



KERRI ARNOLD

### Kerri Arnold Is All-Star Queen

Kerri Arnold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arnold of Silverton, Saturday night was named queen of the Golden Spread High School All-Star Basketball Game in the Amarillo Civic Center Coliseum.

The reigning Miss Mackenzie, Miss Arnold was honored recently as the D. A. R. Good Citizen from Silverton High School. She was a starting guard on the Owlette basketball team and will be graduating with the Class of 1976.

The coronation of the All-Star Game Queen came during half-time ceremonies of the sixth annual game won by the East, 50-46.

Cam Waldrip, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Waldrip of Channing, was named first runner-up and Betty Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holmes of McLean, was named second runner-up.

### Pee Wee Teams In Tournament At Lakeview Today

The Fifth and Sixth Grade Owls and Owlettes will be playing in a tournament at Lakeview this week.

Both the Sixth Grade teams have drawn a bye in the first round of the tournament, and will be playing their first game Friday. The Sixth Grade Owlettes will play at 5:00 p.m. against the winner of the Estelline A-Lakeview B game. The winner of this game will advance directly to the championship game at 7:00 p.m. Saturday. The loser will play for third place at 5:00 p.m. Saturday.

The Sixth Grade Owls will play their first game at 8:00 p.m. Friday against the winner of the Estelline-Lakeview B game. The winner of this game will advance to the championship game which will be played at 8:00 p.m. Saturday. The loser will play for third place Saturday at 6:00 p.m.

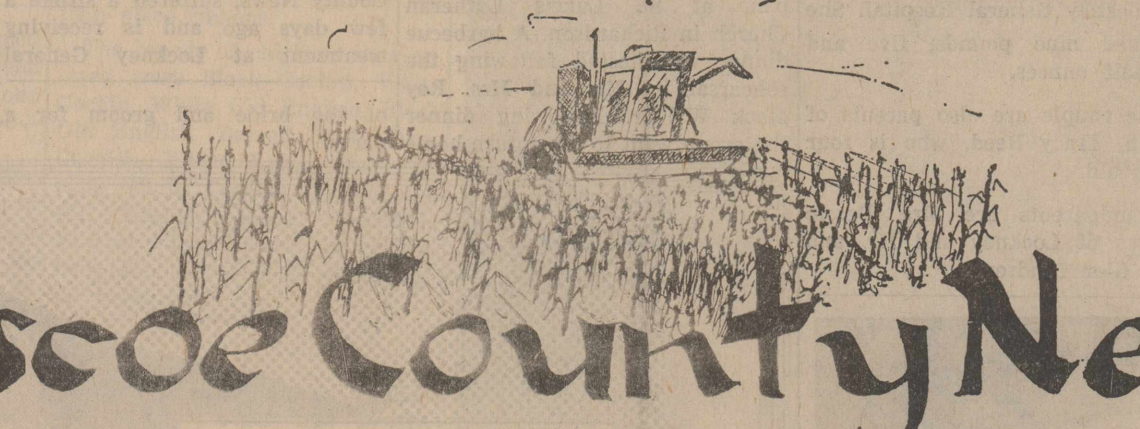
The Fifth Grade Owlettes play their first game against Hedley at 3:00 p.m. Thursday. The winner plays either Estelline B or Lakeview A at 7:00 p.m. Friday and the losers play at 3:00 p.m. Friday.

The Fifth Grade Owls will play Hedley A at 4:00 p.m. Thursday. The winner advances to play Hedley B or Lakeview A at 8:00 p.m. Friday, and the losers play at 4:00 p.m. Friday.

Teams in the girls division are Silverton Fifth and Sixth Grades, Estelline A and B, Lakeview A and B and Hedley. In the boys division the teams are Silverton Fifth and Sixth Grades, Estelline, Lakeview A and B, Hedley A and B.

### Birth Certificates Needed By All-Star

COPIES of the birth certificates of the boys who will be playing in the Regional Tournament at Crowell are needed and should be turned in to Peggy Fleming. The original birth certificates will not be accepted, only the copies of them, and these must be turned in before the first day of the All-Star Tournament.



# Briscoe County News

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### Volleyball Tourney Slated Here April 8

The Silverton Young Homemakers are sponsoring a Volleyball Tournament April 8-9-10. Entry fee will be \$7.00 per team, and the deadline for entries is April 2.

If you want to enter, call Linda Minyard, 847-4222, or write Route 1, Box 130, Silverton 79257.

Admission will be 75c for adults, 50c for students and children under six will be admitted free.

Trophies will be given for first, second and third place.

### Services Held For Mrs. W. A. Holt

Funeral services for Mrs. Lena Seay Holt, 75, were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Saturday at the Silverton Church of Christ with Robert Howard, Church of Christ minister from Tullia, and Rev. Larry Wilson, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Silverton, officiating. Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements under the direction of the Silverton Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were grandsons, Scott Garvin, Bobby Kitchens, Ronald Dale Kitchens, Kent Holt, David Holt, Jerry Frizzell and Doug Turner.

Mrs. Holt died about 10:30 a.m. Thursday at her home in Silverton. She had been in declining health for some time.

Mrs. Holt had been a Silverton resident for many years. She was born December 16, 1900 in Coryell County and came to Briscoe County in 1908 with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Riley Seay. She married W. A. Holt December 29, 1917. She was a member of the Silverton Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt maintained a summer home in Red River, New Mexico for a number of years and for as long as her good health continued, Mrs. Holt enjoyed fishing the New Mexico trout streams. They also enjoyed entertaining their family and many friends in their summer home.

She was preceded in death by two children, Lorema Holt, who died in infancy, and Mrs. Reba Holt Kitchens.

Survivors include the widower; one daughter, Mrs. Peggy Garvin of Silverton; one son, Rex Holt of Silverton; two sisters, Mrs. Dolita Boyce and Mrs. Hattie Ziegler, both of Silverton; one brother, Dewey Seay of Tullia; eight grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

### Olen Stephens Dies In Bangs

Funeral services for Olen (Dutch) Stephens, 72, of Bangs, Texas, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Friday, March 19 at Davis, Morris Funeral Home there, with burial in Downing Cemetery in Comanche County.

Mr. Stephens died at 8:20 p.m. Wednesday in a Bangs nursing home following a short illness.

He was born August 25, 1903 in Texas and was a retired farmer and rancher. He was a member of the Church of Christ. He had lived in Bangs since 1947. He married Opal Lucille Whitehead at Silverton. She died in 1975.

Survivors include two sons, Dr. Ira Lee Stephens of Tyler and Dwayne Stephens of Hamlin; three brothers, Amon Stephens of Tullia, Paul Stephens of Sylvester and B. J. Stephens of Comanche; two sisters, Mrs. C. L. Whitehead of Silverton and Mrs. Lula Mc-



LARRY AND SHARON RICE

### Laymen-Led Revival In Process

A series of Layman-Led Revival services began at the First Baptist Church in Silverton last Sunday, and will continue through Sunday, March 28, according to an announcement by the pastor, Rev. Larry Wilson.

Olen Miles of Driftwood near Austin has been leading the singing and preaching all week. A 69-year-old layman, Mr. Miles built and directed for 17 years the Highland Lakes Baptist Encampment. He retired in 1971 and has since spent his time working with retirees. For three years he was vice president of the Texas Baptist Men and is now recording secretary for the Texas Baptist Men. He conducts 14 Baptist camps for retirees.

For two years he took a group of retirees and others to Valley Baptist Academy at Harlingen, where they remodeled dormitories. Last year he took 22 to Peawee, Wisconsin where they remodeled a church and made an educational building out of a two-story parsonage. He has recently been on a mission tour to Wisconsin to investigate the needs of churches. In April he and three others will go to Milwaukee to put a church front on an old store building. June 10 he will be leading a group to Pleasant Prairie in Kenosha, Wisconsin where they will build a church.

He leads singing and preaches, speaks to Baptist Men's groups, at banquets for retirees and does entertaining. He is, indeed, one of the busiest retired persons you will probably ever meet.

### Services Held For Joe Eddie Scoggins

Joe Eddie Scoggins was born to the late Mr. and Mrs. Ed Scoggins on March 19, 1893 in the Piney Hill Community. The angel of silence entered into his life on March 16, 1976 in Howard County Memorial Hospital in Nashville, Arkansas. He united with the Hickory Grove Church of God in Christ where he was faithful until his health failed. He married the late Miss Lizzie Coulter in 1915 and to this union twelve children were born, of which six preceded him in death.

Services were held March 20, 1976 at 3:00 p.m. at Hickory Grove Church of God in Christ under the direction of Hicks Funeral Home of Hope, Arkansas. Bro. L. J. Francis officiated. Burial was in Groves Cemetery of Hickory Grove.

Pallbearers were D. D. Coulter, L. C. Coulter, Lawyer Bell, Clarence Hendrix, Floyd Works and Clarence Hendrix, sr.

Survivors include five daughters, Elzora Gallington of Silverton; Lenora Scoggins of Los Angeles, California; Lucille Scoggins of Cleveland, Ohio; Effie Turrentine of Lawton, Oklahoma and Mary Scoggins of Nashville, Arkansas; one son, Cornelius Scoggins of Cincinnati, Ohio; four sisters, Mrs. Ada Hendrix of Hickory Grove, Mrs. Ida Coulter, Mrs. Flora Wesson and Mrs. Alice Scott, all of Center Point, Arkansas; two grandchildren, whom he reared, Irene Mayberry of Kansas City, Missouri and Nealy Fields of Amarillo; 26 other grandchildren; 36 great-grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Ginnis of DeLeon.

Among those attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Whitehead of Tullia and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Whitehead of Silverton.

### Two Little Dribbler Games Monday Night

There will be two Little Dribbler games played Monday night, March 29. Blue Jays vs. Purple Pirates will be at 7:00 p.m.

There will be a play-off between the Mean Green and the Red Devils at 8:00 p.m.

### Bake Sale Will Be Held April 3

Silverton Young Homemakers will sponsor a bake sale from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. April 3 at Jack's Pharmacy. Buy a whole cake or pie or just a slice. There will also be brownies.

### County 4-H Wins Herdsman Award

Briscoe County 4-H won second place and \$15.00 in the swine herdsman contest at the Lubbock Stock Show last week. Herdsman awards are presented by the Lubbock Kiwanis Club and the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce for the neatest, most attractive exhibits in each department.

Placings by the Briscoe County 4-H'ers at Lubbock included Ronnie Carpenter, third place heavy Chester barrow; Penny Cogdell, seventh place heavy Hereford steer; Mike Cornett, eighth place light Angus steer.

Also showing stock for the 4-H were Shane and Zane Reagan.

Silverton FFA members who showed stock were David Williams and Jeff Jones. They were assisted by Danny Perkins and Calvin Shelton.

Also accompanying the group were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cogdell and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Reagan, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cornett, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Reagan, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Carpenter and County Extension Agent Eddie Holland.

### HOUSTON STOCK SHOW

Earning places at the Houston Stock Show recently were James Alan Patton, fourth place middle-weight Chester; Eric Patton, seventh place heavy Hampshire; Alesha Patton, twelfth place middle-weight Chester; Karen Martin, twelfth place heavy Hampshire.

Accompanying these youngsters to the show were Mr. and Mrs. Don Cornett and Tad, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patton, Donnie Martin and County Extension Agent Eddie Holland.

### County Receives Bicentennial Designation

Word has been received from the American Revolution Bicentennial Administration that Briscoe County has been designated a National Bicentennial Community.

Mrs. Carolyn Montague, chairman of the Briscoe County Bicentennial Committee, says several occasions are being planned to celebrate the National Bicentennial and the Briscoe County Centennial.

ing the music and presenting specials. Guest speaker will be Olen Miles.

Saturday evening, music will be directed by Olen Miles. Special music will be by the guest speakers, Larry and Sharon Rice of Lubbock.

Sunday morning, music will be directed by Olen Miles, and again special music will be by the guest speakers, Larry and Sharon Rice.

Sunday evening local members will be giving their testimonies, directing the music and presenting special music. The guest speaker will be Olen Miles.

### Corn Production Meeting Slated Here Tonight

The Briscoe County Crops subcommittee will sponsor a corn production meeting Thursday (tonight), March 25 at 7:30 p.m. in the Pioneer Room of the First State Bank in Silverton. Leon New, Area Irrigation Specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service (TAES), will discuss water use management of corn and James Esty, Hale County agronomist, TAES, will discuss weed control and cultural practices.

Interest in corn production is increasing at a rapid rate in Briscoe County. The information will be very good to new and old corn producers alike. The program will be over by 9:00 p.m.

### Lisa Childress Is Spelling Champion

Senior winner of the Briscoe County Spelling Bee is Lisa Childress, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Childress of Silverton. She is 13 and an eighth grade student in Silverton Junior High.

She will be a contestant in the Regional Spelling Bee to be co-sponsored by the Amarillo Daily News-Globe and West Texas State University in April.

The junior spelling champion, who will be recognized at the Regional Spelling Bee, is Melinda Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutton. The family resides southwest of Silverton.

Michael Greenhaw, 12, was the runner-up in the junior spelling bee among 27 contestants. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Greenhaw of Silverton.

### Field Day To Be Held At Spur Saturday

The Area I Young Farmers Field Day at Spur will be Saturday, March 27 beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Tours will be made at the Spur Ranch on cattle breeding and at the Spur Experiment Station, which is similar to that at Halfway. The Spur Young Farmer Chapter is sponsoring the Field Day and is encouraging all Young Farmers and guests to attend this tour for fellowship and a very informative day.

A barbecue "dutch" lunch will be served.

Silverton Young Farmers and guests will meet and travel together. All interested persons are invited to meet at Hill Farm Supply at 8:15 a.m. Saturday and the group will try to leave by 8:30 a.m.

### THANK YOU

We would like to say a special thank you to the Silverton Fire Department for their fast action when our house caught fire. The quick response saved us from losing the entire house.

We would like to say a very special thanks to Mrs. Merle Ward for calling the fire department when our house was on fire. It is so nice to live in a town where the people care so much and react so fast in an emergency.

The Richard Vaughn Family

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McKenney last week were Mr. and Mrs. Dee Reid, Grants Pass, Oregon; Mrs. Allie Johnson, Tulsa, Oklahoma; Leroy Shipman, Plainview; Mrs. Barbara Woody, Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson, Tullia; Percy Reid, Mrs. Jerry Miller, Avonma and Crystal, Silverton.

### Owlettes Place Fifth In Spur Track Meet

The Owlettes earned fifth place in their track meet at Spur last Friday by earning 46½ points.

In the Broad Jump, Linda Vaughn tied for third place with 17' and Debbie Storie placed sixth with a 16'2½" jump. Linda's distance placed her on the Area Girls Track Honor Roll.

In the Triple Jump, Linda Vaughn won fourth place and Margaret Crosslin tied for fifth place.

Twila Wood earned sixth place in the Discus.

Susan Payne ran sixth in the 440 with 70.8. Linda Vaughn placed third in the 220 with 27.7. Margaret Crosslin ran the 60-yard Dash in 8.3 to win sixth place.

The 880 Relay team, composed of Margaret Crosslin, Linda Vaughn, Debbie Storie and Becky Francis, won second place with 152.3. Again this year the Owlettes are "chasing Paducah" in their relays. The Mile Relay team, composed of Lesa Francis, Susan Payne, Twila Wood and Debbie Storie, placed fifth with a time of 4:36.5.

The Owlettes will be competing at Panhandle Saturday.

The Owl varsity track team will be at Memphis Saturday.

At Floydada last Saturday, the Owls earned a total of 22 points. Dayne Mayfield placed first in the Discus, and Randy Clay ran second in the High Hurdles. Clay was leading the field in his event until he tripped going over the last hurdle.

Chief Davidson placed fourth in the 100-yard Dash, and the 880 Relay team finished fourth.

### Young Farmers To Meet Tonight

Silverton Young Farmers will meet Thursday, March 25 (tonight) at 8:00 p.m. at the First State Bank.

The program will be sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. A corn specialist will present the informative program. All farmers are invited to attend.

### Mrs. Templeton Buried At Amherst

Funeral services for Mrs. Etta Templeton, 76, of Amherst were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Amherst. Burial was in the Amherst Cemetery. Mrs. Templeton died Friday in an Amherst hospital.

Mrs. Templeton was a sister of the late J. W. Brannon, sr.

Among those attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brannon, jr. of Panhandle; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brannon, Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Brannon, Fred Brannon, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McClure and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill, all of Silverton.

### NAMED TO DEAN'S HONOR ROLL AT CLARENDON

Mrs. Ruth Ann (Cline) Scrivner of Turkey has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll at Clarendon College for the fall semester.

A freshman student majoring in business, Mrs. Scrivner is a 1975 graduate of Silverton High School. She earned a 3.80 grade point average for the fall semester. Students are recognized for obtaining a 3.6 grade point average or better on 12 or more credit hours of study.

Twenty-three students were honored by being named to the Dean's Honor Roll.

Mrs. Dick Franklin, Mrs. Jay Wood and baby daughter, Julie, of O'Donnell spent Sunday night and Monday in the home of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Turner and children, Eric, Margie and Johnny of Odessa were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Turner. Sunday dinner guests in the Turner home also included Mr. and Mrs. Doug Turner and Chad of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. John David Turner, Loretta, Amy, Carolyn and David, Lockney. They all enjoyed Grandma Turner's birthday cake and ice cream Sunday afternoon.



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**Quittman - Walker Vows Exchanged  
 At Richardson Saturday Morning**

A formal double-ring wedding service at St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Richardson united in marriage Miss Sandra Jeanne Quittman, 9434 Forest Springs Drive, Dallas, and Clifford Alton Walker, 15221 Preston Road, Dallas. Performing the ceremony was the pastor, Leslie Conrad.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Quittman of 906 East Maple Drive, Southampton, Pennsylvania, and parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mack Walker of Silverton.



MRS. CLIFF WALKER

Vows were exchanged before the altar which was decorated with arrangements of white daisies, baby's breath and ivy.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a floor-length gown of white quana with lace trim designed with long sleeves and bodice featuring a keyhole neckline encircled with lace. The empire waistline was also trimmed with lace. Her long skirt extended into a chapel-length train and her lace-trimmed veil of illusion fell to fingertip length. She carried a round nosegay of white and lavender daisies, baby's breath and ivy.

To carry out bridal tradition, she added a necklace, a gift from the bridegroom, which was a diamond set in a cube of polished lapis lazuli; a white lace handkerchief her mother carried in her wedding, and added a blue garter.

Serving her sister as maid of honor was Miss Christina Quittman of Southampton. Miss Cynthia Walker, sister of the bridegroom, served as bridesmaid.

They wore floor-length spring dresses fashioned with long sleeves, empire waists, scoop necklines and flowing skirts. They carried bouquets similar to the one carried by the bride.

Serving his brother as best man was Jimmy Roy Walker of Waco. Groomsman was Stanley Blossom of Midland, a friend of the couple.

Organist Kathy Able of Dallas played selections from Bach and Beethoven.

The bride's mother wore a floor-length gown of slate blue knit and added a white orchid corsage. Mrs. Walker wore a floor-length dress of orchid knit and a white orchid corsage for her son's wedding.

Mrs. Kathy Blossom presided at the guest book at the church.

A luncheon and reception was held at the Preston Del Norte Club Room. The bride's table featured a floor-length white cloth, the two-tiered wedding cake and an arrangement of white and lavender daisies. Mrs. Jean Ashton and Mrs. Jan Holtzen, both of

**\* NEW BABY**

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith of Lone Star are parents of a daughter, Donna Kay, born March 20, at Lockney General Hospital. She weighed nine pounds, five and one-half ounces.

The couple are also parents of a son, Tracy Reed, who is four years old.

Grandparents are Mrs. Dessie Graves of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lindsey.

is employed as a geologist by Sun Oil Company of Dallas.

**REHEARSAL**

A wedding rehearsal was held Friday evening, March 19, at 6:30 p.m. at St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Richardson. A barbecue dinner was hosted following the rehearsal by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mack Walker. Following dinner the group went to the future home

**FORMER NEWSPAPER**

**PUBLISHER IN HOSPITAL**

M. B. Cavanaugh, former editor and publisher of the Briscoe County News, suffered a stroke a few days ago and is receiving treatment at Lockney General Hospital.

Cavanaugh and his wife, Lola, owned and operated the Briscoe County News from the late 1940's, having purchased the newspaper from Joseph B. Powell, until the early 1950's when they sold it to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Amburn. After two years, the Cavanaugh's resumed ownership of the newspaper and operated it until selling to the present owners April 1, 1959. They operated a newspaper at White Deer before retiring. They have continued to live in Silverton.

Mrs. H. G. Boyles of Quitaque, a former Silverton resident, has been confined to Central Plains Hospital in Plainview with double pneumonia.

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The new law is so stringent that many experts in the field say there will be few new pension plans established until all of the ramifications are known. That may take years, they say. At the same time, many smaller plans are being terminated because it is difficult for them to meet the ERISA standards.

The same law, however, permits individuals who are not covered by formal pension plans—not counting social security—to establish their own retirement programs.

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The individual does not have to pay taxes on an IRA until he or she begins drawing the retirement benefits, and that is generally at a lower tax rate.

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**PIRATES NEAR?**

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.

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 Evening ..... 7:00 p.m.

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**ELECTION OF THREE DIRECTORS**

**NOMINEES ARE:**

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**ELKINS: Clyde Wilkins and J. L. Whitmire**

**REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 7:00 P.M.**  
**MEETING BEGINS AT 7:30 P.M.**

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**WIN RIBBONS AT AMARILLO BANTAM SHOW**

Entering the Amarillo Bantam Club Chicken Show March 20-21

World War II and made good grades in physics, chemistry, and economics—but oh, there is one thing with which he can't cope—A CHIGGER!

This tiny, minute, diminutive creature or bug or thing sends him into orbit—he screams; he yells; he whelps; he swells; he scratches; he claws; he gnaws; he growls; he howls; he cusses; he fusses; he can't sleep (or anyone else); he cries; he sighs; he surrenders, and one little, bitty bug robs him of all his glory—

What if a chigger were bigger? Love, HB

*Jack's Pharmacy*

were Danny, Thomas, Rose Lee and Walter Perkins. They brought home 40 ribbons, 20 first-place, 12 second place and four third place, three fourth place and two fifth place ribbons.

The breeds of chickens they entered were Black Cochon, White Cochon, White Old English, Black Old English, Barred Rock, Dark Cornish, White Laced Red Cornish, White Cornish, Brown Red Old English, Black Rosecomb, Mottled Jap, Brown Leghorn, Grey Jap, Silver Duck Wing, Silver Seabright.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sarchet, John and Paul in Lubbock Saturday. Mrs. Jerry Sarchet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clanton of Seminole, were also visiting there.



KATHY JO KING                      JIM BOB VIA  
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**To Marry June 26 --**

Mr. and Mrs. Oford C. King announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Kathy Jo, to Joe Bob Via, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Via of Happy.

The couple will repeat wedding vows at 7:30 p.m. June 26 in the First Baptist Church in Silverton. Miss King is a graduate of Hart High School and Texas Tech University. She is presently employed by the Silverton Independent School District.

Via is a graduate of Happy High School. He is employed by Swisher County Cattle Company.

**Appaloosa Club Meets At Backward F Ranch**

A group with horse trailers loaded with spotted horses started arriving at the Backward F Ranch, home of Wayland and Flo Fitzgerald, Saturday morning at 11:00 o'clock.

Guests brought covered dishes and the Fitzgeralds prepared barbecue for about 40 members and guests of the Golden Spread Appaloosa Horse Club.

A business meeting was held following the meal. Dr. and Mrs. Harbord Cox, Pampa, serve the club as president and secretary.

The group mounted their horses and spent the afternoon riding in the canyons. Members and friends attended from Pampa, Happy, Amarillo, Plainview, Abernathy, Lubbock, Levelland, Fritch and Tahoka.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF CLYDE MERCER, DECEASED.**

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Clyde Mercer, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 15th day of March, 1976, by the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas. All persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My address is: Route 1, Silverton, Texas 79257. My attorney is: J. W. Lyon, Jr., Box 657, Silverton, Texas 79257.

Jo Ann Mercer  
Independent Executor of the Estate of Clyde Mercer, deceased.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF VARAH CAGLE, DECEASED.**

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Varah Cagle, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 15th day of March, 1976, by the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas. All persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My address is: Box 660, Silverton, Texas 79257. My attorney is: J. W. Lyon, Jr., Box 657, Silverton, Texas 79257.

Harding A. Cagle  
Independent Executrix of the Estate of Varah Cagle, deceased.

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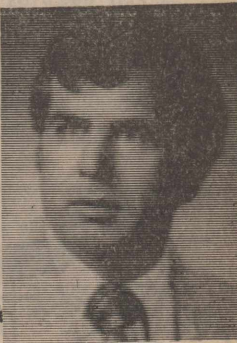
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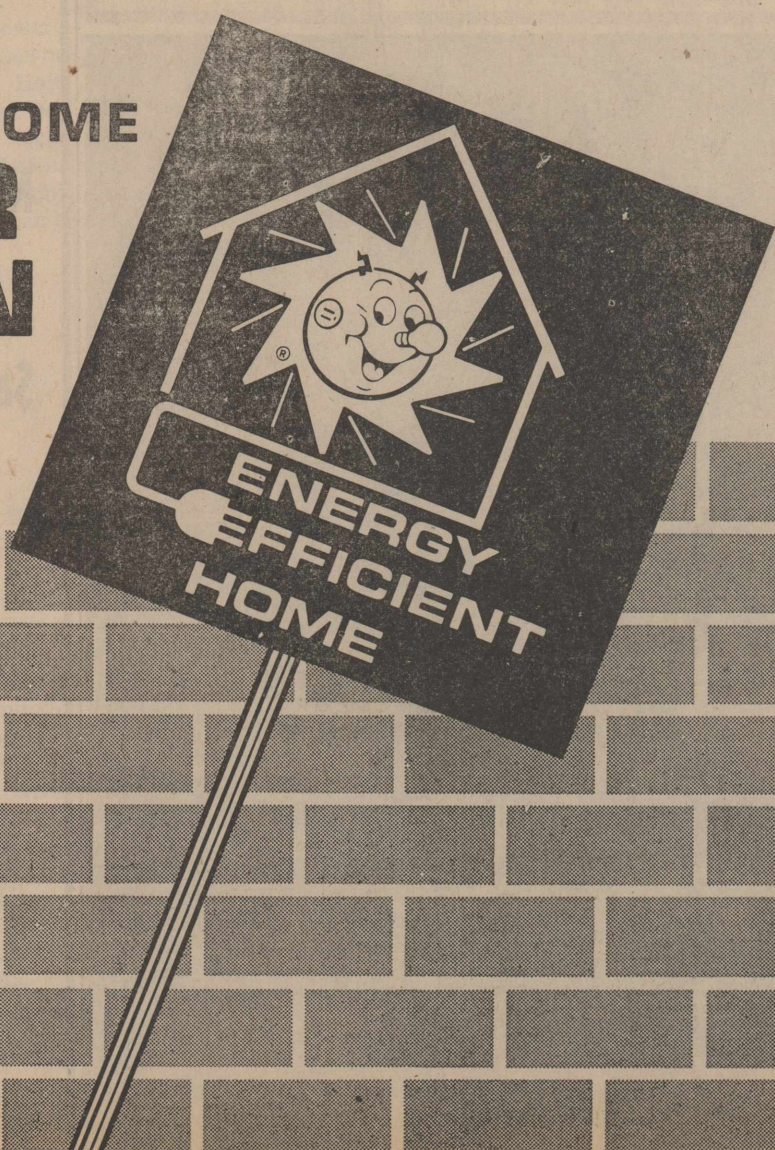
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We appreciate your kind expressions of sympathy in the loss of our sister and aunt, Mrs. Alma Johnson. Thank you for your prayers, the memorials, flowers, food, visits and the many beautiful cards. We thank Bro. Earl Blair for sharing our sorrow by attending the funeral. Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lowrey Mr. and Mrs. David Seaney

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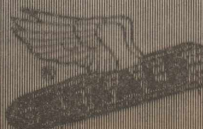
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