

We have been attending the playoff games in which our grandson, Jordan Sarchet, has been participating with his Tahoka teammates the past couple of weeks and have been having a ball. As the undefeated District Champions for the first time in 33 years, the Dawgs received a bye in the first round of the playoffs. Then the Dawgs beat Ozona at Midland Lee High School, before going to Big Spring to play Reagan County. The tough Reagan County Owls held on to eliminate every lead the Dawgs attempted to build against them, and Tahoka shot 73% of its foul shots while the Owls shot only 72% to win this game 72-66.

Then it was off to Abilene for the Regional Tournament. First opponent for the Dawgs was West Texas Stinnett, the team that destroyed Floydada's two-point overtime lead with a threepoint buzzer beater. And once again, the Dawgs emerged as the winner.

Saturday at noon, the Dawgs met the Hale Center Owls and their 6-10 player who spends his time scooping up the ball and putting it in the basket, along with rebounding and killing the shots of the opponents. He isn't an outstanding ballhandler and doesn't dribble, but they don't need him for

Jordan is the tallest player for Tahoka at 6-4, but several of his teammates are 6-2 and 6-3, so they really can't be considered a short team. They all handle the ball, they all shoot well, and they all wanted very badly to make the trip to Austin. They have a crushing full-court press that has taken care of most of their opponents this year.

Now the ball is in Hale Center's court. They had better win state to justify having knocked the Dawgs out of contention!

## Saturday Night of Praise Returns to First Baptist Church

After taking a couple of months off, 'Saturday Night of Praise" returns to First Baptist Church this coming weekend. A worship team leads out in 30-45 minutes of singing, focusing on songs of praise and worship. many new choruses and older songs are used to bring worshippers into God's presence.

'Saturday Night of Praise" meets each second Saturday of the month in the sanctuary of First Baptist Church. You are invited to come and join the members for a casual evening of wor-

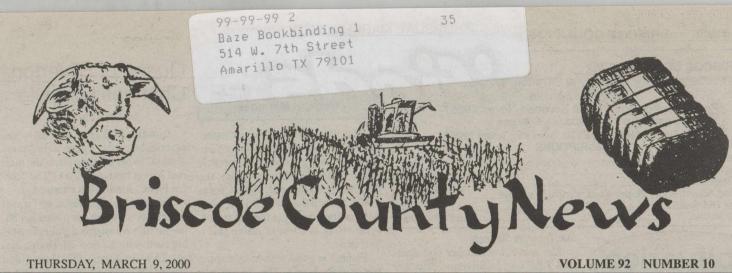
Leslee Burkhart and Terry Miller are parents of a daughter, Jennifer Lynn, born at St. Mary's Hospital in abandoned wells exist. Most of these Lubbock on February 26 at 12:53 p.m. The tiny premature baby weighed five CRP and the motors and pumps have pounds and two ounces and is 18"

# **Open Wells Threaten Underground Water** Supplies in Texas

by Matthew Kast

A clean supply of water is something we all desire. Here in the Texas the quality of water found in the it up once it has occurred. Ogallala Aquifer.

As stewards of the land it is our re-





1A Regional Champion Girls Powerlifting Team--(back row, left to right) Brooke Garvin, Krystle Clinton, Elida Garcia; (front row) Patricia Acevedo, Maribel Garcia, Amy Maciel, Kurby Garvin. Briscoe County News Photo

# **Power Lifters Qualify Four For** State Competition at Fort Hood

Places the girls won at Regional are

Amy Maciel, first, 105 class; Patricia

Aceyedo, second, 114 class; Elida

Garcia, first, 123 class; Kurby Garvin,

fourth, 132 class; Maribel Garcia,

class; Brooke Garvin, second, 181

class; Krystle Clinton, second, 198+

all of these placings combined to win

points in the quest for the champion-

ship. Placing second was Corman,

with 22 points. Other teams and their

total points included 3. Motley

County, 15; 4. Hart, 14; 5. Cristoval,

10; 6. Rising Star, 7; 6. (tie) Munday,

8. White Deer, 5; 9. Paint Creek,

The Lady Owls accumulated 41

the girls championship.

Four members of the Regional Garcia, Cindy Allen, Brooke Garvin Championship Girls Powerlifting and Krystle Clinton. Team have qualified for state competition at Fort Hood (Killeen) on March 24. They are Elida Garcia, Amy Maciel, Brooke Garvin and Cindy

In order to qualify for state, the girls third, 148 class; Cindy Allen, first 165 each won first place in her classification at the Regional Meet in Colorado City in the squat, bench press and class. All of the points contributed by deadlift. They are coached by Wayne Henderson and Dewaine Lee.

Ten girls qualified for the Regional Meet, Amy Maciel, Patricia Acevedo, Maria Vasquez, Catherine Reyna, Elida Garcia, Kurby Garvin, Maribel

sponsibility to make sure that our water stays as clean as possible.

One of the major threats to our water is nonpoint source pollution primarily due to opened or abandoned wells. This is especially true where abandoned wells are located in low lying areas such as near playa lakes. After heavy rains, runoff picks up chemicals and fertilizers that have been applied to cropland. The water then begins to collect in low lying areas. If the wells are open, this water tainted with chemicals has a direct path to our water supply. The potential for pollution shold not be underestimated.

In Briscoe County many opened are on land that has been enrolled in been removed.

State law requires that wells that are abandoned be capped or plugged. All wells should also have a concrete slab surrounding the hole with the casing extending at least one foot above the concrete.

Penalties for non-compliance can be expensive ranging up to \$25,000 per day. It is much easier and cheaper Panhandle we often take for granted to prevent pollution than it is to clean

To Be Continued.

# **Party Primary Voting is March 14**

Voting in the party primary elections will be held from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 14.

You may cast your ballots in the Democratic Primary at these locations: Precinct 1--Silverton City Hall Precinct 2--Quitaque Community

Center Precinct 3--Pioneer Room, First State Bank, Silverton

Precinct 4--County Courtroom Precinct 5--Lake Mackenzie at lake manager's home

Precinct 6--Quitaque City Hall Republican Party are:

Precinct 1--Show Barn, Silverton Precincts 2-6--Quitaque Catholic Center

Precincts 3-4-5--Silverton Senior Citizens Building

Early voting is open in the office of County & District Clerk Bena Hester in the Briscoe County Courthouse through Friday, March 10. You no longer have to give an excuse for voting early.

You may vote in whichever party primary you choose, but you may votein only one primary. It is illegal to Voting places in the Briscoe County cast your ballot in more than one political party primary.

# Walk Across Texas "Kick Off" Mar. 12

by Lena Duesterhaus, CEA-FCS

The Walk Across Texas "Kick Off" is March 12.

Several steps are given to ensure fun and safe activities.

Warming up before an activity reduces the risk of pulling or injuring a muscle and eases the body into the activity. For walking, start out slower than your normal pace for 5-10 minutes allowing the muscles to warm up and stretch. Another way to warm up is by doing light stretches. The stretching must be done slowly and gently to prevent injury to muscles, tendons and ligaments. Do not bounce! Hold each stretch for a count of 15-20 seconds. You should not experience any pain when stretching. Stretching to improve flexibility can be done three times a week as well as before or after aerobic and strengthening activities.

Five minutes of your physical ac-

tivity should include a cool down. If you are walking, slow down the pace. Your muscles will be warmed up and you will have less sorensss from the workout.

Advice: (1) Drink plenty of water, before, during and after exercise to avoid dehydration; (2) In the beginning, confine your walks to level stretches of road, avoiding steep hills; (3) If you are walking in the early morning or evening be sure to wear reflective clothing; (4) If the sun is shining, be sure to wear Sunscreen and

Physical activity can be fun or it can be work. Since we would all rather have fun it is important you choose what you really like to do. Add music to your activity; choose a time of day that is convenience for you; find a friend to be your "physical activity



All-District Players for the Owls and Lady Owls are (standing, left to right) Daniel Reagan, second team; Chelsey Cherry, first team; Nathan Francis and Isaiah Ivory, first team; (sitting) Amanda Estes, honorable mention; Taylor Griffin, second team; Sara Kirchoffner, first team; Lisa Comer, second team; Red Ivory, second team; Adrian Ramirez, honorable mention. Related story, page four. Briscoe County News Photo

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10-1tc

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# Silverton School **Activities**

Thursday, Mar. 9--Elem. & JH UIL Contests, here; Board Meeting, 7:00; Republican Bean & Cornbreak Supper, 7:00, Cafeteria

Friday, Mar. 10--UIL Oap festival, Stinnett; Canon Tennis Meet

Saturday, Mar. 11--Amherst Track Meet; Canyon Tennis Meet Mar. 12-18--Spring Break

Tuesday, Mar. 21--PK-8 Spring Pictures, Personality Pictures

Thursday, March 23--One-Act Play (North Zone) at Paducah; FFA Judging Contest at Tarleton.

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Norman Strange

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# **CARDS OF THANKS**

To all of our loving and caring familv and friends.

Until we can properly thank each one of you personally, please allow us to use this means to express our heartfelt appreciation for every act of kindness shown us during Louis' hospitalization and since he has been home. Whatever it may have been--flowers, food, personal visit, phone calls, card closing, a very special thanks to all of our children for keeping our farm and ranch operation running smoothly.

Thank you. Love,

Louis and Alice

Thank you to everyone for each thought, each prayer, each word of comfort. Each expression of care, the food, the flowers, the cards are all deeply appreciated.

The family of Nell Reagan David, Sheila, Michael,

Daniel and Mark Tilman, Linda and Stephanie Charlene Muirhead

We were overwhelmed at the outpouring of your love and kindness that was given to us in our recent sorrow. Words cannot adequately express our

appreciation for all the many prayers, beautiful flowers, cards, food, visits, memorials and hugs given us in memory of Gerald.

Again thank you for your prayers and concern.

Anna Mae

Dale, Dona Shonda, Andy,

D'anna, J. D., Colton, Shane'a Devona

Amy, Blaine, Breely and Stetson

I want to give thanks to all of those who have given gifts and said prayers for me and Jennifer Lynn. Thank you

Leslie Burkart

Some claim the tradition of exchanging valentines on February 14 can be traced back to the writings of Geoffrey Chaucer.

# Announcement

I have really made an effort to visit all of the prople in my precinct, but I'm sure I have missed a few. To all of you, don't forget Tuesday, March 14th, is election day and I really would appreciate your vote. If elected, I will do my best to represent each of you as Commissioner of Precinct Three.

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Morning Worship	10:30	a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00	p.m.

## SILVERTON **CHURCH OF CHRIST**

SUNDAY:	
Sunday School	9:00 a.m
Morning Worship	10:00 a.m
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m
WEDNESDAY:	
Rible Sturdy	7:00 n m

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Randy G. Mullin, F	astor
SUNDAY:	
Library Opens	9:15 a.m.
Bible Study/S.S	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
MONDAY:	
RAs, GAs, Mission	
Friends	3:30 p.m.
TUESDAY	
Mens Group	6:30 a.m.
SECOND & FOURTH	
TUESDAYS:	
Baptist Women	9:30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY:	
Library Opens	6:30 p.m.
Bible Study/Prayer	
TeamKID	7:00 p.m.
THURSDAY	
Ladies Prayer Group	9:00 a,m,

## SILVERTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Jay Stinson, Pastor

CONDAI.	
Sunday School	.10:00 a.m.
Worship Service	.10:55 a.m.
Choir Practice	5:00 p.m.
Evening Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
TUESDAY:	
Unit. Meth. Women	9:30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY:	
In-home Bible Study	7:00 p.m.
FRIDAY:	
Unit. Meth. Men	6:30 a.m.

## NEW FELLOWSHIP **BAPTIST MISSON**

SUNDAY:	
Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Worship Service	11:00 a.m.
Training Union	5:00 p.m.
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY:	
Choir Rehearsal	7:00 p.m.
Prayer Service	8:00 p.m.

## **OUR LADY OF LORETO** CATHOLIC CHURCH

Father Ed Graff, Pastor

SUNDAY:		
Mass	9:00	a.m
WEDNESDAY:		
Doctrina Class4:30	0-5:30	p.m.
Junior & Senior		
High4:30	0-5:30	p.m

## ROCK CREEK **CHURCH OF CHRIST**

SUNDAY:		
Worship Service	10:30	a.m
Evening Worship	6:00	p.m
WEDNESDAY:		
V/orship Service	7:30	p.m

# Read The Instructions

Last year we had a new furnace installed in our home and I recently wanted to reset my thermostat. With the help of the sixty page instruction book I proceeded to try to figure out the eighteen buttons on our new thermostat. Finally, after about an hour,

I was able to change our thermostat setting. It seems that life is becoming more complicated, and it is really difficult to understand all of the numerous complex devices that are part of our daily lives. One thing that should not be complicated or difficult to understand is our

relationship with God. Our Lord's instruction book, the Bible, hasn't changed in thousands of years, and His instructions are clear and easy to follow. The Bible gives us many examples and prophecies, and reflects to us the past and tells us what to expect in the future. The Good News of the Bible is that it not only shows us our Savior, but it tells us how we should live our lives for God's glory.

But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and believing ye might have life through His name.

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# **Obituaries**

## **MABEL TOMLIN**

Funeral services for Alta Mabel O'Brien Tomlin, 91, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Monday, March 6, at the First Baptist Church in Silverton. Rev. Randy Mullin, pastor, officiated and was assisted by the Rev. Jay Stinson, pastor of the Silverton United Methodist Church.

Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements made by Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mabel O'Brien was born August 4, 1908 at Vashti, Texas. She passed away on March 4, 2000.

She married Shellie M. Tomlin on June 10, 1933 at Temple, Oklahoma. He preceded her in death October 10, 1969. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Silverton and was a member of the Order of the Eastern



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She was a homemaker and operated T&F Gin in Silverton after her husband's death.

Survivors include her daughter, Betty Nan Tiffin of Silverton; two grandsons and their wives, Bruce and Susie Tiffin of Canyon and Jeff and Vicky Tiffin of Plainview; five greatgrandchldren, Hanna Tiffin, James Tiffin, Brittany Tiffin and Heather Tiffin; two brothers, Tom O'Brien of Byers, Texas and Gene O'Brien of Wichita Falls; and four sisters, Jessie Phagan, Helen Weems, Patsy Chadwick and Myra Blackerby, all of Wichita Falls.

The family suggested memorials to First Baptist Church Organ Fund or Van Fund, 500 Loretta, Silverton, TX

## **MOREE BARNES**

Services for Moree Barnes, 87. who died Monday, February 28, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 1, at the First Baptist Church in Tulia with the Rev. Charles Davenport, pastor, and the Rev. Rusty Gray, pastor of Tulia Christian Fellowship, officiating. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery by Wallace Funeral Home.

Mrs. Barnes was born in Wolfe City and attended schools in Plainview where she was graduated from Plainview High School. She attended Watson's Business College in

She married Jim Barnes in 1931 at Plainview. He died in 1959

If you need work done on your vehicle, just call 995-3565 during the day or call 823-2498 (Dale) after 7:00 p.m. They will pick up your vehicle in the morning, drive it to Tulia, make the repairs needed, and return it to you in the evening. Remember, we're just a phone call away! GRABBE-SIMPSON

# Matthew 11:28-30

"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.

Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

**Rock Creek Church of Christ** 

## Lake Mackenzie News **Tom Davey General Manager**

Last weekend was like summer days at the lake. We had a lot of fishermen and a big group of motorcycle riders. Speaking of motorcycles, the third weekend in April, Top of Texas Trails Association will host a trails event at the lake. This type of motorcycle riding is a test of riding skills, not speed.

Fishing is good with both crappie and stripers biting. The stripers are starting to work the lake's surface for

We hope to have minnows by the time this article is published. During the off-season, minnows are hard to find. We have a fresh supply of worms. Both worms and minnows can be purchased at the lake office.

The marina will be opened about the first of April. Debbie Sharp will operate the Marina and she welcomes any group who would like to hold a supper or lunch meeting at the lake.

The water level of the lake is at 80 feet. This is down about five feet from the lake level in June of last year. We need a rain that will fill Tule Creek

Has anyone seen Fred?

After her marriage, Mrs. Barnes moved to Tulia where she was a farmer and rancher. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include three daughters. Patte Damron and Bette Cogdell, both of Tulia and April Oldfield of Plainview; three sons, O. B. Barnes, David Barnes and Jim Bob Barnes, all of Tulia; 21 grandchldren and 28 great-grandchildren.

# **Girl Scout Spring Fling** Is March 15-16

Girl Scout Spring Fling will be held at the First Baptist Church in Silverton Wednesday, March 15, and Thursday, March 16, from 1:00 until 2:30 p.m. each day.

This is an opportunity for girls to make new friends, learn new craft ideas, and learn about Girl Scouts while on their Spring Break

This will be for girls in kindergarten through third grade.

If you have questions, call Shani Shofner, Membership specialist, Caprock Girl Scout Council, 1-800-530-

# Happy Birthday-

March 9--Mary Asebedo, Jace Francis, Kody Rhoderick, Kaitlyn

March 10--Michael Dallas Marley, Juannah Brice

March 11--Linda Jarnagin, Ruby Brannon, Holly Beth Gaskins

March 12--Dennis Farley, Roy Dean McCoy, Marcy Roys, Cynthia Younger, LaVerne Long, Stephanie

March 13--Jill Elizabeth Bean, Billy Turner, Russell Couch, Katrice Matchett, Hubert Braddock

March 14--Lori Edwards, Stacie Chappell, Bette Cogdell, Brandon Sarchet, Emily West

March 15--Miles Comer, Gaylia Long, H. M. Cowell, John Burson, Krista Smith

# Queen of Silverton Changes Lifestyle

by Art Ainsworth

Bonnie (May) Ainsworth has practicaly made a complete "turnaround" in her lifestyle since she married Art on January 1, 2000. The "coffee break" routine has changed.

First she was exposed to "travel trailer" living when Art pulled his 30' nu-wa fifth wheel travel trailer frm his big barn, with his new-ish Dodge diesel 2500 in Jones, Oklahoma and started loading food, clothes and other necessities for a six-week trip to Quartzsite, Arizona to attend the world-famous gem and mineral show.

Bonnie had never seen so many recreational vehicles clustered in such a small area before. A small town of approximately 700 people explodes during January and February each year to 25,000 RVs and 3,000,000 people. You can find RVs parked out in the desert for ten miles in any direction.

Bonnie had never seen so many rocks, polished rocks and jewelry to suit anyone's fancy.

There was a big RV sale going on and since she and Art needed more space for the long stay, they traded for 34' fifth wheel travel trailer with two

group of country and western musi-

cians who hey immediately made friends with. From then on, it was musical jam sessions through the day and every night for the entire time they were at Quartzsite. Crowds of 200 to 750 were not uncommon at jam sessions. If the crowd became too large, they'd let Art sing. Ha!

There were always from 12 to 22 musicians on the stage at any perfor-

They soon began introducing us as The Newlyweds." Bonnie would sometimes come up and stand by meespecially if I sang "Waltz Across

We stayed in Quartzsite a month. We had fun all the time. Encoute back to Silverton, we sopped off at Thousand Trails (a family RV resort campground) that I belong to. We won first prize in the "Newly (and nt so newly) Wed" game. That night we danced the night away.

We are now at our Texas hone, but we plan to keep reaching out for life as long as it keeps returning the "good

# Happy Anniversary-

March 10--Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wood March 13--Mr. and Mrs. Russell

The name of the halibut fish comes Bonnie and Art stumbled onto a from the word holy since it was widely used as food on Christian holy days.



Monty Wood, son of Ken and Nancy Wood, received reserve champin honors with his AOB steer at the San Antonio Livestock Exposition. Wood is 15 years old and a member of the Briscoe County 4-H Club.



Reserve Champion Landrace was awarded to Zack Burson at the 51st annual San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. Burson is 12 years old, son of Bryan and Lana Burson, and is a member of the Briscoe County 4-H Club. He exhibited the second place heavyweight barrow which weighed 257 pounds. Pictured with Zack are his brothers, Dusty and Lee True.

# LOOKING BACK

through the files of the **Briscoe County News** 

March 8, 1990--Langdon Reagan and Josh Brooks were winners of calves they caught in the calf scramble at the Houston Livestock Show and rodeo on February 24... Democratic, Republican Primaries to be held across Texas Tuesday . . . Quitaque Chamber of Commerce to sponsor Lake Theo fishing contest . . . Several Owls and Owlettes were named to the All-district 6-A basketball teams. Members of the boys first team are Bradley Brunson, Silverton: Donald Harris and Tress Hess, McLean; Rueben Torres and Mark Glover, Lakeview; Curtis Neeley, Hedley; Jon Pigg, Valley. On the boys second team are Teddy Hubbard and Wayne Henderson, Silverton; Lawrence Hendrix, Valley; Bobby Sherman, McLean; Anthony Carson, Hedley. On the girls first team are Gina Conner and Amy Maupin, Valey; Julie Graham, Silverton; Susan Throckmorton, Samnorwood; Holly Hauck, McLean. On the girls second team are Celeste Sperry, Valley; Tracy Tomlin, Silverton; Tylena Bright, Hedley; Dana Watson and Alecia Reynolds, McLean.

March. 6, 1980--The second annual Silverton Relays will be held March 15 and ten Class B varsity track teams and four Class A varsity track teams have already accepted invitations to participate . . . Thomas Lee T. R. Whiteside at Methodist Church . Perkins, jr. has been initiated into the Iota chapter of Phi Theta kappa, national honor society for junior colleges ... Walter fleming was transported to Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia by the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service . . . Vinson Smith spent last weekend in Austin attending a District Attorney Investigating School . Mike Graham, Pampa FFA student, exhibited the Grand Champion Barrow of the 1980 San Antonio Livestock Show . . . Dual tennis matches were played with Lockney Tuesday of this week. Members of the owlette tennis team are DeAnn Strange and Dani Whitfill, doubles; Judy Northcutt and Amy Perkins, doubles; Sally Northcutt, Missy Brown and Vicki McJimsey, singles. The Owl tennis team is made up of mark Brown, Russel Couch, Tad Cornett and Scott Bowman, singles; and the doubles teams of Mike Cornett and Nicky McJimsey, Cam Forbes and Tommy Potter, Brandon Jarrett and Bill Settle, Kyle Couch and Casey Bean... Becky Francis has been initiated as an active member of Gamma Xi chapter of Pi Omega Pi, national honorary business education society at Texas Tech Uni-

February 19, 1970 -- Vote is Saturday on whether or not to add an Assessor-Collector of Taxes to the list of authorized county officials . . . Gordon Alexander, 84, taken by death . . . Bill Strange was exhibitor of the firstplace steer in the lightweight class at the stock show in El Paso on Monday of last week . . . Texas Water Rights Commission to held hearing in Tulia today . . . Crockett Grabbe posted a 4.0 average at The University of Texas in Austin last semester. He is the only freshman in his Physics class of 52

be presented by Barney Latham of the San Jacinto community, who is a musician and magician . . . FBLA hosts Valentine party with the door prize, a box of Valentine candy, won by

Thurman May . . . March 3, 1960--Winter hard on beef cattle . . . Sub-freezing temperatures hold Silverton area . . . Kent Creek voters unanimously say "Yes!" Mrs. A. H. Chappell underwent major surgery in the Lockney Hospital on Tuesday of last week . . . Rct. H. B. (Doc) Simpson has passed tests qualifying him to attend an Army Finance School for six weeks. He and Mrs. Simpson are in Indianapolis, Indiana, while hs is attending school ... Mrs. Irving McJimsey has been staying in Amarillo for several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ledbetter, sr., helping care for her mother who is crtitically ill . . . Jo Ann Middleton of Amarillo spent the weekend with Jane Brooks and other local . . Mr. and Mrs. Norland Dudley and children of Hart were Sunday visitors with her father, Charlie Holt, Mrs. Holt and other relatives . . . Funeral services conducted for Mrs. Mattie Gibson McCracken, resident of the Gasoline community for 57 years

March 2, 1950--Last rites held for Four FFA boys from the local chapter went to Kress Saturday where they entered the livestock judging contest. The boys judged sheep, gilts, barrows, fat steers, and were in competition with Tulia, Plainview, Cotton Center, Hale Center, Lockney and Kress. The boys won first place in judging of the fat steers; second in judging of the hogs, and eighth place in the judging of sheep. In adding all the points together, Silverton was beaten only 31 points by Tulia. . . Freeland Bingham moves house to South Main Street . . . W. E. Schott was in Fort Worth over the weekend and drove back a new Members Buick automobile . . . present at the Rock Creek Club meeting were Mmes. Florene Fitzgerald, Margaret Frizzell, Marie Garrison, W. W. Reid, Eula Shelton, Juanita Stephens, Ruby McWaters, Henry McWaters and Ruth West... The girls basketball team went to Tulia Thursday night to participate in the district tournament. They played Claude and lost by a margin of 15 points. . . Mr. and Mrs. Vaughter Self are parents of a daughter born in the Lubbock hospital last week . . . Mr. and Mrs. Clauda Welch arrived Friday from California. He has his discharge from the Navy. Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett visited their son, Mickey, at Abilene Christian College Tuesday . . .

April 4, 1946--Hot weather is

Nature's unusual offering this week . . . Twelve girls, Lettie O'Neal, Fern Norris, Mary Francis Dudley, Billie Ann Burnett, Sandra Mallow, Junis Mercer, Kay Steele, Jlyonna Jones, Milly Jo Marshall, Pat Patton, Faith McMurtry and Shirley Copeland, invested in the Girl Scouts Tuesday night In an effort to kill out the dandelions that have been so prevalent on the . Eastern Star to host courthouse lawn, the entire lawn has Friendship Night, with a program to been plowed this week. The dandeli-

ons had become so thick that they fi- Olive, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Ol- frigid temperature in the memory of ficials are working to get rid of the from the Coast Guard. Since July of reached Friday when thermometers pests. It is not known just when the 1942, he has served on both the east lawn will be seeded to grass . . . Pas-. Miss Lois Arnold of relatives and friends Plainview has been visiting here. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Thomas, ir. and Don spent Sunday in Tulia with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Finch . . . Luther Gilkeyson and Jim Bomar have puchased Mrs. Strickland's farm.

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new telephone system is at last underway . . . Over one hundred young visitors are expected for big invitational basketball tournament to begin here Friday . . . Silverton and Briscoe to her bed several weeks . . . Thomas severest and most prolonged grips of

nally killed the grass. The county of- ive, arrived Friday with a discharge the present generation. The peak was showed 11 degrees below zero . . . To and west coasts. He held the rating of live to celebrate one's ninetieth birthcal Garrison arrived in Silverton the firechief 3/c... Shorty Donnell arlatter part of last week on a short furrived here Sunday night for a visit with liness is a notable achievement. But datives and friends . . . so to live for ninety years that all one's January 23, 1930--Installation of friends and neighbors yield respect and affection is to have attained that pinacle where the laurel-halo of divine approval is conferred. Mrs. Robert Sedgwick is remarkable still alert mentally and physically. She is active Mrs. Lee Perkins has been confined County have emerged from one of the in church work; she reads a great deal; sews a little and often visits the sick



# Class of 1990 To Have 10-Year Reunion

a 10-year class reunion trip to 2-4, 2000. Ruidoso, New Mexico. The group will

The SHS Class of 1990 is planning Senior Trip for the weekend of June

be returning to the location of their planning on attending to make lodg-

ing arrangements and determine the home with their grandchildren! approximate cost.

Classmates are invited to bring their spouse or significant other, and We need to find out how many are parents of the classmates are encouraged to have a fun-filled weekend at Kendal. Please call Penni at 806-353-

Parents of class members, please help us in locating and notifying our members: Tracy, Julie, Penni, Bryan, Danny, Jim, Teddy, Joey, Frank and

6527 or Julie at 806-793-9664 and let us know if you plan to attend ASAP.

# **PCG Finalizes Annual Meeting Arrangements**

Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. is proud to announce the speakers for the organization's 43rd Annual Meeting Thursday, April 6, 2000 at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center. The PCG annual meeting is being held in conjunction with the Texas Cotton Ginners' Association Trade Show and Convention April 6-7 in Lubbock

The PCG meeting will begin with registration at 8:30 a.m. and the program will start promptly at 9:00 a.m. in Room 107 of the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center. Agenda items include remarks from outgoing PCG President Don Langston of Lubbock, reports from PCG Executive Vice President Steve Verett and Plains Cotton Improvement Chairman Dale Swinburn of Tulia.

Featured speakers at the event are: J. Berrye Worsham, III, CEO of Cotton Incorporated in Carey, North Carolina. Worsham will discuss CI's research and promotion activities on behalf of cotton producers.

August (Gus) Schumacher, Jr., Under Secretary for Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services, United States Department of Agriculture in Washington, DC. Schumacher will discuss the Department's views on Ag policy and where the US may be headed in the fu-

Dr. Mark Lange, Director of Economic Services for the National Cotton Council in Memphis, Tennessee. Lange will discuss cotton price and production outlooks for the 2000 crop year and reflect on how recent market activity may have changed projections made earlier in the year.

All producers and interested industry members are invited to attend. The PCG board of directors will convene for its regular quarterly board meeting at 1:00 p.m. in Room 108-109 of the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

# **PCG Officer to Testify Before House Ag Members**

PCG Vice President Mark Williams has been asked to participate in the March 6 Field Hearing of the House Agriculture Committee in Lubbock.

The hearing, which kicks off a series of ten to be held between now and May 20, is being put together to allow individual producers to rlate their personal feelings about current ag policy.

Plains Cotton Growers will be developing a statement to be submitted before the end of the comment period regarding the organization's stance on many of the issues that will be brought by Williams and others during the hearing process.

Among the recommendations likely to be included in PCG's statement are continued analysis of the Flexible Fallow program, the potential benefits of inreased loan rates within the structure of a Marketing Loan program, and the need for a counter-cyclical price protection system such as the Supplemental Income Protection Program (SIF) proposed by Congressman Charles Stenholm.

These and other program concepts are expected to garner attention.

# SAMPLE BALLOT

**Republican Party Primary Election** 

(Eleccion Primaria del Partido Republicano)

(Condado de) Briscoe County, TX

March 14, 2000 (14 de marzo, 2000) STATE BALLOT

(Boleta de Oficial)

INSTRUCTION NOTE; (Nota de instruccion): Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square next to the candidate's name. (Vote por el candidato de su preferencia en cada carrera marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato.)

"I am a Republican and understand that I am ineligible to vote or participate in another political party's primary elec-tion or convention during this voting year." ("Yo soy Republicano y comprendo que no estoy elegible para votar o participar en la eleccion primaria o la convencion de algun otro partido politico durante este ano electoral.")

Preference for Presidential Nomine'e (Preferencia para un candidato nombrado para presidente)

You may vote for one presidential candidate whose name appears on the ballot by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. (Usted puede votar por un candidato para presidente cuyo nombre aparece en la boleta por marcar con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato.)

Charles Bass Urban
John McCain

Orrin G. Hatch Steve Forbes

Gary Bauer

☐ Alan Keyes
☐ George W. Bush
☐ Uncommitted

United States Senator

(Senador de los Estados Unidos) ☐ Kay Bailey Hutchison

United States Representative, District 13 (Representante de los Estados Unidos, Distrito Num. 13)

☐ Mac Thornberry

David G. Morris

Railroad Commissioner (Comisionado de Ferrocarriles) Michael L. Williams

☐ Andy Draughn

Railroad Commisioner, Unexpired Term (Comisionado de Ferrocarriles, Duracion Restante del

Charles R. Matthews

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1 (Juez, Corte Suprema, Num. 1)

☐ Valorie W. Davenport

□ Nathan Hecht

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2 (Juez, Corté Suprema, Num. 2)

Priscilla Owen

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3 (Juez, Corte Suprema, Num. 3)

Rod E. Gorman ☐ Al Gonzales

Presiding Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals (Juez Presidente, Corte de apelaciones Criminales)
Connie J. Kelley

. Gary Trichter

Sharon Keller Tom Price

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 1 (Juez, Corte de apelaciones Criminales, Lugar Num. 1)

John Boston Guy Williams

Charles Holcomb Alan Curry Tom Greenwell

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2
Juez, Corte de apelaciones Criminales, Lugar Num. 2)

Sally L. Ray W. B. "Bennie" House Jim Wallace

Pat Barber

Barbara Parker Hervey

Justice, 7th Court of Appeals District Place 1 (Juez, Corte de a;elaciones, Distrito Num. 1)
Deborah Smith McClure

Brian Quinn

Justice, 7th Court of Appeals District, Place 2 (Juez, Corte de Apelaciones, Distrito Num. 2) Don H. Reavis

County Attorney (Procurador del Condado) William P. Smith

County commissioner, Precinct No. 1 Comisionado del Condado, Precincto Num. 1) Terry Grimland

County Chairman (Presidente del Condado)

INSTRUCTION NOTE; (NOTA DE INSTRUCCION): Place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote. (Marque con una "X" el cuadro al lado de la frase que indica la manera en que quiere usted votar.)

FOR

Prop. 1 Shall student initiated prayer be allowed at school sporting events?

AGAINST

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¿ Debera ser permitido oraciones religiosas iniciadas por parte de los estudiantes dueventos deportivos escolares?

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**REPUBLICAN PARTY PRIMARY LOCATIONS:** 

Pct. 1--Briscoe County Showbarn Pcts. 3-4-5--Silverton Senior Citizens Building Pcts. 2-6--Quitaque Catholic Center Early Voting--Briscoe Co. Courthouse, Feb. 28-Mar. 10

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# Friendship Quilters News & Notes by Nina Martin

The quilters who met last Thursday were Ruby McWaters, Marie Rogers, Mary Burson, Joy Stodghill, Ann Norris, Bobbye Bean, Nadyne Childress, Wanda Strange, Sybil King and Nina Martin.

Christine King, Jewel Lowrey, Eudean Crow and Nina Martin attended the Tulia Chamber of Commerce Dinner Play, "Someone Save My Baby, Ruth," on Friday night.

Juanita Stephens hosted the "88" club Tuesday afternoon. The players were Nina Martin, Ruby Brannon, Eudean Crow, Pauline Chitty and Elsie Cornett.

Elton Cantwell recently visited the Mark Burk family in Raton, New Mexico.

J. D. and Vernell Nance visited Ashel McDaniel and reports he is do-

Alan, Tish and shane Thomas visited Violet Thomas several days last

Juanita Stephens had knee surgery last week and is doing fine.

Lallie Patton is recovering from surgery. Her daughter, Pat, is here taking care of her.

# Briscoe County to Join Fight Against Cancer in May

What began as a dream in 1985 for one man in Tacoma, Washington, has now spread to thousands of communities, and in 2000 this dream will once again spread to Briscoe County.

The Relay for Life started in Tacoma, Washington in 1985 when Dr. Gordie Klatt ran and walked solo around the track at the University of Puget Sound for 17 hours, raising more than \$27,000 for the fight against cancer. From there grew the American Cancer Society's nationwide signature event, Relay For Life.

The event has spread to 2100 communities across this country as well as in Puerto Rico and guam, raising millions of dollars to fund life-saving progtams, education, advocacy and service--over \$120 million in 1999!

This event has been called a really fun, really big community slumber party and great fund-raising event, but

group"--a place where friends, family, and loved ones can come together to celebrate survivorship and to honor those who have lost the battle to this dreaded disease.

Relay For Life is the ultimate community event. It is a family activity that fight. Luminarias can be purchased for anyone can participate in . . . from very young to the most senior of senior citizens. Requirements are the desire to fight cancer-to fight back, and a com- cancer patients and those who have lost mitment of 12 hours of your time and fund-raising skills.

The Relay For life that will be held in Briscoe Conty will take place May 13th from 7:30 p.m. to 7:30 a.m. on May 14th at the Valley High School footbal field.

The Relay is made of teams from across the Silverton, Quitaque, Turkey, Flomot area, and during the 12 hours someone from each team will be walking the track.

During the 12-hour event there will be activities for survivors, children, basically everyone. There will be local entertainment all night. Anyone who wold like to participate in the entertainment should contact Delene Tyler at Quitaque.

At 10:00 p.m. the tempo will change and the lights will g out making wa for the Luminaria Ceremony. The lights will remain off for the rest

more importantly it has been described by candlelight only. the Luminaria as a "huge, compassionate support Ceremony is one during which to remember cancer victims, and those who have lost their fight. The mood changes from a party to a very emotional scene. Each of the luminaras will have the name of a person fighting cancer or in memory of someone who lost the \$10.00 from LaVern Kingery.

Currently the chairpersons are working on a list of cancer survivors, the fight. Anyone with names can contact laVern Kingery, 823-2300.

A primary goal is for every team member to raise \$100, which would translate to \$20,000--an amount similar to that raised last year.

The money raised by the event will fund research for a cure for cancer, helps to pass laws to benefit cancer patients, provides cancer information, 24-hour hotline and website, educational programs, patient services including wigs, "Look Good, Feel Better," rides to doctors and support

During the Briscoe and Surrounding Counties Relay For Life the cancer survivors will wear special T-shirts which will denote them as survivors.

Anyone wanting to start a team, which consists of ten people, needs to contact the team members, then work toward getting donations of at least \$50 of the night and it will be illuminated per person, in whatever increments on the level of donation.



Brandi Rice, daughter of Karen Tiffin, and Brooke Garvin, daughter of Lane and Paula Garvin, both of Silverton High School, recently performed piano Class I solos at the Regional Solo and Ensemble Contest in Lubbock. Each girl received excellent ratings from the judge. Brooke will advance to the state competition in May at Southwestern State University in San Marcos. Both girls are piano students of Robin Boedeker of Quitaque.

needed. A team may have a theme; for example, teams can have a baseball theme, jail theme, etc. Teams shold only tennis shoes, house slippers or be signed up by March 31. Anhone bare feet are allowed. One member of interested in helping is needed. All help will be welcomed.

a list of Gold Sponsors. Businesses can able dring the night, and the closing be a sponsor for the eent also in levels ceremonies begin at 6:00 a.m. Every of Bronze, Silver and Gold, sepending team member shold be present for the

A few ground rules for the event includeabsolutely no rollerblades, the team must be on the track for the entire 12 hours. No alcohol or smok-On the backs of the T-shirts will be ing is allowed. Snacks will be availfinal lap and closing ceremony.

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Tay Cannon and Zane Henderson announce their engagement and upcoming marriage on the 15th of April at the First Baptist Church in Silverton. Ms. Cannon is the daughter of Monte and Brenda Cannon and Rik and Kerri Snodgrass, all of Tulia, and is the granddaughter of Fred and Vivone Arnold of Silverton and Lewis and Rosella Cannon of Tulia. Her fiance is the son of Dwain and Shirley Henderson of Silverton and is the grandson of Shorty Cowell of Amarillo. The couple will reside in Silverton.

## **Heart Fund Receiving** Response to Appeal

Donations and memorials to the Heart Fund are coming in daily in response to the mailings by Century of Progress Study Club.

If your donation has not been made, won't you please get a check in the mail soon. We all hve relatives and friends who have been affected by stroke or heart disease and through our combined efforts, great medical strides are being made to fight this dread disease

Remember, each has a heart and does not know when our own life may be drastically changed in an instant. We may need immediate help from research that our dollars help provide. If not for yourself, do it for someone

## **PCG Renews Call For Change of Crop Insurance Management**

Plains Cotton Growers, a long-time supporter of affordable risk management solutions for producers, recently revisited the issue of crop insurance premiums and offered USDA two-day refresher course n High Plains erative, Inc. cotton production.

liminary results from the get-together April 13 at Swisher Electric in Tulia. are encouraging. PCG representatives Any 14- to 19-year-old attending met again this past week with RMA school in Nazareth, Hart, Happy, Canand economists from Montana State yon, Kress, Tulia, Silverton or Olton, University who were contracted to or home schooled in Swisher Electric's provide rating recomme3ndations to service area is eligible to enter the conthe agency using a statistical model to test. determine applicable rates.

dexed Income Protection (IIP) model contact Kacy Bivens at 995-3567 or which was first used to derive rates for 1-800-530-4344. More information is the income Protection poliies piloted available at www.swisher electric. org.

by RMA over the past few years. In the case of cotton premium rating, the IIP rating process uses the same methodology but limits it to only the yield

Given the input from PCG, and subsequent discussions with PCG staff, early indications are that some relief may be in the offing as early as 2001 for Texas cotton producers.

RMA will now analyze the data and begin the process of determining whether or not the revised rates should be adopted for Texas. Rates derived from the same process were used to make significant changes to rates in he Delta and Mid-South region in 2000.

Texas is seen as a critical test for the rating methodology employed by the Mntana State University economists overseeing the project.

PCG and the National Cotton Council are in the process of formulating comments urging RMA to fully consider the MSU studies results and to adopt the revised structure.

## **Youth Tour Contest** Is Open For Entries

An all-expenses paid trip to Washington, D. C. will be awarded to two Risk Management representatives a area youth by Swisher Electric Coop-

The winners will be selected on the That was back in October and pre- basis of a speech contest to be held

For more information, young The MSU model is called the In-people interested in this contest should

# Lee is MVP of **All-District 15** 1-A Boys Team

Seth Lee of Guthrie, grandson of Walter Arnold and Mrs. Frank Mercer, was chosen as Most Valuable Player of Boys District 15 1-A.

Others chosen for the first team are Brent Donaldson, Motley County; Nathan Francis, Silverton; Isaiah Ivory, Silverton; Ben Ridgley, Motley County; Sean Rose, Motley County; Carl Styles, Patton Springs.

Places on the second team were earned by Ryan Antilley, Guthrie; Lance Green, Guthrie; Red Ivory, Silverton; Chad Kennedy, Patton Springs; Casey Lawrence, Motley County; Daniel Reagan, Silverton.

## **GIRLS TEAMS**

Most Valuable Player in the girls division was awarded to both Jodi Shipman and Krissy Shipman

Also chosen for the first team were Sara Kirchoffner, Silverton; Chelsey Cherry, Silverton; Michele Clark, Guthrie; Ashley Pettit, Guthrie; Denise Shannon, Motley County; Rebecca Morris, Motley County; Emily Pierce, Patton Springs.

Members of the second team are Lisa Comer, Silverton; Taylor Griffin, Silverton; Amanda Ferguson, Guthrie; Amber Atkinson, Patton Springs; Shandra Jones, Motley County; Anna Christy, Motley County; Courtney Hayes, Motley County.

# Schools Join **Forces For Fund Raising**

Hoping to raise extra money for their education programs, eleven Lubbock area school districts have banded together to form a foundation that can seek grant funding and accept tax-deductible donations on their behalf.

"It's just another revnue source to help us get some things that, to be honest with you, we can't afford otherwise," said Frenship Supt. Paul Whitton, a member of the steering committee for South Plains Public School Fondation, Inc.

'Colleges and universities have done it for years," Whitton said of the fund-raising effort. "We just believe people might want to donate to public schools.

Whitton said he had read about school districts in the Dallas-Fort Worth area that have acted individually to establish foundations to raise money. But Whitton said he didn't think the Frenship district was big enough to create a foundation on its

Mike Liner, president and chief executive officer of City Bank in Lubbock, came up with a way to get the foundation started, Whitton said.

Liner said he began more than two years ago working on the concept for a multi-district foundation. The South Plains Foundationappears to be the first cooperative effort of its type in the country, he said.

To make sure that the foundation gets off on the right track, City Bank hired Foyundation Development Con-

Liner said the foundation will pro-

partcipating districts to give to their ticular district, he said. hometown schools

Springlake-Earth ISD, Smyer ISD away." and Silverton ISD.

the guidelines for doing that, and the cause," Montford said.

vide a way for the alumni of the donations can be earmarked for a par-

Liner said the foundation also will The following school districts are enable the participating districts to go participants in the new South Plains after grants that each district might Public School Foundation: Frenship not qualify for on its own. He said a ISD, Lubbock-Cooper ISD, number of private foundations have Roosevelt ISD, New Deal ISD, funds available for schools and the Lockney ISD, Morton ISD, Olton districts can "at least get in the hunt ISD, Whiteface Consolidated ISD, for some of that money they give

Texas Tech Chancellor John Whitton said he often hears from Montgord is the founding president of businesses and individuals who wold the foundation and sees it as a way to be willing to donate to his school dis- assist educators in the area. "I think trict if they could take advantage of people believe in teachers and educathe tax laws. The foundation meets tors, and I think they will support this

## **MOWING HIGHWAY RIGHT OF WAY** CHILDRESS DISTRICT

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6054-48-001	Childress	1200.00	55,377.00	42
6054-49-001	Collingsworth	1400.00	65,853.00	50
6054-50-001	Cottle	1000.00	45,522.00	34
6054-51-001	Dickens/King	1600.00	77,436.00	58
6054-52-001	Donley	900.00	43,092.00	32
6054-53-001	Foard	900.00	42,822.00	32
6054-54-001	Hall	1000.00	48,519.00	36
6054-55-001	Hardeman	1100.00	52,758.00	40
6054-56-001	Knox	1000.00	49,896.00	38
6054-57-001	Motley	800.00	39,825.00	30
6054-58-001	Wheeler	1600.00	77,625.00	58
Bids Received Until: 9:00 a.m., March 21, 2000				

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