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# Hill Country VFD **Convention** Here Saturday

Saturday of next week, April 6, is the date Sterling is host the Hill Country Volunteer Firemen's Convention. Local Fire Chief Troy Templin and local president, Ross Foster, have all the activities lined up for the convention.

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Possibly 300 out of town guests or visitors will be here. The convention and related matters will take up most of the day, and a dance is scheduled for that evening at 9. ANYONE, in this or neighboring counties are welcome to attend the dance. Cost is \$2 stag or \$3 per couple. The band is to be The Top Hands.

The SVFD appreciates the cooperation of the Sterling City busineses in helping with many of the details of the convention.

Anyone, local resident or visiter, may register for door prizes between 8 and 10 a.m. for door prizes during the day and that night at the dance. One must be present to win.

## Local Fire Prevention **Poster Winners**

The Sterling Volunteer Fire Department fire prevention poster contest winners were named after judging here Wednesday afternoon. First three place winners in each category will be entered in the district competition here this weekend at the convention.

## **ABC** Golf Tournament Set

The Sterling Golf Association has set up two tournaments for the Sterling City golf course.

The first tournament will be here on Saturday, April 27. It will be an ABC Best Ball tournament. There will be a \$5 entry fee per entrant, and one must qualify by April 24 on a 12 hole qualifying score, said James Thompson, association president.

Entrants must pay the fee and give their scores to one of the following-Ricky Hopkins, Dan Slaughter or Jack Peel.

In case of tie, there will be playoffs on the day of the tournament. it was said.

Prizes will golf balls,

On June 1 there will be an ABCD tourney with women on each team. The same rules are quoted for both tourneys.

All greens committees are reminded to get their greens in shape for the April 27 tournament.

## Mrs. J. L. Blanek **Buried Tuesday**

Mrs. Florence Bradigan Blanek, 70, died in Shannon Hospial in San Angelo Monday afernoon. She had been sick for a very short time. Graveside rites were held at the City Cemetery here Tuesday at 4 p.m. with the Rev. C. A. Tucker, Presbyterian minister, officiating. Robert Massie Funeral Home was in charge. She was born Aug. 25, 1903 in Millsbora, Penn. She was married to J.L. Blanek Dec. 6 1923 in Washington, Penn. She had lived in Sterling City for 44 years. Survivors include her husband; three sons, J.W. Blanek of Sterling City, Louis Blanek and Dr. Harry Blanek of San Angelo; one daughter, Mrs. Edwin Gar --ner of San Angelo; two brothers, Bill Bradigan of San Bernito, California and Charles Bradigan of Sterling City; three sisters, Mrs. Ethyl Rohland of Brownsville, Penn., Mrs. Stella Koskanic of Shoaf, Penn. and Ann Bradigan of Uniontown, Penn., 13 grandchildren and 3 greatgrandchildren.

## LIONS CLUB

The Lions Club luncheon was held at noon Wednesday in the community center. Ricky Hopkins was a guest. The prize went to Louie Alexander.

President Ross Foster reported that the Club's sponsored magician and hypnotist program grossed \$318.50 and netted the club \$134.25. He reported a near full house at the performance.

The club voted to resume the Community's Good Citizenship award plaque this year. Presentation will be made at the Lion's Ladies Night and 45th Anniversary of the Club on May 7. The featured speaker will be Delbert Downing, renowned after-dinner speaker. The affair will be held in the comunity center at 7:30, May 7.

The members voted to pay Mrs. Bess Blagg \$1.75 per plate for the luncheon members hereafter. The club's costs have been \$1.65.

President Foster appointed 3 Lions to count the votes for the Lions Outstanding Citizen of the year award. He named R.V. Hamilton, Dan Glass and Jack Peel. One can vote for anybody they think deserves the title of outstanding citizen. An individualsuch as a man or woman-may be voted on. In the past it was a man and wife combinationbut not from now on.

#### OFFICIAL BALLOT

Using this ballot below, mail in your vote to Lions Club, Box 608, Sterling City, Texas 76951 before May 3, 1974. My Vote For Outstanding Citizen

You may get votes from all your family (if you have enough ballots) and mail in the same envelope. (Do not write out ballots on plain paper.)

# **School Trustee Election Tomorrow**

**APRIL 6, 1974** 

## School Honor Roll

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Sterling school principal Bobby Dodds this week released the 3rd nine weeks list of honor roll students for the Sterling School-7th through 12th grades.

The list is as follows: 12th Grade

Don Alexander	9
Sherri Blanek	9
Judy Copeland	9
Jesse Lujan	9
Mike Watts	9
11th Grade	
Lisa Horwood	9
Amy Humble	
Jeannie Wells	
10th Grade	
Amy Hodges	9
Marylynn Rich	9
9th Grade	
Patti Bynum	9
Dow Ferguson	9
Kim Rich	9
Melinda Terry	9
8th Grade	
Susie Humble	9
Jennifer Lackey	90
Leslie Rich	9
7th Grade	
Carl Igo	9
John Lackey	9
Melanie McEntire	
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#### SENIOR BAKE SALE

The seniors are having a bake sale here Saturday at 9 a. m. by the post office. Cakes, pies, and candy will be sold. If you want a special order, see or call a senior.

The Sterling School Board has set April 6 as the school trustee election for Sterling.

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Three men have filed for the two open spots on the board. They are C.J. Copeland, incumbent, Bill Davis and Troy Templin.

Other members of the board are Bill Humble, Stan Horwood. I. W. Terry, Charlie Davis, and Larry Glass.

School board president for 21 years, Reynolds Foster, is not to run for reelection this year. He feels that he has served his time on the board and the last of his children graduated last vear.

### **City Officials Are** Reelected

Mayor Lee Reed and city Councilmen Dan Glass and Foster S. Price were reelected here in Tuesday's city election.

Fifty-one voters cast votes as follows;

Lee Reed, Mayor ..... Dan Glass, councilman .... 43

F. S. Price, councilman ...... 43

Two write-ins received 2 votes each, being Vera Dell Allen and Skipper Lively.

Other members of the city council are Ross Foster, Neal J. Reed, and Don Griffin.

**Easter Church** 

**Services Set** 

Winners and their categories were as follows: PRIMARY-

1st-Reed Stewart 2nd-Craig Foster 3rd-Cynthiajean Schovajsa 4th-Troy Don Templin HONORABLE MENTION-Kathy Maricle **Kyla Davis** INTERMEDIATE-1st-Tony Mac Dodds 2nd-Lisa Rich 3rd-June Humble 4th-Mary Lou Mendez HONORABLE MENION-Gary Maricle Wesley Hodges UNIOR & SENIOR HIGH-1st-Leslie Rich 2nd-Becky Hodges 3rd-Bruce Schovajsa 4th-J. C. Schovajsa HONORABLE MENTION-Cornelio Fuentes, Jr. Rafaela Rodriguez

## Easter School Holidays Set

Principal Bobby Dodds of the Sterling School this week announced the Easter holidays. School will be out for the Easter break Thursday and Fri--

day. April 11 and 12 and Monday, April 15. This gives the school an East-

er or spring break in comparison with other schools and colleges.

#### MARCH CANCER MEMORIALS

In Memory of Willie John Houska-

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#### **D. KIRK HOPKIN'S** SISTER DIES

Mrs. H.E. Wilson, sister of D. Kirk Hopkins of Sterling, died in Ballas Baylor Hospital last week. Mrs. Wilson was a resident of Carthage.

Funeral services were held in Fort Worth Saturday at 2 p.m.

Don Alexander of the Sterling High School entry in the one act play contest last week in district competition, won an all--star cast rating at the end of the play contests. Sterling' entry did not win placing in the contests.

### **Methodist Church** SPRING REVIVAL HERE APRIL 7, 8, 9

The youth groups of the First United Methodist Church here are sponsoring a spring revival on April 7, 8, and 9. The Rev. John Weston, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Sonora will be the visiting speaker, it was said.

Sunday services will be at the regular times of 11 a.m. and 7;30 p.m. But on Monday and Tuesday the morning services will be at 7:00 a.m.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the services.

A supper (covered dish) will be held at the church basement Sunday evening at 6, it was said.

Rev. John M. Weston is now completing his fifth year as pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Sonora. He is a native of South Texas, born in Refugio, lived in Corpus Christi and graduated from high school in Hondo.

He attended Westminster at Tehuacana, Southwestern University at Georgetown, and received his B.A. from the University of Texas, Austin. His seminary work was completed at Perkins School of Theology, SMU, in 1954, receiving the B.D. degree. Following seminary he has

served pastoral appointments at Lometa, Portland, Donna, Luling, and Sonora, all within the Southwest Texas Conference.

Rev. Weston has served on Conference Boards of Christian Vocations, Christian Social Concerns, the Camping Committee,

#### TEACHER VISITATION

Mrs. Thomas Asbill, third grade teacher here, visited the elementary school in Burleson last Friday under a teacher visitation program. She observed team teaching in the primary grades there.

Mr. and Mrs. Asbill made the trip and visited their son and family, the Jack Asbills. Jack is the assistant high school principal there. Mrs. Mildred Mitchell of Garden City accompanied the Asbills. She visited her daughter and family, the Winston Pritchards in Joshua.

#### ATTEND TEA

The Tom Asbills attended a tea in the center at Baptist Memorials Hospital Sunday afternoon honoring Tom's sister-in-law. Mrs. W. A. Asbill, who was retiring as head of the 16th district Rebeccahs. Tom stood with his relative, since her husband had died not long ago.

Children's Dept. of the Board of Education, the Mount Wesley Sub-Committee, the Board of Governors of the Texas Pastor's School, and is now serving on the Board of Ministry and is a representative to the Board of Higher Education.

John and his wife, Shirley, a native of Mexia, have 5 children, 3 boys and 2 girls. They all enjoy camping trips to National Parks and wilderness areas for their vacations. Their oldest son, John, is now a freshman at A&M, majoring in Range Science.

The general theme of Rev. Weston's messages will be that "All things have their beginning, meaning, being and fulfillment in the love of God."

The local Presbyterian and Methodist Churches are holding two joint Easter services here on April 11 and 12.

The Maundy Thursday service will be held at the Presbyterian Church at 7:30 p.m. with Methodist pastor Harold Orr preaching. Communion will be observed.

The Good Friday service will be held in the Methodist Church with Presbyterian minister Charles A. Tucker preaching at 7:30 p.m. Special music will be part of the program.

Everyone from any and all churches are very welcome to attend these services, said Orr and Tucker.

#### TS&GRA Auxiliary Meeting

All area women are invited to attend a special meting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association. The meeting will be at the Comunity Center, Thursday morning, April 11, at 9:30.

Kathryn Luckenbach will demonstrate punch needle yarn work. Kathryn is a recent graduate of Texas Tech and is now Home Demonstration agent for Martin and Glasscock counties..

#### BOOKS WANTED AT NURSING HOME

If you have any old used paper back books that you would like to donate to the local nursing home, they will be appreciated. Books such as westerns, murder mysteries and novels are liked and all will be appreciated.

Sterling Baseball Association

The Sterling Baseball Assn. will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday night, April 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the community center.

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## **1974 Political** Announcements

The following candidates announce their formal candidacy for the offices below, subect to action of the Democratic Primary, May 4, 1974: For County Treasurers OVELLA (Betty) GARRETT For County Commissioner, Precinct 4: DANNY STEWART For County Judge-ROLAND L. LOWE For County Commissioner Precinct 2: **CLINTON HODGES** For Justice of the Peace Precinct 1-E. R. EDWARDS For County and District Clerk-W. W. DURHAM For State Legislature, 63rd District: MICHAEL H. EZZELL For United States Congress, 21st Congressional District NELSON WOLFF

## **Voter Guidelines**

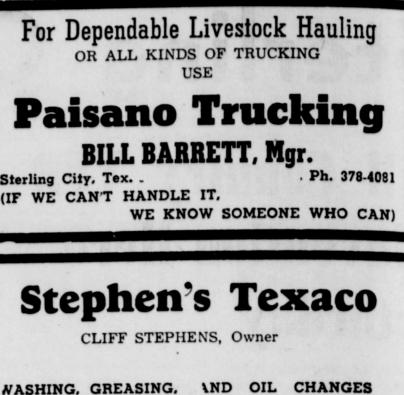
Here are the legal voter guidelines for the Democratic Party Primaries this year as put out by the Texas Democratic Party: 1. Register to vote at least 30 days prior to Democratic Pri-

mary, which is May 4, 1974. 2. All registered voters, 18 years and older, are eligible to vote in all Democratic Party elections.

3. Present registrations are valid if you have voted in a Democratic Primary or General Election within the last three years.

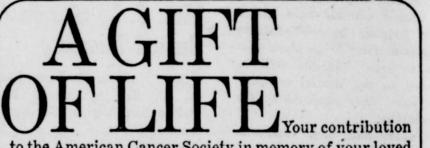
4. Register to vote at your County Tax Assessor-Collector's office or with a properly deputized person allowed to register voters.

5. Notify your County Tax-Assessor--Collector of change of address 5 days prior to election day so that you are registered in the proper precinct, if you have moved within the county.



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Your children will be completely captivated by a visit to a real fairy-tale park with its Renaissance castle Egeskov, erected in a lake, on the island of Funen. In the barn there is a museum filled with vintage aeroplanes, cars and motorcycles.

Denmark is truly a children's wonderland. Of course there are summer camps, riding schools and sailing schools. But what about the real children's traffic school at Legoland? The miniature village in Jutland is virtually a children's paradise.

From June through September, you can ride the Veteran Railway every Sunday from legendary Elsinore (site of Hamlet's castle) to the resort of Gilleleje, and there's a parade every Friday by the Elsinore Girl Guards.

For the adventurous, there is Givskud Lions Park, where you'll see African Lions, enor-

big, happy family at your office

and the big, happy family at

home, you've got an ulcer."

mous elephants and gentle giraffes in natural surroundings. Driving your car among these exotic animals is comparable to enjoying a minisafari.

At the Circus Building. Benneweis, Scandinavia's biggest circus, presents world artists in the ring every night. from mid-April to September 30. Tivoli, Denmark's worldfamous fairy-tale garden in the heart of the city, is filled with amusements for children and adults, restaurants and dancing from May 1 to September 16. It features a fascinating playground, Children's Holiday Shows, the Pantomine Theater, The Open-Air Stage, the Tivoli Boy Guards, parades. and fireworks. And every Tues-

day throughout the summer, there is a very lively children's circus in the Odense Zoo. Denmark even has its very

special Hans Christian Andersen Festival held in the Funen Village, in his native town Odense, from July 6 to August 5, where children enact Andersen fairytales on an open-air stage, that will delight the whole family.

For more information on events for children in Denmark this year, write to: Danish National Tourist Office, Scandinavia House, 505 Fifth Ave.,

New York, N.Y. 10017. Doctor; looking over his patient's X-rays: "Between the

6. On moving from one county to another, you must re-register 30 days prior to the elec-tion. if you wish to vote in your new place of residence.

7. An April 14, 1974, the absentee voting for the first primary by personal appearance at the County Clerk's office begins and goes through the fourth day preceding the election.

8. Applications for absentee voting for the first primary must be received by the County Clerk not later than the close of business on April 30, 1974. 9. Marked absentee ballots for the first primary must be mailed back to the County Clerk and postmarked not later than midnight, on May 3, 1974.

#### JUNIOR BAKE SALE MARCH 30

The juniors of Sterling High School are holding a bake sale here on Saturday, March 30 in front of the post office. The sale will begin at nine o'clock.

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## AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY



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#### **TEXAS SHEEP & GOAT RAISERS ASSOCIATION**

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WEATHER Forecast for the Sterling area for this weekend -Showers and rain, accompanied by thunder and lightning.

#### NOTICE OF HEARING IN THE MATTER OF CANCELLING **CERTIFIED FILINGS NOS. 914.** and 595; AND PERMITS NOS.

1171, 1171A and 146 By virtue of the authority vested by law in the Texas Water Rights Commission, notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held in the offices of the Commission in the Stephen F. Austin State Office Building. Austin, Texas, beginning at 10:00 a.m. on May 14, 1974 in the matter of cancelling, in whole or in part, the following named permits or certified filings whose ownership is carried in the Commission records as indicated:

Certified Filing No. 914 of W. Maxwell Turner.

Permit No. 146 of T.C. Rawlings, T.C. Rawlings, trustee, Marion A. Bird and Beth R. Edwards.

Permit No. 1171A of Thomas R. Augustine,

Permit No. 1171 of W. Maxwell Turner, Mrs. Myrtle Mitchell.

Certified Filing No. 595 of Mrs. Nona G. Grosshans,

All affected parties are directed to appear and show cause, if any, why the water rights listed above should not be cancelled.

Given under and by virue of an order of the Texas Water **Rights Commission on March** 11, 1974,

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#### Lisa Horwood was elected secretary-treasurer of the District 7 4-H Council at the council's spring meeting in Johnson City last Saturday. Her term of office will begin the first of June and will be for one year. Congratulations to Lisa.

The District 4-H Council is made up of two representatives. the president of the county council or county-wide club and the council delegate from each of the twenty counties in Extension Service District 7. Lisa is president of the Sterling County Club and Amy Hodges is the council delegate.

Meetings of the District Council are held quarterly in different towns in the district. Members of the council help plan the district 4-H camp, the District Gold Star Luncheon, and other events. This year, council members not taking part in the district contests will also help judge the juniot division contests.

The District Adult Leaders Association meets at the same time as the 4-H council. Mrs. Clinton Hodges attended this meeting last week. One of the activities of the association is an adult leader training session on April 20 in San Angelo for leaders interested in projects other than some of the well-known projects such as livestock. There will be more information on this session. \* \* \* \*

Several cases of rabies in recent weeks are bringing the possibility of an outbreak of this disease to the forefront. During the week of the San Angelo Stock Show.

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## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week include: Mrs. Earl Bailey

Mrs. Jessie Mae Hurley

Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week were; . . . .

Patients in the Sterling County Nursing Home on Thursday morning of this week were; Mrs. Ida Brown Mrs. Jim Duke Jim Duke Mrs. Lucy Norman B. O. Bailey Larkin Longshore W. J. Williams Earnest Turner Mrs. J. E. Bynum Mrs. Larkin Longshore Mrs John Lane Mrs. Robbie Grace Noble Read J. B. Ratliff Mrs. Minnie Pinson Roy Morgan Mrs. Henrietta Long Mrs. Noble Read I. B. Stites Mrs. Susie Finnegan Mrs. O. M. Cole Mrs. Mabel Martin

## J. E. Batchler \$100 Scholarship

Dora Munoz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Munoz of Sterling City, tied for fourth place in the Miss Jr. Miss Executive Secretary contest at Odessa Columbia Secretarial School last Saturday. She tied in the short-hand division with Diana Adair of Sanderson High School. She was awarded a \$100 scholarship at that business school for next year.

### **Running for School** Board ON WRITE-IN

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Have You A Sod House Heritage? Did you ever live in a sod house a dugout, or an adobe building; or were you born in one? Did you ever teach school, attend school or church services in such a building, or help build one? Or are you a child or perhaps a grandchild of a former pioneer sod house dweller or builder?

If you can answer yes to any of these questions, the Sod House Society of America, with headquarters at Colby, Kansas, would like to hear from you. The unique society is making an effort to compile a census of people whe have had any kind of personal experience with sod houses, including dugouts, part sod, and adobe buildings, which were once common in the United States, Canada and Mexico; also the descendants of such persons. If you are a former sod dweller or a direct descendant of a family that can claim a part of the sod house heritage during the pioneer settlement era of North America, or in more recent times, the society wishes to have the information to include in a permanent historical record of sod, dugout, and adobe dwellers and their families. To make this survey a success, information is needed from people in all parts of North America. Sod buildings in some form were used in well over half the North American continent. If you have any information concerning present or former sod dwellers, your report of this will be most welcome. Please tell where the buildings were located, and give family names, as well as your own. Reports should be sent to: SOD HOUSE SURVEY of Texas Colby, Kansas 67701

#### GARDEN CITY POST OFFICE

David E. Holster, SCF Manager Postmaster, Midland, Texas, in conjunction with Robert L. Mc-Coy, Manager, San Antonio District, United States Postal Service, has announced the solicitation of bids for the construction of a new Post Office Building in Garden City, Texas.

Holster added that it will be a leased facility to be constructed by the succesful bidder and leased to the Postel Service for a basic lease period of ten years with four 5-year renewal options.

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Anyone interested in bidding on this project should contact William H. Brady, P.O. Box 830, San Antonio, Texas 78293, AC 112-221-5111, extension 4691. Bids will be acepted until 1:00 p.m., May 16, 1974.

Mrs. Clifford Carpenter

a fox head sent in by Mrs. Ewing McEntire turned up positive.

Two weeks ago, a fox attacked an employee on the Foster S. Price Bob's Creek Ranch. The fox literally jumped the man who threw up his hands to ward off the animal, with his fingers being bitten in the process. The fox got hold of the man's jacket and did not release his hold until Larry Miller killed it. This head was sent to the laboratory and also diagnosed as positive. The man is taking the shots.

Two calves on the Foster & Hildebrand River Ranch have died recently from rabies. According to Stan Horwood, both calves were in the pen at the ranch headquarters. The first died about six weeks ago; when the second one became sick it was taken to a veterinarian who kept it under observation until its death. He diagnosed it as rabies.

There are increasing reports of dead wild animals such as skunks being found in the county. This itself is an indication of possible reservoir of rabies in these animals. Because of extremely dry weather conditions and shortage of food, these animals are moving to the areas around houses and barns seeking food.

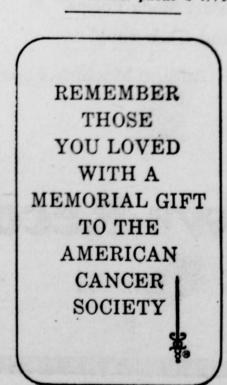
Children and others should be warned of the danger of these animals. One of the indications or rabies is the loss of fear of humans in wild animals and consequently they will attack humans, livestock, or pets. Everyone should be on the alert for these animals and take precautions where there is abnormal behavior in any animal, domestic or wild alike.

News Items-if you have a worthy news item, call it in to the paper. 378-3251.

TEXAS OIL COMPANY has opening in Sterling City area. No experience necessary. Age not important. Good character a must. We train. Air Mail A. S. Dickerson, Pres., Southwestern Petroleum Corp., Ft. Worth, Tex.

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In case of fire. phone 8-4771.



that he is running for election to the Sterling City School Board on a write-in campaign. He will not be listed on the ballot as the time for filing is past.

He said he would appreciate all the support and help and votes in the election on April 6.

(Pd. for by Committee to elect WinnMcClure to the school board.)

## SCHOOL LUNCH **ROOM MENUS**

(All Type A lunches served with 1/2 pint milk, bread and butter.) LUNCHES MONDAY, APRIL 8 Hamburgers Lettuce Tmatoes **French** Fries Apple Crisp TUESDAY, APRIL 9 Enchiladas Pinto Beans Cole Slaw Cookies WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10 Sandwiches Potato Chips Pork and Beans Fruit ello Brownies BREAKFASTS MONDAY, APRIL 8 Sscrambled Eggs Biscuits Orange Juice TUESDAY, APRIL 9 Pancakes Pears WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10 Cereal Peaches

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## Social Security Tips

Social security checks should be cashed within a reasonable time to prevent loss or theft, even though there's no time limit on cashing them, according to social security officials here.

'If your check is lost or stolen. get in touch with your nearest social security office at once,' a spokesman said. 'The check can be replaced, but it takes time. Handle your check carefully when you get it and you won't have to wait while it's being replaced.'

Social security pays over \$4 billion a month in benefit checks to almost 29 million peopleeligible retired and disabled workers and their families and families of deceased workers who worked long enough under social security.

For further information contact the Social Security office at 3000 W. Harris Avenue, San Angelo. Texas 76901 or call 949-4608.

MUST pick up small piano and Hammond organ by October 25th. Will allow person with good credit to assume payments on either piano or organ or both. Call or write American Music Co., 207 E. 8th, Odessa. Tx. 79761, area 915-332-2711.

#### PRE-KINDERGARTEN EASTER PARTY SET

All parents of pre-kindergarten children (who will be 5 by September 1, 1974) are asked to call Mrs. Milton Kidd, phone 378-5541. An Easter party is is being planned for that age children on April 10.