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THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1994

Calendar Of Events

District Tennis Mt-VHS Quitaque Sr. Citizen Quitaque Chamber Banquet Panhandle Com. Ser. @ Turkey

School Holiday District Track Meet Quitaque Commodities April 10 Attend Worship Service Turkey Methodist Revival

Begins April 11 Turkey Lions Club Valley Board of Trustees Quitaque Fireman Jr. High District Tennis Meet

Turkey Methodist Revival April 12 We the Women Bob Wills Meeting Turkey Methodist Revival April 13 EMT Meeting Turkey Methodist Revival

April 14 Quitaque Sr. Citizen Meeting Nuevo Study Club Turkey City Council District Track Meet

> Chamber of Commerce Banquet April 7, 1994 Reagan Brown Speaker



FANS OF BOB WILLS enjoy the concert put on by the Texas Playboys, at the old football field at the Bob Wills Center last year. The Texas Playboys will make music at Bob Wills Day again this year on April 30.

Turkey Commodities Available April 18

Commodities will be available for citizens of Turkey on Monday, April 18, 1994. Supplies may be picked up at the Bob Wills Center.

Silverton Election Training School

There will be an election training school held at Silverton on April 18, 1994 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Silverton High School

MAN MEN MONI

Our world is full of choices that we have to make each and every day. We have to choose what we will wear to school or to work or just around the house or to the farm or whatever is on the schedule for us to be doing today. We have to choose what we are going to feed our family if we are the cook of the week. We have to say when the children will go to bed or they have to make the choice to do their homework when they get in from school or to wait and do it after supper. We have to choose which TV program we will watch, which TV programs we will allow the children to watch and how much time they can spend in front of the TV, what channel of news that we consider the best to inform us, the channel that has the most information on the weather to come that will influence the choice of clothing we wear tomorrow and the type of work that we will do if we are working outdoors.

Choices, choices, most of them we make without even thinking they get to be a habit. We get in a rut about the TV that we watch, what clothes we wear and certainly what we choose to eat. Then when something comes along that we have to rethink our choices and do them all over again, we sometimes wonder why we have chosen as we have.

Some of the choices that we make early in life will affect the rest of our lives. What we choose to study as we go off to college, what type work we decide to learn to do for our living, who we choose to marry, how many children we plan to have. So we should think long and hard before we make those choices.

Others choices are not so life shaping. If we buy a pair of pants that we do not like the fit, we are only out some cash not months of our lives. If we choose green beans over broccoli, we will probably never realize any difference in our lives. But when we start choosing friends and companions for life, a different picture evolves. We are always influenced by our friends and acquaintances, this can be for the better or the worse! Look closely at your choices so that you will not live to regret it!

We also have lots of choices that we do not have to make but we choose to make. We choose to go to the movies with our friends. We choose to color or not color our hair. We choose to visit someone who is sick. We choose to give our neighbor a helping hand when his load is too heavy for him to carry. We choose to cuddle the new baby. We choose to play ball with the young child. We choose to have a tea party with our daughter rather than read that new novel that we checked out of the library! We can save it for a rainy day.

See every day we make so many choices--some easy choices some very hard, some happy, some sad, some good and some bad. Hopefully the good will always outweigh the bad. As Robert Louis Stevenson once said, When we look into the long avenue of the future, and see the good there is for each one of us to do, we realize, after all, what a beautiful thing it is to work, and to live, and to be happy. Happy choosing this week.

Spring Revival To Be At **Turkey Methodist Church**

The United Methodist churches of Quitaque and Turkey will Wednesday.

The Reverend Jerry Moore will preach the revival. Rev. Moore, of Miami, Texas, is a gifted speaker with a powerful message to share with our communities. His ministry will be a blessing to all who attend. There will be special music each evening, as well as

Sunday morning, April 10 services will be at the Turkey church at 9:30 a.m. and at 11 a.m. at the Quitaque church. Evening worship will begin with a sandwich supper at 6 p.m. with the revival service to begin at 7 p.m.

Evening services for April 11, 12, 13 will begin at 7 p.m. Monday following the evening worship will be a fellowship gathering with dessert served. Tuesday at 6 p.m. a pot luck supper will be enjoyed

All services and fellowships will be held at the Turkey United Methodist Church with the exception of the 11 a.m. morning worship service at Quitaque.

All members of the community are encouraged to come and be a part of the revival. For more information, please call Reverend Les Hall at 423-1249 or Keith Green at 423-1105.

Come And Study The Stars April 8

Several Astronomy Clubs from surrounding areas will be meeting at the Caprock Canyon State Park on April 8, 1994. They will be presenting a program to the public, free of charge, at the Little Red Campsites.

All persons interested must be at that location before 7 p.m. so that the lights of your vehicle do not interfere with the star gazing program.

Valley School Hosts "Lock-In

Valley students in grades 6-12 are invited to attend a Lock-In sponsored by the Valley School. The event will be held on Thursday, April 21, beginning at 9:30 pm following Open House. A dance will begin the evening's activities in the Valley Cafetorium with the rock-group "F acting as D. J. "Rapunzel" Other activities will include movies and games. There will be fun for all who attend.

More information will be available in the coming weeks. Anyone wishing to help with the event or donate food needs to contact Rhonda Cochran or Judy Barrett.

Only a mediocre person is always at his best.
—Somerset Maugham

hold their annual Spring Revival April 10-13; Sunday through

congregational singing.

by the congregration

Hall County Hole Creates Interest

Valley School will not hold

classes on Friday during

the month of April.

Friday Holidays all month.

by Ann Coker A huge sink hole appeared in the James Richburg cotton field four miles south of Lesley and is creating quite a stir and bringing much concern to the land

The owner has issued warnings to those who have come to observe the huge hole, that he to those who have come to view the unusual hole. It is obvious the earth is unstable in that

The huge hole is one of the largest to appear in the area in many years, and is the second one to appear on the Richburg

The hole is estimated to be 70 or 80 feet deep and approximately 50 feet across and is in a cone shape. Water from springs on the slopping walls of the cone shaped sink hole is collecting in the bottom.

Mr. Richburg said he felt sure it was the under-ground spring that caused the sink hole to appear.

Mr. Richburg is quite concerned over the sightseers coming to see the hole and is afraid that something could happen to the sight seers

Quitaque Chamber Banquet Tonight

the Community Center at 7 p.m.

A large crowd is expected to be on hand to hear legendary Speaker Reagan Brown address the crowd.

Recently named America's most outstanding after dinner speaker, Reagan has been honored two times by the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge in Pennsylvania. He has also been named Man of the Year in Texas Agriculture and has received more than 100 other state and national awards.

In a phone call this week, Reagan said he was anxious to be back in Quitaque again and that he was bringing his wife with him this time so she could see some of our beautiful coun-

Track and Tennis District Meet Set

The High School District Tennis meet will be held at onThursday, Clarendon April 7, 1994 and Friday, April 8.

District Junior High Tennis Meet will be Monday, April 11, 1994 at Valley School.

The District Track meet for both High School and Junior High will be held Thursday, April 14, 1994 and Friday, April 15 at Groom

Caprock Public **Library News**

by Arlene Hinkle It seems that every month the number of patrons at Caprock Public

Library...increases. During March we had 349 patrons and 441 books in circulation! We also had some dedicated volunteers who donoted 181 hours and processed over 1,000 books. We need 900 more to reach our goal of 7500!

New books for adults include: Embraced By The Light by Betty J Eadie. A personal account of neardeath experience by Betty Eadie.

No Bugles, No Drums by Rudy Tomedi. This book takes you to the frozen foxholes and to the fiery hilltops of Korea----personal es of men v

For Juveniles: Hitty: Her First Hundred Years by Rachel Field. Hitty is a very special doll who belongs to Phoebe. Phoebe takes Hitty everywhere she goes and Hitty finds herself involved in all kinds of adventures.

Complete Karate by J. Allen Queen. A good introductory book to Karate, covering stances, punches, kicks, blocks, etc. Happy Reading!!

BOB WILLS

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LAST WEEKEND IN APRIL

ber of Commerce Banquet will be held tonight (Thursday) in the Community Carter and the Carter and the Community Carter and the Carter and th and he made numerous friends here during his visits when Quitaque was entered in the Texas Community Improvement Con-

Plans Continue For Bob Wills Day

Plans are going smoothly for Bob Wills Day, April 30.

A new fence is being installed around the City Park to keep vehicles from driving through the park. This is for the safety of those who are staying in the

This year there will be a concession stand sponsored by the Bob Wills Foundation. The Foundation also hopes to have a

souvenir booth in the park.

The Bob Wills stamped envelopes will be sold at the souvenir stand.

> Commodities **Quitaque City Hall** Friday, April 8, 1994 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

PCG's Meeting Set For April 8

Officials of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) announce their 37th annual membership meeting will be held April 8.

PCG's meeting will be held in room 107 at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center in conjunction with the Texas Cotton Ginners' Association (TCGA) convention and trade show April 8-9. All producers and ginners are invited to attend.

Registration for the PCG meeting will begin at 8:30 am outside room 107. program is scheduled to begin at 9:00am.

PCG officials are pleased to have three outstanding speakers on the agenda for the meeting as well. are Norman Trolinder, Plant Physiologist at the United States Department of Agriculture-Agricultural Research Service I Stress Lab in Lubbock, to

discuss biotechnology and what the future holds for Bill Lovelady, Chairman of the National Cotton Council (NCC)Producer legislative issues

Committee to discuss legislative issues facing the cotton industry; and Steve Verett, Executive Director, Texas Food and Fiber Commission to talk about the role of that agency and how it relates to the cotton industry

In addition to PCG's guest speakers the meeting will also feature addresses from PCG President Wayne Huffaker of Tahoka and Johnson. Reports on the High Plains Boll Weevil Control Program and the Plains Cotton Improvement Program are also scheduled.

There will registration fee. be

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Look Who's

Jessie Price

Stacy and Koree Price are thrilled to announce the birth of their daughter, Jessie Elizabeth. Miss Jessie was born Monday, April 4, at 5:45 am in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

The new baby weighed 8 pounds and 11 ounces and was 20 and one-quarter inches long.

Jessie has an older sister,

Peyton, who is quite excited over

Maternal grand parents are Bundy Hal and Dixie Campbell of

Paternal grandparents are Hubert and Delores Price of

Great grandparents are Velma Lacy of Turkey, Bundy and Lacretia Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Franze Barton all of Matador and Vivian Campbell of

Mikaley Roberts

Sisters Marcy and Mandy are thrilled to announce the answers to their prayers, the birth of their new sister, Mikaley Ann Roberts. Little Miss Mikaley was born March 23, 1994, at 1:22 pm. She weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces and was 21 and three-quarter inches long. Her blessed parents are Stan and Jill Eudy Roberts of Levelland.

The new little girl is the grand daughter of Jay and Barbara Eudy of Austin

Kristen Jenkins Little Miss Jordan Jenkins is quite

excited over the birth of her new baby sister, Kristen Faith Jenkins. Kristen was born Monday March 28 at 11:14 am in the High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces and was 19 inches long She is the daughter of Daniel and Jackie Jenkins of Turkey. Maternal grandparents are Jack and Janet Montgomery of Memphis. Paternal grandparents are Duane and Donna Jenkins of

Higgins. Maternal great grandparents are Ollie and Christine Simmons and Gladys Montgomery all of

Paternal great grandparents are Edith Robertson of Lavern Oklahoma and Marvin and Laverta Carnagie of Shattuck

One man with courage is

a majority.

SPRING REVIVAL

April 10 - 13

UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES

QUITAQUE & TURKEY

MESSAGE: Reverend Jerry Moore Miami, Texas

Sunday, April 10 9:30 a.m. Service at Turkey UMC 11:00 a.m. Service st Quitaque UMC 6:00 p.m. Sandwich Supper

Monday, April 11

Tuesday, April 12

Wednesday, April 13

7:00 P.M. Revival service at Turkey UMC 8:00 p.m. Dessert Fellowship

6:00 p.m. Pot-luck Supper 7:00 p.m. Revival Service at Turkey UMC

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-Thomas Jefferson

Happy Birthdays

April 7 Buster Hanna, Alic Fuston April 9
Jimmy Davidson April 10 Ron Eudy, Tommy Pinkerton, Jarret Pigg, Jo Patrick April 11 Jim Saul, Jana Payne, Chase Maynard, Dewayne Davis, S. D.

Lowell Proctor, Jackie Sperry David Wooten, Steve Farley

Jessica Ortiz, Kin Patrick, Walter

Wayne Taylor, Candy Wheeler **Happy Anniversaries** April 9 Mr. and Mrs. Billie Farley, Jr

April 12 Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Mullin April 14 Mr. and Mrs. Duke Woods Mr. and Mrs. Tate Boyles

Free Help With Filing Your Taxes

"Over 1.3 million North Texans have waited until now to file their tax returns," said Bobby E Scott, Director for the Dallas District of the Internal Revenue Service. "Even though many filed earlier than ever before and refund checks are averaging close to \$1,150, we expect to be helping those who waited.'

On Saturday, April 9 taxpayers may call the IRS assistance lines (in Dallas 742-2440, elsewhere 1-800-829-1040) between 9 am and 1pm. The IRS Office at Texas Stadium will be in operation those hours as well.

Taxpayers may also get free tax help at the annual Cowtown Roundup-Ft. Worth Center, located at I-35 and Seminary Drive, from 11:00am- 4:00pm This sevice from sponsored by the IRS lunteer Income Tax Volunteer Income (VITA) Assistance VITA provides free tax assistance for low to income, moderate English speaking, disabled. and elderly taxpayers.



Whales have no sense of smell and most species have poor eyesight.

On The QT

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Purcell and Taylor Wayne of San Antonio were eek-end guests of Dean and Linda Purcell.

Week-end guests of Les and Sue Hall were her sister, Cheryl Warley and her boy friend, David of Midland. They arrived on Friday and returned to their homes on Monday.

Joining the group Sunday af-ternoon were Rick and B. J. Doyle. Rick is the pastor at the First United Methodist Church in Plains. The two young men had attended Texas Tech together as well as seminary. The Doyles also returned home Mon-

Those dropping in on Monday, April 4th to help Mildred Hulsey celebrate her ?? birthday were a sister, Gail Griller of Lubbock; a sister, Sybil Stone; a niece Glenda Watson, two great nieces, Britney Watson and Amber Watson all of Plainview. They treated Mildred to

Later that evening Denise Smith and daughters, Tana and Tessa came down from Aiken. Twila Clark later joined them to help her mother celebrate her birthday. Johnny Butler called Monday night to wish his mom a happy birthday.

LaVern Benton spent Saturday night with her daughter, Nyoka. On Sunday March 27, 1994 she attended her grandson's wedding in Tulia. On Saturday, April 2, LaVern attended a cousin reunion at the Villa Inn at Lubbock.

Una Lee and Judy Barrett of Quitaque met Joe and Owayne King of Dumas in Amarillo Saturday night. They all attended the concert with "Shenandoah" and "Slo Motion." Una Lee and Judy went on to Dumas to spend the

night with the Kings.
Sid and Eunice McFall spent
Easter Sunday at Paducah. They attended church services with their daughter and family, Beth, Gene, Paula and John Whitener. Bro. Bruce Parks who is pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Paducah baptised Paula who also joined the church. They joined Gene's parents for lunch and aftervards enjoyed the traditional Easter Egg Hunt that the firemen of Paducah put on for the children of the area. Around 100 children attended the function to try to find the 50 pounds of Easter eggs that had been hidden.

Caprock Library **Lending List**

A Lesson Before Dying by Ernest J. Gaines A Gathering of Angels by Morris Margolies

Montana 1948 by Larry Watson The Old House At Railes by Mary Pearce The Four State Chisholm Trail

by Fannie Chisholm

The Buffalo Hunters by Mari

by Thos. W. Bell Lost Trails Of The Cimmaron by Harry Chrisman We Are The Best Friends by Aliki

Letter to Editor

Please excuse the lateness of subscription payment but due to Henry's illness, I've been late on lots of things. We enjoy reading the paper. Henry reads every word, I believe. He doing fine.

Thank You, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Buchanan

The recent death of NBA Celtics star Reggie Lewis has sparked an interest into what constitutes a Unfortunately, maybe now there will be more search as to what makes the heart beat properly whether heart disease is present or not.

Millions of people suffer from

benign palpitations and the like. The symptoms- an uncontrollable twitching sensation, much like a muscle spasm in your arms and leg, and dizziness- are very frightening. Ironically, many physicians call this a "human condition" because there is no heart disease and, in turn, they send their patients home telling them not to worry. But, how do you not worry?

I'm currently in the process of setting up support groups via telephone on a national level.

If you would like to talk with

someone in your city or town about this problem- no telephone charges will be incurred this way, just mail your name, address and telephone number with a self addressed stamped envelope to: Peter John Raposa, P. O. Box 556, Tiverton, RI 02878.

Archeology Field Trip Planned

The Duck family met at the McDade park in Dumas for their annual Easter get together. Mr. and Mrs. Joe King of Dumas were host for the occasion.

Those present to enjoy the fun filled day from Quitaque were Roberta and Wendell Farley; April and Matthew Farley; Marie and A. B. Ramsey; Kristin Ramsey; Una Lee and Judy Barrett; Jack, Debbie, Jamie, Richard, Ryan and Jessica Wellman; and Dennis, Lisa, Melody, Vance, Randy and Mitchell Farley

Dwight, Anita, Kayla and Dara Ramsey; Kyle, Amy and Torrey Fuston attended from Silverton. Glenna, Kevin, Michelle and Cameron Jameson came from Claytonville. Gary and Sharon King; Larry, Linda and Cory Farley; Lisa and Susan Harris; Stacy Helton; Ruth Martin; Clifford and Marilyn Hagar; Jim, Helen, Misty and Meghan King, Guy, Shawna and Hannah Guest; and the hosts Joe and Owayne King of Dumas were

Beat Deadline For Beef Cook-Off

Cooks who have a winning way with beef can still enter the 1995 National Beef Cook-Off-- but not for long. Entry deadline is just

around the corner.
Until June 1, 1994, the National Beef Cook-Off is seeking original, convenient and delicious beef recipes to compete for \$45,000 in prizes. That includes a \$25,000 cash grand prize for the recipe named "Best of Beef".

For almost three decades, the National Beef Cook-Off has encouraged nonprofessional cooks to share their winning main dish beef recipes that are easy to prepare and for the time demands of today's busy schedules. Many National Beef Cook-Off entries reflect "hot" dining trends with ethnic or innovative flavors.

Enter now, to beat the deadline For entry details, call the National Beef Cook-Off hotline, 800/621-70911. Or, send favorite beef recipes to National Beef Cook-Off Entries, P.O. Box 3240, Chicago, Ill., 60654.

The Govenor of Texas, Ann Richards, has signed a Proclamation that the week of April 9-16, 1994 be declared Texas Archeology Awareness Week". The Archeology Week". The Archeology Awareness Week Committee of Week". Texas, which sponsors this effort, includes as members of the Texas Archeology Society, Texas Historical Commission, and Council of Texas Archeologists. This week-long observance is intended to promote public awareness and involvement in the protection of Texas' archeological heritage.

In this effort, the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum in Canyon, is sponsoring an evening of educational programs at Caprock Canyons State Park's amphitheater at 8 p.m. on Saturday, April 16,

The cost is 50 cents per person park admission and includes edu-cational materials and programming. Those who attend may wish

Included in the programming is a talk by Archeologist Billy Harrison on the Lake Theo Folsom Culture site, and Rolla H. Shaller Interim Curator of Archeology, Panhandle Plains Historical Museum will speak on the "Buried City" of the Texas Panhandle.

The PPHM is the oldest and largest state museum in Texas. established in 1933 and housing over 3.5 million artifacts. Members of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society, the Musuem's sponsoring organization, enjoy a variety of benefits including travel opportunities, advance notice of events and exhibit openings, The Panhandle-Plains Historical Review, a discount in the Museum Store and the questionly newsletter. quarterly newsletter.



The population of the American States—in 1776 was fewer than three million.

Dishwashers: Black

Marks On Dishes
(NAPS)—This information is part of a series produced by Whirlpool Corporation, makers of home annilances

Black and grey marks on dishes may be the result of dishes rubbing against metal uten-

Problem: Metal marks (grey

loading metal utensils next
to or on top of dishes in the dish-

storing aluminum utensils in or next to other dishes
 stacking soiled dishes in a stainless steel sink
 knives with serrated edges can leave metal marks on dishes and platters.

platters
• dishes rubbing on uncoated Remedies

• to clean metal marks, use a wet cloth or sponge and a mildly abrasive cleanser such as Bon Ami or Bar Keeper's Friend. Silver pol-ish will also remove metal marks from dishes.

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Golden Spread All-Star Games

The 24th Annual Texas Golden Spread High School Girls' All- Star basketball games and the Seventh Texas Golden Spread Boy's All-Star games are scheduled for Thursday through Saturday at the Cal Farley Coliseum



Wrestling dates back to prehistoric times; wrestlers are depicted in French cave draw-ings that are 15,000 to 20,000

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THE VALLEY TRIBUNE

Quitaque, TX

Valley seniors, Powell and Angie Pointer have both been chosen to participate in the games as members of the South teams. The South boys will play the North boys at 6 pm. Friday, followed by the South and North girls at 8:00pm. The girls championship games is set for 6 pm Saturday and the boys' game will be at 8 pm.

School Menu

Monday French Fries Cookies with Fruit Tuesday Green Beans

Cherry Salad Wednesday Pickles-Cheese Apple Crisp Thursday

Bean Salad Sour Cream-Hot Sauce Chips & Cheese Friday

State Commission **Holds Meeting**

Seeking long-term solutions to the problems facing our state's children, the Texas Commission on children and Youth will hold a meeting and a public hearing in Lubbock at the Texas Tech University Health Science Center on Friday, April 8. The hearing will begin at 10:00 am.

The 73rd Legislature created the Commission and directed it to develop a comprehensive plan to improve and coordinate public programs for children and young The 18-member Commission, appointed Governor Ann Richards, Lieutenant Governor Bob Bullock, and Speaker of the House Pete Laney, will make ecific recommendations in the areas of education, health care, family services, and juvenile justice, and submit them to the 74th Legislature, which convenes

in January, 1995. Commission members Betty Price Anderson of Lubbock and Becky Bybee McPherson of Floydada, District Attorney for the 10th Judicial District, encourage area residents to attend Friday's hearing and share their concerns, ideas, and recommendations about problems facing children and youth in the Panhandle and West

At the hearing, Commission members will hear expert testimony from Mr. Quincy White, former Youth Services Coordinator for the City of Lubbock, on the desired focus of youth services; Professor Charles Bubany, Professor of Law at the Texas Tech University School of aw, on juvenile justice: and Dr. Garcia, Associate



VALLEY 1994 SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Joni Marie Hancock, 17, is the daughter of Jake and Katrina Hancock. She was born at Memphis, Texas on April 28, 1976.

My Best Physical Characteristic: My eyelashes.

My Favorite Pastime: Talking

Style of Dress: Anything that fits. Hobby: Reading, cheerleading and meeting new people.

Pet Peeve: When people leave their blinkers on after they've turned. Favorite Food: Chick-fil-a-nug-

Best Subject: Accounting. Favorite Sport: Bowling.
Favorite Movie: Young Guns I.
Last Good Book Read: Last of the Breed by Louis Lamour.
My Heroes: Laurie Masterson, current State FFA officer.

names starting with the letter "B". Someday I Want To: Go sky div-

I Always Fall For: Guys with first

A Great Night Out: Going riding around and there actually being other people in town.

If I Were President: I'd paint the white house a different

My Favorite Memory: Gathering

My Worst Habit: Taking on too much responsibility and worrying if I have food in my teeth.
Nickname: Jody or Juni.

My Most Valued Possession: My

If I Could Change Something: I would change where I live (I'd move to town.)

If I Could Do Anything I Wanted I Would: Go on a date with Alan Jackson. Best Advice: Trust your instincts

Worst Advice: "Trust Me.' Greatest Fear: Drowning. What I Like Most In High School: Pep rallies, Ag trips & Mrs.

What Makes Me Mad: When people name drop or say things just for other people's benefit.

5th Grade News

Hi!! It's us 5th grade class. This week we will not be doing much things (or lets hope not). We hope you had a great Easter. We know we did. I didn't do much this weekend even though we got 1 day off. I had to clean that was what I did most of all. My family members came down and that was why I cleaned. Most of us just cleaned to have the house clean. We don't have much to say so we'll try to end this. Well, I guess that's all. We'll have more news next

Mary E. & Gaby

Professor at the Texas Tech University Health Science Center and Director of the C.A.R.E.

Center, on child abuse. "The battle against juvenile crime and violence must be fought on the front end-in childhood and early teens--when character and positive attitudes can be shaped into the building blocks of law-abiding, productive members of society," said Commission Chairman Senator Jim Turner (D-Crockett).

'A modest investment in today's children will pay tremendous dividends when they become adults. Parental care and early childhood education are cheaper than welfare and prisons.

than welfare and prisons. Friday's public hearing will be heald in Room 2B-152 at the Texas Tech University Health Science Center at 3601 4th Street in Lubbock. Organizational matters and expert testimony will be scheduled in the morning with public testimony taken in the afternoon. Citizens with disabilities are asked to call 512/305-9056 to request special



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Study Group Results

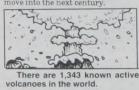
Forty-two county leaders met on Tuesday, March 22nd to identify the needs of Briscoe County residents at the Briscoe County Extension Service "Study Group" meeting. Moderator John Wyatt, welcomed the group and Judge Jimmy Burson gave the opening remarks. Local resource persons Doug Cherry, Matt Kast, Ronda Alexander and Scott Shawn presented current conditions on the respective ssues of Development of Life Environmental Stewardship Health, Safety and Well-Being; and Economic Competitiveness, Viability and Stability.

Participants divided into each sub-group and identified county issues in their respective groups The main issues identified were Health, Safety and Well Health, Safety and Well Being: teen pregnancy, alcohol abuse, morality and teaching abstinence; maintenance of quality volunteer emergency medical services; care and support of elderly needs; and the need for a local doctor and pharmacist; Environmental Stewardship and Natural Resources: land use and private property rights; more efficient farming methods to conserve water and soil, with increased profits; chemical maintaining a safe groundwater Economic Competitievness, and Stability: diversification new, productive non-ag related industry; infrastructure: phone and computer; need of lecal medical services: doctor and pharmacist; tourism;

Development of Life Skills And Leadership: family involvement, promoting responsibility in parents,

responsibility in parents, unitedness of organizations and activities that currently exist; parenting skills with problem children; teen pregnancy; communication between parents

The Briscoe County Extension Service will analyze each of these issues that have been identified and then develop a Long Range Extension Program plan on how to address each of these issues. This plan will guide the program efforts of the Extension service for the years of 1995-1999. Involvement at the grass roots level os the key to the success of the Extension program. We are here to assist each of you with problems as they relate to the respective areas that we work with. We greatly appreciate the help of each individual who participated in the "Study Group" meeting and look forward to helping the residents of Briscoe County to help themselves as we move into the next century.



Page 3 A Little Bit Goes A Long Way

(NAPS)—Everyone knows that cheese is an excellent source of calcium and protein—but did you know it can also be a low fat, economical alternative to meat or fish. The trick, of course, is picking the right cheese, it has to ing the right cheese...it has to taste great, too.

Take, for example, that in Take, for example, that increasingly popular, streamlined version of a traditional favorite: Jarlsberg Lite has a mild yet distinctive nutty flavor—mellow and deceptively "rich," it melts smoothly in many recipes but is low in calories, sodium and fat. Kids and grown-ups alike go for that creamy consistency—even vegetarians approve!

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TURKEY & QUITAQUE

Turkey News

Things Seen or Heard

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Fuston and children were Easter week-end in the home of Kyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fuston. Kasey Fuston of Texas Tech was also a week-end visitors in her parents

Mike Wedge of Killeen was a week-end visitor in the home of his father, Gilbert Wedge.

An unusual sight seen last week were two llamas in the yard of the Melvin Clintons. I assume they didn't like their new home east of the Hotel Turkey.

Visitors in the home of George and Vita Colvin were their daughter and grand-daughter, Linda and Ryan Michelle Whitley. The Whitleys live in

Visiting last week in Turkey with Lavern Hamner and Bob Russell were Norma (Yates)
Young of Ralls and Mina
Davenport and two friends of
hers, from Post. Norma also
visited with her father, Nubbin

Sherice Bench and baby daughter, were visitors in the home of Sherice's parents, Hubert and Delores Price, recently. Sherice lives in Austin.

Velma Lacy returned to her home last week after an extended stay on St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock for knee surgery.

Chlorene Melton is a patient at Plainview Methodist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Randell and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mullin spent last Friday and Saturday visiting Cliff and Helen Masters in Clovis, New

One night the three couples traveled to Floyd, New Mexico to attend a Lions Club Country Jam-

One of the performers was the son-in-law of Pearl Forsythe. Pearl

Lillian Mullin and Oleta Cunningham were in Childress last

Recent visitors in the home of Dot Arnold were her daughter and husband, Karen and Wes McDougall of Amarillo.

Visitors on Easter week-end were her son and wife, Sherrod and Nelda Arnold and their granddaughter, Brooke.

Bud and Alice Richardson of Tulia were Friday visitors in the of Lorene and Arville

Lewis Eudy is recuperating at home following his fall resulting in some painful injuries. His sister, Cleo Green visited with Lewis and Mozelle last Saturday. Cleo brought her walker for Lewis to use

The Lewis Eudy's son, Ronald Eudy of Austin, came to help care for his Dad, Tuesday through Friday of last week.

Easter week-end visitors in Bonnie Hill's home were her daughter, Carol Weatherly of Memphis, and her son and wife, Rod and Dianne Hill and sons of ****

Traveling to Canyon last Saturday to spend Easter week-end with her son and wife, Harvey and Betty Williams, was Arlie Williams.

Also visiting with the Harve Williams, was daughter and granddaughter, Kelly and Brittany Kelly from Clarendon. Arlie's daughter and grandson, Bridgette and Richie Johnson of Idalou, also joined the group.

Ida Hill enjoyed a very special Easter week-end. All of her children were home. Present were son and wife, Billy, Donna and baby Dylan Landry from Glenrose; Roy Gene and Shirley Landry from Canyon; Howard and Beulah Landry of Amarillo. Also coming from Amarillo were daughter and husband, Nita and George Early; and Jerry and Shirley Landry of Turkey. Mrs. Hill said it was a very

special week-end.

A recent visitor in Turkey was Marcella Patterson, the widow of a former Turkey Methodist minister. Mrs. Patterson and her daughter, Lelia, of Abilene were



PICTURED, left to right are: Erica Swegler, MD, Denison, TX; enator STeve Carriker, and Jimmy Randles, MD, president of Texas Academy of Family Physicians. and he understands better than enyone the valuable role family

physicans play in pro health care for rural Texans.

One of Senator Carriker's chief

concerns is the shortage of

primary care physicans in Texas. Statistics show 36.4 percent of all

family physicians will reach retirement age by the end of the

decade, and an even higher percentage of those are in rural

areas. The United States, and Texas for that matter, has less

than a third of the physicians workforce in primary care generalists specialities, while other nations like Great Britian,

Germany and Cnanda have more

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Security Act calls for 55 percent

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Senator Carriker **Receives Award**

State Senator Steve Carriker (D-Roby) was honored this past Saturday evening, March 26, 1994, by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians (TAFP) for his outstanding efforts in the Texas Legislature during the 1993 Legislative Session. The TAFP gave the Presidential Award of

Merit to Senator Carriker.

The award, presented by
Jimmy Randles, MD of Waco, is a
mark of commitment to the health care of Texans and the specialty of Family Pracitce. Dr. Randles stated, "Steve Carriker is a champion of rural helath care

Things Seen or Heard

Visiting in the home of Ella Colvin last Week-end were Judy and Murray Wayne Morrison of Lubbock. Mrs. Colvin Morrison of Lubbock and her children were also visitors of Ella's.

Mrs. Ruth McKay and daughter, Carrie M. Ball, travelled to Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. David McKay to attend the wedding of Joe Lynn McKay, Mrs. McKay's youngest son. Also travelling with Mrs. McKay were her children, Nita Brewer, Sharon and Jake Hearn and their children. The group left on Friday, April 1st, and returned home Sunday, April 3rd. Mrs. McKay said she really enjoyed the wonderful and happy trip with the arrival of daughter Eleanor and grand daughter Jessica from Oklahoma City.

New Deputy Treasurer Named

Texas State Treasurer Martha Whitehead today announced she has hired a new Chief Investments Officer and TexPool Manager. Whitehead has already named Mike Doyle as Deputy Treasurer. Doyle previously was Director of Tax Administration, Manager of Accounting and chief Financial Officer for the State Comtroller's Office.

"Mike had a great reputation as a hands-on-manager," Whitehead said. "We're very fortunate to have a Deputy of his

The Treasury's new Chief Investments Officer is Jeffery H. Hamilton. Before accepting the post as the Treasury's CIO,

Portfolio Management for Boatmen's National Bank in St. Louis. Hamilton, a Certified fianancial analyst, also previously served as Assistant Investments Officer for the University of Texas System.

Named as the new TexPool Manager is Randall Corwin. Corwin, who holds a Series 7 License, was previously a securities broker for Dain Bosworth, Inc. of Portland, Oregon.

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held at CETA Canyon by Happy, Texas, Sunday, June 5 thru Friday, June 10.

Volunteers willing to spend the week or camp are needed to act as companions to a child teenager with Muscular Dystrophy. It is a wonderful opportunity to perform a valuable community service and enjoy a week of summer camp-free!!!

For further information and an application form, please call the Muscular Dysrophy Association at 806-359-3141.









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Yesteryear

Taken from The Quitaque Post December 29, 1938.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Roberson spent Christmas day with her par-ents Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Knox of Sudan. They left Quitaque at 5 a.m. and arrived at Sudan in time for breakfast making it a full day.**

Santa Claus stopped off at Fin-ley Variety store Saturday afternoon, Christmas Eve, and met a throng of his little friends. He passed out to them a gross of trinkets and about 35 pounds of candy. Bro. Finley assisted him, trying to reach every eager little hand. The crowd of children was too dense to stir and blocked the walk in front of the

store, reaching to the corner. **
Dr. E. C. Price, while quail hunting in the brakes north of town Tuesday, slipped up on a nice red fox (Dock said it was gray) while the animal was taking a nap under a bush. The fox tried to exit but the doctor's shotgun and aim were too rapid and good for anything of that sort, so he brought the "fur neckpiece" home with him.

Since Dock has a wife and two daughters, neither of who is averse to a genuine fox fur, we are not predicting to whom the ownership belongs. But Ownership to the contrary nothwithstanding, Dock says that is to be the final reward of the

Mrs. M. J. Boyles had the pleasure of a reunion with her children and grandchildren Christmas day, and a big dinner was served at noon those enjoying the occasion were Everett Boyles and family, John Boyles and family, Cecil Boyles and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gregg and children, and Marvin (Dad) Boyles, all of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Cliff McBride and children of Olton and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kimbell and children of Gasoline.**

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Helms, W. E.

with relatives at Lockney.**
Christmas brought a rush business in coyote hides to Briscoe County. More than a hundred hides were brought in to County Clerk R. E. Douglas for the \$1.00 bounty on each that the county pays. The last two days before Christmas he punched holes in the left ears on 46 hides, indicating the bounty had been paid, and certified payment to the commissioners court.**

Thanks to the boys of the Quitaque chapter of FFA for their kind invitation to their first annual Fa ther and Son Banquet to be held Friday night, Jan. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school gymnasium**

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FLOMOT NEWS by Earlyne Jameson OVERHEARD:

I am perplexed. Americans have the finest quality health care in the world, and the only drawback is the high cost. In the health care debates, shouldn't politicians keep this distinction in mind, to enhance the first element and relieve the sec-

> ANNUAL STARKEY EASTER REUNION

The annual Easter Starkey family reunion was held from Thursday until Monday at the rural homes of Mrs. C. W. Starkey and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey. Mobile homes and tents dotted the scenic landscape. Camp fire cookouts included weiner roasts, steaks and hamburgers and a covered dish luncheon Sunday. They enjoyed hiking and Easter egg hunts in the Quitaque Peaks at Starkey loca-

The 103 relatives registered from Lebanon, MO; Wichita, KS; Shreveport, LA; Winnewood, Sallisaw and Muskogee, OK; Clovis and Farmington, NM; and towns in Texas were Austin, San Antonio, Ralls, Dougherty, Amarillo, Fritch Floydada, Trent, Lockney, Olton, Hart, Turkey, Lubbock, Canyon, Silverton, Abilene, and Flomot.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY Friends of Mrs. Sylvia Lee Martin surprised her with a birthday coffee in her home Thursday morning, March 31, with gifts and cards They served birthday cake, cinna

mon rolls, and coffee.
Sharing the happy occasion with
her were Mmes. Leona Degan, Viola
Calvert, Christeen Gilbert, Mary Jo Calvert, and B. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Shannon, Mrs. Peggy Woods, Tiffany, Emily and Kimberly, and Mr. and Mrs. Bly Shannon and their Easter holiday houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Vernor Winston of Seattle, WA, were guests of Donnie and Carol Martin in Silverton, Saturday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Neal Shannon, Luke and Chisum, of

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morris, Dodie and Rabecca were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lane, Kiley, Krysha and Amy in Plainview Sunday. Enroute home, they visited at the Lockney and Mr Care Center with Mrs. Doris Morris.

Lori Martin, student at John Tarleton University in Stephenville, visited Friday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Martin as she was enroute to Quitaque to visit her family Mr. and MRs. Eldon Martin. She visited them again Monday on return trip to Stephenville.

Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Washington were Mrs.
Gloria Reynolds of Richardson;
Jeanne Reynolds, Cary and Cory
Franks of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs.
Lance Barclay and Cotton, Amy Pipkin and Mandi Carson of Matador; Matt and Lacy Washington of Roaring Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay, Cody and Ty and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Franks and Cara of

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Aleda Elaine attended an annual Ross Easter family reunion at the rural home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Carson of Hale Center, Sunday,

Mrs. Leland Heiskell of Dalhart visited from Friday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Gilbert. They enjoyed the day in

during the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn

Wednesday until SAturday in Highland Park with son and family, and Mrs. Louis Shorter, Jennifer and Megan.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Washington Easter Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Max Washington of Anton; Laurie Washington of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Todd Washington, Katie, Clay, and Cam, of Childress; and Mr. and Mrs. Seab Washington of Flomot.

Mrs. Annie B. Cloyd visited Easter Sunday in Memphis with n and family Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Cloyd and Jason.

Donnie Rogers visited during Easter holidays in Lindale with his daughters, Natalie and Brooke

Guests during Easter holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Carson of Turkey; Julie Clay, student at South Plains College in Levelland, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clay, Kelsey, and Tanner of Flomot

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and Keri during the Easter holidays were Cindy and Christi Shorter, students at Texas Tech, Coach Dewain Milan of Matadon and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin of

Ronnie Rogers of Lubbock, Mr and Mrs. Stanley Degan and Dane of Kalgary, Shawna Degan of Lubbock and Shay Degan, student at South Plains College in Levelland visited Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers. The Degan family also visited his mother, Mrs.

Leona Degan.
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson and their houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Breck Dockery and Brittany of Vernon and Kayla Johnson of Floydada were Easter day guests of

Mrs. James May in Quitaque. Jason Lee of Clarendon visited during Easter with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse Easter Sunday and enjoying an Easter egg hunt and softball game were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Chandler, Vance, Lori and Corey of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Henderson of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Browning of Rising Star; Mrs. Dona Browning of Tur-key; Mr. and Mrs. James Gwinn and Fannin of Whiteflat; Mr. and MRs. Mark Patton, Thor and Tory of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clifton, Monica and Skylar of Matador; and Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Browning, Whitney and Jason; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse, Leah, Keane and Derrick, and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cruse, Chancy, Roegan, Brand and Talon of Flomot.

Mrs. Jane Cartwright of Odessa Lubbock Saturday. is staying with her grandfather,
Marilee Pilcher of Fritch visited John Barton. Since Mr. Barton is unable to stay alone, we are pleased Jane is able to be here with him.

and Mrs. Morris Stephens Easter holiday guests of Mr. and visited Friday night and Saturday Mrs. Clayton Bond were her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gates of family, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Martin and Shanon. They attended the mecula, CA.

and Shanon. They attended the Mrs. L.E. Shorter visited from Jamboree in Silverton, Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Stephens and his mother, Mrs. Juddie Stephens of Lockney Care Center visited in Ralls Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

Sammy Bounds.

Katheryn Martin of Whiteflat and Art Green visited in Roaring Springs following the Whiteflat Homecoming in Matador with her mother, Mrs. Josie Martin and her weekend Homecoming guests Charlie Kimbell and Annabelle Jones of Artesia NM and Mrs Grace O'Vannon of Del Norte, CO. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. David Osborn of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Newman of Spur, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Martin of Lub-

Mr. and Mrs. Johnney Turner, Cobey and Heather visited Easter Sunday in Silverton with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luckenbach.

Mrs. Gwen Reed, Shay Lynn and Dustin, and Tim Mandrell of Lubbock visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert

H. G. Hunter of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were in Lubbock Tuesday and had lunch with Anita Hunter Carter. They continued to Midland and attended the Soccer Regional Quarterfinals were Midland High Bull Dogs defeated El Paso Austin School 7-1. The Hunter's grandson, Ross Hunter, scored 4 of the 7 goalies for Midland High.

Mrs. Wayne Hunter met with the Baptist G. A. in Silverton, Wednesday afternoon to discuss Laubach materials focusing on phonics language and newspapers in helping an individual improve his reading ability.

The Wright Brothers original plane flown near Kitty Hawk can be seen today in the National Air and Space Museum in Washington, D.C.

Theft of Texas Highway Signs

Texas taxpayers are taking a "hit-on-the chin" due to increasing theft of traffic signs in this area. damage is not always confined to the tax payers pocketbook, adds Texas Department of Transportation (Tx DOT)Childress Area Engineer, Tim Weight, P. E. "We are particularly concerned about the safety of motorists traveling along our roadways. "In one recent theft in Cottle County, thieves stole \$500.00 worth of signs. These signs warned the traveling public of special hazards. "When the signs are stolen, motorists are missing an inportant message concerning safety and potential hazards. Some signs warn of curves, livestock in the area, no passing zones and other concerns..." adds Tx DOT's Weight.

Many of the signs are traceable to the location they were stolen from. If a sign is found in someone's the individual who is possession of the sign can be subject to criminal laws concerning theft of state owned property. Many such signs adorn the rooms of young people or can be found in someone's garage. Possession of such property

can carry severe penalties, fines and even jail-time.

The State of Texas has

prosecuted people in the past for possession of stolen state property and plans to take a active role more apprehending thieves. State agencies such as Texas Department Transportation,

Department of Public Safety and numerous county and enforcement agencies plan to step up surveillance along roadways

Plans also include locating and identiying anyone found in possession of a stolen sign. Although a highway sign may look decorative in a garage or game room, the person possessing such a sign may look bad in jail, if apprehended and found guilty. Anyone having information concerning

stolen highway signs is asked to report the information to the possession even though that nearest law enofrcement person did not steal the sign, agency. Your cooperation may help save someone's life It will certainly save all Texas taxpayers money. Funds saved by deterring sign theft can be better used road maintenance, highway repair, road rehabilitation and bridge highway

Salmonella Causes Food Poisoning

No other food-borne illness is as caused by any of several species of Salmonella bacteria. In fact, Salmonella infection is common ones usually cited when people recount undiagnosed illness associated with food.

The usual sources of salmonellosis are raw or undercooked meats, especially chicken and other pultry, and foods entaining raw errors.

foods containing raw eggs.
According to Lee Jan, D. V. M., director of the Texas Department of Health (TDH) Meat Safety Assurance Division, the flu-like symptoms, nausea, diarrhea and abdominal cramps of salmonellosis are uncomfortable, but seldon fatal. Of the 1,933 Salmonella infections confirmed

"Salmonella infection, while unpleasant, sometimes serves almost as a strong warning that some food we eat is unsafe. While we would not wish anyone illness, a case of salmonellosis sometimes may serve as a lasting lesson in practising simple food safety precautions," Jan said.

in Texas in 1992, no fatalities were

Anyone can become ill from Salmonella, but people with weakened immune systems, young children and the elderly are more likely to have severe symptons, according to Jan. He

Out of Town Attending Dale Tiffin, Jr. Services

Those from out of town attending the graveside services of Dale Tiffin, Jr., Wednesday, March 30 at the Flomot Cemetery were Mr. and Mrs. Donnell Jefferies of Colorado Springs, Colorado; Mrs. Warren Lemons and daughter of Los Angeles, California; Rex Jack Tiffin, Jr of Earth; Mr. and Mrs. Clark McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Rex tiffin, Sr. and Mrs. Cheryl Ashley and children of Lubbock; Ron McDonald and daughter of Amarillo and Michael Tiffin of Mineral Wells

Mr. and Mrs. James McFarland, Mrs. Teresa Ferguson and son, Mrs. Aubrey George and James George of Plainview; Mrs. Melvin Hicks and Randy Hicks of Uvalde; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ott, David Garrett and daughter, Jennifer of Hutchinson Kan.; Mrs. Glenda Sue Tiffin and daughter, Christi of Memphis; Mrs. Kimberly Stuart and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Holt of Tulia and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Dunn of Dimmitt.

conditions which lead Salmonella infection also allow infections by other, more deadly bacteria, such as *Listeria and* Escherichia coli. "Any case of salmonellosis should sound alarm bells to cooks, restaurant personnel and health authorities that unsanitary conditions or improper cooking conditions are allowing food contamination. When strict hand-and untensil-washing rules are enforced, and fresh foods-especially meats, eggs and dairy products-- are properly cooked, stored and served, there is almost no danger of contamination," he said.

For ready-to-eat foods, such as lunch meats, TDH and the U.S. operate inspection Department programs at processing plants

While USDA regulates all plants distributing products outside Texas, TDH inspects about 430 plants distributing within

"Our state monitoring program eens about 1,000 different screens about 1,000 different ready-to-eat products made for sale in Texas," Jan said. "We randomly sample each product during unannounced visits to plants throughout the state. Inspectors screen not only for contamination by Samonella but also for Listeria, another bacterium. They also look for any insanitary conditions in the

manufacturing plants."

Jan added that Listeria, though less common than Samonella, can cause more serious illness, including meningitis and death. In 1992, TDH recorded 26 illnesses caused by Listeria, including six

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Many thanks for all the beautiful cards and calls regarding Wren's

II Tim. 4th Chap. Verse 7 &8 "He fought a good fight, he fin-ished the course and he kept the faith.

Jo Vinyard and family

We want to express our apprecia tion to the Turkey Volunteer Fire Department who carried Lewis to Methodist Hospital in Plainview March 28, and to the pastors, Les Hall. Stuart Smith and Melvin Clin ton for their visits and other firends and family.

God Bless You All! Lewis and Mozelle Eudy Ronald Eudy and Family.

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and ending on May 3, 1994.
Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to

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Turkey, Texas 79261 Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 29, 1994.

Issued this the 7th day of March,

Brenda Smith, Voting Clerk

ORDEN DE ELECCION

Por la presente se ordena que se llevar'a a cabo una ellecci'on el 7 de Mayo, 1974 con el prop'osito de: enla Eleccio'n para elegir dos regentes por de Turkey-Quitaque C.I.S.D.

La votaci'on en adelantada en persona se llevar'a a cabo de lunes a viernes en oficica de negocio en Valley Escuela entre las 8:30 de la manana y las 4:00 de la tarde empezando el 18 de Abril de 1994 y terminando el 3 de Mayo de 1994.

Las solicitudes para boletas que votar'an en ausencia por correo

deber'an enviarse a: Brenda Smith P.O. Box 397

Turkey, Texas 79261 Las solicitudes para boletas que se votar'an en adelantada por correo deber'an recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 29 de Abril de 1994. Emitida este dia 7 de Marzo,

Brenda Smith Firma del Oficial Que Preside



The word sheriff comes from old England. Each shire, or county, had a chief official known as a reeve. The title shire reeve gradu-ally came to be run together in the single word sheriff.

Spring Clean For Fire Safety Month

Grandma was right: Spring cleaning is good for you-good for your health, that is.

Although the tradition of pring cleaning isn't as popular as not once was, taking time to give your home a thorough cleaning this spring will bring benefits through the rest of the year. It oculd even save your life, according to the Texas Commission on Fire Protection.

"Most people think of Octobr as Fire Prevention Month," said Commission Executive Director Michael E. Hines. "This year, think of March as Fire Safety Clean Up Month. Fire statistics show that most fires in the home could be prevented by simply cleaning up, taking care of small problems, and double-checking appliances and supplies that need special care."

Last year, Texans suffered almost 20,000 fires in the home, and about 75 percent of the 265 fire deaths occurred in residential fires. Children under 5 years old and senior citizens are up to three mes more likely to die in fires Fire Incident Reporting System, operated by the commission, collects data about fires from local departments. Those statistics are used to educate the public on how to prevent fires.

"Based on what we know about fire causes, we feel that it is up to the heads of the household-

that is, parents-as well as grown children of older adults to take charge in preventing fires," Hines said. "Taking time to check for fire hazards could literally save the lives of your loved ones.

The Commission on Fire Protection recommends these steps for spring cleaning:

Remove paper, clutter, and dust from your utility and equipment rooms, especially near your water heater

Get rid of old paint, cleaners and other flammable liquids. Because these are hazardous wastes, don't throw them in the regular trash pick-up. Roll the cans in newspapers and place in a cardboard box. Take the waste to an approved waste-collection site. Contact your local city or county governments

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Check all electrical cords for worn or frayed wires. Unplug any appliances with worn cords until the problem is repaired.

Put new batteries in your smoke alarm. Vacuum the front grill on the alarm. (Plan to vacuum the alarm monthly.)

Clear dry leaves and brush from the yard. Clear clutter from near the home.

If you live in a rural area, consider clearing shrubs and other greenery around your home. Create a 20-foot "clear zone" to reduce the risk of losing your home in a wildland or grass fire.

Social Security **NEWS**

by Patty Brandt

"If you're on direct deposit, you can use the cost-of-living letter you received from Social Security as proof of your benefit amount," said Pat Brandt, SS representative in Vernon. People who have their Social Security checks sent to their bank received a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) notice last month telling them what their new benefit rate will be effective January 1994. Mrs. Brandt said this notice can be used when they need to prove the amount of their Social SEcurity payments to the welfare office, a landlord, an energy company, or any other business or agency that provides a service or a subsidy that takes into account the amount of a person's Social Security check.

People who have their Social Security checks mailed to their home did not receive a personalized COLA letter from Social Security. Instead, they received a "stuffer" with their January Social Security check advising them of the COLA increase but not of their specific dollar amount. The stuffer cannot be used

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