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quite surprised recent announcement by Sam that he plans to see this Democratic Convention floor. Today's political are voicing the opinion did so with the hope able to better influence gratic nomination toward hson. It does not seem demochats have come for- another man who would the shoes of the Presi- the United States than the major cause of Texas publican in the two most presidential elections was of a strong Democratic Personally, it seems a to have a southerner, a and a Texan in the use, but of course, that fication alone will lose votes.

of news releases from on for President Head- have been flooding the latest, urging Texans to poll taxes, is designed Texas of having its big- ing strength in history dential election year. As last week, we repeat, duty of every citizen to e he has a vote at the a voice in his party's ns. Without a poll tax or exemption certificate, eather no matter how vi- sses.

Graham had in his col- om the Hopper," last e items on the hardships by political candidates as their ways through the deciding whether to run He says, "Look at poor all Formby of Plainview. ched around Austin for ing to find out if Price as planning to run for a. Daniel never came and said he wouldn't but he gave the Plains- indication that he would pt to come back for a n.

right in the middle of campaign, the governor ed into the race suddenly with a tide of friendly rs, political leaders, and f influence he has manag- id up in the two terms een in office."

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the state was rocking political scandal after politi- cal, Formby's Highway De- came through without a of wrong-doing and in an ere millions of dollars of ey was being spent. That, ates him as a man worthy governor's chair and I have g that he could do Texas deal of good if elected! shall see!"



JOHN B. STAPLETON

John B. Stapleton Is Candidate for Re-election

District Attorney John B. Stapleton of Floydada this week authorized the News to announce his candidacy for re-election. Stapleton serves the 110th Judicial District which is made up of Briscoe, Dickens, Floyd and Motley Counties. He was first elected District Attorney in 1946 after returning from four years service in the Army during World War II, thirty months of which was spent in the Pacific. Prior to entering the military forces, Stapleton served most of two terms as County Attorney of Floyd County. During his tenure as District Attorney, he has prosecuted many notable cases.

Stapleton, the son of a pioneer West Texas physician, was reared in Floyd County, Texas. He married the former Bernice Patton of Floydada in 1941. They have two children, Johnny age 13 and Sandra age 12.

Stapleton is a member of the Texas and American Bar Associations as well as other professional groups. He is a member of the Rotary Club, the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars. Stapleton and his family are members of the First Baptist Church, Floydada, where he is presently serving as Trustee and as teacher of a men's Sunday School class.

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TWO DIRECTORS NAMED TO BOARD

Tuesday, January 12, was marked in the Kent Creek Water Control District by the election of two directors to complete the Board of Directors for the District.

Jim Mayfield presided over the election held at the R. L. Brunson home in Quitaque. Voters elected James Brunson and E. J. Hamilton to the new post.

The Board is now as follows: Bert Grundy, President; F. C. Benson, Vice President; James Brunson, Secretary; E. J. Hamilton and Glynn Morrison, Directors.

Local Girls Win in District Contest

Doris Estes, Raye Garrison and Carolyn Garrison modeled woolen garments they had constructed at the District "Make it Yourself with Wool" Contest held in the Home Economics Building on the Texas Tech Campus in Lubbock on January 9. Forty-three girls from this area modeled garments.

Raye modeled a heather brown skirt she had made with a spice gold sweater. She placed second in the Sub-Deb Division and was awarded a hem marker.

Doris and Carolyn modeled dresses for the Junior Division. The dress made by Doris was a green sheath with three-quarter length sleeves. For this red-ribbon winning garment, she received assorted sewing supplies. Carolyn was also a red ribbon winner with her bright blue full skirted dress. She received a package of wool washing compound.

The girls were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison and Max, Mrs. Jack Estes and Mrs. Don Garrison to the contest.

First Grade Roundup Set for January 29

The last Friday in January has been set aside as a day for the pupils who will be entering and attending our local First Grade next year. The pupils who are now in the First Grade will not come to school on that day.

All of the children not in school now, who will be six years of age on or before September 1, this year are to attend school on January 29, the last Friday in January. If the children will not be six on or before September 1, 1960, please do not bring them.

SILVERTON RECEIVES ONE INCH OF SNOW THIS WEEK

According to Ray C. Bomar, who keeps the official moisture record for Silvertton, we measured one inch of new snow this week. The melting of the snow, plus the light rainfall received, added .14 of an inch to the .68 we received last week.

PAT PAVLICEK INJURED IN AUTO-CAR CRASH ON TUESDAY

Shortly after noon on Tuesday, Pat Pavlicek was injured when the car which he was driving was hit by a truck just west of Silvertton. The car, owned by Freddie Hamilton, was being pushed by a pickup driven by Hamilton when the accident occurred.

Pavlicek was taken to Tulia Clinic by Roberts Ambulance Service of Silvertton, where he was treated for his injuries and released.

The car, a late model Buick, was very badly damaged, but the amount of damage to the truck was minor in comparison.

FARM SCHOOL IS WELL ATTENDED

A good number of Briscoe County farmers enrolled in the first Farm Management School held here last week. The three two-hour sessions were held in room 15 of the High School. An average crowd of 27 attended the three night school which was designed to give more attention to the management end of farming. One of the interesting definitions was that the farm unit was a business and this approach was necessary for maximum profits for farmer's endeavors.

The topics discussed were Farm Credit and How the Farm Banker Fits in, a session of estimating farm costs, Fertilizers and their Wise and Profitable Use, Water Management for Higher Net Returns, Outlook Information, and Record Keeping.

Instructors for the school were Billy Gunter, Farm Management Agent from Lubbock, O. R. Stark, Jr., of Quitaque, Dave Sherrill, Irrigation Agent from Lubbock, and County Agent Robert Ledbetter.

The school was originated and put on by the County Extension Service after much planning with the banks and lending agencies of the County and the local Extension Committee. The duty of the Extension in a County is to get to farmers and ranchers the best available information on agriculture.

Travel in the immediate area was not affected by the snow, however just a few miles north or west of Silvertton the measurement was considerably heavier, as high as ten inches in some areas.

MRS. DICKERSON IS LAID TO REST

Funeral services for Mrs. Flora Dickerson, 88, who died early Wednesday morning at the home of her daughter, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tucker, in Lubbock, where she had made her home for the past eighteen months, were held at 3 p.m. Friday, January 15, in the First Methodist Church of Silvertton, of which she was a charter member. Rev. Frank Story, pastor, conducted the service and was assisted by Rev. G. A. Elrod, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Silvertton and Earl I. Cantwell, Minister of the Rock Creek Church of Christ.

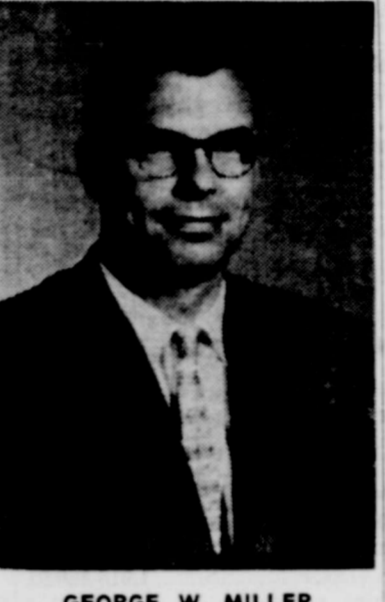
Mrs. Dickerson and her husband, the late W. A. (Billy) Dickerson, came to Silvertton in 1893 from Cross Timbers, Missouri. Mr. Dickerson died in 1939. A son, Ross Dickerson, preceded his parents in death.

Mrs. Dickerson moved to the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Anthony, of Happy, in 1956 because of failing health.

Flora Dickerson, a devoted Christian, was regular in church attendance and was an active church worker, having taught one Sunday School class for thirty-five years. She was a student and a scholar. She formerly taught piano and wrote several sacred songs. She has written many poems and was ever ready to share her talents in any way possible in church, school and community activities. Her favorite scripture, Psalm 121, was read at her request at her funeral. Also a poem she had written, "Life's Ladder," was read at the service at the request of her family.

Survivors include five sons, N. T., of Orlando, Florida; Elbert, of Silvertton; William, of Canyon; and Allan and Buster, of Lubbock; two daughters, Mrs. Fern Tucker, of Lubbock, and Mrs. Eva Anthony, of Canyon; one brother, Vallie Moore, of Sedalia, Missouri; one sister, Mrs. Sam P. Stewart, of Eldorado Springs, Missouri; twenty-one grandchildren, twenty-nine great grandchildren and one great, great grandchild. Bob Dickerson, of Silvertton, is a brother to the late W. A. Dickerson.

Burial was in Silvertton Cemetery under the direction of Rix Funeral Home of Lubbock. Pall bearers, grandsons of the deceased, were Earl, Donald and Garland Tucker, Merle, Leroy and Edwin Dickerson and Elwin and Billy Morton.



GEORGE W. MILLER

Miller Asks Election To Office of Attorney

Briscoe County Attorney George W. Miller has announced that he is a candidate for election to such office for the ensuing term, subject to the Democratic Primary of May 7.

In announcing his candidacy, he stated:

"I appreciate very much the support citizens of Briscoe County have given me since I was appointed as your County Attorney. Your encouragement and friendliness to me and my family have made us know this is our home. I will do my best to conduct the office in such a manner which will bring honor upon the people I serve as well as on my family.

STRAY DOG BITES QUITAQUE WOMAN

Mrs. Jane Hamilton, employee of Pioneer Drug in Quitaque, was bitten by a stray dog Friday morning while she was walking to work. The animal's fangs sank through her overboots into the muscle of the calf of her leg.

The dog reportedly made no sound and showed no signs of ferocity before attacking. After biting her, the large brown animal turned abruptly and followed children who were enroute to school.

A Matador doctor advised Mrs. Hamilton that her wound was not potentially dangerous, but that the dog should be penned for observation in the event that he might have rabies.

Quitaque school children were kept in at recess periods that day and teachers have been vigilant so their charges will not suffer a like experience.

THE MOTHERS' MARCH FOR DONATIONS TO THE NEW POLIO DRIVE WAS NOT HELD LAST MONDAY AS SCHEDULED DUE TO BAD WEATHER. THE DRIVE IS NOW SET FOR MONDAY, JANUARY 25.

BASEBALL MEETING TO BE TONIGHT

A baseball meeting will be held in Silvertton Thursday, January 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Briscoe Co. Court House.

Subject of the meeting will be the proposed baseball league in which TULIA, FLOYDADA, LOCKNEY, QUITAQUE and SILVERTON may participate this year.

All who are interested in forming or playing on the teams are urged to attend, as formation of the league largely depends on the amount of interest shown at the preliminary planning session.

The annual Briscoe County Junior Fat Stock Show held last Saturday, was greeted by a cold and blustery day. It was classed one of the best shows of its kind held in the county.

Grand Champion animals were shown by Weldon Tipton, in the fat barrow division, and Garner Garrison, in the Junior Steer Show. Reserve Champions were owned by Johnnie Helms, of Quitaque, and Jim Reid, in the fat barrow and steer entries respectively.

First Place Winner in the sheep division was Larry Wallace.

The judging began with J. P. Smith of Pan Tech Farms placing the pig entries. Placings in the light barrow class were: 1st. Weldon Tipton, 2nd. Johnnie Helms, 3rd. Stanley Fagerson, 4th. Fogerson and 5th. Helms. Other entries in this class belonged to Buddy Comer, Tony Allison, Jerry Miller, Orval Turner, and Bobby Kitchens.

OUR APOLOGIES

To the boys and others who will wonder at the absence of pictures with our story of the Briscoe Co. Junior Fat Stock Show, let us explain that the pictures did not develop sufficiently to make good newspaper cuts due to a misadjustment of the camera. Plans have been made to photograph the boys and their animals at the show in Amarillo this Sunday.

Placings of heavy barrows was 1st. Tony Allison, 2nd. Dewey Estes, and 3rd. Estes.

Placings of breeding gilts were 1st. Comer, 2nd. Lee McDonald, 3rd. Helms, and 4th. Estes.

Placings of market lambs were 1st. Larry Wallace, 2nd. Wayne Stephens, 3rd. David House, 4th. Jerry Patton, and 5th. Bobby Cross. Other entries were Jaye Towe, Riley Harris, Julio Soto, Joe Patino, and Lonnie Janes.

In probably the best Steer Show ever paraded before the Briscoe County public, Garner Garrison walked off with top honors with a 950 pound steer bred by Herman Zimmerer of Gainesville. Mr. Zimmerer was present. Reserve Champion was owned by Jim Reid, with a showy steer bred by Johnnie Burson. This was a change in luck for Jimmy, as he had lost his first steer earlier this year.

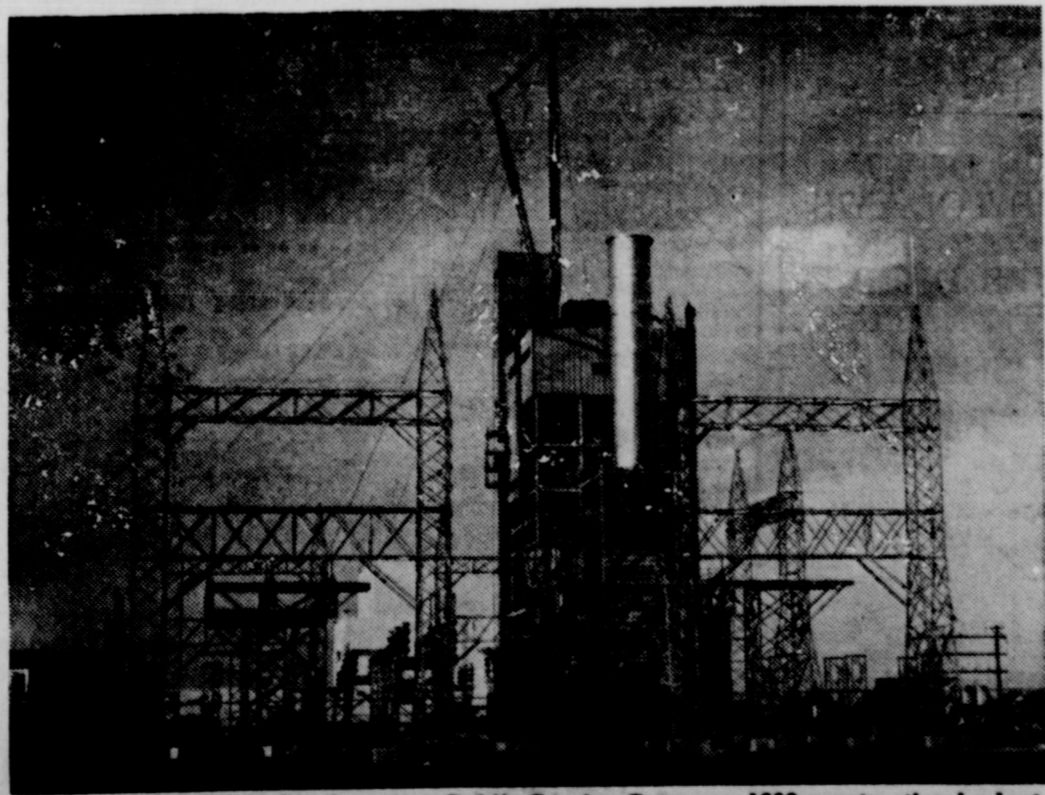
Placings in the dry lot class were 1st. Max Garrison, 2nd. Jimmy Burson, 3rd. Wayne Nance, 4th. Robert Phelps, 5th. Jim and Bob Saul, 6th. Dick Reid and 7th. Warren Merrell. Other entries were Dick Mayfield, Warren Merrell, Jim Burson, Ray Gene Hutcheson and Carolyn Garrison.

Placings in the heavy class were 1st. Garner Garrison, 2nd. Jim Reid, 3rd. Carolyn Garrison, 4th. Joe Bob Watson, 5th. Warren Merrell, 6th. Dewey Estes and 7th. Jim Smith. Other entries were Gerald Smith, 2. Jerry Brannon, Ray Gene Hutcheson, Bob and Jim Saul and Ray Gene Hutcheson.

Two best steers fed by one boy or girl class was won by Warren Merrell. Other placings in this division were Carolyn Garrison, Max Garrison, Ray Gene Hutcheson, Gerald Smith and Jimmy Burson.

In a special interest class afforded by the Board of Directors of the County Stock Show, premiums were paid to boys and girls with steers making the highest daily gain for a 98-day period. 1st. place was for a Hereford fed by Ray Gene Hutcheson, 2nd. place was won by another Hereford fed by Max Garrison and 3rd. was won by an Angus fed by Bob and Jim Saul.

This concluded a very successful 1960 Junior Fat Stock Show. W. E. Schott was General Superintendent of the show, and True Burson serves as President of the Board.



Part of \$18,325,000.00 Southwestern Public Service Company 1960 construction budget will go to build second unit in this giant new electric generating station, north of Amarillo. So fast is growth of area served by company that construction, doubling size of station, will begin before first unit starts producing electricity in June.

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HAYLAKE CLUB MEETS IN CORNETT HOME

The Haylake Club met in the home of Elsie Cornett January 14. The afternoon was spent embroidering cup towels. Refreshments of spiced tea, coffee and

cake were served to the following: Ellal Leah Riddell, Bessie Vaughan, Eudean Crow, Dean Burson and Ikie Bingham.

The club will meet in the home of Maud McJimsey Thursday, January 28.

Charter No. 1752

BANK'S OFFICIAL

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

Of the First State Bank at Silverton, Texas at the close of business on the 31 day of December, 1959, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

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| Loans and discounts, including overdrafts (After deduction of \$67,139.92 valuation allowance or bad debt reserve)* | 1,177,583.40 |
| United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed | 650,119.65 |
| Obligations of states and political subdivisions | 524,869.85 |
| Other bonds, notes, and debentures | 16,900.00 |
| Corporate stocks, including \$None stock in Federal Reserve Bank | 20,000.00 |
| Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house) | 679,923.29 |
| Banking house, or leasehold improvements | 10,000.00 |
| Furniture, fixtures, and equipment | 3,000.00 |
| Other real estate owned | None |
| Other assets | None |
| Total Resources | 3,082,396.19 |

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

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|---|---------------------|
| Common Capital Stock | 75,000.00 |
| Surplus: Certified \$85,000.00, Not Certified \$None | 85,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | 24,056.62 |
| Capital reserves | None |
| (Not to include specifically allocated reserve for expenses, or valuation allowances) | |
| Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations | 1,915,859.91 |
| Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations | 656,869.70 |
| Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions) | 299,602.41 |
| Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances) | None |
| Other deposits (certified & cashier's checks, etc.) | 26,007.55 |
| Total all deposits | \$2,898,339.57 |
| Bills payable, rediscounts, or other liabilities for borrowed money | None |
| Other liabilities | None |
| Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts | 3,082,396.19 |

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BRISCOE
I, William Strange being Vice President and Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief
William Strange

CORRECT — ATTEST
Perry Whittemore, Alvin Redin, Spencer Long, DIRECTORS
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of January 1960.
Bessie Garrison
Notary Public, Briscoe County Texas

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Rev. Wallace Buried Last Week

The Rev. Ed R. Wallace, pastor of the Silverton First Methodist Church in 1892, 93, 94, died in Shamrock General Hospital on January 17. Funeral services were held January 18 in the First Methodist Church of Shamrock.

Rev. Wallace was born in 1866, and moved to Texas in 1875.

"Parson Hanks," of which he is the author, gives quite a lot of the history of Briscoe County when he was pastor here.

Rev. Wallace was pastor of the Monday Circuit from 1901-05 and during that time Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hodges joined the church at Goree.

TROPHIES FOR TOURNAMENTS DONATED BY LOCAL FIRMS

Elsewhere in this paper you will find a report of the Junior High Basketball Tournament which was held here last week end. It is mentioned here again to report our appreciation to H. E. Wilson Grain Company for furnishing the trophies for this tournament. Without their help, the school would not have done very well financially. The fact is that only 60c would have been cleared. The weather was a great handicap to the success of this and other school activities over the past week end.

The First State Bank furnished the trophies for the High School Tournament held recently. Our thanks to both firms for their help and cooperation in this and other matters concerning our schools.

Pat Porter is now writing Plains Party Line for the Amarillo Globe News, where she has been employed since June 1956. She was formerly in the advertising department, but has been working on the women's pages since early last fall. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Porter, of Tulia. Mr. and Mrs. Porter and Pat formerly lived in Silverton.

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ALL AROUND THE TOWN

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the county agricultural agent got a call from a woman who said she was starting a chicken farm and wanted to know how long she

should leave the rooster with the hens.

"Just a minute," said the agent, who was busy talking on another phone.

"Thank you very much," said the woman and hung up.

here and there by Dooya Reed

How long has it been since you have read Whittier's poem, "Snow-bound?" The lines of that poem express my thoughts better than any words that I can think of when I look out and see the world made new and clean and beautiful by snow. The appearance of the world after a snowstorm long ago or now is much the same, but there the similarity ceases. In Whittier's time (or least he says so in his poem), a big snow was a signal for a family to have free time together—time for games, stories by the grandparents of life in the old days, reading, and talking.

One of my favorite TV programs went off the air last night. Lewis Nurdyke said that he found that

it took too much of his time to prepare for his short program. His program was dedicated to performing a real public service with editorials, important news, and a presentation of all sides of issues important to the people of this region. There was no advertising on the program. It was short, vivid, and very interesting and informative. Now at 6:25 on Channel 10, I suppose there will be another Western. Don't you get tired of them? (Of course, we could turn the TV off.) I admire Lewis Nurdyke for wanting to prepare for his program, for wanting to do it well or not at all, but I wonder if it would not still be better than most programs even if he just talked extemporaneously.

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THE CHRISTMAS STORY

Editor's Note: We agree that we are rushing the Christmas season, but we promised Glenna Wilson that we would publish her Christmas Story and then made fibbers of ourselves. Since there were so many who requested copies, we are printing it now for you to clip.)

We've heard how the angels singing
And bells at midnight were ringing
How shepherds came from
And far
And wise men came by the
of a star.
But do we really know the story
Of love divine and true?
Or is our Christmas cumber
With so many things to do?
Yes, Jesus was placed in a
And on Calvary died for our
Yet we know he arose triumphant
For he lives in the hearts of
If we know this old story
As we like to believe we do
We'll rejoice! And tell it to
And to us, it shall ever be new
—Glenna Wilson

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS
 January 22—High School Basketball game—Petersburg—Here
 January 26—Junior Play Practice at 6:00 p.m.
 January 26—High School Basketball Game—Ralls—Here — SHS —

Birthdays For The Coming Week

January 21—Soto, Ronnie, Loretta
 January 22—Lorsey, Brenda Kay Beames
 January 23—Mrs. Letha Elms
 January 24—Gallon Hilderbrand, Earl Payne
 January 25—Sandra Kitchens, Helen Lewis
THE IDEAL SHS BOY
 by Elaine McDaniel
 Girls: Would you like to meet a boy that had all of these characteristics?
 Had a build like T. D. West
 Broad shoulders like Joe Anderson
 Eyes like John Burson
 Hair like Mr. Rampley
 Teeth like Bill Durham
 Dimples like Bobby Durham
 Eyelashes like Jerry Branham
 Height like Bobby Glass
 Clothes like George McJinney
 Smile like Dickie Mayfield
 Knowledge like Robert Hughes
 Personality like Dale Francis — SHS —

LUNCHROOM MENU

Thursday, January 21
 Steak, Gravy, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Bread, Butter, Milk, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Honey and Jelly.
 Friday, January 22
 Hamburgers, Pork and Beans, Milk, Potato Chips, Lettuce and Tomato, Cat Meal Cookies.
 Monday, January 23
 Barbequed Pork, Glazed Sweet Potatoes, Blackeyed Peas, Bread, Butter, Milk, Onion Rings, Sliced Pickles, Apple Compote.
 Tuesday, January 24
 Salmon Croquettes and Cakes, Mashed Potatoes, Bread, Butter, Milk, Jelly, Honey.
 Wednesday, January 27
 Beans, Boiled Eggs, Spinach, Cornbread, Butter, Milk, Cole Slaw, Apple Sauce.
 — SHS —
DITTO
 by Joyce Thornjon
 For the past week, the typing class has been learning how to prepare stencils for duplicating purposes. A five-day course was completed from material furnished by the DITTO COMPANY and a test was taken to determine the extent of the learning.
 To apply this learning to actual use, each student prepared an original copy to be duplicated. Some were advertising for the coming school activities, others were various items ranging from personalized valentines to embroidery patterns.
 The students especially enjoyed this phase of work because it was different from the usual typing of letters, envelopes and other business forms.
 Many people think words are interesting. They like to do crossword puzzles, anagrams, and acrostics. There are many interesting and fun-to-play that require the spelling of words.
 How many palindromes do you know?
 Ray Bradley, noted writer, was asked what he would teach if he were teaching high school English today.
 "I would teach the students endlessly and tirelessly grammar, spelling, and punctuation."
 Eudora Welty, another writer, says: "The English teacher should fire the pupils' imagination, guide his reading, and let him learn for himself."
 If the parents of the students...

SCHOOL LIBRARY OPEN AGAIN

Mrs. Robert Wheelchel began working in the high school library on Monday of this week. We feel that we are fortunate in having her with us. Students sometimes forget how valuable a librarian is until they are forced to be without one—as they were last week.
 For several days the library was closed and no books could be checked in or out without contacting someone in the office for the key. This proved very unsatisfactory to both students and teachers.
 The students are well acquainted with Betty Wheelchel, for she has attended all of the football and basketball games since she and Coach Wheelchel moved here last fall. She is an avid fan of the OWLS and a friend to all!
 From the students and teachers of SHS we extend to her a hearty "WELCOME TO THE CLAN,"
 — SHS —
F.B.L.A. NEWS
 by Bobby Stafford

The Future Business Leaders of America met in regular session on Friday, January 15, 1960.
 The purpose of the meeting was for presentation of FBLA pins. Now, for the first time in the history of our school, you can see business students proudly wearing pins to designate that their school sponsors a national organization for the training of business leaders for the future.
 — SHS —

S.H.S. TOP TEN

1. TEEN ANGEL, Martin Danning
2. HANDYMAN, Jimmy Jones
3. ONLY BLUE BOY, Conway Twitty
4. ROCKING LITTLE ANGEL, Ray Smith
5. PRETTY BLUE EYES, Steve Lawrence
6. LONELY LUCY, Hal Hines
7. WE'VE GOT A WONDERFUL TIME, The Four Tops
8. SHOOTING STAR, Ricky Starvoan "Black Boy" Adams, Jr.
9. LUCKY DEVIL, Gene Pitney
10. I'M A BELIEVER, The Four Seasons

Student Council

The Silvertton Student Council met Monday, January 18, 1960, during a study period. We have selected a play which we will also present to other high schools if they wish to exchange assembly programs with us.
 Toni Rhode went to Plainview last Saturday to meet with the officers of the South Plains Association of Student Councils. Those who attended were: Hal Hines, of Floydada, President; Richard Bowe, of Happy, Vice President; Toni Rhode, Secretary; and Sara Wilton, of Wayland, Clinic Chairman. They planned this year's program for the South Plains Area Meeting which will be held on February 6 at Wayland. The program of study will be a discussion group giving the views on "Suitable Projects for the Student Council."
 — SHS —

Editorial Rhoads

Today is nearly the close of Semester Two, Week or "Dead Week" as it is called in colleges. Every student has spent every available minute trying to cram every piece of information into the brain that might possibly be asked on the test.
 The furrowed brows, the cold, sleepy stares, and the heads bent constantly over books, are silent reminders of mid-term, but also voicing troubles at this time of trial and testing of students of every class.
 A senior muttered "Oh, I meant to find out if the number of spherical degrees in a rectangular spherical triangle always equals to the excess of the number of degrees in the sum of the sides, over 180 degrees."
 A junior mused, "Now who was it that was killed at the Battle of Chancellorsville? Oh yes, Stonewall Jackson—no, maybe it was Shotgun Jackson."
 Sophomores pondered, "Does penicillin notatum come from a thallophyte fungus or a pteridophyte fern?"
 Freshmen queried, "What was it the Texans did on February 15, 1876? Did they ratify the Constitution or fight at the Alamo.
 Tomorrow the students will be through with exams and feel free, but it is really just beginning for the poor teachers. Now, after giving tests all week, they must grade "tons" of papers, average "crows" of grades and get report cards out on Wednesday of next week. The students all say they'd rather be teachers and give tests instead of taking them but the teachers say, "Oh, to be a student again, they have it so easy."
 — SHS —
 Mr. Rampley: "Donald, what are you doing? Learning something?"
 Ronald V: "No, I'm listening to you."
 — SHS —

SHS Questions and Answers

by Elaine McDaniel
 We found out what the boys think about the girls. The question is, "What do you think about girls?"
 Ronald Vaughan: They are pretty hard to understand.
 Jimmy Smith: I don't think Floyd Perkins: I just think about them!
 Louis Grabbe: I guess they're pretty fine.
 Dave Schott: A great insect!
 Jerry Brannon: They got what it takes.
 Rusty Whitfill: I think they're o.k.
 Joe Kellum: I like them.
 Bobby Stafford: I don't get paid to think.
 James Clemmer: I think they're alright.
 Wayne Stephens: I don't think.
 Larry Elms: They're nice to have around.
 Garry Imel: They're o.k.
 Jerry Patton: I go APE! And, I think they are very sweet. (Some friends helped Jerry decide what he thought.)
 — SHS —

ENGLISH Department News

Not many English students are planning to be "lexicographers," they seem to think the world study they are required to do is a great waste of time. Anyway you learn that "unfamiliar" means "unable to be easily set on fire" and then next day see a butane or propane lighter carrying the sign "Caution—Flammable." Pupils feel that the vicissitudes of word study may change a good average into a poor one. They

PEEPIN' TOM

Peepin' Tom has red eyeballs from cramming for tests and trying to keep up with other people's business, too, but he did manage to get a few choice bits for you.
 Some of the Juniors have been using "Play Practice" as an excuse to stay out nights. Hey Mom, better check the play cast and see who is really in it.
 Someone in school is being called "Goldilocks"—could it be George Mc?
 This is nothing new, but it seems that Robbie Sue has embarrassed herself in Science Class again.
 Edith is having boyfriend trouble—can't decide between the one in Lockney or the one in Oklahoma. With that many miles between, Tom thinks she should be able to string them both along.
 Did LaGuan get stood up on a date to go riding?
 Ole Tom seems to detect a little trouble between some Freshmen girls. In fact, he thought it was going to result in an old fashioned fist fight Friday.
 Peepin' Tom was very worried about Reba and Lonnie for awhile. However, he apparently got all of the attention he was seeking and decided to enroll in school again.
 Truman Loyd claims to be a better bowler than Mr. Mayfield.
 Robbie Sue hopes that Mr. Hidalgo will soon learn to hit in more than one spot with his trusty board.
 Isn't it a shame? When students are in school, they want out—then when they succeed in getting out, they want back in. At least that is the way it appeared last Thursday when Champ spent the day driving back and forth in front of the High School building.
 Here are the two most important questions of the week:
 Has Brenda learned that Stone-wall Jackson was never called "Shotgun Jackson"?
 Will Nell cease to believe everything that Dickie tells her? I'm sure that she would never have believed that story about a rooster laying once a month if anyone besides Dickie had told her. At least Tom hopes so!
 — SHS —
NURSE'S NOTES
 Mrs. L. G. Kleiman, School Nurse

SILVERTON SPLITS GAMES WITH IDALOU

The conference games have started. In these games Silvertton plays only the teams in our district.
 The girls began their season right by defeating Idalou 55-44. Jimmie Nell Reynolds sank 32 points for the Owlets, while her teammate Celene Lanham made 17, Carolyn Frizzell was credited with 4 and Jane Brooks made 2 points.
 The boys were defeated by the narrow 4 point margin, 52-48. Leading the Owl scoring was Larry West with 14 points followed by Bobby Crass with 10, Dave Schott with 8, Bobby Stafford with 7, James Brown 6, John Burson 2, and Jerry Patton made 1 point.
 — SHS —

JUNIOR NEWS

The Junior Class had a regular weekly class meeting on Tuesday. A bowling party was planned for February 1, at Tullia. The group plans to leave immediately after school and bowl until 7:30. At that time they will go to Noltes for supper before coming home.
 by Carolyn Frizzell
 The Junior Class had a regular weekly class meeting on Tuesday. A bowling party was planned for February 1, at Tullia. The group plans to leave immediately after school and bowl until 7:30. At that time they will go to Noltes for supper before coming home.
 Mrs. Rampley reports that she is certainly enjoying the Lazy Susan and the jewelry that the class gave her for Christmas.
 — SHS —

Homemaker's Scrapbook

Although washable garments made of synthetic fibers are tops in ease of care and length of wear, they sometimes tend to cling to the body in cold, dry weather. Laundry experts suggest an easy way of combating this tendency: just add a small amount of liquid detergent fabric softener or a special liquid anti-static agent to the final rinse water.
 Regardless of whether soap or detergent is used in washing a film of dirt and suds may form on clothes. This film builds up, discolors material, and makes it harsh, stiff and non-absorbent. A little Calgon added to the wash water is said to prevent the film from forming and when added to the rinse water will remove film already formed.
 In this era of automatic washers the standard rule of sorting laundry by putting cottons and linens together and separating whites from colored things must be modified to include current laundry problems. Today, women wash so frequently that the pile of soiled laundry is rarely large enough to sort into all-white and all-colored loads. Also, many new fibers require broader sorting methods.
 All normally soiled articles that can stand hot water and a regular washing cycle, whether white or color-fast, can be washed together. A typical load might include sheets, pillow cases, towels, shirts, children's clothes, and underwear. White nylon is the exception to mixing colored and white fabric. White nylon picks up color even from color-fast fabrics.
 Sheer or delicate fabrics in your clothing and household articles make another machine load. The maximum water temperature for synthetic fibers is 120 degrees F. Since these pieces are usually lightly soiled, they should wash clean in five minutes. Garments with weak or fraying seams or applied trimmings can be included in this group. Protect them by washing in a net or mesh bag.
 Bulky articles, cotton rugs, bedspreads, and mattress pads, should be grouped according to colorfastness and amount of soil.
 CONTINUED NEXT WEEK
 — SHS —
ARE YOU INTERESTED
 by Canys E. Magine
 I imagine most of you think that you have pretty good table manners. When asked, the majority of people will answer that their table manners are as good as anyone's; but how many of you think your manners are worth more than a billion dollars?
 The following article, with facts taken from Ripley's Believe It or Not, tells the amazing story of a peasant boy who won a kingdom for his table manners.
 In 1875, when the Maharajah of the fabulous Indian State of Baroda died, the British Government

Grade School News

FIRST GRADE
 Mrs. Elms
 Alfonso Perez enrolled in our room this week and Gilbert Garcia moved away.
 Our attendance has been good this week.
 We have now started our number Combinations and Spelling.
 — SGS —
FIRST GRADE
 Mrs. Trout
 We now have 29 pupils attending school. Two of these are new pupils, Rickard and Mary Rodriguez.
 On this Thursday we have worked well and are now listening to some interesting records.
 There were only two absent each day this week until today. Seven are absent today. Bad roads probably caused some of these absences.
 — SGS —
SECOND GRADE
 Miss Anderson
 Seems there is very little to report this week. The children are working hard to finish up their work for the first term by the end of next week. So many have been absent the last two weeks because of the weather we have had a lot to do to catch up on everything.
 We learned this week that Domingo Garcia moved away during the holidays and our number is back to 23.
 — SGS —
SECOND GRADE
 Mrs. Bomar
 We've had too many absentees this week and last. In fact we have two who have not been back since Christmas holidays. This makes it hard on the child. When he comes back to school he is behind in his work and is very likely to become discouraged.
 We read this story in our High Lights Magazine.
FRANKLIN AND THE OYSTERS
 There's a legend that Benjamin Franklin one day told his father he had swallowed some cephalopus molluscus. This so alarmed the father that he shrieked for help.
 Benjamin's mother brought warm water and forced a half gallon down Benjamin's throat with the garden pump, then held him upside down. The father stood by, saying "If we don't get these things out of Benny, he will be poisoned, sure."
 When the boy was allowed to get his breath, he explained that he had merely eaten some oysters, and the angry father whipped him for frightening the family.
 Then and there, Benjamin Franklin decided never again to use a long word when a shorter one would do.
 — SGS —
THIRD GRADE
 Mrs. Wilmeth
 We are having some absentees on account of sickness.
 Helen Minyard and Lannie Arnold have checked out. Helen moved to Brownfield and Lannie moved to Houston. We shall miss them very much.
 Robert Perez enrolled this week. Our number is now 25.
 — SGS —
THIRD GRADE
 Mrs. Taylor
 We are mighty glad to see ole Mr. Sun peeping from behind the clouds. Maybe all this mud will authorized his wife, the Maharani, to choose a new ruler from a small village of the kingdom. The police rounded up a group of the untaught village youngsters to try out before the Maharani for the kingdom. The Maharani decided to give the boys an eating test. Most of the boys were clumsy and unfamiliar with proper manners. Only one youngster was shrewd enough to win. He was as crude as the rest, but smart enough to watch the Maharani and imitate her manners at the table. She awarded the throne to him.
 This was one of the most amazing "rags to riches" stories when you consider that the 12 year old urehri succeeded to one of the greatest fortunes in the world. The wealth of the rulers of Baroda was valued at over one billion dollars. The 12 year old ruler took over the country, billion dollars and all, and ruled for 64 years.
 This story should have great meaning for all of us. We may never get a billion dollars for our manners, but we can still make friends with our manners; and they are the most important possessions of all. When you consider that nine out of ten people notice how we act, it is pretty important how good our manners are.

FOURTH GRADE Mrs. Childress

This bad weather brought unhappiness to our room. Our teacher brought us some new playground equipment and we can't get outside to play!
 We have finished several of our semester tests. My! My! Aren't we glad.
 Nancy Fowler is in school again. She has been ill from a bad cold and cough.
 — SGS —
FOURTH GRADE
 Mrs. Alexander
 We have three absent this week, Raymon, Olga and Monte. We are studying a health play for health. We have finished our tests and are happy to start something new.
 — SGS —
FIFTH GRADE
 Mrs. Rhode
 Daniel Rodriguez enrolled in Fifth Grade this week bringing our enrollment to 39 again.
 If you have ever wondered why cowboys sing in Texas, ask any Fifth Grader. We have just read LeGrand Henderson's WHY COWBOYS SING IN TEXAS.
 At our regular story time, we are still adventuring with Johnny Texas during the fight for Texas' independence.
 — SGS —

SIXTH GRADE Mrs. Turner

The sixth grade is sorry to report that one of its members is in the hospital this week. Mary Welch injured her back in gym last week. We hope she will soon be able to return to school.
 — SGS —
SEVENTH GRADE
 Miss Slavik
 The biggest news this week of course is the tournament that we are playing in.
 Most of this week was spent in reviewing for our six-weeks and semester exams which we will be taking next week. Once they are over, we at least know that the school year is also half completed.
 — SGS —
EIGHTH GRADE
 Mr. Wilmeth
 We have had quite a few people absent this week. Glen McWaters broke his foot and Jerry Sue Sweek broke her ankle.
 The Junior High boys and girls played two real good games last week. The girls won both and the boys won one and lost one. We are very proud of our Junior High teams. The Junior High had a basketball tournament which began Thursday. I don't know how long it lasted.
 Miss Taylor's Third Grade class put on the assembly last week. It was good. The eighth grade girls sang the devotional.
 — SGS —

JR. HIGH TITLES

The Junior High School Tournament was held in spite of the bad weather and was well attended with boys' and girls' teams from Claude, Happy, Lakeview, Tullia, Kress, Turkey, and Silvertton participating.
 Both the Silvertton boys' and girls' teams won their first game, but both lost their second game—which put them out of the running for awards.
 The Silvertton boys won over the Lakeview boys. Jerry Stephens was high point with 12, Roy Morrison followed with 10 points.
 The Silvertton girls won over the Lakeview girls. Martina Williams and Sharon Weaver tied with 8 points each.
 In the second go-around, the Silvertton boys were defeated by the Tullia boys and the girls were defeated by the Tullia girls.
 The Happy girls and the Tullia boys received First Place Trophies. The Second Place Trophies went to the Lockney boys and the Tullia girls. Lakeview girls and the Turkey boys received the consolation trophies.
 Thanks to everyone who came out in spite of the bad weather to help support these teams.

Miss Keller, Darrell H. Dye Wed on New Year's Day

Nuptial vows were exchanged in El Reno, Oklahoma by Miss Joy Keller and Darrell H. Dye, of Oklahoma City, in a 7:30 p.m. ceremony on January 1, at the home of the bridegroom's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hutchens.

Forming a setting for the wedding were three large white wedding bells, tied with a white satin bow, with wide white satin ribbon drapes at each side. Before this white gladoli in wedding baskets were entwined with greenery.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Keller and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin O'Connor, of Odessa.

Officiating at the ceremony was Rev. Garland Anderson, former pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church in El Reno.

For her wedding the bride chose a street length dress of pink silk organza, fashioned with a pink satin Peter Pan collar and cuffs with a small matching hat. Her orchid corsage was worn at the waistline.

The bride's twin sister, Miss June Keller, was maid of honor. She was attired in a beige lace dress, over taffeta, with a matching hat. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Garland Hutchens served as his brother's best man.

The bride is a graduate of El Reno High School and for the past five years has been employed with Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. The bridegroom was graduated from Silverton High School, then entered the service of the U.S. Navy. He recently received his discharge and is now employed by Puckett Body Shop in Oklahoma City. After a short wedding trip they will make their home in Oklahoma City.

PLAINVIEW TO HOST VFW MID-WINTER ROUND UP

The 1960 Mid-Winter Round Up for the Veterans of Foreign Wars will be held in Plainview this weekend. With every member of the VFW in Texas as a special and honored guest, the hosts have left nothing undone that will add to their pleasure and have arranged for every convenience and courtesy that anyone could possibly wish.

Registration desks will be maintained in the lobby of the Hilton Hotel and at the Home of Wilson Brothers, Post No. 5399, beginning at 2 p.m. on Friday, January 22. A reception for the National President at 7 p.m. in the Hilton Hotel Ballroom will be a feature for members of the Ladies Auxiliary. On Friday night at 9 p.m. there will be dancing in the main post room at the Post Home.

Schools of instruction for post and district officers will be held at 9 a.m. on Saturday morning in various assigned rooms at the Hilton Hotel. Department Commander Oscar B. Jones has assigned staff members to conduct the schools and full information regarding them will be posted on the bulletin board in the lobby of the hotel.

At 12 noon on Saturday members may attend the Department Commander's Luncheon at which time the Commander will also recognize several outstanding members of the organization who will be in attendance. Tickets for this luncheon, priced at \$2.00 may be obtained at either of the two registration centers or they may be had from the Department Adjutant at the hotel.

The Department Council of Administration will convene at 2 p.m. in the Ballroom of the Hilton Hotel for such business as may come before it. It is anticipated that the Department Commander will wish brief reports from his staff including all District Commanders and some committee chairmen to whom he has addressed his requests.

Immediately following the meeting of the Council, the Senior Vice Commander-in-Chief will compliment QUOTA Post Commanders

and others whom he has or will invite to a hospitality hour in his rooms. At the same time the Host Post will compliment all those in attendance with a hospitality hour at the Post Home.

The Round Up banquet will be sparked by Comrade Cecil Hoslin, Commander of the post, who will present the Mayor of the City of Plainview, M. B. Hood, for an address of welcome.

The formal dance of the Round Up will feature a name band and special items of entertainment in the floor show beginning at 9 p.m. and continuing until one.

On Sunday morning coffee and cake will be available at the Post Home and at 9 a.m. the Round Up Memorial will be conducted by Fr. Mack Johnson, Department Chaplain.

Mrs. Bill Cox and son, Bill, Jr., of Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Moreland. On Thursday the ladies went to Amarillo for a day's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Morris G. Moreland and Flynt.

Mrs. W. N. Weast underwent a gall bladder operation at Methodist Hospital on Thursday of last week. Mr. Weast is staying in Lubbock with her. Mrs. Weast talked by phone to her daughter, Mrs. Dock Wallace Sunday evening and said she was doing fine.

Mrs. Robert McJimsey, who underwent heart surgery recently in Dallas, was dismissed from the hospital Saturday. She and Mr. McJimsey are spending this week in Garland, guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gordon Lusk and sons. The McJimseys are expected home this weekend.

Theodore Strange, who recently underwent lung surgery in Dallas, was dismissed from the hospital on Saturday. Norman Strange and Dick Guest went to Dallas on Saturday to bring Ted and Helen home on Sunday. Their children, Debbie and David, are spending a few days with Helen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story visited Mrs. James Whitfield in the Lockney hospital, Charles Cowart at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, and Dr. Luther Kirk, Superintendent of the Methodist Churches of the Plainview District, in the Plainview hospital on Saturday. Dr. Kirk underwent surgery on Wednesday of last week. All those visited were thought to be recuperating satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dickerson spent the week end in Lubbock with relatives. They were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Dickerson.

Mrs. Charles Cowart came home from Lubbock Saturday afternoon and reports that Charles is doing fine and expected to come home on Tuesday of this week. He was moved to Lubbock from the Lockney hospital on Tuesday of last week. It has been determined that he has an amoeba infection, and is responding well to treatment.

Mrs. Charles Cowart took Charles Edwin to Lockney on Monday where tests were made to determine the cause of an illness he has suffered for several days.

Mmes. Robert Rhea, Rusty Arnold, Jord Hollingsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Martin, Messrs. Buck Baird, R. A. Baird and Jimmy Ray Baird, Silverton; Mrs. Abe Martin of Plomot; and Mrs. C. O. Washington and Jay of Tulsa, attended the funeral of their uncle and great uncle, Mark Miller, 86, at Geary, Oklahoma, on Saturday. Mr. Miller was an early day resident of Briscoe County and lived here many years and was well known in the area.

Carson Grabbe, who attends Ambassador College in Pasadena, California, has been here several days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Grabbe, other relatives and friends.

Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Hunt, of Lubbock, were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Moreland on Saturday. Rev. Hunt is executive secretary of town and country work for the Northwest Texas Methodist Church Conference.

Mrs. Earl Samples and girls, Belua and Connie of Durant, Oklahoma, spent a few days with their father, J. R. Minyard. Miss Betty Minyard of Dallas has made several trips home while her father was in the hospital and after he came home.

FINAL RITES HELD FOR MRS. LUCAS LUCERO

Funeral services were held January 8 at the First Baptist Church in Quitaque for Eufemia Lucero, age 41, wife of Lucas Lucero of Quitaque. The Lucero family are highly respected members of the Spanish race who have lived in Quitaque for many years. The children have done outstanding work in school and are known for their ambition and integrity.

The deceased, a victim of cancer, died January 6, at Plainview Hospital and Clinic where she had been admitted three weeks earlier. Mrs. Lucero became a Christian about two years ago, placing her membership in the First Baptist Church. Her pastor, Rev. Bob Beck, conducted the funeral service. Pallbearers were Hughie Waterman, O. V. Johnson, J. T. Rogers, Jr., Preston Price, James Brunson and O. R. Stark, Jr.

Burial was in Quitaque Cemetery under direction of Roberts Funeral Home.

Mrs. Lucero is survived by her husband, 6 sons, 4 daughters, 5 sisters and 3 brothers.

SCHOOL NURSE IS SPEAKER FOR CENTURY OF PROGRESS STUDY CLUB

On Wednesday, January 13, 1960, the Century of Progress Study Club met in the Homemaking Room of the Silverton Public School.

Ten members were present for the business meeting, which was followed by an interesting discussion by the school nurse. Mrs. Klem spoke on "The Growing Need for More Nurses." She pointed out that at the present rate of population increase, we will need approximately 150,000 additional nurses in 1960 to maintain the 350 nurses to 100,000 population ratio.

Mrs. Buster Miller, the homemaking teacher, served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

The next meeting of the club will be held in the clubroom. It will be the annual meeting for the purpose of electing new officers to serve during the 1960-61 club year.



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THE THREE DISPENSATIONS

There are three great dispensations, or systems of worship recorded in the Bible, which are usually called the patriarchal, Jewish and Christian dispensations.

The patriarchal age or dispensation began at creation and lasted about 2500 years to the giving of the Law of Moses. It was a family-worship institution in which the father or patriarch of the family was the prophet, priest, and king. Not much is recorded of this wonderful age, but Moses' writing by inspiration long after the age of patriarchs, gives account of it in Genesis and up to the 20th chapter of Exodus. There are other references to events of this age in various parts of the Bible. Among its wonderful characters are Enoch, Noah and Abraham, and it embraced the service of the altar, oral instruction, prayer, thanksgiving and benediction.

The Jewish dispensation began by the giving of the Law of Moses when he gathered the Israelites together at Mount Sinai soon after their deliverance from Egyptian bondage and this age lasted until the death of Christ, a period of about 1500 years. The Law of Moses was given only to the Jews, who in that day were the chosen people of God, through which lineage Christ was born. All the wonderful books of the law, prophecies and history of the Old Testament (except the small portion covering the patriarchal age) belong to this Jewish dispensation.

The Christian dispensation properly begins with the birthday of the Church of Christ on Pentecost as recorded in the second chapter of Acts, and it is to last until Christ comes again at the end of the world. Unlike the Law of Moses, it is an International religion. Christ is the cornerstone of Christianity. His religion is not an outgrowth of the Law of Moses, or Judaism, but is shown to be the fulfillment of the promise God made to Abraham 400 years before the Law of Moses was given. Embraced in its fundamental principles are: The grace of God in sending His son to become the incarnate Word of God among men; Christ's death for the sins of the world; His resurrection to prove eternal life; the gift of the Holy Spirit to infallibly guide the writers of the New Testament, which reveals Christ as the Savior of the world through faith in Him and obedience to His blessed will; Heaven, the eternal abode of all God's faithful children; and eternal punishment of the wicked.

You have an invitation to attend the services of the Silverton Church of Christ.

**L. L. Thornton, Minister
CHURCH of CHRIST
SILVERTON, TEXAS**

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Fashion Premiere to Be Held Next Week

New York, Paris and Rome, note—West Texas is again having its own fashion premiere of national prominence!

Latest fashions will be presented at Texas Tech's second all-cotton show in Lubbock Municipal Auditorium January 26. There will be free showings at 1:30 p.m., 4:15 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Six scenes will present cotton fabrics and fashions for "Day at Home," "A Day in the City," "Travel," "Holiday-USA," "American Invention-The Coordinated Wardrobe," and "Wedding."

Fifty-two garments will be made, accessorized and modeled by 115 Tech coeds enrolled in home economics courses. Some of the students will dress small manikins duplicating outstanding costumes in the show.

Dr. Willa Vaughn Tinsley, Tech home economics dean, said that the fashion show premiere of Vogue pattern styles for 1960 will demonstrate the effectiveness of all-cotton fabrics in high fashion costumes.

Narrators of the premiere will be Mrs. Bess Rothman, Chicago fashion coordinator and Dr. Gene Sheldon, head of the department of clothing and textiles at Tech.

The show is made possible through the cooperation of the Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. the National Cotton Council of America and Vogue Pattern Service.

Mrs. H. P. Rampley returned home on Friday of last week. Her sister, Mrs. Tom Hackett, of Stephenville, returned home with her for a visit. O. C. Rampley met his mother and aunt in Floydada.

Mmes. R. M. Hill, C. O. Allard, and George Seaney visited Mrs. Jeff Simpson and Mrs. J. T. Neese at the Inez Rest Home in Clarendon on Thursday of last week. Both ladies seem to be doing fine. Mrs. Simpson is busy at her usual pastime, crocheting, and she has sold quite a few pieces of her work recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Young and baby of Post, visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kellum and Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown on Monday.

KENT CREEK W.C.I.D. CALLS ELECTION FOR FEBRUARY 23

The Directors of the Kent Creek W C I D have called an election to obtain taxing authority for February 23. The election will be held in the R. L. Burson home east of Quitaque. All land owners, both husbands and wives, who own land and live in the watershed are eligible to vote.

The Federal Government through the Soil Conservation Service will agree to pay the total cost for works of improvements including dams, spillways, fencing and channel improvement, but the District must assume maintenance.

The Kent Creek W C I D Directors must have authority, by a majority vote of qualified voters, to raise taxes. The maximum rate that will be charged is 13c per acre, but the rate could be much lower. The rate set will depend on the number of dams built and the miles of channel improvement needed.

Whatever the rate set, the taxation will be for only five years or until \$100 per structure and \$1000, per mile of channel improvement is raised.

All eligible voters are urged to vote February 23. Those who have questions should contact one of the following W C I D Directors: Bert Grundy, James Brunson, Floyd Benson, E. J. Hamilton or Glenn Morrison, O. R. Stark Jr. at Quitaque or anyone on the S. C. S. staff at Silverton will gladly discuss any questions those interested might have.

Mr. and Mrs. Larnce McCain and family, of Tulia, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Joe Ziegler and children and Mr. and Mrs. John Mercer visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ziegler Sunday evening.

Mrs. James Whitfield underwent surgery in the Nichols hospital in Lockney on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Whitfield spent the week end there with Mrs. Whitfield and says she is recuperating satisfactorily.

Mrs. Hilda Stalcup, of Tucumcari, New Mexico, mother of Mrs. Wade Welch, underwent eye surgery in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo on Thursday of last week; She is reported as doing satisfactorily. She expects to undergo surgery on the other eye in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Welch were sick with the flu early this week. Their daughter, Mary, was still a patient in the Lockney hospital;

she is recuperating satisfactorily from a back injury sustained in a fall at school.

Mrs. J. S. Fisher was notified Sunday evening of the death of N. S. Kilgore of Benjamin, her brother-in-law. Mrs. Kilgore, father of Mrs. W. R. Humphries, of Tulia was formerly county judge of Knox county. Funeral services were to be held Monday or Tuesday in Benjamin with burial in Monday. Mrs. Fisher was unable to attend the services.

Homer Vaughan, of Aztec, New Mexico, visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Snooks Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tidwell and daughters on Friday of last week. Homer formerly lived here; he expects to leave for Iran next week a pipeline construction crew;

they expect to be in Iran for 8 or 9 months.

Mrs. Kit Washington, of Flomot, visited Mrs. P. D. Jasper Monday.

Mrs. James C. Rhoderick, Sr. was in Plainview for medical attention on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bean and Karla were in Oklahoma City last week where Karla went through an

allergy clinic. Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green, in Turkey on Saturday. Mrs. Green is recuperating from recent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Boman were in Lockney late Sunday afternoon where they visited local friends who are patients in the Lockney hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McWilliams and children of Quitaque, spent today with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Williams and daughters.

Mrs. Essie Hopkins, of Chillicothe, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis

Don Leath spent the week end in Ranger and brought home Mrs. Leath and Rusty who had enjoyed a visit there with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ervin, since New Year's Day.

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We want to thank our many friends for their thoughtfulness at the death of our mother, Mrs. Flora Dickerson. The cards, letters and words of sympathy, food and flowers were all deeply appreciated.

The Dickerson family

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements are made subject to action of the Democratic primary to be held May 7, 1960.

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For County Commissioner, Precinct Number Three, Briscoe County, Texas:

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Mr. and Mrs. George Washington and Pammy, of Tulia, spent the week end with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Martin, and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes spent the week end in Vernon with relatives. They visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Renfro. There was a family gathering on Sunday in celebration of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Renfro. All of their children were present except one son.

Alvin Redin and C. O. Allard were near Fort Sumner on Sunday looking at land in that area.

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