

# Billy W. Sills Center for Archives/FWISD

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## *Max Hill*

### “History of Fort Worth’s Censor Board”

**March 8, 2014**



Theda, Brigitte, Jane. All, at one time or another, fell under the knife of movie censors. From the beginning of the motion picture industry, the public was concerned about the ability of Hollywood to control the content of its own products. Censorship boards began to spring up all across the country. The need for laws was discussed. These concerns were a clear reflection of public concerns over the quality, propriety, decency and taste of the movies being produced by Hollywood.

Max Hill, historian and retired librarian, is making a return appearance to the Billy W. Sills Center for Archives. He will be discussing the history of movie censorship, especially as it relates to Fort Worth. To find out what you and your parents missed from 1911 to 1965, plan to share Saturday morning, March 8 with Max Hill and friends. It is sure to be a fun and informative morning.



Join us for coffee and “nibbles”  
beginning at 9:30 a.m.

**Saturday morning, March 8, 2014**

10:00 to 12:00

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