

SPAT Tourney tees off Sept. 21 at Mill Creek

Preparations are under way for the Sixth Annual SPAT Golf Tournament Sept. 21 at Mill Creek Country Club.

The four-person scramble will have a 2 p.m. shotgun start.

This fundraising effort by Salado Parents and Teachers benefits educational projects at Thomas Arnold Elementary, and this year a portion -- not all, as was incorrectly stated in the Sept. 2 issue of the newspaper -- will be set aside to help establish a fundraiser for the new middle school.

Entry fee is \$40 and includes a cart, complimentary beverages and dinner at 6 p.m.

Trophies will be given, along

with prizes for longest drive and closest to the pin.

There will also be a chipping contest from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. that day for parents and faculty to enter. Prizes will be awarded.

Sponsorships to help make the tournament successful are still needed, along with volunteers on tournament day.

Deadline for sponsorships and golf entries is Sept. 18. Please contact Cathy Little at 947-9348 or Trey Little at 771-3777, ext. 239 for more information.

Or send entry forms and checks to SPAT, c/o Cathy Little, 711 Indian Trail, Salado, TX 76571.

Murder in the Library play benefits Salado Civic Center

Cast members have been chosen for the Friends of the Library production of *Murder in the Library or Smith, Smith, and Smith*.

Three characters named Smith cause a bit of confusion even for the cast, but everything becomes clear at the end -- sort of. Appearing in the play, a murder mystery spoof written by Jean Teal, are Patty Campbell, Betty Thorne, Lynn Epps, Jimmy Murchison, John Eubanks, Linda Pritchard, Dr. Bob McConnell, Susan Shobe,

Shirley Pinkston, and Troy Kelley.

The project is planned as a benefit for the Salado Civic Center. Proceeds from the play will be given to the Civic Center to help defray the cost of roof repairs.

The production will run Sept. 23-26 and is being staged in the Salado Public Library. Tickets are \$10 and are available at the library or the Civic Center Foundation office. Only 30 tickets will be sold for each performance, so patrons are urged to purchase tickets early.

Sept. Sunday Nites continues

September Sunday Nights continue 7 p.m. Sept. 13 with **The Company** at the Goodnight Tablerock Amphitheater on Royal Street in

Salado.

For more information this concert series, please contact First Baptist Church Salado at 254/947-5465.

Poetry, Prose Reading Sept. 10

The fifth annual Central Texas Poetry & Prose Reading will be held at Tablerock Amphitheater's Backstage Meeting Hall in Salado on Sept. 10.

Featured writers will read from original works of poetry and prose beginning at 7 p.m.

Admission to the event is free. Tablerock Festivals will

provide a snack and beverage concession.

From Main Street in Salado, turn east on Royal Street, go two blocks, turn right at Tablerock Amphitheater sign, and enter the backstage area through the west door.

For additional information, write to Alice Wells, Box 913, Salado, TX 76571.



Christmas in October slated for one day

The annual **Christmas in October** is scheduled for one day only 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Oct. 10 at the Salado Civic Center in Salado, TX. Admission will be \$4 with children free.

The theme for the event is **Salado's Legacy** which corresponds to the program theme used throughout the year at the regular monthly meetings of the Auxiliary.

Christmas trees and **Christmas table settings** will be decorated by the various organizations presenting program: the Historical Society, Salado Public Library, Gathering of the Clans, Salado Women's Chorale, Salado Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary, Monday Club, Art Fair, Memorial Service of the Salado Cemetery Association, Salado Village Artists, Salado Volunteer Fire Department, Tablerock Festival of Salado,

Friends in Deed and The Christmas Stroll.

Items depicting Salado's heritage, Christmas wreaths, centerpieces and topiaries will be available for purchase.

Tee-shirts, aprons, patio bells, magnets, coasters, notepaper featuring the Indian maiden, Sirena; hand-decorated wastebaskets, placemats and napkins will be on sale. Also being offered are Christmas ornaments with painted pictures and other festive ornaments. Beautiful handmade dolls and gorgeous handmade vests round out this extraordinary collection of **Bazaar Items**.

An around the world display of culturally varied **Nativity Scenes** will be displayed for your viewing pleasure.

Refreshments of finger sandwiches, chips, cookies, coffee and punch will be

served. Throughout the day entertainment will be provided by the Salado Women's Chorale and Rhythm Rockers while informal modeling of **Fashions** provided by Grace Jones will take place.

The famous "Salado Christmas in October **Bake Sale**" will feature scrumptious baked goods from the best cooks in Salado. Many of the baked items will be ready to freeze and reheat for the upcoming holidays. You can always say you popped it right out of the oven!

Be sure to watch for locations at Christmas in October to sign-up for the **Drawings** to win a Money Topiary Tree, books written by local authors A.C. Greene, Elizabeth Silverthorne and Jackie Mills and many items donated by vil-

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FORUM

An Open Exchange of Ideas

Heavy 'Burton' of proof

It appears President Bill Clinton has far-reaching powers beyond belief.

Apparently, while he was an obscure governor of a small state (Arkansas), he caused conservative Republican Dan Burton to have an affair, resulting in an illegitimate child.

Dan Burton, who is now a Republican Representative, has confessed that he too has had an extramarital affair. His occurred in the early 80s and resulted in the birth of an illegitimate child. Evidently, Bill Clinton is to blame for Burton's affair, which he has hidden for more than a decade. Burton blames Clinton for Vanity Fair snooping around in his private life.

I wonder if it has occurred to Burton that you cannot call the President a "scumbag" with impunity — unless you are Rush Limbaugh, then you can say whatever you want about anyone you want.

Burton set the litmus test for "scumbags," when he called the President one earlier this year. When Vanity Fair began to apply this litmus test to Burton, he rushed out to confess his bad deeds to the public. All the while, he pointed the bony finger of indignation at Clinton and the "liberal media" for sticking their noses in his private life.

Clinton and the liberal media had about as much to do with Burton's extramarital affair as the vast right-wing conspiracy had with Clinton's own inability to keep his pants zipped up. Yet both men blame somebody else for their shortcomings: Clinton blames some vast right-wing conspiracy involving Kenneth Starr; Burton blames the liberal media and Clinton for his troubles.

Digressions

Tim Fleischer

As if to prove that he is indeed not the same kind of scumbag as President Clinton, Burton begrudgingly says, "I never committed perjury." Yippee! Burton ran for years as a Family Values Candidate. Burton believed so much in Family Values that he had multiple families. Except he denied one of those families for over a decade, all the while quietly paying child support for his illegitimate child.

I hope that I am not the only one to be deeply offended by Burton's hypocrisy, which sinks to the depths of Clinton's lying and deceit. I am as deeply offended by the present-day politics-by-investigation.

It would be refreshing if the Democrats and Republicans spent as much time and energy on the business of running (or ruining) our country as they did on ruining the reputations of each other.

It would be even more refreshing if the Democrats and Republicans came together and announced that both parties have an ample supply of scumbags (that it is actually a job perk protected by the Constitution). While they are giving us a good dose of the truth, they could further announce that they really don't give a damn what the public thinks, only the PACs and special interests to whom they have all sold their souls.

Furthermore, they could announce that they will continue to be adulterers, philanderers, liars, cheats, influence peddlers, hypocrites and do-nothings until Hell freezes over or the electorate wakes up and does something about it.

Breaking the President's Propriety



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Politics as usual

Governor candidates propose plans to spend some of the billions in state's budget surplus

Some weeks ago the subject of a Texas state budget surplus was mentioned in this space.

The number bandied about was over \$6 billion. It was suggested here that state officials consider putting at least half of those "extra" dollars into a "rainy day" fund against the years ahead when tax revenues are in a declining mode - as will happen from time to time, thus eliminating the need for a tax hike when the economy sours.

POLITICS AS USUAL

It was disappointing, but not surprising, to discover the contenders for Governor proposing plans to spend some of the billions through tax cuts that would amount, at best, to a few dollars saved each year for the average Texan as suggested by incumbent George Bush, on up to a big bunch of bucks as offered by his far-behind opponent Garry Mauro.

Bush's ideas included a sales tax reduction amounting to some \$400 million with cuts on such items as certain medications, diapers, the internet sales tax plus a two week preschool sales tax moratorium on the purchase of back-to-school items.

Projected savings for the average family from the Bush plan: **\$35.00 per year!**

Mauro's plan is, as expected - grandiose to say the least. He offers the idea of repealing the full state sales tax on automobiles, pickups and minivans.

Cost of Mauro's plan: \$4 billion.

Amount needed for teacher and state worker pay raises as

Off the Record

by Ken Clapp



well as the normal cost of living hikes for current programs - **\$2 Billion.**

Balance for "rainy day" savings account: **A big fat zero!**

SMALL VERSUS BIG SPENDERS

The actual fact of the matter here is that neither candidate wants to give back any of the pending surplus. Especially since there are a number of items that need doing in a growing state such as ours.

Bush did not want to appear Scrooge-like when it comes to reducing taxes and he certainly does not want to lose any percentage points in the polling as he looks ahead nationally.

He not only wants to win in November, but win big! And giving Mauro the high ground associated with tax reductions just won't fly in these days of policy tracking public opinion polls.

Mauro, on the other hand, has nothing to lose. He can offer to freely give away everything including all state owned land; freebie checks to every citizen with state surplus money (not his you understand); put a chicken in every pot and two cars in each driveway.

He won't win but can go down claiming to be the "peepuls" choice against the big bad "bidness" interests associated with the GOP.

That dog won't hunt but Mauro will keep on from now to November 3, giving away things he does not have; chipping away at such items as the nuclear waste dump in West Texas; Bush's clemency break for a death row killer and the profit made by George the Younger when he sold his part of the Rangers and the Ball Park.

Not hard to see why Bush is leading the polls by a 67 to 20 percent margin.

ONLY ONE DEMOCRAT LEADING STATEWIDE

The most recent Texas Poll has Republicans running strong on the statewide ballot and ahead in all races except the important Attorney General slot.

"Tiger" Jim Mattox has pulled ahead of John Cornyn in the AG battle, with a 48 to 29 percentage gap. Problem here is the high 18 percent undecided number. Reason for this is the fact that many Texas voters wonder if Mattox has changed from his "junk yard dog" type campaign style, as shown when he went after Ann Richards in the governor's primary race in 1990 and before that in his previous race for attorney general. A job he won in 1982 and served two full terms during the tenures of Mark White and Bill Clements.

Mattox, should he win, will bring nothing but heartache for Bush during that leader's second term - assuming he stays hitched for the full four years.

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Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary to meet Sept. 10 at Civic Center

The Salado Chamber of Commerce Ladies Auxiliary will meet Sept. 10 at the Civic Center. Coffee will be served by the Hospitality committee at 9:30 a.m. Guest will be introduced by the president, Marge Kirkman, followed by the introduction of new members since the yearbook was printed.

A progress report on Christmas in October will be given by Minta Landrum and Cheryl Pany, co-chairman.

Jim Dale will give a brief report on the Creek Preservation Committee of Salado.

The program will be given by Wayne Rutherford from the fire department, and Dr. James F. Veninga, president of the Institute for Humanities at Salado.

Rutherford has 17 years experience as a professional fire fighter. He began his career with the Temple Fire Department in 1981, and served there for two years. He began with the Killeen Fire Department in

July of 1983, where is presently a Lieutenant at fire station #5, supervising an engine company, a brush unit, and a mobile intensive care (E.M.S.) unit.

Rutherford joined the Salado Volunteer Fire Department in December of 1982, and has served as chief for the past four years, and president of the Salado Firefighters for five years. Rutherford, who has an advanced firefighter certification, and is also a certified emergency medical technician/paramedic.

Dr. Harry A. Wilmer, founder of the Institute of Humanities at Salado in 1980 and Emeritus President of the Institute, will introduce Dr. Veninga.

Jim Veninga is President of the Institute for Humanities at Salado, an educational organization that offers seminars, lectures, symposia, and audio and video programs for the general public and for elementary and secondary school teachers.

Prior to his appointment to this position in October 1997, Dr. Veninga served for 24 years as the Executive Director of the Texas Council for the Humanities in Austin, a state program of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Dr. Veninga holds a B.A. Degree from Baylor University and a Ph.D. from Rice University. He has been a faculty member at the University of St. Thomas, Houston, and at the University of Texas at Austin.

He is the author or editor of a number of books, including *The Biographer's Gift* (Texas A&M University Press, 1983), *Vietnam in Remission* (Texas A&M University Press, 1985), *Education for the 21st Century* (Texas Council for the Humanities, 1991), and *Standing with the Public: The Humanities and Democratic Practice* (Kettering Foundation Press, 1997). *The Humanities and the Civic Imagination* will be published by the University of North Texas Press in early 1999.

Record

Big Jim would like nothing better than to be a burr in the saddle blanket of a Republican Governor and the AG in Texas is in a great position to do just that.

Jim will also be laying the ground work for a run at the Governor's Mansion during the four years he will serve as AG - assuming he gets enough votes from the undecided pool, and the best way to sink the Grand Old Party' current hold on the Governor's office, is to investigate the heck out of everything - from the Governor's office all the way up and down the GOP controlled statewide offices with some leading conservative lawmakers thrown in for good measure.

And Mattox is just the guy who would love doing all he can to make life miserable for any GOPer he can find doing anything that smacks of scandal or wrongdoing. And if there is nothing there - he is not above creating something for the press to chew on that can guarantee nervous indigestion for any conservative lined up in the feisty AG's cross hairs.

MAURO SNAKE-BIT

As if Garry Mauro were not far enough behind in all the polls detailing how he will lose the governor's race to George Bush by an historically wide margin, the fuzzy thinking Demo pulled another less than strategic move in a campaign well known for bloopers, bad luck and a general lack of direction or purpose.

Mauro found out that the Texas Public Employees Association (a company type union) had endorsed a gubernatorial candidate for the first time in their long history and that George the Younger got that nod.

This frustrated the uphill battler Mauro and he called the workers group to find out why!

Answer was simple - Bush had turned down the state pay raise the legislature had given him last year and Mauro had taken his.

Bush gave a smart politically correct reason - state employees did not get much of anything in the way of a legislative pay hike so he refused to accept his pay raise as a way

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of showing workers his concern.

Mauro opined that he deserved his raise and fussed at the state workers for not backing him.

Just another sure sign that

Bush will win.

State employees know what side their bread is buttered on and would not risk endorsing a prospective governor unless they knew he was going to win!

Bush did a bit of grandstanding on this issue - but it worked!

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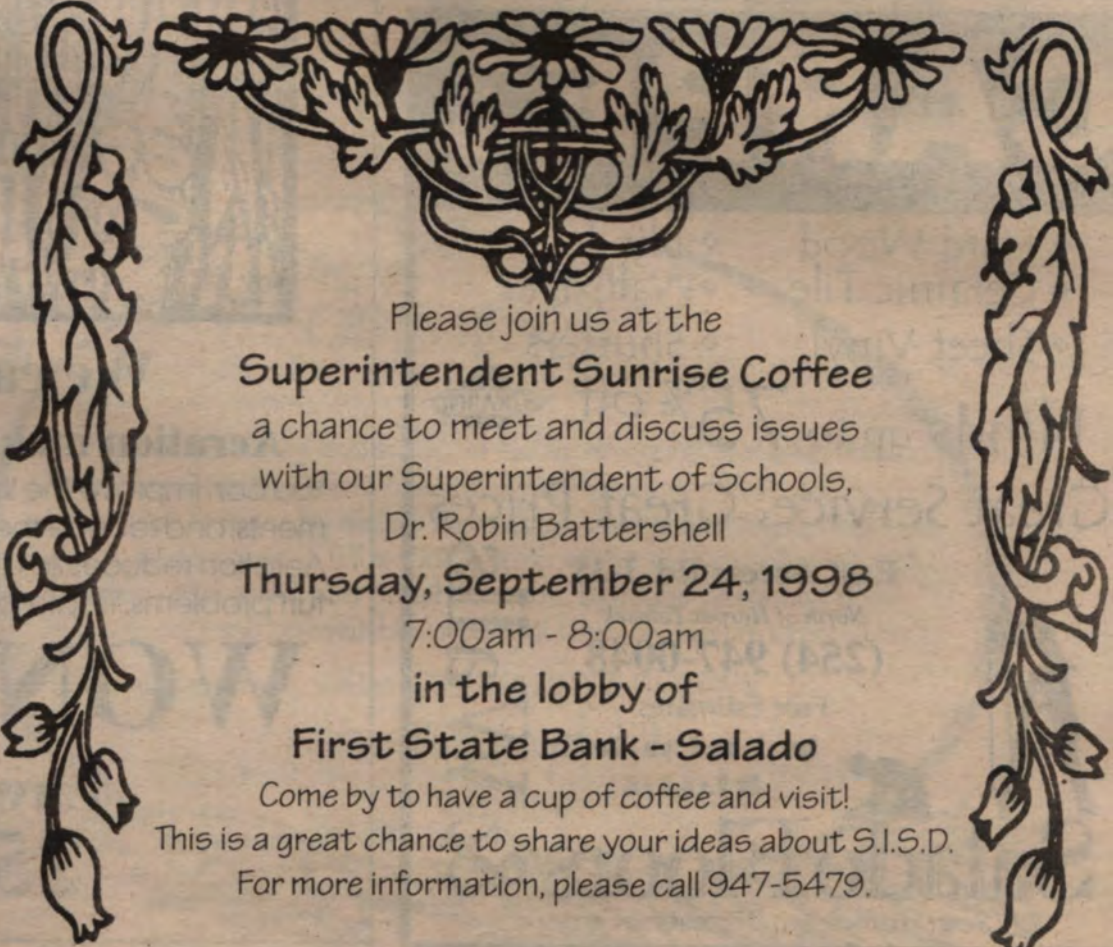
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8-3	Child custody dispute	Buttermilk
8-3	Criminal mischief	Indian Trail
8-3	Burglary of a habitation	Old Mill Road
8-5	Credit card abuse	Mill Creek Drive
8-6	Missing person	Salado Plaza Drive
8-7	Criminal trespass	IH-35 SB Exit 282
8-7	Theft, information, recovered property	Salado Creek Road
8-14	Criminal mischief & harassment	Chisholm Court
8-15	Missing person	Chisholm Trail
8-16	Criminal trespass	Mill Creek Drive
8-16	Burglary of a building	Robertson Road
8-16	Criminal mischief	Robertson Road
8-17	Possible theft	Robertson Road
8-19	Harassment by communication	FM 2115
8-20	Harassment by communication	Main Street
8-20	Harassment by communication	Brewer Road
8-21	Criminal trespass warning	Royal Street
8-22	Assault & threat	FM 2115
8-23	Criminal mischief	Crows Ranch Road
8-23	Fail to identify	IH-35 SB Exit 282
8-24	Assault and criminal mischief	Center at Royal
8-24	Theft	North Main
8-25	Criminal mischief and assault	Robertson Road
8-26	Credit card abuse	Royal Street
8-26	Attempted theft	Royal Street
8-27	Harassment by communication	FM 2268
8-30	Criminal mischief	IH-35 SB Exit 283
8-30	Burglary of a habitation	FM 2843
8-30	Welfare concern	Ridgewood
8-31	Disorderly conduct	Ridgewood
8-31	Assault by threat	Thomas Arnold
8-31	Assault w/bodily injury	Thomas Arnold

Salado's civilian Citizens on Patrol (COPs) patrolled 126 hours in August.

Chisholm Trail ABWA Luncheon & Style Show Oct. 3

The Fourth Annual a.m. Oct. 3.
 Chisholm Trail ABWA Luncheon and Style Show featuring Christy's of Salado and The Store will be at Creekside Restaurant (Mill Creek), at 11 a.m. Tickets are available from any ABWA member, Christy's of Salado, The Store, Robertson's Hams, Stagecoach Inn, and Salado Chamber of Commerce. Advance tickets are \$15 and \$20 at the door. Seating is limited. Marge Kirkman will be the featured pianist.

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BMW Ultimate Drive set Sept. 17 in Temple

Scott and White Hospital will host a very special event on Sept. 17, the BMW Ultimate Drive. For the second year, Garyln Shelton Imports will participate in BMW of North America Inc.'s nationwide effort to raise funds for the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.

Volunteers are asked to sign up to test drive a new BMW on the 14-mile course starting at the north parking lot at Scott and White. For each mile driven, BMW will donate \$1 to the Foundation on behalf of the driver. BMW's goal is to generate a million test miles, adding up to a \$1 million gift to the foundation.

Thirty-two drivers are needed each hour, to keep the 16 specially-marked BMW's moving through the course. Of the 200 BMW Retail Centers nationwide that participated last year, Temple had the most drivers pre-registered for the event.

"We were very fortunate last year and look forward to surpassing our record this year through our outstanding community support," said Ron Coleman, sales manager, Garyln Shelton Imports.

Anyone interested in signing up to be a driver may call 1-877-4-A-DRIVE.

About the Susan G. Komen Foundation

Last year more than 32,000 people participated in this nationwide program to raise \$1 million in support of breast cancer efforts, and to raise awareness of the importance of early detection in communities throughout the country.

The 1998 program will kick-off July 2 with simultaneous events in three parts of the country (New York City, Cleveland and Seattle) and criss-cross the USA until mid-November.

For every mile that is "test-driven" during this time, BMW donated \$1 to the Komen Foundation. In addition, a special presentation is conducted to recognize a local "Hero" for his or her outstanding work in the community and dedication to help eradicate breast cancer. During the presentation a photograph of each "Hero" is affixed onto a specially marked BMW vehicle called the "signature car," producing an ever-growing collage of the real people who are making a difference in the drive to find a cure for breast cancer. Finally, all participants in the program are encouraged to commemorate their involvement in the program by adding their signatures to the "signature" car that then becomes a moving symbol of the program's goals.

In addition to the \$1-per-mile commitment, BMW is dedicating three caravans of 16 specially marked vehicles to the drive. These caravans will simultaneously travel to more than 200 BMW retail centers across the country.

The Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation was established in 1982 by Nancy Brinker to honor the memory of her sister, Susan G. Komen, who died from breast cancer at the age of 36. The Foundation is a national organization with a network of volunteers working to eradicate breast cancer as a life-threatening disease by advancing research, education, screening and treatment.

The Foundation is the nation's largest private funder of research dedicated solely to breast cancer. In addition to funding research, the National Grant Program funds innovative breast cancer education, screening and treatment projects for the medically underserved.

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lage merchants that will adorn a display tree.

Christmas in October has been held by the Salado Chamber of Commerce Ladies Auxiliary for the past 15 years.

Salado, an historic and quaint village is located halfway between Austin and Waco (exit 284) making Salado a central location for day trips,

vacations, and business meetings. It is a village of elegant living, excellent golfing, fine dining and exclusive shopping in a relaxed atmosphere. For more information about Christmas in October, a schedule of other events or about Salado call the Salado Chamber of Commerce office at 254-947-5040.

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News of the Churches and People of our village

Methodist Church to offer Christian Education Sunday

Christian Education Sunday celebrates the fundamental ministry of Christian teaching Sept. 13 at the Salado United Methodist Church. In both the 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. worship services, Sunday School teachers will be installed.

The 1998-1999 Sunday School teachers are the following:

- 1 to 3 year olds - Trenaise Engleking and Virginia Cosper
- 4 to 5 years olds - Cindy Claburn
- First and Second Grade - Charity Barker and Molly K. Garner
- Third and Fourth Grade - Eileen Whitacre and Mary Dowell
- Fifth and Sixth Grade - Stan and Leigh Drake
- Junior High - Nancy Radebaugh and Jeannie Bauerslag
- Senior High - Jim Nuse
- Builders Class - Fletcher Rhodes
- Seekers - Jan Baldwin
- Fidelis - Patsy Sanford

During the time of installation, the teachers will receive the devotional book, Time with God, and a United Methodist Pin.

The public is invited to attend the services.

Monday Club to meet Sept. 14

The Monday Club will meet 2 p.m. Sept. 14 in the Fellowship Hall of the Salado United Methodist Church. Mary Hodge will give the Devotional, and a program entitled "Love" will be presented by local resident Blanche Miller. Hostesses for the meeting will be Bobbie Carroll and Arlene Dewhurst. All are cordially invited.

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Nathaniel Carney Sunshine was born 12:10 p.m. Aug. 19 at Scott and White Hospital, measuring 19-1/2 inches long and weighing 8 pounds 1 ounce. He was born to Marie and Brian Sunshine of Salado. He is the grandson of Beverly and Lawrence Sunshine of Denver and Edward and Carelyn Carney of Girard, OH. Maria has a bachelor of arts in political science from Hiram College and a master of arts in education from the University of Denver. She is a homemaker. Brian has a bachelor of science in business and an MBA from the University of Colorado. He is the Director of Compliance and Guarantor Relations for Sallie Mae in Killeen.

UMGG Fashion Show Nov. 7

The United Methodist Garden Guild is preparing for the fall beginning with the annual fashion show sponsored by Virginia Cosper and CIO of Salado. The fashion show will be held Nov. 7.

Sightseeing trips are being planned to the Brenham Rose Emporium, the Fort Worth Orchid Gardens, and the Lampasas Herb festival.

The Garden Guild maintains the church gardens by weeding, pruning, mulching, and planting. Additionally,

they do crafts and needlework. In the near future, a Garden Party is being planned.

Whether you do gardening, crafts, or just want to socialize, supervise, or organize, the public is invited to attend the Guild. There is no charge and you do not have to be member of the Methodist Church to take part. The Guild meets every Thursday 7-8:30 p.m. Dress is very casual. For more information, please call Mary Burgamy, 947-1112 or Nancy Elliot, 947-5936.



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Letters to the editor

Dear Editor:

I would like to thank four persons from Salado for helping and caring for me when my air condition went out.

Bill and Stella Pruett for coming over late at night to help fix the air conditioner.

Tom and Denny Blass for coming over to fix the air conditioner. Denny is the owner of Blass Floral and Gifts.

Thanks again guys! I love you all and I thank God for people like you.

Thank you,
Carmen Granado

To the Community of Salado:

Our community has a rich heritage-filled with history, art, music, crafts, and so much more. In an effort to enrich the learning environment of our schools, we invite you to share your knowledge and expertise with our students. Our goal is to teach our children about the community in which they live. Do you have a unique insight, a talent to demonstrate, and the desire to share with our young people? You can help by agreeing to be a guest speaker and/or community volunteer in Salado school's this year. Please call 947-5191 and ask

for Kay Matthews.

On behalf of our students, we thank you for your involvement in the future of Salado.

The Salado ISD Curriculum Committee

Thanks Coach!

Your generous way to celebrate twenty years of business at Dairy Queen was great! We enjoyed the cokes and cones and your twenty cent promotional prices very much. A good deal and a very nice way to say thank you to your community.

Rod and Sheryl Russell

Reception to feature Liz Carpenter

Her lecture entitled, 'Texas Women, Then and Now: From Salado Hill to the White House'

Dr. Ron Tyler, Director of the Texas State Historical Association and former press secretary and staff director to Lady Bird Johnson, Liz Sutherland Carpenter, will be the guest speakers at a reception honoring the Texas State Historical Association 2-4 p.m. Sept. 20 at the Cultural Activities Center.

Hosted by H.K. and Raye Virginia Allen, the reception will feature a brief lecture by Ms. Carpenter entitled, "Texas Women, Then and Now: From Salado Hill To The White House," followed by a lecture and slide show presentation of "History as High Adventure: Rekindling the Flame," by Dr. Tyler.

The historical contributions of a five county region -- Bell, Coryell, Falls, Lampasas, and Milam -- will also be highlighted and discussed in the program.

A native daughter of Central Texas, Liz Carpenter was born in Salado and has spoken and written with pride about the area throughout her life. She is a member of the Texas State Historical Association, and is a descendant of pioneer families in Central Texas who helped write its history in ink and "blood": the Empresario Sterling C. Robertson who brought 600 families to form the Robertson Colony; George Childress who was the author of the Texas Declaration of Independence; William Sutherland who gave his life at the Alamo, and two great-great grandfathers who fought with Sam Houston at the Battle of San Jacinto, Sterling C. Robertson and Major George Sutherland.

A communicator, executive, author, writer and 32-year veteran on the Washington scene,



Liz Carpenter

Liz Carpenter has survived politics for over 50 years as a Washington reporter, and as a participant. After 18 years as a Washington correspondent, covering the Capitol and White House, Ms. Carpenter accepted Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson's invitation "to join us and share the great adventure of our lives." She became his executive assistant in 1961, and then served as press secretary and staff director to the First Lady in 1963. Liz Carpenter was the first professional newswoman to hold that post.

In 1993 the Texas State Historical Association created the annual *Liz Carpenter Award* for research and writing on the history of women in Texas.

Dr. Ron Tyler is the current Director of the Texas State Historical Association and a Professor of History at the University of Texas at Austin. Born in Temple, he grew up in Rogers where he graduated from high school. After attending Temple Junior College, he graduated from Abilene Christian College (B.S.E.) and Texas Christian University (M.A., Ph.D.). He taught at Austin College in Sherman, from 1967-96 and served as Curator of History and Assistant Director for Public Programs at the Amon Carter Mu-



Dr. Ron Tyler

seum in Fort Worth from 1969-1986, before becoming Director of the TSHA in 1986.

In addition to his administrative duties, Tyler teaches courses in nineteenth century American Western art at the University of Texas, and he has published extensively in the field, including, most recently, *Audobon's Great National Work* (University of Texas Press, 1994) and *Prints of the West* (Fulcrum Publishers, 1995). He has done extensive research in Texas and published several books. Tyler is the editor-in-chief of the six volume encyclopedia, *The New Handbook of Texas*, published by TSHA.

The Cultural Activities Center will host an exhibition and sale of an extensive selection of TSHA publications through Sept. 22. Titles available for purchase include *Texas History Movies*, Editor George B. Ward; *Basic Texas Books*, by John H. Jenkins; *Art for History's Sake*, *The Texas Collection of the Witte Museum*, by Cecilia Steinfeldt; *The Battle of the Alamo*, by Ben H. Proctor (formerly of Temple) and five histories by Pulitzer Prize-winning historian William H. Goetzmann. Forty percent of all book sales will benefit the Cultural Activities Center.

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Sept. 14-20 is Fire Ant Awareness Week (So, watch out for those pesky fire ants!)

James M. Davis
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The week of September 14-20 is Fire Ant Awareness Week. Even though there is no way to eradicate red imported fire ants currently, there are effective ways to reduce or eliminate fire ants for specific areas where control efforts are made. Although most people still think of trying to control fire ants in the spring, entomologists at Texas A&M University do not believe that an ideal time to start control programs in turfgrass areas is during the fall.

The program advocated for lawns in heavily infested areas in the eastern half of Texas and the Southeastern states is called "the Two-Step-Method." This program uses the annual or semi-annual broadcast application of one of the effective fire ant bait products like Amdro, Ascend or Logic (also sold as Award, Siege and other trade names). The second step is the use of an individual fire ant mound treatment product like a dust, drench, bait or granular insecticide to treat "nuisance" or "escape" mounds.

Because of the slow-acting nature of bait-formulated fire ant insecticides, they are ideally applied in the fall in order to reduce fire ants by spring. After all, spring is the time when most Texans expect to really enjoy the great outdoors. Amdro, when broadcast at a rate of 1 to 1 1/2 pounds per acre, provides maximum control three to six weeks after application. Products containing Logic act much more slowly, since these products do not kill worker ants. Rather, they prevent the production and development of new work-

ers. Ants in the mound at the time of treatment must die off naturally. Maximum effects from these 'insect growth regulator' insecticides occurs three to nine months following application. All of bait products are very safe for use around the home when used as directed, but none are registered for use in home gardens.

Bait-formulated products are generally formulated on processed corn grits. The active ingredients are dissolved in soybean oil which coats the grits. If the soybean oil is old or exposed to air, it becomes rancid and unattractive to foraging ants. Therefore, it is most important to use a fresh product. Baits are best applied using crank-type seeders or spreaders. Hand-held or over-the-shoulder methods are available to treat larger areas. Baits must be applied to dry ground when no rain is expected for 24 to 48 hours after treatment. They can not be applied as mixtures with seeds or fertilizers since bait attractiveness to the ants will be lost.

If individual mound treatments are needed, wait two to seven days after broadcasting the bait until treating. "Nuisance" mounds are those around the mail box or by the gate which need to be eliminated right away. "Escape" mounds refer to those colonies which, for some reason, were not effected by the bait treatment. Ants in these mounds may have been feeding on another, more attractive source of food when the bait was applied. Colonies may also have migrated into the bait-treated area from adjacent untreated areas. Very few mounds will need to be treated individually once the effects of a success-

ful bait application have been achieved.

Although the "Two-Step-Method" is considered appropriate for most turfgrass areas in heavily infested areas, there are other approaches. In small areas with low ant mound numbers or in areas where there is an interest in preserving native ant species, use of individual mound treatments for red imported fire ant suppression may be more appropriate. Furthermore, use of slow-acting bait-formulated products may not be suitable in flood-prone areas. And finally, the use of baits and individual fire ant mound treatments will not prevent ants from migrating into or colonizing treated areas. In those areas where absolutely no ants can be tolerated, surface treatments of contact insecticide may be necessary.

Whatever fire ant control efforts are used, take care to follow use instructions provided on the product label. None of the methods of fire ant control available today eliminate ants forever. Plan to re-apply treatments as needed for as long as control is desired.

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Performances will be held in the historic courthouse on the square in downtown Georgetown at 706 Main Street on September 17-20, 23-26. Curtain on Thurs., Fri. and Sat. is at 8 p.m. and 2 p.m. on Sun. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for children. Reservations may be made by calling 1-877-834-1318 or 869-SHOW(7469). The box office opens an hour before curtain. Reserved tickets need be picked up at The Palace Theater located on the square at 814 South Austin Avenue 30 minutes before showtime.

As the City of Georgetown celebrates 150 years, the Palace Theater will bring history to life with its season opener, You Can't Do That Dan Moody! The Ku Klux Klan cast its dark shadow on America in the 1920s. Gaining strength not only in Texas but nationwide, their political power and reign of terror grew

You Can't Do That Dan Moody! will be presented by the Palace Theater in Georgetown Sept 16-20 and 24-27.

as they won election after election. There were few arrests and no convictions. It seemed that no one could stop the Klan. No one could stop the hate, and no one could stop the violence. No one except Dan Moody. You Can't Do That, Dan Moody! details the excitement of the times in Williamson County, the state of Texas and the nation. Dan Moody was a smalltown boy from Taylor who conquered one of the most significant cases in Texas history. Throughout his life Dan Moody was told he could not do things; he was too young to go to law school, he couldn't get indictments against the Klan and he

could never win a trial against the men in hooded sheets. But, he went against the odds and not only beat the Klan, but ultimately was elected Texas' youngest Attorney General and then Governor. Playgoers will be entertained, enlightened and full of pride about the story of a native son.

Author Ken Anderson holds the job that Dan Moody had 75 years ago. He wrote this book to show that sticking up for what's right and staying with your goals no matter what, are things that Dan Moody had to deal with. "As a kid, the words I hated most were, 'you can't do that,' which is why I wanted to write this story. Dan Moody was told he was too young and couldn't achieve, but he showed everyone that he could," says Anderson.

For more information call 512/930-6744.

Orientation Sept. 16 for volunteers

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Operation Haylift

Project brings boxcars, truckloads of hay to farmers, ranchers in Texas

by James M. Davis

Co. Ext. Agent

Texas farmers and ranchers needing hay have an opportunity for help through "Project Haylift." This task force is being coordinated by various state agencies.

Project Haylift is an effort to get donated hay from out of

state producers to Texas farmers and ranchers free of charge. However, to this point the project has used donated hay along with donated transportation to various locations throughout the state. The guidelines state however, that each producer is limited to either one round bale or 20 square bales of hay.

To date several truck loads and a few boxcar loads of hay have been delivered at no charge to certain areas of Texas in critical need of hay. While the donations are greatly appreciated, there is a need to look at other approaches for accommodating the needs of livestock producers.

There has been a tremendous response by out-of-state producers in making donations to help Texas farmers and ranchers. However, it is not feasible to locate enough free delivery/transportation for this large quantity of hay to be delivered to Texas. In an effort to utilize this donated hay, producers and/or producer groups willing to secure the trucking and pay the freight have the opportunity to access this hay.

County Extension agents are being asked to develop a list of producers or producer groups that are willing to pay for the freight to get the hay and the quantity of hay they are needing. The county Extension Agent - Agriculture will then

contact Texas Department of Agriculture, and they will work with the county Extension agent - agriculture in identifying the out-of-state donors.

Each producer must sign a Liability Disclaimer and Intent to Use Form prior to receiving the donated hay. This form states that the individual will utilize the hay for the suste-

nance of his own livestock and will not sell or profit from the hay. He also waives all claims of liability to those involved in growing, cutting, baling, donating, or transporting the hay.

The only way to make this work on a practical basis is to order in truck load lots. If an individual can't use a whole truck load he needs to get with his neighbors and split the freight on a load.

I will be trying to get some freight rates and more information together on this project this week.

The drought is causing market analysts to rework their projections. Cattle Fax executive vice president Topper Thorpe says previous predications placed prices peaking in the year 2000. The herd reduction caused by the drought will push that back to 2001. The major liquidation is in Texas. Some auction operators report two and three times the normal number of cattle being sold.

Talking to 1,300 ranchers at Texas A&M's annual Beef Cattle Short Course, Thorpe advised not to throw in the towel just yet. He says times are tough, but if ranchers can hang on, they'll realize good opportunities in the future as cattle prices rise. Thorpe calls the drought a short-term problem. He's more worried about long-term impacts such as beef continuing to lose market share to chicken and pork. In 1980, beef commanded 55% of the consumer's meat dollar. That share is now down to 44%.

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Winding down from work-week includes drifting down Venice canals for Ed Thomas, Jr.

Most of us would love to wind down after a hard week's work the way Edward Thomas, Jr. can. For the son of a Belton couple, winding down means dreamily drifting down a Venice canal, chatting with friends at an outdoor cafe' in Verona or soaking up the history of ancient Rome at the famed Colosseum.

But for Thomas, son of Ed and Joan Thomas of Belton, living in one of the most beautiful and historic places on Earth comes with an expensive price tag. The Air Force captain is working at this northern Italian air base to support NATO crisis response, humanitarian relief, peace enforcement and combat operations in southern Europe, the Middle East and North Africa.

Jet fighters and other aircraft from Aviano patrol the skies over Bosnia-Herzegovina, enforcing the peace accords that ended the four-year war in the Balkans. Thomas realizes the importance of maintaining the peace in Bosnia, particularly in light of recent unrest in the Serbian province of Kosovo.

"Strategically, Aviano is a critical base in the peacekeeping effort. It's our southern Europe fighter base and our 'jumping off' point to Bosnia and the Mediterranean. The American presence in Europe is much less than it was 10 years ago. That makes Aviano and our remaining locations exponentially more important for protecting American military power when called upon," Thomas said.

To fulfill the demands of peacekeeping, operations in Bosnia and Iraq, and to provide a quick response to other regional contingencies, Aviano has the 31st Fighter Wing and its two squadrons of F-16 fighters. The base also supports a host of deployed units, flying a variety of specialized aircraft including tankers and transports. Thomas supports the mission as the base public affairs officer.

"As chief of public affairs, I'm responsible for relations between Aviano and the Italian government, community, and international media. It's also my job to keep the 10,000 military, civilian and family members on base informed," said Thomas, a graduate of Belton High School. Thomas went on to earn a bachelor's degree from Texas A&M University, College Station, in 1990, and a master's degree in management from George Washington University, Washington, D.C., this year.

Despite the rigorous pace of



(photo by Michael Tolzmann)
Air Force Capt Edward W. Thomas Jr., and family: Wife Dinah, daughters Caroline and Melanie and son Wyatt.

the mission at Aviano, the assignment is a coveted one among Air Force members. Located at the foot of the Italian Alps, the base is surrounded by lush countryside, Renaissance castles and cathedrals, immaculate homes, gardens and vineyards. Just a few hours by train or car can put Thomas in some of the most famous, artistic and historical cities in the world.

"My wife, Dinah, and I visited Italy a few years ago, so we were really excited when we learned we'd be moving here. Italy is great and an experience we don't take for granted. We've got skiing 30 minutes from our house in one direction, and beaches 45 minutes in the other," said Thomas, who arrived in Italy in May.

"We plan to do a lot of traveling while we're here. Our parents plan to come visit once a year or so and watch the children for a week while Dinah and I travel around Italy and Europe. It's gonna be great," he said.

Since leaving home and joining the Air Force, life has been anything but dull for Thomas. It's been a life of new faces and places, new experiences and challenges.

"I've been in the Air Force just a little over eight years, serving tours in Texas, New Jersey, and the Pentagon. I just left the Pentagon in May and spent two weeks in Belton and Garland before departing for Europe. We're looking forward to our tour here and hope to make a difference in Italy," he said.

The Freshman Class of Salado High School will be selling a Student Directory as a class fund raiser. The directories will include student names, phone numbers, sports calendars for the fall and spring sports, directions to area school, 98-99 school calendar, school song, and much more.

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Salado High sophomore Colt Williams with 9 foot Blue Marlin.

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Colt Williams, a sophomore at Salado High and an avid fisherman, landed a 9-foot, 216-pound blue marlin on a recent trip to Mazatlan, Mexico.

Colt, his dad and brother Jason, all of Salado, chartered a 42-foot Twin Luer boat from Bill Hemphill's Star Fleet in Mazatlan. Star Fleet is a world-renowned fishing fleet, holding

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According to the Williams family, all had a wonderful time in Matzalan, the seafood was great, and so were the sights.

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Salado DB Michael Gunter corrals a Riesel ballcarrier. (photo by Marilyn Fleischer)

Eagle gridders open with 28-14 loss to Riesel

by John Eubanks

The Salado Eagles opened the season at home Sept. 4 with a 28-14 loss to the Riesel Indians -- and a new offense, the shotgun formation.

The Eagles hope to rebound Sept. 11 on the road against the Moody Bearkats. Game time is 8 p.m.

Salado and Riesel were tied 14-14 after three quarters before the Indians' potent offense scored twice in the final quarter.

Coach Joe Mullins said the Eagles played well against a good team.

"We played hard, gave good effort," he said. "Riesel has a good team. I don't feel like we'll play any better team this year."

Mullins felt his team could have won if not for three turnovers (two fumbles and an interception) and a couple of breakdowns.

"You'd like to win the game, but the main thing is the effort," he said. "I think we got beat by a better ballclub. If we get a chance to play them again, I think we can beat them."

Riesel quarterback Travis Skinner was the game's star, combining for over 160 yards in offense and three touchdowns.

The 195-pound senior completed 7-of-14 passes for 90 yards and threw a 42-yard touchdown pass to Jeremy Goebel in the second quarter. That score, late in the first half, gave the Indians a 14-7 half-time lead.

Skinner also rushed for 71 yards on 11 carries. His 36-yard touchdown run in the second quarter gave the Indians a 7-0 lead. He added a 2-yard run in the fourth quarter that broke the 14-14 tie. Brandon Hoelscher capped the scoring with a 28-yard run. Riesel running back Bruce Galbert added 104 yards rushing on 17 carries.

Salado running backs Taylor Hutton and John



Salado's Derek Ward makes a solid tackle on a Riesel ballcarrier. Ward also made a fumble recovery, as did teammate Trey Hutton. (photo by John Eubanks)

McLaughlin combined for nearly 180 yards rushing, according to Salado stats.

Hutton was credited with 106 yards on 18 carries and McLaughlin had 73 yards on 13 carries.

Hutton's 2-yard scoring run tied the score at 7-7 in the second quarter. McLaughlin's 19-yard run tied the score at 14-14 in the third quarter.

Quarterback Ryan Gillespie completed 4-of-12 passes for 42 yards. He threw an interception but drew praise from Mullins for running Salado's new shotgun offense that was unveiled with little fanfare against Riesel.

In fact, the offense was installed the week of the game. "We asked a lot of him in that new offense," Mullins said. "We had three days practice (with it) and were depending on him a lot."

His longest completion was 22 yards to Paul Lucas. Tigger

Day had a 37-yard punt return to set up a touchdown.

Salado's young offensive line came of age against the Indians. Tackle Trey Hutton was named offensive player of the week.

End Adam Nuse was named defensive player of the week. He was credited with seven tackles and all-around play. Kevin Keller added eight tackles.

Moody next on the schedule

The Eagles turn their attention to the Moody Bearkats, a team that has played Salado tough in the past, except for last year when the Eagles overcame an early 6-0 deficit to win 42-6.

Moody comes into this year's game 1-0, after opening the season with a 27-2 victory over Axtell.

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Former UT football coach Darrell Royal used to say that three things can happen when you throw the ball -- and two of them are bad.

He was referring, of course, to an incomplection or an interception. A completion is the preferred option.

Verses and versus John Eubanks

But I never heard a coach get credited with a quote about the down side to running the ball -- a loss of yardage or a fumble.

Salado features two good running backs, Taylor Hutton and John McLaughlin. With Salado's opponents geared to stopping them, the Eagles needed a third option.

Enter the shotgun formation, where the quarterback lines up a few yards behind the line of scrimmage and takes a short snap from center. The Eagles unveiled the offense in the sea-

son-opening 28-14 loss to Riesel. Coach Joe Mullins said it was installed the week before the game.

The shotgun is designed to throw the ball, giving opposing defenses the perception that an offense won't run the ball out of that formation. It keeps a defense "honest" and prevents it from keying solely on the running game.

"We got two good running backs," coach Joe Mullins said. "But if (defenses) know who's going to get the ball, they can usually stop us."

They may not actually know which runner will get the ball on a particular play, but they can certainly crowd the line and key on the run if they don't feel there's a threat to pass. And you can still run the ball out of the shotgun.

Mullins said the Eagles de-

ployed the offense about 50 percent of the time against Riesel (gaining 180 yards rushing and 40 passing).

"I like three yards and a cloud of dust," Mullins said, referring to another famous football saying about running the ball in a conservative fashion. "But, you know ..."

Two barrels are better than one, right?

FOOT(ball)NOTE: While it wasn't in print, I predicted that the Dallas Cowboys would go 9-7 this season. Even after the Cowboys' big 38-10 win over Arizona in the season opener, I'm still sticking with 9-7.

Of course, if the Cowboys start the season 9-0, then I reserve the right to change my prediction. But more about that later.

Volleyball team beats Thorndale, loses to Bartlett

The Salado High volleyball team lost at home Sept. 5 to Bartlett 15-8, 15-6.

The Lady Eagles hosted Thorndale Sept. 8 (results were unavailable at press time) and will compete in the Florence Tournament Sept. 8 and 10.

Salado (3-4) played the Bartlett game without five players out for the holidays. "I was pleased with the performance of the girls out there," coach John Black said.

The Lady Eagles were coming off a 15-3, 16-14 win at Thorndale Sept. 1. Salado was down 8-1 in the second game and trailed 10-4 "when we decided to come back," Black said.

The key play occurred with Salado trailing 14-13. "We had a ball dug out of net and then had a kill to save the game," Black said. "After that, we scored the next three points."

JUNIOR VARSITY

The JV (2-2) lost to Bartlett in three games but beat Thorndale in three games.

Gridders

"They're pretty solid," Mullins said. "They're a pretty fast team and they run the option (offense). They always play us tough. We're in for a battle."

JUNIOR VARSITY

The Salado JV Eagles opened the season at home Sept. 3 with a 14-14 tie against Riesel's JV.

Salado (0-0-1) tied the score in the fourth quarter and then held off a late charge by the

FRESHMEN

The freshmen (0-2) lost to Thorndale in three games. They did not play Bartlett.

EIGHTH GRADE

The 8A team (2-0) defeated Rogers 15-7, 15-10 Aug. 31 in the Lady Eagles' home opener.

The girls played a great first game but spotted Rogers eight points in game two, before regaining their composure.

Megan Joiner then served nine straight points as Salado took the lead. Rogers managed only two points after that.

The 8B team (1-1) lost to Rogers 13-11, 15-13. Game one was halted by the 10-minute time limit, which is used in B-team games.

SEVENTH GRADE

The 7A team (1-1) defeated Rogers 15-11, 15-0 Aug. 31 in the Lady Eagles' home opener.

All 12 players played hard and served well, a great team effort, their coach reported.

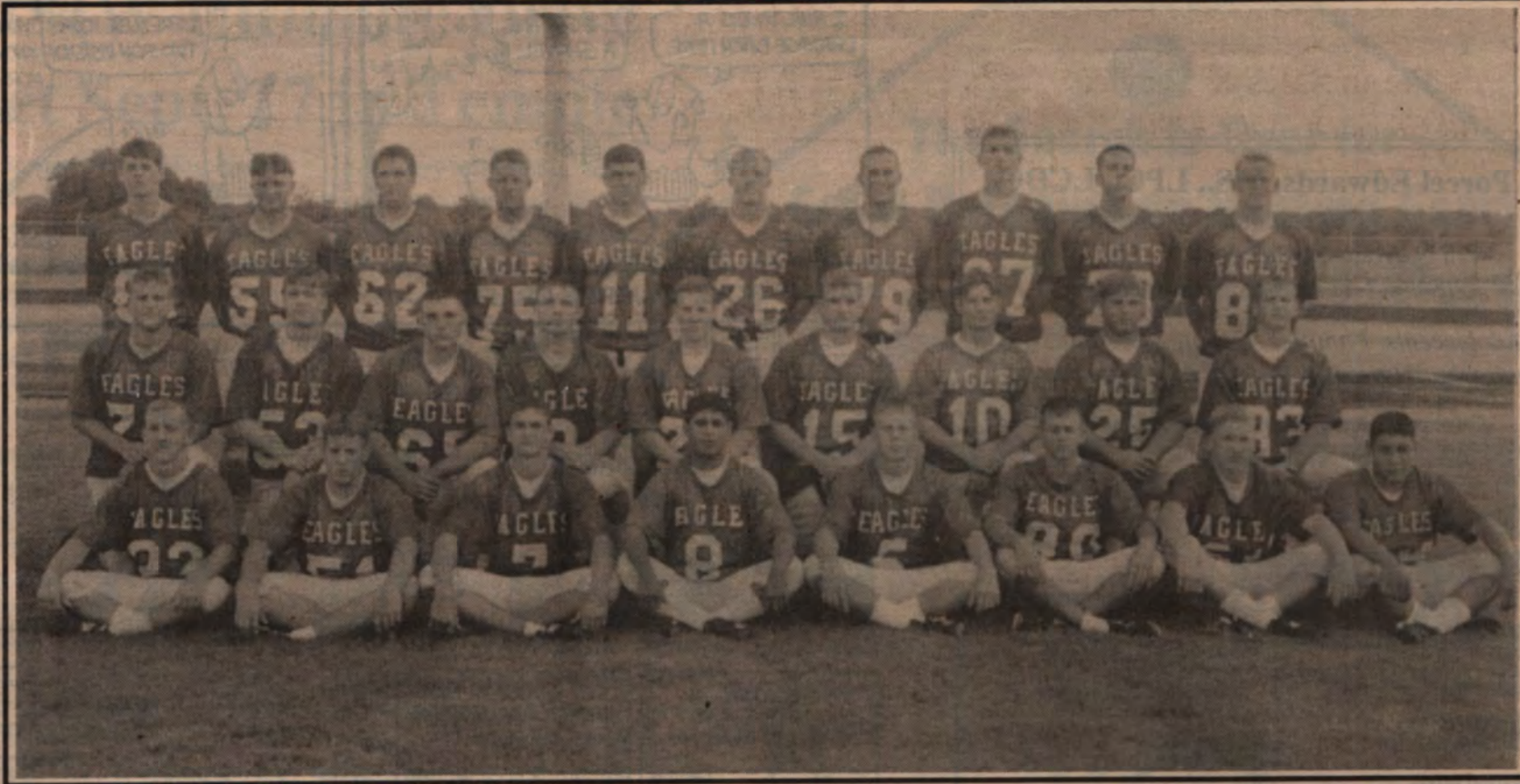
The 7B team (1-0) defeated Rogers 15-8, 10-8, winning game two on the 10-minute time limit.

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Indians to preserve the tie.

The Eagles trailed 14-6 at halftime, as Gordon Smale opened the Eagles' scoring with a 7-yard run. Smale's two-point conversion run tied the score, after a 2-yard TD run by Sam Daniel.

Offensive standouts were Smale, Chris Ray and Kelly Peckham. Defensive standouts were Jeremy Grimm (interception), Clint Marshall (two fumble recoveries) and Andrew Hanson (three sacks).



1998 Salado Varsity Eagles

(Top row, from left) Justin Marshall, Matt Gunter, Brian Butscher, Scott Marley, Ryan Gillespie, Taylor Hutton, Adam Nuse, Erik Mentzel, Sonny Oldham, Caleb Thompson, (Middle row, from left) Matt Wood, Trey Hutton, Jon Robbins, Michael Gunter, Derek Ward, Randy Moore, Michael Schoepf, John McLaughlin, Rory Oldham. (Bottom row, from left) Matthew Fleck, Del Lisenbe, Tigger Day, Manuel Guajardo, Brent Hansen, Paul Lucas, Kevin Keller, Juan Jimenez. Not pictured is John Kirk.

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Date	Opponent	Place	Time	Score
09/04	Riesel	Here	8 p.m.	14-28
09/11	Moody	There	8 p.m.	
09/18	Liberty Hill	There	7:30 p.m.	
09/25	**Cedar Park	Here	8 p.m.	
10/02	Lorena	There	7:30 p.m.	
10/09	*Academy	Here	7:30 p.m.	
10/16	*Holland	Here	7:30 p.m.	
10/23	*Johnson City	There	8 p.m.	
10/30	*Florence	Here	7:30 p.m.	
11/6	*Troy	There	7:30 p.m.	

** Homecoming Game
* District Game

Junior Varsity & Junior High Eagles

Date	Opponent	Place	7th	8th	JV
09/03	Riesel	There			14-14
09/10	Moody	Here	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
09/17	Liberty Hill	Here	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
09/24	Cedar Park	There	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
10/01	Lorena	Here	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
10/08	Academy	There	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
10/15	Holland	There	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
10/22	Johnson City	There	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	
10/22	Johnson City	Here			6 p.m.
10/29	Florence	There	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
11/05	Troy	Here	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.

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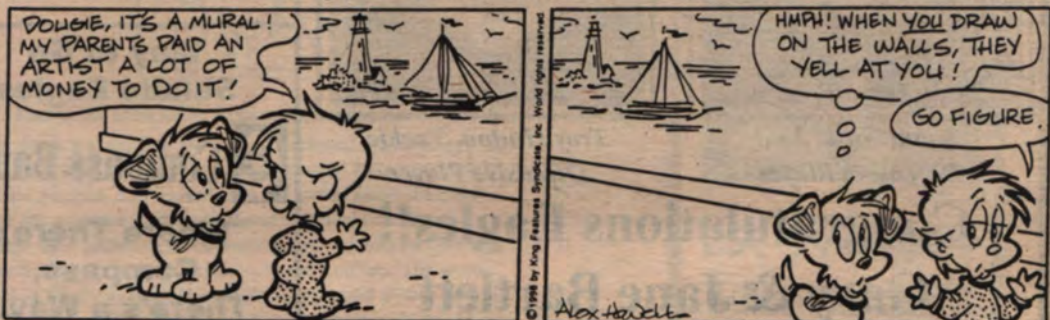
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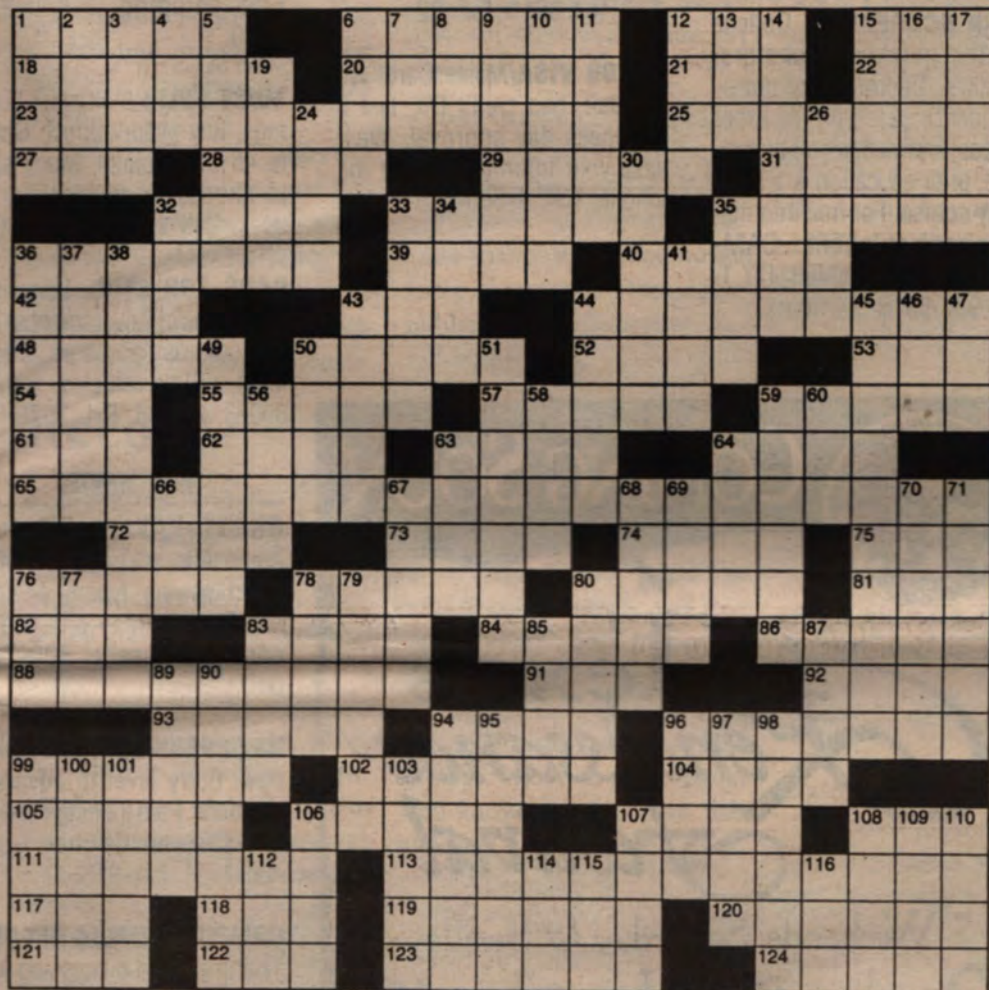


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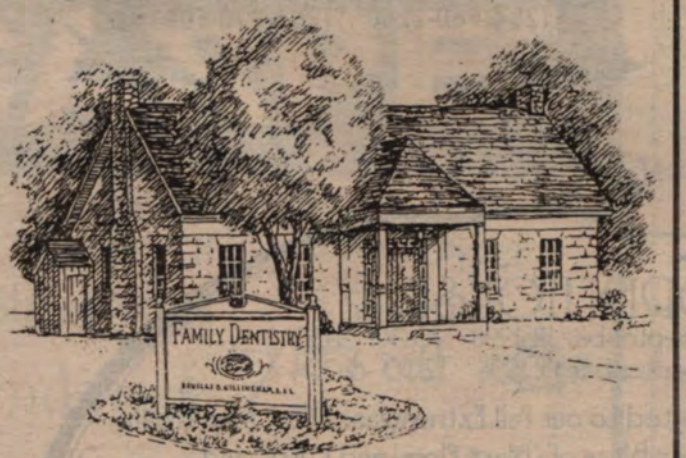
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MJ's Country Corner is located in Old Town Salado. (photo by John Eubanks)

How much is that doggy in the window of MJ's Country Corner? (... he's not for sale)

by John Eubanks

Shoppers who walk into MJ's Country Corner in Old Town Salado can't help but notice a 10-month-old Yorkie puppy named Davey.

Whether perched atop the counter of the handmade crafts and gift shop, or in the lap of store owner Terri Cutler, Sir Davey Crockett (his dog-given name) greets customers with a friendly stare and a wagging tail.

"He's my baby. He's got his own little fan club," Terri says, caressing his soft, dark hair. "People come in and ask, 'Is Davey here today?'"

"He has to greet everybody. He let's nobody walk by without getting their attention."

No sooner had Terri spoken when two customers walked in to the sound of a door chime.

As if on cue, Davey perked up his ears and went to work winning them over.

Pavlov's dog might salivate better than most canines when a bell chimes, but this Yorkie wins the perky award, paws down.

"Oh, look!" one of the customers said, catching Davey's attention. "Hi, baby, hi!"

"I should have known," the other customer said, feigning disgust.

"I'm a sucker for cats and dogs," the first one added.

"She's always been," the other woman replied.

The dog lover couldn't resist petting Davey, whose little body quivered a mile a minute.

"I have two dogs and the smallest is 85 pounds," she said, as Davey gave her his full attention. "This is a play toy. My cat is bigger than you."

A wall decoration at MJ's Country Corner lists the Country Ten Commandments

*Only one God
Go to Sunday meetin'
Honor Pa & Ma
Don't hanker for friends' things
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No idols
Y'all don't cuss*

Everyone laughed. Davey had done his job, winning over another customer.

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Temple College, Homebuilders partner on construction courses

Temple College and the Temple Area Home Builders Association have formed a partnership to provide three construction related courses beginning in September.

Courses offered this fall will be Construction Technology 1, Advanced Roof Framing and Construction Cost Estimating. The courses are designed for pre-employment and in-service carpenters. Scholarships and apprenticeships are available. This is the second semester TC

and TAHBA have offered construction courses.

Construction Technology I is an overview in the areas of site preparation, foundation, form work and framing. Topics will include materials; safety; tool and equipment; site preparation; basic foundations and form work, and basic floor, wall and framing methods and systems. The class will meet on Mondays and Tuesdays from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Sept. 14

through Dec. 14 at the Temple High School Career Center. John Russell is the instructor. Cost is \$275.

Advanced Roof Framing includes the latest information on how to frame any type of roof in common use today. Included will be measurements, cuts and calculations needed in roof framing. The class will meet on Thursday nights from 6:30 to 9:40 p.m. Sept. 17 through Dec. 10 at the THS Career Center. Kenny Maddux is the instructor. Cost is \$169.

Construction Cost Estimating will cover blueprint reading and fundamentals of estimating materials and labor costs for residential and light commercial construction. The class will meet on Friday mornings from 8:40 a.m. to noon at the TC Administration

Building Room 908. John Russell is the instructor. Cost is \$169.

Registration is through the Temple Area Home Builders Association office located at 12 North Fifth Street. Registration deadline is Sept. 11. For additional information call the TAHBA office at 773-0445.



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SBA announces Fall decorating contests

Fall will soon be in the air and the symbols of Fall will be everywhere (even if the temperature hasn't cooled). The Salado Business Association, a division of the Salado Chamber of Commerce, announces a community wide "Bountiful Harvest" decorating effort featuring traditional harvest and fall themes and a "SALADO Share-n-Grow SCARE-A-CROW" Contest.

The initial concepts for "Bountiful Harvest" decorations evolved from meetings of the Executive Committee of the Salado Business Association. Members suggested establishing a "Salado Beautiful Angel" seasonal award. It will honor outstanding efforts in improving the appearance of yards, properties, park areas, roadsides, and neglected areas through clean up and fix up. It is hoped that this kind of good neighbor effort will serve to further bond business and community and show appreciation for those who go the extra step or extra mile.

The first project - harvest decorating - can begin, now. Gather things like old farm and garden implements, wagons, wheelbarrows, bushel baskets, gathering baskets, crates, old tools gloves, hats and boots from the garage or storage shed. Use your creativity and add traditional fall items like hay bales, dried corn, corn stalks, stalks of wheat and weeds, bois d'arc apples (those big bumpy green things that fall from the trees), and pumpkins to make a Fall scene on your property. Decoration areas may include bridges, the historic district, businesses, shopping centers, neighborhoods, and jointly owned residential and common areas.

Decorate now, notify us and nominate your effort. Tell us about someone else who has done a great job. Take before and after photos or ask us to visit and see for ourselves. Contact Sheryl at the Baines House Bed and Breakfast, and Beyond, 947-5260; or C.J. at Angelic Herbs, 947-1909 to be considered for a seasonal "Salado Beautification Angel" award. Judging will be done by an impartial, selected jury.

The second project, a community wide "SALADO Share-n-Grow SCARE-A-CROW" scarecrow making contest with awards and prizes is in its planning stages. The scarecrow exit to insure a bountiful harvest. To continue the theme, the Salado Business Association is considering requiring an entry fee in the form of a donation to a food pantry or clothing for those in need. Divisions for residential, business, neighborhoods, groups,

children by age groups and categories like creativity, humorous, best of show, etc., are being considered. The search for prizes and awards is on! Entry forms will appear in future issues of the *Salado Village Voice* and will be available in designated places. Judging is slated to take place on Thursday, October 15. Contact C.J. or Sheryl with your suggestions for prizes and awards and ways to make "SALADO Share-n-Grow SCARE-A-CROW" contest and our Bountiful Fall decorating program became a reality.

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The Bell County Museum will mark the opening of its newest exhibit, *Serving Our Country: The History of Fort Hood*, with a special reception to be held 2-4 p.m. Sept. 19. Tours of the exhibit, refreshments, and other activities are planned. The event is free and open to the public.

An ensemble from the Fourth Infantry Division band will open the event, playing patriotic music and songs from the 1940s. The colors will then be posted by the Fourth Infantry Division Color Guard. Col. David B. Hall, Garrison Commander, will welcome visitors on behalf of Lt. Gen. Leon J.

LaPorte. Dr. Charlie Moore, Fort Hood historian, will then present a short program about Fort Hood and its importance to Bell and Coryell counties, the state, and the nation.

Refreshments will be served, and soldiers from Fort Hood will be on hand to talk to visitors about life in the United States Army.

Serving Our Country: The History of Fort Hood examines the Killeen area before Camp Hood was established in 1942. A map of landowners prior to the establishment of the camp will be on view, as well as photographs of many families and individuals who lived here.

The exhibit will also explore the formation of the new Tank Destroyer Technical and Firing Center as the result of the United States' entry into World War Two. Numerous photographs, postcards, and artifacts will be on exhibit and will feature Camp Hood soldiers in training at the base and in combat overseas. Photographs of Camp Hood High School before it consolidated with Killeen Independent School District, and other artifacts of life on post, will also be featured.

In addition, insight into life on the homefront during the war will be addressed by exhibiting items related to the war effort, such as ration books, USO materials, and patriotic advertising.

"Museum visitors may not be aware of the importance of the military base to the area's economy, demographics, and culture," said Museum Curator Jodi Wright-Gidley. "It is our intention to help visitors understand that Fort Hood's presence has made a tremendous contribution to the strength of Central Texas."

The museum is open Tuesday through Saturday from 1-5 p.m. Admission is free and guided tours are available. The museum is handicapped accessible.

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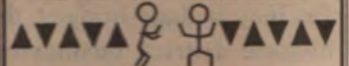
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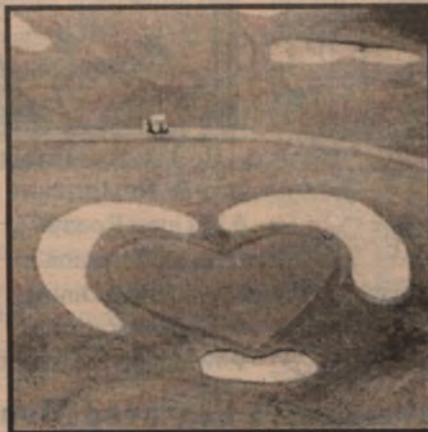
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Salado's Christmas Stroll plans announced, '12 Days of Christmas' is event theme

Salado's Christmas Stroll has always been a favorite event for thousands of Texans who stroll the luminaria lined streets of the village while searching for that magical gift in any one of the specialty and antiques shops. The Christmas mood is set with freshly cut trees and thousands of miniature white lights.

This will be the second year that the Stroll will be extended over two weekends, December 4th and 5th and December 11th and 12th. The excitement of the stroll builds each evening as the luminaires are lit and the miniature lights illuminate the evening sky. Carolers, local actors and choirs stroll through the village entertaining visitors with the sounds of reminiscent of an old fashioned Christmas.

With this year's theme "The Twelve Days of Christmas" local artists have created 12 large murals that will be displayed throughout the village. A live nativity enactment will be performed each evening on the first weekend just after dusk. The Salado Village Artists will sponsor a show and sale on Dec. 5th.

The Salado Historic Society will sponsor a Christmas Home Tour Dec. 4-6. Nine unique homes and significant structures will be featured on the tour this year. The Salado Methodist Church, the Vickrey-Berry Carriage House, the Johnston's Morning Glory Farm, the Stockton House, the Pinkston Home, the Lilly Home, the Rainey Home, the Denman Log Cabin and the Boles-Aiken Log Cabin. This is the largest tour ever presented by the Historic Society with the majority of the homes being new to the tour.

The second weekend will feature the *Sounds of Christmas*. Choirs from Central Texas will be on hand throughout the day and into the evening with special presentations at the Methodist and Baptist churches. Salado's own

Table Rock theatrical group will be performing portions of Dicken's *Christmas Carol* production both weekends in addition to their regular scheduled performance at the Table Rock Amphitheater. Salado's Women's Chorale will perform their Christmas Program on December 12th.

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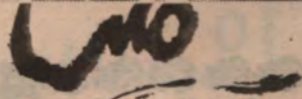
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Killeen Civic Art Guild's Annual October Art Sale Oct. 3-4 at Community Center

The Killeen Civic Art Guild's 31st Annual October Art Sale will be Oct. 3-4 at the Killeen Community Center.

The show will run 10 a.m.-6 p.m. both days. Admission is free.

This year, the event will also be a Renaissance Festival with entertainment and demonstrations provided by area members of the Society for Creative Anachronism.

Artists and craftsmen from all over Texas, as well as a few from other states, will participate in the event. Several food and drink vendors will also have stands. Items included in the show and sale include: oil paintings, watercolors, ceram-

ics, stained glass, wood crafts, floral arrangements, wreaths, pillows, decorative clothing, leather goods, Native American crafts, jewelry, Christmas ornaments and numerous other original works.

Among the demonstrations and events scheduled are: a Capella singing of Renaissance music by Stonehenge of Waco, scenes from the plays of William Shakespeare by area actors, spinning and knitting by Janet Mendenhall, magic acts by Jim Dunn of Copperas Cove, archery demonstrations, jousting and the forging of Medieval weapons.

If your club or organization would like to take part in the

demonstration or become a vendor, please contact Juanell Skidmore at 254-599-6075 or e-mail: juanell@bigfoot.com.

This project is funded, in part, by the City of Killeen Municipal Hotel Occupancy Tax Revenues and by a grant from the Texas Commission on the Arts.

Membership in the Guild is open to all adults and children residing within a 30-mile radius of Killeen. Meetings are held at 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month, September through June in the KCAG Gallery next to J.C. Penney's in the Killeen Mall. Membership fees are \$24 per year.



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The 16th annual model railroad spectacular will take place at the Frank Mayborn Convention Center Sept. 19-20.

This event is in conjunction with the Texas Train Festival being held by the Railroad and Pioneer Museum at the corner of Ave. H and 31st St., Temple. Model railroading fans from the local area and throughout the state will converge for one of the region's most successful model train events.

Hosted by the Central Texas Area Model Railroaders, the show will feature award-winning operating layouts from across the state and region. Features will include the National Train Show award-winning Ark-La-Tex layout from Bossier City, La., complete with an operating waterfall.

Other layouts include spectacular bridges and trestles, cities and towns -- even a flying airplane.

"The modeling detail on these layouts is incredible," says Dr. Bob Alston, this year's model train show chairman.

"We are very excited to have this group of exhibits. It may be our best yet."

Widely recognized as one of the best model train gatherings in the state, all scales of trains are represented -- from tiny Z scale to the large G scale trains commonly seen in backyard "garden railroads."

In addition to the layouts, there will be aisles of vendor tables with items for sale, hands-on demonstrations of common model railroad techniques and videos. Alston attributes the show's popularity to the fact that there is "definitely something for everyone."

There will even be a drawing for an HO model train layout, complete with buildings and

a train for those needing a jump-start in the hobby.

Show hours are 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Sept. 19 and 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sept. 20. Admission to the show is \$4 for adults (\$1 discount to seniors and military with ID.) Children under 13 are free with a paid adult.

Centre-MOD, the Central Texas Model Railroaders, are headquartered in the Outdoor America Mall on I-35. The group maintains several extensive operating layouts in N, HO and O gauges. An open house to the public is held on the third Saturday of each month, 1-5 p.m.

For more information about this year's show, call Bob Alston at 254-666-1482.



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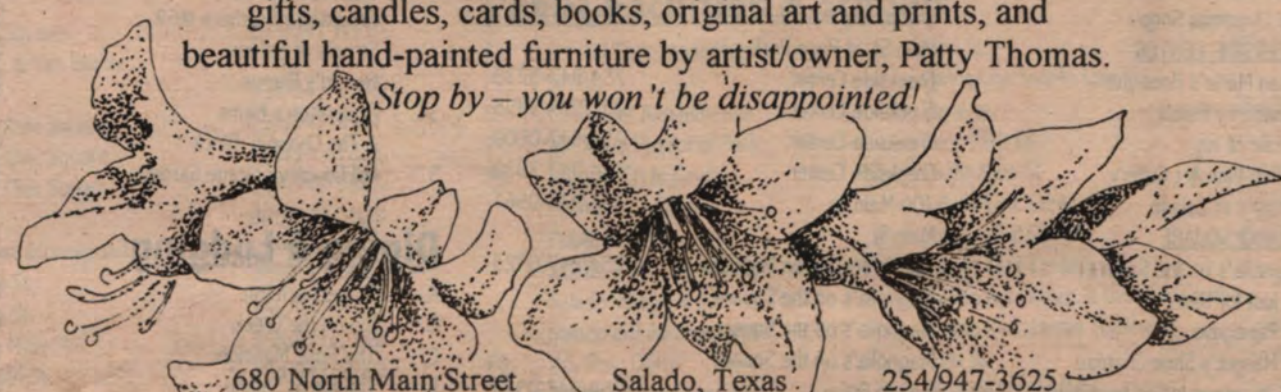
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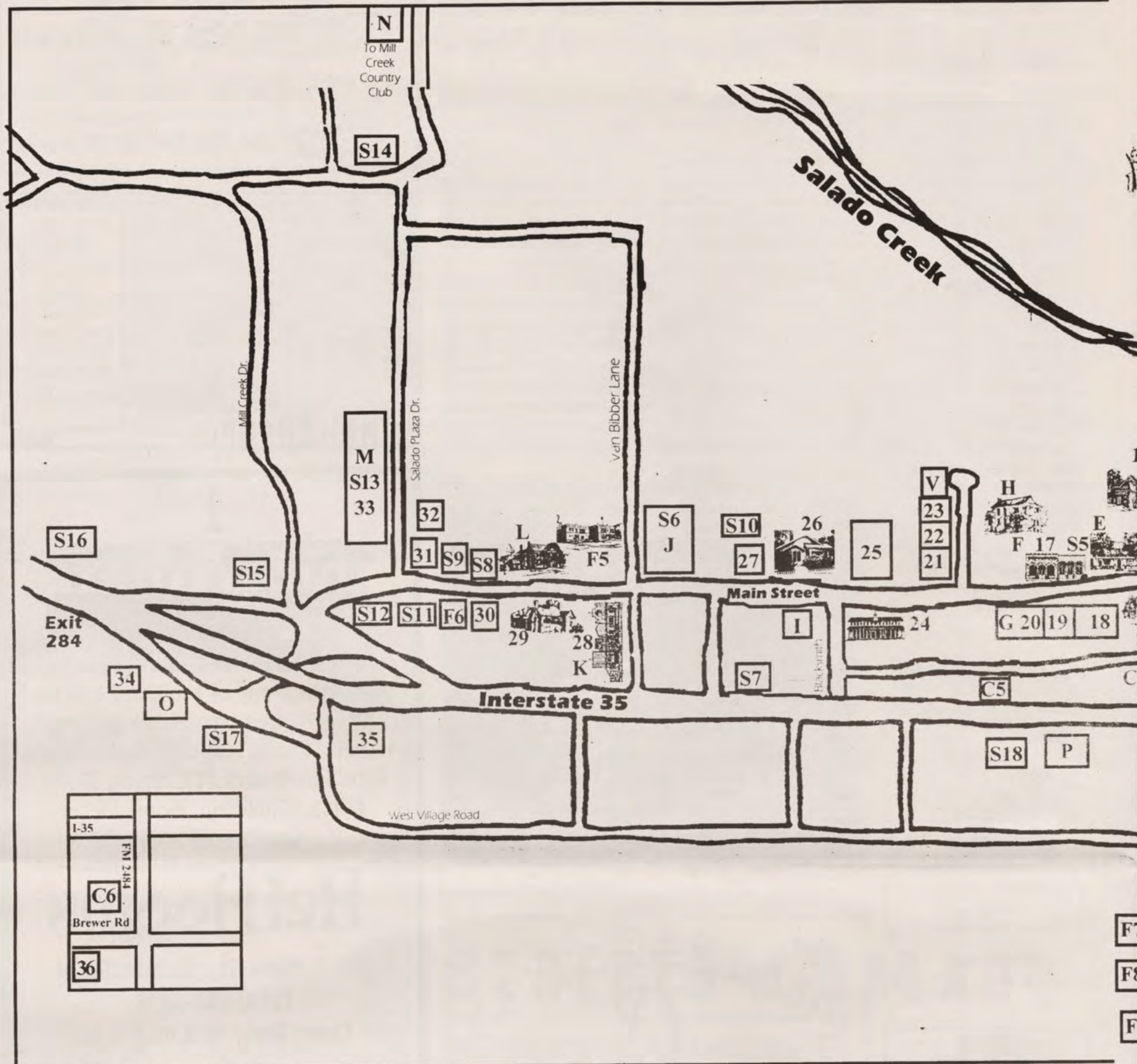
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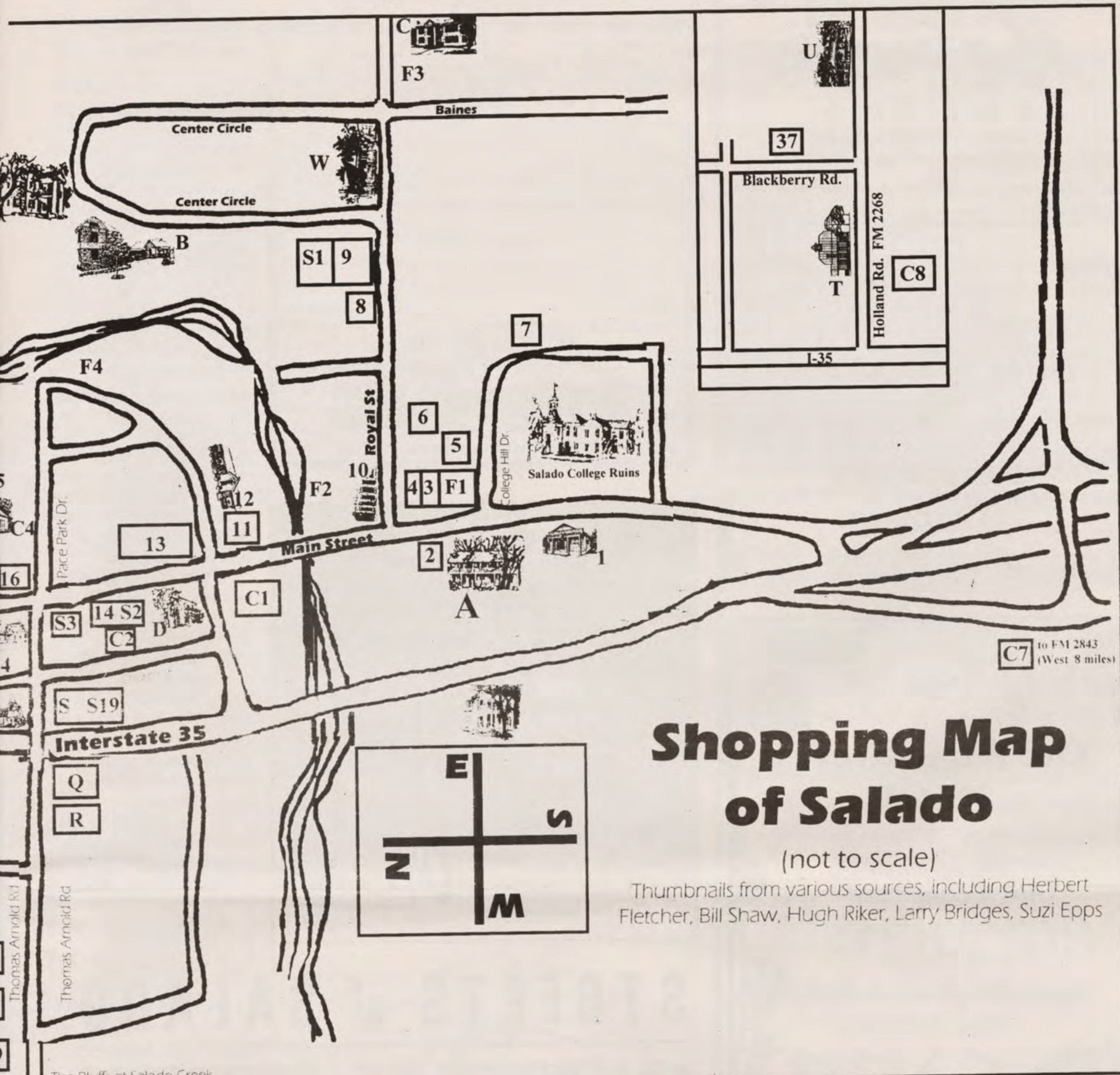
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- L. Halley House Bed & Breakfast N. Main St. 254/947-1000
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- S16. Auto Excellence I-35 east access road 254/947-5042
- S19. Salado Exxon 15 Stagecoach Road 254/947-5660
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- 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
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- F3. Goodnight Amphitheater Royal St. 254/947-9205
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MJ's

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ferred at the beautifully laid out shop located in a row of businesses between Cathy's Boardwalk Cafe and Texan by Design.

One can't miss the handpainted roosters and chickens molded into a variety of realistic poses.

MJ's also offers relic toys and games, Thirstystone coasters, pottery with handpainted bluebonnets, handcrafted fireplace screens, "Santa face" door or wall hangings, golfing and fishing ornaments, room fragrances, musical aromatherapy candles and outside yard stakes.

Terri and husband Joe Cutler make the Formerly Fence Furniture. You can buy what's in the store or have it custom built.

Four other talented vendors, including one locally, make a variety of items offered at the shop.

Terri became a crafter after graduating from high school in Killeen in the 1970s. A mother of two daughters, with two grandchildren as well, Terri went to various craft shows for several years, but eventually tired of the travel to and fro. "I enjoy this end of it much more," she said. Linda Chester helps out at the shop part-time.

MJ's celebrated its two-year anniversary on Aug. 16. Terri bought the shop from her sister-in-law Melody Warford, who had it for a year before selling it.

After retiring in '92 from Centel-Sprint in Killeen, Terri eventually decided to give the retail business a try.

Her creative streak is quite apparent in the way the store is arranged. It is a comfortable setting, to say the least.

Adding to the decor is something that is not for sale, however.

A cute little dog named Davey Crockett.

As the door chime signaled yet another customer, Davey perked up his ears. It was time to go to work.

This time the customer was on cue.

"If you're not the most precious thing I've ever seen ..."

MJ's Country Corner is located at #6 Old Town Salado, which is across Main Street from the Civic Center.

Business hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Saturday and noon-5 p.m. Sunday.

The phone number is (254) 947-8885.

Scholars believe that the first people to live in Peru were Indians who came from North America about 12,000 years ago.



Terri Cutler, owner of MJ's Country Corner in Old Town Salado, poses with her 10-month-old Yorkie puppy named Davey. The perky pupn works hard to win over customers at the handmade crafts and gift shop. (photo by John Eubanks)

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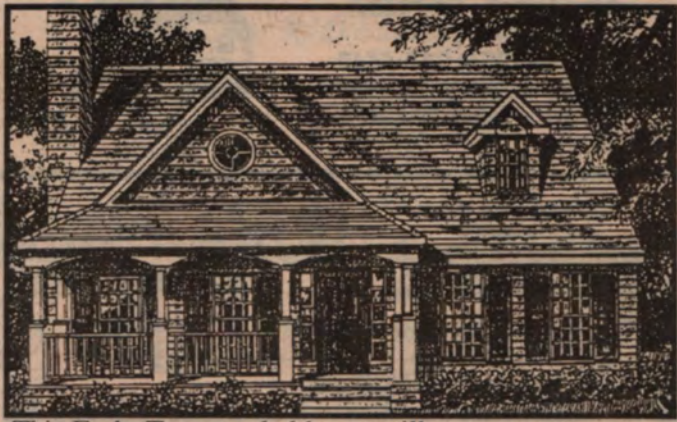
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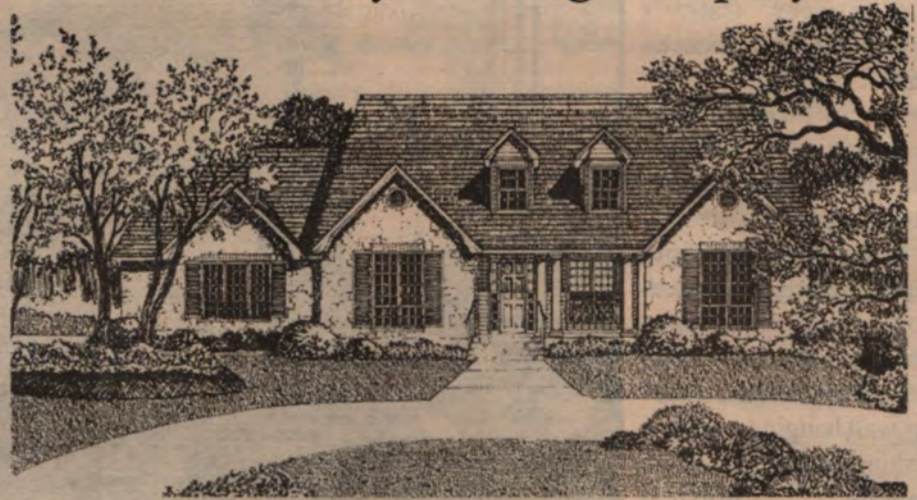
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Minta Landrum

The Orange Lady of Salado

by Tumbleweed Smith

When I met Minta Landrum in Salado, she was wearing an orange jump suit, orange glasses, orange earrings and orange shoes. We were in her orange house.

She says about 25 years ago she started wearing orange because it made her feel happy. "My husband suggested I wear orange all the time if it makes me happy," says Minta. "So I threw all my other clothes away and started wearing only orange. It makes me happy to

wear it." She wears ONLY orange. "My closets are full of orange clothes. When I can't find orange things to wear, I dye them."

She showed me through her house. Orange rugs, lampshades, wastebaskets, wall hangings, furniture.

"The color orange comes in and out of style. I think this year it comes in, so I'll be in style."

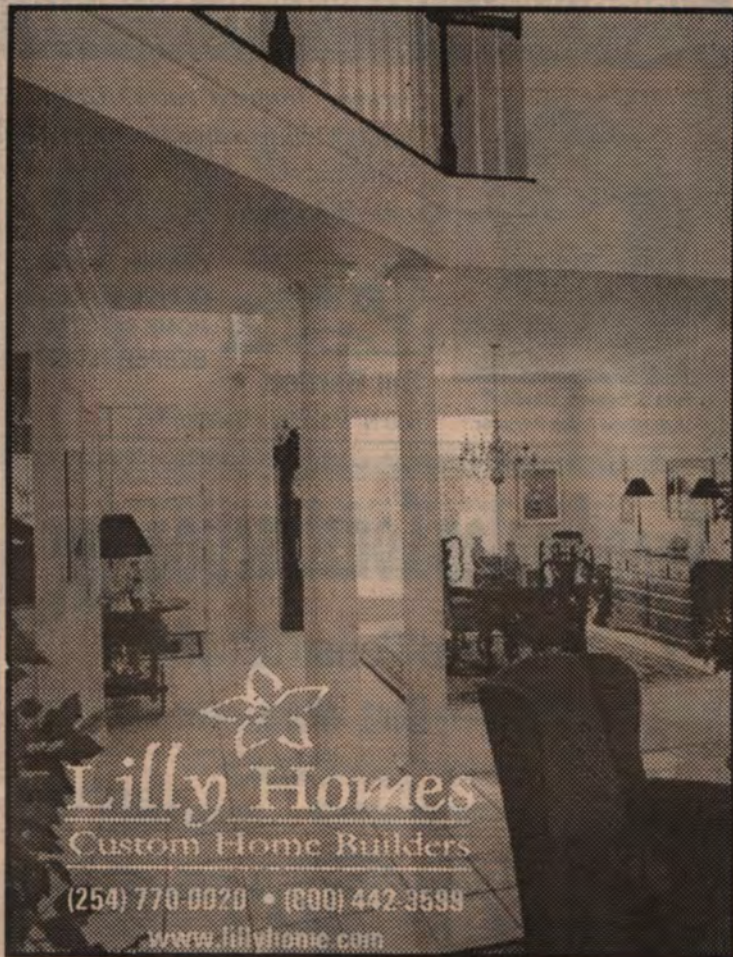
Minta Landrum is known as the Orange Lady of Salado. She taught school in Temple

for 16 years and they called her the Orange Teacher.

"The children were always anxious to get in my room because my bulletin boards, instead of being the regular bulletin board color, were always orange and yellow. Then my husband got permission to paint the desks orange and yellow. So students wanted to go into the orange teacher's room so they could sit at colorful desks."

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The Yale Series of Younger Poets is the longest-running poetry prize in America and is

widely considered the most prestigious. Only one Yale Younger Poet is selected each year.

Mr. Arnold currently teaches poetry at the University of Utah in Salt Lake City. He is scheduled to speak at the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor during the Literary Festival set for January 7-9, 1999. Judy Arnold, his mother, is Assistant Professor of Spanish at UMHB.

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"They called me and said it was burnt orange. It looks more red, but in the sun it looks orange. I plan to have it painted."

At Christmas time, she makes luminarias with orange sacks and orange candles that burn with orange flames. She has an orange mailbox.

"I have orange plates, orange cups, orange napkins. I only serve with orange. I have orange pots and pans. I use anything I can find in orange."

She signs her checks with an orange pen that has orange ink. Merchants all over central Texas call her when they get in orange items.

I had pretty much accepted the fact that this lady liked orange, but when she showed me her closet, it was such an explosion of bright color I almost had to close my eyes. I have

never seen so much orange clothing in my life. Coats, dresses, sweaters, blouses, slacks, socks, and all the accessories. All orange. It nearly took my breath away. She never wakes up wondering what color she'll wear that day.

She gets all sorts of orange stuff around Halloween.

"It's a time when orange is real popular. I can get orange things pretty much all during the fall. Other times it's hard to find."

If you're looking for the Orange Lady in Salado, just look for the orange house with the orange car parked in the driveway.

Footnote: Tumbleweed will feature The Orange Lady on his radio show Sept. 24 at 12:30 p.m. on KNCT-FM 91.3.



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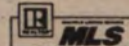
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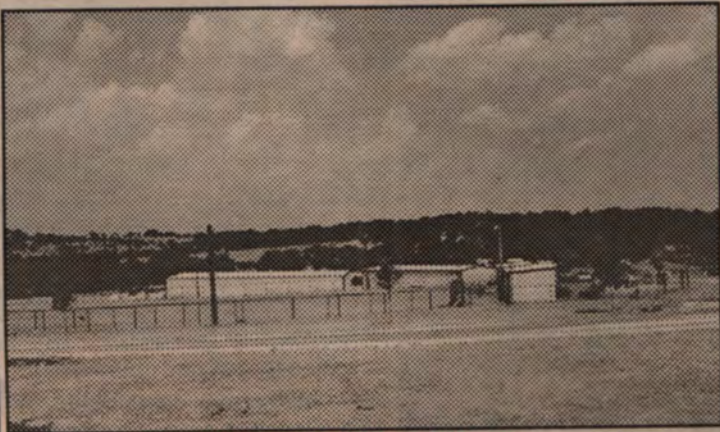
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\$239,900: Beautiful acreage with rock home on hillside. Horse arena, covered stalls and tank. One-of-a-kind for the horse lover looking for the easy lifestyle. Outstanding view, excellent value, professionally landscaped.



\$89,900: Gorgeous 3/2 Austin Stone home in Salado Springs. Wonderfully priced.

- \$334,900:** Country estate on 5 plus acres 3 miles East of Salado. Pride of ownership abounds in this 5 bedroom, 3+ bath with formal living, dining and enclosed sunroom. Fenced for horses. Master BR has fireplace and adjoining exercise room and office.
- \$279,900:** 83 acres on Smith Dairy Rd. Brick 3/2 home on 20 acres of trees. Formal living & den w/ fireplace. Split MBR.
- \$210,000:** Beautiful 2-story on golf course. Newly wallpapered, carpeted and updated. Walking distance to pro shop.
- \$185,000:** LIKE NEW! A Must See!! This large home backs up to the #8 fairway on Leon Valley. 4BR/2BA/2 car garage with beautiful pool with deck and hot tub.
- \$142,500:** New Construction! Austin Stone, beautiful live oaks trees. 3BR/2BA/2-car garage, on large lot, open floor plan, Large Trees. Construction completed!
- \$99,900:** Peaceful country setting 15 minutes from Temple or Killeen area. 3-2-2, all brick on one plus acres. Formal living and den with hot tub.
- \$83,000:** Corner lot in North Temple. Large 3/2. Large formal living and dining with large den and fireplace. All brick.
- \$69,900:** Price Reduced. LOW utility bills due to insulation on 3-2-2 on quiet cul-de-sac. Privacy fence and some handicapped features. TEMPLE.
- \$30,000:** GATESVILLE. 2/1 frame house, zoned commercial.

Go West to discover one of the best-kept secrets of Salado

The Bluffs at Salado Creek

Acreage with Salado Creek views.
Rolling Hill Country.
West of Salado with utilities....lots.



The rustic, natural beauty of The Bluffs at Salado Creek is without equal. Go West on Thomas Arnold Rd. to discover this secret hideaway



\$239,000: CR 229. 18 acres with large two-story 4+ BR/2BA. Completely horse-ready. Beautiful with native hardwoods, fruit trees, garden area. Florence schools.

ACREAGE

- Hwy 317:** 26 acres of woods. Could divide, owner finance. \$129,900
- The Bluffs of Salado Creek:** View of Salado Creek canyons. Owner finance.
- Belton:** 20 acres fronting Nolan Creek. Large live oak trees. \$119,000.
- FM 2843:** 20-75 acres with trees, deer. Home sites. Starts at \$3,500 per acre.
- Smith Dairy/Tahuaya Rd.** 9 acres, Beautiful live oak trees. \$60,000.
- FM 2482:** 11! **SOLD**
- Salado Oaks:** 3 wooded lots, great building site. \$10,000 and up.
- UNDER CONTRACT**
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- Amity Road:** 2-12.5 acre tracts at \$3,395/acre. Salado water and fenced.
- River Place:** 1.9 acres with river frontage. \$25,000.
- Mill Creek:** Tree covered lot. \$32,500.
- Salado Springs:** 2 tracts facing FM 2484, \$15,000 each.
- Salado Springs:** 3 acres with many trees, \$20,000. 2 acres, \$17,500.
- Stinnet Mill Rd.** 44.67 acres at \$3,395/acre. Property has two 150 foot wells.
- Live Oak Estates:** 1.79 acres with beautiful trees. \$22,500.
- IH-35 & Rose Lane:** 38 acres with frontage. Many trees and creek. \$250,000.
- FM 2115:** 10 acres at \$3,500/acre. Owner Finance.
- Sand and Gravel Rd.:** 2 one acre lots, \$15,000 each.
- Shady Lane:** Belton, lots with sewerage and water. \$7,995.

- Poison Oak:** 13 acres with septic and water. \$80,000.
- Cedar Valley Road:** 27+ acres @ \$2,795/acre. Scattered trees, cross fenced, excellent homesite.
- FM2115:** 23 acres, \$2,500/acre, some on hillside, great views. Owner Finance.
- Buckholtz:** 280+ acres, starting at \$900/acre.
- Killeen:** Large lot overlooking Corp. land at Stillhouse Lake. Restricted at \$11,000.
- Florence/Andice Area:** Call Jan for information: 254/793-2597
- Woods of Salado at Florence:** 10 wooded acres with view.
- City lots, sewer & water.** For your duplex or home.
- 1-1/2 acres and up.** Trees or cleared, with or without improvements.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY
Mill Creek Golf and Country Club Guest House: Six units in the Mill Creek Golf Course rental pool. \$250,000.
Main St. in Belton. 6 lots that include 3 houses, \$210,000.
3 acres fronting I-35, 1 mile S. of Salado, \$45,000.
For Lease: 1+ acre across from Winn Dixie in Harker Heights. Will build to suit.
Commercial Office Rentals starting at \$250 per month. IH-35 frontage in Salado.
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