## April 1, 1991 Deadline For Filing Personal Property Renditions

Carlye Fleming, chief ap-
praiser, Briscoe County praiser, Briscoe County Ap-
praisal District, reminds residents that they must file prop erty renditions forms with her office by April 1, 1991.
The legal deadline for rendi-
tions is actually which falls on a Sunday this year. As a result, the 1991 deadline has been moved to the
first working day after March 31. Property owners may re ceive a 30 -day extension, but
must file a written request with the appraisal district by April 1,1991. property owner files each year listing taxable property heown or manages as of January 1.
"The law requires certain property owners to file rendiFleming.

Anyone who owns or man ges income-producing per nal property on January vith with the local appraisal district report their inventories, furniture and fixtures, machinery and equipment, and other tangible business property on rendition; in addition individuals who own cars, pickups, travel trailers, mobile homes boats, etc. must report thes their benefit to do so becaus chief appraisers use the rendition report to establish the property's fair market value Mrs. Fleming explained
When personal property isn't rendered, the chief apestimate the value," she added The chief appraiser also may equire other property owner or managers to render property. If so, she will send a notice and the appropriate renditio $\underset{\text { Whil }}{\text { form. }}$

## Ferker inOW!

A stranger passed through Quitaque this week. He was quite Apressed with our town. In fact he asked me where we wer trained? He commented on how courteous everyone was at the
business places. He also complimented the customers at the local cafe for helping each other out by offering someone a fresh cup of He stated that he had never been.
Quitaque. Now for someone to just state this friendly a town as sky, I think it could be considered quite a pat on the back. We who live here all the time take the good life we live among friends for granted. We sorta accept it as our due! Well according to this on man-t'aint true--So maybe we should wake up and tell our friends and neigh bors how much we appreciate their being there in our tim happiness, sorrow, need or abundance
You know the harsh ones And at some time or another we have all had to eat a few-mostly bitter ones-
So why don't we try to keep that best foot forward so the next stranger to pass by will be favorably impressed with our town too?After all we never know who is taking note of how we are
treating our fellow citizen!
tioned personal property must
be rendered, anyone may volbe rendered, anyone may vol-
untarily file a rendition with the appraisal district. Texas law does not require a property owner to render a home or other real property, but they may render it if they so desire. According to Mrs. Fleming, tages of filing a rendition (1) You give your opinion of your property's value. If the appraisal district places a higher value for your property, it must notify you in writing of the higher value and explain how you can protest
fore the Appraisal Review Board. (2)You record your correct mailing address so your
tax bills will go to the correct address. If your bill is mailed to the worong address, the law
still holds you responsible for still holds you responsible for
paying your taxes on time or paying your taxes on time or
paying extra charges for late a "Reports (3) You also can file to notify the appraisal district of significatnt depreciation to
your property in 1990. The district will look at your prop-

## Briscoe County History

The Briscoe County Histori ing histories, pictures and military information and pictures. the hismmittee needs to sel the humber of books sold will determine how many books that will be printed.
This book is for all of Briscoe if all histories are turned in Eveyone and every history is important to Briscoe County history; from the youngsters to If you pla please do sonow. The book will be much like the first volume The cost is $\$ 64.35$, tax included. Any member of the BCHC will
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1991.
Rendition and report of creased value forms are available at the appraisal distric office. The law requires that he property owner provide all information requested on the making false statements
or renditions and reports
decreased value is a criminal
Rendition forms and deRendition forms and de-
creased value reports are dential and not open to public nspection.
For more information, contact the appraisal district office ocated in the basement of the courthouse or call 806-8232161.

Valley One-Act Play Zone Winners

## Chool performed "The Danc-

 ers" in U.I.L. One-Act Playcompetition last Friday at Memphis High School, Memphis, Under the direction of Mrs. Betty Nan Tiffin and Bettie Green, the Valley students won first place, along with Memphis High School.
Robyn Lane was selected as Best Actress. Kirk Garner and Lori Martin were chosen for the All Star Cast, with Samantha Stark receiving Honorable Mention for All Star Cast. Other members of the cast are Shadi Mullin, Genie Sey mour, Tracy Harmon, Tina Clay and Jayson Pierce. Stage crew members are Hattie Williams and Vera Pinkerton. The Dancers" will continue week.

## 1991 Is Motley County Centennial

by Earlyne Jameson
Motley County is celebrating Motley County is celebrating its 100 th birthday this year with cial events scheduled throughout the year.
The firstce
The first centennial event will e a Musical Jamboree Saturday night, March 30 at the rium in Matador

## Morris Stepher

Ithe program, announced than Joe Carr and the Western Swing Band from the South Plains College in Levelland will open the night of entertainment at 7 p.mtival will be at the music and the South Plains College Blue Grass Band; Bobby Suggs and the Big Sandy Band of Brownfield; Loreta Baldridge
pur; Cliff Stogill and the Cou try Sounds of Silverton and Mar view. Country/western, jazz be featured
There is no admission charge Buckets will be passed for dona tions to help defray expenses

American Heart Association in
cooperation with the Motley ounty Centennial Association. The Motley County 4-H Club food available at school cafete ria. They will be open for busi ness at 6 p.m. Come enjoy this good family County hent and help Motley cess at the kick-off centenni

Corrections, Law Enforcemen Training Academy of Amarillo College, Clarendon Junior Co lege, and Panhandle Job Train ing Partnership will host an Open House on Correctional
new prison in Childress. The session will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, April 1, in the Chil dress City Auditorium, locate three blocks north of the Chil dress County Courthouse at th The new prison will
gust, 1991, and empen in 160 Correctional Officers. These positions will offer an annual starting salary of $\$ 18,232$, with regular pay increases and excellent fringe benefits. To be eligible for employment, applicant nust be:
A U. S. citizen or alien a
At least 18 years of age.
A high school graduate or
Have within the last 15 years. Able to pass TDC pre-employ The Law Enforcement ing Academy is offering a 15 hour course to prepare qualified individuals for these jobs. The course will be conducted in Chil during June and July The tui during June and July. The tu-
tion/fee cost of this course is $\$ 33$ per person. The Panhandle Job Training Partnership has fund available to pay this cost for eli gible unemployed and low-in
ome persons.
If you are interested in stable mployment and challengin tive session. Representatives of all four of the above organiza tions will be pre
your questions.
For more information contac
The Law Enforcement Training Academy at (806) 354-6082 or

## Open House On Correction Officer Jobs

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time.
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Little League this summer Hall County Tax Payers To Be Assisted
On Wednesday March 27, Vera
Sharber, Amarillo a respresenta
tive of he State Comptroller's office
will be in Memphis at the Commissioner's Courtrom from 1 p.m. until
3 p.m. to give Hall county people a 3p.m. to give Hall county people a
chance to talk one-on-one with a
state tax expert You may also call 1-800-252-5555

Sarpalius' Mobil Unit to be
in Memphis March 25
OnMonday, March 25, from 10:00
to 11:00 a.m. U. S. Rep. Bill Sar

| AREA |
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| HAPPENINGS |

Community Game Night A community game night is
being sponsored by WeThe Women on Thursday Night, March 28 . The games will begin
at 7:00 p.m.in the Community Center. Tables of " 42 " will be set up as well as card games Q sandwiches, tea, coffee, and come and join us for an evening fun and games

Easter Sunrise Services The Caprock Canyons State munity Easter Sunrise Servmission fee to enter the park for

Fairmont Sunrise Service On March 31
be held by thster Service is to tist Church, Marc 31, 1991 at 7:30 a.m. on the hill south of J.R. and Barbara Payne's home.
Follow the flags from the church. W.J. Richey will de-

Farmers Union District
Meeting To Be At Paducah
The Farmer's Union will be Paducah at the High Schoo 1991 at 6:30 p.m. Joe Rankin, State president the main speaker for the eve ning. His topic will be" Re Opening the Farm Program. A Barbeque supper will be
All farmers are encouraged to sored by the Farmer's Union. rgil Blakney at 806-423-1346 Valley Little League


## Turkey Girl Brings Home St. Patrick's <br> Crown

Drizzling rain and cold winds could not dampen the theme of Get Your Kicks on Route 66" at the 1991 St. Patrick's Day Celebration in S
week end.
Miss Robyn Lane, 17 , of Turkey was crowned Miss Irish Rose 1 gal saurday, beating out Miss Wendi Welf Amarillo was first runner up, with Jenny Carter of Stratford, Texas placing second. Holly Hofman of Shamrock placed third.
Samantha Stark was also a
contestent. Samanta is the contestent. Samanta is the
daughter of Vicki Lindsey, Turkey and Scotty Stark, Quitaque. The 45th annual competion began on Friday evening as the contestants were presented to the St. Patrick's Celebration
Banquet Crowd. Banquet Crowd.
Registration and a Colleen
Coffee washeld Saturday morning, followed by presentations of corsages for the contestants. Following the wet parade, the ladies were honored guests at a luncheon at the First United Methodist Church, sponsored by
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, before getting down to the business of competing for
the beautiful Emerald Crown, the beautiful Emerald Crown,
as well as a $\$ 250.00$ college as well as a $\$ 250.00$ college
scholarship. scholarship.
Miss Lane is the daughter of
Frank and Cindy Lane Frank and Cindy Lane of Tur-
key, and represented the Alpha Pi Lamada Sorority. She is a Senior at Valley High School and plans to attend Texas Tech University in the Fall.
Robyn's honors include: recipent of the Star Chapter Farmer
Award, treasurer of the Valley FFA and FHA, President and Advisor of Senior Chapter Conduction, member of the National Cancer Society.
She participated in basketball, and track all through High School, and enjoys being with
friends. friends.
Robyn won the title of Miss Hall County lastSeptember, and has served as Miss San Antonio Rose for the annual Bob Wills tended Barbazan Modeling School of Dallas.
She was named Best Actress last Friday (before traveling to
Shamrock) at the U.I.L. One Act Play competition held in Memphis, Texas.
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Happy Birthday
March 21：Grace Ferguson
Marc 22．Thomas Hinojosa Sr，
Margureat Lane
March 23：Rex Harmon，Johnny


When one dey we lose a friend many timesour hearts will cry with bitter loneliness and tears．But this
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the angels up above now will have their chance to to share such devo． tion and such love．
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took me back to one short year ago when Il lost such a f fiend．My heart still cries for her and always will
but I find peace in the above words but Ifind peace in the above words
that I wrote．I would like to dedil that I wrote．I would ITke to dedi－
cate them to any one that has ever ate tem
lost such a friend．Especially 1 would send these words to tim and Jack in loving memory of your sis． My pen name is Grifin，1．D．Mullin JT，Lani Adam－
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March 24：Janice Henson，Nancy March 24：Janice Henson，Nancy
Price，LLi Reagan，Dianne Brunson，
Eunice McFall March 22
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Calvert Bays，Debra Zanardi Marct 27 Rys，Debra Cleanarider，Bill
SSuls Thil Sauls，Twila Clark
March 28：Lonnie Stephens，Zoola Taylor，Rita Guest
Gracie Euydy Happy Anniversary March 23－Mr．and Mrs．Bly Shan－
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March 25－Mr．and Mrs．Ross Her

## EMT Meeting



Harris Announces Relief From Set－Aside Cover Crop Rule For Texas Farmers The Texas State ASC Com－
mittee today，Masch mittee today，March 13，ex－
empted Texas from the finy empted Texas from the fifty
percent cover crop equirement on Acreage Conservation Re－
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Jerry Harris，Chairman of the Texas State ASC Committee． The Food，Agriculture，Con－ servation and Trade Act of 1990 required that half of the acre－
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modity programs be planted to a cover crop．The legislation also allowed for the exemption of those areas determined to be arid by USDA The determination toexclude
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Dakota through Texas．All states east of the line are not
considered arid and must considered a arid and must com－ ply with the fify percent cover
requirement．Most states west requirement．Most states west
of the line are considered arid of the line are considered arid
and do not have to comply with the fifty percent cover require－ Since this line runs through Texas，the Texas State ASC Committee determined to ex－
clude all of the state from the clude all of the state from the
fifty percent cover require． fifty percent cover
ment．，Harris said．

Quitaque Senior Citizens Quitaque Senior citizens met at
the esior Citizens Building at 6 the Senior Citizens Building at
p．m．March 7,1991 with ten mem p．．．March 7，
bers present，
Presiding
Presiding over the meeting was Austella Brown read the minutes from the February meeting．Yoland Roberson gave a nnancial report．All
were approved by the group．Dues or so10 were taken the hollp pith the
finances of keeping the organiza finances of keeping the organiza－
tion going．
Newofficers were elected．James Newowicicers were elected．James
Brunson was elected president R
J．Harmon，vice．peresident．LolaBell J．Harmon，vice－president，，Lolo Bell
Harmon，Secretary，and Yolan Harmon，Secretary，
Roberson，treasurer． Roberson，treasurer．
After the business meeting food， games，and －

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Mrs. Jeffery Scott L
nee Karen Ann King
King-Leeper Wedding Vows Exchanged
joining Karen Ann King and Jeffrey Scott Leeper were read at 4:00 p.m. Crestview Baptist Church, Dallas Texas. John White, pastor of Crestview Baptist Church, offici${ }^{\text {ated. }}$ The Ruby King of Dallsa der ter of Mrs. groom is the son of Wilburn and Zelda Leeper of Quitaque, Texas. Grandparents of the groom are Mr. City Texas andMrs.Eunice Leeper of Clarendon, Texas
Marriage vows were pledged before white and gold unity candles and twin bronze baskets of greenwhite bows and stephanotis arange. ments.
Vocalists Mr. and Mrs. Randy Till of Dallas, Texas, provided se were preceeded by Kathy Mattea's Battle Hymn of Love. Organist was Lynn Miller.
Presented in marriage by her
brother, Jessie King of Azle, Texas the bride chose a tea-length west

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ern-cut designer dress of gray-block
denim with silver-sray designs. It denim with silver-gray designs. It a-boolace at the heart-shaped neckline. Her headpiece was of white silk flowers, pearls, and ribbons
which gently fell down her back. She carried a cascade bouquet of whiteroses, pearls, stephanotis, and ribbons. A pearl necklace and earrings adorned the bride's neck and
ears. Pearl-embossed roper boots ears. Pearl-embossed rop
completed her ensemble.
The bride carried out the tradi-
tional something old-which was tional something old-which was a
blue garter; something new-her blue garter; something new-her
dress; something borrowed-a diamond ring; and something blue-a blue garter made by the groom's
grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Clark, for grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Clark, for
the groom's mother for her wedding the groo
day.

Jo Ann Moreland of DeSoto, Texas, served as Matron of Honor. She wore a western-cut grey-black
chambray tea-length dress with heart-shaped neckline. She carried heart-shaped neckine. She carried Herattire was completed with black roper boots. After which you are told to remember
For the week has another six days.
$\square$



At the place where you worship the sermons compel That you comtemplate mending your ways;

You consider that service an hour well-spent, Where the guidance of God will abound; And with all good intentions you try to repent, For temptations are always around.
But those wonderful lessons you're apt to ignore
But those wonderful lessons you re apt
For the rest of the week, as we know;
So just carry them with you right out of the door.
So just carry them with you right out
And apply them wherever you go.

> —Gloria Nowak

Real religion is a way of life, not a white cloak to be wrapped around us on the Sabbath and then cast aside into the six-day closet of unconcern.

William A. Ward

Jane Roberts Wood, Dallas Author Visits Turkey
Jane Roberts Wood, author
of The Train to Estelline" of The Train to Estelline" was a
guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Jack House in Turkey last Thursday, March 14, 1991.
Mrs. House served as hostess
with lunch for Mrs. Wood Kosty with lunch for Mrs. Wood, Katy
Bomar, Mable Tootsie Morris, Bomar, Mable Tots Mien Morris,
Denny Fuston, Mike Fuston, Lisa Fuston and Jack House.
Mrs. Wood is lifetime friends of Squint, Mable, and Jack and was
in Turkey to visit old friends, old in Turkey to visi old friends, old interest locally, including Caprock Canyons State Park.
The group returned to the House residence for a light supper.
Wood teaches creative wr and hoonors English at Brookhaven College in Dallas. She has published numerous short stories, and
two novels, "The Train to Estelline" twonovels, "The Train toEstelline
and" A Place Called Sweet Shrub "Her most recentcollection of short stories is entitled "Out of Dallas." The mother of four, she and her
husband live in Dallas. She inhusband live in Dallas. She in-
spired and participated in the passpired and participated in the pas-
senger "Train to Estelline" celebration at Estelline, Texas last
year.

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McDonalds Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary The family and friends of Ho- Kevin, Royce, Kason, Kolby, and race and Elizabeth McDonald
joined them in celebrating their $\begin{array}{lll}\text { golden wedding anniversary Sun- } & \text { Monk, Uvalde; Acie and Helen } \\ \text { day afternoon, February 17, 1991 } & \text { Putman, Panhandle; M.D. and }\end{array}$ day afternoon, February 17, $1991 \quad$ Poreene Turner, Пa Barker, Ken-
in the Quitaque Community Center. Hosts for the event were the Daren, Sherry, and Megan Liles, McDonald's children, Lynn and $\begin{aligned} & \text { Odis and Wilma Crowell, Amar } \\ & \text { Doris McDonald, Lubbock:Leeand } \\ & \text { illo; Juanita Gowin, Betty Johnston }\end{aligned}$ Doris McDonald, Lubbock;Lee and
Katie McDonald, Pampa; Lonnie and Roberta McDonald, Abernathy; Johnston, Ray and Kate Johnston, and Patsy and Gerry Hilbers, Idalou. The couple's nine grand
children served as co-hosts. children served as co-hosts.
The guests were registered by The guests were register The serving table was covered with a white cloth, centered with a white cake fashioned as an open
book representing the pages of their book representing the pages of their golden roses by granddaughter, Sherri McDonald. Along with the cake, guests enjoyed golden punch and coffee, served from silver an
crystal appointments by Stacie Sherri, and Annessa McDonald. Out of town guests that registered were Jane Tclleson, Becky Dick and daughters Danielle and
Christy, Lewisville; Mr. and Mrs. Christy, Lewisville; Mr. and Mrs.
Cecil Reed, Gainsville; James Reed, Leon, Oklahoma; Harvey and Bonnie Blackstone, Enoch; Clyde Putman, Ola Williams, Henry and


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