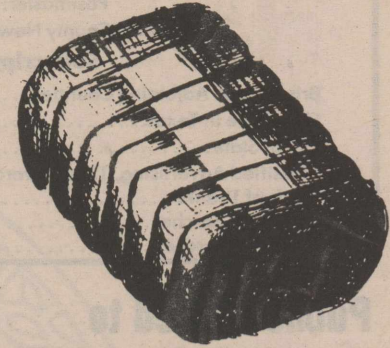
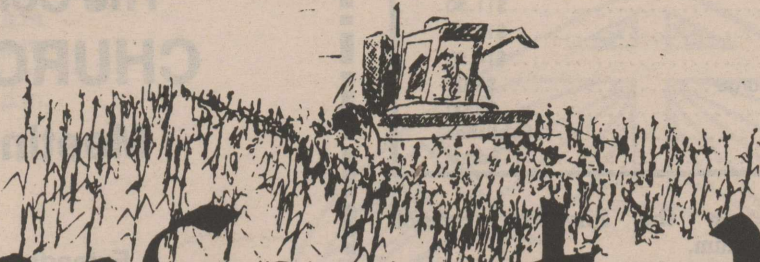


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## All Around The Town

BY MARY ANN SARCHET



Back at the first of the deployments to the Middle East, quite a lot was mentioned about the youth of the men and women in the military and some seemed to feel that a lot of casualties would result from their being young and inexperienced.

Well, now they have proven themselves and soon most of them will be coming home. I hope they will be welcomed with open arms all over these United States, because I feel they deserve it! They have carried our banner high and have proven their leadership and training to be more than adequate.

I feel that if all were known, our military youth probably were involved in numerous acts of heroism in their devotion to duty.

I'm hoping that the soldiers who have roots in Silverton will be given leave when they come home, and that we can have a gigantic welcome home party for them.

I know that good has come from this war we have fought, not from the protection of the oil reserves, but for the freedom from persecution of the Kuwaiti people. The acts of atrocity they have suffered are unbelievable!

One fringe benefit from our participation in the war—and one I believe we needed badly—is the renewal of patriotic pride among our people. Patriotism had been on the decline for many years, and really had been buried pretty deep since the Vietnam days. I'm glad to see it back, alive and well; I think we will be seeing a lot more of it in the days ahead as we welcome home our brave young men and women. I hope not a single one of our soldiers is made to feel as the returning Vietnam veterans did when they came home from "the war that should never have been."

### DEPLOYMENT

A late deployment I have just learned about is that of SSGT Robert Youngquist of McConnell Air Force Base at Wichita, Kansas. His address is not available at this time. He is the son of Clifford and Helen Youngquist of Lubbock and grandson of Ewing and Louise Vaughan of Silverton.

### Booster Club to Have Last Meeting to Plan Banquet

Silverton's Booster Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 14, in the Junior High School building. This will be the final meeting to plan the annual athletic banquet.

Those who would like to have a say in planning the banquet need to be at the meeting or forever hold their peace, members have been admonished. 2tnc



Those named to All-District basketball teams from Silverton High School recently were (left to right) Aimee Francis, Julie Graham, Bradley Brunson and Kirk Couch. All are senior team members except Miss Francis, who is a sophomore.

Briscoe County News Photo



Members of the All-District academic basketball team this year are (left to right) Aimee Francis, Stephen Cavitt, Kami Martin and Ashleigh Wyatt. Miss Francis and Cavitt are sophomores, and the others are freshman players.

Briscoe County News Photo

### Meeting Being Called to Plan Briscoe County's Centennial Birthday

A meeting is planned at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 14, at the showbarn, to make plans for Briscoe County's centennial birthday celebration in 1992.

It is hoped that at least two representatives will attend from each organization and church in Silverton and Quitaque, and all others interested in the county's 100th birthday anniversary.

Efforts will be made to make this the biggest county birthday celebration residents have ever seen, but it will take a large number of dedicated citizens to make this happen.

It takes more sugar to sweeten a cold drink than a hot one.

### Flag Missing From Silverton Residence

Someone has taken the flag which was in a lighted display at the Jack Strange home.

Mr. and Mrs. Strange certainly would like to have it returned, so if you have any idea where it is or who took it, please let them know.

### A. R. Martin Memorial Fund Started at Bank

A fund in memory of Archie Ray Martin has been started at First State Bank.

Money donated to this memorial will be used for a permanent addition to the community, with an enclosed barbecue at the showbarn having been suggested.

If you would like to contribute to this memorial, you may contact David Tipton at First State Bank in Silverton.

### Special Meeting to Provide Another Opportunity to View "Let's Talk Rock"

A special meeting will be held Monday, March 11, at 7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria by Silverton PTA.

This special meeting was scheduled to give everyone another chance to view the video, "Let's Talk Rock—Rising to the Challenge."

This video was shown at the regular PTA meeting February 21, and PTA was asked by school officials to re-check and show it again.

The film deals with material found on albums the children are listening to every day. The subject matter is extremely shocking and eye opening for many parents, unaware of what their children hear and see on stage at rock concerts and listen to on their own stereos.

Pornography, satanism, drugs, sex, suicide and violence are graphically displayed in the music, on album covers and at concerts, and these things are brought out by the video.

Due to the sensitive nature of the film, no children will be allowed to view it. Therefore, babysitters will be provided so ALL parents can attend.

This is a must for all parents, grandparents and friends who are concerned about the welfare of their children. This is not just for PTA members; the school administration strongly urges everyone's attendance at this vital meeting.

### Mayor, Two Councilmen To Be Elected Here in May

A mayor and two councilmen are to be elected May 4 by voters in the City of Silverton.

The term of the late mayor, A. R. Martin, Councilman Lynn Frizzell, who recently resigned to take the office of Justice of the Peace, and Councilman John Bowman are expiring this year.

Those remaining on the council are Dwain Henderson, F. E. Hutsell and Jim Estes.

March 20 is the last day candidates can file for a place on the election ballot.

### Masonic Lodges Having Open House Sunday, Mar. 10

Every Masonic Lodge in Texas is having open house from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 10.

Silverton residents especially are urged to attend the open house at Lodge 754 A.F.&A.M.

### Freshman Class to Sponsor Volleyball Tournament Soon

The Freshman Class is sponsoring a volleyball tournament April 4-5-6. Entries are being solicited at this time.

To enter your team, call the school at 823-2476, Coach Clyde Parham or Braden Towe.

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Arlington, spent the weekend with their cousins, Bertha Mae Allard and Jettie Hardcastle.

Tammy, of Colorado Springs spent Sunday with their grandmother, Bertha Mae Allard. They are moving to College Station.

Sgt. Chris Allard and his wife,

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Evening ..... 8:00 p.m.

### Public Invited to Presentation of UIL One-Act Play Mar. 14

The UIL One-Act Play, "Louder, I Can't Hear You" will be presented for the public Thursday, March 14, at 7:00

p.m. in the Silverton School auditorium.

The cast includes Carrie Ann Grabbe, Mother; Julie Graham, Daughter; John Cavitt, Father; Brian West, Son; Bradley Brunson, Dr. Phillips; Emmy Garcia, Nurse; Wayne Henderson, John Cavitt and Bradley Brunson, Voices.

Crew members are Bryan Breedlove, Brian Martin and Monica Arnold.

The play is a comedy by Bill Gleason, published by Dramatic Publishing Company.

Everyone is urged to attend for an evening promised to be filled with entertainment.

Admission will be \$2.50 for adults and \$1.00 for students.


Johnnie McGann of Vernon and her two daughters, Virginia Sivley of Vernon and Carolyn Perlovoski of



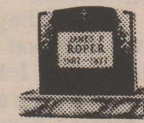
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TIME	GRADE	TEAM	GATE WORKER	CONCESSION STAND WORKERS	BOOKKEEPER	CLOCK KEEPER	RULES ENFORCERS	CONCESSION STAND BROWNIES	FOOD RICE KRISPIES
<b>TUESDAY, MARCH 12</b>									
5:00	3-4	Red vs. Navy	Ramona Martin	Cynthia Younger, Sheila Reagan	Michelle Francis	Rick Minyard	Dwight Ramsey	Cynthia Younger	Diane Donahoo
5:45	3-4	Green vs. Purple	Deb Burson	Mary Wilkinson, Darrah McCammon	Pat Arnold	Tom Burson	Mike Juarez	Juannah Jennings	Cindy Comer
6:30	5-6	Blue vs. Red	Jean Mayfield	Barbara Edwards, Erma Reyna, Angela Garcia	Debra Smith	Perry Brunson	Phil Mayfield		
7:15	5-6	Gray vs. Black	Cindy Comer	Janet Justice, Tom Justice	Mary Ann Sarchet	Ken Sarchet	Larry Comer		
<b>FRIDAY, MARCH 15</b>									
5:00	3-4	Purple vs. Navy	Cathy Weaks	Pat Arnold, Kathy Kingery	Beverly Minyard	Rick Minyard	Barry Francis	Jean Mayfield	Rhenda Burson
6:00	3-4	Red vs. Green	Frances Edwards	Saundie Wade, Ramona Martin, Connie Netro	Juannah Jennings	David Reagan	David Johnston	Marsha Brunson	Jonann Sarchet
7:00	5-6	Gray vs. Blue	Jonann Sarchet	Tom Burson, Deb Burson	Mary Ann Sarchet	Brad Ziegler	John Wyatt		
8:00	5-6	Black vs. Red	Vici Baird	Cindy Comer, Jean Mayfield	Rhenda Burson	Twila Baldwin	Larry Comer		
<b>TUESDAY, MARCH 19</b>									
5:00	3-4	Purple vs. Red	Debbie Holt	Gloria Wood, Diana Ivory	Jimmie Estes	David Holt	Mickey Smith	Lydia Segura	Jimmie Estes
5:45	3-4	Navy vs. Green	Diane Donahoo	J. Jennings, Anita Ramsey, Olivia Martinez	Ramona Martin	Brian Donahoo	Gordon Wade	Cathy Weaks	Kathy Kingery
6:30	5-6	Black vs. Blue	Frances Edwards	Jonann Sarchet, Beverly Minyard	Kathy Kingery	Anthony Kingery	Russell Baldwin		
7:15	5-6	Red vs. Gray	Frances Gamble	Mickey Smith, Debra Smith	Marsha Brunson	Ken Wood	Stanley Gamble		
<b>FRIDAY, MARCH 22</b>									
5:00	3-4	Green vs. Purple	Tammie Edwards	Diane Johnston, Cathy Weaks	D. McCammon	Juannah Jennings	Tom Justice	Beverly Minyard	Rosa Vargas
6:00	3-4	Navy vs. Red	Anita Ramsey	Erma Reyna, Diane Donahoo, Estella Garza	Mary Ann Sarchet	Twila Baldwin	John Wyatt	Jonetta Ziegler	Darrah McCammon
7:00	5-6	Gray vs. Black	Jonetta Ziegler	Janinne Brooks, Cindy Comer	Gail Wyatt	Rick Hester	Bill Brooks		
8:00	5-6	Blue vs. Red	Marsha Brunson	Twila Baldwin, Nancy Wood	Sheila Reagan	Jimmy Burson	Ken Wood		
<b>TUESDAY, MARCH 26</b>									
5:00	3-4	Navy vs. Purple	Cathy Weaks	Michelle Francis, Jimmie Estes	Mary Ann Sarchet	Mike Juarez	Gary Weaks	Paula Bomar	Saundie Wade
5:45	3-4	Green vs. Red	Saundie Wade	Paula Bomar, Diana Ivory, Mary Castillo	Gloria Wood	Gary Weaks	David Johnston	Janet Justice	Euphemia Barraza
6:30	5-6	Gray vs. Blue	Janinne Brooks	Debra Smith, Mickey Smith	Cynthia Younger	Dwight Ramsey	Bill Brooks		
7:15	5-6	Black vs. Red	Rhenda Burson	Marsha Brunson, Perry Brunson	Jean Mayfield	John Wyatt	Jimmy Burson		
<b>FRIDAY, MARCH 29</b>									
5:00	3-4	Red vs. Purple	Debbie Holt	Frances Gamble, Darrah McCammon	Anita Ramsey	Dewey Estes	David Holt	Vici Baird	Deb Burson
6:00	3-4	Green vs. Navy	Pat Arnold	Paula Bomar, Vici Baird, Brenda Klein	Cathy Weaks	Gary Weaks	Dee Arnold	Michelle Francis	Debbie Holt
7:00	5-6	Black vs. Blue	Phil Mayfield	Rhenda Burson, Jimmy Burson	Mary Ann Sarchet	Barry Francis	Ken Sarchet		
8:00	5-6	Red vs. Gray	Nancy Wood	Mike Juarez, Estella Juarez	Gail Wyatt	Mickey Smith	Eloy Reyna		
<b>TUESDAY, APRIL 2</b>									
5:00	3-4	Red vs. Green	Gail Wyatt	Barbara Edwards, Saundie Wade	Mary Ann Sarchet	Diane Johnston	Roger Younger	Anita Ramsey	Pat Arnold
5:45	3-4	Purple vs. Navy	Dewey Estes	B. Minyard, Jonann Sarchet, Rosa Vargas	Deb Burson	Tom Burson	Dee Arnold	Tammie Edwards	Nora Cruz
6:30	5-6	Blue vs. Red	Debbie Holt	Jean Mayfield, Phil Mayfield, Brenda Klein	Rhenda Burson	Jimmy Burson	David Reagan		
7:15	5-6	Gray vs. Black	Jonetta Ziegler	Pat Arnold, Bill Brooks	Janinne Brooks	Brad Ziegler	Juan Barraza		
<b>TUESDAY, APRIL 9</b>									
5:00	3-4	Navy vs. Green	Saundie Wade	Brian Donahoo, Diane Donahoo	Ramona Martin	Juannah Jennings	Gary Weaks	Erma Reyna	Debra Smith
5:45	3-4	Purple vs. Red	Debbie Holt	Lydia Segura, M. Francis, Euphemia Barraza	Beverly Minyard	Rick Minyard	David Holt	Sheila Reagan	Gloria Wood
6:30	5-6	Black vs. Red	Vici Baird	Sheila Reagan, Janet Justice	Jean Mayfield	Tom Justice	Phil Mayfield		
7:15	5-6	Gray vs. Blue	Brad Ziegler	Kathy Kingery, Anthony Kingery	Mary Ann Sarchet	Perry Brunson	John Wyatt		
<b>FRIDAY, APRIL 12</b>									
5:00	3-4	Purple vs. Green	Tammie Edwards	Frances Gamble, Cathy Weaks	Diane Johnston	Gary Weaks	Mike Juarez	Frances Gamble	Ramona Martin
6:00	3-4	Navy vs. Red	Cindy Comer	A. Ramsey, Cynthia Younger, Maria Castillo	Michelle Francis	Dewey Estes	Rick Minyard	Barbara Edwards	Gail Wyatt
7:00	5-6	Gray vs. Red	Jimmie Estes	Estella Juarez, Mike Juarez	Gail Wyatt	Tom Burson	Dewey Estes		
8:00	5-6	Black vs. Blue	Frances Edwards	Vici Baird, Janinne Brooks	Mary Ann Sarchet	Ken Sarchet	Barry Francis		

# Looking Back

through the files of the  
Briscoe County News

**February 19, 1981**—Property re-appraisal begins this week in Briscoe County . . . Funeral services conducted for Charles M. Payne, former elementary teacher and school principal . . . Volunteers needed to help with Silverton Relays . . . Christi Comer

shows grand champion barrow at Stratford . . . Tea honors all former Extension Homemakers . . . Aoudad sheep hunt called successful . . . John Francis named Volunteer of the Month at Lockney Care Center . . .

**February 25, 1971**—Shotgun taken in South Plains break-in believed murder weapon in Lillian Kesler case . . . Blizzard takes heavy toll of livestock . . . Richard Souter, high school principal, resigned his position with the Silverton School at the school board meeting last Thursday. He has accepted a similar position with the Whiteface School District . . . School Open House planned Sunday in new and remodeled facilities . . . Elected to serve as Young Farmer officers are Dwain Henderson, president; Donald Perkins, vice-

president; Alton Riddell, secretary-treasurer, and Fred Minyard, reporter . . . Glenda Ramsey is a new student in SHS . . .

**February 16, 1961**—Pascal Garrison is county champion of annual DeKalb contest . . . Jesse Grimland is now open for business in his new blacksmith and welding shop located across the highway from Don's Shamrock Service . . . Janice Donnell, a junior student at Las Vegas College, has been awarded an expenses-paid trip to a Student Educational Association Convention in Las Cruces, New Mexico . . . Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer observed their 55th wedding anniversary Monday . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Strange honored on their silver wedding anniversary . . . Steve Brown,

eight, was injured in a fall at school at noon last Thursday . . . Miss Ina Lou Grabbe is bride of Edward C. Lain . . . Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baird are parents of a daughter, Christi Jeannine; Mr. and Mrs. Kit McDaniel, jr. are parents of a daughter, Kaila D'Ann . . . Ruby Brannon honored as Eta Chi chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha International queen . . . Celene Lanham will be Silverton High School's valedictorian, and Dale Francis will be the salutatorian . . .

**February 22, 1951**—Miss Fayree McMinn is bride of Melvin Watkins . . . Mr. and Mrs. Troy Cox and Latresa visited Mr. and Mrs. Andy Chappell in Amarillo Wednesday . . . Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett visited friends in the Plainview hospital Tuesday . . . Mrs. Frances Lenora Skaggs, 78, died in Colorado Springs . . . Rev. and Mrs. Porter Arnold of Elliott are visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mack Walker . . . Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Duncan injured in traffic accident Thursday east of Kress . . . March of Time Study Club meets with Mrs. Roy Mayfield . . . LTD Club meets with Mrs. J. W. Lyon, jr. . . . Joyce Deavenport Kelly and Eldon Degge have enrolled at Abilene Christian . . . Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold are parents of a daughter, Marjory Ann . . . Mrs. T. G. Olive and Betty visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Olive Sunday in Plainview . . . Born to Mrs. Donald Weast February 12 at Memorial Hospital in Lubbock, a son, Donald Dee, jr. . .

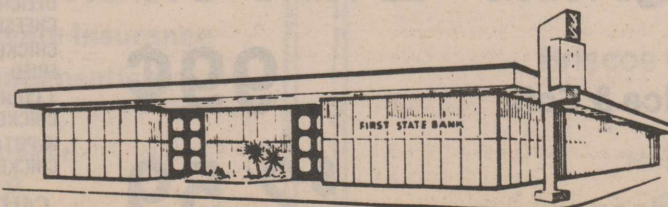
**February 28, 1946**—The home of Mrs. Bill Edwards was the scene of a quilting party Wednesday. Those attending brought covered dishes and spent the day quilting . . . Mrs. Wayne McCutchen entertained Monday afternoon with a party honoring her daughter, Waynelle, on her sixth birthday . . . Winona Francis has been elected president of Delta Zeta Chi a campus sorority at West Texas State . . . Making the honor roll at West Texas State College were June Wimberly, Carlyn Wimberly, Wilma Lee Francis, Winona Francis and Faye Rampley . . . Mrs. Wood Hardcastle of White Deer visited relatives here over the weekend .

**February 20, 1936**—P. D. Jasper announces candidacy for Precinct 3 commissioner . . . Roy F. Barber announces for commissioner in Precinct 4 . . . Members of the Farmers Fuel Association met with other farmers of the vicinity Friday and formulated plans for organizing a Farmers Cooperative Grain Company . . . A 1934 Ford V-8 was found at the Caprock Sunday morning, overturned on the curve, by local officers. No occupants were in the car and nothing showed whether or not anyone was injured in the accident . . . A two inch snow fell on Silverton Tuesday night . . . Editor Roy Hahn wrote: J. H. Burson of north of town was in town Monday. Came in after chewin' tobacco, he said. J. H. was perfectly satisfied with the weather. "Just right down to the canyons to cut wood," he said. "A fellow will cut twice as much today as on a warm one." He said he was in Kansas City one time when it was really cold there. On a street car a fellow said to him, "Kinda cold isn't it old timer?" "Seen it a lot colder than this," said J. H. "Well then Mister," the man replied, "There's only one place you could have come from, and that's Amarillo" . . .

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### District Commissioner Seeking to Reorganize Scouts

District Scouting Commissioner Steven Rawson of Tulia will be attempting to reorganize Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts in Silverton.

He has asked that anyone interested in Scouting contact him at 806-995-4838 (home) or 995-4634 (business).

# Granddaughter of Local Couple Wins Trip to Capital

It's quite an honor but Tonya Gerhardt, a junior at Graham High School and granddaughter of Freeman and Jackie Tate of Silverton, feels she is up to the challenge of representing GHS as well as Texas at the National Young Leaders Conference this summer in Washington D. C.

Miss Gerhardt, daughter of Richard and Jackie Crawford of Graham and Robert A. Gerhardt of Amarillo, will be one of only 350 high school students (out of over twenty million nationwide) nominated to become a Congressional Scholar.

Those attending the week-long conference will meet with high-ranking government officials, senators and representatives, members of the Washington diplomatic corps, national media figures and prominent scholars.

"I would really like to meet Defense Secretary Dick Cheney, Barbara Bush, Jim Baker or Collin Powell to name a few," said Miss Gerhardt who already has begun making a list of dignitaries she hopes to meet and sites she wants to see.

But that shouldn't be a problem as the entire week has been scheduled to allow for lots of sightseeing and visits with dignitaries.

"I want to visit the Vietnam Memorial, see the Declaration of Independence and JFK's gravesite," Miss Gerhardt said. "I can't believe that I am actually going to get a chance to witness how our government works and see all the historical sites of Washington."

The Congressional Scholars will see first-hand the inner workings of the government as they attend a mock session of Congress, meet with members of the President's Cabinet, and much more.

They will attend a number of special functions held in their honor, including a presentation on the floor of the House of Representatives and a special White House issue briefing.

"This is a great opportunity to go to our capital to see and experience how our government works, so we as leaders of tomorrow can make it better for everyone," Miss Gerhardt said.

But in order for Miss Gerhardt to take advantage of this great experience she is going to have to do a little fundraising. She, however, is already making plans for that.

"Over \$1,000 is what it will take for me to be able to go to Washington and that's a lot of money, but it is a small

price to pay for this opportunity," she said.

With a little help from her father and grandparents, possibly some aid from area civic organizations and a lot of hard work on her part, Miss Gerhardt

will be jetting to Washington this summer to attend the National Conference.

Miss Gerhardt is a former resident of Silverton and a former student in the Silverton Schools.

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## Lanita Cantwell is Hostess to Southwestern Extension Homemakers Club Recently

Southwestern Extension Homemakers Club met in the home of Lanita Cantwell on Thursday, February 28. Roll call was answered with "My Contribution to the Environment."

Some interesting things were told by each member. The program was "Protect Our Environment" given by Virginia Hardin. It was very interesting. If you haven't already started recycling, do it now. You'd be surprised at the things around the house you can re-do and re-use.

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# Let There be Peace

## Let There Be Peace

by Kara Kingery

Peace is on everybody's minds. Now more than ever we need peace in families.

Each family member should respect other's feelings and should try not to hurt anybody's feelings. They should talk about their problems and feelings since someone in the family may have a solution. You may find that talking may help you feel better about yourself. Loving each other is what makes a family strong. Not loving a person in the family can tear a family apart.

It takes everybody in a family to make peace. By loving, talking and respecting each other, we will have peace.

## Let There Be Peace

by Christine

In Saudi Arabia there is war going on. Of course everyone knows that. My feelings about this war are not very good. I don't like wars, fighting or anything violent. I suppose this was going to come sooner or later. If we didn't begin fighting then Saddam Hussein would have more control than he does. He would have control over more than what he wants now. In other words, war is not good. Our country just has to do what we have to do! Our soldiers over there are some brave people to be going against Saddam and his soldiers. Knowing that he is insane. This war hopefully will be over soon. So our soldiers can come home and be safe!

## Let There Be Peace

by Lance W. Smith

I think the statement "let there be peace" is a dumb one. I think that we must totally wipe out the country of Iraq until there is not a building left standing. All of the military buildings, factories, schools, churches, businesses and homes wiped out completely. To

prove to the world the U. S. is the most powerful nation on earth.

## Let There Be Peace

by Melissa

Saddam Hussein is nothing short of a crazed madman. He must be taught that no one can just move in and take over a country. Not only has he terrorized and tortured the people of Kuwait but he has also brutalized the people in his own country.

The Allied Powers have given Saddam plenty of time and chances to get out of Kuwait. He has not done the smart thing and gotten out, so now it's time to take action! The Allied Powers should pay no attention to any peace terms Hussein tries to make. He's the one who got himself into this war; he shouldn't be asking US for peace!

## Let There Be Peace

by Wil Bomar

Peace should be a very important part of everyone's life. If there was peace in everyone's heart it would make life much more easy. There would be no more fighting, stealing or wars from now on in the world.

## Let There Be Peace

by Amy Minyard

To me when someone says the word "peace" I think of no one fighting. Everyone will be friends. There will be no fighting among families and friends and most of all there will be no fighting among countries.

Right now in the Middle East there is a war going on. I think that it is a good thing to be doing. Saddam Hussein could get more power than he has now and then the Americans would have to fight him later. It is better to fight him now than to have to fight a more powerful man.

A lot of people think differently about the war. I think there will be peace as soon as we fight Saddam Hussein and get our troops home.

## Let There Be Peace

On the subject of "Let There Be Peace," all I can say is, sounds great! But is it really possible. If everyone were at least partly civilized, it might be possible, but there are the idiots in places like Central America and the Middle East who are too stupid to invent their own weapons but are able to buy them from us. No one should ever let these under-developed countries have our (the industrialized nations) technology. These fools are going to have to get past their primitive and sometimes barbaric ways in order for the rest of us to have peace.

It is, of course, not entirely their fault. We may be more civilized and peaceful but we haven't got past one thing: the love for the almighty dollar. This love condemns us to fight in countless wars because we'll sell anything for a buck including our weapons. Those third-world countries think of them as new ways to kill each other instead of for defense, supposedly their intended purpose, and we wind up butting in because we think one of them is getting too bold for their britches. We send our young men and women over there to die in an attempt to stop them. This in turn, arouses more hatred in the people we live there, leading us to yet another battle in the future and ending all hopes for peace.

## Let There Be Peace

by Aimee Francis

There are only a few people in the world that don't want peace. Saddam Hussein is one of them. That is why we are in this war in the first place. I am all for peace. I do not wish to see our young men and women killed. There must be a better solution to work things out than to fight. I feel that we should end this war as soon as possible.

## Let There Be Peace

by Christy Nease

Let there be peace means being able to get along with every country. It would be nice if the U. S. and every other country could make peace for once. People don't realize that if all the countries come and work together that maybe we could help this country's environment. If we can't work together we can at least mind our own business and not interfere with other countries' problems.

## Let There Be Peace

by Stephen Cavitt

The statement above has a very strong meaning. The statement is a cry for peace in the Middle East and all over the world. It's asking Iraq and the Allied forces to stop fighting and to "let there be peace" between our nations. It is implying that we don't have to go to war but to have peace. This statement should be thought about by our leaders.

## Let There Be Peace

by Casey Frizzell

Let there be peace is a statement that I wish would come true. I wish there was world peace and that everyone always got along. I wish there would be no conflict in the world. Nothing good

is going to come out of this war. Even if we win the war we are going to have Americans die. There have already been Americans die. There has also been many of Iraq's people killed. This war needs to end right now, before anything else happens.

## Let There Be Peace

by Lance Bradford

The statement of let there be peace means that the war in the Persian Gulf come to a stop, and all of the American troops would come home. I hope the war comes to an end very soon.

## Let There Be Peace

by Jose Araujo

The statement let there be peace means that the war in the Gulf be resolved soon. That the war would stop and no more people being killed on either side. That the two sides in the war can get along with each other. That there would not be so much disagreement between the two sides. And that all of the other nations get along with each other.

## Let There Be Peace

by Dusty Martin

To me the statement "Let There Be Peace" refers to the war in the Persian Gulf. I hope for a quick finish to this war, and with a low number of casualties. When I think of peace I think of the casual mood of the country during peacetime. I also hope for Saddam's quick withdrawal from Kuwait and the return home of our soldiers.

## Let There Be Peace

by Stan

Let there be peace is a statement that should be taken to the heart by every human being in the entire world. With this statement taken to heart, there would be no fighting with neighbors or wars with other nations.

## Let There Be Peace

by Cecilia Castillo

Let There Be Peace is a statement that everyone is saying. To me this statement means a lot of things. First of all we need to have peace within ourselves. I think we need peace as a nation. We also need to have peace in the world. If we had peace in the world a lot of people would not be getting hurt. I hope after the war in the Middle East that there can be peace in the world.

## Let There Be Peace

by Frank Ramirez

Write an essay on the subject "Let There Be Peace." What does this statement mean to you?

I wish there was peace in the world, but I know that that will never happen because there are too many greedy people in the world and there are lots of people that want power. For these reasons, there will never be peace.

Peace means that the world is not fighting each other and that people are trying to help other people out, as well as countries trying to help other countries. If there was peace the world would be a lot better and safer for everyone to live in.

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Annell Davis, Joni Mayfield, Addlene Towe, Elaine Forbes, Polly Montague, Faye Rampley, Norma Vaughan, Peggy Strange and Beverly Bowman (pictured left to right) were joined by Geneva Griffin and Junis Hutsell for a meeting of Century of Progress Study Club in the home of Mrs. Vaughan on Thursday, February 28. The club's annual "Heart Fund Workshop" was held during the meeting. Mrs. Rampley is the Briscoe County Heart Fund Chairman. Letters were being prepared to be sent to all Briscoe County residents, and after stuffing and addressing the letters, a salad luncheon was enjoyed. Next meeting will be at 3:00 p.m. March 28 in the home of Mrs. Rampley with Ted Kingery, minister of Silverton Church of Christ, as guest speaker on the topic "Sharing Christianity With the Russians."

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**Luke Thompson to be Honored on 80th Birthday**

A former Silverton resident, Luke Thompson, who now resides at 2305 10th Street in Brownwood, Texas 76801, will be honored at a reception celebrating his 80th birthday from 2:00 until 5:00 p.m. March 16 at the Holiday Inn, 515 East Commerce in Brownwood.

It has been requested that no gifts be sent.

Mr. Thompson was a long-time resident of Silverton and operated the Texaco Station here. The Thompson home was one of those hit by the 1957 tornado, and his late wife underwent surgery many times as a result of the injuries she received in that storm. Friends will remember that the night of the tornado, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, their son and daughter were taken to four different area hospitals.

**Little League Meeting Planned March 14**

For anyone interested in starting a Little League baseball program for the youth ages five to eighteen, there will be a meeting Thursday, March 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

If you have any questions, please call Twila Baldwin, 823-2339.

**Bradford Selected As Fireman of the Year**

Doug Bradford was selected by his fellow members of the Silverton Volunteer Fire Department as Fireman of the Year for 1990, and received announcement of the honor at the recent Fireman's Banquet.

Bradford is an officer of the fire department, makes most of the fires and practices, and has attended several fire schools. In addition, he has conducted an extensive public education program for the fire department.

The Bonehead Award was presented to Lynn Frizzell for an incident that happened about a year ago.

**Future Homemakers Are Sponsoring VB Tournament**

Silverton's chapter of Future Homemakers of America is sponsoring a volleyball tournament March 7-8-9. This is their fundraiser to help pay for the expenses of the annual Sweetheart Prom.

The members and their sponsor, Mrs. Patsy Towe, are hoping you will plan to attend the games to give the group your support.

Homemade baked goods will be in the concession stand as well as meal items. They are looking forward to seeing you there.

**Spring Meeting to Begin Soon at Rock Creek Church**

A spring meeting is to begin soon at the Rock Creek Church of Christ. Dr. James Johnson of Stanton will be doing the preaching, and the public is invited to attend these services March 10 - 17.

Sunday's meetings will be at 10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., and weekday services will be at 7:30 p.m.

Dr. Johnson is minister of the Church of Christ in Stanton at present, having formerly been head of the speech department at Lubbock Christian University. He is married to the former Lesa Francis, and is a son-in-law of John and Maebelle Francis. Lesa, Jonathan and Angela will accompany him here to spend the week with relatives and friends.

**Silverton School Honor Roll**

Fourth Six Weeks

- Twelfth Grade—John Cavitt
- Eleventh Grade—Langdon Reagan
- Tenth Grade—Stephen Cavitt, Aimee Francis, Christy Nease
- Ninth Grade—Matt Francis, Kami Martin, Christa Tucker, Ashleigh Wyatt
- Eighth Grade—Hilda Garcia, Holly Nance, Rosie Segura

- Seventh Grade—Molly Bomar, Vanessa Martin, Shannon Weaver
- Sixth Grade—Zach Baldwin, Marshall McCammon, Brandon Sarchet
- Fifth Grade—Shauna Kingery, Windy Wood, Trey Wyatt
- Fourth Grade—Jay Arnold, Donny Burson, Lorn Estes, Matt Martin, Misty Wilkinson
- Third Grade—Nathan Francis, Laura McCammon
- Second Grade—Brooke Garvin, Taylor Griffin
- First Grade—Amanda Estes, Andrew Francis, Kurby Garvin, Amy Maciel

**Silverton School Lunchroom Menu**

March 11 - 15

- Monday—Corn Dog, Beans, French Fries, Peanut Butter Cup, Milk
- Tuesday—Spaghetti and Meat Sauce, Salad, Corn, Cheesestraws, Cookie, Milk
- Wednesday—Soft Burritos, Salad, Pinto Beans, Cornbread, Cake, Milk
- Thursday—Chicken, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Syrup and Butter, Milk
- Friday—Hamburgers with Cheese, Salad, French Fries, Cookie, Milk

**Happy Birthday to . . .**

- March 7—Diamond Williams
- March 8—Shana Strange, Ann Wingo, Kerry Baird
- March 9—Mary Asebedo, Jace Francis, Kody Rhoderick, Mary Dee Minyard
- March 10—Robert Gragson, Juannah Woods, Tish Whitfill
- March 11—Linda Jarnagin, Ruby Brannon, Holly Beth Gaskins
- March 12—Brett Gill, Dennis Farley, Roy Dean McCoy, Marcy Roys, Cynthia Younger, LaVerne Long, Stephanie Ramirez
- March 13—Billy Turner, Russell Couch, Katrice Minyard, Merle Oneal

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Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY:**

Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.

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Bryan Donahoo, Pastor

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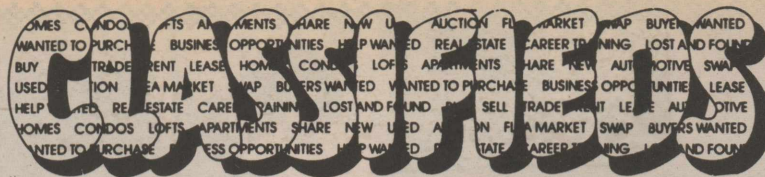
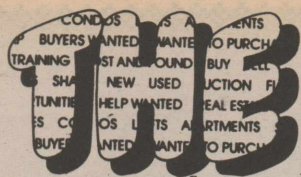
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Thanks so much for the many expressions of concern and good wishes during my surgery and recuperation at home. The flowers, cards, phone calls and visits have meant so much to us. It's wonderful to live in such a caring community. David Tipton

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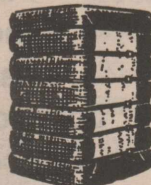
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