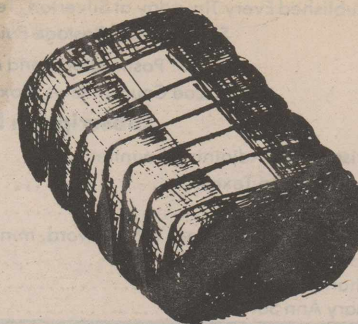
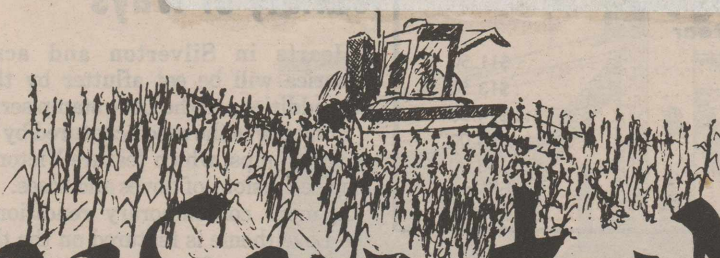


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## Primary Elections To Be Held Tues., March 8

Candidates for offices from the Courthouse to the United States Senate will be nominated in party primary elections Tuesday, March 8. Polls will be open in the regular Democratic Party

voting precincts from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. that day.

There will be voting in all the usual Democratic Party election precincts, but no Republican Primary is being

held in Briscoe County.

The voting places are Silverton City Hall, Precinct 1; Quitaque Community Center, Precinct 2; Pioneer Room at First State Bank, Precinct 3; Towe Office Building, Precinct 4; Lake Mackenzie Office, Precinct 5; Quitaque City Hall, Precinct 6.

Races of special interest to residents of Briscoe County are for County Judge between incumbent Jimmy Burson and challenger Fred Strange, a former Precinct 4 County Commissioner. There are three seeking to be the new Commissioner of Precinct 4, including Beryl Long, a former Commissioner of Precinct 3, Gary Weaks and Clifton Stodghill.

Races for the other county offices are uncontested.

A sample ballot is included inside this issue.

## Rain, Snow Brings Beneficial Moisture

Rain, followed by three inches of snow, gave Silverton a much-needed .48 of an inch of moisture with which to begin the month of March.

The rain started falling in the early evening hours Monday and turned to snow about 3:00 a.m. Tuesday. The temperature dipped to 31 degrees, not quite cold enough to keep the snow around for very long.

## Three Terms Expiring On Silverton Council

The terms of Charles Sarchet, Flute Hutsell and Dwain Henderson are expiring this year on the Silverton City Council.

If you would like to have your name printed on the ballot as a candidate for the City Council, you need to go by the City Hall and sign up now.

Sarchet, Hutsell and Henderson have indicated that they will be candidates for re-election.

## Caprock Jamboree Has Outstanding Lineup Sat.

Saturday, March 5, the Briscoe County 4-H Clubs will begin the evening at the Caprock Jamboree by serving mesquite-grilled hamburgers with all the trimmings. They also will be selling baked potatoes and nachos as an extra treat, beginning at 6:00 p.m.

At 7:00 p.m. pull up a chair and get ready for another great night of entertainment from local bands and entertainers from around the Panhandle.

Returning to the show will be a previous "Band of the Month" winner, The Brady Black Band from Plainview. Also making a return appearance will be Dennis Gaines, cowboy poet, and

Tammy Hysmith from Fritch.

Locals to help with the entertainment during the evening will include the Country Sounds, Grammy & Pop, and the Hesters.

The "Youth Showcase" is another feature that everyone enjoys. It provides a chance for young talent to perform onstage.

The "Band of the Month" sponsor for February as The First State Bank of Silverton, with the \$50 prize going to The 3-M Company from Matador.

The Jamboree coordinators would like to extend a word of thanks to the sponsors who help make it possible for the Jamboree to be broadcast live each month on KFLR radio, Floydada.

Great food, music and fellowship with friends is what you can expect when you come to the Caprock Jamboree Saturday, March 5.

There's free admission, but you are asked to bring a folding chair if you have one.

## John White on 'Texas Country Reporter' Show This Weekend

There will be an interview with Christopher J. (John) White on the "Texas Country Reporter" this weekend.

Channel 11, Lubbock, will air this show at 5:00 or 5:30 p.m. Saturday, and Channel 7, Amarillo, will air it at 10:30 Sunday morning.

Set your dial on one of these stations or set up to tape it with your VCR if you are interested in this segment which was filmed in Silverton.

## Silverton School Activities

March 3-5—FBLA State Conference  
 Tuesday, March 8—TAAS Writing,  
 4th, 8th, Exit

Wednesday, March 9—TAAS  
 Reading, Exit Only

Thursday, March 10—TAAS Math,  
 Exit Only; Board Meeting, 7:00;  
 Freshman Crazy Tourney, 3rd-6th  
 grades

## WEATHER

### FEBRUARY 24-HOUR READINGS

DAY	HIGH	LOW	PRECIP.
1	22	-6	
2	28	-5	
3	44	9	
4	48	18	
5	42	28	
6	48	28	
7	59	33	
8	71	25	
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10	29	09	
11	51	15	
12	63	20	
13	44	14	
14	56	17	
15	55	22	
16	59	29	
17	70	26	
18	72	35	
19	76	42	
20	57	27	.03
21	64	26	
22	38	27	.02
23	38	21	
24	51	17	
25	71	25	
26	38	12	
27	43	18	
28	64	23	

Total Precip. For February	.14
Normal Precip. For February	.60
Total Precip. Year to Date	1.18
Normal Precip. Year to Date	1.25

## Bro. Gray to Preach At Rock Creek Meeting

Bro. George Gray of Fort Worth will be doing the preaching at the Rock Creek Church of Christ Sunday, March 6, through Wednesday, March 9.

Meeting times are 10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. on Sundays and 7:30 p.m. on weekdays.

Bro. Gray has conducted meetings here before and is a very capable speaker.

The public is cordially invited to attend any or all of these special meetings.



Gerald Smith, president of the Silverton Chamber of Commerce, was pictured early this week as he received a check for \$1,289.00 from Rhenda Burson of the L. O. A. Study Club. The money represented the proceeds of the Christmas Greeting Page, which is to be used in the building fund to provide new public library quarters and a home for the Chamber of Commerce.

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**WEDNESDAY**

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

**New Stamps Send a Little Love in a Variety of Ways**

Hearts in Silverton and across America will be set aflutter by three new additions to the Love stamp series.

Romance is the mood captured by two of the stamps, which feature Victorian-inspired visions of doves and roses.

A more contemporary rendition of the Love theme is featured on the third stamp. It offers customers the convenience of being the first-ever self-adhesive Love stamp.

All of the Love stamps can be used to create unique gifts. A sheet of the stamps can be framed to commemorate an important occasion, such as a wedding or an anniversary. A more personal gift can be created by framing the stamps along with a cherished memento, such as a wedding invitation or photograph.

The 29-cent self-adhesive Love stamp was issued January 27 in Loveland, Ohio just in time for Valentine's Day. The colorful stamp features an image of a sun shaped like a heart. It was designed by renowned artist Peter Good of Chester, Connecticut, who also designed the recently-issued contemporary Christmas stamps. Self-adhesive stamps are becoming a prominent part of the U. S. stamp program, as more and more customers discover the convenience associated with not having to tear and lick stamps.

The pair of regular Love Stamps consists of one with a 29-cent denomination, and a second valued at 52-cents, which is useful for mailing heavier items, such as wedding invitations.

The first day of issue for these two stamps was February 14. They went on sale nationwide on February 15. Niagara Falls, New York was selected as the issue city for these romantic, colorful additions to the Love stamp series, which began in 1973. The designer of the stamps, Lon Busch, was

more the diamond is polished, the brighter its luster.

responsible for two other very popular stamp issues, the Winter Olympics stamps of 1992 and 1994.

**Silverton School Lunchroom Menu**

Monday, March 7—Meat and Cheese Pizza, Salad, Corn, Cheese Rounds, Muffin, Milk

Tuesday, March 8—Meat and Cheese Nachos, Taco Sauce, Pinto Beans, Salad, Cornbread, Fruit Cobbler, Milk

Wednesday, March 9—Hamburger and Cheese, Salad, Tater Rounds, Cookie, Milk

Thursday, March 10—Ham Slice, Macaroni and Cheese, Buttered Carrots, Green Peas, Hot Rolls, Fruit, Milk

Friday, March 11—Chili Dog, French Fries, Fruit, Jello, Milk

**Attend Lectureship**

J. D. and Lois Nance and J. L. and Faye Self attended the 76th Annual Bible Lectureship held at Abilene Christian University last week.

Theme of the Lectureship was "A Light to the Nations: Messages from Isaiah."

Joy Wood of Dell City met the Nances and Sells at the Lectureship.

Apples, grapes, cranberries, plums and cherries should be stored in the refrigerator immediately after purchase and are best eaten within a week.

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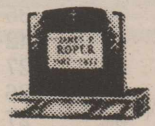

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# Looking Back

through the files of the  
Briscoe County News

**March 1, 1984**—Winter storm brings power outage . . . Bern May has been a medical patient at Swisher Memorial Hospital . . . Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hutsell are parents of a daughter, Rebecca Shanique . . . Mrs. Jimmy Stone and daughter, Amber, visited with the Jimmy Stones and Paul A. Ramseys Monday and Tuesday of last week . . . Mrs. Dee Whittington, the former Miss Patti Perkins, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower here Saturday . . .

**February 28, 1974**—Donna

Stodghill is SHS 1974 Betty Crocker Family Leader of Tomorrow . . . Grand opening slated at new youth center in downtown Silverton . . . Seniors to present annual class play Friday night . . . Mrs. John Wyatt recently has undergone knee surgery at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Mrs. Wyatt received an injury in a skiing accident at Tres Ritos, New Mexico . . . Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lynn Rampy are parents of a son, James Datis . . .

**February 27, 1964**—The Tule Watershed Planning Committee met at Redin's 66 Restaurant Monday evening, and after a discussion of its historical significance, designated the proposed lake to be located seven miles northwest of Silverton in Briscoe County as Mackenzie Reservoir . . . Camp Fire Girls and Blue Birds organized . . . Troy

Jones is new manager at Salem Dry Goods . . . Homer Stephens underwent surgery in the Medical Arts Hospital in Dallas Wednesday. He was accompanied to Dallas by his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Forbes and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stephens . . . Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Linda and Janet spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McWilliams and family near Quitaque . . .

**March 4, 1954**—Little Raye Nelle Garrison, a second grade pupil in the local school, had the misfortune of breaking both bones in her left leg, just above the ankle, Tuesday afternoon in a fall from playground equipment . . . Honor Boy and Girl are Jack Graham and Ruby Underwood . . . Girls go to Regional Tournament . . . Silverton boys lost to Megargel in Regional game . . . Mrs. Alva C. Jasper and Vici were in

Tulia Monday to see the doctor and to visit Pete Stark, father of Mrs. Jasper, who is a patient in the Tulia hospital . . . Mrs. Garland Francis is hostess to Helping Hand Club . . . Mrs. Esdell Hutsell is hostess to Century of Progress club . . . Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble are parents of a son, born at the local hospital early Monday, March 1 . . . Mr. and Mrs. Printz Brown left Wednesday morning for Sacramento, California . . .

**March 2, 1944**—News offers \$10 prize for tall tale . . . Bob Olive and Bill Long took Thomas to Amarillo Friday to start his return trip to Florida, where he is stationed . . . Teresa Crass spent the weekend with Glenna Campbell . . . Red Cross drive gets off to good start here . . . Andrew Edwards was one of the first of the boys to go overseas. He has been in combat areas in North Africa, Sicily and is now on the front near Rome . . . Edward Edwards is now with his ship in the South Pacific. He has been in several major engagements . . . Harley Chappell is now on his way overseas. He has been in service less than six months . . . Valton Chappell is stationed at Pampa. He has been in service 18 months and is with the Army Air Force . . .

## OBITUARIES

### KEYTH N. TIFFIN

Funeral services for Keyth N. Tiffin, 78, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Monday at the First Baptist Church. Officiating were the Rev. Bryan Donahoo, pastor, and the Rev. Brad Enloe, pastor of First United Methodist Church. Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery by Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

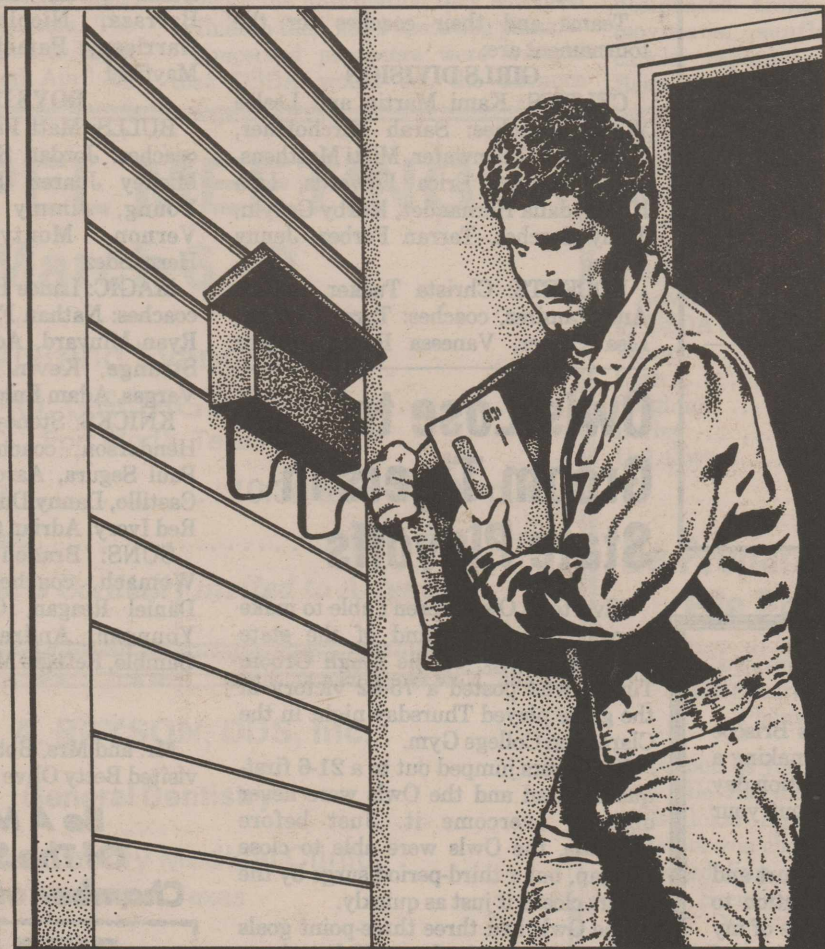
Mr. Tiffin died Friday, February 25, at his home in Silverton.

Born in Hall County December 8, 1915, Mr. Tiffin married the former Vivian Pyron in 1935 at Estelline. They moved to Silverton in 1946, and operated a dry goods and clothing store here until 1981. He was a member of First United Methodist Church and the Silverton Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Doyle Tiffin of Silverton; a brother, J. B. Tiffin of Quitaque; a sister, Murray Standifer of Saginaw; two grandsons, Bruce Tiffin and Jeff Tiffin, both of Canyon; and a great-granddaughter, Hanna Tiffin of Canyon.

Pallbearers were Larry Don Price, Bruce Price, Wayne Reed, Craig Cox, Jamie Cox, H. B. (Doc) Simpson, Harold Edwards and Robert Ginn.

The family requested memorials be made to the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service, the Silverton Volunteer Fire Department or a favorite charity.



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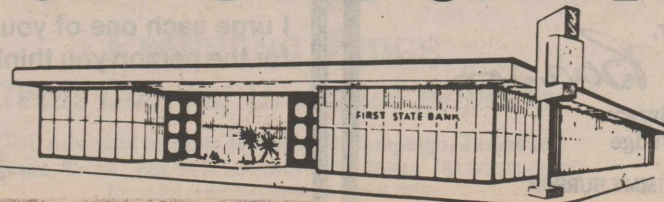
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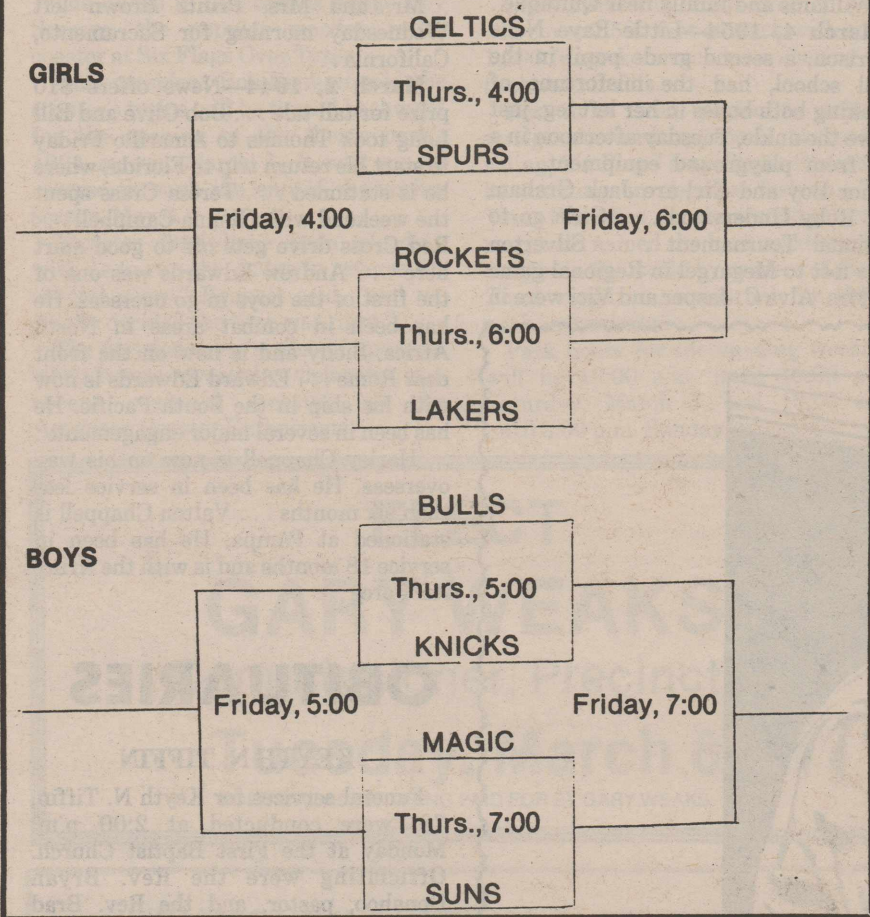
### Crazy Tournament Brackets

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FOR BOYS & GIRLS IN GRADES 3-6



# Freshman Class To Have Tourney

The Freshman Class will sponsor a Crazy Tournament for boys and girls in grades 3-6 on Thursday and Friday, March 10-11, in the Silverton School Gym. This will be a class fund raiser.

Admission will be \$1.00 for adults and 50c for students.

The concession stand will be featuring mesquite-grilled hamburgers and ice cream.

Everyone is invited to mark these days on your calendar and plan now to be present for a lot of fun when the first basketball game begins at 4:00 p.m. Thursday, March 10.

Teams and their coaches for the tournament are:

#### GIRLS DIVISION

**CELTICS:** Kami Martin and Leslee Weaks, coaches: Sarah Kirchoffner, Constance Gillenwater, Misti Mattheus, Julie Weaver, Erica Edwards, Lisa Hunt, Idalia Hernandez, Kurby Garvin, Molly Sarchet, Tarran Forbes, Jenny Young

**ROCKETS:** Christa Tucker and Jo Ann Ramirez, coaches: Tyra Younger, Lisa Comer, Vanessa Reyna, Taylor

Griffin, Kendra Rhoderick, Crystal Hunt, Kayla Davis, Chelsey Cherry, Brandi Rice, Amanda Estes, Daisy Martinez

**SPURS:** Brandi Brunson and Molly Bomar, coaches: Dara Johnston, Maribel Garcia, Kim Wynn, Catherine Reyna, Virginia Montgomery, Lori Edwards, Carmen Moreno, Amy Maciel, Kylie Green, Elida Garcia, Kassie Strange

**LAKERS:** Holly Nance and Dedra Johnston, coaches: Kenda Wood, Ana Pena, Brooke Garvin, Cynthia Allen, Diana Garza, Katy Hester, Andrea Barraza, Nicole Maddox, Kina Garrison, Pamela Castillo, Bryn Mayfield

#### BOYS DIVISION

**BULLS:** Matt Francis and Zeb Holt, coaches: Jordan Sarchet, Vince Cruz, Mickey Juarez, Isaiah Ivory, Tyler Young, Jimmy Castillo, Duncan Vernon, Monty Wood, Martin Hernandez

**MAGIC:** Lance Holt and Phil Patino, coaches: Nathan Francis, Rene Valdez, Ryan Minyard, Adrian Ramirez, Matt Strange, Kevin Duncan, Nicholas Vargas, Adam Enloe, John Arnold

**KNICKS:** Stoney Hubbard and Zane Henderson, coaches: Paul Donahoo, Paul Segura, Aaron Wederski, Daniel Castillo, Danny Dunn, Hector Gonzales, Red Ivory, Adrian Cruz, Chase Comer

**SUNS:** Braden Towe and Kevin Womach, coaches: Charlie Bomar, Daniel Reagan, Clint Ivory, Martin Younger, Andrew Francis, Jason Gamble, Refugio Martinez, Dustin Hale

## Owls Loseto Groom Tigers in State Playoffs

Silverton's Owls weren't able to make it past the first round of the state playoffs because of the tough Groom Tigers, who posted a 75-52 victory in the game played Thursday night in the Clarendon College Gym.

The Tigers jumped out to a 21-6 first-quarter lead and the Owls were never able to overcome it. Just before halftime, the Owls were able to close the gap, but a third-period surge by the Tigers closed it just as quickly.

The Owls had three three-point goals in the game, two by Lance Holt and one by Braden Towe.

Stoney Hubbard led the offense for the Owls with 15 points, closely followed by Matt Francis with 15 and Braden Towe with 10. Lance Holt tossed in nine points and Zane Henderson added four points.

Owls	7	26	35	52
Groom	21	37	52	75

The team is losing some outstanding talent in its class of seniors, all of whom will be missed next year: Lance Holt, Zane Henderson, Kevin Womach, Braden Towe, Stoney Hubbard and Matt Francis. A good team of boys will be coming into high school next fall and they are anxious to play. They have completed a successful Junior High career and will be ready to conquer new fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Olive of Petersburg visited Betty Olive Thursday.

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### TO THE VOTERS OF BRISCOE COUNTY

I take this opportunity to ask for your vote for re-election as Briscoe County Judge in the March 8 Democratic Primary Election. I am making a concerted effort to try and contact each of you personally before election day to ask for your vote and answer any questions you may have about your county government or the office of County Judge.

Your county government, which includes the Commissioners Court and all other elected county officials, is charged by the Texas Constitution to provide certain services which are all clearly defined. It has been one of my goals to see that these services are provided to you at the most impartial and economical means possible. Also, I have worked diligently to see that a good working relationship exists between the Commissioners Court, of which the County Judge is presiding officer, and the other elected officials and offices. Not to say that disagreements have not existed, but rather that differences can be aired, argued and acted upon while still maintaining an effective and healthy working relationship. That is the very nature of County Government. Since becoming your County Judge, I point proudly to the fact that your county government has run smoothly and efficiently because of the determined efforts of many people, including myself, that strive to give you a county government that you can be proud of, that is not embroiled in controversy or discontent, and is fiscally sound.

Although the County Judge is the chief administrative officer in each county, and his other duties are many and varied, the County Judge does not singularly set the tax rate, the number of county employees or their salaries, nor can the County Judge or any elected official expend local funds without prior approval of the Commissioners Court. All of your Commissioners Court minutes are a matter of public record, all regular and special meetings are open meetings where you are welcome to attend, and the county budget and tax rate can only be adopted after a public hearing which has been properly posted and notice published. These are safeguards put in place so that citizens are afforded an opportunity to examine and evaluate for themselves the actions of their county government and elected officials.

I have and will continue, if re-elected, to try to be responsive to the needs of the people in our county, and to welcome your input, both positive and negative, on any matter of which I have a part. The best way to have better elected officials is to let them know your concerns and what you like about their actions and, conversely, what you do not like about their actions. Constructive criticism should be welcomed by any elected official because it lets us know the ideas of our constituents on the operations of our county.

Once again, I ask for your vote in the upcoming primary election and thank you for your support in the past.

Sincerely,

*Jimmy Burson*

Jimmy Burson  
County Judge

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### TO THE VOTERS IN PRECINCT 4, BRISCOE COUNTY

I have tried personally to see each voter in the precinct. I may have missed someone, so I take this opportunity to ask for your vote and support.

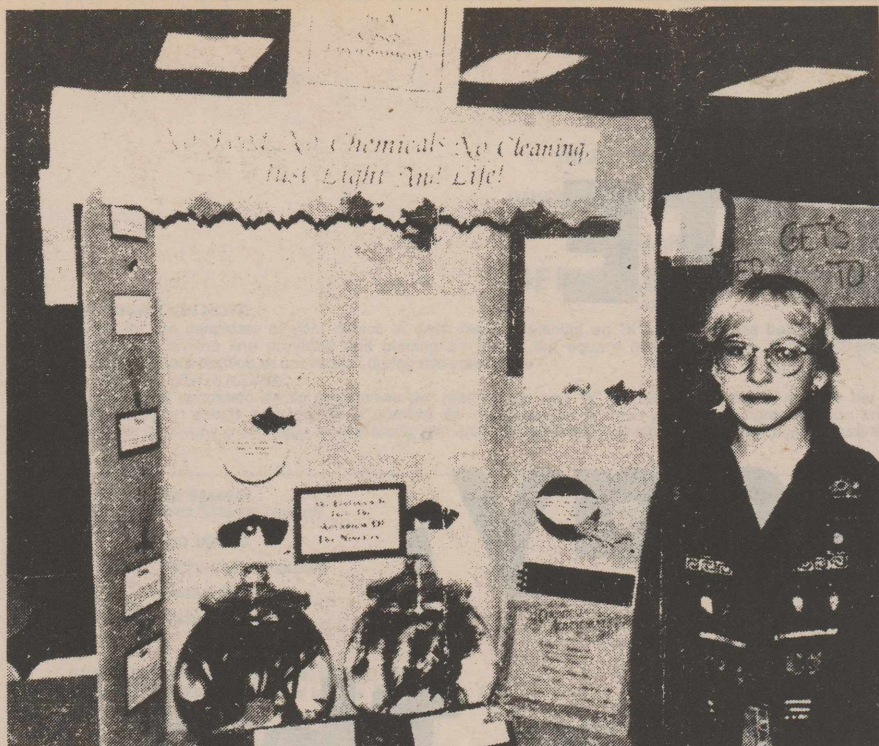
I will be as conservative as possible with the taxpayers' money and represent Precinct 4 and Briscoe County to the best of my ability, if elected.

I urge each one of you to exercise your privilege to vote. Vote for the person you think most qualified.

Clifton Stodghill

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Angela Johnson and her Science Fair entry

### Angela Johnson Wins Science Fair Event

Angela Johnson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James Johnson of Stanton and

granddaughter of John and Maebelle Francis of Silverton, was the top winner at the Stanton Elementary School Science Fair recently.

Angela's demonstration was "Can Life Exist in a Closed Environment?"

She demonstrated "No Food, No Chemicals, No Cleaning—Just Light and Life!"

### Kelly-Reagan Vows Exchanged Recently

Announcement is being made of the marriage of Leslie Kelly and Jason Todd Reagan.

The couple were married at the conclusion of morning services at the Fairmont Baptist Church, located south of Quitaque, on Sunday, January 30, 1994.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pigg of Quitaque, and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Carolyn Shelton of Silverton and Bennie Reagan of Quitaque.

The couple are making their home in Quitaque.

regionally to persons interested in traveling to "Historic Briscoe County." There is no charge to be included in the guide nor to receive the guide. All county businesses are welcome to participate, especially those related to lodging, food and recreational opportunities. Please send your information to the Briscoe County Extension Office, P. O. Box 730, Silverton, Texas 79257. Don't miss out on these opportunities to help our county!

### Plainview Symphony to Offer Chamber Concert

The Plainview Symphony Orchestra will present its annual concert of chamber music in Harral Auditorium on Thursday, March 3, at 8:00 p.m.

Guest conductor for this fifth concert in the Symphony's fifteenth season is Boyce Wyrick, director of the Coronado High School, Lubbock orchestra and principal bass with the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra.

Special guest artist for the evening is Mark Pair, instructor of piano and professor of music at Wayland Baptist University. He will play with the Symphony in Mozart's Concerto No. 12.

Other works scheduled for performance are the Suite from the Ballet Sylvia by Delibes and the Petite Symphony for Winds by Gounod. The Symphony also will offer the St. Paul Suite by Gustav Holst, and Fanfare and Arrayment by M. L. Daniels.

A suite is an orchestral composition made up of a number of shorter pieces, or an excerpt from a larger work. A concerto is a work for the orchestra featuring a solo instrument. Chamber music is composed for a smaller group of instruments in less formal settings, such as in one's home.

Admission is by season ticket or tickets at the door, and is five dollars.

### Silverton Library News

In the library, there are two or three shelves containing novels by Zane Grey. Also in the library are several books of the "Wagons West" series—the thrilling saga of brave men and women blazing a daring trail across young America—by Dana Fuller Ross. "Nebraska", second in the series, is set in Autumn of 1837. The men and women of the wagon train forged a new link in the trek to the "Promised Land" beyond the Rockies.

On the shelves are:

Cynthia Freeman's "Seasons of the Heart," a poignant novel of life and love;

Jennifer Wilde's "When Love Commands," a romance set in Russia;

"Ashes in the Wind," a romance of a Southern belle and a Yankee surgeon.

Two volumes of "The Tontine" by Thomas Costain set in 1815 deal with a kind of lottery that was entered by parents paying 100 guineas to enter a son or daughter 12 to 18 years of age. The money was invested for 20 years. Then dividends were paid to each participant. If one died, his interest was divided among all the rest.

As the years went on and only a few were left, they received a very large income.

So if you were one of the last three or four, would one of the others try to "hasten" your death? to nearly double his income? Would the children of the others be tempted?

Some of the other books by Costain are: "The Silver Chalice," "The Last Love," "Below the Salt," "Song of a Hundred Kings," and "The Three Edwards."

Library hours are Tuesday mornings from 8:30 until 11:30 a.m. and Tuesday and Friday afternoons from 2:00 until 5:00.

### EXTENSION TOPICS FOR TODAY

by Ronda Alexander  
Briscoe County Extension Agent  
Home Economics

### Don't Wait Too Long

If you are interested in receiving the "Family Matters" newsletter, this is your last chance to sign up to receive it. "Family Matters" will provide its readers with practical information and tips related to being a parent and learning how to understand children, whether or not the children belong to you or someone else. The newsletter will be published bi-monthly, beginning in March. There is no cost to receive this newsletter. You simply need to call the Extension Office, 823-2131, Ext. 12, and give us your name and address.

Summertime and vacation time are getting closer every day, thus, the prospect of having tourists to our area. If you are interested in having your business included in the Briscoe County Recreation Guide, you need to send us the information you would like to include about your business and its services. The guide will be distributed

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will be leaving Childress in March to join another practice in Round Rock. Dr. DeShazo's last day will be March 3rd. He is much loved, and will be missed by his patients, his employees, and his fellow physicians.

**\*All of Dr. DeShazo's patients will be able to be seen by our current staff of physicians. Patients may request their choice of Doctor when calling for an appointment.**

A new physician will be coming to Childress to join our practice at Family Clinic as early as August. Scott Myers, M.D. is from Fort Worth and is looking forward to moving his family to Childress.

**\* We all wish Dr. DeShazo and his Family the Best of Luck and Continued Success.**



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BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS (CONDADO DE BRISCOE, TEXAS)  
MARCH 8, 1994 (8 de marzo de 1994)  
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**INSTRUCTION NOTE:**

Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. You may vote for a write-in candidate by writing in the name of the candidate on the line provided and placing an "X" in the square beside the line. I am a Democrat and understand that I am ineligible to vote or participate in another political party's primary election or convention during this voting year.

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- Richard Fisher

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- Bill Sarpalius

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(Gobernador)**

- Gary Espinosa
- Ann W. Richards

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- Bob Bullock

**Attorney General  
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- Dan Morales

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- John Sharp

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- Rhenda Burson
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### Businesses Have April Deadline For Property Tax Renditions

State Comptroller John Sharp has reminded Texas businesses that they must render their property with county appraisal districts by a new deadline—April 14. Beginning in 1994, state law changed the rendition deadline from April 1 to April 14.

To "render" means to list the taxable property that businesses owned or managed as of January 1, 1994.

While state law requires business owners and operators to render any property owner—including homeowners, farmers and ranchers—may render his property with county appraisal districts.

"Homeowners who render are in a better position to exercise their rights as taxpayers," Sharp noted. "They are ensuring that the appraisal district has their correct address so they will receive notices of any actions that affect their property or tax bills."

If the tax collector cannot deliver a tax bill because of an incorrect address, the property owner is responsible for paying the taxes, plus the late payment penalties, Sharp added.

State law requires anyone who owns or manages income-producing personal property on January 1 to render with the local appraisal district. An exception is a business that receives the freport exemption for managing cotton stored in a warehouse.

"For example, businesses must report their inventories, furniture and fixtures, machinery and equipment and other tangible personal property by filing this annual report," Sharp said. "Appraisal districts use the reports to set business property values. When a business owner doesn't render his or her property, the chief appraiser estimates the value."

Sharp also announced that property owners who had property damaged by a storm, flood or fire last year may file a special decreased value report that could lower their final tax bills.

Property owners may ask the chief appraiser for additional time—though April 30—if the owners can demonstrate good cause. The chief appraiser must grand owners of property regulated by the Public Utility Commission or the Railroad Commission an extension to April 30 to file the reports and may extend the deadline another 15 days if the owners request it in writing and show good cause.

Also, property owners can record their opinions of their property's value. By stating their opinion, property owners make sure that the appraisal district sends them a notice before placing a higher value on their property. This notice allows property owners the time to gather information to protest the appraisal if they believe the proposed value is too high.

If more than one appraisal district appraises a property, the property owner should render in each appraisal district office. Taxpayers may contact the county appraisal district office for the rendition forms, or they may call the Comptroller's property tax hotline at 1-800-252-9121.

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The final piece of the puzzle is now in place, according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG). That puzzle is the 1994 Upland cotton program and the final piece was the announcement of an upland cotton advance deficiency payment rate of 6.45 cents per pound.

The advance payment rate is 50 percent of the 12.9 estimated deficiency payment rate announced February 18. The advance will be available to producers when they sign-up for the 1994 cotton program. The sign-up period was scheduled to begin March 1 and will run through April 29,

1994.

The announcement of the 50 percent advance payment rate is especially good news for producers, according to Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President.

"Having the advance payment set at 6.45 cents will make a big difference to producers this year," says Johnson. "Combined with last week's announcement of the 1994 program's common provisions, producers now have all the information they will need to finalize their 1994 operating plans."

Concerned producers were worried that USDA would set the advance

payment at the 30 percent minimum level. Most agree that if the payment had been set at the lower level they would have been forced to borrow more money up front to get them through the crop year.

Even though producers have been able to improve financial positions following the 1993 crop, money is still tight and the higher advance payment will help by lowering the amount they have to finance.

In making the announcement USDA estimated upland cotton advance payments will total \$340 million. ELS cotton producers can expect an advance payment of 8.48 cents per pound, with USDA estimating \$6 million in advance ELS deficiency payments.

In addition to the announcement of the advance payment rate, Secretary of Agriculture Mike Espy also announced that upland cotton producers may plant designated crops such as oilseeds (soybeans, sunflowers, safflower, canola, rapeseed, mustard seed and flaxseed) and mung beans on up to 50 percent of the announced 11 percent acreage reduction program requirement. Producers, however, must agree to give up deficiency payments on an acre for acre basis for each acre (or portion thereof) of the reduced acres planted to the designated crops.

Advance payment rates announced by USDA for 1994 crops include:

Wheat.....	42.5c bu.
Corn.....	20c bu.
Sorghum.....	23c bu.
Barley.....	26c bu.
Upl. Cotton.....	6.45c lb.

the past year; and

★ dates of prior marriages if your spouse is applying.

Here are some other ways that you can help us to help you.

★ Keep thorough records that document the symptoms of your illness and how it affects your daily activities.

★ Ask your doctor or other health care professional to track the course of your symptoms including any evidence of hard-to-document symptoms like fatigue, depression, forgetfulness and dizziness

★ If you are working, keep records of how your illness affects you on the job. If you lost your job because of your illness, make notes that describe what it is about your condition that forced you to stop working.

★ Give us copies of all these records when you file.

Do not delay filing for benefits just because you do not have all the information you need. Your local Social Security office will help you.

I would like to say a very, very special thank you to Janice Hill, for all her help and support. She holds a very special place in my heart!

I'd also like to thank Lynn Frizzell and a great big THANKS to my bosses Doug and Jeanetta for giving me all the time I needed to get back to work.

Thanks!  
Sincerely,  
Tonya

### The 'Social' Part of Social Security

by Terry Richardson  
Social Security Office Manager  
Plainview, Texas

Many people mistakenly try to compare Social Security to private pensions or investment plans. Although there are similarities, the differences are more important . . . and more revealing about the true nature of Social Security.

The key difference is summed up in the word "social". It was paired with the word "security" for a reason: social objectives are a key element of the Social Security program. Such objectives are generally not a part of any kind of private investment system.

One of the primary social objectives of Social Security is to raise the standard of living for lower income workers. Social Security planners accomplished this through a benefit computation formula that is weighted in favor of workers with low wages who have less opportunity to save for their retirement during their working years. For example, low-paid workers could conceivably get a Social Security benefit that replaces up to 90 percent of their preretirement earnings. Highly paid workers receive rates of return that are considerably less. The average is about 42 percent.

Another of Social Security's social objectives is to provide greater financial protection to families than is generally available through private retirement systems.

Please keep these points in mind the next time you try to assess the value of Social Security in terms of other pension or retirement plans.

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Beryl Long

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### Be Prepared When You File For Benefits

by Terry Richardson  
Social Security Office Manager  
Plainview, Texas

As soon as you become disabled, you may file for disability benefits with your local Social Security office. Whether you choose to file by phone or by scheduling an appointment with a Social Security Representative, you should have on hand all the documentation and information that will be necessary for your claim to be processed efficiently.

When you file, bring the necessary documents. These include:

★ the Social Security number and proof of age for each person applying for payment (this includes your spouse and children, if they are applying for benefits);

★ names, addresses, and phone numbers of doctors, hospitals, clinics, and institutions that treated you and dates of treatment;

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

**SECOND & FOURTH TUESDAYS:**

- Baptist Women ..... 9:30 a.m.

**WEDNESDAY:**

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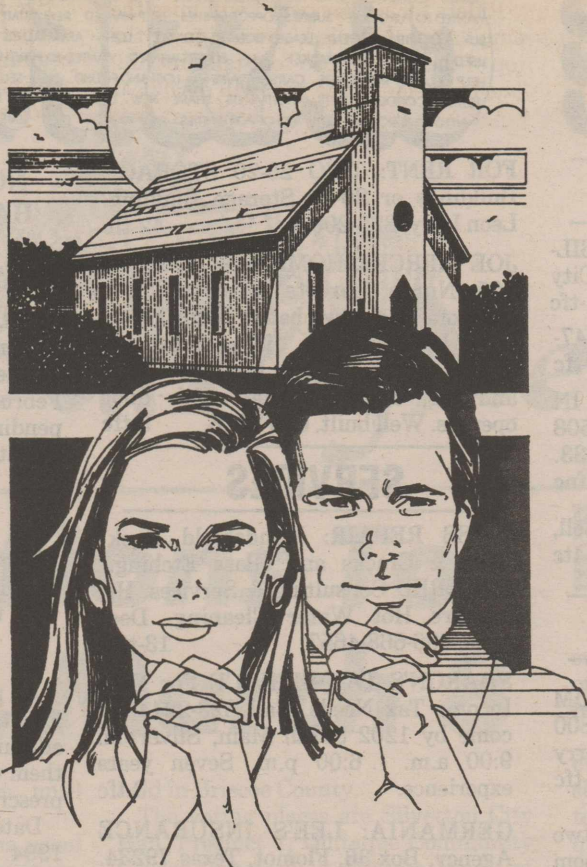
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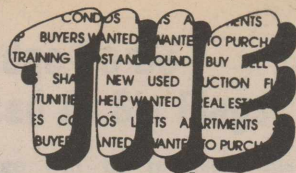
# THANK GOD FOR WHAT YOU HAVE BEFORE YOU ASK FOR MORE

There are many ways of saying our prayers, according to our faith and our personal style of doing things, and most of them are acceptable; as long as we are sincere and don't turn the prayer into a "shopping list" of unnecessary material things. We should begin by thanking God for all the blessings He has already granted us, including every day of our lives. Then we should pray for the health and well-being of our loved ones and friends, for the sick and the bereaved, for the cure of disease, for world peace and harmony, and for freedom and friendly cooperation among all nations. Beyond that, let us remember that God will grant only the requests that are right for us, because in His infinite wisdom He knows what is best, far better than we do.

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Janey Fern Cobb  
Stanna Kay Nelson  
Carl Gene Bedford

The post office address of such Co-Executors is:

c/o Peter I. Clarke, Attorney  
P. O. Box S  
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All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 23rd day of February, 1994.

Janey Fern Cobb,  
Independent Co-Executrix of the Estate of Stanley Cobb, Deceased  
Stanna Kay Nelson,  
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I want to say "thank you" for all the prayers on my behalf, the cards, phone calls, visits, the beautiful flowers and the cookie bouquet.

Your kindness and thoughtfulness is much appreciated. They certainly helped shorten the long days.

Sincerely,  
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