## Briscoe Goes For Republican Governor, Democratic Congressman <br> More than $60 \%$ of Briscoe <br> Boulter won back his 13 th <br> sioner John Sharp, all Demo-

County voters went to the polls Tuesday to give their approval to returning former Governor Bill Clements to office and seeking election of a Democratic United States Congressman in Doug Seal.
The trend to re-elect Clements carried across the state, but Republican incumbent Beau District Congressional seat. Other incumbents, including Lt. Governor Bill Hobby, Attorney General Jim Mattox, Comptroller of Public Accounts Bob Bullock, State Treasurer Ann Builock, State Treasurer Ann
Richards, Commissioner of the Richards, Commissioner of the
General Land Office Gary Mauro, General Land Office Gary Mauro,
Commissioner of Agriculture Jim Commissioner of Agriculture Jim
Hightower and Railroad Commis-

## Eagles Destroy Owl Playoff Hopes

The Three Way Eagles brought a very good passing and kicking game to Silverton last Friday night and virtually desFriday night and virtually des-
troyed the Owls' hopes for a troyed the Owls hopes for a playoff berth this season. It was a beautiful night for football, with no rain, no wind and rather mild temperature for this time of year.
Three Way opened the game by kicking into the endzone, and the Owls began operations on their own 20. Neal Edwards ran their own 20. Neal Edwards ran
to the 33 on the first play and to the 33 on the first play and
carried to the 36 for a first down carried to the 36 for a first down
on the second play, but after that on the second play, but after that
the rushing game stalled, an the rushing game stalled, an
incomplete pass was thrown, and the Owls punted to the Eagle one-foot line.
Three Way passed complete, then ran to the 10 before picking up a first down on the Silverton 37. Defense by Jamie Frizzell 37. Defense by Jamie Frizzel
and Sloan Grabbe held the next and Sloan Grabbe held the next
series to a gain of just 15 yards series to a gain of just 15 yards,
and on the next play the Eagles passed 22 yards for the first touchdown of the game with 6:29 remaining in the first quarter They kicked the PAT, and led 8-0.

## Three Way's kickoff went into

 the endzone as did all of their kicks during the game, and the Owl offense was unable to pick Owl offense was unable to pickup more than about six or seven up more than about six or seven
yards, and punted to the Three yards, and punted to the Three
Way 25 . The Owl defense held, the Eagles punted and recovered an Owl fumble on the Silverton 21. After receiving a five-yard offside penalty, the Eagles completed a pass-and-run play which covered 22 yards for another six points. They made good on the points. They made good on the $3: 58$ still to be played in the $3: 58$ still to be
opening period.

After taking over on offense at their own 20, the Owls picked up a first down at the Three Way 27 on runs by Ryan Smith. Edwards
and Smith combined to carry to the 14 before seeing the ball go over on downs with 1:43 still to be played in the first quarter. The Eagles ran to the 19 and completed a pass to the 38 for a first down before being penalized back to the 33 on a face-mask violation. They moved to the 27 on the next down with defense by Bryan Ramsey, and after an incomplete pass, punted to the Silverton 24.
The Owls came back with Edwards leading the rushing Edwards leading the rushing midfield and another at the Three Way 32. Smith carried to the 19 before the ball went over on downs after an incomplete pass with $4: 26$ remaining in the first half.
The Eagles came charging back, picking up first downs on their own 37, the Owl 20 and 4 -yard lines, and going in for nother score with 2:26 still on the second-quarter clock. The PAT kick hit the goal post after being partially blocked, and bounced out, causing the score to remain at 22-0.
Silverton began with the ball on the 20 , the Owls were penalized for holding, and on the next play Quarterback Corey next play Quarterback Corey
Robertson took the snap, handed Robertson took the snap, handed off to Grabbe who lateraled to Edwards who went all the way for a touchdown with two minutes remaining in the first half. The PAT kick failed, and the score stood at 22-6.
The Eagles came back, mixing runs and passes and making first downs on their own 38 and the Owl 37 and 11, and scored 27 seconds before halftime. The seconds before halftime. The
PAT kick failed, and the score PAT kick
was 30-6.
Edwards took the ensuing

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crats, got the nod in Briscoe County and across the state.
In addition, Briscoe County voters approved proposed constitutional amendment number two, and voted against numbers one, three and four.
There were 793 county voters who participated in the election, 48 having voted absentee, 82 in Precinct 1, 246 in Precinct 2, 268 in Precinct 3, 128 in Precinct 4 and 21 in Precinct 5.
Voting by precincts in the

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## Christmas Jubilee To Be Planned Monday Night

There will be a meeting of merchants and representatives of clubs at 7:00 p.m. Monday, November 10, at the City Hall for November 10, at the City Hall for
the purpose of planning the the purpose of
Christmas Jubilee.
Please plan to have at least one epresentative of your organization present at the meeting.
For the past seven years, L. 0. A. Junior Study Club has sponsored this event which officially opens the Christmas season in Silverton on the first Saturday in December.

## Rock Creek Club To Meet In <br> Francis Home

Rock Creek Quilting Club will meet next Tuesday in the Barry Francis home.
Anyone interested in quilting is invited to attend.

## Johnson's Gin to Have Open House

There will be an open house at Johnson's Gin, the former Harris Gin, in Silverton from 7:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon Friday, November 7 .
You are invited to go by for coffee and donuts, and to register for one of five door prizes.
Rex and Dorothy Johnson are the new owners of the gin, and he has announced that the first bale of cotton brought to the gin will be ginned free. Assisting in the operation of the gin are the Johnson's son and daughter-inlaw, Robert and Dixie Johnson.

## County Has Option To Reduce the Advalorem Tax

In the recently-completed special session of the Texas Legislacial session of the Texas Legisla-
ture, House Bill 79 by Representure, House Bill 79 by Representative Stan Schlueter (D-Killeen) was passed which allows counties to levy a sales and use tax for the purpose of reducing local property taxes.

## Rainfall Total Goes Over Thirty Inches

Total rainfall for 1986 already has exceeded thirty inches, with rain continuing to fall as this was rain continuing to fall as this was
being written Tuesday morning. being written Tuesday morning.
As of 6:00 a.m. Tuesday, Silverton had received 2.10 during the first three days of November. Recorded by Fred Strange, this was the official measurement.
The moisture received so far this year has totaled 30.50 inches, and already is $67 \%$ above normal for the whole year with normal for the whole year with
almost two months remaining in 1986.

Weather forecasts were for the rain to continue through Tuesday with clearing on Wednesday, but it was predicted that that wet weather would return on the weekend.

## Community Landmark <br> To Be Restored Soon

Silverton's tallest steeple, a community landmark for many years, is ready to be restored The First United Methodist Church has contacted a steeple repairman and has begun raising funds for the project.
A Community Steeple Dinner will be served Sunday, Novem ber 16, in the school cafeteria. A turkey dinner with all the A turkey dinner with all the drinks and dessert will be included. Dinner will be served beginning at 11:15 a.m. Adult tickets are $\$ 3.50$, children 12 and under will be $\$ 2.00$ and children under two will be served free of charge.

Members of the First United Methodist Church ask that you assist in this community effort to maintain one of Silverton's more visible landmarks.

A cartoon is so called from "cartone" an early word for cardboard on which they were drawn centuries ago to serve as models for larger works of art or craftsmanship.

The bill would allow all counties, except those that are located in an area which has a mass transit authority or a regional transit authority, to levy a one-half percent county wide tax on a local option basis The bill would also permit homeowners living in small incorporated cities that are not within the boundaries of a rapid transit authority or regional transit authority to levy an additional authority to levy an additional
one-half of one percent sales tax one-half of one percent sales tax
that would result in an even greater property tax savings.
No county with an existing transit tax could adopt a county sales tax. This additional one-half of one percent of the local sales and use tax would be used to reduce the property tax within each county by an amount equa to the additional sales tax revenue. To implement the sales revenue. To implement the sales
tax, a county commissioners court may call for a local option election themselves or shall cal an election if petitioned by at least five percent of the county's registered voters after the effective date of the new law next year.
Briscoe County could be eligible for advalorem tax reduction of approximately $7 \%$ using the 1985 tax base if taxpayers choose to exercise this local sales tax option. Although the state's budget crisis forced the Legisla ture to increase sales and gaso line taxes, a vast majority of the House and Senate members voted to allow city and county governments the opportunity to reduce the tax burden on local property taxpayers.

With the law now requiring counties to provide indigent health care, expenses for Briscoe County will be going up and this will require additional advalorem tax money. Taxpayers might do well to be thinking now about the advantages of reducing the property tax with an additional sales tax. If citizens choose to go with the additional sales tax option, in effect indigents would be repay ing at least a small portion of their health care bill when they pay the additional sales tax Under the other option, by which the indigent health care money would be raised by a higher advalorem tax, they might not be paying any part of the expense of their health care, and with the their health care, and with the
ever-narrowing tax base the ever-narrowing tax base the
county's property taxpaying citizens are already being backed into a corner.

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and family members in resolving important family-related public issues, says County Extension issues, says County Extension
Home Economist Lynda FogerHome Economist Lynda Foger-
son. These public issues could include anything that affects the quality of family life.
The training program does not tell people what issues to become involved with, but teaches them the leadership skills needed to deal with any issue of importance in their communities.
The first part of the family community leadership program in Briscoe County involves training for a representative from Extension Homemakers Clubs and one other local citizen, to be selected from those who apply.
"All interested persons are invited to apply for this training opportunity," says the home opportunity, says the home
economist. The sessions will be held March 17-18, May 5-6 and October 13-14 at Ceta Canyon near Amarillo, and conducted by a team of Extension professionals and Extension Homemaker leaders. Forty Panhandle counties will be involved in this pilot project for Texas.
The persons selected to serve on the training team must be able to attend all three sessions and to volunteer 96 hours (one day per month) between March 1987 and March 1988 and to teach others in the county. Each training session will cost $\$ 35$ for housing and meals.
Application forms are available from Mrs. Fogerson at the County Extension Office in the courthouse basement.
"The second part of the Family Community Leadership program will offer some unique opportunities to many groups and individuals in our county, said Mrs. Fogerson. "We are expecting that a number of community groups will be interested in groups will be workshops on leadership having workshops on leadership
skills, decision-making and volunskills, decision-making and volun-
teerism taught by the training team."
Mrs. Fogerson and Mrs. Virginia Hardin, local Extension Homemaker, attended the orientation session for the project last week in Lubbock.
For further information and application forms, call 823-2343.
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over if you just sit there." Will Rogers


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## Looking Back

## through the files of the

## Briscoe County News

October 28, 1976-Leading the cheers for the Junior High Owls this year are Staci Mayfield, Kim Fitzgerald, Shelly Harris, Vicki McJimsey and DeAnn Strange . . Funeral services held for Mrs Loveta Blanch Norris, 68 ... At presstime Wednesday afternoon, big white flakes of snow were falling . Terry Bomar underwent surgery on his shoul. der Friday at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo
November 3, 1966-Two killed five injured in two-ear crash four miles south of Quitaque Sunday. The dead were identified as Clarence Barrett, 51, of Quitaque, and his mother-in-law, Mrs Eunice Persons, 70, also of Quitaque. Mrs. Barrett was taken to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Treated at Lockney General and then transferred to Methodist Hospital in ferred to Methodist Hospital in
Lubbock were Ronald Hutchins, Lubbock were Ronald Hutchins,
Richey H. Boggs, Glenda Crowell and Ray Persons. All are from the Quitaque area. Services today for Trevor Durham, four-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Durham . . . Billy Wood of Guatamala, Central America, expects his wife and children to arrive here soon. They do not plan to return to Guatamala, but have not decided where they will make their home . . Camellia Comer, a student at WTSU, has been a recent weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Comer, Buddy, Larry and Kelly . . . SP5 Joedell Hutsell arrived here on leave October 11. He has been with the armed forces in Vietnam since October 31, 1965 . .. Dianne Davis pledge of Zeta Tau Alpha
Debbie Cantwell and Mary Chris Cantwell have recently been hostesses for tacky parties Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stephens are the parents of a son, Stephen Wayne.
November 1, 1956-Kenneth Tate completes 10th year with Public Service Company
Richard Eddleman completes training at Marine Corps Depot at San Diego . . . Mrs. George Long's home is meeting place for Century of Progress Study Club

Services held Sunday for Douglas O'Neal . . . Mrs. Bonnie May is announcing the opening of a Ceramic Studio at her home. She will teach Hobby Ceramics and will carry a big line of ceramic supplies at all times Haylake Club meets with Elsie Cornett . . . Mr. and Mrs. Doug Coleman of Lubbock were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver
November 14, 1946-Owls beat Kress second time; to play Lakeview tomorrow . . . Last rites held today for W. M. Gardner . . . Bob Olive is receiving his discharge from the armed forces . . . The North Ward Club met with Mrs. Arthur Arnold in her home Wednesday, November 13 ... Earlyne Guest is bride of R. E. Futsell in church ceremony . . . Lottie Kate Ross, Ernest Nelson wed in Galveston recently . . . Dena Faye Tait becomes bride of Willie Wood Thursday . . . Carolyn Garrison Thursday ... Carolyn Garrison,
three-year-old daughter of Mr
and Mrs. Pascal Garrison, was honored with a birthday party . Shower compliments Mrs. J. L. Self . . . March of Time Study Club meets with Mrs. Conrad Alexander .... Miss Colene Rogers of Quitaque was a Sunday afternoon guest of Cecil Seaney.
October 15, 1936-Silverton wins $13-0$ from Roaring Springs . . Harvest Moon Party held in Clyde Wright home by Endeavor Society . . . Frank P. Bain has resigned as secretary of the Plainview Production Credit Association and accepted a position with the Hale County State Bank

Ben Smylie passes away suddenly . . . Roy "Joinergan" of suddenly ... Roy "Joinergan of
his parents at South Plains Editor Roy Hahn wrote: "J. W. Foust, the village printer, was slightly indisposed Wednesday afternoon. He fixed himself up with turnip greens and ice cream. And his mother fixed him up with castor oil. Triple strength I think . . . The fellow that found out that oysters were that found out that oysters were good to eat-he must have been one of these guys that just don't give a durn... The football boys haven't had their goal line crossed this season. BUT, with three of the boys out this Friday-well I've got my fingers crossed. There's no doubt about it-we have a fighting little team this year". . Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Schott, jr. and Mr. and Mrs.

Marvin Tull returned Wednes day evening after spending sev eral days at the Centennial.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO .

November 6-Pete Juarez, Peggy Brannon, John McCammon
Nov
November 7-Randy Hughes,
Casey Bean Casey Bean
November 8-Douglas McJimsey, David Holt

November 9-Jealeta Baird November 11-Pam Rampley Earl Jarrett, Alesha Patton, Darrah MeCammon
November 12 -Brandi Brun son, Mike Auston, Dorcas Garrison, Gwendolyn Clardy

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO.

## November $7-\mathrm{Mr}$. and Mr .

 Jack McFallNovember ${ }^{11-M r}$. and Mrs. Derrel Martin
November $12-\mathrm{Mr}$. and Mrs. Carl Hall


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them one and all, and proudly,
offer our thoughts of gratitude
for giving a part of their
lives to freedom's cause
and playing an important role in America's bistory:

## Get Your Kicks on Route 66

How long has it been since you cruised with Tod and Buz, sharing their adventures along Route 66?
Just the name of the fabled route conjures an image of that familiar highway shield-the ultimate symbol of modern wanderlust, winding "up through Missouri, down to St. Louis, Oklahoma City"... and Texas.
Twenty-odd years ago, Route 66 was also a ticket to video adventure. Between commercials, you could become George Maharis or $\ldots$ who was the other guy? The wind would slice your Brylcreamed hair as you soared in that cool, convertible Corvette, living for an hour each week the life of a blacktop nomad.
Like the old TV show, U. S. 66 is history now. But you can relive your Route 66 travels-real or imagined-with the help of your own, authentic highway marker.
The 277 signs that once marked Route 66 in Texas will go up for public auction November $21-22$ in Austin. Mail-in bids will be accepted if they are received be accepted if the
by November 14.
Last year, the last Route 66 sign in Texas came down, as the conversion of the old highway to Interstate 40 was completed. At one time, 177 miles of Route 66 ran through the Texas Panhandle, crossing seven counties. The signs, which have been in storage, are being cleaned and readied for sale. Preparation includes placing a label on each sigh, to certify it as a genuine artifact.


Highway signs set for auction.

Included in the auction are 99 two-foot-square aluminum signs, 153 two-foot-square steel signs, 24 three-foot aluminum shields
and one 30 -inch aluminum shield. The signs will be sold as part of the general auction of surplus state goods at Austin's City state goods at Austin's City
Coliseum. They are scheduled to Coliseum. They are scheduled to
be on the auction block on be on the auction block on
November 22, the second day of November
the sale.
Would-be sign owners who can't make the sale in person should send their bids to ITT Auction Services, Attention Joel

## Motorists Urged To Get Ready For Winter

The Texas Department of Public Safety reminds motorists that the winter season is almost here, and it's time once again to get both the driver and the vehicle in the best possible condition for this most grueling driving season
Major V. J. Cawthon, Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, Region 5, said, "Winter driving can be very hazardous. Drivers are faced with many dangerous obstacles: nights are longer, freezing temperatures, snow, sleet and ice-covered roads all creating handicaps for the driver."
The most important safety tip for winter driving is to slow down'. On ice covered roads, only drive when it's necessary and realize that it's going to take you at least twice as long to cover that same distance that you

Harjes, 12900 Preston Road, Dallas, Texas 75230. The bid should state the size sign desired, with the bidder's name, full return address and telephone number. No money should be included with the bid. Successful bidders will be billed, and must pay applicable sales tax and $\$ 3.00$ packaging cost per sign.
In Oklahoma, a similar sale about a year ago netted between $\$ 40.00$ and $\$ 80.00$ per sign. The initial sign sold, with special documentation as the first, drew \$370.00.
Not a bad investment, say collectors and nostalgia buffs, for an item of genuine Americana, a an item of genuine America,
With such a sign hanging in With such a sign hanging in
the den, you might, in time, remember that the other guy (how quickly we forget) was Martin Milner.
drove when the road was dry and clear of ice. So, remember to set more time aside for driving under winter conditions.
When temperatures drop below the freezing point, drivers must guard against reduced visibility caused by frosted win dows and windshields. Allow your car's engine to warm up and for the defroster to become effective before driving. Be sure your windows and headlights are clear and free of any obstructions like snow or mud. Do all this in advance, before you hit the road.
The Texas Department of Public Safety reminds you that the hazards of winter driving can be reduced. It's in your hands, the defensive driver, to make for a safer winter.

Man's Most Deadly Enemy is Mosquito
What is man's most deadly enemy in the wildlife world? The lion? -no. The polar bear? -no According to National Wildlife magazine, mosquitoes may be man's deadliest foe. They deploy parasites that cause malaria and kill one million people a year in kill one milion people a year also
Africa alone. They are also responsible for high death rates in India, Pakistan, Asia, Central America and the Caribbean islands.


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These students, members of Mrs. Bobbye Bean's second grade class, see how different soil types hold water. They are (left to right) Kim Blazier, Carrie Baird, Jonathan Ivory, Lupe Vargas and Craselda Vargas.


Flavio Patino, Jimmy Wade Myers, Molly Bomar, Kara Kingery and Vanessa Martin, members of Mrs. Michele Crowell's third grade class, study the effects of soil erosion by water.


[^0]Second, Third Grades Study Soil and Soil Erosion at School

The Silverton second and third grades conducted experiments last Friday to study the soil and the effects of erosion. One experiment demonstrated how different types of soil hold water. The second experiment showed how rainfall can cause erosion if the rainfall can cause erosion if the
soil is not properly managed. As the simulated rain fell from a sprinkle cup, the students saw how rapidly erosion occurs on bare soil, or soil with rows running up and down a hill; however, soil that was protected by grass or by terraces retained more water and resisted erosion.
John Crowell from the Soil Conservation Service helped the students set up and conduct the experiments. Students participating were from Juannah Jennings' third grade class, Michele Crowell's third grade class and Bobbye Bean's second grade class. These students are studying soils and soil erosion in science and plan to make posters science and plan to make posters
to show how to conserve natural to show ho
Assistance is available from the Soil Conservation Service for teachers who will be teaching about natural resources. Films, slide shows and demonstrations are available. The local Caprock Soil and Water Conservation District also conducts a Poster District also conducts a Poster
and Essay Contest each year to help teachers emphasize the conservation of soil, water, wildlife and other natural resources. Call $823-2320$ for more information.

## News From The Ag Shop

This week we started our annual fund raiser. Again we are selling Texas citrus fruit and Washington apples. A new item that we have is Mexico pineapples. Last year the quality was excellent and after talking with our supplier, we feel the quality will be equally as good this year. will be equally as good this year. Delivery should be in the first
two weeks of December. Our sale will last through November 19, 1986, so place your order with any FFA member. If a member does not contact you, just give us a call. Please support the Future Farmers of America.
Note: You "86 grads", I know nine-week grades are just out; the name of the game is to hang in there.
The Silverton 0 wls need the support of everyone at Southland this week. BE THERE!
-Stan Fogerson

## Health Agencies Make Diet Recommendations On Fat Consumption

The dietary guidelines from major health organizations agree that Americans need to cut back on fat, says a Texas A\&M University Agricultural Extension Service nutritionist.
According to Dr. Alice Hunt, U. S. Department of Agriculture guidelines recommend that Americans avoid too much fat, saturated fat and cholesterol. The American Dietetic Association recommendations suggest limiting fat to no more than

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LUNCHROOM MENU

## November 10-14

Monday-Pizza, Salad, Corn, Cheesestraws, Chocolate Pudding, Milk
Tuesday-Corn Dogs, Beets, Macaroni and Cheese, Fruit and Jello
Wednesday-Vegetable Soup, Roast Beef Sandwich, Crackers, Cookie, Milk
Thursday - Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Honey and Butter, Milk
Friday - Cheeseburger or Hamburger, Salad, French Fries, Cookies, Milk


If you work in an office, chances are you'll spend at least 20 years of your life sitting down.
one-third of daily calories and selecting a variety of saturated, polyunsaturated and mono-saturated fats as well as eating lean meats and low-fat dairy products.
The Heart Association has more specific recommendations on fat, she says, advising that saturated fat should also supply less than $10 \%$ of total calories and polyunsaturated fat should also supply less than $10 \%$ of total calories, with total dietary fat not to exceed $30 \%$ of daily calories. The AHA also recommends that dietary cholesterol be reduced to less than 300 milligrams per day.


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CINEMAX in November.
Film Festivals on CINEMAX in November include "Western Round-Up" presents Cat Ballou, Angel and the Badman and The New Maverick. "From The Heart" features Born Free, Continental Divide, The Four Seasons, Our Time and Dummy. sons, Our Time and Dummy. "Cinemax Film Discovery" showcases Dreamchild. "Classic Collection: Classic Comediennes" presents Born Yesterday, The Awful Truth, Twentieth Century, Bringing Up Baby and Forever Darling. "Monster Movies" features Jaws, Gremlins, The Beast from 20,000 Fathoms and King Kong, and "Cinemax Import" showcases Mishima.
Import showcases Mishima.
For your weekend viewing we For your weekend viewing we
have "Friday After Dark" preshave "Friday After Dark" presScenes, New York Nights and Model Behavior, and "Drive-In Saturday Night" features Krush Groove, The Boys Next Door, Hearts and Armour, Ellie and The Alchemist.
Get fun and laughs with "Comic Relief" showcasing Serial, Night Patrol, My Man Adam, S.O.B. and Bad Manners. And for music lovers we present "Cine$\max$ Musical" with The Great
Service Coming toSilverton Subscribers

Cablevision of Texas will soon offer its subscribers in Silverton CINEMAX, the 24 -hour paycable TV service from Home Box Office, Inc. Launched in 1980, CINEMAX is programmed and scheduled to provide the multipay subscriber with a unique mix of movies and select original programming. It is designed to appeal to an audience wanting more choice and variety in entertainment programs-uncensored, uncut and without commercial interruptions.
Each month CINEMAX offers subscribers a wide range of top-quality, differentiated products. Initially an all-movie chan-
nel, CINEMAX combines select and broad appeal films, as well as innovative original comedy, top rock talent and provocative series.
CivemAx is the perfect addition for our subscribers who are already enjoying premium television," said Jim Doucette, system manager of Cablevision of Texas. "When viewed in combination with a foundation service or more general appeal channel, CINEMAX maxi mizes the number of movie available on CINEMAX
on CINEMAX. Murphy's Romance, and $\mathbf{A}$ Cherus and A Chorus Line, featurig natiae Douglas, make national pay-cable TV debuts on

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enting Gene Kelly, Van Johnson enting Gene Kelly, Van Johnson and Cyd Charisse; The Candidate, starring Robert Redford Peter Boyle and Melvyn Doug las; Excalibur, featuring Nige Terry and Nicol Williamson; The Flamingo Kid, presenting Mat Dillon, Richard Crenna, Hector Elizondo and Jessica Walter; The Killing Fields, starring Sam Killing Fields, starring Sam
Waterston, Haing S. Ngor, John Waterston, Haing S. Ngor, John
Malkovich and Craig T. Nelson; Malkovich and Craig T. Nelson;
Little Darlings, Mad Max BeLittle Darlings, Mad Max Be-
yond Thunderdome, featuring Mel Gibson and Tina Turner; National Lampoon's European Vacation, presenting Chevy Chase, Beverly D'Angelo, Dana Hill and Jason Lively; St. Elmo's Fire, starring Emilio Estevez, Fire, starring Emilio Estevez,
Rob Lowe, Andrew McCarthy Rob Lowe, Andrew McCarthy,
Demi Moore, Judd Nelson, Ally Demi Moore, Judd Nelson, Ally
Sheedy and Mare Winningham; Sheedy and Mare Winningham;
Superman, featuring Christopher Reeve, Gene Hackman, Marg Kidder and Marlon Brandon and

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## THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1986

Wierd Science, presenting Anthony Michael Hall, Ilan MitchellSmith and Kelly LeBrock.
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## Turkey Shoot to Be Held at Kress

There will be a turkey shoot sponsored by the Kress Booster Club on Saturday, November 8 , and Sunday, November 9, beginning at 1:00 p.m. The event will be held east of the football field.
Prizes will be smoked turkeys, hams and bacon.
Plan now to attend and "bring home the bacon.'

## Former Miss Mackenzie

Is New Miss Wayland
A former Miss Mackenzie, Angel Edwards of Tulia is Miss Wayland 1987. Daughter of Mr and Mrs. Dave Edwards of Tulia, she earned the crown from a field of 16 Wayland coeds Saturday night. With the title goes the right to represent Wayland at a host of activities throughout the year, including the Miss Texas Pageant.
The 21 -year-old brown-eyed coed was the preliminary talent winner during Friday night's competition, performing the Juice Newton hit "Break It To Me Gently.'
Miss Mackenzie 1984, she is attending Wayland on the scholarship she won in the pageant here in Silverton. The scholarship is for $\$ 300$ a semester, and since she chose to attend Waysince she chose to attend Way-
land the scholarship was worth land the
$\$ 2400$.
At Wayland, she is pursuing a degree in management. She is a Dean's Honor Roll student, is active in Omega Phi Alpha sorority, and is sweetheart for Zeta Kappa Alpha fraternity. She is a former Miss Tulia, Tulia Lions Club Sweetheart, and was Lions Club Sweetheart, and was
second runner-up in the 1986 Miss Amarillo Pageant.

## Earning Reputation

What animal is earning a reputation as a fertilizer, garbage disposer and source of protein? According to International Wildlife magazine, the earthworn, of which there are earthworn, of which there are
some 3,000 species, will eat some 3,000 species, will eat
through all kinds of organic waste and recycle them as fertilizer. In addition, for every ten pounds of garbage that earthworms consume, they produce a pound of meat that tastes like chicken. Although scattered tribes around the world have traditionally eaten worms, experts think it's unlikely the wormburger will ever replace the hamburger on our menues.


Lemon juice will produce
writing which is invisible writing which is invisible out in brown when the paper is warmed.

Eagles Destroy
Playoff Hopes
For The Owls
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kickoff in the endzone and carried to the Silverton 25 , and on the next play the Eagles intercepted an Owl aerial on the 35.

After the kickoff which opened the second half of action, Three Way picked up a first down, then moved to the Silverton 30 where Robertson prevented an Eagle touchdown, and on the next play Edwards intercepted an Eagle pass and carried out to the Silverton 26. The Owls got a first down to the Silverton 39 on an Eagle face-mask violation, but on the next fourth down were forced to punt to the Eagle one-yard line. This time defense by Frizzell held the Eagles to a three-yard gain, and on second down, Edwards pounced on an down, Edwards pounced on an Eagle fumble on the Three Way
13. Smith moved the ball to the 13. Smith moved the ball to the
nine before the Owls lost the ball via the fumble route.
Edwards broke up an Eagle pass and Three Way was forced to punt on fourth down, but the Owls were unable to move the ball and returned the punt after rushing three downs.
Three Way fumbled, recover ed their own fumble, completed a pass to their 35 , then picked up a first down on the 40. They were penalized for illegal procedure, then passed complete for another touchdown with 9:17 remaining to be played in the game. The PAT kick failed, and the score stood at 36-6.
Edwards and Smith alternated in carrying the ball on the next series, but the Owls were forced to punt again. Edwards made a touchdown-saving tackle on the Eagles' first play, and Ramsey stopped the next charge. They picked up a first down in spite of good defense by Edwards, and the Owls were penalized half the distance to the goal because of a personal foul call. The Eagles personal foul call. The Eagles
scored on their next play with scored on their next play with
$5: 54$ showing on the fourth-quarter clock, the PAT kick was good, and the score stood at 46-6.
The Owls began at their own 20 again, Edwards ran to the 35 for a first down, then got another first down on a personal foul call against the Eagles. Smith carried a touchdown on the next play, a touchdown on the next play,
the PAT kick didn't get off the PAT kick didnt get off
because of a bad snap, and with $5: 25$ to be played the score was 46-12.
The Eagles picked up a couple of first downs, with defense by Frizzell, and the Eagles scored after an unsportsmanlike conduct call against the Owls. With 3:07 still to be played, the PAT $3: 07$ still to be played, the PAT
kick was successful, and the kick was succe
score was $54-12$.
score was $54-12$.
Edwards picked up another first down for the Owls before the team saw the ball go over on downs with 14 seconds left in the game. On Three Way's first down, the Owls intercepted another Eagle pass.
There were good things mixed with the bad for Silverton fans during this game. The execution during this game. The execution
of the first Owl touchdown play was super, and even had the Harrold School Superintendent (who was scouting Three Way for the playoffs) shaking his head. "I knew that could be done in 11-man football but I didn't know whether it would work in
six-man," he said.
They probably didn't affect the outcome of the game at all, but there were several refereeing errors in the game.
The Eagles have defeated some of their opponents under some of their opponents under
the 45 -point rule this year, the 45-point rule this year,
ending some games at halftime. The Owls played well enough to finish the regulation game with them.
Clay Schott missed the game because of having received a cracked bone in his left hip at Texline. This is a painful injury and it hurt the team to have one of its more experienced players of its more expe
out of the lineup.
The Owls go to Southland tomorrow night, and will have their last game at home with Cotton Center on November 14. Kickoff time is 7:30 p.m., and the Owls will appreciate your support. If they win the rest of their games, and nothing unusual games, and nothing unusual
happens in the rest of the happens istrict, they will finish third in the eight-team conference with a winning (6-3-1) season and some thing to be proud of after having graduated more players than any other team in the district last year. They are a young team, with two seniors, three juniors, two sophomores and six freshtwo sophomores and six
men. They will graduate two this men. They will graduate two this
year and probably will pick up year and probably will pick up
about four freshmen for next about four freshmen for next
year. Without a doubt, if everyone stays healthy, the Owls have good things to look forward to because the boys coming up from junior high seem eager to play and already have established themselves as winners.

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Mrs. Stella Davis was a patient last week at Lockney General Hospital.

Mrs. Aaron (Mary Lane) Younger underwent major surgery last week at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs Charles Sarchet Wednesday afternoon of last week were Mr and Mrs. Robert Sarchet and their granddaughter, Raychelle Sarchet, of Cleburne and Mrs. Elizabeth Skelton of Lubbock. All visited in Tulia with Mrs. J. M. Hill.

Guests in the home of Mrs. J. M. Hill in Tulia Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Deuth were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Deuth of Nacogdoches, Mr. and Mrs.
Jim Hill of Tulia and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet.
Guests in the home of Ewing and Louise Vaughan Wednesday were Jack and Faye Brown, Dumas; Ruth Buchanan, Plainview; Delton Vaughan, Wichita Falls, and Clara Brown, Sher man.

Coach Kelly Braisher of Chick asha, Oklahoma visited the Gor don Lowrey family and other friends here over the weekend and attended the football game.
"You are the bows from You are the bows from
which your children as livwhich your children as liv-
ing arrows are sent forth."
"You must treat a work of art like a great man: stand before it and wait patiently till
it begins to speak."


## County FmHA Committee Members to be Elected Here November 19

Election of two Farmers Home Administration County Commit tee members will take place on November 19, 1986, County Supervisor Becky Via announced today.
"This is a somewhat historic occasion, Ms. Via said. It is the first time that FmHA county committee members have been elected. Until now, they have been appointed by the agency. The 1985 farm bill calls for two elected and one appointed member on the committee,
The FmHA county committee assists the county office in reviewing applications for farm loans.
Farmers who live in Briscoe County, are of legal voting age and derive the principal part of their income from farming are eligible to vote.
Nominees for the Briscoe County Committee for Farmers County Committee for Farmers
Home Administration are J. E. Home Administration are J. E.
Patton, Jr. and Ross Herrington. Patton, Jr. and Ross Herrington.
"This time, we will elect two committee members," Ms. Via said. "One will serve for one year and the other will serve two years. In the future, all three members will serve three-year terms on a staggered basis, with one position to be filled each
year."
Voting ballots are available from the FmHA county office at 107 W. California in Floydada. Marked ballots must be mailed or dropped off at the FmHA office by November 19.
The Briscoe County election will be held November 19, 1986 at the courthouse in Silverton between 9:00 a.m. and noon and in Quitaque at the First National Bank from 1:00 until 3:00 p.m.

## Conservation Corner

## by

## John Crowell

The conservation of our natural resources is nothing new to most of you. The majority of us in rural America grew up on farms and have been involved in agriculture all of our lives. But what about our children? And what about those who grew up in the cities?
Our society is quickly becoming an "urban" society. Even families only one generation away from the farm begin to away from the farm begin to forget the basics of food and fiber
production. When working with production. When working with
students, I often ask them students, I often ask them,
"Where does milk come from?" "Where does milk come from?" And, "Where do your clothes come from?" You would be
shocked to hear the answers that some children, right in our county, often give to this quescoun
"Where does milk come from?" "The grocery store" or "out of a milk carton.
"Where do your clothes come from?"
"From the store" or "from the clothes factory" or "from the mall."
It often takes some leading to ret the answers that we all take for granted. The fact that milk comes from cows and cotton jeans come from the cotton grown on local farms is one that most of us who grew up on the farm take for granted. But what about our city cousins?
Most people who are not directly involved in agriculture don't give it much thought. As long as they can buy milk at the supermarket and their clothes in the mall, they really don't worry much about the farm economy And news of farmers going out of business doesn't seem to matter much.
What about our children? Do they realize how important agriculture is? Will they remember when they move away from the small town to the city? Do they realize how important our natural resources are?
History is littered with accounts of societies that let themselves forget where their

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) County Committee election this year will be held on 11-19-86. The ballot below must be filled out, detached and mailed and received or returned in person to 107 W . California, Floydada not later than 11-19-86. If you do not vote in person you should mail your ballot inside a blank envelope marked ballot to ensure a secret ballot. This blank envelope should be placed inside the envelope you use to mail your ballot. Your name and address must be legible on the outer envelope. Failure to provide this information will render your ballot invalid. Ballots and envelopes may also be obtained from your local FmHA office.

The slate of nominees for Briscoe County Committee are listed in the ballot below. The qualifications of persons voting are described in the "Voter Certification Statement." For further information regarding voting and voter eligibility, see the county office listed above. FmHA elections are open to all eligible voters without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, political affiliation, marital status, sex, and/handicap.
> U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION
> BALLOT FOR COUNTY COMMITTEE MEMBER(S)

State (Name)
County (Name)
*Candidatels
J. E. PATTON, JR. $\qquad$ $\square$

ROSS HERRINGTON $\qquad$
*ONLY VOTE FOR TWO (2) CANDIDATE(S)

## Please detach this notice before voting ballot

VOTER CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

Subpart W of Part 2054 of Title 7, Code of Federal Regulations requires that all voters for FmHA county or area committee elections meet the following eligibility requirements: (a) be farmers; (b) derive the principal part of their income from farming (that is more than 50 percent of their gross income must come from agricultural production); (c) have their principal farming operation within the county or area for which the election is being held

By submitting this ballot, I attest that I meet the criteria to vote.
food comes from.
Soil and Water Conservation Districts across the nation are involved in many aspects of conservation ranging from technical assistance to farmers to conservation education programs for our children. One of the most important things they do is provide teachers and schools with the materials and assistance with the mater they need to help educate our children about conservation.
Films, slide shows, field trips, Films, slide shows, field trips,
nature study, science projects, nature study, science projects,
and poster and essay contests and poster and essay contests
are made available to any teacher needing assistance.
The object of this educational emphasis is to make our young people aware of where their food comes from. And to help them learn to appreciate the people earn to appreciate the people and the natural resources that give them such an abundance of ood, fiber and other products.
As employees of the USDA Soil Conservation Service, we have the opportunity to help your local Caprock Soil and Water Conservation District to provide these educational opportunities to our children. If you would like more information, or would like to arrang or would like to arrange a program or your class, club or organi

## Consider Source Of Diet Advice

Three national health agencies have issued dietary guidelines that cut through the flood of often misleading advice on how to lose weight, prevent disease and "eat right." Dr. Alice Hunt, a nutritionist and registered dietitian, says many diet plans are designed to sell books, magazines, products, vitamins and special foods. Even legitimate nutrition research findings are nutrition research findings are sometimes used as a basis for overstated claims about certain diets or "miracle" foods, notes the Texas A\&M University Agricultural Extension Service specialist.
To reduce some of the confusion, the U. S. Departments of Agriculture (USDA) and Health and Human Services (HHS), the

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## Texas Oil Wells Have Produced 51.1 Million Barrels Less This Year

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Thursday that Texas oil wells have produced 51.1 million wells have produced 51.1 million
barrels less this past year than barrels less this

## the year before.

This shows that the low price of oil isn't the only culprit working against the Texas economy and the Texas oil industry, he said.
"The drop in production was worth $\$ 772.1$ million at current market prices," Bullock said. "So much attention on declining oil much attention on deciining oil prices may have masked the fact
that production in Texas has that production in Texas has
slipped by more than 140,000 slipped by mo
barrels a day."
He said tax records show that Texas wells were producing about 2.3 million taxable barrels of oil a day in mid-1985.
Production had dropped to slightly more than two million taxable barrels a day by August of this year.
Bullock said the downturn in production alone cost the state about $\$ 35.5$ million in severance taxes during the one-year period based on the Comptroller's estimated average oil price per barrel.
Further, Bullock said, active rotary rigs operating in Texas fell by about 60 percent and drilling permits were down by driling permits were he said.
more than 50 percent, he

The earliest known 200 belonged to Queen Hatshepsut of Egypt about 1500 B. C.

American Heart Association (AHA) and the American Diete tic Association (ADA) have each set forth their own dietary recommendations this year. Dr Hunt says these recommendaHunt says these recommenda-
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achieving a healthy, balanced achiev
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For further information re garding dietary guidelines, she suggests contacting the County Extension Office, your local Heart Association office or a registered dietitian

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Businesses Urged to Plan Ahead to Avoid Year-End Confusion
State Comptroller Bob Bullock has urged Texas businesses to plan ahead to avoid year-end confusion over the state's new sales and gasoline tax rates.
"Consumers won't see the increased taxes until January 1 when they go into effect, bu businesses have to get ready for it in advance," Bullock said.

A special session of the Texas Legislature has raised the state's sales tax rate one and one-eighth percent and added a nickel a gallon to the state's gasoline tax.
"Many cash registers will have to be reprogrammed and employees will have to be trained to handle the new taxes," Bullock said.
He said the end of the year is normally busy for many busines ses and the tax changes can add to the workload unless businesses plan for it.
"My office will be contacting taxpayers and will be sending new rate cards and updated information on these state tax changes," Bullock said.
"I want to remind companies that only the rate and not what is taxed has been changed," he said.
The new tax law will increase the state sales tax rate to 5.25 percent and bring motor fuels taxes to 15 cents a gallon Optional local sales taxes will mean even higher rates in most areas of Texas.

Texans with questions may call the Comptroller's office toll-free at 1-800-252-5555.

## Hard Water Causes Laundry Problems

The quality of your local wate supply has a lot to do with whether detergents can actually work to get clothes clean, says Dr. Ann Beard, a Texas A\&M - University Agricultural Exten sion Service clothing specialist.
"In hard water, much of the detergent added to the washer goes to soften the water instead of clean the clothes," she says "Over time, clothes washed in hard water become dingy or yellow, develop a build-up of soil, may have a stiff, harsh feel or show white or gray streaks on colored fabrics."

The specialist says that you can compensate for hard waterto a certain extent-by using adequate amounts of low-sudsing phosphate detergent and water as hot as recommended for the fabric. The harder the water, the more phosphate detergent you will need to use, she says 23 although this can be expensive and contribute to water pollu tion. Non-phosphate detergents and soap will not perform satisfactorily in hard water, Dr. Beard notes.
In addition to using extra detergent, water can be treated in the washer with a non-precipating water conditioner, or water softener, commonly sold in powder form in the detergent section of grocery stores.

A bridge engineer named Hubert Cecil Booth devised the first vacuum cleaner back in 1901. He was the first to determine that it was easier to clean by sucking dirt in rather than blowing it around.

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## SPS SEAKSTO LOWEI Fuel-Costractor OnBils

Southwestern Public Service Company (SPS) recently filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT) to lower its fuel-cost factors on electric bills fuel-cost factors on electric bills
and to credit $\$ 12$ million in past and to credit $\$ 12$ million in past
fuel savings and interest to its fuel savings and intere
Texas retail customers.
If approved, the fuel-cost factor on residential bills will be reduced from 2.7555 c per kilowatt hour (KWH) to 2.6096 c , beginning with December bills. The change will reduce overall The change w
rates by $2.5 \%$.
The one-time credit will lower December's bill by $\$ 13$ for a
"typical" residential customer who uses 600 kilowatt-hours of electricity monthly, said Sam Hunter, SPS vice president of Hunter, SPS vice president of
rates and economic research. The rates and economic research. The
lower fuel rate will result in an lower fuel rate will result in an
ongoing savings of 88 c a month ongoing savings of 88c a month
for the same "typical" customer.
or the same "typica"" customer.
"This action is possible for two basic reasons," Hunter said. "First, the prices of the natural gas and the coal we use to generate electricity have declined because of the current energy ed because of the current energy
situation. Second, SPS employsituation. Second, SPS employ-
ees have continued to increase ees have continued to increase
the fuel efficiency of SPS power

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WTSU CROPS TEAM MEMBERS (from left)
Patrick Weinheimer, jr., Groom; Dave Mann, Los Angeles, and Warner Bill Settle, Silverton, are "cramming" for competition in the American Royal Collegiate Crops Contest to be held in Kansas City November 18.

# WTSU Crops Team in Important Competitions 

West Texas State University's Crops Team competition began with the Southwest Regional competition at Stillwater, Oklahoma Saturday, November 1.

WTSU competed against Oklahoma State University, East Oklahoma State College and Howard College in the regionals. On November 18 they'll go to the American Royal Collegiate Crops Contest in Kansas City. Novem| Contest in Kansas 22 they'll compete in the |
| :--- | plants. SPS recently was cited as one of the 10 best among the 100 largest investor-owned electric utilities in the United States in terms of power plant generating terms of p ."

Under PUCT regulations en Under PUCT regulations en-
acted in February and revised in July, electric utilities are mandated to file for a fuel-cost adjustment if lower fuel costs lead to an accumulation of at least a $4 \%$ overcollection, and if the lower fuel costs are expected to continue. Interest, calculated at $11.7 \%$ annual rate, is added to the fuel-cost overcollections and will be included in the credit to customers, Hunter said
The new PUCT rule replaced a previous ruling in 1983 that eliminated monthly fuel-cost adjustments and that required electric utilities to establish a fixed fuel factor to be in effect at least 12 months. At that time, fuel costs had been rising steafuel costs had been rising stea-
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prompted the PUCT to make the prompted the PUCT to make the
most recent change in its rules, Hunter said.
Southwestern Public Service Company primarily provides electric service to a population of about one million in a $52,000-$ square-mile area of Eastern and square-mile area ow Eastern and South Plains and Panhandle of South Plains and Panhandle of
Texas, the Oklahoma Panhandle Texas, the Oklahoma Panhandle
and Southwestern Kansas. Cor porate headquarters is in Amarillo, Texas.

Chicago Board of Trade Collegiate Crops Contest. In the latter ate Crops Contest. In the latter
two they'll face $10-12$ teams from strong agricultural schools like Minnesota, Iowa State, Wiscon$\sin$, Kansas State and South Dakota.
WTSU's Crops Team includes Dave Mann, a senior history major from Los Angeles; Patrick Weinheimer, jr., a sophomore plant science major from Groom; Wlant science major from Groom; science major from Silverton, and Coby Kriegshauser, a sophomore plant science major from Hereford.
The competition is in three phases: (1) identification of 200 specimens of plants, seeds, weeds, crops or diseases) (2) seed analysis; and (3) grain grading (grains for commercial use).
"Perfection is our goal" is written on the chalkboard in the room where the crops team prepares. According to Dr. Leonard Wilson, sponsor of the team, the competition is so stiff that even a few mistakes can be disastrous to the team's placing.

But WTSU's team has fared well in recent years. "We generwell in recent years. "We gener-
ally win the regional," Wilson said. And the American Royal and Chicago Board of Trade? "We've usually placed fourth or better every year. We've won four different times."
At the American Royal competition November 18, team members will go on several educationbers will go on several education-
al tours, including the Kansas al tours, including the Kansas
City Board of Trade, General City Board of Trade, General
Mills flour mill, and Farmland Mills flour mill, and Farmland
Industries. The competition is sponsored by the American Royal Livestock Association, the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce, and the Kansas City Board of Trade.
The November 22 competition is sponsored by the Chicago Board of Trade and the American

Seed Trade Association. Besides the competition itself, WTSU's Crops Team will attend a semin ar and visit the Chicago Board of Trade.
Locally, WTSU's Farm and Ranch Club is helping to support the Crops Team. Center Plains Industries will award silver belt buckles to the winners.

## Xeriscape Conference

Xeriscaping is a nationwide concept that focuses on landscape water conservation, and a special conference on that topic special conference on that topic
will be held at the Marriott will be held at the Marriott
North in San Antonio November Nor
$6-7$.

Xeriscape offers a sensible approach to conserving water in the landscape, says a horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A\&M University System.
The upcoming conference will examine the xeriscape concept as it applies to Texas, with discussions of exciting technological advances in water conserving products, plants and techniques. Among issues addressed will be landscape design, soils and mulches, plant selection, irrigation and water management.


The Gray Fox is the only member of the dog family trees.

## LEGAL NOTICE

The Panhandle Regional Planning Commission is in the process of electing a minority representative to fill a position on the Board of Directors. The minority representative will be minority representative will be elected by minority citizens in a
special meeting to be held on special meeting to be held on
Tuesday, November 11, 1986, at Tuesday, November 11, 1986, at
7:00 p.m. in Borger City Hall, 111 East Sixth Street, Borger, Texas. All minority citizens in Dallam, Hartley, Moore, Sherman, Hansford, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Ochiltree, Roberts, Briscoe, Collingsworth, Donley, Gray, Hall and Wheeler Counties are invited to attend this meeting. Information regarding this election may be obtained from Polly Jennings, at PRPC, (806) 372-3381. 45-1tc


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Vice Chairman Zone 5

CAPROCK SOIL \& WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT


CONSERVATION TILLAGE-More Briscoe County farmers are using minimum and chemical tillage such as planting sorghum into wheat stubble. These practices maintain a continuous soil cover for erosion control.


TERRACES-During the past year, 178,243 feet of terraces were installed with assistance through the Caprock SWCD and the Soil Conservation Service. Terraces need regular maintenance to insure erosion protection of cropland, especially during years of heavy rainfall.


PONDS-There are many uses for ponds on rangeland such as erosion control, livestock water and recreation, such as for hunting and fishing areas.

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David Kellum $\qquad$ . . Soil Conservationist Conservation Technician

1986 FINANCIAL STATEMENT


> 595 Operating Units in District 559,506 Total Acres in Operating Unit 395 District Cooperators

482,817 Acres Under District Agreement
The following is a table of the conservation accomplishments that the Soil Conservation Service has assisted the district cooperators in applying.

LIST OF ACTIVITIES

Landowners and Operators Assisted
Farms and Ranches on which Practices Applied
Units of Government Assisted New District Cooperators
Revisions of Conservation Plans Great Plains Conservation Program
Applications Received
GPCP Contract Developed Long-term Agreement Contracts ACP Referrals Serviced
Terraces
Irrigation Pipeline
Test Plots
Windbreak Tree Programs
Trickle Irrigation Systems
Irrigation Wells Tested
Tree Planting Demonstration
Brush Management
Windbreak Seminar
Co-sponsored Briscoe County
Farm Tour
Conservation Education
Programs
News Articles Published
District Conservation Awards
Banquet
Conservation Presentations
Conducted
Conservation Reserve
Program

UNIT No.

APPLIED THIS YEAR No - 164 No./Ac. 13/21,665 Ac.

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No. $27 / 537$ students
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No. 1/174 attend.
No. $\quad 7 / 177$ people
No./Ac.
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CONSERVATION RESERVE PROGRAM allows landowners to put highly erodible land back into permanent grass. Thus far, 16,906 acres have been put into the Conservation Reserve in Briscoe County.


FARM TOUR-Each year the Caprock SWCD cosponsors the Briscoe County Farm Tour, giving presentations on the newest and latest methods of assisting farmers with conservation of their cropland.


BRUSH MANAGEMENT-There are a dozen or more test plots with chemicals to control brush on rangeland, along with weed control on cropland. Newer methods of control are presented to Briscoe County landowners with assistance through the Caprock SWCD.

## THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1986

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SCANNERS: KEEP INFORM ed on weather conditions Grabbe-Simpson Motors, Inc., Tulia.
TRASH BARRELS FOR SALE: Silverton Fire Department. Ask at City Hall. 31-tfnc
FOR YOUR ELECTRIC FEN cing needs, see Brown-Mc Murtry. We have battery, hi line or solar powered fencers. We also carry insulators, gate handles and wire. 46 -tfc

WATKINS PRODUCTS FOR Sale in Silverton. Briscoe County News, 508 South Main Street, or call 823-2333. 41-tfnc
KIRBY VACUUM CLEANERS Sales \& Service, Bags \& Belts. John Bowman, 823-2313. 17-tfc
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Video Home Movies and Players VCR and Beta Overnight or Weekends BROWN HARDWARE

GOOD ALFALFA HAY FOR Sale: Small bales; stored in barn. 823-2038. 52 -tfc FOR BIRTHDAY CAKES* Cake Donuts and Cookies for special occasions, call Lee at 847-2624.

TAMALES: WILL BE READY FOR SALE: STOCK GATES, Panels, Feeders. Brown-McMurtry, Silverton. 40-tfc
500 MINUTES OF LONG DIStance phone calls for $\$ 100$ Inquire at 806-455-1346. 42 -tfc

USED G.E. DRYER FOR SALE. Pat Fitzgerald, 847-2242 after 4:30 p.m. 45-1tc HANDMADE QUILTS For Sale: Mary Irovy, 847-2512. 45-4tp HAY FOR SALE: Contact Tom Garrison, 668-4760. 44 -tfc
ONE 1980 AND ONE 1981 John Deere 283 Cotton Strip per for sale. Been kept in barn Call 983-3603.
1976 Cadillac For Sale. Loaded excellent condition, $\$ 2,000.00$ or best offer. 823-2555 day or night or 847-2246. 42-tfc
SWEET POTATOES For Sale, located $41 / 2$ miles south of Valley School. Joe Edd Helms, Phone 469-5387. 42-tfc

CALVES FOR SALE: 100 300-lb heifers; $6400-\mathrm{lb}$. black baldy heifers; 120 400-lb \#1 Okie heifers; $60 \quad 375-\mathrm{lb}$. \#1 Okie steers. 806-256-2749 or 256 2511.

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GARAGE SALE FRIDAY through Sunday. 1205 South Main. 45-1tp

GARAGE SALE: Men's, ladies and children's clothes, bedspreads, draperies, bath fixture, dishwasher. Lots of odds and ends. Saturday, November 8 only, 9 til ? 1000 Pulitzer, The Brannons.

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## Services

COTTAGE QUILT AND GIFT Shop at my home $1^{1 / 2}$ miles north of San Jacinto School. Mrs. Dallas Culwell. 44-10te TREE AND HEDGE TRIMming. Emert's Nursery \& Tree Service, 823-2567, after 6:00 p.m.

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THREE-BEDROOM HOUSE
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