

Garrison, Ridgley Show Grand Champion Animals

Max Garrison and Mike Ridgley received top prize money in the annual Briscoe County Junior Fat Stock Show held in Silvertown last Saturday. The steer which was shown by Garrison in the Heavy Weight Dry Lot Class was judged the Grand Champion steer in the show, while Ridgley captured the honors in the Heavy Barrows Class after showing the first, second and third place animals.

The steer exhibited by Roy Gene Stephens was Reserve Champion of the show. Showmanship awards of \$5.00 were presented in each division

having 5 animals or more, scored on the ability of each exhibitor to present the animal, groom the animal, and courtesy shown, to

Jim Reid, Max Garrison and Buddy Comer.

Placing by Divisions
Milk Fed Steers: 1st. Roy Gene Stephens; 2nd. Warren Lee Merrell; 3rd. Roy Lynn Long; 4th. Johnny Roy Weaver; 5th. Cheryl Stephens; 6th. Jimmy Myers.

Light Weight Dry Lot: 1st. Garrison; 2nd. Jim Reid; 3rd. Jim Smith; 4th. Donnie Vaughan; 5th. Gene Smith; 6th. Darrel Long;

7th. Stanley Fogerson; 8th. Mike Ridgley; 9th. Tommie Edwards; 10th. Stanley Fogerson; 11th. Gregg Towe.

Heavy Weight Dry Lot: 1st. Max Garrison; 2nd. Max Garrison; 3rd. Wayne Nance; 4th. Dick Reid; 5th. Warren Lee Merrell; 6th. Jo Beth Merrell; 7th. Orville Turner; 8th. Wayne Rampley; 9th. Cheryl Stephens; 10th. Jerry Martin; 11th. Mike May; 12th. Joe Bob Watson;

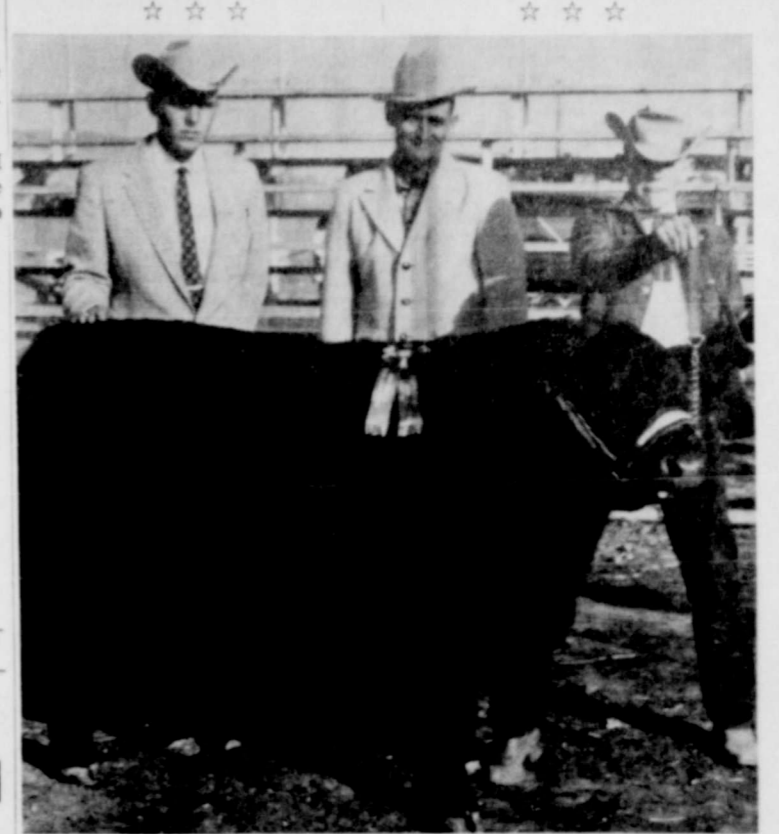
13th. Garner Garrison; 14th. Fred Edwards; 15th. Joe Bob Watson.

Pens of Two: 1st. Max Garrison; 2nd. Reids; 3rd. Merrells; 4th. Roy Gene Stephens.

Fat Barrows: 1st. 2nd, 3rd. Mike Ridgley; 4th. Buddy Comer; 5th. Larry Comer.

The boys and girls of the 4-H Clubs and the F.F.A. Chapters have expressed their appreciation to

local businesses for the support better livestock for a better agriculture for this show. The show is culture in the development of financed by those who believe in the youth of Briscoe County.



Max Garrison is shown with the official judge of the Junior Fat Stock Show, Payton Scott, Assistant Hale County Agent, and Mr. Thrash, breeder of the Grand Champion animal which he is exhibiting. Max represented the Silvertown 4-H Club. (Briscoe County News Photo)



Mike Ridgley is pictured with his Grand Champion Barrow at the Briscoe County Junior Fat Stock Show. Mike represented the Silvertown FFA Chapter. (Briscoe County News Photo)



Jim Reid is shown with his fat steer after being presented one of the showmanship awards at the Junior Fat Stock Show Saturday. Also receiving this award (not pictured) were Buddy Comer and Max Garrison. (Briscoe County News Photo)

BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

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O. M. (Milton) Dudley Seeks Re-Election

I would like to announce my candidacy for County Commissioner, Briscoe County, Texas, Precinct No. 4, subject to action of the Democratic Primary on the 5th day of May.

I would also like to express my sincere thanks to all of you for your support and cooperation in the past. I hope I have done the kind of job that will merit your support in the future.

Thanks,
O. M. (Milton) DUDLEY

Mrs. Nettie Baldwin Asks for County Treasurer's Post

I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of Briscoe County Treasurer. I will endeavor to serve you to the best of my ability if you elect me to this office.

I have lived in Briscoe County for the most part of my life, and finished high school here. My deceased husband, Virgil, and I with three children farmed for many years in the Francis Community. My son, Jack, and his family live in Amarillo; my daughter, Jeri, lives with her family in Lubbock. Dan, my eight-year-old son, and I reside in Silvertown.

I consider Florene Ratliff one of the best friends I have ever had, not only for stepping aside in this campaign, but also for the true Christian friend that she has always been to me.

To the people of Briscoe County, please be assured that I will appreciate every consideration and your vote and influence in my behalf.

Your friend,
Mrs. Nettie V. Baldwin

Mmes. J. T. Persons and Charles Gowin of Quitaque and Louise Seay were in Tulia Monday morning.

Mrs. A. L. McMurtry visited her sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. Will Price in Plainview on Saturday.

Round-Up Day Set For January 26

The scholastic census will be taken during the month of January, according to School Superintendent J. S. Hinds. Children born on or after September 1, 1944, to August 31, 1956, please contact the

school office if your family has not been contacted. Children who will begin school in the first grade here in September, 1962, are invited to come to school on Friday, January 26, for a Round-Up Day. Parents are asked to report to the first grade rooms at 12:30 p.m. to pick up the children, and to be given advice which will be helpful in preparing the children for their first year of school next September.

Parents should have birth certificates for the 1962 beginners, and should bring them on Round-Up Day.

A child must be six years of age before September 1, 1962, in order to enter school on that date. The pupils now enrolled in the first grade will remain at home on Friday, January 26th.

To each and every one of you. I wish to take this opportunity to express my sincere appreciation for the fine help and splendid cooperation which you have given to me while serving as your County Judge, as the success of any County Official depends largely upon the help and cooperation of the people of the county in which he serves.

A continuation of this fine spirit of cooperation and support is earnestly solicited.
Sincerely,
J. W. LYON, JR.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arnold had a birthday dinner Sunday in their home honoring Mrs. Walter Arnold, Wayne Hamilton and Fred Arnold, all of whom have birthdays in January. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arnold and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hamilton and children and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arnold and children, of Levelland.

Marvin Woods, brother of Floyd Woods and a former Silvertown resident, was seriously hurt recently at Levelland and is still a patient in a hospital there.

FARMERS MEETING TONIGHT TO DISCUSS CO-OP GIN

At 7:30 p.m. Thursday, January 18, a meeting will be held in the Community Room of the Production Credit Association office. The purpose of this meeting will be to discuss the organization of a Co-Op Gin.

All those interested are invited to attend the meeting.

Methodists to Celebrate Birthdays With Dinner

Tonight (Thursday) at 7:00 p.m. in the Silvertown Methodist Church, an especially gala evening is expected as every member of the congregation celebrates the date of his birth. The covered dish supper will be served to guests, each sitting at the table representing the month of his birth. The tables will be decorated using the month as the theme of decor.

The small children will be provided for elsewhere, as the group at each table presents a brief skit for the entertainment of all.

All members and friends of the church are invited to this unusual birthday celebration. Bring food enough for your family and a little to spare, and be prepared for an evening of good fellowship.

Birthday anniversaries of Peggy Phillips and Mrs. Jimmie Ray Baird were observed with a family dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McKinney on Sunday. Other guests included Mr. Baird, Mrs. Paul Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee McKinney. Both girls' birthdays were near the day of observance.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smalts and David of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ragland, Jr., and Janice Ann of Lockney, were weekend guests of Mrs. J. E. Vaughan. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Kitchens called Sunday afternoon.

NOTICE TO ALL DOG OWNERS

Beginning Tuesday, January 23, 1962, all dogs without a 1962 Dog License, will be picked up.

The Dog Licenses are available at the City Hall for a fee of \$1.00. If a dog is picked up and put in the City Pound and no one claims it within three (3) days, the dog will be disposed of. Also, if a dog that is in the City Pound is claimed by someone, the License Fee will be \$1.50.

The City urges all dog owners to buy a license for their dog, so that all of the stray dogs in town can be picked up and disposed of, as they are creating a nuisance in the community.

CITY COUNCIL
City of Silvertown, Texas

Soil Conservation Service Says "Plan Now For 1962"

This is the start of a new year and several people are starting out by planning improvements on their farms and ranches. Some of those who plan soil and water conservation practices on their places in-

clude Alva Jasper, Sam Lewis, Berle Fisch, Ray Teeple, J. K. Patrick, L. W. Francis, and others, who will install irrigation pipeline. Frank Fisch, Gordon Montague, JA Ranch, Bill Cushing and others are planning farm ponds in the near future. These ponds will be mainly for livestock water, but will also serve for fish ponds and for other wildlife. Roy Brown, Ellis Currie, J. P. White, Jim Strop, and others plan terraces. Datas Martin and Lem Weaver plan land leveling for improved irrigation. Martin and E. J. Hamilton plan grassed water ways to safely control outside water. Bill Cuswing, E. A. Birdwell, the Barrell Ranch and others plan brush control and range land. C. M. Fowlers, Bill Helmes and others will do grass seeding soon.

The above list is just a part of those who will install soil and water conservation practices during 1962. All of these practices will increase the value of the farms or ranches much more than the total of installing the practices.

Others interested in conservation improvements on their farms or ranches may contact the S.C.S. office at any time for assistance.

Square Dance Club Organized

A Square Dance Club has been organized in Silvertown, and now invites those interested to become members. The club meets on the first and third Saturdays at 7:30 p.m. in the Fire Hall.

Buster Dickerson of Lubbock is instructor on the third Saturday nights.

Don Cornett is Vice President of the group; Mrs. Doris Morris is Secretary. "Everyone who is interested please come," urges President Gene Morris.

Mrs. Bill Watters and Mrs. B. G. Toler, Mary LaJuan and Norma, spent a couple of days early last week in Amarillo with Messrs. B. G. Toler and Richard Wayne Toler who are working there.



Starting next week the Briscoe County News will present in a weekly series the background story of business and professional firms and folks that serve Silvertown and Briscoe County. 1962 is Briscoe County and Silvertown's 70th Anniversary; both were founded in 1892. The program will be illustrated and many of the history panels will carry drawing of national and local brands served in the growing trade territory.

Pictured above is "Hut" Hutson, at his drawing board with the panels prepared for John Deere and Ford; in addition, many other interesting and educational panels of the nations leading brand names that are served in our area including Phillips "66", Chevrolet, Texaco, Gulf, Massey - Ferguson, International Harvester, Aults-Chalmers, which illustrate the founders and their stories of development.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure of Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long spent a couple of days last week in Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Pat L. Northcutt was among the group of men who left last Sunday on the first lap of the Livestock Feeding - Grain Market Development Tour to the West Coast.

Brenda Cornett, a student at ACC in Abilene, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Onar Cornett.

John Howard Burson, a student

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 5, 1962.

For County Commissioner, Precinct 4

M. T. (Bud) McMINN
O. M. (Milton) DUDLEY

For County and District Clerk

DEE McWILLIAMS

For County Treasurer

MRS. NETTIE V. BALDWIN

For County Judge

J. W. LYON, JR.

For Representative, 89th Legislative District

CHARLIE DURNING, Plainview

at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, was a weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burson, and Jimmy.

Mrs. Thelma Hopson of Winslow, Arizona, and Mmes. M. L. Welch, Clay Fowler and T. C. Bomar, were recent Sunday visitors with Mrs. Kitty Lawler in Canyon.

Claude Loudermilk went to Perryton on Friday of last week to visit his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Loudermilk. Larkin Loudermilk has been seriously ill. Mrs. May Young returned home with Mr. Loudermilk and visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vardell until Tuesday. Claude Loudermilk took Mrs. Young to Amarillo Tuesday, where she left for her home in Norman, Oklahoma. The Messrs. Loudermilk are brothers to Mmes. Vardell and Young.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens spent most of last week in Portales with Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Stephens and family and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stephens and family. Lyndon Stephens is thought to be recuperating satisfactorily from a badly infected hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Dunn were in Ralls last week to attend the funeral of his maternal grandmother.

NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Goodwin are parents of a baby girl, Carren Bae, born in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock January 15. The father, who is stationed at Fort Hood, received a leave from the army to be with his wife, the former Leah Dare Kellum.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Goodwin of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kellum of Silvertown.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clayton are parents of a baby son, John William, born in the Lockney Hospital on December 30, 1961, at 12:23 p.m. weighing 4 pounds, 12 ounces. The baby was still in the hospital early this week but they expected to bring him home within a few days.

The Claytons have two other children, Susan and Robert. Grandparents are Mrs. Margaret Loflin of Amarillo, and Mrs. Claudia Clayton, Linton, Indiana. Mrs. Loflin of Chino, California, is the great-grandmother.

Art Class Enjoys Pre-Christmas Coffee

The lovely home of Mrs. Roy Montague was the scene of a pre-Christmas coffee for the Traditional Painting Art Class. Her home featured many of her lovely paintings as well as the decorations of the festive yuletide season.

The art class presented their teacher, Louis Vaughan, with a subscription to the National Geographic Magazine, as a token of their appreciation to her. In turn, she complimented each of the students with a Christmas card bearing a miniature of one of her paintings of Christ.

This class plans an Exhibit of their work in the late spring which will include the work of all ages. Watch your Briscoe County News for the announcement later.

Refreshments of coffee, cakes, and assorted homemade candies were served to Mrs. Carolyn Montague, Maybell Francis, Bethene Sharp, Polly Montague, Mrs. Jim Mercer, Louise Vaughan and the hostess, LaNell Montague. Some of the members were unable to attend.

MR. AND MRS. RAY THOMPSON CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson were pleasantly surprised Sunday, January 14, when all their relatives who live in this area arrived at their home at 3:00 p.m. to help them celebrate their silver wedding anniversary and Ray's birthday, both of which occur in January.

The celebration was planned and hosted by their daughters, Mrs. Ted Strange of Dimmitt and Mrs. Don Cornett. Gifts to their parents by the ladies included a wall clock and a combination wedding and birthday anniversary cake.

Other relatives presented the couple with a sterling silver serving plate.

Those who came to share the

happy occasion included Mr. and Mrs. Ted Strange, Debbie and David of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cornett, Kim and Mike of Silvertown, and all Mr. Thompson's brothers and their families, Messrs. and Mmes. O'Brien Thompson, Amarillo; Pete Thompson and family of Abernathy; Guy Thompson and daughter of Plainview; Fred Thompson and family and Edwin Thompson and family of Olton.

HAYLAKE CLUB HAS ALL-DAY MEETING IN BRANNON HOME

The Haylake Club met in an all-day meeting January 11 in the home of Mrs. Ruby Brannon. The day was spent quilting.

Those who enjoyed the covered dish luncheon were Ella Leah Riddell, Mary Rampley, Winnie

Smith, Bettye Wheelchel, Ikie Bingham, Lillus Ruth McJimsey, and the hostess, Ruby Brannon.

Calling in the afternoon were Bessie and Randy Vaughan, Mae Rackley, Peggy and Dara Garvin, Doralene and Debbie Montague, Valarie Muckleroy, Blanche New-

man, Maude McJimsey, Eudean Crow and Mary Autry. Mrs. Donnie Perkins and Mrs. Tommie Autry were honored with a lullaby shower in the afternoon.

The next meeting will be an afternoon session in the home of Eudean Crow on January 25, 1962.

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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Evening 7:00 p.m.
(Watch space below for special announcement)

Farm Bureau MEETING

Saturday, January 20

7:00 p.m. - PCA Community Room

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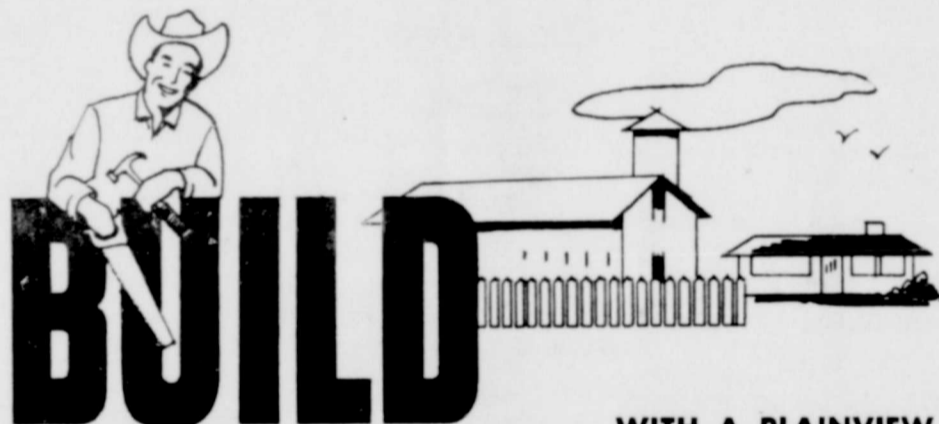
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WHAT BOYS LOOK FOR IN A GIRL

From Student Life Magazine

"Boy likes girl," the saying goes. "You nod your head. . . That's the old song. . . Everybody's heard it a hundred times. Stop right now! Stop there! Did you ever ask, 'Why?' Yes, you with the mildly perplexed look on your brow. 'Why?'"

In a recent high-school survey, hundreds of boys were asked what qualities they looked for most in a girl. It was discovered that in the case of the porcelain-perfect maiden who beckon to him out of the glossy advertisements, the average boy is not impressed with her physical charms. When you come right down to it, boys are intelligent people and look beneath the surface far more than you suspect. In sifting, counting, organizing the notes, here they are: the traits that rate with boys.

- A Good Disposition
- Good Judgment
- A Sense of Humor
- Good Manners
- Good Fellowship
- Good Health
- Good Grooming
- Good Faith

A Loyal Friend
Good Mixer
Good Standards
Intelligence

Remember, boys are human, too. So give them a smile and look forward to your dates, not as perilous contests, but as promises of good times ahead.

THE NOBLE EXPERIMENT

Recently, Sandi Rhode learned the proper procedure for solving problems scientifically in her general science class.

The following is her problem and her outline for solving it:

Year, 1969
Problem—A husband needed
Materials—A few prospects that are available.
Method—Go out with each one a while
Observation—Observe each prospect's qualities (manners, personality, looks, and money).
Conclusion—None of them will ask me. End up an "Old maid."
Application—Don't go looking for a husband; let him find you.



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NOTABLE NOTES

By Robert Hughes

Is it no longer fashionable to have a simple faith in God and country? Are people who have faith in mankind and who can't actually say that they believe the world is going to the dogs doomed to forever being labeled as naive? If you don't wrestle with your inner conflicts to try to "find yourself" in our troubled world are you a shallow idiot? Is it brilliant to be bitter?

It would seem so from all the current trends in thinking and writing: it has become the accepted thing in writing to be bitter, desolate, pessimistic, and cynical. Look at the writing done in the last half century or so by some famous English authors. Some of the following titles speak for themselves: "The Hollow Men," "The Age of Anxiety," "The Waste Land," "The Unknown Citizen," "Futility," and "Disabled." These are but a few of the famous modern works. There are many more poems, novels, stories, plays by all nationalities — and a majority of them condemn optimism and a simple faith in mankind.

Unfashionable, naive, and idiotic as it may be, I am still proud to say that I believe in faith in God, a faith in country, a faith in mankind, and a faith in oneself. Let the bitter, the cynical, and the desolate rave on; I will still assert my belief that faith of some sort is the catalyst in any successful undertaking.

"Look at the Communists," you say. "They don't have any faith in God, the individual, or mankind." Yes, they are successful; but they have their own faith — a faith in what they are doing, and belief that they will triumph. What would it be like if every American had the faith in his beliefs that the Communists have?

Corner a cynic. "Idealism!" he will scream. "All this talk about faith may sound good, but where does it get us? Talking about something never got anything done." This may be true; but the person who is continually tearing everything down never builds anything good or bad.

And most important of all, what about the property of faith that these cynics never mention? That property which alone refutes their arguments. This property, the reason I believe faith is and always will be indispensable, was expressed many years ago by a much more famous writer than I. He said, "I will show my faith by my works."

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

What traits do you like to see in your students?

Mrs. Whittington — Be prompt, attentive and honest.

Mrs. McAlpin — Be on time to class, accept homework with a bright and shining face, and I do not like grumbling.

Mr. McAlpin — Students should attempt to study and have good study habits. I like to see them like their work. My pet peeve is letting them take their workbooks home one night of the year, and then they don't work in it.

Mr. Wheelchel — Students should be ambitious. I like them to participate in classroom discussion and bring to class other information concerning the lesson.

Mr. Rampley — I like students to have a good sense of humor, and good study habits. They should be interested in the social and political life of the community. High school students should accept responsibilities. My pet peeve is a pretender.

Mrs. Redin — My students should be enthusiastic, happy, and studious. My pet peeve is students who chew gum in class.

Mrs. Woods — Just be quiet enough not to disturb other students in the library.

Mr. Jarrett — I like students to do their assignments, and have a pleasant attitude toward school work and fellow students. My pet peeve is students complaining about other teachers and about homework.

Mr. Verden — A student who will spend half as much time in preparation for my class as he does in running up and down the road. My pet peeve is women (or girl) smokers.
Mrs. Lacy — Ambition; the will to achieve!
Mr. Whitfill — Work! Work! Work!
Mrs. Rampley — Perseverance and honesty.

(Signed) The Roving Reporter

Students take College Entrance Tests

Last Saturday Carolyn Garrison, Robert Hughes, and Ann Wingo went to Texas Tech College in Lubbock to take the Standard Aptitude Test of the College Entrance Examination Board. Robert Hughes and Ann Wingo also took the English Composition Achievement Test.

These tests are required by the colleges these students plan to enter. Carolyn Garrison plans to enter Texas Tech. Robert Hughes and Ann Wingo plan to enter the University of Texas.

ADULT TYPING CLASS TO BE OFFERED

Several adults in the community have expressed a desire to learn to type and have persuaded Mrs. Rampley to offer a beginning course in personal typing after school hours.

Due to the limited number of typewriters available, enrollment will be conducted on a first-come-first-serve basis. If you are interested, call Mrs. Rampley and get your name on the list.

Tentative plans are to conduct the class on Tuesday afternoons from 3:30 until 5:30. An organizational meeting will be held next Tuesday, January 23, at 3:30 and plans for the class will be discussed. It is important that you come to this meeting if you plan to take the course. A fee will be charged since this is not a regular function of the school.

HIGH SCHOOL NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY OFFICERS AND MEMBERS INSTALLED

In a high school assembly Monday, January 8, Robert Hughes, Carolyn Garrison, Becky Mallow, and Larry Elms were installed as the first officers of the Silverton Honor Society, Zenith Chapter.

The officers of Tulia's Honor Society officially installed the Silverton Chapter's members. J. W. Tuttle, Tulia's President, installed Robert Hughes as President of the Zenith Chapter.

Mark Scheid, Lynn Hardee, and Gary Burke, the other officers of the Tulia chapter, installed Carolyn Garrison as Vice-president.

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4-H ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Briscoe County-Wide 4-H Club met January 8 in the Production Credit Community Room. New officers were elected: President, Jim Smith; Vice-President, Dick Reid; Secretary, Dianne Davis; Reporter, Raye Garrison; Song and Recreation Leader, Camella Comer. The County 4-H Club Princess was elected to be Sandra Mercer.

Carolyn Garrison gave an interesting program on her trip to Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison, the club's adult leaders, presented each member with a grooming set.

STUDENTS CREED

Taken From Student Life Magazine

- I will at all times treat my fellow students in the same manner I expect them to treat me, having full respect for their property and rights.
- I will intelligently follow the leadership of all properly elected student officers and abide by such decisions as they have been empowered to make by the will of the majority.
- I will respect the authority of my teachers. I will make a special effort to be helpful and cooperative at all times a substitute teacher is in charge, for I realize a substitute is in fact my guest.
- I will make every effort to protect my school property and maintain its appearance, for I appreciate the fact that my school is frequently judged by its appearance and the appearance of the surrounding grounds.
- I will neither give help nor receive help from a fellow pupil during a test or examination. I will make sure that all work submitted as a part of a test or examination is honest in every respect.
- I will do my best to do my own homework at all times, for I realize that homework is a means for me to learn. Any help I seek in accomplishing my school-work assignments will be for the purpose of increasing my understanding and will not include copying from another student's work nor having anyone else do my work for me.
- I will do my best at all times outside of school to act in such a manner that it can only bring honor to my home and school.

FROM THE NURSE'S OFFICE

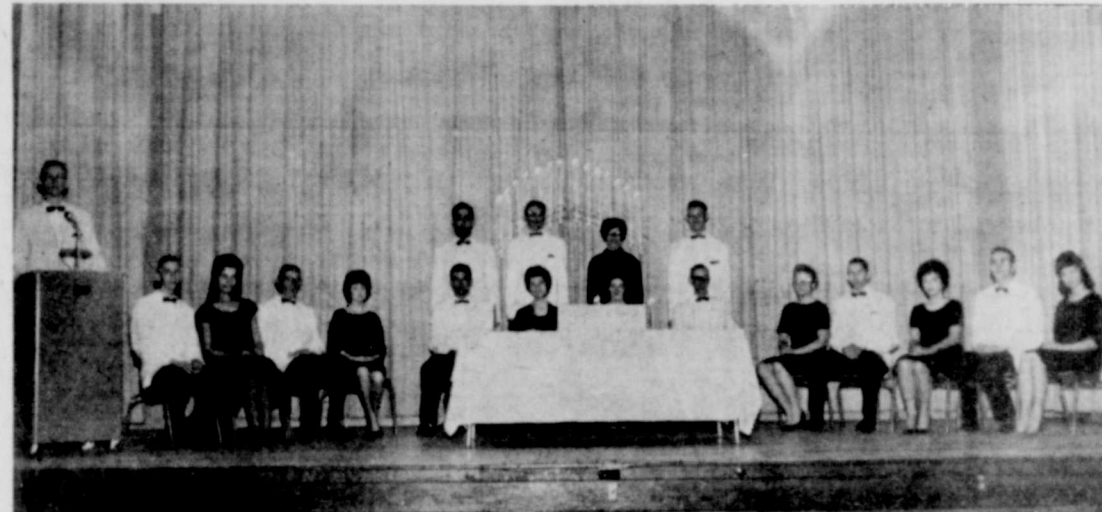
Did You Know?

The infant's skeleton has 210 bones; the adult's has 206. The adult has the smaller number because a few of the bones knit together during the period of growth and development.

SENIOR NEWS

The Seniors met during Activity Period Tuesday. The main business of the meeting was to decide on a play to be presented as the annual Senior Play.

The Seniors selected a new play entitled, "Stars in Their Eyes." The play will be presented in March as a climax to Public School Week.



Recently the first officers and members of the Zenith Chapter of the National Honor Society of Silverton High School were installed in a formal ceremony by the officers of the Tulia Chapter. Standing from left to right are Robert Hughes, President, Silverton Chapter; Mr. O. C. Rampley, Principal, Silverton High School; Mark Shied, Vice President, Tulia Chapter; Lynn Hardee, Secretary, Tulia Chapter; and Gary Burk, Treasurer, Tulia Chapter. Seated are David House, Sue Lanham, Bill Schott, LaQuetta Chitty; J. W. Tuttle, President, Tulia Chapter; Carolyn Garrison, Vice President; Becky Mallow, Secretary, Larry Elms, Treasurer, Barbara Fish, Robert Rhode, Ann Wingo, Jerry Williamson, and Edith Miller, all of the Silverton Chapter. (Briscoe County News Photo)

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Thursday, January 18 — Freshman games at Tulia
- Friday, January 19 — Conference games with Idalou, here
- Monday, January 22 — Student council and choral groups, Activity Period.
- Tuesday, January 23 — Class meetings, Activity Period. Conference games with Ralls there.
- Wednesday, January 24 — Assembly, Activity Period

DEVOTIONAL ASSIGNMENTS

- Silent Meditation—Monday, Jan. 22
- Jaeleta Eddleman—Tues. Jan. 23
- Emmett Tomlin — Wed. Jan. 24
- Raye Garrison — Thurs. Jan. 25
- Orville Turner — Friday, Jan. 26

NOTE TO ALL CLASSES

Put those class reporters to work. We rarely have any news from the grade school or high school classes. Your parents like to know what you are doing. Publicize your class's activities!

LUNCHROOM MENU

Thursday, January 18

Fried chicken and gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, butter, milk, honey, and apricots.

Friday, January 19

Tuna and pimento cheese sandwiches, soup, crackers, milk, wheaties cookies.

Monday, January 22

Sausage and gravy, potatoes, green beans, rolls, butter, milk, honey and apricots.

Tuesday, January 23

Pinto beans, boiled eggs, spinach, corn bread, butter, milk, brownies.

Wednesday, January 24

Cheese and wienies, corn, black-eyed peas, rolls, butter, milk, honey and apricots.

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OWLETTES SLAM

INTO DISTRICT PLAY

With a score of 51-37, the Silverton Owlettes downed the Petersburg Buffettes Friday night in the first game of conference play.

Early in the first quarter the Owlettes pulled ahead of the Petersburg Buffettes and were never held to behind. The Buffettes were held to two field goals in the first quarter and at the half time the score read 30-17 in Silverton's favor.

There was plenty of action in the second half. The final buzzer brought a big victory for the Owlettes. This 51-37 final score put them 1-0 in district play. The next district game is at Silverton Friday night with Idalou. The Owlettes face a tough team and need the support of the entire community. Follow the Owls and Owlettes to encourage them in district play.

7th and 8th Junior Hi Teams Lose To Tulia

The inexperienced seventh grade boys lost 25-11 to Tulia last Monday night in the local gym. The boys were outclassed by the taller, more experienced team. Randy Hughes was high scorer for Silverton. He scored nine of the eleven points made by the team.

The eighth grade boys didn't show up very well against the best moving Tulia boys. They were outclassed 46-3. The teams do show promise, however, and with a little more experience could develop into better teams.

Owlettes Capture Consolation Trophy

Last weekend the Owlettes participated in the Hale Center Tournament. The Owlettes were downed in the first round by Cotton Center. On Friday the Owlettes were able to push by Anton to keep them in trophy-winning position. Saturday the Owlettes defeated the Lockney six to capture the Consolation Trophy.

Buffs Sneak By Silverton Owls 41-38

The Silverton Owls were defeated by the Petersburg Buffaloes in a very close game opening the conference competition for both teams.

The Owls led throughout most of the game, however in the fourth quarter the Buffs began gaining and in the last few minutes the score was tied.

During the see-sawing process in scoring that followed, several of the Silverton boys fouled out of the ballgame. Among them was the leading scorer for the Owls, Kenny Thornton, who caged 12 points.

The resulting final score was 38-41 giving the Owls an 0-1 record for the beginning of district play.

OWLETTES MEET WAYLAND

QUEEN BEES AT PLAINVIEW

Saturday night the Owlettes traveled to Plainview to tangle with the Wayland Queen Bees. The Owlettes pulled from behind to get ahead of the Bees in the first quarter. The second half didn't prove to be so successful for the Owlettes as they went down in a 62-28 defeat.

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means of saying "thank you". Each message was deeply appreciated and will be treasured in the days to come. May God bless each of us in this New Year. Sincerely, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner

CARD OF THANKS We want to say thanks to all those who have sent cards, flowers and gifts of any kind to mother, and especially do we say "thanks" to the Good Samaritan Sunday School Class for the house coat. Wish you could see the joy in her eyes when she shows her cards, etc.
May the Lord bless each of you. Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn

CARD OF THANKS The family and relatives of Dorothy Brown wish to express our deep appreciation to all our friends here in Silvertown for the words of sympathy and comfort, cards, flowers and donations to the Silvertown Cemetery fund.
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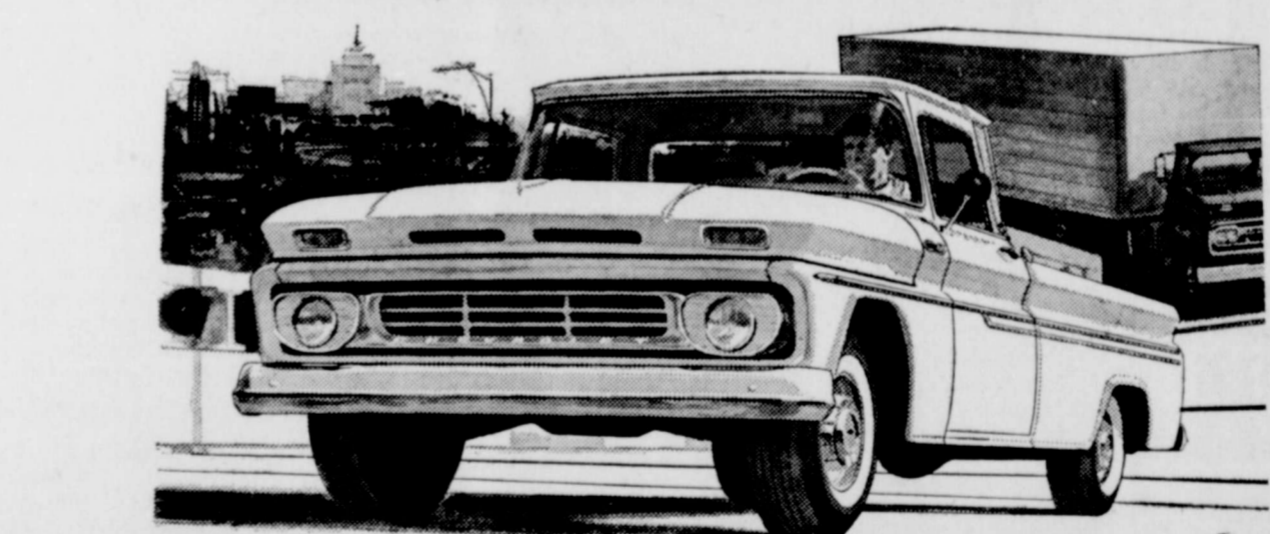
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