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## Country Place B &B Boston house on tour

Christmas Weekend Dec. 4-6, highlighted by a Country Homes Tour and Christmas Stroll throughout the Village, will entice thousands of visitors to Salado.

The Country Homes Tour will feature Country Place Bed and Breakfast Inn and the home of Paul and Mary Jean Boston.

Country Place Bed and Breakfast, located east of Salado on Holland Road, is owned by Elinor and Bob Tope. It is decorated in antiques, including several family pieces.

The two-story farmhouse is the residence of the Topes, but the Bunkhouse to the back of the home houses guests in its four rooms.

Each of the rooms is decorated with antiques according to a theme. Themes are these: Victorian, early Texas, Country, formal Tartan plaid.

Also east of Salado is the home of Paul and Mary Jean Boston. Mary Jean, a descendent of James R. Holland, for which the

named, has collected historical data and items about her great grandfather. The Boston home is built in Palladium architecture on land originally settled by her grandfather. The Bostons have decorated their home with Federal, Queen Anne, Chippendale and Empire

Among the Bostons collection is a French country armoire from the estate of J. Paul Getty.

Other homes on the tour include Buttermilk Bluff. home of Ted and Susan Edens, the Greek Revival Roden, Paulette Patrick's home at 400 Mill Creek Dr. Main St.

The Boles-Aiken log cabin which was saved by the Salado Historical Society and moved to its present site on Van Bibber Lane, will be open to the public during the week-

Salado's shops will be beautifully decorated for the Christmas holidays

small town of Holland is with white lights and over 6,000 luminaria bordering the tree-lined streets of the Village. During the annual Christmas Stroll, many shops, restaurants, galleries, and boutiques will be open late for holiday shop-

> Strolling carolers will greet shoppers and browsers all along Main St. After sunset, a live Nativity Scene will be performed by members of the First Baptist Church on Main St. at the Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus will appear throughout the village during the Stroll.

Homes Tour hours are home of Norman and Gay 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday, December 5 and 1-5 p.m. Sunday, December 6. and The Inn at Salado on Tickets are \$8 per person, \$7 in advance. To order advance tickets, call (817) 947-5718 through December 1. Proceeds from the Country Homes Tour benefit the Salado Historical Society.

> Stroll hours are 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday December 4 and Saturday December 5 and Sunday December 6.





Two homes on the Country Homes Tour are the Boston House (top) and Country Place Bed & Breakfast (bottom). Pictured above is the study of Paul and Mary Jean Boston whose home is east of Salado. Bob and Elinor Tope own the Texas farmhouse shown above whichis now Country Place Bed & Breakfast.

## Chamber awards bids for renovation

The Board of Directors of the Salado Chamber of Commerce, this past week, awarded nearly a quarter of a million dollars in contracts to the successful bidders for work that is to be done on the renovation of the old red brick school building on Main Street.

Board members approved the expenditure of \$244,524,00. That includes work on the first phase of the overall project that takes in the entire first floor renovation plus all of the infrastructural work throughout the building and all of the phase three work that includes the porch along the north and west sides of the structure.

Work is slated to begin on Nov. 30.

Bob Cottle, chairman of the Long Range Planning Committee of the Chamber that spearheaded the planning for the mammoth project, noted following the meeting: "This amount that we have approved will take care of the renovation of the first floor plus all the infrastructure for the building as well as the protective porch that is needed for our visitors and villagers who will use the center."

He continued: "When funds become available we will move on to Phase Two. which is the renovation of the second floor that includes several small meeting rooms and the assembly hall that will be complete with a kitchen and elevator."

Cottle concluded: "Phase Four includes the outside work that takes in the paving, sidewalks, landscaping and lighting. We are in hopes that we will have the money to take care of the paving and sidewalks at the same time we complete the first floor so there will be no

problem getting to the building from the parking area by the many visitors we expect will use the civic and cultural center that features the visitors center and public restrooms."

#### Funding

Chamber President Denver Mills pointed out that funding is still incomplete for the first phase that begins next week in that there is some \$6,375 in unpaid 1992 pledges outstanding and urged those involved to try hard to get those pledges in as soon as possible. "We have also asked those who

pledged some \$21,325 to be paid in 1993, to try and get those monies in during the first quarter of 1993 so we may use them to com-See Old SChool, Page 4

#### Commodities set for distribution

Government commodities will be distributed 9 a.m.-12 noon Dec. 14 at the Salado United Methodist Church. For more information, call 947-8030.

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## **FORUM**

an open exchange of ideas

## Clearcut

rated R
starring Graham Greene, Ron Lea,
Michael Hogan
Our rating: \*\*

#### by Tim Fleischer

Clearcut is shot in the very beautiful woodlands of the West. But it is not a film of beauty. It is a film of the ugliness of man.

Set in the middle of a fight between American Indians and a logging company clearcutting land, Clearcut is more about man's brutality to man than man's brutality to the environment.

Graham Greene, who has been cast in very compassionate roles in Dances with Wolves and Thunderheart, stars as Arthur, who kidnaps a manager of the logging company Bud Pickets (Michael Hogan) and the lawyer for the Indian tribe Peter McGuire (Ron Lea).

Arthur commits atrocities against Bud and challenges Peter to stop him. Clearcut quickly becomes a battle between men in which no one is the winner, including the viewer.

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## Groundbreaking for old school Nov. 30

Monday next, which will be the last day of November, at nine-o'clock in the morning, a group of villagers will gather in front of the old red brick school building on Main Street to perform a traditional act of the start-up of work - a ground breaking ceremony. Pictures will be taken. Shovels will turn some dirt. Hopefully few, if any, speeches will be made and work will begin on what once was a dream the renovation of the old building that some sixplus months later will be Salado's civic and cultural center!

It would be fun to trace the actual start-to-finish process followed by so many men and women in our community that has brought us to the actual business of renovation. Time and space precludes this as it does the naming of so many folks who took leading roles in the project.

We do know that once the school was emptied of the sights and sounds of young people as they moved to a more modern facility - the old building took on a forlorn look and seemed to cry out for help to bring life back to the once happy school house.

"It would make a good civic center" a few would comment. "Nice place for a Off the Record
by Ken Clapp
library" said

library" said others. Finally, with a few stops and starts the idea was brought before an earlier school board and almost did the venture catch fire. The school officials felt they might have to use the building again and tried later to pass bonds to restore the old structure. That measure failed. And the building once again was lonely.

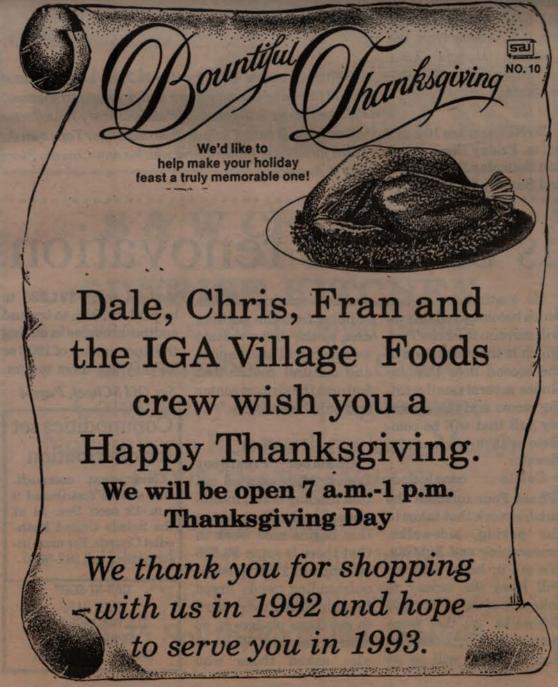
The chamber commerce's board of directors kept the idea of using the school building on the back burner year after year. Finally, it was decided by this half-civic-half business group of elected citizens - to make a full fledged feasibility study of ways and means of renovating the building so it could be used by the chamber, the visitor's center, library, Historical society area and special rooms for the various civic clubs to meet in plus a large auditorium type assembly hall complete with kitchen, elevator and most important of all-it seems - public restrooms. It took a lot of doing but the study was completed and the chamber was ready to go public with their recommendations as to a procedure on renovation and fund rais-

Atown hall meeting was held and to the pleased amazement and happiness on the part of the board of the chamber there was a vast outpouring of positive support in favor of the renovation by a large segment of the village's population. These folks not only spoke in favor of the project but put their money where their mouth was and is yet to-

A lot of starts and stops have been made since this dream of renovation first began. Hours of planning and thinking and rethinking have taken place. And this is probably normal for a project of this magnitude. But at 9 a.m., Nov. 30, a real step forward will take place and within a few months we will have our civic and cultural center that will be something to brag about - not to mention how relieved our visitors will be when they visit the building.

There are always a few actually very few in most cases - who are willing to step out front and take on leadership roles in any community. And thank goodness for them. Without such good leadership the parade of events would go in circles and wither. We salute our Salado leaders and thank them for suffering-attimes-the slings and arrows of those whose role in life appears to be that of being a live hard working curmudgeons.

To all who had a positive part in the renovation project of the old school building - we salute you. You make Salado a better place in which to live. You spend your time making things a lot more pleasant for the rest of us. So we thank you and praise you and hope your tribe increases so our future will always be bright.





### Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

At last week's meeting of the Texas High speed rail authority, I moved against extending the Dec. 31 funding deadline for Texas TGV to have \$30 million in cash and \$140 million in equity commitments. However, by a vote of 5-3, my motion was defeated, and a one-year extension was later approved 5-4.

I led the effort and voted against the extension, because Texas TGV has neither a strong record of performance nor reliability on this project. It has failed consistently to perform. It has not met any of its deadlines, and it has shown itself repeatedly to be untrustworthy.

As far as I am concerned, Texas TGV's re-

questing an extension is a serious breach of confidence and good faith. The franchise agreement was negotiated with full understanding from all parties involved; and in 1991, a part-owner and spokesman for Texas TGV, former Lt. Governor Ben Barnes, stated that they could raise the \$170 million nine months ahead of schedule. Now, they once again demonstrated their disregard for the commitments they made to the Authority and the people of Texas.

I believe the entire ques-

Sincerely **Bob Krueger** Railroad Commissioner

tion of high speed rail should be revisited by the Texas Legislature next

## Calendar of Events

Dec. 4-5 Country Club Christmas Weekend Chamber of Commerce Creek Community Asso-Christmas Stroll and Sal- ciation Christmas Party ado Historical Society Mill Creek Country Club Tour Of Homes.

mas by Candlelight in old rectors at the high school Salado 3 p.m. at the Central Texas Area Museum

Dec. 7 Grace Jones Wylene Wiliams home Style Show at Mill Creek

Dec. 13 7 p.m. Mill

Dec. 14 6 p.m. Chamber Dec. 5 Annual Christ- of Commerce Board of Di-

> Dec. 17 ABWA Christmas Party 6:30 p.m. at



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## First Hand

## Handling family stress at home

by Steven Ervin Salado ISD Supt.

No one said parenting was going to be easy. The best of parents become frustrated, stressed and yes, even angry. Negative emotion can reduce your effectiveness as a parent, spouse and friend. Fortunately you can take steps to deal with the stress caused by the "little angels" in your life.

- 1. Learn to release anger by doing something physical, such as exercise or doing a vigorous house project.
- 2. Remove yourself from stressful situations until you feel in control of your emotions.
- 3. Do something to take charge of the situation. For example, if you feel that

someone is manipulating you, tell them so by using "I" messages.

- 4. Try a new way of handling the situation. rather than yelling, express your feelings to the other person, take a break from the children, learn to delegate work.
- 5. Develop relaxation techniques.
- 6. Prioritize tasks and focus on those that must get done.
- 7. Make a list of those events that cause you stress. classify the events as those that can and cannot be changed.
- 8. Cultivate a positive mental attitude. Smile, sit up straight, walk briskly. Research has shown that behavior can affect moods.
- 9. Know and accept your

own limitations, physically, mentally and emotionally.

10. Reorganize your daily schedule to provide time for rest or personal activities. Take control of your schedule.

11. Recognize that there may be times when you need help and support. develop a support network of family, friends, and health professional to draw upon.

Stress is a part of every parent's life. Handled in a positive a way, stress can become a source of personal growth. Parenting is an inherently stressful occupation and learning coping strategies can help you become a more effective parent.

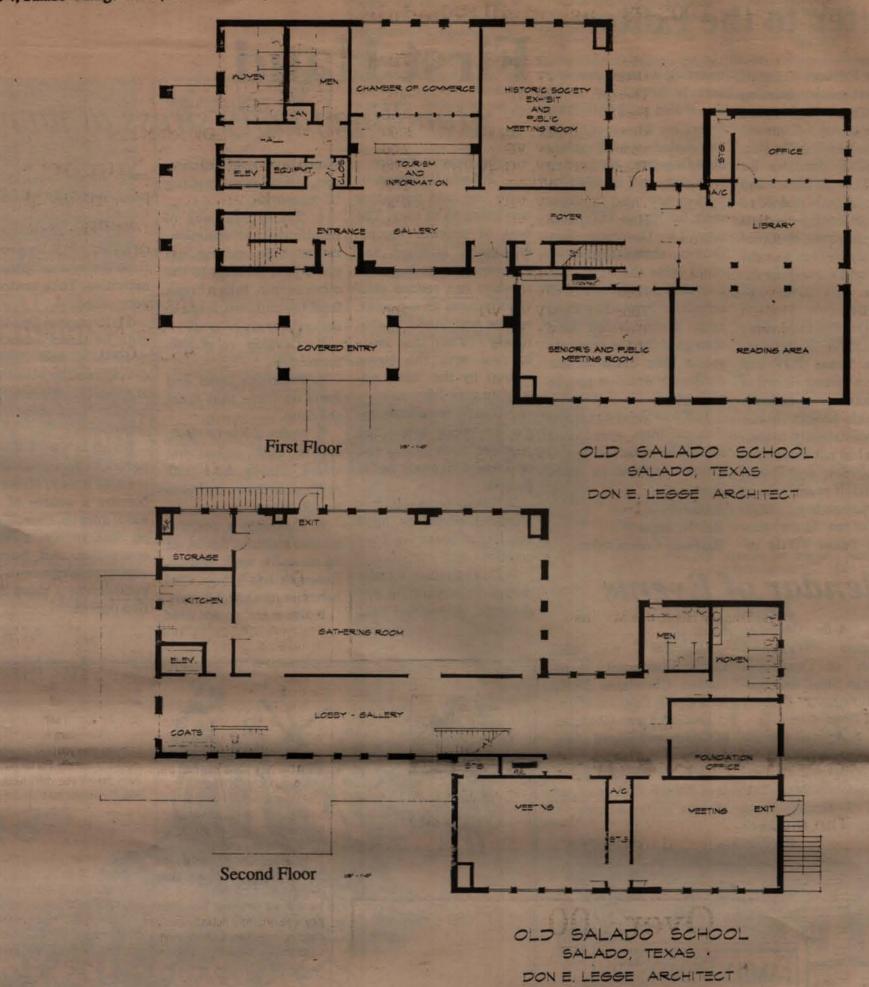


through this year. We want to thank you for your words of praise, which mean more more than you know, and your words of criticism, which are lessons learned. We are truly grateful for your support in the past and invite you to become a part of our future.

We will be closed Thursday, Nov. 26 in observance of Thanksgiving. Our office will reopen 10 a.m. Nov. 27. Friday deadlines will apply for the Dec. 2 issue.

Salado Village Voice

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### **Old School**

plete payment of the initial renovation phase as it is finished during the early months of the new year." Mills noted.

#### Continued Need For Funds

It is hoped that a combination of further pledges, fundraising events and grants will be forthcoming during the coming year so that the entire project can be completed during 1993.

day operation of the civic and cultural center when it is completed will be the trustees of the Old Salado School Foundation. OSSF President Stewart Smith noted this past week: "Plans are well underway to highlight the start of can be fully utilized. construction on Nov. 30, Architects and Liaison with a ground breaking ceremony and although m it will mark the culmination of hard work accomplished by so many Saladoans. We hope that many will come by the renovation site at 9 a.m. Nov. 30 to observe the start-up of the work to be done on the old school building that will result in a useful and fine looking civic and cultural center that we will all be proud of in the years ahead."

Smith also added his hopes that the additional funds needed to complete the project will be quickly secured so the momentum in progress will not be lost and thus delay the day when the entire building - FROM Page 1

Don Legge and Associates are the architects for this will be a short pro- the project with Mike Marrs, well known Temple architect to supervise the overall renovation on a day to day basis. The plan calls for an on-site construction foreman to supervise the actual subcontract work.

> Susie Epps, outgoing member of the chamber board and herself an architect, has agreed to serve as chairman of the Liaison team that will work with both the architect/construction supervisors and the Chamber/Foundation in order to more quickly and efficiently resolve any questions or problems that might arise during renova-

#### School Renovation Project Funding

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Cash on Deposit	\$125,373.88
Approved Bank Loan on Standby	\$100,000.00
Sub Total	\$225,373.88
1992 Pledges (unpaid)	\$ 6,375.00
1993 Pledges	\$ 21,325.00
Total	\$253,073.88
Amount need to complete the balance	
of renovation	\$132,450.12
Total funds for project in-hand,	
pledged or still needed	\$385,524.00

### Costs of Renovation

\$244,524.00*
\$112,000.00
\$ 29,000.00
\$385,524.00

#### Salado Eagles 1992-93 Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	Teams	Time
Nov. 17	Moody	Here	JV,VB,	6:00
	Bartlett	There	JV, VG	5:00
Nov. 20	Holland	Here	JV, VG, VB	5:00
Nov. 24	Jarrell	Here	JV, VB, VG	5:00
Nov. 25	Troy	There	JV, VG	2:00
Dec. 1	Crawford	There	JV, VG, JV,VB	4:00
Dec. 3-5	Academy Tourna	ment	VG, VB	TBA
Dec. 8	Moody	There	JV, VB	6:00
	Bartlett	Here	JV, VG	5:00
Dec. 10-12	Salado Tourname	ent	VG, VB	TBA
Dec. 15	Jarrell	There	JV,VB, VG	5:00
Dec. 28-30	Troy Tournament	Jan 20 4 3 E	VB	TBA
Jan. 2	Lago Vista	Here	JV, VG	4:00
Jan. 5	Holland	There	JV,VB, VG	5:00
Jan. 8	Moody	There	JV, VB	6:00
	*Hutto	Here	JV, VG	6:00
Jan. 12	*Thorndale	There	JV, VG	6:00
Jan. 15	*Lexington	Here	JV, VB, VG	5:00
Jan. 16	Holland Tournam	ent	JVG, JVB	TBA
Jan. 19	*Liberty Hill ,	Here	JV, VG, VB	5:00
Jan. 22	*Florence	There	JVB, VB, VG	5:00
Jan. 26	*Hutto	There	JV, VG, VB	5:00
Jan. 29	*Thorndale	Here	JV, VB, VG	5:00
Feb. 2	*Lexington	There	JV, VG, VB	5:00
Feb. 5	*Liberty Hill	There	JV, VB, VG	5:00
Feb. 9	*Florence	Here	JV, VG, VB	5:00
Feb. 12	*Hutto	Here	JV, VB	6:00
Feb. 16	*Thorndale	There	JV, VB	6:00
*District Ga	mes			

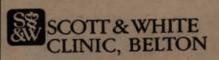
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Saving for a child's education has become an icon of American family life. However, today's parents need to be aware that "saving," in the old-fashioned sense of the word, is probably not enough to afford the tuitions of the future.

The college board estimates that college costs will rise between 5-1/2% to 7% annually. Any money "tucked away" in your basic savings account, which currently yields less than 5%, will have to fight just to keep up, much less grow. Parents of the 90s must develop a concept of active college "investing" in order to provide the higher yields they'll need.

When you approach the idea, get rid of any inclination to delay. Many couples with young children assume the task will be easier later, when they'reearming more. But as the family matures, expenses such as mortgages and car payments usually increase overall indebtedness. As a general rule, the earlier you start investing, the better.

If you begin putting aside \$75 a month when your child is three, at a 5% compounded growth rate, you will have saved \$20,000 by college with only \$13,500 out of pocket. However, if you wait until that child is 15, you must put aside \$514 a month to accumulate the same amount. That increases your out-of-pocket contribution to \$18,504.

Having decided to begin, you must know where to put your money. The following three categories are good starting points.

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Mike Miller

\$300 for a bond with a \$1,000 face value. Your return is the difference between what you paid and what you receive at maturity. For tax purposes, even though you don't receive the money until the bond matures, you must pay taxes on the interest earned each year. Certain zero coupons, like zero municipal bonds, are free from federal and sometimes state taxes (although certain issues may be subject to the alternative minimum tax).

Quality growth stocks are usually a good investment idea for building an education fund. They offer the potential for good appreciation and often produce very little taxable income, since the companies place earnings into expansion rather than paying large dividends. Of course, you would have to pay taxes on the stock's increased value when you sell it.

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Pete Creasey during his years at Baylor University (from a newspaper clipping).

# Saladoan Pete Creasey named to Baylor University Hall of Fame

Earl Lacy (Pete) Creasey of Salado will be inducted into the Baylor University Hall of Fame and presented with a placque at the annual Football Banquet at Ferrell Center in Waco on Dec. 11.

Inductions into this select group began in 1960 to recognize and honor those persons whose participation and contributions have enriched strengthened the athletic program of Baylor University, to provide an enduring memorial to sportsmanship and competitive spirit, and to preserve for posterity the memories of those whose athletic endeavors have brought fame and glory to Baylor University. With the induction of Creasey and three others, Rick Th-



Pete Creasey of Salado

ompson, Walter Abercrombie and Todd Harbour, there will be a total of 95 members of the Baylor Hall of Fame which is housed in the Lettermen's Lounge at Floyd Casey Stadium in Waco.

Pete Creasey earned three letters in Baylor basketball in 1938, 1939 and 1940, receiving All-

Conference honors in 1939, and rated by some opponents as the toughest guard they ever palved against. He was captiain of his team for the 1938/39 season and chosen by the Southwest Conference coaches for the All-SWC teams in 1939 and 1940. Creasey also lettered in track three years in Baylor where, on two occasions, he tied for first place in the High Jump at the conference meets in 1938 and 1940. Creasey is retired from Occidental Oil Co. He and his wife, Jimmy, live in Salado.

Ricky Thompson of Waco was a track and football letterman at Baylor University in the 1970's and had seven years in the NFL with the Baltimore Colts and Washington Redskins. Thompson is senior vice-president of First National Bank of Waco.

Todd Harbour, a four year Track Letterman in the late 1970's and early 1980's was the Southwest Conference champion all four years in the 1500 meter run as well as winning the 5000 meter run in 1981, three indoor championships, the 1000 yard run in 1979 and twice winning the one mile run in 1980 and 1981. Harbour is a coach in Riesel, Texas.

Walter Abercrombie, all all-time great running back, was a four year football letterman who still holds Baylor records for the most career rushes and most yards rushing for a single game, for one season and for a career. He went on to play professional football for Pittsburgh and now is employed by Baylor

# Grace Jones style show Dec. 7 here

The Dec. 7, Grace Jones
Fashions Show presented
to the Salado Chamber of
Commerce Auxiliary is
given by Jones as a gift in
gratitude and recognition
of the Auxiliary's long
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enhance the community.

The luncheon at the Mill Creek Country Club will begin at 11:30 and the style show will follow. Tickets are available by calling Anna Holt 947-5788.

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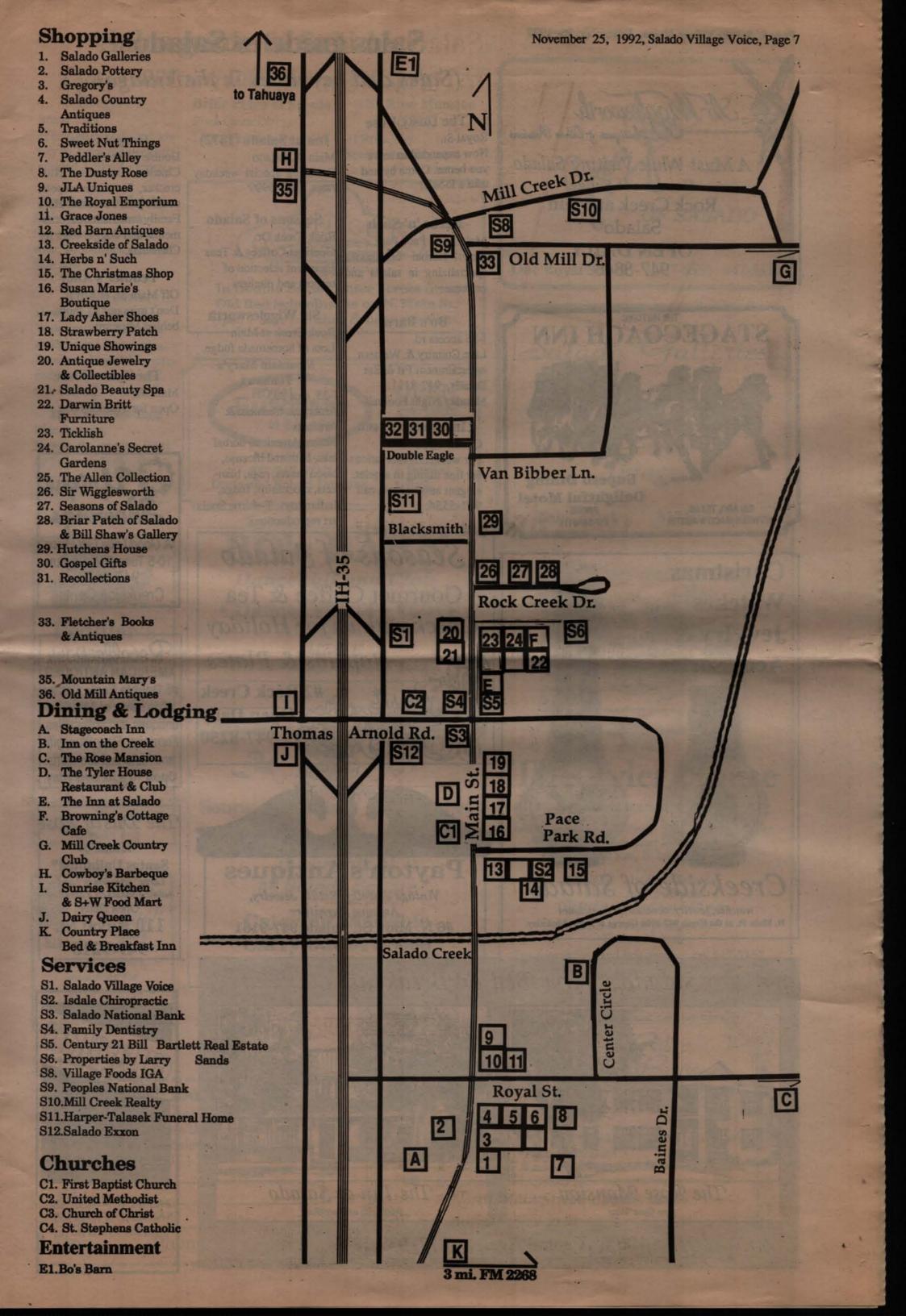




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## Sales guide to Salado

(Sales and new lines in the Village)

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Royal St.

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#### Herbs 'n' Such

Main St. at Pace Park New: Herbal cookbooks specializing in salads and entrees.

#### Bo's Barn

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#### Inn on the Creek

Center Circle For weekend reservations for fine dining in a quiet, elegant atmosphere, call 947-5554.

#### Inn at Salado (1872)

Main St. Salado Featuring special weekday rates. 947-5999

#### Seasons of Salado

Rock Creek Dr. Gourmet Coffees & Teas Excellent selection of teapots and pitchers

#### Sir Wigglesworth

Rock Creek at Main Lots of homemade fudge.

#### **Mountain Mary's** Tonkawa

I-35, exit 285 American Musuem & Artifacts Native American herbal teas, bath and incense, bison meats, rugs, blankets, moccasins, fudge, Indian toys, T-shirts, Souix

art reproductions.

## Seasons of Salado

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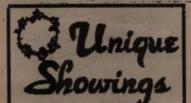
Double Eagle Center Charles Dickens, Nutcracker, Snowman teapots, cookie jars. Fontanini Holy Family ornaments, cat ornaments, and doggie bags for Christmas.

#### **Peddler's Alley**

Off Main St. & Royal Don't miss our 11 shops behind Museum

#### The Tyler House

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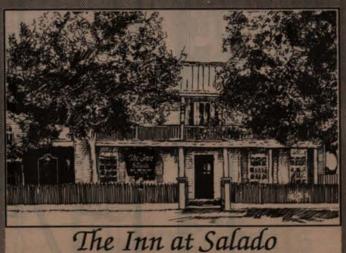
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## Sales guide to Salado

## (Sales and new lines in the Village)

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Creekside of Salado

Main St. at the Creek See our new children's wear. Broomstick skirts on Sale now.

#### Recollections

Double Eagle Center
Wide range of American
antiques and collectibles.
Furniture, Flow Blue, gifts
and hand-painted crafts.
Open 10 a.m. everyday.

The Christmas Shop Pace Park Rd. New on the shelves: Dolls by Seymour Mann, Del

Rey, Schmidt, She Ne'

collections and Victoria

Briar Patch of Salado Rock Creek Dr.

Lace, dried flowers, more

The Rose Mansion (1870)

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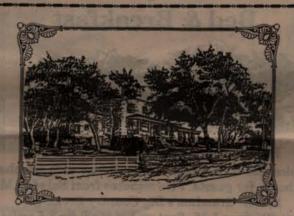


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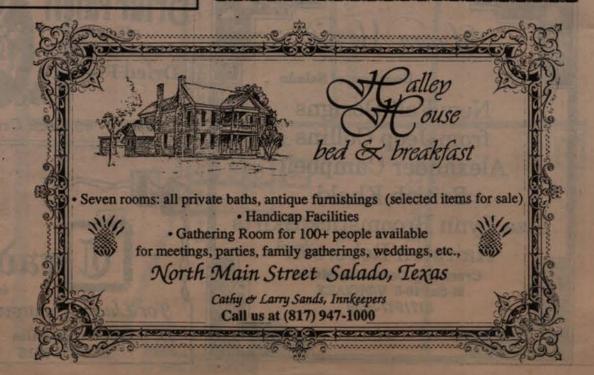
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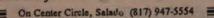
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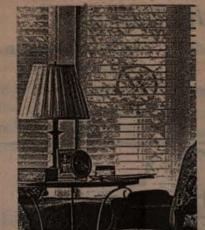
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### Salado Shockwaves place 3rd in CAYSA soccer tourney

Salado Shockwaves under-10 girls soccer team placed third in the CAYSA Fall Championship Tournament Nov. 21-22.

The team posted a 3-1-1 record and will advance to the State play-offs held in Corpus Christi Dec. 12-13.

This year's competition was very fierce but the girls pulled together to form an awesome charge," said coach Eddie Kelley.

The following are players on the team: goalie Becky Wilson; offense Jennifer Punchard, Ashley Kelley, Hope Buchanan, Cindy Lopez, Micki Rosanki, Candace Simpson; defense, Emily Bates, Misti Simonton, Carrie Everett.

The girls are coached by Eddie and Teresa Kelley, sponsored by Fletcher and Nancy Rhodes.

## Rep. Chet Edwards accepting applications to academies

Chet Edwards today announced that his office currently is accepting applications for nominations to the four U.S. service academies.

nominations to the U.S. Air Force, Merchant Marine, Military and Naval Academies should apply no later than Dec. 1, 1992 for the class entering in for appointment. June. 1993.

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### Who really pays for child support?

by Dan Morales Texas Attorney General

Last year, the parents of more than 500,000 Texas children decided to let you bear the cost of raising their offspring.

Why should you pay money out of your pocket to raise the children of absentee parents while they get a free ride? The answer is that you shouldn't.

Failure to provide child support is not only a crime against the child, but ultimately against the society that must bear the cost. All too often that cost results in discouraged, underprivileged kids who find their way into gangs, drugs and prison.

In most states, child support enforcement is the responsiblity of state

human service departments. In Texas, the Office of the Attorney General is responsible for child support enforcement. We think this responsibility fits with our other law enforcement duties because the stakes are so high - for

The Texas child support program ended state fiscal year 1992 with almost 750,000 cases. When you look beyond the staggering caseload and the statistics, you see a whole bunch of kids without school clothes, school supplies, bicycles or braces. Often, these children live much of their childhoods without the benefit of either parent, because the one responsible parent, typically a woman, often has to

work two jobs, or work at night to support herself and her children.

That's why making sure that parents live up to their financial responsibliety to their chidren is one of the most important duties of my office, and the reason we utilize half of all agency staff to perform child support collection services.

I'm proud to say that the dedication of our staff is paying big dividends. We collected \$301.7 million in fiscal year 1992, 28 percent more than we collected in 1991. Combined with the child support collected by counties through their county registries, these efforts represent hundreds of millions of





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## Paying for Child Support

dollars in direct aid to children in Texas, many of whom are forced by the negligence of their noncustodial parent to live on taxpayer supported welfare.

Nationally, the Texas child support program has moved from 14th in 1990 to 10th in 1991, and the sixth among states in collections from federal income tax refunds. Our goal is to continue dramatic improvement in enforcement efforts becuase we want Texas to be one of the most difficult states to pass the child support buck to taxpayers. If this means giving the state of Texas the power to revoke professional and drivers licenses for those who refuse to pay or to garnish insurance reimbursement check, then I say let's do it.

Even though we routinely collect more each month than we did in the entire year before this program was transferred to the attorney general's office, we are far from satisfied. We think governement agencies, like successful businesses, have to change and innovate to make their programs work.

Currently we are developing a pilot project with the Mexican state of Tamaulipas to allow us to collect child support from parents who flee to Mexico, and we are considering legislation that would improve the state's ability to collect child support.

One area where we've made great strides is establishing paternity. These days referrals from Aid to Families with Dependent children (AFDC) account for most of our new cases. These referrals are

averaging more than 10,000 new cases each month.

Typically, these cases have no paternity or child support orders established. So our job is not just a matter of collecting money on a court order, but establishing that order in the first place. In a paternity case, this involves four steps: finding the aledged father; establishing paternity through blood tests; establishing a court order for payment; and finally, actually collecting money from the father. This process is time consuming and difficult, but is is necessary.

Again, we're getting results. Each month this year, we have established paternites for more children than we were able to do in all of 1988. In a typi-

cal month, we will establish paternities and child support orders for more than 2,000 children.

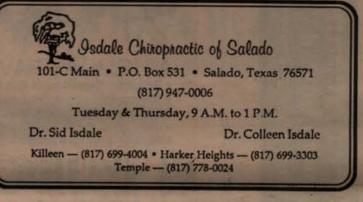
However, for us to make really significant inroads into this problem of supporting other peoples' children, we've got to prevent as well as remedy. Texas still ranks first in the number of births to girls 14 years and younger. Not only do teenage pregnacies pose difficult and costly problems for Texas taxpayers, but these pregnancies almost always place the children of teenagers in an at-risk category. Too many at-risk children will suffer from abuse and neglect. Too many of these infants will ultimately enter the welfare system and the criminal justice

There is growing recognition among governmental officials that today's failures to maintain effective child support will turn into tomorrow's law enforcement nightmares. That's why we have spent more than a year reorganizing, computerizing and streamlining child support

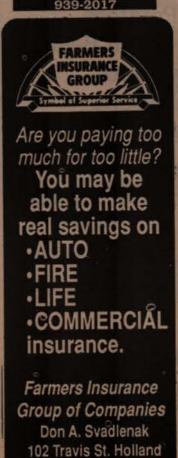
enforcement operations in the Texas Attorney General's Office. And that's why I enthusiastically endorsed the recommendations made by the U.S. Commission on Interstate Child Support this past summer. One key recommendation is the establishment of a national computer network that can effectively track negligent parents across state lines.

While action by both the federal and state government can help, nothing is more important than local involvement. Community leaders must help teenagers understand that having a child is a moral responsibility. But parenting is also a legal responsibility. Neglecting to pay for a child's welfare is a crime that can be proven in a court of law and enforced by sheriff's and constables, and it is a financial responsibility that lasts for a minimum of 18 years.

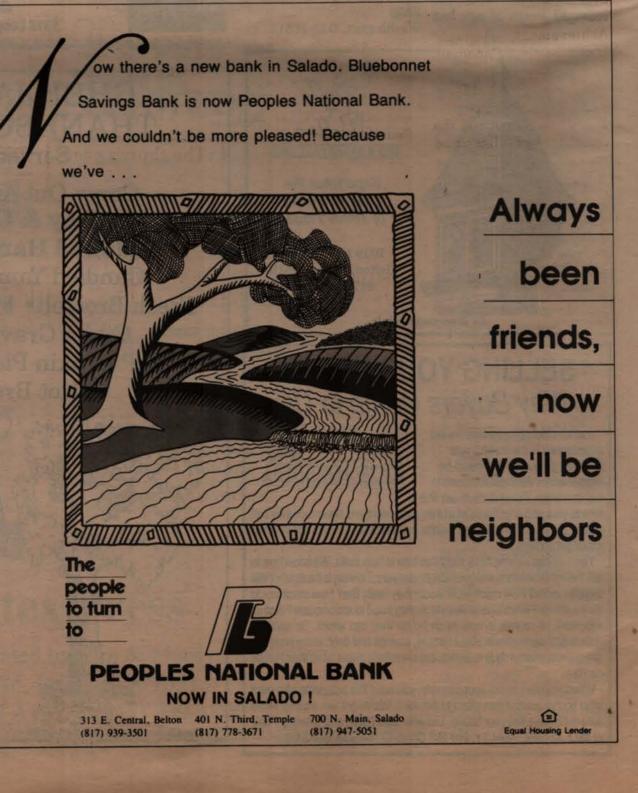
Children must come first in our society, not last. Until they do, we will continue to harvest the bitter fruit of broken families and betrayed childhoods.







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## **CHURCH**

news of the institutions and people of our village

## Benefit for Troy youths set

In a recent accident, returning from a high school football game Jon Eric Bennett was killed and Mike Sladovnik was critically injured. Besides leaving families and friends devastated by this occurence it has also left them with mounting medical bill and extreme debt.

To assists the needs of these families a fundraising event has been organized by the Troy Athletic Booster Club to be held Dec. 5 at Troy High School. An auction and Barbecue will begin at 11 a.m. The meals will cost \$5 per plate. At 2 p.m. a Celebrity basketball game will feature various coaches, media and sports celebrities. Entry fee to the game will be \$2.

Auction items include a football autographed by Dallas Football coach Tom Landry; 2 major league baseballs autographed by Nolan Ryan, professional Rawlings baseball glove autographed by Nolan Ryan, and many more premium sports items.

If you are unable to attend but would like to contribute, a fund has been set up at the Bank of Troy under the name of The Troy Athletic Booster Club.

#### Humane Society Sale postponed

The Salado Humane Society will reschedule the Nov. Garage Sale.

To make a successful sale possible your garage sale donations can be made by calling Leah Buzzard at 947-5288.

#### Jackson celebrate 50th anniversary

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#### GLC Soccer Team will attend Regionals in El Paso Dec. 5

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The trip to El Paso will

put a financial strain on the players and parents. Anyone wishing to contribute to sending a Salado soccer player to the El Paso Tournament should call Floyd Lee at 947-5153. Your support will be appreciated.

#### Graham named 4-H Gold Star winner

Sherry Graham was recently named a 4-H Gold Star award winner at the Hemphill County 4-H Achievement Banquet that was held in Canadian, Texas.

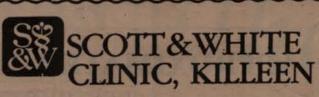
She is a 16 year old junior honor student at Canadian High School and the daughter of Jim and Lynda Graham. She is the granddaughter of Louis and Fannie Hill of Salado. Lynda was a Gold Star girl for Bell County, a graduate of Salado High School and Mary Hardin Baylor University. The Hills are still active with the Bell County 4-H program.





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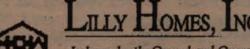
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#### **Old Charter Seven Year**

1.75 Liter 80 proof

\$1599

Jim Beam

1.75 Liter 80 proof

\$1.199

**Bellatore Asti Spumante** 

750 mL

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Sebastiani White Zinfandel

1.5 Liter

Specials Good Nov. 25-Dec. 1, 1992

Happy Thanksgiving!!

We will be closed Thanksgiving Day



## **Christmas Extravaganza**

6th Annual Thanksgiving Weekend Show November 27, 28 & 29

**Bell County Expo Center Belton** 

Arts \* Crafts \* Gifts \* Decorations

Friday, Noon-6 p.m.; Saturday, 10a.m.-6p.m.;

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## S & W CHEVRON

### SUNRISE KITCHEN

want to thank our loyal friends and neighbors of the Salado Community for helping to make November a Record Breaking Month and 1992 The Best Year Ever for our business.

Thanks for shopping with us, Chuck & Sandy May IH-35 South, Exit 284 Salado

## Salado merchants decorate village 5:30 p.m. Nov. 30

Salado Merchants will meet 5:30 p.m. Nov. 30 at the old Post Office for the village decorating party.

Everyone should come armed with gloves, snippers, scissors, etc, according to Melanie Kirchmeier, chair of the Christmas Stroll.

Immediately following the completion of the decorating, the merchants will have a potluck Mexicanstyle dinner. The Executive Committee will provide the main course, but each merchants needs to bring their favorite Mexican covered dish. The dinner will be at the Inn on Creek.

Following the dinner will be the Merchants Committee meeting, during which last-minute problems and needs for the Stroll will be discussed.

Merchants who have not yet ordered luminaria for the Stroll should fill out the attached form and return it this week.

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