

All Around the Town

by Mary Ann Sarchet

Carl Wood, better known as "Uncle Zeb" to the readers of his newspaper columns, was visiting in Silverton early this week and left us an autographed copy of his latest book, which he called "Memories."

The inspirational book was written before, during and following the death of his wife, Georgia, and "Uncle Zeb" poured out his heart and his love for his wife in the pages of this book.

He has this book and copies of his first two books on sale for \$3.00. He promises a surprise to everyone who orders now from Box 325, Claude, Texas 79019.

Carl Wood is a brother of Leland Wood, and he also visited with Evelyn and Bernice and inspected their new shop while he was in town.

Fitzgerald Enters Commissioners Race

W. H. (Grumpy) Fitzgerald has authorized the Briscoe County News to announce that he will be a candidate for Commissioner of Briscoe County Precinct Three, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary on May 1.

Fitzgerald made the following statement: "I have lived in this Precinct for 42 years. I am seeking election to this office because I think I can help the Precinct and the County. Your vote and influence in my behalf will be appreciated."

The present Commissioner of Precinct Three will serve the balance of his present term of office, but is not seeking re-election because he is a candidate for another County office.

Fitzgerald and his wife, Florene, live in the Rock Creek Community, and he has indicated that he will soon be calling on his neighbors in Precinct Three to discuss his candidacy. Both Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald attend the Rock Creek Church of Christ and are active in the Golden Spread Appaloosa Horse Club.

Long Is Candidate For County Office

Beryl Long has announced that he is a candidate for Briscoe County Commissioner of Precinct Three, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held May 1.

Long, who has served for several years as the Briscoe County Democratic Chairman, presented his resignation during a meeting of the County Democratic Committee Monday morning. The County Democratic Committee appointed J. C. Fowler to serve as Briscoe County's Democratic Chairman until the Democratic Primary on May 1.

Long and his wife, Dottie, have resided and farmed in Precinct Three for a number of years and are active in the Farmer's Union.

Long stated that he is familiar with the duties of a County Commissioner and that he has a genuine desire to serve the people of the precinct. "I will make an effort to see every resident of our Precinct between now and election day," Long said, "and until I contact you personally I would appreciate it if you will give consideration to my candidacy."

Former Resident Dies In Colorado

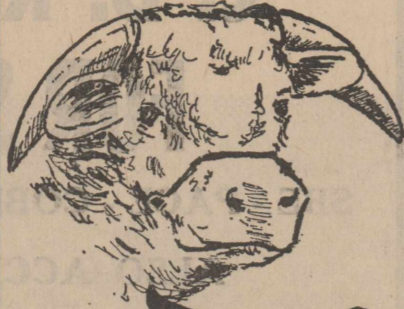
Funeral services for Zeph P. Fogerson, a former resident of Silverton, were conducted at 11:30 a.m. Saturday at Warren Funeral Home Chapel in Fort Collins, Colorado. Burial was in Grendview Cemetery there.

Mr. Fogerson died in Poudre Valley Memorial Hospital at Fort Collins Thursday following a lengthy illness.

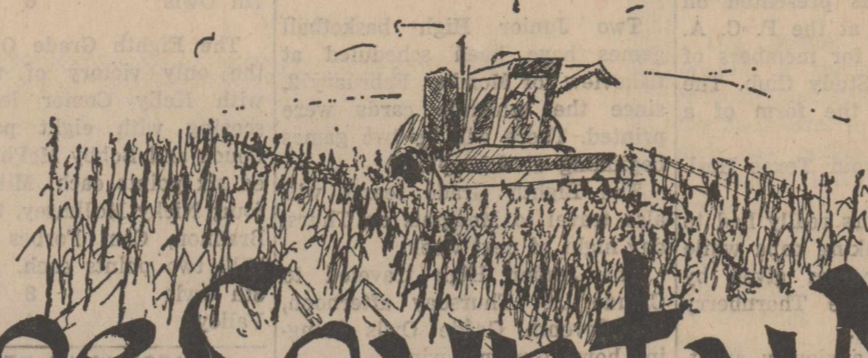
Mr. Fogerson, 83, was born in Silverton August 28, 1892 and married the former Janie A. Hancock in Silverton November 11, 1915. He retired in 1956 as a salesman for the Bowman Biscuit Company.

Mr. Fogerson moved to Fort Collins July 4, 1972 from Clovis, New Mexico. He was a member of the First United Presbyterian Church in Fort Collins.

Surviving are his widow; a daughter, Mrs. Mona Nelson of Fort Collins; a son, Jack Fogerson of Houston; two brothers, Dewel L. Fogerson of Amarillo and Patrick



Silverton: Home of Scenic Lake Mackenzie



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Registration Underway Here for E.M.T. Course



JUDGE L. D. RATLIFF

Judge L. D. Ratliff Dies In Matador

Judge L. D. Ratliff of the 110th District Court died Saturday while presiding over a civil jury trial in Matador.

Judge Ratliff had just submitted the case to the jury when he was stricken. He was pronounced dead of natural causes by Dr. A. C. Traveek of Matador.

Judge John T. Boyd of the 64th District Court in Plainview was summoned to preside over the remainder of the trial. Services for Judge Ratliff, 67, of Spur, were at 2 p.m. Monday in the First United Methodist Church at Spur with the Rev. Archie Echols, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Norris Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial was in Spur Cemetery under direction of Campbell Funeral Home.

A native of Decatur, Judge Ratliff moved to Dickens County in 1933. He was married to the former Marie Bybee on March 12, 1933 in Hollis, Okla.

Judge Ratliff served as county attorney in Dickens County from 1934 to 1942, and assumed the 110th District Court bench in 1957.

He was a member of the Texas Bar Association, and was admitted to practice before the Supreme Court.

He also was on the Board of Stewards of the First United Methodist Church at Spur.

The family has suggested memorials to the L. D. Ratliff Scholarship Fund at the Texas Tech School of Law in Lubbock.

Judge Ratliff is survived by his wife; a daughter; five brothers; three sisters and two grandchildren.

Beef Certificate Drawings Slated

Terra Cotta CowBelles invite those attending the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show to register for Beef Gift Certificate drawings to be held in conjunction with the CowBelle booth.

They invite you to stop by the booth the Texas CowBelles will be sharing with MoorMan's Feeds January 29 through February 8.

Fogerson of Fort Worth; four sisters, Mrs. Annie Long of San Antonio, Mrs. Bertha Gerdes of Garden Grove, California, Mrs. Ray Cox of Wichita, Kansas and Mrs. Mary Sides of Greely, Colorado; and two grandchildren.

He was an uncle of Ware Fogerson and brother-in-law of Mrs. James Rhoderick, both of Silverton.

McWilliams Services Blood Pressure Testing Clinic To Be Held Here

Funeral services for Mrs. Eva Lee (Curtis) McWilliams, 53, were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Silverton. Officiating were the pastor, Rev. Larry Wilson, and a former pastor, Rev. Carlos McLeod, who is now pastor of the First Baptist Church in Plainview.

Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements under the direction of the Silverton Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Shafe Weaver, Glen Lindsey, L. B. Garvin, Mabry Greenhaw, Loyd Stephens and John Schott.

Mrs. McWilliams died at 8:00 p.m. Thursday at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview where she had been a patient since the previous Sunday.

A native of Hall County where she was born February 7, 1922, Mrs. McWilliams had lived in Briscoe County 41 years. She was married to Glenn McWilliams in Canyon November 17, 1941.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Silverton and a Past Worthy Matron of Silverton Chapter No. 900, Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband, Glenn; three sons, Dean McWilliams of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, Darrell McWilliams of Anchorage, Alaska and Jim McWilliams of Amarillo; two daughters, Mrs. Gladora Couch of Silverton and Mrs. Mary King of Gruver; two brothers, Leonard Curtis of Bakerfield, California and E. W. Curtis of Amarillo; two sisters, Mrs. Lela Schmidt of Arleta, California and Mrs. Pauline Cagle of Kress; and seven grandchildren.

Cora Ivory To Be Speaker For Meeting

Cora C. Ivory of Lamesa, a former Silverton resident, will be one of the main speakers at a Crime Symposium and Workshop to be held in observance of the 50th Anniversary of Black History Week February 22, 1976 at the Ramada Inn on the Seminole Highway in Hobbs, New Mexico. This will also be in connection with the Annual Tea and Soul Food Tasting Affair.

Miss Ivory is believed to be the first black policewoman on active duty in West Texas, serving with the Lamesa police force. She is an outstanding graduate of Wayland College with a major in law enforcement.

Mrs. Beryl Long has been a patient at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo since Monday. She has been undergoing a series of tests.

VISIT IN CALIFORNIA

Ricky Hutsell returned to Lubbock Tuesday, January 13, from a two-week visit in Reseda, California with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riddell C. Hutsell, Wayne, Ellen and Elliott. While there they visited various points of interest, including Disneyland, Magic Mountain, Knotts Berry Farm, Busch Gardens, Porto O'Call in San Pedro, The San Diego Zoo and Tiajuana, Mexico.

Ricky is in his freshman year at Texas Tech. Cindy Hutsell spent Christmas in California with her parents and family.

Blood Pressure Testing Clinic To Be Held Here

The Briscoe County Family Living Subcommittee will sponsor a Blood Pressure Testing Clinic on February 12, in the nurse's office at the Silverton Schools, according to Linda Mullin, County Extension Agent.

This is an excellent time for everyone in the community to have his blood pressure checked.

The clinic will be open from 8:30 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. and will be free of charge. "We hope that everyone will make time to drop by the nurse's office to take advantage of this opportunity," Miss Mullin said.

Corn, Grain Sorghum Topics At Meeting

Silverton Young Farmers met Thursday, January 22, in the high school vocational agriculture department with Jimmy Myers presiding.

Special guest speakers were Lynn Swain and Al Burrier, representatives of PAG, Lubbock. Corn varieties and grain sorghums and problems with both were discussed.

During the business meeting, G. W. Chappell reported on the upcoming Young Farmer-Young Homemaker Awards Banquet to be held February 21. State Senator Ray Farabee will be guest speaker.

Members will work at the old drive-in site to finish clearing the land so it might return to farmland.

The club will meet at the school track field on Saturday, January 31 at 9:30 to haul gravel to prepare the track to be used this spring. An all-out effort will be made to finish this job in one day, so members and everyone else who can help are urged to bring their trucks and be prepared to spend the whole day at work.

Scott Garvin was welcomed as a new member of the club.

Myers appointed Wayne Stephens and Dan Herrington to be the rodeo committee.

Those attending the meeting were Calvin Shelton, Jimmy Myers, Steve Barbour, Tobe Riddell, Scott Garvin, Fred Minyard, G. W. Chappell, Dan Herrington, Wayne Stephens and special guests, Rick Minyard, Carl Minyard, Gary Weeks, Lynn Frizzell, Danny Francis, Lynn Swain and Al Burrier.

Your community's ambulance service has a need for Emergency Medical Technicians. In view of legislation which is currently pending, the ambulance service could cease to exist without Emergency Medical Technicians in the community.

In cooperation with Amarillo College, the ambulance services in Turkey, Quitaque and Silverton have made arrangements to have an Emergency Medical Technician Course taught in Silverton, if there are enough interested people to take the course. It would be taught two nights a week, probably from 7:00 until 10:00 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, for fourteen weeks beginning in March. While the course is expensive, funding is to be provided for all of the participants, including books which each individual will retain at the completion of the course.

This is an intensive training course in emergency situations and will be quite valuable training. Both men and women are being encouraged to take the course. There will be no travel except to the classes in Silverton and for the portion of the course which is conducted in the emergency room of a hospital.

This is a rare opportunity to be able to have this training so close to home and with the expense of the course and books paid. If you would be willing to enter this training, you are encouraged to contact Eugene Ferguson in Turkey, James Brunson in Quitaque or Jerry Patton in Silverton.

The class will be limited to 36, and the ambulance service personnel and firemen will be the first admitted to the class. Others will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis to fill the class.

HONOR ROLL

FIRST GRADE: Suzann Settle, Katrice Minyard, Tonnette Miller, Stephanie Ramirez

SECOND GRADE: Mary Alvarez, Melissa Stone, Kori Baird, Kristy Fogerson, Donna Tomlin

THIRD GRADE: Michael Flow

ers, Alesha Patton

FOURTH GRADE: Jena McFall

FIFTH GRADE: None

SIXTH GRADE: Katy Francis

SEVENTH GRADE: None

EIGHTH GRADE: Lisa Childress, Marilyn Hardin

FRESHMAN: Ronda Grabbe

SOPHOMORE: Brenda Cantwell, Mignone Rauch

JUNIOR: Lesa Francis, Susan Grabbe, Jo Jarrett, Dayne Mayfield, Lee Ann McMurtry, Janette Reeves, Darrell Reynolds, Donna Rowell

SENIOR: Jeanette Arnold, Kerri Arnold, Suzette Fitzgerald, Becky Francis, Danna Garvin, Sherri McJimsey, Susan Northcutt, Debra Roehr, Debra Strange

A. W. (Bill) Self is a patient in Room 39, Veteran's Hospital in Big Spring. He entered the hospital in Abilene January 14 and was transferred to Big Spring on January 16.

Albert Mallow was transferred from Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia to Central Plains Hospital in Plainview Thursday morning and remains in the intensive care unit there. Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney have been enlisting the assistance of friends to help the family by sitting up at the hospital at nights from 8:00 p.m. until about 2:00 a.m. to give the family some rest. If you have

To Haul Dirt Saturday For New Track

Silverton Young Farmers and the Silverton Quarterback Club are going to haul dirt for the track all day Saturday, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Everyone who can help with this project is asked to furnish a truck and/or a truck driver. Workers are to meet at George Martin's gravel pit.

Deadline Extended

Briscoe County Historical Survey Committee has announced the extension of the deadline for receiving family histories for the book to be published soon to March 1, 1976.

All families are encouraged to be working on their family histories, and to turn them in as soon as possible.

JV Owls Are Winners at Claude

Silverton's Junior Varsity Owls took the only win in four games for SHS at Claude Tuesday night with a 32-30 margin of victory.

Chief Davidson led the Owl JV by scoring 12 points, with Danny Perkins right on his heels with 11. Donnell Polley scored six, Kirk Durham tossed in four, Doug McJimsey added two, and Earl Jarrett rang up one point.

The Owls came from behind to overcome a six-point deficit and take the lead in the fourth quarter.

Owl JV	6	13	22	32
Claude	8	14	28	30

The Junior Varsity Owlettes dropped their game with a score of 37-25. Ruegena Davidson was the leading scorer with 16 points. Kim Cornett threw in five points and Tracy Gill added four points.

Claude	3	15	26	37
JV Owlettes	6	11	19	25

The varsity teams lost their games by a total of ten points, the girls' score being 47-40 and the boys' 57-54.

Margaret Crosslin was the highest scorer for the Owlettes with 12 points. Becky Francis got 10, Mignone Rauch added nine, Twila Wood tossed in seven, and Kim Hutsell put two points on the board.

Claude	9	22	38	47
Owlettes	5	17	25	40

The Owls were in the game with Claude all the way, and held a slim 42-39 lead at the beginning of the fourth quarter, but couldn't manage to hold the lead.

Coach Lyndel Norwood said Wednesday morning that he averaged the points scored by the Owls and their opponents so far this season, and the Owls have averaged scoring 51 and a fraction points per game and the Owl opponents have averaged scoring a fraction over 54 points. The closeness of the games which the team has lost is becoming almost intolerable to Owl fans and players alike.

Randy Clay led the scoring at Claude with 22 points. Jackie Vaughn added 12 points, Gary Turner, eight; Brent Brannon, six; Brett Gill, four; Jacé Francis, two.

Young Farmers Have Clean-Up Day

On Saturday, January 24, Silverton Young Farmers met at the site of the old drive-in movie and started cleaning up and clearing the land so that it might be returned to productive farmland.

Those working were Calvin Shelton, Jimmy Myers, Tobe Riddell, Dan Herrington, Guinn Fitzgerald, Wayland Fitzgerald and Dwain Henderson.

not been contacted and would like to help with this, give the Seaney a call.

Little Dribbler Parents To Meet

Moe Eddleman, who has served during the past year as president of the local Little Dribbler's Association, has called a meeting of the officers, parents, coaches and all others interested in Little Dribbler's for 3:30 p.m. Friday, January 30, in the Silverton School Auditorium.

"It is important that everyone who is interested in the Little Dribbler program attend this meeting. This is the time to air your feelings about Little Dribbler's, your suggestions, your ideas, your gripes, if you have any."

"I realize that this is not the best time to call a meeting, but due to the scheduling of basketball games and the approaching deadline for getting our players registered with the Little Dribbler's Association, it seemed necessary to call it at this time. We will try to finish our meeting before the Junior Varsity basketball game begins," he added.

Local Boy Scout Re-Organization Meeting Planned

It is very important that the parents of those boys who are interested in joining the Boy Scouts attend a meeting February 2, 1976, at 7:00 p.m. in the Pioneer Room at the First State Bank.

Prior to this meeting a form will be given to all boys who are eligible to become Scouts. This form should be completed prior to the meeting and handed in during the meeting. Those parents who cannot attend should be sure to send their son's form with someone who is going to the meeting. This form is necessary if the Scout is to receive his first badge when the first boy's meeting is held.

A boy must be 11 years old or have completed the Fifth Grade in order to become a Scout.

Campaign Goal Listed By Heart Association

The Briscoe County Heart Association has announced a 1976 campaign goal of \$1000. The Heart Fund drive will be conducted nationwide and in Briscoe County during February.

Mrs. Flute (Juni) Hutsell, Heart Fund Campaign Chairman, said the money collected will support research, educational and community programs sponsored by the Heart Association.

"The number of deaths caused by heart and blood vessel diseases — particularly heart attack and stroke — is overwhelming," Mrs. Hutsell said. "They claim over a million lives a year."

"The Heart Association is working to reduce these deaths. Research is unravelling some of the mysteries which eventually will lead to new methods of treatment and prevention and, hopefully, cures. Educational and community programs are being held here and across the country to make residents aware of heart disease and provide up-to-date, heart saving information." Mrs. Hutsell added that although the American Heart Association has scored major achievements in combating the nation's number one killer, more help is needed to reduce the death toll due to cardiovascular diseases.

There will be no door-to-door solicitation in Briscoe County this year. The local drive will be a mail campaign to collect funds to support the work of the Heart Association. When the Briscoe County Heart Association contacts you, please give their request your most serious consideration.

If you are not contacted directly, you may mail your contribution to Mrs. Flute Hutsell, Box 190, Silverton, Texas 79257.

Miss Paula Montague of Anaheim, California spent two days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Riddell Hutsell and family in Reseda, California. She joined the family for a New Year's dinner at Maxwell's Restaurant in Encino.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Olive of Petersburg and Larry Wayne Olive and Elaine Mawgan, both of Lubbock, visited Mrs. Belle Olive and Betty Sunday.

Mrs. Garland Francis visited her mother, Mrs. Harley Gunn, in Flomot Tuesday, and helped Mrs. Gunn celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Spear of Lakeview visited Mrs. Belle Olive and Betty Friday afternoon.

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Miss Bomar Is Shower Honoree

Miss Laquita Bomar, bride-elect of Jack Fields, was honored at a miscellaneous shower from 2:00 until 3:30 Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Rex Holt.

Special guests included the mothers of the engaged couple, Mrs. Brubs Bomar of Silvertown and Mrs. B. F. Fields of Childress; the honoree's sister and sister-in-law, Mrs. David Carroll and Mrs. Robert Bomar, both of Midland, and Miss Bomar's grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Hyatt of Silvertown.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Holt.

Refreshments were served from a table covered with a white hand-drawn cut-work cloth laid over blue. The centerpiece was an arrangement of blue votive candles, blue iris, white phlox and greenery. Crystal and silver appointments were used for serving by Mrs. Jack Sutton, Mrs. Flute Hutsell, Mrs. Glen Lindsey, Mrs. Harold Storie, Mrs. Doug Turner, and Mrs. J. E. Minyard.

Other hostesses, in addition to Mrs. Holt, Minyard, Sutton, Hut-

sell, Storie, Turner and Lindsey, were Mrs. Troy Jones, Mrs. Gilbert Elms, Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mrs. Jack Robertson, Mrs. J. L. Self, Mrs. Jack Harris, Mrs. K. N. Tiffin, Mrs. Donnie Martin, Mrs. Roy Mack Walker, Mrs. Bob Rauch and Mrs. Berton Hughes.

Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Comer

Mrs. Douglas Comer, the former Miss Cynthia Lynne Cross, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous bridal shower and coffee from 10:00 until 11:00 a.m. Saturday, January 24, in the Pioneer Room at the First State Bank.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. L. D. Griffin, who presented them to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. G. W. Lee, and to Mrs. Leo Comer, mother of the bridegroom, and Mrs. A. R. Stewart of Tullia, grandmother of the honoree. Miss Joan Cross, sister of the bride, presided at the guest registry which was decorated with a brown candle in a wooden holder and an arrangement of brown poms with pink accent.

The refreshment table was covered with a patchwork cloth and

Texas Heritage Is Topic Of Meeting

Monday Night at the Movies, "The Alamo," was presented on January 19, 1976 at the P. C. A. community room for members of L. O. A. Junior Study Club. The program was in the form of a crossword puzzle.

Do you know your Texas Heritage?

L. O. A. members really had to put on their thinking caps while enjoying the program given by Kathy King, Bobbie Thornberry and Sheryl Weaver.

Next members anxiously awaited election returns to determine officers for the 1976-78 club years. Elected were Jaleta Baird, president; Sandi Williams, first vice-president; Jane Self, second vice-president; LaQuetta Schott, secretary; Pat Edwards, treasurer; Rhenda Burson, reporter; Ellen Yoakum, photographer; Glenda Couch, federation counselor; Bobbie Thornberry, parliamentarian.

Members present were Jaleta Baird, Tommie Blackerby, Rhenda Burson, Pat Edwards, Lynda Fogerson, Darla Greenhaw, Peggy Holland, Kathy King, Martha Millhollen, Mary Lane Younger, Tina Nance, Jane Self, Bobbie Thornberry, Sheryl Weaver, Sandi Williams, Gail Wyatt, Ellen Yoakum and Cathey Weak.

Report Workshop Held By Junior Club

January 5, 1976 a Report Workshop for Department Chairmen and members of L. O. A. Junior Study Club was held to compile and write reports.

A program, "The Galloping Gourmet," was presented by members who brought snacks and had a Tasting Bee and Recipe Swap Shop.

was decorated with an arrangement of pink football mums and brown cushion poms with brown eucalyptus leaves in a brown hand-woven basket. Mrs. Max Weaver and Mrs. Dana Martin served refreshments.

Guest from out of town included Mrs. Coy Benefield and Mrs. O. B. Fore, Plainview; Mrs. Danny Nivens, Hale Center; Mrs. Scott Ardis, Norman, Oklahoma; Mrs. C. W. Reeves, Tullia; Mrs. Wynona Lyde, Mrs. Paul McWilliams and Mrs. George Lee, Lubbock.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. J. D. McGavock, Mrs. Lem Weaver, Mrs. Milton Dudley, Mrs. Cletus Grady, Mrs. Leland Wood, Mrs. L. D. Griffin, Mrs. Jack Strange, Mrs. Shafe Weaver, Mrs. Dee McWilliams, Mrs. Jack Sutton, Mrs. Troy Jones and Mrs. Dana Martin.

Junior High To Play At Lakeview Monday

Two Junior High basketball games have been scheduled at Lakeview for Monday, February 2, since the schedule cards were printed. There will be two games beginning at 6:30 p.m.

The Eighth Grade teams will also travel to Memphis on Thursday night of next week.

The Junior High traveled to Claude last Thursday afternoon, the Seventh Grade Owls bringing home the only win.

Jeff McCord led his team to victory by scoring 14 points. Walter Perkins, Mark Patton and John Segura scored six points each, and Jimmy Lacy added two points.

Elsa Ramirez was the leading scorer for the Seventh Grade Owlettes with eight points. Shelly Harris and Penny Cogdell each caged six points.

Claude	6	10	16	24
7th Owlettes	1	7	13	20

8th Owlettes	3	22	29	36
8th Owlettes	0	4	8	12

Claude	10	14	23	37
8th Owls	4	15	15	21

Monday both the Seventh and Eighth Grade Owls and Owlettes traveled to Valley for a series of games.

Valley	6	12	17	20
7th Owlettes	2	8	12	18

Valley	3	26	29	37
8th Owlettes	2	4	10	16

Leading the scoring for the Seventh Grade Owls was Jimmy Lacy, with seven points. Jeff McCord and Mark Patton scored

five points each; John Segura and Walter Perkins scored four points each, and Roger Cantwell rang up two points.

Valley	6	14	23	33
7th Owls	6	12	19	27

The Eighth Grade Owls scored the only victory of the series, with Kelly Comer leading the scoring with eight points. Diji Couch and Bobby McPherson scored six points each; Mike Cornett, four; Nicky McJimsey, three; Paul Brannon, Cam Forbes and Greg Hill, two points each.

8th Owls	8	19	29	33
Valley	4	10	12	14

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"Thou wilt shew me the path of life: in thy presence is fulness of joy; at thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore."

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.



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Isn't it wonderful that there is always plenty of room at the House of God? There is always a church where you can receive spiritual food, and sweet rest of the soul. The church holds out its arms in welcome to all, inviting everyone to come and learn of God. Won't you attend this week?

"Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." Matthew 11:28.

Coleman Adv. Ser.

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JV Owlettes Take Big Win At McLean

The Junior Varsity Owlettes opened a three-game series at McLean last Friday night with a big 32-11 win, in which all of the girls saw action.

Ruegena Davidson led the offense by scoring 20 points, and Teresa Crosslin, Tracy Gill and Annette Fleming each tossed in four points.

JV Owlettes 10 16 24 32
McLean 1 5 11 11

The Owls and Owlettes both dropped their games by the narrowest of margins, the girls suffering a 46-42 loss and the boys

Amarillo Stock Show Results Announced

Results of the judging at the Amarillo Junior Livestock Show were disappointing to many of the members of the Briscoe County 4-H and Silverton FFA.

Lambs which made the sale were a first-place finewool crossbred lamb that was selected as breed champion and was shown by Earl Jarrett; a third-place finewool lamb shown by Traci Mayfield; an eighth-place finewool lamb shown by Walter Perkins, and a ninth-place finewool lamb shown by Jimmy Lacy.

There were 512 lamb entries, and of these 60 lambs were sold at auction.

There were 539 barrow entries in the show, and of this number, 60 made the sale.

These included a first-place Yorkshire shown by Rodney Carpenter; a second-place Duroc shown by Shane Reagan; a fifth-place Duroc shown by Tad Cornett; a sixth-place Duroc shown by Mike Cornett; a sixth-place Duroc shown by Wes Fleming; an eighth-place Duroc shown by Zane Reagan; a tenth-place Duroc shown by Eric Patton and an eleventh-place Duroc shown by Bryan Burson.

All of the exhibitors, their classes and placings were:

- FINEWOOL LIGHTWEIGHT LAMBS**
8. Walter Perkins
 11. Thomas Perkins
 14. Monroe Hill
 21. Michael Hill
 25. Robbie Helms
 27. James Jarrett
 28. Mike Cornett

- FINEWOOL HEAVYWEIGHT LAMBS**
3. Traci Mayfield
 9. Jimmy Lacy
 18. Danny Perkins
 26. Tammi Edwards
 28. Staci Mayfield
 33. Rose Lee Perkins
 34. Greg Hill
 36. Rose Lee Perkins
 37. Jo Jarrett
 38. Walter Perkins
 46. Blaine Eddleman
 55. Mike Cornett

- FINEWOOL LIGHTWEIGHT CROSSBRED LAMBS**
17. Tammi Edwards
 22. Michael Hill
 23. Traci Mayfield
 25. Blaine Eddleman
- FINEWOOL HEAVYWEIGHT CROSSBRED LAMBS**
1. Earl Jarrett—Breed Champion
 21. Staci Mayfield
 36. Robbie Helms
 51. Monroe Hill

- MEDIUM WOOL HEAVYWEIGHT LAMBS**
50. Greg Hill
- BARROWS LIGHT CHESTER WHITE MEDIUM CHESTER WHITE**
6. Mike Cornett
 9. Alesha Patton
 13. Bobby McPherson
 15. Mark Patton

- LIGHT DUROC MEDIUM DUROC**
2. Shane Reagan
 11. Bryan Burson
- MEDIUM DUROC**
6. Wes Fleming
 8. Zane Reagan
- HEAVY DUROC**
5. Tad Cornett
 6. Mike Cornett
 10. Eric Patton
- MEDIUM POLAND SPOTTED POLAND CHINA**
8. Bryan Burson
 10. Tad Cornett
- HEAVY SPOTTED POLAND LIGHT YORKSHIRE**
8. Rodney Carpenter
- MEDIUM YORKSHIRE**
1. Rodney Carpenter
 7. Alesha Patton
- HEAVY YORKSHIRE**
2. Casey Bean
 5. Mark Patton
- MEDIUM CROSSBRED**
8. Eric Patton
- HEAVY CROSSBRED**
15. Kelly Comer

Southwestern Club Has Program On Plumbing Repairs

On January 22 at 2:00 p.m. the Southwestern Home Demonstration Club met in the Larry Jarrett home. Mary Lou Jarrett read the devotional from "I've Got To Talk To Someone, God," by Marjorie Holmes.

The president, Lois Nance, was in charge of the business meeting.

The District Meeting will be held in Littlefield on April 8. Lois Nance and Christene King were elected as delegate and alternate for this meeting in District Two. The THDA nominee from the club is Frances Kellum. All club members may go to this meeting and attend workshops on Recreation, Citizenship, Health and Safety and Family Life. These workshops are very informative.

The State Meeting will be held at College Station September 20-23. Home Demonstration work is 50 years old this bicentennial year.

Linda Mullin, the County Extension Agent, brought an interesting program, "Powder Puff Plumbing." She demonstrated how to repair or replace a leaky faucet and how to repair electrical appliances and outlets.

Ten members and the agent were served refreshments. Attending were Mrs. C. O. Allard, Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald, Mrs. Claude Jarrett, Mrs. Berton Hughes, Mrs. Allen Kellum, Mrs. Oford King, Mrs. J. D. Nance, Mrs. Bennie Reagan, Mrs. Riley Joe Ziegler, Miss Linda Mullin, and the hostess, Mrs. Larry Jarrett.

The next meeting will be on February 26 in the Claude Jarrett home.

losing 62-56.

Margaret Crosslin led the individual scoring for the Owlettes with 16 points, closely followed by Twila Wood with 15. Becky Francis added seven points to the total.

McLean 6 24 32 46
Owlettes 10 23 31 42

Jackie Vaughn was the leading scorer for the Owls with 19 points. Brent Brannon put up 15 points, Ken Sarchet got 10, Randy Clay, playing only part of the game on a sore ankle, made five; Brett Gill, Darrell Reynolds and Brent Bean scored two points each, and Gary Turner tossed in one from the line.

McLean 12 30 38 62
Owls 8 15 23 56

Results Of Silverton JV Tourney Given

Results of the games played in the Junior Varsity Tournament played here last week were as follows:

THURSDAY

Claude Girls 11 20 32 44
Kress Girls 3 8 18 27
C—Bagwell and Pepper, 10 each
K—Beavers, 15
Clarendon Girls 10 15 25 29
Owlette JV 6 10 18 28
S—Davidson and Cornett, 12 each; Gill, 4
C—Phillips, 23
Claude Boys 16 33 45 61
Kress Boys 8 16 21 34
C—Dye, 10
K—Armando, 18
Clarendon Boys 8 16 25 37
Owl JV 12 18 22 31
S—Davidson and Polley, 7 each; Durham, 6; D. Perkins, 5; Jarrett, 4; McJimsey, 2
C—Floyd, 8

FRIDAY

Kress Girls 8 19 25 30
Owlette JV 12 22 26 28
S—Davidson, 16; Cornett, 10; Gill, 2
K—Beavers, 15
Claude Girls 13 21 27 34
Clarendon Girls 2 8 21 27
Claude—Cruse, 12
Clarendon—Phillips, 22
Owl JV 10 17 25 33
Kress Boys 4 14 25 31
S—Davidson, 17; K. Bean, 2; Ramirez, 2; McJimsey, 8; Polley, 4
K—Daniel, 14

SATURDAY

Clarendon Girls 13 24 36 43
Kress Girls 2 4 13 16
K—Beavers, 5
C—Booth, 21
Claude Boys 3 8 15 28
Clarendon Boys 9 29 36 43
Clarendon—Gardner, 13
Claude—Wilde, 11
Owl JV 8 14 27 38
Clarendon Boys 6 15 23 36
S—Davidson, 12; D. Perkins, 11; Jarrett, 5; Polley, 4; Durham, 3; McJimsey, 2; T. Perkins, 1
C—Gardner, 11

School Clarifies Lunch Program

The Silverton School serves nutritious meals every school day. Students may buy lunch for 65 cents.

Children from families whose income is at or below levels shown on the accompanying scale are eligible for free or reduced price meals. The reduced price for lunch is 20 cents. If your income is greater than those shown, but you have unusually high medical bills, shelter costs in excess of 30 percent of your income, special education expenses due to the mental or physical condition of a child, or disaster or casualty losses, your children may still be eligible.

The school children of parents or guardians who become unemployed are eligible for free or reduced price meals and free milk during the period of unemployment, provided that the loss of income causes the family income during the period of unemployment to be at or below the levels shown on the scale.

To apply at any time during the year for free meals and free milk or reduced price meals for your children, complete the attached application and return it to the school. Within ten days of receiving your application, the principal will let you know whether or not your children are eligible. If you do not agree with the school's decision you have a right to a fair hearing. This can be done by calling or writing O. C. Rampley, Box 597, Silverton, Texas 79257 806-823-2476.

In certain cases foster children are also eligible for these benefits. If you have foster children living with you and wish to apply for such meals and milk for them, please notify the school or indicate it on the application.

All children are treated the same regardless of ability to pay. In the operation of child feeding programs, no child will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, or national origin.

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Family Size	Family Annual Income	Free Lunches	Reduced Price Lunches
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2	0-3390	3390-6620	
3	0-4200	4200-8200	
4	0-5010	5010-9770	
5	0-5750	5750-11210	
6	0-6490	6490-12650	
7	0-7160	7160-13970	
8	0-7830	7830-15280	
9	0-8440	8440-16460	
10	0-9050	9050-17640	
11	0-9650	9650-18820	
12	0-10250	10250-20000	

Each Additional Family Member \$600 \$1180
If you are now receiving free meals, you do not have to apply again this year.

W. J. Hyatt returned home last Friday after having spent several days in the intensive care unit of a Lubbock hospital following a heart attack.

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that has been done on it.
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We would like to thank each one for the food, sympathy cards, cemetery donations, visits and those who had any part in helping us bear the loss of our dear sister and aunt.
We especially wish to thank Bro. Larry for his visits and comforting words.
May God bless each of you.
Mrs. Blanche Newman and the nieces and nephews of Mrs. Ora Lovett

Words cannot begin to express the love and appreciation that we feel for all our wonderful friends and neighbors. We would like to thank you for each act of kindness shown at the loss of our dear loved one.
May God's blessings be with each of you.
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Thanks for the cards, calls and gifts. May God bless you all.
W. J. and Opal

I want to thank my friends at Silverton and the surrounding territory for your prayers and being one that was placed on your prayer chain, for your cards and letters of encouragement.
Jim Haynes
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We want to say "thank you" to

those who visited me while in the hospital and those who sent cards, flowers, and telephone calls while I was in Canyon and since I have been home. A special thanks to the blood donors.
May God bless each and every one of you.
Cora Donnell

We would like to say "thank you very much" to everyone whose prayers, gifts, kind words and other acts of kindness helped to make the passing of our loved one more bearable.
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