better my throws and advance to state."

Becky, a 2-year letterman, placed second in the long jump with a jump of 15-7¾. This is the second year in which Becky has qualified for regionals also. "I hope to better my jump at regionals," she said. "My best jump this year was 16-3. I would like to jump that or even more."

The varsity track team placed fourth with 83 points, losing third-place to Smithson Valley by only 2½ points. "Overall our kids did a good job," said Coach Barbara Mazurek. "They bettered times and furthered distances. We ended the season on a highly competitive note. The girls really got with it."



Clements sisters Kellie and Becky advance in track.

Others placing in district including third in the triple jump by Becky Clements; fourth in the triple jump by Paige Youngblood; third in the hurdles by Tiffin Youngblood; fifth in the hurdles by Lorri Robbins; fourth in the 400-meter dash by Becky Clements; fifth in the 200-meter dash by Missy Mangold; third in the 400-meter relay by Becky Clements, Kellie Clements, Robbins, and Paige Youngblood; third in the 800-meter relay by Robbins, Schimandle, Cherry, and Paige Youngblood; fourth in the 1600-meter relay by Schimandle, Nancy Patton, Espinosa, and Becky Clements.

Senior Tiffin Youngblood said, "Track has been very exciting. I have learned that you must never give up and always give it your all. You must have confidence in yourself, otherwise you are already beaten."

Hill Country Art Show winners

The Hill Country Art Show held annually for the past few years had several winners from Bandera. The contest, which is separated into grades, is open to art students from junior high or high school. Thirteen schools participated this year. Winning schools were awarded such things as calligraphy sets, scholarships for private art classes and Bandera received a book on art.

Bandera Junior High winners were Karl Schmacker, second place for eighth grade, and Tim Methvin, eighth grade honorable mention.

Those winning from Bandera High School were 9th graders Daniel Potts, third place, and Troy Stevens, honorable mention; 11th grader Patty Walker, fourth; and senior Joe Kalka, fourth.

Art classes will be going on field trips to see the exhibits from the show, which will be open until the last Friday in April.

—Daria Johnston

Attention parents of all eighth graders

By Sandy Riedner

An orientation will be held Monday, April 16, regarding a four-year planning session of elective and required subjects for all eighth grade students.

It will be held in the High School Cafeteria beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Parents as well as students are encouraged to attend the orientation, which will also explain new state educational requirements. These requirements include a new grading system, regular and advanced high school programs, and new graduation requirements.

Counselor Charles Graves will explain how students can select their classes from the offered programs. For example, advanced science-math, vocational or homemaking programs, athletic-band program, or regular business program.

Teachers of elective classes will be present to answer any questions pertaining to subjects.

Graves commented, "I cannot express how important it is for parents to attend this orientation. With all the new requirements for next year, a planned curriculum is a necessity."



Junior High Cheerleaders Ann Muller, Kim Lukachik, Kirsten Robinson, Shawna Santos, Bobby Jane Malone and Crystal Elley show their stuff.

Junior High cheerleaders elected

If you drove by the Junior High gym last week and heard a lot of shouting for the Bulldogs, you're probably wondering why. Well, the 1984-85 Junior High cheerleaders were chosen last week, and they went through three hard days of practice, judges screening, and student body try-outs.

The 1984-85 cheerleaders are eighth graders Ann Muller, Kim Lukachik and Kirsten Robinson. Seventh graders Shawna Santos and Bobbie Jane Malone, and sixth grader Crystal Elley.

Before trying out in front of the student body, candidates had to pass the judges screening with a score of 75. These six girls will attend a summer cheerleading camp to learn new routines and will cheer the Junior High Bulldogs on to victory next year.

Congratulations to all those who tried out for this position and a special congratulations to the six new cheerleaders.

—Michele Speckman

Pick up those Senior T-shirts!

Attention Seniors:

If you haven't picked up your Senior T-shirt, pick it up in Mr. Stein's room as soon as possible. A few extra shirts were ordered and are available for $9. If you want one of these, see Mr. Stein. —Wendy Valdez

Senior spotlight



Linda Lee Erfurt



Michele Speckman



Stephanie Mullins

Linda Lee Erfurt

Linda Lee Erfurt's favorite quote is "Who dares nothing need hope for nothing." This is an appropriate quote for her since she has big plans after graduation.

Linda plans to attend a business college soon after she graduates and hopes to land a good, high-paying job. She would also like to marry in the future and raise a family.

People she says have influenced her life the most include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Erfurt, Mrs. Stevens, Ms. Wiles, and her friends.

Linda has been active in various organizations during her high school career. One organization is OEA. She attended the OEA Area Meet in Corpus Christi where she placed 15th in Prepared Verbal. She has been a member her junior and senior year and is secretary this year.

Linda is also a member of ALS and has competed in UIL math and spelling for two years.

—Karen Rizner

Michele Speckman

Michele Diane Speckman, daughter of Donna Speckman and Myron Speckman, has been involved in BHS Band, UIL, journalism, ALS, NHS, and tennis.

Michele has been in band since the eighth grade, and has been named to all-district from the ninth through 12th grades; Flag Corps and all-regional from the tenth through 12th grades; Co-Captain of flag corps her senior year; state solo and ensemble contests ninth and 11th grades. This year she went to area band.

She has also been very involved in UIL. In the literary division, she participated in typing her sophomore year and in spelling her junior and senior years. In the journalism division, she placed fourth at district in editorials her junior year, which made her regional alternate.

Michele has held offices such as sophomore class vice president, ALS reporter, Pen in Paw editor and business manager her senior year.

Determined and successful Michele, (planning to go to SWTSU with accounting as her major), stated, "I plan to become a CPA, and I won't give up until I do."

The 20A award, Century III Leaders, TLC Select Senior Honor Band, Jazz Dancing, Teens For Christ, and Methodist Youth Fellowship are just some of Michele's other achievements.

Michele's favorite quote is a good one to remember, "The greatest griefs are those we cause ourselves."

—Toni Kunz

Stephanie Mullins

Stephanie Aileen Mullins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mullins, would like to base her life on the quote "Live, Love and Laugh."

Stephanie's main goal in life is to continue with her education and find an enjoyable job. After graduation, Stephanie plans to live in San Antonio and go to a training school.

Stephanie says that the people who have most influenced her life are her boyfriend, and her friends whom she says are always there when she needs them.

During her high school years, Stephanie has been involved in many organizations. She has been in ALS her junior and senior years, FFA her freshman and sophomore years, FHA her junior and senior years, and band her freshman, sophomore and junior years.

If Stephanie could re-live her high school years, she says she would change her past, because she is not proud of some of the things she has done. She also says her past sometimes interferes with her present life.

—Melissa Ross

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Deer hunting season to open here on Nov. 17

The 1984 white-tailed deer hunting season in Bandera County will open Nov. 17 and extend through Jan. 6, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission decided Friday.

In other action, the commission adopted a standard statewide nsail season to open Nov. 3 and extend through Feb. 24. It's the first time in the state's history that there are no exceptions for various counties or regions, the Parks and Wildlife Department said.

The white-tailed deer hunting season will be uniform in most counties, through there are exceptions for certain Panhandle counties, some Trans-Pecos area counties, and five East Texas counties.

The commission also voted to retain the buck permit system of unlimited permits for whitetails in Maverick, Webb, Duval and Zapata Counties.

The commission provided an October archery season for turkeys for Kerr and three other counties, but made no changes in the state's phesasnt season.

—Worth noting—

Downed airplane?

A report of a possible downed airplane in the western end of the county proved to be a false alarm, according to civil defense coordinator Hoyt Foster of Vanderpool.

"Apparently someone not familiar with the Air Force training routes saw a jet pass low over a hill and mistook the jet exhaust for distress smoke," Foster says.

Air Force T-38 Talons, advanced trainers from Randolph Air Force Base, F-4D Phantoms from Bergstrom AFB in Austin, and Navy TA4 trainers from Beeville and Kingsville frequently fly over the Utopia-Vanderpool area at altitudes varying from 100 to 500 feet on training missions.

The F4 Phantom is especially noted for trailing a dense exhaust trail, aircraft experts say.

Shooting

David Konvicka, 15, of Pipe Creek was hospitalized at Methodist Hospital in San Antonio following what police said was an accidental gunshot wound to the shoulder.

Konvicka told EMS personnel and sheriff's deputies at the scene that a .22 caliber revolver fell to the floor and discharged on March 27.

The bullet entered his shoulder, passed completely through and struck a wall approximately five feet behind him. He was transported to the hospital by Pipe Creek EMS personnel.

Police report

Fernando H. Hernandez, 34, of San Antonio was arrested April 1 by DPS trooper Nolan Metz and charged with possession of marijuana.

His car was observed crossing the center stripe on SH 16 east of Bandera a number of times, Metz said. The officer observed what was believed to be a marijuana cigarette smoldering in the ashtray, and a container with two hand-rolled cigarettes containing what was believed to be marijuana was found under the driver's seat.

Hernander, also charged with driving with a suspended license, was released on bonds totaling $3,800, by Peace Justice Bonnie Tower.

Early Deane III, 40, of Bandera was arrested by city police and charged with driving while intoxicated last Wednesday. Deane was released the following day after posting $1,000 bond.

Also charged here this week with felony DWI was Bryan Taylor, 25, of Bandera. Taylor was arrested Sunday by city police and he remains in Bandera County Jail in lieu of $2,000 bond.

Also arrested Sunday were Hector Prado, 33, of Helotes charged with public intoxication and disorderly conduct, and Manuel V. Ramos, 33, of San Antonio charged with driving while intoxicated and driving with no driver's license. Both remain in Bandera County Jail in lieu of bond.

'Chick days' slated by local feed store

Trying to trim the breakfast budget and get back to basics, many area residents are turning to backyard poultry raising, according to Harvey Faris of Bandera Ranch Store in Bandera.

"People like knowing their eggs are fresh and come from a good source," he suggests. "And of course, raising eggs and meat in a backyard setting can help shrink the grocery bill."

To encourage this movement toward backyard poultry production and help more families join in the fun, Bandera Ranch Store will hold a special "Chick Days" celebration on April 13. "We will be offering a variety of specials and we'll give away one free broiler-type chick with every purchase of two chicks."

"Chick Days is designed to show people how easy it is to raise their own chickens for eggs or meat," the dealer points out. "Most don't realize so little investment is required to start a flock. For instance, "he continues, "a flock of 25 chicks requires only a 5X5 foot area that's well-protected from draft, cold and other animals. Lightbulbs or heat lamps can provide heat for young chicks, and wire fencing is needed for walls."

"Laying hens can be housed in an old tool shed or even a garage, and need only 2 to 3 square feet apiece, depending on the breed," he points out.

Despite the small investment, backyard poultry producers derive substantial personal enjoyment from these projects, the supplier declares. "It's an activity for the whole family," he says. "There's a sense of pride, of self-sufficiency in raising your own eggs and meat. And children are making a worthwhile contribution to the household in caring for the flock," he adds.

The entire neighborhood can benefit from one family raising chickens, too, the supplier suggests. "Today's laying hens produce plenty of eggs, and any extras are most certainly well-received by the neighbors," he observes.

For those interested in starting their own "family flock," the feed supply store will offer advice and guidance during "Chick Days" and throughout the year on how to raise chickens from their first day through laying. "Raising chickens is an inexpensive and relatively trouble-free pasttime," the supplier says. "If people start their flock in the early springtime, they could have fresh eggs by late summer. A good laying breed should start laying eggs at about five months, and will produce about 200 eggs a year," he adds.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Herbert W. Hass, Bandera; Trudy P. Ohlenburger, Pipe Creek; Glen L. Price, Bandera; Leslie C. Mayfield, Medina; Mrs. Jessie E. Ivy, Vanderpool; Betty I. Simons, Medina; and William R. Castle, Bandera.

The following person was among those admitted to Medina Memorial Hospital in Hondo this week:

Jeanette Baugham of Mico.

Artists supper

Bandera County Artists will have a potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 17, at the First State Bank Community Room.

Artists have been asked to bring an example of their recent work and a covered dish.

Artists new to area are invited to attend. For more information call Olga Bolduc at 796-4839.

Bulletin photograph cited by STPA

The Bandera Bulletin won second place for a feature photograph in the South Texas Press Association's Better Newspaper Contest announced during the group's annual convention Friday in San Antonio.

Editor and general manager Nick Johnson accepted the plaque that goes with the award.

The winning photo was one of a tearful exhibitor at the Bandera County Junior Livestock Show that included the auctioneer in the background. It was snapped by Johnson during the 1983 livestock show.

First-place in feature photographs went to the Lampasas Dispatch and third place went to the Burnet Bulletin.

World champion powerlifters to compete in meet here

At least three powerlifting world champions and some world record holders are expected in Bandera May 19 to compete in an officially-sanctioned Amateur Athletic Union open meet.

In conjunction with the open competition, during which contestants can qualify for the national championships, a high school powerlifting meet will be conducted, with entries expected from area schools.

The meet is being coordinated by Tony Johnson of Bandera, himself a former world record holder. Among those expected, says Johnson, are Doug Young of Brownwood, three times world champion at 242 pounds who is now lifting in the 275-pound class.

Young is the brother of former all-pro Bob Young of the Houston Oilers and Kansas City Chiefs who is now line coach of the Houston Gamblers. The football-playing Young is also a powerlifter and is expected to be here for the meet, though he won't compete.

Also expected is Rick Gaugler of Corpus Christi, three times world champion at 165 pounds.

Johnson is recovering from a knee injury and was unable to compete in other meets in which qualification for nationals is possible. Most of the others who compete here are also recovering from injuries of some sort and were unable to qualify for the national finals at other, earlier meets, Johnson said.

Folk festival slated at Quiet Valley

The 13th annual Kerrville Folk Festival, May 24-June 3, at Rod Kennedy's Quiet Valley Ranch near Kerrville is a reunion of song writers from all over Texas and the nation.

Since the festival started in 1972 the emphasis has been on original song writers with a sprinkling of traditional folk performers. While there are dozens of national ranked song writers on the festival, there are also 11 more who came up the ranks by way of Kerrville's New Folk Concerts for emerging song writers.

Nationally-known song writers include Texans Bobby Bridger ("Heal in the Wisdom"), Steven Fromholz ("I'd Have To Be Crazy"), Rusty Wier ("Don't It Make You Wanna Dance"), Shake Russell ("You've Got A Lover"), Ray Wylie Hubbard ("Up Against The Wall, Redneck Mother"), Townes Van Zandt ("Poncho and Lefty"), Guy Clark ("Desperados"), Billy Joe Shaver ("Old Chunk of Coal"), B.W. Stevenson ("My Maria"), and Gary P. Nunn ("London Homesick Blues"..."I Wanna' Go Home With The Armadillo").

These are all Texas writers and are joined by Californian Steve Gillette ("Darcy Farrow"), Chicagoan Bob Gibson ("Abilene"), Steven Young from Nashville ("Seven Bridges Road"), Peter Yarrow ("Puff, The Magic Dragon") and many others from New York and elsewhere.

All together there are 56 evening performers and only four of them have not written their own songs. Add to the songwriters a bluegrass band, a couple of Irish bands, a Mexican conjunto band, flat-picking guitar players, and unique artists like Gamble Rogers, Riders in the Sky and Odetta and you have the unique experience in music and camping out that has become known in a dozen countries around the world.

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Nothing changes...

Time marches on and yet things never seem to change. Here are the following bits of semi-local news.

"Mob Attempts to Lynch Attacker."

Two Bodies Taken from...Pit."

"Four Killed as Plane Crashes."

"Princess Gives Birth to Son."

Drafting of New Tax Bill Starts Today."

In addition, pork prices were down, and so was beef on the hoof. One group of emigrants was displacing another, and the Army was purchasing new bombers.

It all sounds familiar enough doesn't it? Even the ads fell in line... men's hats...lumber...optical service... a bus line... jewelry.

The date? Monday, Oct. 31. The newspaper? The San Antonio Express...1927.

I found a portion of this elderly chronicle and thought I'd share some of the "Good old days" with you.

District Class A meet

Track is an individual sport for the most part. The pitting of a persons abilities and energies against the clock or the tape.

Oh sure, there are other contestants on the track too but it mostly boils down to that one time chance against the final measure.

So, it is fitting I suppose for everything to ride on one track event, the district meet. Everything an athlete has done prior to district doesn't count for beans. Records set are just that and nothing more. Everything begins...or ends at district.

The first two place winners in all events go on to regional and possibly beyond. Anything else is just a ticket home.

So it was in Medina Thursday when 11 area Class A schools gathered to see who would go on to the glory and who would go home.

The weather for once was kind and a cool morning greeted the opening of the field events.

VFD thanks

The Medina Volunteer Fire Department has extended their thanks to all those area fire departments and volunteers who helped "stomp out" the 71 Ranch fire of two weeks ago.

Medina members were unsure as to exactly who answered the calls, but a spokesman said at least ten area units responded and possibly more.

Thanks are also offered to Channel 5 KENS-TV for the use of their new chopper as a spotter and to the many individuals and businesses who supplied food and drink to the weary firefighters.

Firefighters once again asked citizens to use caution in doing controlled burns. The winds are still with us, the rains have not come, and the whole area is a tenderbox waiting for a stray spark. "PLEASE, don't you provide it!" firefighters caution.

Bike for St. Jude

The 1984 St. Jude's Children's Hospital Bike-a-thon will be Saturday, April 14, from 9 a.m. to noon. Interested bikers can pick up sponsor sheets at the Old Timer.

Cold drinks and snacks will be furnished for the riders and prizes will be awarded to the top riders.

Proceeds go to defray expenses for young cancer patients.

Easter egg hunt

Wednesday, April 18, at 2:45 p.m. (or so) the Medina United Methodist Church will have an Easter egg hunt for children in elementary school or younger.

All kids are invited to come and bring their baskets and, if possible, two or three eggs. "Don't let the lack of eggs keep you at home," however, organizers say. "Come any way and search the area about the Methodist Youth Center for those elusive ovoids of spring.

Refreshments will be furnished by the United Methodist Women.

Spaghetti supper

Celebrate Friday the 13th by enjoying a spaghetti supper at Medina's cafetorium. Sponsored by the Medina High School sophomore class, the eating starts at 5:30 p.m. and goes on 'till 8 p.m.

Wins band award

Wendy Marie Kriedler of Medina High School has been named a U.S. National Award winner in band, according to an announcement by the U.S. Achievement Academy.

She is the daughter of Frank and Faye Kriedler of Medina and her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carmickle of Union City, Tenn.

Medina menu

April 16-19

Monday: Sloppy joes, beans, scalloped potatoes, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Chalupas, salad, corn, fruit and milk.

Wednesday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, fruit, rolls and milk.

Thursday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Friday: Holiday.

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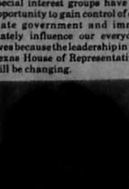
—Political announcement—

Stan J. Zwinggi

Stan J. Zwinggi of Floresville ... announce his candidacy for State Representative, District 45 (Atascosa, Bandera, Frio, Live Oak, Medina, and Wilson Counties).

"I decided to seek office for three basic reasons. One, I wish to do my part in insuring that the interests and needs of District 45 are represented in what I consider a critical point in time for the State of Texas. The big spenders and special interest groups have an opportunity to gain control of our state government and immediately influence our everyday lives because the leadership in the Texas House of Representatives will be changing.


Stan J. Zwinggi

"At least 11 of the 33 standing committee chairpersons (through which all legislation must pass) are not seeking re-election. Overall, it is estimated that 30 of the 150 incumbents are voluntarily stepping down.

These vacancies present an unusual opportunity for special interest groups to insert "their" representative and usher in a new era of taxation and increased government spending.

"Two, we must have strong, competent representation in Austin, simply because the deck is stacked against rural districts such as our own when it comes to competing for state funds against the more populated metropolitan areas.

In Texas, we are outnumbered 6 to 1, metropolitan population to rural population.

Upcoming issues directly affecting all of us will be additional funding for mass transit systems and regulation of groundwater usage, of which, the metropolitan areas have nothing to lose and everything to gain. We are not going to give up our water nor are we going to pick up the tab for financing mass transit systems for Houston and Dallas. "Three, I am concerned about the apparent lack of spending priorities in our state government. It is my opinion that government should provide four fundamental services before doing anything else:

"Education — Our education system should be the best in the nation. Higher pay for teachers is only one of many needed reforms. Much work and study is being done by select committees appointed by the governor to insure quality education. I think they are on the right track.

"Law and Order — We must allow our law enforcement agencies to do their job. Right now, the scales of justice are tipping to the side of the criminal. Change is needed. Furthermore, it is imperative that we maintain a modern, highly skilled law enforcement agency to protect the public.

"State Highways, Farm-To-Market Roads — Texas has one of most well-planned transportation systems in the country. We must continue to maintain and upgrade existing roads and construct new facilities where needed.

"Environment — It is the responsibility of all Texans to protect our beautiful state. However, only state government can insure a system of checks and balances between industry and the environment. We need to clean up the San Antonio River and we don't need any additional toxic waste in District 45.

"The Texas Legislature is, of course, the key to providing these services through appropriation of state revenues and adhering to a policy of fiscal responsibility. Our politicians must be conservative in spending matters, they must thoroughly research proposed spending needs, and they must become more creative in simply passing new taxes.

"I look forward to meeting each of you during the course of this campaign. I am dedicated to assuring your interests, not those represented by special interest groups."

Stan received his Bachelor of Science degree in Industrial Engineering from Texas A&M University and has worked for Chevron Resources Co. the past six years. He has received training in Safety Engineering, Budgeting, Financial Analysis, and is currently serving as Senior Engineer. He is married to the former Cindy L. Van Gundy. The Zwinggis reside in Floresville with their new daughter, Krystal, and are members of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

(Pd. Political Adv. by Stanley J. Zwinggi, 1923 Virginia Lane, Floresville, Tx. 78114.) 40-1tp

Cactus Jack days

A full schedule of events dedicated to the memory of John N. "Cactus Jack" Garner is planned for Uvalde, Garner's hometown, during the first weekend in June, sponsored by the Uvalde Arts Council, Uvalde Area Community Theatre, Southwest Texas Junior College, and the Uvalde Chamber of Commerce.

The activities will include a symposium, "The Personality and Politics of John Nance Garner," to be held on Friday, June 1, at the restored Grand Opera House in downtown Uvalde. The all-day seminar will be followed by the opening performance of Rick Smith's "Sideshow," a musical comedy about Garner's days in Washington in the 1930s. Following the performance, a "First Nighter" party will be held on the lawn of the Garner home and museum, 333 N. Park. On June 2 and 3, Uvalde's annual "Cactus Jack" Days will be held on the Uvalde Fairgrounds, west of town on Hwy. 90. Featured will be horse races, food and game booths, western dance, and arts and crafts.

"A winner..."



This photograph, by Bulletin editor Nick Johnson was adjudged the second-best feature picture in the annual South Texas Press Association's Better Newspaper Contest Friday in San Antonio.

Said the University of Texas judges: "Both timing and framing, the keys to astute photography, are used to exceptional advantage here. The timing catches the expression. The camera position give us a good tight frame on the race and hand of the girl and the face of the animal. Her tearful face coupled with the auctioneer framed between her and the animal tell the story. We don't need the caption to understand what is happening.

"And we don't need a contest judge to tell us that this is an effective picture of real emotion that is going to be a winner with the readers."

Thanks, Bandera and 10-year-old Sabrina Brunson for helping make us a winner.

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Burns 'guilty' of leaving scene

A jury in 198th District Court in Kerrville Tuesday found Ricky Burns, 25, of Pasadena guilty of refusing to stop and render aid in the Dec. 28, 1983 accident that killed Kimberly Britt Eoff, formerly of Medina. He will be sentenced June 1.

Burns is one of four men charged in the death of the 24-year-old Brady school teacher.

It was alleged that two cars carrying the four were traveling at an apparent high rate of speed from Kerrville to Bandera on Highway 173 when one of the cars, a Chevrolet Monte Carlo, crossed the centerline and sideswiped the late model Toyota driven by Eoff. The Chevrolet then passed through a fence and came to rest in a pasture.

The other car then picked up the occupants of the Monte Carlo and proceeded to Bandera.

Eoff's parents, sister and brother are all residents of Medina.

Burns has requested a presentencing investigation, which District Judge V. Murray Jordan granted. The judge then set sentencing for June 1.

Joe Britt, former Medina High School coach and father of the victim, testified that he last saw his daughter at 5:45 p.m. when she left his Medina home for her in-laws' home in Kerrville.

Witnesses in the car Burns was driving and the following vehicle testified they had began drinking at a restaurant in Bandera at 9 a.m. the day of the accident and continued throughout the day, making numerous stops for six-packs and twelve-packs.

Following the accident, the other three men checked Eoff and found her dead. They said they warned Burns not to approach. Burns then offered another defendant, Billy Heatheoat, $100 to drive him to Pasadena.

After arriving home, Burns testified, he fell asleep. The next day his wife phoned authorities, and he was arrested.

Heat may be cause of SA man's death

Police officials theorize that a San Antonio man whose nude body was found at the edge of Lake Medina last Wednesday afternoon succumbed to the heat after battling a grass fire.

Marshall Dempsey, 29, of San Antonio was pronounced dead at the site by Peace Justice Ed Jennings of Pipe Creek.

Preliminary results of an autopsy performed by the Bexar County Medical Examiner says the man's death was caused by a heart attack. Final results had not been received by press time Wednesday.

Investigators learned Dempsey had come to Pebble Beach with his girlfriend for a picnic Wednesday. A campfire they had built was apparently stirred by winds and spread out of control. Dempsey tried to extinguish the blaze, but failed. He then decided to go for help and left his companion to try to control the fire.

Police officials theorize that Dempsey succumbed to the heat after battling the blaze in the 90-plus temperatures and then entering the heated interior of his car. He had managed to drive only a short distance before leaving the car. He discarded his clothing as he attempted to reach the lake, they theorize. His body was found nude, except for tennis shoes and socks, some 50 yards from the water's edge.

Complaint filed by mother of hit-and-run victim

Carolyn Kuykendall, 19, of Bandera was injured early Thursday morning when she was struck by a car on Main Street in Bandera near the corner of Highway 16.

Kuykendall was transported by Bandera County Emergency Medical Service to Sid Peterson Hospital where she was admitted in guarded condition. A hospital source said Wednesday she was transferred Friday to a San Antonio hospital.

Kuykendall reportedly had been out with a friend, Winona Laurie, 34, of San Antonio when they began arguing. Laurie reportedly accelerated her car onto Main Street striking and running over Kuykendall with a rear wheel.

A complaint filed by Kuykendall's mother, Peggy Poe of Bandera, charges Laurie with aggravated assault with a motor vehicle, a felony offense. Additionally, Police Chief Walter Welch has stated the city will file failure to stop and render aid and leaving the scene of an accident.

At press time Laurie had not been arrested.

Special services planned

By Lila MacMillan
Staff writer

Special Easter worship services and observances are planned throughout Bandera County this week, and many members from all denominations will gather together for the annual community sunrise services on the courthouse lawn on Sunday morning.

Many churches will start the Easter services on Holy Thursday with Maundy Thursday celebrations commemorating the Lord's Last Supper followed by meals such as were served at the Passover supper. Several churches will observe Good Friday with special services.

Churches reporting Maundy Thursday services are St. Stanislaus Catholic Church at 7 p.m., St. Christopher's Episcopal Church at 7:30 p.m., Bandera United Methodist Church 7:30 p.m., and Grace Lutheran Church at 7 p.m.

Good Friday will be celebrated with special services at Grace Lutheran Church 7:30 p.m., St. Christopher's Episcopal Church from noon to 1 p.m., and St. Stanislaus Catholic Church at 7 p.m.

The annual community Easter Sunrise Service will be offered by the churches of Bandera on the lawn of the Bandera County Courthouse at 6:30 a.m. Easter morning.

Everyone in the Medina area has been invited to the Lake Medina Shores subdivision for the Easter morning service. The service will start at 6:30 a.m. The First Baptist and United Methodist churches of Medina reported they will be participating in the service. A spokesman for the Lazaro stated the view down the valley to the east is breathtakingly beautiful at sunrise.

The Hill Country Chapel of Pipe Creek will have a Sunrise Service at 6:30 a.m. followed by a breakfast served by the women of the chapel.

Pastor David Doerfler of Grace Lutheran Church in Bandera reported a breakfast sponsored by the Grace Lutheran youth will be served in the fellowship hall at 9 a.m. Easter Sunday. The Sunday School Easter Celebration will start at 9:30 a.m. with the children decorating the Easter cross with flowers, followed by an Easter egg hunt for the young children. The Easter worship service with holy communion will begin at 10:45 a.m.

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church will have an Easter Egg Hunt following the 11 a.m. service on Sunday.

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church will celebrate the Easter Masses at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Sunday.

St. Victor's Catholic Chapel in Lakehills will celebrate Easter Mass at 7 p.m. on Saturday evening.

Faith Chapel in Lakehills will have an Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday afternoon from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. All children in the community are invited.

Lakehills United Methodist Church will have an egg hunt following the 10:15 a.m. Sunday School Classes.

The Yarpley Baptist Church will join the First Baptist Church in Bandera for Easter Sunday night services at 7 p.m.

[illegible] will participate in an Easter Retreat at LaVARA Pine Baptist Encampment.

The Pipe Creek Apostolic Church will have services at 10 a.m. Oriental chopsticks will be passed out as remembrance gifts to everyone in attendance over 10 years of age.

Man gets probation in marijuana case

Patrick Tijerina, 25, of San Antonio was given 10 years probation Tuesday in 216th District Court in Bandera after pleading guilty to charges of possession of more than four ounces of marijuana.

Tijerina and Shalynn Massengale, 20, were arrested July 30, on property he leased off Bear Creek Road east of Bandera. A task force of at least 10 county and state lawmen arrested the pair after executing a search warrant and discovering 146 immature marijuana plants.

Massengale has not yet been tried.

Tijerina's attorney, Roy Barrera of San Antonio, informed Judge Robert Bartop that Tijerina wished to plead guilty and waive a jury trial as the jury was [illegible] (stipulated) his client's guilt and two prior convictions for possession of marijuana.

He pleaded for a probated sentence while District Attorney Joe Mike Egan asked Judge Barton to send Tijerina to prison, because of his repeated offenses.

Judge Barton deliberated only five minutes before placing Tijerina on 10-years probation. If he violates terms of the parole, Tijerina will be sent to prison for five years. He was also fined $2,500 and court costs Tuesday.

Tijerina's attorney had earlier sought dismissal of the case on the grounds that a DPS narcotics officer had illegally searched the property before the warrant was issued.

Barton ruled, however, that because the prohibited plant was [illegible] removed from the trailer home on the property, it came under the so-called "open field doctrine" which holds that a person has no right to expect absolute privacy in an open field.

School plans to meet with architect

School trustees will meet with architect Jim Pfluger of Austin Thursday during a special meeting of the school board at 7 p.m. at the High School to consider the school's future building plans.

Pfluger worked with the school board in preparation of plans for the December school bond issue that was defeated by voters.

Since the defeat of the bond issue, results of questionnaires completed by voters in the school show widespread support for solving by some kind of building program what is generally acknowledged to be severe over-crowding.

Two trustees were re-elected to the board in the April 7 election, including board president Thomas H. (Bub) Rees and [illegible]

Elementary school officials Wednesday sent spatial invitations to parents to attend Thursday's meeting by way of school children.

Bandera County's Potpourri

Still lost in the tall grass looking for a mandate in the April 7 election results.

County Judge Tommy Curbo thinks the county's road bonds were defeated by people who fail to differentiate between local and federal taxes.

There's no waste in local government, he says, no out-of-control give-away programs, no soaring deficit.

He too would vote against any increases in federal taxes, he says.

But there's a real need at the local level, at the level of government closest to the people.

"I wrote to the highway department and told them the defeat of the road bonds in no way reflected the opinion of the leadership in the county," Curbo said this week.

"I think it (the defeat) was a matter of apathy," Curbo explains.

He could be right. The vote was so close that if only 11 additional voters in each precinct had voted for the bonds, they would have passed.

Still, the turnout was good. More people voted in the road bond election (1,314) than voted in both the Bandera and Medina school elections (1,218), and the schools were calling theirs record or near-record turnouts.

Part of the blame (or credit) for the defeat of the bonds has to go to three of the four commissioners that proposed them but did not bother to try to explain the need for them.

Danny Alanis, for sure, worked for the bonds that would have constructed a road to serve his constituents.

I would think an experienced loan officer at a bank can tell when a loan applicant really needs whatever it is he asks the money for.

Voters can tell too.

Buying the minimum right-of-way (1.7 miles) at this time from operating funds is one option commissioners are considering, Curbo says.

But after three work sessions on next year's budget, Curbo says commissioners find themselves juggling several fiscal puzzlers.

The Sorenson trial will cost an estimated $150,000 just for his court-appointed attorneys.

And Curbo and the commissioners think they may be on the brink (again) of solving the county's persistant landfill problem. If a site now being considered passes all the tests, it could be the solution, Curbo says, but it will cost money.

"We'll have to borrow money for that," Curbo admits reluctantly, but with the recognition that the opening of one or more county landfills is a need that won't go away.

County employees need and deserve salary increases, there are several suits against the county that have to be defended, and the roads....

Some are, how can I say it? To say they are rather rough is to utter an understatement.



Perot spent own $500,000

Dallas multi-millionaire H. Ross Perot revealed last week he has spent $500,000 of his own money in formulating his select committee's education reform plan.

And he warned he will spend more — however much it will take — to make sure teachers don't water down his reforms when the Legislature meets this summer to raise their salaries.

Perot is taking on just about the entire state education establishment, including the state Board of Education and several teacher groups, and predicts a battle against that alliance of educators.

"If you water down the system (of proposed reforms) to put through a pay raise, you play a trick on the people. I won't be a part of that," he said.

Governor Mark White has promised to call the Legislature back into special session about June to consider raising taxes to raise teacher salaries and pay for reforms.

But that promise may not be kept, if Perot's committee continues to take its time in revising a teacher pay scale for Texas. Unless Gov. White calls the session before the panel winds up its report, the delays are moving the vote on a tax hike closer and closer to November Election Day. And lawmakers are reportedly balking at deciding on a tax hike just before election time.

Letters

Emphasize protection

Dear editor:

I have never had a complaint about my "cowboy capital" during the five years I've lived here, nor in the many summers I spent visiting Bandera as a common dude. However, when I went home recently for spring break, I received the impression that our town's police force had its priorities in the wrong place.

We have too many robberies and other assorted crimes committed here for our police to spend so much of their time ticketing every tourist that drives through town 3½ miles per hour over the speed limit. Every time I see a policeman in Bandera, he either has his car parked beside Main Street with his radar on or he's at a frequented restaurant drinking coffee.

About two months ago some friends and I were talking to one of our peers who had recently been hired by the Bandera police force. Someone asked him if training for the job was as rough as many television programs would have the public believe. I was shocked when the boy told us that he had been hired before undergoing any form of testing or training. If this is true, how are we to keep the common "psycho" out of what is supposed to be a highly-trusted and respected institution?

More emphasis needs to be placed on protecting our citizens and less to padding Bandera's income by fining tourists for every minor infringement of the traffic laws.

I hope I haven't made a lot of enemies by writing this letter. I love Bandera. If I didn't, I wouldn't be so concerned about this problem. We're supposed to cater to tourists, not depend on them for town revenues! Let's improve our law enforcement policies and work at keeping the friendly and safe reputation Bandera has earned in the past.

Linda C. Muller
Bandera

Approach refreshing

Dear editor:

Please renew my subscription. I don't want to miss a single copy of the paper.

I think your paper is great, and your approach to the issues at hand refreshing.

It's good to see the growth of a town through the local newspaper. Bandera is my birthplace and you really keep folks like me informed.

We usually get down there but once a year, so we look forward to the paper each week.

Dolores Hunter Ferrell
Fort Worth

Proud of it

Dear editor:

Having been a member of the Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department for 24 years, I can understand the physical, financial and equipment problems.

Our department has sound leadership and dedication from its members and has strived constantly for improvement, both in equipment and training. The training program is based on guidelines set forth by the State Fireman's and Fire Marshal's Association for certification as volunteer firefighters. Training is held the third Wednesday of each month for three hours, with an average attendance of 24 men. Instructors are from our department, plus fire chiefs, captains and lieutenants from other departments. In addition to fire training, four members are also emergency medical technicians.

The department protects a 10-square-mile area of Medina Lake and Lakehills. Having three 2½-ton tankers and a 1-ton, 4x4 brush truck, we can transport 3,370 gallons of water to a structure or grass fire. In addition, the department is equipped with a utility and rescue truck.

Due to population expansion, the department has built a substation at Pebble Beach. This station was built to cut response time to fires in that area. This year we purchased new tires for all our trucks and are in the process of remodeling our tankers by having the inside of the water tanks sandblasted and two coats of epoxy applied to prolong their life span against rust. Due to a recent burglary we have had to replace $3,500 worth of radios and equipment. This was very depressing to the membership. However, due to good money management, all equipment has been replaced.

We are receiving outstanding support from the businesses and residents of the community by working together for a strong fire department. Having two barbecues each year is our only means of revenue to operate. Speaking of barbecue, the first one we held we cooked 13 goats. Now we buy approximately 1,750 lbs. of beef for each event. The next semi-annual barbecue is April 28 and 29.

Our growth was not by accident, but by dedication from men and women in the organization. In 1985 the department will be 25 years old and you can be assured we'll have a party. Needless to say, we the officers and members, are proud to be in the Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department.

Clinton H. Oehler
Fire Chief
Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Dept.

Thanks, firefighters

Dear editor:

Now that the smoke, dust, fire, sweat and tears have begun to fade from the recent fires in our area we wish to take this opportunity to express our thanks and gratitude to our friends and neighbors for their help in fighting the fire.

We found we had many friends and neighbors we did not even know we had. What a heart warming experience to see this expression of "community."

The volunteer fire departments from Medina, Bandera, Pipe Creek, Turtle Creek, Kerrville South and others were prompt, competent and professional in their work. they worked hard, stayed late and worked with a spirit and determination that must be respected and admired by all.

We have been proud to be a part of the Hill Country for over 30 years and this latest evidence of support, community and neighborliness, makes us prouder. Thanks again to all who helped.

Jim and Tom Friedman
Echo Hill Ranch, Medina

It's your chance

Dear editor:

During the most recent meeting of the Citizens for Better Schools, it was brought to my attention that there are still some questions regarding CIBS's purpose and function in the school system.

First, let me say that our primary function is to help provide the best educational environment possible for each and every child in our school system. As noted by all the pre-election school board nominees, we as a group recognize the dire need for a new elementary facility. The people in disagreement with this fact have simply not seen the elementary school in operation lately. I implore you, as responsible citizens of this community, to go judge for yourselves the need for immediate improvements at the elementary school.

Our second function as a group is to seek out the questions and complaints of all interested citizens and educate them on the individual issues.

Thirdly and perhaps most importantly, we hope to achieve a good working relationship with the school board. We have heard complaints that the school board and the administration are unwilling to work with the public, but very few have taken the initiative to call these people or attend school board meetings to help solve school matters. The Citizens for Better Schools hope to be the voice of this school district.

Because we as a group agree on the matter of a new elementary school, we have been labeled as a "rubber stamp" organization. We want to lay that title to rest. Hand when the next school bond election is passed, CBS will move on to new problems concerning our school system.

Bill Anderson
President, CBS

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May I urge each of you to go to the polls on May 5 and cast your vote in the Primary Election. I would appreciate your support in my efforts to be your next commissioner. If elected, I pledge to work with and for the citizens in my precinct. In the past, I have been a rancher and businessman, and am now retired.

As a retired rancher and still having many friends and relatives in the ranching profession, I feel I can understand their needs. I pledge to support the efforts of all organizations in their attempts to better their trade; i.e. the predator problem. Now as a Senior Citizen, I can understand and will work for the needs of the elderly. I will do my best to see that no tax dollars are spent unnecessarily and that you get full value for those that are spent.

A.A. (Pete) Reed

Your vote is valued and will be appreciated on May 5.

Pd. pol. adv. By A.A. (Pete) Reed Box 526 Bandera, Tx. 78003

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Political Calendar

The Bandera Bulletin has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following people:

Bandera County Sheriff — Guy V. Pickett
Commercial Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gordon Nordland
Constable Bandera County Pct. 3 — Joe Cano (D)
Bandera Co. Tax Assessor Collector — Marguerite Stevens
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Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Jim Russell (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 2 — Bob Ashley (D)
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D.A. — 216 Judicial District — E. Bruce Curry (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — Joe Mike Egan (R)
State Rep. District 46 — Rides Edge (D)
State Rep. District 46 — Stan J. Swingle (R)



Faces of Bandera County

A Face we may watch, Bob Cowan, the new mayor, will be seen for a while around these parts. Another Face of Bandera County.

Wife promotes Mosbacher's bid

Cathering Mosbacher, wife of Republican U.S. Senate candidate Rob Mosbacher, was in Bandera Monday, and she detailed key issues of concern to her husband, who is seeking the senate seat being vacated by U.S. Sen. John Tower.

Mrs. Mosbacher, who has been campaigning full-time since January, will visit more than 70 counties before this current campaign schedule is concluded. This was her second visit to Bandera.

Mrs. Mosbacher maintains that her husband's commitment to President Reagan's programs to reduce the size and cost of government coupled with a commitment to solving tough social and economic problems at the local level clearly distinguishes Mosbacher from the rest of the Republican candidates.

"Rob fully supports the President's efforts to cut the size and cost of the Federal Government. However, tough social and economic problems such as child care, housing and job training will persist regardless of our budget cutting efforts. Rob knows that if we leave these problems to Washington, the Congress will throw more money at the problem which will in turn increase our budget deficits," she said.

"Instead, as a member of President Reagan's Task Force on Private Sector Initiatives, Rob has been working on creative new ways to solve problems by bringing businesses, civic associations, and churches into the process of solving problems locally with little or no government money or meddling," she continued.

Mrs. Mosbacher, a former legislative counsel to the U.S. Senate, said Mosbacher is deeply concerned about the pressure that the federal budget deficit is placing on the economic recovery which we are now enjoying.

"Rob believes that the president has put this country on the right track but that we must continue to seek ways to reduce the size and cost of the federal government," she said. "As Texas' senator he would work with the president in seeking additional ways to trim the federal government and to run it like a business."

Rebuilding the nation's defense is another top priority which Mosbacher shares with President Reagan, according to Mrs. Mosbacher.

"Rob is absolutely committed to President Reagan's efforts to rebuild our national defense," she said.

Gramm to appear in Bandera Friday

U.S. Rep. Phil Gramm, Republican candidate for the U.S. Senate, will address a public rally at 11 a.m. on Friday, April 20, at the First National Bank Board Room, Main Street at Highway 16 in Bandera.

The event is part of a 10-day, statewide swing marking Gramm's "drive to the goal line," his campaign staff said.

"Since our first senator, Sam Houston, entered the U.S. Senate in 1846," Gramm said in announcing the tour, "Texans have demanded two qualities of their senators: The courage to stand up for the shared values of the people of Texas, and proven effectiveness on behalf of those values."

"In seeking election to the Senate, I am asking the people to gauge the depth of my commitment, to measure my accomplishments, and then to exercise their right to choose the person who will fight and win for Texas in the United States Senate."

Calendar

This afternoon, April 19

Golden Agers, 2 p.m., Bandera Methodist Church.
Bandera Chapter of the Daughters of America Revolution, 2 p.m.
Friends of the Library, 3:30 p.m., Bandera City Library.
Medina Volunteer Fire Department, 7:30 p.m. Youth Center.
Bandera Lodge 81, 7:30 p.m., American Legion Hall.
Bandera Independent School District School Board, special meeting with architect, 7 p.m., Bandera High School.

Friday, April 20

Gramm Rally, 11 a.m., First National Bankboard Room.
Bingo, Bandera American Legion Hall, 7:30p.m..

Saturday, April 21

Medina River Ranch Association, 8:30 a.m. workday.
Pebble Beach Property Owners Associations market, bake sale, Pioneer Realty office, 1283, 9 a.m. to p.m.
Hermann Sons Community Egg Hunt, Parlaad 37, Building site, 1-3 p.m.
Faith Chapel, Lakehills, Egg hunt, 1-3 p.m.
1984 Texas Aggie Muster, 6 p.m., Mayan Dude Ranch.

Sunday, April 22

Pebble Beach Property Owners Associations market, bake sale, Pioneer Realty, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Monday, April 23

Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin R Square Dance Club, 7 to 10 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Boy Scout Troop 204, 7 p.m., Lakehills United Methodist Church.
Medina Parent-Teacher Organization, 7 p.m. Medina school cafeteria.

Tuesday, April 24

Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., youth center.

Wednesday, April 25

Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department bingo, 7 p.m.
Lakehills 4-H Community Club, St. Victor Chapel, 7 p.m.
Bandera Volunteer Fire Department, 7:30 p.m. meeting.

Thursday, April 26

Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association district 6, Uvalde fairgrounds, 10 a.m.
Cub Scout Pack 146, Scout hut, Mansfield Pk.
Lakehills American Legion Post, monthly meeting, Post 410 and Auxiliary covered dish 7 p.m., meeting p.m.

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Lakehills

By Tina Miller — 751-5...

Community Easter Egg Hunt

Hermann Sons Lodge, 81 will host an Easter Egg Hunt its building site on Park Road 37 to Millie's Pavilion on Sunday, April 21, from 1 p.m. to 3 p. for everyone in the Lakehill community.

There's no age limit, bring your basket or a bag and come down and join in the fun. his enthusiastic group will h lots of eggs, treats, prizes, gi and refreshments.

A healthy boy

Ray Daniel Gaines ved April 14 at Wilford Hall Hosital. He weighed 4 pounds, 12 ounces and has blond hair. Thproud parents are Ray and Dnette Gaines. Ray is currently ing a tour of duty in Korea, but es to be back on a statewide signment by December.

The grandparents are ssell and Dorothy Walker and and Jeannette Gaines, all Lakehills.

LUMYF are invited

The Lakehills United thodist Youth Fellowship ented an Easter Story dramation entitled, "The Vinegar before an audience of over people Sunday evening.

Shannon Perry protra the Vinagar Boy, Kenny Trenbath was Marconnis, Noel McEwas Phineas, and Jason Seider played the part of Nichol

The parts of the Palestian children were played by Sand Tracy Harrison, Melanie ineder, Kari Hoffman, Davideno, and Hollin McKay.

Making its first appance was the Lakehills United thodist Youth Chorus under the direction of Lea Nobl hoir members participating w Erin Perry, Shaylan Pinkertongie Graham, Casey Trankisch, Holly Perry and Cindy Kay. Carol Hamilton was the makeup artist.

Adult directors of the Youth Fellowship group are Bill and Cindy McKay. They are planning a east party and outing for the youths that participated in the play on April 29.

McKay reported they will be starting a new Christian study group on May 8. All area youths from sixth grade through high school are invited to join. The Lakehills United Methodist Youth Fellowship meets in the fellowship hall at the church on Sunday at 6:30 p.m. For more information call Bill or Cindy McKay at 751-3304.

Plan a family outing

The Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department will open the doors at 11:30 a.m. on April 28 and 29 for their spring barbecue.

The firemen will start cooking more than 1,800 pounds of beef brisket on Friday night to feed the hundreds of hungry people that attend this semi-annual event. The ladies will spend Friday peeling, slicing, cooking and chopping potatoes, onions, and celery for their homemade potato salad which is served along with pinto beans, beets and all the other trimmings.

Among the beautiful handmade prizes to be given away Sunday afternoon will be one of Norma Gray's oil paintings.

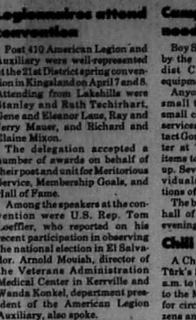
Bake sale and flea market

This weekend, April 21 and 22, the Property Owners Association of Pebble Beach will hold its first fundraiser, a bake sale and flea market. These events will start at 9 a.m. at the Pioneer Realty office on FM 1283 near the intersection of Park Rd. 37.

Be sure and register for the great prizes that will be given away. Other attractions will be the new royal blue T-shirts with the Pebble Beach fish emblem, hats and cedar signs for lawns.



Donna Heisler



Tammy Ott

Donna Heisler, Tammy Ott named

Donna Heisler and Tammy Ott have been selected by American Legion Auxiliary Unit 410 as delegates to Bluebonnet Girls State to be held June 12-22 at Texas Lutheran College in Seguin.

The purpose of girls state is to educate young women in the duties, privileges, rights and responsibilities of American citizenship.

The citizens of girls state organize their own city, county, and state governments and elect their own officials. They learn the various duties of city, county, and state offices, introduce and debate their own bills in legislature, and administer justice by their own law enforcement agencies and courts.

Donna is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Heisler, and Tammy's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ott. Jill MacMillan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James MacMillan Sr. was selected as alternate delegate.

Dart standings

Copper Lantern No. 1 20-1; Texas Wrangler No. 1 16-1; Texas Wrangler No. 2 16-5; Hard Times No. 2 12-9; Hard Times No. 1 8-13; Copper Lantern No. 2 7-14; Cedar Point Landing 6-8; Hard Times No. 3 6-15; Pop's Place No. 1 5-9; Pop's Place No. 2 5-16; Texas Wrangler No. 3 4-10.

Legionnaires attend convention

Post 410 American Legion and Auxiliary were well-represented at the 21st District spring convention in Kingsland on April 7 and 8. Attending from Lakehills were Stanley and Ruth Tschirhart, Gene and Eleanor Lane, Ray and Jerry Mauer, and Richard and Elaine Mixon.

The delegation accepted a number of awards on behalf of their post and unit for Meritorious Service, Membership Goals, and Hall of Fame.

Among the speakers at the convention were U.S. Rep. Tom Loeffler, who reported on his recent participation in observing the national election in El Salvador. Arnold Mouiah, director of the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Kerrville and Wanda Konkel, department president of the American Legion Auxiliary, also spoke.

Presiding were June Long, 21st District president, and Charles Hubbard, 21st District commander, both of Mercury. The fall convention will be held in San Angelo.

New officers for association

On March 1 the board of directors officially signed by-laws establishing the Property Owners Association of Pebble Beach. New officers are Bob Jones president, Olga Bradford vice president, Harlan Cook secretary and Carmen Haynes treasurer, Ralph Dresser and Wilbur Busby complete the members of the board.

The responsibilities and functions of the Aqua Club were officially transferred March 3 to the Property Owners Association of Pebble Beach.

The annual picnic for members only will be held on May 5 at the main park on Pebble Beach.

Camping equipment needed

Boy Scout Troop 204 sponsored by the Lakehills United Methodist Church needs camping equipment.

Anyone having sleeping bags, small tents, cooking utensils, small camp stoves, etc. in good, serviceable condition should contact Gordon Nordlund, scout master at 751-3315, to arrange for items to be dropped off or picked up. Several businesses and individuals responded with donations of equipment this week.

The boys met in the fellowship hall of the church on Monday evenings at 7 p.m.

Chili cookoff time

A Chili cookoff will be held at Tirk's Store on May 12, from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., the proceeds going to the Medina Lake Shrine Club for circus tickets for senior citizens and kids from our area.

There will be food, music, beer, soft drinks and lots of fun, organizers say. There is a limit of 40 entries and the entry fee of $20 must be paid by May 1. Prizes range from $100 for first to $15 for fifth. For more information and details contact Gene Ott at 751-2141 or at Turk's Store.

Welcome home, Louise

Louise Ivy came home on Friday after spending several weeks in the hospital. While Louise was hospitalized, husband Neil had a new home built just for Louise on 28th Street. They will no longer be living in the big house on Pebble Beach, but will be right here in Lakehills.

Spring barbecue

Arthur and Nora Lich hosted their annual spring barbecue on Saturday for approximately 200 guests.

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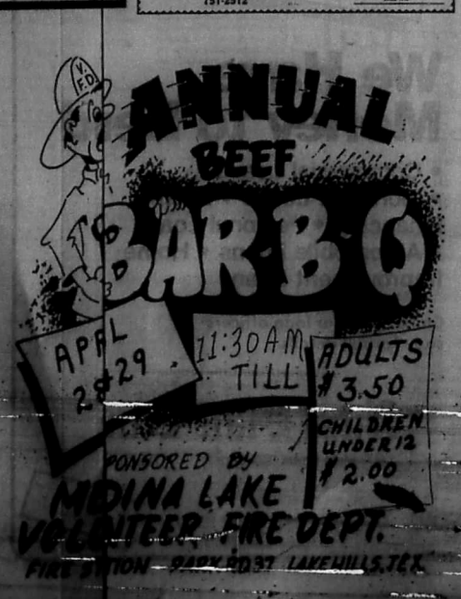

More Lakehills news

Lakehills Methodist Women fund raiser

The United Methodist Women will have ... bake and plant sale along with a bazaar and flea market May 12.

This annual event will take place at the Lakehills Civic Center on Park Rd. 37 beginning at 9 a.m. Plan now to attend and remember mom with a plant, gift, or baked goods on Mother's Day.

Formal flag disposal

The American Legion Post 410 in Lakehills will have a pancake supper at 5 p.m. on May 6, followed by a flag ceremony at sundown on the post grounds. This is the annual formal disposal of flags. Anyone having a flag that is no longer serviceable or that they have replaced or updated should bring the flag to the Legion so it can be disposed of properly, Legion officials said.

Medina Lake Betterment Assoc.

The Medina Lake Betterment Association held its monthly board meeting on April 12 with 16 directors and three members present. New officers are Peggy Ashmore president, Judy Dunn vice president, Rita Perry secretary, and Polly Larsen treasurer.

New members are Jim and Nina Robinson of Lakehills.

Pledges of $15 per chair can still be made to the association for the purchase of new, sturdier chairs for the Civic Center. All pledges are tax deductible.

The betterment association will enter a team in Turk's Store Chili Cookoff on May 12. "Gumbo isn't the only thing we can cook, so come out and cheer the Civic Center Cajun Cookers," a spokesman said.

There will be a Great Gumbo Cookoff kickoff meeting May 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the Civic Center. The meeting will be preceded by a covered-dish dinner at 6:30 p.m. All members, workers, and participants are encouraged to attend.



Randy and Donna Courtney

Lakehills development 'sold out,' says Courtney

Local developer Randy Courtney reported his new development at the intersections of FM 1283 and Park Road 37 is sold out now. This is the fourth of his developments to be sold out within 90 days after going on the market. Others are at Medina Shores unit 1, Elm Creek Cove Estates, Mountain View, Cedar Ridge Estates, and Devil's Kitchen.

Randy and his wife, Donna live on Pebble Beach. While in the car business for 18 years, Randy started to dabble in real estate and soon discovered developing real estate was what he wanted to do.

His business is under the name of Randall H. Courtney Properties and Courtney Properties. The Medina Shores unit 1, Medina Lake Center, Elm Creek Cove Estates and Mountain View developments are all in Bandera County.

The scenic Cedar Ridge Estates and the Devil's Kitchen developments are located near the lake in Medina County.

Weingarden, Inc. has purchased 25 acres of the Devil's Kitchen property for an exclusive residential subdivision. Plans call for private entrances with 24 hour security, Courtney said.

Randy, a native Texan and hill country lover, says he tries to keep and preserve as many trees as possible and plans his roads so the natural terrain will be disrupted as little as possible.

Realizing the tight money and rising interest rates were preventing commercial as well as residential growth in our area, Randy has started financing a lot of his sales. With the overall economy stabilizing now, banks and lending institutions are showing more interest in financing construction in our area, and he expects an increase in building starts soon.

Randy's future plans are to expand more into the residential field.



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Easter lily's name traced to pagan goddess, speaker says

The traditional use of the Easter lily in celebration of the Christian holiday stems from the fact that bloom is named for "Eastre," the pagan goddess of spring for whom devotees of nature worship held an annual festival.

That fact was among many concerning the "Legendary Flowers of Easter" presented members of the Madrona Garden Club Friday at the First State Bank community room by Kathryn Dewoody.

The early Christian missionaries converted the Anglo-Saxon spring festival in her honor to the Christian celebration of the resurrection, keeping the name Easter, Mrs. Dewoody said.

"The scene of spring's message of life is reached with Easter and the lovely white flower that is now used is the Easter ... Dewoody said in her review of an article from a statewide gardening magazine.

"One legend claims that the red lily of the Caucasus was white until Christ walked in Gethsemane," Mrs. Dewoody said.

Mrs. H.L. Bruce presided at the meeting during which special reports were delivered by Mesdames Ruth Billings, Loney Postert, W.J. Haynes, Linnie Sandidge and Heled Ahr.

"The Mini-Flower Show, a viable alternative," another article from the magazine was reviewed by Mrs. W.J. Haynes.

Nettie Saul presented a review on "Texas Flowers in Natural Colors," a book by Eula Whitehouse. Among ... flowers she named were the Texas bluebonnet, small arrowhead, Spanish ... old man's beard, and Texas heather flower. Mrs. Saul closed her review by reading a poem, "Iris, Most Beautiful Flower," by Mrs. J.W. Edwards of Pipe Creek.

A cordial welcome was extended to Mrs. Sam Darden a new member of the club.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Annette Pearce, Loney Postert, Johnnie Newcomer, Gladys Haseby, and Hedwig Twiefel. Refreshments were served from a beautiful Easter table.

Sheep, goat raisers to meet in Uvalde on April 26

Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association members in District 6 which is made up of the counties of Bandera, Kerr, Medina, Real and Uvalde, will meet in the fairgrounds meeting room in Uvalde on Thursday, April 26.

The meeting will start at 10 a.m. and will conclude with the noon lunch hosted by friends of the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association.

Sen. Bill Sims, TS&GRA executive secretary and state senator from the 25th District, will report on legislative matters of interest to producers, and James Wittenburg, TS&GRA president, will report on associated activities and work being done on the National Wool Act. Leroy Hoermann, District Extension Director from Uvalde, will speak on extension activities.

Frank Weed, District 6 chairman, urges everyone in the sheep and/or goat business to attend the meeting and become active in the work of the Texas Sheep & goat Raisers' Association.

"We're going to have lots of real good food, and a lot of good information that will help you in your own particular ranching operation. If you raise sheep or goats in this area, then you owe it to yourself to attend and lend your support to the organization that is working for the betterment of your industry," Weed said.

Election of directors to serve the district for the 1984-85 term will be held at the close of the meeting. Now serving as directors from District 6 are: Randall Brice and W.B. Sansom, Leakey; Perry Bushong, Lanny Leinweber, Volney Hough, Rankin Linn and W.E. Dietert Jr., Mt. Home; C.A. Dishman, Jack Klein, Frank Weed Jr., Hayden Haby and George Cunningham, Uvalde; Jack Groff, E.C. Parker Jr. and Jim Wallace, Kerrville; Felix Fisher, J.M. Auld Jr. and Bob Ramsey, Hunt; Gilbert Scheele, Bandera; R.R. Schoel, Lakehills.

Charles Schreiner, III is a TS&GRA past president. Allie Allsup, Medina; Dolph Briscoe, Uvalde; Earl Garrett, Kerrville and Ray Wyatt, Bandera are honorary directors for life. Frank Weed Jr. is district chairman.

Temperatures

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Wednesday, April 11	90	48	
Thursday, April 12	86	52	
Friday, April 13	90	46	
Saturday, April 14	81	48	
Sunday, April 15	78	44	
Monday, April 16	79	42	
Tuesday, April 17	86	36	

Rainfall so far this month: .36 in. Rainfall so far this year: 5.01 in.

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A chili cookoff visitor greets steed.

Fourth annual chili cookoff

Saturday morning we awoke to find a little chill in the air. As the sun broke through the clouds and warmed the air around us, we found the shade from the oak trees a welcome addition to the Pipe Creek Community Center's fourth annual Chili Cookoff at Tony's Chat & Chew on Highway 16.

Sixteen entrants participated in the cookoff, which is held annually to raise funds for the Pipe Creek Community Center Scholarship Fund.

One or more graduating seniors from the Pipe Creek community will benefit from this scholarship program. The goal was to raise $1,000.

Although the final totals aren't in yet, officials report the goal was exceeded. Over $300 was raised on the auction, and the T-shirt concession did real well, they report.

Glenn White of Houston attracted a large crowd when he put on his air show, demonstrating ultra-light aircraft. It is our estimate that several hundred people came out and enjoyed the food, games, and music.

After much tasting, the judges announced Ozzie Aguilar of Pipe Creek won first place and also took first in showmanship with his Horse Traders' Roundup Chili.

Second place went to San Antonian Lew Wright's Shotgun Chili, and second in showmanship was Cathy Bryan of Pipe Creek with her Stone Mountain Ranch Chili. Third place winners were Jake Rabbitt and Roger Wheelis with their Tony's Chat & Chew Chili.

Participants and spectators all agreed this was the best cookoff yet, and all are looking forward to next year's.

Walker moves

John Walker has moved to San Antonio to be nearer his electrical business in San Antonio. He will be visiting his dad, Dale Walker in Lakehills, every chance he gets, he says.

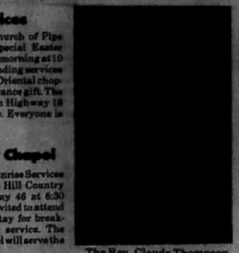
Special services

The Apostolic Church of Pipe Creek will have special Easter Service on Sunday morning at 10 a.m. Everyone attending services will receive a set of Oriental chopsticks as a remembrance gift. The church is located on Highway 16 next to Lewis Store. Everyone is invited.

Hill Country Chapel

Special Easter Sunrise Services will be held at the Hill Country Chapel on Highway 46 at 6:30 a.m. Everyone is invited to attend the services and stay for breakfast following the service. The women of the chapel will serve the breakfast.

Regular Sunday service will be held at 10 a.m.



The Rev. Claude Thompson has accepted the pastorate of the Pipe Creek Apostolic Church.

Rev. Thompson says his wife and children accompanied him to Japan in 1956 where he served as a resident missionary until the churches in Japan acquired their own Japanese superintendent and no longer needed the resident missionary program.

Thompson reports after traveling throughout the states doing seminars, he and his wife have accepted the invitation to lead the Pipe Creek Apostolic Church, located one mile west of Pipe Creek on Highway 16.

Services are every Sunday at 10 a.m.

Tarpley

Nettie Dean — 562-3161

Easter Baptism

Easter Sunday night services of Tarpley Baptist Church will be held at First Baptist Church in Bandera at 7 p.m. Phillip Singleton will be baptized.

Fire victims aided

Mary and Adolfo Garcia of Utopia were honored with a miscellaneous shower by their friends at the Utopia Community Center on April 14.

The Garcias were most grateful for the nice shower and all other assistance received following the recent fire which destroyed their home and contents.

Frears leaving

The Rio Hondo Extension Club will honor Joy and Jim Frear on Monday, April 23, at 6 p.m. with a pot luck dinner at the home of Jerry and Tom Hall.

The Frears have sold their Rio Hondo Subdivision residence and will be moving soon. We all wish them well in their new location.

Guests

Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winn of San Antonio visited in the home of Edith Jeffers and Ethel Mae Maxey. Mrs. Winn was formerly Hallie Ross.

Her parents were Callie (Jeffers) Ross and husband Ed Ross. Her parents owned the place now known as the Matizza land or Gunsight Ranch, then known as Hondo Canyon.

Her grandfather was William S. (Bill) Ross who served as the first postmaster of Hondo Canyon from July 1, 1895 to June 3, 1896. Business was slow, as shown by his cash book which listed only $6 in stamp sales for a three-month period.

Accident

[illegible] correspondent experienced a bad accident a week ago. My shoes were wet and I slipped backwards on the kitchen floor, injuring my leg and foot. Now I'm a firm believer that bad accidents occur mostly in the home. Friends have been most kind and concerned.

Cancer screening clinic at Pipe Creek Tuesday

A free cancer screening will be conducted Tuesday, April 24, at the Pipe Creek Firehouse, during which a few simple tests will be made for anyone interested.

The event, coordinated by Pipe Creek volunteers of the American Cancer Society, will be from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. and Dr. S.D. Gleason, Lakehills physician, and Dr. Lou Bullock, Pipe Creek dentist, will contribute their time and expertise, according to Pat Mormando, coordinator of the screening clinic.

Besides the simple screening techniques offered at the clinic, information on cancer and its prevention and information on the activities of the local chapter of the ACS will be available.

President Reagan has designated April as the American Cancer Society month. During the month, local chapters of the American Cancer Society conduct their annual fund drive.

Contributions to the Society may be made during the clinic, Mrs. Mormando said.

"It is a time for promoting community awareness of cancer, cancer prevention, and soliciting support for local chapters," says Mrs. Mormando.

"Money contributed is used for further promotion of cancer awareness and is used locally for providing cancer patients with needed medical items such as beds, wheelchairs, and medical supplies used in the home."

Hill Country Chili Classic planned in Kerrville Saturday, April 21

Kerrville's Guadalupe River will be the scene of the 5thannual Hill Country Chili Classic Saturday, April 21.

The Classic is expected to draw more than 10,000 people to Louise Hays Park along the Guadalupe River in downtown Kerrville.

Headlining the event will be the chili cookoff, with more than 100 teams trying to impress the judges with their secret "pot o' red."

A variety of contests, arts and crafts, and food booths will entertain the whole family throughout the day.

In addition to the cookoff, the Classic will feature more than 500 funrunners competing in the Kerrville Chili Run Classic. The run will consist of 5,000 meter and 10,000 meter courses winding through the streets of Kerrville.

Task force

The Task Force on Women and Alcohol/Drugs is planning a one-day workshop for Mi 3 entitled "Women: Making It Happen! Now is the Time!"

The Task Force is an Alamo Area Council of Governments group composed of people from San Antonio and the surrounding area

Obituary

Raymond Leicher

Raymond Michael Leicher, 92, die Tuesday, April 3, in San [illegible]nio.

Born June 4, 1891, he came to Bandera County with his parents as a young boy and lived in the Pipe Creek and Medina Lake areas most of his life. In 1919 he was married to Louise Haby in St. Stanislaus Catholic Church in Bandera.

Survivors include his daughter, Estelle Odom of Lakehills; two grandsons, Timothy of Dallas, David of San Antonio; three great-grandchildren Michael, Diana and Tim Jr.; sisters, Edwina Boyle, Martha Tschirhart and Ena Karm.

Graveside services were held at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery Friday, April 6, with Rev. Albert Huburtus officiating.

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Show by stuntmen planned during Funtier Days

A show by professional stuntmen, including high falls, falling off horses, gun fights, fist fights and a demonstration of the use of explosives in movies and on television will be featured event during Funtier Days May 26 and 27.

Dean Dawson, who is conducting a school for stuntmen at Mansfield Park, promises six to eight professional "fall guys" and a show to remember, says Funtier Days chairman Fabian Mazurek.

Mazurek has lined up another list of entertainment for both days of the gala celebration which signals the official opening of summer in Bandera County.

Saturday's events will begin at 8 a.m. when long-distance athletes run through the streets of Bandera in special 10-kilometer and 5-kilometer races, and they'll continue until the wee hours when a different kind of athlete participates in a big country and western dance.

The dance, sponsored by the Bandera County Junior Livestock Show Committee to raise funds for a new livestock show barn, is another of the new events this year that will add to the fun provided by the traditional Funtier Days events.

Back again will be the sprawling Funtier Days Parade, traditionally Bandera's longest, and all the other events visitors and residents alike have enjoyed in recent years.

There'll be arts and crafts fair, river races, a queen's contest, a dance contest, a big rodeo, an invitational team and calf roping event, contests, and Dawson's stunt show.

The stunt show, the last thing on Sunday's program, will be held during an intermission of the invitational roping event at Mansfield Park's rodeo arena.

Bandera briefs



Jack Groff (left) conducted the seminar on raising and shearing goats and sheep, in addition to explaining grading and uses for wool and mohair for area students attending the Bandera Youth Conservation Workshop at Mansfield Park April 11.

"This will be an excellent opportunity to get baked goods for the Easter weekend," said Helen Rhodes, auxiliary secretary. "We always appreciate your patronage."

Optimists

Sully Woodland has been elected president of the Bandera Optimist's Club and Buddy Thompson and Al Heep have been named vice presidents.

Optimists elected officers Monday. Woodland replaces Richard Thornber at the head of the club.

Directors elected Monday were John Farley, Louis Dubose, Ken Whitewood, and Doc Thompson.

The group also changed its regular meeting place to the Rocking R at 6:30 p.m. Monday. It once met at the Rocking R but had been meeting at Lazy Oaks.

The club will hold a benefit auction May 19 at Mansfield Park to raise funds for its many youth projects.

Businesses in Bandera County are being contacted by members of the Optimists Club. Anyone interested in donating items to be auctioned may call Vivian Schmidt at the First State Bank, 796-3014, or Peace Justice Tom Grant, 796-3870.

Articles to be included in the auction may be left with Thornber at Bandera Feed and Garden Supply.



Edward Munoz, left, and Jason Bisler take one more step closer to Eagle Rank with the awarding of first class scout ranks by Scoutmaster Howard Lurker.

Kindergarten

School officials have advised that parents and guardians of kindergarten-age children should visit the elementary school office during the week of April 30-May 4 to let the schools know how many youngsters can be expected for next school year so that bus routes may be planned.

Kindergarten students must be five years of age on or before Sept. 1. A current shot record and birth certificate are required at the time or registration, according to principal Al Kindla.

Helping Hand

Volunteers are busy gathering items for the Helping Hand center's upcoming rummage sale May 5 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the American Legion Hall in Bandera.

The center will have its open house the same day at 1306 Cypress.

"We'd like to invite the community to come by for coffee and a visit," a spokesman said. A handmade ceramic wash bowl and pitcher has been donated to the center to be given away, during the open house.

The next monthly meeting of the center will be Thursday, April 26, at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Bandera.

"The center would like to encourage those who find themselves with problems or a need, that we are here to help, and will counsel with you to meet those needs," their spokesman said.

Camellia couple observes anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. George Camellia of San Antonio celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday, April 8, with Mass and renewal of vows at St. Paul's Catholic Church in San Antonio.

They were married at St. Stanislaus Catholic Church in Bandera on April 5, 1959. Mrs. Camellia is the daughter of Edna Coulter of Bandera.

A dinner and dance was hosted by their son and daughter, Alan and Pam Camellia in the St. Paul's church hall for more than 150 persons from Houston, Bandera, Hondo, Dunlay, Rio Medina and San Antonio.

Brooks return from Germany

Master Sgt. Harold W. Brooks Jr. and wife Hope, and children Isabel and Vanessa are the guests of Harold's mother, Elsie and Tommy Smith in Bandera. Hope is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rios, also of Bandera.

The Brooks family just returned from a five-year tour of duty in Germany, and will be going to Del Rio soon where Harold will be assigned to duty at Laughlin AFB.

Easter bake sale

The Ladies VFW Auxiliary to Post 9176, Bandera, will hold an Easter Bake Sale, Friday and Saturday, April 20 and 21 at the Fire Station in the City Municipal Building.

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Secondly, it is hard to put into words my deep appreciation for the vote of confidence the people of Bandera County gave me in the school board election. I am willing and eager to serve all the people of this county in what I feel will be a crucial period for the Bandera School District.

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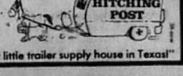

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words of encouragement and for her many friends who remembered her with cards and prayers.

Pat Hawkins and wife Olga were last weekend guests of Nita Hawkins. Her son, Jimmy Traylor of Washington, who had spent sometime here with his mother, left for Ft. Worth with the Hawkins where he has employment.

Rev. Donald Dibbins was taking his new wife, Martha, around to meet his Canyon friends and to see the country on Friday.

Hub and I enjoyed their visit and their taking pot luck lunch with us.

Donald and Martha will leave on April 25 for Spearman, where Donald will hold a revival at Apostolic Faith Church April 29-May 6.

Grace Fisher was transported to Sid Peterson Hospital, Kerrville, last Tuesday after an accidental fall at her home.

Utopia community auction slated

The Utopia Lions Club will have its annual Community Auction on Friday, April 27, at 1 p.m. on the Town Square.

Part of the proceeds is distributed to the Bandera County March of Dimes, says auction chairman L.L. Tubbs. "Come and enjoy good fellowship and lots of action," he said.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Myrtle L. Honyoust, Bandera; Grace Fisher, Utopia; Dorothy J. Mullin, Utopia; Anna G. Flowers, Medina; Hans E. Teich Jr., Bandera; James W. Hill, Medina; Isabelle M. Taylor, Bandera; Ruth L. Jackson, Utopia; Ray L. Hutcheson, Bandera; and Sara E. Garrison, Medina.

Deputy Sheriff Bob Hinse and county extension agent Peggy Edwards explained such cooperative programs during a membership meeting last week of the Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department, and the program was adopted by those in attendance.

Another neighborhood meeting will be called at a date not yet determined to explain details of the program.

As part of the programs, signs will be erected and decals will be made available for use in participants' homes, and a sticker bearing the Sheriff's Department phone number will be available for the phone.

Mrs. Edwards gave 10 suggestions during her presentation.

"1. Organize your neighborhood crime watch program. Elect officers and meet monthly or as often as you feel it's necessary," she said.

"2. Purchase 'Neighborhood Crime Watch' signs to put at the entrance of your neighborhood main (entry) roads. Purchase stickers for all members' windows.

"3. Make a map of the community and place all homes on it. Ask neighbors who can see each others homes to watch for nay strange vehicles that stop or even cruise the street.

"4. People who are away from home all day would need volunteers to patrol during the times of day that crimes are more likely to occur.

"5. People who live alone need a telephone buddy to check on them each day at a certain hour.

"6. Whenever a family leaves on vacation, they should notify neighbors and the organization leader.

"7. Any unusual activities that will be happening in the area should be reported. Examples: a family reunion, workman coming to do things at your home while you're gone — etc.

"8. Get a complete list of all names, telephone numbers and car licenses plates numbers of people participating in the program. The organization chairman and one other person should have this information in case there is a questionable vehicle that acts suspicious.

"9. Keep in touch with the sheriffs office. Let them know about your groups activities.

"10. Remember, the County Extension Service and the Extension Community Development Committee are willing to assist in your organization efforts.

In other Lakeshore news last week, Bill and Martha Nichols of Center Point were enjoying their summer place and visiting with friends here this weekend.

Margaret and Bill Holmes had Billy and Ginger Bess, their great niece and nephew, up for the weekend.

Charles Davis, San Antonio, was checking on his property and visiting old friends.

Michael Avallone, San Antonio, was visiting his parents, Nola and Phil Bledsoe. Mark Bledsoe is going back to electronics school.

Guests of YoYo Mayorga and John Portman were her son, Armando, and his wife, Tina.

Bill and Sandy Powers and sons, Aaron and Jason, were visiting their mother, Renee and Ken Parks.

Randolph Alexander gave a barbecue for his wife, Mildred, on her birthday at The Copper Lantern, Saturday evening. He also presented Ken Pollard with a Gibson guitar. Ken hit the country charts with his newest record, and Alexander is his manager. Alexander's guests were relatives from Freeport and San Antonio, and some of Ken's musicians entertained.

April birthdays

The following residents are celebrating April birthdays: Kenneth Simmons, J.B. Ratliff, Juanita Ratliff, Monk Searcy, Sam Byrd, Kay Pollard, Mildred Alexander, Kenneth Andreas, Deanie Newman, Bethki Lackey, Don Baumgardner, and James Andreas.

Self-defense for women class slated

A self-defense class for women will be given by Bandera County Chief Deputy Mel Lemonson Thursday, April 26, at 8 p.m. at the Pipe Creek Firehouse.

The program, designed for ladies and young girls 12 years of age and older, is sponsored by the auxiliary to the Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department, according to auxiliary spokesman Jody Butler.

"All ladies and young girls are cordially invited," says Mrs. Butler, with this single proviso. "Deputy Lemons has requested that young girls be accompanied by a parent," she said.

Birthday lunch

Birthday luncheon on Tuesday, April 17, was as usual one of the good events of the month. There was such a good variety of tasty dishes. Birthday honorees for April were Mildred Fattermeister, Vernell Mullenax, Mabel Kastner, Henry Gonzales, Helen Ahr, Kathryn Dewoody, and Gladys Hussey.

The Melodier's program, Sunday afternoon, April 8, was certainly their greatest performance yet to be seen and heard. If you missed this gala, you'll certainly want to attend the next one. Watch for dates in the very near future. They will probably be going to other places to perform, so we know you will want to give them your full support.

Your net blue

The planned bluebonnet tour last Saturday was sadly lacking in sighting the "blues," but you never can tell what good detours can be made. The anticipated two van loads, plus drivers, supposed to go, had suddenly disminished to 12 by Saturday morning. Also vanished was use of the County van.

But the United Methodist Church came to the rescue by allowing use of theminico church van, so the 12 departed on schedule. By their return in late afternoon, they voted it one of the most interesting tours to date.

Included were stops at three of the oldest Spanish missions, and the trails leading to and connecting these are something you wouldn't believe. It was a real adventure and education, when seeing is believing.

After a good lunch, driver Bill took the group on a most interesting adventure through areas known to some from long ago, but now almost as new as to the rest of us. After some good stops, we finished the day by returning via I-10

Shops doing well

The Boutique and Pennywise shops are doing real well now. We have just received a new shipment of citronella candles for the boutique.

Quilting is a big event at the center right now. We invite all our quilting friends to come by, even for a few minutes. This is one of our biggest fund-raising projects. All proceeds go to our new center.

Plant sale successful

Heartfelt thanks to the community for its support in making the spring plant sale Thursday, April 12, a most outstanding event. Vernell Mullenax spent weeks of work and care, bollecting and in preparing for it, and arranging plants by classification so that shoppers could easily find, and compare, before buying.

It seems each event sponsored by the "segers" tops the preceding one. Perhaps not so surprising, since there's a wealth of experience, energy and talent to be found among the group. This leads one to believe that the "Corral" will be such an asset to the town when it becomes a reality in not distant future. Best get your boot toe in the door, so to speak, and help push toward its completion.

Monday seemed rather quiet for Craft Day, since the blythe spirit that makes it one of the best days of the week, namely, Grace Wooten, left on Saturday, April 14, for Winchester, W.Va. to visit her daughter and family. Besides family, she will also enjoy the beauty of that area in spring. I am sure. It's fantastic.

Sowing And Reaping

"Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." (Galatians 6:7).

We recognize this truth in nature, but we fail to understand that this same principle applies to our words and deeds just as it does to seed planted in a field or garden. The statement, "God is not mocked," is an undisputable proof that we cannot deceive God!

No matter how hard we try to make void God's natural or spiritual laws, we cannot change even one of them. Although a person will readily admit that God's natural laws cannot be set aside, that same person may be violating God's spiritual laws and believing that he will never pay the price for disobedience. That person is deceiving himself, and he will also reap what he sows.

Sowing To The Flesh

To sow to the flesh simply means that one is giving way to the lusts of the flesh. Adultery, fornication, uncleanness, broken homes, juvenile delinquency, murders, and rape are on the increase in our society. These are a few of the crops which form a part of the crop that is reaped in this life. But the final reaping is the most awesome — eternal punishment in the "lake that burns with fire and brimstone" (Revelation 19:20).

Self-Deceived Parents

Parents, who during their children's most pliable years, fail to put the Lord and His church first in their lives (Matthew 6:33), will NOT reap a crop of Christian children to comfort them in their older years. They are deceiving themselves. Our children are quick to see the phoney and "window dressing" with us. Remember, "whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap."

Self-Deceived Class

This class of people are not bad or wicked, but according to James, those who hear and do not obey, are self-deceived.

Our Lord spoke about this class in His sermon on the mount. He likens those who hear and do nothing "unto a foolish man who built his house upon the sand: And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell. ..." (Matthew 7:26-27). The ones who become obedient hearers, "will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock. . . ." (Matthew 7:24-25). God's law of sowing and reaping carries terrible consequences for the disobedient, but "He that soweth to the Spirit, shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting" (Galatians 6:8). Avoid self-deception. Believe and obey God's commandments.

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A Thought For The Week
By John M. Grimes

Ralph Waldo Emerson was a person who carried a generation of men into a hopeful future. Some thought he was too optimistic and too sentimental, but he believed in hope and courage. Among his writings are these words, "The lesson of life is to believe what the years and centuries say against the hours." We are too prone to take a limited view of life.

If we apply Emerson's words to the cross, we can catch something of their significance. The hours of "Good Friday" were deadly dark. But the days, the years and centuries which followed were bright with life and faith. It was the Resurrection that made the difference!

So it is with us. EASTER MAKES THE DIFFERENCE. It enables "the believer" to look down the road of life and say with Peter, "God has begotten us again unto a lively hope (I Peter 1:3). It means that the Christian has a living hope. Because of Easter, we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus Christ "the hope of the world." We have the promise of life in Easter we have an immortal hope.

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Let's talk.

Information about your changing telephone service from Karen O'Neill, Manager-Community Relations

Hello, may I introduce myself?

In the past months, this column was written by Doyle Bebee. I'll be taking over for him in this newspaper and, like Doyle, I'll be keeping you up-to-date on telecommunications issues.

Meanwhile, if you should need to contact me, I've included my address at the end of this column. I would like to hear from you anytime you feel you have a special problem . . . or even when we're doing something right, for that matter.

A look at "local measured service"

Perhaps you've heard about a new *optional* type of service that Southwestern Bell Telephone is proposing for its Texas customers. It's called Local Measured Service (LMS). Simply put, LMS would give you the option of paying for *your* direct use of the telephone network.

Southwestern Bell Telephone's LMS proposal to the Public Utility Commission (PUC) includes an option that would lower fixed monthly charges while adding a low usage charge for each completed outgoing call. Those calls would be billed on the basis of distance, duration of the call and the time of day.

Another option would be a "LIFELINE" service at a $5 monthly fee. This service would be targeted to the elderly on poverty-level income. The rate would include a usage allowance of 25 completed outgoing local calls. Additional completed outgoing local calls would be billed at the rate of 8 cents each. Customers would not be charged for incoming calls under either plan.

It's your option

LMS is for residence customers, as well as single-line, one-party business customers. And of course you could keep the current "flat-rate" monthly service if you'd prefer.

These new local service pricing plans would be available within 60 days of Commission approval in 89 offices which currently serve over 2,500,000 customers' lines. The company plans to equip the remaining offices within two years after approval.

I think you'll agree there are several advantages to this service. It would give you options for choosing the plan that gives you more control over your phone bill. You'd also have the option of paying for the service *you* used, rather than subsidizing those who use their phones a great deal more than you do.

While LMS as a standard service offering would be new to Southwestern Bell Telephone's Texas customers, it isn't new in Texas. Customers of three other companies in the Lone Star State — General Telephone, Continental Telephone and Central Tel — are taking advantage of LMS. And like us, other companies — United Tel, Palo Pinto Tel and Mustang Tel — have requests pending with the PUC.

Customer interest

We're proposing the service because we've known there has been a need for optional pricing in Texas. Last summer we conducted a survey to determine customer interest in LMS.

We found that interest was strong, particularly among those customers making fewer local calls or shorter-duration calls. The results also showed that customers want wider choices in how they pay for service by having the ability to match *their* cost to *their* calling needs.

At this time, PUC hearings on LMS are set to begin Sept. 24 in Austin. You can look for more information about LMS in the special insert in your telephone bill.

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A new brochure, "Services for Disabled Customers," is now available. It has information on disabled services and how to contact AT&T's National Special Needs Center. You can get a copy by writing to:

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If you have any questions or comments about Local Measured Service, please let me know.

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—Thank yous—

Thank you
I would like to express my appreciation to all persons who attended and participated in the Pipe Creek Community Center 4th annual Chili Cookoff.

Jake Babbitt, Jim Hatley, Virginia Henry, Ozzie Aguilar, Tom Murrin, and H.J. Babbitt Builders, Inc. insured the success of our chili auction by their generous contributions.

Thank you, everyone, for your support.
Tony Downing
41-1tp

Card of thanks
The family of Florence Dugosh would like to thank the pallbearers, Father Ralph Smith and the ladies of the St. Stanislaus Catholic Church who prepared and served the meal following the funeral. Thank you also to those who sent the lovely flowers. Your kindness and thoughtfulness is very much appreciated.
Nieces and nephews of Florence Dugosh
41-1tp

Thank you
I want to express my sincere appreciation to the Bandera County Sheriff's Department for their fast response when I needed them on April 7. It is a real comfort to me and others in our community to know that you are out there watching over us while we sleep. Our lawmen are the very best. Thank you again for being there when I needed you and may God bless each of you and keep you safe.
Hattie Harrison
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For information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person entering my barn/bedroom last summer. Shed my 8 H.P. SEARS rear-tiller and my truck-size metal postholedigger utility box. If you have information about these items, contact the Bandera County Sheriff's Office.
Gene Ramsey

—Public notices—

Amdro
Amdro Ant Bait may be purchased at the County Judge's Office for $3.25 a pound.
40-3tc

Ordinance No. 58
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BANDERA, BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS, TO REZONE R-1 (residential) PROPERTY TO R-M (mobile home) PROPERTY, LOCATED ON RANGE NUMBER ONE (1), LOTS NUMBERS THREE (3), FOUR (4), FIVE (5), AND SIX (6), BETWEEN FIRST AND SECOND STREETS AND PECAN AND HACKBERRY STREETS.
IT IS ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Bandera, Bandera County, Texas, that Lots Numbers Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), and Six (6), Range Number One (1), between First and Second Streets and Pecan and Hackberry Streets, in the City of Bandera, Bandera County, Texas, be, and hereby are, rezoned from R-1 (residential) property to R-M (mobile home) property.
This Ordinance shall become effective immediately.
DULY PASSED by the governing body of the City of Bandera, Bandera County, Texas, on the 13th day of March, 1984.
That the following Council Members, to-wit: Robert Cowan, Rosa Bailey, Clint Dowell, and Thomas Kindla voted in favor of such ordinance, and Councilwoman Dianne Tobin voted against such ordinance.
APPROVED:
W.D. Smith, Mayor
ATTEST:
Margaret Callahan,
City Treasurer
41-1tc

Ordinance 59
WHEREAS, in Bandera, Texas, an engineering and traffic investigation has been made to determine the maximum, reasonable and prudent speeds on the section of: State Highway 16 · from the west city limit easterly to the east city limit for a distance of 1.640 Miles approximately.
WHEREAS, it has been determined by the engineering and traffic investigation that the maximum, reasonable and prudent speeds for the section of highway described above are as shown on the attached plans.
NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF BANDERA, TEXAS, hereby declares and fixes the maximum, reasonable and prudent speed limits to be as shown on the above plans.
All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict are hereby repealed.
PASSED AND APPROVED April 9, 1984.
CITY OF BANDERA
By:
Mayor Robert W. Cowan
ATTEST:
Margaret Callahan
City Treasurer
41-1tc

Notice
City Office will be closed April 20, 1984. Garbage will be picked up as usual.
41-1tc

Public notice
I will no longer be responsible for the debts of anyone except myself. I will not be responsible for the debts of Cindy (Dee Dee) Mathis.
Robert N. Mathis
41-1tp

—AUCTION—

Bankruptcy Auction of E. Richard Smith
(Circle R Guest Ranch)
To be held 1 mile west of Medina on FM Road 337 on Saturday, April 28th and at the Old Hatfield Store in Medina on Sunday, April 29th.
Both days the auction will start at 11 a.m.
—Partial Listing—
Ford tractor, diesel, with front-end loader & grass mower; lawnmowers, push-type and riding; cooking stoves, gas and electric; beds, double, twin and bunkbeds; deep freezers, upright & chest-type; three antique, Frederic, pool tables; ice cream icebox; display case; gun cabinet; heaters, gas and electric; dressers; and tables; Coke boxes and Dr. Pepper boxes; electric and plumbing parts, work tables; air conditioners; televisions; desks and lawn tables with umbrellas.
Long wood tables; radios; ice maker; refrigerators; couch; adding machine; flood lights; bicycles; exercise machine; cash register; gas clothes dryer; buggy for horse; chuck box; antique executive desk; dishes; pots & pans; sheets & blankets; executive desk; curtains; bedspreads and linens; fuel tank on stand; side-gas tank for truck; 3 single shot 22 rifles; weed eater, kitchen utensils; motor oil and cement.
Folding chairs; folding tables; oxygen bottle & cutting torch; electric welder; paint; tool box; wall pictures; vices and skill saws; grinders; hand tools; large electric motors; lamps; floor buffer; cedar posts; wrought iron lamp; and silverware.
Viewing time both days will be from 10 a.m. till time of sale. Purchases should be paid for and moved the day of auction unless accepted with proper identification. Food and drinks will be available.
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Fara's Restaurant

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Hermann Sons Steak House

There is good reason for Hermann Sons Steak House being so popular in this area. The orders served here have real "pulling power", and draw lovers of fine food for many miles around. They are located at Hwy. 90 East of Hondo, phone 426-2220. Here you will find a friendly atmosphere. Your orders will receive prompt attention and everything served you will be of the best quality. It isn't often that one can find a restaurant serving such delicious food at such fair prices. Try them for real service and good food. The management is proud of this establishment and has good reason to be. They have left nothing undone to make this eating place one of the best in this section, and we suggest that you get up a party for a good meal just a short drive from home.

A-1 Transmissions & Auto Repair

Eddie Doyle — Owner

A-1 Transmissions & Auto Repair is located at 2612 Cummings Lane in Kerrville, phone 367-2200. They give expert service on all makes of automatic transmissions, rebuilt, exchanged or repaired. The automatic transmission is one of the most complicated and delicate pieces of machinery in an automobile. It performs one of the most important functions in your car, from the standpoint of safety and efficiency of operation. When your transmission needs repair service or replacement it is logical for you to obtain the services of a shop that specializes in this integral part. They know the various portions of their functions and, with their expert transmission specialists, is best able to repair, rebuild or recommend an exchange if it should be necessary. We recommend them to our readers.

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C.R. Anthony Company

Every trade area has one department store that stands out as a favorite among style-conscious shoppers. There is no doubt in this area that the outstanding department store is C.R. Anthony Company, located at 833 Junction Hwy. (Riger Oaks Shopping Center) in Kerrville, phone 895-4464. This is a friendly store where you are welcome to browse around leisurely while members of the sales staff consider it a pleasure to help you make your selections. No matter what the size of your budget you will find the best values here in famous name brands, quality, style and workmanship. We commend this establishment and suggest that you shop at this excellent department store. If you are interested in fine fashion, and appreciate a bargain, you will find more than for your time here. Clothe

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Administrator

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Mansfield Appliance Company

Many families have reason to appreciate the services performed for this area by Mansfield Appliance Co, located in Pipe Creek, phone 535-4128 or 695-8480. This progressive firm has been doing business with people for years and over that period of time has made many friends throughout the community. They specialize in sales and service on all electrical appliances. They are your local dealers. Call them for any information. Readers are invited to stop in and look over their complete selection of appliances. No amount of effort is spared by the management to see that every customer becomes a permanent friend. We strongly recommend this firm to the people of this area, and recommend their many services. They feature WHIRLPOOL APPLIANCES.

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Tri-County Farmers Co-op

There is an old saying "If you want a thing done right, do it yourself" and this is why farmer co-operatives were originated. No one is in a better position to know the farmer's and rancher's needs more or better than the farmer or rancher, himself. Farmers' co-ops are operated BY THE FARMER, FOR THE FARMER. Tri-County Farmers Co-op in Devine at 102 Bright Dr., phone 663-4441 is a progressive concern geared to meet ever-changing conditions. The manager sees that feed, seed, petroleum products and many varied farm supplies are available in the quantities needed. This co-op keeps abreast of market conditions constantly and reduces the gap between farmer and consumer. Residents of this area are grateful to this concern for the wonderful, outstanding service they perform. We salute them!

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Medina Hardware Store

Medina Hardware Store is located in Medina, phone 589-2320. You will find merchandise of every description at this modern retail store. Their line of hardware supplies is complete at all times and they can be depended upon to give you quality merchandise. They feature hardware of all types. Contact this store for all those "hard to get" items which the average home owner is always needing. The farmers and townfolk of this section make this store their headquarters. If you have not visited them lately, stop here the very next time you are in Medina and let the courteous and accomodating employees help you with your hardware needs. In this Review we take pleasure in referring all our readers to this reliable concern.

Comfort Community Hospital

Comfort Community Hospital is located at 700 Faltin in Comfort, phone 995-2030. Here the best medical and surgical skill can be obtained at a moments notice. When it is necessary to be under the care of a physician with attending nurses, think of this hospital. The value of this local hospital is being appreciated by more people every year. The family at home is relieved of a heavy burden when they know the patient is receiving the care and kind attention needed to help regain health and strength. They are continually making changes in order to keep abreast of the rapid developments in the scientific field of medicine in order to better meet the ever increasing demands that are being placed on it for its services.

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MARCH 1984

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Visitors to Hueco Tanks State Park near El Paso find beautiful desert vistas, startling rock formations, and scores of Indian pictographs. The unusual ponds of water called Hueco Tanks (meaning "hollow") were a regular stop on the Butterfield Overland Mail Route. Located 34 miles east of El Paso, the park offers camping and picnicking facilities, and numerous hiking trails through the massive boulders. TTDA photo by Richard Reynolds.



This huge wagon, with wheels six feet in diameter and almost a foot thick, stands within the walls of Fort Lesion State Historic Site near Presidio in far West Texas. Originally built as a Spanish mission in 1708, it was converted into a private fort and trading post by Henry Lemon, the area's first Anglo-American settler in 1848. Fort Leaton is open daily. TTDA photo by Richard Reynolds.

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One of the mainstays of any community is its hospital. Such a hospital is the Frio Hospital located at 320 Berry Ranch Road in Pearsall, phone 334-3617. It is completely equipped, competently staffed and prepared to render the best kind of medical, surgical, laboratory, X-ray and the allied services. The nurses and attendants give careful, efficient attention to all patients entrusted to their care, thereby relieving the family of additional worry and responsibility in the time of necessary hospital confinement. We in this Town and Country Review commend the management of this hospital for the excellent service they render to the community. No more public spirited citizens could be found anywhere than the members of the administration and staff of this fine hospital. We salute them!

Spears Mobile Homes Inc.

Spears Mobile Homes Inc. in Kerrville, located at 2048 Junction Hwy, phone 895-3003 is headquarters for all types of mobile homes. They are dealers for the famous Palm Harbor mobile homes which excell in comfort, beauty and durability. This firm has qualified sales representatives to aid in all your mobile home needs and can give you complete information concerning financing. They invite you to come in and inspect America's finest mobile homes at your leisure. Live in elegance by purchasing one of these delightful practical mobile homes. Any size & style, including the roomy double wides are featured here. We in this Review salute this fine mobile home sales firm for bringing to our area these good buys in mobile homes and for keeping in mind "QUALITY AND ECONOMY".

The Video Store

Van & Rosemary Cawlfield — Owners
Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Closed Sunday

DEPENDABILITY and The Video Store go hand in hand, a fact well recognized in this area. Located at 821 Junction Hwy. (River Oaks Shopping Center Between Kerrville Color & Gardos Rest.), phone 895-2320, this excellent firm offers a very wide service. They feature sales, rental of the latest video cassette releases, all ratings, blank tapes, head cleaners, special orders for home library. Rent 3 for the price of 2. For out of town customers, for a small fee can return tapes by mail. They are there when you need them and will be happy to be of service to you. They are knowledgeable in their line of business and have the experience that enables them to serve their customers better. We are fortunate to have this reliable concern in our area and suggest you patronize them often.

Rancher's Western Store

Farmers, ranchers, and townfolk alike will discover the price advantage of buying at the most complete western wear store in this area. They are located at 1117 Broadway in Kerrville, phone 896-6176. This store carries a complete line of western wear for men, women, and children. See their boots, hats, western pants, shirts, jeans, beautiful western blouses & accessories. At this store you will find an array of famous name brands in the clothing goods line. We salute them as a real leader among the merchandising firms of our area and suggest that you shop with them soon and enjoy their courteous service and bargain prices. See them for your Easter Fashions!

Comfort Service & Supply

Roy & Eve Masterman

Comfort Service & Supply is located in Comfort, phone 995-2845. They specialize in dealing with unusual problems & requests such as putting together an air-conditioning system where a normal factory package would not necessarily be the best. They also feature, Geo-Thermal & Ground Water heat pumps. Here you'll also find a retail shop completely stocked with air conditioning, heating, electrical & plumbing supplies, plus hard to find items such as motors, belts, pulleys & hydraulic parts. If a system has had a long standing problem call this firm & let them solve it for you. Remember what they don't have they can get for you. We Salute Them! Serving the Hill Country area!

Pat Walker's Figure Perfection Salon

Open Mon.-Fri. 9:00-7:00 Sat. 9:00-12:00 Closed Sunday

Are you looking for a scientific method of reducing inches, increasing muscles, increasing circulation and generally looking better all over? See Pat Walker's Figure Perfection Salon located at 106 Pueblo Drive, Kerrville, phone 895-1022. Their unique process has reduced thousands of women & men. The process is free of strenuous exercises, diets or disrobing. Everything is done in complete privacy from counseling through the treatment itself. It is all done by machine on specially designed units called "SYMENTRICONS", which do the exercising for you! It has been proven to be excellent for the circulation and can help tremendously in making you look and feel younger! It is a proven, scientific method of reducing & toning. They now feature EUROTAN-safer than the sun, no peeling, no sunburning, completely safe!

Chaparral Travel

WHEN PLANNING A TRIP anywhere in the world, consult the experts at Chaparral Travel located at 828 A Main Street in Kerrville, phone 896-2345 or Linda Worley in Bandera on Hwy. 16, phone 796-3049 or phone phone 796-4229, your dealer in dreams. This firm will arrange your entire trip abroad and no additional cost to you. They offer escorted, independent and custom "tours" full schedule and reservation service, complete passport visa information and data on international inoculation requirements. All hotel, motel, and resort reservation can be scheduled for your convenience. Trip and baggage insurance available. The superior service offered by this agency has been proven by their past record of expert travel arrangements. Their vast knowledge of travel industry is at your disposal. We in this Review highly compliment this excellent travel agency.

HILL COUNTRY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.
Invest in the people we serve

In this Review of the area, we salute Hill Country Telephone Co-op, Inc. Business office in Ingram, phone 367-5333. We know of no other business firm or organization serving MORE CITIZENS in MORE WAYS than this esteemed company. For meritorious service 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, we extend the appreciation and gratitude of citizens in our area, all of whom are served directly and indirectly by this telephone company. We take off our hats to this outstanding telephone company and suggest to our readers that, when you need a bill, pick up your telephone and call your children, your parents, or an old friend. It will put you on top of the world. Try it and see!

I.D. Industries, Inc.

Here is a firm that has added in no small way to the general welfare of our area. They feature structural steel fabrication, steel erection, metal fences, representing the Mid-West American Building Systems. "No Building Too Large Or Too Small." they also feature general repair work & a complete machine shop. Take your problems to them and they will readily assist you. They are located at Plant Road in Boerne, phone 249-8542. This is a concern that has continued to excell in their field, maintaining high standards, fair policies, and reasonable prices. We recommend this firm to our readers and suggest that you patronize them when in need of these services. Currently building a complete covered rodeo arena for the Hollon Ranch in Boerne.

Kerr Country Pump

Kerr Country Pump is located at 233 Junction Hwy in Kerrville, phone 257-4107 or mobile phone 257-3270. Their reputation has been built in our area through service, satisfaction, and quality. No where will you find a firm that endeavors more to please its every customer than this reliable company, regardless of the amount of the purchase or the size of the order. Prices are low, quality merchandise paramount. They feature all types of submersible & booster pumps, water softeners, iron filters and also service, repair & rebuild windmills. Remember, when you are in need of anything in these lines, contact or visit this firm. We wish to recommend to our readers that they trade here regularly. They give 24 hour service.

Nixon's Piano Service

To have your piano tuned by an expert, call on Nixon's Piano Service, located at 1159 32nd in Hondo; phone 426-4028. They can rebuild or refinish any piano. They have all the up-to-date equipment needed to turn out a first class job, and their work is fully guaranteed. It is to the publics advantage to have such a reputable service close at hand. No matter how out-of-tune your piano may be, just call them and you will receive fast, courteous service at all times. We are more than glad to recommend this establishment, and direct the attention to our readers here when in need of this type of service. They have on hand first quality rebuilt & refinished pianos, uprights & Grands, all with a new piano guarantee.

S & S Marine Inc.

In this section of the trade area S & S Marine Inc. ARE marine headquarters and carry the leading makes of boats and motors in all sizes and styles for you to choose from. They are located in Hondo at 803 19th St. (Hwy. 90 W), phone 426-3230. They are likewise known for their outstanding service department, as well as a complete parts department for all makes of boats, motors and marine equipment. If you have a boat or motor that needs repair and want new performance this is the firm to contact. Remember this is the headquarters for boats, motors, marine supplies, and accessories. On behalf of the management, a very cordial invitation is extended to all the sportsmen in this area. They feature Invader, Champion Bass Boats, Mercury & Johnson Motors. We highly recommend this firm to all our readers.

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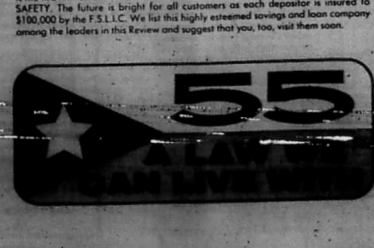


Bluebonnets: Cultivate them

The bluebonnet, as much a Texas trademark as the Stetson and the Longhorn, can be cultivated to beautify any landscape.

Named the state flower by the Texas Legislature in 1901, the bluebonnet is an annual legume. It is usually found on less productive pasture lands and roadsides where it has little competition from other vegetation, points out Everett Janne, landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

"Bluebonnets do poorly on well-managed pastures, meadows or lawns because they are such poor competitors and are easily crowded out by grass," says Janne. "Once they are established, it's best to leave them alone."

The bluebonnet must be allowed to mature and reseed itself each year to maintain a stand, the horticulturist points out. Plants tend to become weedy-looking after they flower in March and early April, and the tendency is to mow them before seeds have a chance to mature. Of course, this greatly reduces the plant population the following year.

"Under natural conditions, seeds mature and drop into the grassy undergrowth where they remain until fall when an adequate moisture supply allows them to germinate," Janne explains. "Small plants form a rosette of leaves at the soil surface and grow very little until early spring."

Under cultivated conditions, bluebonnet seeds should be scarified to increase the germination percent. The bluebonnet seed coat is hard and will absorb little moisture without scarification, notes the horticulturist.

"One way to scarify small quantities of seed is to spread them on a concrete surface and to rub them with a brick. Seeds can also be scratched between two layers of sandpaper glued to two boards. Be careful not to remove the entire seed coat during either process," cautions Janne.

Another effective treatment, says the horticulturist, is to soak the seeds in hot water for 48 hours. Change the water every 12 hours, using tap water as hot as it will come from the tap. Changing the water is necessary to prevent oxygen depletion and "scouring" of the seed. Plant seeds immediately following this treatment.

Large quantities of bluebonnet seed can be scarified by mixing them with an equal amount of coarse sand, tumbling the mixture in a cement mixer for 15 minutes, and then immediately planting the seed.

"Plant the seed in late summer or early fall and cover with no more than one-half inch of soil," Janne says. "Bluebonnets do best in fertile well-drained soil with little competing grass. And since bluebonnets are a legume, they tend to do better if the seeds are inoculated with the proper nitrifying bacteria available from most seed companies."

Store seed in sealed containers at 35 degrees F. until planting time, he advises. When collecting seeds from native stands, always allow some to fall to the ground to insure a stand the following year.

Bluebonnet seeds require considerable labor to harvest; therefore, supplies are often limited and vary from year to year. Seeds are usually available from many seed houses, nurseries and garden centers, Janne says. Bulk quantities for roadside or meadow planting can be obtained from major seed supply houses through their local distributors.

May 5 important day in South Texas

Does Mexico celebrate its independence on both May 5 and Sept. 16? No. But, both dates are celebrated throughout Mexico, and in many Texas towns and cities with large Hispanic populations.

Cinco de Mayo, the fifth of May, is an important date in Mexican history. The date is sometimes mistakenly identified as Mexican Independence Day. However, it is the date, in 1862, when a contingent of the Mexican army turned back invading French forces in the Battle of Puebla.

The victory was particularly significant because the Mexicans were greatly outnumbered and poorly equipped, compared to their French foes.

The defeat caused the French to retreat and delayed their ultimate arrival in Mexico City for over a year.

The leader of the Mexican army, General Ignacio Zaragoza, was born near Goliad, when Texas was a part of Mexico.

Cinco de Mayo is a national holiday in Mexico, commemorating the victory at Puebla more than 100 years ago, which continues to be a focal point of national pride.

Just as important is the sense of pride which Texans of Mexican descent have for its link to their past.

For that reason, celebrations are held each year on Cinco de Mayo in Texas towns and cities with large Hispanic populations. It is a true cause for celebration, and festivities often rival those of Sept. 16, which is Mexican Independence Day.

PEN in PAW

For, about and by students in Bandera schools.
Editors: Sandy Riedner, Michele Speckman

Youthful athletes set for 23rd 'Olympics'



They're practicing now.

By Nancy Hayes

The 23rd annual Little Olympics is being held on April 26-27 at the Bandera Bulldog Stadium the parade of contestants to begin at 6 p.m. both nights.

Each class participating will elect two representatives, one boy and one girl, who will compete for the Quarterback Club Trophy. It will be awarded to the class whose representative collectively earns the most points.

The A.B. Lewis Trophy will be presented to the elementary class whose class members amass the greatest number of points on a percentage basis.

Another trophy being presented is the Danial Techirhart Trophy for the sixth, seventh, and eighth grade members who amass the greatest number of points on a percentage basis.

Ribbons, first-fifth place, will be awarded in all events along with individual trophies to the boy and girl with the most points, not necessarily a representative.

The events taking place Thursday, April 26, include discus, 7th-8th grades; broad jump, 4th-8th grades; shot put, 7th-8th grades; softball- throw, 3rd-6th grades; Nerf-ball throw for handicapped students; hop-step-jump for girls 3rd-8th grades; basketball throw for girls grades 3rd-8th and boys 7th-8th; pull-ups, grades 3rd-8th, and standing broad jump, grades 1st-8th.

Running events will be held Friday, April 27. They are 40-yd. pre-kindergarten Sucker Race; 60-yd. hurdles, grades 6th-8th; 60-yd. double shuttle, grades 1st-6th; 60-yd. dash, 1st-4th, and 7th-8th; 75-yd. double shuttle, grades 1st-8th; 40-yd. 3-legged tow sack race, grades 1st-8th; 50-yd. tow sack race, grades 1st-8th; 200-yd. shuttle relay, grades 3rd-8th; and 100-yd. dash, grades 1st-8th.

Boys open district with win

Bandera's Bulldogs opened district play last Thursday with a 6-5 win over the Southside Cardinals. The Bulldogs are now in first place in district with a lead of half a game over Smithson Valley.

Mike Cardenas was the winning pitcher for the Bulldogs with 11 strike outs as opposed to three hits and only two walks for the Cardinals.

Southside jumped on Bandera in the third inning with four runs, but the Dogs battled back to a 4-4 tie until the sixth inning when Southside scored a run, putting them up 5-4 with only one inning to go.

Tim Butler and Randal Kirk each got a hit in the sixth inning to get on base, and David Schwars doubled to bring Butler in. Steve Parker then sacrificed for the winning run.

In the bottom of the seventh inning, Kevin Parker, catcher, gunned down a runner trying to steal second base.

—David Schwars

Literary regional meet results

Bandera High School was represented by nine entrants at the Region IV-AAA Literary Meet, April 13-14. Two placed in the top ten.

Melissa Ross and Toni Byam were in the top-ten-placers in journalism events. Ross placed fifth in editorial writing and Byam received sixth in headline writing. Competitors who finished among the top three advanced to the state meet.

Others from BHS participating in the regional meet were Christine Caloss, feature writing; Sandy Riedner, prose interpretation; Matt Kelly, prose interpretation; Ted Cain, calculator applications; Linda Kerr, informative speaking; Billy Morris, calculator applications; Donald DeThorne, persuasive speaking. All these students ranked in the top three of District 26-AAA.

Bandera is a member of the largest region in Texas, which includes 84 districts.

Senior calendar

May 4, Senior day, class trip
May 5, Junior-Senior Prom at Recreation Center
May 14, Senior exemption forms may be picked up
May 18, Deadline for exemption forms, 4 p.m.
May 22, Baccalaureate service, 10:45 a.m.
May 27, Baccalaureate service, 7 p.m. and Senior group picture, 6:15 p.m.
May 28, Senior final exams, periods 2, 4, 6
May 29, Senior final exams, periods 1, 3, 5
May 30, Senior holidays
May 31, Senior holidays
June 1, Graduation rehearsal, 9:30 a.m. and commencement exercise, 8 p.m.

BHS cheerleaders help Gunslingers

Two head cheerleaders from each school in the San Antonio and surrounding areas were asked to participate in a half-time show of a San Antonio Gunslingers football game May 6.

Seniors Lisa Vakey and Toni Byam of Bandera will attend three practices with the San Antonio Roses, the Gunslinger cheerleaders, and will then go on to cheer on May 6 at the Gunslinger game.

Bambi Singleton, sponsor of the Gunslinger cheerleaders said, "Gunslingers are still unknown to many people. We hope we will be able to get more people involved in our local team." —Kathy Ryan

FFA update

Bandera FFA Livestock Judging teams completed their season Saturday at the area FFA judging contest.

Poultry judgers Toby Hughes, Todd Richardson, Dusty Brittain and Danny Clark placed 26th. Livestock judgers Mike Kendrick, Shane Zimmerman and David Brown placed 44th. Dairy cattle judgers Mark Mayfield, David Erfurt, Kami Vidor and Richard Osgood placed 37th overall.

Throughout the season Telvy Robbins and Calexia Powers coached the teams in their respective areas. —Becky Blakemore

Menu

April 23-27

MONDAY: Easter holiday

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Chalupas, pinto beans, French fries, lettuce and pickles, fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, garlic bread, fruit cup and milk.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Pizza, cole slaw, butter fried potatoes, cake and milk. Second choice: Hamburger.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Corn dogs, pinto beans, catsup, cake and milk. Second choice: Hamburger.

Senior slave day

Wednesday, April 11 began like no other day. It was the senior slave sale. There were 85 of the 92 rambunctious seniors auctioned to the highest bidder. The bids ranged from a low of $4 to a high of $90.

But the real fun was yet to come! The slaves had to come to school and dress and act as their masters said. The array of costumes seen in the halls of BHS ranged from a bumble bee to many babies, and there was even one hit man. Nancy Herriot, who was purchased by Mrs. Judy D'Spain, had to dress as Aunt Jemima. When asked for her comment on Slave Day, She replied, "It was really a lot of fun at the beginning of the day, but when it was time to go home I was glad!"

—Seana D'Spain

Sterling Koontz

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Koontz, Sterling, is an 11 year Bandera student with big plans for his future.

Throughout his high school career Sterling feels he accomplished everything he wanted to. The only thing he would have done differently was not to have persisted so much so soon."

Sterling's other interests in school and his girl friend Sam have been a great influence on him.

After graduation Sterling plans on doing some handy work and saving enough money to purchase a shrimp boat. Ultimately he plans on owning a whole fleet.

—Becky Blakemore

—Senior spotlights—

Kelly Maier

Kelly Yvonne Maier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maier has been in National Honor Society and Teens For Christ since her sophomore year. She was TFC treasurer her senior year.

Band has also been a big part of Kelly's High School years. She made all district band both her junior and senior years. Also in her junior year, she participated in UIL clinics.

After graduation, Kelly plans to attend Angelo State University and major in computer science. In the future, Kelly hopes to be able to have a home and a family along with a prosperous career in the computer field.

Up to this point in Kelly's life, she feels that her family and church have played the biggest role in her life, and she says, "I shall never forget that."

When asked if she has accomplished everything that she wanted to Kelly replied, "I don't think anyone could look back on their high school days and be totally satisfied, but I could have tried harder with more effort and strived higher achievements in band and academics."

"Never be satisfied. Try to make yourself and things around you better," is a quote on which Kelly would like to base her life.

—Toni Kunz

Ginger Jordan

Ginger Jordan is the daughter of Betty King and Robert Jordan. She has attended Bandera schools for seven years.

When asked who has played the greatest influence in her life she replied, "My boy friend Timmy Schmidt, his family and my mom have played the greatest influence in my life. They have always been there for me." She also feels that she has accomplished everything she has set out to do at BHS.

Ginger has been involved in ALS and OEA during her senior year. After graduation she plans to use her OEA skills and work as a secretary, and in a couple of years get married.

—Randy McIlaney

Malisa Methvin

"You only live once so live each day to the fullest" is the quote Malisa Lynn Methvin, nicknamed Missy, would like to base her life on. Malisa has attended Bandera schools all 12 years and has been active in various school organizations during her high school years.

OEA has been a major interest in Malisa's life during h junior and senior years. She was parliamentarian her junior year, and president her senior year. Malisa placed first in Record Managements I in the Area Contest and fifth in State her junior year. She placed sixth in Record Managements II at Area and fourth in State this year.

Malisa has also been an active member of band for eight years. She has been a twirler her junior and senior years. She was representative in Band Council during her junior year and a Sweetheart Nominee this year.

Malisa has also been a member of ALS for two years and is an active member in the Grace Lutheran Church.

Malisa is vice-president of the senior class this year.

Malisa credits her nts, Mr. and Mrs. Donald B. bee with most of her success. In addition her grandparents, other relatives and friends have played the greatest influence on her life.

After high school, Malisa plans to attend SAC for 2 years and then go on to UTSA for a degree in computer programming.

When asked what her main goal in life is, Malisa replied, "Be happy at whatever I do and live life to its fullest."

—Karen Rizner

Gavin Pearson

I want to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Caloss, Mrs. Rockery, Mr. Pfeiffer, Mr. Kindla and all the teachers that have made attending this school a pleasure.

I would really like to thank my parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Pearson for their continued support and love.

I will be going to a publishing firm in New York in a year or so and I will be applying much of what I have learned in the Bandera schools.

Turn in spotlights

Michael Kendrick

Michael Wayne Kendrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley H. Kendrick of Bandera, is very involved in the rodeo. Michael, better known to his friends as Mike, is a cowboy deluxe and travels far and wide to compete in rodeo events.

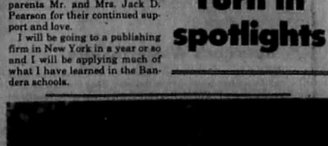
Mike feels that after his parents, meeting and talking with rodeo great Roy Cooper has influenced his life. Also practicing with the likes of Mike Arnold has helped his rodeo career.

Mike's main goal in life is to become the world's greatest all-around cowboy. This honor is not given to many and is a greatly coveted award. He hopes to accomplish this feat by working hard.

Besides being an outstanding all-around cowboy Mike has participated in football in his freshman and sophomore years at BHS.

Mike's plans include attending Southwest Texas State Junior College next fall. He also plans to keep working toward his main goal, all-around cowboy of the world.

—David Schwars



Eve Elkins and Jim Mormando

Junior high musicians qualify for region band

Eve Elkins and Jim Mormando of Junior High School qualified for the first time for Region IV-AAA Band competition in Devine last Thursday afternoon. In all, 12 students from Bandera tried out.

In order to qualify, contestants had to play the three pieces of music required by the region. Those who placed high enough in each section were selected for the band. Jim Mormando was named first chair trombone and Eve Elkins was named first chair bass clarinet.

The band rehearsed Saturday in the Bandera High School Auditorium with Jim Cain as guest conductor. Mr. Cain is from Coke Stevenson Middle School in San Antonio. A concert was held at 4 p.m. at Bandera High School.

—Michele Speckman

Medina track teams qualify seven for regional meet

Medina's girls qualified two relay teams and two individuals in three events for the regional track meet, setting a school record of 52.16 in the 400-meter relay and in the 100-meter hurdles and 100-meter dash.

Geoff Williams qualified for regional competition in three events, breaking the school record in the 110-meter high hurdles.

The Bobcat girls sprint relay team composed of Sheila House, Jerri Bullock, Nancy Dodson and Candi Caddell sped around the track in 52.16 to win second place behind Ingram. It was the best time in Medina's history.

House also set a school mark in the 100-meter hurdles, finishing second to Lisa Plant of Ingram in 15.68 seconds.

Dodson shattered the school 100-meter dash mark at 13.01 seconds, but she apparented failed to qualify for regionals when she finished third behind Lanette Jenschke of Center Point and C. Kicke of Knipps. Jenschke later scratched from regional competition, however, and that opened a spot for Dodson.

Besides qualifying for regional in the hurdles and the sprint relay, House also qualified in the long jump with a district-winning leap of 16 feet, 4½ inches, nearly a foot longer than the second place jump.

Williams was involved in two races in which the difference was just .01 seconds. He finished second in the high hurdles with a clocking of 15.67 seconds. He was nipped at the finish by Jody Evenstte of Comstock by just that much, and then he grabbed second place in the intermediate hurdles, finishing .01 second ahead of Ingram's Jack Cunningham.

Here are the first and second-place winners of the Class A district track meet April 5 in Medina.

Boys

Discus — Jason Poppe, Ingram, 137-0½, and Benny Dodge, Utopia.

Shot put — Shea Smart, Center Point, 43-4, and Poppe, Ingram.

Long jump — Dodge, Utopia, 21-6, and Geoff Williams, Medina.

High jump — 1. Jessie Hidalgo, Nueces Canyon, 6-1, and Phillip Valentzel Utopia.

Pole vault — Buck Pate, Leakey, 12-6, and Jason Rutherford, Utopia.

1600-meter run — Oscar Aguilar, Nueces Canyon, 10:53.1, and Arturo Ortiz, Rocksprings.

1600-meter run — Angel Magana, Rocksprings, 4:55.79, and Aguilar, NC.

800-meter run — Magana, Rocksprings, 2:05.83, and David Perry, Center Point.

400-meter run — Sam Rubio, Leakey, 51.97, and Stuart Torans, D'Hanis.

200-meter dash — Dodge, Utopia, 23.24, and Larry Leslie, Center Point.

100-meter dash — Alvin Leonard, Ingram, 11.34, and Dodge, Utopia.

400-meter relay — Center Point 49.41 and Ingram, 49.7.

1600-meter relay — Leakey 3:35.53 and Center Point.

High Hurdles — Jody Evenstte, Comstock, 15.06, and Geoff Williams, Medina.

Intermediate hurdles — Geoff Williams, Medina, second.

Girls

1600-meter relay — Ingram 4:17.7 and Medina.

400-meter relay — Ingram 52.05 and Medina.

800-meter relay — Ingram 1:52.32 and Utopia.

Low hurdles — Lisa Plant, Ingram, 15.35, and Sheila House, Medina.

Shot put — Plant, Ingram, 34-6½, and Jane Vidas, Harper.

Long jump — House, Medina, 16-4½, and Christie Moore, Ingram.

High jump — Debbie Wootten, Ingram, 5-0, and Dana Bunk, Utopia.

Triple jump — Diana Sirek, Ingram, 35-10½, and Tempi Avila, Rocksprings.

1600-meter run — Mari Flores, Comstock, 5:43.57, and Tootsie Avalos, Comstock.

800-meter run — Mandy Van Hester, Ingram, 2:25.39, and Jasmine Weaver, Ingram.

400-meter run — Moore, Ingram, 61.04, and Dicke, Knipps.

200-meter dash — Utopia.

27.31, and Lanetta Jenschke, Center Point.

100-meter dash — Jenschke, Center Point, 12.78, and Dicke, Knipps.

—EMS memorials

The Bandera County Emergency Medical Service has acknowledged with appreciation, the following memorials and donations which were received during the month of March.

In memory of Pres Word Sr. from Mr. and Mrs. Lee Short, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Marvin Hay and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hay.

In memory of Henry Lewis from Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Whitehead and Lola Linney, Heyoese Grohe and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Fee.

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Angermiller — Adams rites read

Merrill Ann Adams, formerly of Medina, and Roy Marvin Angermiller were married March 23 on the patio of Oak Hills Country Club in San Antonio.

Conducting the ceremony was a personal friend, the Rev. Bowlyne Fisher of the Church of the Good Shepherd in Dallas.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. James Logan Adams of San Antonio, and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin E. Angermiller of Uvalde.

At dusk the patio, staircase and altar were decorated with white candles in brass candelabras, greenery, white gladiolas, roses, spider mums and stephanotis.

Guests were ushered down flower and bow-lined walkways by John Logan of Dallas and James Kvan Adams of San Antonio, brothers of the bride.

Preceding the ceremony, Jack Henderson of San Antonio sang "Just You and I," accompanied by the James Neice Trio. The processional, the traditional "Bride's March," was played by the trio and before the recession, Jack Henderson sang "The Lord's Prayer."

Attending the bride as matron of honor was her cousin, Nancy Cyaddock of Medina. Bridesmaids were D'Ann Singleton of Medina and Lisa Devenport of Clovis, N.M.

The attendants wore formal dresses of garnet crepe de chine. They had side draped skirts and wide sashes tying at the side. Matching short jackets with stand up collars completed the ensemble. Each carried a wreath of babies breath accented with a cascade of garnet roses.

Serving the groom as best man was Bobby Ray Angermiller of Baldeo, N.M. Groomsmen were John Tadlock of Austin and Jack Barr of San Antonio.



Mr. and Mrs. Roy Marvin Angermiller

The bride chose to wear her mother's wedding gown with a fitted bodice bertha and flared redingote skirt with a train of candlelight satin.

The long sleeves, bodice yoke, and skirt insets were English net with pearled alencon lace appliques. A finger-length veil of illusion was attached to a matching pearled alencon lace appliqued headpiece.

The bride carried a bouquet of candlelight roses and stephanotis.

The mother of the bride wore a long mauve tissue taffeta sheath dress with a satin stripped chiffon jacket with full elbow length sleeves, a peplum, soft neck bow, and matching mauve taffeta cummerbund. Her corsage was orchids and stephanotis.

The mother of the groom wore a long dress of rose pink crepe with a flowing draped bodice and skirt, and a beaded waist braid inset. Her corsage was orchids and stephanotis.

A reception was held in the ballroom of the Oakhills Country Club. Debbie Tadlock of Austin registered the some 300 guests as they entered the ballroom.

The bride's cake table was decorated with a silver candelabra which held an arrangement of pink roses, spider mums, babies breath, and greenery.

The white-laced table held the three tiered wedding cake which was trimmed with white icing and candlelight roses. The cake's filling was fresh strawberries. Topping the cake was a cascade of candlelight roses.

Freda Bingham of Uvalde served the bride's cake and Fay Carpenter of Medina, the bride's great-aunt, served punch from the bride's table.

The groom's table was covered with a garnet draped tablecloth and held an arrangement of garnet and pink roses with stems of eucalyptus arranged in a large silver stemmed compote. The groom's cake was in the shape of a horseshoe and was topped with layers of shaved mocha chocolate.

Beth Henderson of Uvalde and Suzanne Benke of D'Hanis served coffee and cake from the groom's table.

Pink tablecloths were used on guest tables. Each held a hurricane lamp with an arrangement of carnations and roses. A special children's table was available with balloons, toys, and snacks for the children attending the wedding.

Guests danced to the James Neice Trio until the couple left at 11 p.m.

The bride chose for going away a white two-piece linen suit with a silk blouse. The jacket had linen swirls of trim and was accented with silk braided closures. She chose white snake pumps and a white leather and snake clutch as accessories.

The couple left in a Texas limo, decked with a western attired driver, Texas flags, and steer horns for a hood ornament.

Out of state guests arrived from New Mexico, California, and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin E. Angermiller were the host for the rehearsal dinner March 22 at a San Antonio restaurant.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Marshall of Pipe Creek announce the engagement of their daughter, Sherri Lea, to Randall Keith Mauer, son of Mr. and Mrs. David R. Mauer Sr. of Lakehills.

The bride-elect is a 1983 graduate of Bandera High School, attended Southwest Texas State University and is presently employed in San Antonio.

Her fiance is a 1982 graduate of Bandera High School and is attending Texas A&M University in College Station.

The couple plans a July 28 wedding in Bandera United Methodist Church.

Skinner — Glasscock engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney P. Skinner Sr. and Marie V. Glasscock would like to announce the marriage of their children, Robert and Zuma (Tudi).

The wedding took place at the home of the groom's parents on March 31. Close friends and family attended.

A reception in their honor will be held in late June. The couple is residing in San Antonio where the groom is employed by Simpson's TV and Appliance and the bride by The Hartford Insurance Company.

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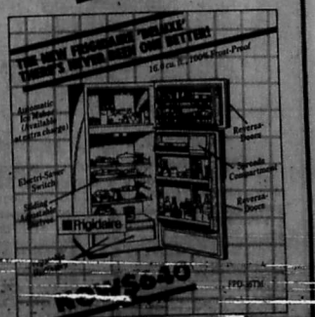

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Ridgaway — Persyn wedding

Melinda Lee Ridgaway and Andrew Richard Persyn were married on March 10 in a doubling ceremony at First Baptist Church in Bandera.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Ridgaway of Kerrville. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald H. Persyn of Happy Hollow Ranch, Bandera.

Dr. Ernest R. Wells officiated at the ceremony.

Maid of Honor was Krystal Morris of Kerrville. Bridesmaids were Judy Herring of Kerrville and Perri Crawford, cousin of the bride, of San Antonio. Flower girl was Brandy McElwee, cousin of the bride, of Athens, Ga.

The bride wore a gown of organza and alencon lace, with a high lace neckline. The full skirt was appliqued with lace and seed pearls. A lace-ruffled hemline extended to form a cathedral train.

Her headpiece was a wreath of silk flowers and pearls with a two-tiered fingertip length veil edged with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white daisies and stephanotis.



The bride's attendants wore orchid gowns and carried a stem of white daises with white ribbons. The flower girl wore a tea-length dress of white with eyelet trim accented with orchid ribbon. She carried a basket of white daisies with orchid ribbons.

Best man was Daniel Beall of Kerrville. Groomsmen were Michael Piper and Timothy Persyn, brother of the groom, both of Kerrville. They wore pearl gray tuxedos.

Ringbearer was Clinton Hall, nephew of the groom of Houston. He wore a white tuxedo.

Ushers were Mark Ridgaway of Kerrville, brother of the bride, Jeffrey Persyn and Gerald Persyn Jr., brothers of the groom, of Dallas and Bandera.

Candlelighters were Dwayne Ridgaway of Kerrville, brother of the bride, and Christopher Persyn of Bandera, brother of the groom.

A rehearsal dinner was given by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald H. Persyn, at their home at Happy Hollow Ranch.

A reception was held in fellowship hall of First Baptist Church, immediately following the ceremony.

The bride wore a cream suit with pastel blouse for her going-away outfit. The couple spent several days at the Granada Royale in San Antonio. They will be living in Kerrville.

The bride graduated from Tivy High School and is employed at Herring Printing. The groom is a graduate of Bandera High School and is employed at Riverhill.

Schreiner College plans reunion

A big, three-day weekend is planned for Schreiner College's annual homecoming April 27-29, with some 300 persons expected for "Recall '84."

Area former students have until April 23 to make reservations. Registration fee is $35 per person and $5 per person for the Farewell Sunday Brunch. Reservations may be made through the Alumni Services Office.

Alumni representing seven decades of the college's history will kick off events April 27 with a morning golf tournament at Riverhill Country Club. At 6:30 p.m. that evening, dedication ceremonies will be held for the new Rex Kelly Pavilion followed by a get-reacquainted reception. The reception for all alumni is at the pavilion complete with strolling mariachis and free Mexican food.

The annual Former Students Association assembly begins Saturday, April 28, at 10 a.m. in the Dietert Auditorium followed by the Decade Reunion Luncheon in the cafeteria. The luncheon is open to all alumni and spouses with reservations. The luncheon honors the 1943-52 era with Dr. Andrew Edington as speaker and Jack M. Stevens of Hunt (class of '43) as master of ceremonies. Dr. Edington is past president of Schreiner.

Afternoon activities mean decision time. Choose a tour of the Cowboy Artists Museum or the Schreiner Mansion Museum, take in a Mountaineers baseball game or attend a special presentation by the drama department. For the more active, tennis on campus is available. All activities are free.

Capping the day's events are a reception and dance at the Inn of the Hills' Medallion Room featuring the Don Miller Orchestra. The reception is 7-9 p.m. with the dance 9 p.m.-1 a.m. including special, free heavy hors d'oeuvres.

A worship service led by the college's campus ministry team is Sunday, April 29, at 9 a.m. in Dietert Auditorium. The service is followed by a bountiful farewell brunch in the cafeteria.

Robert senior spotlights



Christina Colley

Christina plans to attend a trade school and work part time after high school.

She has been active in band, basketball, volleyball, track, FHA and as a member of the annual staff all four years of high school.

Christina has gone to school in Medina for 4½ years and lives at Medina Children's Home.

The things she will remember most about her high school years are the senior trip, her friends, teachers, and sports.

Mr. and Mrs. Mims are Christina's favorite teachers. She feels Mrs. Mims has prepared her most for her life after Medina High School.

Jerra Bullock

Jerra Layne Bullock came to Medina High School for her freshman year of high school and lives at Medina Children's Home.

Jerra has been very active in volleyball, basketball and track. She has qualified for regional in many track events.

The event she will remember most is the varsity girls winning the district championship in basketball this year.

Jerra plans to work this summer and then attend Abilene Christian University in the fall, majoring in interior design.

Coaches House and Mims are her favorite teachers and she feels Mrs. Neuenschwander has helped her a lot.

Jerra holds the people of Medina very close.

Marilyn Morgan

Marilyn Kay Morgan has lived at Medina Children's Home and gone to school in Medina for 11½ years. She plans to work as a counselor at Pettijohn Springs Camp for the summer then attend Abilene Christian University in the fall, majoring in interior design.

Coaches House and Mims are her favorite teachers and she feels she has helped her to establish a real writing goal in her upcoming career.

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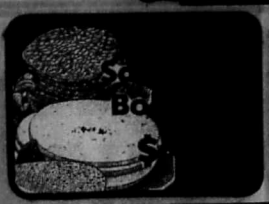



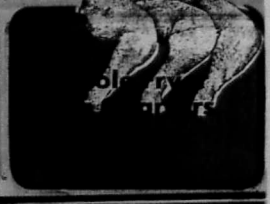

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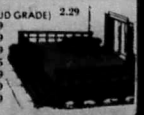

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Court to rule on confession

By Nick Johnson
Editor

The attorney for the accused killer of Marie Denise Walker here Jan. 31 has filed a motion to supress any statements, confessions or admissions Gerald Sorenson may have made to law enforcement officers.

The motion was one of eight filed Monday by Richard Mosty, Sorenson's attorney, and they are to be considered before 216th District Judge Robert R. Barton Thursday afternoon, April 26.

A subpoena was issued Tuesday ordering Richard Lee Sorenson, father of the defendant, to appear at Thursday's pre-trial hearing in the Bandera County Courthouse.

Two of the eight motions filed by Mosty Monday concerned statements or confessions Sorenson may have made. Sheriff's Department spokesmen had not publicly revealed the existance of such a statement.

Mosty charged in his motion that law enfocement authorities here disregarded Sorenson's request to speak with an attorney and continued to question him when they "obtained a written statement" from Sorenson.

"The alleged statements are not the product of a free and voluntary decision but were obtained by direct violation of the defendant's provileges against self-incrimination under the fifth amendment to the U.S. Constitution," Mosty charged in his motion.

Sorenson is charged with capital murder in the death of the Bandera school teacher which the Bandera County grand jury says was committed while Sorenson was in the process of sexually assaulting the victim.

None of the eight motions asked for a change of venue, which officials here had expected. Such a motion could be filed at a later date, however.

Besides the two motions relating to the alleged confession, Mosty also filed two separate motions to discover what other evidence prosecutors had, a motion to produce exulpatory (exonerating) and mitigating evidence, and two motions asking for a dismissal of the trial on grounds that the law under which Sorenson is charged violates U.S. and state constitutions.

Mosty charged the law violates Sorenson's rights to be free from "cruel and unusual punishment" and from "arbitrary and capricious punishment," which are prohibited by the eighth and 14th amendments.

He further challenged the law on the grounds it is "so vague and indefinite as to deprive the defendant of 'due process of law' and 'fundamental fairness'," which are guaranteed by the fifth and 14th amendments.

Walker's almost nude body was found on the morning of Feb. 1 in the mobile home in which she lived in a remote section in the Wharton's Dock area southeast of Bandera. A Bexar County Medical Examiners report stated Walker's death was caused by a single gunshot to the head from a .22 caliber weapon.

Sorenson was captured Feb. 19 in Binghamton, N.Y., when his request for Salvation Army shelter resulted in a routine police computer check that told New York authorities Sorenson was wanted on a Bandera County murder warrant.

Two new proposed sites for school considered

Two new possible sites for an elementary school have been proposed by Bandera school officials, and voters may be given a choice when they cast their ballots in a new bond issue election, possibly in October.

School board members last Thursday considered a possible site on State Highway 173 South, less than two miles from the traffic light at Main and Cypress streets, and a second site on property now at least partly owned by the school district and where the high school is now located.

Oilman Albert Alkek offered to donate 27 acres on SH 173 South to the school for construction of new classroom facilities, Superintendent Ron Caloss said. "That was his reaction to the defeat of the bond issue," Caloss said.

Specifically the site is 1.8 miles south of Bandera on the right-hand side of Highway 173 next to a septic tank manufacturing business, Caloss explained.

School trustees Thursday appeared to favor offering voters a choice of sites when the issue goes on the ballot a second time. Voters on Dec. 6 rejected the idea of constructing a $2.9 million elementary school three miles east of Bandera on State Highway 16.

Though the site at either location would cost the school district little or nothing, the school's architect, Jim Pfluger of Austin, said Thursday he expects the size of the bond issue to be considered this time to be larger than the $2.9 million voters rejected in December.

"Since that time inflation has caused prices to go up some and interest rates have increased," Pfluger pointed out.

Calling Thursday's special board meeting "groundwork for what you might call our 'new bond issue'," board president Thomas (Bub) Keese introduced Pfluger to the sparse crowd.

He said the three drawings he presented Thursday were among "six or eight different directions we explored."

One of the concepts Pfluger presented Thursday was quickly rejected by trustees by general agreement without a vote being taken.

That was for a plan calling for the re-location of Bulldog Stadium and building a new elementary school at the present campus.

Pfluger told trustees that such a plan would provide space to expand facilities to accomodate 300 additional students, and that would be a short-range solution at best.

"It could be expanded for 600, but that would require the acquisition of more property, some of it currently occupied by homes," he said.

The architect also estimated the cost of moving the stadium at $150,000, "$250,000 if you include an all-weather (running) track."

Trustees cut short discussion of building a new football stadium. "We can live without a (new) stadium for five years to come," said Keese. "We need an elementary school now."

Caloss told trustees the ballot proposition could include a non-binding referendum in which voters would express their opinion as to which of two sites they favored.

While the vote would be not legally bind the trustees, each expressed the view that they would be politically bound to follow the dictates of the voters.

Pfluger said locating the school at the high school would require the purchase of 7½ to 10 acres and that the Highway 173 site would require a self-contained sewer system and a well.

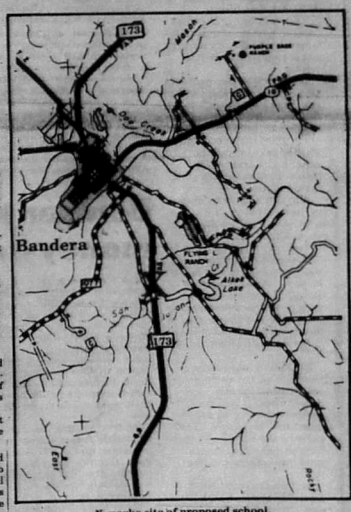
He estimated the cost of similar facilities at either site to be about the same.

During the discussion concern was expressed for the safety of elementary school children walking home at the same time that high school students are driving away from school, if the schools were located on the same campus.

Concern was also expressed that voters would view the Highway 173 location to be "out of town," though it is only 1.8 miles from Main and Cypress streets.

"The feedback I get is 'we don't want it out of town'," Keese explained.

Board members authorized Caloss to begin immediately to prepare a detailed topographical survey of the high school campus so that Pfluger can prepare more detailed plans for further study.



X marks site of proposed school.

Powerful toxic material dumped near highway north of Bandera



Nick Fohn of State Health Department takes a water sample for testing.

By Rick Young
Staff writer

State authorities are investigating what a health department official says was the deliberate dumping of 7,000 gallons or more of a powerful toxic material that has killed trees and grass and could pollute wells in the area.

The spill was discovered and reported to authorities by Bill Ellis of Bandera. It is located off State Highway 173 approximately 5½ miles north of Bandera.

Nick Fohn of the State Health Department's Uvalde office said the toxic chemical could have been dumped by a trucker who was [illegible] to haul his cargo to toxic dump sites at Deer Park near Houston or Rockport near Corpus Christi.

He "saves his time and fuel by dumping wherever he thinks he can get away with it," Fohn theorized. He warned that a hauler having dumped here once and gotten away with it is likely to return.

Fohn said the incident will be referred to the Texas Department of Water Resources to investigate the possibility of contamination of subsurface water.

He said the water agency would test soil samples in an attempt to identify the particular contaminant involved.

An investigator from the Texas Department of Water Resources found evidence that leads him to believe that there already may have been as many as three separate dumping incidents at the site.

Citing separate "flushes," or areas where all loose [illegible] been washed away, and separate sets of tandem-tire tracks, he stated that apparently a medium-sized truck, perhaps with a capacity of 2,500 gallons, had visited several times to dump its chemical load.

State Department of Water Resources representatives Tuesday estimated some 6,000 to 7,000 gallons was dumped. He reported finding an unknown crystalline substance along the bottom edge of the spill. Results of soil samples are expected in 30 days.

Fohn says that results of water samples taken from the Ellis well, the closest to the site, should be available within two weeks.

Ellis says he first spotted the area about one month ago, but thought the trees and grass may have been damaged by this winter's freeze. On re-examination, however, he became suspicious the damage may have been caused by an intentional chemical spill.

The damaged area extends from the highway 150 yards into property owned by Mrs. G.W. Perry. Two swaths 15-20 feet wide lead down the slope onto the Perry property, from where it spreads into an area some 75 yards wide.

Even trees in the path of the chemical stand dead.

Fohn said Texas is experiencing a rash of illegal highway dumping of toxic wastes, although this is the first reported in our area.

Legal dumping of EPA Type 1 wastes is an expensive proposition, Fohn says. "The manufacturer has to obtain a manifest that must be carried by the driver of the dump truck at all times," Fohn said. The manufacturer must transport waste, pay for its disposal.

"Sometimes the manufacturer avoids all the paperwork and expense by hiring a coyote, or illegal hauler, who loads the waste and sets out for a remote area and simply pulls off the road and dumps it," Fohn said.

"Or it could be a legitimate hauler who takes the money for the job and then saves his time

(See SPILL, Page 6.)

Bandera County Potpourri

By Nick Johnson

We're talking major league service above and beyond the call of duty.

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We're talking 14 years as mayor of this river city.

"I got seven or eight phone calls about city business on my last day in office," Mayor Wilvie Smith was saying.

He may be exaggerating when he says he averaged some seven calls per day during the 14 years he served as mayor. If he's anywhere close to right, however, that means he handled some 35,000 calls.

A lot of those must have been about the changes coming over the city, because that's where most of the concern is today.

Hixsoner has seen a lot.

The city had one employee, a Ford tractor and a two-wheel trailer, nothing more, says Wilvie.

"Total assets then were probably $1,000," says Smith. "Now it's $2½ million. And the payroll exceeds $150,000 and includes 17 employees."

The first council meeting over which he presided was in "a damp room beneath the present (Bandera County) Library," he said.

By "rat-holing a little money here and rat-holing a little money there," the city raised the funds for a municipal building. "When they drove the last nail, we paid for it in full," Smith said proudly. The total cost of the building was in excess of $200,000, Smith says.

That was one of the three most important things that happened to the city during his 14-year tenure, Wilvie says.

Another was the institution of the one percent sales tax. That gave the city the firm financial structure it enjoys today.

The third major occurance was the take-over of the water board last year, a transformation that is still taking place.

Why did he become mayor in the first place? "I just saw a lot of things I would like to see changed," he explains.

And why step down now? "I accomplished what I set out to accomplish and more," he says. "And I feel a new executive might come up with new ideas to get a little more cooperation out of a few more people," he remarked.

"And besides, I'm tired of it."

He doesn't take all the credit for all the accomplishments of the city government. "I had the cream of the crop as council members," he recalls. "That gave me the free hand to perform the job. They were all good-thinking people," he recalls.

And what about the future? Is Mayor Smith going to stop thinking about and working for the future of the city of Bandera?

He was quick to answer. "After 27 years of making my living here? Certainly not.

"I'll be happy to help anybody that thought I'd help his cause."

Anyone whose cause is in the best interest of the future of Bandera, that is.



Prison system accused by legislator

A state legislator last week charged that money the Legislature appropriated to build prison cells was used to build state prison offices and warehouses.

Although his announcement went almost unnoticed amid the flurry of political campaign charges and countercharges, State Rep. Ray Keller said his probe committee has determined a trail of paperwork which has systematically concealed prison construction spending from every legislative oversight authority.

Next January, as it has in the previous three sessions, the Texas Legislature will consider how much tax money to turn over to a prison system rocked with charges of overcrowding, allegations, of misappropriations of funds, and rife with a series of recent resignations by prison officials.

Keller said the latest irregularity uncovered by his House committee investigating the prison system was the construction of 60,000 square feet of offices and warehouses at prison units without the approval of the corrections board or the Legislature.

The Legislature, Keller said, had specifically intended those funds to be spent for cells for prisoners to comply with federal court orders to ease overcrowding.

Amazing arrogance

"A lot of this was going on in May 1982, when the prison system was threatening to close its doors for lack of cells for prisoners," Keller said.

Keller added he was amazed at the "arrogance" of prison officials in ignoring the directives of both the Legislature and the federal courts.

"No other state agency has been involved in such deliberate blatant misuse of tax dollars, he said.

The buildings were constructed during the tenure of former prison system director W.J. 'Estelle Jr., who resigned in November.

Special session

The political infighting surrounding the coming special session to raise taxes for teacher pay is more serious than ever.

Just a few days after Gov. Mark White was urged to publicize his tax hike plan, both Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis confirmed they expected the special session to be called for May or June.

Then H. Ross Perot, the conservative chairman of the panel studying a list of public education reforms, scored teachers for being too greedy for pay while ignoring other needed changes.

Against state board

Perot reportedly indicated he has proof that some Texas teachers tara giving grades in exchange for letters opposing the reforms. Perot would not reveal the school district, but said students were reportedly told they would get a C for one letter to the Legislature, a B for two letters and an A for three letters.

He wants the 27-member elected State Board of Education replaced with a three-member panel appointed by the Governor.

Tax options

Some observers are betting that Gov. White will push for increases in the sales and gasoline taxes to raise the $1.6 billion needed for reforms.

White said he may also include higher "sin" taxes, those on liquor, tobacco and some other "luxury" items.

Bentsen to introduce money-saving plan

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen said last Wednesday he will introduce legislation that would substanially reduce the cost of mowing alongside highways by encouraging states to plant wildflowers instead of grass.

Sen. Bentsen said trial plantings of wildflowers along some Texas highways have also resulted in a noticeable decline in the amount of litter thrown from cars.

Bentsen, ranking member of the Senate Transportation Subcommittee, said he will ask that panel to adopt his bill as an amendment to highway legislation the Subcommittee will consider next week.

"Lady Bird Johnson helped us move in the direction of appreciating and conserving the natural beauty of this great country," Bentsen said.

"It is with her in mind that I will introduce this bill to make available to millions of Americans the natural beauty of our country and assist in perpetuating our native wildflowers and vegetation."

The Bentsen bill would encourage states to plant wildflowers rather than grass as a ground-cover along highways by stipulating that .25 percent of all federal highway landscaping funds be used for wildflowers.

The Senator noted that the Texas Highway Department has experimented with wildflower planting along highways in 24 counties.

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Letters

How much we owe

Dear editor,

On Saturday, April 21, while we were in San Antonio, a fire was started on my property. Thanks to alert neighbors who called in the alarm and to the volunteer fire departments of Lakehills (Medina Lake VFD), Pebble Beach (MLVFD substation), Mico and Pipe Creek, the blaze was contained within about two acres with very little loss.

We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to all of the above and to remind everyone in our area how much we owe to these volunteers who always stand ready to protect our property and our lives.

Their value to the community cannot be measured in dollars and cents, but let us not forget them when they need our support.

Dr. and Mrs. William McKay
Lakehills

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Dear editor,

We hope, one day, to be part of your community — meanwhile we enjoy your newspaper and feel a part of you.

Thomas H. and Lois Love
Corpus Christi

Letter policy

The Bulletin solicits your letters on any subject of general interest. Each letter must be brief, in good taste and must not be libelous. The editor reserves the right to edit letters for these reasons. While political endorsements and thank you notes will not be accepted as letters, we will be happy to arrange advertising space for these purposes.



STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

He also said he wants teachers to receive a two-year, 24 percent pay raise.

Other acceptable reforms include equalization of aid to school districts, improved teacher-student ratios, language development and more remedial and advanced programs.

Bill Clements

White's old nemesis, former Republican Gov. Bill Clements, last week sent out a fundraising letter for President Reagan which blasts White as a mediocre governor who wants to unseat the president.

In asking for dollars for Reagan, Clements wrote, "I, for one, do not underestimate White the campaigner. He's as good in a campaign as he is bad in public office."

White is regarded in some circles as vice presidential material on a ticket with Mondale, and one of White's top aides is heading the Mondale campaign for Texas.

Black farmers

Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower last week announced a 13-point plan to aid Texas' black farmers.

Hightower wants to lower property taxes for black farmers and provide better access to markets at the state, regional and international level.

A department survey said black farmers average an ownership of 266 acres for farming or grazing. When a few large tracts are removed, the average is closer to 100 acres.

State oil well

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro is drilling Texas' first state-owned oil well to a chorus of both applause and criticism.

One prominent Houston oilman, Michel T. Halbouty, accused Mauro of conducting creeping socialism by competing with privately owned oil companies.

But Mauro explained he is only fulfilling the terms of a settlement with Mobil Oil Corp., an agreement made in January which saw the oil company give back leases on thousands of acres of state land in Duval County.

"The reason I'm drilling the well is because the contract says I have to. It's not something we asked for or will do on a regular basis," Mauro said.



Pictured (Left to Right) before the game on parent's night at Ingram Tom Moore H.S. are Shari Egan, Brian Thompson and Joe Mike Egan.

DR. E. OTIS MOORE says: "Joe Mike has been the sheriff and district attorney of this county here in the Hill Country. I performed the ceremony in Joe Mike's mother's home when he married Sharon Thompson on June 3, 1983. Joe Mike took them from District Attorney for seven months.

"Joe Mike made up his mind about the D.A.'s job a long time ago and that went straight into it. I supported him in 1976 and 1980 because I knew he'd make a good D.A. — and am supporting him now, of course, because he has proven it.

"Something else Joe Mike has proved is that FOR HIM the D.A.'s job IS THE GOAL — not a stepping stone. Both you and I want a D.A.'s office whose full focus is focused on crime and punishment — not on political advancement. When looking at the candidates be sure to consider this point."

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Staff photo by Rick Young

Gramm makes second visit here

By Lila MacMillan
Staff writer

The Reagan economic recovery program has created 5 million new jobs, $515,000 of them in Texas," U.S. Senate candidate Phil Gramm told some 70 supporters at a rally here Friday that marked the second time the Republican candidate has appeared in Bandera.

Gramm co-sponsored the president's economic program as a Democrat and helped steer it through congress. He later split with the Democratic Party, resigned his congressional seat, and won re-election in a special election over several Democrats.

"We have created more permanent, productive, taxpaying jobs in the private sector during the past two years than the federal government has created in make-work, dead-end jobs in the last two decades," the former Texas A&M professor said.

"Under our program, inflation has fallen from the highest levels in American history to the lowest level in 20 years," Gramm said. "Our program is working for the working people.

"I am proud of what we have achieved and I intend to see the program through to a successful conclusion by controlling spending and balancing the budget," he said.

"In contrast the national Democratic Party's promises of something for nothing in order to win votes on election day, we have offered real opportunity to the working people of Texas to strive and succeed for themselves," the congressman said.

Gramm said there is a chance he could defeat his two Republican opponents on May 5 by a margin large enough that a runoff would not be necessary.

He said a victory without a runoff would give his campaign a head start against the Democratic nominee in November's general election. He said he expects Democrats Bob Krueger of New Braunfels and Lloyd Doggett of Austin.

During his visit here, Gramm noted that his recent polls show him leading each of the Democratic challengers. "We still must clear the first hurdle by winning the May 5 primary," he reminded. "I'm asking our supporters to vote on May 5 in the Republican primary to help defy the odds and (enable us to) win without a runoff," he said.

"Against three (Republican) opponents, it will be a challenge," he stated, "but with your help, we can meet the challenge."

Dr. Gramm, a three-term congressman, is running against Houston oilman Rob Mosbacher Jr., Houston public relations man Hank Grover, and U.S. Rep. Ron Paul.

Gramm sprinkles his speeches and conversation with Aggie humor acquired during the 12 years he taught at Texas A&M University. He was the youngest full professor in the history of the university's economics department.

Dr. Gramm's wife Wendy has also earned a Ph.D. degree in economics from Texas A&M. Their two sons, 10-year-old Marshall and 8-year-old Jeff, call College Station their home.

Gramm was introduced Friday at the First National Bank Board Room by his Bandera County steering committee chairman, D.W. (Speedy) Hicks, and the crowd was welcomed to the rally by Buddy Thompson of Bandera, Bandera County Republican chairman.

Faces of Bandera County

Tomie Morgan of Wharton's Dock took her smile to Fiesta and gave visitors there a look at a Face of Bandera County. Maybe they'll be visiting here next.

Only one candle

Jennifer Ann Jennings turned one year old Sunday, April 15, and her parents, Preston and Susan and sister, Katie Sue, helped celebrate with a Easter party on April 22.

Many family members and friends attended the barbecue dinner and Easter egg hunt. A three-tier birthday cake was served.

Calendar

This afternoon, April 26

Cub Scout Pack 146, Scout hut, Mansfield Park.
Lakehills American Legion Post, monthly meeting, Post 410 and Auxiliary covered dish 7 p.m., meeting 8 p.m.

Friday, April 27

Utopia Lions Club Annual Community Auction, 7 p.m., Utopia Town Square.
Bingo, Bandera American Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m..

Saturday, April 28

Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department barbecue, 11:30 a.m.

Sunday, April 29

Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department barbecue, 11:30 a.m.

Monday, April 30

Medina Lake American Association of Retired Persons regular meeting, Lakehills American Legion Hall, 1:30 p.m.
Bandera Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m., Rockin' R.
Boy Scout Troop No. 204, 7 p.m., Lakehills United Methodist Church.

Tuesday, May 1

Pipe Creek Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Fine Arts Club, 7 p.m., home of Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Hicks.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m., youth center.
Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Lakehills American Legion Hall.

Wednesday, May 2

County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Committee, 9:30 a.m., old courthouse.
Lakehills United Methodist Women, 1:30 p.m., Lakehills United Methodist Church.
Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department bingo, 7 p.m.
Bandera Electric Cooperative Board of Directors, (closed to public).

Thursday, May 3

Tarpley Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
St. Victor's Altar Society, 7 p.m., Lakehills St. Victor's Chapel.
Lakehills Sesquicentennial meeting, Lakehills American Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Temperatures

Dates	High	Low	Rainfall
Wednesday, April 18	92	48	-
Thursday, April 19	99	52	-
Friday, April 20	100	64	-
Saturday, April 21	91	69	-
Sunday, April 22	84	54	-
Monday, April 23	86	46	-
Tuesday, April 24	91	50	-

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Sesquicentennial projects planned

Peggy Ashmore, Sue Kruse and Donna Mansfield of Lakehills are representing our area on the Bandera County Sesquicentennial Committee. Jeanine Hicks, a native Banderan now program officer with the Texas Sesquicentennial Commission in Austin, and Libby Ellis, coordinator of the Jubilee 150 celebration of the province of South Australia, met with the group in Bandera April 10.

The county sesquicentennial committee is made up of about 30 persons representing Bandera, Hondo, Vanderpool, Pipe Creek and Lakehills. Carmen Hicks of Bandera heads a steering committee named by County Judge Tommy Curbo to plan Bandera County's part in the year-long 150th birthday celebration of the state of Texas in 1986.

In order to get the Medina Lake area involved in the celebration, our representatives have called a meeting of about 30 people in the area, representing various civic organizations, churches, clubs, youth groups, and interested individuals for May 3 at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Hall.

Ashmore said Carmen Hicks and Jack Frazier of the Bandera County steering committee will be present. The purpose of the meeting will be to gather ideas for special projects in our area to commemorate the 150th birthday celebration, and to appoint committees to involve the majority of the community in fund-raising and carrying out projects selected for our area.

Kruse and Ashmore both said they hope our area will support projects for community improvement and projects that will last for many years.

The May 3 meeting will be open to anyone interested in the Texas Sesquicentennial Celebration.

New officers elected to water board

Members of the board of the Fresh Water Supply district elected Wilbur Bradford president, Jud Ashmore vice president, and Bob Solomon secretary-treasurer.

All three retained their seats on the water board in the April 7 Water District elections, when they ran unopposed. Ashmore, formerly served as president and Wilbur Bradford formerly served as vice president of the board. In the April 7 election, Bradford was the top vote-getter with 39 votes.

American Cancer Society drive is on

Peggy Ashmore has been named region of the American Cancer Society crusade team for Lakehills. Other crusaders on the Lakehills team are Alice Smart, Shirley Kelley, Louise Mays, Jeanne Pylant and Eleanor Lane.

The team will be collecting funds and promoting community awareness of cancer and cancer prevention during the American Cancer Society's annual drive.

"Money contributed is used for further promotion of cancer awareness and prevention and locally for providing cancer patients with medical items such as beds, wheel chairs, and medical supplies used at home," said Ashmore.

Tickets for the dance to be held at the Recreation Center in Bandera on May 19 are available through Barbara Kugel at the Cut-A-Way on Park Road 37. Proceeds from the dance will go to the American Cancer Society.

Firemen kept busy

The Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department fought three fires in the past week.

A spokesman for the department reported one fire was an outbuilding located a few blocks off 8th Street. The firemen were able to contain the blaze so it didn't spread to a nearby house, trees or brush.

The second fire was a small mobile home off 8th Street, which was destroyed.

On Saturday, April 21, firemen were called in a large brush fire at Mountain View, and after a quick assessment, local officials called for assistance from the Pipe Creek and Mico fire departments.

All units were hampered by lack of direct access to the burning brush and trees. The fire was brought under control before any personal property was damaged or lost, however.

The Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department earlier this month began to use fire hydrants at Thousand Trails resort, at the invitation of preserve manager Steve Phillips. A spokesman for the fire department said fill-up time has been cut by approximately 75 percent by using the hydrants.

The firemen find it reassuring to know they have hydrants at Thousand Trails as well as at Pebble Beach available for quick refills during emergencies.

At the firemen's training class on Wednesday night, Chief Clinton Oehler and Jim MacMillan took the members to the Thousand Trails preserve for an orientation on the facilities at the large tourist attraction. Each member was given a map of the preserve so they would be familiar with the different areas should there be a fire call to the preserve.

The class practiced the mechanics involved in filling the tanks from the fire hydrants while firemen familiarized themselves on hands knowledge most helpful while fighting the fire at Mountain View on Saturday.

Fire department barbecue soon

The Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department will have its semi-annual barbecue Saturday and Sunday, April 28 and 29, at the firehouse in Lakehills. Serving will begin at 11:30 a.m. both days. The volunteer firemen have asked everyone to come out and support the fire department in this fundraiser. Many prizes will be given away on Sunday afternoon.

Guests from Biloxi

Cindy Wells and daughter Michelle Vanderhagen of Biloxi, Miss. have been the house guests of Cindy's parents, Pete and Helen Hensel of Pebble Beach, for the past 10 days.

Pete and Helen entertained Cindy and Michelle with sightseeing ventures to Bandera and San Antonio, shopping trips, and eating out in many Mexican, Chinese, and American restaurants. Michelle, 12, particularly enjoyed an afternoon of swimming in the pool at Thousand Trails, followed by a hoot ride on Medina Lake with the Samsel's neighbors, Shirley and Clyde Kelley.

Dart standings

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Copper Lantern #1	26	2
Texas Wrangler #1	22	6
Texas Wrangler #2	19	9
Hard Times #2	16	12
Hard Times #1	11	17
Copper Lantern #2	12	17
Pop's Place #1	9	17
Cedar Point Landing	7	14
Texas Wrangler #3	7	14
Pop's Place #2	8	22
Hard Times #3	6	15



Staff photos by Lila MacMillan

April Quick, above, finds an egg in a difficult to find place, and Courtney Quick, left, displays a basketful she found.

Community egg hunt a success

Many adults and over 60 children turned out for the Hermann Sons Community Easter Egg Hunt Saturday afternoon. Wendy Holt received a stuffed rabbit for finding the gold egg, and her brother Trey won an Easter basket for finding the silver egg. Rusty Harrison, 17 months old, was the youngest hunter to participate.

After the 20 dozen hard boiled, dyed and decorated eggs and several dozen candy eggs were recovered, members of the lodge treated everyone to hot dogs, prepared by Elaine Mixon and served by Shirley Jones, while Johnie Bartlett and Doris Holt poured Kool Aid for the thirsty crowd.

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Political Calendar

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Constable Bandera County Pct. 2 — Gene Ott
Bandera Co. Tax Assessor Collector — Marguerite Stevens
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Doyle Ely (R)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 1 — Jim Russell (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — Bob Ashley (D)
Bandera County Commissioner Pct. 3 — A.A. (Pete) Reed (D)
District Judge — 216 Judicial District — Robert R. (Bob) Barton (R)
D.A. — 218 Judicial District — K. Bruce Curry (R)
D.A. — 216 Judicial District — Joe Mike Egan (R)
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More Lakehills news

Hermann Sons announce rummage and bake sales

Dorothy Dean spokesman for Sons of Hermann Bandera Lodge 81 announced this week the membership will hold a Rummage and Bake Sale May 5 on it's property next to Millie's Pavilion on Park Road 37.

The activities will start at 9 a.m. Spaces are available for $3 and participants need to bring their own tables. To reserve your space, call Dorothy Dean at 751-2510.

This fairly new organization in our community has several activities planned in the near future to raise funds to build a lodge home on the property donated by Millie Schenkat.

Primary elections

Voting in the Democratic primary election May 5 will take place at the Lakehills Civic Center on Park Road 37 and in the Republican primary at the Lakehills United Methodist Church at Avenue J and 10th Street in Lakehills.

Norma Gray, Republican precinct chairman, said she hopes to have signs placed at the turns from Park Road 37 to the church for those voters who are not familiar with the church location.

The polls at both voting places will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. The Republican precinct convention will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the church fellowship hall following the closing of the polls. Gray stated all interested Republican voters are urged to attend. The Democratic precinct convention will be at 7:15 p.m. at the Civic Center.

Methodist women finalize plans

The Lakehills United Methodist Women have finalized plans for the upcoming annual cake and plant sale in conjunction with the May 12 flea market and bazaar at the Lakehills Civic Center on Park Road 37.

This annual fund raiser will begin at 9 a.m.

Flag ceremony planned

A formal flag disposal ceremony is planned at the American Legion Post 410 home on May 6 at sundown. The flag ceremony will be preceded by a pancake supper starting at 5 p.m.

Anyone having a flag that can no longer be used should bring it to the post grounds to have it disposed of properly.

St. Victor's Altar Society to meet

St. Victor's Altar Society will meet on May 3 for its monthly meeting, the last before its June 2 barbecue and festival.

All members are urged to attend and bring their donations of canned goods, paper goods or cash to the meeting. The items and cash donated will be used to stock the country store at the festival, committee chairman Grace Gonzales stated.

Among the many prizes to be given away at the barbecue will be one of Mabel Kentner's paintings. The painting is a Hill Country scene with bluebonnets, and the painting will be on display each Saturday night in the chapel from now until the barbecue.

Rough fish damage overestimated

The sight of rough fish such as carp and gar foiling the shallows is a common one on warm spring days when the fish perform their spawning rituals in Texas reservoirs.

Fishermen often view the phenomenon with alarm, interpreting the presence of rough fish as a sign of declining game fish production.

Fisheries biologists, however, have learned that rough fish are not as harmful to game fish populations as one might expect.

"In all the studies conducted in Texas and other states, we have never found any correlation between number of rough fish and game fish production," said Bob Kemp, director of fisheries for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Training classes started

The Emergency Medical Services of Bandera County completed it's first week of training classes with 11 new students. The prospective emergency medical technicians will attend classes at the Pipe Creek Community Center through June 20. Classes are held three nights each week.

Spokesman for the training classes, Dee Sharp, said the 11 students are from the communities of Tarpley, Lakehills, Pipe Creek and Bandera. Class instructors are state-certified emergency medical technicians from Bandera County Emergency Medical Services.

Sharp said that later in the class training, doctors and medical technicians from Methodist Hospital in San Antonio will be involved in the training sessions.



Jim Crockett

Before the new volunteers receive their certification from the state, they will be required to undergo hospital emergency room training under the direction of the emergency room doctors and staff.

Self defense class

A self defense class for women will be held at the Pipe Creek Firehouse Thursday, April 26, at 8 p.m. Chief Deputy Mel Lemons of the Bandera County Sheriff's Department will instruct the class.

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The May 3 meeting will be open to anyone interested in the Texas Sesquicentennial Celebration.

New officers elected to water board

Members of the board of the Fresh Water Supply district elected Wilbur Bradford president, Jud Ashmore vice president, and Bob Solomon secretary-treasurer.

All three retained their seats on the water board in the April 7 Water District elections, when they ran unopposed. Ashmore, formerly served as president and Wilbur Bradford formerly served as vice president of the board. In the April 7 election, Bradford was the top vote-getter with 39 votes.

American Cancer Society drive is on

Peggy Ashmore has been named captain of the American Cancer Society crusade team for Lakehills. Other crusaders on the Lakehills team are Alice Smart, Shirley Kelley, Louise Mays, Joanne Pylant and Eleanor Lane.

The team will be collecting funds and promoting community awareness of cancer and cancer prevention during the American Cancer Society's annual drive.

"Money contributed is used for further promotion of cancer awareness and prevention and locally for providing cancer patients with medical items such as beds, wheel chairs, and medical supplies used at home," said Ashmore.

Tickets for the dance to be held at the Recreation Center in Bandera on May 19 are available through Barbara Kugel at the Cut-A-Way on Park Road 37. Proceeds from the dance will go to the American Cancer Society.

Fireman kept busy

The Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department fought three fires in the past week.

A spokesman for the department reported one fire was an outbuilding located a few blocks off 8th Street. The firemen were able to contain the blaze so it didn't spread to a nearby house, trees or brush.

The second fire was a small mobile home off 8th Street, which was destroyed.

On Saturday, April 21, firemen were called to a large brush fire at Mountain View, and after a quick assessment local officials called for assistance from the Pipe Creek and Mico fire departments.

All units were hampered by lack of direct access to the burning brush and trees. The fire was brought under control before any personal property was damaged or lost, however.

The Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department earlier this month began to use fire hydrants at Thousand Trails resort, at the invitation of preserve manager Steve Phillips. A spokesman for the fire department said fill-up time has been cut by approximately 75 percent by using the hydrants.

The firemen find it reassuring to know they have hydrants at Thousand Trails as well as at Pebble Beach available for quick refills during emergencies.

At the firemen's training class on Wednesday night, Chief Clinton Oehler and Jim MacMillan took the members to the Thousand Trails preserve for an orientation on the facilities at the large tourist attraction. Each member was given a map of the preserve so they would be familiar with the different areas should there be a fire call to the preserve.

The class practiced the mechanics involved in filling the trucks from the fire hydrants while time. Members received hands knowledge most helpful while fighting the fire at Mountain View on Saturday.

Fire department barbecue soon

The Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department will have its semi-annual barbecue Saturday and Sunday, April 28 and 29, at the firehouse in Lakehills. Serving will begin at 11:30 a.m. both days. The volunteer firemen have asked everyone to come out and support the fire department in this fundraiser. Many prizes will be given away on Sunday afternoon.

Guests from Biloxi

Cindy Wells and daughter Michelle Vanderhagen of Biloxi, Miss. have been the house guests of Cindy's parents, Pete and Helen Rousse of Pebble Beach, for the past 10 days.

Pete and Helen entertained Cindy and Michelle with sightseeing ventures to Bandera and San Antonio, shopping trips, and eating out in many Mexican, Chinese, and American restaurants. Michelle, 12, particularly enjoyed an afternoon of swimming in the pool at Thousand Trails, followed by a boat ride on Medina Lake with the Rousse's neighbors, Shirley and Clyde Kelley.

Dart standings

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Copper Lantern #1	26	2
Texas Wrangler #1	22	6
Texas Wrangler #2	19	9
Hard Times #2	16	12
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Copper Lantern #2	11	17
Pop's Place #1	9	19
Cedar Point Landing	7	14
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Staff photos by Lila MacMillan

April Quick, above, finds an egg in a difficult to find place, and Courtney Quick, left, displays a basketful she found.

Community egg hunt a success

Many adults and over 60 children turned out for the Hermann Sons Community Easter Egg Hunt Saturday afternoon. Wendy Holt received a stuffed rabbit for finding the gold egg, and her brother Trey won an Easter basket for finding the silver egg. Rusty Harrison, 17 months old, was the youngest hunter to participate.

After the 20 dozen hard boiled, dyed and decorated eggs and several dozen candy eggs were recovered, members of the lodge treated everyone to hot dogs, prepared by Elaine Mixon and served by Shirley Jones, while Johnie Hartlett and Doris Holt poured Kool Aid for the thirsty crowd.

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—More Lakehills news—

Hermann Sons announce rummage and bake sales

Dorothy Dean spokesman for Sons of Hermann Bandera Lodge 81 announced this week the membership will hold a Rummage and Bake Sale May 5 on it's property next to Millie's Pavilion on Park Road 37.

The activities will start at 9 a.m. Spaces are available for $3 and participants need to bring their own tables. To reserve your space, call Dorothy Dean at 751-2510.

This fairly new organization in our community has several activities planned in the near future to raise funds to build a lodge home on the property donated by Millie Schenkat.

Primary elections

Voting in the Democratic primary election May 5 will take place at the Lakehills Civic Center on Park Road 37 and in the Republican primary at the Lakehills United Methodist Church at Avenue J and 10th Street in Lakehills.

Norma Gray, Republican precinct chairman, said she hopes to have signs placed at the turns from Park Road 37 to the church for those voters who are not familiar with the church location.

The polls at both voting places will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. The Republican precinct convention will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the church fellowship hall following the closing of the polls. Gray stated all interested Republican voters are urged to attend. The Democratic precinct convention will be at 7:15 p.m. at the Civic Center.

Methodist women finalize plans

The Lakehills United Methodist Women have finalized plans for the upcoming annual cake and plant sale in conjunction with the May 12 flea market and bazaar at the Lakehills Civic Center on Park Road 37.

This annual fund raiser will begin at 9 a.m.

Flag ceremony planned

A formal flag disposal ceremony is planned at the American Legion Post 410 home on May 6 at sundown. The flag ceremony will be preceded by a pancake supper starting at 5 p.m.

Anyone having a flag that can no longer be used should bring it to the post grounds to have it disposed of properly.

St. Victor's Altar Society to meet

St. Victor's Altar Society will meet on May 3 for its monthly meeting, the last before its June 2 barbecue and festival.

All members are urged to attend and bring their donations of canned goods, paper goods or cash to the meeting. The items and cash donated will be used to stock the country store at the festival, committee chairman Grace Gonzales stated.

Among the many prizes to be given away at the barbecue will be one of Mabel Kentner's paintings. The painting is a Hill Country scene with bluebonnets, and the painting will be on display each Saturday night in the chapel from now until the barbecue.

Rough fish damage overestimated

The sight of rough fish such as carp and gar foiling the shallows is a common one on warm spring days when the fish perform their spawning rituals in Texas reservoirs.

Fishermen often view the phenomenon with alarm, interpreting the presence of rough fish as a sign of declining game fish production.

Fisheries biologists, however, have learned that rough fish are not as harmful to game fish populations as one might expect.

"In all the studies conducted in Texas and other states, we have never found any correlation between number of rough fish and game fish production," said Bob Kemp, director of fisheries for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

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Training classes started

The Emergency Medical Services of Bandera County completed it's first week of training classes with 11 new students. The prospective emergency medical technicians will attend classes at the Pipe Creek Community Center through June 20. Classes are held three nights each week.

Spokesman for the training classes, Doc Sharp, said the 11 students are from the communities of Tarpley, Lakehills, Pipe Creek and Bandera. Class instructors are state-certified emergency medical technicians from Bandera County Emergency Medical Services.

Sharp said that later in the class training, doctors and medical technicians from Methodist Hospital in San Antonio will be involved in the training sessions.



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Spill

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"That could be what happened here. From the location and the tracks, I'd say he was coming from somewhere up north when he pulled off and unloaded," Fohn said.

Ellis' fear is that the toxic chemicals could seep into the water table the next time we have significant rain. A wash at the bottom of the spill lends even more ominous ideas.

"That wash connects with a little creek just south of here. That creek joins Seven Is Creek, which feeds into Twin Lakes. That, in turn, feeds another creek that empties directly into the Medina River and that goes to Medina Lake," Ellis explained.

"If it goes down into the water table and contaminates wells around here, the only thing you can do is move off. You couldn't even use the water to water your trees, because you'd be feeding the same chemicals back into the ground."

Fohn said tougher laws are being passed as public outcry against the dumping of toxic wastes increases. "We're going to see toughening of the laws concerning handling (of toxic waste)," the health officials said. "And, as the laws get tougher, the more of this we'll see.

"The public is our eyes and ears on these cases," he went on. "We don't have the manpower to cover every place where dumping may occur. If the people see something suspicious, gee, your sheriff out here to detain them," he suggested.

He also suggested recording license numbers and descriptions and reporting them to the sheriff, whether the trucks are discharging fluids or not.

Worth noting

Aggies here answer muster roll call

About 25 persons answered muster roll call Saturday when former students of Texas A&M gathered at the Mayan Dude Ranch for their annual get-together to recall events of college days and to pay respects to departed school mates.

This traditive and annual ceremony is designed to show that the "spirit of Aggieland" continues among former students. In similar ceremonies throughout the world, living ex-students attending the muster answer "here" for those who have died to symbolize the comradeship among Aggies.

Charles Wyatt was elected president of the Bandera County Aggie Club after Saturday's muster ceremonies. Norman Mansfield was named vice president, Diane Tobin secretary and Frank Anderwald treasurer.

The Aggie Club each year awards a $500 scholarship to a worthy high school graduate who plans to attend Texas A&M. The scholarship is a memorial to Herman Schlemmer, one-time county extension agent.

During the muster ceremony, D.W. (Speedy) Hicks read the Muster Prayer, a tender poem reflecting on the bonds of respect and friendship among Aggies that are founded on associations originated on the College Station campus.

Mansfield delivered a school history commentary during which he called A&M one of the nation's most accredited and valued technical universities.

New phone store open in Bandera

Bandera County Telephone Sales and Service is a new business now open at Cedar and 11th Streets in Bandera, the historic old bank building.

The new phone store is managed by Bandera native Chris Anderwald, a former telephone contractor in Oklahoma and a former employee of Hill Country Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

"In addition to just about any kind of phone you could want, we sell and install business systems, key systems and PBSs, prewire homes, and add or change telephone outlets," Anderwald said.

The store is owned by Sue and Snubbie Groff, owners also of the Medina County Telephone Sales and Service in Hondo.

Anderwald plans a grand opening celebration April 27 and as part of the promotion will give away a phone to those who register. The name of the lucky winner will be drawn on May 31, Anderwald said.

Dog obedience course slated

The Hill Country Kennel Club of Bandera will hold registration for a 10-week basic dog obedience course at Burke Motor Homes, I-10 in Boerne, at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, May 3.

Cost will be $25 per dog, says Ramona Adams of Pipe Creek, club secretary.

HCKC is an all-breed kennel club which has recently been formed. It includes members from Bandera, Boerne, Kerrville, and the surrounding areas. President is Mike Mitchelle of Pipe Creek. For information on the club or the classes call 796-3351 or 249-3966.

Loeffler recognized by defense group

Congressman Tom Loeffler has been presented an award by the Coalition for Peace Through Strength, an alliance of defense contractors, veterans groups, and others promoting increased government spending on war materials.

"We are particularly appreciative of Tom's efforts in support of a strong national defense as a member of the Military Construction Subcommittee of the Appropriations Committee, the Budget Committee, and through his efforts as part of the house leadership," said John M. Fisher, president of the so-called American Security Council Foundation, a private interest group promoting more defense spending that is affiliated with the CPTS.

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Obituaries

J. Curtis Young

J. Curtis Young, 71, of Bandera died Saturday, April 21, at his home.

Born in Stephenville on May 5, 1915, to William H. Young and Lucy Davis Young, he was a member of College Avenue Church of Christ in Medina, past president of the Rotary Club in Lake Jackson, member of the Public Relations and Development Board of the Medina Children's Home, and secretary of the Flying L Public Utility District.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Ruth Barkley Young of Bandera; three daughters, Karen Reynolds of Brady, Gale Rieger of Austin, and Kina Anderson of Abilene; two sons, Ronald Young of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mark Young of New York City; four sisters, Clemmie Rose of San Angelo, Oleta Hall of Tyler, Betty Young of Ft. Worth, and Mary Jarrett of Granberry; a brother, W.H. Young Jr. of Jackson, Miss.; and eight grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday, April 24, at the College Avenue Church of Christ in Medina, with brothers Gerry Montgomery and Dempsey Simpson officiating. Burial was in the Garden of Memories Cemetery, Kerrville.

Frank E. Maier

Frank E. Maier, 81, of Bandera died Sunday, April 22, in a San Antonio hospital.

Born in Wichita Falls Oct. 13, 1932, to Joseph Harvey Maier and Hallis Oates Maier, he was a member of the First Baptist Church of Bandera. He married Carolyn Wright Dec. 21, 1964, in Brownwood.

Survivors include his wife, Carolyn Maier of Bandera; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maier of Bandera; two daughters, Kelly Yvonne Maier of Bandera and Paula Paige Maier of Bandera; a son, Luke Clinton Maier of Bandera; three sisters, Sarah Beth Schmidt of Comfort, Zada Jo Morrill of Anchorage, and Patricia Ann Aviett of College Station; and four brothers, Glen Leroy Maier of San Antonio, Kenneth Maier of Security, Colo., Jerry Lee Maier of Montgomery, Ala., and Charles Harvey Maier of Glen Rock, N.J.

Services were Wednesday, April 25, at the First Baptist Church of Bandera with Rev. Harvey Hulse officiating. Pallbearers were Charles Graves, Bernie Bratton, Herman Click, Henry Tondre, Ray Workman and Johnie Schmidt. Burial was in the Bandera Cemetery.

Paul Lico

Paul Lico, formerly of Pipe Creek, died April 21. He is survived by his wife, Faye; daughter, Elaine Ryan; and son, Stanley Lico.

Funeral services were held April 24 at Sunset Funeral Chapel with Rev. Steve Davis officiating. He was buried in Sunset Memorial Park.

Vera Daniels

Vera Ellis Daniels, 85, died March 30 at a Henrietta, Tex., nursing home after a long illness.

Born Sept. 24, 1898, her parents were Susan (Kutch) and W.T. (Bud) Ellis of the Mason Creek area near Bandera. She made her home in Lytle after her marriage to Walker Atkins.

Survivors include her husband, Al Daniels; a daughter, Hazel Atkins Greenway of Wichita Falls, and nephew and nieces from the Charlottie E. Noah, Ettie E. Krause, Dee Ellis, Bessie E. Causey, Nannie E. Dean, Clyde Ellis and Birdie E. Newcomer families.

Services were April 2 at Owens-Brumley Funeral Home in Wichita Falls with the Rev. Simon Stringer officiating. Burial was in Crestview Memorial Park, Wichita Falls.

Charles M. Hanson

Charles M. (Pete) Hanson, 79, of Vanderpool died April 15 in a Uvalde hospital.

A participant in the Bataan Death March during World War II, Hanson was a prisoner of war in the Philippines for 3½ years. Born in Vanderpool in 1915, he was married in 1960 to Edna Martines in Uvalde.

Survivors include his wife; a step-son, Roy Martin, Houston; a step-daughter, Betty Massey, San Antonio; and three sisters, Eula Mae Langford of San Antonio, Katherine Langford of Von Ormy and Ruby Matthews of California.

Services were held last Wednesday in the Rushing-Estes Knowles Chapel, Uvalde, with the Rev. James Cox officiating. Graveside services and burial were in the Vanderpool cemetery.

Fredericksburg plans birthday

Fredericksburg celebrates 138 years of history on Founders Day, May 5.

An annual event sponsored by the Gillespie County Historical Society, Founders Day is the observance of the founding of Fredericksburg on May 8, 1846.

The Founders Day celebration is a rediscovery of German-Texas lifestyles. Visitors can step back into an old-country fair atmosphere where they see live, working pioneer exhibits, German music and song, food, drink, visiting and family fun.

The festivities include a solemn and traditional wreath laying ceremony; working pioneer crafts including weavers, woodcarvers, spinning wool into yarn, rugmaking, tatting, blacksmithing, horseshoeing, etching glass, sheep-shearing, crocheting, breadmaking, homemade doughnuts and making homemade noodles, and quilting.

Exhibits will be scheduled at different times throughout the day so that visitors can enjoy all of the exhibits.

It wouldn't be real Fredericksburg without music and a beergarden. On tap will be several local bands and musical groups, including Jim Hartman's Original "Oompah" Band and the Fredericksburg Filharmonic, the Fredericksburg Knutsch Band, and the Kinderchor, children's choir, will perform numerous songs in German.

The Kiwanis will be serving sausage and sauerkraut and sausage on a stick. Kever's Orchards still have the seasons first peaches and ice cream, and there will be fish 'n chips, funnel cakes, barbecue, tacos, nachos and soda water.

The Historical Society will have their traditional "Country Store", to sell cakes, pies, cookies, bread, pastries, and canned goods.

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Lutheran women to look at self defense

Dispelling fear and building confidence in women is the main purpose behind Thursday night's "Self Defense Forum for Women," at Grace Lutheran Church in Bandera.

Sheriff's deputies will be on hand to discuss personal safety and the law, defending yourself physically, owning a gun and the Christian woman's view.

"While Bandera County continues to be more peaceful than surrounding urban areas, women here are not immune to the violence that has been plaguing our nation for several decades," says Kay H. Ochoa, spokeswoman for the event. "Most of us will never be the victim of a violent crime, but that is small comfort when we know that the violence exists, and sometimes exists very close by."

The self defense forum will be April 28 at Grace Lutheran Church at 7:30 p.m.

Men are welcome and encouraged to attend, Mrs. Ochoa emphasized. Refreshments will be served and a baby sitter will be provided by the church.

Fine Arts fiesta

The Pine Arts May Fiesta will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D.W. (Speedy) Hicks, Hicksley, on May 1, at 7 p.m. A Mexican dinner with music by Mariachis Excalibur has been planned and festive dress will add beauty to the affair.

Peggy Tobin is program leader and Mrs. G.T. Sandidge II is hostess chairman.

Tammy Kneuper sitting as Bandera municipal judge

City secretary Tammy Kneuper started Friday as municipal judge, replacing Tom Grant, who resigned.

Grant continues to serve as Justice of the Peace, Precinct 4. He had served in both judicial jobs for more than a year.

Kneuper, will perform duties of both her secretary's job and the city judge's position, and Mayor Bob Cowan said the judge's salary Grant received will be added to her salary as city secretary.

She is paid $900 per month as city secretary and Judge Grant's salary was $790 per month.

The Bandera City Council appointed Kneuper municipal judge April 9 after meeting in executive session to discuss the matter.

Justice attends educational seminar

Bandera County treasurer Elizabeth James was one of 206 county treasurers and 21 Deputies taking part in the 42th annual County Treasurers' Seminar at Texas A&M University, April 16-19.

This year's seminar featured discussions on the duties of the county treasurer, basic budgetary procedures, basic accounting principles, current microcomputer applications and use of the "Texas County Treasurer's Procedure Manual."

In addition, professional improvement sessions dealt with cash management, motivation, stress management, written communications, personnel management and the legislative process, Mrs. James said.

The annual seminar provides 20 hours of study for county treasurers as required by House Bill 570 passed by the 68th Texas Legislature.

Mrs. James was presented a special certificate at the final session for successfully completing the two-and-a-half-day educational program.

The annual seminar is an educational program of the V.G. Young Institute of County Government, a part of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of the Texas A&M University System. The Institute is designed to help Texas' elected county officials become more effective public servants, said Mrs. James.

Cooperating with the Extension Service in conducting the seminar was the County Treasurers' Association of Texas.

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Chad Parker of Medina receives his citizenship skill award from Scoutmaster Howard Lurker. Charles Anderson also from Medina advanced to Star Rank.



Charles (Chuck) Rowland, left, joins Troop 146 as assistant scoutmaster. Chuck is a former law enforcement officer and EMT from Goliad. He served as scoutmaster for a growing troop there. "We are glad to have Chuck on board here in Bandera because of his experience and it allows the troop to open its membership to more boys," said Scoutmaster Howard Lurker.

Spaces still available for Frontier Days

Food booths and arts and crafts spaces are still available for the annual Fantasy Days celebration May 25 and 26, says Fabian Maurek, general chairman.

Individuals or groups interested in operating food booths may contact Vickey Garza at 796-3429. Instead of a flat fee to operate booths, the charges this year will be based on the individual booth's gross income, Maurek said.

Persons interested in exhibiting in the arts and crafts fair that will be operating both days of the celebration may call Maurek at 796-3711.

Police report

Bandera County jail spokesman Kyn Mingo says that the month of April may see a record number of prisoners processed through the Bandera County jail. The cells are full and the holding facility was overtaxed this weekend.

On April 18 Ped H. Read, 53, of Bandera was arrested for public intoxication and unlawfully carrying a weapon. Judge Tom Grant assessed a $120.50 fine on the intoxication charge and set a $500 bond on the weapons charge. Read was released the same date after posting bond.

Jacinto Sanchez, 21, Hondo, was arrested April 21 by DPS and charged with driving while his license was suspended and driving while intoxicated. Judge Bonnie Towers set a $400 bond on each charge. Sanchez was released after posting bond April 22.

Rodney P. Johnson, 28, of Smith River, Calif. was arrested April 21 and charged with possession of narcotics paraphernalia. Johnson was assessed a $123 fine by Justice Towers and released April 21.

Guy D. Frees, 27, of San Antonio was arrested April 21 by DPS and charged with driving while intoxicated. Frees was released the same day after making a $400 bond.

Ernesto R. Coronado, 31, of Hondo was arrested April 21 and charged with public intoxication by Dan Butts. While in custody it was discovered there were outstanding warrants from Hondo, and he was turned over to Hondo police. Coronado will be held for Bandera County authorities after the Hondo charges are satisfied.

George E. Tanner, 34, of Boerne was arrested April 21 by Helen Mata of the DPS and charged with driving while his license was suspended and outstanding Bexar County theft charges. Tanner was released the same day after posting a $400 bond on the traffic charge and an $800 bond on the theft charge.

Trinidad Constante, 29, of Hondo was arrested April 21 by DPS trooper and charged with driving while intoxicated and driving while license is suspended. He was released the following day after posting a $400 bond on each charge.

Mario H. Moreno, 20, Bandera, was arrested by city police April 22 and charged with two violations of the city dog ordinances. Moreno was released the same day after posting a $75 bond on each charge.

DPS troopers arrested Joe Vogt, 23, San Antonio, April 22 and charged him with driving while his license was suspended. He was released the same day after posting a $400 bond.

Deputy Jimmy DeLoedernier charged James A. Hannon, 47, Bandera, with driving while intoxicated April 23. Judge Towers set bond at $400, and he was released April 23.

Winona Laurie, 34, of San Antonio was charged Tuesday with aggravated assault with a motor vehicle and failure to stop and render aid in connection with the alleged hit-and-run accident in Bandera last week.

Durham girl born

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Scott Durham on Thursday, April 5, at 7:11 p.m. at Southwest Texas Methodist Hospital in San Antonio.

The girl, the Durham's second, was named Laura Michelle and she weighed 8 pounds, 15 ounces and was 21 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Black of Forth Worth, paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Garland R. Durham, also of Fort Worth, and the great-grandparents are Mrs. Herman Scott of Greenville and Laura Evelyn Durham of Amarillo.

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Seminar set for tax appraisal officials

The State Property Tax Board is sponsoring seminars on appraisal review board procedures in 15 states, including Kerrville, to acquaint the local tax officials with the duties and responsibilities of review boards.

The half-day seminar is scheduled to be conducted in Kerrville on Thursday, May 1, at the state comptroller's training building. The seminar in Kerrville will be led by the staff of the SPTB Office of General Counsel and Education and Standards Division.

The appraisal review board is a panel of local taxpayers responsible for reviewing the appraised values of all taxable property in the county to ensure properties are valued fairly and uniformly under the law.

The Bandera County Appraisal Review Board also determines whether tax exemptions and special valuations, such as valuation of land on its agricultural productivity, are properly granted and whether the appraisal district's records conform to law.

One of the most important responsibilities of the Bandera County Appraisal Review Board is to conduct hearings on protests from taxpayers and challenges from taxing units. It has the power to subpoena records and witnesses and to make changes in the appraisal records.

"The right to appear before the appraisal review board is the most important remedy available to taxpayers," says Ron Patterson, the state property tax board's executive director. "The ARB provides an informal forum where a taxpayer can seek changes in his property valuation or exemption status without resorting to litigation."

Review boards generally convene in early summer, once the appraisal district has finished listing the appraised values of all taxable property and has mailed notices to taxpayers whose values have been increased from last year. Taxpayer notices are also required if a property is being valued at an amount greater than that rendered by the owner, if it is being placed on the appraisal roll for the first time, or if applications for exemptions or special valuation have been denied by the appraisal district.

"Even if a taxpayer does not receive a notice, he may still bring a protest on any matter affecting the taxability of his property," Patterson said. He noted, however, that written protests must be filed before the date the ARB approves the appraisal records for the year.

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Helping hand

The monthly meeting of the Helping Hand Center will be held Thursday, April 26, at 7 p.m., in the basement of First Baptist Church of Bandera.

A rummage sale to benefit Helping Hand will be May 5, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at the American Legion Hall.

Sue Martin quits chamber position

Sue Martin, executive secretary of the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce, has resigned, effective May 1, to open her own business in Bandera.

She plans to open Sue's Photo Express, a photograph processing service which will offer a 24-hour service. She plans to be located on Main Street at the site vacated by Sam and Karen Hensley's Scorpio Jewelry next to Bo's Rodeo Shop.

Butler graduates

Sgt. Johnny L. Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Butler of Pipe Creek has graduated from the U.S. Air Force aircraft fuel systems mechanic course at Chanute Air Force Base, Ill.

During the course, students were taught to inspect and repair intricate aircraft fuel systems. They also earned credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Butler is scheduled to serve with the 07th Equipment Maintenance Squadron at Bergstrom Air Force Base near Austin.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Bid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Lisa G. Stricker, Herbert W. Hass, James T. Whitewood, Anita E. Jeffery, Bandera; Mrs. Jewel N. Polvado, Vanderpool; Grace N. Word, Bandera; Mrs. Leah C. Whitehead, Medina.

Learn to wallpaper program scheduled

The County Extension Service Family Living committee is sponsoring a special program on Wallpapering on Monday, April 30, at 7:30 p.m. in the Bandera Electric Co-op building.

Bryce Wisler of San Antonio and Sara Lee Meyer of Hondo will be guest speakers.

Wisler will demonstrate the "how to" skills of hanging wallpaper. "If you like to do your own home repairs you will enjoy this presentation," says extension agent Peggy Edwards.

Meyer is a decorator and can suggest best ways for using wallpaper to make your home more attractive, Edwards said.

"This program is open to the public and free of charge," she said. "Even if you aren't a do-it-yourselfer, you can get good ideas by attending this meeting."

Animal science

San Antonio College will present a course in Principles of Laboratory Animal Science beginning May 8. The course will present a basic introduction to the science of laboratory animals and their care, management and research application for students who have not had previous training with lab animals. Anatomy and physiology, nutrition and feeding, housing and caging, reproduction and breeding, disease diagnosis and control and general lab procedures will be covered in the course. The class will meet Tuesdays and Thursdays and the fee is $36, not including the text. For more information contact San Antonio College's Continuing Education Department.

Uvalde opera house

"How the Chicken Hawk Won the West," a comedy in six scenes, will be presented on the stage of the Grand Opera House, Uvalde, on Saturday, May 5, at 8 p.m. by the PACE students of Uvalde schools.

All students in the school's PACE program, grades four, five, and six, will be in the play. It was written by Gifford W. Wingate, published by Samuel French, and is directed by Marilyn Nunley.

Senior Citizens

By Mary Worley

It is probably an after-Easter lull, but it seems to be a quiet week at the center. The major activity is putting finishing touches on the Cowboy Quilt so that a larger one may be started. Hopefully, more persons will now find time to stop by for an hour or so and join the quilters.

Grace Wooten was back playing her needle. It seems a week in western Virginia was enough, with constant rain (imagine that!) and very cold temperatures. She was glad to return home and be warm again.

Do you realise the variety of interests to be found by keeping in touch with the center? There are, of course, the usual weekly events, like crafts, quilting, samba, bridge, art, exercise and the Meals-on-Wheels. And just now there are two major events approaching.

First, and really a different idea for a senior citizens group, is the world class wrestling matches being promoted and arranged by Bill Rathke, who recently acquired the Bandera Chevrolet dealership.

Being a former wrestler and having taken a keen interest in seeing the new center completed, Rathke gave our group the rare chance to sponsor the upcoming event.

When? Saturday, May 12, at 2 p.m.

Where? Mansfield Park Rodeo area. There will be four matches between well-known professional wrestlers. Contact the center and watch the Bulletin for further information.

Then for contrast only a few days following this event is an opportunity to attend an evening with Liberace in his San Antonio appearances, May 14 and 15. There are some local persons planning to attend and a few more riders could be accepted for the trip in to town for this. If interested, be sure to talk with Glyn Taylor at the center soon.

Friday, April 27, will end the week as a very busy day. Bridge playing will give way at 2 p.m. for the monthly meeting of the board of directors.

Beginning about 5 p.m., Memory Lane Melodiers will have rehearsal for a 6:30 p.m. appearance at Purple Hills. Also a bush-up on the Cowboy Salute which will be sung in Kerrville in May.

Please continue your good thoughts and prayers for our ill, including Larry Hein, Ruth and Roscoe Hayes. Glad to see Glen Price out again, following a recent hospital stay.

Progress on the site for new corral building is continuing, with bids being considered the week from contractors for the foundation. It will be great when this step is taken. It will be visible evidence that the dream is becoming reality.

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Lakeshore

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Pavilion fire

The Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department was called Saturday and Sunday to extinguish fires started in the old pavilion dock which was destroyed.

Fire Chief Ritch Simmons, Phil Bledsoe and Earl Evans wish to thank the local youths, Ronnie and John Miller, Larry Marchand, Dewayne Rainey, Kenneth Simmons and Tim Hines for their assistance.

This was good training for the boys, as they will be our future Volunteer Firemen.

Easter weekend visitors

Rudy and Pam Smith and children, Jason and Jackie, were guests of Rudy's father, Bob Smith.

Kenneth Simmons, San Antonio, and Vince Simmons, Edinburg, were visiting their parents, Dana and Ritch Simmons.

Mariette and John Overholser's daughter, Debby and Bill Cody, and his mother, Paula Cody, Austin, and Mary and John Wells enjoyed turkey dinner with the Overholsers Easter Sunday.

Kenneth and Kathy Andress, Tim and Terrie, all from Sonora, were here visiting his dad, Tom Andress.

Gary Gilliland, sister, and friend Bud Plumbly, John Randall, and Peggy Russell from Houston, spent the weekend in Rudey and Mary Walker's cottage.

Olivia Andrade and Jack Collins had a barbecue for their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Saldana, from Findly, Ohio, and Olivia's daughter, Marsha, and a friend.

Walter Burrell of San Antonio visited in the home of Ken and Renee Parks and the Andreas family. Walter treated the children with Easter egg baskets.

Surprise guests of Mary and Floyd Portman Saturday afternoon were Ed and Billie Liebe from Boerne. They enjoyed dinner and playing cards.

League City visitors

Allen and Helen Hailey spent Easter weekend with Allen's daughter, Sandra and Terry Harclerode, in League City.

Searcy improved

Monk Searcy still is in intensive care at The Humana Hospital, San Antonio, making some improvement. All his Lakeshore friends are hoping he will be well soon.

Sowells host barbecue

Joe and Joyce Sowell and family had a barbecue Sunday for their many friends and neighbors. Attending were Doug and Kathy Smith and family, Dick and Barbara Simon, Hank White, Ken and Kay Pollard and family, Pete and Irene Reagon of Pebble Beach, Ron and Lorette Lake and Jennifer of Universal City, and Gary Simmons. Everyone said they enjoyed the outdoor dart games and the guitar picking and singing of Dick and Barbara.

The bookshelf

Thanks to Texas Library System funding we have a number of new books in our Social Science: Politics/Government sections:

"Computers in Education," "What Did You Learn In School Today?," "Information, USA," "Making Peace With Your Parents," "The Law Giveth," "Death Penalty," "Channels of Power," "The Book of Ages," "Growing Up Divorced," "Our Endangered Children" and many others.

This is the first shipment with more to be delivered in August.

We also have a number of best sellers just in and being processed, including Ludlum's "The Aquitaine Progression," MacDonald's "One More Sunday," Francis' "The Danger," Greeley's "Lord of the Dance," Herbert's "Heretics of Dune," Tuchman's "March of Folly," Schuller's "Tough Times Never Last, But Tough People Do," Wambaugh's "Lines and Shadows."

Several older acquisitions still retain a place on the Best Seller list, including "Best of James Herriott," "Pet Sematary," "Motherhood: The Second Oldest Profession," "On Wings of Eagles," and back again, "A Light in the Attic."

Come check us out.

Cibolo VFD

The 28th annual Sausage Supper of the Cibolo Volunteer Fire Department will be Saturday, May 12, at Cibolo City Park, 3 miles east of Randolph AFB on Highway 78.

Social Security representative due

Representatives from the Social Security Administration will be in Bandera on May 14 at the Law Enforcement Building from 9:30 a.m. to noon.

Tarpley

Nettie Dean — 868-4564

The Tarpley area had 102 degrees last Friday, and dust came rolling in Friday night. It was difficult to see the surrounding mountains for a while Saturday.

Easter dinner

Willie and Olga Schmidt were dinner guests Sunday of Evelyn Schmidt of Bandera and her daughter Brenda of San Antonio.

Visitors

Dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Haner Thursday was Jessie McFaden of Utopia.

Friday visitors and dinner guests were Mr. Haner's cousin George and Bonnie Haner of Alice. They dropped by on their way to San Angelo. Other guests for dinner were Anton and Marilyn Haner.

Returns home

We are happy to report Lorene Billings was able to return to her home Saturday, after having undergone major surgery in Medina Memorial Hospital in Hondo.

She is anxious for her friends to know she is improving nicely and glad to be home for Easter.

Easter morning brunch was enjoyed at Lorene and Felix Billings home. Those present were Howdy and Mary Kay and son Ty and Clay and Lindy Billings and Felix's mother, Mrs. Howard Billings of Bandera.

Later that day Mr. and Mrs. Felix Billings and Mrs. Howard Billings of Bandera enjoyed Easter dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Howdy Billings and son Ty.

We all wish Lavene a complete recovery soon and welcome her home.

Sick list

Sorry to say Bobby and Skeets Singleton of Rio Hondo Subdivision have been ill. Bobby's sister, Dorothy Marvess of San Antonio, visited them Monday through Wednesday.

The Singletons were happy for an Easter phone call from their son, CPO Leopard Singleton and wife Sarah of Charleston, S.C.

Vacation

Erhard and Laura Walsem returned home last Wednesday from a 10-day trip to Andalusia, Ala. They visited her sister and husband, Jeannette and Leroy Nall. In Mobile, Ala., they visited her sister, Mary Jorman.

Laura is recuperating from a bad fall she had a while ago. Get well wishes to her.

California call

This correspondent had a call from her brother and wife Saturday, Chester and Hazel Krause of Knights Landing, Calif. They report its been very dry there all the year. Just by chance, Chester said, his latest fish (Sturgeon) he caught on the Sacramento River, weighed 198 lbs., and of course he has a picture to prove it. The mountain tops there are still covered in snow, they said.

Mosquito visitors

Anton and Marilyn Haner drove to Mesquite Saturday to visit their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Haner and son Eric. On their return Sunday they stopped to visit Marilyn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tatsch of New Braunfels.

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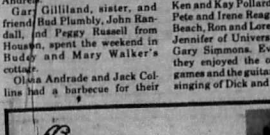

A Thought For The Week
By John M. Grimes

Youth is not a time of life; it is a state of mind; it is a temper of the will, a quality of the imagination, a vigor of the emotions; a predominence of courage over timidity. Nobody grows old by merely living a number of years; people grow old only by deserting their ideals. Years wrinkle the skin, but to give up enthusiasm wrinkles the soul. Worry, doubt, self-distrust, fear, and despair are the long, long years of aging. Whether seventy or sixteen, there is in every being's heart the love of wonder, the sweet amazement at the stars and the starlike things and thoughts, the unfailing childlike appetite for what is next, and the joy and the game of life. You are as young as your faith, as old as your doubt, as young as your hope, as old as your despair. So long as your heart receives messages of beauty cheer, courage, grandeur and power from the earth, from man and from the Infinite, so long you are young.

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Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

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Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

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Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
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Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

The Apostolic Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 10 a.m.
535-4725

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 a.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Baptist Church
Pastor: Homer Stephens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
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Vanderpool
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Speaker: Mike Kellett
Thursday, May 3, Subject:.....the Church Is A Family
Speaker: Olden Cook
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evening while some place in the Colorado elevations reported 17 degrees.

Funeral services were held last Wednesday in Uvalde for Charles M. (Pete) Hanson of Vanderpool.

Hanson was a participant in the Bataan Death March during World War II, was a prisoner of war in the Phillipines for 3½ years.

He was captured by Japanese troops, survived the infamous Death March, and was liberated by Allied troops in 1945.

He often said he couldn't have lived much longer without medical care. He weighed only 90 pounds and was suffering from a severe wound to his right arm. He was hospitalized for some 3½ years after returning to the states.

Record turnout

Utopia voters turned out in record numbers April 7. A total of 236 voters cast their ballots for UISD trustees.

Billy Thornton received the majority of votes and incumbent John Hillis regained his position as trustee.

The two were sworn in at the regular meeting of the board of trustees April 9.

Guests

Guests of Hamilton and Anna Pearl Gabriel over the weekend were her brother, his wife and grandson Ben A. Davis, wife, Marie and grandson William Kloss from Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

This is the first time Ben had been back in four years.

The Gabriel's daughter Nita and granddaughter Wende of San Antonio came in Sunday to visit with her uncle and her family.

B.J. Burns of Bracketville was a guest of Frieda Heideman Friday night. They were supper guests of Gertrude and Drew Reavis and on Saturday drove to San Antonio to attend Easter services at World-Hub and Lillie Thompson were Jay West, his wife Kathy, and two children, Machelle and Pam, of Arcadia, Tex.

They were going to attend a big barbecue and Easter celebration at the old Leff Carter ranch west of Sabinal, now owned by his step son Wilborn Bell.

This annual celebration is given on the ranch at what is known as "the stink hole," a large, beautiful spot.

Wanda and Dan Gann of Midland were last weekend visitors of her mother, Mrs. Clara Custer.

Jay and Sis Taylor and grandson Brian spent the Easter weekend at their riverside cottage.

Clara Custer received word her sister Grace Word of Bandera was admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital, Kerrville, on Tuesday.

Paul and Edna Norman and their daughter, Marcie, of San Antonio, were weekend visitors of his sister and other relatives.

Monday night Baptist Church will host the Youth Banquet. All high school students and faculty members are invited.

Speaker for the evening will be Bro. Charles Woodward, pastor of First Baptist Church, Leakey.

Sunrise services

A nice crowd attended Easter Sunrise Services at Vanderpool Tabernacle Sunday morning. Group singing and special numbers by the Rev. Donald Dibbens and the Boyd family as well as the services made each one feel they had received a spiritual blessing. Braving those cold winds sweeping through under the tabernacle at 6:30 a.m. was well worth our efforts.

Among some of the families visiting their parents and attending Baptist Church services Easter Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schaefer and baby son of Helotes, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Reiber and family of Austin, pay homage to the Resurrection and to be in company with others whose respect and dedication cause a spiritual gratification to be enhanced by congregation.

It was a lovely Easter Service, made more so, by a vocal arrangement from the gifted voices of Ellen Slagle, her daughter Shelley, and Jim Boyd and a testimonial from Marvin Boyd.

Brother Dibbens chose a reference from the Book of Luke as a pointed reminder that, as Christians, it may be that recognition will not come to a person when the Savior accompanies, confronts, or sustains. That, as it was with Cleopas and his companion on the road to Emmaus, they did not identify a fellow traveler as the resurrected Lord.

Brother Dibbens engaged the congregation to be ever mindful of the availability of the Holy Spirit every day and every way.

As the service drew to a close, from across the Sabinal River there came the call of a wild turkey gobbler. How appropriate that enjoined with a commemmorative compliment there be an expression from ons of God's creatures.

Auction for youth

The Hill Country Youth Ranch of Ingram, a non-profit home for abused and neglected children, is having its annual auction Sunday, April 29, at the Elks Lodge on the Junction Highway in Kerrville.

Bidding will include competition for autographed footballs, one signed by the members of the Texas A&M football team and another inked by players for the Texas Longhorns.

There will also be many antiques, diamonds, a snooker table, a 25-passenger bus and quilts. Items may be inspected beginning at noon and the bidding will start at 1 p.m.

Those registering were Joy Smith, Shelly and Ginger Postert, Dorothy Garms, Boyt and Laverne Hamrick, Martin and Mary Ann Smith, Kati Keegan, Lauri Reagan, Penny Smith and Amy Reagan.

Ann Neal of Pipe Creek visited Gertrude Werner last Tuesday morning.

Edna Buck and Maude Sprott came by to visit Gladys Blackwell.

Babe and Arminta Rogers of Helotes visited Donna Mayfield.

Ten residents enjoyed Bible reading Wednesday morning, thanks to Martin Smith.

On Wednesday morning, Franklin and Velma Neff visited Brack Hoggard.

Mrs. Ernest Rainey and son David Rainey visited their husband and father, Ernest Rainey.

Mrs. Carlton Leslie and Mrs. Kay Ratliff visited Lillian Bush.

Bertha Allen of Medina visited her mother Cynthia Mayberry.

Wednesday was a big day for us when the fourth graders from Sanders Elementary School came and brought beautiful decorated Easter eggs for us.

Those registering were Michall Shows, Santol Olava, Chris Nelson, Rasnell Myers, Marcie McCulloch, Carrie McFarland, Rebekah Bates, Lorielle Rose Schmidt, Tina Ann Lemus, Bernadette Rodrigues, Ted Garcia, Michael Raymond Maszurek, Robert Dale Kalka Jr., Phillip Nearn and their teacher, Mrs. Karen Zickler.

We really enjoyed this fine group of youngsters and hope they will come back to see us soon.

Also on Wednesday was our regular monthly games party. The American Legion Post 410 Auxiliary from Lakehills came. Delicious refreshments were served by Claire Willis and Iris Dunlap.

Retha Anderwald visited her and pet.

Mr. and Mrs. Maye Tanner of Lakehills visited his mother, Ruby Tanner.

I.C. Maszurek of San Antonio, Tony Maszurek and Dorothy Cox of Bandera visited their mother, Mary Maszurek.

Vera Kunz and Thelma Jurecki visited Clara Sprott, Gladys Blackwell and Annie Kolleas.

Isabel Stokes and Sheila Fries visited Ruth Batto, Maude Stokes and friends last Friday afternoon.

Rex and June Oberg visited his mother, Freda Oberg.

Jerry, Ann and Des Heyen and Ella Britsch visited Hulda Heyen.

Kathryn Dorsett visited her great-grandmother Ruby Tanner Saturday afternoon.

Sam and Lois Armstrong visited his mother, Mae Armstrong.

Myrtle Heinen's granddaughters, Nancy Greer, Debra Moore and Reba Williams of San Antonio, took her to Utopia where they enjoyed lunch. Myrtle's other visitors during the week were Jane Smith and Gladys Hollier.

Mildred Wolterstorf's granddaughter, Mary Meuth and two sons visited her Saturday morning.

Opie Boyle, her daughters and granddaughters visited Maude Stokes Saturday afternoon. Maude also received a beautiful Easter lily from B.H. Stokes, her son, and family.

Pat D'Spain and Terry visited Ruth Batto.

Thanks to Jurgen and Angela Doepping and family of Humble for the Irish dancers Sunday afternoon. We really enjoyed them and hope they will come to see us again real soon.

Warren Hunter of Helotes, Mr. and Mrs. Les Short of Vanderpool and Nettie Saul of Bandera visited their mother, Susie Hunter.

Rebekah Wilfong of San Antonio, a grandniece of Dannie Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick. Alice Mellia enjoyed services at the Church of Christ Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bowman of Lakehills took his sister Lorena Bowman, to visit their son, Gary Bowman, in his home in Seguin. Family members enjoyed a delicious Easter dinner and an Easter egg hunt in the afternoon.

Spending Easter day with relatives were Mary Maszurek with her daughter, Dorothy Cox; Lillian Lang with her niece, Patty Riedel, and Eloise Littee with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. L.R. Holloway of San Antonio came Friday and took his brother, Jack Holloway, to Kerrville where they had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hamrick. They went on to San Antonio and enjoyed an Easter celebration in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mokulenka. They also visited Mrs. Violet Moss.

Drug abuse forum

The Alamo Area Council of Governments and the Texa Department of Community Affairs, Drug Abuse Prevention Division, will sponsor a two-day regional drug abuse forum in San Antonio on May 10 and 11.

The purpose of the forum is to bring together parents, interested citizens, law enforcement and criminal justice representatives, and drug abuse service providers from South Central Texas to assess the need for drug abuse services, discuss community efforts to combat drug abuse, and recommend long-term ideas for the Drug Abuse Prevention Division.

The Texas Department of Community Affairs, Drug Abuse Prevention Division is the state agency responsible for the expenditure of public funds for drug abuse prevention treatment and rehabilitation services in Texas.

Tanya Cabiness

Tanya Rene has lived in Medina 18 years and has gone to school here all 12 years.

Tanya's favorite class is teacher and class is Mr. Keeley and English.

Tanya feels life in a small town can be worth living if you share it with the right people.

—Lois Derry

Medina menu

April 30-May 4

Monday: Hot dogs and chili, French fries, beans, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, fruit, rolls or bread and milk.

Wednesday: Tacos, salad, corn, fruit and milk.

Thursday: Chili and beans, stewed tomatoes, scalloped potatoes, fruit, cornbread and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Darla Diane Keese

Darla is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Keese and has lived in Medina 17 years and has gone to school at Medina

She plans to enter the field of modeling, and attend art classes.

She participated in basketball, tennis, and has been basketball and track manager.

Mr. Keeley's English, journalism, and speech classes are Darla's favorites.

Darla plans to attend Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos and major in communications.

—Lois Derry

Nancy Lee Dodson

Nancy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodson. She has lived, with her parents at the Medina Children's Home for seven years.

Nancy was Carnival Queen her senior year and was a part of the first All-District Basketball team her senior and junior years.

Nancy has participated in volleyball three years, basketball, track, golf, and tennis four years.

Nancy plans to attend Abilene Christian University and major in physical therapy. She

Debbie Walker, graduate student of Southwest Texas State University, spent the holiday with her mother, Freda Walker, and other family members.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vannatter and their children, returned this week from a trip to Logan, West Va., to visit Mr. Vannatter's parents who were both recuperating from hospitalization. Grandparents remarked that the visit from their grandsons would be a sure cure to speed their recovery.

Dorothy DeGeorgeo was visited by all her children and most of her grandchildren Saturday.

Evie McInney enjoyed a visit from her sister, Pearl Hankinson, of San Antonio. Mrs. Hankinson recently celebrated her 95th birthday. Her sons, Lowell and Ricky, and her daughter, June Schultz, accompanied her.

All those attending the Easter sunrise service at the Isaacs expressed a special joy in seeing the families and guests who were back to visit at Medina. A special pleasure was the presence of Vernon Williams at the worship service and at the Rotary Club meeting. Williams is recovering from a long illness.



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Requests pending include grants for Floresville and Stockdale, and grant requests for the Medina County Courthouse, the Wilson County Courthouse, Floresville and the City of Bandera, and Charlotte are in preliminary stages.

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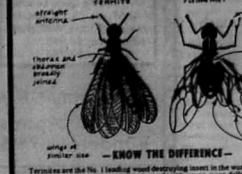

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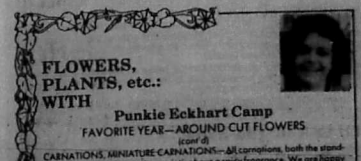
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Methodists study roots

The Medina United Methodist Women met, this month in the home of Ruth Lewis to hear Carol Hamilton of Lakehills present a program on the roots of the Methodist Church, using a film strip entitled "Until We Go Deeper."

Hamilton is secretary of program resources for the Kerrville District of Methodist Women. Also present at the April meeting was Ellen Tipton, district chairwoman of the church's Global Concerns.

Book sale scheduled

The Medina Parents Teachers Organization is sponsoring a book sale at the school on Thursday and Friday, April 26 and 27.

"Please plan to participate by either donating your usable books for the sale or coming to the school to purchase books," a spokesman said.

18 medals

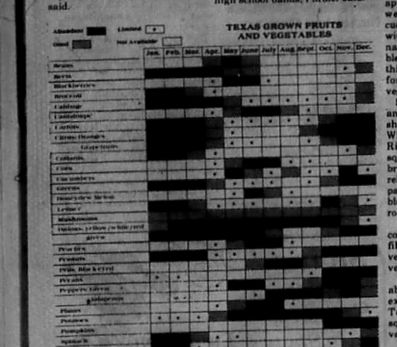
Nineteen of Medina's junior high band students competed at the annual Hill Country Music Festival at Smithson Valley High School near new Braunfels Saturday, April 14, and came back with 18 first-division medals.

Medina had 27 solos and small groups entered in the contest, which is open to band students in grades six through eight.

Those winning first place medals were Paula Baskin, Jeanne Gronewalt, Leticia Huie, Lisa Chambley, Marcie Standard, Marc Skeen, Raymond Edwards, Danny James, Jenny Chaney, Rana Greenwalt, Virginia Jackson and Leigh Walker.

Band teacher Michael Farmer remarked he was quite proud of all the student who participated in the contest and invited everyone to attend this year's spring concert May 17 at the school. It will feature both high school and junior high school bands, Farmer said.

TEXAS GROWN FRUITS AND VEGETABLES



Texas vegetables

There is good news in store for all the fresh vegetable lovers! The May vegetable forecast in Texas is filled with abundant supplies of fresh green beans, cucumbers, onions, red potatoes, summer squash and tomatoes. Here are some tips on buying green beans, cucumbers and squash.

Green snap beans are available from the San Antonio Winter garden area at present. Buy beans that appear fresh, are clean, well-shaped and free of scars. Avoid green beans that have a dull, wilted appearance, which is an indicator of age. To preserve nutrients and for better taste and texture, cook green beans and all other fresh vegetables to the crisp-tender stage.

Fresh cucumbers are being harvested now primarily in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Select cucumbers that are fresh in appearance, bright green in color, well-shaped and firm. Avoid cucumbers that look shriveled or withered. Great in salads, marinated alone or with other vegetables, cucumbers are also tasty thick sliced and sauteed in butter for 3-4 minutes as a cooked vegetable.

Summer squash, both zucchini and yellow squash, are being shipped from the San Antonio Wintergarden area and the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Purchase squash that are free from cuts and bruises and are fairly heavy in relation to size. Squash are compatible with other fresh vegetables in salads or cooked in casseroles, croquettes or relishes.

Fresh vegetables are excellent contributors of Vitamins A and C, fiber and minerals. Nearly all vegetables are low in fat, and all vegetables contain no cholesterol.

Creative vegetable recipes are about as plentiful as this year's expected vegetable harvest in Texas, but two favorites are squash relish and fresh summer vegetable saute.

Squash relish

10 C. ground yellow squash
2 lg. green bell peppers
4 C. ground onion
4 T. salt
2 1/4 C. vinegar
4 C. sugar
3 hot peppers (optional)
1 Tbsp. tumeric
1 Tbsp. powdered mustard
1 Tbsp. celery seed

Grind together squash, bell peppers and onions, add salt and mix well. Let set overnight and drain in morning. Mix remaining ingredients and add to squash mixture. Cook 30-40 minutes. Put in sterilized jars and seal.

Fresh summer vegetable saute

4 T. vegetable margarine
2 C. fresh broccoli, tops only
1 small onion, thinly sliced
2 zucchini, sliced
1/2 tsp. oregano
1/2 tsp. basil
1 fresh tomato, wedged
1 C. shredded cheddar cheese

In electric skillet or large skillet, melt margarine. Add broccoli and onions, cook covered over medium heat about 2 minutes. Add zucchini. Season with salt, pepper, oregano and basil. Cook covered 3 minutes over medium heat or until tender and crisp. Add tomato. Sprinkle with cheese. Cover and cook 1-2 minutes to melt cheese. Yield: 4 servings.

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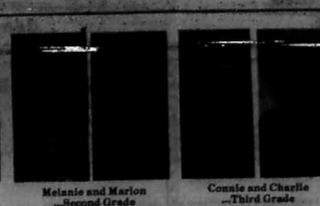
Little Olympic candidates

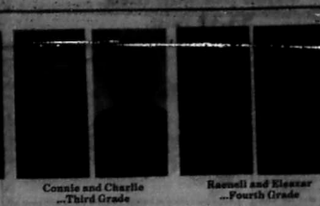
Every year before the much-awaited Little Olympics, two representatives, a boy and a girl, are selected from each grade.

This year's representatives include Jenny Goode and Jason Hearn, first grade; Melanie Schneider and Marlon Santos, second grade; Connie Mansfield and Charlie Tetrean, third grade; Raenell Meyers and Eleazor Bermudez, fourth grade; Nikki Callahan and Epi Cardenaz, fifth grade; Mary Molina and James Nearn, sixth grade; Ruth Mazurek and Brent Hoffer, seventh grade; and Shannon Perry and Chris York, eighth grade.

—Seana D'Spain


Jenny and Jason ...First Grade


Melanie and Marlon ...Second Grade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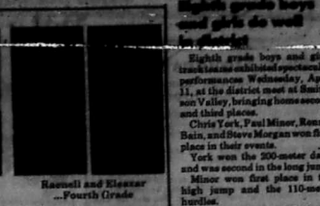
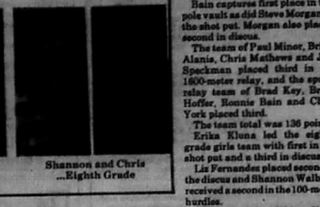

Raenell and Eleazor ...Fourth Grade


Nikki and Epi ...Fifth Grade


Mary and James ...Sixth Grade


Ruth and Brent ...Seventh Grade


Shannon and Chris ...Eighth Grade

Eighth grade boys and girls do well in ...

Eighth grade boys and girls track teams exhibited spectacular performances Wednesday, April 11, at the district meet at Smithson Valley, bringing home second and third places.

Chris York, Paul Minor, Ronnie Bain, and Steve Morgan won first place in their events.

York went the 200-meter dash and was second in the long jump.

Minor won first place in the high jump and the 110-meter hurdles.

Bain captures first place in the pole vault as did Steve Morgan in the shot put. Morgan also placed second in discus.

The team of Paul Minor, Brian Alanis, Chris Mathews and Jeff Speckman placed third in the 1600-meter relay, and the sprint relay team of Brad Key, Brent Hoffer, Ronnie Bain and Chris York placed third.

The team total was 136 points.

Erika Kluna led the eighth grade girls team with first in the shot put and a third in discus.

Liz Fernandez placed second in the discus and Shannon Walburn received a second in the 100-meter hurdles.

The team of Eve Elkins, Shannon Perry, Shannon Walburn and Ruth Mazurek placed second in the 800-meter relay. Shea Hicks, Shannon Perry, Eve Elkins and Ruth Mazurek placed second in the 400-meter relay.

In the 1600-meter relay, Cindy Fritsche, Kirsten Robinson, Erika Kluna and Sharon Wehmeyer placed fourth.

The seventh grade girls placed fifth overall with a total of 43.5 points as Jevonne Meyer placed third in the discus.

The seventh grade boys placed sixth overall with 24 points. Placing fourth in the 440-yard relay were Richard Flach, Tony LeBourgeon, Keith Ott and Johnny Jones.

Paul Hillburn, Boyd Pilyaw, Keith Ott, and Milton Holmes placed fourth as a team in the 1600 meter relay.

—Karen Rizner

Bulldogs win Ingram tournament

By David Schwarz

Bulldogs won the Ingram Tournament for the third time in four years.

The Bulldog ripped the Ingram Warriors, 15-1, in the first game of the tournament April 7. Each of the Dogs either got a run or a hit. In addition they played excellent defense.

As the second half of the tournament got under way, a fierce thunder storm caused the tournament to be called. Ingram and Junction were tied for third place when the storm began. They will complete their game later this week.

St. Anthony and Bandera were scheduled to play for first place. However, because each have a full game schedule, the Coaches agreed to flip a coin for first place. By winning the toss, Bandera won the tournament.

Teams participating in the tournament were Bandera, Ingram, Junction and St. Anthony.

Girls regional track

Kellie and Beckie Clements competed in the Girls Regional Track and Field meet in Kingsville this past week. Kellie, a junior, and Beckie, a sophomore, each turned in good performances.

Kellie competed in shot put and discus, placing fourth in the shot and seventh in the discus. She said that she was surprised she made it to the finals in discus. "I have high hopes for next year, I hope to beat my own record."

Beckie didn't place in the long jump but she said, "That was my longest jump this year and my goal is state next year."

With the Clements sisters returning there are very high hopes for next year's track team.

—Toni Kunz

Cheerleader tryouts

By Randy McHaney

All for the cheerleaders stand up! This year's cheerleading tryouts will be held on Tuesday, May 15.

Don't be surprised if spirits seem to mysteriously lift around that time.

Before the final evaluation, the girls will attend a four-day workshop, May 7-10, followed by a screening on May 11.

Per the screening and tryouts, each student will be required to do a chant, long cheer, pom pom routine, gymnastics, jumps, and partner stunts. These will all be taught at the workshop.

To be eligible for a cheerleader position, a candidate is required to have at least a 75 grade average for the first semester, and an equal average for each six weeks thereafter. Failure to uphold the grade average will result in an automatic ... from the squad. At the end of the ... average has not risen ... permanent suspension is required.

So girls, the time is almost here, be preparednow and get ready to cheer the Bulldogs on to victory next year!

Prom update

By Shane Yates

"What about silver ink on blue paper...?"

"Who is going to be master of ceremonies?"

"What's the theme for the prom this year?"

As the prom date May 5 draws near, these questions and others like them become more and more common among juniors, who are busily making preparations for the prom.

Tammy Ott who is responsible for signing up said "Things are kind of slow now, but they should pick up." Students taking dates that are not juniors or seniors or do not attend Bandera High must pay $10 for their dates, she said.

The preparations for the program are going well and invitations have already been sent. Kathy Ryan, a member of the program committee, stated, "Things are going along very smoothly so far." Mrs. Sandy Neville is offering her time and services to the junior class by helping with programs and invitations.

The decoration committee and the food committee both report that things are going along as planned.

So as the time draws near, many students are beginning to look forward to 8 p.m. on May 5, the time set aside for "Just You and I."

What's up

By Toni Byam

May 1 Var. baseball, here, vs. Southside, 4:15 p.m.
May 3 Var. baseball, here, vs. Boerne, 4:15 p.m.
May 4 Senior trip
May 5 Jr.-Sr. prom
May 7-11 Cheerleading clinic
May 7 NHS Induction 7:30, HS auditorium
May 8 Var. baseball vs. Smithson Valley, there, 4:15 p.m. and student council district meeting
May 10 Var. baseball vs. Cole, there, 4:15 p.m.
May 12 State wind ensemble
May 14 Sr. exemption forms in office
May 15 Cheerleader tryouts for student body
May 16 Underclassmen exemption forms available in office
May 17 Athletic assembly 7 in HS auditorium
May 18 Deadline for Senior exemption forms
May 22 Deadline for underclassmen exemption forms

ALS meeting

Thursday, April 5, the Association of Legal Students met in the First National Bank Board Room. Guest speaker was Robert M. Caswell, Attorney at Law from Lakehills.

Caswell spoke on family law and held a question-and-answer period. Vice President Jonathon Dyson presided at the meeting. Members voted for the Most Outstanding ... to go with the money ... Also ... Association ... They decided ... the Mayan Dude Ranch on May 18. In order to come to the picnic, members must attend ... three meetings and help out in the concession stands.

Senior spotlights

Laura Ann O'Donnell

"Sworn to fun, loyal to none."

This is the quote that Laura Ann O'Donnell plans to base her life upon. Laura is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Donnell.

Laura, better known as Gypsy to her friends, has attended BHS since her freshman year. When asked who or what has played the greatest influence on her life she replied, "I can't single out any one thing. There are too many to choose from."

Laura believes that she has accomplished everything she set out to do at BHS, and wouldn't change anything throughout her school years.

Laura has no set goal in life except she would like to work around art. After graduation she plans to get a job and maybe go to a trade school.

—Randy McHaney



Tim Butler

"Give everything that you do 100 percent and you will never be disappointed in yourself." This is the quote that Timothy Allen Butler chooses to base his life upon. Tim is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace E. Butler.

Tim's favorite subject when he attended Tivy was ... He was ... Art ... his sophomore year. NHS his junior years; and FFA his sophomore, junior and senior years.

He was selected into the Who's Who among American High School Students and elected class favorite his freshman and sophomore years.

Tim was a Mr. BHS nominee all four years of high school and was named Mr. BHS his senior year. He belongs to the St. Stanislaus Catholic Church in Bandera and was president of the Catholic Youth Organization. Tim has also been nominated by Congressman Loeffler to the U.S. Military Academy.

Being very active in sports has proven to be an important part of Tim's high school years. He has lettered in football two years, was captain and all-district honorable mention quarterback in his senior year. Tim also broke a school record with 14 touchdown passes.

In basketball he lettered two years, was on the district championship team his senior year and was named honorable mention point guard. He was on the junior varsity track team three years. He lettered all four years on the baseball team and was honorable mention all-district catcher his junior year.

Tim feels that his parents, coaches and close friends have had the greatest influence upon his life. He also feels that he has accomplished everything that he has set out to do throughout his high school years.

After graduation Tim wants to attend a military academy or a college in this area. Eventually he plans to become a businessman and have a happy life.

—Randy McHaney



Toni Lynn Byam

Toni Lynn Byam, an active senior at BHS, says she has been most influenced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Byam, and her faith in God. She is very satisfied with her high school years and if she was able to relive them, would do nothing differently.

Toni has been involved in many organizations at BHS. Journalism is a very big area to her. She ... editor her ... editor her junior year, and ... sophomore class president. She has ... attended district competitions ... since her sophomore year, receiving second place in headline writing this year and advancing to regional competition where she placed sixth.

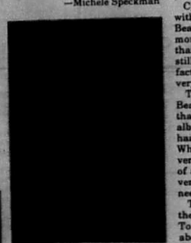
Toni has been a varsity cheerleader for two years and served as head cheerleader this year. She was a member of ALS her junior year, NHS her junior and senior years, FHA her sophomore year, and Teens for Christ since her sophomore year. Toni was TFC reporter her sophomore year and secretary this year.

She was a runner-up for the Hugh O'Brien award her sophomore year and was football sweetheart her junior year.

As Toni leaves BHS and goes on with her future, she says she will always remember Trey Shackelford, a very special person in her life. After high school graduation she hopes to pursue a successful career in advertising.

Toni lives each day by her mother's favorite hymn, "Count Your Many Blessings." Toni is a very outgoing person and should have no trouble in her future career in advertising.

—Michele Speckman



Tracey Laskowski

Tracey Dyan Laskowski, daughter of Sammie Lou Bronson and Edwin James Laskowski has attended Bandera Schools since third grade. During her last two years at BHS Tracey has been an active member in FHA, making class officer her senior year. Tracey was also in OEA her junior year.

When asked if she felt like she has accomplished everything she wanted to throughout her school years she replied, "No, I wish I would have tried harder at the beginning but now I'm doing the best I can and I think I've done well for myself."

After leaving BHS Tracey hopes to find a job and continue on to college. Her main goal in life is to get a good job and have enough money to get her through life.

"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you," said Tracey when asked what favorite quote she plans to base her life on.

Tracey ... friends ... great deal, she commented, "I feel ... hope to always make my family and friends proud of me."

—Kathy Ryan

One thing leads to another

By Shane Yates

The Fixx — Reach the Beach (MCA)

Cy Curin and the boys are back with their second at "Reach the Beach." This album is a little more polished and controlled than was "Shuttered Room," but still it is powerful. As a matter of fact the increased control makes it very powerful.

The title track "Reach the Beach" is a little more restrained than was the title track for the album "Shuttered Room," and has a completely different theme. Whereas "Shuttered Room" was a very vague and about an insanity of a type, "Reach the Beach" is very precisely about losing and needing a lover.

The first single to hit it big from the album was "One Thing Leads To Another," a hard-hitting song about precisely one thing leading to another in politics. The next single, "Saved by Zero," seems to have a hidden meaning but the video proves that selling art for profit can be very distressing.

The Fixx has changed from "Shuttered Room" to "Reach the Beach." "Shuttered Room" was mainly about politics and insanity. "Reach the Beach" is about lovers and lives, with only a few tracks about politics and out-of-body experiences.

With the change in style came a change in appearance. The once anorexic-looking, Cy Curin seems to have put on some weight and the group is sporting a new look in clothes. The group also sports one less member with the loss of bassist Alfie Agles.

The remaining four members of the group, vocalist Curin, guitarist Jamie Wee, Oran, drummer Adam Woods, and keyboardist Rupert Greenall have a lot going for them. "Reach the Beach" was in the top 20 for quite a while and "One Thing Leads To Another" was successful as a single and has a video.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eric Neuman

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The bride is the daughter of Ida Farris and the late George O. Farris of Brookhaven, Miss. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Neuman of Bandera.

The matron of honor was Neva Fleming and Chuck Smoot served as best man. The mother of the bride chose a bone colored suit with matching accessories and the groom's mother wore an ivory and taupe dress with taupe accessories. Both wore orchid corsages.

The groom's sister, Dawn

satin lace motifs encrusted with seed pearls trimmed the sweetheart necklines. A flared skirt and chapel length train were emphasized by layers of lace chiffon ruffles. A floor length silk illusion veil, edged with lace, cascaded from a Juliet headpiece. Her bridal bouquet was fashioned of white orchids, yellow rose buds, babies breath and satin ribbon.

A reception was held following the ceremony and Dawn Neuman and Leanne Neuman served.

The couple lives in Austin.

Citizen input important at forum

A two-day regional drug abuse forum will be held May 10 and 11 at the Four Seasons Hotel, 555 South Alamo, San Antonio.

Sponsors for the forum are the Alamo Area Council of Governments and the Texas Department of Community Affairs, Drug Abuse Prevention Division.

The regional drug abuse forum will include participants from 38 counties in South Central Texas.

Regional planning commissions involve citizens and local elected officials in planning and service delivery efforts for their respective areas. The Texas Department of Community Affairs, Drug Abuse Prevention Division is the state agency responsible for the expenditure of public funds for drug abuse prevention, treatment and rehabilitation services in Texas.

Ridgaway, Persyn married in Kerrville

Melinda Lee Ridgaway and Andrew Richard Persyn were married in the First Baptist Church in Kerrville instead of Bandera, as reported in last week's Bulletin.



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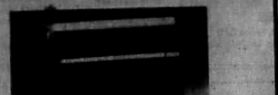

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Card of wrestlers announced for May 12 matches here

Bandera's own Bill Rathke heads the card for the world class wrestling matches at Mansfield Park May 12, but Kamala, the Ugandan giant (340 pounds), and a couple of shapely "valets" may wind up being the biggest drawing cards.

Proceeds from the 2 p.m. matches will benefit the building fund for the Silver Sage Senior Citizens Center, now under construction in downtown Bandera.

Rathke is helping promote the matches on behalf of the senior citizens, and he announced the participants this week.

The Ugandan giant, Kamala, will outweigh his opponent by about 100 pounds, but the popular Jose Lothario is expected to be able to hold his own and more against the behemoth.

The aides that accompany Chris Adams, 235 pounds, and Jimmy Garvin, 230, get almost as much attention from fans as do the wrestlers themselves. Adams will be accompanied during his Bandera appearance by the shapely Sunshine, his loyal and beautiful "valet." Assisting Garvin will be the statuesque Precious, his faithful and comely second.

In another match, the famed Mike Von Erick, at 215 pounds, will face Michael Hayes, one of the Free Birds.

And Rathke, who plans to be at 285 on May 12, will take on Black Gordman, a 240-pounder.

The matches are now scheduled to take place at Mansfield Park's rodeo arena instead of Bulldog Stadium, as originally announced.

Ticket prices range from $8 at ringside to $6 for balcony seats, $5 for general admission, and $4 for children under 10 in general admission seats.

Tickets are available at Senior Citizens Center, First National Bank, First State Bank, OST, Rathke Motor Co., Busbee's Bar-B-Que and the Dietert Claim Center in Kerrville.

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Make the Connection

Bulldog Delbert Ducheneaux won both hurdles events in the District 26-AAA Track and Field Meet at Randolph AFB last Wednesday, and Bandera's sprint relay combo and a sprinter also qualified for regional competition May 4 and 5 in Kingsville.

Ducheneaux sped over the 330-yard hurdles in 41.94 seconds to nip Theodore Stephens of Cole, who was caught in 42.05 seconds.

The Bulldog speedster skipped over the 120-yard high hurdles in 15.89 seconds to shade Lance Turnbow of Randolph by the thinnest of margins. The official clock caught Turnbow in 15.90 seconds, just .01 seconds behind Ducheneaux.

Stephens and Turnbow each also qualified for regional competition, so Ducheneaux faces a rematch in each event in Kingsville.

Ducheneaux joined Steve Nolan, Gene Mathews and James Compton to nail down second place in the 440-yard relay when they circled the track in 45.7 seconds.

Mathews also qualified in the 220-yard dash by finishing second to Bruce Galliard of Cole. Galliard was clocked in 23.11 seconds and Mathews 23.15 seconds.

Mathews also won third place in the long jump, failing to qualify for regional competition in that event by a scant inch. He soared 20 feet, ½ inch while second place was won by Ricci Ray of Randolph with a jump of 20-1½.



Delbert Ducheneaux won both hurdles events last Wednesday in the District 26-AAA meet at Randolph AFB.

Boerne won the sprint relay when its team of Thor Lee, Jimmy Ritter, Mike Day and Tony Ybarra broke the tape ahead of Bandera in 45.09 seconds.

Bandera finished in sixth place in the team standings, with Randolph winning the district title with 142 points, Boerne amassing 116 points, Smithson Valley 92, Cole 76, Bandera 74 and Southside 8.

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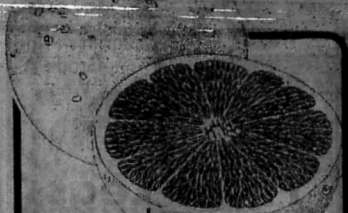

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Pride shows in her face

Clutching a sucker that is not as big as the achievement it took to win it, pretty Jody Hearn beams with pride as she accepts the applause of the crowd at Friday's Little Olympics. Little Jody won the 40-yard sucker race for pre-kindergarten girls. A complete list of winners and near-winners will appear next week.

Sorensen's trial site may be Fredericksburg

Gerald Rodger Sorensen's statement made Feb. 27

"On the last day of January, 1984, I left my house at about 5 or 6 p.m. I took a rifle and binoculars.

"I walked up to a trailer house through the woods. I went through an aluminum gate before I got to the white picket gate. I was laying down on the other side of the fence when I saw (her) in a car. She opened the aluminum drive-through gate.

"I watched her go into the trailer. I went around the trailer opened the back door it was not locked, and I went into the trailer. When I walked in she was sitting on the bed. She stood up when I came in and she said who are YOU?

"She was wearing a white blouse and brown leotards. I pointed the gun at her and I asked her very politely to take off her clothes. She removed all of her clothing. I put the gun on the floor beside the bed and removed my shoes and trousers.

"We had sex on the bed. When I finished I picked up the rifle. She grabbed the rifle by the barrel. The gun went off and the bullet struck her. She fell back wards on the bed. I went out the front door and went home.

"I lost the binoculars on my way home. I buried part of the rifle in one place and the other piece some where else. I buried it by scooping the dirt out with the stock. I will try to locate the rifle for you." —Gerald Rodger Sorensen

By Nick Johnson
Editor

The attorney for accused killer Gerald Rodger Sorensen said he will ask for a change of venue on May 24, and the assistant district attorney says he thinks Judge Robert Barton will grant the change and will probably try the case in Fredericksburg.

Attorney Richard Mosty last Thursday failed to have a confession signed by Sorensen quashed when Judge Barton ruled that Sorensen waived his right to have an attorney present when he gave the statement.

Mosty had tried to get Sorensen's confession thrown out and also tried to supress a statement from a jail trustee who had engaged Sorensen in conversation in the Bandera County Jail. Judge Barton ruled the trustee's statement to be admissable also.

The trustee, who gave his name as Jay Easterwood, testified he was serving a sentence on a murder conviction on a bench warrant from the Texas Department of Corrections and was also under federal charges.

Easterwood said Sorensen admitted to him that he murdered Marie Denise Walker, 36, on Jan. 31. The trustee said he asked Sorensen why he went to Walker's home on the night of the crime. "I don't know," Easterwood said Sorensen told him. "Sometimes I just do things. I should never have gone up there. Sometimes I wish I was born someone else. I wish I could get her back," Sorensen said, according to notes made by the trustee.

Officials Thursday testified that Sorensen demanded to see an attorney on the morning of Feb. 27 in the Bandera County Jail, but later in the day sent word by Easterwood that he wanted to talk to Sheriff Guy V. Pickett.

On the basis of that message, Sheriff Pickett and Texas Ranger Bob Steele began a second meeting with Sorensen and his father, Richard L. Sorensen, during which the younger man dictated his statement while Ranger Steele wrote it down.

Mosty, a court-appointed attorney, attempted to have the statement thrown out because the accused killer had earlier asked for an attorney.

Judge Barton ruled, however, that because Sorensen initiated the second meeting, it was not necessary to ask Sorensen specifically if he wanted an attorney. He was read his rights, which include "the right to an attorney," just prior to giving the statement, Ranger Steele testified.

Sorensen's father testified he went to see his son on the morning of Feb. 27. "I said to my son, 'I never lied to you before, have I?'

"I advised him to confess and throw himself on the mercy of the court, if he did it. Maybe he could get off lighter.

"Maybe I did wrong, but it was my logical conclusion at the time," the father testified.

The elder Sorensen said Ranger Steele told him before his son signed the confession that "maybe something could be worked out if my son confessed," but both Pickett and Steele testified that no such suggestion was made.

Sorenson said he "was promised 15 years if I could find the murder weapon," but Pickett and Steele again denied suggesting any deals with Sorensen in exchange for a confession.

Mosty objected strenuously to the admission of notes Easterwood said he made after two conversations with Sorensen. The jail trustee denied he was planted to provide information to police officials.

"The whole purpose of all this was to curry favor with the sheriff," Mosty charged. "And it apparently worked, because he's free." The trustee said he completed his sentence in March and was released.

The trustee denied being a "snitch," jailhouse term for planted informant, and also testified under oath he was not under the federal government's witness protection program.

Barton ruled Easterwood's notes were admissible over Mosty's strenuous objections.

Mosty repeatedly raised ques-

(See TRIAL, Page 3A.)

Witness protected by federal program

Despite his testimony under oath last Thursday that he was not under the Federal Protected Witness Program, the man who calls himself Jay Easterwood is, indeed, such a witness, the Bulletin has confirmed.

The San Antonio Express News said Saturday federal authorities in San Antonio said the man was a protected witness, and the Bulletin confirmed that from a separate source this week.

Easterwood (that's not his real name) was booked into the Bandera County Jail more than a year ago by a Department of Public Safety intelligence officer, the Bulletin has learned. A false booking sheet was put into the files at the request of the DPS while the genuine sheet containing the man's real name was locked away at an undisclosed location during the time Easterwood was in jail here.

Easterwood served as a jail trustee during the time he spent here. He was convicted in Houston in the shooting of a man identified as having mob ties. He said the Houston man was trying to kill him.

A U.S. attorney said Easterwood helped in making cases against a number of figures involved in organized crime, the source said. He had testified in one additional case in Bandera County.

A former newspaper photographer, Easterwood said he helped Bandera County authorities investigate the Walker murder and took pictures at the scene of the crime at the request of the Sheriff's Department.

Gunman takes shot at youth in Bandera

A Bandera youth escaped injury Sunday when a gunman fired at him with a 22 caliber rifle while some 25 witnesses looked on.

Bandera city police arrested James Carl Salmon, 25, and Myron G. Lane, 21, both of Bandera, and both were charged with aggravated assault in connection with the incident. Salmon, who a sheriff's spokesman identified as the man who fired the weapon, was also charged with making terrorist threat.

According to police reports, Salmon earlier Sunday had been involved in an altercation with Charlie Robison, a Bandera youth now a freshman at South west Texas State University in San Marcos.

The shooting incident took place in front of the Hill Country Stop convenience store on Main Street in Bandera. According to witnesses, Salmon and Lane drove to the store in a pickup, and Salmon removed a lever-action Ithica rifle and fired one shot in Robison's direction. The youth was across the street from the convenience store when the shot was fired.

Salmon and Lane remain in Bandera County Jail in lieu of $75,000 bond for Salmon and $25,000 for Lane.

Salmon was convicted in November of extorting $2 from two younger youths on Main Street on New Year's Eve. He was sentenced to five years in the state penitentiary in connection with that crime, but was out of jail pending his appeal of that conviction, the sheriff's department said.



Deputy Lemons discusses self defense.

Good sense called best defense

By Lila MacMillan
Staff writer

Chief Deputy Mel Lemons of the Bandera County Sheriff's Department told a group of 50 women "be realistic" and use common sense "if you have to defend yourself against a physical attack."

Lemons spoke to the women [illegible] on April 26.

At the same time Thursday, women attended a similar seminar at the Grace Lutheran Church in Bandera where Allan Kempf of the Texas Department of Public Safety and Constable Louis Vannatter of Medina discussed assault and the law, self defense, owning a gun, and "the Christian woman's view."

Lemons did not recommend women use deadly force or "judo chops" in defending themselves against possible rape attacks, unless they are professionally [illegible] and [illegible] practiced.

"Most rapists are not professionals," he said. "Complicated self-defense tactics don't work unless they're well-practiced."

The chief deputy urged the women to think about what they would do if they were attacked, then work out a plan of defense. They should review their defense plan often, so if a crisis situation should arrive, they can relay on the plan by instinct.

"Don't depend on a gun, unless you know you're prepared to use it," stated Lemons. "Otherwise you have supplied your attacker with a weapon."

He discussed the two types of [illegible] the plan by [illegible].

The friendly rapist is almost always known to his victim and is usually a friend, relative, neighbor or even husband. This rapist is usually driven by passion or lust.

The second type rapist is the stranger. His victims are usually senior citizens or young children, [illegible]. Normally he is not attracted to his victim by love, or sex appeal, but by the desire to humiliate his victim.

Several times during his presentation [illegible] "Rape: How to Avoid Living" by Frederick Storaska. The deputy said he had the good.

(See LEMONS, Page 3A.)



Solon suggests $2.5 billion for teacher pay raises

The leader of the House Committee on Public Education has proposed a plan to spend $2.5 billion over the next three years to boost teacher pay.

State Rep. Bill Haley, D-Center, himself a former teacher, suggests spending $600 million the first year to raise salaries, emphasizing more money for teachers and less for kindergarten and small classes.

Haley's plan would cost about $150 million more than the plan proposed by the Select Committee on Public Education last week.

It was, more or less, a weather balloon released to test the mood of legislators as they anticipate convening in May or June to decide whether to raise taxes for the pay raises.

The impetus behind this special session...Gov. Mark White, indicated he expects to announce his plan for taxes and teachers in the next few weeks.

The governor appears to be taking a more cautious stance than during the last regular session, when he personally lobbied legislators to adopt his plan.

Haley's plan, which comes from a well-respected lawmaker, is concerned mainly with teacher pay.

Radical proposal

It does not address a radical new idea which has become a sticking point with the chairman of the select committee.

The panel chair, H. Ross Perot, is intent on abolishing the elected body of the State Board of Education and replacing it with three appointees of the governor.

Haley's committee will begin meeting next week to hammer out the preliminary salary legislation. Once the House indicates how much tax money it might be willing to approve, White will probably release his bill describing how to raise the money.

Sales, fuel taxes

Meanwhile, an aide to White told reporters last week that White anticipates raising the sales tax by a penny and raising the state gasoline tax by a nickel.

White will also seek an increase in state luxury taxes, he said.

White's proposal to raise the sales tax was opposed last week by the powerful chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee which guards the gate.

Stan Schlueter, D-Killeen, said simply raising the sales tax was "taking the easy way out." He favors, instead, removing sales tax exemptions from certain professions as a means of raising revenue from that tax.

Administrator fired

The administrator of the Texas Employment Commission was fired last week from his $52,000-a-year job following a power struggle over the sale of three commission buildings near the Capitol.

Two commissioners complained that administrator Ernie Tullis had not adequately consulted them in offering the buildings for sale or lease. Tullis then slapped a lawsuit on the Commission, accusing them of violating the State Open Meetings Act, of improper hiring of personnel for personal staffs, and with interfering with his duties.

The board went to Attorney General Jim Mattox for a ruling on Tullis' status, and upon learning from Mattox that Tullis served at the pleasure of the board, called a meeting and fired him.

Textbook evolution

Mattox also recently issued an opinion declaring unconstitutional the state regulation requiring that biology textbooks treat evolution as only one of several theories of human origin.

Mattox struck down the rule saying its purpose was government promotion of religion for requiring an equal emphasis on the Biblical view.

Facing the threat of a lawsuit, the State Board of Education voted to repeal the regulation.

Federal takeover

The federal Interstate Commerce Commission said last week it would take over regulation of intrastate railroads in Texas from the Texas Railroad Commission.

The feds accused the Texas panel of "staunchly refusing to comply with federal law in numerous ICC rulemaking and adjudicatory decisions."

The Texas Railroad Commission is presently challenging several ICC actions in court.

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Former publisher

Dear editor,

Thank you. We enjoy and look forward to receiving the Bandera Bulletin.

Sometime it would be interesting if you would do a short resume on the editors and owners of the paper from the time it was first published -- nothing elaborate, just dates, names, something short.

Many years ago my grandfather, George Jackson Fee, published the paper. He died from pneumonia at the age of 33. In addition to the paper, he owned several lots across from the present courthouse and had purchased a lovely tract of land which at present is bordered by the Medina River, Winans Creek, and Highway 16 going toward Medina.

This land, to settle the estate, was purchased by my father from the remaining heirs. I still call a portion of that property "home."

The "Hill Country" is truly beautiful and compares -- be it people, friendliness, beauty, climate or you-name-it -- with any place in the world.

Lanelle Fee Olsen
Aurora, Colo.

(Editor's note: This newspaper was started by J. Marvin Hunter in 1945 and was published by his family continuously until 1981. A story on all the newspapers that have been published in Bandera County would indeed make an interesting feature.)

Editorializing

Dear editor,

Regardless of stepped-up provocations against free-world countries by a mixed bag of Libyans, Russians, Syrians, Iranians, and so forth, we can count on you and your fellow liberals to make the usual clamor for ill-considered and drastic cuts in the defense budget. I'm referring, of course, to your so-called article in last week's Bulletin about an award made to Congressman Tom Loeffler for his efforts on behalf of a strong defense program.

I for one am appreciative of Tom Loeffler and of organizations which work for a strong defense. We need such persons to counter anti-defense pronouncements from whatever source.

What The Bulletin really needs is an editorial page labeled as such. Then you won't need to contain your editorializations in between the lines of news items. Tom Loeffler deserves better.

Herbert Bilhartz
Medina

(Editor's note: The writer is making reference to The Bulletin, April 26, reporting that Rep. Loeffler had been presented an award by the Coalition for Peace Through Strength.)

Texas faces challenge to improve education

By Governor Mark White

The Select Committee on Public Education held its final meeting last week and took a series of hard votes to set a new course for education in Texas.

The Select Committee's recommendations for higher teacher pay, increased state equalization aid for poor school districts, smaller classes in early grades, and greater attention to the learning needs of the disadvantaged took shape after 10 months of hard work.

The committee's report embodies a plan to restore academic excellence and achievement, one that recognizes today's economic realities without shortchanging either our teachers or our children.

Its conclusions reflect the input of many Texans who attended a series of public hearings in different parts of the state.

While the public found much to praise in our schools, their hours of testimony touched on common weaknesses in our educational system — low teacher pay, poor student performance on basic skills tests, too little time spent on core academic subjects during the school day, classroom discipline problems, school districts with too many children and too few dollars.

Now it is the Texas Legislature's turn to transform this blueprint into a workable agenda for our educators and students. as a state, we have an exciting opportunity in the weeks ahead to redirect our priorities and renew our commitment to academic excellence.

I am confident that, by late May, a majority of the Texas House and Senate will unite behind an education reform package that will help reduce the economic incentive for our most talented and experienced teachers to leave the classroom for better paying jobs in private industry.

We are in an unique position to clarify our goals for the managers of the largest public school network in the nation. The work begun by the Select Committee on Public Education can serve as a departure point for legislation as significant as the Gilmer-Aiken bill that improved the system of channeling state dollars to local school districts.

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Political Calendar
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Faces of Bandera County

Medina Lake fireman Merv Kaiser was all smiles as he enjoyed the food and joined the ranks of Faces of Bandera County.

Trial

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Sorensen's request for an attorney before signing his statement. Mosty added that defendants didn't get an attorney appointed until a March 22 pretrail hearing. Pickett testified Sorensen was read his Miranda Rights twice, adding Sorensen didn't ask again for an attorney.

That issue is to be reviewed May 24 at 1:30 p.m. in Bandera in another hearing, when Mosty is expected to seek a change of venue.

Sorensen was arrested Feb. 19, in Binghamton, N.Y. when he requested Salvation Army lodging. He was returned to Bandera the following weekend. He was indicted by the Bandera County grand jury Feb. 24.

Assistant DA Scott Stehling said the prosecutor would fight Mosty's motion to remove the trial from Bandera County, but he said he thinks Judge Barton will rule in favor of Mosty's motion.

The defense attorney said he will admit into evidence clippings from newspapers and transcripts of radio and television broadcasts to try to prove to Judge Barton that Sorensen could not get a fair trial here.

"I don't think the judge will move it out of the (216th Judicial) District," said Stehling. He guessed Judge Barton would pick Fredericksburg as a site because of the facilities there.

Lemons

(Continued from Page 1.)

fortune to attend one of Storaska's seminars several years ago, and he recommends the book and Storaska's views on the common sense approach to rape.

When someone asked Lemons if rape instances were on the increase in our county, Lemons said that such crimes increase along with the population increase.

Another member of the audience asked how many known sex offenders are in our county, the deputy stated that he would have to guess at maybe five.

Deputy Lemons recommended ways to handle obscene phone calls, precautions that should be taken when women are alone at home or traveling alone, and discussed what to do in the event of an attack.

He recommended reporting instances of attempted as well as actual rape attacks to the Bandera County Sheriff's Department. Those attacked and who fear publicity and identifying the attacker may still report the attack, Lemons said. Investigators are fully trained and qualified in handling such cases. "You can be assured anything you tell us will be kept confidential," said Lemons.

Lemons stressed the importance of counseling for victims of rape. He said the suicide rate among rape victims is very high among those that receive no counseling.

A counseling program is available to residents of Bandera County. For information on this program as well as the programs available on child abuse you can contact the Department of Human Resources in Bandera, or the Sheriff's department.

Hospital admissions

The following persons were among those admitted to Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville this week:

Raymond H. Batto of Bandera.
Mrs. Jewel N. Polvado of Vanderpool and Agnes C. Kalka of Bandera.

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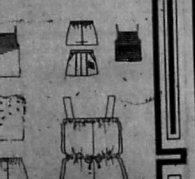

Calendar

This afternoon, May 3

Tarpley Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
St. Victor's Altar Society, 7 p.m., Lakehills St. Victor's Chapel.
Lakehills Sesquicentennial meeting, Lakehills American Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, May 4

Bingo, Bandera American Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 5

Rolls open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Bandera County Helping Hand Center Open House, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Hermann Sons Lodge Rummage Bake Sale, Lakehills, Park Road 37, 9 a.m.
Bandera County Helping Hand Center Rummage Sale, American Legion Hall, Bandera, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sunday, May 6

St. Stanislaus Festival, 11:30 a.m., Recreation Center.
American Legion Post 410, Lakehills Pancake supper, 5 p.m., flag disposal ceremony, sundown.

Monday, May 7

Boy Scout Troop 204, Lakehills United Methodist Church, 7 p.m.
Community Wolf Club, 7:30 p.m., University Savings.

Tuesday, May 8

Alamo Area Council of Governments, Summer youth employment program., Bandera Municipal Building, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Williams Creek Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m.
Sesquicentennial meeting, 7 p.m., First National Bank Board Room.
Medina Rotary Club, 7:30 p.m. youth center.
Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department business meeting, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.
Hill Country Rabbit Breeders Association, 7:30 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.
Bandera School Board, Bandera High School, 7:30 p.m.
Pipe Creek Community, Pipe Creek Community Center, 8 p.m.
Confirmation, St. Stanislaus, Bandera ceremonies.
Utopia Arts and Crafts Guild, community building.

Wednesday, May 9

Bandera Junior 4-H Community Club, First National Bank Board Room, 7 p.m.
Lakeshore Volunteer Fire Department bingo, 7 p.m.
Bandera Volunteer Fire Department meeting, 7:30 p.m., firehouse.
Hill Country Kennel Club, 8 p.m., First State Bank Community Room.

Thursday, May 10

Medina Extension Homemakers, Vannatter home, 10 a.m.
Medina School Board, 7:30 p.m., school office.
Citizens for Better Schools, Pipe Creek Community Center, 8 p.m.

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Parent-Teacher Organization formed here

A Parent-Teacher Organization has been formed at Bandera Elementary School, the new name for the Teacher Association group here that died nearly two years ago "because no one would take the officer positions."

Cindy Woodland has been elected president of the group that was formally organized last month by about 20 parents meeting at the elementary school cafeteria, according to Alice Lundblad, who has been named the group's publicity chairman.

Other officers elected are Linda Eklous first vice president, Euna Wagner second vice president, Jo Wilcox, third vice president, Debbie Anderson recording secretary, Sharon Cabiness corresponding secretary, Micole Konvicka treasurer, and Jackie Hurst, parliamentarian.

The group has scheduled a meeting for May 17 to focus on plans for the coming school year, says Mrs. Lundblad. The meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. at the elementary school cafeteria in Bandera.

Helping Hand plans Funtier Days role

The Helping Hand Center will operate a stand during Funtier Days and will have a float in the Funtier Days Parade May 26 to help inform the public about the goals and activities of the group.

The group says it extended a helping hand to 24 families during April, including 15 that were given clothing, four given food, and eight given counseling. Three of the eight in counseling were referred to other agencies, says Helping Hand spokeswoman Jeanetta Mills.

The center's rummage sale Saturday will be held at the American Legion Hall in Bandera, and an open house will be held at the center nearby during the same hours.

The rummage sale and open house will begin at 9 a.m. and continue until 5 p.m.

In a further effort to lessen residents of the Bandera Road's reputation as the new home of the Tavern Teacher Association group here that died nearly two years ago "because no one would take the officer positions."

Bandera briefs

June Dry returns from 4-H conference

June Dry of Bandera has returned from the 54th annual National 4-H Conference in Washington where she was one of three adults and seven youths in the Texas delegation.

She participated in a food and fitness seminar, one of several reviewing current 4-H projects and areas of study. Among the recommendations her group made was the publication of more advanced manuals in an attempt to keep senior members active, Mrs. Dry said.

She also visited with U.S. Rep. Tom Loeffler, heard an address by Secretary of Agriculture John Block, and toured the Capitol and the White House.

The conference, which ran through April 13, included more than 350 4-H members, volunteer leaders and extension service representatives.

"The young people attending were the cream of the crop and 'the greatest'," Mrs. Dry said. "Texas can be very proud of the extension service program and the 4-H and what it stands for."

She said she plans to share her experiences at the conference with members of local clubs. She also expressed her thanks to the groups that paid her expenses, including Tenneco, Inc., the State Adult Leaders Association and Bandera County 4-H program.

Animal shelter planned

The Animal Welfare Society of Kerr County will sponsor a fund-raising barbecue Saturday at Louise Hays Park.

Proceeds from the barbecue will go toward construction of a new animal shelter on Loop 534 near Kerrville, a spokesman said.

Helping Hand open house

The Bandera County Helping Hand Center, 1306 Cypress, will hold Open House Saturday, May 5, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

"Everyone is invited to stop by for coffee and get acquainted with our services," said Jeanne Schinn, center director.

"We are a crisis intervention center, which means we reach out to help those in time of need with clothes, food, confidential counseling and referral services," Schinn explained.

The center is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon.

A handmade wash bowl and pitcher will be given away during the Open House, Schinn said.

Pinewood Derby

Results of Cub Scout Pack 146 Pinewood Derby Sunday, April 29.

Most beautiful — Braon Moseley.

Most unique — T.J. Lukachik.

Qualifiers for the district Pinewood Derby, May 6, at the National Award Armory in Kerrville — 1. Dennis Duff, 2. Michael Mazurek, 3. Michael Mazurek, 4. Troy Adamietz, 5. Braon Moseley, 6. Chris Nelson, 7. Greg Sterner, 8. Chris Lundblad, 9. Rocky Lopez, 10. Troy Sterner, 11. Brad Floyd and 12. Tybor Cook.

The "Scooters" Race — 1. Raymond Adamietz, 2. James Duff Jr., 3. Keith Sterner and 4. Nell Landrum.

Breeders to meet

The Hill Country Rabbit Breeders will meet on May 8 at 7:30 p.m. at First State Bank for election of officers and pot luck dinner. "All members are urged to attend," a spokesman said.

Bandera Witnesses

Bandera Witnesses were among the more than 3,300 who attended a meeting of Jehovah's Witnesses last week at the San Antonio Convention Center and who heard Joseph Saia, district supervisor.

Saia's talk, entitled "Why Submit to God's Rulership?", included a quote from Alf Landon, former presidential candidate and a participant in politics for 70 years. "There isn't a nation in the world that really has stable government today," Landon said.

"Such statements by prominent leaders of thought are warning that time is running out for nations to determine how they will resolve their problems," Saia pointed out. Then quoting from The Washington Post, he added words of Haynes Johnson that such statements "reinforce the idea that events are out of control."

Jack Pearson, Bandera minister, said Saia drew from the Bible's account at Daniel, Chapter 4, dealing with Babylonian rulership under Nebuchadnezzar. "While Babylon was in its heyday, Nebuchadnezzar bragged of his accomplishments," Pearson explained. "Suddenly all that was changed."

He pointed to Hitler's boast that he would set up an empire that would last for a thousand years and the dismal result of that rulership. "Even though some rulerships come into power with popular support, they soon turn out disappointing."

Saia urged support of the only rulership that promises a secure and happy future "free of crime, injustice, violence and oppression."

"You have prayed for God's Kingdom to come and His will to be done," Saia said. "So put your confidence where your prayers are. Submit to God's rulership and live."

Program provides summer jobs

Nine summer jobs for youth will be available in Bandera County under a government program known as the Summer Youth Employment Program.

The youth will be employed by a public agency such as a department of the county, the city, the school district or similar agency and their salaries will be paid from federal funds, according to Randal A. Hargrove of the Alamo Area Council of Governments.

She said the program will extend from June 11 through Aug. 17 and will employ students and high school graduates between the ages of 14 and 21 who are in need of financial aid.

This is the remnants of the old CETA program which provided employment to youth in both the private and public sectors, Hargrove said.

Applications for the jobs will be taken during May and June, the AACOG said, and forms and more information may be received from Bernice Voigt who is at the old city water board offices in the Bandera Municipal Building, 508 Main St., Bandera, on the second Tuesday of the month only (May 8) from 10 a.m. until noon and 1 p.m. until 3:30 p.m.

Fair needs entries

Bandera County entries will be sought by the Kerr County Fair July 27-29, fair officials have announced.

The annual Kerrville fair will also invite participants from Edwards, Kimble, Kendall and Real counties.

The Kerr County event is timed so that exhibitors in the Bandera County Fair July 6 and 7 may also participate in the Kerrville show.

W.D. Compton, president of the Kerr County Fair Association, said invitations will go out to Bandera County participants in extension office activities, 4-H groups, Future Farmers and Homemakers of America, homemakers and others.

The Kerr County Fair will be held at the Ag Barn on State Highway 27 South, Compton said.

School board sets meeting for May 8

The board of trustees of the Bandera Independent School District will meet in regular session on Tuesday, May 8, at 7:30 p.m. at Bandera High School.

Friends of library

The Friends of the Bandera County Library will hold a Silver Tea at the Bandera County Library Thursday, May 17, from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m.

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As a retired rancher and still having many friends and relatives in the ranching profession, I feel I can understand their needs. I pledge to support the efforts of all organizations in their attempts to better their trade; i.e. the predator problem. Now as a Senior Citizen, I can understand and will work for the needs of the elderly. I will do my best to see that no tax dollars are spent unnecessarily and that you get full value for those that are spent.

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CAR Comments with PHIL MARTIN

TIPS ON TEST DRIVING A USED CAR

There will probably come a time when you may buy a used car. Many dealers have some really fine used cars and one can get a good buy in a used car, but you also want to check them out to your own satisfaction. Here are some suggestions to follow.

(1) WHILE THE CAR IS PARKED—and after starting the engine, put the car in neutral, increase the engine speed and check the exhaust. Should white smoke appear, especially on a cold engine or on a cold day, this is probably just water vapor and no real problem. The appearance of blue smoke could indicate a worn engine. If there is black smoke, this would mean a carburetion problem.

(2) DRIVING OUT—before you leave the lot shift back and forth between reverse and drive (low gear for standard transmissions). Listen for any unusual noises or the feel of slippage. When driving on the streets or highways, watch for this again during the gear changes. This could indicate transmission trouble if there are noises or slippage.

(3) BUMPY ROAD TEST—drive over uneven roads; swerving, swaying or bouncing could signal bad shocks. Also listen for any excessive noises and/or rattles.

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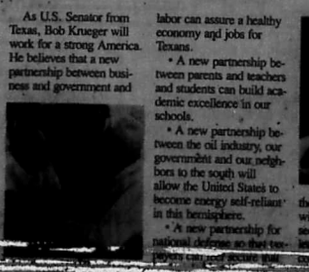



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Aaron and Andrew Duncan, Mom Laura.

Burns attended a double first

Twins Aaron and Andrew Duncan celebrated their first birthdays in Temple April 16 with the help of their parents, Bobby and Laura Duncan, grandparents Don and Nancy Burns of Lakehills, great-grandfather Warren Stickney of Bandera, and their uncle Jeff Burns of Lakehills.

Pancake supper and flag ceremony

Commander Kruse of American Legion Post 410 would like to remind everyone of the pancake supper to be held at the post home on May 6 at 5 p.m. Following supper, the Legionnaires will have a formal flag disposal ceremony at sundown on the post grounds. Everyone is invited.

Chili Cookoff registration

Gene Ott reports 26 have registered for the chili cookoff to be held at Turk's Store on May 12. Proceeds will go to the Medina Lake Shrine Club to buy books of circus tickets for the senior citizens and children in our area.

In the past, area businesses have purchased the books of tickets from the Shrine Club and then donated them back for use by the senior citizens and children.

The cookoff will be from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. For more information contact Ott at Turk's Store or phone 751-2141.

Attention Mother's Day shoppers

The Lakehills United Methodist Women report they'll have a variety of baked goods, plants, gifts and bargains suitable for Mother's Day at their annual plant and bake sale being held May 12 at the Lakehills Civic Center.

They have expanded this annual event to include a bazaar and flea market this year. The doors will open at 9 a.m.

Annual spring picnic

The Property Owners Association of Pebble Beach will have it's annual picnic for members only on Saturday, May 5, at the Main Park on Pebble Beach. Spokeswoman for this group, Louise Mays, promises a good time for everyone.

You'll be able to buy hamburgers, hotdogs, Cokes and beer, and snacks and sweets.

All members are urged to come out and enjoy the entertainment and games. All proceeds will benefit the Property Owners Association and the community of Pebble Beach.

Dart standings

As of April 24

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Hard Times #1	17	17
Copper Lantern #2	15	20
Texas Wrangler #3	13	15
Pop's Place #1	9	19
Hard Times #3	9	19
Cedar Point Landing	7	21
Pop's Place #2	7	23

Professional training for women in use of firearms

Deputy James MacMillan of the Bandera County Sheriff's Department announced this week that he, Deputy Ken Mingo, and a representative of the Department of Public Safety are planning a program on the "Use and Care of Firearms" for women in our area.

MacMillan stated he has been contacted by several women in our community who expressed a desire for proper training and knowledge on guns. Most of the women who contacted MacMillan said they would like to have a gun in their home for self-defense, but they don't know how to use one.

The trained law enforcement personnel will meet with the women in our community at the Lakehills Civic Center on Park Road 37 on May 31, at 1 p.m. They will hold a training session at the Civic Center and at that time check the guns for the women and instruct them on the proper care, cleaning and maintenance.

Women attending this training program should bring their guns with them. The peace officers will supply the ammunition, MacMillan said.

After the classroom instruction, the peace officers will take the women in small groups to a nearby shooting range to offer instructions on proper loading, unloading, and firing of a gun.

To register for this program call Louise Marmor at 751-3505 or Nancy MacMillan at 751-3944. You will need to know the caliber of your firearm at the time you register so the peace officers will have the right size ammunition for your gun.

MacMillan asks that you register by May 25. There will be a small registration fee which is necessary to cover the cost of ammunition and target supplies used during the training program.

Anyone under 18 years of age must be accompanied by a parent or responsible guardian, MacMillan said.

July 4 parade and celebration announced

Tony Kruse, commander of American Legion Post 410, announced this year's traditional July 4 parade and celebration will be Saturday, July 7. Activities planned at the Legion Hall following the parade are a barbecue chicken dinner, pie ala mode, bake shop, games, clowns, country store, bingo, Second Hand Rose shop, and prizes to be given away to those who register.

To put an entry in the parade contact Ray Mauer at 751-3976. Iris Durham will be in charge of collecting items for the country store. To donate grocery items for the store call her at 751-2367. To have your second hand items picked up call Sue Kruse at 751-2121.

11 from Lakehills to be confirmed

Dr. Ernest Mayfield announced 11 young people have attended the Confirmation classes at St. Victor's Chapel and will join the other Confirmation candidates attending classes at St. Stanislaus in Bandera on May 8 to become confirmed Catholics. A reception will follow the confirmation exercise.

Candidates being confirmed from St. Victor's include Cheryl Gonzales, Bobby Jean Malone, Angelika Kluns, Erika Kluns, Debbie Schimandle, Jill MacMillan, Mike Moore, Ernest Malone, Michael Guadarrama, Alex Villalobas, and Stan Childress.

No place like home

John Provance and Ruth Cowley both agree there's no place like home, after being released from hospitals this week.

Provance returned home on Friday after receiving a pacemaker, just in time to attend the firehouse barbecue on Saturday. All his friends agreed it was great to see him out and about so soon.

Ruth came home from the hospital on Wednesday after undergoing hip surgery. Her niece Thelma Gallo and her daughter Tina, both of Houston, came in Wednesday evening and stayed with Ruth until Sunday evening.

Ruth reported although she's already exchanged the crutches for a cane, she still wasn't ready to get out for the barbecue. Her nieces went down and brought the barbecue to her, however. Ruth said she really missed not working as a volunteer at the firehouse as she's done for 20 years, but most of all she missed not seeing all her friends at the firehouse.

Pebble Beach lovers

When Jack Fair came down from Ohio last year to visit his sister, Dee Miller, he fell in love with Pebble Beach and now he's planning to build a home there. Fair's son and daughter-in-law, Charles (Bud) and Ruth Fair and their daughter, came down for a visit, and they too fell in love with Pebble Beach. Now they've rented a house on Black Bass Drive.

Another Pebble Beach lover, Marcia Marconcinio, has changed her status from weekend resident to full-time resident.

David and Mary Peterson, long time Pebble Beach lovers, have made the big move from San Antonio. David recently retired from the post office in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gomes and their two children have just moved into the new home they built on Black Bass Drive.



"Mayor" Willie Leibold

VIP at barbecue

If it's possible to single out a highlight on barbecue weekend, this time it would have to be the surprise visit of Willie Leibold, affectionately known as the mayor of Lakehills. Two years ago Willie became a resident of Purple Hills Nursing Home in Bandera.

Saturday afternoon Willie made his first visit back to Lakehills in two years. His cousin, Louise Turner, brought him out just for the barbecue. It took Willie several hours to greet all his friends and well wishers. Willie will celebrate his 84th birthday in August. He was born here in our community and has always called Lakehills home.

Mayor Leibold boasted the food at Purple Hills is good, but the firemen's barbecue is his favorite.

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Pipe Creek

Lila MacMillan — 751-2586

Former residents visit

Former Lakehills residents Jack and Pauline McGarraugh of San Antonio spent last weekend visiting with their many friends here. While here they attended the firehouse barbecue. "They are well-known for their singing duets," says Helen Temple.

White bass are still biting

W.R. Overall and his son recently caught several white bass and two catfish on a fishing jaunt. The Overalls live in Pebble Beach.

Recent strong winds have kept a lot of fishermen on shore.

Hermann Sons fundraiser

Don't forget the Hermann Sons Rummage and Bake Sale May 5. Dorothy Dean says it's not too late to reserve your space for $3; call her at 751-2510.

This event will be held on the Hermann Sons property on Park Road 37 beginning at 9 a.m.

New family in Pipe Creek

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Price and their two sons moved into the Pipe Creek community last week. They purchased the Krueger property in the Diamond J Ranch next to Freedom Springs.

Their son Marcus is a sixth grader and Billy is in the eighth grade.

Price is a commercial salesman with Bexar Supply in San Antonio. Mrs. Price, a caterer, hopes to someday open a business in this area.

Barbecue is fast approaching

The Pipe Creek Volunteer Fire Department's barbecue will be on the weekend of May 19 and 20. In addition to the barbecue dinners the ladies auxiliary will have a bake sale and a country store for the first time. Serving will start at 11 a.m. Jody Butler reports a Remington 270 caliber rifle will be given away along with many other prizes, during the weekend.

We will have more information on this next week as plans are finalized.

Engagement announced

The engagement of Tamberiyn Kay Laskowski and Bryan Z. DeLeedernier, both of Kerrville, has been announced by the parents of the couple.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Paul Laskowski of Kerrville. The prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. DeLeedernier of Pipe Creek.

Miss Laskowski is a 1980 graduate of Bandera High School; a former student at Loyola University in New Orleans, and a student at St. Mary's University in San Antonio.

DeLeedernier is a 1981 graduate of Bandera High School.

The wedding will be May 12 in Notre Dame Catholic Chuich in Kerrville.

Dance canceled

The dance scheduled for May 5 has been canceled for the Castle Lake Volunteer Fire Department.

CBS to meet in Pipe Creek

The Citizens For Better Schools, a group helping promote new school bonds to finance an elementary school in Bandera, will meet Thursday, May 10, at 8 p.m. at the Pipe Creek Community Center.

Architect Jim Pfluger of Austin will be at the meeting to explain the current status of the school's expansion plans and to answer questions. "All interested people are invited," says Lissie Schneider, spokeswoman for the group.

ated by Grace Hicks at the Mayan Ranch.

A sheriff's department spokesman said Meginnis had been visiting Mrs. Hicks, a close friend.

Peace Justice Tom Grant ruled the death accidental.

The incident at the Mayan Ranch was one of three that caused Emergency Medical Service units from Bandera, Lakehills and Pipe Creek to be dispatched at the same time Sunday.

In Pipe Creek, Fred Ybarra, 43, of San Antohio suffered a heart attack while apparently en route home from the Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department barbecue.

Pipe Creek technicians applied cardiopulmonary resuscitation and transported him to Methodist Hospital in San Antonio, but he was pronounced dead on arrival.

At about the same time, David Palmer, 19, of English Crossing Road was accidently cut on the upper right thigh by a power saw he was operating. He was transported to Wilford Hall Hospital by Lakehille EMTs.

In another incident last Thursday morning at Bandera River Ranch Subdivisiin east of Bandera, A.L. (Al) Robinson received cuts and abrasions when the motor bike and a large dog were in collision.

produced newspaper of Bandera High School and has been active in journalism contests of the University Interscholastic League. She is also an all-region bandsman.

She will receive the Fred Adams Memorial Scholarship named to honor the man who started the university's student newspaper in 1911.

Hospice panel to meet

The Heart-of-the-Hills Hospice Advisory Committee will hold its monthly luncheon meeting at the Holiday Inn in Kerrville at 1 p.m. Tuesday, May 8. Marty Shafer, director of Hospice in Austin, will lead a discussion on Rural Hospice.

neurologist warns in the journal of Texas Medicine.

Dr. Bernard M. Patten notes that within five minutes a single pinch of snuff results in a nicotine blood level that is 28 percent greater than the level reached from cigar smoking for 65 minutes.

"The nicotine peak with snuff matches that achieved with those old Havana-type cigars and exceeds that found in heavy cigarette smokers," he writes in the April issue of the Texas Medical Association's journal.

A continually high level of nicotine from constant use of snuff "could pave the way for chronic nicotine toxicity," says Patten, an associate professor of neurology at Baylor College of Medicine. Nicotine poisoning from snuff dipping and tobacco chewing can lead to nerve damage, severe muscle weakness, fatigue and weight loss, he says.

The physician cites the case of a 20-year-old man who led a vigorous life of working cattle, riding bulls, and jogging. He became ill about the time he began using snuff and chewing tobacco, and his condition worsened over a six-month period.

His snuff dipping became continuous as his consumption reached two tins a day. He lost

exercise," the doctor writes. "Despite attempts at weight lifting and other exercise, the muscle wasting continued and especially involved muscles around shoulders and hips."

The patient had difficulty climbing stairs and getting out of a chair, Patten says, "and bull riding became impossible.... He complained that he felt unsteady and tended to drift to the right when he walked." Other problems included slight muscle twitches and cold feet.

Patten notes that after the patient stopped using all tobacco products, he felt better. The aches disappeared within a week, and the patient was back to normal body weight and activity within three months.

"As an experiment, the patient decided to restart dipping the snuff to see if the condition would return," Patten writes.

It did. But the patient again returned to normal after he stopped dipping.

"The return of similar symptoms after the patient resumed use of snuff and remission of symptoms when he again quit using snuff speak for a definite role for tobacco in causing his weakness," Patten concludes.

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Eldon Edge has served his profession as:

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Eldon Edge was reared on a farm at Spicewood, Travis County, Texas. With 5 brothers and a sister, the family still owns this farm. He is a landowner in Wilson County with an interest in farming and ranching.

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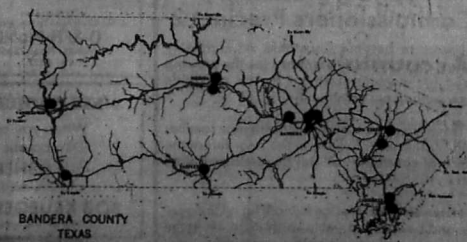

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Visitors

Meridine and Buster Talley and children of San Antonio visited their parents, Richard and Deanie Newman, over the weekend. Sunday afternoon dinner guests included neighbors, Marietie and John Overholser, and Mary and Floyd Portman.

Tommy Bowen and friends, Dennis and Laura, from Victoria, were guests of their dad, Ray, and their sister, Pat Coffee and her family.

Community reunion

John and Mary Wells attended a community reunion with family and school chums in Fannin, Tex. All of the four Well's children and their families were present.

John and Mary and the Overholsers made a trip to Port Aransas this past week, staying at the Well's condominium.

Car fails

Ray Burnett was injured when a car that he was working on fell on him. He was taken to the Northeast Baptist Hospital.

Benefit dance

The many musician friends of Monk Searcy will give a benefit dance at the Copper Lantern, Sunday, May 13.

seat belts work. Others fear being trapped. Finally, some consider seat belts inconvenient.

The Texas Medical Association says none of these reasons justifies not using auto restraints.

The 23,000-member organization of physicians and medical students notes that three-fourths of the people who have died in auto crashes could have been saved had they used seat belts. In addition, about nine out of 10 deaths or injuries to children could have been avoided by using safety seats or belts.

This information is in a pamphlet titled "Click — The Sound of Saving a Life," produced by TMA. In addition to educational efforts, TMA supports mandatory use of auto restraints.

The TMA pamphlet notes that auto restraints are effective. "The belts distribute the force of an accident over your hips and shoulders — the parts of your body that can best withstand the force," the pamphlet explains. "Your belt will also stretch a bit to absorb the force."

"Most important, it will prevent your head and shoulders from striking the steering wheel, dashboard, and windshield."

A car traveling 30 miles per hour stops within a tenth of a second after a collision. Unbelted occupants continue to move forward at 30 mph and slam into some part of the auto a fifth of a second after the car has stopped. Unrestrained occupants have neither the time nor the strength to protect themselves. Belts further protect you by keeping you within the vehicle, since being thrown from a vehicle increases

to file a burning or submerged car.

Less than 1 percent of all injury-producing collisions involve fire or submersion. If you find yourself in such a situation, the most important thing is to keep conscious so you can escape." A fastened seat belt will minimize or eliminate injuries so passengers are able to escape, according to the pamphlet.

Copies of this pamphlet and seven others in TMA's Health-Wise Series are available by calling 512-477-6704 or writing to the Texas Medical Association, Communication Department, 1801 N. Lamar Blvd., Austin 78701.

Enchanted rock opening lively

The recent reopening of Enchanted Rock State Natural Area near Fredericksburg was a big event with about 2,000 visitors turning into the popular rock-climbing area.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department officials opened the gates at noon March 30, after more than a year of construction and improvements which necessitated closing the park.

Park Superintendent Warren Watson said about 1,200 visitors were on hand that Sunday, including many overnight campers.

Watson said future visitors should take note of the new telephone number for overnight camping reservations. It is (915) 247-3903.

Another cool front blew in Sunday with no rain. At least newsmen and weather reporters are doing their part by trying to keep our hopes built up.

This community was saddened by the sudden death of the Rev. George Polvado, who passed away at his home early Saturday morning. Funeral services were be held Monday afternoon at the Vanderpool cemetery.

Calvin and Ruby Jane Luck of Hackett, Ark., were Easter weekend visitors Thursday through Monday with Ruby's parents, Alvin and Jessie Ivy.

Roy and Lera Johnson of San Antonio were Wednesday guests of Lecil and Ruby Howard.

Gary and Kathy Berry of Carrizo Springs have announced the birth of a baby son, Christopher Wayne, weighing 7 lbs., 14 oz.

Maternal grandparents are Gordon Thompson of Carrizo Springs and Ruby Luck of Hackett, Ark. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berry of Killeen. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Finis Thompson of Vanderpool and maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ivy, Vanderpool.

Hub and Lillie Thompson enjoyed their granddaughter and husband LaDonna and Craig Hoover of Texas City, and their visit with them over the weekend. They attended Baptist Church services.

The piano students of Margie Rollins will be presented in recital Sunday at 4 p.m. at Beasley church.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Thompson entertained their five grandchildren from Carrizo Springs during Easter holidays.

Ernest Heideman has been under the weather and will be going to Sid Peterson Hospital, Kerrville, Monday for a check-up.

Funeral services for Ed Truley were held Friday at Utopia Church of Christ. He was a longtime resident of Utopia, and for several years had been a resident in a Hondo nursing home.

David Thompson of Deer Park was a weekend visitor of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Thompson.

Hoyt and Doris Foster just returned last Sunday from a nine-day trip to Illinois where Hoyt attended a program of UL Underwriters Laboratory where he serves on UL's Consumer Advisory Council.

The Fosters traveled through Oklahoma, Missouri, and on to Illinois for two days. They returned through Iowa and Kansas.

They say they drove through rainstorms all the way, and were just ahead of a tornado in Oklahoma but to their disappointment found Texas still dry.

on patrol

Deputy Andrew Smith will continue to patrol the Utopia area of Uvalde County for the Uvalde County Sheriff's Department by terms of an agreement among county officials last week.

Deputy Smith and Deputy Carson Wells in Sabinal were to be transferred to Uvalde to work as jailers, but the resignation of two other sheriff's department employees made it possible for Sheriff Kenneth Kelley to leave Smith and Wells in the present assignments.

A petition opposing the move had been circulated in Utopia which reportedly was signed by more than 120 residents of the small community.

The Texas Commission on Jail Standards has ordered Uvalde County to station a jailer on the first and second floors of its jail, and to do so it was first decided to utilize Smith and Wells for that duty.

The apparently unrelated resignations of Deputy Jim Wulf and jail secretary Maria Cruz last week freed funds to hire two jailers and leave Deputies Smith in Utopia and Wells in Sabinal. Wulf will not be replaced, said Sheriff Kelley.

The Rev. William Moseley of the First Baptist Church of Medina used for his text Sunday, John 13:1, "Love To The Uttermost."

Tommy Beaver was the song leader while Juanita Baker played the piano. Those registering were Marcie Standard; Mrs. Gilberi Wendt, Juanita Baker, the Rev. and Mrs. William Moseley, Tommy Beaver, Eva Freeman, Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Elaine Clark, Joe Baker, Allyne Davis and Dottie Davis.

Nora Thallman visited all her many friends last Monday.

Claire Thomas of Kerrville visited her mother, Agnes Fortinberry.

Nathan, Jordan and Mom Vannater visited with "Mimi" Stokes.

Bertha Allen of Medina and Ola Crawford of Houston visited their mother, Cynthia Mayberry.

Gertrude Werner enjoyed a nice visit from Ann Neal of Pipe Creek.

Don and Cindy Jones came by and took her grandfather, Rudy Hardebeck, to their home for dinner Tuesday evening.

Sam and Lois Armstrong visited his mother Mae Armstrong. Other visitors were Tara Jain and Leanne Miller.

Lorene Bialkowski of Kerrville visited her sister Ruth Batto Wednesday morning.

Thanks to Martin Smith of the Church of Christ, 10 residents enjoyed Bible reading Wednesday morning.

Hoyt Hamrick of Kerrville visited friends Wednesday evening and took Jack Holloway to service at the Church of Christ.

Thanks to Richard Saunders for donating women's apparel for our residents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pyka of Lolita visited his father, Andy Pyka.

Myrtle Heinen's granddaughters, Nancy Crist, Debra Moody and Reba Williams of San Antonio came by for a nice visit. Casey Faris also visited Myrtle last week.

The Melodiers from the Senior Citizens Center came Friday evening to entertain us. They sang several old time favorites for us.

Those registering were Judy Goodenough, Judith M. Blucher, Helen Abrescia, Fannie Caffall, Carter and Doris Beach, Viola Sexton, Minnie Hayes, Bill Hathaway, Mary Worley, Kay Robinson, Dean R. Isaacs, Edna Haynes of Corpus Christi, Frank and Allyne Smith of Kerrville and George Meador.

Thanks to Minnetta Storjohann and Henry Keene for the nice magazines.

Ernest Rainey enjoyed a visit from his wife, Mrs. Rainey and son Robert Rainey.

Si and Louise Turner came by and took the "Mayor" of Lakehills, Willie Leibold, to the Medina Lake Volunteer Firemen's barbecue for good barbecue and lots of conversation with old friends and neighbors.

Eva Freeman visited her husband Pat Freeman. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGuire of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Merris took his mother Mildred Wolterstorff to her granddaughter's, Margie Merris, wedding Saturday afternoon at the Leon Springs Catholic Church.

Wes and Betty Wallace of San Angelo visited her father Rudy Hardebeck.

Tena Allen visited Annie Kolaus and Hazel Anderwald.

Thanks to Hoyt and Laverne Hamrick, Cynthia Mayberry and Jack Holloway enjoyed services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Harry Loesberg of Oklahoma City, Okla., visited Hulda Heyen. He lived in San Antonio for several years and always enjoys coming back for Fiesta.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott McKay Sr. visited with Emma Strum Monday. They also visited with Jack Holloway.

Eden on Dean's List

Timothy Eden, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hosmer has been appointed to the Dean's List in Sciences and Mathematics at Stephen F. Austin State University.

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GOOD NEWS

Care of elderly may be stressful, difficult

Caring for elderly parents and other relatives may be the next big family issue to confront our society, says aging specialist Dr. Judith Warren.

While needed attention is being focused on caring for the elderly, more attention must be directed toward those who are doing the caregiving, says Warren, a home economist with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service.

The elderly most affected by illness — those 75 and over — have grown by nearly 40 percent in the last ten years, she says. Victims of heart attacks, strokes and broken bones now survive and live for many years, although sometimes in an impaired condition. In addition, nearly 40 percent of those 65 and over suffer from some chronic physical or mental disability.

Many of these impaired older adults rely on a family support system to assist in daily activities ranging from personal care to grocery shopping and chauffuring. Family members provide about 80 percent of the care the elderly receive, explains Warren.

Family caregivers are usually middle-aged women, who may still have teenage children at home, or "young-old" women about ready to retire, says the specialist.

Research shows that these caregivers face many tasks which can be both stressful and difficult. They include:

- Compensating for the emotional drain from constant responsibility.
- Avoiding a severe drain on physical health and strength.
- Balancing the giving of assistance with responsibilities to other family members.
- Managing feelings toward other family members who do not regularly help.
- Dealing with medical, health and social service professionals.
- Performing basic activities of daily living for the elderly parent or relative.

Some researchers suggest that one way to provide care for the elderly is to provide services for the woman in the middle, says Warren.

For all family caregivers, both homemakers and those employed outside the home, satisfactory services can make it possible to keep a loved one at home longer than would be possible without help, she maintains.

Church directory

Attend the service of your choice.

Bandera
Church of Christ
Minister: Martin Smith
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4752

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Robert L. Bauer
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
796-3849

First Baptist Church
Pastor: Harvey W. Hulse
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
796-4171

Grace Lutheran Church
Pastor: J. David Doerfler
Worship: Sunday, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4352

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor: James Hawley
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Church School: Sunday 10 a.m.
796-3510

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
Pastor: Canon A. Nelson Daunt
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
796-4387

St. Stanislaus Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Sat., 5 p.m., Sun., 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Catechism: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
796-4712

Mision Bautista
Pastor: Rev. Joel Garcia
Corner of 13th and Mulberry
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.

Bandina
Church of Christ
Minister: Rex E. Oberg

Church of Christ
Minister: Melvin Plocke
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
589-2468

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 11:10 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10 a.m.
589-2646

Pipe Creek
First Baptist Church
Pastor: R. Bartlett Mills
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 9:45 a.m.
535-4057

Hill Country Chapel
Pastor: Albert (Skip) Marks
Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
535-4268

The Apostolic Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday 10 a.m.
535-4225

Lakehills
Faith Chapel
Pastor: James W. Colley
Worship: Sunday, 10:55 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
751-2481

United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joyce Slade
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 8 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 10:15 a.m.
UMYF: Sunday, 5 p.m.
Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesday, 7 p.m.
589-2646

St. Victor's Catholic Church
Pastor: Ralph J. Smith
Worship: Saturday, 7 p.m.

Tarpley
Baptist Mission
Pastor: Chase Hunt
Worship: Sunday, 9 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Bible Study: Sunday, 10 a.m.

Baptist Church
Pastor: Homer Stephens
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3688

Methodist Church
Worship: Sunday, 11 a.m.
Sunday School: Sunday, 9:45 a.m.
966-3343

The Gospel Tabernacle
Pastor: Robert Goff
Worship: Sunday, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. and Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Vanderpool
Community Church
Pastor: George Polvado
Worship: Sunday, 8 p.m.
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
966-3420

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Pastor: Jose Luis Sandoval
Worship: Sunday, 12 noon.

Other
Unity Church of the Hill Country
Minister: Rev. Joan McKees
413 Louis St., Kerrville
Sunday services: 9:30 a.m. worship service
10:15 a.m. Guided meditation
10:30 p.m. fellowship
11 a.m. worship service, childrens church and nursery
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I treat my position as state representative as a full-time job, not a hobby.

Since I've been available to help communities in District 45, I believe I've helped improve the quality of life for most of the cities and counties in the district.

I have been instrumental in getting several kinds of grants through the Texas Department of Community Affairs and other agencies. These funds have gone to George West, Three Rivers, Lytle, Wilson County, Bandera (senior citizens center) and others.

Requests pending include grants for Floresville and Stockdale, and grant requests for the Medina County Courthouse, the Wilson County Courthouse, Floresville and the City of Bandera, and Charlotte are in preliminary stages.

I pledge to continue to work full-time as state representative during the 69th Legislature. I appreciate your vote and your support in the May 5 Democratic Primary.

Jim Crockett

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By using these filler flowers and foliages, you will give your arrangements that professional look. Why not come by our store and permit us to give you some additional tips on flower arrangements. Look over our latest collection of vases while you're here. Next week we want to discuss various flowers that one can wear.

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General Fund	274,516.77	253,618.[illegible]	220,009.84	307,117.66
Ambulance Fund	857.64	10,465.73	10,060.35	1,022.62
Ambulance Savings Fund	7,368.71	351.26	0	7,719.97
Interest & Sinking Fund	22,987.39	350,[illegible].00	[illegible],340.64	19,750.91
Castle Lake Road Fund	4,362.67	110.03	2,500.00	1,972.70
Special Road and Bridge Fund	56,260.28	1,910.07	0	58,170.35
County Wide Road & Bridge Fd.	122,828.67	107,135.04	83,429.15	146,534.56
Law Library Fund	784.50	180.00	299.50	665.00
Recreation Center-Mansfield Park	-968.63	1,904.95	1,973.13	-1,036.81
Parks & Rec Board Fund	320.86	58.11	0	378.97
TOTAL OF OPERATING FUNDS	489,078.86	375,336.14	322,219.05	542,195.95
MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS:				
Mansfield Park Project Grant	4,814.11	96.92	0	4,911.03
Revenue Sharing Fund	11,554.76	15,114.90	16,795.73	9,893.93
EMS Memorial Savings Fund	3,321.76	1,044.54	688.00	3,678.30
Historical Commission Fund	805.48	68.16	0	873.64
Senior Citizens Building Fund	5,144.32	175.23	0	5,319.55
Sanitary Landfill Fund	25,832.52	8,820.53	200.00	34,453.05
TOTAL OF MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS	51,472.95	25,340.28	17,683.73	59,129.50
COUNTY SCHOOL FUND:				
Available	866.99	417.62	0	1,284.61
SINKING FUNDS FOR PAYMENT OF DEBTS AND INTEREST:				
County Road Bonds Sinking Fund	35,019.27	7,540.86	23,615.00	18,945.13
1974 Road Bonds Sinking Fund	19,507.60	6,537.44	0	26,045.04
1976 Road Bonds Sinking Fund	35,285.08	6,062.37	12,013.75	29,333.70
Certificates of Indebtedness, Skg.	19,746.00	8,767.81	27,731.75	20,782.07
Permanent Improv. Bonds Skg. Fd.	110,671.90	27,432.74	40,918.75	97,185.89
Mansfield Park Debt Fund	13,642.46	8,095.29	20,000.00	1,737.75
TOTAL OF SINKING FUNDS	253,872.31	64,436.52	124,279.25	194,029.58
STATE FEE ACCOUNTS:				
Criminal Justice Planning Funds	822.50	1,795.00	982.50	1,635.00
Law Enfmt. Offs. Stand. Edu.	153.00	323.00	174.00	302.00
Crime Victims' Comp. Act Fd.	50.00	767.50	120.00	697.50
TOTAL OF STATE FEE ACCOUNTS	1,025.50	2,885.50	1,276.50	2,634.50
PAYROLL TAX FUNDS:				
S.S., W.H., Retirement and Supplemental Death Benefits	17.91	60,333.59	60,340.41	11.09
QUARTER TOTALS	796,334.52	528,749.65	525,798.94	799,285.23

*All investments are included in above balances.

THE INDEBTEDNESS OF BANDERA COUNTY AS OF MARCH 31, 1984 IS AS FOLLOWS:

Certificates of Indebtedness, 1970 Issue	$ 55,000.00
County Road Bonds: 1965, 1974, and 1976 issues	521,000.00
Permanent Improvement Bonds, 1981 Issue	850,000.00
Mansfield Park Project loan at First National Bank	40,000.00
TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS (not including interest)	$1,466,000.00

The State of Texas
County of Bandera

I, Elizabeth James, Treasurer of the County of Bandera, State of Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the finances of said County for the quarter beginning January 1, 1984 and ending on March 31, 1984, as was approved by the Bandera County Commissioners Court in open session on April 9, 1984.

Elizabeth James
ELIZABETH JAMES, COUNTY TREASURER
BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 27th day of April, A.D., 1984.

(Seal)

Vera King
VERA KING, COUNTY CLERK
BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS

Canning

Here's a good chance to learn latest food preservation techniques

Food Preservation time is just around the corner and gardens will soon be full of vegetables and trees full of fruit that should be preserved for year round good eating.

Learning to preserve foods by recommended methods, pressure canning, water-bath canning, freezing, pickling and jelly making.

All these methods will be covered at the workshop on Friday, May 11, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., at the Bandera Electric Co-op kitchen.

Peggy Edwards, county extension agent and Betty Heinen, family living committee chairman, will demonstrate. Other committee members will assist in the workshop.

Pressure canner gauges will be tested free of charge during the workshop. "We can only test the dial type gauge, and the only brand of dial gauge we cannot test is a Burpee," says Mrs. Edwards.

This workshop is open to the public. Free publications on drying, canning, freezing and pickling foods and jam and jellies will be available.

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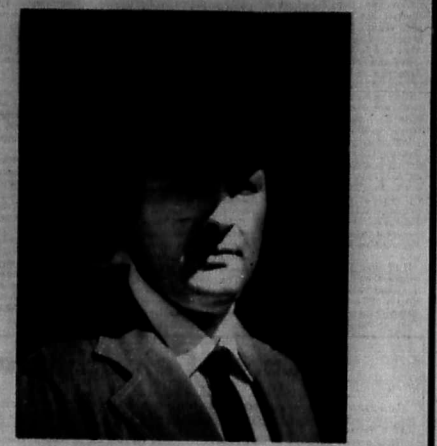

The re-election of

GENE OTT

for Bandera County Constable
Precinct 2 is endorsed and recommended by all of the undersigned.

Buddy Andres	Peggy Galland	Rita Lugg	Jose Rodriguez
Gwen Andres	Jacqueline Galvan	James MacMillan	Charlotte Salzman
Lisa Andres	Robert Galvan	Joseph MacMillan	Leon Salzman
Jud Ashmore	Del Garcia	Nancy MacMillan	Mildred Schenkat
Peggy Ashmore	Flora Garcia	Grady Mann	Arliss Schott
Mel Baker	Frances Garren	Virta Belle Mann	Debra Schott
Charlene Beauchamp	Andy Garza	Louise Marmor	Elsie Schott
Jack Billings	Linda Garza	Harry Martin	Randy Schott
Harvey Bowman	Mike Gillis	Cliff Mattern	Rose Ann Schott
Lois Bowman	Nina Gillis	David Mauer	Rudolph Schott
Wilbur Bradford	Kathy Griffin	Jerrie Mauer	Glen Sescila
Ina Brinkman	Ralph Griffin	Randy Mauer	John Snodgrass
Bill Brinkman	Jewel Grossenbacher	Ray Mauer	Morris Stone
Phil Bronson	Mary Lou Haby	Sandy Mauer	Pat Stone
Sammie Brown	Howard Haby	Adolph Mazurek	Glen Stufflebean
Lonnie Bullock	Chuck Harrison	Rena Mazurek	Lillie Stufflebean
Mildred Bullock	Millie Harrison	Dorothy McCracken	Jane Swoger
Don Burns	Hattie Harrison	Glynn McDaniel	Mayo Tanner
Nance Burns	Irene Hildebrandt	Lahoma McDaniel	Helen Temple
Troy Burser	R.R. Hood	C.E. McMahan	Clyde Toerck
Don Byrtlo	Elaine Howard	Florence McMahan	Ervin Toerck
Donna Courtney	Jack Hunt	Harvey Mergele	Elmer Tomasini
Randy Courtney	Ed Jennings	Elaine Mixon	Marie Tomasini
Virginia Davenport	Burgin Johnson	Richard Mixon	Harry Trueblood
Bill Davis	Clyde Kelley	Alvin Monk	Ruby Tschirhart
Billy Davis	Shirley Kelley	David Noble	Ruth Tschirhart
Wesley Davis Jr.	Earl Klein	Lea Noble	Stanley Tschirhart
Mrs. Wesley Davis, Sr.	Judi Klein	Clinton Oehler	Louise Turner
Dorothy Denton	Marvin Langner	Nancy Oehler	Silas Turner
Erle Denton	Polly Larsen	Elizabeth Pate	Allen Allbrick
Lewis Devore	Boots Laue	Frank Patti	Selme Upton
Norris Dohrow	Eleanor Laue	Beverly Perryn	Fred Vielmas
Torly Downing	Gene Laue	Larry Perryn	Mary Vielmas
Jimmie Duke	Noemie Lavarre	Guy Pickett	Bill Wahmeyer
Robbie Duke			Gladys Wahmeyer
Sue Durham	Alice Leibold	Paul Reed	Era Wilkinson
Elsie Eastburn	Milton Leibold	Alice Rentko	Jack Williams
Henry Flore	Arthur Lich	Kenneth Rentko	Clarence Wy
Doris Gaines	Jan Lich	James Riley	Paul Wyatt
Miles Gaines	Nora Lich	James Robinson	Hank Zoller
Roland Gaines	Dennis Lugg	Olga Rodriguez	Trudy Zoller
Floyd Galland			

Be Sure To Vote May 5th.

FIRST STATE BANK
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Consolidated Report of Condition for
All Insured Commercial Banks for March 31, 1984
Schedule RC—Balance Sheet

Dollar Amounts in Thousands	C100 Mil	Thou	
ASSETS			
1 Cash and balances due from depository institutions			
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	RCFD 0081	1 140	1.a.
b. Interest-bearing balances	RCFD 0071	4 100	1.b.
2 Securities (from Schedule RC-B)	RCFD 0390	7 205	2.
3 Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	RCFD 0276	1 600	3.
4 Loans and lease financing receivables:			
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income (from Schedule RC-C)	RCFD 2123	13	4.a.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	RCFD 3123	99	4.b.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	RCFD 3128	0	4.c.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)	RCFD 2125	13 914	4.d.
5. Assets held in trading accounts	RCFD 3545	0	5.
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	RCFD 2145	267	6.
7. Other real estate owned	RCFD 2150	0	7.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	RCFD 2130	0	8.
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	RCFD 2155	0	9.
10. Intangible assets	RCFD 2143	0	10.
11. Other assets (from Schedule RC-F)	RCFD 2160	542	11.
12. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)	RCFD 2170	26 973	12.

Dollar Amounts in Thousands	Mil	Thou	
LIABILITIES			
13. Deposits:			
a. In domestic offices (sum of totals of columns A and C from Schedule RC-E)	RCFD 2200	24 916	13.a
(1) Noninterest-bearing	RCFD 6631	5 485	13.a(1)
(2) Interest-bearing	RCFD 6636	19 431	13.a(2)
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs	RCFD 2200	0	13.b
(1) Noninterest-bearing	RCFD 6631	0	13.b(1)
(2) Interest-bearing	RCFD 6636	0	13.b(2)
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	RCFD 2800	0	14.
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	RCFD 2840	0	15.
16. Other borrowed money	RCFD 3190	0	16.
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	RCFD 3200	0	17.
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	RCFD 2920	0	18.
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	RCFD 3200	0	19.
20. Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-G)	RCFD 2930	352	20.
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)	RCFD 2948	25 308	21.
22. Limited-life preferred stock	RCFD 3282	0	22.
EQUITY CAPITAL			
23. Perpetual preferred stock	RCFD 3838		23.
24. Common stock	RCFD 3230	200	24.
25. Surplus	RCFD 3839	300	25.
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves	RCFD 3632	565	26.
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	RCFD 3284		27.
28. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)	RCFD 3210	1 665	28.
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital (sum of items 21, 22, and 28)	RCFD 3300	26 973	29.

NOTE: The Reports of Condition and Income must be signed over an authorized officer and the Report of Condition must be attested to by not less than two directors for State nonmember banks and three directors for State member and National banks.

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of the Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the appropriate Federal regulatory authority and is true and correct.

April 20, 1984

Obituaries

George Searcy

George Avery (Monk) Searcy, 75, died Wednesday in a San Antonio hospital.

Born in Brady April 11, 1909, to George E. Searcy and Parilee Young Searcy, he married Lucille Gray July 30, 1935, in Bandera.

Survivors include his wife, Lucille Gray Searcy of Bandera; a daughter, Janeen Searcy Covert of Seguin; six sons, Bob Searcy of Meeker, Colo., Tom Searcy of Cleburne, Joe Searcy of Ozona, Jerry Searcy of Sommerville, Ronnie Searcy of San Antonio, and Jim Searcy of Converse; three sisters, Annie Dourghty of Hondo, Mary Lucille Welty of Ozona, and Jannie Kline of Stonewall; three brothers, A.L. Searcy of Kerrville, A.J. Searcy of Ozona, and John W. Searcy of Meeker, Colo.; 23 grandchildren; and a great-grandson.

Services were held Saturday at Grimes Funeral Home Chapel in Bandera with the Rev. Carl McCauley officiating. Burial was in the Bandera Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Buddy Hubble, Vernon (Buck) Blackwell, Ken Pollard, Bob York, Jack Collins and Larry Dennison. Honorary pallbearers were Caesar Massey, Bethel Lackey and J.B. Ratliff.

Julia Mary Maginnis

Julia Mary Maginnis, 63, of Bandera died Sunday, April 29.

Born in Ft. Worth May 11, 1920, to Don D. Bell Sr. and May A. Johnson Bell, she was church secretary of the First United Methodist Church of Bandera and a member of Bandera Chapter No. 643 of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include four daughters, Dona Ann Meginnis of Oklahoma City, Janice Allene Shelton of Gibsonton, Fla., Jeanne Annette Gordon of Bastrop, and Carol Leigh Morgan of Leander; a son, Thomas Henry Meginnis of Georgetown; two brothers, Don D. Bell Jr., of Aurora, Colo., and Herbert A. Bell of San Antonio; and four grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the First United Methodist Church of Bandera with the Revs. David Stewart and Robert Bauer officiating.

Pallbearers were Pat Gordon, Alan Morgan, Bill Shelton, Harold Nikech, Harold Trent, Don Hicks, Charles Hipp and Don Davenport. Burial was in the Bandera Cemetery.

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic and foreign subsidiaries of the

First National Bank (Name of Bank) of Bandera (City)

In the state of Texas, at the close of business on March 31, 1984

published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

Charter Number 11814, Comptroller of the Currency 11 District

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

	Thousands of dollars
ASSETS	
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,267
Interest-bearing balances	NONE
Securities	6,870
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	NONE
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income — 12,038	
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses — 174	
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve — NONE	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	11,864
Assets held in trading accounts	NONE
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	519
Other real estate owned	196
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	NONE
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	NONE
Intangible assets	NONE
Other assets	496
Total assets	21,412
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
In domestic offices	19,485
Noninterest-bearing — 3,421	
Interest-bearing — 16,064	
In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs	NONE
Noninterest-bearing — NONE	
Interest-bearing — NONE	
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	225
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	NONE
Other borrowed money	NONE
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	NONE
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	NONE
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	NONE
Other liabilities	191
Total liabilities	20,281
Limited-life preferred stock	NONE
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Perpetual preferred stock	NONE
Common stock	200
Surplus	300
Undivided profits and capital reserves	721
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	NONE
Total equity capital	1,131
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital	21,412

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Elizabeth Batto
Cashier

Directors

I, the undersigned officer of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge

April 30, 1984

$1.09
Sirloin Steak
U.S. Good Lb.
$2.39

WE'VE TRIMMED PRICES

Cantaloupes Each 69¢

Smokets Roegelein 12 Oz. $1.49
Franks Roegelein 12 Oz. $1.09
Picnics Smoked Lb. 89¢

—U.S. Good Lb.—
Round Steak $1.79
T-Bone Steak $2.99
Rump Roast $1.69
Pikes Peak Roast $1.79
Soup Bones Shank Cut 89¢
Calf Liver 79¢
Fryer Liver & Gizzards 99¢
Ham Hocks Fresh or Smoked 99¢

Onions Yellow Lb. 19¢
Potatoes 8 Lb. Bag $1.49
Corn Ears 5/$1
Squash Zuchinni Lb. 29¢

Bleach Purex Gal. 79¢
Toilet Tissue Northern 4 Roll 89¢

Towels Brawny Jumbo 69¢
Toss n' Soft Purex 20 Ct. 99¢
Cat Chow Purina 4 Lbs. $2.79
Dog Food Lone Star 40 Lbs. $6.95

Beer Schlitz 6 Pk. 12 Oz. Cans $2.49
Riunite Wine 750 Ml. All Flavors $2.79

Chopped Broccoli Westpac 16 Oz. 69¢
Lemonade Minute Maid Reg./Pink 6 Oz. 37¢
Fish Fillets Gortons Crunchy 20 Oz. $2.99

Ointment Neosporin ½ Oz. $1.89
Aspirin Bayer Children's 36 Ct. 79¢
Maalox Plus 12 Oz. $2.79
Bic Lighters Each 79¢

Buttermilk Foremost ½ Gal. 99¢
Cottage Cheese Foremost 12 Oz. 79¢
Yogurt Foremost 8 Oz. 3/$1
Pillsbury Biscuits Big Country Southern Style 10 Ct. 2/$1
Parkay Oleo 1 Lb. Quarters 55¢

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Republicans, Demos to vote Saturday

When voters go to the polls Saturday in Bandera County, they'll find little to get excited about, whether they are voting in the Republican or Democratic primary.

Polling places will be open from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. in 10 separate voting precincts.

In most cases both Democrats and Republicans will vote at the same location, but the exceptions are voters in Lakehills and Vanderpool.

Republicans in Lakehills will vote at the Lakehills Methodist Church while Democrats will cast their ballots at the Lakehills Civic Center.

In Vanderpool, Democrats will vote at the Taylor Voting Box while Republicans will go to the Vanderpool Community Center.

Only Democrats in commissioners precinct No. 3 will get to vote in the only contested race involving Bandera County candidates.

They'll choose between incumbent commissioner Bob Ashley and challenger A.A. (Pete) Reed.

A heated race between a pair of Kerrville Republicans for 216th District Attorney has attracted more attention in Bandera County than the commissioners race.

Incumbent District Attorney Joe Mike Egan is being tested in what most observers see as a close race by Bruce Curry for the GOP nomination.

Because of the interest in this race and in the race for the U.S. Senate nomination, the turnout in the Republican primary in Bandera County may be of record proporions, observers say.

The GOP race for the senate nomination, and a similar race in the Democratic primary, are the big races statewide, and both have generated interest here.

The front-running candidates for each party's nomination, Republican Phil Gramm and Democrat Bob Krueger, each campaigned in Bandera on two separate occasions.

Long-time political observers can't remember the last time a U.S. Senate candidate campaigned in Bandera County.

Except for Ashley, incumbent county officials face no primary opposition and most will be unopposed in November as well.

The exception is Jim Russell of Bandera who is unopposed for the Democratic nomination for county commissioner, precinct No. 1.

He'll have opposition in November in the person of Doyle Ely of Pipe Creek. Ely is unopposed for the GOP nomination Saturday.

A race is also shaping up for constable, precinct No. 2 where inumbent Gene Ott is running unopposed in the Democratic primary and Gordon Nordlund is without opposition on the Republican ballot.

Incumbent Sheriff Guy V. Pickett, county attorney Sam L. Darden, and tax assessor collector Marguerite Stevens are all unopposed in the Democratic primary and no candidates are running in these races in the Republican primary.

Party faithful among Democrats will be able to express their preferance for he presidential nomination when they return to their voting places for 7:15 p.m. precinct conventions.

Delegates to the party's county and state conventions will be selected on the basis of votes cast for presidential candidates.

There'll be no choices for president for Republicans, but party members will consider resolutions on various topics, according to party officials.

Where you vote

Republicans	Voting Precinct	Democrats
Bandera High School	1	Bandera High School
Pipe Creek Comm. Ctr.	2	Pipe Creek Comm. Ctr.
Pipe Creek Fire Sta.	3	Pipe Creek Fire Sta.
Lakehills Meth. Church	4	Lakehills Civic Ctr.
Bandera Electric Co-op	5	Bandera Elec. Co-op
Medina High School	6	Medina High School
Bandera Courthouse	7	Bandera Courthouse
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Kent Hance, Lubbock
Bob Krueger, New Braunfels
Harley Schlanger
David Young

21st Congressional District
Joe Sullivan, San Antonio
Bobby Locke, San Antonio

45th Legislative District
Jim Crockett, Pearsall
Eldon Edge, Poth
Antonio Garcia III, Hondo

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Guy V. Pickett, Lakehills

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Marguerite Stevens, Bandera

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County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
Jim Russell, Bandera

County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
Bob Ashley, Medina
A.A. (Pete) Reed, Bandera

Constable
Precinct No. 1, Donnie Walker
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Precinct No. 3, Louis Vannatter
Precinct No. 4, Tom Fielder

County Party Chairman
Nick Johnson, Bandera

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Our Papa, Monk Searcy

He faced lifes hardships with his head held high;
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He married the girl he knew would stand by his side.
And they raised a large family with joy filled pride.

He rode the toughest broncs and genfled them with a sigh.
He never met a man he couldn't look in the eye.
He olways offered his hand to those he walked by,
And helped those who needed a shoulder on which to cry.

He played his ole guitor to give someone a smile,
Or just so they might sit, and rest awhile
Our papa made music with those that he loved; they would sing out to heaven and to God up above.
He olways took a moment with loved ones so divine, to sing them an ole song called "Pal of Mine."

So look not here with sorrow filled eyes,
But rather with peace in your mind.
Our papas not lost; he's just gone away
To ride the greener pastures and smell the fresh hay.
He's gone on with loved ones and friends he held dear,
To make a new home for those who wait here.

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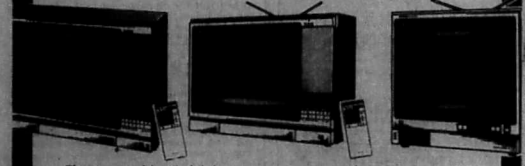

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MEDINA. 2Br, 2B brick home in town on 3 large lots near the school. A great buy at only $47,500.00.

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Carolyn, Kelly, Paula & Luke Maier
Joe & Hallis Maier
43-1tc

Card of thanks

The family of Monk Searcy would like to express our sincere appreciation to all our friends for their love and support during the illness and passing of our loved one. For the beautiful flowers, food and help extended in our sorrow. God bless you.

Lucille Searcy & family
43-1tp

Ruth Cowley
43-1tc

Thank you

A very sincere thank you to all the ladies and men who worked so hard to make our Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department's semi annual barbecue such a success last weekend. Because of you, our organization remains strong and continues to grow each year.

Norma Gray, president
Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Dept. Auxiliary
43-1tp

Thank you

We wish to thank everyone who brought food, sent flowers, and for their prayers during our time of sorrow.

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The family of
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—Public notices—

NOTICE

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This notice is given and published pursuant to Section 3, Article 3272b, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, in an effort to locate persons who are the depositors or owners of amounts in accounts that have remained inactive or dormant according to the provisions of Article 3272b for more than seven (7) years. The unclaimed amounts due the depositors or owners listed herein will be paid upon proof of ownership at the office of the named depository within nine (9) months, and if unclaimed thereafter they may be subject to report to and conservation by the state treasurer in accordance with said Article 3272b.

Names of missing depositors and last known address as follows:

John A. Graham, address unknown.

Tony Lobianco, address unknown.

First State Bank - Escrow, W. J. Wyatt, address unknown.

First State Bank - Escrow, owners unknown, address unknown.

J. Watkins, address unknown.

APPLICATION FOR MIXED BEVERAGE PERMIT

Notice is hereby given that the following person to wit: Walter J. Falsey, to operate under the name of Flying L Golf & Tennis, 1000 Country Club Drive, Bandera County, Texas 78003 under terms and provisions of the Texas Liquor Control Act, is applying for a Mixed Beverage Permit, whose owner is the following: Walter J. Falsey. Flying L Golf & Tennis is located at 1000 Country Club Drive, Bandera County, Texas 78003.

42-2tc

Medina

Seventh graders win fair's grand prize

Seventh graders Tim Wells and Wade Winright, with a project entitled "A Single Electric Motor" discussing types of motors, their construction and usage won the grand prize at the Medina School's annual Science Fair last week.

A working model constructed by Wells and Winright illustrated the concepts described in their prize-winning report.

The first-place physics project was also a joint effort, this one by ninth graders Cammie Burger and Wendy Kriedler. It dealt with static electricity.

"Oxygen is Fire's Food" was the title of seventh grader Jeanne Greenwalt's winning chemistry project. Charles Anderson, eighth grader, placed first in the earth science division with a project illustrating the occurrence of eclipses.

Antibiotics were studied by ninth grader James Parker, who won the zoology division, while seed development was examined by Landrey Easterling, ninth grader, and Jennie Watson, 11th grader, to win first in botany.

Second-place winners included seventh grader Lisa Chambless in physics, 10th grader Stephanie Loeley and Dena Stanush in chemistry, ninth grader Roy Goodwin in earth science, 10th graders Pam Heinen and Theresa Kolarik in zoology, and 11th grader Geoff Williams in botany.

Homemakers meet

The Medina Extension Homemakers will meet on Thursday, May 10, at 10 a.m. in the home of Sandi Vannatter. The program, "Matting and Framing Pictures," will be presented by Martha Brown.

"All members and any interested persons are invited to attend," says Sharon Chambless, who said more information may be obtained at 589-3497.

FFA awards banquet

The Medina Chapter of the Future Farmers of America held its annual awards banquet last Thursday.

A sizeable gathering of parents and supporters was treated to the traditional barbecue meal, prepared by FFA Advisor Dale Naumann and his students.

The meal was tasty, the decorations, also done by the chapter members were tasteful, and the program interesting.

Lee Ann Lawrence of Madison High School in San Antonio, FFA Area VII president, gave a brief but animated talk on the importance of agriculture to all, whether farmers or not.

She helped to present awards for outstanding animal production to Cammie Burger and Michael Derry for swine production, Robert Ashley and Ernest Farfa for sheep production, James Parker, broiler production; and Jack Huie, beef production.

The DeKalb award to the outstanding senior was presented to Michael Derry and the Star Greenhand Award to the outstanding first year agstudent was received by Kristina Ashley.

Bandera veterinarian Steve Sells was awarded the title of Honorary Chapter Farmer because of his continued help and support of the FFA. Others recognized for their help during the year by certificates of appreciation were Sandy Parker, Damon and Janice Naumann, Connie Smith, Ernest Faris and Ernest Mayfield.

Various judging teams were recognized and 19 Greenhand degrees were presented to first year chapter members.

In state golf meet

Nancy Dodson, Medina's district gold medalist in golf, won second at the Region IV-A golf tournament in Brenham, qualifying her for the state tournament in Austin this week.

Nancy was on the Medina golf team that won first place in district along with Paige Pifer, Misty Raines, Melody Long and Pam Heinen.

Williams at regional

Geoeff Williams will compete at the Boys Regional Track and Field meet at Blinn College in Brenham this weekend.

Williams qualified for the meet by winning second-place medals in long jump, 110-meter high hurdles and 300-meter intermediate hurdles.

Long jump competition will begin at 5 p.m. Friday, preliminary heats in running events begin at 7 p.m. Finals in running events begin at 1 p.m. Saturday.

Medina menu

May 7-11

Monday: Fish, scalloped potatoes, corn, fruit, bread and milk.

Tuesday: Ham, salad, blackeye peas, fruit, bread and milk.

Wednesday: Chalupas, salad, corn, fruit and milk.

Thursday: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, green beans, fruit, bread and milk.

Friday: Burgers, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, French fries, dessert and milk.

Fire completely destroys home near Medina

A fire completely destroyed the home of the Lealon Freeman family of three at Medina Tuesday morning.

Firefighters of the Medina Volunteer Fire Department were able to contain the flames to the 60-foot trailer home after finding it completely engulfed when they arrived on the scene.

The building was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lealon Freeman and their daughter, Tracy. Collection boxes have been placed in Medina and Bandera to raise funds to enable the Freemans to replace some of the personal items that were destroyed.

Mrs. Freeman said the family had received a copy of the insurance policy that covered the residence.

She said her daughter Tracy spotted smoke coming from the home's bedroom as she was leaving with her mother at about 7:30 a.m. Tuesday. Mrs. Freeman hurried to a neighbor's home to report the fire, and she said when she returned she was unable to enter the burning home.

Auto mechanics seminar slated at Medina School

The Vocational Homemaking Advisory Committee of Medina Public Schools is sponsoring an Auto Mechanics Workshop on Monday, May 7, from 7-9 p.m.

The workshop will be conducted by Barbara Walters and will be held at the Phillips 66 Station in Medina. The instruction is primarily for ladies and will include basic maintenance and preventive procedures.

All participants are encouraged to bring the auto that they usually drive and dress appropriately.

Anyone who has specific needs or topics that they would like covered in the workshop is asked to call the school at 589-2851 or Barbara Walters at 589-2864.

Horse short course set for May 17-18

The 1984 annual Horse Short Course at Texas A&M University, May 17-18, will feature a discussion of timely topics, a horse farm tour, a horse training clinic and a select horse sale.

The two-day event is being conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and others at 8:20 a.m. May 17 in Texas A&M's Animal Science Pavilion.

Discussions will deal with controlling internal parasites, feeding high performance horses, infectious and noninfectious problems in foals.

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A Thought For The Week By John M. Grimes

"Thank you" — beautiful words, yet too often unexpressed and by neglect covered with cobwebs and sharn of their loveliness. What a tragedy that the grace of gratitude is not as common as it ought to be. A husband could make his wife's day by just a kind word of appreciation. A wife could encourage her spouse with a good word recognizing his faithfulness and hard work in the steady ways he shows his love. A child would brighten a weary mother with acknowledgement of her value by a word, a hug or a kiss. An employer would undoubtedly get more for his dollar if with the paycheck would come some commendation of esteem and in turn an employee could find a happier relationship with management by some extra effort beyond the required just to show the opportunity of gainful employment is valued.

All of us are the recipients of countless deeds of kindness on the part of those with whom we rub shoulders every day, and yet all they may receive from us are picky criticisms, when a word well spoken would completely change both the service and the server.

May we take this opportunity to say a "Thank You" to all our readers who have commented on the "Thoughts" they have read here. Your comments have been and always will be most appreciated.

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For, about and by students in Bandera schools.
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Fourth graders win Little Olympics title

By Seana D'Spain

Each year at the Little Olympics there are three class trophies given to the classes with the highest points. They are the A.B. Lewis trophy, which is given to the elementary class with highest points, the Dan Tschirhart trophy is given to the Junior High class. The Quarterback Trophy is given to the class whose two representatives gain the highest combined points. There are also individual trophies given to high point girl and boy.

This year the A.B. Lewis trophy was awarded to the fourth grade. The Dan Tschirhart trophy was won by the eighth grade and the representatives with the highest point totals James Nearn and Mary Molina, won the Quarterback trophy for the sixth grade. The individual trophies were won by Ruth Lynn Mazurek and Chris York.

There were also individual races and field events where children from pre-school through the eighth grade placed.

Senior spotlights

Donald DeThorne

Donald Alvin DeThorne Jr. has been very active during his years at BHS.

He is involved in band, where he participated in all-district band three years a received 12th chair his senior year. He is also an active member of the drama department and debate team. He has competed in prose, persuasive speaking, duet acting and the one-act play "Chamber Music," "Last Stop," and "Dracula" are other plays in which he has been cast.

He received a third-place trophy for duet acting in Boerne and was rewarded with a third-place plaque for persuasive speaking at the in-house meet. Along with these accomplishments, Donald was selected for "Who's Who Among American High School Students."

Donald attributes his success to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Alvin DeThorne Sr. He says that they have played a great part in influencing their life style. They are always there to help him through the rough times with good advice.

Donald's main goal is to become a meteorologist by attending a special college at Corpus Christi. After college he plans to work for the Hurricane Center in Miami.

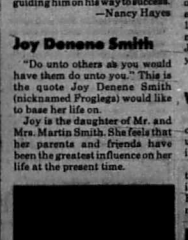
A favorite quote of Donald's says, "God is light of all souls, those who feel for him will succeed. It won't matter if the chips are up or down." These words have been an inspiration to him, guiding him on his way to success.

—Nancy Hayes

Joy Denene Smith

"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." This is the quote Joy Denene Smith (nicknamed Froglegs) would like to base her life on.

Joy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith. She feels that her parents and friends have been the greatest influence on her life at the present time.



Joy has attended Bandera Schools twelve years and feels that she would work harder at her school work if given the opportunity to relive her school years.

After high school, Joy plans to go on to SAC and major in a secretarial occupation. She hopes to marry in a few years.

Joy has been involved in many school organizations throughout her high school career. These include being active in band for eight years. She made All-District on timpani drums a her freshman year and a Band Sweetheart candidate her senior year.

She also is an active member of OEA, where she holds the office of reporter this year. Joy attended an area meet in February of 1983 and also attended an area meet in Corpus Christi this year. Joy has belonged to ALS for two years and 4-H for 12 years.

—Karen Rizner

Wendy Frazier

Wendy Palmira Frazier is a successful young lady who has lived up to her motto, "Live each day to its fullest."

The friendly, energetic daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Frazier has been a member of National Honor Society since her sophomore year and is currently NHS treasurer. She is also a member of ALS, plays flute in the Bulldog Band, and made All-District Band this year. She was a member of FFA her sophomore and junior years, a member of journalism class her sophomore year, and a member of pep squad her freshman year.



Many of Wendy's awards have been earned in 4-H livestock activities. She is vice-president of the Pipe Creek 4-H Club and vice-chairman of the 4-H County Council. She has earned 4-H's highest award, the Gold Star, and in her freshman year, she won the Larry Bausch Memorial Citizenship Award for participation in agricultural-related activities.

Her parents and 4-H have been the biggest influences on her life and 4-H will be what she misses most when she leaves BHS, she says.

Wendy has represented BHS in number sense, calculator, and science at district UIL competition in her high school years, and has earned a letter for the numerous medals, trophies, and ribbons she won.

Wendy has won numerous academic awards, including most outstanding algebra 3 and 4 student for sophomore year, most outstanding geometry student her junior year and the "20 As" Award in her junior year.

With a record like Wendy's, one would be inclined to think that there would be no regrets when she looks back on her years at BHS. If she had her school years to live over again, however, Wendy would "study harder, make better grades, and practice my number sense and calculator like Coach (Zickler) said to do."

After she graduates, Wendy plans to attend Texas A&M University to major in animal science and eventually become a veterinarian.

—Wendy Valdez

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TUESDAY: Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, juice and milk. Lunch: Taco Grande, taco salad, pinto beans, fruit and milk. Second choice: Burrito.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Biscuit with jelly, juice and milk. Lunch: Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, fruit, roll and milk. Second choice: Chicken fried steak.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Muffin, juice and milk. Lunch: Stock Roger, potato salad, blackeyed peas, fruit cup and milk.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, juice and milk. Lunch: Pizza, fried okra, carrot sticks, pear half and milk. Second choice: Fish burger.

Elementary creative expression contest

By Michele Speckman

To encourage and reward creative expression, is the aim of the Creative Expression Contest for the elementary children. All 525 elementary students are eligible to enter this contest that will be held the first week of May. Winners will be announced on Friday, May 11.

"Let Me Tell You About My Mother" is the theme for the contest. There will be three different mediums of expression and each child will be able to choose among art, prose, and poetry types of expression.

Prizes will be donated by parents and local businesses and will be something suitable for students to give their mothers and grandmothers for Mother's Day. All entries will be displayed in area businesses.

Bandera cans the Cougars

Bandera routed the Canyon Cougars Thursday at Mansfield Park, 10-0. The game ended in the fifth inning by the 10-run rule.

Bandera started the game with David Schwarz, the first batter up, hitting the first pitch over the fence. After this Bandera knew it was in command. The game ended in the fifth with Bandera scoring six runs in that inning without an out.

Bandera's Steve Parker pitched an excellent five innings, allowing only three hits and no runs. Canyon threatened only once. In the third they had bases loaded with No. 3 batter up, but Tommy Adams made an excellent play to throw him out at first and retire the side.

Leading hitters were Schwarz with a home-run, a single and a run batted in. Parker was 2 for 3 with two RBIs, and Tommy Adams and Tim Butler also went 2 for 3.

The Dogs record for the season is now 10-9-1.

—David Schwarz

16 get UIL letter

Sixteen students at Bandera High School lettered in University Interscholastic League literary events during the 1983-1984 school year, each accumulating at least 25 points at UIL meets.

One point is received for competing in an event and various other numbers are awarded to those who if you place in the top three in an event. Additional points can be won by competing at district, regional and area meets.

The students qualifying for a letter this year include Wendy Valdez, Kim Compton, Betty Richmond, Linda Karr, Donald DeThorne, Michele Speckman, Toni Byam, Mary Bolan, Christine Caloss, Sandy Riedner, Wendy Frazier and Derrick Berg, all seniors, and 11th grader Nancy Hayes, 10 graders Janet Weber and Ted Celis, in ninth grader Matt Kelly.

—Melissa Rose

The Liberated Cinderella
Cinderella ..... Nancy Stephens
Auntie Mumsie Rumpie ..... Stacey Wedgeworth
Griselda ..... Debra Stiener
Smerldina ..... Tina Lagnado
Fairy Godfather ..... Terry Hayes
Ugly Uncle Rumple ..... Donald DeThorne
King of Swing ..... Todd Weber
Puny Prince Pimple ..... Frank Konvicka
Wolfie ..... Vance Davenport
Nell ..... Deanna Adamietz
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Magic Mirror and Stand-in ..... Danielle Cloud
Wolfie's Girlfriends ..... Kathy Gould, Teri Short, Stephanie Beach
They're None of Them Perfect
Amanda ..... Mary Segovia
Liz ..... Wendy Valdez
Julia ..... Janet Weber
Amy ..... Tiffin Youngblood
Cecille ..... Nancy Hayes
Eve ..... Christine Caloss
Henry ..... Greg Tatum

The plays will be presented on May 22 at the BHS Auditorium in a special night of one-act plays. These are the final productions of the '83-'84 school year.

Student Council officers for 1984-85

Bubba Caloss has been elected president of the student council, and James Compton is vice president.

Student council officers and representatives were elected by the student body and will lead the students in the upcoming year.

Other officers for 1984-1985 include Past president representative for district Shane Yates, Secretary-Treasurer Shannon McMullan, Corresponding secretary Randy McHaney, Parliamentarian Paige Youngblood, Historian Reporter Nancy Hayes, and Sergeant at arms Johnnie Wedgeworth.

Representatives are Ronnie Bain, Chris York, Helen Nevill, and Nancy Thompson (Alt: Shea Hicks), freshmen; Gayla Adams, Scott Caloss, Robin Pena, and Jenny Perryn (Alt: Loreta Sobinsk), sophomores; Sarah D'Spain, Greg Fest, Beckie Clements and Troy Walker (Alt: Billy Morris), juniors; and Cindy Park, Terri Butler, Teddy Popham and Heath Hulse (Alt: Kellie Clements), seniors.

—Kathy Ry

FHA state meeting a success

By Daria Johnston

The FHA state meeting April 12 and 13 in San Antonio was attended by three BHS students and Mrs. Wilton, the FHA sponsor.

Cathy Edwards, Sanya Berube and Daria Johnston attended the meeting which began on Thursday afternoon with a general session where a new agenda was discussed and approved.

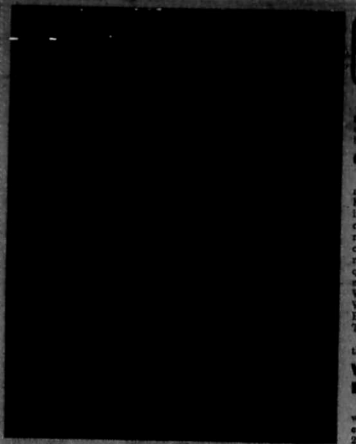
The three girls and their sponsor stayed at the St. Anthony Intercontinental Hotel in San Antonio.

Meetings resumed again on Friday morning with another general session which featured many talented guest speakers such as a deaf woman once classified as retarded. Her speech encouraged young people to follow their dreams and to work for them.

She proved to herself and others that she could learn and accomplish many things.

Friday night began the special ceremony of initiating new officers of the state. These new officers and their predecessors recited their duties as officers, the FHA creed, etc.

Over 6,000 people attended the



Alice Coleen Rush, formerly of Medina and now a student at Schreiner College, and Glenn Allen Davis of Rocksprings and also formerly of Medina, have been engaged and are planning a June wedding, according to her mother, Nancee Rush, now of New Braunfels.

Miss Rush is currently attending college on a basketball scholarship. She is an honor roll student, a member of the student senate and sophomore vice president. She was named the Schreiner's outstanding volleyball player this year.

She is the daughter of Nancee and William Marvin Rush II of San Antonio. Davis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Davis of Ozona.

A graduate of Angelo State University, he is a coach and teacher in Rocksprings.

The couple plans a June 2 wedding at the United Methodist Church in Medina.

Christian scientists plan lecture in Kerrville



"Christian Science: The Simple Theology of Jesus" is the subject of a free Christian Science lecture to be given Thursday, May 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the Holiday Inn, Kerrville.

The lecturer, Betty Carson Fields of Atlanta, will look at the three major characters in the parable which refers to the "prodigal son."

Speaking as a Christian Scientist, Mrs. Fields says she looks for the "spiritual meaning" when she studies the Bible. And she goes on to illustrate how the father and two sons in the parable tell much about "the nature of God and man," as well as the kingdom of God.

"The keynote of the kingdom," notes Mrs. Fields, referring to the music and dancing on the occasion of the prodigal's return to his father's home, "is joy."

Mrs. Fields has long been active in the public healing practice of Christian Science. She will discuss ways in which prayer reaches beyond individual solutions to personal challenges to touch society and mankind as a whole.

She illustrates, for example, how "the theology of Christ Jesus" can effectively curb criminal impulse and intent.

"God's law is imperative and it is instantly available to correct and protect," she says.

Tarpley

Nettie Dean — 995-3161

The rain situation seems to be getting worse. We are getting only dust storms, and many of the are being stripped due to the drought.

Guild meeting

The meeting of the Utopia Arts and Crafts Guild on Tuesday, May 8, at the Community building will feature workshops on candle wicking by Cynthia Bauner; crochet by Margaret King; clay by Mary Smith; hand decorated stationery by Ellen Slagle; quilting by Annie Dorse; machine applique by Clara B. Wallace; macrame by Lynn Whilden; needlepoint by Loraine Boudro and tatting by Barbara Tuttle.

A business meeting will precede the workshops.

Williams Crook EH club meets

Tarpley Community Center will be the Extension Homemakers meeting place on Tuesday 8 at 2 p.m. Lillian Ray will be hostess and the program will be on "Quilting and Framing Pictures."

Visitors from Jersey

The Earl Hoods of Rio Hondo Subdivision were happy to have their daughter and family visit them recently. They were Sharon and Nabil Taha and their children, Rhoda and Adlai, all of East Brunswick, N.J.

The visitors enjoyed the sunshine here during Easter after a wet, cold winter in New Jersey.

Other visitors were the Hoods' other daughters, Gladys Smith and daughter Steffani of Baytown and Edna Cheatham of Kingsland, and Edna Oliver of Baytown, sister of Marie Hood.

Four birthdays were celebrated during the week.

Visitors from Dilley

Last Tuesday the J.E. Deans were pleasantly surprised by a short visit from Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wharton of Dilley. They report Frio County is having a serious drought problem also and bad dust storms.

Guests from Arizona

Ray and Mary Hietalahti of Rio Hondo were happy to have relatives visit them over the weekend. They were Ray's niece and family, Kathe Balo of Sierra Vista, Ariz. Her daughter Debbie and husband Jim Solomon and daughters Beth and Julie of Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio. Jim is stationed at Ft. Sam.

Travels

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jackson spent Easter week in Raymondville visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Callaway and children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. They drove to Corpus Christi for two days of visiting with their old travelling friends, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jarbeaux.

Thursday, after their return, they drove to Eden to attend the last rites of Oma Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Denzel Jackson (brother of Harold) were at Eden for her mother's funeral, and they returned home with Harold and Viola to spend a week. They are from Colorado Springs, Colo. and this is their first trip down here. They say they are enjoying the Hill Country very much.

Nueces Canyon visit

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Dean enjoyed a drive Friday to visit Elzie's cousin, Lloyd and Sylvia Dean, at their Rocky Ledge Ranch near Vance, Tex. The Lloyd Deans live at Ingleside but were spending the week there.

Thy saw lots of deer and some turkeys, but the deer are not in very good condition. It's a lovely drive through those mountains. The yellow wild flowers are blooming and growing on the sides of the mountain by the highway.

They stopped by Vance on their way home and visited Rev. and Mrs. Paul Carlton and son John.

Garner show in Uvalde

"Sideshow," Rick Smith's musical comedy about the life of John N. Garner, will open at the Grand Opera House in Uvalde on Friday, June 1, at 8 p.m.

The production by the Uvalde Area Community Theatre is the second event of a weekend of activities dedicated to the former Uvaldean who was Vice-President of the United States from 1933-40.

The performance follows an all-day symposium, "The Personality and Politics of John Nance Garner," held that day in Uvalde, featuring people who knew Garner during his days in Washington.

The play is directed by Joel Casey of New York City, assisted by David Leighton as conductor and arranger. Local attorney Emmett Harris plays Garner, the Sideshow Barker, and area rancher Carl Lee Hellums is Franklin D. Roosevelt, the Mechanical Man. Other local people are cast as political figures and friends of "Cactus Jack" Garner.

The opening performance of "Sideshow" will be followed by a party at the Garner home and museum, 333 N. Park. Tickets to the play are $7.50 and the tickets to the party are $5.00. They may be reserved by writing the Grand Opera House Box Office, P.O. Box 1451, Uvalde 78801 or by calling 1-512-278-4062, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, and 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Saturdays.

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Johnny Paycheck to appear here

Johnny Paycheck, appearing Saturday at the Cabaret in Bandera, is only the first of two headliners booked to appear at the big night spot this month.

Following Paycheck on the Cabaret bandstand will be Jerry Jeff Walker, who will appear at the Bandera gathering place on May 12.

Paycheck's hit "Take This Job and Shove It" tells country and western fans a lot about the artist. Born Donald Lytle in Ohio, he dropped out of high school, rode freights and thumbed across the country.

By age 14, he was playing music professionally. "All I did was exist for about 20 years," he recalls. "Eating green apples, sleeping under trucks. It was a hard, exciting time."

In more recent years, Paycheck has been able to translate many of his experiences from his years of hard times into songs which have been gaining him popular acceptance since 1959 when he got his first professional recording contract.

His music is a two-fisted kind celebrating hard living, wild times, desperation and passionate love. It seems to express the pride and bitterness of the common working man.

The titles alone of some of his many hits explain a little about the man. There's "Me and the IRS" and "I'm the Only Hell My Mama Ever Raised," and there's "Outlaw's Prayer" and "Slide Off Of Your Satin Sheets."

In the several years since the overwhelming success of "Take This Job And Shove It," Paycheck and his band, The West Texas Music Company, have been touring almost constantly. Their live show has been described as "a tight, musically exciting, contemporary presentation."

Appearing also Saturday at the Cabaret is the local band Lora. Music begins at 9 p.m., reservations are being taken, and tickets sell for $5.

At The Silver Dollar Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights it will again be Arkey Blue and his Blue Cowboys.

Female folksingers to headline program at annual festival

All of the favorite "girl folksingers" will be back at Quiet Valley Ranch north of Medina this year for the 13th annual Kerrville Folk Festival May 24-June 3. Included will be Carolyn Hester, Odetta, Nanci Griffith, Bonnie Hearne and Marcia Ball.

Joining them will be recent newcomers Lisa Gilkyson, Crow Johnson, Melissa Javors, Dee Moeller and Chicago's Ann Hills. Some bright new stars like Emily Aronson, Courtney Campbell and 1983 New Folk Award Winner Jan Marra from Minneapolis have been added to the program.

In all you have even dozen top female stars making music at the ranch along with their male counterparts.

The diversity of styles amongst the female stars ranges from hard country to cajun-blues, and from traditional folk to contemporary pop songwriters. Many of the artists are on national labels and Lisa Gilkyson has recently added "Austin City Limits" television show to her credits.

Veteran favorites around the world are Carolyn Hester and Odetta whose careers began in earnest during the folk revival of the 1960's. Bonnie Hearne, who sings with her husband Bill as a duo, has played all 12 previous Folk Festivals at Kerrville and is now based in Red River, N.M. Nationally-recognized songwriter Dee Moeller comes back to Texas from her home in Santa Fe, while Austin-based Marcia Ball is returning to her Louisiana blues roots both in concert and on her new Rounder LP.

The festival offers eight evening concerts, May 24-28 and June 1-3, with 56 performers. The outdoor theater is within walking distance of the campgrounds where hundreds gather around campfires to sing after the concerts are over. Camping is free with a three-day ticket for $19.

For complete schedules, camping and motel information and ticket prices, write P.O. Box 1466, Kerrville, Tex. 78028, or call (512) 896-3800 after 10 a.m. weekdays.

Helotes residents plan festive event

Cornyval '84, the 19th spring festival for Helotes, got under way Wednesday with the coronation pageant to choose Miss Helotes '84 and her court from 19 candidates.

The Cornyval will continue through Sunday, May 6, with a variety of entertainment that has attracted as many as 100,000 celebrants to Helotes in previous years.

The theme of the 1984 Cornyval is "Spring Echoes Through Helotes."

The full-scale celebration in Downtown Helotes will begin in earnest Friday night, May 4, and continue through Sunday. The Old Bandera Highway will be closed off and the street lined with food and games booths.

A carnival midway will be open and there will be two free street dances plus a third free dance on the Floore Country Store patio.

The Cornyval '84 Parade will be staged Saturday beginning at 11 a.m. It will begin at Bandera Highway and Loop 1604 and move through Helotes to the Scenic Loop Road. More than sixty floats, bands, horseback riding groups and other entries will make up the three-mile parade.

Saturday on the street in Downtown Helotes entertainment will be by the Fleetweld Cowboys, Los Reyes Nortenos, the Sahawe Indian Dancers and the Bexar County Gunslingers.

Two more free dances will be held on the street Saturday night plus another free dance at Floore Country Store. The free dances will be repeated on Sunday afternoon.

Fine Arts Club enjoys Fiesta

Fine Arts Club members from Bandera, Medina, Pipe Creek, Tarpley, Lakehills, and Kerrville and their guests met at Hixaley, the D.W. Hicks ranch home, for the final program and get-togeither of the club year on May 1 at 7 p.m.

Refreshments and a complete Mexican dinner was served under the big oak tree along with music by Mariachi Escamillas of Hondo.

Mrs. Neal Sandidge III was hostess chairman and arrangements had been made for the meal to be catered by Erna Koenig and his assistants.

The entertainment features were authentic Mexican dances by Laura Flores of Medina, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Flores.

She performed a number of dances typical of the states of Jalisco and Vera Cruz, complete with beautiful costumes.



To run at regional

Delbert Duchenequx, James Compton, Steve Nolan and Gene Mathews will compete Thursday and Friday in the regional track meet in Kingsville.

This combo finished second in the sprint relay at the District 28-AAA meet with a clocking of 45.7 seconds.

Duchenequx also qualified in both hurdles events by winning both events in the district meet. The official clock caught him in 15.89 seconds in the 120-yard high hurdles and in 41.94 seconds in the 330-yard intermediate hurdles.

Mathews will also run in the 220-yard dash at regional. He finished second in that event in the district meet with a time of 23.15.

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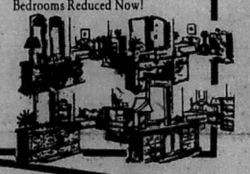

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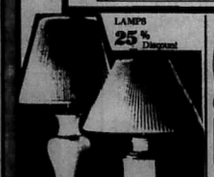

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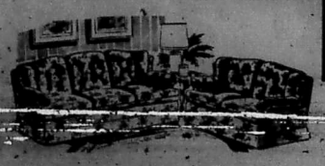

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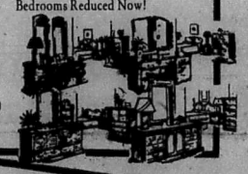

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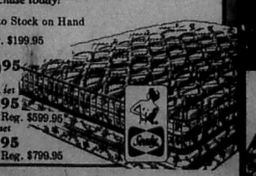

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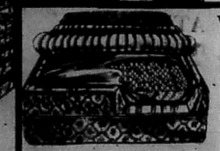

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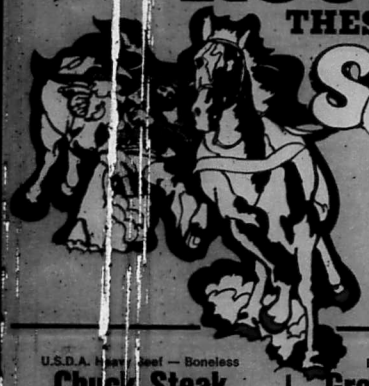



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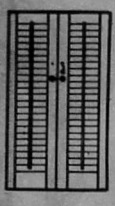

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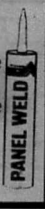

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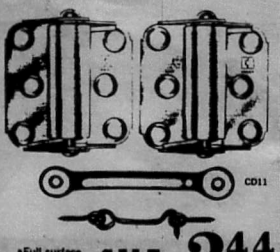

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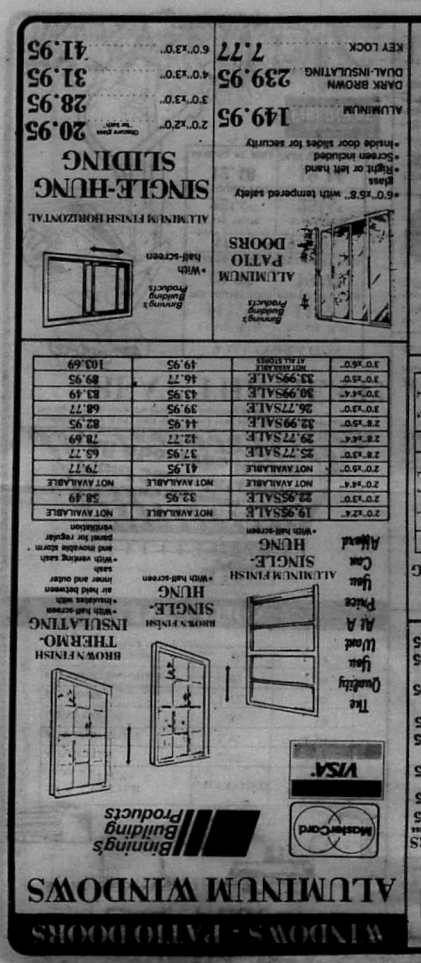

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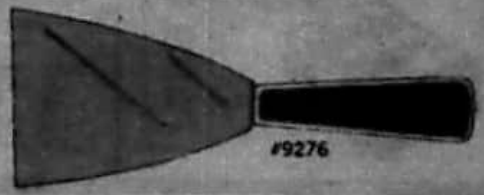
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Incumbents lose in voting here

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Bandera County Democrats Saturday refused to re-nominate County Commissioner Bob Ashley of Medina and Republicans in four counties combined to deny the nomination to the incumbent district attorney, Joe Mike Egan.

A.A. (Pete) Reed of Bandera, a retired businessman, was nominated by Democrats for county commissioner, Precinct 3, over rancher Ashley by getting 62.6 percent of the votes.

Reed's total was 189 and Ashley's 113. Reed led Ashley by only six votes in voting precinct No. 6 (Medina School), 76-70, but took 72.8 percent of the votes cast in precinct No. 5 (Bandera Electric Co-op). The vote in that box was 99 for Reed and 37 for Ashley.

Bandera County Republicans joined those in heavily-GOP counties of Gillespie, Kerr and Kendall in nominating Bruce Curry of Kerrville for district attorney over incumbent Egan, also of Kerrville.

Bandera County Republicans gave Curry 55.3 percent of their votes, and that was his lowest winning margin. He carried Kendall County with 81.2 percent, Kerr with 65.3 percent, and Gillespie with 60.4 percent. His vote margin was 4,949 to 2,543 and his edge in Bandera County was 233 votes to 188.

Neither Reed nor Curry have an opponent in November.

Democrats gave their overwhelming support (67.5 percent) to incumbent State Rep. Jim Crockett of Pearsall, but the former school teacher is in a runoff with retired school superintendent Eldon Edge of Poth.

Bandera County Demos gave Crockett 592 votes to Edge's 237 (27.1 percent) and Antonio Garcia III's 46 (5.3 percent).

Bandera Republicans joined voters statewide in giving Dr. Phil Gramm of College Station the nomination for John Tower's old U.S. Senate seat, and Democrats from the county gave their support to Bob Krueger.

Gramm, who campaigned personally in Bandera on two occasions, polled fully 80.3 percent of the votes of Republicans voting in the race. A distant second was Ron Paul with 10.8 percent of the votes, Rob Mosbacher got 6.6 percent and Hank Grover got just 2.3 percent.

Gramm won almost as overwhelmingly statewide to win nomination over the three opponents without a runoff.

Democrats in Bandera County favored favorite son-in-law candidate Bob Krueger of New Braunfels, but Demos statewide upset the former congressman and set up a runoff June 2 between conservative Kent Hance of Lubbock and liberal Lloyd Doggett of Austin.

Krueger took 39.7 percent of the votes in Bandera County to Hance's 29.7 percent and Doggett's 27.1 percent. The vote totals were 408 for Krueger, 306 for Hance, and 299 for Doggett.

Krueger married Kathleen Tobin of Bandera last summer.

Joe Sullivan of San Antonio won the Democratic nomination to meet U.S. Rep. Tom Loeffler of Hunt in November, but Bandera County narrowly supported his opponent, Bobby Locke, 441 votes to 409.

Loeffler was nominated without opposition.

The turnout of voters in the Republican primary probably was a Bandera County record, Republican officials report. A total of 444 voters cast ballots in the GOP primary, an increase of 30.2 percent over the 341 who voted in May, 1982.

Democratic voter turnout was down from the 1982 total when 1,760 voted. The total Demo turnout was 1,085 Saturday.

Top vote-getter in Bandera County Saturday was Sheriff Guy V. Pickett, running unopposed for the Democratic nomination. He polled 934 votes while Marguerite Stevens got 903 in her unopposed bid for re-nomination as tax assessor-collector.

Bandera County Democrats returned to polling places Saturday night for precinct conventions where they expressed their choices for the Democratic presidential nominee.

They elected 19 (or 51.4 percent) delegates favoring Walter Mondale of Minnesota, six (16.2 percent) for Gary Hart of Colorado, and one (2.7 percent) for Jesse Jackson. Eleven delegates (29.7 percent) are uncommitted.

Republican President Ronald Reagan appeared alone on the Republican ballot, and 95.0 percent of Bandera County voters marked the ballot by his name.

Two interesting local races are shaping up for November. In a voting precinct in which almost as many Republicans voted as did Democrats, Doyle Ely of Pipe Creek was nominated for county commissioner by the GOP with 114 votes. At the same time Democrats re-nominated Jim Russell for the post with 198 votes. [illegible] This [illegible] of voters.

[illegible] and for constable in the Lakehills area with 85 votes while Demos re-nominated Gene Otis with 275 votes.

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Staff photo by Rick Young.

Fifteen month old Cole Green, son of Delbert and Gerri Green of Bandera, learns the real thing to do for mother on her day. Actually, the flowers were supplied by Punkie Camp, of Eckhart's Flowers, and were for the benefit of the photographer and Cole. But who cares? Cole found, when he got around to presenting Gerri with what was left, the rewards of recognizing Mom on her day. Think I'll go to Vanderpool on Sunday. Kid reminded me of something.



A.A. (Pete) Reed



Bruce Curry

Vander Zee named acting Co-op head

Russ Vander Zee of Bandera has been named acting general manager of the Bandera Electric Cooperative, the Co-op confirmed this week.

The former administrative assistant to general manager C. Shannon Seale, who died last month, Vander Zee told the Bulletin he was given the responsibility of general manager in an acting capacity during the regular meeting of the Co-op's board of directors Wednesday. Those meetings are closed to the members, the public and the press.

The electric cooperative will hold its annual meeting of the membership Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Co-op offices on Highway 16 west of Bandera.

That gathering is open to members, and Vander Zee urged them to attend.

Directors will be elected during the [illegible] meeting Saturday, but for all practical purposes under Co-op by-laws, only those nominated can be elected. Nominees include Jerry N. Word Sr. of Pipe Creek in District 1, Daniel C. Callahan of Bandera in District 2, and Raymond Hicks of Bandera in District 3.

Callahan unseated incumbent director Werner Lindig of Bandera in the district nominating meeting earlier this year. Word is the Co-op board's president and Hicks is its secretary.

The feature of Saturday's meeting will be the recognition of Co-op employees for long service. The highest awards will go to Henry H. (Junior) Sasthoff of Bandera who will receive a ring for 25 years of service, and Manual Rubio of the company's Leakey branch office, who will be cited for his 15 years of employment.

Ten-year service awards will go to Ronald J. Barton, Duane Whitehead, and Henry N. Schaefer, all of Bandera, and Juan S. Albarado of Leakey. Five-year recognition will be given Marvin J. Boyd and David L. Bruce, both of Leakey, and Dennis L. Winn [illegible] of Bandera.

Lindig, who [illegible] director since 1979 and is a former president of the board of directors, will be given special recognition by other directors during the membership meeting.

The contested races

Voting precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Absentee	Total
U.S. Senator												
Robert Krueger	43	27	25	87	43	48	50	1	22	23	39	408
Harley Schlanger	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	6
Lloyd Doggett	24	16	21	83	29	36	27	8	18	13	4	279
David Young	0	2	0	0	2	7	1	1	0	2	0	15
Robert Sullivan	0	4	1	1	4	2	1	0	1	1	0	15
Kent Hance	39	7	13	53	48	42	39	12	27	11	15	306
U.S. Representative, Dis. 21												
Bobby Locke	40	27	30	103	58	57	53	6	22	20	25	441
Joe Sullivan	43	18	26	88	48	51	43	14	35	22	21	409
State Representative, Dis. 45												
Jim Crockett	53	37	36	125	77	74	73	15	35	28	39	592
Eldon Edge	35	11	11	48	30	31	26	6	24	8	7	237
Antonio Garcia	6	3	6	13	8	1	2	0	2	4	1	46
County Commissioner, Pre. 3												
Robert Ashley				37	76						6	113
Andrew A. Reed				99	76						14	189
U.S. Senator												
Ron Paul	6	11	9	3	2	2	5	2	4	1	2	47
Phil Gramm	66	36	25	53	38	7	47	14	30	22	13	351
Bob Mosbacher	5	6	2	[illegible]				2	3	2	0	[illegible]
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District Attorney												
E. Bruce Curry	52	19	7	32	22	3	39	8	29	12	10	233
Joe Mike Egan	25	36	25	24	20	6	19	8	6	12	7	188