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The cast of *A Christmas Carol*, which will be performed Dec. 10-11 at Tablerock.

A Christmas Carol Dec. 10-11

Have yourself a merry little Christmas! The Tablerock Festival of Salado's rendition of Dicken's immortal holiday classic *A Christmas Carol* is scheduled for final performances Dec. 10-11. Get into the spirit of the season.

It's the age old story with an added twist: Dickens joins the cast to narrate the proceedings; the original Grinch, Scrooge, along with Tiny Tim and the rest of

the Cratchits and ghosts will be there too, so don't miss out on the true meaning of Christmas!

The cast includes Gary Askins (director), Rick Dennis Thomssen, Jerry Taylor, Bud Alexander, Chantal Dalton, Walt Tollefson, Donna Boyd, Rory Oldham, James and Debbie Hargreaves, Angel Foster, Rachel Long, Emily Miller, Mikie Sloan, Cheri Smith, Tessa and Mary

Helen Schreiner, Matthew Brown, Mary Jo Bobbins, Juanita Duel, Rita Brown, Phillip Featherston and Theron Palmer; technical director will be Miles Ellis.

Tickets may be purchased from any cast member or at the Amphitheater Gate and are \$5 for adults and \$3 for children; each performance begins at 7 p.m. concessions open at 6 p.m. Remember to dress warmly and perhaps bring a blanket.



Santa Claus was present during the Country Christmas Weekend in Salado, but he probably had a hard time finding a parking space as the village was swamped with shoppers Dec. 3-5. The Historic Homes Tour was also successful with over 1,000 paying admission to see some of the homes which make Salado such a wonderful place for folks to visit. According to Tour Chairman Gerry Gamble, the Homes Tour grossed over \$8,000. A final report on the weekend will be made to the Chamber and Historical Society.

Polyfoniks perform for Salado Lions Club

Temple High School Polyfoniks will entertain the Salado Lions Club members and spouses 11:30 a.m. Dec. 8 at the Mill Creek Country Club dining room. This performance by the mixed vocal ensemble of six boys and six girls will con-

tinue a tradition of the polyfoniks providing the entertainment for the Lions Christmas luncheon. Dwain Marshall founded the group 25 year ago and served as its director for 22 years; the current director is Cynthia Kirby, who was a

member of the original ensemble.

Members are Shannon Waters, Jill Hargrove, Jenna Chastang, Samantha Snyder, Katie Snyder, Natalie Kirby, Patrick Drake, Sean Guess, Josh Hancock, Matt Listi, Peter

Coulter, Michael Kirby and Jennie Orie accompanist.

The Salado Lions Club meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 11:30 a.m. in the dining room of the Mill Creek Country Club.

SHS Biology Class presents short play Dec. 14

Salado High School Biology III Class is presenting a public presentation of an original short play concerning the environment of the Salado Creek, 9 a.m. Dec. 14 at the school cafeteria. This informative play will enlighten the audience as to the ecology of the creek and make them

aware of the individual role in preserving it. The play views the past present and future of the creek and the role of humans in the use and abuse of it.

This play is the first part of a three part project developed by the class.

In addition, the class is producing an informative pamphlet that will be avail-

able in area shops and businesses by January 16.

The pamphlet will include information about the creek's ecology including a guide to plants and animals. It will also include Salado history, quotes from local citizens and artwork designs by Salado students.

The purpose of this origi-

nal document will be to increase visitor awareness of the creek as a living ecosystem. This endeavor is the second stage of the three-part project developed and created by Biology three class members: Nathan Daniel, Ysenia Rocha, Billy Wilson, Aaron Baldwin and Alfred Lindsey.

Baptist Church Heaven's Child

7 p.m. Dec. 12

The First Baptist Church Christmas Choir of Salado will present the musical *Heaven's Child* 7 p.m., Dec. 12, in the church auditorium.

The music is a mix of new and old Christmas hymns. The musical ends with the "Hallelujah Chorus." You are invited to join in the celebration of Jesus' birth.

The choir is made up of members of the Church and others from the community.

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The Firm

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starring Tom Cruise, Jeanne Tripplehorn, Ed Harris, Holly Hunter, Gary Busey, Hal Holbrook, Gene Hackman, Wilford Brimley
Our rating: ****

by Tim Fleischer

Fans of John Grisham will not be disappointed in the film adaptation of his runaway best-seller. Tom Cruise stars as Mitch McDeere, a hot-shot young lawyer graduating from Harvard in the top five in his class, who decides to go to work for a small law firm in Memphis, Tennessee.

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The Firm follows very closely the story laid out in Grisham's best-selling novel with just a few notable exceptions. One exception is McDeere's relationship to his wife Abby (Jeanne Tripplehorn).

The other exception is the conclusion, which makes The Firm a much better movie to watch (because it is not so predictable to those who read the book).

With the exception of Jeanne Tripplehorn as Abby, the casting for The Firm was perfect, especially Tom Cruise as Mitch McDeere and Wilford Brimley as the security chief of the law firm.

Even if you have not read Grisham's novel, The Firm is a fast-paced thriller which will keep you on the edge of your seat, a movie worth watching.

It will be available on videocassette December 16 at IGA Village Foods Videos.

Our rating system

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

County says, "Hit the road, Mac!"

Did you happen to notice the furor that erupted last week down in Williamson County when three commissioners voted not to give a tax break to the giant Apple computer company on the basis of morality rather than business interests? It made the national TV news on most networks and all the major papers carried bits and pieces of what has become a major confrontation between those for or against certain gay rights.

Apple has, as a personnel policy, a domestic partner agreement that allows benefits such as health insurance for gay and lesbian workers. When the company decided to expand into larger quarters in Williamson County near Round Rock, they asked for a tax abatement. In the past the county governors never turned down such a request. This request carried the promise of 4500 new jobs and a potential \$300 million fiscal impact.

Three of the commissioners voted the proposal down on the basis of both moral and legal reasons - that is, in their words, of acceptance, by approving the tax break, of gay and lesbian life styles.

Results were predictable.

Off the Record

by Ken Clapp



Gay right activists in Austin, which is considered to be the most liberal county in the State, were outraged. Business folks in Williamson County, who could see dollars flying away to other locales, were furious. Apple said they might move to another State thus bringing Governor Richards and her minions into the fray as they begged Apple to stay. Cities all over Texas and the nation lined up to be considered, including the three major towns in Bell County.

Oddly enough, Apple went back to the Williamson County leaders and were told that although they would not grant a \$750 thousand tax abatement they would build, at taxpayer expense, a \$450,000 road for the computer group. Exactly what the difference is between granting a tax break or spending tax dollars for a road escapes the imagination - but the deal was offered. Apple turned it down for some reason. Two of the three involved commissioners are up for reelection next year. That will be interesting to

watch!

"What-If"

Always fun to play the "what-if" game when it comes time for political discussions. What if some large company with strange personnel policies or even stranger production results decided they wanted to move next door to Salado - along the increasingly popular I-35 corridor? An industry with a huge payroll and hundreds of employees. Lets say they went to the Bell County commissioners for a tax abatement - which no doubt would be granted in a "New York second" (however rapid that might be). What could the folks in Salado do to stop such a move? Unless there would be an environmental problem or unless landowners refused to sell - there is little that could be done! And we could help pay for our discomfort through loss of tax dollars via the abatement scheme.

Sort of gives you a warm-cuddly feeling doesn't it?

Might also want to think about Belton's extra-territorial rights after they get within two miles of our village. Sort of reminds me of an old timer over in Killeen who had been there since

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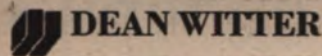
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Ladies win Academy Tournament

The Salado Lady Eagles won the Academy Tournament last week and bettered their record to 6-3 on the year.

The Lady Eagles started out with a 46-32 win over the Lorena Lady Leopards. The Lady Eagles trailed at the end of the first period 13-14, but held Lorena to four points in the second period to gain a 27-18 lead. After a slow third period, the Lady Eagles led the Lady Leopards, 31-21.

Marie Grigsby led the scoring with 10 points for the game, including six in the fourth period. Amy Jackson followed with nine points. Also scoring for the Lady Eagles were these: Annie Ray, 6 points; Kayce Moore, Jennifer McHaney, Laurelyn Hunter and Michelle Martinez, with 4 points each; Bobbie Aguilar with 3 points and Debbie Wasik with 2 points.

The Lady Eagles faced the Rosebud-Lott Lady Cougars in the second round of the tournament, coming away with a 56-34 win and a berth in the final round.

The Lady Eagles led the entire game, 12-7 at the end of the first period, 23-20 at the end of the half, 43-25 at the end of the third period.

Ray led all scoring with 19 points, including a 12-point third quarter. Grigsby and Jackson followed with 10 points each and Hunter's 9 point effort. Also contributing to the win were Martinez, 4 points and Wasik and Hunter, 2 points each.

Salado spanked the Thorndale Lady Bulldogs in the final round, 60-28. The lady Eagles led 16-10 at the first quarter, 34-16 at the half and 38-23 at the end of the third quarter.

A 22 point fourth period was led by Ray and Jackson with 8 and 6 points respectively.

Ray led all scoring with 16 points, Jackson followed with 14 points and Hunter had double figures with 11 points.

Also scoring in the game were Grigsby, 7 points; Moore, 6 points, Wasik, 4 points and McHaney, 2 points.

The lady Eagles had a 6-3 record at presstime.

Eagles' rocky start of basketball season

The Salado Eagles Varsity Basketball team chalked up their first win of the early season in last week's Academy tourna-

ment.

Salado fell to the Academy Bees in the first round of the tournament 60-85. The Eagles could never overcome an early 12-26 deficit to the Bees.

Leading the scoring was Paul Gidley with 19 points, including 4 three-point shots. William Culp followed with 13 points and Brent Cabaniss had 10 points.

Jerome Peoples had 7 points, Benji Daniel had 5 points, Michael McKinney had 4 points and Jason Hosch had two points for the Eagles.

Salado faced the Junior Varsity Bees in the second round of play, winning 82-43. The Eagles trailed 11-

12 at the end of the first period, but gained the lead by halftime, 30-23. Salado exploded for 22 points in

both the third and fourth quarters.

Gidley again led the scoring with 21 points, followed by three others with double figures. Cabaniss had 16 points, Daniel had 13 points and Hosch had 11 points.

Also scoring were Culp, 6 points; Jackson and Peoples, 4 points each, Jerome Hosch with 3 points and McKinney and Wilson with 2 points each.

Salado lost the consolation trophy to the Rogers Eagles, 55-68.

Cabaniss led all Eagles with 14 points, followed closely by Culp, 13 points, and Jackson, 12 points.

Also earning points were Gidley, 7 points; Daniel, 4 points, and Peoples and Hosch with 3 points each.

At presstime, Salado had a 1-6 record.



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
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**Lighting of tree
Dec. 9 in Belton**

Glimmering candles and green garlands greet visitors to the Bell County Museum as carolers from Belton Jr. High welcome one and all with Christmas tidings. On Dec. 9, after the lighting of the Christmas tree on the courthouse lawn, the Carnegie will be ringing in the holidays with a carolers, candles and cookies. Come hear your favorite seasons songs and enjoy a walk through Bell County's past. Admission is free and the festivities begin at 7:30 p.m.

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Grace Jones Style Show held

by Marilyn Fleischer
Managing Editor

"Our church, our neighbors, Christmas lights, sounds of carols and the festive stores have convinced me that no place is quite crowned with the glory of nostalgia as our home town," said Grace Jones opening the 13th annual presentation of couture fashions to the Salado Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary and guests on Dec. 6.

As she reminisced the beginning of her shop 32 years, Jones recalled her first reluctant customer and good friend Thelma Fletcher. Describing the cold winter day when Thelma Fletcher was wearing her husband's pants, wool shirt, two sweaters, furcoat and fur-lined gloves on an errand to the supermarket. Jones beckoned to her to enter the store, only to hear an unsatisfactory reply. As the story goes Thelma resisted all the way, as Grace led her by the hand into the shop. After enjoying a hot cup of tea and clothes presentation Thelma left with a complete wardrobe.

The real point of the story, according to Jones is "Friends mean a lot...and at this gathering ...there are no strangers."

Creations by designers Blass, Lacroix, Lagerfeld, Geoffrey Beane, Christian Dior as well as new talents such as Byron Larrs, Richard Tyler and Todd Oldham were paraded before the crowded room.

The predominant color black was among many of the Fall, Holiday designs



Jane Sibley, of Austin, was one of the many models at the Grace Jones Style Show Dec. 6 at Mill Creek to benefit the Salado Ladies Auxiliary.

as the brighter colors were reserved for the summery Cruise items.

While a tunic sweater and skirt is very popular, chic and flattering, according to Jones, the simple black dress is something we all need in our wardrobe.

Vests contoured to the body, hanging loose, short and long were worn with a variety of outfits. Shorter skirts lengths were dominant. From the opening with the silk and cashmere peignoir set to the finale of beaded gowns, the height of fashion was on display. Models were Judy

Greene, Jane Sible, Miriam Knox, Marge Kirkman, Sandy McDonald, Julie Bayless, Peggy Stanford, Wylene Williams, Mary Helen Schreiner, Betty Wiedman, Joan Brashear, Sammi Sparks, all from Salado. Models from Austin included Betty Rainey and Elizabeth Young.

Mary Lee Bailey provided live music for the models as they made their way among the tables.

Special guests for the afternoon included Liz Carpenter, Paula Stout, Sue Mayborn, Rosie Jones, Sylvia Brooks, Mary Bailey and Marilyn Fleischer.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:
Thank You Salado!! You people amaze me every year. I think the village cannot look anymore beautiful and then it does. All the lights were very special during the Stroll and continue to glow.

I want to thank all those who help each year to carry out what seems to be an impossible task. This year a special thanks to Sherry Pilgrim and Chris Hale for the many hours of planning and leg work to put together such a special Stroll. Hats off to all the homeowners who opened their houses for the Historical Society Home Tour

- and all the docents and workers who spend so much time preparing and working during the tour.

The live nativity at the Baptist Church created many positive comments and gave meaning to "The Reason for the Season."

We were blessed with spectacular weather for the weekend. As a merchant I believe I speak for many businesses who would say "Thanks" for helping us have a great weekend.

Love you Salado,
Doris Denman

Dear Editor:
I would like to offer a comment about the Mill

creek Community association annual meeting and dinner held on December 6, 1993.

I inadvertently failed to acknowledge the fine job Betty Lowe, chairperson of the welcoming committee, has done during the past year in welcoming our new residents to Mill Creek and Salado. She has been our front line in meeting and helping newcomers and should be publicly commended for a job well done. I apologize for the oversight.

Yours truly,
Jack Hardin, pres.
Mill Creek
Community Assn.

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Brown attends Masters Retreat

Rita S. Brown of CENTURY 21 Bill Bartlett, recently joined the "best of the best" for the CENTURY 21 Masters Retreat held Nov. 29 - 30 in Dallas, Texas. Only the top 3 percent of sales associates—out of approximately 6,000 in the seven-state division of Century 21 South Central States, Inc.—were invited to attend this exclusive seminar designed to address the needs of top real estate agents.

"Even the most seasoned real estate agent has something to learn, and within the CENTURY 21 system, we pay close attention to the continuing education needs of our top agents," says Dave Jenks, divisional president. "The Masters Retreat creates a powerful forum of discussion amongst the leading agents in our division, and exposes each attendee to the most up-to-date real estate information and trends."

Some of the issues which were addressed during the two-day retreat were "Person Marketing," "Automating Your Business," and "Advanced Listing Techniques." A highlight of the event was a panel discussion for top-producing agents featuring Divisional Hall of Fame sales associates.

CENTURY 21 Bill Bartlett, located at 300 N. Main.

Sprint/Centel has new hours

Sprint/Centel-Texas recently announced new customer service hours of its local customers. The hours are now 7:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m. Mon.-Fri., and 8 a.m.-5 p.m. on Sat.

During the new hours customers can call and establish service, order Custom Calling Features or inquire about their phone bill.

"We want to be more responsive to the needs of our customer," said Linda Green, customer relations manager for the company. "Many customers need to transact business after their work day or on Saturdays. The new hours should make it more convenient for our customers to reach us."

Green added customers need only dial 811 to reach the customer service center. Sprint/Centel-Texas' repair department continues to be available 24 hours a day by simply dialing 611.

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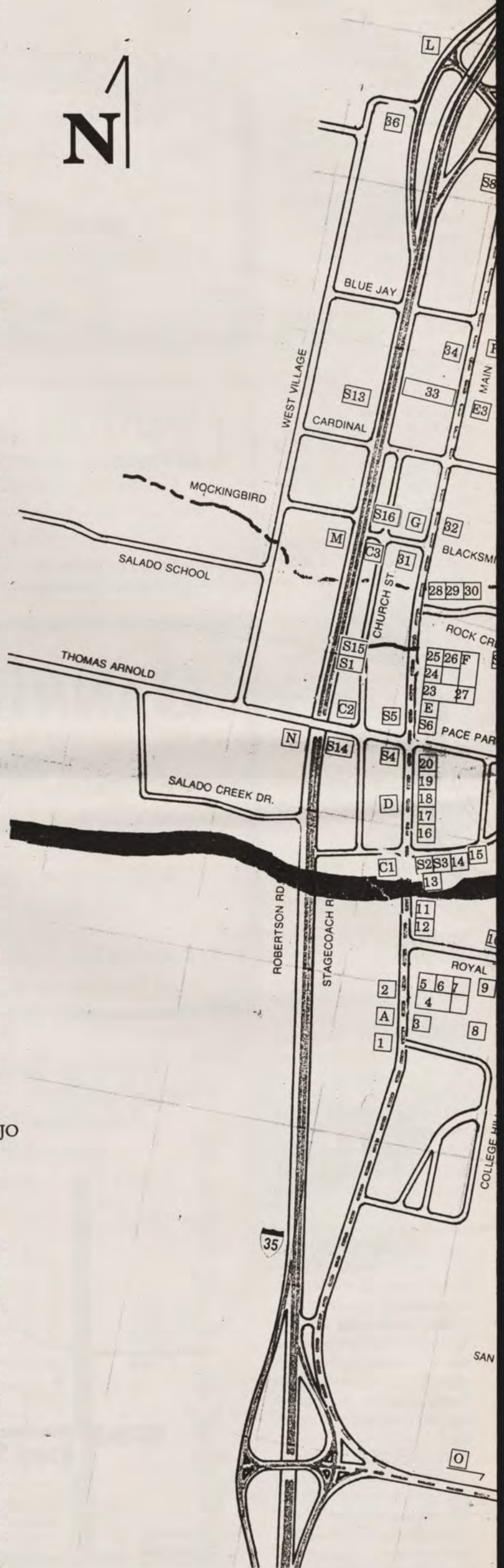
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| 2. Salado Galleries | Main Street | 817/947-5110 |
| 3. Salado Pottery | Next to Stagecoach Inn | 817/947-5935 |
| 4. Gregory's | Shady Villa on Main St. | 817/947-5703 |
| 5. Salado Country Antiques | Shady Villa on Main St. | 817/947-8363 |
| 6. Traditions of Salado | Shady Villa on Main St. | 817/947-8216 |
| 7. Sweet Nut Things | Shady Villa on Main St. | 817/947-8088 |
| 8. Peddler's Alley | Behind Museum off Main | 817/947-9722 |
| 9. The Dusty Rose | Royal St. | 817/947-9215 |
| 10. Gospel Gifts | #77 Royal St. | 817/947-9500 |
| 11. The Royal Emporium | Main & Royal | 817/947-5718 |
| 12. Grace Jones | One Royal | 817/947-5555 |
| 13. Trimmings & Such | Old Mill Plaza | 817/947-0302 |
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| 15. The Christmas Shop | Green House on the Creek | 817/9475561 |
| 16. Susan Marie's Boutique | Creekside Center | 817/947-5239 |
| 17. Lady Asher | Creekside Center | 817/947-9450 |
| 18. Strawberry Patch | Creekside Center | 817/947-9955 |
| 19. Unique Showings | Creekside Center | 817/947-8626 |
| 22. Margaret's Beauty Spa | N. Main St. | 817/947-9360 |
| 23. St. Basil's Market | Salado Square on Main St. | 817/947-0323 |
| A. Cowgirls, Indians & Outlaws | St. Basil's Market in Salado Square | |
| B. Cindy's | St. Basil's Market in Salado Square | |
| C. Bannie's | St. Basil's Market in Salado Square | |
| 24. Main Street Place | Salado Square | 817/947-9908 |
| 25. Ticklish of Salado | Salado Square | 817/947-8089 |
| 26. Another Day | Salado Square | 817/947-0300 |
| 27. Darwin Britt Furniture | Salado Square | 817/947-5575 |
| 28. Sir Wigglesworth | Main at Rock Creek | 817/947-8846 |
| 29. Seasons of Salado | Rock Creek | 817/947-8250 |
| 30. Briar Patch of Salado | Rock Creek | 817/947-5024 |
| 31. Heirlooms Mall | Old Church Place | 817/947-0336 |
| A. Bannie's | Heirlooms Mall | |
| 32. Hutchens House | N. Main St. | 817/947-8177 |
| 33. Old Town Salado | Across from Salado Civic Center on Main St. | |
| A. The Store | Old Town Salado | 817/947-9000 |
| B. O' Clock Shop | Old Town Salado | |
| C. Britz | Old Town Salado | 817/947-1111 |
| D. Scents of Salado | Old Town Salado | 817/947-0340 |
| E. Recollections | Old Town Salado | 817/947-0067 |
| F. Spoke N Sprocket | Old Town Salado | 817/947-5558 |
| G. The Rocking Horse | Old Town Salado | |
| 34. Salado Antique Mall | N. Main St. | 817/947-1010 |
| 35. Fletcher's Books & Antiques | N. Main St. | 817/947-5414 |
| 36. Mountain Mary's Tonkawa | I-35 access road, exit 285 | 817/947-9393 |
| 37. Old Mill Antiques | I-35 at Tahuaya Rd. Exit | 817/947-9959 |

Dining & Lodging

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| A. Stagecoach Inn | I-35 exits 283, 284 | 817/947-5111 |
| B. Inn on the Creek | Center Circle | 817/947-5554 |
| C. The Rose Mansion | One Rose Way | 817/947-8200 |
| D. The Tyler House | Main St. | 817/947-5157 |
| E. The Inn at Salado | Main St. | 817/947-8200 |
| F. Browning's Courtyard Cafe | Salado Square | 817/947-8666 |
| G. Young Williams Manor | Main St. at Blacksmith Rd. | 817/947-0306 |
| H. Halley House Bed and Breakfast | N. Main St. | 817/947-1000 |
| K. Mill Creek Country Club | Old Mill Rd. | 817/947-5141 |
| L. Cowboy's Barbecue | I-35, exit 285, west side | 817/947-5700 |
| M. HoJo Inn | I-35, west side | 817/947-5000 |
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| N. Dairy Queen | I-35 at Thomas Arnold Rd. | 817/947-5406 |
| O. Country Place Bed & Breakfast | FM 2268 east of Salado | 817/947-9683 |
| 33C. Britz | Old Town Salado | 817/947-1111 |

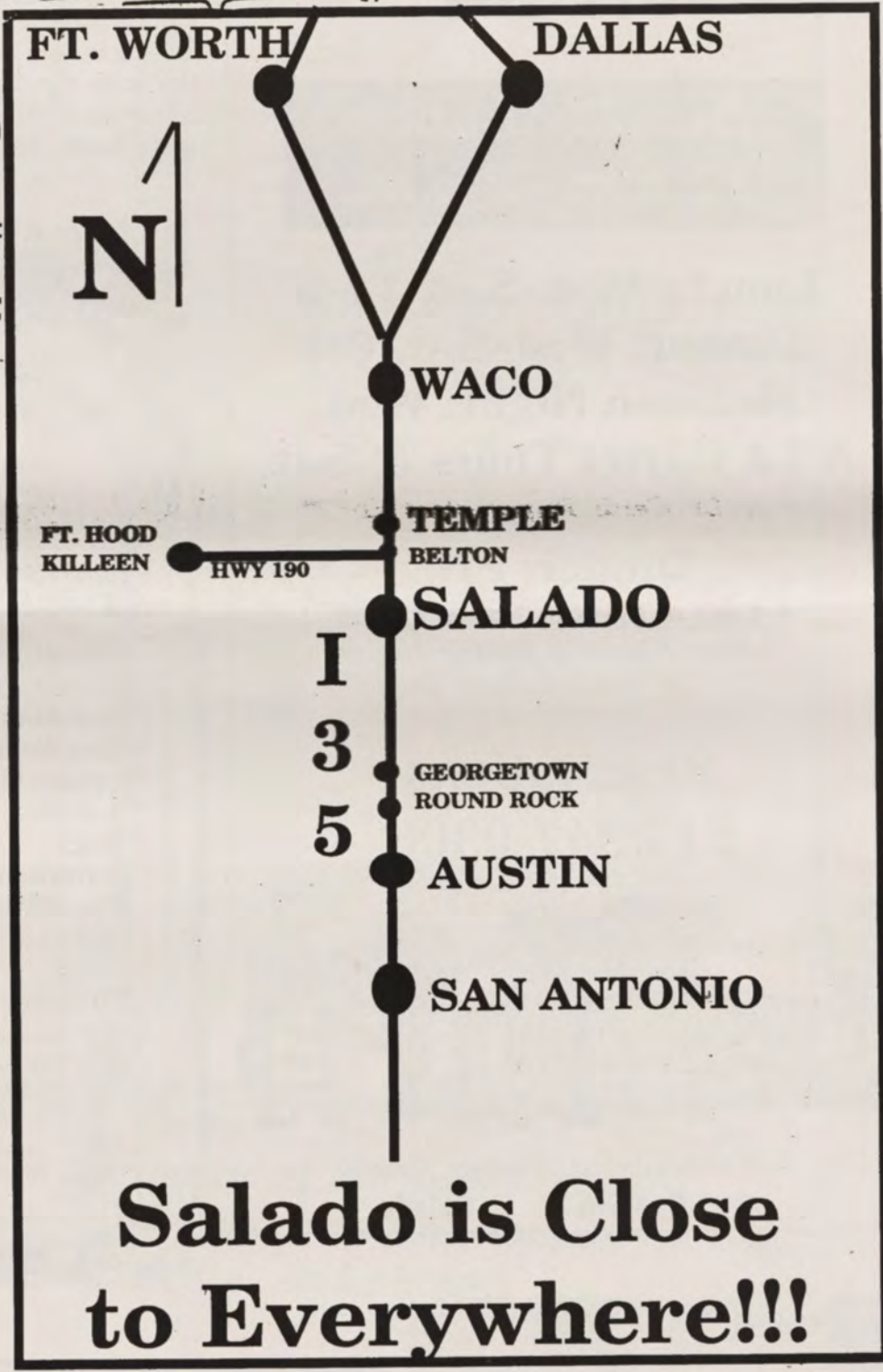
Services

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| S1. Salado Village Voice | #3 Post Oak Center | 817/947-5321 |
| | | FAX 817/947-9479 |
| S2. Salado Express | Old Mill Plaza | 817/947-0301 |
| S3. Salado Chamber of Commerce | Old Mill Plaza | 817/947-5040 |
| S4. First State Bank | Main St. | 817/947-5258 |
| S5. Family Dentistry | Main St. | 817/947-5242 |
| S6. Century 21 Bill Bartlett | Main St. at Pace Park | 817/947-5050 |
| S7. Properties by Larry Sands | Main St. | 817/947-5580 |
| S8. Peoples National Bank | N. Main St. | 817/947-5051 |
| S9. Village Foods IGA | Salado Plaza | 817/947-8922 |
| S10. Deanna's Creations Flowers | Salado Plaza | 817/947-0222 |
| S11. BoTangles | Salado Plaza | 817/947-4747 |
| S12. Mill Creek Realty | Old Mill Rd. | 817/947-8800 |
| S13. Salado Hardware | I-35 at Cardinal Lane | 817/947-8600 |
| S14. Salado Exxon | I-35 at Thomas Arnold | 817/947-5512 |
| S15. Helen Zagona, Attorney | Post Oak Center | 817/947-8170 |
| S16. Harper-Talasek Funeral Home | I-35 at Blacksmith Rd. | 817/947-5511 |





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Churches

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| C1. | First Baptist Church | Main St. at Pace Park | 817/947-5465 |
| C2. | United Methodist Church | Thomas Arnold Rd. | 817/947-5482 |
| C3. | Salado Church of Christ | I-35 at Blacksmith Rd. | 817/947-5241 |
| C4. | Grace Baptist Church | FM 1670/2484 west of I-35 | 817/947-5917 |
| C5. | St. Stephen Catholic Church | FM 2268 | |

Entertainment

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| E1. | Tablerock Amphitheater | Royal St. | 817/947-8887 |
| E2. | Pace Park Pavilion | Pace Park | 817/947-5040 |
| E3. | Salado Civic Center | N. Main St. | |
| | Chamber of Commerce | Center Open Mon-Sat 9-5, Sun 1-5 | |
| | Salado Historical Society | | |
| | Salado Public Library | | |
| | Public Meeting Rooms & Restrooms | | |
| E4. | Bo's Barn | I-35 East Access Rd. | 817/947-8111 |



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grams," said Ed Carter, president and C.E.O.

The Golf Privilege card gives each cardholder the opportunity to play one free round of gold, without the usual green fees at over 100 courses and 20 driving ranges throughout the state of Texas. The card, sold by the American Lung Association is available for \$35 (buy 3 and get the 4th free).

Valid January 1-Dec. 31, 1994, the Golf Privilege Card is now available for purchase by calling the American Lung Association at (800) 252-5864.

Heritage Club to gather Dec. 9 at Temple CAC

The Heritage Club of Belton, Salado, and Temple will have it's fourth quarter meeting 5:30 p.m. Dec. 9 at the Cultural Activities Center in Temple.

This program will be the club's annual Christmas program. Featured Christmas music will be provided by the Belton High School Madrigals. Also the club will serve a light Christmas buffet.

The club currently has 300 members. On Dec. 11, the club will complete it's final travel tour, to Houston, to attend the First Baptist Church of Houston's pageant "A Christmas Spectacular."

For additional information Salado residents may contact Heritage Club advisory Board members Martha Harper and Kay Baden.



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Artist of Month shows at banks

Roselyn Williams of Temple has recently been named the Artist of the Month by the Salado Village Artists.

Williams, a long time Belton resident was a member of the **Belton Fine Arts Association** and has been involved in the artist community for many years. Prior to living in Belton, Williams resided in Austin, where she was one of the organizers of the **Municipal Art Guild** of the City of Austin.

William's paintings can be viewed during the month of December at Peoples National Bank and First State Bank.

Demo women

Christmas lunch at Mill Creek

The **Tri-County Democratic Women** will hold their regular monthly meeting Christmas luncheon 11 a.m. Dec. 11 at the Mill Creek County Club. The luncheon will be \$12.50 per person and members are encourage to bring a guest.

Jarrell Christmas on Main Dec. 11

Christmas on Main St. in Jarrell will be held 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Dec. 11. The parade will begin at 10 a.m. and Santa will arrive at 2:30 pm.

Pictures can be taken with Santa. Arts and crafts will be for sale and a silent auction will be held. Live music, as well as a Bake Sale and Cake Walk will be part of the fun day.

Food booths will be serving tamales, chili, hot dogs beans, hot and cold drinks.

The event is sponsored by the Jarrell Business League.

Dec. 8 11:30 a.m. Lions Club meet at Mill Creek dining room.
Dec. 9-11 Sixth Annual Salado Merchants Tournament at Salado High School
Dec. 10-11 7 p.m. "A Christmas Carol" presented at Tablerock Amphitheater
Dec. 12 7 p.m. musical *Heavens Child* at the First Baptist Church
Dec. 13 6 p.m. Salado Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meet at the Salado Civic Center
Dec. 16 7 p.m. ABWA meet at Home of Wylene Williams.

Salado 4-H sets Dec. 12 meeting

The **Salado 4-H** will hold it's regular monthly meeting 3:30 pm. Dec. 12 at the high school cafetorium.

The meeting will be a combination meeting, fair entry, food drive and Christmas party.

Remember to bring canned food, money for fair entries and refreshments for the part. Don't forget you pig validation forms.

Monday Club meets Dec. 13

The **Salado Monday Club** will meet 11 a.m. Dec. 13 for their Christmas covered dish luncheon in the fellowship hall of Salado United Methodist Church.

The devotional will be presented by Jessie Merle Wallace. New officers for the 1994 year will be installed. A musical program will be presented. Members are reminded to bring a White Elephant Gift and Secret Pals will be disclosed.

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Other folks holiday giving is how some crooks make their living

by Dan Morales
Texas Attorney General

With the holiday season rapidly approaching, you probably will receive more calls and be approached by more people wanting you to give to charity. There are many good charities, but there are also unscrupulous characters seeking to take advantage of your kindness and generosity.

Many consumers do not stop to ask where their money is going or to check the credentials of the people to whom they give. However, millions of dollars are taken by phony charities that do nothing more than put your money in their pockets. When their shady practices are exposed to the public, it makes it more difficult for legitimate charities to raise money for good

causes.

Two Recent Cases

In the Dallas area, two men dressed as Catholic priests claimed that they were affiliated with the Texas Orphanage Outreach Charity, and that they were collecting money to help orphans. They operated out of the Dallas airport for months before my office received complaints from several people suspicious of their motives. Investigators from the Office of the Attorney General (OAG) went to the "priests" to get information on how the money was being spent, and they refused to answer any questions. In fact, no money had been given to any charity, and the two men were not priests.

In Houston, con artists posing as University of Houston students went door-to-door collecting money, claiming that it would be used to renovate housing for the homeless. The kids were neatly dressed, carrying clipboards and brochures. When someone asked them where the money was going, however, they did not respond. We investigated and found out that this same group ran a similar scam in North Carolina.

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Elizabeth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Schwertner of Jarrell. Alex is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Berumen of Salado.

Providing music was musician Janine Nemecek with soloist Ronnie Simek.

Attending the bride were Maid of honor Jackie Allison of Dripping Springs. Bridesmaids were: Becky Dotson, Chrissy Schwertner of Round Rock, Jennifer Berumen of Belton, Yolanda Berumen of Salado, Stacie Moss of Georgetown and Holly Crain of Austin.

The groom was attended by best man Kevin Ellis of Salado. Groomsmen were: Chano Berumen of Temple, Brian Squires of Dallas, Johnny Rocha of Salado, Pat Sloan of Salado, Rueben Limus of Salado, Mountain Finger of Salado.

The flower girls were Britany Allison of Dripping Springs and Candy Jiminez of Belton.

Ringbearer was Isaac Berumen of Salado.

Ushers were Scotty Dotson, Jason Schwertner, Richard Berumen and



Mrs. Alex Berumen

David Berumen.

The bride wore a fitted, full length, off-the-shoulder gown of white satin.

The wedding reception followed at Moravian Hall.

The couple celebrated with a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico.

Evening of song at Halley House

An evening of song, fellowship and Christmas cheer. The St. Francis Episcopal Church of Temple Choir will perform December 15 at the Halley House in Salado. The performance will begin at 7 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

Bake a Holiday Tradition

Bake with your children this holiday season and share the magic of turning butter, flour and sugar into delectable cookies. Make baking a tradition to be enjoyed year after year.

Children's baking authority, Rena Coyle, author of *My First Baking Book*, shares these tips:

- Set aside uninterrupted time just for baking. Choose a recipe that's easy, one that you feel comfortable helping your child prepare.

- Don't expect perfection. Children are apt to be a little messy, their measuring techniques a little off. Concentrate on the meaning of the time together, not the details!

- Encourage creativity — there's no right or wrong way to shape or decorate a cookie; each cookie will be one of a kind.



Lollipop Cookies

Yield: 24

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| 1 cup (2 sticks) butter | 1/2 teaspoon salt |
| 1 1/2 cups firmly packed brown sugar | 1/4 teaspoon baking soda |
| 2 eggs | 1/4 cup milk |
| 2 1/2 cups all-purpose flour | 2 1/2 cups quick oats, uncooked (not instant) |
| 2 teaspoons baking powder | Wooden sticks |
| 1 teaspoon EACH: cinnamon, nutmeg | Decorations, as desired |

Cream butter until creamy. Add sugar; beat until light and fluffy. Beat in eggs. Combine dry ingredients; add to creamed mixture alternately with milk. Stir in oats. Chill dough 1 to 2 hours for ease in handling. Preheat oven to 375°F. Roll dough into 1 1/2-inch diameter balls. Place about 3 inches apart on unbuttered cookie sheets. Insert wooden stick half way into each ball of dough. Dip a flat-bottomed glass in sugar; flatten cookies. Bake 13 to 15 minutes, or until golden. Cool slightly, then remove from cookie sheets and cool completely on wire racks. Decorate as desired. Store at room temperature in airtight container up to two weeks.

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Record

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the 1930's. "Seen lots of changes haven't you?" asked one newcomer. Answer is apropos to this piece. "Yep, and I been against every damn one of them!"

Civic Center Debt

The \$100,000 Civic Center loan that was taken out in November to help pay for the building's renovation has been reduced by \$30,000 thanks to the Old School Foundation and the Salado Chamber of Commerce. The Foundation, with money from the sale of bricks, and the Chamber with a reserve surplus teamed up to prepay two years of principal payments on the note.

This will give the Chamber some budgetary breathing room while the Foundation turns up the effort on brick selling. It is felt by all concerned that through the continued sale of the engraved bricks, that will be on permanent display in front of the old school house, and the strong pledges due in 1994 and 1995 that the entire debt can be erased within the 24 month period.

The brick sales have picked up over the past several weeks and if the goal of selling 500 bricks over the next few months can be reached and added to the pledges then the loan can be repaid with funds re-

maining to complete the furnishing of the civic center as well as erecting the permanent sign out in front of the structure. Also complete the renovation work on the second floor that had to be curtailed due to the cost over-run that occurred during the final months of construction.

We all need to buy a brick or two and finish the job that has been so wonderfully started. This building is a valuable asset to the village and is being used daily. It is in the right place, at the right time and with the right configuration of space for nearly any sort of activity large or small.

That's -30-

Scams

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Once again, no money went to charity, and these crooks simply moved from state to state.

Ask Questions!

Easy as it seems, you can get a good idea about a charity just by asking some basic questions. Who gets the money? How much of the money that they collect will actually be used for charity? Many crooks, like those described above, will refuse to answer, or will even run when questioned. If they do respond, they should be specific. Ask for the name of their organization, as well as an address and a telephone number.

Call the number. If the charity is phony, you may never get an answer, or you

may get someone's home. In that case, be suspicious! If you do get an answer, ask what percentage of donations is actually used to support charitable programs. Many reputable organizations will be able to provide annual reports. Small local charities may not be able to do that, but they may be able to give you references like the local police or a neighborhood church.

What if you Suspect Fraud?

If you suspect fraud, contact the Philanthropic Advisory Service of the Better Business Bureau at (703) 276-0100; the National Charities Information Bu-

reau at (212) 929-6300; or the nearest OAG Consumer Protection Office (locations and phone numbers are listed below).

It may take a few minutes to make that call, but if the charity is legitimate, they will appreciate your efforts to ensure that your money reaches people who really need it. And if they are legitimate, they will still be there tomorrow. Your impulse to give is important, but don't give impulsively. Take the time to make your gift count!

We're here to help. For more information on charitable solicitations, please call the nearest OAG Consumer Protection Office.

Salado Dairy Queen earns honor

Edward Watson, executive vice president of Operations for International Dairy Queen, Inc. (IDQ) announced today that the "Dairy Queen" store in Salado has earned "Dairy Queen" systems awards.

Awards are presented annually to the top Dairy Queen stores in the coun-

try. "We are proud of the hard work and dedication of the owners, managers and staff at the Salado Dairy Queen store," says Watson. "The desire to make their Dairy Queen a top performer is a credit to them. Recognizing them with these awards is a way of saying 'thank

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Holiday Facts & Fancies

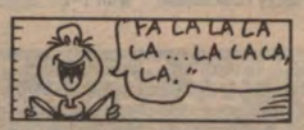
(NAPS)—Where did we get those holiday customs? The tradition of giving gifts during the holidays, for instance, probably began in ancient Rome and northern Europe. People gave each other small presents as part of their year-end celebrations.

The Christmas tree probably developed in

medieval Germany from the "Paradise Tree," a type of evergreen that was used in a popular Christmas play. By 1605, many German families decorated their homes with evergreens for Christmas, trimming the trees with fruits, nuts, lighted candles and paper roses. The fresh smell of pine thus became a part of the home atmosphere during the holidays.



In France, gifts are exchanged on New Year's day.



In France, carols are called *noëls*; in Italy, *le pastorali*; in Germany, *Weihnachtslieder*.