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SILVERTON GETS NEW LIFE WITH GRANTING OF PERMIT

Texas Utilities Will Put In High Line From Lockney

I. R. Kelso, president of the Tex. Utilities whose home is in Cape Girardeau, Mo., and J. B. Scott manager with headquarters at Plainview were in Silvertown Monday on a tour of inspection weeks in this section checking up company. He was very enthusiastic over conditions here and said that it was the plan of his company to erect a high line from Silvertown to Lockney along the Denver right-of-way and that he would consult with Denver officials at the earliest possible moment and as soon as satisfactory arrangements could be made he would begin making plans for the line. This will connect Silvertown with the Plainview and Lubbock plants and eventually, he said, as soon as the gap between Kress and Happy is closed with the large plant in New Mexico. This company has some 25 plants in this section of the country and according to city officials from the various communities which they serve are giving highly satisfactory service.

The Texas Utilities is now supplying excellent 24 hour electric service to Silvertown from their new power plant, constructed during the past year, and powered with a 120 horse Fairbanks Morse engine. Mr. J. A. Blocker is the manager. Kelso intimated that another engine of the same capacity would probably be added to the local equipment by the first of February and that the plant would be maintained even after the high line was connected up.

Mr. Kelso, in a conference with Mayor Tom Nichols exhibited figures from various cities now using electricity for pumping water for their municipal waste systems showing the comparative low cost of electricity as against gas engines power supply.

WATER ENGINEER WOULD ESTIMATE COST OF SYSTEM

A representative of the Firm of Hawley and Roberts, engineers of Lubbock, called on mayor, T. M. Nichols Tuesday and asked permission to figure on the cost of installing a water works and sewerage disposal for Silvertown. Mr. Nichols did not give any definite answer to the gentleman.

SAVINGS ACCOUNTS FOR A THIRD OF THE PUPILS

More than a million and a half dollars were deposited in school savings banks by pupils in school of New York City during the year February 1, 1925, to February 1, 1926. In all 384,558 separate accounts were maintained in 429 school savings banks, a net gain over the previous year of 57,147 individual accounts. In addition 32,151 newest nest-bearing accounts were opened for pupils in regular savings banks.

INQUIRIES BEING RECEIVED AS RESULT OF RAILROAD NEWS

Local real estate dealers report that already inquiries are coming in as a result of the recent railroad news. Business men are wanting locations and farmers are inquiring about the land about here. Numerous strangers are noticed on the streets, most of whom are "prospectors."

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Amason motored to Tulsa Wednesday afternoon.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS—BY W. T. C. OF C.

MINERAL WELLS—The stand of President Arthur P. Duggan and manager Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce on the question of a tax survey for the state was fully endorsed by the Mineral Wells C. of C. at a recent meeting here. A special committee composed of three prominent West Texas men in this section was appointed to offer every assistance to the West Texas organization in their effort to secure passage of a legislative bill by the Fortieth Legislature for furtherance of the state tax survey cause.

HASKEL—Work on the disposal plant of a new sewer system for the city has begun here. Seven miles of new sewage line will be added, and the system is expected to be complete and in operation within three months.

CLAUD—The County Home Demonstration Agent of this section has begun campaigning for a home meat canning program for Armstrong farmers through items in the Claude paper she is explaining the value of home canned pork, beef, and other products, and confers with those interested in the subject at her office on Saturdays.

COLORADO—"The Value of Poultry Raising to West Texas Farmers" was explained in an interesting and informative address by manager Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce during the Mitchell County Poultry School and show here November 20.

EDEN—A turkey dressing and cooling plant has been opened here. Experienced operatives from Armour and Company of Fort Worth are working at the shop and much business is being done.

KERRVILLE—An insecticide factory has been established at this point by the Furman Company manufacturers of whole sale dealers in insecticides, disinfectants, rat poison, screw worm killer, and similar lines of merchandises. Headquarters office and factory were formerly maintained at San Antonio.

MORAN—The Moran Lunch-Club will pay for a city tourists park and deed the same over to the town, it was decided at a recent meeting of the organization. Half the price of the park has already been raised and the other is to be paid out within 12 months.

LEVELLAND—Contract for carrying the U. S. Mails over the longest route in this section was awarded here recently. The route will serve numbers of people in the northwestern part of Hockley County, and the Whitharral postoffice. It is variously estimated at from 38 to 72 miles in length.

FREDERICKSBURG—Gillespie County has been offered opportunity of filling 150 half pound sacks of Texas pecans to be used at a mammoth banquet in Chicago to be held for boys and girls agricultural club representatives at a national convention. Pamphlets or literature advertising the section may be included in the sacks which are to be used as plate favors. The local chamber of commerce is receiving contributions for Gillespie County's quota, which will be added to those furnished by other regions at the request of the Texas Pecan Growers Association.

JACKSBORO—Work of surfacing the Antelope Highway has begun here, contract for which amounts to \$132,509.22. Two hundred and fifty working days are allowed for the job.

DENVER OFFICIALS INVITED TO VISIT SILVERTON SOON

At a mass meeting of citizens called early Monday morning by president of the Chamber of Commerce, Frank P. Bain, a committee of three was appointed and instructed to send Frank E. Clarity, vice-president and general manager of the Denver railway, a telegram and letter conveying to him the fact that Silvertown is elated over the granting of a permit to the Denver and stands ready and anxious to so operate in every way for the early completion of the plans. It was pointed out that Silvertown has enough in bonafide pledges to purchase the necessary right-of-way and terminal the only requirements made by the Denver and that as soon as a little additional information is officially furnished by Denver officials work would proceed toward procuring and delivering the deeds to the Denver.

The committee, composed of T. M. Nichols, Fred Lemons, and Paul I. Odor dispatched the telegram and letter Monday noon. Mr. Clarity and Denver official were given a cordial invitation to visit Silvertown at their earliest convenience.

PEOPLES PHARMACY PUTTING ON NYAL TWO FOR ONE SALE

The Peoples Pharmacy, Bomar Brothers proprietors is putting on their annual "Two for One" Sale this Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. During these three days all Nyal products including favorite remedies, toilet preparations, stationery and rubber goods are included in the sale.

The Nyal "2-for-1" sale is just what the name implies you get two Nyal Products for the price of one.

HUBERT SIMMONS NOW MANAGER OF FOLLY THEATRE

By a deal the first of the week, Hubert Simmons, traded for U. M. Mecker interest in the Folly Theatre and leased Raymond Patton's interest and thus became sole manager of Silvertown's moving picture theatre. Mr. Simmons sure business and he promises to give first class entertainments at as experienced in the moving picture times. He says that he already has signed contracts for the biggest line of pictures ever shown here and that many of the pictures for which he has contracted have not been completed as yet. Mr. Simmons will retain his cream business, being representative for the Mistletoe Creameries, and he has secured the services of Mrs. W. A. Dieckerson to assist him in the later business.

THANKSGIVING IS OBSERVED HERE BY SPECIAL SERVICE

Thanksgiving was observed in Silvertown Thursday by a special union service held at the Baptist church at 10 A. M. Mrs. J. S. Fisher was chairman of the committee on music and Rev. P. P. Henderlite delivered the sermon. A fairly good crowd attended the service but no doubt there would have been a much larger gathering but for the high wind which arose about eight o'clock. The Bank, postoffice and a number of the places of business were closed in honor of the day.

The ladies of the Methodist church served lunch at the Orange Cafe today. And the proceed will go to the Methodist Orphans Home.

SCHOOL NEWS FROM UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

AUSTIN, TEXAS—Through the cooperation of the superintendents of twenty-one Texas schools and members of the education faculty of the University of Texas, a project for testing the accomplishments of the fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh grades, is being carried on by the University. Between 8,000 and 10,000 pupils will be given both achievement and mental tests.

The results made by the different grades in these Texas schools will then be compared with the national normals of these same grades in schools of the North and East, showing whether the pupils of this state are up to standard.

Accommodating the crowd which will throng the University of Texas Memorial Stadium on Thanksgiving Day for the Longhorn-Aggie football game will necessitate the employment of approximately 150 ushers, according to word from the athletic office. Many students act as ushers to earn their ticket to the game.

A mighty gathering for former residents of Brackenridge Hall is expected at the annual reunion and banquet of the Hall Association to be held at the University of Texas cafeteria the night before Thanksgiving Day, according to R. C. Henderson of Sabinal, chairman of the invitation committee.

CHEVROLET

The novel combination of a covered wagon and a Chevrolet roadster mounted in front on skis and in the rear on snowmobile caterpillar tractors is the strange appearing vehicle used by the Black River Telephone company of Lowville, N. Y., for winter "trouble shooting" on its lines in the heavy snow belt of New York State.

The difficult winter territory for the company's linemen extends to the Adirondack Mountains and involves the maintenance of service through-out a chain of 20 exchanges. This type of vehicle, which will travel over the most formidable snow drifts, was assembled by H. O. Peebles, a mechanic in the employ of the telephone company.

Information for Teachers in One and Two Teacher Schools

The Interscholastic league has prepared a contest for the one and two teacher schools, called the "Three R" contest. Heretofore no special contest has been arranged for the smaller schools and as a result we have had a very small representation from these schools in our county Interscholastic meets. It would be a big boost for this phase of school activity for every school in Castro County to enroll as a member of the Interscholastic League. Let's make Castro County 100% this year for the first time in the history of the county.

Schools with an enrollment of less than 100 the previous year may enroll for \$1 membership fee; with 100 enrollment or more the preceding year the membership fee is \$2. The closing date for membership is February 1, 1927. In order to avoid forgetting to mail in your fee as soon as you have read this article mail in your check to Roy Bedichek, chief Interscholastic League Bureau, Division of Extension, Austin, Texas. Upon receiving your copy of the constitution and rules of the league you will find general rules governing entrants and on page 43 you will find specific rules governing the "3-R" contest.

The Extension Loan Library, Little Campus, Austin, Texas, will be glad to furnish free of

COMING OF DENVER FULFILLS DREAM OF PAST THIRTY YEARS

SILVERTON WILL HAVE BIG DELEGATION AT PLAINVIEW FRIDAY

Plans are being formulated under the direction of the Chamber of Commerce to storm the Plainview Railroad Lollification meeting Friday with a crowd of 100 to 150 from Silvertown. This place made a hit with the big auto caravan at the railroad hearing at Plainview more than a year ago and a repetition of the stunt is hoped for on this occasion. The automobiles will leave early and in time to reach Plainview for the beginning of the celebration at 10 o'clock.

Dr. J. E. Minyard

Dr. J. E. Minyard was born Aug. 8, 1865 in Tyler County Texas. He was one of a family of eight children, five of whom survive him three brothers and 2 sister.

He was a graduate of a Junior college in Smith county, Texas, and after teaching school for several years he attended the Memphis Hospital Medical College at Memphis, Tenn., and received his degree in 1900. He stood high in his chosen profession, which he followed constantly for nearly 25 years. The first ten years of his practice was in his native community and the remainder in West Texas, first in Lubbock and later in 1919 he came to Silvertown where he died November 18, 1926.

However on account of failing health, he was unable to continue his active practice after the Fall of 1922. As a young man he united with the Progressive Christian Church and he continued to be an active Christian and a man of integrity and high character to the time of his death.

In 1901 he was united in marriage at Vaiden, Miss., to Miss Lela McEachern. Three children were born to them, one son and two daughters, and he is survived by his wife and son Edward, who together with a multitude of friends mourn his loss.

MAYOR TOM NICHOLS PREDICTS SILVERTON 3500 IN THREE YEARS

Mayor Tom Nichols, predicts that Silvertown will be a city of 3500 or more within three years. Some think that this estimate is conservative and Mr. Nichols says that he does not see how Silvertown can help becoming one of the most thriving little cities in this section of the country. He points out the fertility of the soil and the adaptability for diversified farming and also the fact that Silvertown will have the largest trade territories of any town in the Panhandle. Mr. Nichols is one of those that believe that there are many advantages to a town on being at the end of a tap line and he believed that Silvertown should take advantage of her every opportunity band be ready for the railroad when it comes.

YOUNG SON OF MR. AND MRS. SALES COFFEE IS KILLED IN ACCIDENT

Word has been received here of the death of the four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sales Coffee Amarillo Tuesday Nov. 23. The little fellow was injured in an automobile accident Sunday night and lingered for two days. He was a brother of Mrs. Walter Lee Bain, Mr. and Mrs. Bain, Mrs. Scott Smith and Mrs. John Bain attended the funeral in Amarillo Wednesday. Mr. Coffee is a former resident here and is well known in Briscoe County.

One week ago Silvertown business men were blue over the depression caused by the low price of cotton.

That was an excuse rather than a real reason. The entire citizenry was discouraged over the seemingly unending delay by the Interstate Commerce Commission in handing down a favorable railway decision. But that is all history now Silvertown is taking on new life. Silvertown county seat of Briscoe County was established 35 years ago and for at least 30 years of that period there has been talk of a railroad.

One time a considerable sum of money was subscribed and a dump was actually graded to the town section. But a train was never run. And so, the granting of a permit to the Burlington system, and the practical assurance that a road will be built into Silvertown is the fulfillment of a 30 year dream.

No wonder there is rejoicing. Silvertown realizes that she is to benefit, perhaps more than any other town affected by the new railroad construction. Several of the towns on the new line already have railroads. Others are so fortunately situated and can not hope to make the town that Silvertown will. Already the county seat and the principle trading place of one of the most fertile counties in Texas, the coming of the railroad will encourage new capital that all together will into the business men, and attract new settlers and put confidence in the building of a real city.

Silvertown is now 32 miles from the nearest railroad town and the nearest town of any size is Ontaque with 450 people 20 miles to the east. Its natural trade territory will conservatively include an area of 30 miles square, or 900 section, and 95 percent of the land is the finest plains land to be found anywhere. Silvertown is from 10 to 15 miles south and west of the "cap rock" and this is in the center of a district especially suitable for diversified farming.

Silvertown has one of the best highschools for a town anywhere near its size in the Panhandle with 10% affiliated credits and a corps of 14 highly qualified teachers. The report of the state high school inspector during this term recently here.

Silvertown had three churches with full time pastors. There is a new and modern fireproof court house. During the past 18 months there have been more than 60 new residences and business houses built and plans have already been drawn for many more. The contracts to be let within the next few months. Silvertown has 24 hour electric service and an ice and cold storage plant. It now has four star routes and two rural routes and is located on the Ozark Trail.

It works and pays than any other department of by managing a building connected with the Uni-

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The State of Texas County of Briscoe.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the honorable District Court of Briscoe County, on the 19th day of November 1926, by T. L. Anderson, Clerk of said Court for the sum of two Thousand and Three Hundred and 35 dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of Plainview Cotton Oil Company, A Corporation in a certain cause in said Court, No. 505 and styled Plainview Cotton Oil Company, A Corporation vs. C. L. Martin, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, C. Garrison as Sheriff of Briscoe County, Texas, did on the 19th day of November, 1926, levy on certain real estate situated in Briscoe County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of Section 25, Block B-1, Certificate No. 1735, patented to John Jay French, patent No. 753 B. S. and F. original grantee:

All of Block No. 70, Original town of Silverton, all of said property being located in Briscoe County, Texas. And levied upon as the property of C. L. Martin and that on the first Tuesday in January 1927, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Briscoe County, in the City of Silverton Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said C. L. Martin,

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Briscoe County News a newspaper published in Briscoe County.

Witness my hand, this 19th day of November 1926
C. C. Garrison, Sheriff Briscoe County, Texas.

Mrs. M. B. Carter is visiting her son, R. M. Carter and family. Louie, the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Carter, who is attending school at Channing came with Mrs. Carter.

BABY CHICKS FOR SALE

Barron strain large type pure-bred White Leghorn baby chicks, 10.50 hundred.

Everlay strain Brown Leghorns, \$11.50 hundred.

Sheppard strain single comb Anconas, \$14.85 hundred.

Owen and Donaldson strain Rhode Island Reds, \$14.85 hundred.

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We are thankful for the many loyal friends that we have in Briscoe County and for their patronage.

We are thankful for the favorable Railroad News for which we have waited so long.

NOTICE

Watch for our announcement about the ATWATER KENT RADIO that will given away FREE on Christmas Eve.

Douglas & Whiteside

"The Store that Strives to Please"

Select Poultry Stock Now

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ever set a bird trap can easily set the trapnest and operate same.

After you find the hens that are doing the laying get some aluminum leg bands and place on these. In the spring when they begin to use the eggs for hatch-

ing, you can fix up a small breeding pen, use a good male bird if possible one that has come from a high producing hen and mate with these hens. You have started the foundation for a high egg production flock. You may find that every one of the hens have selected carry distinct disqualification so far as show stock is concerned, but why should you worry, it is the

egg basket tyou are concerned about anyway.

I hope that many farmers will follow this plan. We need more eggs on the market we need high producers and we need more baby chicks in the community and we cannot get them without having our hens produce more eggs. Another article will appear next week on feeding.

J. D. KING

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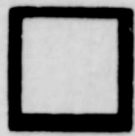
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LOCAL - PERSONAL

Jeff Gunter and E. McCain were in Floydada Monday. They report every one there elated over the railroad news.

E. E. Merrill went to Quitaque Monday.

S. M. Castleberry of the circulation department of the Amarillo Daily News was here this week.

Mr. Fain, of the firm of Fain and Malone realtors of Plainview, was here Tuesday. He was accompanied by Mr. Brewster of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Summers of Folsom, N. M., are visiting M. K. and I. N. Summers and families.

M. F. Griffin, of Tulsa, was a business visitor here Tuesday. Mr. Griffin is father of Mead Griffin, District Attorney elect.

S. T. Hutcheson, of Hart, was looking at a bunch of cattle near here Tuesday.

Wells McClendon of the A. and W. Dry Goods Company was in Dallas last week where he bought a big stock of Holiday goods for the store here. Messrs McClendon and Castleberry are looking for a record business through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Meeker and E. E. Reynolds went to Tulsa Tuesday.

J. O. Shelton, of Plainview, representative of the Gulbranson Piano Company, was in Silverton this week and left a piano on display at J. A. Bains.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burks, and Mrs. Ernest H. Odor and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Irion, all of Amarillo, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jaul Odor for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. U. M. Meeker, and Mr. C. L. Meeker visited in Plainview one day last week.

Caps cleaned and Pressed at City Tailor Shop for only 25c. Mrs. Bob Dickerson has accepted a position at the A. and M. W. Dry Goods Company from now until through the holidays.

Supt. J. W. Reid left Tuesday to attend the State Teachers convention at El Paso Thanksgiving.

Clem Woods, of Quitaque was here Tuesday on business.

Yes! We clean and Press your clothes properly—City Tailor Shop.

H. M. Bowers made a business trip too. Amarillo the first of the week.

Guy Whitacres home in the south part of town is nearing completion.

ROOMS FOR RENT: Furnished or unfurnished, one to five in number.—See J. E. Daniels.

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Let's accept the responsibility and be ready for the opportunity.

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Jno. Burson, President.

Frank P. Bain, Cashier

STYLE SHOP

LOST—Double barrel shot gun on Clarendon road between Schott cap and Antelope school house. Return to News-office for reward of \$3.00.

FOR SALE: 50 White Leghorn hens at \$1.25 each. Selling on account of moving.—H.K. Shackelford, 4 mi. south of Silverton. 31-3

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Amey Burson—Junior reporter
Elva Wright—Soph. reporter
Eural Vaughn—Fresh reporter

SECOND GRADE

Thursday afternoon the children of the second grade enjoyed a spelling match. The boys spelled against the girls. The girls won. Wayne McCloud was the last boy to be seated. He missed "cradle" but says he can spell it now. Three were left standing on the girls side they were: Imogene Pitts, Wilma Dickerson, and Leo Davis. The boys say girls can not win next time. Wayne Miller came back to school Wednesday after a weeks absence we are glad to have him back with us.

The following students were neither absent nor tardy during the month: Charlie Allard, Lois Davis, Wilma Dickerson, Wynona Bomar, Nelma Moore, Genella Fort, Marvin Harris, and William

THIRD GRADE

The ones on the honor roll from the third grade are: Ruth Thomas, Lynn Bain, and Jessie Buchanan.

SIXTH GRADE

We have just finished another month's work and we are ready. Norrid, Hayatt, McGuffin, with drew from school Tuesday. He has moved to Amarillo.

Miss Summers has been reading Silas Marner to us we have finished the book and we enjoyed it very much.

We are eagerly looking forward to our Thanksgiving holidays. We are all planning to have a nice time then.

Honor Roll: Warner Grable, Erlene Gunter, Milton Sheid.

SEVENTH GRADE

The three pupils having the highest average for the third month are: Francis Buchanan, Alta Mae Diviney, and Geraldine Bif-Boumar.

Those who have been neither

absent nor tardy during the three months are: Francis Buchanan, Geraldine Biffle, Ruth Jennings, Josephine Daniel, and Alta Mae Diviney.

Circle No. 1, meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. A. P. Dickerson, in mission study. A very good lesson and eight members present the next meeting will be with Mrs. Pearl Cox. Dec. the 6th.

SELECT YOUR POULTRY BREEDING STOCK NOW

It might seem that selecting breeding stock within the farm flock as this time would be entirely too early. But since the best layers you have in your flocks are the ones that lay during the months of November and December it is highly important that select should be done before the first of the year. Now what constitutes good breeding stock from a practical standpoint will you use the standard of Perfection that is followed by the judges in our poultry shows. If you do you are going to eliminate very likely your best breeding stock. It seldom happens that a stylish show hen is a good producer.

We have two distinct routes in poultry breeding namely production and exhibition. And seldom you are able to perfect a combination of the two that will become established. In fact this task is entirely to technical and requires too much time to ever be attempted by the average poultryman.

A farmer cannot afford to spend his time trying to develop exhibition stock at the expense of egg production. It isn't the ribbons he might win at some of the small poultry shows that is going to pay his grocery bills, but it is going to be the egg basket filled to the brim every week from hens that would likely never win a single ribbon but would be there strong in production the authorities who have had charge of the national egg laying contests where the best egg layers of the world are put have few if any real show birds among these high layers.

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Of course there are breeders who tell you that they have the combinations and will sell you chicks and egg from the supposed high egg layers as well as exhibition stock but as a rule if you ask them to show their trapnest record and verify same you will find that at least 90 percent can not produce the facts to back their statement and if they did very often their trapnest records are not official. Remember the only records recognized of high egg production are those conducted under the supervision of a competent, reliable and disinterested party. All other high records on egg production reported by individual breeders are not recognized according to these high egg records. There are many good honest poultry breeders but there are many more who are not reliable and very unscrupulous in giving out information as to what their hens have done, in the way of high egg production.

My idea then of getting out your best breeding stock would to follow this plan. Use a trapnest for the months of November, December and January. Your Highest producers in your flock and the ones worth by far more than any of the rest are those hens who are able to produce eggs when eggs are high. Any old hen can lay a few eggs through the spring months but it takes a real hen, with a good constitution good vitality, strong body conformation to produce many eggs during the months mentioned. Oftentimes out of 100 hens you have 4 or 5 laying during these months. From an egg market, grocery paying standpoint these four or five hens are worth the whole flock of the 94 or 95 not laying. But how are you going to no these hens?

There is only one dependable method and that is the trapnest. Any farmer can build a trapnest if you don't know how to build one visit the Farm Shop at the Silverton High School where models are on display. If you care to have them built they can do the work but this is a simple matter and any farmer can prepare a few nest during this season with very little cost. After they are built they can be set up and all other nest may be temporarily set aside or closed up, thus completing these nest to be used. They will easily take to them however and their operation is very simple. Any body that

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