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Jackpot!

Salado retiree enjoys laughs before collecting Lotto prize

Morris Buckman drinks coffee with a dozen or so fellow retirees at the local coffee shop. It has been a morning ritual for the "coffee club" friends for the past 10 year.

But one of them suspected that the mysterious *Lotto Texas* winner everybody was asking about was a member of their own inner circle.

"They never accused me of having it (the winning ticket)," Buckman said, "just about everybody else, but not me."

The retired General Mills employee bought a multi-draw *Lotto* tickets, good for playing eight separate drawings, from the S&W Food Mart in Salado. He said he chose all six numbers at random.

"I was on my seventh game," Buckman said, "and didn't even watch TV the night of the drawing (April 16). "The next day," he said, "I looked in the newspaper and saw that I had correctly chosen five of the six numbers and thought I had won about \$1500."

"That is, until the next night," he added, "when I saw a report on Channel 10 showing the correct numbers (33-10-41-24-45-8)."

By then Buckman had heard news reports that he was one of the three winners to split the estimated \$3 million jackpot and said he was in no hurry to col-

lect his money.

"I told my wife I was going to wait before coming forward," Buckman said. "I wanted to see what the coffee gang had to say, and boy," he added, "has it been fun."

For ten days the Salado man drank coffee, listened to the group's speculation about who the winner was, and waited silently wearing a poker face all the way to the bank. "I was simply having too much fun," he said, "didn't want to tell them."

But after collecting \$748,949 in Austin, Buckman said the gag is up. "They're going to give me a hard time Monday and I bet I'll have to buy them coffee for a week."

Buckman, age 73, is one of three *Lotto Texas* players to match all six winning numbers in the April 16 drawing, along with 28 year old Dwayne Neal of Schulenberg and 47 year old Charles Gloeckner of Alvarado.

Because the estimated 20 year payout of the prize would be less than 2 million dollars (\$1.35 million), all three winners received a lump sum cash prize.

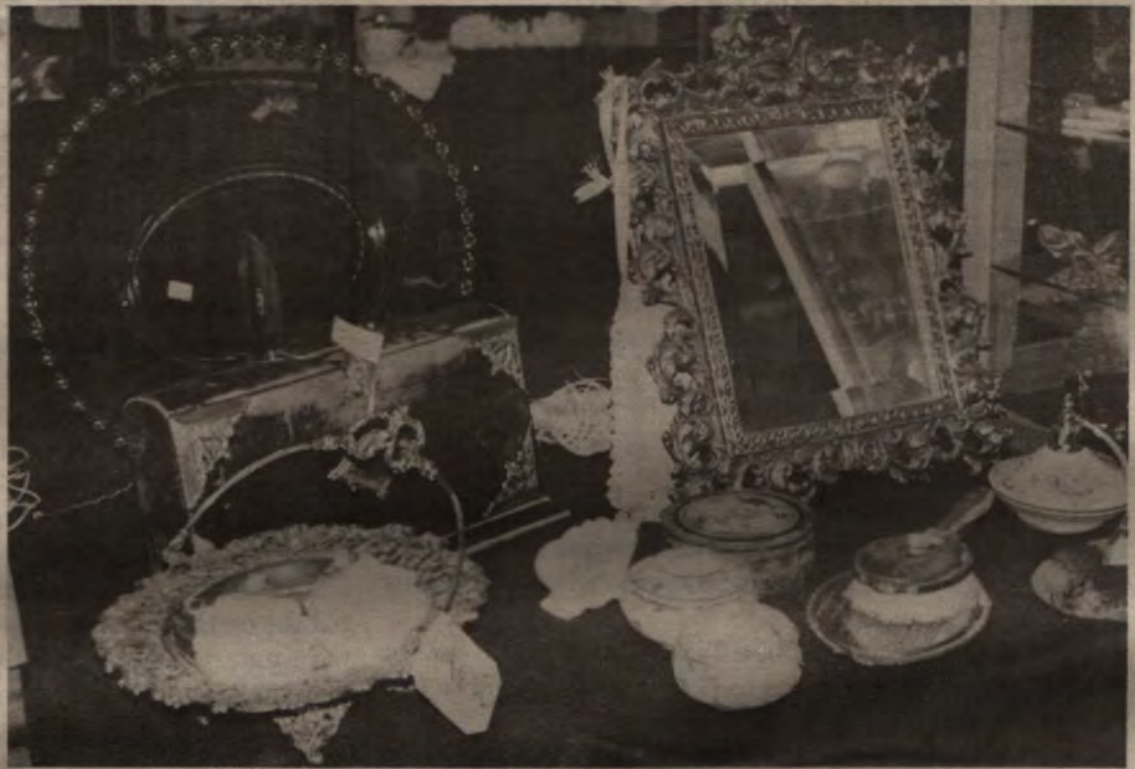
S&W Food Mart in Salado received a bonus of \$13,586 - equal to 1 percent of the annuity value of Buckman's jackpot - for selling the winning ticket, according to Lottery procedures.

Salado Cemetery clean-up postponed to May 7 because of rainy weather

The annual work day at the Salado Cemetery was postponed because of rain on April 30. It has been tentatively re-scheduled for 7:30 a.m. May 7. Those volunteers who plan to help may call a member of the Board of Directors of the cemetery late in the week

for more information.

Residents of Salado and the surrounding area are reminded of the Annual Memorial Day Service at the cemetery 9 a.m. May 30. Watch for more information in the *Salado Village Voice*.



The 5th Annual Salado Bluebonnet Antique Show April 30 and May 1 was a great success as 1,800 paid admission to the show. The show brought 33 dealers from around Texas and will likely be the most profitable show to-date.

I Do! I Do! at Tablerock May 8

Mary Bentley is pursuing one of her dreams - being connected with live theater and the stage. A graduating senior at the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, Bentley will showcase her talent May 8 at the Tablerock Amphitheater in the musical "I Do! I Do!"

Ms. Bentley is a native Salado resident, the daughter of Joseph and Norma Bentley and granddaughter of Norman and Mary Hughes, also of Salado. Her interest in theater began at Thomas Arnold Elementary where she played the part of Think-Tank in a fourth grade reading skit. "It was kind of silly and we used our books for the lines, but I thought it was fun to pretend that I was someone else," she says of her first production. She went on to participate in four years of U.I.L. One Act plays where she garnered several awards including best actress and all-star cast. She has consistently been in productions since graduating from Salado High School in 1988. Some parts include Agnes Gooch in Temple Civic Theatre's "Mame," M'Lynn in



Salado native Mary Bentley will make her directorial debut May 8 at Tablerock Amphitheater.

UMHB's "Steel Magnolias," and various parts in Temple Junior College's "Impassioned Embraces."

After graduating high school, she began working on a Political Science degree. Finally she decided on a major in English with a minor in Drama since UMHB does not offer a Drama major as of yet. "I really wanted a Drama degree," she says, "But I can

always get a master's in Drama."

"I Do! I Do!" is Ms. Bentley's senior directing

project. In addition to directing the musical, she also plays the part of Agnes opposite of UMHB's David Dunlap. "I really love musicals," she says, "But it's been a lot of hard work to direct, memorize lines, and memorize music. " However, she adds, the hard work is worth it when the audience shows its appreciation.

As far as plans for the future, Ms. Bentley wants to be involved directing at a civic theater she wants to go to Broadway and takes her chances. More than likely she will become involved with a civic theater, she says. "I don't know if I'm cut out to be a starving actor!"

"I Do! I Do!" will show at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. May 8. Tickets are \$15.00 and includes a dinner as well as the show. Tickets may be obtained at People National Bank on Main Street in Salado.

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An Open Exchange of Ideas

A Perfect World

rated PG-13

starring Kevin Costner, Clint Eastwood, Laura Dern, T.J Lowther
Our rating: ***

by Tim Fleischer
Editor-in-Chief

A Perfect World is in no way a perfect movie, though it combines the big names of Eastwood, Costner and Laura Dern (from Jurassic Park). It is Costner's first attempt at character acting and he shines as Butch Haynes, an escaped convict who kidnaps a young boy in Texas.

Haynes is a sociopath: intelligent, charming and very dangerous. When he and his partner escape from prison, they kidnap a young boy from his home when a break-in goes tragically wrong.

Red Garnett (Eastwood), a Texas Ranger who knows Butch because he sent him to prison, is assigned to the case, as is Sally Gerber (Dern).

But this movie is more about the relationship between Butch and his young captive than anything else.

Watch **A Perfect World** for Costner as he shows the most depth of any of the characters he has played to date.

Our rating system

* A dog ** A dog with spots *** Reaches mediocrity
**** Better than many ***** One of the best

The most important election

Of all the elections held in any given year in Texas, and there are many, the most important by far is that vote set aside to select members of the local school board. This year and in this community we again have the opportunity to head for the polls to select two of our citizens from a field of four to fill the open positions on the Salado school board. The election takes place this Saturday, May 7, starting at 7 a.m. and winding up 12 hours later. Voting to take place in the school cafeteria.

Just what makes this election so important?

If we believe, as we should, that one of the most important functions of government is the education of our young people in order for them to be prepared to take on the various roles within our nation that will keep us going in the years ahead - then we must look to the local schools to handle this assignment.

Schools, if they are to function properly, require their boards to give policy direction. These boards also set the tax rates, approve the budgets and follow the rules and regulations assigned them by the state's education code and the related statutes found in gen-

Off the Record

by Ken Clapp



eral law.

If the board sets policy and employs the chief executive officer to implement these guidelines then things generally go well. If the board, on the other hand, steps in and tries to "run" the schools on a day to day basis - things go down-hill fast. Morale drops, student achievement falters, teacher turn-over begins and chaos reigns.

Here in Salado we are indeed fortunate to find a board that is functioning properly and, as a result, the administrators are free to lead; teachers to teach and students to learn. Our superintendent is recognized throughout the state as a top flight leader; our faculty enjoys the reputation of being hard working professionals and, as a result, our student achievement, as shown in standardized testing, is steadily moving up. Discipline and morale are high. In other words things are going well and that's the way we want them to continue.

We now have 680 students enrolled in our schools. Next year we expect that number to grow

to 750. This means we will need additional faculty members and probably soon, new facilities. This also means that our schools are the largest financial enterprises in the community as well as the most important together with our churches. Therefore we need strong people on the school board - folks who have only one agenda - that to make our schools the very best they can be. We need no personal agendas nor axes to grind, only good stewards with one aim - to take good care of our taxes and more importantly - our children.

Thus we acknowledge the initial admonition that this is an important election coming up Saturday. Be sure to vote. And follow this up with a personal pledge to support the schools throughout the year. A strong public backing of our board, administration, teaching faculty and staff will always result in a strong student body that will find success after they leave high school.

P.S.

This column is still searching records, as promised in last week's offering, concerning the possible dissolution of the articles of

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Institute elects new board

The Board of Trustees of the Institute for the Humanities at Salado convened March 24, to elect new members to the board and express gratitude to those completing their terms of service.

New members of the board of trustees include Rick Eason, Georgetown; William Goetzmann, Austin; Carolyn Howard, Temple; and James Schultz, Austin. Those members renewing their terms were Dianne Delisi of Temple and S.R. Greenwood of Salado.

The Board of Trustees' Executive Committee also gained new members. Pete Jennings of Salado was elected to be one of the

Institute's Vice Presidents, while Renee Fuller of Belton was elected secretary.

The Institute is also deeply appreciative to all those members of the Board of Trustees and the Executive Committee who completed their terms of service. They include William Courtney, Temple; Pete and Ruth Howe, Salado; Jane Owen, Houston; Kenneth Simmons, Salado; Carl Taylor, San Antonio; and Paul Woodruff, Austin.

Jack Knox of Salado completed his term a development Counsel to the Institute. Wayne Holtzman of Austin is the new Development Counsel.

Boys Golf qualified for state

The Salado Boys Golf Team has qualified for the State Tournament for the second year running.

The boys placed second in Regionals with a two-day score of 691.

Mark Thompson was second medalist with a total of 160. Danny Light was third medalist with a score of 164.

Monty Sands shot a 168, including the team's low round of 79. Zack Sands

shot a 99 each day and Jay Shelton shot 247 for both days.

The state tournament will be May 9-10 in Austin.

The Girls Golf Team placed 12th at the Regional Meet. Marie Grigsby led the team with a two-day total of 199, followed by Michelle Martinez with 226.

Kayce Moore had a 242, while Nora Nelson shot a 264.

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Second Place Winner in Essay contest is Zack Brown



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The following essay is the second place winner in the What My Home Means to Me essay contest sponsored by Century 21 Bill Bartlett and Peoples National Bank.

by Zack Brown

Most dictionaries define a home as being a place to live. To my family, our home is a place to be together. We have only lived in my house about ten months. Already, I have spent more time together with my family here than in any other house that I have lived in.

When my parents made the decision to move to my house in the country we had two other houses. We put a "for sale" sign in front of the house we were living in. The other house's rent-

ers wanted to buy another house so we put a "for sale" sign in front of it too. Now they are both sold and we only have this one house out in the country.

Since we live out in the country we decided to raise pigs. My family and I have built two pig pens, one washing pen for the pigs, two houses for the pigs, a deck for our house, and we are building a barn. I guess you could say my family likes to do things together.

Traditional homes have a full time mother and father, my home doesn't. My dad drives an eighteen wheeler so he's gone most of the week. My mother is a school teacher so during the summer we spend a lot of time together. On the weekends when my dad is home is when we do all the work and fun stuff like riding

motorcycles. This is one way my home is different from other homes.

Another way my home is different from other homes is that it is a double wide mobile home. My parents decided that buying a mobile home would get us out to the country the quickest way. Someday we are going to build a log cabin on our land.

When all of the kids in my family get out of college and have a family, we can come to this house that will be, in that time, the history of our childhood. We can look at the pictures and really think about what this house means to us. I have learned that a house is not just a place to live but a place to be together. That is what my home really means to me.



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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:
 Another joint venture in Salado has been successful. The annual antique show drew good crowds of "antiquers" to Salado for several days - thanks to so many volunteers.

Micki Ellis was the chairperson who put all these great workers together to do such a splendid job. Our

thanks to those in the Historical Society and the Library who were in charge of the good food that was sold. Also those who baked and then helped prepare and serve the courtesy dinner for the antique dealers. The hosts and hostesses greeted people in real 'Salado Style'. Many dealers commented on how friendly the people of Salado are and how pleased they are to be invited each year.

Our special thanks to the SISD for allowing the Chamber of Commerce to use the facilities. It was so pleasant inside and truly made everything go smoothly.

The crowds are growing and the reputation of the show is growing as well. Thanks to everyone involved for making another successful event 'happen' in Salado.

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Salado Republicans meet May 12

Salado Republicans will meet 7 p.m. May 12 at Allen Meeting Hall at Inn at Salado. Members should note that this is not a dinner meeting. Desserts and coffee will be served.

Area candidates who are running on the Republican ticket in November will be special guests.

The speaker will be Linda Post. She is a veteran educator with more than 25 years in the teaching profession. She has been named "Educator of the Year", has been honored by CBS television for her innovative classroom instruction, and has been commended by the Texas Senate for her outstanding contribution to public education.

Post teaches Honors English at Temple High School, where her program has been recognized as a Center of Excellence by the National Council of Teachers of English. With such national recognition, she has traveled extensively, lecturing to educators and presenting workshops at state and national conferences.

She has won the English Journal Writing Award, presented by the National Council of Teachers of English. Her publication credits include numerous articles in professional journals such as English in Texas and Teaching English in the Two-Year College. Her book, *Stony Ground: One Teacher's Fight Against Juvenile Crime*, has been honored regionally, winning non-fiction awards at the Dallas

Writers' Conference and the Beaumont Writers' Conference,

Post was selected to attend the prestigious Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, a writing school founded by poet Robert Frost in Middlebury, Vermont. While there, she studied non-fiction writing with Ron Powers, the Pulitzer prize-winning journalist and former media critic for CBS News.

She received her B. A. Degree from the University of Texas at Arlington. She lives in Temple with her husband and teenage son.

Area educators, espe-

cially classroom teachers from the Salado area are invited as guests for this program. No reservations are necessary. For more information, call one of the Board members of Chisholm Trail Republican Women's Organization.



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Calendar of Events

May 8-Mary Hardin Baylor presents "I Do! I Do!", Lunch - 1 p.m. play 2 p.m. Dinner 7 p.m. play 8 p.m. Tablerock members \$13 non-members \$15 at the Goodnight Amphitheater on Royal St.

May 9 - Chamber of Commerce Board meeting 6 p.m. at Salado Civic Center in the Foster Room

May 11 11:30 a.m. Lions club meets at Mill Creek dining room

May 12-Salado Chamber of Commerce Ladies Auxiliary annual trip

May 12 - 6:30 p.m. Chisholm Trail Republican Women meet at Mill Creek Club

May 16 - E.S.P. meets at 10 a.m. at the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall

May 18 - 5:30 p.m. Mill Creek Community Association Board meeting, at Salado Civic Center

May 23 - 7 p.m. Masonic lodge meets at the lodge located on Church St.

May 26 - 8:30 a.m. Lions Club board meets at Mill Creek dining room; 11:30 a.m. Lions meet

May 28 - 7:45 p.m. lecture, 8:30 p.m. movie Ford's *The Searcher*, \$3 at the Goodnight Amphitheater on Royal St.

May 30 - Parade on Main St.

May 30 - 9 a.m. Annual Memorial Day Service at the Salado Cemetery

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Mike Miller

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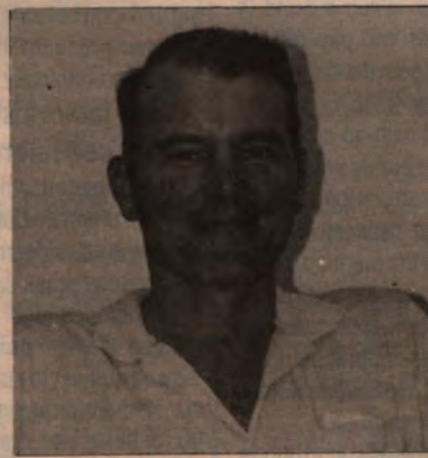
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The supper will be served in the Harker Heights Elementary School with take out available. Bacon by the pound will also be packaged and ready for purchase.

Adult meal cost \$3.50 and Under 12 cost \$1.50

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1994 Salado Memorial Day Parade Entry Form

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On another sheet of paper write a Description of Entry/Theme of Float Purpose/Background Information and attach to the form

Parade set May 30

The Salado Chamber of Commerce has scheduled the 1994 Salado Memorial Day Parade, 10 a.m. May 30.

The theme for this year is *Texas Cultures* in which the parade participants will honor the many ethnic groups who found a home in Texas—German, Czech, African, Japanese, English, Polish, Native Americans, Hispanic, Wendish. The parade will also be a tribute to the customs and cultural heritage contributed by each group.

The parade staging area will be located in the Salado Plaza Shopping Center near the IGA grocery store parking area. Parade entrants are asked to be at the staging area and ready

to go by 9 a.m.

The parade route will take you from the shopping center, down Main Street, and past the Stagecoach Inn.

Once your application form is received, a letter of confirmation will be mailed to you with your entry number.

Judges will award top entries in the following categories: Best Float, Best Individual Entry, Best Organizational Entry, Best Business Entry.

Deadline for entry is May 20.

To enter the parade fill out the form and mail to John Sobehrad chairman Parade Committee, P.O. Box 81, Salado TX 76571

Lions give money

The Salado Lions Club awarded monetary contributions to several community organizations during its regular meeting April 26. The donations were to the Salado Youth Baseball, the Civic Center Landscap-

ing Committee and to the Salado Village Artists building project.

Steve Ervin accepted for the Salado Youth Baseball; Lloyd Parks for the Landscaping Committee and Jack Hardin for the Salado Village Artists.

The Lions Club uses the monies derived from its various activities to assist many projects in the community. The Lions Club sponsors teams in the Salado Youth Baseball. The money will be used for equipment and outfitting teams. Money to the Landscape Committee will be used for landscaping the grounds of the Salado Civic Center. The Salado Village Artists will use their money in their project to refurbish the old AG Building on the Civic Center grounds and its will then be used as an art center and meeting place for artists of various mediums.

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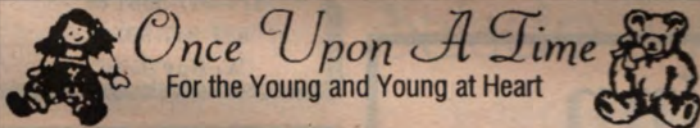
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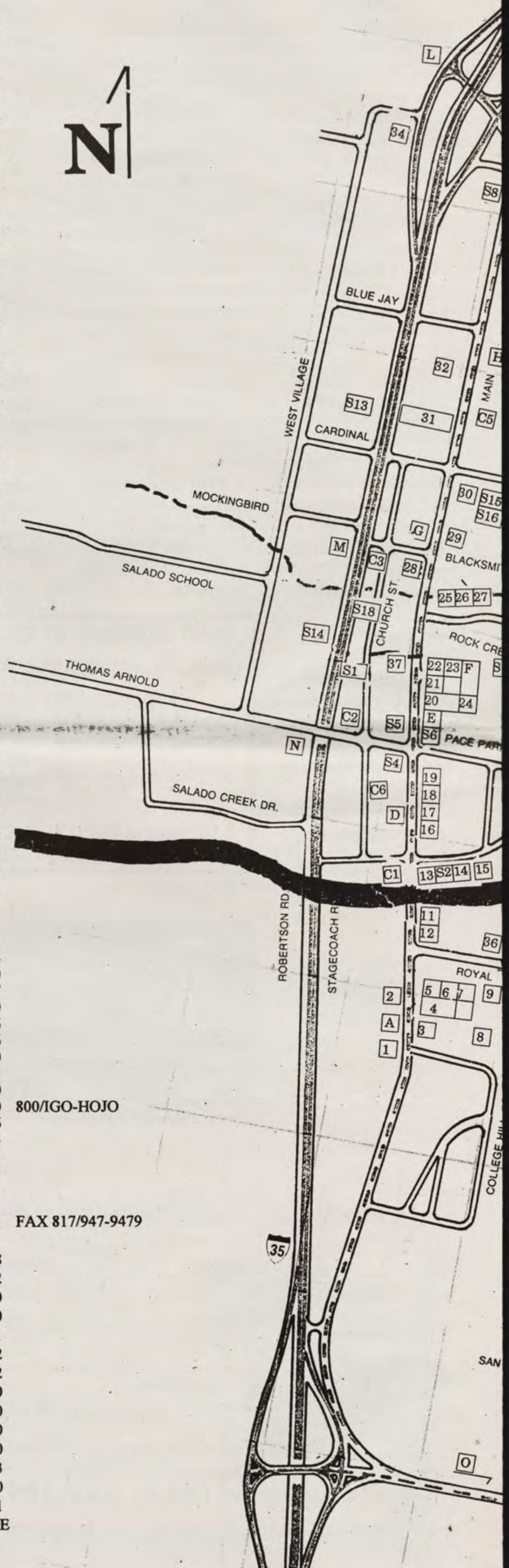
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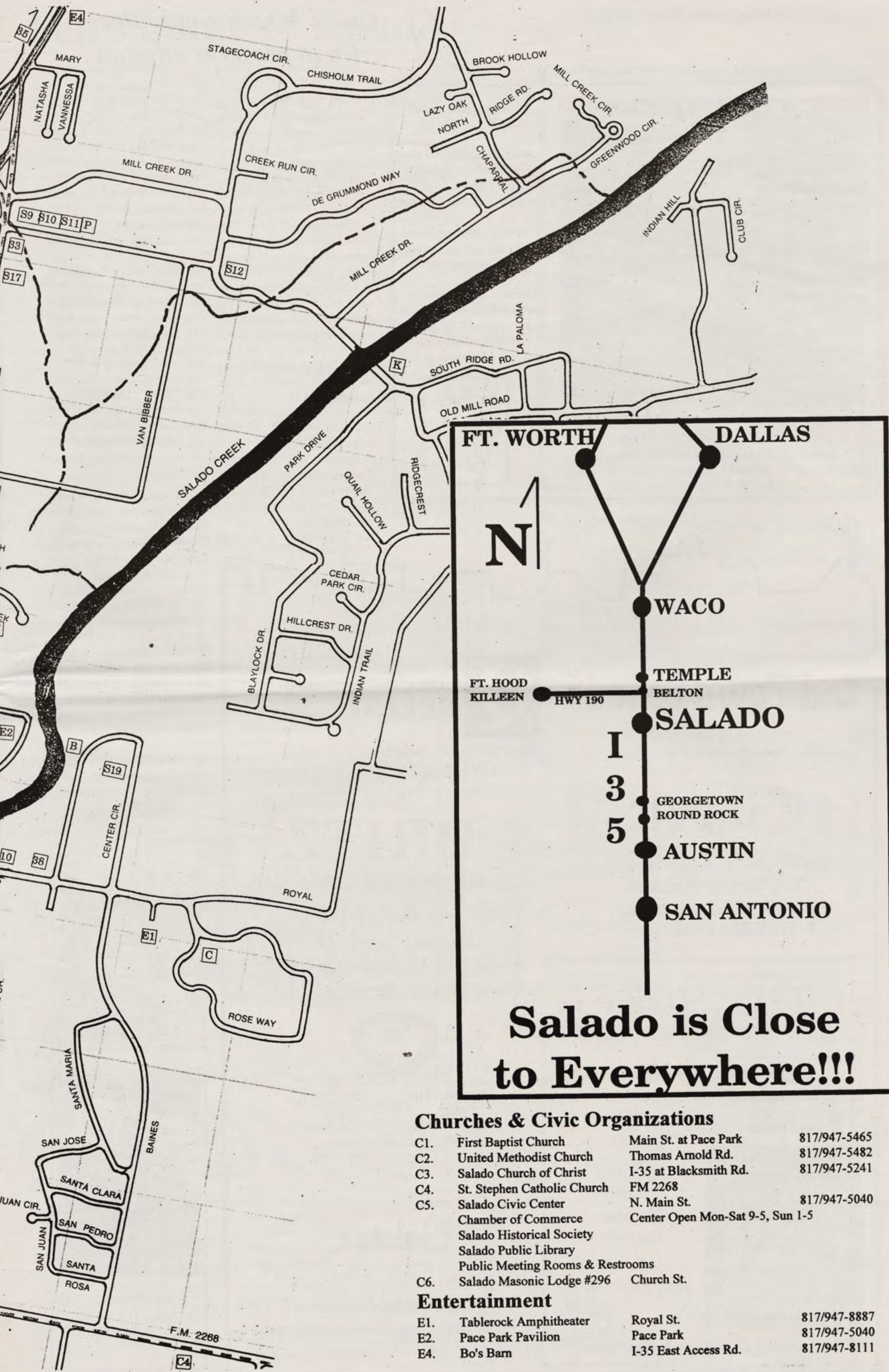
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The Creek Preservation Committee of the Salado Historical Society is responsible for regular monitoring and protection of Salado Creek. This is a progress report which summarizes one facet of that effort.

Correspondence between officers of the Society and various authorities began early in 1991, although a significant leak of petroleum products was known to exist at an abandoned service station at the northwest corner of I-35 and Thomas Arnold Road as early as January 1989. Subsequently, corrective action was taken but the problem was not resolved satisfactorily.

Because a Texas Water Commission official had come to Salado early in 1991 and described to committee members the duty of the Underground Storage

Tank Division of the Commission, committee member Martha Harper encouraged society president Jean Davis to request that the commission look into the problem. Methodists, such as society member Pat Barton had often detected a strong "gasoline odor" in the church's education building, located directly west of the service station. (It turned out that this odor might not have come from the site across the highway). Another obvious danger was the deep hole left uncovered when one tank was lifted to the surface by the Commission. A hidden and poorly understood danger existed because of the remaining four tanks underground.

The committee members first began contacting the Commission in June, 1991. On July 11, the project manager of the Commission's Petroleum Storage Tank Division arrived and immediately called a specialist from Ecology and Environment, Inc., based in Dallas, to inspect the area on July 16, 1991, the company began cleanup of the site. They worked on a 12 hour/day basis until the "immediate response" actions were complete. Only one, the smallest of the four underground tanks removed from underground, was found to be in good

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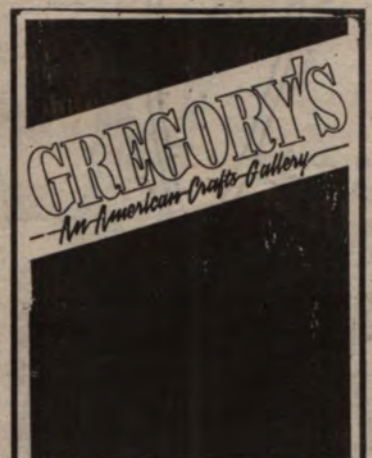


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condition; this tank had "signs of overfill". Procedures at this time included soil tests, removal of tanks and soil from the premises, placement of polyurethane into the tank space, back-fill with all excavated soil, a cover layer of polyurethane and then clean soil fill until a low, compacted mound was created. Soil samples were taken for laboratory tests.

In November, the company returned to dig four wells and three bore holes to monitor air and gases around and beneath the site; this was to continue indefinitely. The company was also shown other sites in Salado where water wells, large springs and former underground storage tanks were known to have been located.

About one year later, November 1992, information from two company documents stated that "groundwater has been impacted and soil contami-

nation is present in the vicinity of the tank hold" and that contamination of "samples collected from the tank hold during the immediate response greatly exceeded the cleanup criteria for soil." It was recommended that remedial action be taken "based on the levels and extent of petroleum-related soil contamination at the tank hold and in the ground water underlying the site."

Because of lack of funds and other factors the work order for resumption of cleanup was not issued until April, 1993. It was predicted that work would begin 3 months later.

Much of the remainder of 1993 was devoted to 2 problems. One was the development of an effective

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Residents of Bell County will soon have a downtown Belton clock to help get them to work on time. In its April meeting, the Texas Transportation Commission authorized funding for the restoration and enhancement project from money available through the Texas Transportation Enhancements Program.

"I am always pleased when we can approve projects that will enhance

a community's economic, environmental, recreational and cultural offerings," said Gov. Ann Richards. "This project approved by the Texas Transportation Commission today will certainly do that for Bell County."

The Historic Belton-Bell County project will restore a 125-foot clock tower that was removed during the 1930s and 1950s. The

project will restore the roof, enhance sidewalks and landscape and light the downtown Belton area. A new sedimentation pond will filter pollutants from storm water runoff. Estimated project cost is \$1.4 million.

"This is an exciting funding opportunity for Texas," said David Bensen, commissioner of transportation. "We selected the projects that will have the greatest environmental, economic and social benefits for Texas, and revitalizing downtown certainly fits those criteria."

The commission was guided in the selection process by TEPEC, the Transportation Enhancement Project Evaluation Committee. The committee, made up of representatives from the General Land office, Texas Department of Commerce, Texas Historical Commission, Texas Parks and Wildlife, Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission and the Texas Department of Transportation, evaluated nominated projects according to such criteria as statewide economic and environmental benefits.

The transportation enhancement program was created in 1991 when the federal Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act became law. The act set aside \$180 million of surface transportation funds for this special program that includes transportation-related project areas such as hike-and-bike trails, landscaping, and rehabilitating historic transportation buildings and sites.

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by **Ilene C. Miller**
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Today's healthful eating guidelines have set numerical goals of less than 30 percent of a day's calories from fat as well as specific guidelines for sodium. Picking frozen dinners that meet these guidelines can be a challenge.

Here are suggestions for what to search for in selecting a healthful frozen dinner or entree:

Single-serving dinners should be 300 calories or less. Complete your dinner by adding a salad or fresh fruit.

Less than 800 milligrams of sodium which is about one-third of the recommended daily maximum for most people. If you are on a sodium restricted diet, even that will be too much.

Less than 10 grams of fat per 300 calorie serving. That means that fat will contribute less than 30 percent of the calories. Fish, poultry and lean beef are low in fat but not if they are deep-fried. Pasta is also low-fat, unless it's topped with butter or a cream sauce. Vegetarian dishes don't always meet the criteria for low-fat because they can be

loaded with oil and high-fat ingredients.

Few additives. Some brands don't use any. The word natural doesn't tell you anything. Check the ingredients.

Little or no added sugar. Sugar in its variety of forms (sucrose, dextrose, corn syrup, honey, molasses, etc.) shouldn't rank high on the ingredients list. It adds unnecessary calories.

Finding a healthful frozen dinner entree is easier today than it used to be. Many food companies are now making frozen dinners that meet dietary guidelines that are good for you and taste good, too.

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Acting president William B. Tolar will award 461 degrees in Southwestern's schools of theology, religious education and church music.

Powell is the son of Cary B. and Faye M. Powell of Oak Grove. He is married to Janet Elliott Powell of Ville Platte, Louisiana.

Powell serves as minister of students and worship at First Baptist Church in Salado.



Robert Cary Powell

Southwestern Seminary is one of six seminaries affiliated with the Southern Baptist Convention and is the largest theological seminary in the world. Each year, more than 4,000 men and women train for ministry at Southwestern.

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Community Association gives money to firefighters

The Mill Creek Community Association, on behalf of the members of the Association and an individual contributor, has made a contribution to the Salado Volunteer Fire Department. The contribution was

made by Jack Hardin, president, Mill Creek Community Association to Fire Chief Johnny Butler.

The Mill Creek Community Association expressed

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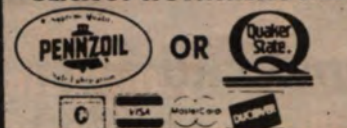
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Thank you, thank you, thank you to the citizens of Salado for helping to make our **Fifth Annual Bluebonnet Antique Show** a huge success. It never ceases to amaze me that such a large event can be run so smoothly by volunteers.

There are dozens and dozens of wonderful villagers to thank: **You Know Who You Are!** (I hesitate to name names because I'm sure I would forget someone, and my name would be Mud.) I must especially thank Cathy Sands, Calvin Phillips and Laura McQueary for advice encouragement and many hours of hard work. A special thanks also to Steve Ervin and Rod Stockstill, SISD teachers and students.

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Salado Masonic Lodge was founded in 1867, and has been in its present location since 1961. The lodge has a membership of

Many local area leaders have been members of Salado Masonic Lodge over the years. Some of the best known include A.J. Rose,

G. W. Tyler, and E.S.C. Robertson.

By the 1830's, numerous Masons had come to Texas from both Mexico and the United States. Antonio Navarro, Lorenzo de Zavala and Juan Seguin joined others like Stephen F. Austin, Anson Jones and Sam Houston in forming lodges. The first lodge was formed at Brazoria in 1835, and in the same year, the Grand Lodge of Louisiana authorized lodges at Houston, Nacogdoches and San Augustine.

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plan for clean-up, which required cooperation with and approval from the Texas Department of Transportation. The other had to do with alleged financial responsibility of the property owner.

In addition, innumerable contacts by telephone and letter with various individuals, both in government and private citizens, were made by committee members.

Developments included changes in the Commission, which became the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Committee, along with changes in responsible personnel as well as a change in the director of the company operations. The owner of the site could not or would not assume responsibility for the

cleanup and the state agency responsible ran out of money.

In summary, the problem has been known to exist for almost 5-1/2 years. Contamination of major proportions has been observed in Salado Creek, and possibly in a church building. Residual contamination is present in the soil today.

To date, the state has spent almost \$200,000. Projected additional expenses indicate that at least \$400,000 will be required for total cleanup although some estimates go as high as one-half million dollars. This expense does not include the letters, telephone calls, meetings and other efforts of the Salado Historical Society Committee.

Citizens of Salado may wish to watch for further activity at the site which has been promised and is being planned for the summer of 1994.

Litigation is proceeding and the cleanup system design is in progress.

I-35 exit closed for construction

The north bound exit ramp from Interstate 35 to FM 1670 near Salado is closed for reconstruction.

Motorists are directed to take the FM 2268 exit as an alternate. Drivers are urged to slow down, drive with caution and allow additional travel time.

Work could be completed by spring of next year.

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Bolton chosen as finalist in songwriter competition

M.L. Bolton was chosen to be one of the top five finalist performing in the 1994 B.W. Stevenson Memorial Songwriter/Composer Competition held in Dallas. The competition drew over 135 songwriter entries, of which 10 semi-finalists were selected to return on April 26 to perform in the finals.

Bolton and long time

writing partner Alice Wells, have performed as Bolton & Wells for several years and have received several state and a national awards as songwriters and composers. In addition to performing as Bolton & Wells, both perform with Valeria and Craig Pitrucha in the recently formed fusion quartet called Tilt 9.

Record

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incorporation of the village of Salado. You will recall we had the facts and figures of the 1867 incorporation and the plan included trying to find out if the city fathers of that day, or shortly thereafter, had disincorporated.

We will stay with it until

we uncover all facts. So again, please be patient and stay tuned. And thanks for your many kind comments on the subject which appears to have a great deal of village interest - both ways.

That's -30-

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