

NO CHARITY HOSPITAL

by Mary Ann Sarchet

Arguments have been raised against the proposed new hospital on the grounds that "we don't want to operate a charity hospital." This is true; we don't want a charity hospital—nor do we intend to have such. One of the purposes of building a hospital district hospital is to avoid the responsibility for the care of charity

patients. Who do you think is paying for Briscoe County's charity patients right now? Well, this is going to surprise you—but you and I are the ones who are paying right now! The Briscoe County Commissioners Court authorized the expenditure of approximately \$1,400.00 during the past year for the care of charity patients from

this county in neighboring hospitals. A hospital district hospital is in a better position to demand a deposit on admission than is a county hospital, as I understand it. Some hospital districts actually write a clause into the rules and regulations under which the hospital is built stating exactly what their position on collections of ac-

counts will be, and I don't think this could be broken by a board of hospital commissioners or by the hospital manager. The hospital manager would be charged with the actual responsibility for collecting a deposit at the time of admission of a patient. He would not have the authority to break the rule, and would have to answer to the hospital com-

missioners if he did so. He could not admit patients without first receiving a cash deposit or proof of ability to pay in the form of a hospitalization insurance policy. Such a rule is sure to make some people hopping mad! Can't you just imagine the reaction of Mr. John Q. Wealthy when the hospital manager asks him for a deposit? And he couldn't get by

with saying "You know me—I'll pay. Let's skip this deposit business, and I'll write you a check for the full amount later." Rules are rules, and I'm sure this would apply to everyone, no matter how many digits the amount of their bank deposits. It would have to be so, for sometimes those who don't pay could pay if they really wanted to. And others, if they couldn't pay the amount in full, could sign a note for the balance and make regular monthly payments on it. The trouble is that a lot of the people who neglect just debts do so in order to have more money to spend on luxury or semi-luxury items.

It is my personal opinion that every person who uses hospital facilities could clear his account through one of three methods:

1. Pay cash deposit on admission and pay cash for balance on dismissal.
2. Pay cash deposit or show proof of hospitalization insurance coverage on admission and either pay cash or sign a note for the balance on dismissal.
3. Sign a blank note on admission to cover the full amount.

I'll agree that it might take some of the patients a long time to pay the note, because some would have to pay at the rate of \$5.00 or \$10.00 a month, but eventually it would be paid. In cases of extreme need, I think some of the welfare agencies could be counted on to help, and I know that the people of Silvertown are big enough to contribute toward the hospital expenses of those who truly need it.

Nothing that is worth anything comes to us free. It really amazes me that so many people can talk about not wanting handouts, wanting to be "self-made men," and then take a "let George do it" attitude when it comes to a hospital. Why should we expect other hospital districts or county hospitals to provide for us? Do you really want it that way?

As proof that Briscoe County taxes are lower than those paid by residents in some of the area counties, compare our tax rate of 95¢ per \$100 valuation with the following:

Armstrong County	1.45
Crosby County	1.25
Floyd County	1.40
Gray County	1.34
Hale County	1.28
Swisher County	1.25
Motley County	1.14
Randall County	1.50

Only five counties in Texas have lower tax rates than Briscoe. A total of 235 counties have higher tax rates than ours, ranging as high as \$1.90 per \$100 valuation.

There are a good many counties whose tax rates are in the 1.40-1.50 range, and also in the 1.60-1.70 range.

Contrary to public rumor, all property owners would share the amount of hospital tax equally, based on the amount of property each owns in Briscoe County. This includes personal property, business property, equipment, inventory, land and homes, whether located in or out of city limits.

For example, taxes on a new (approximately \$20,000) home in Silvertown would amount to \$9.80, based on the county tax valuation of \$2,395.

Taxes on the irrigated quarter section located south of Silvertown which recently sold for \$800 an acre would amount to \$12.84 a year.

To determine your share of the hospital tax, multiply your county tax valuation (do not confuse the county tax valuation with the city or school tax) by 40¢.

The question has been raised as to whether the members of the old hospital association board would have any authority under the plans for the proposed new hospital. The answer is none whatsoever. The hospital operation would be in strict compliance with the rules and regulations set up by the state. As I understand it, the County Commissioners would appoint a board of hospital commissioners to serve until the first election at which time, the people of Briscoe County would elect the men and/or women of their choice as hospital district commissioners. A hospital manager would be employed by the board of hospital commissioners.

All Around the Town

by Mary Ann Sarchet

There are a few races on the Democratic Primary ballot that I would like to comment on this week. One of them concerns the \$50,000 that Billie Sol Estes is supposed to have given to Ralph Yarborough.

Whether or not Yarborough is the best man Texas could send to the U. S. Senate, I do think rates above his Republican opponents who are running in both the Democratic and Republican primaries this year. The Lubbock Avalanche Journal recently quoted Gordon McLendon as saying that he could "run in either primary."

Yarborough seems like a pretty common fellow, and he isn't rich like most of the candidates, but I don't believe that he is dishonest. We have just as much proof that he didn't receive \$50,000 from Billie Sol Estes as we have evidence that he did. Several Texas men who were with Yarborough on the day in question swear that the men who are supposed to have given Yarborough the package of money weren't even present.

I can't keep from wondering why the federal investigation of Estes' affairs didn't uncover the gift, if there was one. Of course, Estes is known to have made contributions to the Democratic party, but at that time he had just been named one of the ten outstanding young men in America. What candidate would have had reason to refuse a campaign contribution from such a bright, wealthy young man as most of us thought him to be?

I'm wondering why McLendon didn't bring out the story about the \$50,000 earlier in the campaign instead of waiting until it was almost too late for Yarborough to do anything about.

In last week's State Line Tribune, W. H. Graham (son-in-law of the Milton Dudleys of Silvertown) wrote in a front page editorial about McLendon's involvement in the bankruptcy of the Liberty Broadcasting Company in 1952:

"Gordon McLendon looked me straight in the eye Friday afternoon and told me the company in which he was a large stockholder beat the American Telephone and Telegraph Company out of thousands of dollars in 1952."

Further down in Graham's editorial he quoted McLendon as saying "I'm sorry it wasn't more. They had it coming." McLendon was also quoted as telling Graham, "I'm a businessman. I failed in business. But I'm kinda proud that I got up and came back."

Said Graham, "he repeated 'I'm a businessman' two other times, suggesting that this classification washed away any tint of moral turpitude."

I want you to understand that I'm not blaming McLendon for taking bankruptcy, but I do think that since he has made quite a bit of money since then and now owns five radio stations in addition to other assets which he likes to brag about, that he could pay off some of those people who received 30 cents on the dollar when his company (apparently voluntarily) took bankruptcy in 1952.

In the Governor's race, I think I'll stay with John Connally. The only one capable of beating him appears to be Don Yarborough—and frankly, he is too liberal for me. In the last gubernatorial election Don Yarborough proposed raises for state employees and other expenditures, while opposing the sales tax and state income tax. I don't think he could have balanced the books then, and I don't think he can do it now.

In the Lieutenant Governor's race, I don't think we should give such strong representation to the spanish-speaking population of San Antonio as they would have with the election of Albert Fuentes, jr. I think Preston Smith is probably the best man for this job.

In the United States Representative-at-Large race, I think that Joe Pool is probably a Republican running in the Democratic Primary (and I'll never knowingly vote for a Republican in the Democratic Primary). I hate to see the Dallas and Houston interests strongly represented. I'll probably support Sullivan in this race.

I think Jim Langdon deserves election as Railroad Commissioner, and I think Jerry Sadler deserves re-election as Commissioner of the General Land Office.



BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 1964 Silvertown, (Briscoe County) Texas VOLUME 55 NUMBER 18

Primaries Are Saturday



Ralph Wayne, who will be master of ceremonies for the dedication service of the new National Guard Armory in Tulla Sunday afternoon, discusses plans with Sgt. Gordon G. Simmons of Tulla and Capt. Pat L. Northcutt of Silvertown, Commander of Co. C, 2nd Battalion, Tulla. (Briscoe County News Photo)

Guard Armory To Be Dedicated Sunday

Dedication of the new Texas National Guard Armory located at 619 S. E. Second Street in Tulla, has been scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Sunday, May 3.

A band concert will be played by the Amarillo Air Force Band after which H. G. Wells, State Representative from this District will present the flag. The invocation will be given by the Rev. Bob Goodwin, pastor of the Assembly of God Church in Tulla.

Ralph Wayne of Plainview will be master of ceremonies. Mayor John Brown of Tulla will give the welcome, and Lt. Col. Boyce B. Phillips, Commander, 2nd Bn., 142nd Infantry, will give an expression of appreciation. Major General Selden Simpson,

commanding officer of Company C, 2nd Battalion, Tulla, has extended a cordial invitation to attend the dedication ceremony and inspect the modern facilities provided for training of your National Guardsmen beginning at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

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Smithee Services Conducted Monday

Funeral services for Willie C. Smithee, 76, were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Monday in the First Methodist Church with the Rev. Carl Nunn, pastor, and the Rev. C. R. Hankins, a former pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the Silvertown Cemetery under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home.

He died at 11:30 p.m. Saturday in Hall County Hospital at Memphis. A resident of Silvertown for 66 years, he was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Masonic Lodge.

Active pallbearers were W. C. Donnell, Deen Donnell, Merle McMurtry, Hoyce McMurtry, Charles Stevenson and Toby Stevenson.

Honorary pallbearers were Jack Strange, George Seaney, Hugh Nance, Lem Weaver, Grady Martin, M. G. Moreland, Doug Arnold, J. D. Nance, Kenneth Bain, jr., and Dr. Neville Muckleroy.

Mr. Smithee was born in Batesville, Arkansas, on November 17, 1887, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Willie C. Smithee, sr. He moved with his parents and ten brothers and sisters to Silvertown in 1897 at the age of ten years. He had made his home here since.

He was a Phillips Wholesale Oil dealer and a farmer until he retired a few years ago. He operated his farm until having a stroke on February 13, 1963.

Mr. Smithee joined the Baptist Church in Silvertown at the age of fifteen, and was a faithful member. He attended Sunday School, worship services and all the singing classes with his parents, brothers and sisters.

He was married to Miss Lizzie Stevenson, a lifelong friend and sweetheart on March 31, 1907, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Stevenson in Silvertown. Mr. and Mrs. Smithee celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at the home on Main Street where they had lived for 47 years in 1957.

In March of 1913, Willie and Lizzie united with their first two children joined the Silvertown Methodist Church and the Rev. George Fort baptized the family. For many years, Mr. Smithee sang in the choir at the church, this being one of the joys of his week. There were very few Sundays that the family was not in their places in the Sunday School and church services.

To this union four children were born: Kathleen (Mrs. R. C. Green of Turkey), Gladys (Mrs. Chester Strickland of Denton), Einell (Mrs. Gordon Montague of Plainview), and Willie Amel Smithee of Memphis.

Mr. Smithee had ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He also left four sisters, Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick of Montgomery, Alabama, Mrs. Edd McMurtry of Tulla, Mrs. Cora Donnell of Silvertown and Mrs. Edith Meeker of Medford, Oregon.

He was a good father and husband. He enjoyed his children, grandchildren and the great-grandchildren until the end. He always put his family first in his life, and will be greatly missed by those who knew and loved him.

Blackwell Rites Held At Tulla Monday

Funeral services for Champ Clark Blackwell, 74, of Amarillo, were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Monday in the Wallace Funeral Chapel in Tulla with Earl Cantwell, minister of the Rock Creek Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in the Rose Hill Cemetery at Tulla. Pallbearers were Alton Steele, Edwin Crass, W. E. Schott, Snooks Baird, Wayne McMurtry, Bob Hill, Carl Dean Bonmar and Adam Flowers.

Mr. Blackwell was born September 19, 1889, in Bowling Green, Missouri. He died at 8:15 p.m. Friday at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. He was a salesman and retired farmer. He was married to Blanche Scheihagan on November 17, 1915, at Kress.

Survivors include his wife, Blanche, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Russell Kronenberger of Casper, Wyoming, and Mrs. J. D. McGavock of Silvertown; a sister, Mrs. Percy Rutledge of Central Valley, California; and three grandchildren.

post Athletic Director Polk Robinson and Coach King lured him.

Huffman is much in demand by civic and industrial organizations as well as school groups as a speaker.

Master of ceremonies for the banquet will be Silvertown Athletic Director Robert Whelchel. Coaches Whelchel, Joe Granato and Ben Lesley will recognize members of the athletic teams, and awards will be presented by Doyle Stephens, Carman Rhode, H. A. Cagle and Superintendent J. S. Hinds.

Tickets for the banquet, which will be catered by Underwood's of Amarillo, are on sale at \$1.50 each. Anyone interested in purchasing tickets may contact Mrs. Verlin Towe.

Athletic Banquet Is Friday Night

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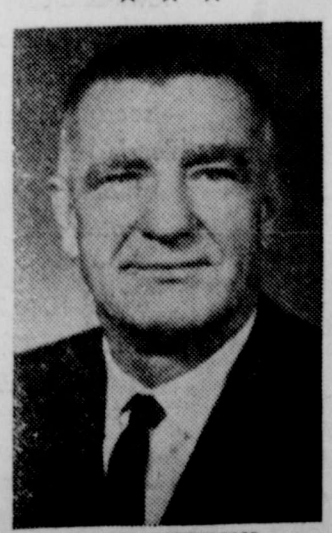
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DEAR EDITOR:

Mrs. Richard Whitfill Is Shower Honoree

As president of the L. O. A. Junior Study Club, I wish to express the appreciation of the club members for the fine cooperation we receive from your newspaper. The amount of space given annually to our club projects is inestimable. With all the communications media available these days, it is still the newspaper that puts information into our hands in a readable form—to be read, digested, and kept.

The L. O. A. Junior Study Club is a member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the largest group of organized women in the world, having 11,000,000 members in 15,500 clubs in the United States and in 54 other countries. The General Federation program in this administration highlights—an extensive campaign to obliterate illiteracy from the United States and throughout the world; a Dimes for Liberty project to help build the Museum of Immigration at the base of the Statue of Liberty; cooperation in building the Cathedral of the Pines as a memorial to women who have died in all our wars, and many other worthwhile projects. However, our club has the privilege of choosing any project we wish to emphasize, always keeping in mind the needs of our local community.

Mrs. Dexter Otis Arnold, president of the General Federation, has declared that the General

Mrs. Richard Whitfill was honored on Wednesday, April 22, with a layette shower in the home of Mrs. Floyd Williams. Hostesses were Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Lyndon Dunn, Mrs. Ben Lesley, Mrs. Charles Sarchet, Mrs. Fred Brannon, Mrs. Ronald Dale Kitchens and Mrs. Jerry Frizzell.

Mrs. Whitfill was presented with a pink and white rose corsage fashioned from baby socks edged with lace. The hostess gift was a white folding high chair.

The serving table was laid with a white linen tablecloth that was centered with a white tree that blossomed pink and blue ribbons and was surrounded by plastic toys. Coffee and spudnuts were served to those who called.

Out of town guests included Mrs. Roy Patterson and Mrs. Kelson Shaw from Lockney.

Federation of Women's Clubs has always advocated the freedom of the press and that it has never been more important than it is today when more than half of the countries of the world live under a partial or complete blackout of news through censorship.

Again accept our deep thanks and all good wishes.
 Sincerely,
 Mrs. Ben Lesley, president



MRS. LESTER LEROY STARNES

PEGGY CHILDRESS WEDS LESTER

LEROY STARNES IN AUSTIN RECENTLY

Miss Peggy Maxine Childress, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Childress of 7211 Eastcrest Drive in Austin, is the bride of Lester Leroy Starnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Starnes of Leander.

The Rev. Bob Clements officiated at the ceremony in Skyview Baptist Church. The bride is a senior at Lanier High School. Mr. Starnes, a graduate of Leander High School, is employed by C. R. Law Tax Records, Inc.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a bouffant formal gown of nylon tulle and Chantilly lace. Her fingertip veil was edged with matching lace and was held by a coronet. Her cascade bouquet was of roses and carnations.

Miss Carol Wilhelm was maid of honor, and Miss Paula Case was bridesmaid. They wore orchid satin dresses and carried orchid carnations and pink roses. Karen Childress of Silvertown was flower girl.

Leland Starnes of Leander was

best man, and Allen Baker was groomsman. Kemon Faubion of Leander was ring bearer and Tommy Minnick and B. W. Pruett, both of Leander, were ushers.

Soloist was Duane Evans, accompanied by Mrs. W. S. Butler, sr. A reception was held in the church fellowship hall. The couple will reside in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hardin of San Diego, California, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Thomas, Mrs. Glenn Smith and Mrs. Ted Hester visited Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Phillips in Tulia recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis and children of Lubbock have been recent weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. T. M. Marshall. Debbie Lewis remained for a longer visit with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Bruton and Ike recently visited at Shamrock with her sister and family, and Mrs. Joe Sours, and in Wellington with Mr. and Mrs. James N. Bruton and sons.

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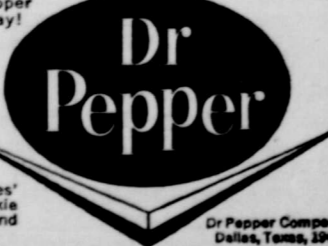
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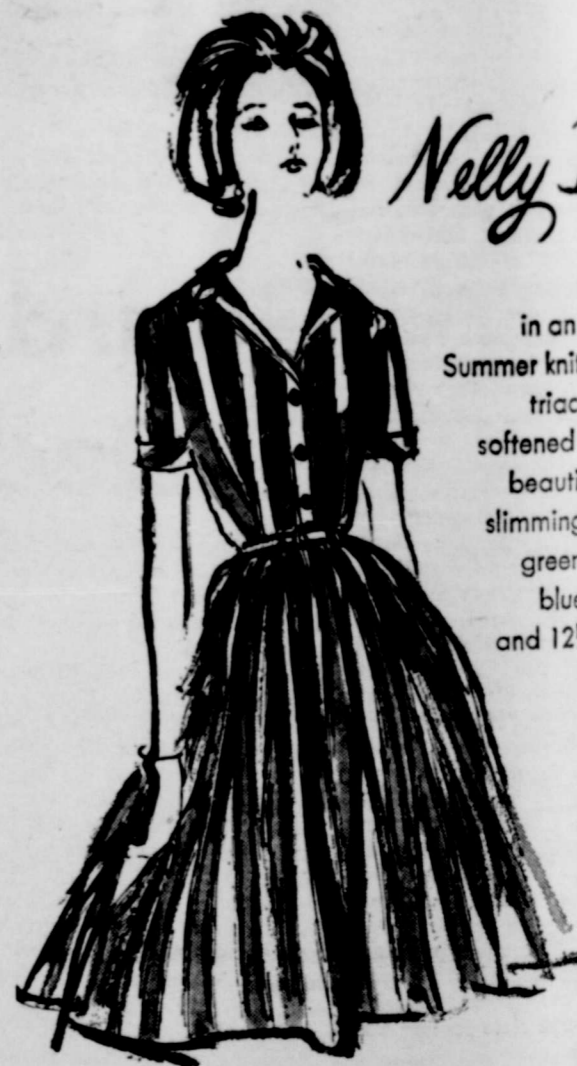
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News About People You Know

DELAYED FROM LAST WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Stoakes of Shamrock were recent Sunday night supper guests of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Tate and Jackie Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patton and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patton were in Artesia, New Mexico early this week with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Grimestaff, Mrs. Grimestaff, nee Geraldine Patton, is a sister of James Patton.

Mrs. Shelby Haynes visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Burson in Amarillo from Tuesday through Friday of last week. All were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Light in Panhandle one evening. They visited relatives in Plainview Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Boyles visited Mr. and Mrs. James Maples and family in Plainview Sunday afternoon.

Jon Ann Rogers is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Boyles, while her mother, Mrs. J. T. Rogers, Jr. of Quitaque is recuperating from surgery in a Plainview hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Brown spent a long weekend in Waco with their son, Sam Brown, a student at Baylor University. They attended Sam's musical recital on Sunday afternoon. Returning via Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Brown spent the night with his sister, Mrs. Berton Lambert, the former Doris June Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Whitfill returned home early this week after having spent several days with relatives at Rockport. They report that Mrs. Jim Whitfill is recuperating satisfactorily following recent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dillard and children of Shamrock have been recent Sunday evening guests of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Thomas and children, Silvertown.

A. L. McMurtry has been a patient in Swisher County Hospital.

T. M. Nichols of Tulia, former Silvertown resident, has been a patient in Swisher County Hospital for several days.

John T. (Red) Gilkeyson suffered a heart attack at his home here recently, and was taken by ambulance to the Lockney General Hospital.

write and to whom it is directed.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows:

A suit in statutory trespass to try title to all of Lots Four (4), Five (5), and Six (6), in Block Fifty (50), in the Original Town of Silvertown, Briscoe County, Texas, as per plat of record in the Deed Records of said County in Volume 2-B, page 297.

Plaintiff claims title in fee simple to said lots and claims title by virtue of the five and ten year statutes of limitations as provided by the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this within ninety (90) days after the suit.

If this citation is not served date of this issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to the requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Silvertown, Texas, this 24th day of March, A. D., 1964.

/s/ Dee McWilliams
Clerk, District Court
Briscoe County, Texas
(Seal)

Thomas Family Gathering Held

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Thomas had the pleasure of the company of all their children, and most of their grandchildren and great-grandchildren on Sunday, April 19. A picnic dinner was held in the Memphis park at noontime, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas enjoyed seeing the other members of the group roller skate in the afternoon. Colored movies were made during the day.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hardin of San Diego, California; Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Shockley, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Phillips, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Odell Johnston and David, Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith, Ann and Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Thomas and Tony, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hester, Janice and Ricky, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Thomas and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Thomas and children, Silvertown.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Phillips, Tulia; Sammy Johnston, Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. John Mercer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Perkins and children, Ralph Hill, Janice Lewis and Chyrel Cowart. Nine children, 21 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren were present.

Miss Billie Haynes of Los Angeles, California, has been a visitor with her niece, Mrs. Josie Anderson, and friends.

Mrs. Ruby Elliston has recently spent several days in Fort Worth visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoyt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brooks have recently moved here from Borger to make their home. They have purchased the property of Mrs. M. K. Summers in the west part of town.



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TO: G. A. MARTIN, if living and if dead, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said G. A. MARTIN; K. D. REEVES, if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said K. D. REEVES; J. C. MARTIN, if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said J. C. MARTIN; ETHELEEN MARTIN, if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said ETHELEEN MARTIN; GREETING: YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Briscoe County, Texas, at the Courthouse thereof, in Silvertown, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 11th day of May, 1964, to Plaintiff's petition filed in said Court, on the 27th day of March, 1964, in this cause numbered 1805 on the Docket of said Court and styled Wayne K. McMurtry, et al, vs. G. A. Martin, et al, in which Wayne K. McMurtry, et al, are Plaintiffs and Defendants are those persons first named in this writ and to whom it is directed.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows: representatives of the said ETHELEEN MARTIN; GREETING: YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Briscoe County, Texas, at the Courthouse thereof, in Silvertown, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 11th day of May, 1964, to Plaintiff's petition filed in said Court, on the 27th day of March, 1964, in this cause numbered 1805 on the Docket of said Court and styled Wayne K. McMurtry, et al, vs. G. A. Martin, et al, in which Wayne K. McMurtry, et al, are Plaintiffs and Defendants are those persons first named in this writ and to whom it is directed.

A suit in statutory trespass to try title to all of Lots One (1), Two (2), Four (4), Five (5), and Six (6), in Block Thirty-nine (39), in the Original Town of Silvertown, Briscoe County, Texas, as shown by the recorded plat of said town of record in the Deed Records of Briscoe County, Texas, in Volume 2-B, page 297, same being a part of Section No. 20, in Block A, Certificate No. 70, issued to Arnold and Barrett.

Plaintiffs claim title in fee simple to said lots and claim title by virtue of the five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitations as provided by the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of this issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to the requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Silvertown, Texas, this 27th day of March, A. D., 1964.

/s/ Dee McWilliams
Clerk, District Court
Briscoe County, Texas.
(Seal)

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: W. B. WALKER, if living, and if dead, the legal representatives of the said W. B. Walker, and the unknown heirs of the said W. B. Walker, Defendants in the hereinafter styled and numbered cause, GREETING: YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Briscoe County, Texas, at the Courthouse thereof, in Silvertown, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 11th day of May, 1964, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 24th day of March, 1964, in this cause numbered 1803, on the Docket of said Court and styled M. Gene Morris vs. W. B. Walker, et al, in which M. Gene Morris is Plaintiff and Defendants are those persons first named in this

simple to said lots and claim title by virtue of the five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitations as provided by the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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/s/ Dee McWilliams
Clerk, District Court
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John Trice, McLennan County

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF TEXAS SUPREME COURT, Place One:

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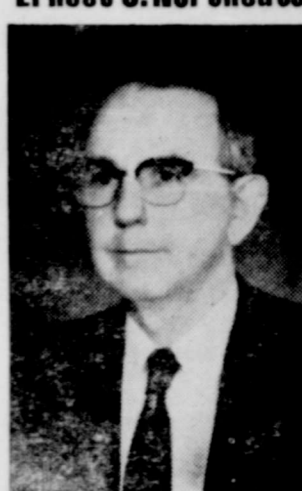
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AMATEUR RADIO OPERATORS WEEK IS PROCLAIMED

Governor John Connally has declared April 27 through May 3 State Amateur Operators' Week. There are six licensed amateur radio operators in Silvertown. They are Perry Thomas, K5YUJ; Charles Whitfill, W5AYF; Rev. Carl Nunn, K5VRP; Mike Mercer, K5WFM; Mike Long, W5NLP; and Becky Thomas, W5DYT. Don Thomas, K5VHE, operates a portable unit from Champaign, Illinois. This week was so declared because of the service by amateur radio operators in times of tornado or other disaster and their

work with Red Cross and Civil Defense. The Panhandle Amateur Radio Festival is being held in Amarillo at the National Guard Armory May 2-3. Those interested in attending are invited to do so and learn more about the workings of amateur radio.

EX-STUDENTS ASSOCIATION TO MEET MAY 8

There will be a meeting of the Ex-Student and Teacher Association at 8:00 p.m. May 8 in the high school auditorium. Grady Martin, president, urges all who are interested to attend to help make plans for the September, 1964, homecoming.

The Briscoe County Commissioners Court has called an election for the issuance of hospital bonds in the amount of \$185,000 on Saturday, May 9.

A petition bearing the names of 252 certified property-owning taxpayers requesting the election was recently presented to the Commissioners Court.

Voting places will be: Precinct 1, County Judge's office; Precinct 2, Quitaque High School; Precinct 4, San Jacinto School; Precinct 5, Roy Allard home; Precinct 7, County Attorney's office; Precinct 8, County Sheriff's office. Absentee voting is being done in the County Clerk's office.

All resident property-owning taxpayers who have paid the poll tax will be eligible to vote in the hospital bond election, as taxes would be levied on each person who has rendered property for taxation by Briscoe County whether he lives in a city or in the rural areas of the county.

LIONS CLUB LADIES NIGHT IS TONIGHT

The Silvertown Lions Club will host their ladies tonight (April 30) at a dinner at Redin's "66" Restaurant at 7:30 o'clock.

Fred Mercer will show some of the movies he made recently on his trip abroad. Jealeta Eddleman will report on her trip to the District Convention where she competed as the Silvertown Lions Club Sweetheart.

Tickets are \$1.50 each.

TO THE PEOPLE OF PRECINCT NO. 1:

I wish to take this means of expressing my appreciation to the people of Briscoe County Precinct No. 1 for the courtesies they have shown me during the past.

I have made an effort to see each and everyone of you, and though I missed some, I have left cards at their homes.

I want the people to take this as my personal request for their vote and support on May 2.

LIGE H. WAITERS

TO THE PEOPLE OF BRISCOE COUNTY:

I wish to take this means of expressing my appreciation to the people of Briscoe County for the courtesies they have shown me during my campaign for Sheriff.

I have made a great effort to see each and everyone of you, and though I have missed a few, I left cards at their homes.

I want the people to take this as my personal request for their vote and support on May 2.

Sincerely,
VINSON SMITH

Candidate for Sheriff

TO THE PEOPLE OF PRECINCT NO. 3:

Since announcing as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner I have made every effort to contact each of you personally to solicit your vote. Should there be any of you whom I have missed, I want to take this means of letting you know that I will appreciate your vote in Saturday's Democratic Primary election.

Yours very truly,
ROY MORRIS

TO THE PEOPLE OF BRISCOE COUNTY:

I would like to take this means to solicit your vote in the Primary election this Saturday. I have been so busy that I haven't been able to see each and every one of you; but it hasn't been my intention to fail to contact you.

Will you please take this as a personal request from me for your vote for it certainly will be appreciated.

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New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kennedy of Amarillo are parents of a baby girl, Myrtice Rose, born there April 19. Grandparents are Roy Kennedy of Dalhart and Mrs. Virginia Dennis.

Mrs. Dennis visited Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, their two sons and three daughters Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Offield of Spade are parents of a baby boy, Randy Keith, six pounds and twelve ounces, born March 31 in the Medical Arts Hospital at Littlefield. The couple are also parents of a daughter, Rhonda Gale, age two.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Offield and Marion Perkins.

Betty Olive broke her right arm recently while working at the City Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Steele recently went to Midland to return

home their grandson, Stuart M. Williams. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Francis accompanied them and visited Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Steele.

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President Lyndon B. Johnson must be returned to the White House in national elections this November. To carry other states, he must have unquestionable support from Democrats in Texas.

The eyes of the United States are upon Texas in its nomination of a Democratic candidate for governor. The gubernatorial nominee will most likely be called by the National Democratic Party to go into other states to campaign in behalf of the national ticket.

This means the Democratic nominee must be a man who supports President Johnson and his program — a man who would be recognized throughout the nation as an asset to the Democratic Party — a man who is 100 percent Democrat.

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This is not the case with John Connally. Connally would contribute toward a possible defeat for President Johnson.

Although Connally has mouthed support for President Johnson, he has deserted the Democratic Party before and who knows when he may do so again? Democrats in the other 49 states know he is antagonistic to the President's program. They know he led Democrats into the Republican Party in past national elections. They know about Connally's conspiracy with Allan Shivers this year to recruit a former Republican to try to defeat Texas' only Democratic U. S. Senator, Ralph Yarborough, in the Democratic primary.

Democrat Don Yarborough is the only candidate for governor of Texas who would help carry the nation for Lyndon Johnson's election this fall.

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Jarrell Rice)

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HI-C DRINK	ORANGE PINEAPPLE	46 OUNCE CAN	3 FOR \$1
PAPER TOWELS	2 ROLLS	69¢	
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CORN	FRESH	3 EARS	25¢
ONIONS	2 BCH.	15¢	
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ROAST	NICE AND LEAN	LB.	49¢
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF HOSPITAL BONDS

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF BRISCOE THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY AND WHO HAVE VOTED THEREIN AT THE LAST ELECTION, TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 9th day

of May, 1964, in Briscoe County, Texas, in obedience to an order for hospital bond election entered by the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas, on the 17th day of April, 1964, and which order is attached hereto and made a part hereof. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and affixed the seal of the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas, this 17th day of April, 1964, pursuant to authority given by law and the aforesaid order of the Commissioners' Court of said County.

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/s/ M. G. MORELAND County Judge, Briscoe County, Texas ATTEST: /s/ Dee McWilliams County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas (Com. Crt. Seal)

ELECTION ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF BRISCOE ON THIS, the 17th day of April, 1964, the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas, convened in regular session at the regular meeting place thereof in the Courthouse at Silverton, Texas, the following members of the Court, to-wit:

- M. G. MORELAND, COUNTY JUDGE, Presiding; and L. H. WATTERS, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 1 MRS. EDNA EVELYN HAWKINS, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 2 A. D. ARNOLD, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 3 ROY S. BROWN, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 4

WHEREAS, a petition has been duly presented to the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas, wherein the petitioners, alleging themselves to represent more than ten per cent (10%) of the resident qualified property tax-paying voters of Briscoe County, Texas, who have duly rendered their property for taxation, and praying this Court to order that an election be held in said County to determine whether or not bonds of said County shall be issued in the total principal sum of ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$185,000) bearing interest at a rate not to exceed FOUR AND ONE-HALF PER CENTUM (4 1/2%) per annum, and to mature serially within any given number of years not to exceed TWENTY-FIVE (25) years from their date, for the purpose of establishing and equipping a county hospital to be located in or near the City of Silverton, Texas, and for all necessary permanent improvements and buildings in connection therewith, pursuant to authority conferred by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, particularly Section 9, Article 8 of the Constitution, and Chapter 1, Title 22, and Chapter 5, Title 71, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended; and whether or not a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity shall be levied on all taxable property within said County; and

WHEREAS, this Court, upon due advice and investigation, has ascertained and determined that said petition is signed by more than ten per cent (10%) of the resident qualified property tax-paying voters of Briscoe County, Texas, who have duly rendered their property for taxation, and that such petition should be granted, and that the election as prayed for in such petition should be ordered; therefore

BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS:

That an election be held in said County on the 9th day of May, 1964, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the qualified voters (who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, for their action thereupon:

"SHALL the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said County in the total principal sum of ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$185,000) to mature serially within any given number of years not to exceed TWENTY FIVE (25) years from the date thereof, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed FOUR AND ONE HALF PER CENTUM (4 1/2%) per annum, for the purpose of establishing and equipping a county hospital to be located in or near the City of Silverton, Texas, and for all necessary permanent improvements and buildings in connection therewith, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity, pursuant to authority conferred by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, particularly Section 9, Article 8 of the Constitution, and Chapter 1, Title 22, and Chapter 5, Title 71, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended?"

J. B. Mercer of Palmer, Rev. and Mrs. James Aiken of Houston were visitors last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer. Mrs. J. E. Minyard and Annette were dinner guests in the H. C. Mercer home while the relatives were here. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mercer and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mercer called during the day.

That said election shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, particularly Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution and Chapter 1, Title 22 and Chapter 5, Title 71, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended, and all persons who are legal voters of said Briscoe County, Texas, and who have duly rendered their property for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with Chapter 6, V. A. T. C. S., Election Code, as amended, and that printed on such ballots shall appear the following: "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF HOSPITAL BONDS AND THE LEVY OF TAXES IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF HOSPITAL BONDS AND THE LEVY OF TAXES IN PAYMENT THEREOF" AS TO THE FOREGOING proposition each voter shall mark out the statement FOR the proposition or the statement AGAINST the proposition, so that the remaining shall indicate the way he wishes to vote.

ABSENTEE VOTING shall be conducted at the County Clerk's Office in the Courthouse, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 424, Acts of the 58th Legislature, Regular Session, 1963.

THE POLLING PLACES and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows: Precinct Polling Place Presiding Judge

- 1 Silverton, Courthouse, County Judge's Office Mrs. Edith London
2 Quitaque, High School Bert Grundy
4 San Jacinto Community San Jacinto School Merle McMurtry
5 Antelope Community Roy Allard Residence Mrs. Bill Cushing
7 Silverton, Courthouse, County Attorney's Office Bryant Eddleman
8 Silverton, Sheriff's-Tax Assessor and Collector Office Fred Mercer

SPECIAL CANVASSING BOARD FOR ABSENTEE VOTING AT THE COURTHOUSE:

- William J. Strange, Loyd H. Nance, Jimmy House

THE MANNER of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas as amended, except as modified by the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended.

A COPY of this order, signed by the County Judge of said County, and certified to by the County Clerk of said County, shall serve as proper and sufficient notice of such election.

NOTICE of said election shall be given by posting and publication of a copy of this order, at the top of which shall appear the words "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF HOSPITAL BONDS." Said notice shall be posted in each of the election precincts of the County of Briscoe, and at the County Courthouse, not less than fourteen (14) full days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation, published in Briscoe County, the first of said publications to be not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the day set for said election.

The above and foregoing order having been read in full it was moved by Commissioner Watters and seconded by Commissioner Brown that the same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted "AYE": Commissioners Watters, Hawkins, Arnold and Brown; and none voted "NO".

PASSED AND APPROVED this 17th day of April, 1964.

- /s/ M. G. Moreland County Judge, Briscoe County, Texas /s/ L. H. Watters Commissioner, Precinct No. 1 /s/ Mrs. Edna Evelyn Hawkins Commissioner, Precinct No. 2 /s/ Roy S. Brown Commissioner, Precinct No. 4



Favorite Foods Show Winners in the four food groups were (left to right) Janet Montague, Bread and Cereal; Carol Ann Montague, Fruit and Vegetable; Joni Self, Meats; and Paula Montague, Milk. (Briscoe County News Photo)

Favorite Foods Show Held

The Favorite Foods Show in the P.C.A. community room last Saturday climaxed the year for county 4-H club girls. They prepared their favorite foods at their homes and entertained their mothers and guests with a tasting party after their foods had been judged.

Participating in the Bread Group were Rhonda Dickerson, Janet Montague, Carron Montague, Kathy Self and Laquita Bomar. Joni Faye Self entered the Meat Group.

Vegetable Group entries were Cynthia Sutton and Carol Ann Montague. Competing in the Milk Group were Paula Montague, Lela Jo McPherson and Barbara Lynn Davis.

Senior winners at the show were Joni Faye Self and Laquita Bomar. They will represent Briscoe County at the District Favorite Foods Show in Lubbock in May.

Carol Ann Montague will be the junior representative in the District Show.

First place winners in the individual groups were Janet Montague, Bread and Cereal; Joni Faye Self, Meat; Carol Ann Montague, Vegetable; and Paula Montague, Milk.

Mrs. Garland Francis, Mrs. Datis Martin and Miss Elaine Simmacher judged the foods and County Agent Leon Grossdier awarded the ribbons to the girls.

Ronald Ledbetter underwent an appendectomy at the Medical Center in Plainview recently. The Ledbetter children stayed with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ledbetter, while their father was in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Childress, Linda, Karen and Lisa have been recent visitors with Bailey Childress at the VA Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday evening. Other recent visitors with Mr. Childress have included Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Pitts of Amarillo, W. E. Schott, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Callaway. He is in Ward 2A, Room 250, Veterans Hospital, Amarillo.

Russell Stuart McWilliams has recently spent several days here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McWilliams and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Steele and Jim Edd, while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dean McWilliams, were moving from Plainview to Midland.



To represent Briscoe County in the District 4-H Foods Show are Laquita Bomar, Joni Self and Carol Ann Montague. (Briscoe County News Photo)

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THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 1964

Editorial

Do Your Parents Know That You Appreciate Them!

by Mary Monroe

Have you ever stopped to think just exactly what your parents go through for you? If you haven't, it's about time you did.

Ever since you were born your mother and daddy have tried to keep you from harm, give you everything (within reason) you wanted, have given up things they wanted so you could have things you wanted, and any number of other things.

How many times can you remember your mother letting her housework get a little behind because she was doing something for you? How many times do you recall your daddy giving you money that could have been used for something more important? You probably couldn't count these times if you sat down and really tried.

Many children take their parents for granted. If you are one of these, just stop and think what your life would be without both or even one of them.

Many children think that you are a sissy if you show your love for your parents, but no matter what you may do, your parents are always there to help you and to show their love for you no matter what.

The next time your parents do something for you, let them know that you appreciate it. You could just tell them that you love them, because sometimes they probably wonder if you really do. After all they do for you, this small gesture would probably mean a lot to them.



LESTER GRABBE

Lester Grabbe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warner Grabbe, is the valedictorian of the senior class of 1964. His grade average is 96.2. He plans to work in Denver this summer before starting college.



JERRY GARRISON

Jerry Garrison, whose grade average is 89, is the salutatorian of the graduating class of 1964. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Garrison. She plans to study art this summer and attend Hardin-Simmons University next fall.

LUNCHROOM MENU

Thursday
Fried chicken, gravy, green beans, mashed potatoes, jello salad, honey, rolls, butter and milk.

Friday
Hamburgers, pork and beans, potato chips, cookies and milk.

Monday
Hamburger meat with spaghetti, pea salad, fruit cobbler, bread, butter and milk.

Tuesday
Pinto beans, peanut butter and crackers, corn, cole slaw, chocolate pudding, cornbread, butter and milk.

Wednesday
Weiners and cheese, peas, baked potatoes, jello salad, honey, rolls, butter and milk.

Seniors Have Annual Kid Day Festivities

Last Thursday, April 23, the seniors reverted to their childhood days by dressing as the children they once were. There were the usual water guns, suckers, teddy bears, dolls, baby bottles, knee pants and short skirts that were an imitation of those from their earlier days.

They met their first and second period classes as usual (or as usual as could be expected on that day). During activity period they presented the annual Kid Day skit. This year the seniors had "Art Finkletter" (alias Lester Grabbe) to interview each of the senior children. While Riley Harris played his ukelele, the whole class sang "How Muck Is That Doggy In The Window?" Sharon Weaver, Linda Harvell, Mary Monroe and Jealeta Eddleman sang "I Dropped My Dolly In The Dirt," accompanied on the piano by Gloria Wallace and Sandi House. The skit ended when Art Finkletter didn't give the usual prizes at the end of the show and the children "mobbed" him.

The seniors then proceeded to the school cafeteria to eat with the grade school children. By the sound of laughter the real grade school kids indicated that they enjoyed the antics of the overgrown "children."

The senior children spent the remainder of the day on a picnic at Burson Lakes.



Putting the last-minute touches on the "Roman Holiday" setting for the Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom were Wayne Nance, Dwight Rampley, Max Garrison and Rita Brown. The huge cluster of golden grapes was arranged near the center of the banquet hall. Two Roman columns behind the head table also were decorated with large clusters of grapes and a golden bust added to the holiday spirit. A white, green and gold color scheme was carried out. (Briscoe County News Photo)

Junior - Senior Banquet Was A Roman Holiday

by Janice Lewis

The annual Junior-Senior Banquet took place Saturday night, April 25, in the school library. The theme of the banquet was "Roman Holiday," and a white, gold and green color scheme was carried out.

The program began with the welcome, given by Max Garrison, Junior class president. This was followed by a toast to the Senior class. Jim Smith, Senior president, responded on behalf of the seniors.

The meal was then served by Janice Hester, Elaine Boyles, Ruth Ann Minyard, Nena McDaniel, Mary Lynn Schott, Monty Smith, Johnny McGavock, Darrel Long, Joe Self and Wayne Rampley, who were dressed in Roman togas.

Jerry Morris, Music and Youth Director at the First Baptist Church in Silverton, sang several selections, accompanied by Mrs. Wayne McMurtry at the piano.

Sheryl May gave the senior class high school history; Emmett Tomlin read the senior class will, and Jealeta Eddleman read

the senior class prophecy. The tables were moved out at the conclusion of the banquet, and the prom began. Music was by the Premiers of Brownfield.

THE OWL'S ROOST

by Mary Monroe

The next time that you see Jeanne ask her how she got the nickname "Gypsy," and watch her face get red.

The seniors are beginning to realize that they are actually going to graduate now that their invitations have come in, and with everything else that is going on.

The little owl doesn't think that the Home Ec III girls will ever learn not to overeat and how to cook fast enough.

Did you notice the look of relief on everyone's faces as they handed in their research themes to Mrs. Lacy?

Did you notice the look of panic on the juniors' faces when she told them that they had only four days to do theirs when the other classes had three weeks? It really wouldn't have been so bad if they hadn't been in the middle of the preparations for the Junior-Senior Banquet.

You can always tell when Mrs. Rampley has spring fever because she starts giving her Typing I students ten-minute writings when she meant to give them five-minute ones.

Mr. Hinds, did you forget to tell the flower shop that your little secret WAS a secret? Also, why were you seen rushing out of the church immediately after the wedding party went in.

Pep Squad Elects New Cheerleaders

The present Pep Squad and the Eighth Grade girls met on Wednesday, April 22, and elected next year's cheerleaders.

Those trying out were Debbie Dickerson, Nancy Long and Joyce Brooks, Eighth Grade; Tina Weaver, Kay Strange, Vicki Marler and Connie Dudley, freshmen; Nena McDaniel, sophomore, Donna Stephens, Jeanne Davis and Rita Brown.

Those elected were Debbie Dickerson, Tina Weaver, Nena McDaniel and Donna Stephens. Rita Brown was chosen as head cheerleader.

Those elected officers for next year's Pep Squad are Jeanne Davis, president; Ruth Ann Minyard, vice president; Sandi Rhode, secretary-treasurer; Brenda Martin and Camellia Comer, parliamentarians.

LANGUAGE - -

by Lester Grabbe

There have been articles in the paper about mathematics, English and business. So I would like to write an article on my favorite subject—language (excluding English).

When you hear the term "foreign language," what immediately comes to mind? If you actually think about it, you don't have anything definite come to mind, unless you happen to know a foreign language. You may think of something hard or something unintelligible but nothing definite because you are in complete ignorance of foreign language.

When you leave your own language and get into another, you are getting into a weird, but fascinating, world.

Take Italian, for instance. You are used to referring to inanimate objects as "it," that is, in the neuter gender. But Italian totally lacks the neuter gender. A table might be "her" and a chair "him."

Or take Latin as an example. You are used to nouns having one form for the singular and one for the plural. A horse is a horse, no matter how it is used in the sentence. But horse (equus) has six different forms in the singular and six in the plural. "Equus" is the form if it is the subject. But if it is the direct object, it becomes "equum"; or the indirect object, "equo"; or if it were possessive (horse's), "equi." And if you were addressing the horse, the form would be "eque."

Latin also has a property that many other languages such as Greek and Spanish have. This is that no subject pronoun is needed with the verb because the verb has different endings, depending on who is speaking. For example, the Latin form for "I love" is "amo," while "you love" is "amas."

Or take Japanese for example. Here the verb forms don't change, but still the subject pronoun is not used. Instead the speaker relies on the intelligence of the listener to put in the correct meaning. (The subject pronoun can be expressed if necessary, however.) Another feature of this language we are not used to is the use of honorifics. When referring to yourself or a close friend, you use a "humble" form of the verb. But in speaking to a stranger or someone of higher rank, you would use the "polite" form of the verb, an entirely different word. These things are just incidentals—things that after you know them, you still don't know much. But I hope they have aroused your curiosity. If they have, why don't you try reading Dr. Mario Pei's THE STORY OF LANGUAGE. You may find a whole new world opening up to you.



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Official publication of the students of Silverton High School, prepared by members of the Future Business Leaders of America.

Billy Hurtz, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hurtz, was a patient in the Lockney Hospital most of last week, and was brought home Friday. He was doing satisfactorily early this week.

Mrs. Erma Piercy and Mary Ann Robison of Turkey transacted business in Silverton one day last week.

Mrs. Arena Belle Vaughan and Mrs. Carlene Coffin and daughters of Hollis, Oklahoma, visited Mrs. J. E. Vaughan Monday. The ladies were enroute to Plainview to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Littrell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roy Brown of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mallow were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wayne Rampley and children in Roswell, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier were in San Antonio most of last week visiting Sgt. and Mrs. M. D. Thompson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Grantham and Linda visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Nall and Carol, Sunday.

Sunday visitors with Mrs. C. C. Blackwell and daughters in Amarillo included Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Grantham and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Lanham, Mrs. T. C. Bomar, Mrs. Wylie Bomar, sr., Mrs. Virginia Dennis, Silverton, and Mrs. T. W. Devenport of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Paige were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Paige, jr., and Eric Kevin in Amarillo.

Local relatives were notified early last week of the death of Billy Wayne Thomas, 32, in Eads, Colorado, after a long illness. He was a nephew of Mrs. Lee Deavenport and of Frank Fisch.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sargent and Ken returned home on Monday of last week after accompanying her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Hill of Tulsa, on a trip downstate. They visited in Gonzales and Waelder with relatives and fished at Lake Tawakoni east of Dallas. They enjoyed a trip through Six Flags on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jaye Turner and children have been recent visitors with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Odum and children in Wellman.

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Anyone bringing this advertisement to the box office Friday night with one paid admission will be admitted FREE!

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News About People You Know

Kevin Weatherly of Amarillo visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCutchen and Richard last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Webb of Lubbock have been recent week end guests of Mrs. H. P. Rampley,

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rampley, Dwight and Wayne, were also Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. H. P. Rampley.

Mrs. Raymond Cantwell and Doris have been in Houston for the past three weeks where Mrs.

Lonnie Dement, daughter of Mrs. Cantwell, has been ill. She expected to undergo surgery last week.

Recent Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Duncan were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson of Erick, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney, Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lowrey.

Mrs. C. T. Shirley of Amarillo, nee Sadie Summers, transacted business here recently. She visited Mrs. S. R. Turner and other friends while here.

Mrs. L. K. Gilkeyson and Mrs. L. B. Garvin, jr., were in Plainview last week to take Dana Garvin to an ear specialist.

Mrs. J. N. Cantwell, who has been seriously ill, is improving and has been able to be out of bed some the past several days. Mrs. Katie Hill, who has been confined at Big Spring due to illness, also is improving. She is here with her mother and her sister, Mrs. Marie Bishop. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cantwell of Matheson, Colorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cantwell of Altus, Oklahoma, also have been here helping care for their mother, Mrs. Cantwell, and have now returned to their homes.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Ledbetter of Byers were here early last week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ledbetter. They also visited his brother, Ronald, at the Medical Center in Plainview.

Notice of the Names of Persons Appearing as the Owners of Unclaimed Amounts Held By: First State Bank, Silverton, Texas.

This notice is given and published pursuant to Section 3, Article 3272b, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, in an effort to locate persons who are the depositors or owners of amounts in accounts that have remained inactive or dormant according to the provisions of Article 3272b for more than seven (7) years.

The unclaimed amounts due the depositors or owners listed herein will be paid upon proof of ownership at the office of the named depository within nine (9) months, and if unclaimed thereafter they may be subject to report to and conservation by the State Treasurer in accordance with said Article 3272b.

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AFFIDAVIT OF DEPOSITORY OFFICER

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BRISCOE
Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared H. B. Simpson who, after being by me duly sworn, deposes, and certifies as true the following:

1. That he is Cashier of First State Bank, Silverton, Texas, the Depository named in the above Notice.
2. That the foregoing is a full and complete list of the names of all depositors and creditors for whom dormant deposits or inactive accounts have been held for more than seven (7) years and whose existence and whereabouts are unknown to the Depository.
3. That such listed depositors and creditors have not asserted any claim or exercised any act of ownership with respect to their deposits or accounts during the past seven (7) years.

H. B. Simpson
Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 27th day of April, 1964.
(Seal) Bessie Garrison, Notary Public, Briscoe County, Texas



Lane Garvin, Jim McWilliams and Larry Comer display the ribbons they won in the 4-H Club Tractor Operator Contest held in Silverton last Saturday.

Briscoe 4-H Tractor Operator Contest Held Here Recently

The Briscoe County 4-H Tractor Operator Contest was held on Saturday, April 18, at the Silverton Gin. Twelve junior boys participated in the contest.

Out of a possible 300 points, Larry Comer placed first with a score of 220. Lane Garvin was second with 155 points, and Jim McWilliams placed fourth with 140 points. Richard Stephens was in fourth place.

Jim Davis and Max Hamilton

placed fifth place, Art Hamilton placed sixth. Ronny Vaughan was eighth. Clinton Dickerson was eighth. Danny Vaughan placed ninth and tied for tenth place were Andre Grosdidier and David Kellum.

Larry Comer will represent Briscoe County in the junior division of the District Tractor Operator Contest to be held at Texas Tech on May 9. Joe Bob Watson will represent the county in the senior

division. The first and second place winners in the senior division at District will be eligible to attend the State 4-H Club Roundup and compete on the state level.

The 4-H Tractor Club has expressed thanks and appreciation to Ray Thompson Implement Co., Brown-McMurtry Implement, the Silverton Young Farmers and the Silverton Gin for assisting with the tractor contest.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF FIRST STATE BANK

of Silverton, Briscoe, Texas, at the close of business on April 15, 1964
State Bank No. 1752 Federal Reserve District No. 11

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, cash items in process	
of collection (Schedule D, item 7)	704,459.81
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed (Schedule B, item 10)	718,072.50
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	336,257.31
Other bonds, notes and debentures (including \$None securities of Federal agencies and corporations not guaranteed by U. S.)	3,900.00
Corporate stocks (including \$None stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	30,000.00
Loans and discounts (including 3,896.25 overdrafts) Schedule A, item 10)	3,279,341.98
Bank premises owned 15,000.00 and fixtures 10,000.00 (Bank premises owned are subject to \$None liens not assumed by bank)	25,000.00
Real Estate owned other than bank premises	None
Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises or other real estate	None
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	None
Other assets (Item 6 of "Other Assets" schedule)	378.20
TOTAL ASSETS	5,097,409.80

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (Schedule E, item 3)	2,286,924.46
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations (Schedule F, item 5)	2,009,849.04
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) (Schedule E, item 4, and Schedule F, item 6)	81,130.78
Deposits of States and political subdivisions (Schedule E, item 5, and Schedule F, item 7)	456,979.76
Deposits of banks (Schedule E item 6 and 7, and Schedule F, item 8 and 9)	None
Certified and officers' checks, etc. (Schedule E item 8)	13,186.22
TOTAL DEPOSITS (items 13 to 18)	4,848,070.26
(a) Total demand deposits (item 9 of Schedule E)	2,667,371.98
(b) Total time and savings deposits (item 10 of Schedule F)	2,180,698.28
Mortgages or other liens \$None on bank premises and \$None on other real estate	None
Rediscounts and other liabilities for borrowed money	None
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank outstanding	None
TOTAL LIABILITIES	4,848,070.26

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital: (a) Common stock, total par value \$75,000.00	
(b) Preferred stock, total par value \$None, total retirable value \$None	
(c) Capital notes and debentures \$None	75,000.00
Surplus certified 125,000.00; not certified \$None	150,000.00
Undivided profits	24,339.54
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	None
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	249,339.54
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	5,097,409.80

I, H. B. Simpson, Assistant Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly (swear affirm) that this report of condition (including the information on the reverse side hereof) is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. B. Simpson
Correct—Attest:
William Strange
Perry Whittemore
Alvin Redin Directors

State of Texas, County of Briscoe, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of April, 1964 and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. My Commission expires 6-1-1965
Bessie Garrison, Notary Public



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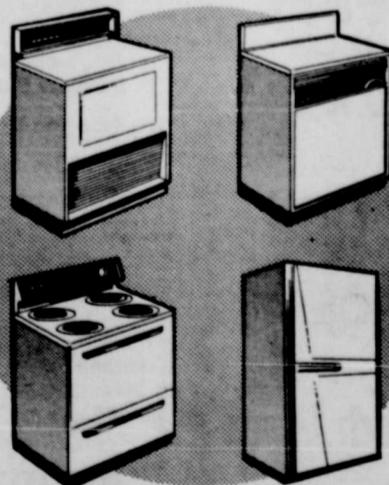
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The Veterans' Land Board will receive sealed bids at the General Land Office, Austin, Texas, until ten o'clock A. M., May 12, 1964, for 21 tracts of land located in Culberson, Guadalupe, Hidalgo, Maverick, Uvalde, Wilson and Zavala Counties in Texas. Tracts listed in the brochure under Section I are available to veterans only. Tracts listed under Section II are available to veterans and non-veterans. DETAILED information may be obtained by writing to Jerry Sadler, Chairman of the Veterans' Land Board and Commissioner of the General Land Office, Archives and Library Building, Austin, Texas. 16-5tc

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements are made subject to action of the Democratic primaries:

For Sheriff-Tax Assessor and Collector, Briscoe County, Texas:

RAYMOND K. GREWE
JOHNNIE LANHAM
VINSON SMITH

For Attorney, Briscoe County Texas:

GEORGE W. MILLER

For Commissioner, Briscoe County Precinct No. 1:

LIGE H. (Dud) WATTERS
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For Commissioner, Briscoe County Precinct No. 3:

A. D. ARNOLD
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L. C. (Luke) THOMPSON

For 110th Judicial District Attorney for Briscoe, Dickens, Floyd and Motley counties:

JOHN B. STAPLETON, Floydada

For State Representative, 89th District:

RALPH WAYNE of Plainview

CARDS OF THANKS

Sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who were so thoughtful during my recent stay in the hospital. For the cards, flowers, gifts, visits, food and words of encouragement, I am so grateful.

We take this means, also, to thank the women who cleaned up the house after the fire.

Again let us say thank you. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McGavock Victor and Bill

Our hearts are full of appreciation for all the kindnesses toward us at the time of the loss of our loved one. Mere words cannot express our thanks for the flowers, food and words of consolation. May God bless you, is our prayer.

The Smithee family

Charles Sullivan, son of Mrs. Clyde Mercer, joined the Army, and is taking his basic training at Fort Polk, Louisiana.

Funeral Held For Mrs. Kyle Holderness

Funeral services for Mrs. Kyle Holderness, nee Lou Haynes, were conducted in Fort Worth on April 14. Burial was also in Fort Worth. Mrs. Holderness died Saturday, April 11, in Fort Worth after an extended illness. A former Silverton resident, she had moved to Fort Worth from Oklahoma City recently.

Survivors included her husband, of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. Billie Haynes of Los Angeles, California and Mrs. Mary Daniel of Lubbock; several nephews and nieces, including Mrs. Joseph Anderson, who attended the services.

Mrs. J. E. Vaughan was in Tulsa, Oklahoma, recently to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Johnston, and to help her maternal uncle, Charlie Burns, celebrate his 88th birthday on Friday, April 17.

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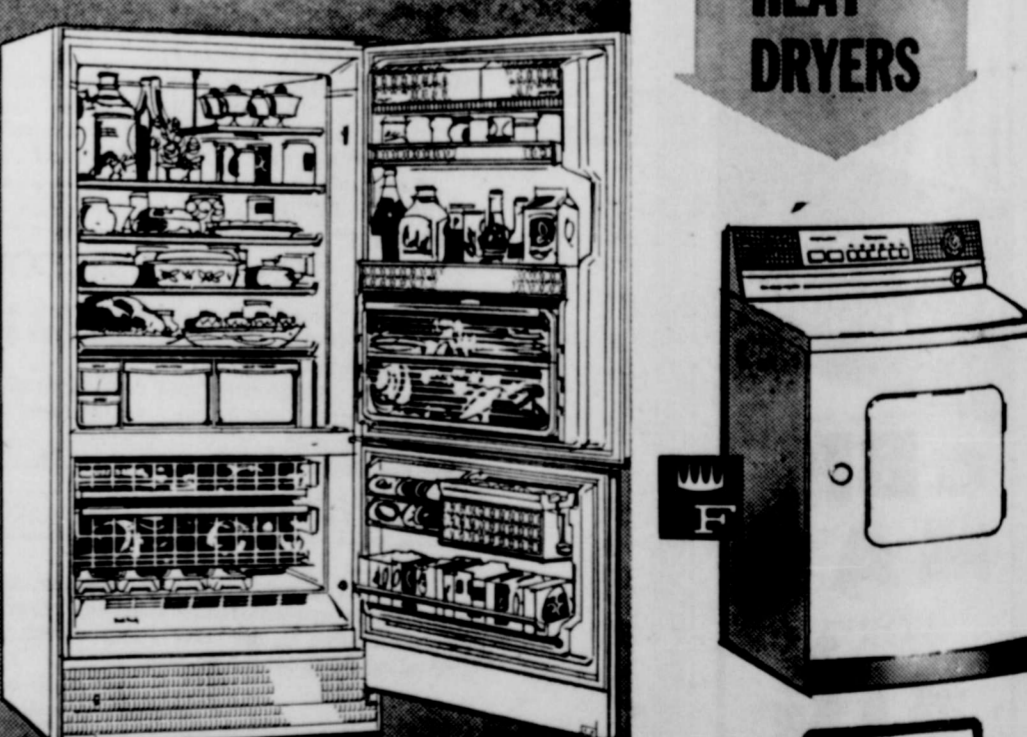
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