

Information Given on Voter Registration

The period for registering to vote in the 1970 elections began October 1, 1969, and ends January 31, 1970. The 1970 voting year begins on March 1, 1970, and ends February 28, 1971. This is the period for which the registration is effective.

REGISTRATION NECESSITY
The general rule is that no one can vote without having registered. A former exemption from registration for persons over 60 years old who did not live in a city of 10,000 or more inhabitants is no longer in effect. The only major exception to the general requirement for registration is for persons who are absent from their county of residence in active military service.

VOTING QUALIFICATION
The required qualifications for voting are:
1. Citizen of the United States
2. Over 21 years old on the day of the election
3. Resident of the State for at least one year immediately preceding election day
4. Resident of the county for at least six months immediately preceding election day—required for voting in local elections but not required for voting on statewide offices and issues (Residence in the city for six months is required for voting in city elections)
Persons convicted of a felony who have not had their right of suffrage restored and persons under an adjudgment of mental incompetency cannot vote.

WHO MAY REGISTER?
Any person who already fulfills the requirements stated above, or who will fulfill them before the end of the 1970 voting year on February 28, 1971, may register during the regular period. Persons registering before they meet the age or residence requirements cannot vote until the requirements are met. Their registration certificates will show the date on which they will become eligible to vote.

WHO MUST REGISTER?
All persons already meeting the requirements for voting listed above must register by January 31, 1970. They cannot register after that date.
Persons who will become 21 years old by January 31 must register by that date and cannot register later. (Persons becoming 21 after January 31 may register during the regular period, and may also register at any time afterward but must have been registered for 30 days before they can vote on the registration.)
Persons who were residents of Texas on October 1, 1969, must register by January 31, 1970, regardless of whether they will have met the one-year residence requirement by that date and regardless of whether they will have lived in the county of present residence for six months. (Persons moving into Texas after October 1, 1969, may register during the regular period, and may also register at any time afterward but must have been registered for 30 days before they can vote on the registration.)

WHERE TO REGISTER
A person must register as a voter of the county and precinct where he has his permanent residence (domicile). He makes his application for registration to the county tax assessor - collector of that county. The application may be made either by mail, on a voter registration application form which can be obtained from the assessor-collector's office, or by personal appearance in the assessor-collector's office or before a deputy who has been authorized to serve at some other location. There is no charge for registration.

APPLICATION THROUGH AN AGENT
The husband, wife, father, mother, son or daughter of a voter may act as the voter's agent in applying for registration if the relative is a qualified voter in the same county. Except for these listed relatives, which do not include persons related by marriage (in-laws), no one may act as agent for the voter applying for registration.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Garrison and Walt of Bryan and Danny Vaughn of College Station spent the weekend here with relatives and friends. Mrs. Bill Wood returned with them for a visit with her brother-in-law, sister and nephew.

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Owls To Host Kress Kangaroos

by Mary Ann Sarchet

Silverton's Owls will host a former District foe, the Kress Kangaroos, here Friday night in the last non-conference game of the season. It's been many moons since the Owls have defeated Kress, and the Kangaroos are fielding an exceptionally tough team this year.

The Owls will need all the support fans can give this Friday night as they go into the game.

Some scores of interest from the other District 2-A teams last Friday night are:
Kress 52, Happy 0
Groom 14, Wheeler 6
White Deer 28, McLean 12
Clarendon 6, Canadian 0
Stinett 20, Claude 0

It's hard to believe that the Owls can do so well on statistics and keep losing ballgames by such one-sided scores. District 1-AA Boys Ranch shut out the Owls 19-0 Friday night, with the Silverton boys amassing just as many first downs and gaining almost as many yards as the winner!

Each team made 13 first downs. Silverton penetrated within the Boys Ranch 20-yardline three times, while the Ranchers had four penetrations for three touchdowns.

Penalties and fumbles were costly. In the first quarter, Silverton put together a 95-yard drive that was set back by 20 yards in penalties before carrying to the Boys Ranch 9-yardline. After being set back between 15 and 20 yards attempting to pass, the Owls were unable to score. The ball went over to the Rough Riders on their own 11, and the team gained five yards before losing a fumble to Owl co-captain Bill Strange.

This time the Owls penetrated to the five and were penalized five before losing the ball via the fumble route. Just minutes later, Gary Martin recovered a fumble for the Owls, and Silverton was back in business on their own 15. After gaining a first down on the Silverton-28, the Owls had a pass intercepted and carried all the way for the second Boys Ranch score. In the second half, the Owls allowed Boys Ranch only one first down before receiving the punt. However, again a fumble halted the drive, this time on the Silverton-37. No forward progress was allowed Boys Ranch on this series of downs, and they were back in a punting situation. Marvin Self returned the punt to the Silverton-44, and this time the Owls moved down to the Boys Ranch-20 before stalling and seeing the ball go over on downs.

Still another Silverton fumble, this one in the fourth quarter and on the Owl-18, gave Boys Ranch the ball and field position, and the Ranchers wasted no time in scoring. When the game ended, the Owls were driving again, but could not shake off the old penalty-fumble demon before time ran out.

The Owls lost 70 yards on penalties. They gained 296 yards, as compared with 315 for the Rough Riders, who were penalized 45 yards. Roger Younger earned a star by intercepting a Boys Ranch pass in the fourth quarter.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fore of Amarillo were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McDaniel.

Year's Rainfall Totals 19.11 Inches
So far in 1969, Silverton rainfall has totaled 19.11 inches, according to the official measurements made by Fred Strange. Most of this amount has fallen in the second half of the nine-month period.

Broken down by months, this has been received:
February59
March 1.36
April88
May 3.38
June 3.45
July 1.70
August 3.33
September 4.42
Total 19.11

Garrison To Receive Degree in December
Garner Garrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Garrison, an agriculture education major from Silverton, will graduate from Tarleton State College in Stephenville in December 1969. He will be student teaching at Wylie High School in Abilene from October 27 through December 13.

Garrison is a 1965 graduate of Silverton High School. He was active in the FFA chapter while in high school. In college, he has been active in the Collegiate FFA chapter, Rodeo Club, and a member of the Junior and Senior Livestock Judging Team.

The City of Silverton has been at work clearing the site of the new City Hall, construction of which is expected to begin right away. The house, which was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Strange before being purchased by the City, once housed the telephone office. An effort has been made to learn more about it—when it was built, how long it served as the telephone office, etc. Can any of you readers furnish this information for the Briscoe County News? (Briscoe County News Photo)

Information Given for Mailing Packages to Servicemen Overseas

The following periods have been designated for mailing Christmas parcels to members of the Armed Forces overseas, according to Postmaster Fred A. Strange:
(1) Surface Transportation—October 13 to November 8
(2) SAM (Space Available Parcel Airlift)—October 20 to November 22
(3) PAL (Parcel Airlift)—October 27 to November 29
(4) Airmail—December 1 to December 13

PACKAGING
All articles should be packed in boxes of wood, solid fiberboard, or strong double-faced corrugated fiberboard. All fiberboard boxes should be securely wrapped in heavy paper which materially strengthens the package. Each box should be well tied with a strong cord. Sufficient cushioning material should be used to prevent any rattling or loosening of articles within the package. Unless tightly filled, boxes are likely to be crushed. A slip showing list of contents, name and address of sender and addressee should be enclosed inside the package.

ADDRESSING
Addresses must be legible and complete, and should be prepared by typewriter or pen and ink. The APO and FPO numbers are the same as the ZIP Code and must be shown on all mail.

GREETING CARDS
Greeting cards can be mailed for 6¢ per ounce, and cards going to distant states should be mailed not later than December 10.



REV. AND MRS. MARTIN

Revival Planned At Assembly of God

A revival will be held at the Assembly of God Church in Silverton October 15 through October 25. Leading the revival will be Rev. and Mrs. Donald B. Martin of Lorenzo. Rev. Martin is the C. A. representative of the East Plains Assembly.

Heart Fund Accepts Memorial Donations

A memorial gift is a tribute of respect in memory of a friend or loved one. It also benefits the entire community by providing support for the Heart Association activities toward the conquest of cardiovascular disease, explained Mrs. Wayne McMurtry, chairman of the Briscoe County Heart Association.

"Give sorrow words," Shakespeare advised. "The grief that does not speak will break the heart."

"Today, you can give sorrow an even better expression than words," Mrs. McMurtry said. "You can honor the departed with a memorial contribution to the Heart Fund. The process of making a memorial is simple. The only information needed is the name of the person honored, the name and address of the person to be notified, and the name and address of the donor."

Memorials should be sent to Briscoe County Heart Association, Box 672, Silverton, Texas 79257, she concluded.

Teen Time Planned Here October 11

A teen time party, with music by the "Evolution", will be held from 8:00 until 11:30 p.m. Saturday, October 11, in the school cafeteria. Admission will be \$1.50 per person.

Sponsors are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strange and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lee.

First Briscoe Cotton Ginned At Quitaque

The first bale of cotton for Briscoe County was delivered to the Farmers Co-Op Gin in Quitaque by K. R. Dossey. The 570-pound bale was Lanark variety.

Mr. Dossey received a premium of 50¢ per pound for lint and \$100 a ton for the seed.

SILVERTON MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION IS MAKING HOUSING SURVEY HERE

The Merchants Association is attempting to make a survey of rental property available in Silverton. An effort will be made to secure the cooperation of those owning rental property here so that a catalog of available housing can be compiled. This will be very helpful later on when construction crews and other workers begin to look for housing in this area.

Owners of rental property will be asked—but not required—to leave a key with Wayne Nance, so that the house or apartment can be shown immediately to prospective renters.

If you own rental property in the Silverton area, please fill out the survey information requested below, and send it to Wayne Nance, Box 885, Silverton, Texas 79257. If you are willing to let him keep a key to the unit so that

Wins Awards In State Dress Revue

Roy Dale Garrison was second-place winner in the wool division at the State Dress Revue held at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas last week.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Garrison, the outstanding Silverton 4-H Club girl received a savings bond and award.

It was interesting to note that the overall winner in the State Dress Revue had selected the same pattern that was used by Miss Garrison.

Attending the State Dress Revue with Roy were her mother and Briscoe County Home Demonstration Agent Naomi Hunt.

Rhea Granddaughter To Co-Star in Movie

Miss Sherry Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith of Alpine, has signed a contract with Western Film Productions to co-star in a film with Glenn Corbett, according to Jim Taylor of Hollywood, California, president of the producing company. Miss Smith is the daughter of the former Inez Rhea, and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhea of Silverton.

Gordon Alexander has been a patient in Swisher Memorial Hospital since becoming ill again Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander have recently purchased a home in Silverton, and are remodeling it before moving to town.

1969 SILVERTON RENTAL PROPERTY SURVEY

Property Owner's Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Type of Rental Property: _____
(House, Apartment, etc.)

Size of Rental Unit: _____
(Number Bedrooms, etc.)

Location: _____

Monthly Rent: _____ On Pavement? _____ Age of Unit: _____

Construction of Unit: _____ Garage? _____ Carport? _____

Cellar? _____ Backyard Fence? _____ Carpeting? _____

Type of Heating: _____ Type of Cooling: _____

Furnished? _____ Unfurnished? _____ Partially Furnished? _____

Shortest Period of Time For Which Unit Will Be Rented: _____

Longest Period of Time For Which Unit Will Be Rented: _____

Other Information Regarding Unit: _____

Will you leave a key with Wayne Nance, so that the unit can be shown immediately? _____

I understand that the Silverton Merchants Association will not charge any fee for this service; that final approval of renter is up to me; that all rent payments will be made directly to me; that my key will be returned to me whenever I request it; and that the Silverton Merchants Association will not be responsible for any dispute that might subsequently arise between the renter and me.

Signed: _____
(Owner)

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Swell" to win, though I abhor the attitude. "Win at all costs, unfairly if necessary."

And I use the above primarily to point up the second kind of our "Oh, Swell" elation.

In keeping with the real feeling of lasting elation, we may think of the following illustrations. The athlete feels elated when he has fairly blocked a man down, but surely that satisfaction is put in a "frame of silver" when the victor reaches out a hand to help the fallen up. I suggest that this feeling reaches into the stands and the good-hearted people there whisper, "Oh, that's swell."

The parents who, even in tears, are ready and willing to train their youngsters by restraining and even painfully correcting them will, upon seeing the fruit later, experience a feeling of peace (elation) and this is sure to be felt by the child itself as a feeling of "thankful satisfaction."

The coach or parent who frowns upon this philosophy, I think, has missed the point of his calling. So this "real elation" (happiness, satisfaction, peace) that is not passing, or transient, can but be the fruit of devoting one's life to labors and activities in which everyone wins and no one is hurt. This is true only when we bend our efforts toward projects and plans that are for the betterment of homes, schools, communities, and country. All of these, when accomplished, afford a peace and feeling of quiet elation that prompts an "end of the day" whisper, "It's been a swell day."

But neighbors, as necessary and important as the material needs of our community are, the climax of that "swell feeling" is attained when we concern ourselves about the moral and spiritual welfare of our fellow-travelers, and are always about "the Master's business." Directing the unsaved to the way of Salvation, the sin-burdened to the "Lamb of God that takes away the sins of the world," those who are bound by Satan to the glorious liberty in Jesus, the poverty-stricken to the riches of Christ, the homeless to the "many mansions in our Father's house" and the unbelieving to faith in the Lord.

Finally, if we would enjoy a "swell" life here and have eternal life hereafter, let us "go about doing good" always believing and trusting in Him who holds the future in His hand.

Helping Hand Club Meets In Nance Home

Mrs. J. D. Nance entertained the Helping Hand Club in her home Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Aubrey Rowell presided over the business session.

Mrs. Lenton Lanham was the Lucky Lady at this meeting. Games were played and refreshments were served to members, Mrs. Wade Steele, Mrs. Lowell Callaway, Mrs. Aubrey Rowell, Mrs. Lenton Lanham and a guest, Mrs. Paul Ledbetter, and the hostess, Mrs. Nance.

The next regular meeting will be Thursday, October 16, in the home of Mrs. Aubrey Rowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes had as their overnight guests Friday night Mrs. Hughes' sister, Mrs. Billie Overmyer of Lubbock. The two women went to Vernon Saturday morning to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Renfro and Gayle, over the weekend. Berton Hughes drove down Sunday morning to spend the day.

The Open Door

"... behold, I have set before thee an open door ..."

OH S-W-E-L-L!



by Earl Cantwell
 Minister, Rock Creek Church of Christ

In this series of similar sounding titles, it will be obvious to the reader that each, in its own way, bespeaks an attitude on the user's part. In the first, "Oh, Hell," one sees an attitude of frustration; in the second, "Oh, Well," is detected a feeling of resignation; and in "Oh, Swell," one recognizes elation.

This, my friends, is the emotional experience that, to a measured degree, offsets the ill effects of the aforementioned attitudes. There are at least two kinds of elation. First we notice

(the passing emotion, such as comes from winning a contest, as a football game, an election, a boxing bout, a foot race, etc. To the thinking person, this elation is soon "coated off" by the knowledge that "in order for me to win, someone had to lose and is dejected and heavy-hearted." So when we are moved to cry "Oh, Swell" and shout, "We Won!" I suspect we have forgotten, at least for a moment, that others must go away sorrowfully, for they, too, tried hard, but lost the game.

Here it becomes difficult to "weep with them that weep."

It is not that I would belittle honorable contests, for Paul recognized these tests between men when he said, "They that strive for mastery, strive lawfully, else they are not crowned." I enjoy games of skill and tests of strength and endurance, and I thrill at victory. It is "Just

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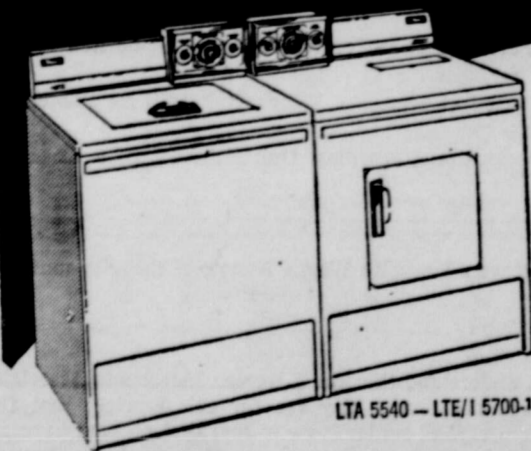
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Group Is Planning Musical Round-up

The Singing Plainsmen of Frank Phillips College are planning a Musical Round-up in the auditorium of the Fine Arts building on Monday, October 20, 1969, at 8:00 p.m. This will be an all-campus production and will present the Frank Phillips choir, combo and strings. The program will include ballads, popular music, patriotic and old favorite love songs.

Admission will be 75c for adults and 50c for children. Frank Phillips College students will be admitted on their identification cards.

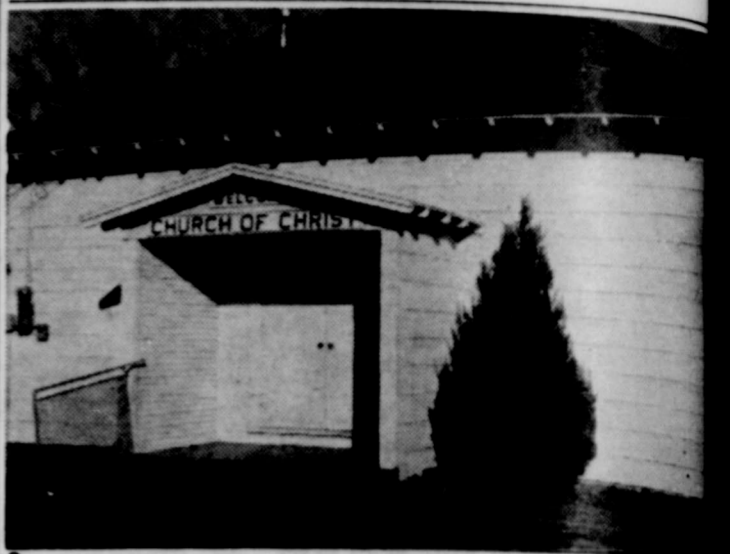
The program will be under the direction of Mrs. Evelyn Hubbard, head of the FPC music department.

David Seaney has recently been discharged from the Navy, and was a visitor in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney.

Mrs. R. N. McDaniel returned Wednesday from a two-week visit in Sepulveda, California, with her son, Jack McDaniel, and family.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wheelock over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Curby Ashby of Plano; Mrs. Bonnie Ingram of Garland; Mrs. Ola Ruth Rohde of Tucumcari, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Williamson of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs.

R. D. Wheelock of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Thurman, Alex Davis, son of Major Mrs. Carol Davis, received a broken arm in a fall Saturday morning.



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Adult Leaders Are Helpful To 4-H'ers

by Roma Clayton

Kenneth Cook is a great help to all us 4-H'ers, especially in the kitchen. He is very popular with the kids and likes horses. Mrs. Cantwell is a very nice leader also. She isn't like the others, she is a lot better, and she takes the people mind, instead of the like apes. Naomi Hunt is a very sweet person. She showed us films last year about Alaska. They were very good and pretty.

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I'm Glad That I Joined 4-H Club

by Alex B. Davis

One night last month I was doing my homework. About 9:00 p.m. my grandparents came over to visit. A little while later, I was through, so I went in and sat down with them. Granddad said that Mr. Cook had asked if I was in 4-H. Granddad said "no." So Mr. Cook said, "Why don't you see if he wants to get in 4-H so he can show Blondie." Blondie is Granddad's horse. I enjoy working with horses very much. I had been thinking of joining 4-H but I didn't know how to get in. When I joined I thought that I would have fun, and I still do. When Granddad offered me this chance, I took it. That night I called Mr. Cook. I am now a member of the 4-H.



4-H Is Work and Fun

by Becky Francis

I have had two years of cooking and sewing since I started 4-H. The first year of cooking is mostly learning the basics. We studied food and what each food group gives us and why we need it. We didn't cook anything complicated our first year. In cooking II, we did lots of experiments and prepared dishes that were not so easy. It was fun doing things with a group, and the Food Show is fun but it kind of scares you at the same time. In sewing I, we also learned basic things, like using the sewing machine, learning to sew in elastic and sewing plain seams. In sewing II we made a complete dress. We learned to sew darts and put in zippers. We also did lots of other fun-things, like making posters and drawer dividers. It's fun and work, but you learn a lot!

Thanks To Our 4-H Leaders

by Debbie Boling

I want to thank all the 4-H leaders and others who have helped me in 4-H. I want to thank Ken Cook for helping my sister and me with our show calves. I also want to thank all the leaders who have helped us in the foods project.

P.C.A. Provides 4-H Meeting Place

by Darla Strange

The Happy 4-H'ers would like to thank Mr. McWilliams and the Plainview Production Credit Association for letting us use their community room for our meetings. It has been a great help to us. We are very grateful to you.

I Like 4-H

by Mary Chris Cantwell

I like 4-H because you learn many things in it. You learn how to cook and sew. You learn how to take care of horses, cows and sheep. You learn just anything you can think of. That's why I like 4-H!

We Aren't Alone In Our 4-H Clubs

by Julia Dickerson

I would like to extend my many thanks to the people who have helped me in 4-H. As I see the many projects which are entered in the fairs, I know that we aren't alone in our 4-H clubs. We are joined by thousands of 4-H'ers all over the world. I would now like to extend my thanks to those people who give their time and patience to the benefit of the 4-H'ers in Silverton. I would also like to thank our county agent for helping us conduct our meetings in an orderly and business-like way.

Friends Of 4-H Make Projects Possible

Ken Sarchet

I have been in 4-H 2 1/2 years. My first project was electricity, with Kenneth Tate as leader. I learned a lot and won some ribbons and medals. I have been reporter for my club. This year I have two Rambouillet lambs. I would like to thank some of the people who are helping me with my 4-H project: Ken Cook—for his help and advice; Jerry Patton—for furnishing me a place to keep my lambs; Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dickerson—for the lumber they gave me; Leo Fleming—for welding my feeders; Thomas Perkins—for hauling my sheep in his trailer; and all the other friends of 4-H who make all our projects possible.

4-H IS A FAMILY AFFAIR

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Plainview Production Credit Association

Dee McWilliams, Mgr.

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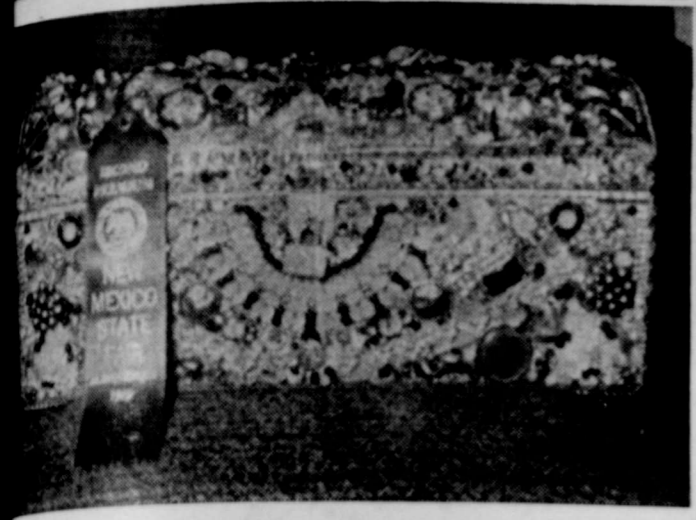
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Chest, decorated with miscellaneous pieces of costume jewelry in a design originated by Mrs. Ware Fogerson, won the second-place ribbon in the Beadwork Division of the Hobbies Show at the New Mexico State Fair.

Handmade Christmas Gift Wins Ribbon In New Mexico State Fair

Mrs. Ware Fogerson is receiving a surprise, as she reads the hometown paper today, the news that the jewelry chest she made this year as a special Christmas gift for her daughter, Mrs. Jack Mayfield of Albuquerque, New Mexico, has won second prize in the New Mexico State Fair!

Mrs. Mayfield's decision to enter the jewelry chest in the State Fair was the result of the many compliments she has received on its beauty and originality. Mrs. Fogerson knew the chest was entered in the Fair, but the secret about the ribbon is just now being disclosed to her.

The chest was beaded and decorated with pieces of jewelry which had belonged to Mrs. Mayfield, her mother, grandmother and an aunt.

Mrs. Mayfield wrote the Briscoe County News: "I did not know that division I should enter it in, but with the help of the women in charge of entries, we decided to put it in the Beadwork Division of the Hobbies Show. You can imagine our thrill when Jack and I spotted the chest, with a Second Premium Ribbon on it, among the many hundreds of other items that were entered. In the entire Hobbies Show, there were over 900 items entered in many dif-

Junior Club Meets In Edwards Home

L. O. A. Junior Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Fred Edwards Monday evening for a Home Life Department program, "State of the Family."

Mrs. Robert Haley Hill was the forum chairman, and introduced the program: "For Better or Worse," by Mrs. John Schott; "Forecast and Fantasies," by Mrs. Charles Sarchet; "Family Living, Religion, Economics," Mrs. Dean Rowell; "Creative Homemaking, Health and Mental Health," by Mrs. Jerry Miller. Visual aids prepared by Mrs. Schott and Mrs. Sarchet were used.

Mrs. Edwards, hostess, gave the devotional, "There Is No Place Like Home." Roll call was answered with "Recipe For a Happy Home."

During the business meeting, projects were discussed, and donations were voted to the state projects for which no other plans had been made for the year. The members agreed to sponsor the Halloween or Thanksgiving party at the High Plains Training Center in Plainview if arrangements have not already been made for these parties.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Bud Couch, Mrs. Randall Eddleman, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Champ McGavock, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Rowell, Mrs. Sarchet, Mrs. Schott and a guest, Mrs. Jim Reid.

The club's next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Champ McGavock at 8:30 p.m. Monday, October 20. The guest speaker will be Funsho Akimbala, a Nigerian student who is attending Wayland College in Plainview. Members are to invite guests.

NEW BABY

Coach and Mrs. Dennis Tomlin of Claude are parents of a daughter, Deedra Kay, born September 23 in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed seven pounds, three and three-quarters ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Tomlin of Harlingen and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Minyard.

The baby's great-grandmothers are Mrs. Pearl Crane of Stockton, California, and Mrs. H. C. Mercer.

Regional Meeting To Be In Amarillo

Women educators from several Panhandle communities will meet in Amarillo Saturday for the regional meeting of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society. The meeting will be held at James Bonham Junior High School.

Theme of the work session will be "For Tomorrow's Splendid Story is Ours Now to Write." This is from a poem by Elsie Lindgren. Mrs. Bob Laney, regional director from Amarillo, will preside over the general session. Hostess chapter is Zeta Delta of Amarillo.

The Amarillo chapters of the Delta Kappa Gamma society will discuss "Ours to Write Individually." Social, physical, mental and spiritual aspects of the theme will be discussed.

The last topic of the morning program will be "Ours to Write Together." The discussion will include ways to work together to improve the community, the teaching profession and the chapter.

Miss Virginia Grove, state first vice president, will address the group at a luncheon beginning at 12:30 p.m. in the James Bonham Cafeteria. Director Evelyn Laney will discuss plans for the 1970 regional.

Several members of Gamma Iota chapter from Silverton are planning to attend the meeting.

Celebrates 90th Birthday Sunday

John Fore, a resident of the Heritage Home in Plainview, celebrated his 90th birthday Sunday, October 5, in the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simmons in Plainview. Other children attending were



JANET LYNN MONTAGUE

Engagement Announced

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Janet Lynn Montague, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Montague of Silverton, to Mr. Wayne Alton Schrandt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton O. Schrandt of Oceanside, California, is announced.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McDaniel of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fore of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Fore of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fore of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fore of Dimmitt.

Grandchildren taking part in the celebration were Janice Fore of Dimmitt; Robbie McDaniel of Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Miller, Jr., of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cavitt, Deanna, Brenda and Steve of Earth; Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Labaugh, Larry, Jackie, Becky and Betty Ann of Littlefield.

Others attending were Mrs. Cora Comer of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crass of Silverton.

Area Executive Council Meets

The Area I Young Homemakers of Texas Executive Council met Saturday, October 4, 1969, at the Holiday Inn in Plainview, to make plans for the coming year.

Howard Wright of Lubbock, a representative of the Muscular Dystrophy Association of America, Inc., talked to those present about his organization.

Mrs. Ben Holcomb, state parliamentarian, gave a report from the State YHT executive meeting, and a preview of the State YHT Convention to be held in Galveston January 15-17, 1970.

The Council decided to purchase a copy of the "YHT Slide Story" for the Area to use in reaching new members and organizing new chapters.

The decision was made not to have a Young Homemaker College this year, but to concentrate on the Area Convention to be held September 12, 1970.

After reports of plans from each officer, the council voted to postpone the making of a new handbook until Spring. All information needed by each chapter before that time will be mailed soon.

The deadline for all awards applications was set as September 1, 1970.

Appointed to the budget com-

nounced by her parents. A November 26 wedding in the United Methodist Church in Silverton is being planned by the couple.

Miss Montague is completing her high school work and plans to enter West Texas State University in the spring. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Plainview High School. He is a junior at West Texas State University.

mittee were Mrs. Tommy Garrison, Mrs. Gordon Lowrey, Mrs. David Rewitt and Mrs. Ben Holcomb. This committee will meet in Silverton in early February.

Those present for the meeting were Mrs. David Prewitt of Ralls, president, and her advisor, Mrs. George Wilson; Mrs. Gary Waldie of Plainview, first vice president; Mrs. Jim Roberts, second vice president, and Mrs. Ben Holcomb, state parliamentarian, both of Dimmitt. Mrs. Jimmy White of Muleshoe, third vice president, and her advisor Mrs. Martha McCormick; Mrs. Gordon Lowrey of Silverton, fourth vice president; Mrs. Jerry Logan of Hale Center, parliamentarian, and her advisor, Mrs. Pat Lindley; Mrs. Charles Weatherford of Hereford, secretary, and her advisor, Mrs. M. T. Burelsmith; Mrs. Tommy Garrison of Childress, treasurer, and her advisor, Mrs. W. I. Hughes; Mrs. Ima Dora Halle of Plainview, Area advisor; and Mrs. Jewel James of Earth, past treasurer.



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From The Sidelines

The description of the game with Boys Ranch is much the same as that of the Groom game. Again we feel that our boys played a fine game, with the exception of a few fumbles.

To date we have been able to move the ball up and down the field as well as anyone. However, fumbles at inopportune times have continually thwarted our scoring. We are averaging over 300 yards rushing. A team should be winning with that strong an offensive attack.

Boys Ranch had the services of eight boys against us that had not been able to play earlier in the season. This evidently helped them greatly.

The only changes we expect to make this week is in the fumbling. We don't expect to fumble anymore.

Our coming game with Kress will be exciting. We catch them after their impressive 52-0 victory over Happy. They have a dual attack in the Jackson boys who like to run outside. Most of our work this week will be centered around stopping this outside attack.

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New Queen To Be Crowned October 24

Queen candidates have been chosen by the football players. They are Gayla Tate, senior; Evelyn Wood, junior; Cindy Cross, sophomore; Amy Birdwell, freshman.

One of these candidates will be crowned 1969 Football Queen before the Claude game on October 24.

All fans are asked to attend this conference game and the crowning of the new Football Queen.

Awards Of The Week

Biggest Flirt—Penny Arnold
Best Dressed—Marsha (boots)
Loudest Clothes—Coaches (Friday)

Teacher of the Week—Herb Friendliest—Miss Crawford

Notice To All Pep Squad Members

All Pep Squad girls who sell their Snug Bugs by tomorrow will not be required to participate in the Pep Squad Bake Sale on October 11.

Bring \$12.50 or your Snug Bug by tomorrow, and turn it in to Faye Rampley.

The Window Peeper

I am the little Owl of S.H.S. who sees all, knows all, and tells all. I really had fun last week. I saw so many funny things I just have to tell you about it.

First of all, I saw O. C. give Ramona Martin licks, and it must have hurt pretty bad because her contacts flew right out of her eyes and onto the floor.

I'm not sure, but I think it was Pam Hutsell that smuggled that innocent-looking dog into the 4th period homemaking class. Poor thing, I sure felt sorry for him while he was cooped up with such a wild bunch (especially "Fish"). I almost lost my feathers when I heard that Dana Martin wouldn't nominate Dorothy for Football Queen because he didn't want anyone else kissing her.

The girls have been given fair warning that if there is any more smoking on the sidelines at football games, there is going to be something else smoking!

SALLY AND PAULA B.'S

IDEAL BOY

Hair—Allen G.
Eyes—Bill Strange
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Hands—Jerry Bean
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Friendliest—Ronnie Strange
Kiss—Terry G.
Wittiest—Jay Long
Best All-Around—Terry and Lannie
Height—John Minyard
Walk—Max Weaver
Flirtiest—Rod Vaughan
Freckles—Tommy Burson
Toes—Steve's hurt
Feet—Bill Strange
Sideburns—Steve
Talk—Quinn
Ears—Lane
Nose—Max Hamilton
Smile—Alvin
Shyest—Dana
Most In Love—Gary Martin
Muscles—Marvin
Playboy—Wade
Silliest—Thurman (ask Cynthia)
Funniest—Monty Teeple
Whiskers—Trent Brown
Dimples—Dana

Junior Owls Drop Close One at Turkey

The Silvertown Junior High Owls opened up the season last Thursday night when they lost to the Turkey Junior Turks, 8 to 6.

The first half was a defensive game, with neither team driving inside the 10-yardline. Ty McMurry played a good defensive ballgame, making several key tackles. The halftime score was 0-0.

The Owls returned after an inspiring halftime talk and scored midway in the third quarter.

Craig Culwell set up the score with a 45-yard run around right end. David McCoy went over for the six points from the 5-yardline. McCoy tried for the conversion, but failed.

The score remained 6-0 until well into the fourth quarter. With 1:57 left on the clock, the Turks scored their touchdown and conversion, moving ahead 8 to 6. The Junior Owls played well, but couldn't pull this one out. The Owls will carry their 1-1 record to McLean tonight and will take on the Tigers at 6:00 p.m.

The coach has expressed thanks to everyone for their good support of the team.



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Calendar of Events

Oct. 9—Junior High Football here with McLean, 6:30 p.m.
Oct. 10—High School Football with Kress, here, 8:00 p.m.
Oct. 11—Teen Time Party in the School Cafeteria

Birthday Calendar

Oct. 15—Jackie Tiffin
Teresa Martinez
Oct. 18—Derral Martin
Vici Jasper
Pam Vaughan
Oct. 19—Ricky McWilliams
Bill Strange
Oct. 21—Paula Birdwell

SILVERTOWN HIGH SCHOOL 1969

VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Oct. 10—Kress—Here—8:00
Oct. 17—Wheeler—There—7:30
Oct. 24—Claude—Here—7:30
Oct. 31—Clarendon—Here—7:30
Nov. 7—McLean—There—7:30
Nov. 14—Happy—Here—7:30



Well, What Do You Know? fun, games and knowledge

by MARTHA GLAUBER SHAPP, Editor, The New Book of Knowledge

What is the ionosphere?

The distance that radio waves can travel is determined largely by the sun. The sun sends its energy down to the earth. This energy electrifies the ionosphere—layers of air about 60 to 200 miles above us. The ionosphere layers reflect radio waves back to the earth.



There are layers of the ionosphere high in the sky and layers low in the sky. The more intensely a layer is ionized—or electrified—the more it bends the path of a wave, or reflects it. Bending, or reflection, of waves also depends on the wavelength.

Long waves are usually sent out as ground waves. Medium waves are sent out as a combination of ground and sky waves. Short waves are sky waves that go up so far in the ionosphere that they bounce for long distances. The very shortest

waves (microwaves) go right through the ionosphere and rarely return to earth at all.

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Do you know why dried grapes are called raisins?

The word "raisin" was borrowed from French. In French, *raisin* simply means "grape." The French name for raisin is *raisin sec*, which means "dry grape."

In the year 1066 the Normans, people living in northern France, conquered England. The new rulers of England spoke French. It became fashionable for people in England to speak French and to use French words when speaking English. In this way the English language soon permanently borrowed many French words, including *raisin*.

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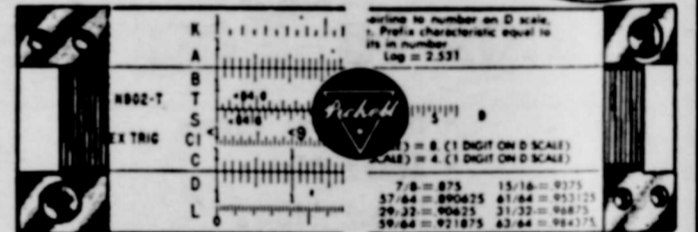
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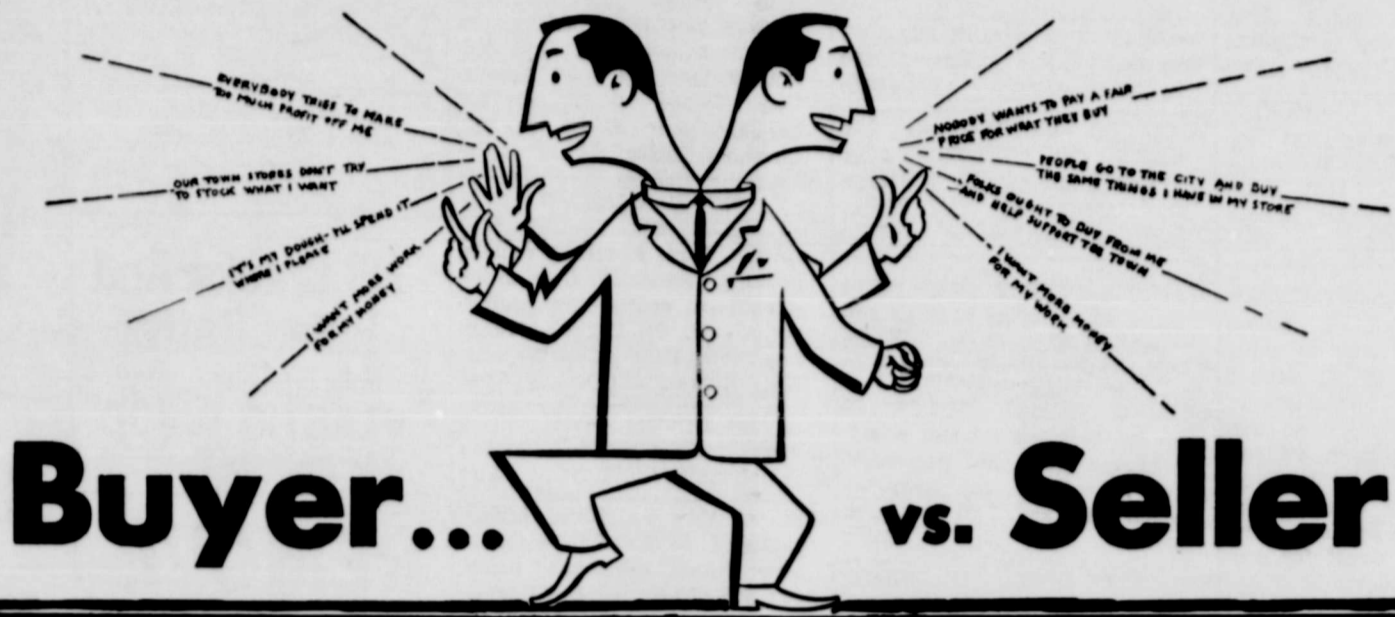
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