

Homecoming All Set For This Saturday

All Around the Town
by Mary Ann Sarchet

The sports cartoons in the Lubbock Avalanche Journal relating to the Southwest Conference football championship have been amusing lately. Of course, they always draw up the stupidest charges possible to represent A&M's defeat, but the cartoonists don't give much credit for brains to the prospects of the other schools either.

All Lubbock and the surrounding area have been "thinking cotton" this year, but this didn't turn out to be the year of the Red Raider any more than last year. It just wasn't hog killing weather in Lubbock Saturday. The title of football fortunes just can't be predicted, either in the Southwest Conference or little old District 2-A.

I know this won't be any consolation to those involved, but I am pleased with the way the All-District team selections came out. The coaches say this is because the competition for some of the positions on the All-District teams is so great.

I do not wish to detract from the honor that has been given to any of Silvertown's players, but we are others who should have been mentioned, at least. I would have almost anything that Lannie Arnold would have been selected. He deserved to be.

With six teams in District 2-A, I really think that one offensive and one defensive team, each with their honorable mentions, should be named. With so many deserving to be honored, it seems a waste to honor one boy twice and others not at all. A boy who deserves to be honored on one of the teams probably plays his best if he plays on the other team, and I don't think that awarding a double honor is that much more impressive.

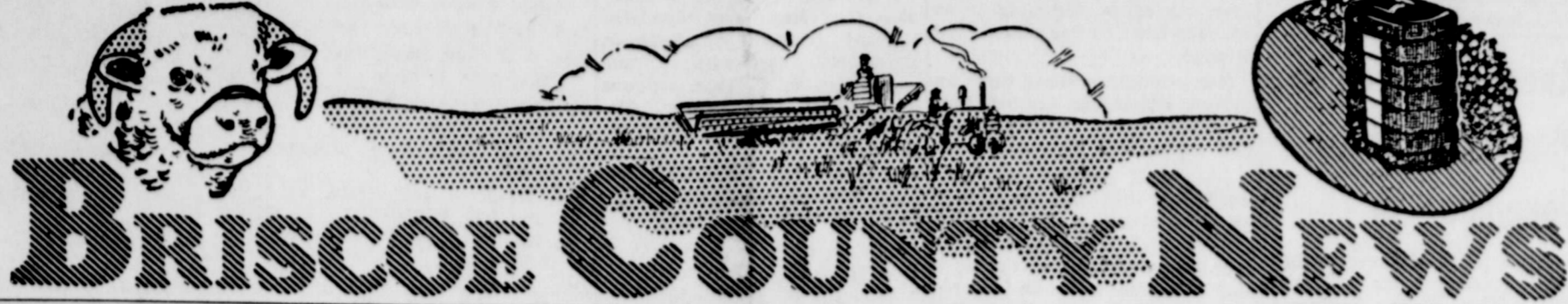
I wasn't very happy about having Wheeler represent District 2-A in the bi-district game against Clarendon. Wheeler lost the game, though I never did see a write-up of it anywhere. I surely do believe that Clarendon let Wheeler slip on their blind side that fateful night about three weeks ago. It just proves that a football team can be UP all the time. But that's not much consolation when a weaker team wins the toss of a coin.

When you read through the list of All-District players, you'll see what team, in the opinion of the District 2-A coaches, is the best. Clarendon won it hands down, being listed 18 times. McLean was second, listed 11 times, followed by Happy, 7; Silvertown, 6; Wheeler, 5; and Claude, 2.

I really think, in the case of a tie for the championship, there should be a better way of selecting the district representative than by tossing a coin.

I don't think there's been a season since 1959 when I didn't see a single player brought off the field with injuries. The only ones who came out this season were Perry or were having leg cramps and we haven't seen much of that. Our boys have played hard in most of their games, and have represented the school and town admirably. They have faced the best trying situations and have acted like gentlemen. They have conducted themselves in such a way that we can all be proud of them, and since so many people have thrown so many nasty comments at the players and coaches all season long, I'd like to extend my appreciation for a job well done to those involved.

The effect of good leadership is obvious, and the credit for this belongs to Coach Bill Lorraine. We also owe thanks to the boys—almost a whole team of them—who have butted heads with the enemy all season long, have taken the same punishment in work, have kept the same training, have put out the same amount of energy, and have gotten to play two games: OUR B TEAM. These players have kept at it through the disappointment of losing only two or three players which caused the team to forfeit most of its scheduled games. We'll



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Basketball Season Now Underway Here

Both the Owls and Owlettes held their own against the highly-rated Quitaque teams in games played here on Friday evening of last week.

The Owls, who had practiced football until a few days before the games, were defeated 65-30 and 42-23 by the Panthers who had already begun their schedule.

The Owl varsity scoring was led by Jimmy Walker, who netted 9 points; Bill Strange, who sank 6 points; and Max Hamilton, who caged 4 points. Quitaque's highest-scoring individuals were Price, 16; Payne, 14; and Hamilton, 9.

The Panthers led at halftime with a 37-18 edge, and dumped in 20 points in the third period to move to a 57-25 lead. The Owls scored 9 points in the first quarter, 9 in the second, 7 in the third and 5 points in the final period.

The B-team Owls were led in scoring by Finas Ivory, with 14; Rod Vaughan and Brittit Parker, with 3 points each.

It's Toys-For-Tots Time Again Now

by Mary Ann Sarchet

L. O. A. Junior Study Club is again conducting a campaign for Toys for Tots, to collect toys to be distributed to the underprivileged children of the community at Christmas. The club members have already made individual contributions to this campaign, and are now urging others to contribute also.

Toys to be donated can be taken to the City Hall, to the Briscoe County News or to any member of the junior study club or Volunteer Fire Department. Toys needing to be repaired need to be brought early so the firemen can be working on them.

Mrs. W. T. Masey, Mrs. M. B. Self and their helpers are dressing dolls for Toys for Tots again this year. Last year, they waved their magic wand over 22 dolls who very badly needed the "fairy godmother" touch, and turned them into beautiful gifts for little girls. There is a doll called "Poor Pitiful Pearl." Well, all these little outcasts were Poor Pitiful Pearls when they were donated to Toys for Tots. You really have to see them before and after to appreciate the transformation that takes place at the "Masey Doll Hospital." I saw the broken, dirty, naked dolls of all sizes last year before Mrs. Masey and the others went to work on them, and again when the dolls were brought back to the distribution center. It seemed like Mr. Masey was at our office every other day picking up the dolls I had scrounged from the donations and bringing back the finished dolls. Each doll was as professionally packaged as an individual without a lot of equipment could make them, and each doll had at least one change of clothes in addition to the most beautiful patch-work quilts and blankets you can imagine! When I lined them up on the table, to be chosen by parents who were unable to buy toys for their children, the array looked just like a toy store!

This year, Mrs. Masey and Mrs. Self started earlier, and have already transformed 40 dolls. They will do this for all the dolls donated again this year, I guess;

The B-team Panthers held a 12-6 halftime advantage after the B-team Owls failed to score a point in the second quarter. The Panthers outscored the Owls 12-9 in the third period, to move to a final 42-23 win.

The B-team Owls scored 6 points in the first period, 9 in the third and 8 in the final stanza.

The Owl varsity also dropped a 60-23 decision at Lockney. Thurman May led the scoring with 6, followed by Marvin Self with 5, and Lannie Arnold with 4.

The Owls scored 7 points in the first quarter, 5 in the second and third periods and 6 in the fourth quarter. They trailed at halftime 12-28.

OWLETTES

The Owlette varsity was decimated 66-49 by the Quitaque Pantherettes. Paula Birdwell led the scoring with 23 points, while Evelyn Wood netted 16 points and Diana Strange caged 9.

Sherry Stark sank 27 points to lead the Pantherette scoring, followed by Jackie Cheatham, with 25, and Barbara Chandler, with 10.

The Owlettes scored 11 points in the first quarter, 7 in the second, 17 in the third and 13 in the final period. They trailed 18-29 at halftime.

Guards for the Owlettes were Kathy Self, Lexie Younger and Jereldine Weathered.

they worked right up to Christmas last year.

And when the parents desiring these dolls and toys make their selection from the things available, I am sure that the dolls will be the first chosen.

Mrs. Masey and Mrs. Self and their helpers furnish all the materials used in restoring the dolls, in addition to many hours of their time. I know that these people are adding stars in their crowns because I have worked closely with this program and know how willingly this service is being given.

The Owlettes defeated Lockney 46-24, with Evelyn Wood leading the scoring with 23 points. Paula Birdwell caged 10 points, and Marsha Teeple netted 6.

Silvertown moved to a 17-4 first quarter advantage over Lockney, and held the long end of the 23-12 halftime score. They outscored Lockney 11-4 in the third period and 12-8 in the fourth stanza to move into the 46-24 win.

The teams play their next games against Petersburg, starting at 7:00 p.m., in the Silvertown gym.

Santa Letters Needed For Christmas Paper

It's time for the kids to be thinking about writing their letters to Santa, and the Briscoe County News would like to publish as many Santa letters as possible in the Christmas edition this year.

Through a special arrangement with the North Pole, Santa has agreed to have the children mail their letters to Box 255, Silvertown, and the letters will be forwarded to Santa in plenty of time for him to fill all the Christmas orders. The letters must be received by the Briscoe County News not later than Tuesday, December 17.

D. G. Shelton has been a patient in Swisher Memorial Hospital.

F. C. Gatewood has been a patient in the Lockney Hospital.

First Aid Course To Be Taught Here

A standard Red Cross first-aid course will be taught in Silvertown on the nights of December 2, 5, 9 and 12 in the school cafeteria. Each session will last 2½ hours, beginning at 7:30 p.m., and will be taught by instructors from Plainview.

The course is offered to anyone of any age. The public is invited, and bus drivers are encouraged to attend. All school bus drivers will soon be required to have attended first-aid school and hold a first-aid card.

If there are enough who get their standard first-aid cards, it is possible that an advanced first-aid course may be taught here.

District 2-A All-District Selections Named

The All-District 2-A offensive and defensive teams were named at a meeting of coaches held November 20. Clarendon led the poll, placing nine players on the All-District teams and receiving nine honorable mentions. McLean ranked second with five All-District awards and six honorable mentions.

Happy had four All-District selections and three honorable mentions, followed by Silvertown, with five All-District selections and one honorable mention. Wheeler got five All-District awards and no honorable mentions, and Claude got one All-District and one honorable mention.

Owls Cletus Grady and Larry Comer were named to both the offensive and defensive All-District teams. Bill Strange was a unanimous choice as linebacker on the defensive team. Alvin May received honorable mention as a defensive lineman.

OFFENSE

Center
Jim Barker, McLean
James Tucker, Wheeler

Mitchell Martin, Clarendon

Guards

Steve Vernon, Happy
Bill Longan, Clarendon
Larry Comer, Silvertown
Honorable Mention
Jerry Dwyer, McLean

Tackles

Everett Monroe, Clarendon
Ronald Rives, Wheeler
Honorable Mention
Terry Wright, Happy
Philip Longan, Clarendon

Ends

Jim Moore, Clarendon
Larry Kidd, Clarendon
Roger Johnson, Claude
Honorable Mention
Mike Dorsey, McLean
Quarterback
Joel McCarty, McLean
Honorable Mention
Don Mooring, Clarendon

Backs

Don Rives, Wheeler
Steve Land, Clarendon
Cletus Grady, Silvertown
Honorable Mention
Thacker Haynes, McLean
Earnest Smith, McLean

Zeke Frost, Happy
Charles Louis, Clarendon

DEFENSE

Linemen

Billy Longan, Clarendon
Ronald Rives, Wheeler
Joe Dempsey, Happy
Jerry Dwyer, McLean
Larry Comer, Silvertown
Steve Vernon, Happy
Honorable Mention
Doyle Gilberth, Clarendon
Alvin May, Silvertown
Mitchell Martin, Clarendon
Bennie Reese, Clarendon

Linebackers

Don Rives, Wheeler
Bill Strange, Silvertown
Thacker Haynes, McLean
Honorable Mention
Zeke Frost, Happy
Everett Monroe, Clarendon
Philip Longan, Clarendon

Secondary

David Brown, McLean
Walter Reese, Clarendon
Steve Land, Clarendon
Charles House, Happy
Cletus Grady, Silvertown
Honorable Mention

Archie Castleberry of Amarillo, who was school principal here from 1932 until 1935, will be the principal speaker for the Silvertown School Homecoming Saturday, November 30.

Mr. Castleberry went from here to Vega, where he was superintendent of schools for five years. Since 1941, he has been with the Southland Life Insurance Company of Dallas, and has won many awards from his company. He visits in Silvertown often.

Vincent Smith will be master of ceremonies for the homecoming program.

A special guest at the homecoming will be Woodrow Wilson, who was an assistant coach here in 1935. He served as head coach in 1936 and 1937. He is a graduate of Texas Tech, where he played football under Coach Pete Cauthorn. Wilson now makes his home in San Diego, California.

The reunion will begin with registration at 1:00 p.m. A hospitality committee will greet guests, and ex-students and teachers will have time to visit before the program begins at 3:00 p.m. Dinner will be served in the school cafeteria following the program.

Anyone who has been out any money in preparation for the homecoming is asked to turn in a list of his expenses to Roy Montague Saturday.

Class representatives have been busy mailing out letters to as many former students as possible. If anyone has not received a letter, he is asked to consider this his personal invitation to attend Homecoming in Silvertown on Saturday, November 30.

"BETTER THAN A LETTER FROM HOME!"

The motto, "Better Than A Letter From Home," has been coined by the Briscoe County News because that phrase has been applied to your hometown newspaper by so many former residents of Silvertown.

At Christmas, the hometown paper is a gift that continues for 52 weeks. There's no gift wrapping, but a card announces your gift to the recipient. Best of all, the subscription rate hasn't skyrocketed along with so many consumer items: the Briscoe County News is still only \$2.50 in Briscoe and adjoining counties and \$3.50 elsewhere.

The subscription price in 1925 was \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Missionary To Speak Here On December 4

Anita Green, who is a Maryknoll Missioner on leave from her work in Peru, will be a guest of the W.S.C.S. at the United Methodist Church at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, December 4.

Church members and the public are cordially invited to attend this special meeting.

Miss Green has worked in Bolivia and Peru for six years, the last three of which have been at Puno, Peru, working as a general duty nurse in a Peruvian Government Public Hospital. She has been working in the Puno Department with a group of 80,000 Quechua Indians doing Public Health Nursing and education. She works with a team of Jefferson City, Missouri, people and with three Peruvians, and they are the only mission group with the 80,000 backward, isolated group.

Miss Green has indicated that she will speak on her work with them.

Earnest Smith, McLean
Roger Johnson, Claude
Dick Back, McLean
Jim Moore, Clarendon
*Denotes unanimous choice.

Coaches Bill Lorraine, Bill Wood, Billy Wiggins and Superintendent J. S. Hinds attended the district meeting.

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE

CANCELS NOVEMBER MEETING

The Briscoe County Historical Survey Committee will not meet during November due to Thanksgiving being on the regular meeting day.

Dock Wallace has been a patient in the Lockney Hospital recently.



OWLETTE VARSITY — (back row, from left) Charlic Weathered, Juannah Nance, Kathy Self, Evelyn Wood, Cathy Jones, Marsha Teeple, Jereldine Weathered, Lexie Younger; (front row, from left) Manager Cynthia Sutton, Cecilia

Garcia, Paula Birdwell, Gayla Tate, Rhonda Dickerson, Barbara Davis, Diana Strange, Lanis Davis, and manager Pat Jarrett.

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NEWS FROM THE COUNTY AGENT'S DESK

Grain Sorghum Demonstration Results
 Results of a grain sorghum variety demonstration for 1968 have been completed with Allen Kellum and the Briscoe County Agent, Ken Cook.
 The purpose of this grain sorghum variety demonstration was to test several different varieties of the same maturity dates to determine yield potential of each different variety. Varieties tested in this demonstration were Plo-

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Annual Meeting Planned Saturday, November 30

The directors of the Greenbelt Cotton Producers, Inc. (formerly Rolling Plains Cotton Producers, Inc.) announce that the annual meeting of the organization will be held November 30, at 2:00 p.m. at the Cotton Classing Office in Memphis.
 The election of directors and a resume of the past year's business will be among the important items

near 846, Paymaster R109, Weathermaster GS-65A, Paymaster R1050, Paymaster R1060, Weathermaster GS-75, Paymaster R1080, Excel B-52, Paymaster R2020 and Lindsey Funk 788A.
 These varieties were planted with atrazine and ag. oil being used for herbicides. Irrigation levels included pre-plant plus two irrigations and the seeding rate was eight pounds per acre with two rows per 40-inch bed spacings. This field was not sprayed for greenbugs.

Yields per acre were determined and were as follows:
 Pioneer 6215
 Paymaster R109 5134
 Paymaster R1050 5068
 Paymaster R1060 6154
 Paymaster R1080 6476
 Paymaster R2020 6214
 Weathermaster GS-65A 5681
 Weathermaster GS-75 6596
 Excel B-52 6174
 Lindsey Funk 788A 5490
 This test was helpful in proving varietal characteristics against one another in yield performance. Susceptibility to greenbug damage was noticed in all varieties but Weathermaster GS-75 showed less greenbug damage than did the other varieties.

Christmas Mailing Information Given

Christmas cards must have a 6c stamp on them this year and they will be classified as first class mail if they do not weigh over one ounce, according to an announcement by Postmaster Fred Strange.

You can mail greeting cards up to two ounces for 6c, but they must be unsealed and cannot contain any written messages.

Since most greeting cards will weigh less than one ounce, they will be classified as first class mail. Therefore, it would be to your advantage to use the first class rate, since it can be forwarded and can be returned to the sender if the return address is shown on the envelope.

Overseas SAM parcels must be mailed before November 23.

Overseas PAL parcels must be mailed before November 30.

AIR MAIL parcels must be mailed before December 11.

"Mail early" is the word from postal officials across the country.

Mrs. A. R. Northcutt of Clayton, New Mexico, is here visiting friends and relatives this week.

on the agenda. Mr. Wiley Cain, the new officer in charge of the Memphis Classing Office, will also be introduced.

The organization was formed in 1959 for the purpose of establishing a cotton classing office in Memphis. More than 136,000 bales of Smith-Doxey cotton were classed last season at the Memphis office, which serves cotton farmers in Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Donley, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Hemphill, Hutchinson, King, Lipscomb, Motley, Ochiltree, Roberts and Wheeler counties.

Officers and directors currently serving are V. C. Durrett, Lakeview, president; Ernest Rea, Tell, vice president; A. J. Garland, Clarendon, secretary-treasurer; D. D. Pennington, McLean; J. R. Hefley, Twitty; H. S. Mahaffey, Clarendon; D. E. Brunson, Quitaque; Dudley Chewning, Cee Vee; L. B. Collis, White Deer; Joe Degan, Flomot; and W. R. Breeding, Samnorwood.

Minyard Promoted To Specialist-Five

Carl G. Minyard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Minyard of Silverton, received a promotion on October 29 to Army specialist five in Vietnam, where he is serving with the 513th Engineer Company.

A truck driver in the company near Cam Ranh Bay, Specialist Minyard entered the Army in March 1967, completed basic training at Fort Bliss, Texas, and was stationed at Fort Rucker, Alabama, before arriving in Vietnam last April.

His wife, Fern, is making her home here while Specialist Minyard is in Vietnam.

NEW BABY

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Martin of Tulla are parents of a daughter, Melinda Jan, born November 20 in the Plainview Hospital. She weighed four pounds and one ounce.

Grandparents are Mrs. Arnold Turner and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Martin. Great-grandparents are Mrs. M. A. Martin of Childress and Mrs. S. R. Turner.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONTEST TO BE HELD DECEMBER 14

The Amarillo Symphony Young People's Concert will present "A Christmas Concert" on December 14 in the Civic Center Auditorium at 3:30 p.m.

The concert is planned especially for young people. Tickets are 50c each.

If you would like to purchase tickets, please call 3051 or 847-4591 before December 5.

Basketball Schedule

Nov. 26—Tulia, there, 6:30, Varsity, B Girls
 Dec. 2—Petersburg, here, 7:00, Varsity

Dec. 3—Turkey, here, 7:00, Varsity; 5:30, B Girls
 Dec. 5-6-7—Hart Tournament

Dec. 9—Turkey, there, 7:00, Varsity; 5:30, B Girls
 Dec. 10—Hart, here, 7:00, Varsity; 5:00, B Boys

Dec. 12-13-14—Silverton Tournament
 Dec. 17—Kress, there, 6:30, Varsity; 5:30, B Girls

Dec. 20—Hart, here, 7:00, Varsity; 5:30 B Boys
 Dec. 31—Quitaque, there, 7:00, Varsity; 5:30, B Girls

January 2-3-4—Hale Center Tournament
 Jan. 7—Kress, here, 7:00, Varsity; 5:30, B Boys

Jan. 10—Queen Bees, there
 Jan. 17—Claude*, here, 6:30, Varsity
 Jan. 21—Happy*, there, 6:30, Varsity

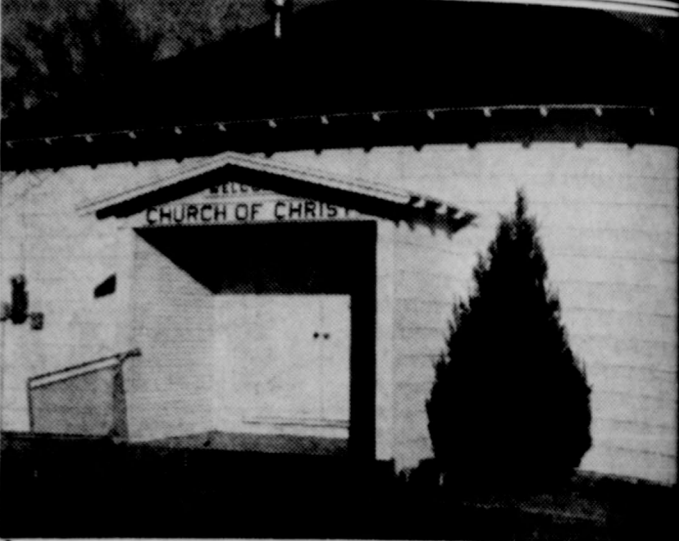
Jan. 24—Clarendon*, there, 6:30, Varsity
 Jan. 28—McLean*, here, 6:30, Varsity
 Feb. 1—Wheeler*, there, 6:30, Varsity

Feb. 4—Claude*, there, 6:30, Varsity
 Feb. 7—Happy*, here, 6:30, Varsity
 Feb. 11—Clarendon*, here, 6:30, Varsity

Feb. 14—McLean*, there, 6:30, Varsity
 Feb. 18—Wheeler*, here, 6:30, Varsity

Charles Sarchet and Ken were in Lubbock Saturday morning for Ken's doctor appointment.

Mrs. Rex Tiffin was a patient in the Plainview Hospital last week.



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ELLIS CHILI	24 oz.	65¢	Del Monte Cut 303 Can	GREEN BEANS	25¢

*** MEAT MARKET**

VELVEETA CHEESE	1 lb.	55¢
WILSON ALL MEAT BOLOGNA	lb.	45¢
LOIN STEAK	Lb.	85¢
CLUB STEAK	Lb.	85¢

*** FRUITS & VEGETABLES**

RED POTATOES	10 lb.	39¢
BANANAS	lb.	10¢
CALIF. SUNKIST ORANGES	lb.	19¢



TIME TO COUNT OUR BLESSINGS AND GIVE THANKS

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MRS. ELBERT L. DUBOSE

Mercer - DuBose Vows Exchanged In Candlelight Ceremony Here

The First Baptist Church in Silvertown was the scene of the marriage of Miss Mary Linda Mercer and Mr. Elbert Lynn DuBose on Monday, November 16, at 8:00 o'clock in the evening.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde E. Mercer of Silvertown, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. DuBose of Wellman.

The Rev. Clyde Cain, pastor of the Avondale Baptist Church in Amarillo, officiated the double-ring ceremony before an emerald bank of palm and fern accented with pink roses. Double candelabra holding white tapers were decorated with palms, pop-poms and satin bows. Aisle candelabra held pink

candles decorated with white gladiolus tied with a deeper pink satin ribbon. The church windows were decorated with tapers, candles and greenery in cathedral design.

John Mercer and John Minyard, cousins of the bride, lighted the window and background candles before the ceremony.

Escorted and given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white satin and peau de soie lace design designed with seed pearl beaded bodice. Her sweetheart neckline was accented with lace scallops and her long sleeves extended to petal points over her hands. Her bouffant victorian veil of illusion was edged with peau de soie lace trim and extended to cathedral length, as did her satin train which was edged with matching lace. She carried a cascade arrangement of pink roses and orchids atop a lace-covered Bible.

The bride was attended by Miss Barbara McCalib of Brownfield, Misses Judy Stephens and Karen Holt, both of Silvertown.

Jennifer Lavy was flower girl, and Scott and Mark Hutsell lighted the candles. All are cousins of the bride.

Kenneth Jones of Brownfield, a nephew of the bridegroom, was ring bearer. Steve Goza of Brownfield was best man, and groomsmen were Jimmy Smitherman of Brownfield and Joe Mercer, brother of the bride.

Seating the guests were John Mercer and John Minyard, cousins of the bride, Lynn Goldstein and Dennis Kimbell.

The maid of honor and bridesmaids wore formal gowns of pink imported saki, with trains attached at their empire waists. They wore matching shoes and peau de soie rose headpieces to which were attached brief veils of illusion. Their cascade bouquets of pink roses were attached to lace muffs.

The flower girl was dressed similarly to the other bridal attendants, and wore a pink rosebud wristlet. Her basket of rose petals was trimmed with lace and decorated with pink as was the pillow on which the wedding rings were carried.

Nuptial selections were played by Mrs. L. B. Garvin, jr., organist, and Mrs. Fred Mercer, aunt of the bride, sang "Whither Thou Goest."

GOOD SAMARITAN CLASS HAS THANKSGIVING PROGRAM

The Good Samaritan Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McMurtry Wednesday, November 20, for a luncheon and inspirational Thanksgiving program.

The table was covered with a white linen cloth, and centered with a white cake on which was the Biblical inscription of the words of the Twenty-third Psalm. The menu consisted of turkey and dressing with all the trimmings.

The couple knelt on a white wrought-iron prieu dieu during the wedding prayer, and added the lighting of their memory candle to the ceremony.

At 2:30 p.m. the group conducted their business meeting which was led by the president, Mrs. Shelby Haynes. Mrs. J. E. Wheelock was elected as Sunday School assistant secretary, and Mrs. C. O. Allard was elected as assistant teacher.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the fellowship hall of the church.

The program which followed the business session was opened with a song, "We Praise Thee O God," led by Mrs. Leavie Criswell. The 100th Psalm was given by Mrs. Mae Tension following prayer by Mrs. Bill McCracken. Mrs. H. C. Mercer read a Thanksgiving Heritage story, and Mrs. J. C. Rhoderick gave the story of The Indian Virgin of the 23rd Psalm. A poem, "We Give Thanks," was given by Mrs. C. O. Allard.

Members and friends who enjoyed the occasion were Mmes. J. W. McCracken of Amarillo; Erma Piercy of Turkey; Bruce Burleson of Amarillo; Mary Rampley, R. E. Stephens, H. C. Mercer, Minnie Haynes, H. P. Howard, J. M. Perry, Mae Tension, Tina Schott, H. S. Crow, Belle Olive, I. L. Douglas, Susie Garrison, J. E. Wheelock, J. C. Rhoderick, Leavie Criswell, Nannie Bomar, C. O. Allard, Elzora Gallington, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. McMurtry.

Mrs. Weldon Tipton registered the guests at a desk complimented by an arrangement of white gladiolus and pink roses arranged around a pair of white lace wedding bells.

Circulating hostesses at the reception were Misses Marilyn Minyard, a cousin of the bride, Roy Dale Garrison, Cathy Jones and Debbie Bomar.

For their wedding trip to Acapulco, Mexico, the bride traveled in a grey knit suit with matching accessories.

The couple were at home in Brownfield on November 22.

The bride is a graduate of Silvertown High School and of Isabel's University of Cosmetology in Lubbock. The bridegroom is a graduate of Wellman High School and is engaged in farming. He is also a member of a National Guard Unit.

REHEARSAL
Mr. and Mrs. L. A. DuBose hosted a rehearsal dinner Friday evening, November 22, at the City Cafe.

An arrangement of pink roses and white gladioli decorated the banquet table.

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Homes warm with love, and friends who care;
A country beautiful and blest,
Now rich with harvest everywhere.
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Safe under peaceful skies, we pray.
Guard all those rights we hold so dear—
In freedom's name to go or stay,
Voice our opinions without fear,
In our own ways to worship Thee!
Now as we lift our hearts in praise
God help us share abundantly!

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Thanksgiving Prayer

Dear Lord, we give Thee thanks this day,
But not alone for daily bread—
For all Thy gifts which bless our lives.

We thank Thee for love, that makes life's burdens light,
For friendships shared, for hope and joy,
But mostly for the precious right

To think and speak as conscience leads,
To worship Thee, each in his way,
To walk in freedom where we will,
Lord, as we pause to praise and pray.

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New OES Cookbooks Available Here Now

The new cookbooks, compiled by members of the Silverton OES from their favorite recipes and the best recipes of their friends, "What's Cookin' In Briscoe County," is on sale now for \$4.00 a copy from all members and at Merlene's Flowers, Crass Motor Company, Southwestern Public Service Company and the Briscoe County News.

The cookbook was compiled on the commemoration of the Diamond Jubilee of Briscoe County, and historical significance has been emphasized throughout the book. In recognition of the work done by the Briscoe County Historical Survey Committee, three pages have been devoted to historical markers which have been erected in Silverton through the efforts of the committee. One is the Texas Historical marker for outstanding peace officers and is in memory of Miner Crawford.

In 1891, a few months after coming to the Plains, Crawford was appointed deputy sheriff to serve under the jurisdiction of Donley County, and on March 15, 1892, at the organization of Briscoe County, when Silverton was chosen as the county seat, he was elected as Briscoe County's first sheriff. The salary for his services was \$300.00 a year, plus \$60 for courthouse maintenance.

On March 3, 1894, the Briscoe County jail was erected at a cost of \$2,487. The 74-year-old jail is one of the few remaining structures built by the early settlers, and has received a Texas Historical medalion.

The cookbook continues with a section entitled, "The Good Old Days." Historical sketches of pioneer families are given, followed by their favorite recipes and the

recipes of the descendants of the Briscoe County pioneers.

Kate Burleson Price recalled how she helped her father plow with horses and load cane on a horse-pulled slide. A recipe of hers and favorites of some of her descendants are used.

Orie Donnell Alexander relates how Silverton and the surrounding countryside looked at noon on July 19, 1891, when she first arrived here. She and her daughter have favorite recipes in the book.

In the history section Blanche Watters Newman recalls hearing her family tell that horses were so afraid of automobiles in the early days that people rode miles out of their way to keep from meeting one. When she was too small to help gather cow chips for winter fuel, she rode on the sled and drove the old horse, "Humpy." It was said that you could tell how prosperous a man was by the size of the pile of cow chips he had in his yard.

Ellanora Jane Vaughan, who died just four days before her 106th birthday in 1938, and some of her descendants have recipes in the book Mrs. Vaughan's recollection of life during the Civil War are also described in the history section.

The Brooks family recalls in the book hearing their mother Eva Askey Brooks, relate that a stranger was never turned away from their door without a free meal and lodging.

Alma Cloyd Hill's story about being frightened by two men with guns while riding in a mail hack near Turkey with only one other passenger is also told.

The family of John C. Welch recalls that while building his dug-out home, he became very tired and while resting decided to count his money. The total sum amounted to 15c. Suddenly there was something wildly ridiculous about being so far out in the middle of nowhere without any money, and he sat out on the prairie overcome with laughter. All this, and more can be read in "What's Cookin' In Briscoe County."

Earl Malone's sure-cure remedy for curing your aches and pains when you are out riding horseback is also included in the book. According to Earl, you should dis-

mount, raise up a cow chip, spit under it, and put it back exactly like it was originally. The secret is getting the cow chip back in its rightful position. When you again mount your horse, the pain will be gone—it has always worked for him! His recipe for removing warts from mules is also given.

If you like to read about or recall the days when mother got up because the "heefly boys" walked the girls home after Literary Society on Friday afternoons, Easter eggs were hidden underneath cowchips, and parties at the Burlesons, then you might also like to try one of the favorite recipes of the Whiteley sisters.

Favorite recipes of young and old cooks alike are used in the cookbook. Perhaps two of the youngest who submitted their recipes are Donna and Connie Rowell. Carolyn Montague submitted her fruit punch recipe, which has been such a favorite everywhere it has been served. And all the others, from Cowboy Stew to deserts and sauces, have a great appeal because they are the favorite recipes of the ones who submitted them for publication. Many have been handed down from generation to generation, and have had to be re-written from descriptive measurements like a handful of this, fat the size of a walnut, a pinch or a smidgen, etc., into terms of measure with which all homemakers are familiar.

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From The Files

Do You Remember?

As the school homecoming grows near, these items of interest to Silverton exes have been culled from the files of the Briscoe County News.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wilmeth, who had been teaching at Providence, returned to Silverton to teach the second semester. Mrs. Glynn Bunch had been employed to replace Mrs. Nina Martin in the sixth grade . . .

M. G. Moreland, chairman of District 2-B, had been in Austin in regard to the suspension of Wheeler from football. The Inter-scholastic League announced that the suspension was made because of Wheeler's failure to furnish correct information on eligibility and use of one player who played on both the "A" and "B" teams at Shamrock the previous year. Mr. Denton of Lakeview and Mr. Harris of Turkey accompanied Mr. Moreland to Austin. . .

Boys showing animals in the 4-H and FFA livestock show were Walter Arnold, Freddie Edwards, Harold Edwards, John Howard Burson, Guinn Fitzgerald, Robert Haley Hill, Charles Mayfield, Bill Stephens, Kenneth Stephens, Harry Thompson, Tom Thompson, Dave Schott, John Schott, Doc Simpson, calves; Don Cornett, Sid Marshall, Doyle Tiffin, Eston Gamble, Steve Jarnagin, Jimmy

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TWENTY YEARS AGO

The Juniors presented "Date Bait," starring Jean Morris, Shirley Haynes, Jemmila Turner, Norma Jo Teeple, Joye Brown, Mickey Cornett, Alvie Francis, Jim Mercer, Don Burson, Theodore Strange, Clifton Bearden, Jett Mason and Walter Bean . . .

On the honor roll for the third six weeks were Mary Tom Bomar, Duane Lemons, freshmen; Joan Clemmer, Joy Reithmayer, Marion Arnold, Wayne McMurtry, sophomores; LaRue Gilkeyson, Joye Brown, juniors; Melba Jean Estes, Gladys Hyatt, Frances May, Joye Deavenport, Sybil Absher, seniors.

The Quarterback Club was giving away a refrigerator to raise money for football field improvements . . .

"Silas Smidge from Turnip Ridge" was the title of the play presented by the Seniors. Members of the cast were Hazel McGavock, Joye Deavenport, Raymond McJimsey, Nelda Montague, Lona Ann Stephens, Mann Bingham, Carl Tidwell, Betty Lynn Marshall, Eva Lou Self, Clifton Stodghill, Fred Arnold, Fayree McMinn, and Jerry Simpson in the title role as Silas Smidge . . .

The Student Council and guests enjoyed a picnic at roadside park. Attending were L. B. Garvin, LaRue Gilkeyson, Marian Arnold, Wayne Hamilton, Joye Deavenport, Don Burson, Carl Tidwell, Jeanne Dennis, Clifton Stodghill, Betty Dickerson, Billy Wayne Garvin, Richard Tunnell, Betty Gardner, Gladys Hyatt, Jett Mason, Wonna Woods, Mary Tom Bomar, Wayne McMurtry, Mickey Cornett and Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Brevard.

Sandra Mallow, Beth Mason, Kay Steele, Junis Mercer, Mary Dudley and Johnnie Ballard attended a Scout encampment at Buffalo Springs Lake . . .

Billy Nye and Walter Arnold attended the district 4-H camp at Wichita Falls . . .

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Jake Spencer of Miami was employed as high school principal and athletic coach for basketball and boxing . . .

Clyde Mercer was editor of the Owllet, and members of the staff were Jean Northcutt, Winona Francis, Freddie Garrison, Ruby West, Travis McMinn and Jo Webb. Sponsors of the paper were Miss Louise Linton and Miss Leota Rappy . . .

Roy Montague, reporter for the 4-H Club, reported on the pig project of J. C. Fowler and on Gene Dickenson's chicken project . . .

Hazel Wilson was recognized as the author of a poem to appear in The Rural Letter Carrier, national magazine . . .

Appearing in the Senior play, "His Ozark Cousin," were Winona Francis, Joe Earl Deavenport, Opal West, Jonnie Allard, Roy Montague, Jean Northcutt, Freddie Garrison, Fay Tice Bomar, D. J. Northcutt, Dorothy McMurtry, Clyde Mercer and Ruby West . . .

Fourth Grader Don Bomar won first in the April Rally, both for the most bonds sold and for the most scrap collected . . .

The Quitaque Panthers whipped the Owls 26-0 in 6-man football. Silverton players were Gene Dickenson, fullback; J. L. Self, quarterback; D. L. Young, halfback; Clovis Hill, left end; Troy Vaughan, center; Bobby McWilliams, right end. For Quitaque, players were E. P. Lewis, fullback; T. Hawkins, quarterback; Slick Hamilton, halfback; Graves Mayfield, left end; Glenn Brotherton, center, and C. E. Anderson, right end.

Estelle and Matorador finished in a tie for the championship in District 4-B basketball. Turkey finished third, followed by Silverton, Lakeview, Quitaque and Flo-mot . . .

The Eighth Grade took a trip to Carlsbad Caverns and the Seniors traveled to Florida . . .

The Third Grade rode the train from Tula to Plainview, accompanied by Mrs. Gordon Montague and Mrs. E. D. Wilmeth. W. A. Holt brought the class home in a school bus . . .

Patsy Crass, Wayma Callaway and Ann Brown poured punch for a tea for their mothers sponsored by the F.H.A. chapter . . .

Silverton's Owls took a 21-12 homecoming game win over Lock-et, in a Class B non-conference game. Gordon Alexander was elected president of the Ex-Student Association, succeeding Billy Ellis. Approximately 450 were in attendance at the barbecue . . .

The Owls took a 31-0 football win over Quitaque, beat Estelline 34-20, tied Matador 7-7, and played Turkey for the district championship. Freddie Hamilton threw a touchdown pass to Don Ledbetter, the play covering 52 yards, and Hamilton ran the extra point. Hawkins scored two touchdowns for the Turks and Bill Farley carried the conversions.

Attending were Manemma Hut-sell, Stella McJimsey, Leavie Criswell, Ima Harrison, Ruby Garvin, Blanche Newman, and Minnie Thompson, and these visitors, Mrs. Belle Olive, Jennie Fisher and Alma Brannon.

A Thanksgiving poem was given by Ruby Garvin, and a song by Mrs. Fisher and Leavie Criswell. "Thanksgiving Gladness" was given by Blanche Newman, and the class joined in singing "God Be

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS GIVE Y-F CHAPTER PROGRAM

Silverton Young Farmers met Thursday, November 21 in the school vocational agriculture department, and heard a program presented by the ag I boys on chapter conducting. Quinn Montague presided over the program.

Following the program, Calvin Shelton conducted the business meeting.

The Turkey Shoot to be Saturday, November 23, was discussed and final plans were made for the activity.

Robert H. Hill will be chairman of the committee for grain for Boys Ranch. The club also voted to donate \$25.00 for the annual Christmas fund for Boys Ranch.

A meeting was called for Tuesday, November 26, for the purpose of working on the program of work for the coming year which is due in the Area I office on December 1. All members were urged to attend.

Members present were G. W. Chappell, Dwain Henderson, Jimmy Myers, Alton Riddell, Shelton, Art Sommerfeld, Wayne Stephens and John David Turner.

Rock Creek Club Meets With Mrs. Milton Frizzell

Rock Creek Club met in the home of Margaret Frizzell Thursday, November 14, and quilted a quilt.

Those who attended were Ruth West, Ruby Garvin, Ruby McWalters, Mrs. Stella Davis, Nena Loudermilk, Eddie Mae McDaniel, Ver-na Allison, Anna Breedlove, Marie Garrison, Margaret Frizzell and a guest, Allena May.

The club will meet with Marie Garrison on December 3.

Cake and cookies were served.

Elmer McCravens has been a patient in the Lockney Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Eddie-man, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edd Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Towe were among those who attended the Tech vs. Askansas football game in Lubbock Saturday.

With You Till We Meet Again." Leavie Criswell dismissed the class with prayer.

SILVERTON BUSINESSES ARE CLOSED TODAY

Silverton businesses are closed today, while families enjoy Thanksgiving holiday.

W.S.C.S. PLANS SPECIAL MEETING FOR DECEMBER 4

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday morning for a regular business meeting with Mrs. J. S. Hinds presiding. Plans were made to have Mrs. Anita Green to speak December 4 at 9:30 a.m. in fellowship hall with everyone invited to hear her.

Members of the W.S.C.S. are asked to bring their gift for the Methodist Mission Home of Texas to the church December 10.

Mrs. Vance Childress was hostess.

Tina Hooten has been a patient in the Lockney Hospital recently.

Mrs. Clyde Mercer has been a patient in a Lubbock hospital.

Mrs. Don Thomas of Champaign, Illinois, arrived here Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Thomas and Becky. Don Thomas joined his wife here later in the week, and will stay until after his sister, Becky Thomas, is married Saturday.

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The Silverton F. B. L. A. Chapter hosted a Thanksgiving Tea for the teachers and administration last week. The Senior girls were

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F.B.L.A. HOSTS HOLIDAY TEA

The Silverton High School teachers and administrators were guests at a Thanksgiving Tea given in their honor by the F.B.L.A. chapter Thursday, November 21.

Tables were gaily decorated in Thanksgiving motif. Each guest received a name tag and were served refreshments of hot spiced tea and assorted homemade cookies.

Barbara Davis provided piano music as guests and members of the sponsoring organization were served. Copies of the Briscoe County News, which are furnished weekly by the local publishers, were read during the period of fellowship that followed.

A special guest was Mrs. Myrtle Polachek, who arrived just in time for the tea. She had come to the school for an interview in connection with her application for the position of English and speech teacher. Mrs. Polachek assumed her duties on Monday of this week and is filling the position recently vacated by Mrs. Tony Allen.

The Senior girls made cookies for the tea and acted as hostesses. The Juniors prepared and delivered the invitations, and the Sophomores served on the cleanup crew.

First Game Played By Owls, Owllettes

The Silverton Owls and Owllettes traveled to Lockney for the first games of the season Thursday, November 21.

The Owllettes captured a win over the Lockney girls with a score of 45-24. Evelyn Wood was high point girl with 23 points.

The Owls had only three work-outs before their game because of football. The Longhorns outscored the Owls 60-23. Thurman May hit six points to be high point boy.

Mrs. Polachek Is New Teacher

Mrs. Myrtle Polachek has recently been employed as English teacher in Silverton High School. She taught in the Amarillo public schools for 25 years, and holds a B. A. degree from Hardin-Simmons University and a M.A. degree from Texas University. Mrs. Polachek's hobbies include sewing and gardening.



BARBARA DAVIS

To Participate In T. F. B. Program

Barbara Davis has recently been notified that she has been selected to represent her school in the McCall's 1968-69 Teen Fashion Board. She is among the international ranks of girls who are outstanding home economics students in their senior year of high school. Barbara will receive a membership card, pin, certificate, and the T. F. B. Mirror, a monthly newspaper filled with news about the Teen Fashion Board, its activities and its members, along with a catalogue of McCall's fall fashions, a portfolio to hold mailings and clippings about her honor, and reports on her sewing and classroom projects. Barbara is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Davis.

OWLS' HOOT STAFF

- Co-editors.....Kathi Perkins
Gail Mayfield
- Sponsor.....Mrs. Faye Rampley
- Sports.....Lannie Arnold
Jim McWilliams
Ricky McWilliams
- Organizations.....Willie McIntyre
Jerry Bean
Teresa Martinez
- News.....Roy Dale Garrison
Gayla Tate
- Fun & Nonsense.....Cathy Jones
Paula Birdwell



CAROL ANN MONTAGUE

Co-Ed Correspondent Is Named Here

Miss Carol Ann Montague, 17, has been named Co-Ed Correspondent for the 1968-69 school year, according to an announcement by Miss Margaret Hauser, editor of CO-ED magazine.

CO-ED, published nationally by Scholastic Magazines, Inc., for home economics students, contains articles on fashion, food, beauty and home furnishings, in addition to fiction.

Carol, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Montague, is a senior in Silverton High School. She was recommended for the honor by her homemaking teacher, Mrs. Rubie Williams.

Selected for her leadership and enthusiasm for home economics, Carol will serve as junior advisor to the CO-ED editors. Like the other CO-ED correspondents across the United States and Canada, she will keep the editors informed of activities at her school.

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- Eyes—Margie
- Nose—Margie
- Ears—Margie
- Hands—Margie
- Teeth—Margie
- Smile—Margie
- Walk—Lenda
- Legs—Juannah
- Personality—Paula B.
- Sweetest—Terry J.
- Friendliest—Terry T.
- Smartest—Juannah
- Best All Around—Margie
- Cutest—Cathy J.
- Beautiful—Carron
- Voice—Paula B.
- Perfume—Anybody that wears
Emeraude
- Best Dancer—Margie
- Figure—Carol Ann

Basketball News

The Silverton varsity basketball teams will play their next games with Petersburg on December 2, at 7:00 p.m. here. Everyone is invited to attend these games to cheer for the home teams.

SECOND GRADE NEWS

by Tracy Gill
We had a substitute teacher on Monday, November 18, Mrs. Wayma Bomar. We all enjoyed her very much. Last Friday several boys and girls bought book covers. For one Owl book cover it's 35c.

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Widows Will Be Eligible For Education Assistance

An estimated 9,940 Texas widows of veterans who died as the result of military service will be eligible for up to 36 months of educational assistance from the Veterans Administration beginning December 1, Jack Coker, manager of the Waco VA regional office, has announced.

He pointed out that starting the first day of December, the wives of Texas' 6,148 totally and permanently disabled veterans will also be entitled to VA educational assistance payments of \$130 a month—up to a maximum of 36 months—for full-time institutional training.

The allowance for three-quarter time training is \$95 a month, with \$80 being paid for half-time training.

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ing under the new law granting these widows and wives VA educational help for the first time in the history of veterans' benefits in the United States, Coker said.

Widows and wives now eligible for this benefit will have until December 1, 1976, to complete their training under this new program, Coker explained.

He said that women who become eligible in the future for VA educational assistance due to the service-connected death or permanent and total disability of their husbands will have eight years in which to complete their training.

Eligibility of widows and wives does not depend on when their husbands served in the Armed Forces. However, he added, if a widow remarries or a wife divorces her husband she loses her entitlement.

Coker emphasized that it will not be necessary for eligible widows and wives to contact the VA for detailed information on this new program.

In the near future the Veterans Administration will mail explanatory material with widow's dependency and indemnity compensation (DIC) checks and with the compensation checks for totally and permanently disabled veterans.

Achievement Award To Plains Division Manager

J. M. Collins, Plains division manager for Southwestern Public Service Company, recently was awarded a certificate of achievement for the performance of the division's motor fleet in the National Fleet Safety Contest conducted by the National Safety Council.

The presentation was made by Arlie Hudson of Amarillo, director of personnel, and Roy Holmes, system safety supervisor.

The award is based on the company's safety performance from July 1967 through June 1968. During this period, the firm's drivers operated approximately 2,000,000 miles and had 3.97 accidents per 1,000,000 miles of operation.

The record of 3.97 accidents per 1,000,000 miles of operation represents a reduction in frequency of accidents of nearly 50% and is much lower than the national average for competing fleets of 12.83 accidents per 1,000,000 miles.

Jerry Hays of Plainview is the division safety and personnel supervisor responsible for the training programs which contributed to the award.

Claude Crossing Club Meets In G. Mayfield Home

The Claude Crossing Community Club met Thursday, November 21, in an afternoon session in the home of Mrs. G. Mayfield.

The afternoon was spent doing needle work and playing Bridge and "42."

Christmas names were drawn. The Christmas party will be held in the home of Mrs. Jo Mallow on December 19.

Refreshments were served to Mes. Don Garrison, Gordon Alexander, Pat Northcutt, Pascal Garrison, Marvin Stephens, Bryant Eddleman, Lois Posey, D. T. Northcutt and Albert Mallow.

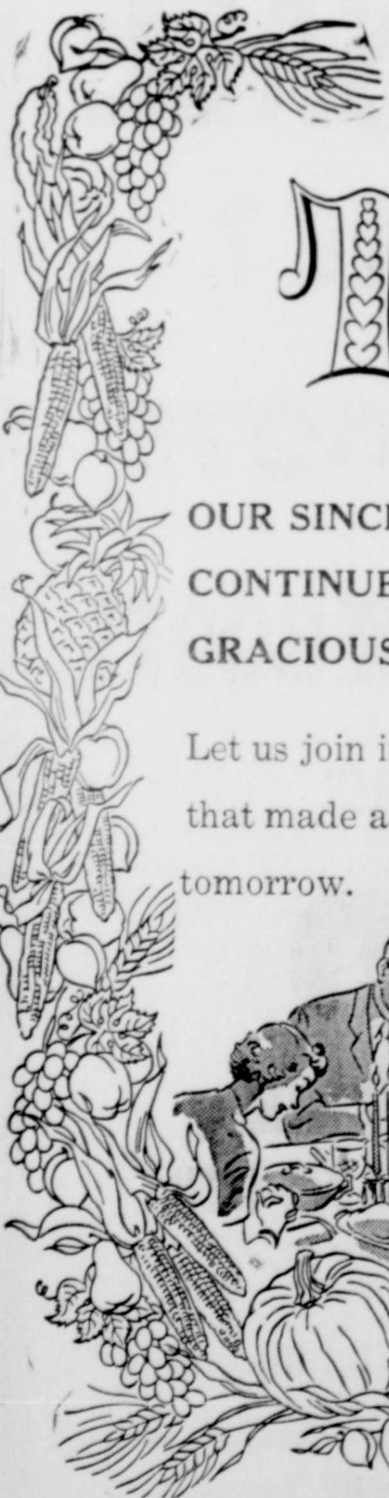
Mrs. A. P. Dickenson was a patient in Swisher Memorial Hospital after breaking her hip in a fall at her home here recently, but has been dismissed.

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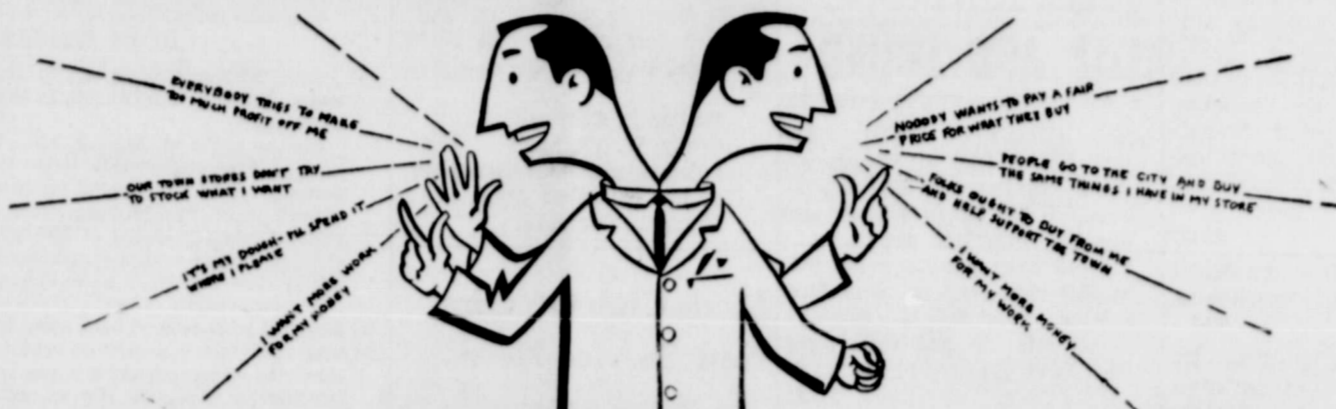
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put dollars in our pocket before our Mr. Buyer self can spend them out of it.

And every time we, as Mr. Buyer, take one of those dollars out of circulation here by spending it out of town, we shrink Mr. Seller's market so it's a little harder for him to get us some more dollars.

It's too bad we don't get more teamwork out of our two personalities. When Mr. Buyer is cutting Mr. Seller's throat, we need to recall that they are both using the same throat.

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WANTED: WOMEN WHO HAVE tried every way to lose weight and can't. Try TOPS. Phone 847-4712. 37-tfc

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST: STRAYED FROM PASTURE 10 mi. East of Silvertown - Black ball-faced heifer, wt. about 500 lbs. Branded M on left hip and split right ear. Strayed from pasture 6 mi. SW of Silvertown - yellow whiteface calf, wt. about 500 lbs. Branded M on left hip and split right ear. Fred Mercer, Phone 4211. 47-tfc

LOST: HALF-GROWN STRIPED yellow tom cat; last seen east of school. Phone 2401, Carol Stodghill. 48-1tp

CARDS OF THANKS

May the Lord bless each one of you who remembered me with cards, flowers, visits and prayers while I was in the hospital. All these meant more to me than I can tell you. Thank you so much. Mildred McDaniel

We would like to express our appreciation for your prayers, visits, cards and flowers during our stay in the hospital. DeLynn is doing fine now and we are happy to have her home. Guinn and Pat Fitzgerald

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF GLENA F. CHAPPELL, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Glenna F. Chappell, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of November, 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 Wilbur P. Chappell is 3509 Polk Street, Amarillo, Texas; the address of Grady W. Chappell is Route 1, Silvertown, Texas. Our attorney is: J. W. Lyon, Jr., Box 625, Silvertown, Texas. Wilbur P. Chappell Grady W. Chappell Independent Joint Executors of the Estate of Glenna F. Chappell, deceased.

Lions Club Offering New Service Here

To stimulate patriotism, the Silvertown Lions Club is offering a public service. For the sum of \$10.00 per year, the Lions will furnish a flag for your home or place of business, will put the flag up for you on appropriate holidays, and will put away the flag for you. The flags will be purchased and maintained by the Silvertown Lions Club. If you would like to hire the Lions to perform this service for you, please contact Kenneth Tate, Troy Jones or Charles Sarchet.

WANTED BY THE FBI



JOHN WILLIAM CLOUSER

John William Clouser, a Florida mental hospital escapee, who has vowed not to be taken alive, is one of the FBI's "Ten Most Wanted Fugitives."

On the night of April 2, 1964, Clouser and three other inmates escaped from the Florida State Hospital in Chattahoochee and reportedly forced two hospital employees to drive them to the Columbus, Georgia, area. The hostages were robbed but released unharmed. A Federal warrant issued at Montgomery, Alabama, on April 8, 1964, charges Clouser with transporting a stolen car from Georgia to Alabama, where the stolen car was recovered abandoned.

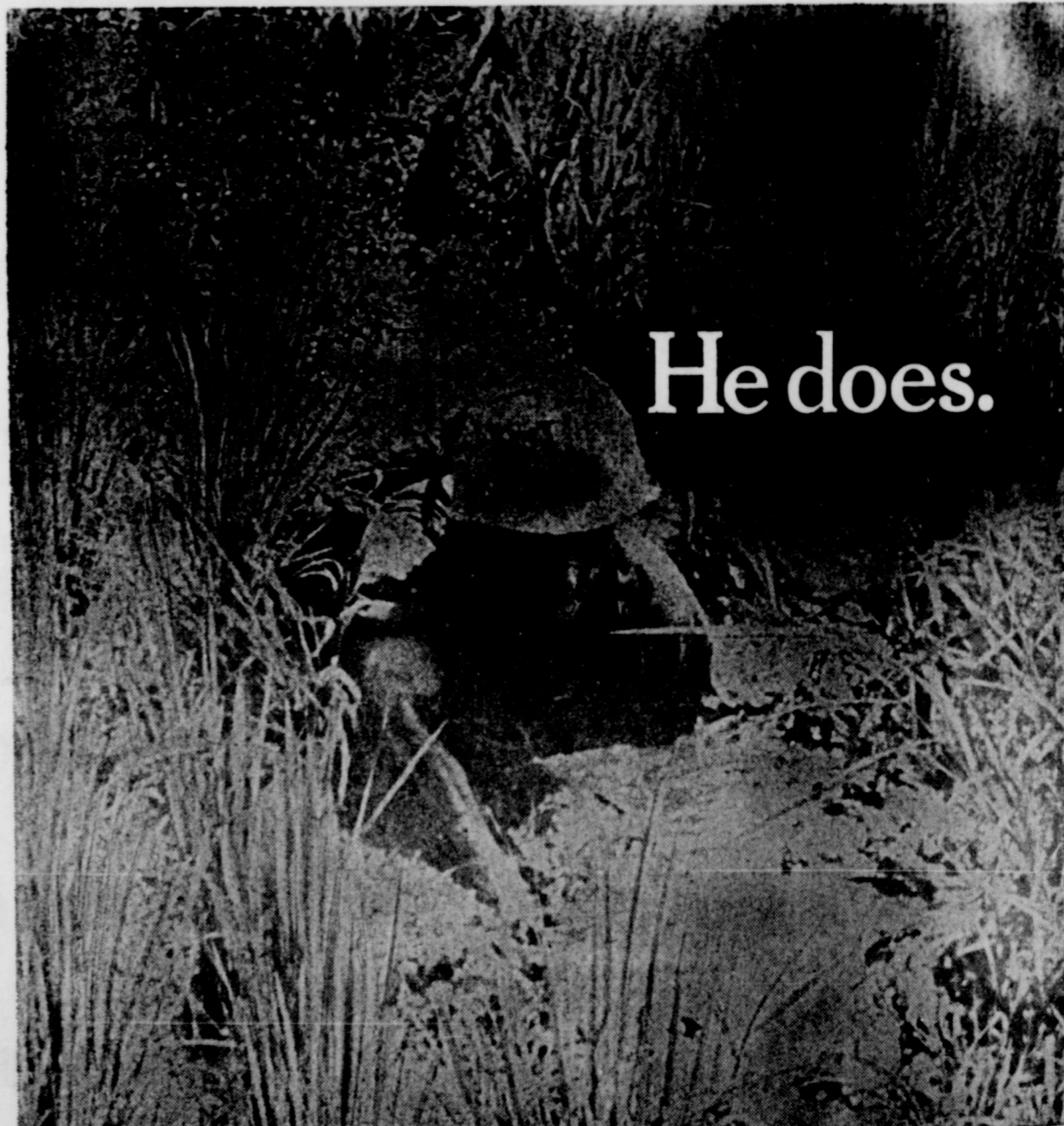
A former police officer, Clouser was admitted to the Florida State Hospital in February, 1964, after being adjudged mentally insane. He was then facing numerous criminal charges and had earlier been convicted of participating in the robbery, kidnapping and beating of two theater managers. His conviction was appealed, however, due to a state error, and he was released and granted a new trial.

He is a white American, born in Chicago, Illinois, on March 29, 1932. He is 5'9" tall, weighs from 165 to 180 pounds and has blond hair, blue eyes, a stocky build and ruddy complexion. He is tattooed with a panther on his right shoulder and a heart pierced with an arrow on his left shoulder.

He is described as a sadist who would not hesitate to beat a victim to death, is an expert pistol shot, exercises and lifts weights regularly and is proficient in Judo and Karate. Consider him extremely dangerous.

Should you receive any information concerning the whereabouts of John William Clouser, you are requested to immediately notify the nearest office of the FBI, the telephone number of which may be located on the first page of local telephone directories.

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