

UARY  
 5 FEED  
 your  
 Mooring  
 Protein  
 re Feed  
 MARTIN  
 Texas  
 974  
 ICE  
 LINE  
 ING  
 19  
 S  
 MING  
 -O  
 S  
 D., Inc.  
 296-782  
 s  
 is  
 in  
 ore  
 ESPECIALLY  
 SECONDARY  
 SCHOOL STUDENTS  
 VS

### All Around the Town

by Mary Ann Sarchet

Don't tell anyone, but I heard at Silverton's new streaker coach Sam Lewis. He prefers to coach the girl streakers, but one of his pupils, Putt Jasper, reportedly has already streaked twice at the top Gin.

### WHAT OTHER EDITORS ARE WRITING ABOUT:

Wendell Tooley had this to say in his front-page column in The Boyd County Hesperian: "People can say things, and usually they are forgotten. However, when an editor puts it down in black and white, it's in the file for now on."

The same is true of people in politics. If they are high enough in politics, their talk is published and in print. Here's a good example: "This Administration has proved that it is utterly incapable of cleaning out the corruption which has completely eroded it and re-establishing the confidence and faith of the people in the morality and honesty of their government employees. The investigations which have been conducted to date . . . have only scratched the surface. . . . There are ten which are successful covered up and even then this Administration will go down in history as the 'scandal-a-day Administration.'"

"It is typical of the moral standards of the Administration that when they are caught red-handed with pay-off money in their bank accounts the best defense they can give is that they won the money in a poker game, a crap game, or by hitting the daily double."

"A new class of royalty has been created in the United States and its princes of privileges and pay-offs include the racketeers who get concessions on their income tax cases, the insiders who get favorable treatment on government contracts, the influence peddlers with keys to the White House, the government employee who uses his position to feather his nest. The great tragedy, however, is not that corruption exists but that it is defended and condoned by the President and other high Administration officials. We have had corruption defended by those in high places. If they won't recognize or admit that corruption exists, how can we expect them to clean it up?"

Nov. 13, 1951—Sen. Richard Nixon in his denunciation of the Truman Administration at the Hotel Statler, Boston.)

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 10 A. M. on March 25, 1974, at the County Courthouse at Silverton for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for Briscoe County.

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

### Athletic Banquet Date Is Decided

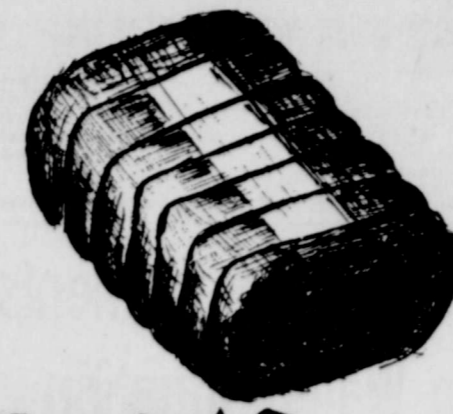
Saturday, April 27 was the date chosen for the annual Athletic Banquet for Silverton High School athletes by members of the Booster Club at a called meeting Monday night in the school cafeteria. Mrs. John Gill was appointed general chairman of the banquet. Mrs. Gill is appointing the committees who will assist her.

### Two Silverton Business To Close

Mr. and Mrs. Omar G. Orr, owners and operators of the Silverton Hotel and Apartments, have announced that they will be closing there on April 1, 1974. The closing will be until further notice. Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Hester have announced that they are closing City Tailors. Today will be their last cleaning day, and they would like to have all clothes picked up by March 15.



## Silverton: Heart Of The Scenic Caprock



# Briscoe County News

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1974

VOLUME 66 NUMBER 10



SECOND GRADE WINNERS — in the Costumes of Famous Americans Contest conducted this week were Tanmi Edwards as the Statue of Liberty and Warren Jarrett as Will Rogers.

## Club Sponsors Community Americanism Program Here

L. O. A. Junior Study Club sponsored a special Americanism Program Monday, March 4, at the Silverton High School to begin Public Schools Week.



Gaylon Wright

### Gospel Meeting Planned At Rock Creek Church

Gaylon Wright of Houston will be the guest speaker for a series of Gospel Meetings to be held March 10-17 at the Rock Creek Church of Christ.

Meetings will be at 10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. on Sundays, and at 7:15 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. on weekdays. A cordial welcome is extended to all who would like to attend these services.

Dean Allard is home after having been a patient at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia.

Mikel Griffin is recuperating at home with infectious hepatitis.

Larry Jarrett has been listed as a patient at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo this week.

## Storm Warning System To Be Checked Today

Silverton's storm warning system will be checked at 7:00 p.m. today (Thursday), weather permitting.

As a review of the way the system works, when a tornado alert is issued for the Silverton area by the weather bureau, four or more blasts of the fire alarm system will be heard. At the same time, the tornado air horn will be sounded at short intervals and the new warning devices will be operated on their siren sound. This warning should alert residents to watch the clouds and be prepared to move to a place of safety.

If hooks, funnels or tornadoes are sighted which are considered by the weather bureau, DPS or private citizens to be potentially dangerous to the City of Silverton, the fire alarm and air horn will be sounded with a continuous blast, along with the yelpers. This will warn residents not only to watch the clouds, but also to move to a place of safety.

The fire siren is sounded three times for a fire. One blast of the fire alarm calls firemen to practice on the first and third Thursdays.

## Public Invited To Grand Opening

The grand opening of The CETA Hut will be from 3:30 until 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Everyone is invited to stop in for punch and cookies and to inspect the new youth center.

Students and their parents are asked to take note of the rules that have been established for The CETA Hut and the proper times, and assist in abiding by them.

The CETA (Christian Entertainment Teenage Association) Hut is a youth center established by the First Baptist Church of Silverton to provide a wholesome atmosphere for recreational purposes for the youth in Silverton.

Its purpose is to be a meeting place for the young people to congregate together with their friends to have fellowship.

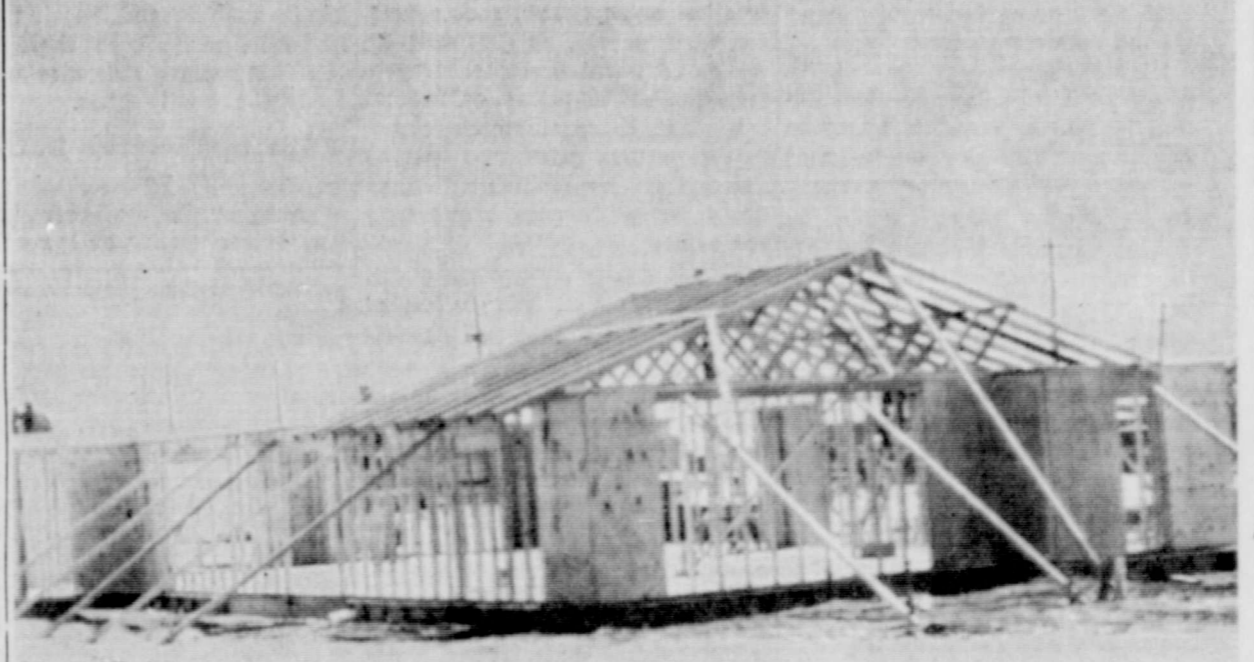
All participants will be expected to conduct themselves at all times with good manners and such personal conduct as not to bring any cause for shame to the name of Jesus Christ or the First Baptist Church of Silverton which is the sponsor.

There is to be no use of any form of tobacco, or alcoholic beverage, nor any dancing on the premises of The CETA Hut. The adult chaperones present at each opening of The CETA Hut will be there to serve the youth and maintain order in whatever manner they deem necessary.

Persons abusing their privilege to attend The CETA Hut by acting in a manner contrary to the above mentioned rules will be asked to leave for the remainder of that particular session.

The CETA Hut will be open:  
**FOR HIGH SCHOOL AGE YOUTH**  
 Fridays 7:30 to 11:00 p.m.  
 Saturdays 7:30 to 11:00 p.m.  
 Sundays 7:30 to 10:00 p.m.  
**JUNIOR HIGH AGE YOUTH**  
 Fridays 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.  
**GRADES ONE THROUGH EIGHT**  
 Saturdays 2:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Mrs. Jennie Fisher returned home this week after having stayed at the Lockney nursing home while recuperating from a recent illness. She stayed at the home of her brother, H. B. Peek, in Lockney for a visit before he brought her home.



NEW CLINIC GOING UP—The new Silverton Fund, is taking shape this week. E. E. McClinic, which is being built by a donation from the Martha Ann Cojdel Memorial Trust. Donough of Plainview is contractor for the building.

## Owls In Panhandle Relays Saturday

Silverton's Owls will be running in the Panhandle Relays Saturday. The Owls earned 20 points in the Idalou Relays last Saturday, earning points in the pole vault, discus and shot put.

Zane Mayfield placed second and Gary Storie third in the pole vault. Zane also placed fifth in the discus, and his brother, Dayne Mayfield, placed sixth. Dayne looks to be strong in discus competition, and would have placed second at Idalou if he had not scratched by stepping on the circle.

In the shot put, Dayne Mayfield placed fifth and David McCoy won sixth place.

Schedule of Track Meets for the Owls is:

March 16 Hereford Relays  
 March 23 West Texas Relays  
 March 29-30 Amarillo Relays  
 April 5 District Meet at Claude

The Owlettes will be in Track Meets on these dates:

March 15 Spur  
 March 22 Lorenzo  
 March 23 Idalou Relays  
 April 18 District Meet, Panhandle

**JUNIOR HIGH OWLS**  
 March 15 Clarendon  
 March 16 Kress  
 March 22 Memphis  
 April 6 Shamrock  
 April 8 District Meet, Claude

**JUNIOR HIGH OWLETTES**  
 March 16 Kress  
 March 23 Idalou  
 April 18 District Meet, Panhandle

In addition, the tennis teams will have meets at Kress March 12 and here March 19. The tennis teams played at Lakeview Monday afternoon.

## Mrs. Lucy Griffin Buried At Alice

Funeral services for Lucy Griffin of Alice, Texas, were conducted from the Holmgren Mortuary Monday, March 4. Burial was in the cemetery at Alice.

Mrs. Griffin, a former resident of Plainview, was the mother of L. D. Griffin of Silverton. She is also survived by two daughters, Bainie Gardner of Levelland and Ava Hammond of Sun City, California; one brother, Jake Burkett of Albuquerque, New Mexico; and two grandchildren, Lou Wooten of Raton, New Mexico, and Mikel Griffin; four great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. L. D. returned home Monday night.

Marvin Self has had to drop out of the track and field program at West Texas State University this spring due to his having contracted mononucleosis.

Mrs. Tony Burson continues to receive treatment at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia.



CLEVE WALKUP

## Farm Electrification Short Course Is Planned March 18-21

A Farm Electrification Short Course for adult farmers will be held March 18-21 under the sponsorship of the Silverton High School Vocational Agriculture Department, according to Mr. O. C. Rampley, superintendent, and Mr. Billy Lynn Rampy, teacher of vocational agriculture.

Mr. Cleve Walkup, Farm Electrification Specialist with the Vocational Agriculture Division of the Texas Education Agency and the Department of Agricultural Engineering at Texas A&M University, will do the instructing in the course. He is headquartered at Texas A&M University.

Mr. Walkup holds a B. S. Degree in Industrial Education and a M. Ed. Degree in Agricultural Education.

The Short Course at Silverton is scheduled to begin March 18 at 8:00 p.m. in the Vocational Agriculture Building. Other meetings in the series of eight will be arranged at that time. During the dates the Short Course is in progress, Mr. Walkup will be available to assist farmers with individual problems and to provide on-the-farm instruction, according to Mr. Rampy.

Farmers interested in attending the short course should write or call the superintendent of schools, Mr. O. C. Rampley, 823-6711, or the teacher of vocational agriculture, Mr. Bill Rampy, 823-6711. An entry fee of \$5.00 will be charged. Farm Electrification Short Course Certificates are to be presented to each farmer who attends all the training sessions.

Mr. Walkup states that the short course can be adjusted to wishes and interests of the farmers enrolled, but that he expects to cover such subjects as safety, how to properly choose wire sizes and install motor circuits, how to choose, protect, and ground electric mot-

## Student Council Slates VB Tourney

The Silverton Student Council is sponsoring a volleyball tournament March 18-19-21. The tournament will consist of eight men's and eight women's teams.

The entry fee is \$7.50 and is due in Principal Bob Wheelchell's office March 6, 1974. Spectators will be charged 25c for admission to the tournament.

Trophies will be presented for first, second and consolation winners.

## Rites Held Monday For Bert Douglas

Graveside services were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Monday in the Silverton Cemetery for R. E. (Bert) Douglas, 90, of Lubbock. Mr. Douglas once served as Briscoe County and District Clerk for 16 years.

He died at 6:15 a.m. Friday in a Lubbock hospital following a lengthy illness. Franklin-Bartley Funeral Home of Lubbock was in charge of arrangements. Services were conducted at 10:30 a.m. Monday in Asbury United Methodist Church with the Rev. James T. Carter, pastor, officiating.

A long-time resident of Silverton, Mr. Douglas had served as Coke County Clerk before 1915. He was also a retired farmer and real estate dealer. He moved to Lubbock from Silverton in 1945.

Born in Fort Chadbourne, he married Anna B. Finley in Silverton in May 1918. He was a member of the Men's Bible Class of his church, Asbury United Methodist Church in Lubbock, and was a member of the Silverton Masonic Lodge.

Surviving are his widow; a son, James Rex Douglas of Wichita, Kansas; a daughter, Mrs. Joseph McWilliams of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. A. C. Donnell and Miss Katherine Douglas, both of Amarillo; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

## JERRY BRANNON INJURED

Jerry Brannon of Quitaque was injured Sunday when he caught his arm on a sheet iron fence while breaking a horse east of Quitaque. His arm was badly cut and an artery was severed.

He was taken by ambulance to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo where the artery was rejoined.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nance made a trip the past week and visited in Millsap with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Youngblood, Jerry and Tom. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Hutton, James and Stephen Paul in Olney.

The Nances visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reed near Springtown. Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Nance are cousins, but had not seen one another in more than 20 years.

Short courses in Farm Electrification, as well as in other areas, are now available to farmers throughout the state under the new cooperative program between the Texas Education Agency and Texas A&M University.

Wives and families are invited to attend the first night of the Short Course.

# BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY AT SILVERTON, TEXAS 79257  
SECOND CLASS POSTAGE PAID AT SILVERTON, TEXAS 79257

CHARLES R. SARCHET PUBLISHER  
MARY ANN SARCHET EDITOR  
SUBSCRIPTION RATE PER YEAR \$3.50  
Display Advertising Rates Available on Request  
Classified and Legal Rates, Each Insertion (50c Minimum Charge) 3c per word  
MEMBER OF TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION AND PANHANDLE PRESS ASSOCIATION

## Hightower Introduces Amendments To Benefit Farm Water Situation

Senator-delegate Jack Hightower (D-Vernon) has introduced two Constitutional amendments to assure fairness to farmers and ranchers in the assessment of taxes and the appropriation of underground water resources.

### Red Circle Means Subscription Is Due

If you have a red circle around your address on this issue of your newspaper, you probably won't receive a copy next week unless you renew your subscription before then.

### NEW 6-PERCENT SAVINGS BONDS RATE ANNOUNCED

O. R. Stark, Jr., Briscoe County Chairman for U. S. Savings Bonds, reports that now more than ever before, it pays to hold onto your Savings Bonds.

The new 6-percent rate applies both to Bonds purchased on and after December 1, 1973, and to those bought before that date and still outstanding. So, there's no reason to redeem any Bonds to benefit from the rate increase.

"The higher rate is extremely timely," Mr. Stark said. "These days, more and more Americans are finding it prudent to put extra dollars aside into savings. There is no surer, safer, easier way than by buying U. S. Savings Bonds. And the new rate makes them better than ever."

"We in this area look upon Savings Bonds as old and staunch friends of the family. They've helped us weather many a storm. And, through the Payroll Savings and Bond-A-Month Plans, they're building nest eggs for future demands—weddings, new homes, education, autos, vacations, retirement."

It was pointed out that Savings Bonds are the least-inflationary means the government has for financing the national debt. Dollars derived from Savings Bonds sales also help pay for ways of protecting our environment; improving our standard of living.

of assessment that will promote the preservation of existing uses of land devoted to commercial agricultural purposes or which should be preserved as public recreation areas, scenic resources, nature preserves, or greenbelt areas or that will promote the preservation of historic sites."

He said the main purpose was to assure that rural land will be assessed on its production capabilities rather than its actual market value.

"There are just too many farmers and ranchers who are paying more taxes than they are earning income from their land," he said. "The production of food and fiber becomes more important every year to the American people for their own consumption and for trade overseas. We should not permit tax policies which discourage people from engaging in agriculture and meeting this great need."

Hightower's second proposal would exempt underground water districts from having to elect governing boards from separate geographical areas within the district under the "one man, one vote" requirement.

"This is totally unfair and impractical in rural areas, as we would have people who live in a town controlling the water appropriations for those who live on farms and ranches and use the water," he said. "Those who create the district know best how to regulate water use."

### Volleyball Tourney Slated Here April 2-6

The annual L. O. A. Junior Study Club Volleyball Tournament will be held at the school gymnasium in Silvertown April 2-4-5-6, 1974. Entry fee for teams will be \$6.00. Admission will be 50c for adults, 25c for school age children to 12.

Trophies will be given to the men's and women's teams that win first, second and third places and to the winner of the consolation brackets.

For further information regarding the tournament or to enter your team, please send the team name, address, captain's name and entry fee to Lynda Fogerson, Phone 823-3471, Box 853, Silvertown, Texas 79257.



## News For Homemakers

from

MRS. DOROTHY POWELL

Briscoe County Extension Agent

### GOOD FREEZER MANAGEMENT

Good freezer management can produce pocketbook dividends. Rising food prices have caused people to recognize a home freezer's benefits, but to fully realize these benefits, a homemaker must practice good management techniques. For example, she can take full advantage of store specials by purchasing in quantity and freezing them. However, make sure these "bargains" are worth the price and are foods the family likes.

Wise shoppers buy food on a planned basis. By purchasing meat in quantity, a consumer usually gets better quality at lower costs.

Day-old baked goods offer additional good buys. Freezing them restores lost moisture. However, don't clutter a freezer with bulky, inexpensive items.

Turning to home-prepared foods, freeze fruits and vegetables at their peak for the best quality and economy. For convenience, freeze foods in proportions usable at one time. When preparing a meal make extra and freeze it for another day. Also, freeze leftovers for later use in homemade TV dinners.

Remember, quality coming from a freezer can be no better than the quality put in. However, that quality can be lost without proper wrapping and storage. Proper wrapping is a "must" for foods to maintain quality. This includes

### Town & Country Club Has Business Meeting

The Town & Country Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Barbara Wilson Tuesday, February 21 at 9:30 a.m. Mrs. Lois Walker presided over the business session.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Vivian Hughes from Matthew 24:25. Mrs. Hughes also read from the books, "Prayerably" and "Bright Horizon."

The minutes were read and approved, and the treasurer's report was adopted. Thought for the day was "He who cannot forgive others breaks the bridge over which

using moisture - vapor - resistant wrapping material and making the package air-tight. Also, set up a system of dating packages—then use them while contents are in top condition. To maintain food quality, keep freezer temperatures at zero degrees or below.

he himself must pass." The chairman appointed the Nomination Committee for 1974-75. "Mental Health Information Brief" was the subject discussed by Mrs. Lois Walker and Mrs. Lottie Garrison.

Mrs. Wilson served nut and peppermint loaf cake, spiced tea and coffee to Mesdames Dorothy Powell, Lois Walker, Vivian Hughes, Lottie Garrison and Georgia Allard.

The March meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Georgia Allard at 9:30 a.m. March 21. The Town & Country Club, along with Mrs. Allard, would like to extend an invitation to all concerned ladies who would like to visit the club at this meeting.

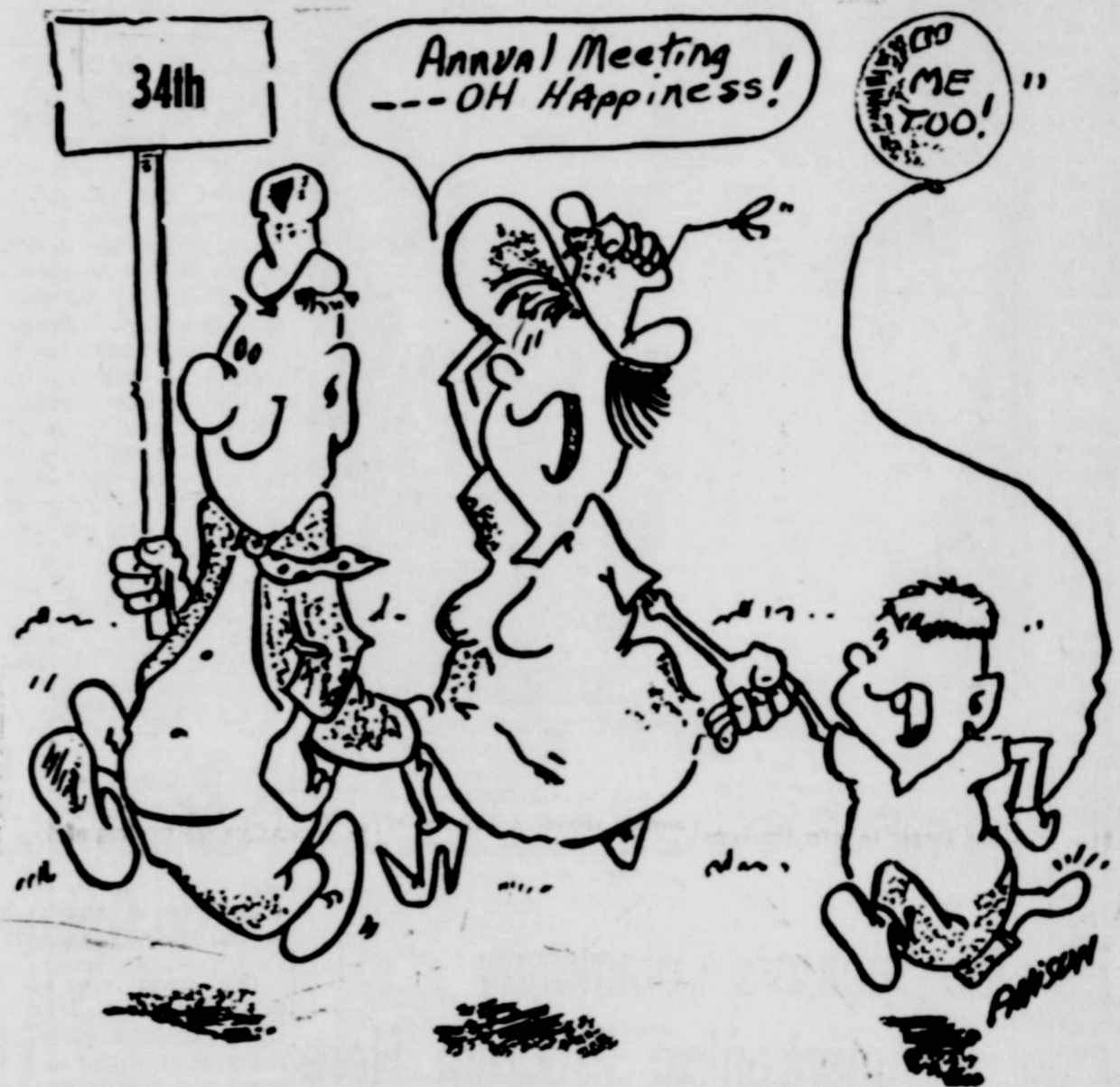
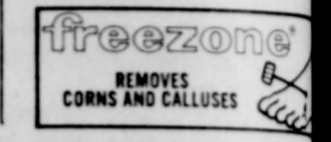
### EMBARRASSING, BURNING Itching?

ZEMO relieves itching fast because its special 'anti-itch' medication soothes inflamed surface tissues. Get relief with the first application of soothing, medicated ZEMO—Ointment or Liquid. zemo

**Gas and heartburn**  
Di-Gel contains a unique gas ingredient, Simethicone. This unique discovery bubbles up and dissolves trapped bubbles. Your relief is complete because Di-Gel takes the acid and the gas out of indigestion. Get Di-Gel tablets or liquid today. Product of Plough, Inc.

### FREEZONE IS FOR CORNS THAT HURT

Why fool around with painful corns? Freezone can help you remove them. You'll see. In just days, the corns will be gone... the hurt will be gone. No dangerous cutting, pads or plasters. Drop on Freezone and take off corns.



Happiness is going to the 34th Annual Meeting

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1974

## SWISHER ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

HEADQUARTERS BUILDING

TULIA, TEXAS

Registration and Art Exhibit.....9:00 A.M.

Free Barbecue for Members and Guests...11:00 A.M.

1974 Annual Membership Meeting.....1:00 P.M.

For The Following Purposes:

1. The reports of officers, directors and com.
2. The election of three directors of the Cooperative.
3. To transact any and all other business which may properly come before the meeting.

To participate in door prizes and the election of directors, you must be receiving electrical service and have paid your membership fee.

ART SHOW - for Artist-Consumers of S. E. C. Cash prizes for three divisions (under 12, 12-18, adults). Rules available upon request.

FREE KIDDIE MOVIE - at Royal Theatre (1:00) showing Walt Disney's Robin Hood. Tickets must be picked up only on morning of Saturday 16 at our office.

FREE BARBECUE (Members and Guests)

DOOR PRIZES  
Gala



Distinctive

# Wedding

## STATIONERY

By



Carlson Craft

INVITATIONS and ANNOUNCEMENTS  
NAPKINS  
BRIDAL BOOKS  
ACCESSORIES

Fast Service,  
Beautiful Styles,  
Reasonably Priced!



PHONE 3381

### Briscoe County News

SILVERTON, TEXAS

"FOR ALL YOUR PRINTING NEEDS"

THURSDAY, MAR...  
G...  
S...  
P...  
L...  
M...  
E...  
T...  
I...  
N...  
G...  
ROCK...  
CHURCH...  
March...  
Spe...  
GAYLON...  
of H...  
T...  
Su...  
10:30 a...  
Wee...  
:15 a.m.

and tburn... ins a unique... nt, Simethic... discovery... lives trapped... relief is... use Di-Gel... the gas out of... Get Di-Gel... today. Pro... e.  
EZONE... R CORN... HURT... with painful... you remove... just days, the... part will be... grous cutting... Drop on... zone... LUSES...  
ROCK CREEK CHURCH OF CHRIST  
March 10 -- 17  
Speaker  
GAYLON WRIGHT of Houston  
TIME  
Sunday  
10:30 a.m.-6 p.m.  
Weekdays  
11:15 a.m.-8:00 p.m.  
PRIZ... Galo

# GOSPEL MEETING

## New Diagnostic Tool Helps In Cancer Fight

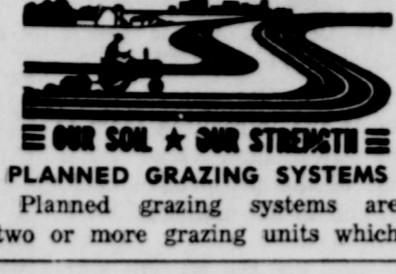
Early signs of breast cancer, including calcium deposits which could be as tiny as a pencil point, are being detected by a relatively new device that combines x-ray technology with the fast, dry-copying ability of a Xerox copying machine. The device called the Xerox 125 System for xeroradiography, has just been installed at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

Radiologists see it as an improvement over all present methods in the early detection of breast cancer. They are also impressed

with its ability to detect a fracture, even the difficult-to-diagnose hairline fracture, and to follow its healing inside a cast. The Xerox 125 system produces high quality pictures on paper within 90 seconds. The high resolution and superior edge definition of the picture images makes it easy to read in normal room light. The system uses conventional x-ray techniques though the patient is exposed to lesser amounts of radiation than in the older conventional x-ray process. When the plate has been exposed, it is processed in a manner similar to copying an office document on a standard Xerox copier. The picture image is "printed" on a plastic coated paper, which can be stored as a

permanent record by the hospital. The technique makes it easier for the radiologist to interpret the breast image and to detect even extremely small deposits of calcium, which are the tell-tale sign of early cancer. With an estimated 74,000 cases and 33,000 deaths in 1973, breast cancer is the foremost site of cancer incidence and death in woman, according to American Cancer Society statistics. "Physicians know that earlier detection could save more lives," says the society. "The stage at which breast cancer is detected is crucial to the outcome of treatment." The Xerox 125 system has been installed in Great Britain, Canada, Germany, Japan and France as well

## SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



### PLANNED GRAZING SYSTEMS

Planned grazing systems are two or more grazing units which

are alternately rested from grazing in a planned sequence over a period of years, and the rest period may be throughout the year or during the growing season of the key plants. These systems are designed to (1) maintain or speed up improvement in plant cover while properly using the forage on all grazing units; (2) improve efficiency of grazing by uniformly using all parts of each grazing unit; (3) for watershed protection; (4) to enhance wildlife habitat.

## Energy Management Is Stressed Here

Farmers and ranchers must become more "energy conscious", says Jimmy Vanstory, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

He urged all those engaged in agricultural production to key on "energy management" during these times of fuel shortages. Every gallon of fuel saved is another gallon available to use to increase production.

Vanstory suggests 10 key ways farmers and ranchers can save energy:

1. Tune up engines to save fuel and increase power.
  2. Reduce tillage to save up to two gallons of fuel per acre.
  3. Combine field operations to save another two gallons of fuel per acre.
  4. Shift up—throttle down—save even more fuel.
  5. Shut off engines—idling wastes fuel.
  6. Use wheel weights for heavy jobs—remove them for light work.
  7. Keep plowshares and cutting tools sharp and correctly adjusted.
  8. Keep proper air pressure in tires for maximum efficiency.
  9. Check operator's manual—when in doubt, consult your dealer.
  10. Check with the county Extension office for other ways to improve your "energy management."
- Energy conservation is everyone's business, points out Vanstory. We must all work together as responsible citizens to conserve not only our fuel supplies but all our resources as well if we are to continue as a prosperous nation.

## Healthy Babies Is Topic For Club

L. O. A. Junior Study Club met at 10:30 a.m. February 18 in the school auditorium with the theme, "Together... Working for Healthy Babies."

Due to it being a national holiday, Mr. Ed Rainey, March of Dimes Area Field Representative from Lubbock, was unable to attend. The film, "Today is Tomorrow," to be presented by Mr. Rainey to the FHA girls and club members was postponed until a later date. In a regular business meeting

conducted by Mrs. John Schott, president, members voted to help with the Briscoe County Cancer Crusade. The March 4 Americanism Day program was discussed and committees were selected. All members were urged to make a special effort to attend.

The annual volleyball tournament to be held April 24-5-6 was also discussed. Mrs. Fred Edwards, Mrs. Roland Montague and Mrs. Jerry Baird were appointed to prepare a table for the Junior Conference at the District Convention to be held in Lubbock March 29-30.

Hostesses, Mrs. Jay Towe and Mrs. Lynn Frizzell, served Cokes and cookies to Mrs. Baird, Mrs. Bud Couch, Mrs. Randall Eddleman, Mrs. Stanley Fogerson, Mrs. John Herring, Mrs. Montague, Miss June Moosberg, Mrs. Schott and Mrs. Max Stevenson.



## Wedding

★ INVITATIONS  
★ NAPKINS, BOOKS  
★ THANK YOU NOTES  
A complete selection that will please every Bride, yet the prices are moderate.  
Your Bridal Headquarters

BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS



Official Texas medallion commemorating the United States Bicentennial

## Bicentennial Texas Medallion Unveiled

Arlington—Mrs. Bill Hobby, president of the Bicentennial Association of Texas, Friday unveiled the official Texas medallion and logo for the United States Bicentennial observance at a news conference at the University of Texas at Arlington.

The obverse side of the medallion features the official emblem of Texas' Bicentennial observance. The converging arrows represent the ethnic groups that have come together for 200 years and longer to form the Lone Star State.

The reverse side of the medallion is a montage, dominated by a two-headed figure of man.

One face looks to the past and the heritage of a bountiful land. A shaft of wheat, a boll of cotton, a Longhorn steer and a derrick represent Texas' richest products... her natural resources.

Pride in the present is reflected in a gear for booming industry and commerce, a book for education and unlimited opportunity.

Man's forward face looks through an astronaut's helmet, with the land's bright future represented by an airliner and spacecraft.

Proceeds from the sale of the Texas medallion will go toward the production of "Texana," a major stage production authorized by a concurrent resolution passed during the 63rd session of the Texas Legislature. "Texana," our state government's contribution to the Bicentennial, will symbolize the 26 ethnic and national cultures represented in Texas.

Of the planned stage production, Governor Dolph Briscoe has said: "This will be a major production depicting the history, the accomplishments and the dreams of Texas and its people. It will

be produced through the cooperative efforts of the outstanding talents we have available in our academic and professional communities."

Dr. Joe B. Frantz, a member of the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission (ARBC) of Texas, will be in charge of preparations for "Texana."

The Bicentennial Association of Texas, a non-profit private corporation, is an adjunct to the ARBC of Texas. The Association will be responsible for funding of "Texana."

A limited edition of the Texas medallion, in both fine silver and bronze, will be available this spring. Marketing will be by Century II, Ltd. of Austin under authority of the Bicentennial Association of Texas.

The medallion was designed by Jerry Tokola, Bob Stewart and Steve Parrino.

## Now When You Take A Bible -It's Okay

Churches of the United States and Canada are joining hands with the World Home Bible League in an effort to place a copy of *Reach Out*, the New Testament portion of *The Living Bible*, in every motel room on this continent, according to the Rev. John DeVries, international director of WHBL.

The project is about two years old at this point and has been set up in 32 states and three provinces. Of the 1,200,000 motel rooms in the United States, 200,000 have had *Reach Out* placed in them.

Paradoxically, the aim of the project is to have transients take the New Testament with them, and to encourage Bible reading in this way. One month this summer 100,000 copies of the modern English New Testaments were taken by tourists. Printed on most hotel Bibles are the words "Please Leave In Hotel Room."

By the end of 1974, DeVries says the league plans to have contacted all the U.S. motels. An annual turnover of more than three million New Testaments is anticipated.

Inserts in each copy of *Reach Out* invite tourists to take the New Testament with them and to enroll in an interdenominational Bible correspondence course sent out from the local church which distributes the Bibles. Over 10,000 people

enrolled in the Bible course in that month.

The World Home Bible League is an interdenominational Bible distribution agency with headquarters in South Holland, Ill. It was founded in 1928. Today its annual budget is more than three million dollars, and the league is working in 50 countries around the world.

The World Home Bible League, in cooperation with the New York Bible Society, is responsible for the publication of 95 per cent of the translations produced by Wycliffe translators. During the next five years the World Home Bible League is undertaking a campaign to bring a gospel portion of every literate person in India. The organization is a service agency which works through existing churches and mission points.

*Reach Out* is a paraphrase of the original New Testament translated by Dr. Kenneth Taylor, who heads Tynedale House Publishers which produces this version and *The Living Bible*. Taylor spent 14 years in paraphrasing his *Living Bible*, which now has 12 million copies on the market.

The effectiveness of the Bible distribution ministry is seen in this true story:

A rather discouraged and lonely young serviceman was spending his last night in the U.S. in a motel room in southern California. He noticed an unusual looking New Testament called *Reach Out*

on the bedside table. Curious, he began to read. It was illustrated with modern pictures and, to his surprise, the text was in modern English, too, and he understood it.

Later, the church which had placed that *Reach Out* in the motel received this letter.

"Thank you for leaving the new Bible in the motel. It brought me closer to God at a time when I needed Him most. I have read the first 25 chapters of Matthew and can't seem to take my eyes off the Word.

"Please send my wife a copy of *Reach Out*. She divorced me for what I did to her before I left. She didn't think I would change. Bless you people for giving me a chance with God again. I hope my wife and daughter will benefit from *Reach Out* as much as I did."

Churches interested in this ministry receive an attractive manual and a cassette commentary on the manual, without charge, from the World Home Bible League. After listening to and reading the details, the church makes a decision to participate in the motel program. A charter is signed and the church applies for a territory and an initial order of materials is sent.

About a month later one of 15 full-time representatives throughout the United States and Canada contacts the church and offers additional help.

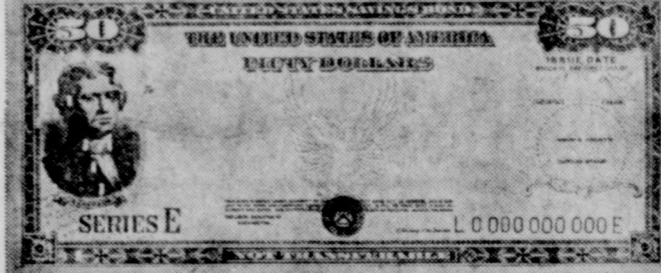
## New higher interest rate on U.S. Savings Bonds.

Now U.S. Savings Bonds pay 6% interest when held to maturity.

Here's how it works: The higher interest rate applies to all new Bonds purchased since December 1, 1973, raising their rate from 5½% to 6% when held to maturity. And the maturity period on Series E Bonds is shorter, too. Now E Bonds mature in 5 years, with a first-year rate of 4½%.

Series H Bonds, with a 10-year maturity, will earn 5% the first year; 5.8% for the next four years; and 6½% for the last five years. This gives you an average 6% yield over the 10-year period.

It works for Bonds you now hold, too. There's no reason to redeem your older Bonds to buy new ones.



Their yield has improved, too. All outstanding E Bonds will receive a ½% increase in yield for each semiannual interest period beginning on or after December 1, 1973, payable upon redemption. This also applies to any Freedom Shares you may still hold.

All outstanding H Bonds will receive a ½% yield increase for each semiannual interest period beginning on or after December 1, 1973. This is payable in the form of increased semiannual interest payments.

It all works to your advantage. Now, more than ever,

it makes sense to buy higher-paying U.S. Savings Bonds and hold them to maturity or beyond. Sign up now to buy Bonds through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work, or buy them where you bank. Take stock in America. It's in your interest.



Join the Payroll Savings Plan.

## A GIFT OF LIFE

Your contribution to the American Cancer Society in memory of your loved one will help support a program dedicated to the conquest of cancer. Your memorial gift will not only do honor to the dead. It could help provide a gift of life.

Memorial gift funds may be sent to your local American Cancer Society office.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

### Curtis - McGavock Vows Exchanged

Miss Debbie Curtis of Lubbock and E-3 Victor Lee McGavock, who is stationed with the United States Army at Fort Carson, Colorado, were married in a single-ring



Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lee McGavock

ceremony Tuesday, March 5, at 7:00 p.m. in the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McGavock, in Silverton.

Rev. Larry Wilson, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Silverton, performed the ceremony.

Escorted and given in marriage by Ed Edwards, a friend of her family, the bride wore a dark orchid dress designed with empire waistline trimmed with lace and a light orchid veil which fell from a crown of white pearl leaves and flowers. She carried a bouquet of light orchid daisies from which fell a shower of dark orchid streamers.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Tammy Stephens. She wore a dress of pink and white checks with a sheer white overskirt and carried a bouquet of cushion daisies.

### Shower Honoree

A bridal shower was held March 2 in the home of Mrs. Pete Hale for Miss Deborah Louise Curtis, bride-elect of Victor McGavock.

Mrs. Thelma Reagan registered the guests and introduced them to the bride-elect, Mrs. Victor Davis, an aunt of the prospective bridegroom, and to his mother, Mrs. E. H. McGavock.

Hostesses for the shower were Mmes. Thelma Reagan, Joe Davis, Ed Edwards, Jack Davis, George Hulsey, Ted Hester, Thomas Perkins, Pete Hale, T. V. McClure, Charlie Parker, Ollie Kendricks,

Sgt. Charles Barton served as best man, and guests were seated by Buck Hardin.

The bridegroom's mother was attired in a dress of mint green and added a corsage of white cushion daisies.

A reception was held in the McGavock home immediately following the ceremony. The bride's table was covered with a white lace cloth over dark orchid, and crystal and silver appointments and a silver coffee service were used. Serving the three-tier white wedding cake decorated with light orchid flowers were Mrs. T. V. McClure and Mrs. H. A. Cagle.

Miss Connie Younger was in charge of registration.

On their wedding trip, the couple traveled to points of interest in Colorado, and will be at home after March 10 in Fountain, Colorado. The bride attended Lubbock High School, and the bridegroom attended Silverton High School.

Attending the wedding from out of town was Mrs. Charles Barton of Amarillo.

Lloyd Stephens, Dave Ziegler, Doyle Stephens and Misses Patsy Davis and Tammy Stephens.



KATHY ELAINE HAWK

### To Marry Soon

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Lee Hawk of Burkburnett, Texas announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathy Elaine, to Mr. James Michael Richter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Richter also of Burkburnett. The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Jacobs of Silverton.

Miss Hawk is a graduate of General H. H. Arnold High School in Wiesbaden, Germany and attended Midwestern University in Wichita Falls. She is employed by Wichita General Hospital in Wichita Falls.

Mr. Richter is a graduate of Burkburnett High School and is

### Mental Health Program Heard

The Southwestern Home Demonstration Club met in the John Francis home at 2:00 p.m. on February 28 for a program on "What to do Until the Psychiatrist Comes" by Mrs. Elton Cantwell. Mental health is defined as "the way a person thinks, feels, interacts and behaves." One out of ten Americans need treatment for mental illness. Over half of all hospital beds are occupied by mental patients. Environmental and physical factors are believed to be responsible for most of the mental illness.

Ten members, one guest and the Home Extension Agent answered roll call with "The Funniest Predicament I've Ever Been In."

The district THDA meeting will be April 18 at the First Baptist Church in Big Spring. There will be workshops in Family Life, Cultural Arts, Health and Recreation. The president, Mrs. Alvie Francis, was elected as the club's nominee to Council for the District Meeting. Mrs. Oford King was chosen as alternate.

The new Nominating Committee is composed of Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Mrs. Elton Cantwell and Mrs. Larry Jarrett.

Mrs. Alvie Francis and Mrs. Carroll Garrison were appointed to

currently attending Cooke County Junior College in Wichita Falls. He is employed by the Manhattan Department Store in Burkburnett. A wedding date has been set for April 20, 1974 in Burkburnett.

help the agent, Mrs. Dorothy Powell, in planning a county-wide program on Sewing Tips.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Elton Cantwell, Mrs. Alvie Francis, Mrs. Carroll Garrison, Mrs. Larry Jarrett, Mrs. Oford King, Mrs. J. E. Patton, Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Mrs. Bob Wheelchel, Mrs. J. L. West, Mrs. Allen Kellum and Mrs. Dorothy Powell.

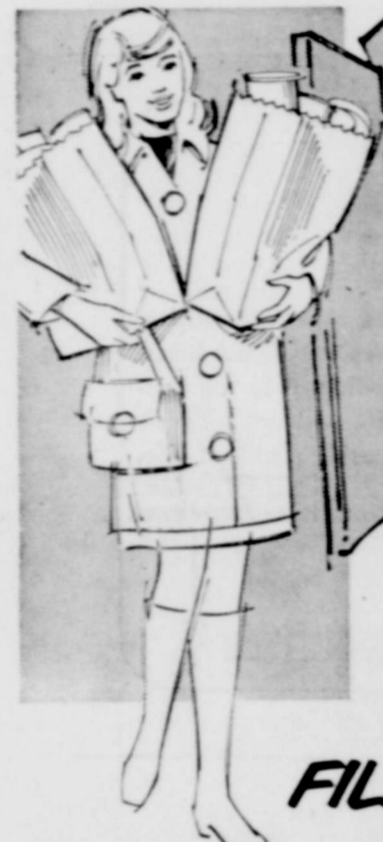
The next meeting will be in the Carroll Garrison home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Self and Zebbie recently visited the state of Oklahoma. While there they attended three Wayland College Pioneers' basketball games. Much to their disappointment, the boys lost all three games. Before returning home, they went to Mineral Wells, Texas to visit Mart's mother, Mrs. J. B. Sweek, who will be 91 years of age this March.

### The Congregation Of The CHURCH OF CHRIST Meeting At Rock Creek

EXTENDS A GRACIOUS WELCOME TO ALL TO ATTEND ANY AND ALL OF OUR SERVICES.

SUNDAY 10:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.  
 EVENING WORSHIP 7:00 p.m.  
 WEDNESDAY 7:00 p.m.



it's **YOUNG MOTHER HUBBARD TIME**



Your **QUALITY** brand for **SAVINGS** in good taste!

FILL YOUR CUPBOARD FOR **LESS!**

Specials For February Through March 9

**BISCUITS** Shurfresh Butmik.-Swmik. 8 Ounce **10¢**

**COKE** Quart Size Plus Deposit **61.39¢**

Shurfine Spears Cut All-Grn. 14 1/2 oz. **2 FOR 89¢**

Shurfine 14 oz. **CATSUP 4 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfresh Hlflmn. Longhorn Colby 10 oz. **CHEESE 79¢**

Shurfine CS-WK 17 oz. **GOLDEN CORN 5 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfine Fresh-Pak 16 oz. **CUCUMBER CHIPS 3 FOR \$1.00**

Soffin Daytime Disp.-Pinless 30's **DIAPERS \$1.49**

Soffin Overnite Disp.-Pinless 12's **DIAPERS 89¢**

Shurfine Enriched 5 lb. paper bag **FLOUR 75¢**

Shurfine 16oz. **FRUIT COCKTAIL 3 FOR 89¢**

Shurfine Asstd. 46 oz. **FRUIT DRINKS 3 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfine Grpfrt. Jc.-Pink.-Nat Org. 46 oz. **JUICE 2 FOR 89¢**

Shurfine Hamburger Asstd. Box **DINNER MIX 2 FOR 89¢**

Shurfine Macaroni - Cheese 7 1/4 oz. **DINNER 5 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfine Pieces and Stems 4 oz. **MUSHROOMS 3 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfine Pitted Large-Ripe 6 oz. **PITTED OLIVES 2 FOR 89¢**

Shurfine Frozen 6oz. **ORANGE JUICE 6 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfine 32 oz. **PANCAKE MIX 49¢**

Shurfine Crunchy-Smooth 12 oz. **PEANUT BUTTER 2 FOR 89¢**

Shurfine Pure 4 oz. **BLACK PEPPER 39¢**

Shurfine Nat. Jce. Csh.-Cnk.-Sli. 15 1/4 oz. **PINEAPPLE 3 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfine Strawberry 18 oz. **PRESERVES 59¢**

Shurfine Medium Grain 32 oz. **RICE 79¢**

Shurfine Ck.-Ndl.-Ck & Rice-Crm. Mshrm 10 1/2 oz. **SOUP 6 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfine 15 oz. **SPINACH 5 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfine 32 oz. **WAFFLE SYRUP 59¢**

Shurfine 15 oz. **TOMATO SAUCE 5 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfine 10 oz. **VANILLA WAFERS 3 FOR \$1.00**

Shurfine Fro. Broc. Sprs.-Cut Grn. Bns.-Cut Corn **FROZEN VEGS. 4 FOR \$1.00**

Cloverlake 12 oz. **COTTAGE CHEESE 56¢**

**BANANAS 10¢**

Washington Red Delicious **APPLES 5 lbs. \$1.00**

California Sunkist **ORANGES 5 lbs. \$1.00**

Shurfresh Milk Has That NATURAL GOODNESS



**Nance's Food Store**  
 SILVERTON, TEXAS

ARCH 7, 1974  
 rt Self and Za  
 d the state of  
 here they atten  
 d College Pla  
 ames. Much lo  
 nt, the boy  
 nes. Before re  
 went to Minne  
 visit Mart's mo  
 week, who will  
 this March.

SS

0

30 p.m.  
 30 p.m.  
 45 a.m.  
 30 p.m.

H

Y

SS

te!

59¢

5 FOR \$1.00

3 FOR \$1.00

s.-Cut Corn  
 4 FOR \$1.00

56¢

Pound  
 10¢

S. \$1.00

S. \$1.00

re

Complete Line of  
**C. B. RADIO EQUIPMENT**

Johnson, SBE and Browning  
 Installation Available

Let us help you with your C. B. needs.

Come in or call

**TIDWELL MOTOR CO.**

Highway 86 West  
 Silverton, Texas Phone 806-823-6251

**We Are Closing**

**CITY TAILORS**

Thursday, March 7 will be our last clean-  
 ing day. We will close March 15, and need  
 to have all clothes picked up before then.

Ricky and Teresa Hester

**LAKE THEO  
 WILL OPEN**

FRIDAY, MARCH 8

Come Eat Catfish With Us!

Fri. - 5-10 p.m. - Sat. 11 a.m.-10:00 p.m.  
 Sun. - 11:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

**Northern Gamefish  
 To Be Stocked Here**

Two exciting species of north-  
 ern gamefish — coho salmon and  
 kampoos trout—are being held at  
 the Texas Parks and Wildlife De-  
 partment's Heart of the Hills  
 Freshwater Experimental Station  
 in Kerr County. Some 12,000 of the  
 fish arrived at the station February  
 6 to be held there pending comple-  
 tion of Mackenzie Reservoir in  
 Briscoe County.

When completed, Mackenzie will  
 be a steep-sided 900-acre lake with  
 very little spawning habitat for  
 native fish.

According to Department inland  
 fisheries assistant David Pritchard,  
 there is a possibility that Macken-  
 zie will not be completed in time  
 to receive the fish.

"Water temperature and the  
 cost of feeding the fish at Heart

of the Hills will be the two limit-  
 ing factors on how long we can  
 retain the fish," said Pritchard.

"If Mackenzie is not filled by  
 the time the fish get large and the  
 weather warms, we will stock them  
 in some alternative reservoirs."

Cohos are popular gamefish of  
 the Pacific Northwest and are se-  
 cond only to the chinook in the  
 number of Pacific salmon which  
 anglers catch in that area.

Kampoos trout are a strain of  
 rainbows which do well in reser-  
 voirs.

The 12,000 fish at the Heart of  
 the Hills are large fish; the cohos  
 are six to ten inches long and av-  
 erage three fish to the pound; the  
 kampoos are eight inches long and  
 five fish to the pound.

Both fish were obtained from a  
 private hatchery in Minnesota for  
 a total price of \$7,300.

Pritchard also pointed out an-  
 other plan for Mackenzie which at  
 first might appear to be a para-  
 dox to most Texas anglers. When  
 completed the lake will be stocked  
 with rough fish, primarily thread-  
 fin shad and Mississippi silversides.

"Where these two specie of for-  
 age fish occur," said Pritchard,  
 "cohos in particular do very well."

"In some California lakes with  
 high rough fish populations, the  
 cohos grow to 12 pounds in 18  
 months."

**Hamil To Speak At  
 Annual Meeting**

David Hamil, Administrator of  
 REA, will be the guest speaker at  
 Swisher Electric Cooperative's 34th  
 Annual Membership Meeting on  
 March 16, 1974. All members and  
 friends of Swisher Electric are  
 invited to come early to see the  
 art exhibit and to have a free bar-  
 becue lunch before the program.

Mr. Hamil has been Administra-  
 tor of the Rural Electrification Ad-  
 ministration since January 1969.  
 Previously he had been Adminis-  
 trator from January 1956 to Febru-  
 ary 1961. He is a farmer-rancher  
 near Holyoke, Colorado where he  
 helped organize the Highline Elec-  
 tric Association in 1939. Since that  
 time he has remained active in ru-  
 ral electrification on local, state  
 and national levels.

All members and those interest-  
 ed in rural electrification are in-  
 vited to hear Mr. Hamil speak at  
 the Annual Meeting of Swisher  
 Electric Cooperative on Saturday,  
 March 16, 1974, beginning at 1:00  
 p.m. at the headquarters building  
 at 401 S. W. Second Street in Tu-  
 lia.

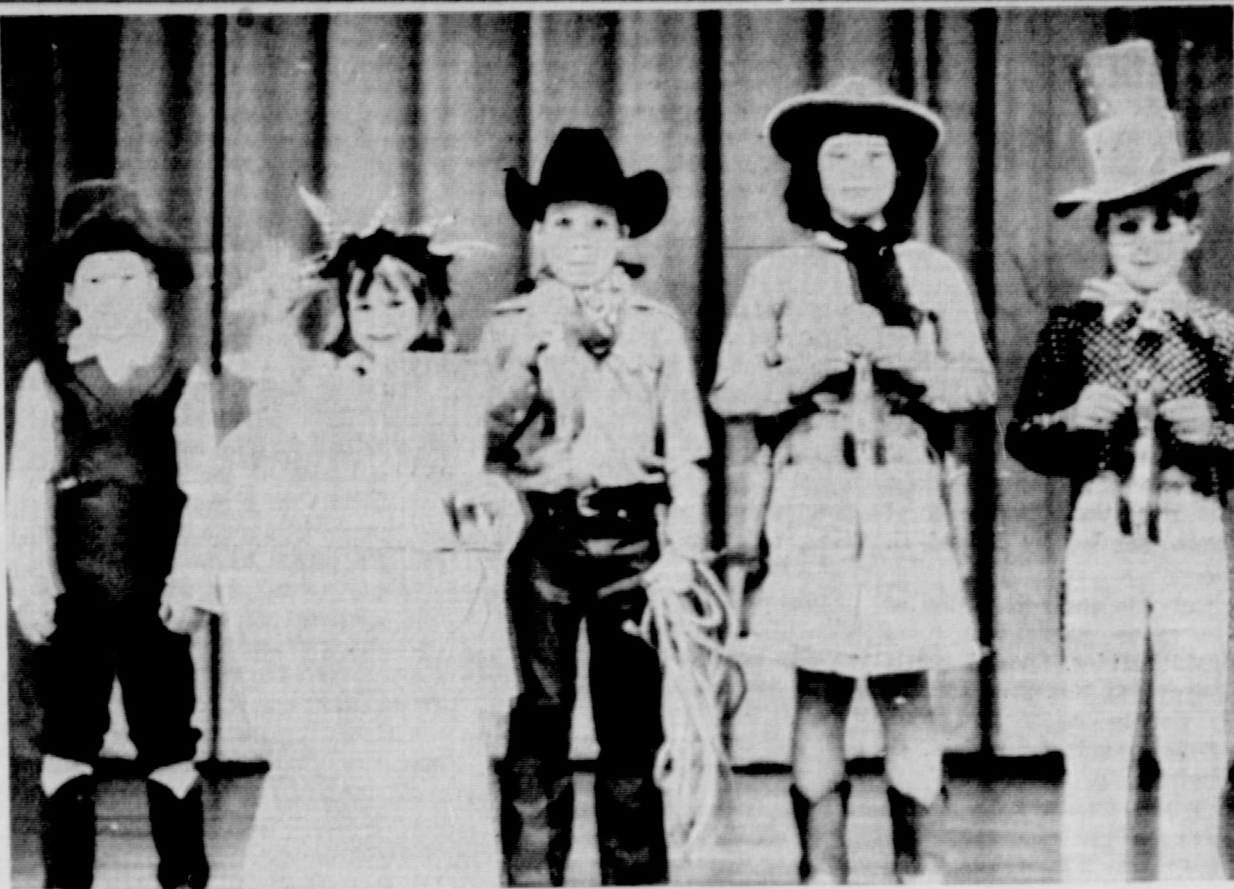
**\* NEW ARRIVAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Reagan are  
 parents of a son, Langdon Lee,  
 born February 25 at Central Plains  
 Hospital in Plainview. He weighed  
 six pounds, seven and a half oun-  
 ces.

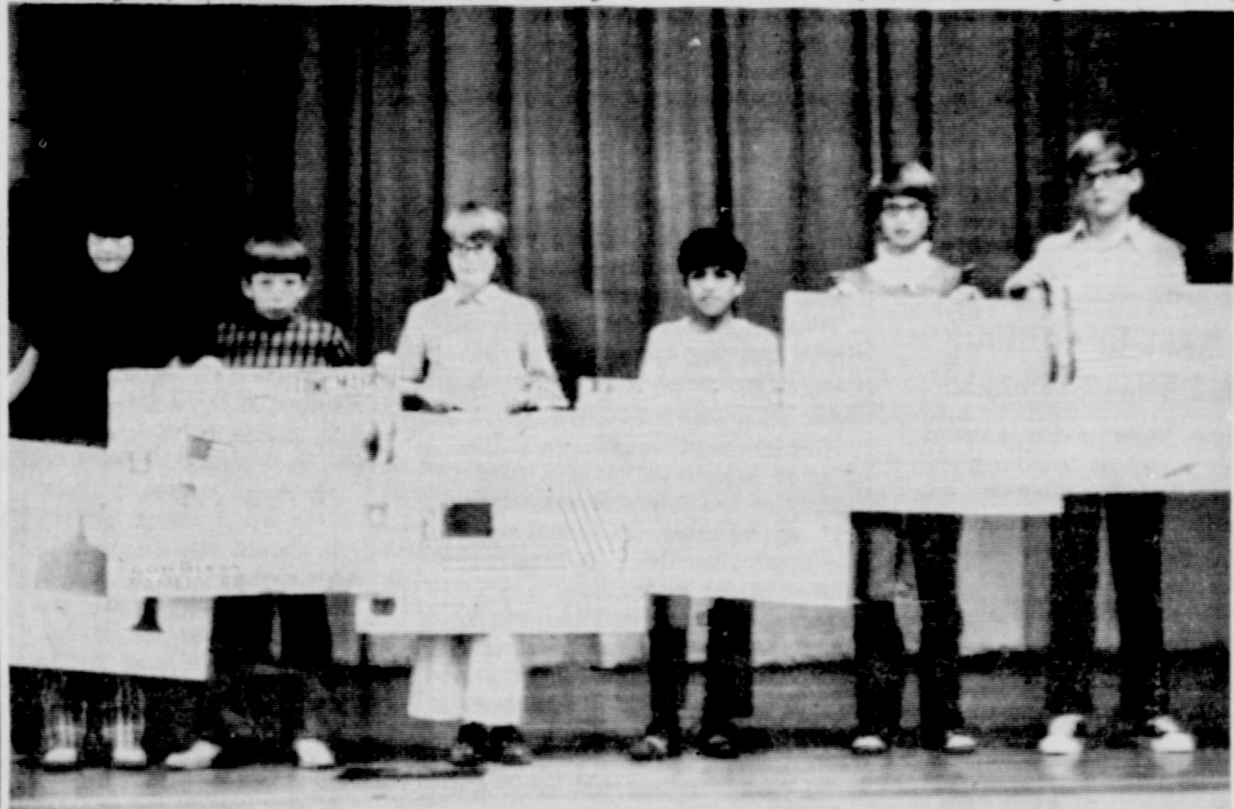
The couple have three other  
 sons, Zane, 12; Shane, 9, and Todd,  
 5½.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs.  
 Cecil Reagan of Quitaque and Mr.  
 and Mrs. Milton Frizzell. Great-  
 grandparents are Mr. and Mrs.  
 A. E. Frizzell of Floydada and Mrs.  
 L. W. Francis.

Among those attending the track  
 meet at Idalou Saturday were Mrs.  
 Alvie Francis and Becky, Mrs. Wel-  
 don McCord and Gayla, Mr. and  
 Mrs. Charles Sarchet.



Costumes of Famous Americans winners were  
 David Schott as Paul Revere; Tammi Edwards  
 as the Statue of Liberty; Warren Jarrett as  
 Will Rogers; Dena Green as Annie Oakley  
 and Kerry Batrd as Uncle Sam. Stana Kay  
 Cobb (not pictured) was also a winner as  
 Florence Nightengale.  
 (Briscoe County News Photo)



Winners of the Patriotic Poster Contest con-  
 ducted this week were Melinda Sutton,  
 Blaine Eddleman, Kimberly Fitzgerald, Andy  
 Fabela, Melissa Greenhaw and Diji Couch.



Essay Contest Winners were Linda Hardin,  
 Jul Hutsell and Marshall Rauch.  
 Mike Martin, Dayne Mayfield, Ann Hardin,  
 (Briscoe County News Photo)

*Whiter than Snow...*

"Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me,  
 and I shall be whiter than snow." The Psalmist  
 desired to be pure and white as snow, and knew  
 that this could come only from God.  
 Complete joy, and gladness of a pure heart  
 can be yours too, when you walk close  
 with the Lord.

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world  
 for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and  
 of His demand for man to respond to that love by  
 loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the  
 love of God, no government or society or way of life  
 will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold  
 so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from  
 a selfish point of view, one should support the Church  
 for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family.  
 Beyond that, however, every person should uphold  
 and participate in the Church because it tells the truth  
 about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which  
 alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

Coleman Adv. Serv.



*First State Bank*

**Speed Limit  
 Enforcement Efforts  
 To Be Intensified**

AUSTIN — Colonel Wilson E.  
 Speir, director of the Texas De-  
 partment of Public Safety, said to-  
 day he is disturbed by many com-  
 plaints by Texas motorists about  
 drivers refusing to obey the 55-  
 mile-per-hour speed limit, and has  
 directed DPS troopers to intensify  
 their enforcement efforts.

"When the new law went into  
 effect January 20 of this year," he  
 said, "our surveys indicated a high  
 degree of voluntary compliance on  
 the part of Texas drivers.

"But since that time, we have  
 noticed that motorists, or at least  
 many of them, have been gradually  
 'inching' up their speeds on Texas  
 highways. Consequently, our troo-  
 pers have been increasing their vol-  
 ume of speeding citations, and will  
 have to continue to intensify their  
 efforts until a more reasonable de-  
 gree of voluntary compliance is  
 achieved."

Speir said he has received nu-  
 merous reports by motorists who  
 are complying with the new law  
 who are frightened and angered  
 by others who pass them at speeds  
 dangerously above the legal limit,  
 and still others who "tailgate"  
 them when they can't pass for one  
 reason or another.

"We commend those drivers who  
 are cooperating in the state and  
 national effort to reduce accidents,  
 save lives, and at the same time  
 conserve fuel by driving within the  
 legal limits," Speir said.

"And we solicit the cooperation  
 of those who would forget or ig-  
 nore the dangers posed to them-  
 selves and others by dangerous  
 and illegal speeds on the high-  
 ways of our state.

"We would remind everyone that  
 consistently through the years,  
 excessive speed is involved in more  
 fatal accidents than any other  
 single factor."

SEE US FOR ALL TYPES  
**COMMERCIAL  
 PRINTING**



**NOTICE!**

**WE WILL CLOSE**

**SATURDAYS AT NOON**

**Till Further Notice**

**ASHEL McDANIEL TEXICO**

### Tenth Annual Awards Banquet Held February 16

The tenth annual Silvertown Young Farmer - Young Homemakers Awards Banquet was held Saturday, February 16, in the Silvertown School Cafeteria.

Donald Perkins was master of ceremonies. Rev. Larry Wilson gave the invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Leland H. Wood.

The welcome and recognition of Young Farmer guests was given by Donald Perkins. Special guests were Mayor and Mrs. Fred Mercer, Briscoe County Agent Jim Vanstony, Superintendent and Mrs. O. C. Rampley, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Marshall, Rev. and Mrs. Larry Wilson, Area I Young Farmer President and Mrs. Buster Terrell of Plainview, Area I Young Farmer Vice President Calvin Shelton, Dr. Charles Smallwood, Dean of Agriculture at West Texas State University in Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Long, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arnold and Kerri, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strange, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McFall, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet and Ken, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Patton and Mr. and Mrs. Flute Hutsell, representing the Silvertown Volunteer Fire Department.

#### Arthritis Sufferers:

#### WAKE UP WITHOUT ALL THAT STIFFNESS!

New formula for arthritis minor pain is so strong you can take it less often and still wake up in the morning without all the pain's stiffness. Yet so gentle you can take this tablet on an empty stomach. It's called *Arthritis Pain Formula*. Get hours of relief. Ask for *Arthritis Pain Formula*, by the makers of *Anacin* analgesic tablets.

#### Stomach Upset by Gas and Acid?

Di-Gel with Simethicone quickly relieves both acid and gas. This unique discovery breaks up and dissolves trapped gas bubbles. Your relief is more complete because Di-Gel takes the acid and the gas out of acid indigestion. When you eat too well, demand Di-Gel. Tablets, liquid. Product of Plough, Inc.

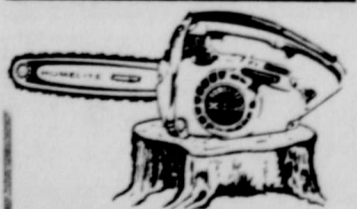
#### Helps Shrink Swelling Of Hemorrhoidal Tissues

caused by inflammation. Doctors have found a medication that in many cases gives prompt, temporary relief from pain and burning itch in hemorrhoidal tissues. Then it actually helps shrink swelling of these tissues caused by inflammation. The answer is *Preparation H*. No prescription is needed for *Preparation H*. Ointment or suppositories.

#### SHY® FEMINE SYRINGE

THE MODERN, CONVENIENT APPROACH TO FEMINE HYGIENE. Shy® is the unique feminine syringe. It expands to hold two quarts of your favorite solution. Convenient to use—no hoses, no hang-ups... easy to store... tucks away discreetly. Shy® feminine syringe is available at leading drug, discount and department stores.

#### FIREWOOD !! SAVE FUEL SAVE MONEY CUT YOUR OWN.



**HOMELITE® XL-2 CHAIN SAW**  
TWO TRIGGERS  
ONE for big cutting jobs  
ONE for little pruning jobs  
LIGHTWEIGHT • POWERFUL • RUGGED  
Only \$119.95  
Look for your local Homelite dealer in the YELLOW PAGES.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald of the Silvertown Riding Club, Mr. and Mrs. Olyn Frieson, representing Na-Churs Fertilizers of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wayne Mayfield, representing the ASCS. Betty Stephens, Young Homemaker president, recognized their special guests, Gladys Arnold, Mrs. John Turner, president of the Rock Creek Quilting Club and several other members, Mr. and Mrs. Don Markham of Amarillo (he is district director for the Muscular Dystrophy Association of America), Mr. and Mrs. Rick Grainey (director and secretary of Lubbock Cares, which represents the MIA and POW).

Progress reports were given by both clubs' presidents, Calvin Shelton for the Young Farmers and Betty Stephens for the Young Homemakers.

A very special part of the banquet was that of the presentation of the Young Farmer-Young Homemaker awards.

This year, Leland H. Wood received the Outstanding Agri-Business Award and Jerry Baird captured the Outstanding Young Farmer award. Jack McFall received the Outstanding Support plaque.

Ken Sarchet was presented a plaque for being 4-H Gold Star Boy, and Mary Chris Cantwell received the 4-H Gold Star Girl plaque.

Outstanding FFA Boy was Ty McMurtry.

Young Homemakers presented two Outstanding Support plaques—one to the Silvertown Riding Club and one to Wayne Nance.

Gladys Arnold and the Rock Creek Quilting Club received plaques of appreciation for their support.

Special guest speaker was Dr. Charles Smallwood, who talked mainly on the future of agriculture and agri-business, its heritage and the present condition of Texas and United States agriculture.

Some interesting points made by Dr. Smallwood were that agriculture has increased twice as fast as non-agricultural businesses. Texas is second to Illinois in exportation of farm products.

In Texas, 20 out of every 100 people live in the country.

"We need to tell our city cousins about our products," he said. "They spend only 16% of each dollar for food while England spends 30%. We can always find those with greater problems."

The Texas Cattle Association, for example, spends \$250,000 to advertise the state's agriculture, as do many of the agri-businesses.

Dr. Smallwood stated that the success story of agriculture needed to be told and credit given where due—this would go to the young people going into agriculture, the older ones who have stayed with it and to the pioneer men and women who first developed agriculture.

"At the present there are 40% of Texas men and women going into agri-business, but we still owe the older ones for the heritage they have left us here in Texas," Dr. Smallwood said.



#### MEMORIAL PROGRAM

Your Memorial Gift is a fitting tribute to a loved one. This remembrance helps support the research, education and service programs of the American Cancer Society.

Memorial gift funds may be sent to your local Unit of the Society.

#### AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

TO MAKE A MEMORIAL DONATION, CONTACT:  
MRS. LEO FLEMING  
BOX 98 PHONE 823-4176  
SILVERTON, TEXAS 79257

#### Use Care With Empty Pesticide Containers

An "empty" pesticide container can be as dangerous as a full one if improperly handled, cautions Jimmy Vanstony, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Pesticide containers are seldom completely empty and should not be retained for any purpose whatever. Dispose of them safely and immediately in a way that poses no hazard to humans, animals or valuable plants, advises Vanstony.

Empty containers of pesticides sold for household and garden use are generally safely disposed of through trash collection services. To prevent re-use of the empty containers, carefully mutilate and puncture plastic containers and puncture and crush metal containers (except aerosols). Wrap glass containers in paper and crush them. After crushing containers, wrap them in several thicknesses of newspaper and place them in trash cans. Vanstony notes that it might be advisable to contact city or county offices to determine whether or not this procedure is permitted.

Use aerosol cans until empty, then place them in the trash can. Never puncture, burn or incinerate aerosol cans, warns Vanstony, as they may explode.

Small farm operators who do not have access to city or county landfills should crush and bury light pesticide containers in 18 to 24 inches of clay or loam soil that has a depth of 8 to 10 feet.

The site should be isolated and level and at least 500 feet from wells, streams or livestock feeding areas to avoid water contamination. It should also be on relatively high ground that is flat or gently sloping away from any water supply, either surface or subsurface, that could be used for domestic purposes. The location should be fenced and marked.

Information on disposing of larger containers or quantities of unused pesticides should be obtained from city or county offices prior to such disposition.

Unsupervised collection of surplus or unwanted pesticides can be extremely hazardous, cautions Vanstony. Frequently, the containers in which these materials have been stored have been opened for partial use, have been broken in handling, or have otherwise deteriorated through age and exposure. Careful handling is necessary to avoid spillage, contamination and possible accidental poisoning.

Accidental poisoning from chemicals is a serious problem around the home with the majority of cases involving children under five years of age. Storing all chemicals out of reach of children is an easy, effective means of avoiding the often disastrous effects of accidental poisoning, points out the agent.

Several leaflets on the proper storage and disposal of pesticides are available at the County Extension Office.

Remember, proper disposal of empty containers is a necessary part of safe pesticide use, reminds Vanstony.

#### GSPA Asks For Higher Loan, Higher Target Prices

Pat Northcutt, a Silvertown farmer and secretary-treasurer of the Grain Sorghum Producers Association, testified on grain sorghum marketing and prices before a Senate subcommittee recently.

Speaking for GSPA, Northcutt asked the Senate Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing and Stabilization of Prices to increase loan rates and target prices for grain sorghum.

"There simply is not enough money available through private sources to finance the total grain crop throughout the year. A more reasonable government loan level would assist farmers and their buyers in a more orderly marketing of the grain," Northcutt told the subcommittee.

#### Don't Store Gas Too Long

Some people may try to beat the energy shortage by storing large amounts of gasoline, but this may create other problems, says Jimmy Vanstony, Briscoe County Agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Northcutt termed an annual price escalator clause vital to farm legislation because "with the higher cost of production, there is hardly a farmer in the United States who could survive if the market dropped to or below current target prices."

Under the present farm law the escalator clause was deleted for 1974 and the cost of production is estimated to increase by 25 percent or more.

The subcommittee heard Northcutt's testimony February 4 in Washington, D. C.

Gasoline stored on a farm or around a house becomes an expensive convenience if the storage period is longer than six months, points out Vanstony.

First, the fuel contains a blend of several parts, one of which is extremely volatile and provides engines with easy starting. It evaporates rapidly. When the storage tank is exposed to the sun or high temperatures, most of this ingredient is lost in about 60 days.

Secondly, gas becomes gummy—similar to shellac—after it "ages." This gum may stop up the carburetor and cause engine deposits. It also may cause damage when mixed in small amounts with fresh gasoline.

Furthermore, seasonal changes in grades of gasoline spell trouble if fuel blended for one season is carried over in storage tanks until another season.

For example, winter-grade fuel should not be used during late spring. This gas may cause the engine to skip because of vapor lock. The condition occurs when gas-

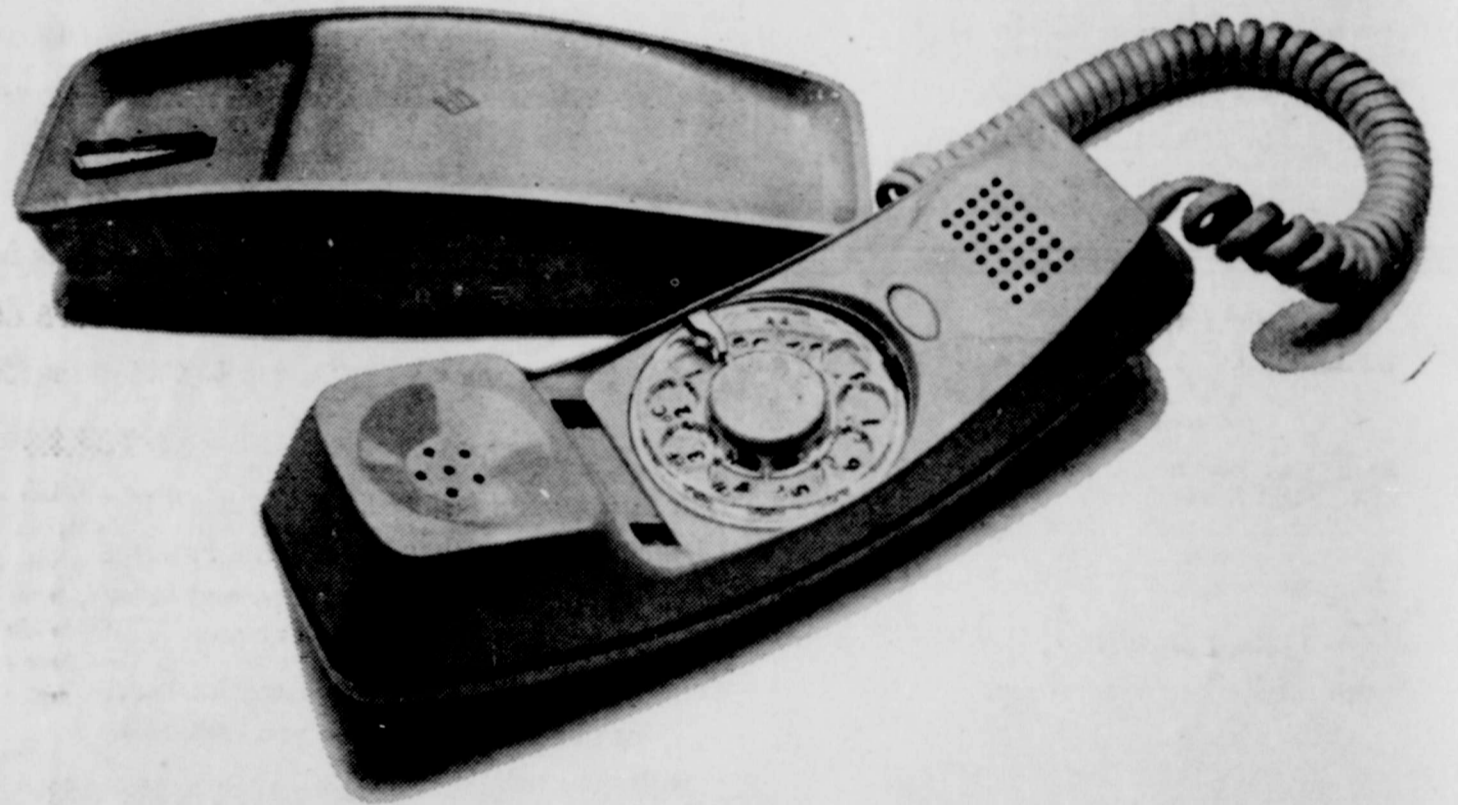
line boils in the fuel lines, fuel pump or carburetor. Vapor lock may even cause an engine to cut off. When this happens, the engine must be allowed to cool. Water may be poured on the fuel lines or fuel pump to speed the cooling process. Summer grade fuel may cause hard starting during cold weather, adds Vanstony.

#### YOU ARE INVITED

TO SEE OUR LARGE SELECTION OF PAPER ITEMS FOR THE BRIDE  
WEDDING INVITATIONS  
100 For \$13.90 and up  
NAPKINS, GUEST BOOKS  
THANK YOU NOTES  
LATEST STYLES

BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

# HAVE MORE COLORFUL CONVERSATIONS.



Add color and grace to any subject. Ask us for a Styleline® phone.

**GTE**  
**GENERAL TELEPHONE**

#### "To save energy and money this summer . . . cool your home with Gas Central Air Conditioning.

You save with a gas system because it's a more efficient energy user than its electric counterpart. It's more efficient because gas, unlike electricity, is a direct source of energy. You don't have the energy loss that occurs in electrical generation and transmission.

#### We help you save in another way, too.

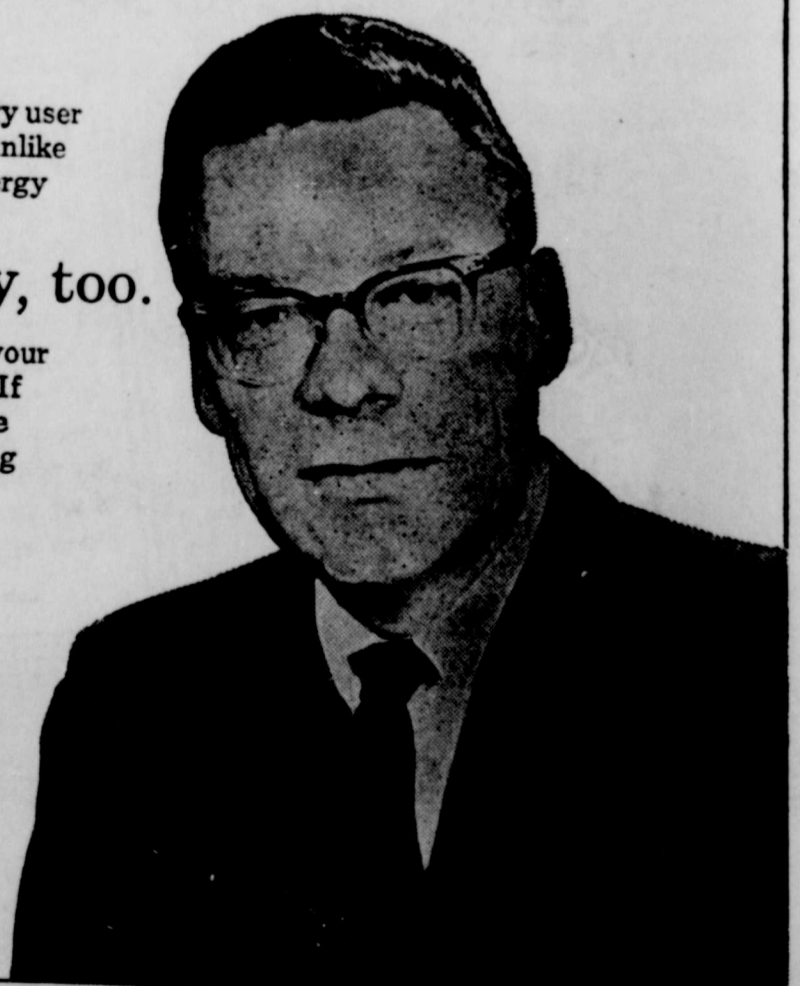
In addition to determining the exact cooling requirements of your home, our cooling specialists also check your attic insulation. If it's insufficient, insulation is added and included as part of the job. Proper insulation saves energy and money for both cooling and heating. So, beat the summer rush.

CALL US NOW FOR A FREE COOLING SURVEY AND ASK ABOUT SPECIAL WINTER TERMS.



PIONEER NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Also, if you're buying or building a home make sure it's a Natural Energy Home with Gas cooling and get more for your energy dollar year 'round."





**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Freddie Stice, Pastor

**Sunday**  
 Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.  
 Evening Service..... 7:00 p.m.

**Wednesday**  
 Worship Service..... 7:30 p.m.

☆  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST SILVERTON**

Keith Marshall, Evangelist

**Sunday**  
 Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship..... 10:45 a.m.  
 Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday**  
 Bible Study..... 7:30 p.m.

☆  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

Larry Wilson, Pastor

**Sunday**  
 Library Opens..... 9:15 a.m.  
 Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.  
 Library Opens..... 4:30 p.m.  
 Youth Choir..... 4:30 p.m.  
 Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
 Mission Friends, G.A. and R.A..... 5:00 p.m.  
 Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

**Second Monday**  
 Night W. M. S..... 7:00 p.m.

**Second and Fourth Tuesday**  
 W. M. S..... 9:30 a.m.

**Wednesday**  
 Junior High Acteens..... 3:35 p.m.  
 High School Acteens, first and third Wednesday..... 3:35 p.m.  
 Mid-Week Service..... 7:00 p.m.  
 Choir Rehearsal..... 7:45 p.m.

**Second Saturday**  
 Baptist Men..... 7:00 a.m.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST**  
James Futch, Pastor  
**CHURCH**

**Sunday**  
 Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.  
 M. Y. F..... 5:00 p.m.  
 Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday**  
 Choir Practice..... 6:00 p.m.

☆  
**JERUSALEM BAPTIST MISSION**  
Dick Roehr, Pastor

**Sunday**  
 Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.

☆  
**NEW FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST MISSION**

B. F. Edmonson, Pastor

**Sunday**  
 Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.  
 Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
 Evening Service..... 6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday**  
 Choir Rehearsal..... 7:00 p.m.  
 Prayer Service..... 8:00 p.m.

☆  
**OUR LADY OF LORETO CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**Sunday**  
 Mass..... 6:00 p.m.

☆  
**ROCK CREEK CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Earl Cantwell, Minister

**Sunday**  
 Worship Service..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday**  
 Worship Service..... 7:00 p.m.



The jolly roger, the ancient flag of the pirates, threw fear into every ship that sailed the high seas. These armed robbers sought to raid every ship they came across. None was safe when they were near.

The Bible teaches that there is a devil called Satan who is a robber and a thief, who "goes about like a roaring lion seeking whom he may devour." (1 Peter 5:8) But when the pirate threatens, we need not be afraid. We are encouraged by Romans 8:38 & 39: "For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come; nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord."

Our faith in Christ can overcome Satan's fiery darts. Through Him we can overcome all. We invite you to attend the Church of our Lord this week.

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

Coleman Adv. Ser.



**BROWN - McMURTRY IMPLEMENT CO.**

**GRABBE-SIMPSON CHEVROLET CO., INC.**

**PLAINVIEW PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSN.**

**CITY CAFE**

**RHODE PIPE COMPANY**

**ASHEL McDANIEL TEXACO**

**BRISCOE COOPERATIVES**

**JONES DEPT. STORE**

**FIRST STATE BANK**

**HILL FARM SUPPLY, INC.**

**BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS**

**CITY TAILORS**

**BUD'S GROCERY & MARKET**

**LALLIE'S IN & OUT DRIVE IN**

**VERLIN B. TOWE AGENCY**

**FOGERSON LUMBER & SUPPLY**

**JACK'S PHARMACY**

**T. & F. GIN, INC.**

**BROWN HARDWARE AND FURNITURE**

**SILVERTON AUTO PARTS**

**SILVERTON BUTANE COMPANY**

**NANCE'S FOOD STORE**

**SILVERTON FUNERAL HOME**

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 1968 1/2 TON CHEV.rolet Pickup, Power, Air; and 4 80-bu. Star Hog Feeders. 847-4852. 9-4tc

COME BY HILL FARM SUPPLY, Inc. for your needs in seed. We carry DeKalb, McNair and Richardson brands of corn, milo and sudan seed. 10-4tc

FOR SALE: SADDLE, MADE BY Saddle King, has padded seat, double rigging, covered stirrups. Berle Fisch, 847-4373. 9-2tp

FOR SALE: 1965 1/2-TON CHEV.roler Pickup, 4 speed, good condition, and 1963 4-wheel drive Jeep pickup; also good condition. Call Gerald or Dale Smith, Quitaque. 7-4tp

HOT WATER HEATERS, 20 - 30 - 40 Gallon. Gas and Butane. Brown Hardware. 36-4tc

FOR NA-CHURS LIQUID FERTILIZER, come by Hill Farm Supply, Inc., Silvertown, Texas. 1-4tc

FIRESTONE 10-SPEED BICYCLES For Sale. Silvertown Oil Company. 50-4tc

BABY CALVES FOR SALE. 823-4411, Snooks Baird. 4-4tc

MICHELIN TIRES FOR SALE. Silvertown Oil Company. 50-4tc

CALL US FOR AERIAL SPRAYING Hill Farm Supply. 13-4tc

SEE BROWN - McMURTRY FOR your International Electric Fencers, insulators and wire. 38-4tc

OLD SCRATCH CATTLE OILERS, sales, service, parts and insecticides available through Henry T. Hamblen, Wayside, Texas. 5-4tc

FOR SALE: 1968 GTO PONTIAC, automatic, power, air, clean. Call 847-4455. 10-1tp

TREFLAN, MILOGARD, ETC. Call us before you buy. Volume discount. We will store your chemicals free. Producers Cooperative Elevator, 806-983-2821, Floydada. 7-4tc

A GOOD LINE OF GRAHAM-Hoene and Nichols Sweeps. Get your needs at J. E. (Doc) Minyard Implement. 1-4tc

FOR SALE: PRECONDITIONED Calves, Steers, Heifers. Call 823-4411, Snooks Baird. 4-4tc

FACTORY OUTLET: permanent-Pressed Cottons, Knits, Blends by the yard, also short ends and remnants. Brown Hardware. 11-4tc

WE HAVE A SPECIAL OIL TO fit your needs from the smallest two cycle lawn mower to the largest diesel tractor. Brown-McMurtry Implement. 38-4tc

FOR YOUR HYDRAULIC NEEDS see Brown-McMurtry. Hose repair or custom sizes made to order. 19-4tc

MOWERS, 56 THROUGH 140. Ray Thompson Implement Co. 9-4tc

AMBRO GATES AND PANELS. Designed by and built for ranchers. All steel; wind proof; custom made. Full details available from the local dealer, Brown Hardware in Silvertown. 40-4tc

CANDLES FOR ALL OCCASIONS: Nice to keep or give as gifts. Call 823-6161, Brenda Patton, or 847-4540, Mary Jane Patton. 27-4tc

FOR SALE: BIDS WILL BE TAKEN at the City Hall on the sale of a used 2000 gal. tank, used for sand trap, until March 22 when all bids will be opened and read. City of Silvertown reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. 10-2tc

FOR SALE: HOMEGROWN white onion plants. O. E. May, 823-2061 10-2tc

FOR SALE: GRAIN CART, 24,000 pound capacity Farris-Wilkinson. \$2,300.00. Call Rex Tiffin, 823-5601. 9-3tc

FOR SALE: 1966 DODGE HALF ton 4-wheel drive pickup. Pascal Garrison, 847-4873. 10-3tc

SINGER SEWING MACHINES, Vacuum Cleaners, Smith-Corena Typewriters, Adding Machines - Sales - Service. Here every third Thursday. Merchandise on Panel. Memphis Sewing Machine Co. 18-4tc

FOR SALE: SEVERAL HUNDRED feet of 1 1/2" plastic pipe. J. E. (Doc) Minyard. 10-2tc

FOR SALE: 1 CAMPER TOPPER for short wide pickup. David Tipton. 9-4tc

9x12 BRAIDED RUG FOR SALE. 823-2181, Mrs. Mary Rampley. 9-2tc

**WANTED**

HELP WANTED for steel erection. Contact Rex Tiffin, 823-5601. 8-4tc

WANTED: DOMESTIC HELP ONE or two days a week. Have 4 boys ages one through nine, so don't inquire unless you intend to work and can come regularly. Will make it worth your while if interested. Phone 847-4871. 10-3tc

LET US DO YOUR WELL MOTOR work. Tidwell Motor Co., Highway 86 West, 823-6251, Silvertown. 10-3tc

MATTRESSES RENOVATED All kinds and sizes new mattresses for sale, including mattresses for baby beds, king and queen sizes, or tailor - made to your specification. Fast and dependable service. For appointment call 3381, Briscoe County News. 23-4tc

FOR ALL YOUR LIFE INSURANCE and HOSPITALIZATION NEEDS - USE Archie Castleberry SOUTHLAND LIFE 11th and Washington Amarillo, Texas

**Higginbotham Bartlett**

300 EAST 6th PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

PLUMBING  
Bradley Sink Faucets...\$21.95  
3/4" Blk. Pipe...32  
1" Blk. Pipe...43  
1 1/4" Blk. Pipe...57

STEEL GATES  
16' 52"x5 panel  
With Hardware...29.95

CORRUGATED IRON  
Heavy Gauge  
6' thru 12'...15.95

HOT WATER TANKS  
30 gal. Glass Lined  
10 yr. guarantee...62.95

SHELVING  
1x12 10' Particle Board  
Each...2.59

LUMBER  
1x6 Rough Fencing  
lin. ft...11 1/4  
2x4 12' each...79  
2x4 14' each...99

PANELING  
Prefinished 4x8...3.29

STORM DOORS  
2-8x6-8...28.95

GYPSUM WALL BOARD  
4x8 1/2"...1.70

CEILING TILE  
Pure White 12"x12"...10.95

CEDAR SHINGLES  
18" Certigrade...23.95

PAINT  
Latex Wall Paint  
White & Colors Gal...3.45  
Latex House Paint  
White...4.55

**REAL ESTATE**

MUST SELL NICE TWO BED-room house. Fully carpeted and paneled. See Bill Furd, 823-5111. 41-4tc

FOR SALE: 2 BEDROOM HOUSE, double garage and storm cellar. J. R. Steele, 823-2811. 50-4tc

FOR SALE: 3 ROOM HOUSE AND Garage to be moved. Call C. L. Francis, 847-4735. 4-4tc

FOR SALE: 2 BEDROOM HOUSE, carpet and paneling, storm windows and doors, fenced backyard. \$4,500.00. Jerry Miller, 823-3971. 10-4tc

**CARD OF THANKS**

I would like to thank everyone who visited and sent cards while I was in the Lockney Hospital and nursing home.  
Jennie Fisher

The Senior Class of '74 would like to thank each and everyone of you who came to our play last Friday night. We hope everyone enjoyed it as much as we did giving it. We would like to give special thanks to Mr. John Shaller for helping us to present it, because he worked just as hard as the rest of us. And we would like to thank the people who bought our pies and cakes. Thanks again to everyone.  
Seniors '74

We are so grateful for every prayer, visit, telephone call and card that we received during my stay in the hospital. Thank you so much.  
Jack Estes

Thank you for participating in and donating to the Heart Fund campaign.  
Wilma Gill, President  
Century of Progress Study Club

We can't find words to express to each of our friends how much we appreciated all the kindness shown us in our time of sorrow. Thank you for all the beautiful flowers, cards, phone calls, visits, prayers and every act of kindness. We are grateful for friends like you.  
May God bless each of you.  
Glenn and Ethel Jones  
The Bill Verden family  
The Reggie Wells family  
Thank you for the cards, phone calls, prayers and every expression of your friendship and concern while I was in the hospital and since I've been home.  
Mrs. Dee Garvin

**NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
CITY OF SILVERTOWN  
TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF SILVERTOWN, TEXAS: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 6th day of April, 1974 in the City of Silvertown, Texas, at the place, in the manner, and for the officials set forth in the attached copy of an order for City Officers' Election, duly adopted by the Mayor of said City on the 11th day of February, 1974. Said attached order for City Officers' Election being a part of this notice for

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Subject to Action of the Democratic Primary

FOR U. S. CONGRESS, 13th DISTRICT:

**JACK HIGHTOWER**  
Vernon, Texas

FOR STATE SENATOR, 30th DISTRICT OF TEXAS:

**RAY FARABEE**  
Wichita Falls, Texas

**CHARLES FINNELL**  
Holliday (Archer County), Texas

FOR TEXAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, 66th DISTRICT:

**PHIL CATES**  
Lefors, Texas

FOR JUDGE, BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS:

**M. G. MORELAND**  
Silvertown, Texas

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK, BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS:

**BESS McWILLIAMS**  
Silvertown, Texas

FOR COMMISSIONER, BRISCOE COUNTY PRECINCT 4:

**ROY S. BROWN**  
Silvertown, Texas

**BRYANT EDDLEMAN**  
Silvertown, Texas

FOR TREASURER, BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS:

**MILDRED REID**  
Silvertown, Texas

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, BRISCOE COUNTY PRECINCT 1:

**BARBARA PIGG**  
Silvertown, Texas

**JOHNNIE LANHAM**  
Silvertown, Texas

**Bill's Trim Shop**  
We Specialize in Pickup Seats, Car Interiors  
995-4616  
East of First State Bank Tulla, Texas

**RECEIVE SHIPPED CATTLE WITH NEW PURINA RECEIVING CHOW TO**  
\*help cut death rate  
\*lower sickness expense  
\*give cattle fast start  
**RAY TEEPLE FEED LOT**

**SILVERTOWN LODGE No. 754 A.F.&A.M.**  
Stated Meeting  
Second Tuesdays  
7:30 p.m.  
Carver Monroe, W. M.  
Gall Bullock, Secretary  
Bob Hill, Treasurer

**MOORMAN'S FEEDS**  
To better utilize your summer grazing, use Moorman Mineral and Protein.  
It Pays To Figure Feed Cost Contact  
**DONNIE MARTIN**  
Silvertown, Texas

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN WEATHER MODIFICATION ACTIVITIES**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PLAINS WEATHER IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION, INC., OF P.O. BOX 1627, PLAINVIEW, TEXAS 79072, who holds License No. 74-6 of the State of Texas intends to engage in an operation designed to decrease hailfall by artificial methods, for and on behalf of Plains Weather Improvement Association, Inc. and will conduct such program by means of aerial application of artificial nuclei as follows:

- The area over or within which equipment may be operated shall include portions of these counties: Hale, Lamb, Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Floyd, Crosby, Lubbock, Hockley, Randall, Deaf Smith and Farmer.
- The target within which hailfall is intended to be decreased is described as follows: The outer boundary commencing at the point of intersection of the counties Hale, Lubbock, Hockley and Lamb; thence northward along the Hale-Lamb County line to the southern boundary of Castro County; thence westward nine (9) miles along the Castro-Lamb County line; thence due north to State Highway 86; thence eastward along State Highway 86 to U.S. Highway 87; thence southward along U.S. Highway 87 to the northern boundary of Hale County; thence eastward along the county line to Farm Road 378; thence southward along Farm Road 378 to U.S. Highway 70; thence southeastward 1 1/2 miles along U.S. Highway 70; thence due south to the Floyd-Crosby County line; thence westward along the county line to the intersection with Lubbock County; thence southward eight (8) miles along the Lubbock-Crosby County line; thence due west to Farm Road 490; thence northward along Farm Road 490 to the Hale-Lubbock County line; thence westward along the county line to the intersection of the counties Hale, Lubbock, Hockley and Lamb, the point of origin.
- The equipment, materials, and methods to be used in conducting the operation are a weather radar system, cloud seeding aircraft and flares for dispersion of silver iodide nuclei near cloud base.
- The person who will be in control and in charge of the operation is Jennie G. Medina, Plainview, Texas.
- The operation will extend during the period beginning about April 1, 1974, and ending about November 30, 1974.

Individuals, organizations, or agencies who consider that their interests will be adversely affected by the operation proposed may file a formal protest for consideration by the Board with the following:

**WEATHER MODIFICATION AFFAIRS COORDINATOR TEXAS WATER DEVELOPMENT BOARD**  
P. O. Box 18087  
Austin, Texas 78711  
Dated: 8 February 1974  
Signed: Paul W. Leach Secretary-Treasurer Plains Weather Improvement Assn., Inc.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
CITY OF SILVERTOWN  
TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF SILVERTOWN, TEXAS: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 6th day of April, 1974 in the City of Silvertown, Texas, at the place, in the manner, and for the officials set forth in the attached copy of an order for City Officers' Election, duly adopted by the Mayor of said City on the 11th day of February, 1974. Said attached order for City Officers' Election being a part of this notice for

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Subject to Action of the Democratic Primary

FOR U. S. CONGRESS, 13th DISTRICT:

**JACK HIGHTOWER**  
Vernon, Texas

FOR STATE SENATOR, 30th DISTRICT OF TEXAS:

**RAY FARABEE**  
Wichita Falls, Texas

**CHARLES FINNELL**  
Holliday (Archer County), Texas

FOR TEXAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, 66th DISTRICT:

**PHIL CATES**  
Lefors, Texas

FOR JUDGE, BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS:

**M. G. MORELAND**  
Silvertown, Texas

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK, BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS:

**BESS McWILLIAMS**  
Silvertown, Texas

FOR COMMISSIONER, BRISCOE COUNTY PRECINCT 4:

**ROY S. BROWN**  
Silvertown, Texas

**BRYANT EDDLEMAN**  
Silvertown, Texas

FOR TREASURER, BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS:

**MILDRED REID**  
Silvertown, Texas

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, BRISCOE COUNTY PRECINCT 1:

**BARBARA PIGG**  
Silvertown, Texas

**JOHNNIE LANHAM**  
Silvertown, Texas

**Bill's Trim Shop**  
We Specialize in Pickup Seats, Car Interiors  
995-4616  
East of First State Bank Tulla, Texas

**RECEIVE SHIPPED CATTLE WITH NEW PURINA RECEIVING CHOW TO**  
\*help cut death rate  
\*lower sickness expense  
\*give cattle fast start  
**RAY TEEPLE FEED LOT**

**SILVERTOWN LODGE No. 754 A.F.&A.M.**  
Stated Meeting  
Second Tuesdays  
7:30 p.m.  
Carver Monroe, W. M.  
Gall Bullock, Secretary  
Bob Hill, Treasurer

**MOORMAN'S FEEDS**  
To better utilize your summer grazing, use Moorman Mineral and Protein.  
It Pays To Figure Feed Cost Contact  
**DONNIE MARTIN**  
Silvertown, Texas

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN WEATHER MODIFICATION ACTIVITIES**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PLAINS WEATHER IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION, INC., OF P.O. BOX 1627, PLAINVIEW, TEXAS 79072, who holds License No. 74-6 of the State of Texas intends to engage in an operation designed to decrease hailfall by artificial methods, for and on behalf of Plains Weather Improvement Association, Inc. and will conduct such program by means of aerial application of artificial nuclei as follows:

- The area over or within which equipment may be operated shall include portions of these counties: Hale, Lamb, Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Floyd, Crosby, Lubbock, Hockley, Randall, Deaf Smith and Farmer.
- The target within which hailfall is intended to be decreased is described as follows: The outer boundary commencing at the point of intersection of the counties Hale, Lubbock, Hockley and Lamb; thence northward along the Hale-Lamb County line to the southern boundary of Castro County; thence westward nine (9) miles along the Castro-Lamb County line; thence due north to State Highway 86; thence eastward along State Highway 86 to U.S. Highway 87; thence southward along U.S. Highway 87 to the northern boundary of Hale County; thence eastward along the county line to Farm Road 378; thence southward along Farm Road 378 to U.S. Highway 70; thence southeastward 1 1/2 miles along U.S. Highway 70; thence due south to the Floyd-Crosby County line; thence westward along the county line to the intersection with Lubbock County; thence southward eight (8) miles along the Lubbock-Crosby County line; thence due west to Farm Road 490; thence northward along Farm Road 490 to the Hale-Lubbock County line; thence westward along the county line to the intersection of the counties Hale, Lubbock, Hockley and Lamb, the point of origin.
- The equipment, materials, and methods to be used in conducting the operation are a weather radar system, cloud seeding aircraft and flares for dispersion of silver iodide nuclei near cloud base.
- The person who will be in control and in charge of the operation is Jennie G. Medina, Plainview, Texas.
- The operation will extend during the period beginning about April 1, 1974, and ending about November 30, 1974.

Individuals, organizations, or agencies who consider that their interests will be adversely affected by the operation proposed may file a formal protest for consideration by the Board with the following:

**WEATHER MODIFICATION AFFAIRS COORDINATOR TEXAS WATER DEVELOPMENT BOARD**  
P. O. Box 18087  
Austin, Texas 78711  
Dated: 8 February 1974  
Signed: Paul W. Leach Secretary-Treasurer Plains Weather Improvement Assn., Inc.

all intents and purposes.  
/s/ Jerry Patton  
City Secretary

**ORDER FOR CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
CITY OF SILVERTOWN

I, Fred W. Mercer, in my capacity as Mayor of the City of Silvertown, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held in said City on the 6th day of April, 1974, for the purposes of electing the following officials for said City:

That in accordance with an order adopted by the City Council of said City, said election shall be held at the following place in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election.

In Election Precinct No. 1, at City Hall Building, in said City, with Mrs. C. A. Holt as Presiding Judge, and Mrs. Floyd Williams as Alternate Presiding Judge, and said Presiding Judge shall appoint the necessary clerks to assist him which shall not exceed one clerk.

Jerry Patton is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting. The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at City Hall within said City and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least eight hours

on each day for absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:00 and 5:00 on each day for said absentee voting.

That said election shall be held in accordance with the Election Code of this State and only the duly qualified voters of said City shall be eligible to vote at said election.

That the City Secretary shall give notice of said election by mailing a copy of this order in each of the election precincts of said City, which posting shall be done less than 30 days prior to the date of said election.

That immediately after said election is held, the officers holding the same shall make returns of the result thereof to the Mayor of this city as required by the Election Code of this State.

A copy of this order shall be served as a writ of election upon the above appointed Presiding Judge, for the election.

/s/ Fred W. Mercer  
Mayor

**GET THE POINT WITH NON-SHARPENING PENCILS... 19¢**

Briscoe County News

EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 25, 1974

**PROPANE PRICE WILL BE 26¢ GAL.**

This reduction will be in effect until further notice.

PLEASE CALL FOR YOUR PROPANE NEEDS

**SILVERTOWN BUTANE**  
823-2481

LET YOUR **CO-OP** HANDLE YOUR HELP YOU WITH YOUR FARMING NEEDS.

**BRISCOE CO-OP ELEVATORS**

**Diamond Industrial Supply Co., Inc.**

Phone Days 296-6225 - Nights 293-1200 or 296-7828  
1014 Broadway  
Plainview, Texas

Chain Sprockets  
V-Belts  
Sheaves

U-Joints  
Oil Seals  
O-Rings  
Wisconsin

SKF BCA TIMKEN BOWER  
"We Appreciate Your Business More"

COME EAT **FISH** WITH US EACH FRIDAY

We Start Serving At 6:00 p.m.

\$1.95 Plus Tax

**CITY CAFE**

**SERVICE ELEVATOR & MILLING**

Complete Custom Feed Milling

Complete Line Vet. Supplies

Ritchie Livestock Waterers & Supplies  
823-6331 Silvertown

**DR. O. R. McINTOSH**

OPTOMETRIST  
211 South Main Street Phone 983-3460  
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

**RAY TEEPLE FEEDLOT**

PURINA BULK FEEDS, CATTLE & HOG HEALTH AIDS

BONDED STATE INDEPENDENT PUBLIC WEIGHER

Delivery Service On All Feeds - Ralston Purina

CHECK WITH US FOR YOUR FEED NEEDS

**Ray Teeple Perry Brunson**  
847-4945 847-4947  
SILVERTOWN, TEXAS

**DR. JOHN W. KIMBLE OPT.**

Contact Lenses - Visual Analysis  
OPEN ALL DAY SATURDAY  
Floydada, Texas YU 3-2496