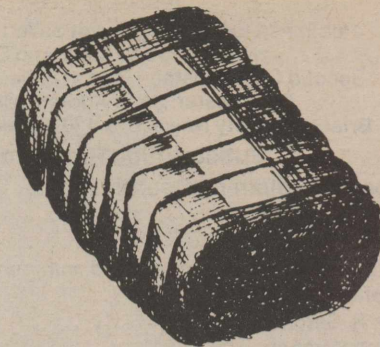
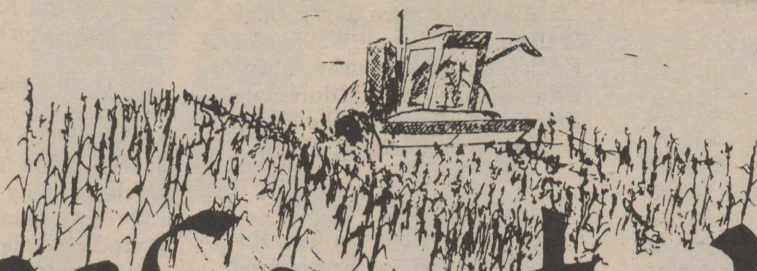


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Caprock Jamboree Set For Saturday Night

The show is booked for the March 3 Caprock Jamboree to be staged in the Briscoe County Showbarn in Silverton at 7:00 p.m.

Local bands to be performing will be Caprock Country and the Country Sounds. Out-of-town bands will be the Purcell Family from Quitaque, the Weathersbee Boys from Amarillo and the Gary Williams band from Kress.

New musicians from the Panhandle Bluegrass and Old Time

Music Association will be performing from Amarillo. There also will be a new country band from Pampa, the Fence Walkers.

For a touch of variety, there will be a cowboy poet, Dennis Gaines, from Matador.

To be a part of one of the shows, call (806) 847-2619. Call as early as possible because bookings for the April Jamboree have begun.

The meal will be served by the Progressive Homemakers, 4-H

and Extension Service Council, beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Don't forget to bring your lawn chairs! Admission is free!

Homemakers to Serve Supper at Caprock Jamboree

Briscoe County Extension Homemakers Council, composed of Valley Extension Homemakers, Progressive Extension Homemakers and Southwestern Extension Homemakers clubs, invite you to have supper with them at the Caprock Jamboree Saturday night, March 3, at 6:00 p.m.

The menu includes stew, cornbread, crackers, tea, coffee and dessert. Nachos and candy also will be available.

Help support 4-H and Extension club projects in Briscoe County. They will be helping pay for the new kitchen and restrooms at the County Showbarn.

Silverton Residents Have Forgotten Money

State Treasurer Ann W. Richards said Friday that more than 120,000 Texans have \$99 million in lost or forgotten money coming to them this year—up 65 percent from last year's \$60 million. Among these are five present or former Silverton residents: Jose Maria Fuentez, Fred Mercer, Ben Whitfill, Martha Ann Wristen and William Brooks Wristen.

All 120,000 are named in the 1990 version of the Texas Treasury Unclaimed Money Fund List which will be published statewide on Sunday, March 4, in 27 newspapers.

"Each year we try to locate as many people as we can and return this money to them," Mrs. Richards said. "Last year about \$26 million was given back to rightful owners."

All listed accounts are worth at least \$50 with the largest account worth close to \$103,000. All safe deposit boxes and stocks are listed regardless of the value.

Generally, accounts on the list are from checking and savings accounts, utility deposits, oil

royalties, and corporate stocks.

Most accounts must be dormant from three to five years before they are turned over to the state.

"There is no set time to make a claim on these accounts," Treasurer Richards said. "Money turned over to the State Treasury can be claimed at any time in the future by the original owner or his or her heirs."

Persons who find their names on the list can call the Texas State Treasury on its toll-free telephone line at 1-800-654-3463 or they can write the State Treasury at P. O. Box 17728, Austin, Texas 78760. The toll-free line opens at noon on March 4.

During the first few weeks after the list is published, the toll-free line is often tied up by the volume of calls. The lines, however, are kept open for an extended period and there is no time limit for making a claim.

The telephone hours are 8:00

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Little Dribblers Organized, Set to Begin Play Monday

Little Dribblers have been organized and assigned to teams, and action in the league is set to begin at 5:00 p.m. Monday, March 5, in the Silverton School gym. There are four teams in the fifth and sixth grade division and four teams in the third and fourth grade division.

Lots of fun and excitement is promised, and everyone is invited to attend as many of their games as possible.

The game schedule, workers and those who have been assigned to bring food for the concession stand may be found elsewhere in this issue of the newspaper. Workers are reminded that if they can't serve where they have been assigned, they are responsible for securing their replacement.

A list of the teams, players and coaches also is contained in this issue.

Citizens Reminded That BCAA Recycling Project Continues

Citizens are reminded that aluminum cans and old batteries are being collected just north of the Spud Tiffin home. Money from the sale of these items will be used to help pay for the showbarn improvements.

A nice new kitchen and two

new restrooms have been added at the showbarn, and are being paid for by the joint efforts of the Silverton Volunteer Fire Department and the Briscoe County Activities Association.

Anyone having old batteries and/or aluminum cans to donate may have them picked up if they will call Leon Lavy.

Also, members of the Briscoe County Activities Association are reminded that dues of \$5.00 per family per year are due, and anyone wishing to join BCAA may submit their dues to Raye Smith or Deb Burson at Briscoe Implement.

L. D. Griffin returned home Monday evening of last week after having been a patient at High Plains Baptist Hospital for several days.

First County-Wide Cultural Arts Fair Planned March 24

The Briscoe County Extension Homemaker Council is sponsoring a Cultural Arts Fair March 24, 1990, in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank in Silverton, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

There will be three classifications of exhibits.

The first will be for Extension Homemakers belonging to Valley Extension Homemakers Club, Progressive Extension Homemakers Club and Southwestern Extension Homemakers Club. This class is the elimination competition for Extension homemakers wishing to enter the District II Extension Homemakers Cultural Arts Exhibit at Littlefield March 29.

The second classification is for 4-H and other youth ages 18 and under.

The third classification is for all other resident Briscoe County artisans.

First and second places will be awarded in each of the categories listed in Class I exhibits ONLY.

Awards for Classes II and III will be "Best of Show", first and

second places.

Exhibit categories are:

1. Paintings, drawings (watercolors, oils, pastels, charcoals, pen and ink). Exhibitors must provide their own display easels, table or floor.

2. Sculpture, any media (bronzes, wood, clay, paper mache, etc.).

3. Photography, black and white, and color (all photos must be framed or properly mounted). Exhibitors must provide their own display easels, table or floor.

4. Fiber arts, knitting, crocheting, macrame.

5. Handstitchery, needlepoint, crewel, embroidery.

6. Rugmaking, hooked, braided, woven, hand-painted floor cloths.

7. Spinning and weaving, hand or loom.

8. Heritage skills, quilling, scrimshaw, dyeing, leather craft.

9. Ceramics and pottery, free form or commercial mold.

10. Quilts, embroidery, appliqued, patchwork, pieced.

11. Handcrafted toy, any mat-

erials.

12. Miscellaneous creations, i.e. baskets (any materials), Christmas tree decorations, any item that does not fit in other categories. Work of the artisans will be judged by paper vote by persons viewing the exhibits. Each exhibit will be numbered as it is placed on display.

No names will be placed on the exhibits. All work must be an original creation of the exhibiting artisan and have been completed since December 31, 1988. No kits, please.

Artisans can help make the Fair excellent by entering their finest creation in each category available. Artisans may exhibit in as many categories as they wish (only one entry per artisan in each category will be accepted). The fair is NOT a sale; rather it is an exhibit of fine art.

All artisans of Briscoe County are needed to "show off" their wonderful talents. Get our your

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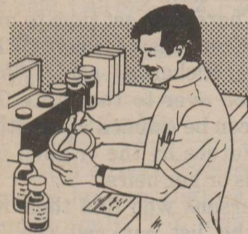
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OBITUARIES

WILLIE A. HILL

Funeral services for Willie A. Hill, 85, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Monday at the Silverton United Methodist Church with the Rev. Lanny Wheeler, Chaplain at Kings Manor Retirement Center, officiating, assisted by the pastor, Rev. Duane Knowl-



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Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements made by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Hill died Friday at Hale Center Care Center.

Born in Sidney, Texas on September 29, 1904, she moved with her family to Prairie View at an early age. The family moved to Briscoe County when she was 16. She married Jesse C. Hill at the age of eighteen in Briscoe County.

Mrs. Hill operated a variety store in Silverton for a number of years.

She was a member of the Silverton Senior Citizens, Silverton United Methodist Church and United Methodist Women.

If you need work done on your vehicle, just call **995-3565** during the day, or call **823-2039 (Joe)** or **823-2498 (Dale)** after 7:00 p.m.

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She is survived by two daughters, Anita Walls and Bettye Long, both of Hale Center; six grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jerry Odell Walls, Larry Wayne Walls, Moe Eddleman, Rocky Curby, Blaine Eddleman, Barry Eddleman, Brandon Eddleman, Blake Eddleman and John Goodner.

COY CAVITT

Funeral services for Coy Hubert Cavitt, 96, of Brownwood were conducted at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 21, at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel in Midland, with Alfred Johnson, minister of North Main Church of Christ, officiating. He was assisted by Delos Johnson of Abilene.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mr. Cavitt died at 1:40 a.m. Tuesday at Midland Memorial Hospital.

Born in Haskell County, Mr. Cavitt moved from Midland to Brownwood in 1979.

He was married to Ethel Debra Schwartz July 1, 1939, in Haskell. He worked for Peckam Refinery in Stamford. They moved in 1942 to Merkel, where he worked for the U. S. Civil Service as an engine aircraft supervisor at Dyess Air Force Base.

He moved to Midland in 1946 and in 1958 established his own business, Coy's Automotive. He retired in 1979. He was an active gospel preacher for 17 years in Brownwood, Blanket and Santa Anna. He was an elder and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; a son, David Cavitt, of Silverton; two daughters, Frances Smith and Cheryl Matchus, both of Midland; a brother, Lester Cavitt of Hamlin; a sister, Alma Cavitt of Andrews; 12 grandchildren, and a great-grandchild.

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cameras, brushes, colors, needles, etc., and create an exhibit if you have given all of your past work as Christmas gifts.

Bring the following information typed or printed on a 3x5 card along with your entry to the Pioneer Room at 9:00 a.m. on March 24 (any entry arriving after 9:45 a.m. will not be entered in a judged category).

You should have one 3x5 card

JAMES WALTER THOMAS

Funeral services for James Walter Thomas, 77, of Knox City, Texas were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Friday, February 23, at the First Baptist Church in Knox City. Burial was in the Knox City Cemetery, with arrangements by Smith Funeral Directors of Knox City.

Mr. Thomas was born in Silverton on February 1, 1913, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Thomas, sr. He grew up in Silverton and was graduated from Silverton High School in 1933. He married Mary Christine Touchstone in 1935. They moved to Knox City in 1939, where he owned and operated a boot and shoe repair shop until his retirement in 1985.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Christine, of the home in Knox City; one son, Walter Monroe Thomas of Fort Worth; two grandchildren, Mary Beth Wells of Midland and Ben Thomas of Fort Worth; two great-granddaughters; two brothers, Perry Thomas, jr. of Silverton and George Thomas of San Antonio; three sisters, Bertha Pavlicek of Silverton, Ruth Parker of Wellman and Margaret Tschirhart of San Antonio.

Perry Thomas and Bertha Pavlicek attended the funeral services in Knox City Friday.

for each item entered, which includes the following information: Name, complete description of item, mailing address, value of item, materials used, category entered.

You will be given a numbered receipt for your exhibit. All items must be picked up by 3:30 p.m. March 24. If you ask someone to pick up your exhibit, please give them your receipt to redeem your exhibit. The sponsoring organization will not be responsible for items not picked up. Artisans from other counties are invited to display their work, but this will not be judged.

All artisans MAY take orders for future delivery.

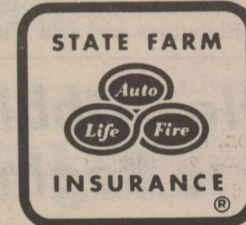
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Looking Back

through the files of the
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February 21, 1980—Snow blanketed Silverton area again over the weekend . . . Valley-Nazareth playoff is tonight . . . Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald attended the San Antonio Stock Show and visited their grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Breedlove, at College Station. Both are Distinguished Students for the fall semester at Texas A&M University . . . National Children's Theatre to stage classic in Silverton . . . Little Dribblers get underway with lots of exciting games . . .

February 19, 1970—The community paid its last respects to one of its pioneer residents at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at the United Methodist Church, with a more-than-capacity crowd present to hear funeral services for R. G. (Gordon) Alexander, 84 . . . Texas Water Rights Commission to hold hearing in Tulia today . . . Bill Strange shows first-place steer in the lightweight class at the stock show in El Paso . . . Walter Fleming was admitted to Bethania Hospital in Wichita Falls Monday afternoon for surgery Tuesday morning, but suffered a heart attack later that afternoon. He is a patient in the hospital's intensive care unit . . . Services conducted for J. M. Thompson, 72 . . .

February 25, 1960—Last rites held for R. M. Haverty, 77 . . . Boys warned on use of B-B guns . . . J. E. (Doc) Minyard and Roy S. Brown nominated for re-election to school board . . . Snow blankets Silverton area . . . Funeral services held for Mrs. Ben Garvin, 88 . . . Board to lease Clinic building to Newsom Rest Home for Aged . . . Funeral to be Thursday for Mrs. Mattie McCracken, 82 . . . Mrs. Ella Lee Weatherly, 75, laid to rest at Turkey . . . Mrs. Gerald Arnold has been a patient in the Plainview hospital several days recently . . . "Each of us should be more interested in our public schools," says Larry Elms . . . Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brannon are parents of a son, Joe Brent . . . D. H. Davis has been a patient at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock since Sunday . . . Mrs. Bud McMinn was in Plainview for a checkup on recent surgery Monday . . .

February 23, 1950—T. R. Whiteside dies suddenly at Dallas Tuesday . . . W. R. (Bill) Hardin enters Sheriff and Tax Assessor race . . . Cecil Seaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney, underwent a major operation at the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo Monday . . . Cross-Palo Duro highway plea is made in Austin . . . Wilton Whitehead had an appendectomy at the Briscoe County Clinic Wednesday morning . . . Printz Brown has recently completed a good eight-inch irrigation well on his farm one and one-half miles west and one-half mile south of Silverton. Clinton Brown completed a good well on his farm adjacent to Printz's farm. Troy Burson, whose farm is located about one mile east of Silverton on the highway, completed a well

on his land, and Wednesday they placed it on pump and from all indications it will prove to be a good eight-inch well . . . Mrs. Gertrude Arnold's song to be broadcast Sunday . . . Fulton Gregg is candidate for County Commissioner . . . S/Sgt. Lester Paige, jr. and Cpl. Jack Paige are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Paige and family. Lester returned January 15 from a 30-month tour of duty in Japan. After a two-month furlough, he will report for re-assignment. Jack has a 15-day furlough after which he will return to Keesler Field, Mississippi, where he will resume his duties as a radar examiner . . . Mrs. Fred Arnold honored at shower . . . C. O.

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Allard attended a meeting of butane dealers in Plainview Tuesday . . . R. C. Hutsell and son, Esdell, were business visitors in Lubbock Thursday . . .

February 20, 1941—Grim Reaper claims two, W. C. Baird and Mrs. W. F. Brittain, here . . . "One man in a hundred would have come through it alive!" That's what the doctor said after examining J. Vaughter Self who was seriously injured in a car wreck near Plainview Monday night of this week . . . Owls win county title in Monday night tilt . . . The government rain gauge which has been in the care of the editor for several years, has been handed on to Raymond Bomar, who is now the official weather

observer . . . Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Mayfield and Jackie and Mrs. Bob Dickerson were Quitaque visitors one day last week . . . Mrs. Vinson Smith and Mrs. John Montague spent from Monday till Thursday in Amarillo visiting relatives . . . Nora Mae Thompson and Mary Dee Mercer spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer . . . Mr. and Mrs. Aulton Durham are the proud parents of a son . . .

February 20, 1930—Local cagers win county championship . . . Owls snatched three in a row from Quitaque five with cumulative power . . . A community outing over the Denver railroad to some of the grand scenics southeast of Silverton was pro-

posed for Sunday week at the Lions Club meeting Tuesday, with the probability of having hot coffee and sandwiches brought out to the picnic site in the late afternoon. It will be necessary to have a guarantee of at least 150 passengers to get the special train of several coaches, and the round-trip fare will be only \$1.10, according to N. M. Baird, station master. The outing planned will be routed by Sterley and east to the two tunnels and other caprock scenics, presenting

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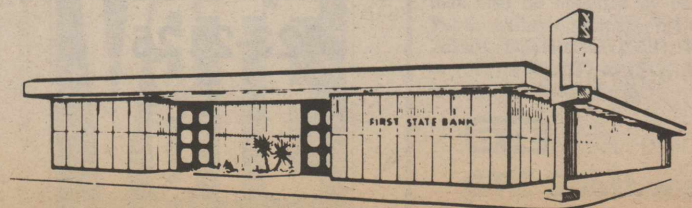
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Future Homemakers To Sponsor VB Tourney

Silverton chapter of Future Homemakers of America will be sponsoring a Volleyball Tournament March 8-9-10. This will be the chapter's fundraiser for the 1989-90 school year.

If you have a team to enter, please call Jealeta Baird, 823-2476, or Tracy Tomlin, 823-2439. There will be a women's division,

men's division and a mixed division. Entry fee is \$36.00 per team.

The FHA members will greatly appreciate your participation. They encourage everyone to get a team together and come enjoy the games and homemade food at the concession stand.

The ten most frequently written words in English are I, the, of, and, to, a, in, that, is, it.

FmHA Housing Money Targeted to Counties That Need it Most

Rural Housing funds are being targeted to 100 counties in 38 states across the nation that need it the most, including Colorado, Frio, Maverick, Presidio and Zavala, according to J. Lynn Futch, State Director for the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA).

FmHA, rural credit service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, regularly funnels millions of dollars annually in housing funds into the small towns and rural areas of Texas.

"Our efforts to provide safe, decent and adequate housing for rural residents have been successful, and yet, some areas are still desperately in need of housing assistance," Futch said.

"We have identified counties that need additional FmHA housing assistance and we are starting a demonstration program to target an additional \$840,000 for multi-family housing and \$1,436,000 for single family housing to them," he said. The counties involved are still fully eligible for the regular single family and multi-family allocations of housing funds the state receives.

Counties were identified as eligible for the program on the basis of a high percentage of very-low income households and substandard housing. After analysis of the volume of FmHA loan and grant making in fiscal years 1986-1988, counties identified as both "needy" and "undeserved" by FmHA housing programs were selected for the program.

Applicants for assistance under the demonstration program must meet all the eligibility requirements for FmHA's housing programs. Information on applying for housing assistance from FmHA can be obtained from any FmHA office. Applications for single family home ownership and housing repair programs are processed at FmHA county offices. Applications for rental housing are processed at FmHA district offices.

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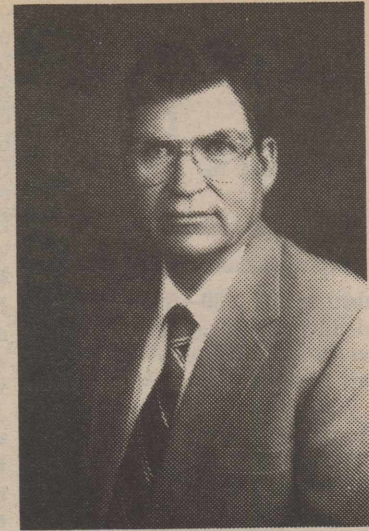
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a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Monday through Friday from March 5 through April 6. After April 7, the hours will be from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The Unclaimed Money Fund List was first published shortly after Mrs. Richards took office in 1983 and she has made collecting and returning unclaimed money one of her top priorities.

Since she took office, the Treasury has collected more than \$273 million in unclaimed funds, which is almost 86 percent of all such funds ever collected in the State of Texas. About 96 percent of all funds returned in the 28-year history of the program have been returned during the seven years of the Richards Administration.

Money that is not claimed by owners is used by the state for education and general state services such as highways and law enforcement. Last year, for example, \$40 million in non-tax revenue was turned over to the Foundation School Fund and the General Revenue Fund.



WAYNE WILBOURN

Wilbourn Named Energas Manager

Wayne Wilbourn has been named to the position of manager in Tulia for Energas Company.

Wilbourn joined the company in September 1967 in the Plainview C&M Department. Prior to being named manager, he served as meter shop supervisor in Lubbock.

Wilbourn, a native of Plainview, attended Wayland Baptist College. Throughout his tenure with the company, he has been active in civic and community affairs.

He and his wife, Naomi, have two children. They will be relocating to Tulia.

Bureau of Census Testing Prospective Employees Monday

The Bureau of the Census is conducting tests for census taker Monday, March 5, at the City Hall in Silverton at 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

Prospective employees are reminded to bring identification and Social Security card.

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The City of Silverton will hold a public hearing on a proposal to tax non-business personal property.

To tax the above property, the City of Silverton must approve the proposal by ordinary resolution or order and must find that the taxation of property as proposed will be in the public interest of all residents of Silverton, Texas.

The public hearing will be held on March 12, 1990, at 7:00 p.m. at the City Hall in Silverton, Texas.

All interested persons may speak at the meeting and present evidence for or against this proposal.

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Ask Ann Richards

What costs can I expect when I close on a house?

Editors Note: State Treasurer Ann W. Richards each week answers questions about personal finance and state government. These questions are compiled from various letters to the State Treasury. Answers are not intended to take the place of advice of reputable financial advisers or other professional counselors.

If you have a question, write:

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fee, an inspection fee, charges to obtain a credit report, an underwriting fee, attorney's fees and the cost of a termite inspection.

The best place to start would be with the lender or a real estate agent. The lender is required to give a "good faith estimate" of costs associated with the loan. If you are working with a real estate agent, he or she should also be able to give you a list of expected costs.

It is wise to shop around for services that may be required as part of the closing, such as a termite inspection. You are smart to get an idea of these costs before you sign on the dotted line.

I am considering opening a business in Texas. I understand I must register my business name with a state agency, but I am not sure which one. Must I also register the name with the city and county in which it will operate?

If you choose to incorporate your business, you must register its name with the Secretary of State's office. Contact them at (512) 463-5555. If you choose not to incorporate, register the business' name with the county clerk's office in the county which business will be conducted or services will be rendered.

My wife and I are looking for our first home. We have found some incredible deals and are now trying to budget downpayments and closing costs. Each time I check into it, it seems there is yet another fee or charge! How can I get a realistic estimate of closing costs?

The costs associated with closing on a house can really add up. Trying to get an estimate of closing costs can be difficult primarily because each company charges different amounts for various services. Sometimes the names of the services are different even though the service provided is the same.

Some of the costs at closing time can include an appraisal

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some views unexcelled anywhere . . . Warner Grabbe will show baby beeves in Amarillo . . . Young Jim Haynes gets a 25-lb. gain in a week from one of his baby beeves . . . Mrs. Elmer Stinson gave luncheon recently in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Wilson . . . J. L. Watters is building a concrete tank on his farm . . .

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Miss Cavitt Honored at Bridal Shower Here

Miss Laura Cavitt, bride-elect of Jeff Whitehead, was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower Saturday, February 24, in the home of LaVern Kingery.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Kingery and presented to the bride-elect, her mother, Martha Cavitt, and the mother of the prospective bridegroom, Berilyn Whitehead of Ropes.

The registry table was covered with a white lace cloth with a votive candle and feather pen. Guests were registered by Beverly Minyard.

Assorted cookies, mints, nuts and punch were served by Michelle Crowell, Laura Long and Donna Estes from a table covered with a forest-green cloth. Peach napkins and a silver coffee service also were used. The centerpiece was a large

natural-color basket filled with peach flowers and a forest-green bow. The corsages and centerpiece, a gift to the bride-elect, were made by Annette Roehr.

Special guest was Elois Matthews of Seminole, grandmother of the honoree.

A vacuum cleaner was given to the couple by the hostesses, including LaVern Kingery, Beverly Minyard, Michelle Crowell, Laura Long, Donna Estes, Marsha Brunson, Deb Burson, Cindy Comer, Lynda Fogerson, Kathy Kingery, Brenda Patton, Beverly Bowman, Mary Lane Younger, Patsy Towe, Carolyn Lowrey, Cathey Weak, Jealeta Baird, Dorothy Martin, Dorcas Garrison and Della Boling.

The tongue is the strongest and most flexible muscle.

Mrs. Brooks Surprised With Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Leona Brooks, daughter of late Briscoe County pioneers, H. L. O. and Delia Riddell, was surprised with a birthday dinner at her home Sunday. Mrs. Brooks was expecting her daughter to come to take her to Amarillo to be with her for a short time. She was astonished to have family members drive up to her house laden with food. A bountiful dinner was served along with the traditional birthday cake which had been made by her new son-in-law.

Although it took her two attempts to blow out the candles, she never gave up. At the age of 85 years, there are quite a few candles to be extinguished. This was followed by a rousing but tuneless rendition of "Happy Birthday," and more eating and

visiting.

Those relatives attending included her daughter, Jane, and husband, Thomas, along with granddaughter Christy Lusk of Amarillo; Juanita (Sis) and Mart Self, a sister and brother-in-law; J. L. and Faye Self, a nephew; Lou and Roy Younger, a niece; Zobie Self, another niece; Tobe Riddell, a nephew, and Flute and Junis Hutsell, another nephew. Coming just in time for cake were Jeanetta Bradford and Lydia Couch of Childress, both great-nieces of Mrs. Brooks.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

March 1—Lois Walker, Anthony Minyard, Gloria Segura, Mary Garcia, Stacie Minyard

March 2—Mark Patton, Ryan Minyard

March 3—Ty Lee Gregg, Mary Grantham, Connie Simpson, Rena Castillo

March 4—Bronc Otis, Zane Reagan

March 5—Carl Minyard, Wayne Cartrite, Wesley Francis, Matt McGinn

March 6—John Cavitt, Preston May, Nannie Bomar, Mary John Harris

March 7—Diamond Williams

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO ...

March 3—Mr. and Mrs. Jace Francis

March 5—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lee Perkins

March 6—Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. James Henderson

March 7—Mr. and Mrs. Victor McGavock

4-H Clover Club Members Adopt Secret Grandparents

Members of the 4-H Clover Club recently adopted secret grandparents, and these special friends of the 4-H'ers will be invited to a tea Monday, March 5, at the First Baptist Church. At that time, their secret grandchildren will be revealed.

During the next few days, the 4-H Club members will be doing special things anonymously for those they have selected to be their secret grandparents.

Adult leader, or manager, of the 4-H Clover Club is Charlotte Rhoderick.

Genealogical Group To Be Organized Here Monday Night

Are you proud of your ancestors? Would you like to know more about them? If so, join with others in organizing a joint Briscoe and Floyd County Genealogical Discussion Group.

An organizational meeting is scheduled for March 5, 1990 at 7:00 p.m. at the Briscoe County Courthouse.

For more information about the meeting please call Mrs. Tommy (June) Sherman at 652-3436 or Sharon Pigg at 823-2520.

You are invited to attend the first meeting.

P.A.S.S. Meets In Nance Home

Prayer and Share Sisters met with Lois Nance to study "The Establishment of Christ's Church in the First Century."

The study revealed that Jesus established the divine kingdom, or the church, in the city of Jerusalem on the first Pentecost following Christ's ascension into heaven.

The early church was a faithful church. They held Christ first in their lives. They were ready to die for the church, and many of them were killed for their conviction.

In March, the P.A.S.S. will study "Faith and Obedience." Anyone wishing to study with this group is welcome to attend.

Quilting Club to Meet in Francis Home

Michelle Francis will host the Quilting Club on the afternoon of Tuesday, March 6, in her home.

If you are interested in learning how to quilt, you are invited to attend.

Republican Women Meet in Gill Home

The Briscoe County Republican Women's Organization met February 21 in the home of Wilma Gill.

Campaign Committee Chairmen discussed each candidates' qualifications for their respective offices in the Primary Election March 13. Candidate information and brochures were distributed to members and will be mailed to voters.

Members were reminded of absentee voting February 21 to March 9, and were urged to vote absentee if they would not be able to vote on March 13.

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Snacking Can Be Good For You

It's so easy to grab a candy bar or munch on some potato chips when between meal hunger pangs strike, but why load your body with empty calories? There are plenty of nutritious and satisfying snacks that are easy to prepare and many others that require no preparation at all.

Next time it's snack time, just say "no" to a candy bar and "yes" to the following appetizing ideas:

- Any kind of fresh fruit
- Unbuttered popcorn
- Dried fruits such as prunes, raisins, or apricots
- Small handful of nuts
- Whole grain bread or apple wedges spread with peanut butter
- Cottage cheese on toasted bread or crackers
- Fruit-flavored yogurt

Or, try Oats and Apple Trail Bars, an easy to prepare snack that starts with a convenient Apple-Cinnamon Muffin Mix.

Oats and Apple Trail Bars

- 1 package (7 ounces) Martha White Apple-Cinnamon Muffin Mix
- 1/2 cup quick cooking oats
- 1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter or margarine, melted
- 1/4 cup chopped nuts
- 2 tablespoons brown sugar
- 2 tablespoons honey

Heat oven to 350°F. Combine all ingredients and stir to blend. Press mixture into an ungreased 9-inch square cake pan. Bake 20 to 25 minutes or until golden brown. Cool 5 minutes and cut into bars or squares while warm. Makes 16 2-inch squares.

Every home cook should have a few Granny Smith apples on hand. These shiny green apples top the list for both out-of-hand eating and baking because of their extra crisp texture and tart flavor. And Granny Smiths are available in peak form all year around.

When cooking with Granny Smith or other apples, remember the following helpful tips:

- About three medium apples make one pound.
- When diced, one pound of apples will yield about three cups.
- It takes about two pounds of apples to make one 9-inch pie.
- To prevent cut surface of the apple from browning, dip in citrus juice (lemon or orange).

Try the following terrific recipe with Granny Smith apples:

Fresh Apple Nut Cake

- 2 eggs
- 1 3/4 cups sugar
- 1 cup vegetable oil
- 2 1/2 cups sifted Martha White Self-Rising Flour
- 1 cup chopped walnuts
- 3 cups chopped peeled apples

- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- Cream Cheese Icing (see below)

Preheat oven to 300°F. Grease 13x9x2-inch baking pan; set aside. Combine eggs, sugar and oil in bowl; blend well. Gradually add flour, blend well. Stir in walnuts, apples, cinnamon

and vanilla; blend well. Pour into prepared pan. Bake one hour and 10 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool in pan. Frost with Cream Cheese Icing. Makes 12 to 15 servings.

Cream Cheese Icing

- 1 package (8 ounces) cream cheese, at room temperature
- 1/2 cup butter or margarine, softened
- 4 1/2 cups (16 ounces) confectioners' sugar, sifted
- 2 teaspoons vanilla

Combine all ingredients in mixing bowl. Beat with electric mixer until smooth and creamy.

Pageant is March 17

L. O. A. Junior Study Club will sponsor the annual Miss Mackenzie Pageant at 8:00 p.m. Saturday, March 17, in the Silverton School Auditorium.

Contestants must attend school in Lockney, Tulia, Floydada or Silverton, and be 16-18 years of age.

Deadline for entries is March 9, and entry forms may be picked up at the local newspaper office or at the school office.

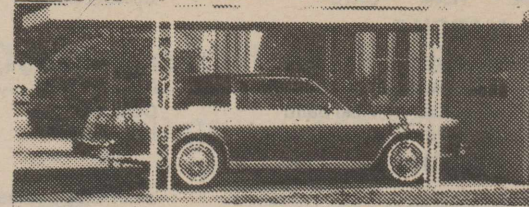
Rehearsal for the pageant will be Tuesday, March 13, at 6:00 p.m. in the Silverton School Auditorium.

For further information, call Kim Mayfield at 823-2127.



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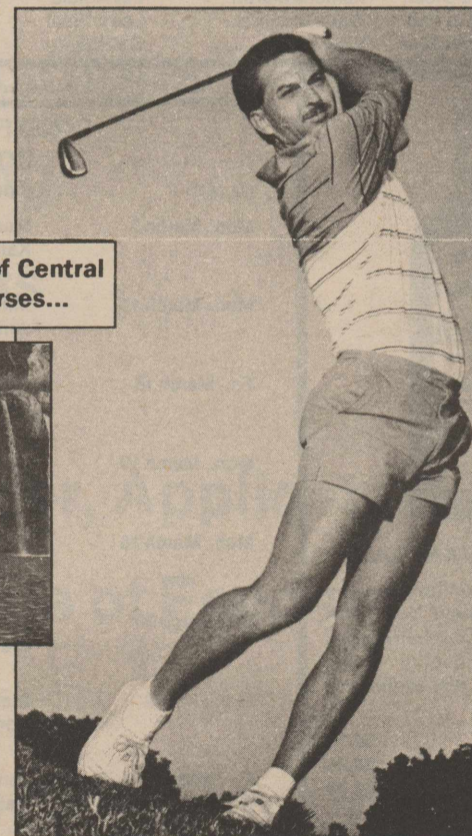
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LITTLE DRIBBLERS' SCHEDULE, WORKERS

TIME	GRADE	TEAM	GATE	CONCESSION	BOOK	CLOCK
MONDAY, MARCH 5						
5:00	3&4	Blue vs Green	Pat Arnold	Marsha Brunson	John Wyatt	Perry Brunson
5:45	3&4	Yellow vs Red	Cynthia Younger	Cathy Weaks	Kathy Kingery	Juannah Jennings
6:30	5&6	Green vs Red	Vicki Baird	Connie Smith	Mary Jo Brannon	Wayne Stephens
7:15	5&6	Black vs Blue	Wanda Cordes	Lee O'Neal	Paula Bomar	David Johnston
MONDAY, MARCH 12						
5:00	3&4	Red vs Blue	Michelle Francis	Jimmie Sue Estes	Debbie Holt	Tom Justice
5:45	3&4	Yellow vs Green	Frances Gamble	Janinne Brooks	Rhenda Burson	Diane Donahoo
6:30	5&6	Blue vs Red	Sheila Reagan	Sheryl Weaver	Darrah McCammon	Gail Wyatt
7:15	5&6	Green vs Black	Gayla Hurst	Dianna Johnston	Mary Ann Sarchet	Johnny Tiffin
FRIDAY, MARCH 16						
5:00	3&4	Red vs Green	Cindy Comer	Bena Hester	Brad Ziegler	Tommy Burson
6:00	3&4	Yellow vs Blue	Nora Cruz	Anita Ramsey	David Holt	Bryan Donahoo
7:00	5&6	Black vs Red	Barbara Edwards	JonEtta Ziegler	Dewey Estes	David Reagan
8:00	5&6	Green vs Blue	Charlotte Rhoderick	Betty Stephens	Lynn Smith	Hand Baird
MONDAY, MARCH 19						
5:00	3&4	Yellow vs Red	Cathy Weaks	Ramona Martin	Tommy Burson	Brad Ziegler
5:45	3&4	Blue vs Green	Janet Justice	Mary Wilkinson	Pat Arnold	Obelia Bullock
6:30	5&6	Black vs Blue	Gary Martin	Gail Wyatt	Roger Younger	Rick Hester
7:15	5&6	Green vs Red	Connie Smith	Mary Ann Sarchet	Tommy Davis	Wade Brannon
MONDAY, MARCH 26						
5:00	3&4	Red vs Blue	Debbie Holt	Kathy Kingery	Jimmie Sue Estes	Perry Brunson
5:45	3&4	Yellow vs Green	Rhenda Burson	Deb Burson	Janinne Brooks	Cynthia Younger
6:30	5&6	Green vs Black	Wanda Cordes	Mary Jo Brannon	Eddie Rhoderick	Dee Arnold
7:15	5&6	Blue vs Red	Johnny Tiffin	Vicki Baird	Betty Stephens	Eldon O'Neal
FRIDAY, MARCH 30						
5:00	3&4	Red vs Green	Cindy Comer	Janet Justice	Bena Hester	Roger Younger
6:00	3&4	Yellow vs Blue	Michelle Francis	Juannah Jennings	Marsha Brunson	Linda McWilliams
7:00	5&6	Green vs Blue	Eddie Rhoderick	Gail Wyatt	Dianna Johnston	Hand Baird
8:00	5&6	Black vs Red	Lee O'Neal	Darrah McCammon	John McCammon	Anthony Kingery
MONDAY, APRIL 2						
5:00	3&4	Blue vs Green	Frances Gamble	Diane Donahoo	Bryan Donahoo	Anita Ramsey
5:45	3&4	Yellow vs Red	Janinne Brooks	Cynthia Younger	Ramona Martin	David Holt
6:30	5&6	Black vs Blue	David Reagan	Sheryl Weaver	JonEtta Ziegler	Emilio Cruz
7:15	5&6	Green vs Red	Tommy Davis	Barbara Edwards	Rick Hester	Dewey Estes
FRIDAY, APRIL 6						
5:00	3&4	Red vs Blue	Sheila Reagan	Debbie Holt	Anthony Kingery	Tom Justice
6:00	3&4	Yellow vs Green	Obelia Bullock	Linda McWilliams	Tommy Burson	John Wyatt
7:00	5&6	Green vs Black	David Johnston	Charlotte Rhoderick	Dee Arnold	Gary Martin
8:00	5&6	Blue vs Red	Lynn Smith	Paula Bomar	Wayne Stephens	John McCammon
MONDAY, APRIL 9						
5:00	3&4	Yellow vs Blue	Juannah Jennings	Nora Cruz	Jimmie Sue Estes	Kathy Kingery
5:45	3&4	Red vs Green	Ramona Martin	Pat Arnold	Perry Brunson	Cathy Weaks
6:30	5&6	Black vs Red	Wade Brannon	Lee O'Neal	Emilio Cruz	Eldon O'Neal
7:15	5&6	Green vs Blue	Vicki Baird	Gail Wyatt	John Wyatt	Eddie Rhoderick

**LITTLE DRIBBLER TEAMS
3rd & 4th Graders**

- BLUE**
Gary Weaks & Bill Brooks
Trey Ziegler
Molly Brooks
Lindsey Weaks
Matt Martin
Miles Comer
Donny Burson
Will Hester
Tyra Younger
Jamie Casillas
- YELLOW**
Nancy & Ken Wood
Leland Wood
Lacy Brunson
Destiny Ivory
Jay Arnold
Chris Justice
Eddie Patino
Misty Wilkinson
Junior Castillo
- GREEN**
Barry Francis & Ken Sarchet
Jared Francis
Shauna Kingery
Lindsey Jennings
Jonathan Ivory
Jared Holt
Jeremy Holt
Michael Reagan
Lorn Estes
Melissa Barraza
Trista Davis
- RED**
Jimmy Burson & Dwight Ramsey
Kenzie Burson
Dara Ramsey
Trey Wyatt
David Gamble
Andy Bullock
Bert Garza
Colter Gilmore
Amanda Cruz
David Donahoo

5th & 6th Graders

- BLACK**
Bill Brooks
Jeremiah Brooks
Carrie Baird
Jessica Maciel
Kristi Smith
Christina Stephens
Zeb Holt
Terry Davis
- GREEN**
Max Weaver
Shannon Weaver
Phil Patino
Patrick O'Neal
Marshall McCammon
Anthony Gamble
Molly Bomar
Mary Ann Maciel
Heidi Tiffin
- BLUE**
Barry Francis & Ken Sarchet
Brandon Sarchet
Roderick Ivory
Lupe Vargas
Patricia Patino
Lori Brannon
Kara Kingery
Billy Edwards
Isabel Patino
- RED**
Larry Comer
Cy Comer
Rico Cordes
Arnold Garza
Christina Hurst
Vanessa Martin
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Minerva Patino
Kimmie Blazier

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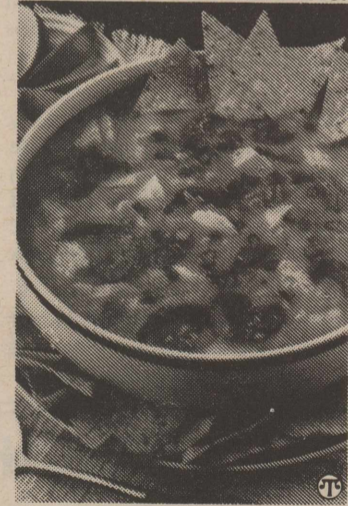
A popular mainstay of the family menu, soup, combines some of our favorite foods and can be part of almost any meal. From hearty bouillabaisse on a warm winter day to a summery gazpacho, soup offers variety and an outlet for creative cookery.

This special recipe from the sunny Yucatan combines several cans from the cupboard in a spicy one-dish meal. Not only is it easily prepared from the pantry shelf, it can be cooked in minutes in the microwave or on top of the stove. Remember to keep a variety of cans on your shelf to serve as the basis of your own soup creations. Serve Yucatan Lime Soup with guacamole and chips for a complete south-of-the-border meal.

YUCATAN LIME SOUP

- 1 can (10-1/2 oz.) Chicken ala King -OR-
- 1 can (10-3/4 oz.) Creamy Chicken Mushroom soup
- 1 can (5 or 6-3/4 oz.) chicken -OR-
- 1 can (6 oz.) tuna packed in water
- 1 can (13-3/4 or 14-1/2 oz.) chicken broth
- 1 can (16 oz.) stewed tomatoes
- 1 can (4 oz.) chopped chilies
- 1/4 cup thinly sliced green onions
- 2 tablespoons lime juice
- Dash cayenne pepper
- Tortilla chips
- Lime wedges

Put Chicken ala King and chicken in a 2-quart microwave-safe casserole.



Cover and microwave on high power for 5 minutes. Stir to mix and break up chicken, add chicken broth, tomatoes and chilies. Cover and microwave on high power for 6-7 minutes, stirring once or twice. Stir in onions, lime juice and cayenne. Crumble tortilla chips in soup bowls, ladle hot mixture over chips. Accompany with lime wedges. Makes 6 cups (4-6 servings)

NOTE: Recipe also may be prepared in a 2-1/2 quart saucepan on top of the stove, warming ingredients over medium heat and adding in the order noted above. Stir in onions, lime juice and cayenne just before serving.

**FOOD FOR LITTLE DRIBBLERS'
CONCESSION STAND**

DATE	1 DOZEN BROWNIES	1 DOZEN RICE KRISPIES
Mon., March 5	Marsha Brunson Kathy Kingery	Gail Wyatt Pat Arnold Cynthia Younger
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Mon., April 2	Diane Donahoo Connie Smith	Janet Justice Sheryl Weaver Nora Cruz
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Fri., April 9	Deb Burson Sheila Reagan	Kathy Kingery Jimmie Sue Estes Bena Hester

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farm bill on the President's desk before November elections. And Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. is no exception.

One PCG officer, Board Chairman Myrl D. Mitchell of Lenorah, February 22 and 23 was in Tucson, Arizona for input on the drafting of legislative language for an improved federal crop insurance program. And two others, President Steve Verett of Ralls and Executive Vice President Donald Johnson, are scheduled to work in Washington the week of February 26 on the more basic provisions of the law.

Mitchell is the cotton spokesman on the Federal Crop Insurance Commission, created by Congress in 1988 to recommend changes needed in the multi-peril crop insurance policies offered by the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC). After a half-dozen meetings and numerous field hearings, the Commission has suggested yield and

price guarantee and other producer options to make FCIC policies a much more effective way for farmers to protect against natural disasters. The Tucson meeting grew out of a request from House Agriculture Committee Chairman Kika de la Garza (D-TX) that the Commission put its suggestions into legislative form.

Mitchell is one of ten producers on the Commission, serving with ten insurance industry representatives and FCIC General Manager John Marshall. The FCIC program has been roundly criticized and the Administration has recommended it be replaced by a "standing disaster program." But surveys by Texas A&M and others have indicated strong producer support for retaining all-risk insurance, especially if it can be improved as recommended by the Commission.

Verett and Johnson's activities in Washington will center on a hearing March 1 called by Senator David Pryor (D-AR), Chairman of the Senate Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing and Stabilization of Prices. In addition, meetings are planned with four individual members of the subcommittee plus High and Low Plains members of the House Agriculture Committee. Assistance also will be sought from the offices of Texas Senators Phil Gramm (R) and Lloyd Bentsen (D). On the House Committee from this area are Larry Combest (R-Lubbock), Charles Stenholm (D-Stamford) and Bill Sarpalius (D-Amarillo).

"Essentially," says Johnson, "we will be stumping for continuing the major provisions of the current program, with emphasis on the marketing loan program, including the current mandatory 50-cent minimum loan level and provisions for eight-month loan extensions with favorable treatment of carrying charges."

Also high on PCG's list of priorities, he adds, is target price levels no less than those in effect for 1990 crops, adequate crop loss protection through FCIC or a comprehensive disaster payment program, reasonable conservation compliance regulations, no reduction in payment limitations, and guarding against flexibility proposals that would destroy the effectiveness of production control mechanisms.

In addition to Chairman Pryor, individual meetings are set with Senate Subcommittee members Thad Cochran (R-MS), Wyche Fowler, Jr. (D-GA) and Howell Heflin (D-AL).

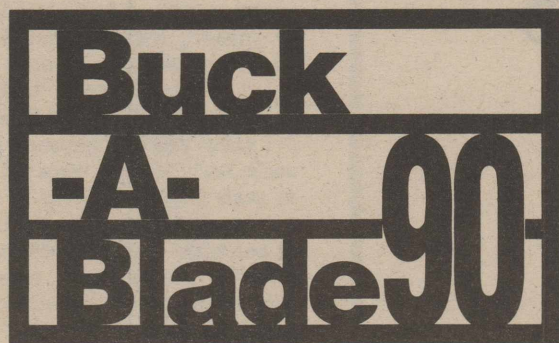
Joining Verett and Johnson in these meetings will be representatives of the Mississippi Delta Council, Arkansas Agriculture Council, Southeastern Cotton Growers, Southern Cotton Ginners and, says Johnson, "possibly others who are fully committed to our position on these issues and may bolster our efforts."

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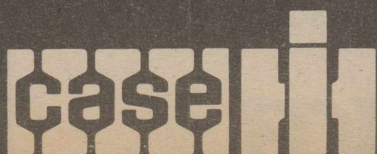
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The names of the three CentraNet® packages have changed from Standard, Premium, and Deluxe to CentraNet® 1000, CentraNet® 2000, and CentraNet® 3000, respectively. Direct Call Pickup has been added to the three CentraNet® packages while Multiple Call Park and Shared Speed Call 30 have been added to CentraNet® 2000, and Speed Call 30 and Call Forward Busy/No Answer Split have been added to CentraNet® 3000. Flexible Night Answer and Automatic Route Selection also have been added as new optional features.

The proposed changes and new service offerings have been assigned Docket No. 9251, and pursuant to Section 43(d) of the Public Utility Regulatory Act will become effective June 23, 1990. Rates for service will be applicable to customers who subscribe to the service as well as existing customers. Therefore, there will be no effect on any other rates of the company. The company's gross annual revenues will increase by approximately \$399,600, or less than one percent annually.

The proposed rates are on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and are available for public inspection at the offices of GTE Southwest Incorporated. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission. The deadline to intervene in this docket is 3:00 p.m., March 19, 1990.

A request to intervene, participate, or for further information, should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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Predicting Pest Outbreaks One Of 1990's First Tasks for Farmers

One of the toughest pests for farmers to control—chinch bug—commonly attacks Texas sorghum. Predicting where and when infestation will be helps farmers save their crop, and can help them save money.

Chinch bugs can devastate sorghum (with stand losses of 80

percent not uncommon) in unprotected fields. And even in fields where insecticides are used, chinch bug populations can be so high even treated plants are overwhelmed.

While sorghum farmers have some very effective insecticides at their disposal, predicting

when farmers should use them represents a challenge. Most farmers would rather wait until they see the pests attack their crop, or at least appear in large numbers, before treating their crop.

This assures farmers they are using the products only when needed. But, because chinch bug infestations are so powerful and the young plants they attack are so vulnerable, preventive treat-

ments are recommended.

In Texas, predictions for 1990 are variable. In some areas, growers have pretty much learned to expect chinch bug every year. In other areas, farmers have to rely more on predictions for what's going to happen.

Prediction is valuable because it leads to a critical control decision—to apply at planting or try to control the pests when they appear. A lot of what

happens will depend on the severity of the winter weather (cold, wet winters reduce populations) and how dry it is in the spring. In general, dry springs—last of April through May—increase populations. But none of these measures are absolute.

Farmers who wait to treat after chinch bugs are present need to be ready to act quickly.

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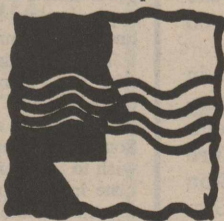
Your furnace needs an annual check-up.

Every year before cold weather hits, your furnace should be thoroughly inspected by a qualified professional heating contractor. Your natural gas furnace is so reliable that once it's been checked over, it should require very little attention the rest of the winter.



A closet isn't always a closet.

Your water heater or furnace is probably in a closet all by itself. And that's the way it should stay. As tempting as it may be, don't use the space around a water heater or furnace for storage. Even if these major appliances sit in the open, the space around them should be kept clear to insure adequate air circulation.



If you smell gas.

If you smell gas near an appliance, it may be just a pilot light out or a burner valve open slightly. You can easily correct this type of problem yourself. But if a gas odor persists, or you cannot determine its source, call Energas at once. We'll check out the problem at no cost to you.

While waiting for one of our service representatives, don't strike a match, flip light switches or use any other electrical equipment in the area. *If the odor is strong and getting stronger, leave the premises immediately.* Call from a nearby phone as soon as possible.



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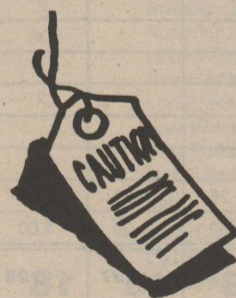
When lighting gas appliances, always follow the instructions of the manufacturer. *Always light the match before turning on the gas.* Installation, service, repair, and disconnection should always be handled by a qualified

person. When moving an appliance, be sure the gas supply is shut off. Make certain every gas appliance has an adequate supply of fresh air.

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Bible Study/Prayer 7:00 p.m.
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Friends, R.A.s 7:00 p.m.

SECOND SATURDAYS:

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Sunday
I Timothy
1:15-20

Monday
Hebrews
10:35-39

Tuesday
Hebrews
12:1-11

Wednesday
James
1:1-8

Thursday
II Peter
1:1-9

Friday
Revelation
13:1-10

Saturday
Psalms
37:1-7

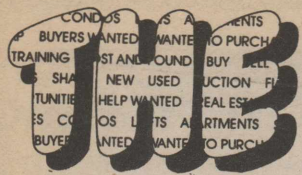
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Pol. Adv. Pd. For by David Cave

RANDY HOLLUMS

Floydada, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Randy Hollums

FOR COUNTY JUDGE, Briscoe County, Texas:

JIMMY BURSON

Silverton, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Jimmy Burson

FOR COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK, Briscoe County, Texas:

BESS McWILLIAMS

[Re-election]

Silverton, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Bess McWilliams

FOR TREASURER, Briscoe County, Texas:

JANICE HILL

[Re-election]

Silverton, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Janice Hill

FOR COMMISSIONER, Briscoe County Precinct 4:

FRED A. STRANGE

Silverton, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Fred A. Strange

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Briscoe County Precinct 1:

JAMES R. EDWARDS

[Re-election]

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CONNIE SMITH

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We are encouraging everyone to participate in our programs for sports physicals and immunizations.

Parents: Be sure your children's immunizations are up to date. There are cases of measles in the area which can endanger the life of your child.

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Again, we say thanks and look forward to providing medical care to your community.

Bryan Irvin, M. D.
Shirley Watson, CFNP
Vicki Wederski, LVN
Angie Guerrero, Receptionist

I would like to thank Wayne and Tina Nance for the gift of money they gave to me for my trip to Washington, D. C. Also, I want to thank everyone for the words and notes of encouragement. I had a lot of fun and gained a great deal of insight into our governmental set-up, but it's really nice to be home.
Teddy Hubbard

Dear friends and neighbors,

We would like to extend our thanks to all of you for the many kindnesses shown to us during my stay in the hospital and since I've been home.

The cards and calls, the food, flowers and other gifts and remembrances are so greatly appreciated, and the prayers, love and concern are especially appreciated. May God richly bless each of you every day of your lives.

Sincerely,
Lottie and James Clemmer

Dear friends,

Thank you for everything that you have done to help me through this time of bereavement. Even in my sorrow you have helped me know that I'm still one of the luckiest girls in the world.

Susie Perry

Thank you for every kindness, the prayers, food, visits, flowers, cards, and the numerous things we've not mentioned. Your love and support have made our loss easier to bear.

Charlie, Fern,
Brit and Susie

A very special thank you to my secret friend who sent me the beautiful flowers! You really know what "makes my day"!

God bless you,
Jonnie Weaver

I thank you for the cards, telephone calls, visits and prayers from everyone while I was in the hospital.

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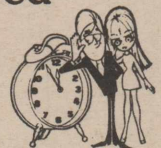
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