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Humanities can help to make the poor dangerous people

by Tim Fleischer
Editor-in-Chief

Author Earl Shorris shared a story about respect during his discussion of "How to Make the Poor Dangerous," the final lecture Nov. 21 in the Institute for the Humanities at Salado's series on "Poverty and the American Experience."

His story concerned one of the students in the Roberto Clemente Humanities course in humanities offered to poor people.

Sleepy, as he was called by his friends and acquaintances, sat in one of the chairs as Shorris tried to explain why the course in humanities was being offered.

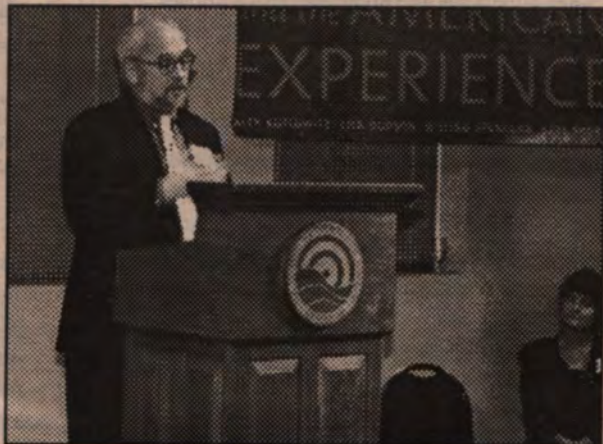
"He seemed to be perfectly parallel to the ground. It was the first time I had seen someone sit like this," Shorris explained.

As Shorris asked the potential students their names, he arrived at Sleepy, so-called because of his sleepy eye. "Everyone calls me Sleepy, but my name is Henry Jones," he told me," Shorris explained.

"I told him that in this course, he would be Mr. Jones and I would be Mr. Shorris," he said, adding that Jones told him that "was the first time in his whole life that anyone had thought of him as a Mr. Jones."

But by treating poor people with common respect, you begin to break down the surround of force that encompasses the poor.

According to Shorris, some of the forces which surround the poor are public housing, hunger, so-called helpers, bad luck, feudalism, the law, guns, pressure, hurrying, govern-



(photo by Tim Fleischer)

Author Earl Shorris discussed humanities and the poor during a lecture Nov. 21.

ment, family, violence, bad neighbors, graffiti, drugs, meanness, prison, crime, racism, the media, salesmen, advertising.

Shorris explored these forces in his book "New American Blues: A Journey Through Poverty to Democracy."

"Imagine being surrounded by all these forces all the time," Shorris said. "You react. There is no chance to think. You just react or you go under and die."

Shorris said that the poor are faced with this choice: "Resist and be destroyed or surrender and be destroyed."

Taking Heracles' view that politics begins at home, Shorris began his efforts to help the poor begin to live "public lives."

His theory, put to the test through the Clemente Humanities Course, is that "if you study the humanities, you begin to reflect." The humanities help you reflect on such things as how the Greeks balanced liberty and order, arriving at self-government "from which comes the notion of democracy."

With volunteer professors in the disciplines of logic, literature, history and

art, the Clemente Course in the Humanities, named for the Roberto Clemente Center where it began, simply needed students.

"We had to do something to get somebody to come to the course," Shorris said. So he set about to tell the poor that they had been cheated. "I told them that they had been cheated out of an education in the humanities. I told them that the Rockefellers of the world sent their children to the finest universities to study the humanities. I said we were bringing the humanities to them and that I intended to make them richer than the Rockefellers if they would come to learn the humanities," he said.

And so they came. Some stayed, some dropped out, some died and some were lost.

But many of them stayed the course, which Shorris said was a very rigid, challenging education. "They stayed even though they were getting nothing concrete from the course," Shorris said. There was no college credit or job credit in the course.

Eventually, Shorris was able to secure six college credits from Bard College

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(photo by Marilyn Fleischer)

MaryBelle and Tom Brown are shown above receiving their Community Builder awards presented to them by George Bushee, of the Salado Masonic Lodge #296.

Community Builders given awards during presentation by Salado Lodge

Salado Masonic Lodge #296 presented two Community Builder Awards during a luncheon at the Salado Civic Center Nov. 16.

The Community Builder Awards were presented to Tom and MaryBelle Brown with about 100 friends and family in attendance to celebrate with the Salado couple.

Community Builder

"As Freemasons, we use the tools of the medieval stone builders—the trowel, the square and compass, the 24-inch gauge, the common gavel—tools the stone masons used to erect the mighty cathedrals and stone buildings throughout Europe in the middle ages. We give symbolic meanings to these tools in order to teach ethical and moral lessons. Our members who have taken those lessons to heart and applied them to their everyday lives have made countless contributions toward the improvement of this world in which we live.

"We take great pride in the contributions our members made in the founding of this country and statesmen like George Washington, Ben Franklin, Stephen

Austin, Sam Houston—to name a few.

"We are likewise proud of the contributions our members are still making today, but we as Masons recognize that there are countless individuals who, for whatever reason, have not become members of our organization, yet who possess this same kindred spirit of devotion to the service of our fellow man. These individuals have distinguished themselves by their unselfish efforts. They have used the same moral and ethical precepts that our Order teaches, and through their contributions and sacrifices have helped to build a better world for us all.

"It is for this reason that the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas has established the Community Builder Award. It is the highest award that a Lodge can bestow upon someone outside of its membership, to recognize with deep appreciation unselfish efforts to build a better world for us all; and to more fully exemplify that spirit of the Brotherhood of Man, under the Fatherhood of God.

MaryBelle Brown

MaryBelle Brown is Past

President of the Salado Reunion and currently President of the Salado Cemetery Association. She is the honorary co-chair of the Bell County Sesquicentennial Committee. She volunteers her time for many services in Salado including teaching school children about Bell County's history. She is also Past President of the Salado Chamber of Commerce, Ladies Auxiliary and the Salado Historical Society.

Tom Brown

Tom Brown served the Belton Police Department for many years retiring as a captain. He then became a full-time deputy of the Bell County Sheriff's Department until 1992 when he retired but maintains on call status. He also volunteers as a fire-arms instructor. He organized and co-ordinates Citizens on Patrol (COPS) in Salado and regularly patrols Salado and surrounding area. Many citizens call Tom directly whenever they see trouble.

Both recipients are active members of the Salado Church of Christ. In addition to raising a family they have been foster parents for the Texas Youth Council.

Salado will be Village of Angels for Christmas Stroll in Dec.

Salado will transform itself into a Village of Angels for the Christmas Stroll and Homes Tour in December.

Gorgeous eight-foot three-dimensional angels crafted by Johnnie and Jill Shipman and Charles Allen will decorated the streets of Salado. Businesses, residents and school children will add to the theme by crafting their own versions of Salado's angels.

The Christmas Stroll will be Dec. 3-5 and Dec. 10-12

sponsored by the Salado Business Association. In conjunction with the Stroll, the Salado Historical Society is sponsoring its annual Christmas Tour of Homes Dec. 3-5. There will also be a tour of Salado's beautiful Bed and Breakfast Inns 2-4 p.m. Dec. 11.

Salado shops will be open late during the Stroll, until 9 p.m. on Friday and Saturday evenings.

The streets of downtown Salado will be lined with

luminarias, while the shops, restaurants and galleries will be festively decorated for the holiday season. Strolling carolers will bring Christmas cheer throughout the village as well.

The First Baptist Church of Salado will perform a Live Nativity just after dusk Dec. 3-4. The live nativity is a favorite for small children and adults alike.

For more information about the Christmas Stroll, call 947-5040.

Christmas party announced at Creekside Restaurant Dec. 16

The Mill Creek Community Association will have its annual Christmas party on Dec. 16 at Creekside Restaurant and Club. Social begins at 6:30 p.m. with dinner at 7:30 p.m.

Buffet will consist of Chicken Cordon Blue, carved baron of beef, tossed salad with dressings, pasta

salad, fresh fruit platter, vegetables, potatoes, dessert, coffee and tea for \$19.50 per person including tax and gratuity.

Reservations must be received by Dec. 11, confirmed by check or club membership, and mailed to Dorothy Dentry, 601 Whispering Oaks, Salado, TX

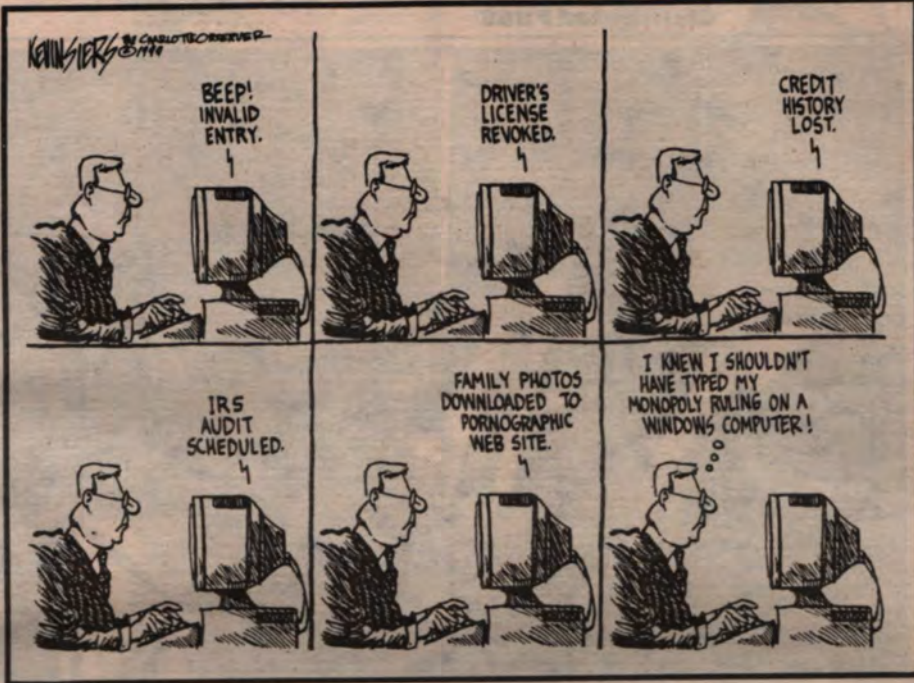
76571 or may be contacted about the event at 947-4667.

The residents of Mill Creek are encouraged to come and see the newly remodeled club and enjoy a fun evening.

The Salado Singers will provide entertainment for the evening.

FORUM

An Open Exchange of Ideas



Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving was first proclaimed a national holiday by George Washington on November 26, 1769, to commemorate the historic day when Pilgrim colonists and members of the Wampanoag Indian tribe gathered, in 1621, to give thanks for survival, health and the earth's bounty.

Congress in 1941, set aside the fourth Thursday in November as the official day for giving thanks and from that date until not so long ago, Thanksgiving was a special time for gathering together over a feast and hopefully offering a prayer of thanks to a generous providential God.

In our more modern faster paced era, Thanksgiving has become the last peaceful day before the headlong plunge into the maelstrom of perpetual buying that lasts until Christmas Eve.

The day after Thanksgiving is heralded as the busiest shopping day of the year with Saturday a close second.

Difficult to completely comprehend what triggers our culture in what can best be described as a "helter skelter" drive to spend more than last year.

Mostly fueled with borrowed money as credit card machines replace the

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jingle of the old fashioned cash register.

This sort of "primal urge", to throw ourselves into the frenzy of holiday shopping, needs no deep analysis. Our desire to please others with our one-upmanship-gifts has become a way of life. Neither good nor bad, just a matter of short-circuiting days during an otherwise pleasant time of year.

What might ameliorate this pell-mell rushing about would be to promise ourselves that during this last holiday season of the century - we will enact a self-imposed slowing down of our hectic holiday pace. Perhaps recalling the thoughtful words from an old favorite "September Song", that movingly notes our days, and by inference our lives, grow shorter as we near year's end. A suggestion perhaps to savor each day we have been given.

Have a happy Thanksgiving and holiday season. And for goodness sakes - relax and enjoy the moment!

---KC

New law ditches Glass-Steagall ; frees bank mergers from controls

Hello Financial Services Modernization Act. Farewell Glass-Steagall Act!

Sound like something from an early Palace Theater's vaudeville barker working an audience between slapstick routines?

Wish it were, but alas it is actually marking the decline of a tightly controlled banking system in this country and the start of a wide open merging of mega-banks, insurance leviathans and huge brokerage houses.

The bill became law last week when President Clinton, of all people, happily signed the measure into law.

In a recent issue of the Salado Village Voice, this column warned against passage of this measure that would, we believe, destroy some of the last remnants of consumer protection put in place during the depression era when banks were told that after 1933, they were to either stick with normal savings, checking and lending activities or go into the brokerage business - but not both!

From the mid century mark on - this idea of keeping a tight leash on banks began to unravel and all sorts of deregulating laws were placed on the books.

Today we have realistically - a less regulated playground for giant merged colossi that will give us what has charitably been termed "one stop shopping" for a few well-heeled customers who want to bank, insure and invest in the same office.

How all this will play out is unknown. The fear that should haunt the bulk of Americans is the horrible misadventure that occurred when Savings and Loan Associations were turned loose and failed. At a taxpayer cost of hundreds of billions.

Mammoth banks, we predict, in their haste to please stockholders that demand voracious profits, will decide to go global in their quest for more and more billions. And should there be an economic turndown anywhere in the world, as there will be, will we be faced with a massive failure and eventual bailout in the trillions?

Will these banks be "too large to be allowed to fail" and if so - will the suffering public be forced to pick up the pieces while Congress reenacts a modern day version of the Glass-Steagall law while quickly repealing the Financial Services Modernization mistake?

All of this should come as no great surprise when we look at who is buying and selling legislative access to the Land of Avarice. Certainly not the consumer who always ends up paying the bill while enjoying little of the joyride the free-wheeling money dealers go on when rapaciousness overtakes mature investing and conservative management of money and profits.

Off the Record

by Ken Clapp



telemarketer with a deal that won't stand still and a line of gab that goes on and on.

Try this for fun. Ask the nosy caller to first give you the complete name of the group he supposedly represents. And pretend you are writing it down. Then ask for his/her full name, social security number; credit card number; home phone and address; name of his immediate boss and that phone number; maiden name of his mother and finally, his bank account number.

By this time the busybody trying to sell you something "too good to be true" has either caught on to your scheme and hung up or is so dumb he or she has given you the info you requested. In which case, you might want to try selling this dope something you have been trying to unload for years at local garage sales.

One thing for certain - you probably will get fewer nuisance calls in the future since these con-persons have an underground message center as to who is the sucker and who is not.

Sort of like hoboes of old who came across good hearted souls who fed and sheltered them - they would put a secret sign in front of the house for other tramps to follow.

COST OF Y2K PROBLEM? \$100 BILLION & COUNTING

Did you notice the numbers being generated as to the cost attributed to keeping computers at both the commercial and governmental levels from crashing on January 1, 2000?

\$100 billion and climbing! How's that for a patch job that could have been fixed years ago as new computer chips came on line. No one appears to know why the problem was not fixed at an almost zero cost then - but that's silicon under the geek bridge, to coin a phrase.

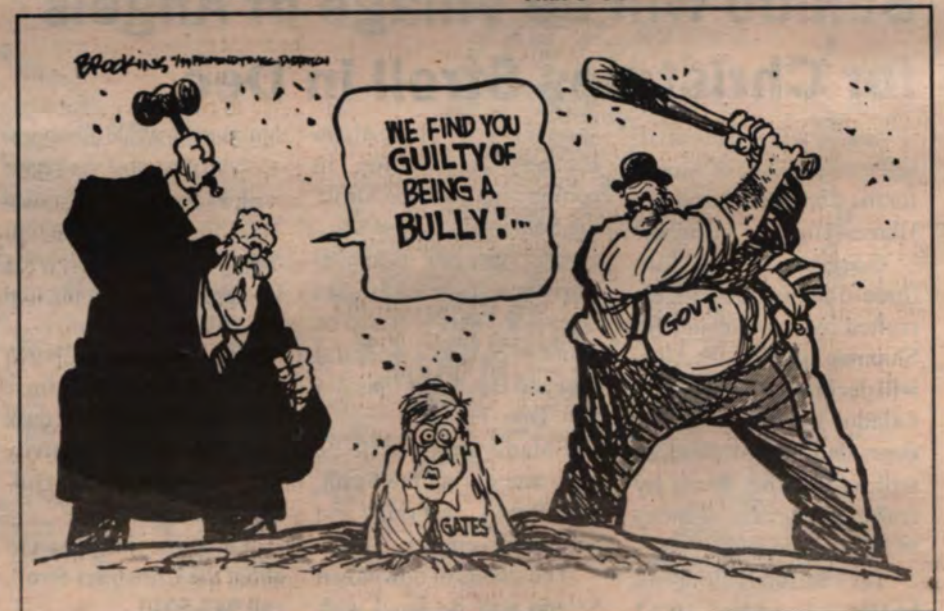
Think what a hundred billion bucks could buy from today's governmental want list: (1) More subsidies for tobacco farmers so we will have greater need for medical attention when young smokers get addicted and grow sick; (2) Higher pay for lawmakers in Washington so they will be less likely to sell out for a mess of lobby pottage; (3) Increased foreign aid to our political enemies worldwide; (4) Divide these dollars equally among House and Senate members for hometown pork projects - thus insuring reelection.

Or as a last resort - provide health insurance for those who cannot afford this help with special emphasis on children who have no access to medical attention other than shrinking public welfare or overwhelmed private charities.

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Willingham felt lure of creek bottomland

By Patricia Merrill

(The following is the fourth in a series of excerpts from a book in preparation.)

Dr. Archibald Willingham is credited with being the first permanent settler in Salado. A veteran of the War of 1812, he emigrated from Georgia to Texas in January 1839, as a colonist of Stephen F. Austin. Settling with his wife and nine surviving children near Washington-on-the-Brazos, he farmed and ranched and was active in the politics of the first capital of Texas.

In 1848, Archibald Willingham's eldest son, Francis Marion (a Texas Ranger), purchased 320 acres of land on Salado Creek for his father. The land was bought from Elijah Sterling Clack Robertson for one dollar per acre. By 1850, Dr. Archibald Willingham and at least two of his sons had moved from Washington County to settle on the land. They built a typical frontier double log-cabin with a dog trot between the two rooms on the site where Stagecoach Inn buildings are now

located.

By 1852, Dr. Willingham had sold a tract of the property back to Col. Robertson, who lived in the cabin while his large plantation-style house was being built on property to the south of the village. The Willinghams moved several miles upstream to a place that became known as Willingham Springs. Here they built a house called "Three Chimneys," and here Archibald and his wife, Eleanor, are buried. Long after the house had fallen into ruins, the three chimneys on the site remained a familiar landmark. Descendants of the original Willingham settlers have lived continuously in and near Salado since 1850 and have made numerous, generous contributions to various civic projects and to area churches.

Elijah Sterling Clack Robertson was the son of Impresario Sterling Robertson. In addition to managing the Robertson Colony after his father's death, he served as a Ranger, as Postmaster General of the Republic of Texas, as Assistant Secre-

tary of the Texas Senate, and as a translator in the General Land Office.

In 1852 Robertson decided to settle in Salado and began building his large Greek Revival home. This building, which is still standing in 1999, is on the National Register of Historic Places. In 1860, Sam Houston commissioned Robertson a brigadier general in the Texas State Militia, and from 1862 to the end of the Civil War, he served as aide-de-camp to General Henry E. McCulloch. As we will see in a later chapter, Salado College was built largely as a result of Robertson's efforts.

Both Archibald Willingham and F. C. S. Robertson saw the gently sloping terrain through which Salado Creek flows as an area of great beauty and great potential. The heavily-wooded banks of the stream, the pure water, and rich creek bottomland were lures that ensured many other pioneers would follow their lead.

(Next: Other early Anglo-Saxon settlers)



Grace Jones Style Show Dec. 13

(photos by Marilyn Fleischer)

Grace Jones gives annual style show as gift to the Salado Ladies Auxiliary 11 a.m. Dec. 13 at the Longhorn Room of the Stagecoach Inn. Reservations are required. Tickets may be purchased by calling 947-0238 or 947-5176. It is important to get your tickets early as seating will be limited at this ever popular seasonal event. Shown above is the mother-daughter team of Rhonda and Micki Rosanky, modeling in the 1998 show, who will be returning this year to model more of the exquisite couture from Grace Jones Shop.

Pecan show entries today

by James Davis
Co. Ext. Agent

The annual Bell County Pecan Show will be Dec. 2-4 at the Temple Mall. Entries are due Wednesday, Nov. 24 before 5 p.m. at the County Extension Office. Processing for the pecan show will take place on 9 a.m., Nov. 30 at the County Extension Office in Belton.

During the processing, 10 pecans from each entry are weighed, shelled and re-weighed. From this data the number of pecans per pound and the percent kernel are determined for the judging. Both of these factors weigh heavy in the selection of the high placing pecans.

The pecans will be judged at 1 p.m. Dec. 1. We will need a lot of help processing the entries. Anyone wanting to help process be at the County Extension office by 9 a.m. Dec. 1 morning.

The Bell County Pecan and Fruit Growers Association will have pecans for sale, courtesy of Winkler's Pecan Farm, during the show.

Pecans are semi-perishable and unless properly cared for may become inedible due to mold, off flavor, discoloration or insect damage. These detri-

mental characteristics can be prevented if proper storage practices are employed. Several of the more important factors to consider include adequate drying, proper packaging and refrigeration.

It is imperative to start with a high quality nut since proper storage conditions will not improve, only maintain it at or near post-harvest cured conditions.

High oil content and the fact that the oil is 95 percent unsaturated is one of the most important factors affecting the storability of pecans. Nutritionists say that an unsaturated oil is heavier, but this type oil shortens the shelf life of pecan products because of increased susceptibility to rancidity.

Homeowners should store pecans in a polyethylene bag, either in shell or unshelled, and place them in the refrigerator or the deep freezer, depending on how long they want to store them.

At room temperature the shelf life is four months in the shell and three months shelled. In the refrigerator the pecans will hold quality for 19 months in the shell or 12 months shelled. Shelled pecans can be held in the deep freeze near 0 degrees for many years with

very little adverse affect on the kernel quality.

Wheat growers need to check their fields for winter grain mites. As dry as we are now, we are set up for winter grain mite problems. The winter grain mites are black mites with orange legs. If you notice a wheat field turning dull color (blue-green or gray) it could be mites.

Extension programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, national origin or disability.

SFRF ask for your help to bring Christmas to Salado children

The Salado Family Relief Fund, Inc. is asking for your donation of toys to be brought to the Salado Village Voice office or cash donations to be deposited at First State Bank or Compass Bank to help all the Salado children have a wonderful Christmas.

If you are willing to adopt a family call 947-5321 to get your name placed on the list. As soon as information on a family is available you will be called.

Those applying for assistance this holiday need to get the adjacent form mailed in as soon as possible since the Deadline of Dec. 1 is quickly approaching.

If you need assistance to provide Christmas for your children, the Salado Family Relief, Inc. is here to help. Fill out this form. **Mail to P.O. Box 461 Salado, TX 76571 by Dec. 1.** Gifts can be picked up 9-11 a.m. Dec. 18 at the local food pantry located at the First Baptist Church. Food baskets are also available at this location. You must be a Salado resident.

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Saladoans attend NFRW Convention in Seattle

Members of Chisholm Trail Republican Women Organization (CTRWO) have begun their annual membership drive. Membership renewals should be mailed by Dec. 1.

New members are also encouraged to join by that date. Dues are \$17 for regular members (women) and associate members (men). Dues for dual members (those who are regular members in another Republican Women's group) are \$7.

Regular members are also members of Texas Federation of Republican Women and the National Federation of Republican Women. Members will receive the local newsletter as well as news from the state

and national organizations. Monthly meetings are held on the second Thursday in each month at the Salado Civic Center. During the campaigns in 2000, candidates will be visiting and meeting local voters. During the "off seasons" program will be presented which speak to important issues facing Texans.

CTRWO is an official auxiliary of Bell County Republican Party as well as the State Republican Party. Members assist with various projects, work in campaigns, and are invited to many functions hosted by candidates as well as by the Republican Party.

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

Members of Chisholm Trail Republican Women (CTRW) have recently attended two conventions at which awards were received for accomplishments for the past two years of service. The Texas Federated Women (TFRW) and National Federated Women (NFRW) meet in convention every two years. These organizations of the state and national units of the Republican Party. CTRW is the local unit affiliated with the state and national organizations.

Borah Van Dormolen attended the NFRW convention in Seattle, Wash. Those attending the TFRW convention in Houston were: MaryBelle Brown, Ruby Field, Marie Jackson,

Borah Van Dormolen, and Jean Westerberg. Westerberg serves as president of CTRW. The others serve as members of the Executive Board of CTRW.

Awards received were the NFRW Achievement Award and the TFRW John Goodwin Tower Award of Excellence and the Membership Award for more than doubling the membership during the past year.

Van Dormolen was elected to serve as TRFW 4th Vice President for Legislation for the next two years.

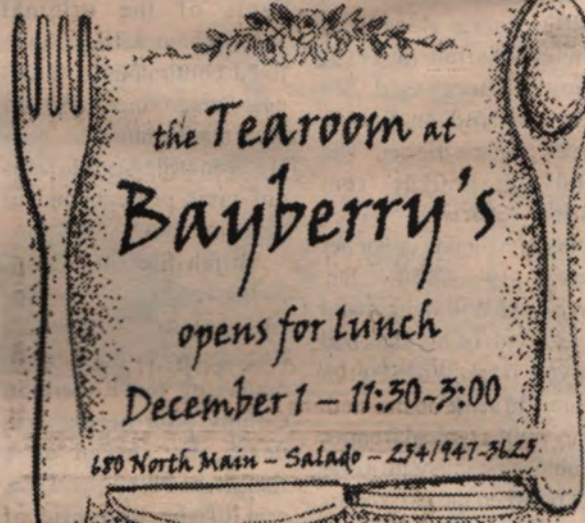
MaryBelle Brown was named as one of Ten Outstanding Texas Federation of Republican Women.

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Institute

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for the Humanities Course. Most of the graduates of the first year are now working full-time, working and attending school or going to school full-time.

Except one graduate, who was fired from her job in a fast food restaurant. "She tried to form a union," Shorris said. "She had become a political person."

"We wanted to make these people political. It did not matter whether they were left or right, as long as they were citizens," he said. "Politics will make dan-

gerous people of the poor," if they will be involved, if they will learn to live a public life," Shorris said.

Shorris said that one of the foundations of the Clemente Course is that "the great good is the happiness of others."

"If the happiness of others is a goal worth seeking," he added, "then democracy is a risk worth taking."

Writer's note: The Clemente Course in Humanities is now in its fifth year. It is offered in cities

in the U.S., Mexico and Canada. It is offered in the native languages whenever possible. The Clemente Course had over 400 graduates last year.

Clemente graduates

have gone on to study for Master's degrees, earned fellowships to study abroad and attended medical school.

In short, Clemente graduates have become public citizens.

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Church News

Methodist Church has full schedule

Methodist Children Home visit Salado United Methodist Church

Five children from the Methodist Children's Home in Waco will be the guest of Salado United Methodist Church Dec. 5.

The Methodist Home, which cares for more than 350 children, helps in the transition from turbulent childhood to the responsibilities of adulthood.

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The children visiting the Salado church will share their experience before and after coming to the Meth-

odist Home.

Last year, the Salado church was in the top 50 United Methodist Churches in Texas and New Mexico in giving to the Methodist Home. Others in the top 50 were First United Methodist churches in Houston, Dallas, Ft. Worth, San Antonio, El Paso, Santa Fe and Amarillo.

Salado United Methodist begins Care & Share Group

Acknowledging that life has many sad and joyous events, the Salado United Methodist Church is beginning a Care and Share group to openly talk about such occasions.

Beginning Dec. 2, the

group will meet 2-3 p.m. in Sunday School Building #1 behind the Fellowship Hall of the church.

Pastor Skip Blancett will facilitate the discussion. "Whether it is to share or just listen," he said, "anyone is invited."

Third Graders to receive Bibles

Each year, the congregation of the Salado United Methodist Church gives each of its third graders a study Bible in recognition of their achievements and promotion. This year, the following third graders will receive Bibles from their teachers Greg and Debbie Fariss: Richie Patterson, Gene Radebaugh, Jonathan Spinks, Travis Eddy, Alexa Fisher, Logan Fisher, Joe Wells and Matthew Fritsch.

Methodists honor 2 of their members

Salado United Methodist honored Sadie Holland and Thelma Griffith for their work in the church in 1999.

The two women were honored during the family Thanksgiving Dinner Nov. 14 by the Outreach Committee, chaired by Cathy Carlson.

Sadie Holland was instrumental in reestablishing the United Methodist Women, which has grown significantly this year. The United Methodist Women focus their emphasis on Missions around the world.

Thelma Griffith was awarded for her work with the Wednesday evening fellowship dinner. She organized and worked to make the dinners successful and popular.

Holland and Griffith each received a leather-bound edition of the Thin Line NIV Holy Bible.

Laity to do Sunday Morning Worship

Each year, the Salado United Methodist Church Laity design, write, and do the Sunday Morning Worship Services. Jeanne Barrier, Church Lay Leader, has invited Dr. Bob Volle to be the guest speaker for the 8, 9, and 11 a.m. services. Dr. Volle, a member of the church, is President Emeritus of the National Board of Medical Examiners and Professor Emeritus at the University of Connecticut Health Center. His sermon will be, "Accepting Gifts from God." Other participants are: Tom and Evelyn Lane, Lyle and Nancy Radebaugh, Jerry and Elaine Herrick, Richard and Linda Thomas, Kaye Patterson, Allen Rice, Beth Correa, Mike Bowles, and Phyllis Holder.

A Brief Visit With Pastor J. Floyd Franks

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving Day. Truly, we at Cedar Valley Baptist Church have much for which to be thankful. The Lord continues to bless us with new members, with warm and sweet fellowship and with His precious presence Sunday after Sunday. As a church, we would like to wish you and yours a wonderful Thanksgiving. Please do not forget from where your blessings come. James says, "Every good and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father..." (James 1:17). Give Him all the praise and glory for His wonderful salvation and for His daily provisions. Come worship with us!

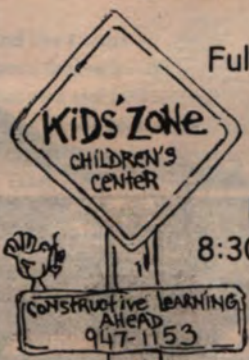
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 Crystal Schoellmann
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 Ariel Simpson
 Nathan Sitz
 Madison Slagel
 Araceli Urquiza
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 Sunni Wells
 Kylie Wright

6th Grade
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 Lacy Bartlett
 Grant Boston
 Jacob Brown
 Kristopher Califano
 Justin Cox

Jackie Drake
 Laura Duel
 Ryan Eckstrum
 Mark Gentry
 Lauren Hobbs
 Travis Kemp
 Christopher Marek
 Stephen Marsh
 Justin Peschel
 Kirsten Singleton
 Kelsey Smith
 Drake Sobehrad
 Michael Spinks
 Joshanna Washburn
 Sherry Weatherly
 Jessica Whitmire
 Mark Wilson

7th Grade
 Rachel Blodgett
 Valerie Clark
 Virginia Ewton
 Jennifer Goode
 Brittani Goodnight
 Garrison Hennig
 Matthew Jennings
 Jacob Mewhinney
 Savannah Slagel
 Anna Smith
 Jaclyn Welsh

8th Grade
 Amber Agee
 Glynis Akins
 Vanessa Byrd
 Lance Cox
 Tiffany Dixon
 Katherine Herrick
 Johnna Konzen
 Leah Lankford

"A/B"
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 Robert Constancio
 Bryan Corbitt
 Tyler Correa
 Danielle Danford
 Juan De La Hoya
 Michael Engelke
 Seth Foster
 Sheena Fry
 Alonso Galvan
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Kayla Griffin
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 Jessica Rivers
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 Kristen Womac

8th Grade
 Scott Bates
 Matthew Brown
 Abigail Buchanan
 Paige Cameron
 Victoria Castillo
 Evan Clements
 Laura Couchman
 Colleen Dady
 Velandia Easter
 Robert Epps
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 Nathan Grigsby
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 Nov. 30: Scrambled Eggs, Bacon Strips,
 Toast, Cereal, Fresh Fruit, Fruit Juice, Milk

Lunch Menu

Nov. 29: CF Steak Sandwich, Chef Salad,
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Eagles lose to Moody in opener

Salado Eagles varsity basketball team lost its home opener to Moody Nov. 19, 47-57.

Salado led by nine at the half, 33-24 and by four at the end of three, 39-35 before Moody pulled away with 22 points in the fourth quarter, while holding Salado to just five points.

Freshman Stephn Fewell led the team with 13 points, including two three-pointers. Fewell also had four rebounds and three assists, while committing six turnovers on the night.

Senior Jeremy Whitaker was the other Eagle with double figures. He had 10 points, eight in the first half. He also had eight rebounds.

Sophomore Jeremy Grimm led the team in assists, with six, while scoring two points.

Also scoring for the Eagles were Troy Smith, nine points; Scott Marley, five points; Trey Hutton,



(photo by Tim Fleischer)

Troy Smith tries to pass over a Moody Bearcat defender in the Eagles' loss.

four points and Grimm, Michael Gamble, and John Kirk, two points each.

Gamble and Smith return as starters from last year's 15-15 team, which was 7-5 in district play as the fourth place team. Gamble was named to the First Team All-District

Squad as a guard while Smith was named as the All-District Newcomer of the Year.

Salado JV 34
Moody JV 52

Salado junior varsity lost to the Moody Bearcats in the home opener of the basketball season, 34-52.

Jarrold Whitfield led the Eagles with 15 points, followed by Seth Dady, who had 13 points.

Also scoring for the Eagles were David Matthews and Heath Hale, 2 points each; and Brad Ray and Matt Ward, with a point each.

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Freshman takes 13th at State meet

Lauren Mewhinney placed 13th at the recent State Cross Country Meet in Round Rock. She had a time of 12:32 for the two-mile course.

A freshman at Salado High School, Mewhinney also competed this fall on the varsity volleyball team. She is also a member of the junior varsity basketball team and will compete in

Spring Track in middle distance events.

She qualified for the State Meet by placing 5th at the Regional Meet in San Antonio with a 13:10 time. He district time of 13:01 gave her a third place in District.

She is the daughter of Len and Cindy Mewhinney. Her mom coaches at Salado High School



Lauren Mewhinney

Lady Eagles lose 1st 2 games

Salado Lady Eagles lost the first two games of the new basketball season.

Two starters return to the Lady Eagles this year from the 30-8 state finalist team: Adrienne Aiken, who was named to the First Team All-District as post; and Lauren Quirk, who was named to the Honorable Mention All-District team from her guard position.

Three starters on the state finalist team were lost to graduation.

Seven varsity players return to this year's squad with two new varsity players rounding out the roster.

Coach Larry Salisbury is in his seventh year as Salado girls basketball coach.

The Lady Eagles trailed by ten at the half, 23-33 and by 15 at the end of the third quarter, 31-46 before closing to within 10 points of the Lady Leopards.

Leading Salado were Lauren Quirk and Sarah Buchanan, who each had 11 points. Both girls had three two-points shots, a three-pointer and two free throws.

Also scoring for Salado were Robyn Womac, 9 point; Tessa Schreiner, 8 points; Nikki Jackson and Lindsay Quirk, 6 points each.

The Lady Eagles were 12 of 20 from the free throw line.

Salado 29
Crawford 69

Crawford Lady Pirates mugged the Lady Eagles 69-29 Nov. 20 in Salado's second game of the season.

The girls trailed throughout the game, as Crawford held a 23-8 lead in the first

quarter. The Lady Pirates led 38-10 at the half and 54-22 at the end of three.

Nikki Jackson led the scoring with 8 points, followed by Kate Mentzel, with 6 points.

Salado JV 28
Crawford JV 29

Salado junior varsity Lady Eagles lost their home opener to the Lorena Lady Leopards, 29-28.

Lorena came back in the third quarter, closing a six point lead of 23-17 by holding Salado to five points in the fourth quarter.

Meagan Joiner led the Lady Eagles with 15 points, followed by Lauren Mewhinney, who had 7 points.

Also scoring for the Lady Eagles were Julie Couchman and Kate Mentzel, with two points each and Kaci Fritsch and Lindsey Pruitt with a point each.

Jr. Basketball signups continue

The Salado Junior Basketball League will take late registration at Gary Bartlett's office on Main St at 860 N. Main St. (with Bill Bartlett Century 21). Forms will be accepted until Dec. 1.

The play-day for fifth and sixth graders will be Dec. 4 at the Thomas Arnold Elementary school gym. Girls will play 9-11 a.m., while boys will play 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

If you have any questions, please call Curtis Donaldson at 947-1038.

8th grade A boys beat Academy

The 8th grade boys basketball team won their season opener over Academy by a 32-20 score.

Shane Pipes and Scott Bates each had eight points to lead the Eagles. Cale Cox and Ben Marsh both scored

six while Nathan Grigsby and Josh Wright chipped in two each.

The 8th grade B team lost to Academy 10-7. Travis Turk scored all seven of Salado's points.

8th grade girls sweep Academy

The 8th grade girls Basketball teams hosted Academy, Nov. 25.

The A-team defeated Academy 48-19. Heather McLaughlin had 14 points, Michelle Houston had 11, Amanda Tumey had 10, Laramie Jackson, four,

Staci York, four, Vanessa Byrd and Kim Dillon with two.

The B-team defeated Academy 12-8. Johnna Konzen was high point with eight, Abby Buchanan and Tiffany Dixon added two each.

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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	
11/22	McGregor	JV	V	5 p.m.
11/23	at Cameron	JV	V	5 p.m.
11/30	Rogers	JV	V	5 p.m.
12/2-4	Academy Tournament		V	TBA
12/4	Troy Tournament	JV		TBA
12/7	Rockdale	JV	V	5:30
12/9-11	Salado Tournament		V	TBA
12/13	*at Troy	JV		4 p.m.
12/14	*Troy		V	5:30
12/17	*at Holland	JV	V	5 p.m.
12/27-29	Lampasas Tournament		V	TBA
1/1	*at Academy	JV	V	1 p.m.
1/4	*Johnson City	JV	V	5 p.m.
1/7	*at Lago Vista	JV	V	5 p.m.
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.

Shown above right are the Salado Lady Eagles Varsity Basketball Team: They are (from front row, from left) Sarah Buchanan, Julie Couchman, and Tessa Schreiner. (Standing from left) Nikki Jackson, Robyn Womac, Adrienne Akins, Jennifer Tsosie, Linsey Quirk, Lauren Quirk.



Salado Eagles Basketball

Date	Opponent	JVB	JV	V	Time
11/19	Moody		34-52	47-57	5:30
11/22	at Waco Vanguard	JVB	JV	V	5:00
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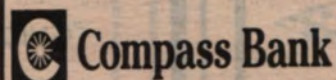
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Salado School Menus November 18-30 Breakfast Menu

Nov. 24: Glazed Donut, Cereal, Fresh Fruit,
 Fruit Juice, Toast, Milk
 Nov. 29: Biscuits and Sausage Gravy, Cereal,
 Pineapple, Fruit Juice, Toast, Milk
 Nov. 30: Scrambled Eggs, Bacon Strips,
 Toast, Cereal, Fresh Fruit, Fruit Juice, Milk

Lunch Menu

Nov. 29: CF Steak Sandwich, Chef Salad,
 Baked Potato, Hoagie, Potato Salad, Cream
 Style Corn, Mixed Fruit, Spice Cake, Milk
 Nov. 30: Pizza, Chef Salad, Baked Potato,
 Hoagie, Veggie Sticks, Broccoli w/cheese,
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Eagles lose to Moody in opener

Salado Eagles varsity basketball team lost its home opener to Moody Nov. 19, 47-57.

Salado led by nine at the half, 33-24 and by four at the end of three, 39-35 before Moody pulled away with 22 points in the fourth quarter, while holding Salado to just five points.

Freshman Stephn Fewell led the team with 13 points, including two three-pointers. Fewell also had four rebounds and three assists, while committing six turnovers on the night.

Senior Jeremy Whitaker was the other Eagle with double figures. He had 10 points, eight in the first half. He also had eight rebounds.

Sophomore Jeremy Grimm led the team in assists, with six, while scoring two points.

Also scoring for the Eagles were Troy Smith, nine points; Scott Marley, five points; Trey Hutton,



(photo by Tim Fleischer)

Troy Smith tries to pass over a Moody Bearcat defender in the Eagles' loss.

four points and Grimm, Michael Gamble, and John Kirk, two points each.

Gamble and Smith return as starters from last year's 15-15 team, which was 7-5 in district play as the fourth place team. Gamble was named to the First Team All-District

Squad as a guard while Smith was named as the All-District Newcomer of the Year.

Salado JV 34
Moody JV 52

Salado junior varsity lost to the Moody Bearcats in the home opener of the basketball season, 34-52.

Jarrold Whitfield led the Eagles with 15 points, followed by Seth Dady, who had 13 points.

Also scoring for the Eagles were David Matthews and Heath Hale, 2 points each; and Brad Ray and Matt Ward, with a point each.



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Freshman takes 13th at State meet

Lauren Mewhinney placed 13th at the recent State Cross Country Meet in Round Rock. She had a time of 12:32 for the two-mile course.

A freshman at Salado High School, Mewhinney also competed this fall on the varsity volleyball team. She is also a member of the junior varsity basketball team and will compete in

Spring Track in middle distance events.

She qualified for the State Meet by placing 5th at the Regional Meet in San Antonio with a 13:10 time. He district time of 13:01 gave her a third place in District.

She is the daughter of Len and Cindy Mewhinney. Her mom coaches at Salado High School



Lauren Mewhinney

Lady Eagles lose 1st 2 games

Salado Lady Eagles lost the first two games of the new basketball season.

Two starters return to the Lady Eagles this year from the 30-8 state finalist team: Adrienne Aiken, who was named to the First Team All-District as post; and Lauren Quirk, who was named to the Honorable Mention All-District team from her guard position.

Three starters on the state finalist team were lost to graduation.

Seven varsity players return to this year's squad with two new varsity players rounding out the roster.

Coach Larry Salisbury is in his seventh year as Salado girls basketball coach.

The Lady Eagles trailed by ten at the half, 23-33 and by 15 at the end of the third quarter, 31-46 before closing to within 10 points of the Lady Leopards.

Leading Salado were Lauren Quirk and Sarah Buchanan, who each had 11 points. Both girls had three two-points shots, a three-pointer and two free throws.

Also scoring for Salado were Robyn Womac, 9 point; Tessa Schreiner, 8 points; Nikki Jackson and Lindsay Quirk, 6 points each.

The Lady Eagles were 12 of 20 from the free throw line.

Salado 29
Crawford 69

Crawford Lady Pirates mugged the Lady Eagles 69-29 Nov. 20 in Salado's second game of the season.

The girls trailed throughout the game, as Crawford held a 23-8 lead in the first

quarter. The Lady Pirates led 38-10 at the half and 54-22 at the end of three.

Nikki Jackson led the scoring with 8 points, followed by Kate Mentzel, with 6 points.

Salado JV 28
Crawford JV 29

Salado junior varsity Lady Eagles lost their home opener to the Lorena Lady Leopards, 29-28.

Lorena came back in the third quarter, closing a six point lead of 23-17 by holding Salado to five points in the fourth quarter.

Meagan Joiner led the Lady Eagles with 15 points, followed by Lauren Mewhinney, who had 7 points.

Also scoring for the Lady Eagles were Julie Couchman and Kate Mentzel, with two points each and Kaci Fritsch and Lindsey Pruitt with a point each.

Jr. Basketball signups continue

The Salado Junior Basketball League will take late registration at Gary Bartlett's office on Main St at 860 N. Main St. (with Bill Bartlett Century 21). Forms will be accepted until Dec. 1.

The play-day for fifth and sixth graders will be Dec. 4 at the Thomas Arnold Elementary school gym. Girls will play 9-11 a.m., while boys will play 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

If you have any questions, please call Curtis Donaldson at 947-1038.

8th grade A boys beat Academy

The 8th grade boys basketball team won their season opener over Academy by a 32-20 score.

Shane Pipes and Scott Bates each had eight points to lead the Eagles. Cale Cox and Ben Marsh both scored

8th grade girls sweep Academy

The 8th grade girls Basketball teams hosted Academy, Nov. 25.

The A-team defeated Academy 48-19. Heather McLaughlin had 14 points, Michelle Houston had 11, Amanda Tumey had 10, Laramie Jackson, four,

Staci York, four, Vanessa Byrd and Kim Dillon with two.

The B-team defeated Academy 12-8. Johnna Konzen was high point with eight, Abby Buchanan and Tiffany Dixon added two each.

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11/16	Lorena	28-29	51-61	
11/20	at Crawford		29-69	
11/22	McGregor	JV	V	5 p.m.
11/23	at Cameron	JV	V	5 p.m.
11/30	Rogers	JV	V	5 p.m.
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12/4	Troy Tournament	JV		TBA
12/7	Rockdale	JV	V	5:30
12/9-11	Salado Tournament		V	TBA
12/13	*at Troy	JV		4 p.m.
12/14	*Troy		V	5:30
12/17	*at Holland	JV	V	5 p.m.
12/27-29	Lampasas Tournament		V	TBA
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*District Game

Shown above right are the Salado Lady Eagles Varsity Basketball Team: They are (from row, from left) Sarah Buchanan, Julie Couchman, and Tessa Schreiner. (Standing from left) Nikki Jackson, Robyn Womac, Adrienne Akins, Jennifer Tsosie, Linsey Quirk, Lauren Quirk.



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Baby boomers need to exercise with care

Having a sports injury almost has become a rite of passage for many baby boomers. In fact, many baby boomers are getting mixed messages that exercise and staying active are the keys to maintaining youth.

"Although exercise is essential for healthy aging, engaging in exercise and fitness programs can bring its own set of problems especially if age-related changes have occurred in baby boomers' joints and tendons," said Nicholas A. DiNubile, MD, clinical assistant professor, department of orthopaedic surgery, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.

"Many baby boomers have a 'weak link' that makes them prone to injury," said Dr. DiNubile. "A 'weak link' can be an old injury, age-related structural change or genetic disposition.

The most common types of injuries that occur to baby boomers are often the result of years of overuse to the musculoskeletal system; old injuries that occur again; the normal "wear and tear" of tendons and joints; or muscle loss associated

with aging.

Orthopaedic ailments such as tendinitis, bursitis and arthritis are common among baby boomers, Dr. DiNubile explained. "There is a fourth 'itis' that should be added to this particular patient population-'fix-me-it-is'-baby boomers are desperate to resume activity as soon as possible after being injured.

"Stiff joints, aching muscles-many of these 'aging pains'-are actually due to repeated stresses and overuse," Dr. DiNubile said. "Quite often we find that baby boomers have participated in a sports activity years ago as a young adult and think that they can resume the same activity in their 40s or 50s without any modifications."

Baby boomers think they can lift weights similar to how they used to in their 20s, Dr. DiNubile said. "They do not realize that now their shoulder or rotator cuff are much more vulnerable to injury due to the normal aging process."

Exercise programs need to be tailored to meet baby boomers' special needs, Dr. DiNubile explained. "Individuals with bad backs should try walking instead

of a rowing machine. If they suffer from arthritis, swimming or cycling are a good alternative to running.

An existing condition does not mean they can not exercise. Their exercise programs just need to be modified."

Dr. DiNubile also stresses that it is especially important for baby boomers to prepare their bodies properly before beginning any new activities. "Your body is a lot different than it was in your 20s," he said. "Engaging in simple warm-up and stretching exercises prior to working out is an important first step. And, remember exercise is essential to healthy living."

New approaches to treating injuries also are allowing baby boomers to "turn back the clock" and lead a healthier life-style. Advances in cell therapy are allowing orthopaedic surgeons to repair cartilage damage in knees and other joints. The future also will allow orthopaedists to identify growth factors to stimulate the regeneration of damaged muscle, bone, cartilage and ligaments. "These new treatment options are a promising new concept for future treatment

of sports-related injuries," Dr. DiNubile said.

While they might not find a fountain of youth, baby boomers still have an opportunity to slow down the aging process by staying physically fit, The American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons and American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine have developed some tips to help baby boomers ease into their older years. They are:

* Always take time to warm up and stretch before physical activity. Warm up with jumping jacks, stationary cycling or by running or walking in place for 3 to 5 minutes. Then slowly and gently stretch, holding each stretch for 30 seconds.

* Don't succumb to the "weekend warrior" syndrome. Try to get at least 30 minutes of moderate physical activity every day. If you're truly pressed for time, you can break it up into 10 minute chunks.

* Take lessons and invest in good equipment. Whether you're a beginner or have been playing a sport for a long time, lessons are a worthwhile investment.

* Listen to your body.
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Scott & White collects marrow

The National Marrow Donor Program (NMDP) has designated Scott and White Hospital and Clinic as a marrow collection center and an apheresis center.

To qualify as a marrow collection center and an apheresis center, the hospital team was required to meet strict NDMP criteria.

"This really reinforces what we are doing here," said Dr. Tulio Rodriguez, Bone Marrow and Peripheral Blood Stem Cell Transplant Program Director.

"This designation represents our commitment to practice good medicine. We hope that no one would ever need a transplant, but if it became necessary, we can assure people that the Scott and White Bone Marrow Transplant Facility is one of excellence," Rodriguez said.

As a collection center, the hospital harvests marrow from donors who have been matched to patients needing bone marrow transplants.

During the harvesting process, the marrow is removed with a surgical

needle from the back of the pelvic bone. The donor is given either a general or regional anesthesia. Generally, four-to-eight tiny incisions, so small that stitches are not necessary, are made in the pelvic area.

Typically, the donation procedure lasts from 45-90 minutes. The donor's system completely replaces its marrow within several weeks. The donor's marrow is transported to the hospital where the recipient is a patient. After completing high-dose chemotherapy, the recipient is given the donor marrow intravenously at the bone marrow transplant unit.

At an apheresis center the patients' own stem cells are harvested through an apheresis machine to be returned to them in the transplant process. Patients undergo high-dose chemotherapy, and then their own previously harvested stem cells would be transplanted back to them to rescue or replace the bone marrow destroyed by therapy. This procedure can also be used to collect stem cells from a

donor.

Diseases commonly treated with this process include solid tumors, such as breast cancer and ovarian cancer, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease and some types of leukemia.

"We are one of the few centers in the United States that has all three procedures in one place -unrelated donor harvesting, related donor transplants and apheresis," Rodriguez said.

"We are also the only program in the area recognized by the Texas Department of Health Medicaid as a Bone Marrow Transplant Facility," he added. "Our ultimate goal is to become a full transplant center, where all harvesting and transplant procedures are performed." Then the marrow of the unrelated donor could be harvested and transplanted in the patient, with both the donor and the recipient at Scott and White.

The Bone Marrow and Peripheral Blood Stem Cell Transplant Program at Scott and White was established in 1992 to treat patients with

advanced breast cancer, lymphomas and multiple myeloma.

Scott and White was established as a donor center for the NMDP in 1994 to register Central Texans as potential marrow donors. Although potential donors are first sought from the patient's family, often a matched related donor cannot be found. A search is then made of the NMDP registry to try to find a matched unrelated donor.

To register with the NMDP as potential marrow donors, volunteers must be between ages 18 and 60 and in good general health. After completing a brief consent form, a tube of blood is taken from the volunteer. The "tissue type" is determined from that blood specimen and entered into the international registry.

Most people are never found to be a match, but the more people in the registry, the more matches will be made. Volunteers remain on the registry until their 61st birthday, or until they request to be removed from the registry.

Lucile Holland Durham passes away Nov. 21

Lucile Holland Durham, 95, died on Nov. 21.

She was a native of Bell County and lived at Summers' Mill since 1945. She was the grand-daughter of James Reuben Holland, for whom the town of Holland was named. Her parents were Ellis White and Nettie Holland, lifelong area residents. She married W.A. (Happy) Durham in 1923 at the parsonage of First Christian Church, where she continued to be a member until her death. The couple celebrated 72 years

of marriage before his death in 1995. A daughter, Patsy Durham Henderson, died in 1974.

Mrs. Durham held offices in Christian Women's Fellowship and the Board of Trustees at First Christian Church, Belton, where she was the oldest member at the time of her death. She volunteered at the VA Hospital in Temple for more than 25 years and 20,000 hours in the Domicillary where she performed sewing jobs for the residents. The Durhams were early

members of the Bell County Historical Society and the Bell County Museum organizers and served on the Official Board between 1955 and 1975.

Survivors include one daughter, Mary Jean Boston of Belton, one sister, Mary Vicknair of Belton, five grandchildren, Ann Boston Faber, Paul Talmage Boston, Jr., James Leverett Boston, James Henderson, and David Henderson, Jr. and eight great-grandchildren.

A private burial for the family was held on Nov. 22

at the North Belton Cemetery. A memorial service will be held 2 p.m. Nov. 27 at First Christian Church, Belton.

Instead of flowers, please send memorials to Bell County Museum, PO Box 1381, Belton, TX 76513; VistaCare Hospice, 819 S. 5th, Temple, TX 76504; First Christian Church, PO Box 367, Belton, TX 76513; or Scott & White Development Office, 2401 S. 31st St., Temple, TX 76504.

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Tips to help the coach potato

If Thanksgiving kicks off non-stop nosing and sports-channel surfing at your house, you might want to call a pre-season time-out.

"Families who engage in too little exercise and too many high-calorie snacks are setting their kids up to become overweight, sedentary adults prone to cardiovascular disease, diabetes and hypertension," said Becky Gorham, a research dietitian with the USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

To help parents develop a strong defense against these unhealthy habits, Gorham offers these tips:

* Call interference on excessive television, video and computer time that keep kids inactive. Hold a team meeting to negotiate sitting-time limits.

* Break up boredom by sending kids outside to play, helping them make holiday gifts, cards and wrapping paper, or inviting them into the kitchen to help prepare meals.

* Negotiate trade-offs involving free-time activities. Trade participation in family touch football games, 20-minute walks or other physical activities for extra time to view those must-see football games.

* Build "team spirit" by asking the kids to help plan holiday activities, decorate

the yard or prepare homemade gifts. Take turns being the "tour guide" for after-dinner walks past neighborhood holiday displays. Plan a family weekend tree-cutting excursion, get kids involved in organizing a neighborhood Turkey Trot or Jingle Bell Run, lead a canned food drive or host a holiday skating party.

* Stock up on nutritious snacks such as air-popped popcorn, whole wheat crackers, low-fat cheeses, flavored hummus dips, small bottles of water, low-fat ranch-style dip, ready-to-eat vegetables, homemade cereal and nut mixes, dried and canned fruit, ready-to-eat fresh fruit wedges, and peanut butter.

* Stick to a game plan of balance and moderation for family meals and activities. Kids and their parents need to maintain some routine and structure, especially during the busy holiday season.

"Parents can't expect a couch-potato kid to miraculously grow up to be a healthy, active adult. But, by setting a good example, tackling unhealthy eating patterns and encouraging physical activities every day of the year, parents can help kids develop winning habits that are likely to stay with them as they grow," Gorham said.

New drug fights flu

A new flu drug taken orally for six weeks can prevent both influenza A and B.

Baylor College of medicine in Houston was one of six medical institutions in the U.S. to take part in the study, which focuses on the drug oseltamivir (ah-sell-tam-a-veer). Marketed under the name Tamiflu, the drug recently received approval from the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The findings were published in the Oct. 28 issue of the New England Journal of Medicine.

"We found that the drug was 74 percent effective in preventing symptomatic influenza in those volunteers who received the drug once or twice a day," said Dr. Robert Atmar with Baylor's Influenza Research Center and one of the study's principal investigators.

The drug differs from the drug zanamivir, also known as Relenza, which is taken by inhaler and only protects against influenza A. Researchers believe that both oseltamivir and zanamivir can shorten the duration of flu by up to two days and have the potential to decrease the likelihood of complications from the flu such as bronchitis, sinusitis and ear infections.

While these drugs are effective in treating influenza, they should not replace an annual flu shot for flu prevention. Atmar says oseltamivir and zanamivir are for people who have not received a flu shot before flu season, for those in high risk categories such as per-

sons over 65; persons with heart disease, diabetes, kidney failure, or AIDS; who want additional protection against influenza; and for people who are allergic to the flu vaccine.

"This finding is very exciting because it gives us another weapon in the fight against influenza," Atmar said.

Other Baylor researchers instrumental in the completion of this study include Dr. Robert Couch, director of Baylor's Influenza Research Center, and Dr. Kurt Krause, a Baylor assistant professor of medicine/infectious disease.

Boomers — From 11A

As you age, you may find that you are not as flexible as you were, or that you cannot tolerate the same types of activities that you did years ago.

* Use the 10 percent rule. When changing your activity level, increase it in increments of no more than 10 percent per week. If you normally walk two miles a day and want to increase your fitness level, don't try to suddenly walk four miles. Slowly build up to more miles each week.

Develop a balanced fitness program that incorpo-

rates cardiovascular exercise, strength training and flexibility.

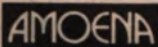
Add activity and new exercises cautiously. No matter if you've been sedentary or are very fit, don't try to take on too many activities at one time.

If you have or have had sports or orthopaedic injuries or problems like tendonitis, arthritis, stress fractures or low back pain, consult an orthopaedic surgeon who can help you design a fitness routine to promote wellness and minimize the chance of injury.

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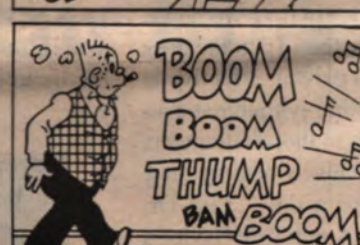
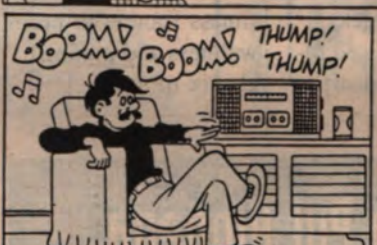
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Big hit?
 - 6 Toy toter
 - 11 Short nightwear?
 - 14 Rita ___ Brown
 - 17 Let up
 - 19 Peter of "Becket"
 - 21 "Ball ___"
 - 22 Palm Sunday beast
 - 23 Comfort
 - 24 Car dealer's redundancy
 - 27 Bray beginning
 - 28 Borrowed permanently?
 - 30 ___ Friday
 - 31 New York canal
 - 32 Valerie Harper sitcom
 - 34 Alpine event
 - 38 It's down in the mouth
 - 40 Vocalize like Vallee
 - 42 Ointment ingredient
 - 44 Poet Jonson
 - 45 Baseball's Cadore
 - 46 Elector
 - 47 Nuisance
 - 52 Morning hrs.
 - 53 Hollywood redundancy
 - 57 Turn bad
 - 58 ___-garde
 - 59 The yoke's on them
 - 60 Compact
 - 61 Put up
 - 63 Building feature
 - 66 Mineral spring
 - 68 Gogol's "___ Bulba"
 - 69 Beer ad redundancy
 - 71 Develop
 - 75 Spit
 - 77 Rocker Bill
 - 78 Spring
 - 80 Twofold
 - 83 And more of the same
 - 85 Sheer
 - 87 Religious abbr.
 - 88 TV redundancy
 - 93 Inform
 - 94 Migration
 - 95 "___ Gay"
 - 96 Singer Sonny
 - 97 Kid's cud
 - 98 Some shoes
 - 100 Kind of cookie
 - 101 Drifting
 - 105 Actor Timothy
 - 106 Motionless
 - 108 Bearing
 - 109 Potok's "My Name Is Asher ___"
 - 110 ___ code
 - 111 Network
 - 114 Military redundancy
 - 121 Seek ambitiously
 - 123 Zuider ___
 - 124 Cookbook phrase
 - 125 Assaulted the nostrils
 - 126 Itty-bitty
 - 127 Conduit fitting
 - 128 Baby beagle
 - 129 Love ___
 - 130 Endures
 - DOWN**
 - 1 Diner fare
 - 2 Mitch Miller's instrument
 - 3 Barnyard redundancy
 - 4 Dulles abbr.
 - 5 Calculate
 - 6 Like a teddy bear
 - 7 From ___ Z
 - 8 Negative correlative
 - 9 Low digit
 - 10 Lord of the ring
 - 11 An Everly brother
 - 12 Bread spread
 - 13 Use a straw
 - 14 Tie the knot
 - 15 "Addams Family" actor
 - 16 Rocker David
 - 18 Exploit
 - 20 Urge
 - 25 "Platoon" setting
 - 26 "___ the land of the free ..."
 - 29 Chum
 - 33 Attila, to his wife
 - 34 Newfound-land's nose
 - 35 Oodles
 - 36 Evelyn's brother
 - 37 Cremona cash
 - 38 Discovers
 - 39 "___ Love Her" ('64 hit)
 - 40 Bordeaux wine
 - 41 Underwater hitchhiker?
 - 43 Bard's river
 - 44 Actress Neuwirth
 - 47 Put the whammy on
 - 48 Reach
 - 49 Spy org.
 - 50 Minify a midi, maybe?
 - 51 Sixth sense
 - 53 '80 Dom DeLuise film
 - 54 "Hi, Horace!"
 - 55 Crazy
 - 56 Vegetate
 - 62 Verdi's "Don ___"
 - 63 Solidify
 - 64 Sail through
 - 65 TV's "Circus ___"
 - 67 Worships
 - 69 "If ___ Hammer" ('58 song)
 - 70 Tranquil
 - 72 Nursery redundancy
 - 73 Natural gas component
 - 74 Wise old Greek
 - 76 Pious
 - 78 Lilly of pharmaceuticals
 - 79 Married Mlle.
 - 80 Failure
 - 81 Cycle starter
 - 82 Botanist Gray
 - 84 Time in office
 - 85 Criminal
 - 86 Neighbor of Turkey
 - 89 Green org.
 - 90 Say "Hey!"
 - 91 Tizzy
 - 92 ___ Giglio
 - 96 Cage part
 - 98 Relish
 - 99 "___ Duke" ('77 song)
 - 100 Pop-ular animal?
 - 101 Flabbergast
 - 102 Che's crony
 - 103 Tell the truth
 - 104 Actress Munson
 - 105 Rock's ___ Leppard
 - 107 Shipshape
 - 109 TV's "Quantum ___"
 - 110 Computes
 - 112 Back then, back when
 - 113 Turkish titles
 - 115 Velvet feature
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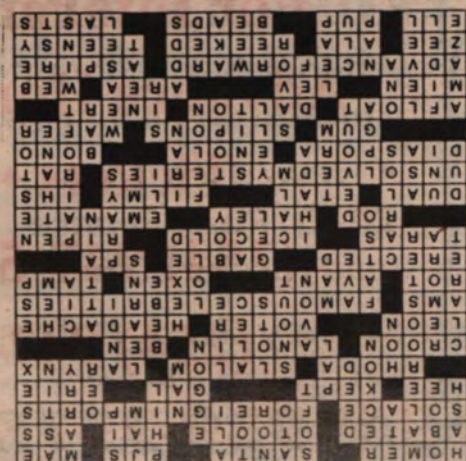
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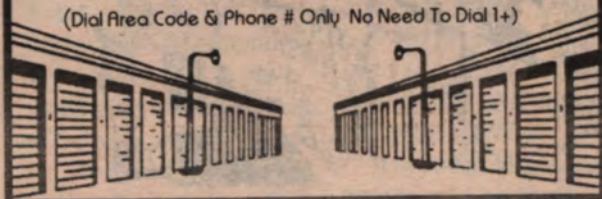


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What's Going On?

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 ag shop.
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.

Wednesdays

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

November 30

Christmas Tree lighting and community dinner 6 p.m. at the Civic Center. The Salado Independent School Chorus will perform.

December 3-4 & 10-11

A Christmas Carol at Goodnight Amphitheater, 7 p.m. \$5 adults, \$3 children 254/947-9205

Dec. 3-5 & 10-12

Salado Christmas Stroll, sponsored by Salado Chamber of Commerce Merchants Committee. 254/947-5040

December 3-5

Salado Historical Society Christmas Tour of Homes. Open for the tour are the following: Boles-Aiken Cabin, Denman Cabin, Herrington Log Cabins, The Denman Home, Salado Methodist Church, The Vickery House, St. Joseph's Episcopal Chapel and Loree Sutton Home. Tour hours are 5-8 p.m. Dec. 3 (candlelight tour); 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Dec. 4 & 1-5 p.m. Dec. 5. Tickets are \$8 each Oct. 1 - Dec. 1 at Salado Civic Center. Tickets at-the-door are \$10 per person. For more information about Tour of Homes.

La Caldera Quilt Show in the Scots Hall of the Clans at the Central Texas Area Museum. Call 254/947-5232.

December 11

A special tour of seven of Salado's Bed and Breakfast Inns will complement the second weekend of the Christmas Stroll Dec. Tickets for the tour, which will run 2-4 p.m. Dec. 11. Tickets are \$5 each and will be available at the Inn at Salado, on Main St. The following B&Bs will be on tour: Brambley Hedge B&B on Holland Road, Inn on the Creek on Center Circle and Royal St., Stone Creek Settlements at the corner of S. Main St. and College Hill Dr., The Baines House B&B on Royal St., The Halley House on N. Main St., The Old Granary B&B on Rock Creek Dr. and The Rose Mansion at #1 Roseway. For more information, call the Salado Chamber of Commerce at 254/947-5040.

December 12

Christmas Musical presented by First Baptist Church of Salado at 7 p.m.. Salado Intermediate School auditorium. "God with Us" is free to the public. Featuring the First Baptist Church choir, moving narration, inspiring testimonies and the best of contemporary praise and worship, combined with traditional hymns. Fellowship following pageant with cheesecake, pie, coffee, hot chocolate and apple cider.

December 13

Grace Jones Style Show in the Longhorn Room at the Stagecoach Inn. Benefits Salado Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary. Tickets go on sale in November.

December 16

The Mill Creek Association will have their Christmas party and dinner at Creekside Restaurant & Club 7 p.m. Dec. 16. The Salado Singers will perform. Reservations must be received by Dec. 11, confirmed by check or club membership, and mailed to Dorothy Dentry, 601 Whispering Oaks, Salado, TX 76571 or may be contacted for the event at 947-4667.

Salado ISD Early release. 1 p.m.

December 17

Salado ISD Early release. 12 noon.

April 8-9, 2000

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

May 20-21, 2000

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

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Taking time out for fun

by Tumbleweed Smith

Some months ago I made arrangements to take my eight year old grandson on a canoe trip to the Boundary Waters Canoe Area in northern Minnesota.

I scheduled our little vacation for the first weekend in August, thinking he would have plenty of time to make the trip and get back in time for the start of school.

How wrong I was.

His school starts in late July.

He missed three days of class to go on our summer excursion.

What has happened to summer? It used to last for the full three months between Memorial Day and Labor Day. There used to be an old joke about the

three things teachers liked most about teaching: June, July and August.

Some public schools are in session until early June and resume in mid July. That's not enough time off. You don't have time to change gears in five or six weeks.

You need more time to go barefooted, eat fresh fruit off the tree, let your mind wander in new directions, rest, relax, play, travel, visit with kinfolks and friends, swim, read, hear the birds or watch a bug.

Everybody needs time off.

Europeans take a full month for vacation. It's usually August. They say they can do twelve months of work in eleven months, but not in twelve. They need

the month off to calm down, to get perspective on things, to give the mind and body and soul a rest, to do something different, to rejuvenate the senses and replenish the energy source, to stimulate the physical, mental and emotional vigor.

They need to do something special so they can remember it the rest of the year and then plan a similar activity for the following summer so they can spend some time anticipating the next adventure.

Americans could learn something from across the water.

We need to maintain a balance between work and play. For the most part, Americans place a high emphasis on work and don't pay enough attention to play.

For those who grew up having the whole summer off, time seemed to stand still. There really was a change in the rhythm of life. They knew there was a difference. Summer was a time to think, plan, enjoy the outdoors, or not think at all, not do anything.

I saw a poster that shows a big gorilla sitting in a tree. The caption reads, "Sometimes I sit and think. Other times I just sit."

I'm sure that poster was created in summertime, when the living is easy.

A brain can be stimulated while at rest.

Our kids and adults as well need a break. A full break from everyday activities. They need their summer back.

Prepare for cold weather now

Winter weather can change in the blink of an eye. What was 65 degrees one day can be below freezing the next. While Texas has relatively mild winters compared to those in northern parts of the U.S., the state is not immune to winter's chill.

"People need to prepare for winter now, before the hectic holiday pace lets cold weather sneak up on them," said Tom Millwee, DEM State Coordinator. He of-

fered the following simple steps for preparing for winter:

- * Winterize your home by insulating pipes near outside walls and by sealing leaks that might expose pipes to cold air.

- * Make sure that heating systems, fireplaces and wood stoves are clean, well ventilated and in good working condition.

- * Winterize your vehicle by checking wipers, tires, lights, and fluid levels. Lu-

bricate door and truck locks to avoid freezing.

- * Prepare a travel disaster supply kit containing food, drinking water, blankets, rain gear, extra clothing, flashlights with extra batteries, jumper cables and a first aid kit.

- * People who plan to travel should keep their gas tank at least half full and should make alternative travel plans in case bad weather forces trip delays. Do not travel when such

conditions threaten.

- * Check on friends and family members whose health or age--especially the very young and very old--may put them at greater risk from cold weather or freezing temperatures.

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As a 50-Year Mason, Brother Haddock no longer has to pay annual dues to the Masonic Lodge.

Brother Haddock was initiated as an entered apprentice on March 30, 1949, passed to the degree of Fellowcraft on June 8, 1949 and raised as a Master Mason on July 9, 1949 in Hemphill Heights Masonic Lodge #1164 in Ft. Worth. He later joined Hill City Lodge #456 in Austin before joining Salado Masonic Lodge in 1987.

Brother Earl Haddock is shown at left with wife Lena and District Deputy Grand Master Monty England, who presented Haddock with his 5-year certificate and pin. Haddock is a member of Salado Masonic Lodge #296.

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One explanation for this problem is that we cram so much into each day, and spend less time relaxing and getting sleep time. Most

people feel sleepy during the afternoon between 2-5 p.m., and between midnight-7 a.m. Not so coincidentally, those are the times when most drowsy-driver crashes occur.

The following is a list of danger signals of drowsy driving:

- * eyes close or go out of focus by themselves;
- * can't stop yawning;
- * trouble keeping your head up;
- * have disconnected thoughts;
- * don't remember the last few miles you've driven
- * drifting between lanes, tailgate or miss traffic signs
- * keep jerking the car

back into the lane OR
* have drifted off the road and narrowly missed crashing.

Here are five suggestions to help you keep alert behind the wheel:

1. Be rested...get enough sleep before your trip.
2. Pick your time...avoid driving during your body's downtime when sleep is almost irresistible.
3. Take a break...schedule breaks every two hours or 100 miles. Be sure to walk or exercise before continuing your trip and talk with your passenger.
4. Make sure both people in the front of the car are awake. A driver who

needs to rest should go to the back seat, buckle up and sleep.

5. Pull over...if you feel sleepy, pull off the road, find a safe, well-lighted place and sleep. A 15-20 minute nap can be highly restorative.

Most people know how dangerous drinking and driving is. Driving drowsy can be just as fatal as driving drunk. Drive Alert...Arrive Alive.

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Civic Center stairway topic of letter

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Dear Editor:

The Salado Civic Center has certainly been an asset to our village. However, I have one suggestion to make. The stairways should have railings on both sides. On the stairs near the elevator, on coming down, the

railing is on the right side, then you turn the corner and the railing is on the left side, so you must shift everything you are carrying to the other hand.

Most of our activities attract a majority of senior citizens and in a crowd, it

is not a single file descent. Those who are close to the right railing are secure but the ones on the other side have nothing to hang on to. Furthermore, those hanging on must cross over to the other side to grab the railing which causes quite a

mix-up in a crowd.

This is complaint I made several years ago (and I am not alone in this) but nothing has been done to correct it. Surely, it is not that expensive.

Mary W. Hill

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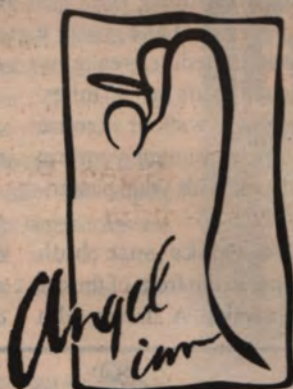
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Christmas Stroll Issue	Wed. Dec. 1	Noon, Wed. Nov. 24
Christmas Issue	Wed. Dec. 22	Noon, Fri. Dec 17
New Year's Issue	Wed. Dec. 29	Noon, Thurs. Dec. 23
First Issue of 2000	Wed. Jan. 5	Noon, Thurs. Dec. 30

Office Closings

Holiday	Closed	Reopen
Thanksgiving	4 p.m. Wed. Nov. 24	9 a.m. Mon. Nov. 29
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Q. My father purchased a few antique clocks over the years and has left them to me. One is a brass and glass rectangular shelf clock, about 16 1/2 inches high, 9 inches wide, and 5 inches deep. There are plain brass columns at each corner, a single glass column at the center of each side and a curved glass door on the front. The brass decorative crown is fancy. On the face of the clock are the words "Manufactured by the Ansonia Clock Co., New York, United States of America." Can you help me determine age and value?

A. The Ansonia Clock Co. was founded in Derby, Conn., in 1850 by Anson G. Phelps, a wealthy New York importer. After two fires and corporate reorganizations, the company moved to Brooklyn, N.Y., in 1880. Your clock is called a "crystal regulator," and was probably made between 1905 and 1915. (The 1914 Ansonia catalog has 18 pages of crystal regulators.) It was a popular clock style in 19th-century France. If your clock works, it is worth more than \$3,000.

Q. Five years ago, my mother-in-law gave me a bridal shower gift of 21 coin silver teaspoons and serving spoons. She paid only 10 cents for each spoon. She says they are all English and date before 1850. I love the spoons but can't identify their marks. The marks include "M. Matson," "A. Henderson" and "W.P. & H. Stanton." Some of the spoons have additional small hallmarks of a lion, star and single initials.

A. Your mother-in-law was a great shopper, but your spoons are American. Newell Matson and his partners worked as N. Matson & Co. in Chicago from about 1867 to 1888. A.A. Henderson worked in Philadelphia in the mid-1830s. William P. and Henry Stanton worked in Rochester, N.Y., from about 1826 to 1841. Some 19th-century American silversmiths also used pseudo hallmarks to make the public think the silver was English. The letter mark "D" indicates the amount of silver (900/1000) in the metal used to make the spoons.

Salado Country Cooking

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

Easy Turkey Casserole

Jane Wilmer

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| 2 cups cubed turkey | 1/2 teaspoon pepper |
| 2 cups sliced celery | 1/2 cup mayonnaise |
| 1/2 cup sliced almonds | 4 big slices Swiss cheese |
| 2 tablespoons chopped pimento | |
| 1 teaspoon salt | 1 cup cracker crumbs |
| 2 tablespoons lemon juice | 1/2 cup butter, melted |

Layer turkey, celery, almonds and pimento in 1-1/2 quart casserole (can use oblong casserole also). Combine salt, pepper, lemon juice and mayonnaise; spread over layered ingredients. Top with Swiss cheese. Spread cracker crumbs over top, then drizzle with melted butter. Bake at 325 degrees for 30 minutes. Serves 6.

Good to serve with green salad and hot rolls for a luncheon.

Sweet Potato Puffs

Thelma Griffith

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| 7 medium sweet potatoes | 14 mini marshmallows |
| 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon | 2 cups crushed corn flakes |
| 1/2 stick of butter | 1 tablespoon brown sugar |

Peel and cut up sweet potatoes; boil until tender. Drain; mash them well. Add 3 tablespoons butter, cinnamon and brown sugar; stir again well. Butter your hands; with big serving spoon, not tablespoon, take a scoop of potatoes in hand. With the back of the spoon, make a dent in potatoes. Put 1/4 teaspoon butter and 2 miniature marshmallows in the hole in the center. Roll around marshmallows, and roll in crushed corn flakes. Put in greased baking dish or on cookie sheet. Bake at 375 degrees for 15 minutes. Makes 12 potato puffs.

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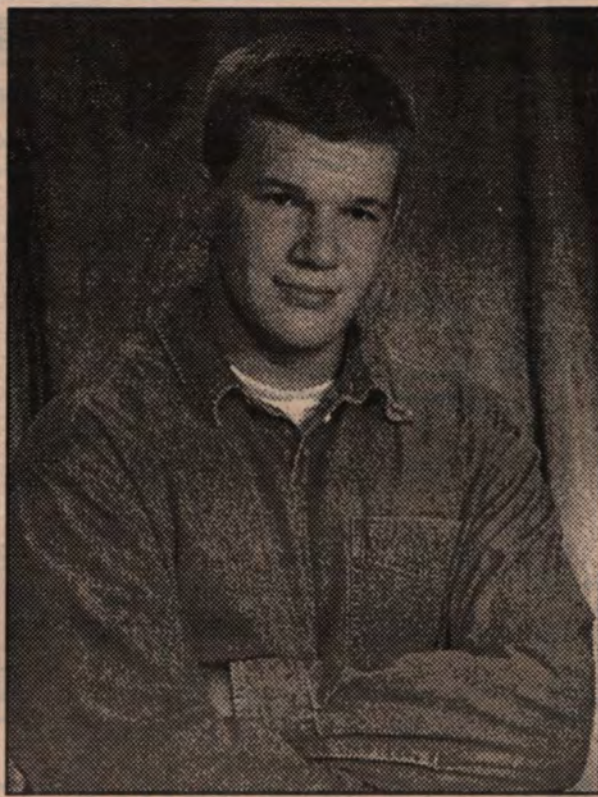
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Brady Johnston recently accepted the position of Youth Minister at Gatesville United Methodist Church. He is currently a sophomore at the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, majoring in Religion and Communications. Johnston has been approved as a candidate for ministry by his home church, Salado United Methodist Church, led by Rev. Skip Blancett. Johnston is the son of Terry and Sandy Johnston. He is a 1998 graduate of Salado High School

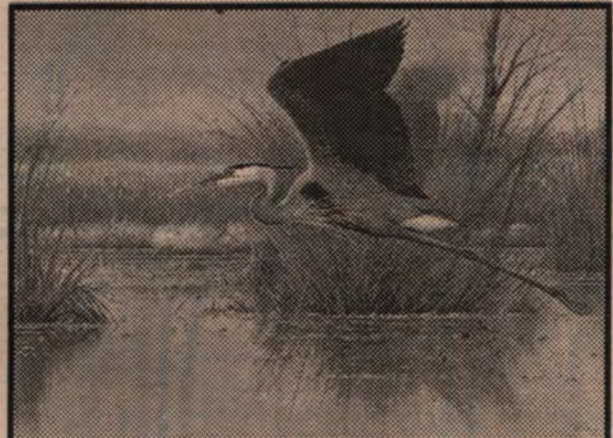
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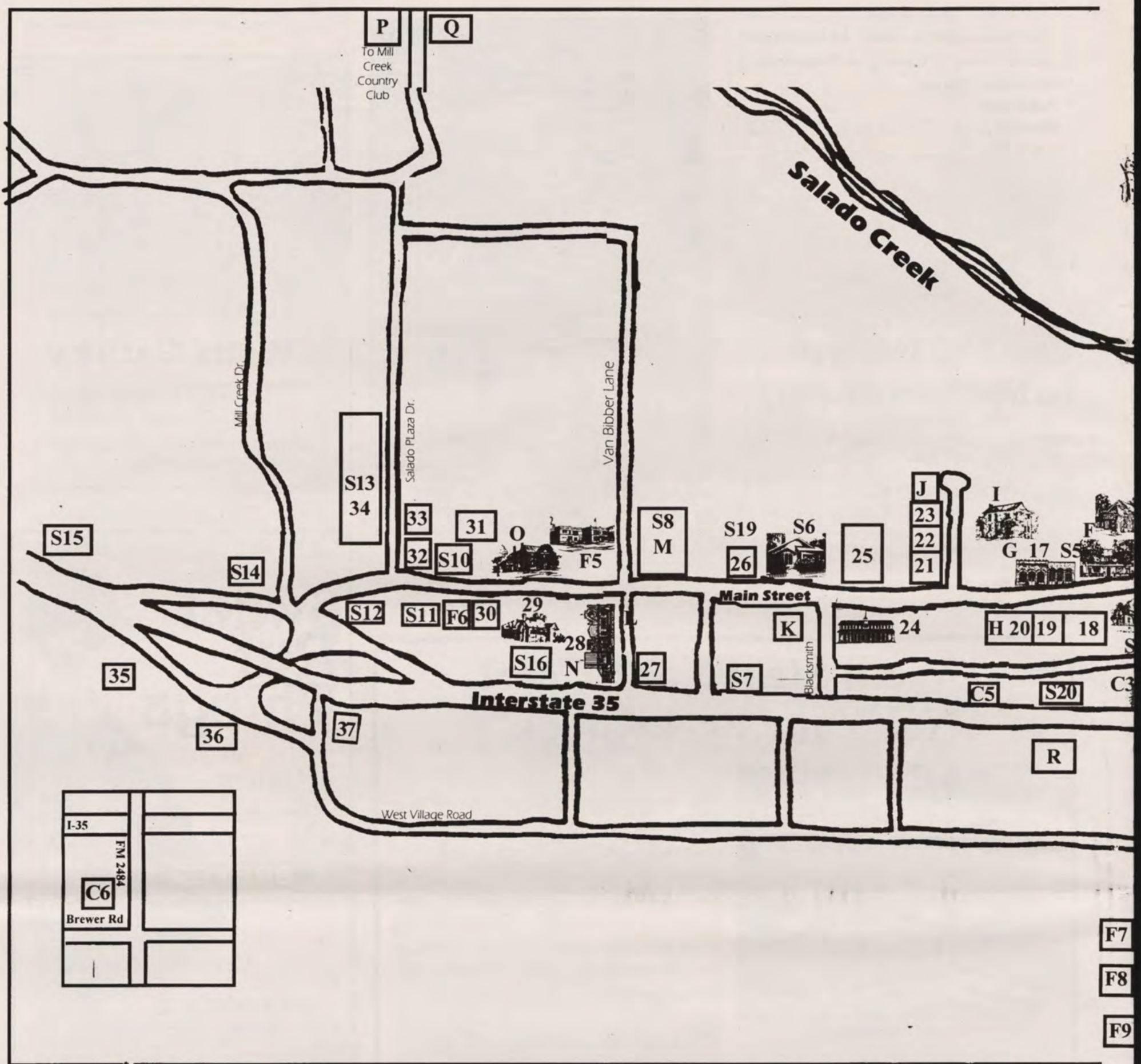


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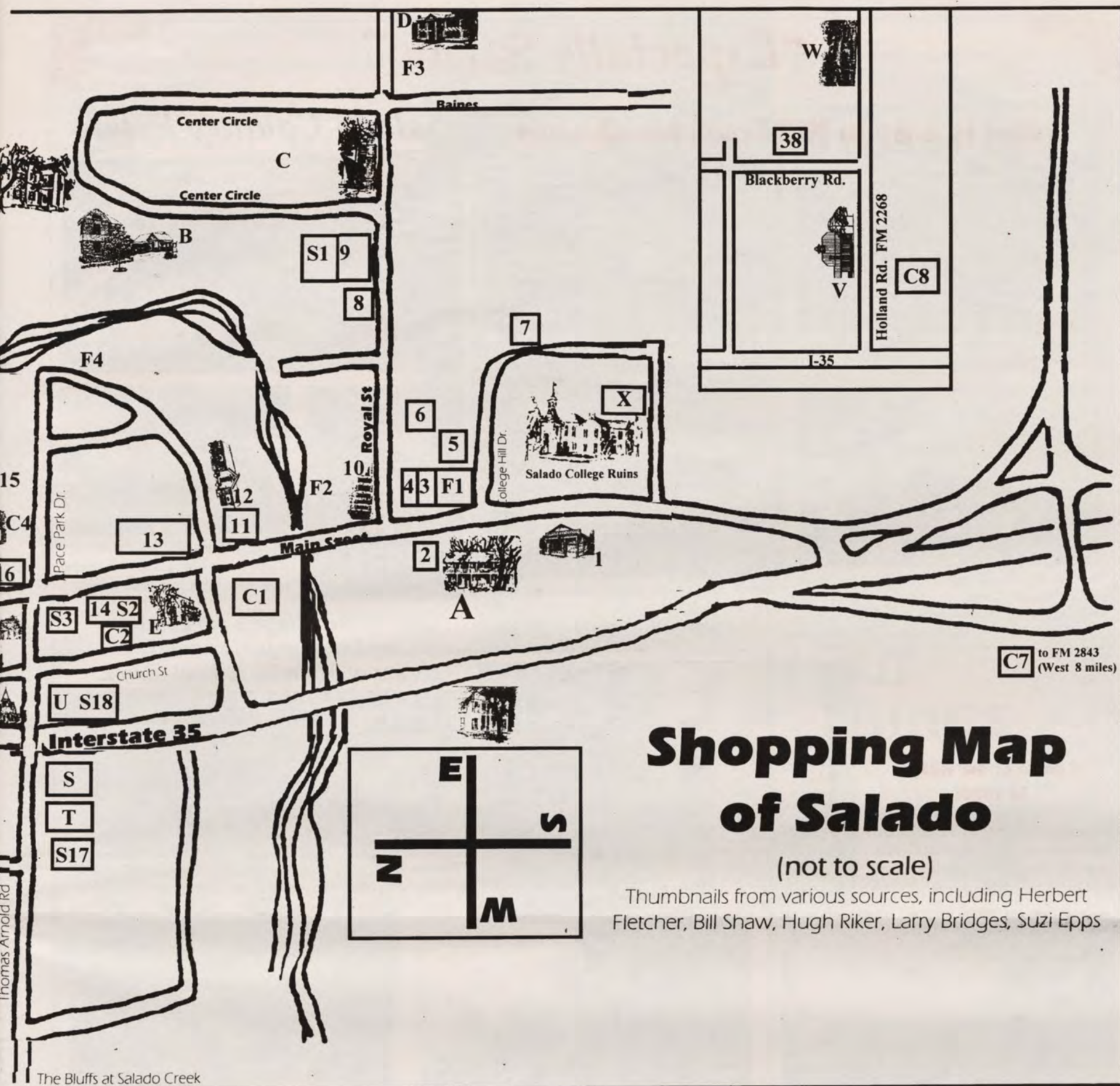


Shopping in Salado

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|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| 1. Wells Gallery | Next to Stagecoach Inn | 254/947-0311 | 22. Horsefeathers | #2 Rock Creek | 254/947-3203 |
| 2. Salado Pottery | Next to Stagecoach Inn | 254/947-5935 | 23. Angel Inn | #2 Rock Creek | 254/947-0240 |
| 3. Salado Galleries | Main Street | 254/947-5110 | 24. Aunt Granny's | #3 Rock Creek | 254/947-5520 |
| 4. SHADY VILLA | Main St and Royal | | 24. Heirlooms Shopping Center | N. Main & Blacksmith | 254/947-0336 |
| Gregory's | Shady Villa on Main St. | 254/947-5703 | Campus Landmarks | Heirlooms | 888/947-1238 |
| Salado Country Antiques | Shady Villa on Main St. | 254/947-8363 | 25. THE COLONY | N. Main St. | |
| Sweet Nut Things | Shady Villa on Main St. | 254/947-8088 | Windberg Gallery | The Colony on N. Main St. | 254/947-3300 |
| 5. Peddlers Alley | behind Shady Villa & Museum | 254/947-9722 | Santa Fe/Salado Gallery | The Colony on N. Main St. | 254/947-8838 |
| 6. The Dusty Rose | Royal Street | 254/947-9215 | Stageline Furniture Gallery | The Colony on N. Main St. | 254/947-0688 |
| 7. The Chicken Ranch | 505 College Hill | 254/947-3455 | Book Winkel | N. Main St. | 254/947-3866 |
| 8. Ing's | Royal St. | 254/947-4336 | 27. The Sewing Basket | 525 N. Robertson Rd. | 254/947-5423 |
| 9. ROYAL STREET COMMONS | Royal St. & Center Circle | | 28. OLD TOWN SALADO | Across from Salado Civic Center St. | |
| Red Barn Antique Mall | Royal St. Commons | 254/947-1050 | The Store | Old Town Salado | 254/947-9000 |
| 10. ONE ROYAL | Royal St. at Main | | The Gallery | Old Town Salado | 254/947-9000 |
| Grace Jones | One Royal | 254/947-5555 | MI's Country Corner | Old Town Salado | 254/947-8885 |
| The Royal Emporium | Main & Royal | 254/947-5718 | Angelic Herbs | Old Town Salado | 254/947-1909 |
| 11. OLD MILL PLAZA | Main St. at the Creek | | Texan by Design | Old Town Salado | 254/947-4479 |
| Salado Haus at the Gazebo | Old Mill Plaza | 254/947-1868 | B. Herd Gallery | Old Town Salado | 254/947-HERD |
| 12. The Christmas Shop | Green House on the Creek | 254/947-5561 | 29. Bayberry's on Main | 400 N. Main St. | 254/947-3625 |
| 13. CREEKSIDE CENTER | Main St. at Pace Park | | 30. Salado Antique Mall | 702 N. Main St. | 254/947-1010 |
| Susan Marie's Boutique | Creekside Center | 254/947-5239 | 31. Remember This Antique Mall | 861 N. Main St. | 254/947-0858 |
| Strawberry Patch | Creekside Center | 254/947-9955 | 32. Fletcher's Books & Antiques | N. Main St. | 254/947-5414 |
| Bundle of Joy | Creekside Center | 254/947-0609 | 33. ORCHARD CREEK STUDIOS | Salado Plaza Dr. | |
| Prelop Fine Art Gallery | Creekside Center | 254/947-3930 | Carol Carroll's | 101 Salado Plaza Dr. | 254/947-3050 |
| 16. Christy's of Salado | 300 Main St. | 254/947-0561 | James R. Blair, artist | Orchard Creek Studios | 254/947-0400 |
| 17. SALADO SQUARE | Main St. | | 34. SALADO PLAZA | 213 Mill Creek Dr. | |
| Magnolia's on the Square | Salado Square on Main St. | 254/947-0323 | Streets of Salado | Suite #135 | 254/947-1313 |
| Christell's Flowers | Magnolia's on the Square | | Robertson's Hams | | |
| Just for Him | Magnolia's on the Square | | & The Choppin' Block | I-35, Exit 285 | 254/947-5562 |
| Margrit's Shoe Chateau | Magnolia's on the Square | | Fairway Golf Carts | 1220 N. Robertson Rd. | 254/947-4065 |
| Papagayo | Magnolia's on the Square | | Harold's Piano Service | I-35, exit 285 | 254/947-4677 |
| CIO (a unique ladies boutique) | Salado Square | 254/947-0322 | 38. Hill Country Cottage Gardens | 152 Blackberry Road | 254/947-0416 |
| Main Street Place | Salado Square | 254/947-9908 | 39. Wedding Connections | 871 Stagecoach Rd. | 254/947-8735 |
| Barnhill-Britt Furniture | Salado Square | 254/947-3277 | | | |
| Carden's | Salado Square | 254/947-0300 | | | |
| 18. Salado Trading Co. | 14 N. Main St. | 254/947-0606 | | | |
| 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 |



Shopping Map of Salado

(not to scale)

Thumbnails from various sources, including Herbert Fletcher, Bill Shaw, Hugh Riker, Larry Bridges, Suzi Epps

E.	The Salado Mansion	Main St.	254/947-5157
F.	The Inn at Salado	Main St.	254/947-0027
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
J.	The Old Granary Bed & Breakfast	Rock Creek Dr.	254/947-9683
K.	Pietro's Italian Restaurant	Main St. & Blacksmith	254/947-0559
L.	The Vickrey House B&B	N. Main St.	254/947-0026
M.	Sherry's in Salado	Main & Van Bibber	254/947-4749
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.	Pfalzerhof 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
	Douglas B. Willingham, D.D.S.		
S5.	Linda Pritchard Massage Therapist	Salado Square	254/947-HAND
S6.	Sarah Lee Realty	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.	Salado Civic Square	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.	SALADO PLAZA	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 Medical Clinic	Suite #180	254/947-9044
	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.	Salado Civic Center	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 Middle School	Thomas Arnold Rd.	
F9.	Salado High School	Thomas Arnold Rd.	254/947-5429

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Megan Burson

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He attended Temple Junior College, and Sam Houston State University, where he received his B.S. degree; then did graduate work at the University of North Texas and Tarleton State. He majored in Physical Education and his minor is Biology. He attended



Rance Dulaney
Belton High School.

Mr. Dulaney is married to Janie, and has two children, Stacy and John. He has three grandchildren: Bryant, Justin, and Jake.

When asked what he thought about teaching he said, "In 30 years - there are so many. In 20 years at Salado, I have worked for nearly as many principals. Since I don't make a good first impression, it has been rewarding to win each one over by my actions and in



Virginia Guess
trying to do a good job."

"It has been very rewarding," he continued, "to see my students excel academically both here and in college. As a coach it was exciting to see many of the young men that I coached excel and then go on to compete in college level."

He has become a familiar face at our schools, and an important part of the SISD faculty.

Virginia Guess
by Stanci Schwarz

Virginia Guess has been teaching for 40 years and in Salado for 14 years.

She is an English, Reading, Speech and Journalism teacher. She loves to teach, and loves her students. She wants to continue teaching as long as she feels she can give the students what they need.

She got her B.A. at the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor and her M. Ed. at Sam Houston State University. She received her Speech Certification at the University of Texas in Austin.

She is married to James Guess and has two

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Marker to honor vets

Plans are underway to plant an oak tree and erect a granite marker on Salado Cemetery grounds in honor of former residents and others who served in the armed forces and who are buried in the Salado Cemetery, as well as those who are buried in other spots around the world.

During Desert Storm an oak tree was planted on the ground of the Salado Post Office and permission was granted by the owner of the property to erect a marker. A fund was started to purchase the marker.

Since that time a chinaberry tree has come up and has completely enveloped the oak tree. The Postal officials have refused to allow

removal of the chinaberry tree.

The Cemetery Association Executive Board has now granted permission for the project to be moved to the cemetery property. The exact location has not been decided upon at this time.

We are now ready to renew our fund-raising efforts. The fund has been set up at Compass Bank in Salado. Donations may be left there or may be mailed to MaryBelle Brown at 947-5331. Checks should be made out to: "Veterans' Memorial Tree and Marker Fund."

They hope to be able to be able to dedicate the completed project on next Memorial Day.

NATO officials at UMHB

Two NATO officials will be at the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor 7 p.m. Dec. 3 to give an open forum briefing to the public about the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO). The program is free and open to the public.

According to James B. Kohler, of the U.S. Navy, the visit is to help build public awareness of the importance of NATO.

"We want to come to UMHB to help anyone who is interested in the mission of NATO and to understand NATO's relevance for today. We hope the public will attend and ask questions," Kohler said.

The two senior briefing

officers providing the presentation will be Commander Werner Schmitt, of the German Navy, and Major Jean-Marie De Blenda, of the Belgian Air Force. Of interest, the German Commander's late grandfather was the mayor of New Braunfels, Texas and then helped Jews escape Germany and relocate in South Central Texas for sanctuary in the 1930s and 1940s.

UMHB is one of the stops the team is making through Central Texas.

The presentations will be held in UMHB's Brindley Auditorium of the York Science Center on 9th Ave. in Belton.

Home tour from 1B

The Summit. Many shelves were built to hold the kerosene lamps, crocks, jugs and other related objects.

The home will be decorated for Christmas with collections of angels, lighted houses and Santas. A large Santa will greet everyone in the living room. He has been in the family since 1940 when Mrs. Denman's brother owned a flower shop in Oklahoma and Santa was part of the decorations there.

The Christmas tree in the den will hold ornaments from the Denman family dating through some 70 years. Many things from their children's lives are still used to bring back memories at Christmas time. The Nativity scenes that will be on display have lasted through four generations and will be passed on to the next.

The house will be decorated inside and out with lights, trees and all that makes Christmas dreams come true.

The Utley Townhome in Mill Creek will also be on tour Dec. 3-5.

Townhouse living in the

cities has long been a way of life. Townhouses came to the village of Salado in the early 70s.

The Utley's townhome is one of a group of one-story Cottages, built in a U-shape with a large green common area in the center.

After living in Belton all their lives, the Utleys moved to Salado because of business ownership: Frances Utley is co-owned of Salado Galleries.

"We decided we wanted less upkeep on a home, so we purchased our townhouse," Frances said.

Although floorplans are similar, individual owners have modified each townhome to their liking. "Our homes has over 2,000 square feet," Frances said. "We enclosed and open porch that open out of the living room to make our den, where we added a fireplace."

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 by Josh Aplaca

Besides being a comedian in class, Steve Murabito is the new Geometry, AP Geometry and Algebra teacher at Salado High School. Before coming to Salado he taught Algebra 1 and 2 at Cameron High School for one year, Algebra and Exit Level Al-

gebra at Temple High School for one year and before he left Delaware he taught Algebra 1 and Geometry at William Penn High School for one year. His other teaching experiences were at Marana High School in 1995 and Lake Forest High School from 1985-95 in which he taught Algebra 1 and Algebra 2, Geometry, and Computer programming. "Salado is a smaller school than I have taught at before, but I truly enjoy the atmosphere of the small school. I have found over the years that most teenagers are about the same. I mean that in a good way. I do feel the students at Salado High are on the upper end of the scale," he said.

Murabito received his Bachelor of Science degree



Steve Murabito



Bonnie Kulp

at Delaware State University and his Master of Science Degree at Wilmington College. His major was Math and his minor was Education. In his teenage days he attended Dover High School in Dover, DE. He is married to Carol and have three daughters: Tracy, Kathleen and Christine.

When asked to tell his best school story he replied,

"During the second assignment of geometry class a student exclaimed, 'How am I supposed to do this problem? It needs algebra!' He sees success in his students and hopes that his teachings will help them succeed later in life, and his comic relief adds to his teaching skills.

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Mill Creek Homes



\$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.



\$155,000: Enjoy the serenity of Salado from the wrap-around deck overlooking the creek & woods. Beautiful view from dining, kitchen, living room & balcony off the Master Bedroom. Master Bedroom with wood burning fireplace. Walk to Pro Shop and driving range. 2 BR, 2-1/2 BA. Sprinkler system, water softener, wet bar, Jacuzzi tub, cedar closet in garage.



\$156,800: 3 BR, 2 BA, with dramatic 13' entry. White & bright with lots of windows, cut berber carpet and light colored hardwood floors. Elegant master bath with glass blocks and jacuzzi tub. A lovely Mill Creek home!



\$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, built-in desk, vaulted ceilings, tile floors and workshop.



\$179,500: 5BD, 3-1/2BA on wooded lot in excellent location in Mill Creek.



\$185,000: 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 Bedroom. Plantation shutters, ceiling fans, updated wallpapers & dishwasher. Professionally landscaped with sprinkler system.



\$198,900: 3BR plus an office, large 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, built-ins in family room, worktable plus storage in garage. Hilltop view from sunroom. Very nice!



\$199,321: 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.

Other Residential Listings

\$69,900: Cute 3 BR, 2 BA country home on 1/2 acre near Salado. Excellent location and appearance. Workshop.

\$129,900: Country living in a restricted subdivision. This 1.6 wooded acre lot features a cozy den with a wood burning fireplace, formal living and dining room, plenty of closets, and a storage shed.

\$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 attached 2 car garage. Fresh exterior paint & recently replaced roof.

\$175,000: 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.

\$196,800: Two acre heavily wooded lot with an outstanding floor plan! 4 BR, 3 BA, Formal DR, Breakfast Room, 2 car garage. Relax in the hot tub on deck!

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

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

\$210,000: 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.

\$220,000: 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. Call for more details.

\$250,000: 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.

\$259,500: 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.

\$299,000: 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.

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

Commercial

\$224,000: Excellent location on I-35 frontage road & W. Village Rd. 1.16 acre with over 2,500 SF commercial building with apartment.

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

Land/Lots

635 acres of mostly live oak, near Salado, with live spring, 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. Secluded 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.

Park Drive - \$79,800

1202 Fairway Dr. - \$59,900

2 lots-view course & creek - \$45,000/each.

On 12th Fairway - \$39,500.

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

Royal Oaks - \$30,000.

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.

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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: 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 1/2 with formal living and dining, large den, gourmet style kitchen.

\$279,900: Charming Cottage nestled on a creek incorporates the vintage style of a Texas farmhouse, yet allows you to enjoy all the luxury of modern day, showing off the finest of product, craftsme **SOLD** lecor. You can choose to live here or let us help you envision turning this perfect setting into a future B&B.

~~\$279,900~~ **\$259,000 Price Reduced \$229,000:** 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.

\$249,900: Armstrong Contemporary Style with large window across the back to view this peaceful setting on 2.37 acres along Salado Creek. Vaulted ceiling, formal living and dining, large den, upstairs library, 2 bedroom and bath upstairs with large master and 1-1/2 bath downstairs.

~~\$154,000~~ **Reduced \$149,000:** Smith Bluff walk to the Pro Shop from this 3/2 2. Recently upgraded. Priced under arranged 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.

\$178,000: Owner will consider owner financing this new home in Salado's fast growing addition. 3 bedroom, split master and 2 full baths. Landscaped with sprinkler system.

\$115,000: 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.



Home of the Week

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. \$119,000.

Acreage Available

- 2.8 acres on Elmer King Road. Heavily wooded. \$27,500.
- 4 acres heavily wooded - North Brewer. \$28,000.
- 5 acres fronting FM 2484, heavy wooded. **UNDER CONTRACT**
- 7 acres fronting FM 2843, creek, outstanding trees.
- 10 acres - FM 2843, Hill Country, heavily wooded, great homesite.
- 10 acres FM 2843 **Price at \$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.
- 80 acres FM 2843 & Cedar Valley. Will divide. Hill Country's best. \$3,500 per acre.
- 928 acres Southwest of Salado. Beautiful rolling tree country with live creek and large lake on property. Excellent views. Outstanding wildlife (deer, turkey, quail).
- 3 acres commercial fronting I-35, 1 mile S. of Salado, \$69,900.

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.
- 12 acres with septic and water. Poison Oak Rd.
- 26.3 acres heavily wooded. Hwy 317 & Poison Oak Rd. Will divide. Owner financing.

The Bluffs at Salado Creek

Lot #7	0.76 acre	\$50,000	\$35,000
Lot #8	0.76 acre	\$50,000	\$35,000
Lot #9	0.1	UNDER CONTRACT	\$20,000

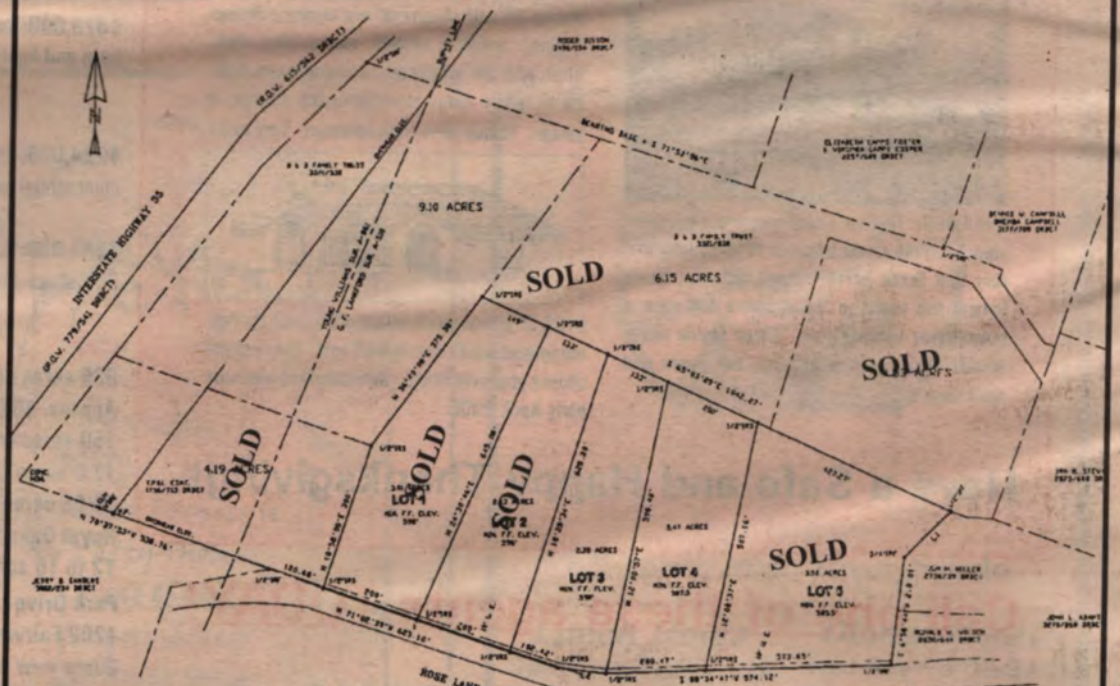
Salado Oaks

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

#2	1.079 acre	\$19,750	#3	.79 acre	SOLD
#4	.500 acre	SOLD	#13	.793 acre	\$21,500
			#18	.522 acre	\$19,250

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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 acres	\$34,500	Tract 3	6.15 acres	SOLD
Lot 5	3.52 acres	SOLD	Tract 4	4.53 acres	SOLD