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## Carpenter to talk about outhouses & outer space

"Millennium Observations: From Outhouses to Outer Space" is the title of the talk Liz Carpenter will give at the Salado Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet Jan. 29.

She will no doubt be both humorous and serious as she reviews the last 100 years during the banquet, which will be held 7 p.m. Jan. 29 at the Intermediate School Auditorium.

Cathy's Boardwalk Café will cater the dinner.

Tickets are \$20 per person. Tickets are now available at the Salado Chamber of Commerce office at the Salado Civic Center.

Chamber members and the general public are invited to attend the banquet.

The banquet will honor



Liz Carpenter

Dr. Luther Brewer, who completes his year as Chamber of Commerce

President. The banquet will also present new Chamber President Suzanne Petro.

## Mills is Woman of Distinction honored by Girl Scout Council

Jackie Mills received the Bluebonnet Girl Scout Council's 2000 Women of Distinction award Jan. 10 at the Salado Chamber of Commerce.

A talented, unique individual who writes children's plays and books, poetry, songs and adult participatory murder mysteries, she is a legend/folk storyteller honored by U.S. Congressman Chet Edwards for her Salado Legends and children's books. She is also a dedicated and outstanding community volunteer for youth in the Work Release Program, school districts, Salado Art Fair, Public Library and is one of the Tablerock Board of Directors.

The Bluebonnet Girl Scout Council began the Women of Distinction pro-



Jackie Mills (upper left) is shown with Sue Hamby, of the Bluebonnet Girl Scouts Council and local Girl Scouts (bottom, from left) Katy Constanancio and Jacqueline Pickreign. (photo by Dr. Luther Brewer)

gram to recognize the women in Central Texas whose achievements personify the purpose of the Girl Scout Movement: that of inspiring girls to the highest ideals of character, conduct, patriotism and service, allowing them the ability to grow courageous and strong. As role models,

the Women of Distinction illustrate to girls the ever increasing range of options open to women today as well as the variety of ways in which young women may grow to fulfill their dreams, serve others and improve the world around them.

## Cabaniss earns UIL award, to be honored Jan. 17

Dennis Cabaniss has been honored by the University Interscholastic League for his outstanding contributions as a UIL Sponsor.

Cabaniss will receive a \$1,000 award as a recipient of the 1999 UIL-Southwestern Bell Sponsor Excellence Award.

He is among 15 UIL sponsors from around the state, including nine in academics and three each in athletics and music, to receive the award.

Cabaniss will be given the award at a reception in his honor at the Salado

Civic Center on Jan. 17 at 5:15 p.m. At 6 p.m., a representative from the UIL will present Cabaniss with a plaque and the monetary award.

In the eight years Cabaniss has coached UIL Academic Events, he has sponsored three state champion math teams, three state champion number sense

"I believe in competition as an integrated part of a school's basic education mission," Cabaniss said. "I see it as a vehicle that drives students to levels of mental and physical fitness, which might not otherwise be

reached. The essence of competition lies in the improvement that results from practice and in the experience of measuring oneself against one's own potential and the skill of another individual."

Salado High Principal Marvin Agnew nominated Cabaniss for the award.

"His work ethic and character are positive influences on the school and community, and have been for years," Agnew said. "A by-product of our UIL math program is that a large portion of our students take the most challenging math

courses—in high school, resulting in 23 members (out of 75) of the class of 2000 scoring over 500 on the SAT math test.

"For the past several years, outstanding achievements of our students have been recognized and have brought great honor and pride to all, particularly to Salado High School," Agnew said. "Now, a faculty member and UIL Coach, is to be honored in such a way that will extend the cause for pride to all who are a part of SHS and Salado."

Agnew invites friends,

family, students and former students to join in honoring Cabaniss during the presentation of this award from UIL.

"The benefits of interscholastic competition and student performance are made possible by dedicated directors, sponsors and coaches," UIL Executive Director Bill Farney said. "The University Interscholastic League salutes all of these outstanding educators."

The UIL-Southwestern Bell Sponsor Excellence Award was originally made possible by a grant from the

Effie and Wofford Cain Foundation, in honor of Frank W. Denius, who has been director of the Cain Foundation since 1955 and Executive Committee Chairman since 1983.

The partnership between Southwestern Bell and the UIL began in 1997. Through this union, Southwestern Bell joins the UIL in its efforts to strengthen and promote the role of extra-curricular activities in Texas. Southwestern Bell not only supports the Sponsor Excellence Award, but all of UIL programs.

## Institute remembers history at dawn of century

At the dawn of a new century, the Institute for the Humanities at Salado dedicates the spring and fall 2000 series of seminars and lectures to an investigation of the importance of historical memory.

During the spring series, the Institute will look primarily abroad to see how subsequent generations have dealt with the legacies of repression and genocide. When evil occurs, is forgiveness ever possible?

The Institute will also ask, especially during the fall 2000 series of programs: What are the most appropriate ways whereby nations can constructively commemorate past achievements as well as human disasters? What are the uses and abuses of history?

Speakers during the Spring series are these: Robert Abzug, Raul Hilberg, Tina Rosenberg, Eva Hoffman, and Robert Muller.

### March 4-5

Dr. Robert Abzug is Professor of American Studies and History and Director of the Liberal Arts Honors Program at the University of Texas at Austin. His books include *Inside the Vicious Heart; Americans and the Liberation of Nazi Concentration Camps.*

### March 18-19

Dr. Raul Hilbert, who recently retired as Professor of Political Science at the University of Vermont, is the author of *The Destruction of the European Jews*, a landmark study first published in 1961. His most re-

cent book is *The Politics of Memory: The Journey of a Holocaust Historian.*

### April 2

Tina Rosenberg, a member of the editorial staff of the *New York Times*, received the Pulitzer Prize for *The Haunted Land: Facing Europe's Ghosts After Communism*. She is also author of *Children of Cain: Violence and the Violent in Latin America.*

### April 16

Dr. Eva Hoffman, who emigrated to Canada with her family from Krakow, Poland, currently lives in London. A past editor of *The New York Times Book Review*, Dr. Hoffman is author of *Exist into History: A Journey Through the New Eastern Europe.*

### April 29-30

Dr. Robert Muller is the former Under-Secretary General of the United Nations and Chancellor Emeritus of the University of Peace in Costa Rica. He is the author of *What War Taught Me About Peace and Ideas & Dreams for a Better World*, among many other books.

This April 30 lecture will mark the Institute's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

### About the Institute

The Institute for the Humanities at Salado continues to provide outstanding programs for the public. Each spring and fall the Institute hosts nationally recognized speakers—leading historians, philosophers, novelists, biographers, scientists, and others from di-

verse fields.

Speakers typically offer a Saturday seminar and then speak before the membership of the Institute at a Sunday afternoon lecture and discussion program. The Institute's 440 members come from all parts of the state, although more than half of them are from Central Texas.

Nearly 200 of the nation's leading scholars have come to Salado to participate in these programs, including Nobel Laureate Linus Pauling, anthropologist Mary Catherine Bateson, playwright Edward Albee, writer Kathleen Norris, philosopher Huston Smith, historian Jacques Barzun, poet Maya Angelou, psychiatrist M. Scott Peck, ethicist Jean

Bethke Elstain, and Generals Douglas Kinnard and Walter Ulmer.

The Institute was founded in 1980 by psychiatrist and author Dr. Harry Wilmer. Dr. Wilmer, who had retired from his professorship at the University of Texas Health Science Center in San Antonio, had a residence in Salado and wanted to establish an autonomous institution that would be free to develop public programs on important subjects and topics.

The Institute is located at Two Royal Street. The phone number for the Institute is (254) 947-5729. The Institute can also be reached by e-mail: ifh@vvm.com. To become a member of the Salado Institute, contact Institute coordinator Jane Wade.

# FORUM

An Open Exchange of Ideas



## The new media

Now, you can add the Internet to Time-Warner's communications empire. AOL, the largest internet provider, and Time Warner, the largest media and entertainment company, announced plans Jan. 10 to merge.

Amid all the fanfare and soaring stock prices resulting from the announced merger, we feel there is one thing that will suffer as a result of the conglomeration.

The truth. When the merger comes to fruition, AOL Time Warner will reach literally hundreds of millions of households around the world through mainstream TV channels, cable channels, movies, magazines and -- perhaps most importantly in the new millennium -- the Internet.

Soon, you and I will have few choices, if any, when it comes to our sources of news and information. We need only look at the blurring of the line between news and entertainment to "envision" what AOL Time Warner has in store for us.

We might expect AOL Time Warner to limit our choices to other media outlets in the same pattern set forth by Wal-Mart and Microsoft. They'll kill us with convenience. Why go through the effort of finding Fox News, MSNBC or the Times, when it is so much easier just to click and point to CNN?

It is not much of a stretch from filtering news sources to actually filtering the news itself, which will be the next step in this Brave New World.

Now, we don't want to sound like

## Our Voice

Editorial Opinion

Orwell or even Chicken Little, but as more and more of the media is merged or acquired, the independence of those media outlets will shrink and disappear.

We only remind you of how the Southern Baptists' boycott of Disney was dismissed by the media as a whole as a non-story, especially by ABC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Disney. The media was given a chance with the boycott to examine itself as critically as it examines every other aspect of our society, from the private affairs of a president to the funeral for Princess Diana. But the media, for the most part, took a pass on the Disney story.

If that left a sour taste in your mouth, get ready for more. Look forward to more examples of editorial staff basically writing advertising copy or public relations pieces for major business partners, as the LA Times did for the Staples Arena.

If we want to continue to have a truly free press, we must protect it not so much from the government but from the corporate owners.

We must ask our representatives and senators to rethink the Telecommunications Act which has allowed this feeding frenzy of media buyouts and mergers to go unchecked.

Tomorrow may be too late.

---T.F.

## Comptroller does about-face after furor hits closed meetings studying open State government

Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, Republican Carole Keeton Rylander, announced some time back that she was heading up a 17 member "e-Texas Commission" that will oversee some 14 task force panels recommending changes in state government all the way from expansion of internet use to moving more government work to the private sector.

Interesting thing about this study of Texas government that is a leader in open meetings, open records and open deliberations - is that all the task force meetings were being held in secret. Or at least they were until enough folks raised enough furor to make the Comptroller change her mind.

"It will be the most public process ever", noted Rylander concerning her about-face revision that now all meetings of the task force panels and the watchdog commission will be wide open even during debate about what changes are needed and what jobs should be cut out of government and handed to the private sector.

Privatization is a GOP standby. After all, most conservatives say they hate government and love business, so it should not be surprising that the lucrative fields of endeavor currently managed efficiently by state employees and at relatively low salary levels, might be going to businesses who love these state money makers.

State union leaders and open government advocates have teamed up to keep the public informed as to this major move by a Republican led hierarchy in Texas towards eliminating state employees by the thousands while lining the pockets of free enterprisers who for the most part have not proven in the past to be efficient in handling intricate official state business.

### PREDICTIONS RING BELLS

We rang a few bells in our December 29, column if letters from the far beyond are any criteria. Have to wonder what the mailman would have delivered had we printed up ideas similar to what New York City market analyst Byron R. Wien put forth in his first of the year "surprises" (not predictions) for one of the nation's foremost investment firms - Morgan Stanley-Dean Witter.

Wien, in his first-of-the-year commentary printed in a "Surprises of 2000" section, gives us one idea that even this column might have hesitated to come up with - even on a clear day.

And here we quote Mr. Wien: "In a national shift of focus toward integrity and character, the Democrats nominate Bill Bradley and the Republicans nominate John McCain for President. Bradley wins and the Democrats achieve a majority in Congress."

Here's a guy with plenty of chutzpah, at least for someone in the business of market commentary and strategy. Had we printed such a surprise as this - our mail bag would have been filled to overflowing. Despite the fact that we did predict a Demo takeover of Congress.

Bradley over McCain, eh? Sounds good - either one in that race would work!

The guessing game is rife with soothsayers as well as those who follow such antics either with bitterness or agreement. If you don't believe it, take a look someday at the letters this column gets from both sides of the wacko fence.

On the other hand, there is something great about getting letters, even from the fringe. After all, they can't fuss unless they read. And that's what all writers yearn for - readers!

## Off the Record

by Ken Clapp



Republicans making major move towards privatizing State government. Thousands of employees could lose jobs. History of private businesses handling state work is poor at best, but GOP philosophy that "gummint" is bad and privatization more efficient - may rule the day in Texas.

### NEWLY ADOPTED GOPer TO FACE CHALLENGERS

Recently this column reported on a Bell County Republican Party conclave held in the midst of a morning meeting of the local chapter of the International Order of Do-No-Gooders (you will recall this is the group that meets with alarming regularity at the Stagecoach Coffee Shop).

It was at this gathering of tried and true county GOPers that two former Democratic office holders switched party labels and became loyal Republicans.

The two - Coleman Benner, Constable, Precinct Two and JP Don Svadlenak, same precinct, announced they were going over to the Grand Old Party. Benner, 67, is seeking a fifth four-year term this year. Svadlenak has another two years remaining in his term.

Couple of days later, Benner woke up to find he had some competition in the constable race. Fact is - when the numbers were compiled the day after the filing deadline, he had two Republican opponents and one Democratic challenger.

One has to wonder if the good-natured and hard-working Constable Benner is going to be whip-lashed by both his former party's candidate as well as his new found GOP pals as being either a Demo-ship-jumper or a Johnny-come-lately who changed parties solely for political reasons after counting conservative noses.

Great start for a full year of fun and games for those who relish politics as a contact sport, as well as those imbued with a hearty sense of humor.

### SPECIAL THANKS

Folks around these parts should pass out a special thanks on this second week of 2000. We would recommend a hearty three cheers for the Temple Telegram who elected to start printing reruns of the early "Peanuts" cartoons.

For those who followed Charles Schulz' characters over the years, sadness abounded when news that the ailing cartoonist was hanging up his pen and ink - thus marking the end of good old Charlie Brown, Snoopy, Woodstock and the plethora of other characters we grew to love as we relived our childhood through these lovable little people.

Spokesman for the Telegram said they planned to reprint the strip for at least a year. Hope they go on forever but for now we want to let them know: "Thanks for keeping alive the best comic strip in America"!!

That's -30-

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# School News

**STAFF DEVELOPMENT**  
 Salado ISD will host Kim Geddie for its staff development Jan. 17.

Geddie will speak on "Improve Student Achievement with Highly Effective TEKS-Based Strategies and Activities".

This workshop will address analyzing the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills and incorporating them into daily activities.

Parents and community members are welcome to attend the workshop, which begins at 8:30 a.m.

Geddie has spoken at conferences across the United States.

"Some of our 4th grade teachers recently heard her and were so impressed they asked if SISD could hear her," according to Supt. Robin Battershell.

**PARENT UNIVERSITY**  
 The next Parent University is scheduled for 7 p.m. Jan. 18 at the Thomas Arnold Elementary Library

Dr. Frank Pugliese, Psychologist, will address parents on "Dealing with Children with ADD". Tuition is \$5 per person and must be paid by Jan. 14. Childcare is available for \$2 per child upon request.

Call Bonnie Smith at 947-5479 to make reservations.

This University will immediately follow the regularly scheduled SPAT meeting.

**CAREER EXPO**

Salado High School Student Council, in coordination with Financial Aid Counselor Cynthia Lee, is sponsoring a Career Expo 8:30 a.m. Jan. 29.

A luncheon will be provided after the event.

Over 25 careers will be represented.

Nikki Jackson is the Chair of Guest Services (greeting, directing, etc.) Committee, and Elena Thomason and Melissa Rivers will Co-Chair the Food Services Committee.

**PREREGISTRATION MATERIALS**

Pre-registration materials and the 2000-2001 course description book will be available after Jan. 21. Parents are highly encouraged to attend a parent orientation and pre-registration forum Jan. 24.

This is an opportunity for parents to learn about graduation plans, four-year plans, and course offerings for 2000-2001. Parents of incoming 10th graders will meet at 6:30 p.m. and parents of incoming 11th/12th graders will meet at 7:30 p.m.

Parents of incoming 9th graders will receive an orientation Jan. 27. School officials say that these sessions are very important in determining what your child will be taking next year. Please make plans to come.

**Info sought about members of class of 1990**

The reunion committee for the class of 1990 needs your help in locating former classmates.

Address, phone number, e-mail and any other information needs to be sent to Salado ISD in care of Brett Mullins, PO Box 98, Salado, TX 76571 or e-mailed to Brett Jackson at Salado1990@netzero.net.

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**Did you receive your new voter registration card?**

New Voter Registration cards for 2000-2001 were mailed out in December. Many of these have been returned because addresses have changed since the last cards were issued in 1998.

Those persons not receiving a new orange-colored Voter Registration card dated 1/01/2000 through 12/31/2001 may call 933-5315 or go by the Bell County Annex on Central Avenue in Belton and fill out an application for a new card.

Those persons who do not have a current Voter Registration card will not be able to vote in the upcoming Primary Election. The card must be shown to the Election Judge in order to vote. Possessing a current driver's license is not adequate.

For more information, call MaryBelle Brown, Deputy Voter Registrar, at 947-5331.

**Bell County Sheriff's Department  
Reports for Salado & Surrounding Area  
December 1999**

Date	Offense	Location
12/02	Missing or stolen property	Robertson Road
12/02	Criminal mischief	IH-35
12/05	Theft under \$50	Stagecoach Drive
12/05	Unauthorized use of motor vehicle	FM 2484
12/07	Criminal mischief under \$50	Chisholm Trail
12/08	Theft over \$1,500	Thomas Arnold Road
12/10	Attempted suicide	Roseway
12/10	Criminal mischief	FM 2484
12/10	Attempted suicide	Lindemann Road
12/11	Criminal mischief	Smith Bluff Road
12/11	Theft under \$50	IH-35 at MM 282
12/13	Criminal trespass	Mountain Road
12/17	Theft by counterfeit money	Main Street
12/18	Criminal mischief over \$50 under \$500	Salado Springs Drive
12/21	Allowing livestock to run at large	Horned Frog
12/22	Theft over \$50 under \$500	Krause, Gooseneck & Settlements Road
12/22	Criminal mischief over \$50 under \$500	Hackberry Road
12/23	Attempted burglary of a building	Royal Street
12/23	Criminal trespass of a habitation	Prairie Dell Church Rd.
12/23	Theft over \$50 under \$500	Main Street
12/24	Unattended death	Center Circle
12/26	Burglary of a habitation	Smith Branch Rd.
12/26	Theft over \$50 under \$500	Rita Bend
12/27	Theft over \$50 under \$500	Main Street
12/28	Theft over \$50 under \$500	IH-35 South
12/31	Theft under \$50	Robertson Road

**Olivier Messiaen...**

**Composer focus of symposium**

Alma Thomas Theater will fill with sounds of orchestral birdsong and more Feb. 3-4, as Southwestern University examines the life and works of the late French composer Olivier Messiaen, as a part of Brown Symposium XXII. Ratios and Radiance, Feathers and Faith: the Music of Olivier Messiaen.

Messiaen's interests in mathematics, color, and birdsong, combined with his devout Christian faith, created an individual musical style that

has greatly influenced other composers of the 20<sup>th</sup> century. The symposium will consist of lecture by Messiaen scholars Robert Sherlaw Johnson, an emeritus fellow of Worcester College, Oxford; Paul Griffiths, former chief music critic for The Times of London and The New Yorker; Hans-Ola Ericsson, professor at the National College of Music in Pitea in Sweden; Johnathan Bernard, professor of music at the University of Washington; and Jaroslav

Pelikan, Sterling Professor Emeritus in the Department of History at Yale University. Conductor Peter Bay and the Austin Symphony Orchestra will highlight the musical performance.

Oliver Messiaen was born in Avignon, France in 1908. He taught himself to play piano and began composing at age seven. He studied at the Paris Conservatoire from 1919 to 1930 and eventually taught there from 1941 to 1978. Much of Messiaen's work was

inspired by Roman Catholic Theology and distinguished by its hypnotically slow movements and irregular rhythms. In 1931, Messiaen was appointed organist of the Church of La Trinite in Paris, where he regularly played for masses until his death in 1992.

The Brown Symposium is open to the public without charge. For more information or to register, call 512/863-1902 or visit [www.southwestern.edu/brownsymp](http://www.southwestern.edu/brownsymp).

**Meet Republican candidates Jan. 13**

Republican Party candidates whose names will appear on the ballot in the Primary Election on March 14 have been invited to meet with voters at Salado Civic Center 7 p.m. Jan. 13. Registration for this event

hosted by members of Chisholm Trail Republican Women will begin at 6:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

A number of the races are contested with two or more Republicans in each

of the races. It is important that voters meet all of the candidates in order to choose the best person for each office.

All interested voters from both political parties are invited with a special

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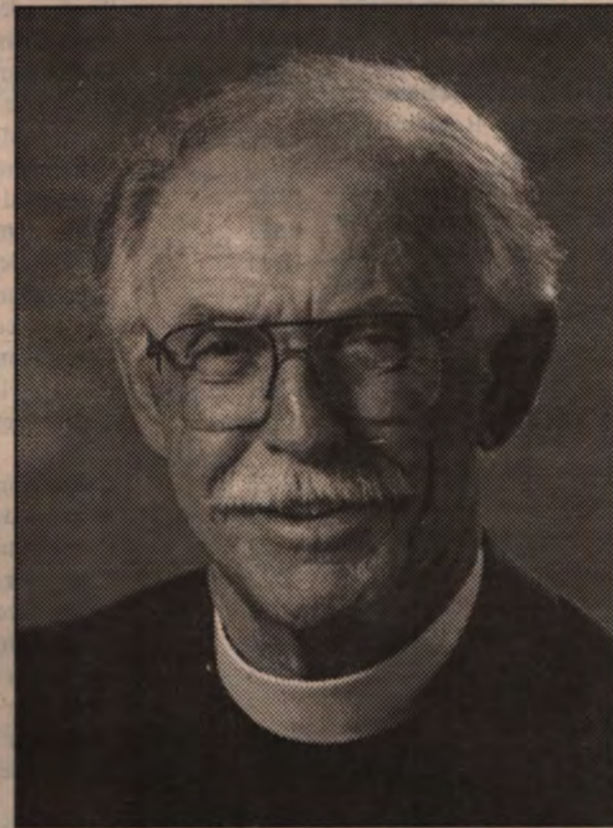
## Legge ordained Episcopal priest

Long time Salado resident Don E. Legge, Staff Chaplain at Scott and White Hospital, was ordained to the Sacred Order of Priests in the Episcopal Church on Jan. 5, by the Bishop Suffragan of Texas, the Right Rev. Leopoldo Alard. The service of Ordination for Legge took place in historic All Saints' Episcopal Church in Cameron.

The Rev. Legge has served for some eight years as a Staff Chaplain at the Santa Fe Center of Scott and White hospital in Temple, ministering primarily to the terminally ill, and to elderly surgical patients, as well as to those in the drug and alcohol rehabilitation program, and the inpatient psychiatric unit.

For nearly 40 years prior to entering ministry, Father Legge was a practicing architect headquartered in Salado, designing many schools, churches and residences all across Texas. He was an active layman in Christ Episcopal Church in Temple.

In early 1995, All Saints' Episcopal Church in Cameron invited him to lead the congregation as Lay Vicar and Pastor. He was ordained to the Diaconate



in June 1999. He will continue to serve All Saints' as Vicar, now ordained Pastor and Sacramentalist.

The members of the All Saints' congregation presented him for ordination, led by the senior member, Nita Collins, and Bishop's Warden Cindy Woodum. Other presenters were Rev. Ann Normand, Rector of Trinity Episcopal in Marble Falls; Rev. Todd Ousley, Rector of St. Francis in

Temple; Rev. John O'Neill, Deacon at St. Theresa's Catholic Church in Austin, and Legge's wife, Rev. Marilyn Wedell-Legge, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Salado.

All Saints' celebrated Fr. Legge's ordination with an Open House in the Parish Hall for 200 friends and well-wishers following the service of ordination.

All Saints' Church, located at 200 N. Travis in Cameron, holds its regular Sunday morning worship at 9 a.m., followed by Fellowship and Sunday schools for children and adults. Visitors are warmly invited to join in their traditional Episcopal service.

## Janis E. Scully passes away

Janis E. Scully, 80, of Salado, died Jan. 9 in a Temple hospital.

Services were held Jan. 11 at the Salado Cemetery with Rev. Joe Bentley officiating.

Mrs. Scully was born in Newark, Ohio, to Ross Leidy and Anna Martin Leidy. She lived in Salado for the past 30 years. She was a homemaker and a member of the Salado United Methodist Church.

She married Nelson Scully in 1940 in Kentucky. He died in 1982.

Survivors are a son, Noel Scully, of Salado; three daughters, Jean Morris and Candy Oldham, both of Salado, and Laraine Scully, of Temple; a brother, Myron Leidy, of Temple, 10 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Memorials may be made to the Salvation Army or to any charity.

Heartfield Funeral Home of Belton is in charge of arrangements.

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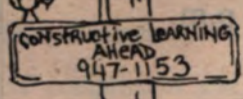
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# Billy Lon Culver died Jan. 4

Billy Lon Culver, of Salado, died Jan. 4, 2000. A gathering celebrating his life was held at the family home place on Jan. 7.

He is survived by his Shirley. He is also survived by their son, Russell Culver and wife Michele, of Los Angeles, their daughter LonAnne Magnuson and husband Josh, of Austin, and four grandchildren, Mason and Madison Culver and Thomas and William Magnuson.

Other survivors include

his mother LaVern Williams and her husband, Jud of Waco, his father Elbert Horton and his wife Yida of Seminole, his sisters Pam Downing and husband Ron and family of Kingsland, Cecilia Loftis and husband Bo and family of Gastonia, North Carolina and Kathy Benton and family of Commerce.

His wife's family, grandmother Maggie Johnston of McLean, parents Bettye and Jack West of Groom, sisters Alice

Wells and family of Salado, Margaret Hardin and husband, Rodney and family of Cedar Park, and brother Jim West and wife Carol and family of Victoria.

Bill was born in Clarendon on Feb. 9, 1946. He graduated from Groom High School and attended West Texas State University in Canyon before beginning his thirty-two year career with Santa Fe Railroad.

He was a cowboy and a member of the Salado



*Billy Lon Culver*  
United Methodist Church.

The family requests that memorials be made to Book-Friends, Inc., PO Box 913, Salado, Tx 76571.

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## Landrum marries Mattix at Emmaus Bible College

Sarah Jeanine Landrum became the bride of Jeremiah Ian Mattix in a double ring ceremony on Dec. 19 in the Marble Chapel of Emmaus Bible College in Dubuque, IO.

Craig Landrum, father of the bride, and Mark Mattix, father of the groom officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Craig and Brenda Landrum of Lago de Moreno, Mexico. She is the granddaughter of Minta Landrum of Salado.

The groom is the son of Mark and Carol Mattix of Camiri, Bolivia.

The bride wore a short-sleeve beaded white satin gown with a chapel length train. She carried a Bible that her grandmother carried when she was married 58 years ago.

The bride was attended by Hannah Landrum, sister of the bride, Gina Mattix, sister of the groom, and Ann Sanders.

Ruth Landrum, the bride's sister, was Maid of Honor.

Groomsmen were Joshua Landrum, brother of the bride, Michael Hawkins, and Steve Sanders. Matthew Mattix, brother of the groom, was the Best Man.

Special music was provided by the bride's brother and sisters and Julie Eels. Carolyn Waller was the pianist.

Flower girls were Caitlin and Leah Massman and ushers were Andrew Cole and Christopher Mattix, brother of the groom.

The couple are both graduates of Emmaus Bible College; he with a BS degree in Biblical Studies, and she with a BS degree in Bible and elementary education. After a trip to visit family and friends, the couple will live in Yakima, WA, where they will be doing evangelism work with the hispanics.



*Mrs. Jeremiah Ian Mattix*

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## Eagles cagers top district at 3-0

By Tim Fleischer  
Editor-in-Chief

Salado Varsity Eagles sit atop district basketball at 3-0 after sweeping last week's games against Johnson City and Lago Vista.

**Salado 52  
Johnson City 34**

Salado's home game against Johnson City was close in the first period, but that was all as the Eagles had a hot, 18-point second quarter on their way to a 52-34 whipping.

Freshman Stephen Fewell hit two three-pointers and added another basket in the second quarter as Salado stretched a three-point lead into nine points by the half. Troy Smith added another seven points during the second period.

Smith led the scoring with 15 points total, followed by Fewell, who had

14 points for the night.

Michael Gamble, Trey Hutton and Kyle Whitacre all scored 6 points for the night while Jeremy Grimm scored 5.

**Salado 48  
Lago Vista 31**

Salado, which has had trouble in the past in Lago Vista, conquered the Vikings 48-31 in their district match.

There was little question on the outcome of the game as Salado led 9-4 at the end of the first period and 21-12 at the half. The Eagles added to their lead in the third quarter 34-19.

Smith led the scoring with 16 points, 9 in the second period. Hutton followed with 10 points, all coming from the field. Grimm also had 10 points, half of them at the charity stripe.

Three other Eagles also



(photo by Tim Fleischer)

Troy Smith shoots over a Johnson City defender in the Eagles' 52-34 win last week.

scored: Fewell, 5 points; Gamble, 4 points and John Kirk, 2 points.

Salado faced Florence

Jan. 11 at home. Results were not available at press time. The Eagles play Jan. 18 against Troy.

## JV Eagles roundballers take 2 of 3

By Tim Fleischer  
Editor-in-Chief

Salado's JV Eagles came within a basket of sweeping their games against Lago Vista and Johnson City last week.

**Salado JV 41  
Johnson City 38**

Salado held on to a one-point lead going into the fourth quarter of their game against Johnson City to win 41-38. Salado trailed by a basket at half-time 14-16. The Eagles scored as many

points in the fourth period (14) as they did in the first half of the game.

Jarrod Whitfield led the scoring with 15 points, followed by Matt Ward's 9 points.

Other Eagles scoring were these: Aaron Gonzalez, 5 points; Cody Quirk, and Dan Watson, 4 points each; and David Matthews and Omar Torres, 2 points each.

**Salado JVA 59  
Lago Vista JVA 52**

Salado JVA exploded

for 22 points in the fourth quarter on their way to beating the Lago Vista JVA 59-52. Lago Vista scored 25 points in the fourth quarter, but could not overcome a 37-27 Salado lead.

Whitfield led the scoring with 24 points, 16 in the second half. Ward scored 13 points to follow.

Also scoring were Watson, 7 points; Seth Dady, 6 points; Quirk, 4 points; Matthews, 3 points and Heath Hale, 2 points.

**Salado JVB 26  
Lago Vista JVB 27**

Salado JVB almost overcame a five-point third quarter deficit, but fell one point short, losing to Lago Vista JVB 26-27 last week.

Lane Wolff led the scoring for Salado with 6 points, while Stephen Hayes added 5 points.

Jose Tonchez, Brad Ray and Beau Bartlett each had 4 points for the night while David Faber added another 3 points.

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# Lady Eagles undefeated in district

By Tim Fleischer  
Editor-in-Chief

Salado Lady Eagles are undefeated in district play with three wins, after beating Johnson City and Lago Vista last week.

**Salado 63**  
**Johnson City 31**

Many Lady Eagles fans and pundits thought the contest with the Johnson City Lady Eagles would be a close-fought battle as the JC Lady Eagles returned all of the starters from last year's second place district

team. But Salado met the challenge and thrashed Johnson City a 63-31.

The first quarter was indicative of the game as Salado jumped out to a 17-4 lead. The Lady Eagles led 25-14 at the half and 43-20 at the end of three periods.

Lauren Quirk led the scoring with 17 points, 10 of which came in the first half. Adrienne Akins added 15 points, 9 in the first half.

Nikki Jackson also scored double figures with 11 points, 7 of which came

in the second half.

Also scoring were Sarah Buchanan and Lindsay Quirk, 7 points and Tessa Schreiner, 6 points.

**Salado 51**  
**Lago Vista 28**

Salado handled Lago Vista 51-28 in their district match-up last week to bring the Lady Eagles' district record to 3-0, 17-4 for the year.

Buchanan scored 10 of her team-leading 12 points in the first half as the Lady Eagles led 24-13 going to the lockers.

Things were not much different in the second half as Salado built on its lead scoring 15 points in the third period, while holding the Lady Vikings to just 2 in the period.

Akins and Jackson had 10 points each to follow Buchanan.

Lauren Quirk added 9 points while Lindsay Quirk had 6 points. Julie Couchman and Schreiner each had 2 points.

Salado's Lady Eagles stayed at home Jan. 11 to face the Florence Lady Buffs in a district game.

## JV Lady Eagles sweep games last week

By Tim Fleischer  
Editor-in-Chief

Salado JV Lady Eagles increased their record to 11-2 after sweeping their games last week with Johnson City and Lago Vista.

**Salado JV 41**  
**Johnson City 25**

Salado JV Lady Eagles overcame a 19-16 half-time

deficit to thrash the Johnson City JV Lady Eagles 41-25.

Salado's JV Lady Eagles took off the kid gloves in the second half. The girls scored 10 points in the third quarter, while holding Johnson City scoreless. They added another 15 points in the fourth period, while holding Johnson City to just 6 points.

Lauren Mewhinney led

the Lady Eagles scoring with 15 points. Meagan Joiner scored 10 points to follow, 6 in the second half.

Kate Mentzel added 8 points while Jilann Alderman had 4 points. Kaci Fritsch and Brooke Sharum each added 2 points.

**Salado JV 45**  
**Lago Vista JV 3**

No, I did not miss a number in the above score. Salado outscored Lago Vista

45-3. Lago Vista scored its single field goal in the first period, adding a free throw in the fourth period.

Meanwhile, Salado JV Lady Eagles tallied 45 points, 30 of them in the second half.

Mentzel led the scoring with 14 points, followed by Fritsch's 8-point night.

Mewhinney and Lindsey Pruitt each added 6 points.

Joiner had 5 points; Stephanie Krueger, 4 points and Alderman, 2 points.

## Junior high cagers face Academy Bees

By Blake Cameron  
Sports Writer

### 8th Grade Boys A-Team

The 8th Graders edged Academy 46-44. The contest seesawed back and forth all night. There was a different team in the lead at the end of each quarter.

In the fourth quarter, Ben Marsh, Nathan Grigsby, Josh Wright, and Scott Bates all made clutch free throws that either tied the score or gave the Eagles the lead.

With four seconds to go in the game, the score tied at 44, Academy was inbounding the ball on Salado's end of the court. After the inbound pass, Grigsby slapped the ball away from the Academy player and Shane Pipes picked up the loose ball and

scored the winning basket with less than one second on the clock.

Chase Simpson, Cale Cox, and Scott Bates had 8 points each for Salado. Others that scored for the Eagles were Evan Clements 6, Shane Pipes 5, Ben Marsh 5, Nathan Grigsby 4, and Josh Wright 3.

### 8th Grade Boys B-Team

In 8th Grade B game, Salado destroyed Academy 30-10. Grant Cospier led the way with 14 points. Other scorers were Cristo DelaHoya 6, Travis Turk 4, Chris Kelley 4, Matt Brown 2, Lance Tucker 2 and Bill Tubbs 2.

### 7th Grade Boys A-Team

The 7th Grade Boys A-Team came away with a 32-22 win over Academy. The

Eagles dominated the game from the start scoring 7 in the first quarter, 10 in the second, 5 in the third and 9 in the fourth. Joseph Shumate led the team with 8 points, Devon Dunn with 7 and Nick Everett with 6 points.

### 7th Grade Boys B-Team

The 7th Grade Boys B-Team lost to Academy by the score of 9-12. A.J. Hayden and John Gregurek both had 4 points while Randel Jackson had 1.

### 8th Grade Girls A-Team

The 8th Grade Girls A-Team won big over Academy with a 41-12 win. The Lady Eagles scored 12 in the first quarter, 7 in the second, 9 in the third and 13 in the fourth. Leading the team was Amanda Turney and Michelle Houston who

both had 9 points while Laramie Jackson had 7 points, Kim Dillon had 5 points, and Vanessa Byrd and Johnna Konzen both had 4 points.

### 8th Grade Girls B-Team

The 8th Grade Girls B-Team beat Academy by 7 points with a final score of 17-10. They scored 6 in both the first and second quarters and 5 in the fourth.

High scorer for the team was Tiffany Dixon with 9 points while Angela Hogwood and Abby Buchanan both had 4 points.

*Ed. Note: We were unable to get the results of last week's seventh grade girls teams as Coach Oldham had a death in the family and was unavailable before presstime.*

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- Jan. 13: Breakfast Pizza, Toast, Cereal, Fruit Juice, Milk
- Jan. 14: Waffles, Cereal, Applesauce, Fruit Juice, Toast, Milk
- Jan. 17: No School - Martin Luther King Day
- Jan. 18: Biscuits and Gravy, Toast, Cereal, Mixed Fruit, Fruit Juice, Milk

### Lunch Menu

- Jan. 12: Beef Taco, Chef Salad, Baked Potato, Hoagie, Refried Beans, Spanish Rice, Lettuce & Tomato, Pears, Cinnamon Chips, Milk
- Jan. 13: Fish Shapes, Chef Salad, Baked Potato, Hoagie, Potato Wedges, Black-eyed Peas, HotRolls, Apples, Milk
- Jan. 14: Cheeseburger, Chef Salad, Baked Potato, Hoagie, Burger Salad, French Fries, Fruity Freeze, Milk
- Jan. 17: No School - Martin Luther King Day
- Jan. 18: Beef Burrito, Cheese Sauce, Chef Salad, Baked Potato, Hoagie, Pinto Beans, Mexican Corn, Applesauce, Milk

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## Salado Lady Eagles Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	JV	Varsity	Time
11/16	Lorena	28-29	51-61	
11/20	at Crawford		29-69	
11/23	at Cameron	39-31	47-42	
11/30	Rogers	29-32	40-42	
12/2-4	Rogers Tournament		First Place	
12/4	Troy Tournament	First Place		
12/7	Rockdale	32-30	62-73	5:30
12/9-11	Salado Tournament		First Place	
12/13	*at Troy	JV		4 p.m.
12/14	*Troy		V	5:30
12/17	*at Holland	59-11	62-34	5 p.m.
12/27-29	Lampasas Tournament		First Place	
1/1	*at Academy	28-23	55-32	
1/4	*Johnson City	41-25	63-31	
1/7	*at Lago Vista	45-3	51-28	
1/11	*Florence	JV	V	5 p.m.
1/14	*at Waco Vanguard	JV	V	5 p.m.
1/15	*Holland Tournament	JV		TBA
1/18	*at Troy	JV	V	5 p.m.
1/21	*Holland	JV	V	5 p.m.
1/25	*Academy	JV	V	5 p.m.
1/28	*at Johnson City	JV	V	5 p.m.
2/1	*Lago Vista	JV	V	5 p.m.
2/4	*at Florence	JV	V	5 p.m.

\*District Game

Salado 8th grade A boys basketball team are (top row, from left) Nathan Grigsby, Cale Cox, Evan Clements, Ben Marsh. (Bottom row, from left) SHane Pipes, Scott Bates, Josh Wright.



## Salado Eagles Basketball

Date	Opponent	JVB	JV	V	Time
11/19	Moody		34-52	47-57	
11/22	at Waco Vanguard	35-30	52-60	64-54	
11/24	Franklin		35-71	68-37	
11/30	at Liberty Hill		23-49	46-63	
12/2-4	Thrall Tournament				
12/4	Moody Tournament		2nd Place		
12/7	Rogers	JVB	JV	39-38	
12/9-11	Salado Tournament			2nd Place	
12/11	Troy Tournament	2nd place	0-2		
12/14	at Thrall		54-33	60-69	
12/17	at Jarrell	24-22	36-34	56-60	
12/28-30	Godley Tournament			Fourth Place	
01/01	at Academy*		22-38	46-36	
01/04	Johnson City*		41-38	52-34	
01/07	at Lago Vista*	26-27	59-52	48-31	
01/11	Florence*	JVB	JV	V	5:00
01/15	Holland Tournament		JV		TBA
01/18	at Troy*	JVB	JV	V	5:00
01/21	Holland*		JV	V	5:00
01/25	Academy*	JVB	JV	V	5:00
01/28	at Johnson City		JV	V	5:00
02/01	Lago Vista*	JVB	JV	V	5:00
02/04	at Florence*	JVB	JV	V	5:00
02/11	Troy*	JVB	JV	V	5:00
02/15	at Holland		JV	V	5:00

\* District Games

### Junior High Eagles Basketball

Date	Opponent	Place	7B	7A	8B	8A	Time
11/18	Academy	There	7B	34-19	7-10	32-20	
11/22	Holland	There		59-7	49-17		
11/29	Lago Vista	Home		40-18	10-6	31-12	
12/13	Troy	Here		35-9		26-16	
01/06	Academy	Home	9-12	32-22	30-10	46-44	
01/13	Holland	Home	7B	7A	8B	8A	5:00
01/20	Lago Vista	There	7B	7A	8B	8A	5:00
01/22	Holland Tournament			7B			TBA
01/22	Rogers Tournament			7A		8A	TBA
01/27	Florence	Here	7B	7A	8B	8A	5:00
02/03	Troy	There	7B	7A	8B	8A	5:00
02/05	Salado Tournament		7A		8A		TBA

### Junior High Lady Eagles Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Place	7B	7A	8B	8A	Time
11/18	Academy	Here	7B	34-19	12-8	48-19	
11/22	Holland	Here		47-5	6-5	51-7	
11/29	Lago Vista	There		37-31	13-14	33-30	
12/13	Troy	There		38-13		34-20	
01/06	Academy	There	7B	7A	17-10	41-12	
01/13	Holland	There	7B	7A	8B	8A	5:00
01/15	Rogers	There	7A			8A	5:00
01/20	Lago Vista	Here	7B	7A	8B	8A	5:00
01/27	Florence	Here	7B	7A	8B	8A	5:00
02/03	Troy	Here	7B	7A	8B	8A	5:00
02/05	Salado Tournament		7A		8A		TBA

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# Living Well

## HEALTH & NUTRITION NEWS

### Respiratory viruses & Influenza

Influenza activity is increasing impressively in Central Texas. Eighteen of 127 cultures from Temple/Belton area sent in the last two weeks have yielded Influenza A virus. Four of 32 from Waco have also grown Influenza A. Overall, there are 51 Flu A and one Flu B of 529 cultures from Temple/Belton and 12 Flu A of 140 cultures from Waco. The percentage of positive cultures should increase with increasing flu activity.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention reports during week 50, Dec. 12-18, that 24 percent of specimens tested by WHO and NVEVSS laboratories for influenza were positive. State and territorial epidemiologists from three states reported widespread influenza activity, and 16 other states and Puerto Rico reported regional influenza activity. Texas reported sporadic activity.

Enrollment for 1999-2000 concluded on Dec. 30, 1999. We vaccinated 5,252 children from the Temple/Belton and surrounding area this year. Flu shots should still be given to high-risk persons not yet immunized and combined with chemoprophylaxis until the vaccine takes effect.

Respiratory Syncytial Virus and Influenza A virus are circulating at this time. Amantadine and Rimantadine are effective against Influenza B. The new, more expensive antivirals zanamavir and oseltamivir are effective against both Flu A and B.

### How to get an A - as in apple

According to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, 71 percent of Americans are not eating even the recommended minimum of 2 to 4 daily fruit servings. Below, some speedy fruit fixes to give your diet a nutritional boost:

- For a punched-up peanut-butter-and jelly sandwich, add half a banana, sliced.
- Drizzle orange or grapefruit segments with honey-broil until bubbly for a simple winter dessert.
- To liven up ordinary coleslaw, toss sliced cabbage with halved grapes and chopped, toasted pecans.
- Top sliced fresh apples or canned pears with crumbled blue cheese and chopped, toasted walnuts and enjoy a European style dessert.
- Roast chicken quarters coated with bottled barbecue sauce; add bite size fresh or canned pineapple wedges to roasting pan during last 10 minutes of cooking for a warm condiment.
- Ladle plain pancake batter into skillet; top with diced bananas or mixed berries, and cook as usual for a hearty weekend breakfast.
- Toss sliced kiwifruit and banana, diced papaya, and pineapple with toasted coconut, lime juice, and sugar for a tropical fruit salad.
- Add curry powder and diced fresh mango or canned peaches to chicken or tuna salad for a luncheon special.
- An ordinary turkey sandwich turns deluxe with thinly sliced apples or pears, cheese, and honey mustard.
- Cut a banana crosswise in half and peel; stick Popsicle sticks into the cut ends and freeze for a healthy frozen dessert.


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### Food Safety

Food safety involves the work of public health officials, farmers, manufacturers and

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Common bacteria such as Salmonella and Staphylococcus can multiply quickly to sufficient numbers in perishable foods to cause illness. Prompt refrigeration slows bacterial growth and keeps food fresh and edible.

### Tips

Buy perishable foods last and only when you can take them home right away. Store them in containers in the refrigerator. Regularly clean and disinfect the refrigerator and freezer. Wash hands and clean and disinfect kitchen surfaces before, during and after cooking and serving food. Wash raw fruits and

vegetables before eating. Defrost food on a plate in the refrigerator or microwave. Cook food of animal origin thoroughly. Do not drink unpasteurized milk or juice. Cool and promptly store leftovers.

### Healthier Foods

People with diets rich in fruits and vegetables and low in fat and cholesterol have a substantially lower risk for heart disease, diabetes, and many types of cancer. People should eat at least five fruits and vegetables daily. When this healthy diet is paired with moderate physical activity (such as walking) 30 minutes on most days of the week, many people also

find it easier to maintain or lose weight.

Older people need to pay even closer attention to eating healthy, safe foods. A person's nutritional needs change with age and older people may be more susceptible to illnesses caused by spoiled or contaminated food. Because older people might not eat as much, they need to be sure that what they are eating will help them meet recommended daily allowances for important nutrients.

More health information is available on the CDC's website at [www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov).

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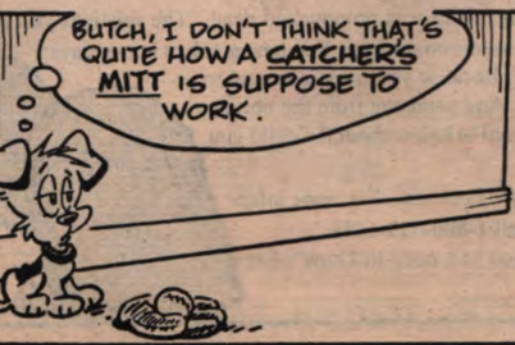
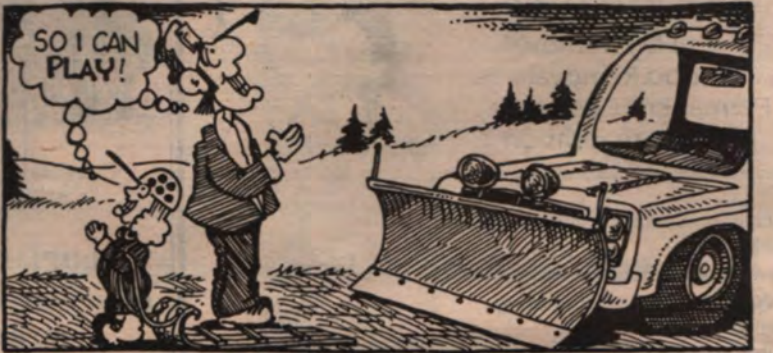
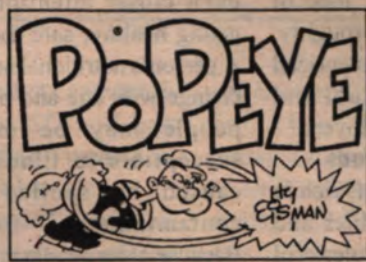
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  - 18 Press
  - 19 Sarge, e.g.
  - 21 Rocker Gillan
  - 22 It's down in the mouth
  - 23 "Mr. Television"
  - 25 Cavity
  - 26 "The \_\_\_ Bug" ('65 film)
  - 27 Diva Bidu
  - 28 Latin I word
  - 30 "Whether \_\_\_ nobler in the mind..."
  - 32 \_\_\_ roll
  - 33 Petrograd potentate
  - 36 "America's Sweetheart"
  - 40 Single-minded guy?
  - 44 Local theater
  - 45 Tombstone lawman
  - 46 Essen exclamation
  - 47 Got off
  - 49 Private pension
  - 51 Abounds (with)
  - 54 "The Little Tramp"
  - 59 Proof-reader's list
  - 61 Neighbor of Uganda
  - 62 Roads scholar?
  - 63 Inc., in England
  - 65 De Valera of Ireland
  - 66 Helper
  - 69 Moves like mad
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  - 73 Bikini part
  - 74 "The Swedish Nightingale"
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  - 86 Toddler's transport
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  - 93 Peter of Herman's Hermits
  - 97 Excessively fond
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  - 119 Mortgage, for one
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He says his start in music was largely due to his high school choir director Brett Farr, who encouraged him to develop his talent. Chance recalled how nervous he used to be singing in front of people because his voice hadn't changed. After hearing him audition, however, Farr immediately handed him all-state choir music and added him to the first-tenor section.

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## Poachers stink!

by Keith Warren

This week I would like to address a problem that is affecting all outdoorsmen. This problem is poaching. Poaching is the taking of game or fish by illegal means or over the set possession limit. Besides land development and pollution, poaching is the number one problem facing fish and game today. Game management programs are hard to implement when poachers kill indiscriminately throughout the year. Bag limits in many areas would

be more liberal if it weren't for illegal practices of a few.

The worst aspect of poaching is that it steals from other sportsmen. When someone illegally nets a bunch of redfish or white bass, they are taking those fish from other sportsmen. When someone shoots that big whitetail buck out of season, they are stealing from other hard-working hunters and eventually themselves. That buck could have fathered a number of outstanding offspring that could have been taken by lawabiding hunters.

On top of all of this, poachers ruin the reputation of all hunters and fishermen. Hunters especially, are under strong scrutiny by activist groups. The image of the "slob hunter" that is portrayed by activist groups is only reinforced by the actions of poachers. If all hunters conducted themselves in a legal, ethical manner, then it would be more difficult for those groups to obtain public support. Even more importantly, it may be easier to convince these people that hunters do more to help wildlife than to hurt it.


Help the cause of game wardens by turning in poachers. Operation Game Thief is set up just for that purpose. The number is toll-free 1-800-792-GAME. You can remain anonymous and will be eligible for a cash reward if a conviction is made. Our wildlife is a resource that we should be proud of and take time and effort to conserve. Turning in poachers is just one of the things that we can do to protect it.

Keith Warren is the host of *Fishing and Outdoor Adventures* (formerly known as *The Texas Angler Television Show*) along with *Hunting and Outdoor Adventures*, both of which broadcast statewide. You can write to Keith Warren at PO Box 310379, New Braunfels, TX 78131-0379 or visit online at [www.texasangler.com](http://www.texasangler.com).

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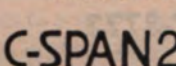
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"Spring Calves" by Ken Hosmer

## Watercolorist Hosmer instructs workshop

For its first workshop of 2000 the Salado Village Artists are pleased to present internationally known watercolor artist, Ken Hosmer. The three-day workshop is scheduled for Feb. 16-18. The Salado Art Center is located on the grounds of the Civic Center, 601 North Main Street.

Workshop hours are 9 a.m.-4 p.m. and the center will open at 8:30 a.m. Early registration is advised as this is a popular workshop and seating is limited. The fee for the session is \$175 payable before the first day's class. Registration may be confirmed by mail-

ing a \$50 deposit payable to the Salado Village Artists, PO Box 363, Salado, TX 76571 by Feb. 10. A light lunch will be provided.

Hosmer has been a guest instructor for over 60 art organizations across the United States, Italy, Greece, and Mexico. Especially known for his expressive and dynamic use of color, he has a real gift for clearly explaining his artistic method as he paints. He presents a unique color system, which is unsurpassed for developing pristine color transitions.

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aged to develop through learning about and using ink-wash techniques with special attention to color dynamics and design. The results are gratifying to the beginning as well as the advanced student.

Typically each day begins with a morning lecture and demonstration, followed in the afternoon with class work time and individual help by the instructor, ending with a critique session.

An author as well as a teacher, his articles and paintings have been published in several magazines and books. "Four Steps to

Creative Color" appeared in *Watercolor Magic* in 1993 and "How to Paint Backward" in *Watercolor Magic* in 1994. His painting "Spring Calves" are included in *Splash 4: The Splendour of Light*, published by North Light Books in 1996.

His art instruction videotapes include *Color Dynamics II*, *Floral Studies in Watercolor*, *Watercolor Basics*, *Figures in Motion*, and *Ken Hosmer Paints Animals*.

He is a signature member of the Southwestern Watercolor Society.

## Young Person's concert Jan 22

The Temple Symphony Orchestra has announced that the date for the Young Person's concert, which was scheduled for Jan. 23, has been changed to 4 p.m. Jan. 22 at the Mary Alice Marshall Fine Arts Auditorium on the Temple College Campus. There will be an additional performance 3 p.m. Jan. 23 in the new Performing Arts Center at Georgetown High School in

Georgetown. This will be the first time that this outstanding orchestra has performed in Georgetown.

The Concert for Young People of all ages is a yearly event that is planned for the young at heart. One of the goals of the Temple Symphony Orchestra is to educate students and adults in the rich orchestral traditions of our heritage by performing a broad range of reper-

toire. This year's concert will include *Carnival of the Animals* by Camille Saint-Saens, *Hoe-down* from *Rodeo* by Aaron Copland, and *Mars* from *The Planets* by Gustav Holst.

Ticket outlets for the Temple concert are Temple College Public Relations Office, Scott and White Public Relations Office, Holze Music, and the Cul-

tural Activities Center. Georgetown tickets are available in downtown Georgetown, Sun City, and the offices of any of the Georgetown schools. For more information call the executive director of Temple Symphony Orchestra, Sandi Wicker, at the Symphony office in Temple, (254) 773-7333. temple symphony orchestra

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# What's Going On?

## Organizations & Club Meetings Mondays

**Monday Club:** 1st Mon., 2 p.m., Salado United Methodist Church.  
**Salado Chamber of Commerce Board:** 2nd Mon., 6 p.m., at Civic Center.  
**Salado I.S.D. Board of Trustees:** 3rd Mon. at 6 p.m., at Salado Civic Center.  
**Salado Library District Board:** 4th Mon. at 5 p.m., at Salado Public Library.  
**Salado Youth Association:** Board meeting 4th Mon. 6:30 p.m., at Civic Center  
**Salado Masonic Lodge #296:** 8 p.m. on the Mon. on or before the full moon.

## Tuesdays

**Salado Rotary Club:** 11:30 a.m., Salado Mansion.  
**Salado FFA meeting:** First Tuesday at 7 p.m. at SHS agshop.  
**Salado Village Artists:** First Tuesday at 10 a.m. at Salado Art Center.  
**Yoga Classes:** 6:45 p.m., Salado United Methodist Fellowship Hall.  
**Salado Family Relief Fund:** 2nd Tues. 1:30 p.m. Civic Center.  
**Chisholm Trail Chapter ABWA:** 2nd Tues. 6:30 p.m. Sherry's of Salado, Main & Van Bibber.

## Wednesday

**Salado Creekside Cloggers:** 6:30-8:30 p.m., Info: 947-5845.  
**Salado Youth Baseball Association:** meetings 6:30 p.m. at Salado High School  
**Lions Club:** 2nd & 4th Wed. at 11:30 a.m., Salado Civic Center. Board meets 2nd Wed. 8 a.m.  
**Mill Creek Community Association:** Board: 3rd Wed., 6 p.m., at Civic Center

## Thursdays

**Salado Business Association:** 1st Thursday, 8:45 a.m. Salado Civic Center  
**Salado Ladies Auxiliary:** 2nd Thurs., 10 a.m., Salado Civic Center  
**Salado Water Corporation:** Board of Directors: 3rd Thurs., 4 p.m. Corporation office.  
**Salado Historical Society:** board of directors, 3rd Thursday, 7 p.m. Salado Civic Center.

## Saturdays

**Food Pantry:** 2nd and 4th Saturday at First Baptist Church. 9 a.m.-10 a.m.

# Mark your calendars for these future events

## January 13

Precept Upon Precept by Kay Arthur, Bible Study of Genesis 11-50. First session starts at 9:15 a.m. First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. More for information call 947-0259.

## January 14

Swearing in of Postmaster, Rosa Gonzales at the Post Office 2 p.m.

## January 16

Making Love Last Forever, 4 p.m. on Sundays at the First Baptist Church Salado. Register by call 947-5465.

## January 17

Reception honoring Dennis Cabaniss, 5:15 p.m. at the Civic Center.

## January 26

Methodist Village Jubilee at the Middle School.

## January 29

Salado Chamber of Commerce Banquet, 7 p.m. at the Salado Intermediate school auditorium. Liz Carpenter will be the guest speaker. Tickets are \$20 per person and may be purchased at the Chamber office. For more information call 947-5040.

## February 16-18

Water Color Workshop by artist Ken Hosmer, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. at Salado Art Center.

## February 26

Salado Village Jubilee at the Salado Intermediate School Cafeteria, 4-8 p.m. Call the Salado United Methodist Church for more information, 947-5482.

## March 20

5th Annual Denver Mills Golf Tournament, Mill Creek Golf Course, 12:30 p.m. Lunch at Tablerock, 1 p.m. Tee off. \$60 fee in advance.

## April 8

"Private Lives" - production at Tablerock. For more information call 947-9205.

## April 8-9

2nd Annual Quilt and Craft Show - sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, held at the Salado Civic Center. For more information call 947-5040.

## April 21-23

First Baptist Church Salado Easter Pageant, 8 p.m. Tablerock. For more information call 947-5465.

## April 29

5th Annual Gospel Festival, 7 p.m. at Tablerock. Various local groups and artists perform original and public domain works. Directed by Tom Taylor. \$1 admission.

## May 13

5th Annual 4th Grade Melodrama, 7 p.m. Tablerock. For more information call 947-9205.

## May 20

Spring Concert with Christine Albert & Chris Gage- held at Tablerock. For more information call 947-9205.

## May 20-21

Texas 100 Fine Art Show sponsored by Salado Chamber of Commerce, held at Pace Park. For more information call 947-5040.

## June 5-9

Theatre Arts Summer Camp - 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Tablerock. Tom Taylor is Director. \$75 per child. Grades 3 - 6.

## July 22, 29 & August 5

Salado Legends, Directed by Mike Doggett. Dinner at 7:30 p.m. and the show at 8:30 p.m. Cost is \$6 for dinner, \$15 for adults for show and \$5 for child for show.

## September 14

Central Texas Prose & Poetry Readings 7 p.m. Tablerock. For more information call 947-9205.

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# Methodist plan Village Jubilee, Secret Pals and Movie Trip

## Salado Methodist planning Salado Village Jubilee

For the past several months, the Salado United Methodist Church has been planning the Salado Village Jubilee to be held Feb. 26 in the Salado Intermediate School auditorium. The Jubilee will bring together musical, dance, and drama talent from Bell and surrounding counties to an evening of superb entertainment.

A \$5 donation will include soup, chili, and dessert, entertainment, and fellowship. Part of the money donated will go to support Salado children and youth

activities.

Jill Bradshaw, Chair of the Committee, hopes this event will give the community an opportunity to come together, renew old acquaintances, and meet new friends.

Tickets for this event may be purchased from the church office. In the near future, posters will be distributed containing additional information.

### Secret Pal Program

The SUMC will begin a Secret Pal Program, Jan. 30. Each participating member will draw a name that will become their Secret Pal from Jan. 30-April 30. During this period, the Secret Pals will

receive anonymous cards, gifts, and letters from the person who drew their name.

On April 30, during an evening social, each Secret Pal will learn who had their name. The program is always full of surprises, mystery and fun. Gifts, ranging from exotic flowers to handcrafted items are left in the strangest places while other people go to great lengths to disguise handwriting and sentence structure on greeting cards. The program includes both children and adults.

### FUNraisers go to Tinsel Town

The SUMC

FUNraisers, a group of retired fun-loving men and women, will travel to Tinsel Town to enjoy the movies, Jan. 18.

Leaving the church at 10 a.m., the group will travel to Austin in the Church van and have lunch at Gumbos. Following the movies, they will to the Church at 4 p.m. The FUNraisers have their own shirts with their motto: "Salado Methodist FUNraisers, wise as a tree full of owls."

Marjory Brashear is the Chair of the FUNraisers. Those desiring to be a part of this group may call her at 947-5481.

# Family issues topic of Ag forum

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service will be conducting a multi-county forum focusing on family issues on Jan. 18 at the Waco Convention Center. Registration fee for the five hour forum is \$10 per person which includes a barbecue lunch. Registration forms are available here in the Bell County Extension Office in Belton or by calling 933-5305. The program is open to all interested persons regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, national origin or disabilities.

The keynote speaker is

Gary Parker, Department of Public Safety Officer. His presentation, "Why Are We The Way We Are Today" will explore the alarming increase in violence in families, communities and schools. Other sessions will feature workshops on "Character Counts" curriculum by Dr. Kathy Volanty, Associate Director of Human Sciences with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and State Senator David Sibley will present a legislative update on issues and bills impacting Texas families.

Bell County Family and Community Education Clubs are sponsoring a defensive driving course for senior citizens 1-5 p.m. Jan. 25 and 27. The eight-hour course is being held at the Bell County Extension Office, 1605 N. Main in Belton.

Jeter Cook, Assistant State Coordinator for the 55 Alive Defensive Driving Course, will be the instructor. The course was developed by AARP and offers seniors a three year discount on their auto insurance if they successfully complete the course. The course can not be used to offset traffic

any senior citizen interested in enrolling in the course should contact the Bell County Extension Service at 933-5306. There is a \$10 charge for the workbook used during the two afternoon sessions. Space is available on a first come basis for 35 senior citizens in the class.

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## SISD Trustees to meet Jan. 17

The Salado ISD Board of Trustees will meet in Regular Session Jan. 17 in the Meadows Room at the Salado Civic Center.

Board vice president Mike Gunter will resign his position during the meeting, as he is moving out of the district. Gunter is moving to Belton.

The board will discuss the following business items:

- Board Member Resignation
- Election of Vice President
- Discussion of filling position for remainder of term vacated by board member
- The following committee reports will be given:
  - Ft. Hood Report;
  - Construction Committee: Completion of

- Punch List, Construction Fund Balance.
- Curriculum/Technology Committee Report
- Course Description Book and Approval of Limiting Drop Time
- The following are consent items before the board: approve the minutes of the December board meeting (s); Bookkeeper's and Tax Collector's Report and Approve Bills and

- Order Payments
- The Superintendent will Report to the board on the following items:
  - Preview of Student Web Sites; Technology Plan; Superintendent Appraisal; Process/ Handout of Appraisal Instrument; TEA Recognition of Thomas Arnold Elementary and Salado High School.
- The meeting is open to the public.

## Are you in dark on recycling?

A new NPD Group survey reveals that Americans are in the dark when it comes to environmental awareness in the wireless world. Sponsored by the Rechargeable Battery Recycling Corporation (RBRC), the survey found that 95 percent of the U.S. households own at least one type of cordless product. Of that group, the survey found that they are more likely to engage in recycling and "environmentally-friendly" activities that are easy and can be done from home. Seventy-seven percent say

they recycle bottles and cans and 75 percent say they conserve water. When asked about their portable products, however, the survey found that one in six households, or 16 percent, say they recycle rechargeable batteries. Of the small percentage recycling rechargeable batteries, the survey found that they are more likely than non-recycling households to: live in metropolitan areas with 2.5 million people or more (35%), be married (75%), and have household incomes over \$50,000

(57%). According to the survey, there are an estimated 431 million cordless products in the U.S. today, including cordless and cellular telephones, power tools, laptop computers, camcorders, and cordless personal care and household products. The average household owns more than three portable products and is most likely to own cordless phones (75%) and cordless power tools (61%). Nickel-Cadmium (Ni-Cd) batteries, which power 76 percent of the most common portable

products can and should be recycled. "What this survey points to is the great need for public education," said Ralph Millard, Executive Vice President of the RBRC. "Our goal is to encourage portable product owners, or 95 percent of the population, to learn more about their products and the power behind them." Recycling Ni-Cd batteries is easy—just call 1-800-8-BATTERY or go online at [www.rbrc.org](http://www.rbrc.org) to find the nearest retail site or recycling center.

## Equine Passport makes travel easier for horse enthusiasts

State livestock health officials in Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Mississippi have forged a reciprocal livestock health agreement, making it easier for horse enthusiasts to travel between and within these states with their equine. On Jan. 1, the group ushered in an "Equine Passport" that is valid for 6 months and can be used in lieu of the certificate of veterinary inspection (health paper), good for only 30 to 45 days, depending on the state in which it is presented.

"We spent months working with the other states to develop the passport, so owners could easily travel with their animals to rodeo's, trail rides, competitions and events within the

four states," said Dr. Beals, Texas state veterinarian and executive director for the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC), the state's livestock health regulatory agency. TAHC regulations prohibit the use of the Equine Passport for entry into pari-mutuel race tracks. All major shows and events welcome either the new document or a certificate of veterinary inspection. Private veterinary practitioners have been very supportive of the passport, as it cuts down on filling out paperwork for their clients who are on the rodeo, trail ride or other circuit event." said Dr. Beals. "Owners who compete, ride or show frequently within the four participating states may

find the passport suits their needs perfectly. Now they can choose either a certificate of veterinary inspection or the passport, either of which is acceptable. Anyone interested should talk with their private veterinary practitioner." Dr. Beals explained that one advantage of the passport is the stepped-up surveillance for the incurable viral disease Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) or "Coggins". Equine traveling under a passport must have an EIA test run every six months, instead of every 12 months, which is the requirement for a certificate of veterinary inspection. "That will give greater assurance that the equine (horse, donkey, mules, ass

or zebra) hauled most frequently among the four states are free of disease," said Dr. Beals. The EIA test paper, known as VS-10-11 must be carried with the passport document. The equine also must be individually identified with a permanent tattoo, brand or microchip-type implant. "When the passport was being developed, Louisiana "bought in" on the project but had to delay accepting or issuing passports," said Dr. Beals. For more information, or to check on Louisiana's participation in the interstate agreement after mid-Feb. Equine owners may call their TAHC area office or TAHC permits at 1-800-550-8242 ext 777:

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# School News

## Jennifer Tsosie receives Spirit of Salado Award

Salado High School student, Jennifer Joy Tsosie, has been named the recipient of the Compass Bank Spirit of Salado Award.

The award was established to recognize students at Salado High School for leadership, respect for others, and a willingness to serve in community/school activities.

Jennifer a senior is the recipient for the fall semester. Jennifer is a member of the National Honor Society, Varsity Basketball Team, UIL Speech-Poetry, Fellowship of Christian Students, Future Homemakers of America and she is ac-

tive in her church youth group.

Jennifer's Honors include Outstanding Award for Home Economics and was a nominee for Homecoming Queen 1999. Jennifer was also a member of the 1999 State runner-up Basketball Team.

Jennifer is the daughter of Al and Frankie Sidaras.

The recipient receives a \$200 savings bond, Spirit of Salado Award and her photograph displayed at the high school and bank lobby.

Susan Krueger, Branch Manager of Compass Bank-Salado, made the presentation.



## Registration for UMHB Spring Classes

Registration for spring classes at the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor is scheduled for Jan. 10-11.

Day classes at the UMHB campus begin Jan. 12. Fort Hood night classes also begin Jan. 12. However, night classes on the UMHB campus begin on Jan. 18, due to the fact that

the university will be closed Jan. 17 for the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday.

Students will register on campus based on last names. On Jan. 10, students with last names beginning with R through Z will register. On Jan. 11, students with last names beginning A through Q will register.

Registration will close between noon and 1 p.m. and between 4:30-5 p.m. Night registration will be from 5-7 p.m. on the same dates.

UMHB campus registration will be held in the Sanderford Administrative Complex. Fort Hood personnel and dependents may register at the Fort Hood

UMHB office, room 217B. The UMHB office number at Fort Hood is 254/287-0615.

The UMHB Bookstore will be open during registration allowing students to purchase books.

For more information, contact the Admissions Office at 295-4520.

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# Random thoughts, wondering, questions

**Tumbleweed Smith**

Say you have your car washed at a place where the firm's employees drive your car from the washbay to the driveway. That takes about one and a half seconds. Why is it that when you get back in the car, your seat, mirror, steering wheel, air conditioner and radio settings have all been changed?

Who came up with the phrase ethnic cleansing? There is absolutely nothing

cleansing about it. Why don't they just call it ethnic murder?

Why do people get sick and die? Why don't they just die?

What happened to handwriting? Today a person with beautiful handwriting is revered. Years ago, most everybody had good penmanship because it was taught in school. I've enjoyed myself many times just making lines and lines of slants and ovals. I don't ever remember ever hearing

the word "cursive" before my son started mentioning it while he was in elementary school.

Why do people in the north say grammar school instead of elementary school?

What's with all this cussing in movies? I thought it was very realistic in the movie MASH because a lot of guys cuss when they put on a US military uniform. But now it seems that people on the screen can't even talk about the weather without a dozen blankety-blankety-blankies.

Why are jokes so hard to remember?

Why didn't some car manufacturer come up with a really razzle-dazzle car for the new millennium? They all look the same.

Why did they call it the Civil War? There was nothing civil about it. And if World War One was the war to end all wars, why did they number it?

How come blackberries are red when they're green? What do you call a male

lady bug? What's a natural phenomenon? I thought a phenomenon was something unnatural. Why are we on the verge of giggling at church?

Whoever thought people would pay about the same for bottled water as they do for gasoline? Aren't leaf blowers terrible!

Why does stock go down right after I buy it and go up right after I sell it?


Why do they call it rush hour? Where do seedless grapes come from?

Why are things that taste so good bad for you? What's the story on those thermos jugs? How do they know hot and cold?

Why don't they declare Jan. 1, 2000 Computer-Free Day and let the party continue?

I wonder why I wonder so much. Wonder is the soul of imagination.

If you have anything you've been wondering about, write me and I'll print it and ask people to send in answers. Send your questions to me at Box 95, Big Spring, Texas 79721.



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**Q:** Can you tell me what "four-and-core" means? I heard the term used in relation to the way the legs were made on a Stickley chair.

**A:** The five Stickley brothers were all involved in the furniture manufacturing business during the Arts and Crafts period, about 1900-1920. They made solid, unadorned Mission-style pieces but sometimes used different construction methods. L. & J.G. Stickley's company, owned by Leopold and John George, made a chair leg by locking four boards together around a square central core of wood. This construction method was termed "four-and-core." It was later used by other companies.

**Q:** I spent \$1 at a Goodwill store for a 10-inch vase marked "Van Briggie" on the bottom. The other incised marks are "AA" within a rectangle and the number 9. The design on the vase starts at the bottom with daffodil bulbs. It continues up the vase with

leaves, and ends at the top with daffodil flowers. The vase is maroon at the bottom, but fades to black toward the top. Is it worth more than \$1.

**A:** Your vase was made by Van Briggie Pottery, which has worked in Colorado Springs, CO., since 1901. The pottery's "Daffodil" design, No. 862, was created in 1911 by Anne Gregory Van Briggie (1868-1929). She was the widow of Artus Van Briggie (1869-1904), founder of the pottery. The two A's in the mark stand for the couple's first names. The "9" in the mark refers to a finisher who worked at the pottery in 1919-20. That is probably when your vase was made. The glaze on your vase is called "Deep Mulberry." That color was discontinued in 1946. Van Briggie is still making the Daffodil vase, but only in turquoise, lilac blue (purple) or dusty rose (pink). A new one costs about \$55. Your old vase would sell for more than \$600.

## Salado Country Cooking

These recipes came from the Salado Country Cooking Cookbook, sponsored by the Monday Club.

### Honey Apricot Bread

**Bernice E. Weatherman**

- 1 1/2 c. flour
- 2 1/2 tsp. baking powder
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1 c. skim milk
- 2 T. melted butter or margarine
- 1 c. bran flakes
- 1 c. dried apricots, finely chopped
- 2/3 c. brown sugar
- 1 egg, slightly beaten
- 1/4 c. honey

Mix ingredients in order given. Bake in lightly-greased 8x4-inch baking pan in 350 degrees oven for 55-60 minutes. Cool before slicing. Makes approximately 16 (1/2-inch) slices.

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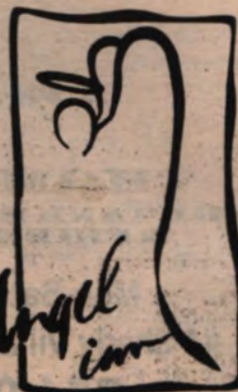
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From the Tenth Excerpt:

## Salado's first free school established in 1874 just west of present Tyler House

by Patricia Merrill

(The tenth excerpt from a book in preparation.)

On Oct. 8, 1859, a group of men meeting in a tent organized themselves into a stock company with the purpose of building a school "at the freshwater springs below the crossing of the Austin and Belton road on the Salado Creek." Their leader, Col. E.S.C. Robertson, proposed that he donate 10 acres of land and sell 90 more at \$5 an acre. If the stock company spent \$5,000 in two years for buildings and improvements, he agreed to donate 100 acres, including two or three springs. The presence of the spring-fed creek was obviously an important factor in the founding of the college and in the establishment of the village of Salado.

Even earlier, the first school in the Salado area

was established in 1849 in a residence with Mr. F. N. Goode as the first teacher. In 1874 the first free school in the area was organized in a building just west of the present Tyler House. And in 1888 the Summers Mill School was created by the Bell County Commissioners; in 1915 it was consolidated with the Elm Grove School to form the new Armstrong School.

In all of these early schools, whether they were tuition or free schools, conditions were primitive, and it was understood that helping with the fall harvest and spring plowing took precedent over school attendance.

Extra-curricular activities often centered around the creek. Teachers organized impromptu nature outings to hunt for wildflowers or to observe the creek at different seasons. Sometimes the students im-

proved their own extra-curricular activities as happened one April Fool's Day when a group of boys went skinny dipping in the creek. They then built a huge brush fire to get warm and alternated swimming with huddling around the fire--until they were caught.

The first Board of Trustees of Salado College passed a resolution asking the Texas legislature to inhibit "the sale of intoxicating liquors, the keeping of billiard saloons and ten pin alleys" on the land donated by Robertson for college purposes. They also decreed that "Bible" be taught.

Literature, mathematics, and Latin were emphasized in the curriculum, and two of the first literary societies in the state began at Salado College. Several men who would become prominent in state affairs attended the college, and in 1865 the

college reached a peak enrollment of 307. However, as state funds for education became available, Salado College (which relied solely on tuition) could not meet the growing competition from publicly endowed schools. After it closed, the building was used as a fine prep-type high school, Thomas Arnold High School, from 1890-1913.

In 1924, the Salado School building (today the Salado Civic Center) was completed, and several of the rural schools were consolidated. Most students walked to the school, although some rode mules or horses (sometimes three on a horse). There was no gymnasium, and the creek remained a center for pleasant activities after, and sometimes during, the school days.

(Next: Churches near the creek.)

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The Jewel will be printed on a 50# white offset paper. The heavier paper stock gives the magazine a longer shelf-life, as well as making it much more attractive.

The Jewel is distributed in every store, shop and restaurant advertising in the magazine. Hotels and bed and breakfast inns in the village put the magazine in their rooms for visitors to read and take home.

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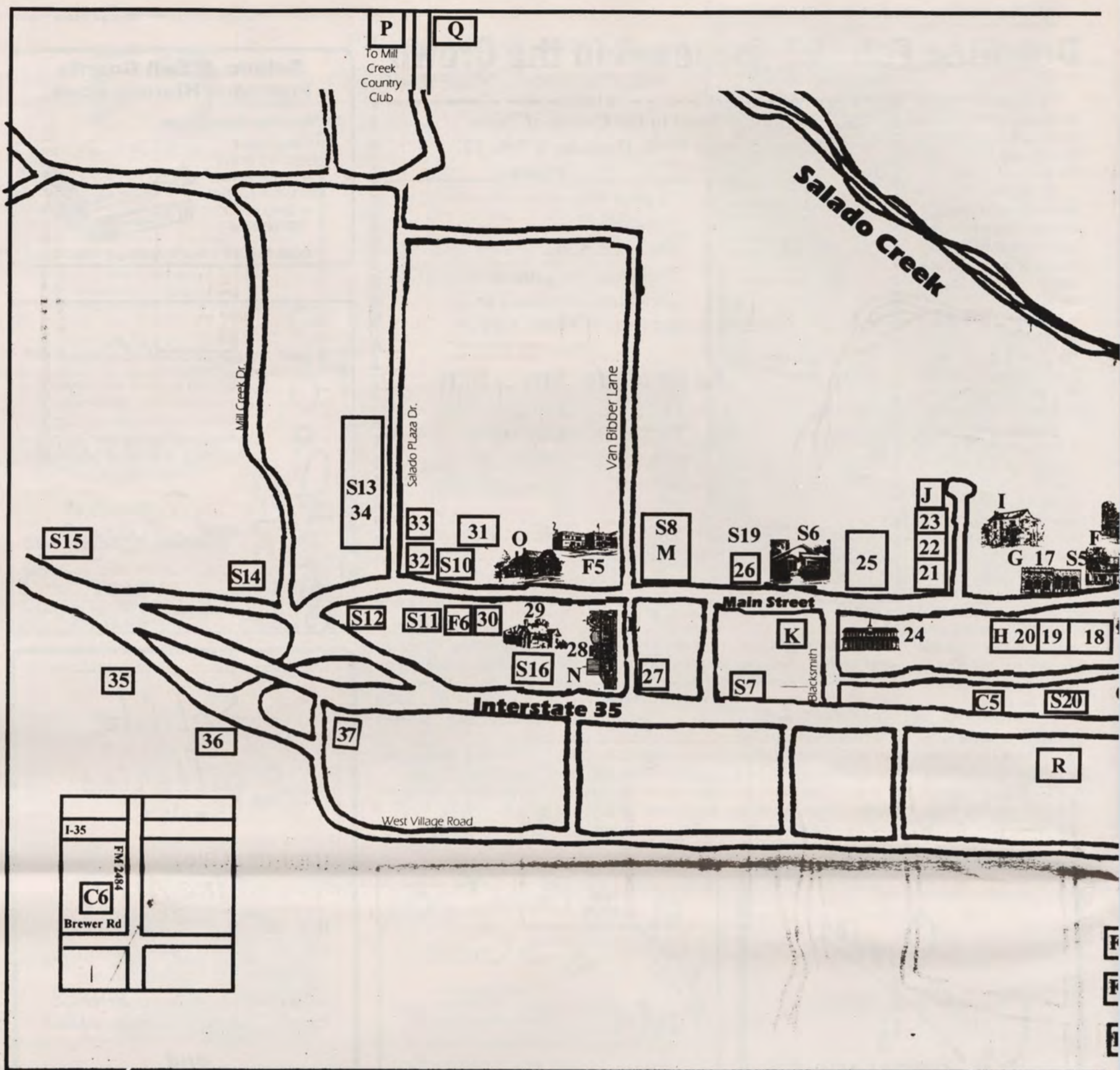
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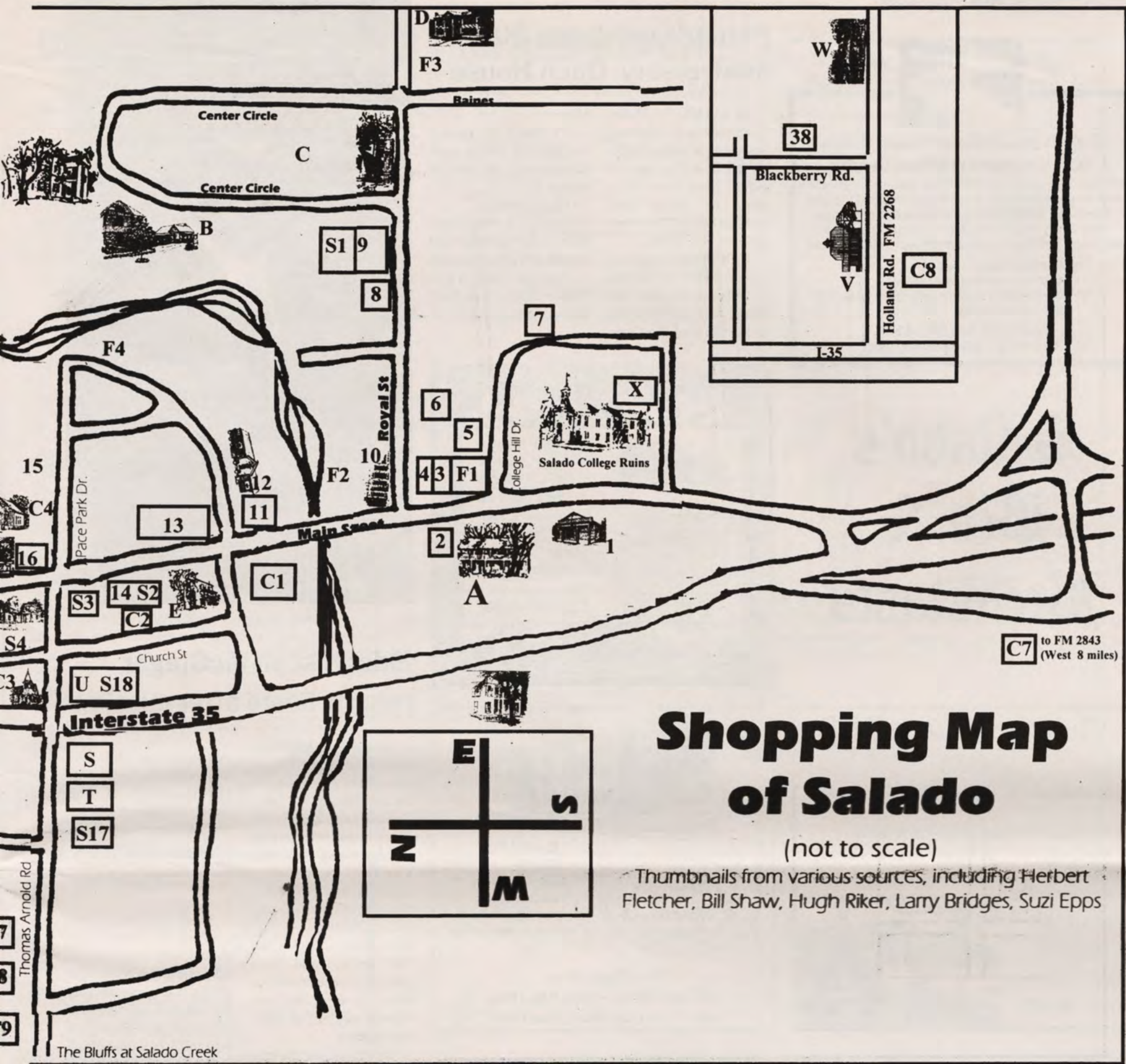


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| Main Street Place              | Salado Square               | 254/947-9908 |                                  |                                     |              |
| Barnhill-Britt Furniture       | Salado Square               | 254/947-3277 |                                  |                                     |              |
| Carden's                       | Salado Square               | 254/947-0300 |                                  |                                     |              |
| 18. Mud Pies                   | 18 North Main St.           | 254/947-0281 |                                  |                                     |              |
| 19. Rittenhouse Square         | 22 North Main St.           | 254/947-8168 |                                  |                                     |              |
| 20. Rose Cottage Gifts         | N. Main St.                 | 254/947-9110 |                                  |                                     |              |
| 21. Sir Wigglesworth           | Rock Creek and Main         | 254/947-8846 |                                  |                                     |              |

## Dining & Lodging

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| A. Stagecoach Inn       | I-35 exits 283, 284 | 254/947-5111 |
| B. Inn on the Creek     | Center Circle       | 254/947-5554 |
| C. The Baines House B&B | Royal St.           | 254/947-9683 |
| D. The Rose Mansion     | One Rose Way        | 254/947-8200 |
| E. The Salado Mansion   | Main St.            | 254/947-5157 |
| F. The Inn at Salado    | Main St.            | 254/947-0027 |



# Shopping Map of Salado

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G. Browning's Courtyard Cafe	Salado Square	254/947-8666
H. Pink Rose Tea Room	N. Main St.	254/947-9110
I. The Range at the Barton House	101 N. Main St.	254/947-3828
K. Pietro's Italian Restaurant	Main St. & Blacksmith	254/947-0559
L. The Vickrey House B&B	N. Main St.	254/947-0026
N. Cathy's Boardwalk Cafe	Old Town Salado	254/947-8162
O. Halley House Bed & Breakfast	N. Main St.	254/947-1000
P. Creekside Banquet & Meeting Center	1401 South Ridge Rd.	254/947-3052
Mill Creek Inn		254/947-5141
Q. Salado Creek Guest House Suites	1314 South Ridge Rd.	254/947-3538
		877/626-9988
R. Pflzerhof German Restaurant	220 N. Robertson Rd.	254/947-4267
T. Lucy's Place Barbecue	301 Thomas Arnold Rd.	254/947-GOOD
U. Salado Burger King	I-35 at Thomas Arnold	254/947-8060
V. Brambley Hedge B&B	1 mile east on FM 2268	254/947-1914

## Services in Salado

S1. Royal Street Commons	Royal St. at Center Circle	
S2. First Texas Brokerage	In The Veranda on Main	254/947-5577
S3. First State Bank, Salado	Main & Thomas Arnold	254/947-5852
S4. Family Dentistry	Main & Thomas Arnold	254/947-5242
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S5. Linda Pritchard Massage Therapist	Salado Square	254/947-HAND
S6. Sarah Lee Realty, Inc.	301 N. Main St.	254/947-1011
Elza Porcel Edwards	301 N. Main St.	254/947-1176
S7. Salado Floors and Walls	I-35 east access road	254/947-0048
S8. <b>Salado Civic Square</b>	Main St. & Van Bibber	
Properties by Larry Sands	Main St.	254/947-5580
Farmers Insurance (John Hall)	Salado Civic Square	254/947-3151
S11. Century 21 Bill Bartlett	600 Main St.	254/947-5050
S12. Compass Bank	N. Main St.	254/947-5051
S13. <b>SALADO PLAZA</b>	213 Mill Creek Dr.	
Homeland Mortgages	Suite #115	254/947-4475
Salado Village Voice	Suite #125	254/947-5321

Village Pharmacy	Suite #155	254/947-3185
Deanna's Creations Flowers	Suite #160	254/947-0222
BoTangles	Suite #165	254/947-4747
Salado Eyecare	Suite #185	254/947-LENS
Salado Chiropractic	Suite #190	254/947-2225
S16. Stillwell Distinctive Homes	677 N. Stagecoach Rd.	254/947-0359
S18. Salado Exxon	15 Stagecoach Road	254/947-5660
E. Good Time Carriage Rides	Pick-up at Salado Mansion	254/771-2839

## Churches & Civic Organizations

C1. First Baptist Church	Main St. at Pace Park	254/947-5465
C2. Salado Masonic Lodge #296	Church St.	
C3. United Methodist Church	Thomas Arnold Rd.	254/947-5482
C4. Presbyterian Church of Salado	Allen Meeting Hall	254/947-9935
C5. Salado Church of Christ	I-35 at Blacksmith Rd.	254/947-5241
C6. Grace Baptist Church	FM 1670 West of Salado	254/947-5917
C7. Cedar Valley Baptist Church	FM 2843 (8 miles west)	254/947-0148
C8. St. Stephen Catholic Church	Holland Rd. (FM 2268)	254/947-8037

## Public Facilities & Schools

F1. Central Texas Area Museum	Main St.	254/947-5232
F2. Sirena	Springs on Salado Creek	
F3. Goodnight Amphitheater	Royal St.	254/947-9205
F4. W.A. Pace Memorial Park	Pace Park Dr.	254/947-5040
F5. <b>Salado Civic Center</b>	North Main St	254/947-8300
Chamber of Commerce	Salado Civic Center	254/947-5040
Public Library	Salado Civic Center	254/947-9191
Salado Historical Society	Salado Civic Center	
Salado Village Artists	Salado Art Center at the Civic Center	
Salado ISD Administration	Salado Civic Center (upstairs)	254/947-5479
F6. U.S. Post Office	Main St.	254/947-5322
F7. Thomas Arnold Elementary	Thomas Arnold Rd.	254/947-5191
F8. Salado Intermediate School	Thomas Arnold Rd.	254/947-1700
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Their children John and Jimmy Parker of Belton, Lori Maples of Izoro, and Tammi Patterson of Hawaii, will be host of the Open

House. J.T. Parker and Frankie McGuyer of Salado were married Jan. 10, 1950 in Belton.

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## Elder Joseph McGregor returns home after mission

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He is one of nearly 60,000 missionaries for the LDS Church serving throughout the United States and the world. These men and women are volunteers who serve the Lord without pay and at their own expense.

On Jan. 16, he will be a speaker at the local LDS Church located at 3309 Ermine in Temple. Friends and family are invited to come and hear of his spiri-

tual experiences while serving as a representative of the Lord Jesus Christ. The meeting times are 9 a.m. for the First Ward, and at 1 p.m. for the Second Ward (Elder McGregor's home ward). He will speak in both meetings.

McGregor is a 1997 graduate of Salado High School, and is the son of Gary and Helen McGregor of Salado. His grandparents are Lee Roy and Marjorie McGregor of Holland and Juan and Sara Hernandez of Belton.

McGregor plans to return to Ricks College in Rexburg, ID, to resume his studies.

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## Maj. Gen. Benjamin S. Griffin speaks to Lions

Salado Lions Club will meet 11:15 a.m. Jan. 12 at Creekside Restaurant to hear from the commanding general of the Fourth Infantry Division at Ft. Hood.

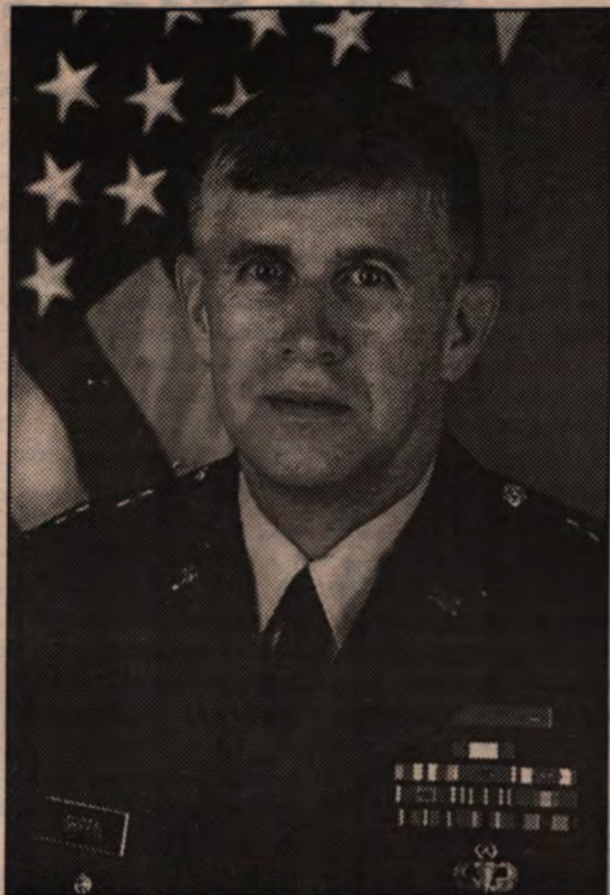
Maj. Gen. Benjamin S. Griffin came to Ft. Hood as commanding general of the Fourth Infantry Division in 1999 after serving two years as Director of Force Programs, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans in Washington, D.C.

This is his second tour of duty at Ft. Hood: he served as Assistant Division Commander (Support), First Cavalry Division at Ft. Hood Sept. 1996 to July 1997.

Gen. Griffin was the Executive Officer to the Commanding General, United States Army Aug. 1994 to July 1995.

Maj. Gen. Griffin received a B.S. Degree in Business Management from Old Dominion University in 1969 and a Master of Business Administration from Mercer University in 1981. He received his commission in July 1970 after graduating from Officer Candidate School in Ft. Benning, Georgia.

Salado Lions meet on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month for lunch at 11:15 a.m. Creekside Restaurant in Mill Creek.



## Rockin' Music Festival Series features The Marvelettes, The Chordettes, The Crew-Cuts

Temple Parks and Leisure Services and the Mayborn Center presents three music concerts in The Rockin' Music Festival Series, beginning in February.

The first in the series, The Marvelettes, coupled with the The Chordettes and The Crew-Cuts will be arriving at the Frank W. Mayborn Civic and Convention Center on Feb. 5,

each bringing their own unique style of music and Rockin' flair! The concert will begin at 7 p.m. with the Marvelettes performing hits such as "Don't Mess With Bill," "The Hunter Gets Captured by the Game," and "Please Mr. Postman."

The Chordettes, which were originally formed in 1946 in Sheboygan, WI, were known for their Pop,

Doo Wop, and Girl-Group styles during the 50's and 60's. They will be performing favorite hits such as "Born to be With You," "Lollipop," "Mr. Sandman," and "Never on Sunday."

The third group performing Feb. 5 will be The Crew-Cut, originally formed in 1952 in Toronto, Ontario, Canada. The group

produced such Pop/Rock and Vocal-Pop hits in the 50's and 60's as "Earth Angel," "Gum Drop," "Sh-Boom," and "Angels in the Sky."

Three Dog Night will perform April 22 and BeatleMania will end the series on Sept. 23.

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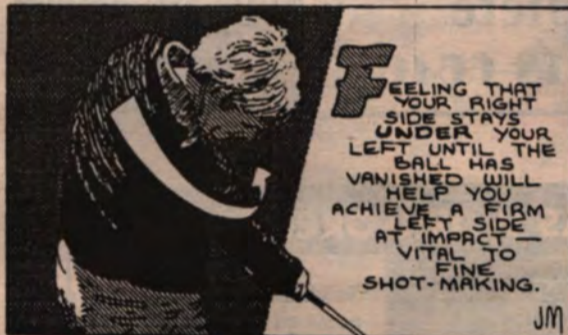
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### Golf Course Views

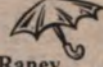
Large half acre plus lots with views of the golf course. Located in newly developed Rose Matt Oaks Subdivision off Chisholm Trail. Choose your own builder. Call for more details!

### Townhome with View

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# Hints for Homeowners

## Guard your family against electrical fires in the home

Every year, more than 40,000 residential fires can be attributed to a home's electrical system, according to the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

This results in nearly 2,000 deaths and injuries and \$700 million in property damage.

Fire safety experts say a significant number of these deadly fires are the result of "arcing faults." An arcing fault can occur where there is deterioration or damage to a home's wiring system, which can ignite the surrounding combustible material.

The National Electric Code recently adopted a resolution that requires Arc Fault Circuit Interrupter (AFCI) breakers for bedroom outlet circuits in new construction by the year 2002. The state of Vermont recently passed legislation requiring AFCI on all living area circuits by 2001. Other states are considering similar legislation. "I can't imagine a case in which you wouldn't want to use a device of this nature," said Steve Darcangelo, a Pennsylvania fire chief.

Arcing faults can occur in new or older homes,

apartments or any other residential dwelling. Any one or more of these hazardous situations may be the culprit:

- During new construction or remodeling, a wire can be pinched or punctured by a nail, or stapled too tightly against a wood stud, resulting in insulation damage.

- Since it's almost impossible to know where wires are located behind a wall, the nail from a picture hanger can actually puncture wiring insulation and cause an arc fault.

- Wiring insulation may

be damaged when furniture is pushed up against or rests on a cord.

- A wall outlet or switch can cause an arc fault if not properly installed.

How can you protect against these causes? Inspect all cords for insulation deterioration and replace those that are damaged. Have a qualified electrician inspect all outlets and switches, including any wire connections. There are many new types of circuit breakers that can be installed in homes to help prevent fires and the loss of lives.



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One of Mill Creek's Best Kept Secrets just minutes by cart from the golf course! Fabulous Estate Home on 3.3 plus beautifully treed acres, privacy fenced with gated entry. Featuring the just completed, totally remodeled kitchen with "top of the line" available appliances, and numerous other fine updates through out the home and property within the past year. 5 BR, 5 Full, 2 Half Baths, mirrored exercise room, marble floor gallery leading to 24x22 master bedroom, with huge luxury master bath. Swimming pool, Pool house, Spa! For more details call Sarah Lee!



Retirement Dream Home! Stillwell built in 1992 for this discriminating owner - mostly tiled floors. Two Master suites on one level. Thoughtfully designed - immaculate!  
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Perfect arrangement for casual entertaining with huge living/dining combination, patios on side and back yard. Exterior planned for easy maintenance and relaxed "at home" time. \$2,000 redecorating allowance. **\$160,000's.**



**LOOK!**  
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EXQUISITE! will best describe the interiors of this home in prestigious Highlands of Mill Creek. Dramatic winding staircase, oak & tile flooring, sets the tone of elegance in this executive custom, "Lilly" Home. QUICK MOVE-IN 1924 Highland Drive. New Price **\$195,000.**

## Homes with Acreage



**PRIME LOCATION!** A Salado Original - 1.5 acres atop the Hill entering Mill Creek, the acreage treed with "Century" Oaks. Potential for commercial or residential use and additional improvement. Pricing in mid **\$200,000's.**



Terrific family home in the country with wet weather creek. This new listing features 4 bedrooms, wood floors, cozy keeping room with fireplace. All on 10+ wooded acres with horse barn, fending and office. Come see this jewel at **\$359,500.**



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### Salado Country Estate

On the Hilltop at the center of 8.7 gorgeous acres with trees and wet weather creek. Guest house, barn, gated property. Call Sarah Lee Realty, Inc. for further details!

## Townhome living at its best!



**UNDER CONTRACT**  
Mill Creek - 3 bedroom, 2-1/2 bath, 2 car garage-free home away from home. **\$68,000.**



Old Mill Road - 3 bedroom, 3 bath all on one level. View to golf course, Saltillo tile, Sunroom/Fireplace. UNBELIEVEABLE square footage for only **\$159,000.**



Chisholm Ridge #12 Extreme updates!! Tile flooring, carpeting, white on white, oversized deck, recently renewed. Great liveable floor plan with views. Downstairs master bedroom and upstairs. **\$140,000's.**



Beautiful views on Mill Creek golf course and pond. Townhome living at its best on Bluff Circle! Recently completed. 3 bedroom, 2-1/2 bath and Bonus! **\$215,900.**

## New Listings!

Flowing Salado Creek, Deer grazing among the live oaks, Incredible Sunsets, the setting for this meticulously designed, custom built new home in the Bluffs. Native Limestone, Metal roof. Priced in the **\$300's.**



Elegant Interiors! Formals, cozy "keeping room" with fireplace. Beautiful fresh landscaping including fountain. Price in the **\$170's.**



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## Building Sites!

.9 Acre Blackberry Area	<b>UNDER CONTRACT</b>	<b>\$21,500</b>
Quail Hollow, Mill Creek	-----	<b>\$22,500</b>
Creekview/Golf Course	<del>\$50,000</del> -----	Now <b>\$35,000</b>
Chisholm Trail/Golf Course	-----	<b>\$65,000</b>
Salado Creek Place	-----	<b>\$50,000</b>
Salado Creek Place	-----	<b>\$25,000</b>

Thank you for letting me serve you!

# New Beginnings for a New Year...



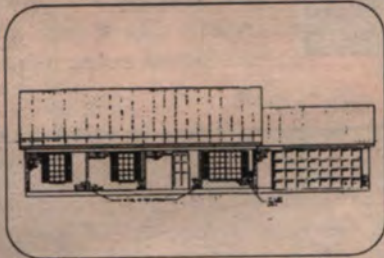
**\$259,000:** Stillwater Custom Homes now in Mill Creek Springs near the golf course overlooking the practice green. Cozy family room adjoins the breakfast room. 4 BR, 2-1/2 BA, formal living, formal dining. Long list of custom features.



**\$169,800:** There is a cool breeze and excellent view from the screened porch of this contemporary Mill Creek home. Three redwood decks extend this home to the outdoors and view a magnificent live oak tree. Large family room, vaulted ceilings, tile floors and workshop.



**\$136,500:** Looking for greener pastures for your horse? Cross-fenced pastures, 6 stall barn with ranch-style home on 5.68 acres. Barn has storage area with concrete floor attached to stalls. 3 BR, 2 BA with 2 car garage. Fresh exterior paint & recently replaced roof.



**\$98,000:** New Construction on one half acre lot in Salado Springs. This 3BR, 2 BA home will have a two car garage. Kitchen & baths to be tiled. Vaulted ceiling in living room. Completion in mid-January, 2000.



**\$199,000:** Take advantage of the incredible view just outside your family room. Situated on 2.67 acres, this 3 BR, 2 BA is just like new. Located in the Woods of Salado.



**\$185,000:** Reduced for quick sale. 2825 SF - \$65.49 per foot. An excellent buy on the 14th Fairway in Mill Creek! This 3 BR, 2-1/2 BA has a 2 car plus a golf cart garage. Formal living & Dining, with Breakfast Room, Office off Master BR. Plantation shutters, ceiling fans, updated wallpapers & dishwasher. Professionally landscaped with sprinkler system.



**\$165,000:** 5BD, 3-1/2BA on wooded lot in excellent location in Mill Creek.



**\$129,921:** 3 BR, 2 BA patio home across from Pro Shop. Only 4 years old. One living, one dining, 2 car garage. Garden Tub in Master Bath. Covered porch. Extra lot available.

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## Residential Listings

**Like New!** Tile in den & kitchen area. Gorgeous brick fireplace. large fenced backyard. Excellent location for easy access to Temple or Belton. Belton schools. Call for more details! \$69,000.

**Cornerstone Custom Home in Wild Rose.** A grand arched entry opens up into a large great room with columns & 12' ceilings. French doors enter the 4th bedroom, perfect for an office or study. Relax in the jacuzzi in the Master Bath with separate shower, vanity, plant ledge & huge walk-in closet. Upgraded fixtures, large covered patio & dimensional roof.. \$175,000.

**Situated on 2.49 breathtaking wooded acres,** this beautifully designed home is currently under construction. Estimated completion is mid-January, 2000. \$196,921.

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**Quality home currently under construction on 3.04 acres.** Lot is heavily wooded. Estimated completion is mid January 2000. Will be fenced & ready for horses. \$198,721.

**3BR plus office, family room, roomy kitchen and dining, sun room, 2-1/2 BA, 2 car garage plus golf cart garage.** 11' ceilings with crown molding. Bright, cheerful Master BR with jacuzzi tub and separate shower in bath. Sprinkler system, garden area, deck, island with bar in kitchen, central vacuum. Hilltop view from sunroom. \$198,900.

**New construction in Mill Creek Springs,** the newest subdivision in Mill Creek. Buy now and choose your own colors. Scheduled completion is early April, 2000. \$199,321.

**Country beauty on 5 wooded acres!** Floor plan is open and bright. Formal dining and breakfast nook with two living rooms. Relax in the enclosed patio that is ready for a hot tub. 4 BR, 2BA. Chain link fenced area for your pet. \$210,000.

**Large rock home, 3 BR, 2.5 BA with two living areas.** Large barn with stables and lighted roping arena, on 10 or more acres. \$250,000.

**Stillwater Custom Homes now in Mill Creek Springs** near the golf course overlooking the practice green. Cozy family room adjoins the breakfast room. 4 BR, 2-1/2 BA, formal living, formal dining. Long list of features. \$239,000.

**Recently completed bonus room** now makes 4th bedroom in this breathtaking home. Impeccable condition with many quality extras. Custom kitchen cabinets & Corian countertops, vaulted ceiling in family room, oversized garage, & sprinkler system. Close to downtown Salado. \$259,500.

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**Southern Living style home** on over 4 wooded acres. 4 BR, Office, 2-1/2 bath, Living Room and Game Room. Decorated with tile and river stone accents. Enjoy the outdoors on the long front porch or the deck out back. Only 2 years old. \$299,000.

**Ranch home on beautiful setting** on 179 acres. 3 BR, 2-1/2 BA with 2 living areas. Horse barn and lighted roping arena. \$429,000.

## Commercial Listings

**Bo Barn's Nightclub in Salado.** Very good business. Call Bill for details.

**\$268,000:** Charming Salado style Victorian on North Main Street. One acre with over 100 feet of Main

Street frontage. Circa 1900 built Victorian with 1648 SF, beautiful hardwood floors, kitchen, four large rooms and two baths. Additional 900 SF available in a separate 2-story building. Large live oaks, 3 separate storage buildings, parking. A grand opportunity!

**2.059 acres with 2 commercial buildings** conveniently located with over 316 feet on I-35 Service Road at Main Street. Some owner financing. \$343,000.

## Lots/Land

**635 acres of mostly live oak,** near Salado, with live spring, good road frontage.

**388 acres near Davilla in Milam Co.** Very nice place, part cultivation, part pasture. Good road frontage.

**Approx. 160 acres** 5 mi. S of Salado. Well located, community water. \$1,200/ac.

**150 acres on Hwy 36** at Temple Airport, all or part.

**17.5 acres on Amity School Road** between Salado and Belton. Se-

cluded but handy. **15.06 acres** 2 miles SE of Salado on FM 2268. Water, road frontage. \$2,650/ac. **Royal Oaks Subdivision** - near downtown Salado, large restricted wooded lots, owner finance.

**12 to 16 acres** 3 miles W. of Salado on paved road, all woods, water available. \$4,500/ac. **2 lots-view course & creek** \$45,000/each.

**Old Mill Rd. @ S. Ridge** - \$39,000.

**Chisholm Trail** - \$24,921.

**Chisholm Trail** - \$29,900.

**Morgan's Point** - \$25,000.

**S. Penelope, Belton** - \$24,900.

**Wild Rose** - \$19,000 - \$24,000.

**Spanish Oak** - \$15,250.

**2 Live Oak Estate lots** - \$9,500.

**Betty Place** - \$19,921.

**Mill Creek Springs** - 6 lots - \$30 - \$75,000.

**26 acres near Salado,** hilltop view, nice cabin - \$137,500.

**Winners Circle** - \$50 - \$58,000.

**2 lots - Salado Plaza** - \$29,000 each.

## Salado's Home Team



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## Residential Listings

**\$350,000:** Secluded country home on the most beautiful wooded 3 acres one could ever ask for at the corner of Sulphur Wells and Blackberry Rd. This home offers 2 large fireplaces, two living areas with beautifully exposed wood beams. 3 bedroom/3 baths, country kitchen and 2 car garage.

**\$295,000:** 4 bedroom, 3 1/2 baths, 2 car garage multi-level home on 2 acres surrounded by large live oak trees. This home offers 2 living, formal dining, large deck, fireplace, office and breath-taking view of surrounding area. Additional acreage is available.

**\$210,000:** This beautiful home sits on 10 acres of rolling tree country off Quail Ridge Rd. With over 3000 Sq. Ft. of unique-styled living area, the home has large covered porch overlooking beautifully rocked landscaped areas. A must see for country lover.

**\$154,900 Reduced \$149,000:** Smith Bluff walk to the Pro Shop from this 3/2/2. Recently upgraded. Priced under appraised value. Additional carport with storage.

**\$178,000:** Move into this newly constructed red brick with 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. Enjoy the large family room and fireplace. Split master bedroom and a tucked away office offered. Enjoy the 1/2 acre lot with an abundance of large trees. Owner will consider owner financing.

**\$128,000:** Don't watch golf on your television, just grab a chair and head to the patio for one of the prettiest greens on course #5. This 3/2/2 is less than 5 years old and convenient to the clubhouse.

**\$112,500:** Looking for that house on small acreage? Come see this Austin stone with tin roof on 5 acres west of Salado. High vaulted ceilings add a country charm to this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Convenient to Belton, Temple or the Killeen area.

**\$59,000:** Two living areas with large dining in Belton. This 2 bedroom, one bath is looking for new owners.

## Acreage Available

- 2800 feet of frontage on Salado Creek.
- 2.8 acres on Elmer King Road. Heavily wooded. \$27,500.
- 3 acres commercial fronting I-35, 1 mile S. of Salado, \$69,900.
- 5 acres fronting FM 2484, heavy wooded. - UNDER CONTRACT
- 7 acres fronting FM 2843, creek, outstanding trees.
- 10 acres fronting Elmer King Rd. \$40,000.
- 10 acres fronting East Amity, \$40,000.
- 10 acres - FM 2843, Hill Country, heavily wooded, great homesite. \$72,000.
- 30 acres overlooking Salado Creek. Thomas Arnold Rd. Tremendous views.
- 40 acres, FM 2843. Hilltop views.
- 50 acres. Blackberry Rd. Coastal with heavily wooded acreage. Excellent homesite with large stock tank.
- 60 acres FM 2115 with stock tank with high hill views, owner finance.
- 80 acres FM 2843 & Cedar Valley. Will divide. Hill Country's best. \$3,500 per acre, owner finance.
- 928 acres Southwest of Salado. Beautiful rolling tree country with live creek and large lake on property. Excellent views. Outstanding wildlife (deer, turkey, quail).
- 1428 acres almost one mile of spring fed creek with beautiful rolling hill country topography with outstanding wildlife such as deer, turkey, hogs and quail. Excellent tree cover for homesites being just 35 minutes from Round Rock or 5 minutes west of Salado.

## Salado Lots

- Indian Trail at Blaylock, large corner lot, 90x188 - \$36,000.
- Indian Trail - 90x188 - \$34,000.
- Quail Hollow at Indian Trail, corner lot - \$39,000.
- Southridge - Large lot covered with trees - \$36,900.

## Commercial Listings

Multiple Business Opportunities Fronting IH-35. Approximately one acre commercial corner lot. Property includes several buildings, septic and utilities. Property fronts IH-35 with easy access from west access road. Lots of possibilities! Must See! \$240,000.

## Belton Area Properties

- Lots with sewage and water on Shady Lane. \$7,995 each.
- 1 acre tracts: Sand and Gravel Rd. \$15,000 each.

## The Bluffs at Salado Creek

Lot #7	0.76 acre	\$50,000	\$35,000
Lot #8	0.76 acre	UNDER CONTRACT	\$35,000
Lot #9	0.65 acre	SOLD	\$20,000



**\$119,000:** Charming Victorian Style Home on one acre. Originally built in 1904 and lovingly refurbished, Old world charm is seen in original floors, light fixtures, windows and wrap around porch. This home also includes fashionable faux paint, rock walkways, herb, rose and fairy garden. 5 bedrooms, 2.5 bath and a separate artist studio makes this a real find. 4 additional acres available.

**\$295,000:** Enjoy the country in this quiet neighborhood "The Bluff's of Salado". Outstanding Austin Stone Home! Entertain or just enjoy the great outdoors from your patio overlooking .9 acre of professionally landscaped yard with all native Texas plants and trees. Room for all in this 4/3/2 with formal living and dining, large den, gourmet style kitchen.



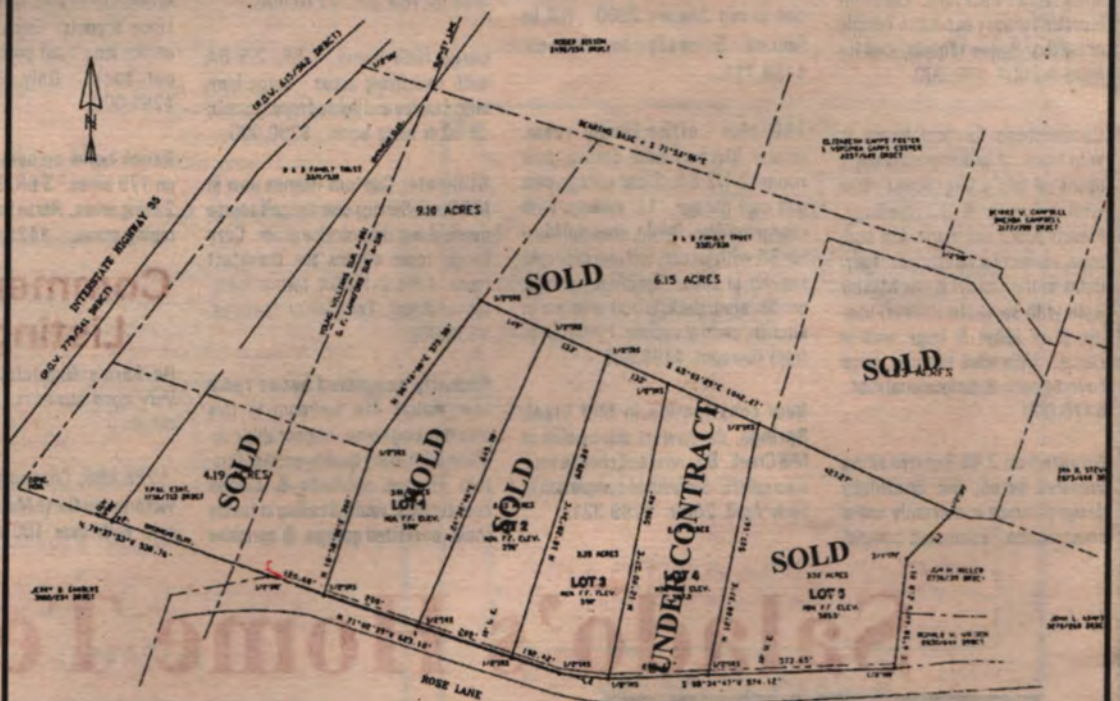
## Salado Oaks

Quiet living with easy access. Just six two lots remain.

#2	1.079 acre	SOLD 0	#3	.79 acre	SOLD 0
#4	.500 acre	SOLD 0	#13	.793 acre	\$21,500
			#18	.522 acre	\$19,250

## Rose Estates

Heavily Wooded Acreage  
Convenient Access • Privacy • Views • Salado Schools



Lot 1	3.01 acres	SOLD	Tract 1	4.19 acres	SOLD
Lot 3	2.35 acres	\$34,500	Tract 2	9.10 acres	\$75,000
Lot 4	2.47	UNDER CONTRACT	Tract 3	6.15 acres	SOLD
Lot 5	3.52 acres	SOLD	Tract 4	4.53 acres	SOLD