

All Around the Town by Mary Ann Sarchet

We haven't been able to do much around Silvertown during the past week except watch clouds, have we?

Did you hear the one about the service station operator who was in such a hurry to get to the "fray hole" that when the horn blew he ran off and left his station unlocked?

Gladys Steele said that she and R. didn't go to the cellar, but that their cellar was full of people. Jean Brannon said that Roberta Griffin came bringing peanut butter and crackers for a snack Friday night, and that she was considering opening a Kool-Aid stand in her cellar.

Quite a crowd has been gathering at the Walter Bean's, Mrs. D. H. Davis, the Bryant's and the Seaneys on our street. Those of us who don't have cellars have been interested in what kind of snacks have been served in the cellars, in order that we can make an educated decision on which place to run to when the horn blows.

The Seaneys have been just great as hosts at these informal impromptu neighborhood "parties" Friday night when Fulton Gregg decided that the tailgate of George's pickup wasn't as comfortable as his favorite easy chair and started back across the street.

Two women were overheard considering arrangements for a neighborhood party to which they were planning to invite the City Councilmen. Their plans for entertainment at the party include a fishing contest in the street waterhole which has been so full all spring that it has been stocked with fish.

J. D. McGavock invited the Bates to "come and play pool" in the cellar—can you think of a better way to pass the time? Come to think of it, I guess the Ted Strange family plays pool during the storms, too.

BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1968 SILVERTON, (Briscoe County) TEXAS VOLUME 60 NUMBER 23

Voting Light In Second Primary Election Here



Max Weaver, Larry Comer, Roy Dale Wood and Johnny Roy Weaver, members of the Briscoe County 4-H Livestock Judging Team, have been at the State 4-H Roundup on the campus of Texas A and M University this week.

Briscoe County voters agreed with the trend across Texas Saturday, turning out a light vote and giving a majority of those votes to the winners, Preston Smith of Lubbock and James A. Joy of Plainview in the runoff for the Democratic nominations.

Smith outpolled his opponent, Don Yarborough of Houston, and will be the Democratic candidate for Governor of Texas in the General Election in November.

Joy defeated Jack Hazlewood of Amarillo for the Democratic nomination to the Seventh District Court of Civil Appeals by about 5,000 votes.

In the 18th Congressional District, Joy carried the counties of Armstrong, Briscoe, Castro, Lamb, Lipscomb, Hansford, Hall, Hutchinson, Oldham, Parmer and Swisher, in addition to the counties of Childress, Cochran, Cottle, Crosby, Foard, Floyd, Garza, Hardeman, Hockley, Kent, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Wilbarger and Yoakum—26 in all.

W. E. Schott, Jr. edged Manley Wood in the only local runoff election for the nomination as Commissioner of Briscoe County Precinct Three.

No incumbents sought election in any of the three contests. Absentee voting was heavy, due to the long Memorial Day holiday weekend.

Funeral services have been scheduled for 3:00 p.m. today (Thursday, June 6) in the First Baptist Church in Silvertown. He was born in Silvertown on August 4, 1903, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brooks, Sr. He moved to Oakland in 1941, and was a retired engineer for the Southern Pacific Railroad.

Survivors include four brothers, Jim, W. H., Joe and A. T. Brooks, all of Silvertown; and two sisters, Mrs. Alvin McCutchen of Abilene and Mrs. Glen Lindsey of Silvertown.

Reading Program Opens here June 11

The Summer Reading Program, to be sponsored by March of Time Study Club at the Silvertown Public Library, is scheduled to begin June 11, with a Coke party to be held from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m. at the Library.

Boys and girls will be registered and given information pertaining to the reading program during the Coke party.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie House attended the commencement exercises at which their son, David, received his degree from The University of Texas in Austin Saturday night. They planned to visit the HemisFair before returning home.

Mrs. M. E. Smith recently suffered a broken arm.

Annette Minyard entered Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Wednesday, and expected to undergo surgery today.

Sisters and nieces of Mrs. M. L. Welch joined her in working at the cemetery on Memorial Day. The group took their lunches to the home of Mrs. Welch at noon, and ate before going to the Quitaque cemetery to work in family plots. Those visiting in the Welch home were Mrs. Bailey Henderson and Mrs. Clay Mercer of Lone Star; Mrs. Sidney Rogers and Amy of Plainview; Mrs. Luther Vardell, a daughter and granddaughter, of Clovis, New Mexico; Mrs. Bill Long and Diane of Tulsa; Mrs. Rex Vaughan and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMin.

News Office To Be Closed

The office of the Briscoe County News will be closed June 17-22 for the publisher's annual vacation.

The June 20 issue of the Briscoe County News will be published early, and advertisers and contributors are asked to have material they wish published in that issue to the News Office not later than Wednesday, June 12.

SILVERTON RIDING CLUB WINS ANOTHER TROPHY

Silvertown Riding Club won first place in the parade at the Old Settlers Reunion in Floydada last week.

Twenty-three riders took part in the parade at Floydada and helped win the trophy.

This was the second first-place trophy won by the club this year, and has been added to the huge collection of trophies which the club has on display at City Cafe.

The club will ride at Quitaque June 8 and 9 at 2:00 p.m.

Carol Montague Is New Worthy Advisor

Carol Ann Montague, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Montague, was installed as Worthy Advisor of Silvertown Assembly No. 304, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, in a public ceremony in the Masonic Hall Friday evening.

With "Nature" as her theme, the Worthy Advisor chose green and yellow for her colors, and carried out her color scheme with arrangements of yellow daisies, yellow roses and English ivy. Her scripture was from Ecclesiastes 3:11a, "He hath made everything beautiful in its time."

Also elected to serve the Assembly in the summer term were Barbara Davis, Worthy Associate Advisor; Jackie Carol Tate, Charity; Nancy Reid, Hope; Janet Montague, Faith; Laquita Croft, Recorder, and Pam Vaughan, Treasurer.

Appointed to fill the Assembly's other offices were Norline Offield, Chaplain; Pat Jarrett, Drill Leader; Paula Montague, Choir Director; Carron Montague, Musician; Denise Culwell, Love; Colene Culwell, Religion; Cindy Acker, Nature; Vicki Vaughan, Immortality; Ian Lanham, Fidelity; Linda McWilliams, Patriotism; Janet McWilliams, Service; Lois Stephens, Outer Observer; Jane Self, Confidential Observer; and Elaine Forbes, Mother Advisor.

Little League Play Opened Tuesday

The Blue Sox, with relief pitching by Ty Wayne McMurtry, defeated the White Sox 7-5 in the opening game of the Little League season Tuesday night.

Clarence Ivory started on the mound for the Blue Sox, but was relieved by McMurtry while the score was in a 5-5 tie.

Ken Wood went all the way as pitcher for the White Sox.

Blue Sox scoring was by Barry Bullock, 2; McMurtry, 2; Ivory, 1; Darrell Crosslin, 1; and Brad Ziegler, 1.

Kelly Bomar and Wood each scored twice for the White Sox and Harloyd Vaughn scored once.

The Blue Sox are coached by Ted Strange, and Bob Stafford is coaching the White Sox.

The V.F.W. Indians decided the Gold Sox 5-4 in the second game. Herbert Polley went all the way as pitcher for the winners, and also hit a home run and a triple to lead the team's scoring with two runs to his credit.

Also scoring for the Indians were Barry Francis, G. W. Perkins and Todd McJimsey.

Carl Dean Gallington was relieved on the mound for the Gold Sox by Mike Montague after pulling an arm muscle.

Gallington scored two runs on a single and a double, while Montague and Kelly Bomar, who filled in for the Gold Sox in the absence of a regular player, each scored one run.

Fred Strange coaches the Indians, and Danny Vaughan is coach for the Gold Sox.

Lannie Arnold is umpiring all the games this season.

BRISCOE COUNTY VOTING BY PRECINCTS table with columns for Precincts (1-4, 2-3, 5-6) and Total Vote.

Junior Club Planning Swimming Party

Members of L. O. A. Junior Study Club, their families and guests are invited to a swimming party at Silvertown Pool Friday, June 7, from 8:00 until 10:00 p.m. Homemade ice cream and cookies will be served.

* 4-H DOINGS

The Happy 4-H Club met at 3:45 p.m. Tuesday, May 21, in the P. C. A. community room with Sharon Jarrett presiding.

Visitors were Sue Lynn Allard and Donna Sissney. Plans for the next meeting were discussed.

-Rhonda Sutton, reporter



Buddy Comer has been selected as manager and Paul Ray McWilliams was chosen to be assistant manager of Silvertown Pool this summer. Coach Herman Fox, who had previously been hired to manage the pool, recently resigned from his summer job as well as from his teaching job in order to enter business in Amarillo. Buddy and Paul Ray are now booking night parties at the pool.



Carol Ann Montague was installed as Worthy at the Masonic Hall Friday evening. Her Advisor of Silvertown Assembly No. 304, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, in a ceremony held Friday evening, installed Carol Ann as Worthy Advisor.

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I Am A Tired American

by Alan McIntosh
 Rock County Herald
 Luverne, Minnesota
 I am a tired American.
 I'm tired of being called the ugly American.
 I'm tired of having the world panhandlers use my country as a whipping boy 365 days a year.
 I'm a tired American—weary of having American embassies and information centers stoned, burn-

ed, and sacked by mobs operating under orders from dictators who preach and breed conflict . . .

I'm a tired American—choked up to here on this business of trying to intimidate our Government by placard, picket line, and

sit-ins by the hordes of dirty unwashed who rush to man the barricades against the forces of law, order and decency.

I am a tired American—weary of the beatniks who say they should have the right to determine what laws of the land they are willing to obey.

I am a tired American—fed up with mobs of scabby-faced, long-haired youths and short-haired girls who claim they represent the "new wave" of America and who sneer at the old-fashioned virtues of honesty, integrity, and morality on which America grew to greatness.

I am a tired American—weary unto death of having my tax dollars go to dictators who play both sides against the middle with threats of what will happen if we cut off the golden stream of dollars.

I am a tired American—nauseated by the lazy-do-nothings who

wouldn't take a job if you drive them to and from work in a Rolls Royce . . .

I am a tired American—who is getting madder by the minute at the filth peddlers who have launched Americans in an obscenity race, who try to foist on us the belief that filth is an integral part of culture . . .

I am a tired American—weary of the bearded bums who tramp the picket lines and sit-ins—who prefer Chinese Communism to capitalism—who see no evil in Castro, but sneer at President Johnson as a threat to peace.

I am a tired American—who has lost all patience with that civil rights group which is showing propaganda movies on college campuses from coast to coast—movies denouncing the United States, movies made in Communist China.

I am a tired American—who is angered by the self-righteous breastbeater critics of America, at home and abroad, who set impossible yardsticks for the United States, but who never apply the same standards to the French, the British, the Russians, the Chinese.

I am a tired American—who resents the pimply-faced beatniks who try to represent Americans as the "bad guys on the black horses."

I am a tired American—who is weary of some Negro leaders who, for shock purposes, scream four-letter words in church meetings.

I am a tired American—sickened by the slack-jawed bigots who wrap themselves in bedsheets in the dead of night and roam the countryside looking for innocent victims.

I am a tired American—who dislikes clergymen who have made a career out of integration

causes, yet send their own children to private schools.

I am a tired American—who resents those who try to peddle the belief in schools and colleges that capitalism is a dirty word and that free enterprise and private initiative are only synonyms for greed. They say they hate capitalism, but they are always right at the head of the line demanding their share of the American way of life.

I am a tired American—who gets more than a little bit weary of the clique in our State Department which chooses to regard a policy of timidity as prudent—the same group which subscribes to a "no-win" policy in Vietnam.

I am a tired American—real tired of those who are trying to sell me the belief that America is not the greatest nation in all the world—a generous-hearted nation—a nation dedicated to the policy of trying to help the "have nots" achieve some of the good things that our system of free enterprise brought about.

I am an American—who gets a lump in his throat when he hears the "Star Spangled Banner" and who holds back tears when

he hears those chilling high notes of the brass trumpet when Old Glory reaches the top of the flag pole.

I am a tired American—who wants to start snapping at those phony "high priests" who want us to bow down and worship their false idols and who seek to destroy the belief that America is

the land of the free and the home of the brave.

I am a tired American—who thanks a merciful Lord that I was lucky to be born an American citizen—a nation under God with truly mercy and justice for all.

(a television editorial, submitted for publication by R. C. Hulse)

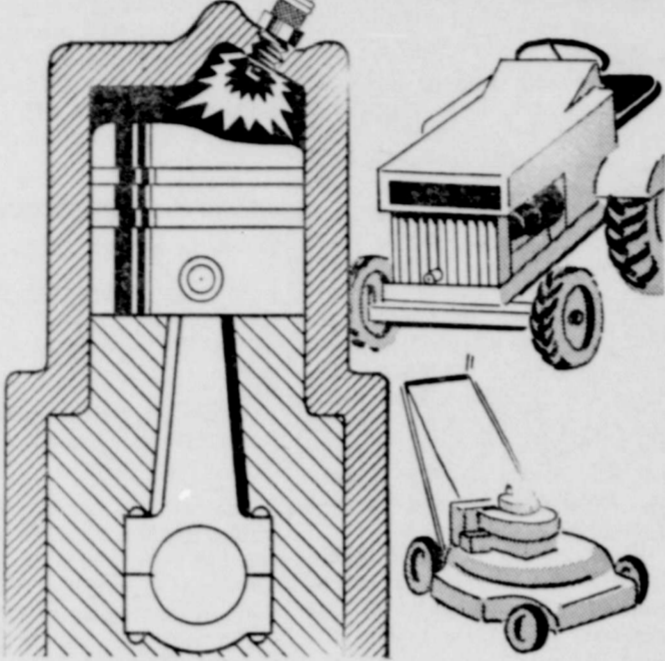
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Prepared by National 4-H Service Committee

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The national 4-H Petroleum Power program offered 4-H'ers this year is an expansion of the former tractor program. A small engines project has been added to help members gain a working knowledge of internal combustion engines, their parts and functions. They can acquire skills needed to operate and maintain small engines.

The up-dated project will enable younger 4-H'ers to work on engines and operate power lawnmowers, small garden tractors and other equipment used on the home grounds year round. New guidebooks have been prepared in three units. They cover small engine power; two-stroke and four-stroke cycle engines.

Tractor club members will continue their projects in much the same manner as previous years. They learn about the tractor engine and its upkeep; how to operate farm machinery efficiently and safely; how to drive carefully and skillfully.

Two annual tractor operators' contests will be held again this year, according to the Cooperative Extension Service. The Eastern event is scheduled in Richmond, Va., Sept. 22-24; and the Western contest in Laramie, Wyo., Oct. 6-8.

All 4-H members have an opportunity to compete for program awards. They are: county—a medal of honor; state—an expense paid trip to the National 4-H Congress; national—a \$600 scholarship to each of eight champions.

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Baptists Outline Building Program

The First Baptist Church in Silvertown has announced plans for extensive remodeling of the existing buildings and construction of additional educational space. Work on the project began last week, and is scheduled to be finished by mid-August.

The sanctuary will receive an entirely new look, inside and out. The front and entrance will be changed and a new roof line will be added. A new beamed ceiling is planned inside. Wall paneling will be added and new carpet installed. In addition, the choir area will get a new look and sound chambers for the organ will be installed.

The educational building which was damaged by fire last March is being completely renovated. The building will house two Junior Sunday School departments, a nursery department, the fellowship hall, kitchen, Young People's department, church parlor, library, pastor's study, secretary's office and workroom.

The new building will extend west from the remodeled educational building, to provide 2500 square feet of additional floor space. Housed in this building will be two nursery departments, one

beginner department, kindergarten, two primary departments and rest rooms. All the buildings will be cooled by refrigerated air.

Members of the Building Committee are Charles Whitfill, general chairman; Johnnie Burson, finance chairman; Walter Bean, planning chairman; Roy Mack Walker, Paul Ledbetter, Alvin Redin, A. D. Arnold, Raymond McJimsey, E. A. Birdwell, Carman Rhode and Rex Holt.

The church is presently engaged in a financial drive to raise money for the structure. Johnnie Burson, chairman of the finance committee, is directing the drive. Approximately one-half of the money is on hand already.

Pastor of the church is C. H. Murphy, jr.

Mrs. W. L. McMinn, 85, mother of Bud McMinn suffered a stroke, fell and broke her left arm and wrist in addition to cutting and bruising her face at the Lockney Nursing Home Saturday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn went to Lockney on learning what had happened and stayed at the hospital with his mother, who is in a coma, all Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Bud McMinn returned to Lockney Monday morning to meet her sister-in-law, Mrs. Odie Dorman, who is employed at the nursing home and was there when her mother had her stroke, and the two had a conference with Mrs. W. L. McMinn's doctor.

Connie Collier, fiancée of Tony Allison has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Allison and Tony.

Dr. and Mrs. M. O. Walls, Jerry, Larry and Gary of Frederick, Oklahoma, spent Sunday here with Mrs. J. C. Hill and other relatives.

Mrs. H. T. Feilds of Shamrock visited Mrs. Ray C. Bomar and Mrs. T. C. Bomar Monday morning.

Conservation Director Named Al Floydada

Jon LaBaume has been appointed work unit conservationist for the Floyd County Soil and Water Conservation District and will be directing all conservation activities in the district.

A native of Dublin, he finished high school there in 1958 and attended Tarleton State College at Stephenville two years. He was graduated in 1962 from Sam Houston State College in Huntsville with a degree in technical agriculture.

He then spent six months with the USDA Marketing Service, cotton division, in Oklahoma City. He was a soil conservationist in Silvertown for three years before moving to Wellington a year and a half ago.

While he was employed by the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District and was living in Silvertown, he married the former Elaine McDaniel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ashel McDaniel. The couple has a son, Coy, eight months old.

School District Size And Course Offering

How large is too large, and how small is too small?

The Governor's Committee on Public School Education is now measuring these questions against research findings collected during the past 30 months to determine the school organization recommendations the Committee will include in its report to be presented to Governor John Connally before August 31.

Paul Haas, chairman of the Organization Subcommittee, in a report from his group, negated a widely-held belief that the continued existence of a large number of small school districts in Texas is caused by population sparsity.

"The Texas Education Agency has reported that most of the state's small districts are located in some of our most densely populated counties," said Mr. Haas.

Results of the American College Testing program administered to 67,625 seniors in 118 sample school districts indicate that students in large high schools performed better than seniors in small high schools in all subject areas tested—English, social studies, mathematics and natural sciences.

Also, the ACT scores indicate that seniors in schools with a pupil-teacher ratio of 20-1 did less well than seniors in schools with a pupil-teacher ratio of 26-1 or 28-1.

Mr. Haas cautioned, however, that large schools do have problems.

"There has been a growing suspicion that some school districts in Texas may have grown so large they have lost the sense of close communication with identifiable communities which has been so much a part of our educational heritage," said Mr. Haas. "The

high dropout rates experienced by some of our major systems are apparently related to socioeconomic and ethnic factors, but they may also be the by-product of growing parental alienation towards a school management that seems beyond their reach."

Mr. Haas pointed out that school district size is related to teacher salaries and teacher shortages. Most of the smaller districts pay only the minimum salary level and many of the emergency teachers are in those same small districts. There also is a relationship between teacher work load and school district size. The smaller the district, the more subjects a teacher has to prepare for each day.

Small districts have more teacher problems, the Committee research indicates, and offer little beyond the bare minimum program. Mr. Haas said these conditions are not necessarily a reflection of small districts' lower financial ability.

"Instead, there seems to be a direct inverse relationship between size and local financial effort," he said. "The smaller the district, the lower the taxes it usually imposes on itself."

Research for the Committee indicates that the larger the enrollment of the high school, the greater number and variety of courses available for the students.

None of the sample districts studied, large or small, devotes a very large proportion of its courses to vocational subjects.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen McWaters of Amarillo have been recent weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Euel Dudley at Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. Joe McWaters.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES HELD AT TEXAS TECH

More than 1,500 students received degrees in Texas Tech's commencement exercises on Saturday, June 1.

Dr. Vernon R. Alden, president of Ohio University, delivered the principal address at the 8:00 p.m. exercises in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum.

Among those receiving degrees was Joe Dale Francis, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Francis of Silvertown, who received the bachelor's degree in music education.

Bill Strange cracked a bone in his hand Sunday, and had to have a cast put on his left hand.

Ben Lesley of El Paso visited friends here Tuesday afternoon. He will be attending West Texas State University for six weeks, and both he and Mrs. Lesley expect to receive their masters degrees at the summer convocation.

Mrs. P. H. McKenney, Mrs. Asenath Tyree and Mrs. Ila Patton visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. A. A. James, at the Floydada Nursing Home Saturday morning.

Cathy Jones had the cast removed from her right leg Monday.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. W. W. Reid Thursday through Saturday were her sister, Mrs. Asenath Tyree of Columbus, Kansas, Mrs. Ila Patton, Tom and Sandra of Cherokee, Kansas.

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—Daniel Webster

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MANLEY WOOD

LITTLE LEAGUE SCHEDULE

JUNE 7	White Sox vs Indians and Blue Sox vs Gold Sox
JUNE 11	White Sox vs Gold Sox and Indians vs Blue Sox
JUNE 14	Blue Sox vs Indians and Gold Sox vs White Sox
JUNE 18	Blue Sox vs White Sox and Gold Sox vs Indians
JUNE 21	Blue Sox vs Gold Sox and White Sox vs Indians
JUNE 25	Gold Sox vs Indians and White Sox vs Blue Sox
JUNE 28	Gold Sox vs White Sox and Indians vs Blue Sox
JULY 2	Gold Sox vs Blue Sox and White Sox vs Indians
JULY 5	Indians vs Gold Sox and Blue Sox vs White Sox
JULY 9	Indians vs White Sox and Gold Sox vs Blue Sox
JULY 12	Indians vs Blue Sox and Gold Sox vs White Sox

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PINKNEY FRANKS	2 Lb. Pkg.	79c
TENDERIZED STEAK	Lb.	89c
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KIMBELLS SPINACH	303 can	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ FOR \$1.00
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KIMBELLS COFFEE	1 lb. can	69c
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Announcement of the engagement and forthcoming marriage of Miss Connie Collier to Mr. Tony Minyard has been made. The couple plans to pledge their wedding vows August 16 at the Church of Christ in Silverton. Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Collier, American missionaries in Essen, Germany. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Minyard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Minyard announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ruth Ann, to Mr. Bill Hatchett of Elk City, Oklahoma, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hatchett of Ramsey, Illinois. Vows are to be exchanged at the First Baptist Church in Silverton on August 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris Martin announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ginger Kay, to Mr. Ronald Lynn Mullin of Turkey, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Mullin, jr. A candlelight ceremony is being planned for 9:00 p.m. July 27, at the First Methodist Church in Silverton.

Mrs. Jerry Stephens Is Honored Here

Mrs. Jerry Stephens, the former Jill Williams, was honored at a miscellaneous shower Saturday, May 25, in the home of Mrs. Milton Frizzell.

Guests were received by the honoree, her mother, Mrs. McGee and Mrs. Elbert Stephens, mother-in-law of the honoree.

They wore corsages of red roses with white streamers made by Mrs. J. E. Patton.

The refreshment table was covered with a white lace cloth over red, carrying out the bride's colors. Cut glass and silver appointments were used, and a centerpiece of red roses decorated the table.

Registering from out of town were Mrs. Milton Thornton and Roni, Dexter, New Mexico; Mrs. Mart Hawbert, Albany, and Mrs. Tom Miller, Vernon.

Hostesses were Mrs. Ashel McDaniel, Mrs. James Patton, Mrs. Milton Frizzell, Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Roy S. Brown, Mrs. Paul Ledbetter, Mrs. Irving McJimsey, Mrs. Datis Martin, Mrs. J. L. West, Mrs. D. Oneal, Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mrs. Marlin Jarnagin, Mrs. Frank Mercer, Mrs. Claude Allison, Mrs. A. R. Martin, Mrs. Guinn Fitzgerald, Mrs. F. M. Breedlove, Mrs. L. A. Mattheus, Mrs. Joe McWaters, Mrs. K. N. Tiffin and Mrs. R. A. Edwards.

Approximately 40 guests attended the bridal courtesies.



Doyle Stephens and Merlene Stephens were the Eastern Star, in ceremonies held at the installed as Worthy Patron and Worthy Matron of Silverton Chapter No. 900, Order of O. E. S. Officers Installed In Public Ceremony Here Saturday Night

NEW BABY

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whitfill are parents of a daughter, Patricia Nicole, born Wednesday, May 29, in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed six pounds and seven ounces.

The couple have another daughter, Dani Faye, who was four years old on May 15.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Gidden of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patterson of Lockney and Mrs. Agnes Bingham. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Frances Gidden of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitfill of Rockport, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patterson of Lockney and Mrs. Agnes Bingham. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. A. H. Knox of Krum and Mrs. Cora Donnell.

Rusty and Tish have been making their home in Amarillo, but he is now employed in Fort Worth and Tish and the children plan to join him there soon.

Mrs. Waring Adopted By Silverton O.E.S.

Mrs. Jane Waring, a resident of the Eastern Star Home at Arlington, has been adopted by Merlene and Doyle Stephens as chapter mother for the Silverton Eastern Star Chapter for 1968-69.

The Stephens family was privileged to meet Mrs. Waring recently, and reported "falling in love with her at first sight."

Mrs. Waring is a graduate nurse, and is sharing her talent with others in the OES Home. She and her husband, Charles A. Waring, traveled a lot, and Mrs. Waring moved her Eastern Star membership as they traveled. Her membership is now held in the Laredo Chapter.

A petite 5'3", Mrs. Waring weighs 88 pounds, and at the age of 80 declares that she is determined that the years of her life will at least correspond with her weight.

Mrs. Waring, "Cricket" to her friends at the Home, was not able to be in Silverton for the installation ceremony Saturday night, but does plan to visit the Chapter during the summer. Already she is carrying on frequent correspondence with the Stephens family, whom she addresses as "my dear children." Mr. and Mrs. Waring had no children of their own, and her closest relatives now are cousins.

Dudley McMinn has spent the last two weeks here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Travis McMinn. Sunday after church, his mother, Mrs. Charles Graham, and Debbie McMinn came for Dudley. The Grammas are moving from Kress to Lubbock, and Maggie Graham expects to teach in the Lubbock school system.

Airman and Mrs. Emmett Tomlin and Donna Sue have been visiting relatives here. Airman Tomlin left Monday for a tour of duty in Vietnam.

Diane Long of Tulia has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. M. L. Welch, this week.

Agnes Bingham visited in Amarillo Thursday afternoon of last week with Mr. and Mrs. George Gidden and family and Mrs. Richard Whitfill, Dani and Nicole.

Mrs. Hill Installed As Junior Club Head

Mrs. Robert Haley Hill was installed as president of L. O. A. Junior Study Club in a ceremony conducted by Mrs. Clyde Brownlow at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 28, in the P. C. A. community room.

Using the theme, "Reflections," and with mirrors emphasizing each officer's duties and the things that each should reflect during the coming club year, Mrs. Brownlow conducted the impressive ceremony. The installing officer has served Caprock District TFWC as junior director during the past two-year administration. Others installed were Mrs. John Schott, first vice president; Mrs. Champ McGavock, second vice president; Mrs. Dean Rowell, recording secretary; Mrs. Art Sommerfeld, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Wayne Stephens, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Sarchet, reporter; Mrs. J. E. Patton, parliamentarian and Mrs. Eddleman, federation counselor.

Mrs. Sommerfeld presented the devotional, "The Impression You Make." Mrs. Eddleman and Mrs. Schott were hostesses, and served punch and cake from a table decorated with an arrangement of pink roses.

Mrs. Eddleman presented her retiring address and expressed her appreciation to each member with a corsage-gift.

A report on projects for the coming year was heard from Mrs. Fred Edwards, and members voted to ask Paula Birdwell to represent the club as a candidate for Rodeo Queen in August.

Meeting times were discussed, and members voted to resume meeting at 3:30 in the afternoons in September, and to provide a baby sitter for those who need one.

Attending the meeting were Mmes. Eddleman, Edwards, Hill, Jerry Miller, McGavock, Patton, Rowell, Sarchet, Schott, Sommerfeld, Stephens and Brownlow.

W. M. S. BIBLE STUDY HELD HERE MAY 28
Tuesday, May 28, members of the Day W. M. S. met in the home of Mrs. Nita Murphy for Bible Study. Mrs. Murphy gave the call to prayer, listing the missionaries who had birthdays that day. Mrs. Lottie Garrison had charge of the program and used a scripture reading from Acts 18:18 to 21:14, title of the study being "Missionary Agony and Ecstasy." Mrs. Garrison taught the lesson by dividing Paul's journey into (1) Joys and Satisfactions of the Missionary, and (2) Problems and Burdens of the Missionary. Punch and sweet treats were served to Mmes. Gladys Arnold, Theda Holt, Jo Meason, Georgia Allard, Vivian Hughes, Lottie Garrison and Nita Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Spud Tiffin, Jeff and Bruce, have moved from Canyon to Quitaque. Spud is farming, and Betty Nan has been employed to teach in the Quitaque school system after receiving her degree at West Texas State University this Spring.

Mrs. J. R. Steele entered High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo Sunday for examination, treatment and possibly surgery.



Randall Eddleman, junior past president of L. O. A. Junior Study Club, was pictured with Mrs. Clyde Brownlow of Amherst, May 28. Installing officer, and Mrs. Robert Haley Hill, president of the junior club. The installation of officers was held on Tuesday, May 28, at the P. C. A. community room. (Briscoe County News Photo)

Bride-Elect Feted At Pre-Nuptial Courtesies

Miss Pat Grabbe, bride-elect of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grabbe, was honored at a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Milton Frizzell Saturday afternoon.

Miss Grabbe was joined by her mother, Mrs. Joe Grabbe, and her mother of her fiancé, Mrs. Joe McWaters, in greeting guests. Special guests were Mrs. Olos Chitty and Mrs. Eddith Morgan, grandmother and great-grandmother of the bride-elect.

Miss Linda Yancey and Mrs. Ruby Pitchford served refreshments from a table decorated with a blue and white floral centerpiece. The bride-elect's colors were also carried out in the corsages of those in the houseparty

and the napkins. Hostesses were Mrs. Frizzell, Mrs. Gene Vaughan, Mrs. Dee Garvin, Mrs. George Long, Mrs. John Turner, Mrs. Doyle Stephens, Mrs. R. L. O. Riddell, Mrs. Datis Martin, Mrs. J. L. West, Mrs. F. M. Breedlove, Mrs. D. G. Shelton, Mrs. Carroll Garrison, Mrs. Claude Allison, Mrs. Lonnie Drewry, Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Jimmie House, Mrs. Robert McPherson, Mrs. D. Oneal, Mrs. Bud McMinn, Mrs. Frank Mercer, Mrs. Irving McJimsey, Mrs. Elbert Stephens, Mrs. L. B. Garvin, Mrs. Vance Childress and Mrs. John Mercer.

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O. E. S. Officers Installed In Public Ceremony Here Saturday Night

Merlene Stephens was installed as Worthy Matron and Doyle Stephens as Worthy Patron in a public ceremony at the Masonic Hall here Saturday night.

The Worthy Matron chose the Holy Bible as her emblem, and as her motto, "The Bible is the Sun-dial by which a man sets his life." Her watchwords are "A Prayer, A Deed, A Smile," and her theme for the year, "Things Worth-while." She chose Masonic blue and gold for her colors, and the red rose as her flower. Her chosen scripture is from I John 5:14, "And this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He heareth us."

Arrangements of red "Forever Yours" roses decorated the meeting room and the dining hall. Candles were lighted by Stephens and Barney Futch of Terrell, cousins of the Worthy Matron. The Bible was presented by Donna Stephens Copeland, and Judy Kay Stephens presented the square and compass.

Other officers installed were Margie Moreland, Associate Matron; M. G. Moreland, Associate Patron; Leavie Criswell, Secretary; Anna Lee Anderson, Treasurer; Elaine Forbes, Conductress; Mary Ann Sarchet, Associate Conductress; Dorene Acker, Chap-

lain; Ruth Baker, Marshal; Frances Crass, Organist; Betty Smith, Adah; Georgia Thornton, Ruth; Pat Whitfill, Esther; Grace Vaughan, Martha; Lois McKenney, Electa; Jimmie Sissney, Warden; Geraldine Grady, Sentinel.

Mrs. Fred Mercer sang "The Beauty and The Glory," accompanied by Mrs. Marvin Montague at the piano. Rev. James P. Patterson of Kress gave the benediction.

The Past Matron's pin was presented to Carolyn Self by her mother, Tina Schott. The Past Patron's pin was presented to Homer Stephens by his daughter, Elaine Forbes.

Installing officers were Lola Mae Stephens, Past Matron; LaVerne Long, Marshal; Carolyn Self, Secretary Pro-Tem; Dorothy Bomar, Chaplain; and Lillian Lindsey led the officers in their obligation.

Lola Mae Stephens, LaVerne Long and Carolyn Self were on the decoration committee for the installation. Dorothy Bomar, Lillian Lindsey and Annell Davis were on the refreshment committee. Margie Moreland, Elaine Forbes and Mary Ann Sarchet assisted with registration and serving punch, nuts, mints and cake squares.

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Planned leftovers are a boon to busy homemakers like yourselves. The remaining pieces of Sunday roast become delicious weekday suppers in a jiff with the help of convenience foods, especially canned condensed soups.

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Our feature today uses condensed cream of celery soup and planned-over ham in a dish quick enough for family dinners and attractive enough for company fare. Ham cubes, canned mushrooms, onion, garlic and curry powder cook together just until the onion becomes tender. When celery soup, water and lemon juice are added to the mixture, dinner is practically on the table. Served over broccoli spears, this dish is as tasty as it is attractive. Add a crisp note of orange and ripe olive salad. A sweet dessert of apple strudel and coffee round out your meal.

- CURRY OF HAM WITH BROCCOLI**
- 1 cup cubed cooked fresh ham
 - 1 can (2 ounces) sliced mushrooms, drained
 - 1 small onion, sliced
 - 1 medium clove garlic, minced
 - 1 teaspoon curry powder
 - 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
 - 1 can (10 1/2 ounces) condensed cream of celery soup
 - 3/4 cup water
 - 1 teaspoon lemon juice
 - 1 package (10 ounces) frozen broccoli spears, cooked and drained

In saucepan, cook ham, mushrooms, onion, garlic, and curry in butter until onion is tender. Stir in soup, water, and lemon juice. Heat, stirring now and then. Serve over broccoli. Makes 4 servings.

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I want to thank everyone for the cards, flowers, visits and phone calls while I was in the hospital and since I have been home. Thanks for the food. Everything was greatly appreciated. Ted Hester

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 10:00 a.m. on June 10, 1968, at the County Courthouse at Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for the above-named county.

As the result of action by the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission is responsible for the setting of seasons, bag limits, and means and methods of taking the wildlife resources in Briscoe County. All interested persons are urged to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF PERSHING HICKS MAY, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Pershing Hicks May, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 27th day of May, 1968, by the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My address is Allena Jewel May, P. O. Box 827, Silverton, Texas. My attorney is: J. W. Lyon, Jr., Box 625, Silverton, Texas.

Allena Jewel May Independent Executrix of the Estate of Pershing Hicks May, deceased. 23-2tc

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF ETHEL SARAH WOOD, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Ethel Sarah Wood, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 27th day of May, 1968, by the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present the same to either of us within the time prescribed by law. The address of Willie D. Wood is 3822 N. Braeswood, Apt. 91, Houston, Texas; the address of Clayton Densel Wood is P. O. Box 54, Dell City, Texas. Our attorney is J. W. Lyon, Jr., P. O. Box 625, Silverton, Texas.

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Travis Gilkeyson has been home on leave visiting his mother, Mrs. J. T. Gilkeyson, and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edd Steele and Curt spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Baird and family at Jal, New Mexico. Sheila Steele remained here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brannon.

Mrs. Travis McMinn, Pam and Danny Thompson accompanied Johnny Thompson to Amarillo for a doctor appointment Monday. Mrs. McMinn and Danny also accompanied Johnny to Amarillo to see his doctor on Wednesday and Friday of last week.

Kim Steele has been here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Steele.

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