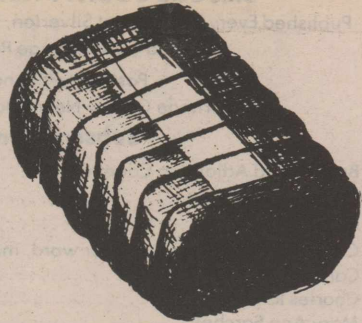


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No Holiday For The Firemen

Silverton's Volunteer Firemen spent most of their Fourth of July holiday at grassfires around the area.

They worked at a range fire on the Hedgecoke place in Armstrong County Friday. The local fire units were joined at this fire by Tulia, Happy, Wayside and Vigo Park. Claude would have come to help with this one, but they were busy with a fire of their own.

Saturday, two units went to Memphis

to assist with a fire that burned a couple of houses before being stopped just feet short of others. Fire departments responded from Shamrock, Paducah, Clarendon, Hedley, Childress, Silverton and other communities to help make a fire line and to wet roofs of homes to keep them from catching fire.

Sunday, Silverton and Vigo Park worked a CRP fire north of Lake Mackenzie.

Monday morning the Silverton firemen went to Lake Mackenzie about 3:30 a.m. to put out a fire that was started by someone shooting fireworks.

Before 7:00 a.m. they were called to a CRP fire in the Haylake community, and later in the day the units responded to a fire at Cherokee Ranch northeast of town.

Please, please be careful with fire. Many of these fires were started by lightning, but please don't risk the lives of firemen and others by being careless with fire. The danger of fire is extremely high everywhere, and it will remain high until there is a good soaking rain.

TAAS Summer Test to be Given

The administrators of Silverton ISD are announcing the test schedule for the Summer TAAS Exit level retest. Any student who has not previously mastered the state-mandated exit test is encouraged to take this opportunity to retest.

New guidelines were announced June 8, and do not include an October test date as in past years, but will test in the Spring of 1995 only. It is highly recommended that any student who needs to test do so at this special testing period.

Test dates are:

TAAS Exit Writing—July 12, 1994

TAAS Exit Reading—July 13, 1994

TAAS Exit Mat—July 14, 1994

Tests will begin at 9:00 a.m. each day.

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Health Clinics to Be Held In July

Two health clinics will be held in Silverton during July, the first a blood pressure and cholesterol screening on July 21 and the second an immunization clinic on July 27. Both clinics will be held from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon at the City Hall in Silverton.

BLOOD PRESSURE, CHOLESTEROL SCREENING
 The first clinic will be for blood pressure and cholesterol screening. The clinic will be conducted by the Texas Department of Health.

Walk-ins may sign in at the door and will be seen on a first-come, first-served basis. A small fee will be charged, based on the family's income. No one will be denied the testing because of low income.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC
 Appointments for the immunization clinic may be made by calling the Texas Department of Health, 995-3638. Walk-ins may sign in at the door and will be seen on a first-come, first-served basis.

Immunizations offered include Polio, DPT, Td, MMR, HIB for appropriate ages, and Hepatitis B for infants and high-risk adolescents.

Fees are on a sliding scale, depending on the family's income. No one will be denied the immunizations on the basis of low income.

Plan now to get the immunizations you need on July 27 at the City Hall in Silverton.

Seniors to Have Bake Sale and Car Wash

Members of the Senior Class of 1995 will have a car wash and bake sale Saturday, July 9, from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon on the parking lot at Allsup's.

They will accept donations for their car washes.

Alcohol and other drug problems cost each man, woman and child in America \$800 a year.

Drug Educator, Summer 1993, ACDE

All Around
 The Town
 BY MARY ANN SARCHET

Jarret Pigg received a kidney from his father, Clinton, on Wednesday, June 29, in Lubbock.

Jarret was in intensive care for 24 hours and then was placed in a room. The word from Janinne Brooks is that both Jarret and Clinton are doing very well. She said the doctors finished the surgery at exactly the time they had expected they would, and in the following couple of days told the family that Jarret was about a day ahead of normal recovery from the procedure.

It is thought that since both Clinton and Jarret are strong and in good physical condition, the transplant was more of a sure thing.

The family has taken an apartment in Lubbock and will be living there during the 21 days after Jarret is released from the hospital. He will be required to go back for his anti-rejection drug every day during this period and kept under close observation.

Jarret will be taking the anti-rejection drug every 12 hours for the rest of his life, but other than that, he is expected to be able to lead a near-normal life.



The Chamber Needs You!


"TEXAS" plays nightly except Sundays from mid-June to late August with performances in Palo Duro Canyon State Park. Call 806-655-2181.

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A Voice From the Country



Earl Cantwell
Gems & Allegorys

The Fourth of July: A day that conjures not only pleasant thoughts of freedom and other comparable pleasantries but also sad thoughts of about 200 years of war and waste of our nation's wealth.

I'm thinking now of an allegory: "The Story of Jonathan Brown."

I will tell you the story of Jonathan Brown, the wealthiest man in a given town. He had lands, he had houses, and factories and stocks, good gilt-edged investments, as solid as rocks . . . "Everything that I have," he so frequently said, "shall belong to the Lord when I'm dead" . . . So he made out his will, with particular care, a few hundred here and a few thousand there. For the little church in the village close by, he planned a new building with



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spire great and high, and chimes to be heard for miles and miles, and deep crimson carpet all down its long aisles . . . For his pastor, a new home, with rooms large and nice; for the village library, a generous slice. And then he remembered the college, where young folks were taught the essentials of knowledge . . . The promising son of his very best friend to prepare for the ministry he planned to send. He'd pay for his board and his room and tuition, expecting the lad to fill a great mission.

His pastor, in old shoes, and shabbiest raiment, suggested the Lord might enjoy a down payment. Jonathan said, it weren't smart to do business that way. "I'd end in the poor house for certain," he said, "if I give up my money before I'm dead." He grumbled because the good preacher had been rash, and sat down again to count his cash . . . Now Satan stood by with a devilish grin, saw all that old Jonathan had to put in; "Ahem," said the devil, concealing a smile, "I'll see that this old fellow lives yet a long while."

So Satan chased off every menacing germ, and sprayed with helseptec each threatening worm, until not a disease could get near to Jonathan Brown. His health was all the talk of the town. He survived epidemics of flu and measles, of smallpox, diphtheria, Bavarian teasles. He escaped the distress of appendicitis. He couldn't so much as have had tonsilitis . . . At sixty he was quite hearty and hale, at seventy he hadn't started to fail. At eighty his steps were youthful and spry. At ninety his nieces said, "Why doesn't he die?"

But the day after he turned a hundred and two, and Satan wasn't looking, a germ wiggled through and laid Brother Jonathan in his grave.

Now his relatives gathered in solemn conclave . . . Lawyer Jones read his will in a voice deep and round, but there wasn't a legatee to be found. The little home church he had loved in his youth had long since closed its doors and ceased to spread the truth . . . His pastor had died poor a long time ago. And the village library existed no more. The college, they found, when they wrote, was long ago sold on account of a note. The boy he planned to send off to college grew up in ignorance and also had died years before.

Could this be an apt allegory for our nation?

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Evening 8:00 p.m.

Plainview Insurance Agent Honored For Achievements in 1993

John McGavock of Plainview, an agent for the Farmers Insurance Group of Companies, has been honored for his outstanding sales achievements during 1993.

He has been invited to attend the 1994 annual meeting of Farmers' top sales producers, according to Dale V. Hawk, vice president of marketing of Farmers Group, Inc., an insurance management and holding company.

The four-day Topper Club convention at Aspen, Colorado, will give top Farmers' agents and district managers an opportunity to exchange customer service ideas and discuss local and national trends affecting the insurance business.

McGavock represents Farmers Insurance in Plainview through the John McGavock Agency, 2219 W. Fifth.

McGavock is a graduate of Silverton High School, and is the son of J. D. and Daphne Ferne McGavock of Silverton. He is married to the former Venita Teeple, daughter of Ray and Nelda Teeple.

Eighty-eight percent of people polled believe belts save lives and reduce injuries; 75 percent favor belt use laws; 70 percent say the risk of receiving a citation would make them buckle up; 65 percent (in law states) say police should issue more citations.

APPRECIATION

The City of Silverton would like to thank you for the spirit of cooperation you showed by not shooting fireworks this Fourth of July. The extreme fire hazard made it necessary to close the city to fireworks.

City of Silverton
 By Jerry Patton




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Looking Back

through the files of the
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July 5, 1984—Robert Gilmore stays busy making bits and spurs . . . Among those receiving employee service awards and specially-designed pins recently at Lockney General Hospital were Mrs. Dick (Joan) Roehr, eight years; Mrs. James (Jane) Chua Tuan, Mrs. Phil (Kathi) Hubbard, Mrs. Joe (Ninette) Zorger, three years; Mrs. Brad (JonEtta) Ziegler, one year . . . Mrs. Darrell Sorter and daughter, Sherri of Winfield, Missouri and Mrs. Richard Blankenship and daughter, Kristen of Saxton, Missouri visited Mr. and Mrs.

James Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Patton and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patton and families last week . . . Leslie and Ernestine Meier to celebrate forty years of marriage . . . Miss Angela Beth Lowrey exchanges wedding vows with Joe Kirk Smith . . . The descendants of the late J. H. and Maggie Burson gathered for a reunion at the original headquarters of the Double Diamond Ranch, now owned and operated by their son and his wife, Johnnie and Dean Burson . . .

July 4, 1974—Leland Hugh Wood and Calvin Shelton accepted a \$2,000 check from Don Cornett of the Briscoe County 4-H Adult Leaders Association and County Extension Agent Jimmy Vanstory. The money is to be applied to the cost of building the new rodeo arena . . . Funeral services for Mrs. Nadine

Mercer, 31, were conducted at Pampa . . . Mrs. Donnie Martin has been in traction this week at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia as the result of a skiing accident at Lake Greenbelt Sunday afternoon . . . Bill and Buck Hardin were in Peacock recently on business . . . Mrs. M. E. Smith fell Sunday and broke her hip and wrist at the nursing home in Tulia . . . Suzette Fitzgerald and Ty McMurtry were among the 20 4-H members who qualified for competition in the State 4-H Horse Show in Dallas . . . Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hollingsworth are parents of a daughter, Shannon Kay . . . Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bingham celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary June 28 in Stratford . . .

July 2, 1964—Blue Angels to highlight Swisher County celebration . . .

Becky Stephens and Toni Isbell celebrated their eleventh birthdays together at the park last Friday. Hostesses for the party were their grandmother, Mrs. B. L. Stephens, and Becky's mother. Those attending the party were Marsha Teeple, Lanis Davis, Karen Miller, Elaine Branam, Truette Stephens, Vicki, Kim and Christi Isbell, Annette Williams, Barbara May, Morris Stephens, Lynette Martin, Monty Teeple, Tommy Burson and Danny Thompson . . . Mrs. H. L. O. Riddell has been a patient in the Lockney Hospital . . . Mrs. R. C. Hutsell recently fell on a concrete walk and injured one of her legs. She is wearing a walking cast, but says that the injury is very painful . . . Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Cornett and David visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett . . . David House and Emmett Tomlin spent the weekend in Lubbock with Jay Towe who is attending summer school at Texas Tech . . . Mr. and Mrs. Roy Younger and family spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Younger, at Harleton . . .

August 5, 1954—Rev. Cecil Vaughn and Rev. Fred Dudley are holding a revival meeting at the Assembly of God here . . . The Farmer's Fuel Association is offering its property in Silverton for sale . . . Robert Ledbetter said, "Watch for bollworms" . . . Mother of Bill McCracken buried at Bronte . . . Jim Clemmer, who operated the Clemmer Garage for several years across the street from the Palace Theatre, is now located at Bomar One Stop . . . Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Lanham are announcing the betrothal and approaching marriage of their daughter, Peggy Don, to Larry Tunnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tunnell . . . Roy Lyn Long celebrates fourth birthday at party . . . Johnny Montague enjoys fifth birthday . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bingham and children spent a recent weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bingham near Canyon. The fishing along the creek was pretty good so the entire party went to Buffalo Lake on Monday and Tuesday . . . Mrs. Glenn McWilliams and children visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cagle and Rhonda, in Sunray . . . Keyth Tiffin attended the homecoming at Gasoline last Sunday . . . Mr. and Mrs. George Long and children visited her aunt, Mrs. Cleo Goins, in Floydada Sunday afternoon . . . Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins and Patricia Gail of Amarillo spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn . . .

July 13, 1944—Two Silverton boys, Garner Guest and Alfred Hunt, fighting on opposite sides of the earth, have been wounded, according to reports received here Wednesday . . . Cpl. George Martin is with the Infantry in the South Pacific. Songs in the Texas manner are the specialty of Corporal Martin, company clerk with the 25th Infantry Division, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin. With his own guitar accompaniment, his selection of western and novelty songs has been a source of enjoyment to his fellow soldiers from Hawaii to New Zealand . . . Lieut. Harley Redin has written his parents from Hawaii. He is on his way to a South Pacific fighting zone. He is pilot of a B-25 bomber and is flying his ship across . . . L. D. Griffin is here on furlough visiting his wife and other relatives . . . George Heckman and family of Clarendon, Don Heckman of Austin, Pvt. Lowell Heckman of Camp Scott, Colorado and Roy Heckman and family and Ashel Cross and family had dinner on the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heckman . . . Mrs. Tom Blasingame and son, Tommie, of Clarendon spent the weekend with Mrs. W. E. Schott, sr. . . Editor Roy Hahn wrote: The Bob McDaniels are thick as flies around here. There is Bob, sr. and Bob, jr. and then there's Bob the

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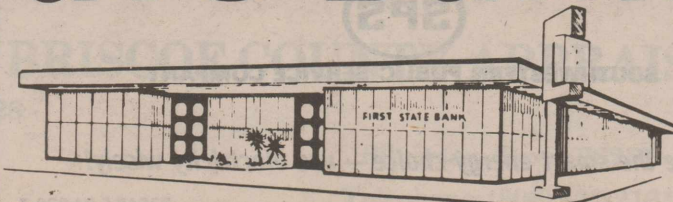
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Pre-Show Entainers Enhance 'TEXAS' Drama Experience

The best can always become just a little bit better. At least that's the attitude of the management, staff and supporters of the musical drama "TEXAS".

The musical drama written by Pulitzer Prize winner Paul Green has a long-standing and well-earned reputation as the best entertainment to be found in the Texas Panhandle. So how do you go about making it better, without changing any of the things that make it so special?

The answer is to add an outstanding offering of live music before each performance.

Visitors to the "TEXAS" musical drama this year are being entertained by two groups that each possess a unique musical style.

Tisra Til ascends the patio stage at 6:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday evenings. This well-traveled musical duo consists of Stephen (Tupe) and Janey Kenyon. During the past 15 years, Tupe and Janey have shared their imaginative stage shows with audiences across the United States and around the world.

The unusual name of this dynamic duo comes from the ancient Sanskrit language and means "eye of the imagination." Their versatile style, rich melodies and commanding lyrics invite listeners to join them on a journey of joy and wonder.

Tisra Til is proficient on almost a score of musical instruments including a wide array of visual percussion instruments. Janey plays mountain

dulcimer, hammered dulcimer, bass, guitar, old-time banjo, bongos and a suitcase full of novelty instruments, including washboard, mouthbow and a dancing clog doll named Dexter. According to Tupe, she's almost famous as "the world's hottest spoon player."

Tupe writes many of their original songs, which can be found on the four albums Tisra Til has recorded. His reflective and stirring lyrics carry a message that is completely compatible with the refreshing melodies. His songs, coupled with Janey's rich vocal style, simultaneously stir the imagination and soothe the soul. He also plays six- and twelve-string guitars, bass, mandolin, banjo and harmonica. Both Tupe and Janey sing lead and harmony.

The diverse style of Tisra Til is a special blend of folk, country, western, bluegrass and mountain music. This duo's easy going and varied style encourages audience participation and enthusiasm. Their shows, laced with kid-tested and parent-approved humor, move beyond mere entertainment into the realm of an uplifting experience.

Crowds visiting "TEXAS" on Friday and Saturday nights tap their toes to the friendly sounds of The Prairie Dogs. The band has been a crowd-pleaser prior to weekend performances for each of the last three years.

The band, comprised of Dane Williams, Byron Williamson, Greg Meador, Mike Borger and Dennis Garvey, is gaining recognition for a new brand of music they affectionately dub

"Cow Jazz." The band's performances are filled with original music written by band members. They consistently cross the traditional lines between folk, rock, country, bluegrass and jazz. The addition this year of live drums adds new strength to their performances.

The Prairie Dogs use acoustic guitar, bass, mandolin, banjo, harmonica, electric guitar and percussion to make their music. Since members of the band are proficient on more than one instrument, you'll often see them passing guitars, mandolins or bass guitars around during a performance.

The Prairie Dogs released their first album, "Cow Jazz" almost two years ago. They currently are working on a new album they expect to release later this year.

Pre-show entertainment at "TEXAS" is provided through an agreement between Roller Studio Productions and the Texas Panhandle Heritage Foundation, the non-profit producer of "TEXAS".

"TEXAS" continues to attract visitors from near and far who are spellbound by this tale of the early settlers who came to the Panhandle. An outstanding setting in the midst of Palo Duro Canyon State Park, superlative special effects, colorful costumes and a professional cast makes "TEXAS" the best attended outdoor drama in the nation.

Currently in its 29th season, "TEXAS" plays Monday through Saturday at 8:30 p.m. Good seats are still available for most week nights. Reservations are strongly recommended, but a waiting list is available on a first-come basis. Ticket prices are \$14, \$10 and \$6 for adults and \$14, \$5 and \$3 for children under 12.

For additional information, call (806) 655-2181 or write P. O. Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015.

Floydada Jamaica Promises Full Day of Family Activities

Food, music, games and lots of fun for the whole family is what can be expected to be found in Floydada during St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church's 1994 Jamaica on Saturday, July 16. The annual event, which serves as a major fundraiser for the church's new building, will be held on the square of the Floyd County Courthouse in downtown Floydada.

Delicacies to whet everyone's appetites will include brisket tacos, tripas, hamburgers, hot dogs, nachos, frito pies and tacos, just to name a few. Soft drinks and lemonade will quench thirsts throughout the day. A candy store also will be set up to satisfy those with a sweet tooth.

Music, ranging from Tejano to heavy metal, will keep visitors entertained. "After Birth," a local heavy metal band consisting of four Floydada youths, will make their debut performance during this year's Jamaica. Among the Tejano bands scheduled to perform are "Jackie D. and The Boys" and "Calidad and Texas Posse." Negotiations are being finalized with other area bands.

Adults and children can test their skills at any of the game booths that will be set up and manned by church members. Some of these will include Mexican bingo, cake walk, dart toss, fishing booth, ring toss, mini golf and dunking booth.

Looking Back—

Fourth—but Bob the Fourth was a girl—Bob, jr. always was pretty much of a showoff, and I think that accounts for the fact that he has a daughter now who is two months younger than his granddaughter. It is now Bob, sr.'s move...

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**Congressman
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*A View From
the Hill*

RELIGION AND THE WORKPLACE

In my office in Washington, I have a Bible on my desk. That Bible will remain on my desk, and no one will take away my right to have it there, nor should anyone be constrained from showing their faith. One of the principles upon which our great country was founded is the freedom to worship, or not, as a person chooses. We must strive to be tolerant of people whose beliefs differ from our own.

Up until a few months ago, I would bet that dinner table conversations did not consist of talk about Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, or religious harassment. But because of a court case, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission in October proposed guidelines concerning the standards for determining illegal workplace harassment based upon race, color, religion, gender, national origin, age, or disability.

The suit was filed by a young man who claimed he was the constant target of highly offensive religious slurs and taunts from his supervisor and a co-worker. Apparently, the supervisor and co-worker often subjected this employee to insults like "resident Jew," "Jew faggot," "rich Jew," and "Christ killer," among others. The court found the employer liable for religious harassment under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

I realize that there has been a great deal of controversy about the purpose and effect of these proposed guidelines. The EEOC originally drafted these guidelines to help employers understand existing law on harassment. The guidelines are just that, guidelines, and not new regulations.

However, I share the concern raised by many that the EEOC needs to more clearly define for employers, through concrete examples and explanations, both illegal harassment and protected religious expression. Otherwise, employers may opt to encourage a religious-free workplace simply because they are confused about how to comply with federal law.

The EEOC says that harassment based on religion violates the law in the same manner as harassment based on race, color, gender, national origin, age or disability. Like harassment on other bases, a person will not be charged with religious harassment unless the challenged conduct is hostile or denigrating on the basis of religion and is sufficiently severe and pervasive to alter the conditions of employment.

In other words, it is not religious harassment for a supervisor or co-worker to merely state his or her religious affiliation, to keep a Bible on their desk, or to wear a cross, a turban, or a yarmulke to work. However, an employee subjected to repeated insults hostile to his or her religion is suffering from religious harassment and should have recourse.

The EEOC recognizes that the expression of one's own beliefs is far different than disparaging the religion or beliefs of others. The commission has never taken the position that people are not entitled to exercise religious freedom at work. In

fact, employers are required to allow people to wear yarmulkes and turbans to work, unless it causes safety problems or other undue hardship.

This issue is being taken seriously by Members of Congress. Recently, the Senate passed a Sense of the Senate resolution stating that the EEOC should give religion separate treatment from other categories of harassment.

In addition, the U.S. House of Representatives recently passed an amendment that prohibits funding to the EEOC for the purpose of implementing, administering or enforcing the present guidelines covering harassment based on religion. This amendment passed the House by a vote of 366-to-37, with my support, and the EEOC is currently working on more specific guidelines.

Keeping an eye on Texas

Organic crops sprout across the state

Estimates show Texas growers of organic produce could earn cash receipts of \$3.8 million in 1994. Crops include beans, peas, tomatoes, peppers, potatoes, corn, mushrooms, onions, broccoli, carrots, grapes, watermelons, cantaloupes, peaches, blueberries, blackberries, strawberries, oranges, grapefruit, herbs and sprouts.

SOURCES: Texas Department of Agriculture and John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts.

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Neff-Vardy Vows Solemnized Recently In Lubbock Service

Tamara Suzanne Neff and Christopher Ray Vardy were united in marriage at 2:00 p.m. June 18 at First Methodist Church in Lubbock with the Rev. Dixie Robertson officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neff of Dublin and is the granddaughter of Mrs. Rena Schott of Silverton. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Vardy of Wolforth.

The bride wore a gown of white satin and lace. The bodice was beaded with pearls and sequins and the back featured a heart-shaped cutout. The sleeves had large puffs decorated with ruching and illusion. The basque waist flowed into a bouffant skirt, the front of which had a beaded applique. A single satin ruffle finished the edge of the scalloped cathedral train.

The bride wore a hat decorated with satin roses and leaves which were studded with pearls and sequins. A shoulder-length veil of illusion fell from the pouf. She carried a bouquet of spring flowers.

Maid of honor was Nicky Monica of Houston. Bridesmaids were Jana Soulakis of Plano, Louanne Addington of Fort Worth, the groom's sister, and Leslea Vardy of Wolforth, also a sister of the groom.

They wore tea-length gowns of peach taffeta and carried bouquets of mixed spring flowers.

Best man was Rob Vardy of Lubbock, the groom's brother. Groomsmen were Jason Cook of Amarillo, Todd Newberry of San Angelo, the groom's cousin, and Tracy Neff of Lubbock, the bride's brother.

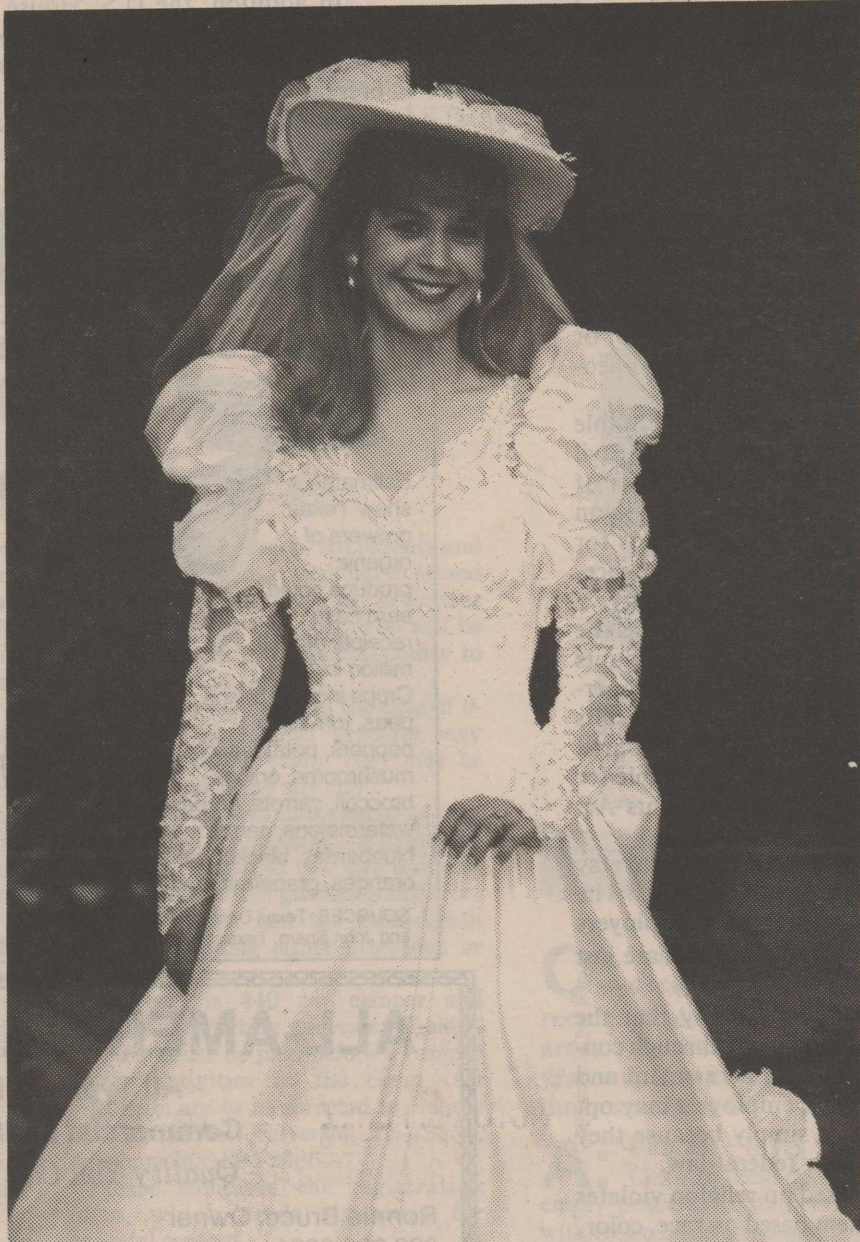
Ring bearer was Jared Hobgood of Wolforth and flower girl was Nichole Schott of Silverton, the bride's cousin. Stephanie Anderson was cross bearer and candlelighters were Elizabeth Ginn and Katie Hankins. Ursula Hays registered guests.

Ushers were Brent Schott of Lubbock, the bride's cousin, and Charles Addington II of Fort Worth, the groom's brother-in-law.

The Chancel Choir, of which the bride and groom are members, sang "We Wait For Thy Loving Kindness." For the benediction they sang "Go Forth into the World in Peace." Organist was Gordon McMillan.

Following the reception, the couple left for a honeymoon in Ixtapa, Mexico.

The bride is a 1990 graduate of Dublin High School and will graduate



Mrs. Christopher Ray Vardy

from Texas Tech in December with a bachelor of arts degree in English.

The groom is a 1990 graduate of Frenship High School and was graduated from Texas Tech in May with a degree in management. He is employed by Enterprise Rent-A-Car in Bedford. The couple will live in Fort Worth.

The bridegroom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at Levity's in Lubbock.

New Arrivals

Walter and Bobbye Bean are proud to announce the birth of a grandson. Kyler Clay Bean was born July 1, 1994 at 10:20 a.m. at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

He weighed seven pounds and six ounces, and is 21" long. His parents are Kyle and Lori Bean of Lubbock.

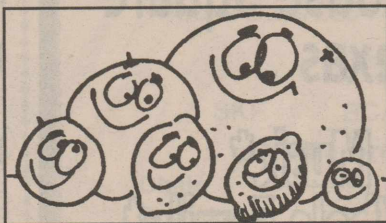
G. B. and Naomi Johnston of Lockney are the maternal grandparents.

Susie Autry is the great-grandmother.

Taren Renee Perkins made her debut at Central Texas Medical Center in San Marcos on June 15, 1994. The baby weighed eight pounds, 4.4 ounces and was 21 inches tall at birth.

Her proud parents are Dr. and Mrs. Tommy Perkins. She was welcomed home by her big brother, Justin, and big sisters, Nicole and Amber.

Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lee Perkins of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Don Strodman of Broussard, Louisiana and Mrs. Barbara Henderson of Hartsville, Alabama.



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July 8—Wayne Rampley, Kami Martin, Kathi Hubbard

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July 10—Christopher Allen Sternberg, Betty Reid, Lucille Scott, Eloise Strange, Samantha Francis, David Donahoo

July 11—Sandy Stephens, Magan Whittington, Carman Juarez

July 12—Bobbie Bean, Gilbert Elms, Christy West, Sandy Tambunga, Pamela Castillo, Christina Hall, Jerry Baker, E. H. McGavock

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by Ronda Alexander
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- Home Economics

Food Safety For The Backyard Chef

In the midst of this hot summer, outside grilling has become even more popular. This allows the kitchen and the cook to stay a little cooler. Cooking out requires extra precautions though, in order to prevent food-borne illness.

Careful grilling can prevent excessive smoke and charring that may be unhealthy. Follow these simple tips to help keep your cookouts both safe and fun:

- ★ Select high-quality meat and products for best results.
- ★ Keep meats at 40°F or less until right before grilling. Thaw frozen foods in the refrigerator and do not use the left-over marinade on cooked meat.
- ★ Wash your hands before and after handling raw meats.
- ★ Wash all work surfaces and utensils thoroughly with hot, soapy water before and after preparations. Use a different cutting board for meats

than fruits and vegetables.
★ After meat is placed on the grill, wash utensils and platters with hot, soapy water before using them again. Cooking kills bacteria, but cooked foods can be recontaminated with unwashed utensils.

★ Keep serving time after cooking to a maximum of two hours; refrigerate all leftovers immediately.

★ Poultry products should be cooked until the juices run clear or the temperature reaches 70°F.

★ Eating raw or rare meat is not recommended, especially for persons who have chronic illnesses, recovering from surgery or have comprised immune systems. Cook meat thoroughly to kill bacteria.

Remember these tips to keep your summer grilling safe and fun!

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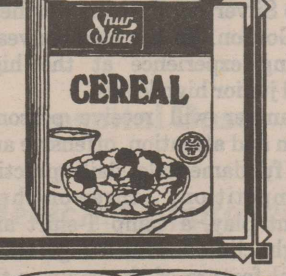
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THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT MUST BE SIGNED BY PARENT/GUARDIAN AND SHOULD BE READ CAREFULLY: I hereby give permission for my child to participate in the Silverton Basketball Camp. This authorization shall waive, release and absolve the Silverton I.S.D. and the camp staff from any and all liability for injury or illness incurred at the camp. I give the staff permission to act for me according to its best judgment in any emergency. I also certify that _____ has no physical problems which would impede his/her participation at the Silverton Basketball Camp other than those noted on an attached sheet of paper.

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Basketball Camp Scheduled Here

The annual Silverton Owls Basketball Camp will be conducted in the school gym here July 25-29. The primary purpose is to improve the fundamental techniques of basketball and challenge each camper regardless of present abilities.

"Even though we want our campers to have fun and enjoy good fellowship, our emphasis is still on hard work so that campers will actually improve the skills that will make them become better competitors," said Coach Donnie Dutton, one of the directors of the camp.

Dutton has completed his second season as head boys coach in Silverton High School. The 1993-94 Owls made the playoffs for the second consecutive year as they finished the season as District Runner-up. Prior to coming to Silverton, Dutton was head coach at Harper and an assistant at Abernathy. Dutton has over eight years of coaching experience at the high school and junior high levels.

He will be assisted in the camp by Roger Whipkey and Clyde Parham.

Coach Whipkey has completed his first season as head girls' coach in Silverton High School. The Lady Owls amassed a record of 17-13 to put Whipkey's career coaching record at 40-22. His experience includes two years as head coach and four years as a player at Panhandle State University.

Coach Parham has been assistant basketball coach in Silverton High School for the past four years. Prior to coming to Silverton, Parham was head coach at Gordon. He has over six years of coaching experience at the high school and junior high levels.

Each camper will receive personal instruction and attention, offensive and defensive fundamentals, daily practice and competition, three-on-three tournament play, a camp T-shirt and Friday night clinic session and games.

A special feature of the camp is the

Friday evening session. All parents and friends of campers are invited to attend and see the drills and activities demonstrated by campers, who will be divided according to age and ability to play in team competition.

Boys and girls between the ages of 9-14 (1994 third-eighth graders) may participate in the camp. They may be from any school and any city.

Reservations will be accepted as they are received. If enrollment is great, the camp will be divided into two sessions, with the third-fifth graders going from 8:00-11:30 a.m. and the sixth-eighth graders attending either afternoon or night sessions.

The cost is \$40 per camper and includes instruction and camp T-shirt. This fee must be paid before a camper begins activities in the camp. All payments are to be directed to Donnie Dutton, Box 287, Silverton, TX 79257, telephone 806-823-2086.

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Q: I understand the state occasionally sponsors recycling collection days in rural areas. Have I missed them this year and how do I find out when the nearest one is?

A: Dubbed Texas Country Cleanup, these days combine empty pesticide container recycling with collection of used motor oil and oil filters, used tires, and lead-acid batteries. A series of the days was conducted earlier this year, largely in East, Central and South Texas. Still to come in June are collection days in Lamesa, Seagraves, Brownfield, Amherst and Abernathy. Then in August, collection days will be held in Plainview, Hereford, Perryton, Etter, Vega, Wellington, Burkburnett, Munday, Anson, and Wall. These are excellent opportunities for agricultural producers to properly dispose of empty pesticide containers and for homeowners to get rid of used oil and oil filters. For details about times and locations, and more information about what is accepted at each of the sites, call your local County Agriculture

Extension Agent. Texas Country Cleanup is sponsored by the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Department of Agriculture, with help from CLEAN TEXAS 2000.

Q: We're hearing more and more about leaving grass clippings on the lawn rather than raking them up. Are there any guidelines so we don't get a buildup of thatch?

A: Believe it or not, in this case, less work means a healthier lawn! What you've heard about is probably the "Don't Bag It" program developed by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. It's a common sense approach to lawn care that can save money by reducing water and fertilizer needs, protecting our water supplies and keeping grass clippings out of our landfills. The biggest adjustment for most people is getting used to mowing their grass somewhat higher - usually two to four inches, removing only a third of the grass blade. Taller grass helps the soil retain moisture and doesn't need as much supplemental watering as shorter, faster growing grass. You should be sure to keep your mower blades sharp, and if possible, use a mulching mower or mulching blade. Mulching will clip the grass into smaller pieces that decay quickly, giving your soil free, natural fertilizer and helping to avoid "thatch".

Q: I can't stand a dirty car, but I want to save water, too. What are the best methods?

A: It's possible to wash your car without wasting water, and it's also possible to wash it without causing runoff that can pollute water supplies. If you're going to wash your car yourself, use a bucket and sponge or cloth rather than running water through a hose the entire time you wash. Use the hose only when you rinse and use a hose-end nozzle with a positive shut-off so that you can easily stop the spray when you scrub or wipe. Well-maintained commercial car washes generally use less water and pollute less than a sloppy home job. The high pressure equipment requires less water to remove dirt and to rinse than you would use with a regular garden hose at home. In many areas, commercial car washes must filter and recycle their water, keeping dirt out of storm drains and sewer systems and using the water several times before it leaves the business.

Your newspaper runs this column as a public service in cooperation with the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission. If you have questions about reduction, reuse or recycling of waste, call the CLEAN TEXAS 2000 Information Center at 1-800-64-TEXAS, or write CLEAN TEXAS 2000, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

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Strike Bill would upset balance in U.S. labor law

As the U.S. faces ever-increasing foreign competition, we're fortunate that the relationship between labor and management in this country is relatively balanced. In fact, the incidence of strikes by workers is at a historic low point now compared with the past 50 years. But ironically, the U.S. Senate is now considering a bill that I believe would undercut years of advancement in labor relations and actually increase the number of strikes.

This legislation would prohibit employers from defending their businesses by offering permanent jobs to replacement workers during a strike over economic issues. But more importantly, it would damage a stable work environment that has encouraged corporations to keep jobs in this country.

The striker replacement bill would upset the fundamental balance of U.S. labor law that we've enjoyed since the enactment of the National Labor Relations Act in 1935.

Existing law motivates both workers and employers to resolve their differences at the bargaining table by making strikes extremely risky for both sides. Management faces loss of business and revenue and possibly even bankruptcy, while labor confronts permanent replacement. As a result, we have reduced the number and length of strikes, as well as the number of lost-employee hours.

The striker replacement bill would eliminate the leading risk of strikes for unions. It could increase greatly their willingness to walk off the job. So strikes would become more commonplace, and the resulting increased cost of labor could send jobs overseas. The potential consequences are grave.

With more labor strikes, U.S. productivity would decrease, our economic recovery would be undermined, and thousands of Americans could be left permanently out of work. Both union and non-union workers would be affected by the economic ripple effect of strikes in surrounding communities.

Existing law allows workers to strike over economic demands. It also gives employers the right to continue operating their businesses by hiring substitute employees. That is what Congress intended when it passed the Act in 1935.

The U.S. Supreme Court affirmed the law in its 1938 Mackay decision and every previous President over the last half-century — Democrat and Republican — has supported the current balance in our labor law. Businesses, both large and small, in services and manufacturing, all oppose the Strike Bill.

A study commissioned by the independent Employment Policy Foundation — which examined all reported federal labor disputes since 1935 — determined that the incidence of permanent replacements has remained constant for more than 50 years. In recent years, the numbers have actually dropped.

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The Briscoe County Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 1995 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on July 14th at 8:30 a.m. at the Appraisal District Office in Silverton.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget is \$69,000

The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is \$ -0-

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be 2 (full-time equivalent).

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The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities, and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district office.

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Lots of boll weevils survived the Southern High Plains' fourth mild winter in a row, and according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) boll weevils may be a significant problem in some areas this year.

With most of the cotton acreage in the Southern High Plains now squaring, some cotton fields in Gaines and Dawson counties already have received boll weevil treatments. PCG officials say the possibility of weevil control should be foremost in everyone's minds.

"Early treatment decisions should be

based on the 'trap index' using pheromone traps," says PCG Boll Weevil Program Coordinator Roger Haldenby. "At this time we are advising producers to talk to their crop consultant, entomologist or Extension personnel for advice on weevil treatments."

Haldenby adds that producers in the following counties should be especially watchful: Andrews, Borden, Briscoe, Crosby, Dawson, Dickens, Floyd, Gaines, Hall, Howard, Kent, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Motley, Scorry and Terry.

"The Fall Diapause Boll Weevil Control Program is going to have a hard time addressing widespread weevil infestations in the newly-infested area with the limited funds that are available," says Dr. James F. Leser, Extension Entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "This program needs your help. If weevil numbers run two to four per trap the week prior to the appearance of match-head sized squares, definitely consider spraying."

The PCG-run boll weevil program has been very successful for 30 years because of help from the environment, mainly in the form of cold winters which compliment the program's goal of reducing the number of weevils entering overwintering habitat. Without this help the last few years, the weevil has made a major push into normally weevil-free areas of the High Plains.

Producers in these areas are being encouraged to look further down the road in order to manage this year's crop so that the highest level of weevil control possible is achieved.

"It may seem a long time to harvest when we haven't even seen blooms, but producers in high weevil areas need to give some thought now to early termination of this crop," says Dr. Don Rummel, Research Scientist and boll weevil expert from the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, in Lubbock. "Regulating growth later in the season, knocking off squares and terminating a mature crop can possibly do as much good (for boll weevil control) as a pesticide application."

For more information about the status of weevil populations, producers can contact their County Extension personnel or look for the "High Plains Boll Weevil Report" in the Cotton/Rice Segment of the DTN system.

Common-Law Marriage and Social Security

by Terry Richardson
Social Security Office Manager
Plainview, Texas

Today, more than three million men and women live together without the benefit of a marriage ceremony. In some cases, their co-habitation may become a common-law marriage and they could be entitled to the same Social Security benefits as couples who have had ceremonial marriages performed.

A common-law marriage is one which was not solemnized by either a religious or civil ceremony, but in certain states, may be entered into by the mutual agreement by a man and woman to be married. Other states recognize common-law marriages up to a date in the past. If a claimant can establish that a common-law marriage was entered into before that date, entitlement as a common-law spouse is permitted.

Most states—even though in which a man and woman could not enter into a valid common-law marriage—will recognize a common-law marriage validly entered into in another state.

For Social Security purposes, the basic requirements for a valid common-law marriage are that both parties must (1) be legally capable of marrying each other; and (2) agree to become husband and wife in a state which permits nonceremonial marriages.

Evidence to prove a common-law marriage include a statement from each and a statement from a blood relative of each. If either of the parties are dead, then a statement from two blood relatives of the decedent are needed.

The statements required by the husband, wife and relatives must be made on special forms that are available in any Social Security office. Evidence such as mortgage receipts, bank records, insurance policies, etc. also may be required to show that the couple considered themselves husband and wife.

While Social Security follows state law, couples can be considered married under the "sojourn doctrine." The sojourn doctrine stipulates that if a couple travels as husband and wife and holds themselves out as such in a state which recognizes common-law marriage, a common-law marriage may arise under the law of the state they are visiting.

Anyone who is interested in more information regarding Social Security and common-law marriages should contact their local Social Security office.

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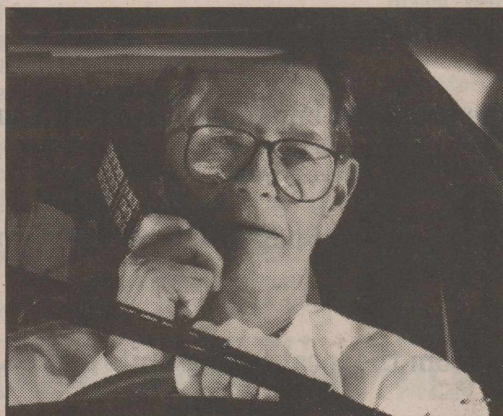
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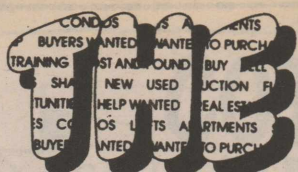


FAITH DECLARES A BUDGET VACATION AN ENJOYABLE ONE

Vacation time is here for many of us, and this year it may have to be a low budget one. However, wherever we live in this wonderful country, there is always something beautiful to see nearby, as well as some fun things to do; even if we just lounge around the back yard and maybe take an occasional ride to the woods or a beach, if there's one handy. It's not necessary to spend a lot of money in order to have a good time, escape from the cares and chores of the rest of the year, and see the wonders of nature. Just remember that God made this world we live in, and He put a lot of beauty into it that man, with all his huge shopping malls, etc., cannot completely eradicate. Remember also that God will be watching over you, whether you're at home or away.

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BOXES OF 50 THANK-YOU NOTES have just arrived at the Briscoe County News. Some are new items. 21-tfnc

TRASH BARRELS FOR SALE: Silvertown Fire Department. Ask at City Hall. 21-tfc

Tiffin Talk

Clearance Sale. Shop Tiffin's. 27-1tc

20% OFF ALL IN-STOCK Mary Kay Cosmetics. After 5:00 p.m. Bena Hester, 823-2093. 27-1tc

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FOR SALE: 1988 OLDSMOBILE Cierra. Has some hail dimples. See or call Duane Reynolds, 847-2517. 27-2tc

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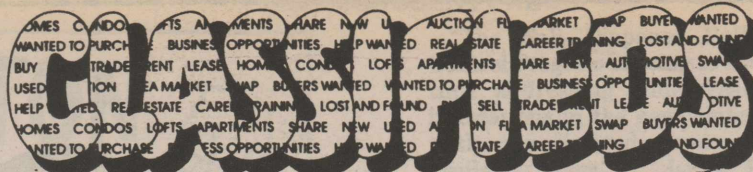
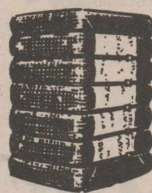
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Upcoming Consignment Auction. Antiques, Household, Vehicles, Tools and Miscellaneous Items. Need to consign before August 3 to get advertised. For information call J & L Auction Service, 806-823-2534 after 6:00 p.m. workdays, all day Saturday and Sunday. 27-4tc

MRS. JAMES ORTIZ, nee Melissa Garcia, has gift selections at Caprock Floral. May we assist you with something for her shower? 27-1tc

REAL ESTATE

JOE MERCER HOME FOR SALE at 105 North Loretta Street: Three bedroom brick, two baths, living room, large kitchen, den, dining area, big basement paneled with birch with heat and air, double garage with door openers. NEW ROOF. Well built home. 655-7526. 24-tfc

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FOR SALE: NICE THREE-BEDROOM, two bath brick home with large living room, double car garage, nice-size basement. Brad Ziegler, 202 Loretta Street, 823-2242. 19-3tc

FOR SALE: OFFICE BUILDING at 501 Main Street in Silvertown. 823-2046. 23-4tc

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale in cause number B8963-93-10CV, Tulia Wheat Growers vs. Wayne Stephens, in the 242 District Court, Swisher County, Texas. The following will be sold at public sale as follows:

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DATE: JULY 22, 1994 AT 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: West door of the Briscoe County Courthouse, Silvertown, Briscoe County, Texas. 27-3tc

CARDS OF THANKS

I would like to thank everyone for their love, concern and especially their prayers while I have been under the weather. This is a very special place to live and we appreciate every act of kindness that we have been blessed with.

God bless you,
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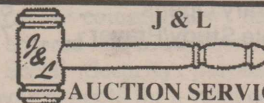
We wish to express our gratitude to each one of you who responded so quickly to help Michael when he was burned: all of Briscoe Implement's employees, Sheriff Dick Roehr, and our wonderful Ambulance Service Volunteers, who provided such excellent care and attention. We also appreciate everyone for each act of concern and caring you have shown to all of us since we've come home. With our most sincere thanks, Michael, Walter and Dianna Hill

GETTING MARRIED? We invite you to make gift selections at Nana's Neighborhood. Crafts items made by our local artisans can help you decorate your new home. Open 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays. West of the Courthouse. 22-tfnc

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