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Memorial Day service brings several folks

Several area residents gathered May 26 at Salado Cemetery for the Annual Memorial Day Service.

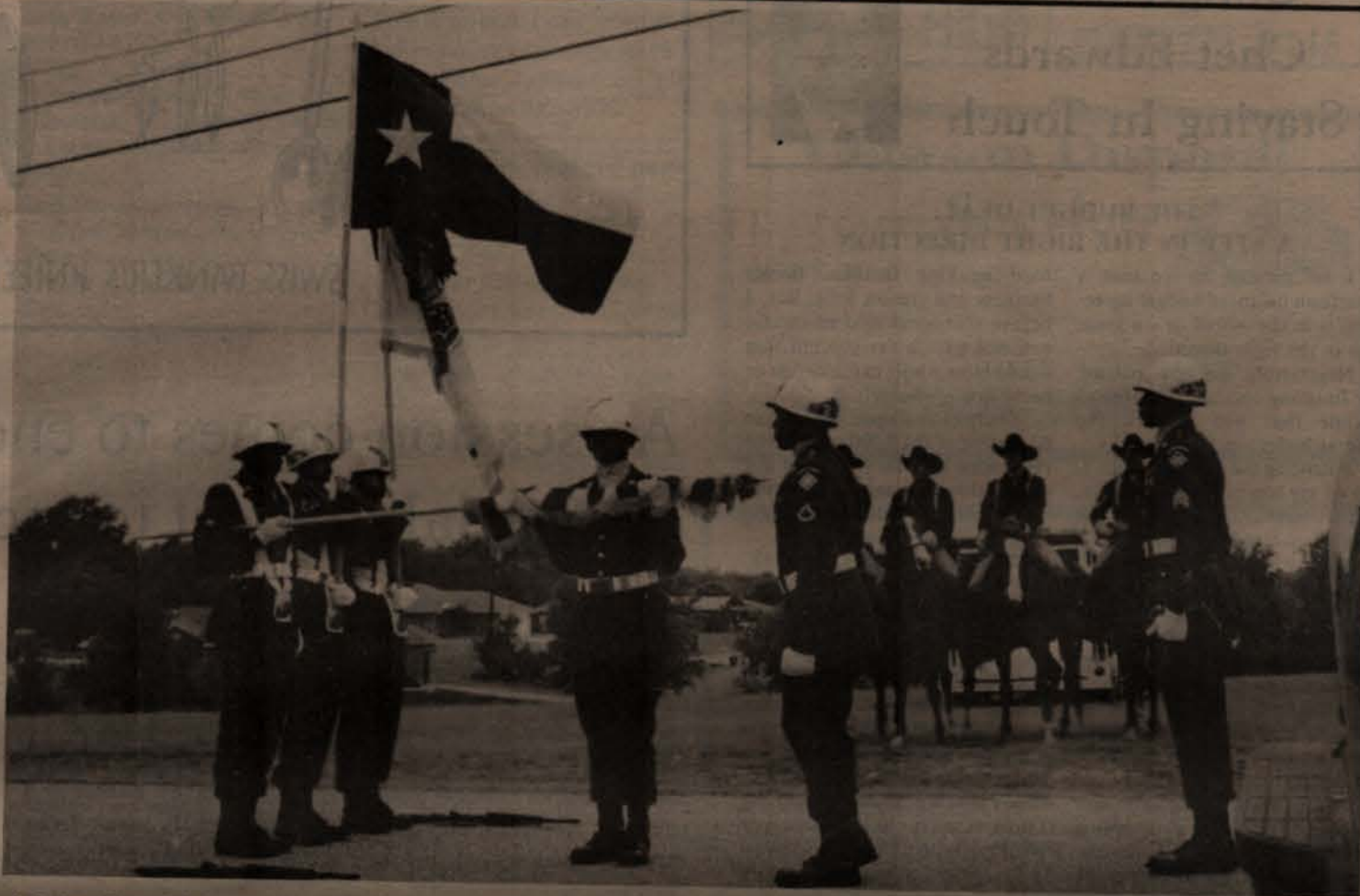
A Color Guard from Fort Hood's 4th Infantry Division posted the colors, escorted by a Horse Cavalry Detachment from the 1st Cavalry Division.

The Temple Police Department Color Guard provided a 21-gun salute.

County Commissioner, Precinct 3, Leroy Schiller played several patriotic songs on a trumpet.

A Roll Call of veterans buried in the cemetery was read by Robert M. White Camp, with the Sons of Confederate Veterans.

The event was concluded with a missing man flyover by the Cen-Tex Confederate Air Force.



A Color Guard from Ft. Hood's 4th Infantry Division posted the colors during Memorial Day Services May 26 at the Salado Cemetery on Baines. Despite the threat of rain, the ceremony drew a crowd. (photo by John Eubanks)

Town meeting on gas pumps set

Brookshire Brothers, Ltd., invites the citizens of Salado to attend a town hall meeting at 6 p.m. May 29 at the Civic Center.

The meeting will be held in the Meadows Auditorium to discuss the proposed pump 'n save gasoline outlet to be built at the Salado Plaza Shopping Center.

Youth Fair Boosters will meet June 3

The Salado Youth Fair Boosters will meet 7 p.m. June 3 at the Salado High School to organize for the upcoming school year.

Among the items on the agenda are election of officers for 1997-98 and discussion of fund raisers for 1997-98.

"If you don't show up, we'll elect you as an officer," said President Glenda Hill.

The Salado Youth Fair Boosters raised approximately \$15,000 last school year, which was used to purchase and to add-on to the purchase price of projects by Salado students making the Bell County Youth Fair Auction.

SISD receives TAAS test scores recently

Salado I.S.D. officials last week received the Commissioner's Certificate for Recognized Performance from the Texas Education Agency for Salado High School for the 1995-96 school year.

The district also received its Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) test scores for third through eighth graders and tenth graders (exit level) for the 1996-97 school year.

"The enclosed certificate(s) represents our appreciation for your continued efforts to provide excellence and equity for all children," Education Commissioner Mike Moses stated

in a letter to the district. "We recognize the many obstacles facing educators statewide, and we believe it is important to acknowledge the hard work necessary to accomplish the progress represented by this award. Our hope is to have all districts and campuses throughout Texas reach the high level your district has attained.

The certificate was awarded by the TEA and the Department of Accountability and School Accreditation.

TAAS test scores for SISD peaked in 1995-96 with a 90.0 percentile mastery average. This year, TAAS test scores

averaged 86.8 percentile mastery

Averages for the past years are 85.0 in 1995, 84.6 in 1994, and 80.2 in 1993.

Following are the test scores for Salado students, broken down by grade and area.

Grade 3: Reading, 90 percentile mastery; Math, 100 percentile mastery.

Grade 4: Reading, 81 percentile; Math, 97 percentile; Writing, 79 percentile.

Grade 5: Reading, 81 percentile; Math, 97 percentile.

Grade 6: Reading, 89 percentile; Math, 97 percentile.

Grade 7: Reading, 90 per-

centile; Math, 87 percentile.

Grade 8: Reading, 89 percentile; Math, 90 percentile; Writing, 77 percentile; Science, 83 percentile; Social Studies, 50 percentile.

Grade 10: Reading, 89 percentile; Math, 72 percentile; Writing, 91 percentile.

The overall averages for the TAAS test were 87 percentile mastery in Reading; 91.3 percentile mastery in Math and 82.3 percentile mastery in Writing.

Salado ISD Superintendent Steve Ervin said, "I am very pleased with the overall results."

Baseball team beats Wallis Brazos 15-1

by John Eubanks

The Salado Eagles defeated the Brazos High Cougars of Wallis, 15-1, in the area round of the Class 2A baseball playoffs May 24 at Belton High's Tiger Field.

The win gave the Eagles a 16-4 record entering their May 26 game against Riviera at South San Antonio High School in a regional semifinal game. The winner will advance to the regional finals at a time and place to be determined later.

Eagles lose to Riviera, 6-3

The Salado Eagles were eliminated from the Class 2A state baseball playoffs May 26 with a 6-3 loss to Riviera in a regional semifinal game played at South San Antonio High School.

The Eagles (16-5) trailed 6-1 entering the fifth inning as Riviera scored three in the first, one in the third and two in the fourth. Salado ace righthander Chris Frazier

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The game with Brazos was moved from neutral-site Caldwell because of a wet field. The game's original 1:30

Saturday afternoon start was moved to 4:30 because of rain the night before. But a mid-afternoon downpour in Caldwell

flooded the field, forcing the teams to scramble for a dryer site.

The choice was Belton, where the Eagles opened the playoffs a week before with a 10-0 win over Valley Mills at the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor's Red Murff Field.

"It was the only field we could come up with," Salado coach Melvin Bates said. "I knew it had to be awfully tough on them (Brazos), having to drive three hours. It was rain-

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FORUM

An Open Exchange of Ideas

Congressman
Chet Edwards
Staying In Touch



**THE BUDGET DEAL:
A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION**

I am pleased to see that a bipartisan balanced budget agreement is in the works. It's a great step in the right direction.

Negotiators are now putting the finishing touches on a broad outline that will balance the federal budget in five years.

Balancing the federal budget is one of my top priorities. In fact, I have consistently fought to pass a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution every year that I have served in Congress.

Although I am a deficit hawk, I do not intend to vote blindly for any plan that I have not seen and thoroughly studied.

Right now, many details of the five-year plan are missing. And as we all know, the devil's always in the details.

For instance, I need to be sure that the \$340 billion in spending cuts are fair, smart and attainable.

I need to be convinced that the budget cuts do not hit hard working families, harm children and the elderly, or undermine our strong national defense.

A tax cut is also in the works. I am all for a tax cut that helps

hard working families, boosts business and creates jobs. But, I believe that we should be careful and not pass a tax cut bill that would blow a hole in the deficit or harm our economy.

Many of you agree. More than 62 percent of the 9,000 people who responded to a survey I sent out earlier this year said they would rather see the budget balanced than have a tax cut.

While I hope we can do both, I believe that balancing the budget by responsibly reducing spending should be our first priority.

Debate on the balanced budget plan should continue through the spring. Although details are sketchy, I would very much appreciate having your views on the budget plan as it takes shape. Please take a moment to write me a note or call my Waco, Belton or Washington offices.

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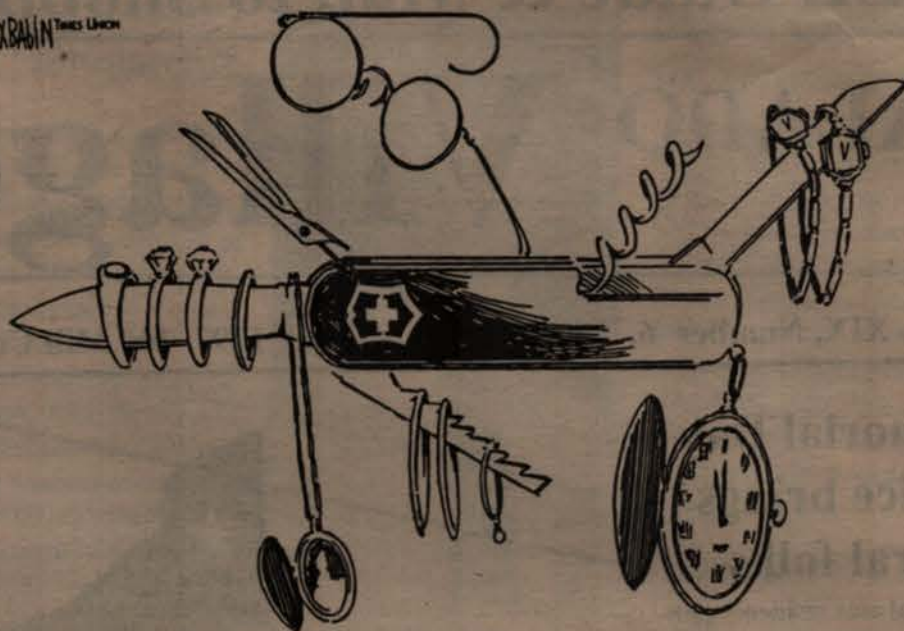
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SWISS BANKER'S KNIFE

As session comes to end, 2 items of special interest to locals remain

The 75th Texas Legislature has five days remaining before adjournment and at press time earlier this week, two bills of special interest to Saladoans were either awaiting action on the House floor or being given the last rites, as the days dwindle down to less than a "precious few".

SB 1674 (Library Taxing District) by Gonzalo Barrientos (D-Austin) is in the House Calendar Committee awaiting its turn for debate or death-by-neglect sometime between now and the "Sine Die" gavel marking the end of the regular session.

This is the piece of legislation that will, if passed, give local library leaders the right to hold an election to see if Saladoans are interested in creating a special Library District supported by up to a half cent tax added to the local sales levy on items sold in the village.

TAX REFORM DEAD

The second item of importance to everyone in Salado, and whoever else pays school property taxes throughout the State, is the news that the **infamous tax reform bill was declared dead by all members of the conference committee late last Saturday!**

The apparent winner in this battle of trying to give some aid and comfort to beleaguered taxpayers by forcing businesses to pay their fair share, was the well-connected commercial lobby along with Senators who were running away from anything smacking of new taxes or the hated hidden business income tax.

Governor Bush declared the proposed tax reform and relief plan "DEAD" in conference committee. "Amens" came from both sides as conferees wrapped

Off the Record

by Ken Clapp



up their prayer books and scuttled silently away from the scene of their crimes.

ONLY HOPE LEFT

The only ray of sunshine left from the entire session-long effort to affect property tax relief will be to put together a last minute bill that will allow the billion dollar treasury surplus to be divvied up among the 1044 school districts so that the homestead deduction can be hiked from its current \$5000 to a more realistic \$15,000.00, a net savings to Salado taxpayers of about \$130.00 per year.

According to those close to the legislative action, this plan is a "done-deal" that will need only voter approval in a constitutional amendment referendum vote in August.

Actually this relatively minor tax refund will have more "take home" dollars than either the dead House or Senate versions of the main tax reform bill, since any gain at the ad valorem side would have been quickly offset by an increase in the sales tax plus nearly a hundred pass-through taxes that had been proposed.

Strange, but effective way, to give taxpayers a break even if it did take all session to achieve!

GOVERNOR HURT?

The inside information this column reported on two weeks ago was correct in that the overall tax reform package did in fact die. What appears now to have been incorrect is the matter of a special session.

This will not happen. Governor Bush said Saturday night that it is all over and that: "We

gave it our best shot and we will just have to wait until there is greater pressure from citizens to reform the overall State school finance puzzle".

What all this will do to George The Younger's campaign for reelection, that begins this fall, is one of those imponderables at this stage of the game.

There is no question that the matter of school taxes had not risen to the level necessary to catch the undivided attention of the legislature. At least not like it did the business community who fought it hard and as it turned out - victoriously!

When all is said and done, there may not be any negative fallout for George II, especially if the new homestead deduction can be put in place, since this would provide immediate cash money - something voters can count and see and remember on election day.

DELAY'S DOPEY JUDICIAL IDEA

Texas Congressman Tom DeLay (R-Sugar Land) came up with a real head-shaker several days ago when he and a number of his fellow zealotites decided that **the way to get the attention of the federal judiciary would be to impeach a few judges.**

Not impeach them for "high crimes and misdemeanors" but for creating law through decisions that are anathema to conservatives including school desegregation/busing, prison management, abortion, and school prayer - to mention a few.

Looney DeLay is collecting the names of certain judges, particularly those appointed for life by Democratic Presidents, who have handed down

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CAPITOL COMMENT
U.S. SENATOR
KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON



*Chemical Weapons Treaty
a Flawed Document*

On April 23, Peruvian armed forces and police conducted a bold daytime raid and rescued 71 of the 72 people who for four months had been held hostage by a terrorist group in the Japanese embassy in Lima. As part of the operation, the Peruvian army used tear gas to stun the terrorists and rescue their hostages. The actions of the Peruvian forces that resulted in minimal loss of life among the hostages were quite possibly a violation of the Chemical Weapons Convention, which expressly forbids the use of riot control agents as a method of warfare. Yet the next day, the U.S. Senate voted to approve this treaty on a vote of 74 to 36. I was one of the 36 who voted against it.

We all want to stop the production of chemical weapons. America already has such a ban. But we do allow the manufacture of defensive treatments for chemical weapons and many companies make chemical products that have no relation to weapons. This treaty would allow international inspection of companies that make cleaning products, crop pesticides, insect repellents and many other products unrelated to chemical warfare.

As many as 670 companies in Texas will be directly affected by this treaty; only a handful are actually in the chemical industry. Many others use small amounts of chemicals for legal, non-military purposes. But under the CWC, they will be required to submit business information to a new U.N.-style international organization, or will have to open their property to inspections by teams of international inspectors. This is a profound departure from previous arms control treaties which were limited to military installations.

Chemical warfare is a reprehensible form of conflict. I am proud the United States is already destroying its own chemical weapons. But treaties are another matter. Neither the 1925 Geneva Protocol against chemical weapons nor the two agreements we signed with Russia are being enforced.

The Chemical Weapons Convention raises two key questions:
* Will it achieve the desired objective of ridding the world of chemical weapons? It will not. We know there are outlaw regimes producing chemical weapons, regimes that have no intention of signing or ratifying this treaty. Iraq, which makes a mockery of international agreements like the CWC, is only one example.

Worse, though, is that this treaty as written actually encourages the spread of chemical weapons technology among countries that are parties to it. Under Articles 10 and 11, law-abiding democracies such as the United States have to tell Iran how they would defend themselves against chemical weapons Iran might one day try to use against us, allowing that country to protect its weapons to offset our defenses.

* Can we determine that the other countries who have signed this treaty will honor it? We cannot. In Operation Desert Storm we defeated and then occupied Iraq with international inspectors who tore the country apart brick-by-brick to find out if Iraq had chemical weapons. This inspection is much more aggressive than anything permitted in the CWC. But the U.N. Special Commission on Iraq believes that Iraq is still hiding chemical weapons.

Virtually every senior national security expert in America has testified to Congress on the inability of the United States to verify the CWC. And it seems very far-fetched to imagine that China or Iran will be as forthcoming as we will certainly be.

This treaty once again has the United States relying on pieces of paper instead of its defenses for its security. It will increase the threat of chemical warfare and hinder our nation's ability to protect its people and interests. I believe we have made a grave mistake.

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the "most egregious" decisions (at least to the far-rightists in Congress) and from that group pick one to impeach as a warning and example to the others.

Sort of like the mother who told the teacher that the way to get her son's attention is to slap the kid sitting in the seat next to him!

All of this cuckoo-clock thinking, if we can go so far as to characterize this impeachment idea as "thinking", has brought up something new that might better serve all of us in these days of lifetime sinecures among the political class in Washington.

Why not pick out a congressman who messes up

and in a quick State recall-vote, bring him/her home? That would give us a large pool to select from (counting all the messer-uppers) and could send a signal to the others to straighten up and fly right.

At any rate it might keep them on their toes. Certainly, if they are constantly looking over their shoulder to see who is watching - they would be less likely to come up with more cockamamie ideas such as DeLay's most recent no-brainer.

READERS AT THE READY

Few days back a group of Mill Creekers were discussing

the COPs program and the slight nudge given them in this column concerning the need for everyone to financially support this important law enforcement protection program here in the Village.

The grouching, from expected sources, took on a "kill the messenger" theme which is all part of creating a weekly political column that sometimes hits home.

On the other hand, any sort of comment - positive or negative - means **what was written was read**. And that is better than "money from home" for all who profess to be writers or journalists.

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Salado's Paul Mashburn takes a swing at the ball (the blur behind his back) against Brazos in the first inning. He later hit a home run in a 15-1 win. (Photo by John Eubanks)

Eagles

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ing on us, too. The kids had to come to the fieldhouse three times."

The game was played in near-perfect conditions, with a clear sky and a light to moderate breeze -- a gorgeous night for baseball.

Salado, the visiting team, jumped out to a 2-0 lead after the first inning on David Kirk's two-out single that scored both runs.

The Cougars came back in the bottom of the inning to score their lone run, as Salado starter Chris Frazier struggled early.

After walking the first two batters he faced, Frazier struck out the next two before giving up a run-scoring single by Brazos catcher Owen Sodolak. That made it 2-1.

Salado upped its lead to 5-1 in the second inning, while sending seven batters to the plate. Eric Lopez scored on a fielder's choice by Roger Buckley, after leading off the inning with a walk.

Daniel Palmer, the fifth batter of the inning, hit a two-run double to the gap in right that brought home two more runs.

Frazier had to work out of a bases-loaded jam in the third, striking out Brazos' No. 6 hitter to end the inning. A double by Brazos pitcher Willie Granillo that inning would be the last of two hits allowed by Frazier. He finished with 10 strikeouts.

Frazier's two-hitter came on the heels of his no-hitter against Valley Mills in which he struck out 13.

He retired the last seven Brazos batters he faced, five by strikeouts. He struck out the side in the fifth inning to end the game.

Asked to assess his performance on the mound, Frazier said, "Early on I was erratic. I didn't have much velocity. I guess I warmed up a little and got back in sync. I didn't want to give up any runs and didn't

expect to."

After Frazier worked out of the bases-loaded jam in the bottom of the third, the Eagles came back in the top of the fourth to score five runs.

Salado batted around that inning, sending 10 batters to the plate. Buckley, the No. 9 hitter, led off the inning with a single to shallow left-center to set the plate for leadoff hitter Paul Mashburn.

The junior second baseman hit his third home run of the season, a shot over the left-field fence that froze the confused Brazos leftfielder in his tracks.

That made it 8-1 and forced Brazos coach Raul Garcia-Rameau to lift the righthander Granillo (12-2) in favor of John Cates

The smallish righthander with a live arm gave up three singles and a walk before getting Buckley to ground out. By then, however, the Eagles had an 11-1 lead.

Lopez and Clint Carroll had back-to-back RBI singles with two outs to bring in Salado's 10th and 11th runs of the inning.

Rightfielder Chris Michna made the defensive play of the game for Salado when he made a diving catch for the third out in the bottom of the fourth.

The Eagles then scored four more runs in the fifth, while sending seven batters to the plate.

Rusty Wasik, in only his seventh at-bat of the season, led off the inning with a hard-earned walk on a full count. Singles by David Berumen, Frazier and Chad Kiphart, plus two Brazos errors, highlighted the four-run inning as the lively Salado fans did a mini-version of the wave in the stands.

Frazier, coming off a 3-hit, 3-RBI performance against Valley Mills, managed one hit and struck out his first two times at bat.

Asked to assess his performance at the plate, he said, "Horrible."

Kirk led Salado's dozen-hit barrage, going 2-for-2 with two RBI. Palmer and Carroll each went 2-for-3. Berumen also reached base twice and was robbed of a hit in the second inning on a diving catch by the Brazos centerfielder in right-centerfield.

Salado, in one of its highest-scoring games of the season, drew five walks and took advantage of at least four Brazos errors.

Asked if his team was confident entering the game, from what it knew about Salado, a frustrated Garcia-Rameau said, "I saw them play. I felt confident. My players were ready to play."

Taking a deep breath, he added, "The key was we walked too many, and when you have a pitcher on the mound like (Frazier) ... You don't see too many pitchers in 2A like that. Not that consistent."

Bates' mood was obviously different. "We're fortunate to still be alive," he said, not taking anything for granted. "I believe in these guys and they believe in themselves. All of us feel like we can play with anyone in the state."

"I'm nervous before we play anyone in the playoffs. I knew we could play (Brazos) if we hit the ball. And we hit the ball."

FRAZIER FOOTNOTE: Chris Frazier has been selected to play in the Texas High School Baseball Coaches Association All-Star game June 27 at the Ballpark in Arlington. He will play in the game involving players in Class 3A and below. A game of players in classes 4A and 5A will also be played.

Honor rolls released for final 6 weeks for Thomas Arnold Elementary students

The following students at Thomas Arnold Elementary were named to the honor rolls for the sixth six weeks grading period.

All A Honor Roll THIRD GRADE

Jacob Brown, Wes Dowell, Kris Califano, Laura Duel, Mark Gentry, Tanner Myers, Justin Peschel, Brandi Warren, Jessica Whitmire, Jackie Drake, Mark Wilson, Garrett Askins, Grant Boston, Amanda Koiner, Lacey Bartlett, Colby Cox, Lauren Hobbs, Chris Marek, Brandon Peters, Gavin Radebough, Drake Sobehrad, Jona Traweck

FOURTH GRADE

Rachel Blodgett, Rebekah Quick, Stephen Morrell, Brittany Marks, Elise Sharum, James Gregurek, Kristen Womac

FIFTH GRADE

Amber Agee, Paige Cameron, Cale Cox, Katie Gantenbein, Nathan Grigsby, Paige Herrick, Danielle Brazier, Amy Buchanan, Leah Lankford, Lane Sobehrad, Chase Simpson, Matt Ginley, Cristo De la Hoya, Velandia Easter, Melissa Gilpin, Michelle Houston, Chris Kelley, Olivia Lara, Ben

Marsh, Luis Trujillo

SIXTH GRADE

Megan Joiner, Kasey Keller, Tabitha Lawson, Emily Lilly, Chelsea Norman, Annie Correa, Elizabeth Dachs, Kaci Fritsch, Evan Gillespie, Jamie McGregor, Kyle Salisbury, Rome Urquiza, Tiffany Young

A-B honor roll

THIRD GRADE

Stephen Fry, Brittney Harvell, Nathan Houston, Kasey Pruet, Brittney Shields, Heath Schwake, Stephen Marsh, Elizabeth Dunlap, Tiffany Easley, Cole Ewton, Hillary Goodrum, Eric Kelley, Anna Olivas, Jesse Rodriguez, Crystal Saucedo, Joshanna Washburn, Caitlin West, Lindsey Wright, Chance Coe, Brian Bates, Dakotah Buckley, Ryan Eckstrum, Jessica Howerton, Jared Quirk, Heather Stevens, Rudy Torres

FOURTH GRADE

Rachel Foster, Amanda Glaeser, Rosana Ruiz, Alexandra Taylor, Verona Wilson, Craig Jackson, Joshua Jacobsen, Jack Lucas, Rajun Owen, Joseph Timm, Krystal Carpenter, Sarah Gentry,

Brennan Joiner, Allie Radcliffe, Garth Daniel, Patrick Hernandez, Douglas Mackie, Nick Shelton, Joe Tollefson, Jenny Ewlon, Brittany Goodnight, Amanda Hoisington, Ashley Leifester, Laramie Wilson, Zac Coffman, Clayton Cook, Devon Dunn, Weldon Easley, Garrison Hennig, Joseph Shumate, Darron Sniggs

FIFTH GRADE

Adam Blevins, Justin French, Michael Harvell, Heather McLaughlin, Elizabeth Nunley, Cody Pendergarft, Shane Pipes, Tabitha Tate, Palmer Valentine, Josh Wright, Scott Bates, Randall Culp, Kim Dillon, Crystal Kinnick, Megan Roberts, Jenny Lutz, Chris Fairchild, Staci York, Matthew Brown, Evan Clements, Daniel Hendry, Mary Lee, Alicia Raley, Mallory Snelson, Amanda Tucker, Austin Epps

SIXTH GRADE

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All Year honor roll named at Elementary

The following students were named to the All Year Honor Roll at Thomas Arnold Elementary School.

THIRD GRADE

All A
Jackie Drake, Mark Wilson, Garrett Askins, Grant Boston, Lacy Bartlett, Colby Cox, Lauren Hobbs, Chris Marek, Brandon Peters, Gavin Radebough, Drake Sobehrad, Jacob Brown, Wes Dowell, Kris Califano, Laura Duel, Mark Gentry, Tanner Myers, Brandi Warren, Jessica Whitmire.

A-B
Rachel Blodgett, Amanda Glaeser, Alexandra Taylor, Craig Jackson, Krystal Carpenter, Sarah Gentry, Brennan Joiner, Brittany Marks, Allie Radcliffe, Garth Daniel, James Gregurek, Patrick Hernandez, Douglas Mackie, Nick Shelton, Joe Tollefson, Jenny Ewton, Brittani Goodnight, Amanda Hoisington, Ashley Leifester, Laramie Wilson, Kristen Womac, Clayton Cook, Devon Dunn, Garrison Hennig, Joseph Shumate

"A-B"
Scott Bates, Randall Culp, Kim Dillon, Crystal Kinnick, Megan Roberts, Evan Clements, Daniel Hendry, Mary Lee, Mallory Snelson, Justin French, Michael Harvell, Heather McLaughlin, Elizabeth Nunley, Shane Pipes, Palmer Valentine, Josh Wright

SIXTH GRADE
All As

Meagan Joiner, Kasey Keller, Tabitha Lawson, Emily Lilly, Chelsea Norman, Annie Correa, Elizabeth Dachs, Evan Gillespie, Jamie McGregor, Rome Urquiza, Tiffany Young, Jacob Brizcndine, Narissa Mohammed, Taylor Rozenboom, Peter Smith, LeAnn Whitt

"A-B"

Beau Bartlett, Aron Caballero, Brad Carter, David Faber, Stephen Hayes, Fran Ruiz, Isaac Berumen, Evan Durham, Kaci Fritsch, Cody Quirk, Brad Ray, Kyle Salisbury, Bryan Stofle, Amanda Wigley, Olga Urquiza, Shelia Arnold, Lane Wolff

"A-B"
Elizabeth Dunlap, Tiffany Easley, Cole Ewton, Hillary Goodrum, Eric Kelley, Anna Olivas, Jesse Rodriguez, Crystal Saucedo, Joshanna Washburn, Caitlin West, Chance Coe, Brian Bates, Dakota Buckely, Ryan Eckstrum, Jessica Howerton, Amanda Koiner, Jared Quirk, Heather Stevens, Rudy Torres, Jona Traweek, Stephen Fry, Nathan Houston, Justin Peschel, Kasey Pruett

FOURTH GRADE:
All A

Rebekah Quick, Stephen Morell, Elise Sharam

FIFTH GRADE:
All As

Danielle Brazier, Abby Buchanan, Leah Lankford, Lane Sobehrad, Chase Simpson, Matt Ginley, Matthew Brown, Cristo De la Hoya, Velandia Easter, Melissa Gilpin, Michelle Houston, Chris Kelley, Olivia Lara, Ben Marsh, Alicia Raley, Luis Trujillo, Amanda Tucker, Amber Agee, Paige Cameron, Cole Cox, Katie Gantenbein, Nathan Grigsby, Paige Herrick

Perfect attendance students named for 96-97

These Thomas Arnold Elementary students had Perfect Attendance during the 1996-97 school year:

FIRST GRADE:
Eric Santoya, Amy Simon, Paul Boston, Sarah Dowell, Abby Buley

SECOND GRADE:
Matthew Simon, Juan De la Hoya, Misa Jaimes, Bryan Corbett, Michelle Gilpin, Brandon Hollas, Justin Pruitt, Randy Stanley, Cheli Urquiza,

Jamie Zulauf, Jamie Burson

THIRD GRADE:
Justin Peschel, Nathan Houston, Grant Boston, Chance Coe, Eric Kelley, Jesse Rodriguez, Joshanna Washburn

FOURTH GRADE:
Rachel Blodgett, Rachel Foster, Rosana Ruiz, Matthew Johnson, Jacob Lucas, Brittany Marks, Chris Campbell, Devon Dunn, Weldon Easley, A.J. Lopez, Kristen Womac

FIFTH GRADE:
Keigan Campbell, Grant Cospier, Heather McLaughlin, Tabitha Tate, Jennifer Lutz, Kevin Santoya, Staci York, Cristo De la Hoya, Michelle Houston, Alicia Raley, Mallory Snelson, Matthew Brown.

SIXTH GRADE:
Beau Bartlett, Aron Caballero, Nathan Jackson, Fran Ruiz, Issac Berumen, Charlie Gantenbein, Evan Gillespie, Kelcie Keating, Rome Urquiza, Peter Smith, Jason Stanley.

Newcomb School of Ballet to perform Sleeping Beauty in Temple, Killeen

The Newcomb School of Ballet along with its resident company, Ballet Renee, will present a full length production of "Sleeping Beauty".

It will be performed at the Cultural Activities Center at 3011 N. Third St. in Temple. Tickets for the 2 p.m. June 1 performance are \$7 for adults and \$3 for children. Call the box office at 773-9926.

Sleeping Beauty will also be performed at the Vive Les Arts Center for the Arts at 3401 South W.S. Young Dr. in Killeen. Performance dates are 7 p.m. June 7 and 3 p.m. June 8. Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$4 for children. Call the box office at 526-9090.

The ballet is based on the story written by Charles Perrault. It was first performed

at the Maryinsky Theater in St. Petersburg, Russia on Jan. 15, 1890. Choreography is after the original by Marius Petipa with additional Choreography by Renee Gillenwater and Margaret Newcomb

The Newcomb School of Ballet provides professional training for its students as evidenced by their wide acceptance to many prestigious schools. Ten students from the school attended a national audition and were selected to attend the Joffrey Ballet's 1997 Summer Workshop to be held in San Antonio. Ballet Austin Selected 15 dancers to attend this Summer's Workshop. Dancer, Corey Scott-Gilbert was awarded a Summer-Tuition Scholarship by Ballet

Austin. Elizabeth Peppers in her third year at the Newcomb School of Ballet, auditioned and will attend the Virginia School of the Arts Summer Workshop. Karen Uphoff, who will dance the lead part of Aurora in "Sleeping Beauty." auditioned and was accepted into San Francisco Ballet's Summer Intensive, the school is the official school of the San Francisco Ballet. Karen was also accepted into the Houston Ballet Academy's Program for Summer Study. The academy is the official school of the Houston Ballet.

Saladoans involved in the performances are Alayne Fuller-Ramsden, as Lady-in-Court and Amy Scheffer, stage manager for the production.

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1997 SHS graduation

Wayne Lowery, master of the Salado Masonic Lodge, presents the Masonic Scholarship to Alisa Allen during the SHS graduation ceremonies May 22 at the Expo Center. Fifty-seven graduating seniors received diplomas. (Photo by John Eubanks)



Lions Club President looks over past year for local club, largest in district

by Jim Patterson

Salado Lions Club President

The 1996-97 Lion Year is coming to an end very soon. The 1997-98 Officers and Directors are standing by, ready to lead us forward for another year of service. Best of luck and may next year be better than ever.

I owe Thank You's to so many of you who worked extra hard during my year. I dare not begin to name individuals, for it would produce a list of about 119 names. Allow me to say THANK YOU to every member, collectively, for I know that WE ALL SERVED together, which made our past year very special. It has been an honor and privilege to serve as your president — I will never forget it.

Let's make a quick review of a few highlights during the past year:

1. Art Fair - August 3-4 - Almost 2,000 fine barbecue sandwiches sold - \$3,574 profit.
2. Lions Park Dedication: October 10 - Ft. Hood Band Concert - Great facility for our community
3. Lions Rummage Sale: October 19 - Should be better next year
4. Christmas Luncheon - December 11 - Lions' spouses looked great
5. Lions Golf Tournament - April 21 - Great fun - about \$2,700 net profit for Lion Park beautification
6. Lions Park Luncheon Meeting: April 23 - Lion Jim Naylor named recipient of the Melvin Jones Fellowship, the most coveted honor in Lionism. Presented by the Welch Family of LaMarque, Texas.
7. Annual Mystery Dinner - May 6 - Delightful evening at the Wildflower County Club in Temple, Texas
8. Still more to come: The recent report from the District 2x3 Convention held in Pales-



Lions Club president Jim Patterson is shown above during one of the meetings during his tenure at the helm.



The Salado Lions Park has been and continues to be a major project for the Salado Lions Club, the largest Club in District 2X3. (photos by John Eubanks)

tine on May 3-4 indicates that Salado Lions walked away with many honors:

- Salado Lions Club was named Number One Club in District 2x3 with the highest membership - 119 members. The District has 56 Lions Clubs with 2187 members

District 2x3 LEAD Program named: Elizabeth Boyd, Third Place Speech Contest; Chris Frazier, Third Place Essay Contest.

The Poster Contest: Robyn Womac, First Place, District and State District Governor's Appreciation Award: Jim

McCracken, Work Day Lion Camp; Bob McGhee, Work Day Lions Camp; Bob McGhee, Youth Outreach Chairman District Lion of the Year received the Tom P. Kirkham Award. The recipient of this prestigious award is a Salado Lion. Formal announcement will be made at our June 25 meeting.

The final programs of my tenure as president will be Keith Thompson, June 11, speaking on Ireland Travelog and P.I.D. Mike Butler, Installation of 1997-98 Officers and District Lion of the Year.

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The Bob Lilly Tournament was held at Wildflower Country Club and Mill Creek Country Club May 19.

Ex Longhorn part of winning golf team

A team featuring former NFL defensive lineman Diron Talbert won the May 19 Bob Lilly Celebrity Golf Classic benefitting the Temple Ronald McDonald House.

The event was held at Wildflower Country Club in Temple and Mill Creek Country Club in Salado.

Talbert, a former Texas Longhorn, played professionally for the Los Angeles (now St. Louis) Rams and the Washington Redskins. He was among several celebrities who teamed with local golfers for the 18-hole team scramble.

Winners were determined by taking the top three teams from each course. These six teams then competed in a shoot-out. Three holes were played, with two teams being

eliminated each hole.

RESULTS

First place: *Diron Talbert, Bob McEachern, Stephen Mikeska, Troy Payne, Anna Mikeska-Payne, Ray Conlan.

Second place: *Jerry Hopkins, Kenneth Kipp, Bruce Connor, Rick Carter, Ted Floca, Steve Miller.

Third place: *Ricky Thompson, Julie O'Rear, Randy O'Rear, Curtis Beard, Jerry Bawcom, Randy Mann.

Fourth place: *Kenneth Hall, Dale Peterson, Chris Bulger, Pat Hendrix, Ken Hejl, Chuck Cool.

Fifth place: *Jerry Norton, Kenny Paysee, Donn McMahan, Perry Cloud, John Nipp, Dan Case.

Sixth place: Byron Townsend, Steve Roetzel, Darrell Pena, Rick Posey, Ken

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 * -- NFL alumni

CLOSEST TO HOLE

- #4 Pat Hendrix
- #6 Jeff Kleypas
- #13 Trent Weaver
- #16 Eric Morin

Mill Creek Country Club

- #2 Jamey Secret
- #6 Jerry Pickle
- #13 Guy Weinhold
- #16 Luther Brewer

LONGEST DRIVE

Wildflower CC

- #9 Randy Mann

Mill Creek CC

- #1 Dennis Gentry

NOTES: Dennis Gentry, who won the longest drive on No. 1 at Mill Creek, is a former Baylor Bear running back who went on to play with the Chicago Bears in their heyday under coach Mike Ditka.

Postmark leads to search for town and its history

by John Eubanks

Stan Drake, the pharmacist at Village Pharmacy, is among the curious sort.

Earlier this month he received a letter which had a postmark that intrigued him to no end.

It wasn't the postmark on the front of the letter that caught his eye, but the one on the back.

From Ben Wheeler, Texas.

Considering the letter's origin was Kansas City, Mo., Stan figured the letter got diverted somehow.

But to Ben Wheeler? And who was this Ben Wheeler, who had a town named after him?

"Ever heard of Ben Wheeler, Texas?" Stan asked, after popping into the newspaper office last week.

"I think it's in the Panhandle," I told him.

Stan went on to explain about the letter and the postmark, and said he might look into it more.

In the meantime, I got out the Rand McNally Road Atlas and found that Ben Wheeler (pop. 600) was located west of Tyler in Van Zandt County, on the way to Dallas.

(It was Wheeler, Texas, that

was in the Panhandle. I believe there was a short-lived TV series in the 1980s that was set in Wheeler.)

Anyway ...

What Stan discovered, after talking to the postmaster in Ben Wheeler by the name of Jerry Ward, was that the town was named after a mail carrier who delivered mail by horseback and donkey from the Houston-Galveston area to the area east of Dallas.

Postmaster Ward told Stan that an earlier postmaster was the one who named the town in honor of Benjamin Wheeler. Ward said the post office there still serves a 324-square-mile rural area.

Ward also said the town once served as a site for teachers to come and be certified, because it had a college there.

Stan, who once lived in a town that was also named after a postmaster (the Dallas suburb of Garland), thinks it's important to learn about the past and those who came before us.

Like the Ben Wheelers of the world. The man named for Ben Wheeler, Texas. Population 600.

A place where mail is sometimes diverted on the way to its final destination.

The Salado Youth Association will hold its next meeting at 6:30 p.m. June 18 at the Civic Center.

Supporters of soccer, baseball and basketball are urged to attend.

The SYA has selected the following board members: president Billy Piper, vice president Mike Gunter, treasurer Dr. Steven Ervin and secretary Judy Marsh.

FUND-RAISER: A fundraiser will be held June 15 for Nathan Grigsby, who will participate in a PiP international tour of Australia this summer.

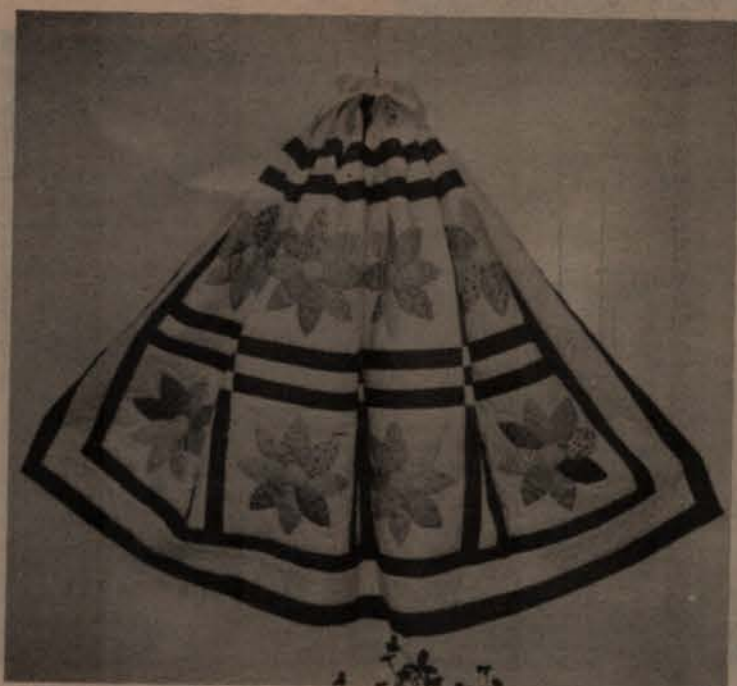
IRS workshop set

For people just starting a business, the IRS announces a free Small Business Income Tax Workshop in Austin.

The workshop runs 6-9 p.m. June 10, at Murchison Community School, 3700 North Hills Drive. The topics include recordkeeping, self-employment taxes, selecting a business structure and IRS procedures.

No reservations are required but seating is limited and admission is on a first-come, first-served basis. Reasonable arrangements for persons with disabilities will be made if requested at least two weeks in advance.

For further information, call IRS Volunteer Education Program at 512/499-5439.



The Salado Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary Quilt will be given away at the end of the Salado Art Fair Aug. 2-3. It was quilted by Wilhelmenia Friedrich and the Salado Village Quilters and will be on display in shops around the village. (photo by John Eubanks)

Auxiliary Quilt given away at Salado Art Fair Aug. 2-3

The Salado Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary quilt for 1997 is a queen size "A Dahlia Quilt" designed with beautiful pastel colored dahlias on a natural background.

This year's quilt was designed and quilted by Wilhelmenia Friedrich and the Salado Village Quilters; Sadie Lou Holland, Maurine Bluntzer, Iris McKinney, Virginia Buckman, Jo Griffith, Mary Ellen Parks and Frances Falhner.

This year's quilt began its display tour around Salado at the Salado Galleries on Memorial Weekend, May 23. This

will give everyone an opportunity to see it in full view while hanging.

Tickets for the quilt are on sale in many shops in the village. Some will display the quilt and others will have a picture of the quilt on a ticket box so everyone will have an opportunity to see this beautiful handmade quilt.

Tickets are three for \$1, and you don't have to be present to win. The drawing will be Aug. 3 at the close of the Art Fair. Questions regarding the quilt can be addressed to LaFon Ditzler, Project Chairman for Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary, 947-5792.

Salado Democrats schedule June 3 meeting at Hodge's

Salado Democrats will meet at 6:30 p.m. June 2 at the Hodge party house. All area Democrats are invited.

Aliceanne Wallace, the State Democratic Executive Committee representative, will discuss the significance of bills currently under consideration in Washington and Austin. She recently met with Congress-

man Bob Gephardt, Bill White and other ranking officials of the Democratic party.

Her talk is expected to reflect some of their ideas for the Democratic party's future in Texas. A question-and-answer session will follow.

Newcomers may call Mary Hodge (947-5290) or Billy Fuller (947-8318) for directions to the Hodge party house.

Salado art sessions set for summer at Thomas Arnold

Summer Art Exploration will be offered this summer by Tiffani Wishart at Thomas Arnold Elementary.

Session I, June 16-20, will feature drawing (media exploration using charcoal, oil pastels, drawing and colored pencils). Ages 5-8: 9:30-11:30 a.m. Ages 9-12: 1-3 p.m.

Session II, June 23-27, will feature painting (media exploration using watercolor, tempera and acrylic paints). Ages 5-8: 9:30-11:30 a.m. Ages 9-12: 1-3 p.m.

Session III, July 7-11, will feature printmaking (media exploration with collagraphs, foil and glue reliefs and print plates). Ages 5-8: 9:30-11:30 a.m. Ages 9-12: 1-3 p.m.

Cost is \$45 per session, which includes all art materials. Call 778-0434 to reserve a place.

The maximum number of students in each session is 12.

Teen Republicans

An organizational meeting for Teen-Age Republicans (TARS) will be held at 6:30 p.m. June 2 at the home of MaryBelle Brown, 1011 Whispering Oaks Drive.

Young people between 13 and 19 years of age are invited, along with their parents.

TARS groups study the political process, including local, state and national issues, along with foreign affairs and political philosophies.

Groups also help with community service projects, and enjoy a variety of social events.

TARS members will be helping with an entry in the Belton Fourth of July Parade.

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Cody Hall is shown above receiving the Spirit of Salado award given every six weeks by Compass Bank. Also shown is his father Bill Hall and Andy Vaughn, Salado branch manager. (photo by Marilyn Fleischer)

Hall named Spirit of Salado winner, earns USAA national leadership award

Cody Hall, a 1997 Salado High graduate, has been named the recipient of the Compass Bank Spirit of Salado Award. The award was established to recognize students at Salado High School for leadership, respect for others, and a willingness to serve in community/school activities. The Spirit of Salado Award is presented to one student each six weeks. Hall is the recipient for the fifth six-weeks period. His activities include varsity football, basketball and track. He is also a member of Salado FFA, Salado 4H and the Fellowship of Christian Students. Hall's honors include Senior Class Favorite, Prom King, Who's Who in American High Schools, All-American Scholar for two years, National Leadership and Service

Award, District 26-2A offensive MVP in football and the MVP for Salado high track. Hall will attend Texas A&M-Commerce on a football scholarship and plans to major in math and P.E. He is the son of Bill Hall and Patricia Fillingim. The recipient receives a \$200 savings bond, Spirit of Salado Award and his photograph displayed at the high school and bank lobby. The presentation was made by Andy Vaughn, vice president of Compass Bank-Salado. The United States Achievement Academy has announced that Cody Hall of Salado has been recognized for his achievement as a National Leadership and Service Award winner.

Hall, a recent graduate of Salado High, will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, which is published nationally. Hall is the son of Bill Hall of Salado. "Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history," said Dr. George Stevens, executive director of the United States Achievement Academy. "Certainly, United States Achievement Academy winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement." The USAA National Leadership and Service Awards provided students with many benefits and services, and is a great tribute to a student

Anglers should use more than 1 rod length for different fishing tactics

by Keith R. Warren
Texas Angler

Years ago anglers would use one rod for fishing all situations. Over the past 20 years, the development of lighter and more sensitive materials have been used to build rods. Fishermen found that one rod simply can't do the job. Changing rod lengths and actions accomplishes many things. Generally a shorter rod will increase casting accuracy. A long rod will have greater casting distance, and on long casts allows the angler to set the hook faster. Short rods are also helpful when making casts under over hanging trees and they also make it easier to manipulate the action of a lure. For the short angler, I'd stay with a rod length of 5-1/2 feet or shorter, especially when topwater fishing. This short

rod makes it easy to work any surface lure. Rod action is just as critical as rod length. Fishermen who shake a rod in the store to test its action really can't tell anything. The only way to be sure of how it feels is to put a reel on it with a casting plug that is close to the same weight as the lures you will use. Heavy action rods are stiff, while light action rods are whippy. For fishing in situations where you need maximum sensitivity and immediate hook setting power, the heavy action rod is the best choice. This is certainly what you'd want to choose when fishing with a plastic worm or jig. Spinnerbaits usually work best with a medium to heavy action rod. For topwaters and crankbaits, I recommend medium light action rods that will have a soft enough tip to slow

down the anglers reaction to the fish. If you're a catfisherman, try the new Keith's Catfishing Special. I've seen lots of fish lost due to the angler using the wrong rod. A fishing rod is a tool. By selecting the proper tool to match the fishing situation, you will increase your success. For information on All Star fishing rods, you can pick up a free product catalog at most tackle stores that sell fishing rods, or contact 1-713/855-9603. Keith Warren is the Host of The Texas Angler Television Show, which broadcasts state wide. Catch The Texas Angler locally on KWTX on Sundays at 5:30 a.m., or check local listings for airtime. You can contact The Texas Angler at 210/625-3474, or visit their website at www.txang-hoa.com.

Scott & White Centennial plans continue with 5K/10K Walk/Run in Temple May 31

Lace up your shoes, put a leash on your dog, put the baby in the stroller and the kids in the car and head to the Scott and White Centennial 5K/10K Walk for Health '97 on May 31, rain or shine. The 5K/10K walk will be kicked off with a warm-up stretch at 7:45 a.m., followed by the walk at 8 a.m.

Both the warm-up stretch and the walk will be led by Ms. Fitness USA finalist, Cathy Burton, who now works for the Scott and White Options for Health Department. Between 300 and 500 people of all ages are expected to share a morning filled with fun, family togetherness and fitness.

"The purpose of Walk for Health '97 is to encourage families to have fun together with fitness activities," said Colleen Klatt, Walk For Health director. "We want people to know that while keeping fit is important, it doesn't have to be a serious, solitary, painful experience."

According to Klatt, that's one of the reasons this will be the first year there will not be a 10K run in addition to the 5K walk, as there has been in the 15 previous years. "Since we are tying the event into the Scott and White Centennial celebration, we felt this was a good year to start a new tradition," Klatt explained. "We want to create an exciting, non-competitive environment where mom, dad, the kids, and even the family pet can enjoy a fun morning together while exercising."

REGISTRATION AND ACTIVITIES INFORMATION

Registration is now under way. Fees are \$12 per person and preregistration packets may be picked up May 28 at the Options for Health Education Center from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and May 29 and 30 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Options Learning Center, or at the preregistration on race day.

Refreshments will be available during and after the walk. All registrants will receive a T-shirt. Commemorative Centennial medals will be awarded to all walkers who cross the finish line. After the walk, there will be fun for the whole family, including free neck and shoulder massages, a humorous stress management talk, balloon hats for the kids, clowns, music and much more! Drawings for door prizes will also be held after the walk, and participants must be present to win.

Registration forms are available at Scott and White Hospital and Clinic information desks, the Options for Health Education Center, the Options for Health Learning Center and the Options for Health Fitness Center. For more information about the Walk for Health '97, call Colleen Klatt at the Options for Health Department at (254) 724-4503.

Salado Cubs hook Marlins

Salado Youth
Baseball Association

Salado Cubs 23
Florence Marlins 7

Leading hitters: Kevin Jackson 3-4, 2 HRs; Joshua Rodriguez 3-4; Mark Owens 3-4; Clinton Shilling 3-4; Travis Eddy 2-2; Matthew Ming 3-4; Gene Drake 1-1.

OTHER STANDOUTS: Marty McLaughlin, Westin

Koiner and Clayton Whitmire made numerous putouts at first base and played great defensive ball.

GAME HIGHLIGHTS: The Cubs ended the game by getting Florence out three-up, three-down.

COACHES COMMENT: "The kids are really playing great defense so far this season. The key is to know what to do with the ball when you get it and then make a play.

They're doing a great job at both. The hitting has been pretty good also."

NOTE TO COACHES: Please turn in your game forms to the newspaper in order to get your team's score and highlights into print. If need be, the forms can be dropped into the newspaper's drop-slot over the weekend. If you need a blank form, stop by the office and we'll get you one.

TSTC in Waco slates summer registration June 2 in student center on campus

Texas State Technical College in Waco will hold Registration for Summer Quarter classes from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Monday, June 2 in the Student Center.

New students can learn more about the campus and services available at TSTC's New Student Orientation noon

to 4 p.m. June 1. Classes begin June 3.

Those who plan to attend TSTC in the summer and need to apply for Financial Aid should contact the Financial Aid Office immediately at (254) 867-4814.

Texas State Technical College also offers night classes for credit toward technical de-

grees. For a schedule of day and evening classes, or for information on registration, contact the Admissions Office at (254) 867-2363 or call toll-free in Texas 1-800-792-8784.

With questions concerning testing and counseling, call or visit TSTC's Career Exploration and Counseling Center at (254) 867-3609 in the Student Center.

Texas State Technical College at Waco offers more than 40 instructional programs in critical and emerging technologies with laboratory application in all areas of the program. TSTC is the only state-supported technical college system in Texas and begins a new term every three months. For general information, call the College Relations office at 1-800-792-8784, or (254) 867-3371.

Hungry?

Methodist Youth will serve
barbecue plates to-go May 31

If you are hungry for some great barbecue, you are in luck! The United Methodist Church of Salado Youth Group will host a barbecue May 31. Plates are "to go" and may be picked up at the Church 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Tickets may be purchased from any youth group member or by calling the church at 947-5482. Cost is \$5 per plate. The money will go toward the Youth Group's summer trip.

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Familiar Faces

News of the Churches and People of our village

Baptists set Bible School

First Baptist Church of Salado invites children entering first through sixth grade to join "The Wild and Wonderful Good News Stampede".

Grab your gear and saddle up for a rip-roaring adventure. Each day includes an exciting worship rally where they will celebrate the good news of Jesus Christ! Each day will be packed full of fun Bible-learning activities, great vittles, music, and crafts.

The First Baptist Church hopes every child in the community will be a part of this great Vacation Bible School event!

"The Wild and Wonderful Good News Stampede" will be held at First Baptist Church at 210 S. Main on July 14 -18, 1997. Each day begins at 9 a.m. and ends at 11:30 am. Registration Forms will be available late June.

Church of Christ Vacation Bible School June 9-13

The Salado Church of Christ will hold Vacation Bible School 9:30-11:45 a.m. June 9-13 for children through grade 5.

The Bible lessons will be taken from the life of Jesus, particularly his parables. Activities will include story time, story application time, a computer center and drama.

There will be an opening and closing assembly each day. Refreshments will also be served.

Dempsey Stripling, church minister, asks members to invite as many children as they can.

Methodist Church plans June 23-27 VBS

All elementary children are welcome to attend the Salado United Methodist Church for Vacation Bible School 9 a.m.-noon June 23-27.

VBS is offered for children ages 3 through 12. Crafts,



Kendra Leigh Polk and Jack Coldwell Smith III Polk will wed Smith in June

Mrs. Kenith Polk and the late Mr. Kenith Polk of Whitharral, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kendra Leigh, to Jack Coldwell Smith III, son of retired Army Col. and Mrs. Jack Coldwell Smith of Salado.

The bride is a graduate of South Plains College and Texas Tech University. She is

employed by Texas Tech Health Sciences Center.

The groom is a graduate of Texas A&M University. He is a medical student attending the Texas Tech University School of Medicine.

The wedding ceremony will take place on June 28 at the First Baptist Church of Whitharral, Texas.

Jordan engaged to Pany, plan Aug. 2 wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Danny J. Jordan of Belton have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jessica Lee Jordan of College Station, to David Bart Pany of Bryan. The prospec-

tive bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David J. Pany of Salado.

The couple plans an Aug. 2 wedding at First United Methodist Church in Belton.



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Unity Church

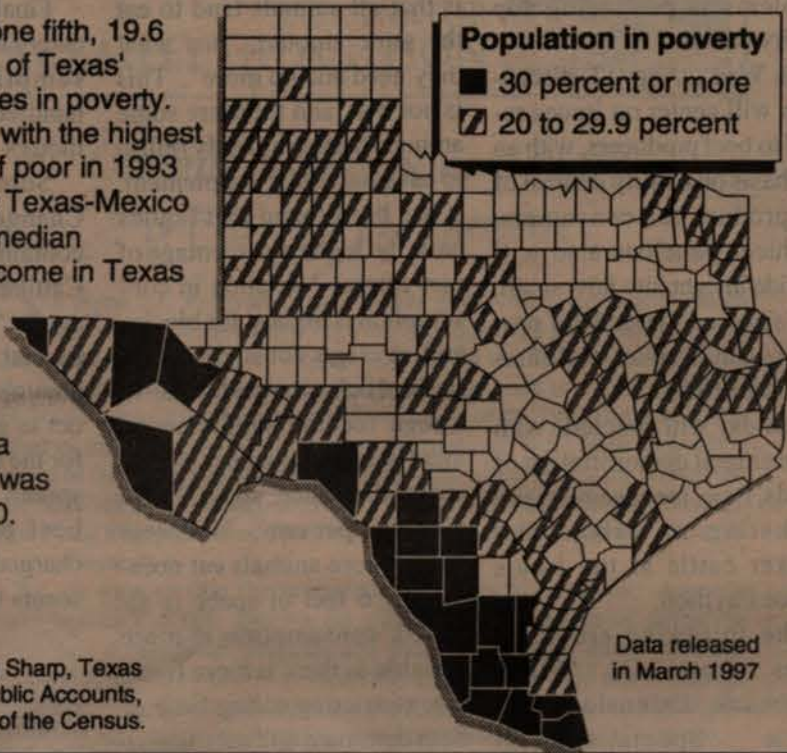
Unity Church of Temple welcomed Rev. Judy Hoelscher as guest speaker May 25 at the church located at 12 S. Main.

Rev. Ginny Henley was guest speaker at the May 18 services. "Her message of open-hearted listening and Christian caring was, as she lives it, an active sharing of God's love," according to information provided by the church.

Keeping an eye on Texas

One Texan in five lives in poverty

Close to one fifth, 19.6 percent, of Texas' population lives in poverty. The counties with the highest percentage of poor in 1993 are along the Texas-Mexico border. The median household income in Texas was \$28,803 in 1993, while the poverty threshold for a family of four was set at \$14,350.

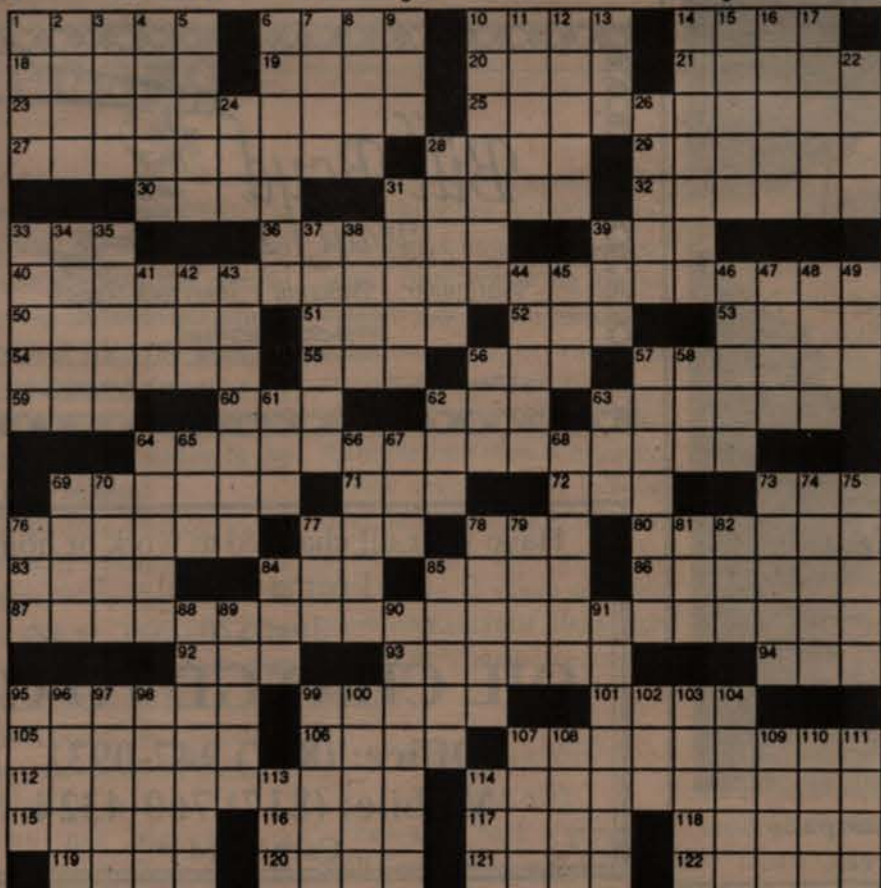


SOURCES: John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, and U.S. Bureau of the Census.

Data released in March 1997

Super Crossword

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| ACROSS | 56 Generation | 101 oblivion | 10 Theme song of Francis | 46 Industrial diamonds | 82 Traveler's haven |
| 1 A star in | 57 Ship's officer | 102 Toddlers | 11 Kind of lily | 47 Otherwise | 84 Reverential fear |
| 112 Across | 59 Draft org. | 105 Pearl of high quality | 12 Celestial hunter | 48 Requirement | 85 Brazilian dance |
| 6 Diction or faction starter | 60 French lace | 106 General region | 13 Crime prevention org. | 49 June bug | 88 One who revises |
| 10 Cpl. and sgt. | 62 Comment from | 107 Enchanting place | 14 Human being | 56 Indian mulberry | 89 Bridge position |
| 14 Hebrew lyre | 63 Shed feathers | 112 All-star film of the '30s | 15 Fountain specialties | 57 Foreshadow | 90 Lerner and Loewe musical |
| 18 Blood of the gods | 64 Film starring Gary Cooper and Helen Hayes | 114 It starred Bogart and Bergman | 16 Papal vestment | 58 City on the Danube | 91 Gatekeeper |
| 19 "East of —" | 69 Other than | 115 It might be common | 17 Versifier, to some | 61 "Diamonds — Forever" | 95 Gear teeth |
| 20 Wyatt of the West | 71 One of the "Little Women" | 116 City in unique reversal? | 22 Makes a request | 62 Peripatetic | 96 Sovereign's decree |
| 21 Andrea — | 72 Soak flax | 117 Row of seats | 24 Caesar's 506 | 63 West of Hollywood | 97 Woody, tropical vine |
| 23 Role for Bette Davis | 73 Watering place | 118 Spruces up the copy | 26 Work or worm starter | 64 State of NE India | 98 Constellation near the S. celestial pole |
| 25 Role for Katharine Hepburn | 77 Chicago "loop" trains | 120 Waste allowance | 28 Knight's gear | 65 Do an alteration job | 99 Not now |
| 27 Pirate ships | 78 Nobleman, for short | 121 Delight overwhelmingly: slang | 31 Tapestry wall hanging | 66 Martin Handford's hidden hero | 100 Goddess of peace |
| 28 Singer Guthrie | 79 "loop" trains | 122 Printer's headache | 33 Russian despots | 67 River in Germany | 102 Sphere |
| 29 Grandson of Esau | 84 Say further | DOWN | 34 Burden bearer | 68 Heavily ornamented | 103 Tippecanoe's partner? |
| 30 Washer cycle | 85 Rall bird | 1 Holes in a casting mold | 35 Conductor Taylor | 69 Indian macaque | 104 Sole of a plow |
| 31 Indo-Iranian | 86 Period of immaturity | 2 Yearn | 37 Able or skillful | 70 "— Kleine Nachtmusik" | 107 Become bankrupt |
| 32 Stair parts | 87 Starring vehicle for Monty Woolley | 3 Actress Perlman | 38 Harrow's rival | 73 Traverses with radar | 108 Confused |
| 33 Little boy | 92 One of the Stooges | 4 Rude rustics | 39 Native American | 74 Senate employees | 109 Black birds of puzzlement |
| 36 Dynamic or plastic starter | 93 Walks at a leisurely pace | 5 Ship's lowest deck | 41 Past | 75 Sound the alarm | 110 English teachers' org. |
| 39 Baseball great | 94 Concorde, for one | 6 Cherished souvenir | 42 One of the primates | 76 Likely | 111 Dare, in some areas |
| 40 Film starring Will Rogers | 95 More tranquil | 7 Jewish month | 43 Pretended courage | 77 Anglo-Saxon letter | 113 Table scrap |
| 50 Vinegar from fermented ale | 99 Place of | 8 Floral necklaces | 44 It's before letter, life or light | 78 Musical group | 114 Small coins: abbr. |
| 51 Hairy wild hog | | 9 Ultimate goal | 45 He defeated AES | 79 City on the Oka | |
| 52 Half a Broadway hit | | | | 81 Luau serving | |
| 53 Bread spread | | | | | |
| 54 1936 role for Loretta Young | | | | | |
| 55 Those in office | | | | | |



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As cotton is growing, time to limit usage of herbicides

by James M. Davis
Co. Ext. Agent

Cotton is up and growing across Central Texas and people need to limit use of hormone herbicides. I have had complaints from cotton farmers about 2,4-D damage in their cotton fields. Operators who have pastures that need spraying at this time may want to use a non-hormone herbicide such as Ally or Amber to control weeds. Most of the problems are caused by the use of ester formulations of 2,4-D. The esters are highly volatile and can drift for miles and

cause damage to susceptible crops.

Profit strategies for the latter part of this decade will be the focus of the 1997 Texas A&M Beef Cattle Shortcourse.

Training, from basic to advanced, will be offered in beef cattle production break-out seminars and workshops. The beef cattle shortcourse will begin Aug. 11 with registration.

Immediately following registration, the shortcourse begins with the Cattlemen's College - a full day of technical beef cattle production and management training. The concurrent workshops and training seminars are scheduled from 8:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

On the second day of the shortcourse, the general session and the official opening of the course begins at 8 a.m. Speakers from across the nation will address the participants during the "Raising Top Quality Calves" session. Animal scientists and successful beef cattle producers will lead

discussions related to producing top quality calves. Later, panelists will address today's problems in producing top quality calves.

On Wed., Aug. 13, discussions will center on issues related to beef producers, with an emphasis on quality control of the product for consumers. Producer panelists also will provide insight into how small, mid-sized and large beef producers can produce and market their product.

The day will conclude with a live animal demonstration of breeds, type, management and marketing of calves and stocker cattle at the Louis Pearce Pavilion.

The following are some notes from Dr. Steve Hammack, Extension Beef Cattle Specialist at Stephenville.

A research review appeared recently in the Journal of Animal Science of factors affecting intake or consumption of different types of forms of supplements, which can be im-

portant in choosing feeds. One of the stated advantages of such feeds as liquids or blocks is that all animals tend to eat the same amount, "just what they need and no more". This is not true, and there are some animals that completely refuse to eat a particular supplement. It has been found that liquids have the highest percentage of non-eaters. Variation in consumption is highest for blocks, and average consumption is farthest below target levels. In trough feeding supplements, there is an optimum per animal space allowance, about 3 running feet per cow. With less space, more animals eat nothing. If 6 feet of space is allowed, consumption is more variable as there is more fighting, restricting eating time of both dominant and submissive animals.

Another important factor is that, when fed together, yearlings eat the least, two-year-olds are intermediates, and 3-year olds and older the most. Changing supplement forms

results in an adaptation period and outright refusal to eat by some individuals.

Finally, there are fewer non-eaters and more uniform consumption with traditional handfed dry supplements, although more labor is required.

Some Things Never Change: The following was contained in the March, 1927 Cattleman magazine (70 years ago). "The trouble seems to be that we have not received enough for our finished product to give an adequate return for the cost of production. The spread between the Chicago beef price and retail price charged the ultimate consumer seems to be too great."

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Answers to Super Crossword

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Joseph Matthews

Col. John Oliver, served in the U.S. Army for 30 years. His great-great grandfathers served in every war fought by the U.S. since the Revolution.

Matthews is an honor graduate, president of the senior class, member of the student council and captain of the boys cross country team at Belton High School.

Public Library plans programs for summertime

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The programs will be at 10-11 a.m. June 10, 17 and 24 and July 1, 8 and 15.

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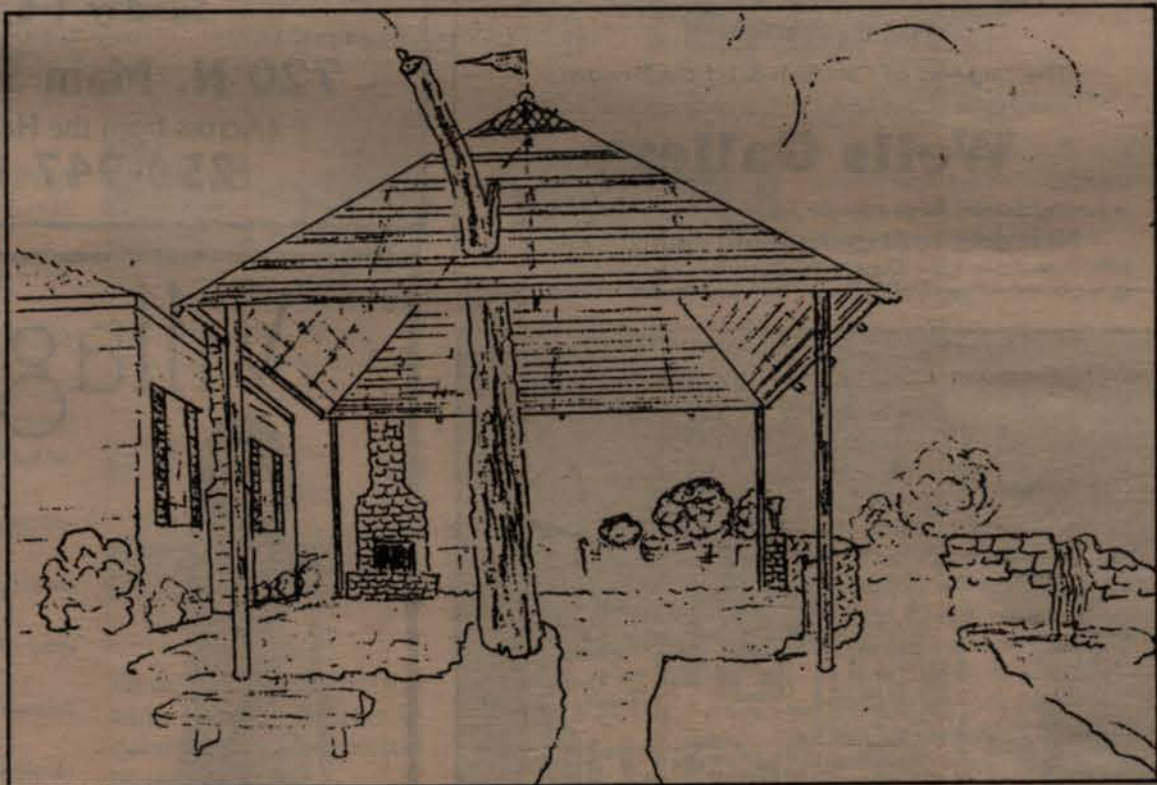
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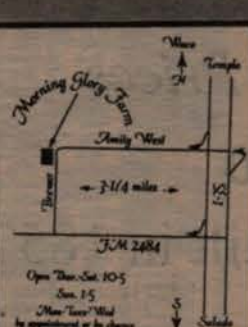
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Texas is no longer a safe haven for those who neglect child support

by **John Sharp**
Texas Comptroller

In 1983, the year before the state's child support enforcement program was transferred to the Attorney General Texas was a laughing-stock. Known as a safe haven for child support fugitives, collections that year were a meager \$18 million, and the program ranked at or near the bottom by nearly every measure among the 50 states.

Things have changed. Last year collections totaled nearly \$620 million. State lawmakers have strengthened many laws through the years. Innovative approaches have been tried, the most successful adopted. And public attitudes have shifted. The failure to pay child support is no longer socially acceptable.

This is all well and good. But for all the increased collections, the state's child support caseload has risen even further-up from 175,000 back in 1983 to more than one million today.

Meanwhile, high divorce rates and more out-of-wedlock births have produced growing numbers of children who depend on the financial support of an absent parent, usually the father. Unworked cases continue to multiply. Tracking down parents who are obligated to support their kids - but don't continue to prove difficult and costly.

And far too many children continue to do without even the basic support they deserve.

The facts are startling. Only one in every five Texas kids eligible for child support is receiving it. Many of them come

from low-income families. Two-thirds of them are living in poverty. Most of them lack health insurance, and so do more than 100,000 of their working mothers-because even if their employers offer it, they can't afford to take advantage of the offer. These mothers and their children are the first to fall into the gulf of poverty.

Moreover, the number of these children who should be but are not receiving help from their own absent parents keeps growing, too. As many as 15,000 new cases are added to the state's child support enforcement program every month.

Now, based on a package of proposals in my *Disturbing the Peace* report, state lawmakers have taken several important steps to help turn the situation around. Legislation sponsored by State Senator Chris Harris and State Representative Toby Goodman, both of Arlington, along with State Representatives Leticia Van de Putte of San Antonio and Elliott Naishtat of Austin, gives Texas new tools to send the message that no one is exempt from parental obligation.

The bill, which has been sent to the Governor for his signature, will boost the effectiveness of the child support

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program by streamlining the procedures for filing liens in local courts on the property of child support scofflaws, enhancing state technology for tracking delinquent parents, and establishing a "most-wanted" bounty program to identify publicly parents who owe child support and refuse to pay up.

Another provision will authorize the Department of Public Safety (DPS) to collect social security numbers from people applying for new driver's licenses, or renewing old ones, and by allowing DPS to then deny licenses to those who refuse to supply the information.

One of the most important provisions is a campaign called "Kids Can't Wait: Child Sup-

port Now!" to increase child support enforcement, with the goal of increasing the number of child support cases subject to court orders and to dramatically raising the amount of money collected on behalf of Texas children.

(This is adapted from State Comptroller John Sharp's *Disturbing the Peace: The Challenge of Change in Texas Gov-*

Baseball

entered the game in the fifth, the team's third pitcher.

Salado outthit Riviera 7-4 but allowed several walks. Starting pitcher Chris Michna, a sophomore, gave up three runs in the first inning on walks and two hit batters and was relieved with two outs by Roger Buckley.

ernment, his fourth comprehensive performance review of state government, available by calling 1-800-232-8927 tollfree or writing: Texas Performance Review, PO Box 13528, Austin, Texas 78711. There is a \$10 charge for the two-volume report, which is also available free of charge on the Internet at <http://www.window.state.tx.us>

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Riviera pulled away in the fourth on a two-run homer that made it 6-1.

Salado scored its first run on a Clint Carroll hit that brought home Michna. The Eagles added two runs in the sixth as Michna and Carroll teamed up again. Carroll went 3-for-3 at the plate, while Michna had two hits.

Frazier entered the game in the sixth, and Riviera "didn't touch the ball after that," coach Melvin Bates reported. "I'm disappointed in our hitting."

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State's anti-stalking laws retooled

by Dan Morales
Texas Attorney General

STALKING IS A CRIME of terror. It strikes fear into the hearts of innocent victims. Battered women are most frequently stalking victims, followed by rape survivors. It is estimated that 90% of all Americans who have been murdered by a spouse or companion were stalked before they were killed. We at the Office of the Attorney General believe that this situation is unacceptable. We believe that our state's antistalking law is meant to protect domestic violence victims and people who are being stalked by strangers. Although some types of threatening behavior were already banned by other laws (including trespassing, assault, and telephone harassment), these laws may be difficult to apply in a stalking case.

Legal Challenges

Unfortunately, like many other states, Texas has found it difficult to enact a law which protects individuals from stalking without at the same time making innocent, legal activity illegal. Last September, the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals struck down the existing law against stalking, saying it was too vague to be enforceable. The Court held that, under the old law, there was a real chance that it could inhibit the lawful exercise of free speech, such as protest marching and investigative reporting by journalists. The Court also gave instructions on how to amend the law so that it could pass constitutional muster. As a result of this ruling, between 800 and 900 stalking cases were dismissed across the state.

Legal Solutions

This spring, the Texas Legislature passed a new law against stalking. Following the guidance given by the Court of Criminal Appeals, the new law gives a clearer definition of the types of threatening behavior that constitute stalking. It says that stalking cannot simply be a string of random acts, but instead must be part of a continuing course of related conduct toward the victim. The stalker's threatening actions must create fear of bodily injury, death or property damage in the victim or in members of the victim's family or household. These actions must be such that they would create fear in any reasonable person, not just in the victim. The new law also requires that the stalker know or reasonably believe that his or her actions would be seen as threatening by the victim.

The law was broadened to cover threats against other members of the victim's household, even when they are non-family members. For example, the law now applies to threats made against a friend whom the victim stayed with for protection. This provision has been upheld by courts in other states, and is a major improvement over the old law.

Penalties for Stalking

As under the old law, stalking is a Class A misdemeanor, with a maximum penalty of one year in jail and a fine of \$4,000. A repeat offense is a 3rd Degree felony, punishable by 10 years in prison and a \$10,000 fine. If a stalking suspect is about to be released on bail, law enforcement officials must try to notify the victim in advance. In addition, a prison inmate convicted of stalking may not be granted a furlough or emergency absence.

Federal law also gives protection to victims of stalking. Under new provisions passed last year, it is now a federal crime to stalk someone across state lines. The new law also allows each state to honor protective orders issued in another state.

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According to health officials, the state's cooperative network of local EMS units, fire and police personnel, clinics and hospitals designated at varying levels of expertise in 24-hour emergency care enables most victims of life-threatening trauma to get treatment within what is known as the "golden hour."

Such prompt treatment often is the main factor between the victim's survival or death.

"The Texas Department of Health (TDH) Bureau of Emergency Management began working in 1990 on Texas' statewide trauma system," Dr. Patterson said. "Hospitals and EMS agencies constantly improve the quality of trauma care and emergency medical services throughout the state. The Texas public can be confident that no matter how serious an illness or injury may be, emergency help is available within minutes after someone calls for help, in most cases by dialing 9-1-1."

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- tell how many people may be hurt and how badly;
- tell the dispatcher the phone number you are reporting from;

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Then return to the victim or victims to await EMS. Do not attempt to move an injured victim.

Patterson said that one of the essential things anyone can do is to learn what constitutes

an emergency.

"All of us recognize an emergency situation when people are hurt in car wrecks or bone-breaking falls, or if a person collapses unconscious while clutching his chest in pain. But not all emergencies are so easily identified.

Some signs of emergencies are so subtle that a great part of the immediate danger is that nobody will take those signs seriously enough to seek emergency care.

If there is any suspicion that an injury or sudden illness is an emergency, it is best to get immediate medical help," Patterson said.

According to the American College of Emergency Physicians, the following are warning signs of a medical emergency:

- Difficult breathing, unusual shortness of breath;
- Chest or upper abdominal pain or pressure;
- Fainting;
- Sudden dizziness, weakness or change of vision;

-- Change in mental status, such as irrational behavior, confusion or difficulty in waking;

-- Sudden, severe pain anywhere in the body;

-- Bleeding that won't stop;

-- Severe or persistent vomiting;

-- Coughing or vomiting of blood;

-- Suicidal or homicidal feelings.

Besides knowing the general signs of an emergency, Dr. Patterson said that people should also use common sense and "instincts" about the severity of an injury or illness.

"Other factors, such as stressful events, pre-existing medical conditions, or abnormal behavior can signal that what otherwise might seem a minor medical problem is an emergency. In this regard, family members should know about serious health conditions among other members, and know what symptoms signal trouble," she added.



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Children perform in the play "Catfish and Little Bream" based on the book by Salado artist/writer Ronnie Wells. (Photo by Patricia Wells)

Wells deems book tour a success

by John Eubanks



Ronnie Wells and Hulda Horton, chairman of the Art Fair, pose with the Art Fair poster taken from Wells' original.

Salado artist Ronnie Wells deemed his first-ever book tour a success, after about 400 copies of his children's book, "Catfish and Little Bream" were sold during a five-day tour to Dallas and three Louisiana cities.

The tour began May 13 at a Barnes and Nobles bookstore and wound its way through Shreveport and Monroe before wrapping up May 17 in Lafayette.

About half of the books were sold in Wells' "old stomping grounds" of Monroe, an hour or so from his hometown of Jonesboro, where he and wife Patricia went to Jonesboro-Hodge High School.

While there, the Wells visited with former classmates and Ronnie's old football coach.

The stop in Lafayette, where the book was published, was perhaps the most memorable, as the Wells attended a play based on the book. The play featured several children dressed up as characters in the book.

Wells couldn't help but laugh, while relating some of the children's comments.

One 3-year-old girl dressed as a little bream, said, "All I ever wanted to be was a tree frog and now I'm not!"

"She had to settle for being a little bream," Wells said, smiling at the thought.

"One mom told me her son said it was his favorite book. He even sleeps with the book," Wells said. "It was so gratifying to hear stories like that."

Wells said the Dallas portion of the tour wasn't as publicized as it was in Louisiana. But the manager of the Dallas bookstore, who manages four

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A sixth grade student at Thomas Arnold Elementary School has been inducted into the Accelerated Reader International Reading Honor Roll for the 1996-1997 school year. The international Reading Honor Roll recognizes students who are their school's top reader in the Accelerated Reader computerized reading management program.

LeAnn Whitt, daughter of Larry and Sharon Whitt, of Salado, won induction into the International Reading Honor Roll by earning 369 reading points. Students in the Accelerated Reader program earn reading points based on the reading level and difficulty of the books they've read, and the number of questions they answer correctly on computerized book tests.

This year more than 2,000 students from schools around the world were inducted into the Honor Roll. Each student receives a personalized award certificate and bumper sticker, and has his or her name entered in Advantage Learning Sys-

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other bookstores in Dallas, plans to have Wells return later this year and appear on a morning television talk show.

The Wells have also been invited back to Monroe's Pecanland Mall, where the WaldenBooks is located, because of the book's success there.

There's also talk by the book's publisher of having a tour in cities along the Mississippi River, the route taken by the "Catfish" character in the book.

Wells, 53, is still amazed at the book's success, less than a year after being published.

"We've been doing art shows for 30 years, and this is our first book tour," he said. "This is the most gratifying thing I've done. I love kids, and to see the excitement they get from this book ...

"I can't really describe it."



LeAnn Whitt

tems' permanent record as an outstanding achiever in reading. The entire Honor Roll listing will appear in the nationally distributed newsletter *Advantage!* in September.

"More than 28,000 schools and thousands more educators are convinced of the motivational power of the Accelerated Reader. We're very proud of each student who earns a place on the Honor Roll," said Judith A. Paul, Chairman of Advantage Learning Systems, the Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., firm that publishes the learn-

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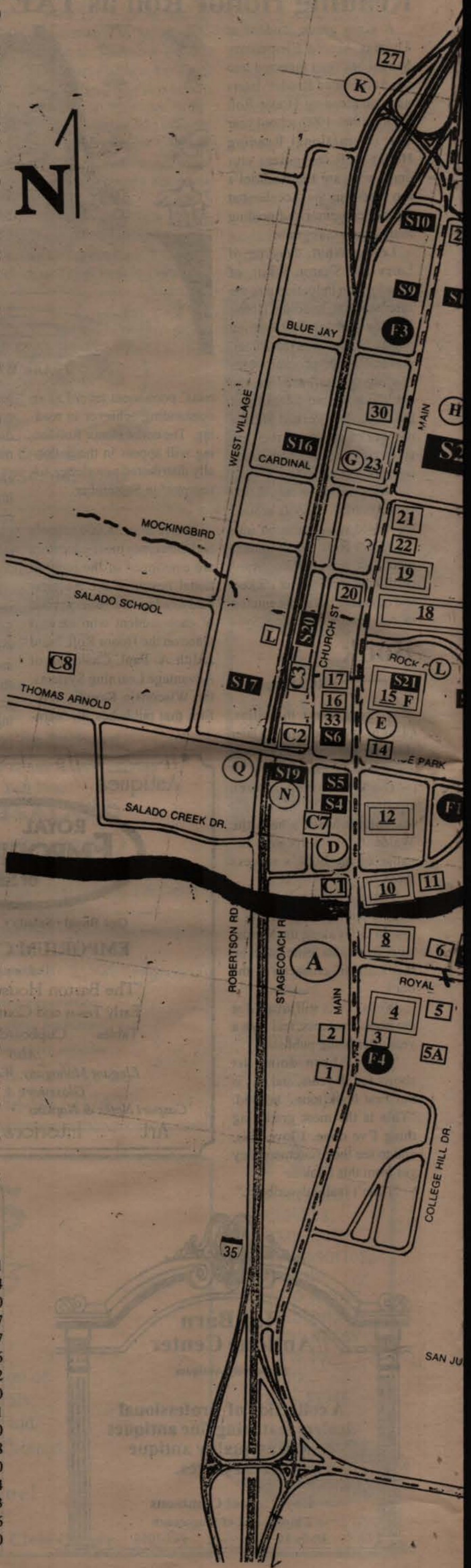
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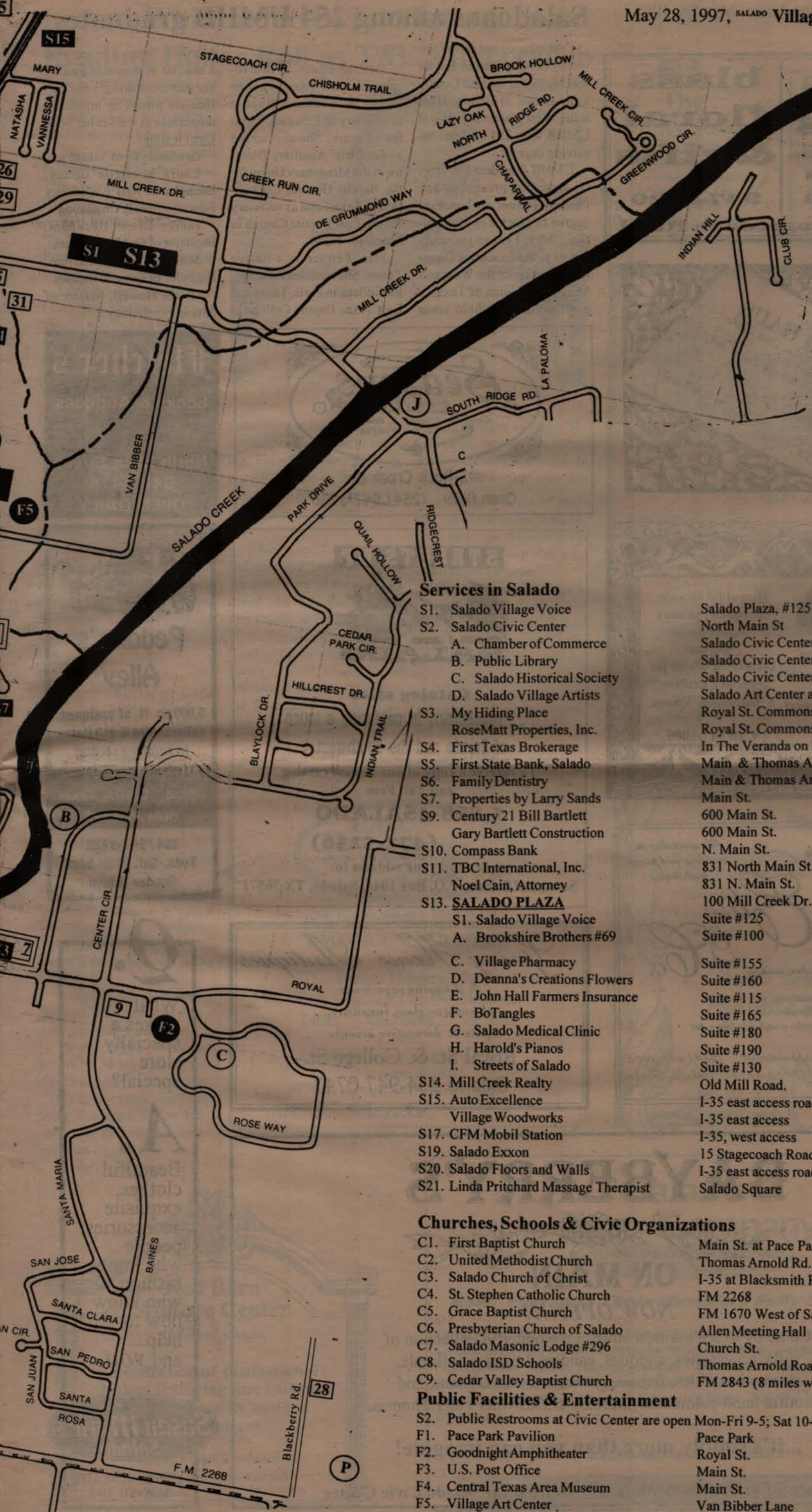
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| 1. Wells Gallery | Next to Stagecoach Inn | 254/947-0311 |
| 2. Salado Pottery | Next to Stagecoach Inn | 254/947-5935 |
| 3. Salado Galleries | Main Street | 254/947-5110 |
| 4. SHADY VILLA | Main St and Royal | |
| A. Gregory's | Shady Villa on Main St. | 254/947-5703 |
| B. Salado Country Antiques | Shady Villa on Main St. | 254/947-8363 |
| C. Sweet Nut Things | Shady Villa on Main St. | 254/947-8088 |
| 5. The Dusty Rose | Royal St. | 254/947-9215 |
| 5A. Peddlers Alley | Behind Museum off Main | 254/947-9722 |
| 6. Spring House Antiques | Royal St. | 254/947-0747 |
| 7. ROYAL STREET COMMONS | Royal St. & Center Circle | |
| A. Red Barn Antique Mall | Royal St. Commons | 254/947-1050 |
| B. Kevlin Galleries & K's Champagne Taste | | 254/9470036 |
| 8. ONE ROYAL | Royal St. at Main | |
| A. Grace Jones | One Royal | 254/947-5555 |
| B. The Royal Emporium | Main & Royal | 254/947-5718 |
| 9. Wishing Well Antiques & Things | 300 Baines St. | 254/947-1997 |
| 10. OLD MILL PLAZA | Main St. at the Creek | |
| B. Accents of Salado | Old Mill Plaza | 254/947-5908 |
| 11. The Christmas Shop | Green House on the Creek | 254/947-5561 |
| 12. CREEKSIDE CENTER | Main St. at Pace Park | |
| A. Susan Marie's Boutique | Creekside Center | 254/947-5239 |
| B. Strawberry Patch | Creekside Center | 254/947-9955 |
| C. Bundle of Joy | Creekside Center | 254/947-0609 |
| D. Prellop Fine Art Gallery | Creekside Center | 254/947-3930 |
| 14. Christy's of Salado | 300 Main St. | 254/947-0561 |
| 15. SALADO SQUARE | Main St. | |
| A. Magnolia's on the Square | Salado Square on Main St. | 254/947-0323 |
| 1. Just for Him | Magnolia's on the Square | |
| 2. Penelope's | Magnolia's on the Square | |
| 3. Papagayo | Magnolia's on the Square | |
| B. Cowgirls, Indians & Outlaws | Salado Square | 254/947-0322 |
| C. Main Street Place | Salado Square | 254/947-9908 |
| D. Another Day | Salado Square | 254/947-0300 |
| E. Barnhill-Britt Furniture | Salado Square | 254/947-3277 |
| 16. Village Boutique | N. Main St. | 254/947-9100 |
| 17. Pink Rose Tea Room & Gift Shop | N. Main St. | 254/947-9110 |
| 18. SHOPS ON ROCK CREEK | Main St. at Rock Creek Dr. | |
| A. Sir Wigglesworth | Main at Rock Creek | 254/947-8846 |
| B. Seasons of Salado | Rock Creek | 254/947-8250 |
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| 19. THE COLONY | North Main St | |
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| A. Classic Antiques & Collectibles | Heirlooms Shopping Center | |
| 22. Hutchens House | N. Main St. | 254/947-2547 |
| 23. OLD TOWN SALADO | Across from Salado Civic Center St. | |
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| B. The Gallery | Old Town Salado | 254/947-9000 |
| C. MJ's Country Corner | Old Town Salado | 254/947-8885 |
| D. Aunt Granny's | Old Town Salado | 254/947-5520 |
| E. Roti-Chef | Old Town Salado | 254/947-4797 |
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| G. Texan by Design | Old Town Salado | 254/947-4479 |
| H. Lady's Tee Box | Old Town Salado | 254/947-5597 |
| 24. Salado Antique Mall | N. Main St. | 254/947-1010 |
| A. Salado Haus | N. Main St. | 254/947-5537 |
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| 26. Olde Fowler House Antiques | N. Main St. | 254/947-0710 |
| 27. Robertson's Hams & The Choppin' Block | I-35, Exit 285 | 254/947-5562 |
| 28. Hill Country Cottage Gardens | 152 Blackberry Road | 254/947-0416 |
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| 30. Bayberry's on Main | 400 N. Main St. | |
| 31. Elise & Co. | #17 Salado PLaza Dr. | 254/947-1068 |
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| D. The Salado Mansion | Main St. | 254/947-5157 |
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| G. Cathy's Boardwalk Cafe | Old Town Salado | 254/947-8162 |
| H. Halley House Bed & Breakfast | N. Main St. | 254/947-1000 |
| J. Mill Creek Country Club | Old Mill Rd. | 254/947-5141 |
| K. Cowboy's Barbecue | I-35, west side | 254/947-5700 |
| L. The Range at the Barton House | N. Main St. | 254/947-3828 |
| N. Salado Burger King | 15 Stagecoach Rd. | 254/947-8060 |
| O. Brambley Hedge Bed & Breakfast | 1 mile east on FM 2268 | 254/947-1914 |
| P. Country Place Bed & Breakfast | 2.7 miles east on FM 2268 | 254/947-9683 |
| Q. Dairy Queen | I-35 at Thomas Arnold | 254/947-5406 |
| 17. Pink Rose Tea Room & Gift Shop | N. Main St. | 254/947-9110 |





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 - A. Chamber of Commerce
 - B. Public Library
 - C. Salado Historical Society
 - D. Salado Village Artists
 - S3. My Hiding Place
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 - S5. First State Bank, Salado
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 - D. Deanna's Creations Flowers
 - E. John Hall Farmers Insurance
 - F. BoTangles
 - G. Salado Medical Clinic
 - H. Harold's Pianos
 - I. Streets of Salado
 - S14. Mill Creek Realty
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| 831 N. Main St. | 254/947-4030 |
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| 15 Stagecoach Road | 254/947-5660 |
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| Salado Square | 254/947-HAND |

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 - C2. United Methodist Church
 - C3. Salado Church of Christ
 - C4. St. Stephen Catholic Church
 - C5. Grace Baptist Church
 - C6. Presbyterian Church of Salado
 - C7. Salado Masonic Lodge #296
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 - C9. Cedar Valley Baptist Church
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Saladoans among 254 UMHB graduates

Commencement at the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor was May 24 at the Bell County Expo Center in Belton. This is the 141st graduating class at UMHB with 254 students receiving degrees.

UMHB President Dr. Jerry G. Bawcom presented Joy Phillips Fenner an honorary degree of Doctor of Humanities. Mrs. Fenner currently serves as the Executive Director-Treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Union of Texas, a position she has held since

1981. Prior to accepting this responsibility, Mrs. Fenner served as Southern Baptist missionary in Fukuoka, Japan for 13 years. She also served as the Girls' Auxiliary Director of the Missionary Union for the Baptist General Convention of Texas, and as secretary for the First Baptist Church in Marshall, Texas.

Mrs. Fenner is a native Texan. She attended Paris Junior College in Paris, Texas and East Texas Baptist College in

Marshall, Texas. Her career as a scholar is demonstrated by her numerous articles and curriculum pieces in missions' magazines as well as her book Until It Rings.

Graduates from Salado are:
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Summertime garden list

by Ilene C. Miller
Co. Ext. Agent

Here is a garden checklist from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service to keep your landscape colorful and blooming for the summer months ahead.

1. Cut off old blossoms on spring flowering annuals such as pansies, snapdragons, stock and calendulas to prolong the flowering season.

2. Continue to fertilize roses every four to six weeks with small amounts of a high nitrogen fertilizer. Do not forget to spray susceptible roses for black spot control. Use fungicides recommended for black spot at 7-day intervals.

3. Set out plants of hybrid portulaca (Purslane) in sunny areas. Root cuttings of your favorite colors with 3-4 inch stems can be propagated by placing in moist, sandy soil.

4. It is not too late to sow directly into the soil seeds of sunflowers, zinnia, morning glory, portulaca, marigold, cosmos, periwinkle and gourds. Achimenes, cannas, dahlias and other summer flowering bulbs can also be planted in May.

5. Pinch back the terminal growth on newly-planted annuals and perennials plants. This will result in shorter, more compact, better branched plants with more flowers.

6. Plant caladium tubers, impatiens and begonias.

7. Replace or replenish mulch materials in flower beds and shrub borders to conserve moisture and reduce weak growth.

8. Allow foliage of spring flowering bulbs to mature and yellow before removing.

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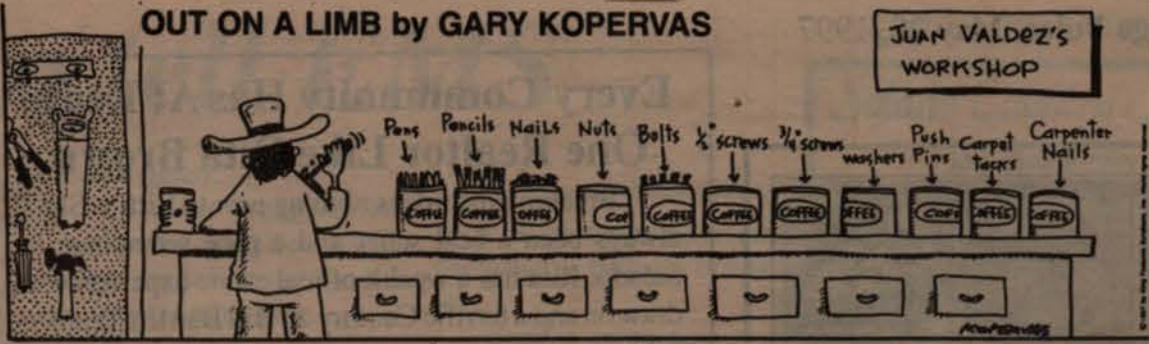
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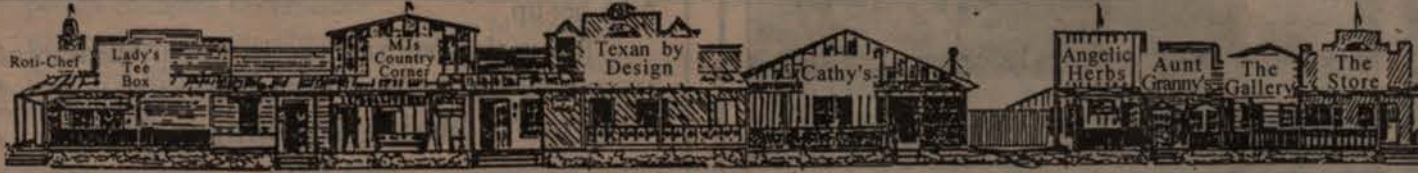


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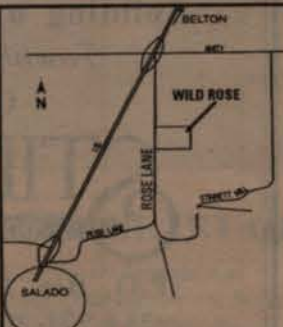
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Samantha Lee Chick was born April 15, 1997, to Darin and Debby Chick of Salado. She weighed five-and-a-half pounds and measured 19 inches long. Grandparents are Larry and Nancy Fitch of Idaho, and great grandparents are David and Ruby Durham of Dublin, Texas.

Rev. Vanderwerf a guest minister to Presbyterians

The Rev. Calvin Vanderwerf will be a guest minister at the Presbyterian Church of Salado, while the pastor, Billy P. Smith, Th.D., is recuperating from knee surgery.

Rev. Vanderwerf will be sharing the pulpit on alternating Sundays with the Rev. Marilyn Wedell-Legge of Salado. Both Vanderwerf and Wedell-Legge are ordained Presbyterian ministers.

Rev. Vanderwerf, a native of Iowa, and his wife, Sally, reside in Temple. He attended the University of Dubuque and received master's degrees in Divinity and Sacred Theology from the Dubuque Theological Seminary.

Rev. Vanderwerf served as organizing pastor for Meadowdale Presbyterian Church in Carpentersville, Ill., a suburb of Chicago, and was pastor there for eight-and-a-half years. After that, he was pastor at Bethany Presbyterian Church in Grundy Center, Iowa, for 25 1/2 years. He retired in October 1994.

Rev. Vanderwerf will be in the pulpit on June 1. The Presbyterian Church of Salado meets at 10 a.m. on Sunday mornings in Allen Hall, located on Pace Park Drive behind the Inn of Salado.

Salado residents are invited to visit the Presbyterian Church and share this worship service with the congregation.

Laura Fuhs earns degree from SWT

Cara Fuhs received a Bachelor of Science degree in elementary education from Southwest Texas State University during commencement exercises May 10 in San Marcos.

She is a member of the Golden Key and Alpha Chi honor societies, and graduated Summa Cum Laude.

Miss Fuhs is the daughter of Wanda and Larry Fuhs, and is a 1993 graduate of Salado High School.

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A '50s-style Sock Hop benefiting Families in Crisis will be at 7 p.m. June 13 at the Killeen Special Events Center.

A '50s Classic Car and Motorcycle Show will begin the festivities. Music from that era will be provided by Tony "Karaoke" Rossi.

Later in the evening there will be a special appearance by "Elvis" played by Richard Clark.

Clark is a retired sergeant major from Fort Hood, who began paying tribute to Elvis'

memory in 1993 when he was introduced to Charlie Hodge, Elvis' right-hand man.

Evans' debut as Elvis was in front of the Killeen home where Elvis lived when he was stationed at Fort Hood in the 1950s.

Clark and Rossi teamed up in 1995 and have entertained thousands of fans in Central Texas.

Many door prizes, contest and raffles will be offered. Prizes will be given for best hula hooper, Fonzie look-alike

and '50s outfit.

Prizes include leather jacket, guided fishing trip for two, gas grill, loveseat, car alarm, swivel bar stools, television, boom box, microwave, tool box, gift certificates and many more items.

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An extra large kitchen in this native stone home nestled among large live oak trees in Woods of Salado. 4 1/2 on 2.65 acres. \$159,500.

Great view of golf course & woods! Austin stone contemporary. Large deck. Parquet floors. Office. Lots of windows! \$169,821.

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20 acres, woods, FM 2484.

10 acres west of Salado, \$3,500/acre

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Golf course lots in Mill Creek.

2 acre lots Salado Heights, \$16,000.

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Wooded homesite on quiet cul-de-sac in Morgan's Point. \$4,000.

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\$194,800: Enjoy a tremendous view of Mill Creek Golf Course from the porch of this 3-2-2.

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\$275,000: Tremendous master suite opens onto deck for viewing sunset. Located in Salado's newest subdivision, this 4-2-1/2 has many amenities. Fireplace, split bedroom, cherry wood cabinets, formal and informal living and dining.



\$144,900: Construction complete on this 3-2-2 in Salado Oaks. Open concept on large tree-covered lot. Enjoy the country setting.

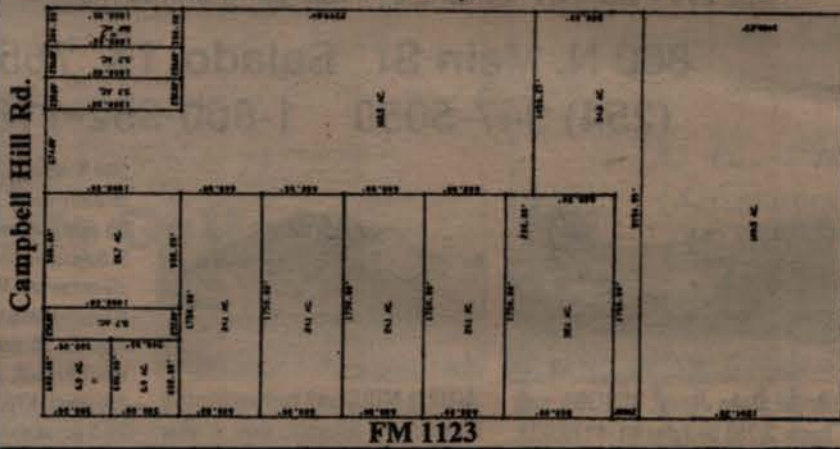
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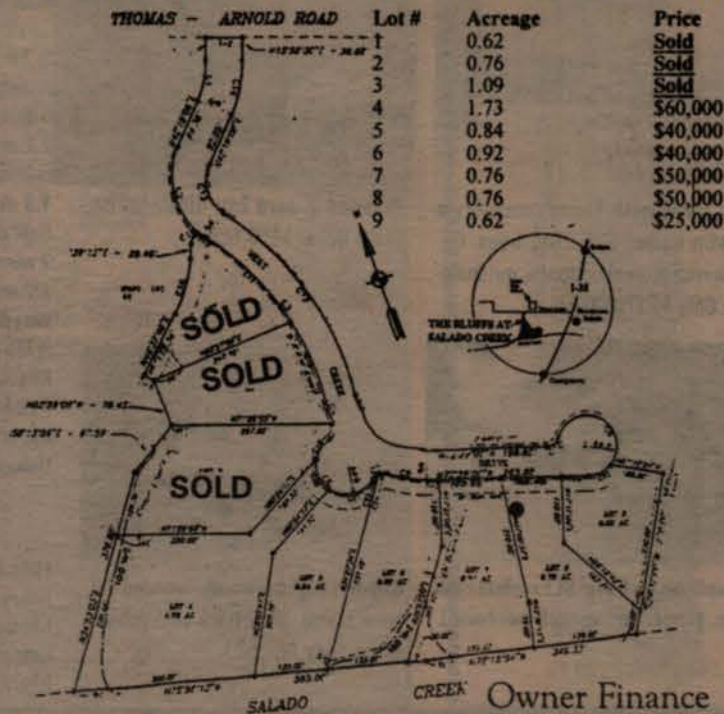
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\$139,900: Large live oak trees surround this new home in Salado Oaks. Formal and informal dining, split bedrooms.

\$192,000: Enjoy Spring while sitting on long front porch. Beautiful 4-2-2 on 8 acres. Master suite opens onto large deck with hot tub, Barn and metal fencing corral. Many trees, easy access to IH-35.

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\$139,500: Room for everybody 4-5 bedroom, 3 bathrooms. Large living and dining combo with fireplace. Lots of landscaping, garden area. Covered Patio that overlooks Bird Creek. TEMPLE.

\$137,500: Beautifully decorated. 3-2-2 with formal dining and covered patio. Split bedrooms, fireplace and built-in bookshelves.

\$95,900: Like new 3-2-2 on large lot in Salado Springs. Split bedrooms, security system, deck.

\$91,000: New construction UNDER CONTRACT².

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\$52,000: Small two bedroom frame on one acre. Currently rental property.

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Mill Creek: Two lots on Indian Trail. \$28,000.

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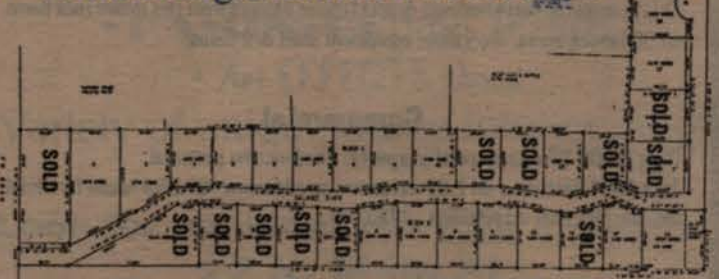
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