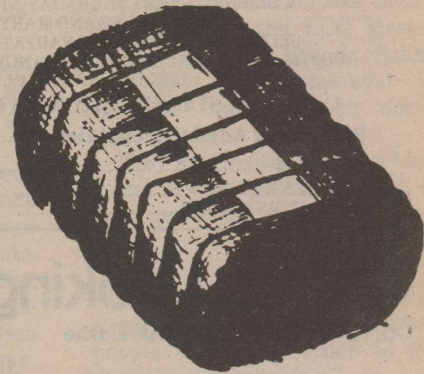




Silverton: Home of Scenic Lake Mackenzie



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Gary Younger, an employee of Thompson Implement Company, really saved the day for those who had to be out in the snow

last week. Using this little John Deere garden tractor, he kept the sidewalks cleared around the John Deere, Briscoe County

News and First State Bank. If it had not been for this, the sidewalks would have been under snow to this day!

Teams Making Up Games, Looking To Playoffs

Silverton's Owls and Owlettes are making up some games that had to be postponed during the snowstorm, and are looking forward to the playoff games which are to begin next week.

The teams will host the varsity teams from Hedley at 6:30 p.m. Friday, February 11, and also plan to make up some games at Motley County Tuesday, February 15.

The bi-district action will begin with the first and second place girls teams scheduled to play at 6:30 and 8:00 p.m. Thursday, February 17, on the campus of Wayland Baptist University in Plainview. Teams involved in this double-header are Valley, Silverton, Nazareth and Sudan.

The boys bi-district action will be held Thursday, February 24, with four teams from the same two districts. These will probably be Nazareth, Happy, Valley and Silverton, depending on the outcome of some of the makeup games.

January 25 was a big night at the Silverton Gym when Valley came to town and the locals won two of the three matches.

The junior varsity Owlettes led off the action with a big victory. The Owlettes led at the end of each period except the third, but never by more than two points until the final 32-29 score. Scoring was very balanced, with Angie Lowrey leading the way with seven points. Lee Ann Durham, Kori Baird and Necole Whitfill caged six points each, Shavonne Lowrey dropped in five points, and Melissa Stone added a pair of points.

Owlette JV 8 17 20 32
Valley 6 15 25 29

The varsity Owls won their game by a big 68-62 score in a very exciting double overtime game. The Owls were ahead at the end of each quarter until allowing the Patriots to tie the score at the final buzzer. It was tied again at the end of the first overtime, but the Owls were able to outscore the Patriots by six points in the second overtime to take a 68-62 victory.

Shane Reagan led the offense for the winners with a big 25 points. Kyle Couch added 18; Cary Fleming, 13; Craig Patton,

See **TEAMS LOOKING—**
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New EMT Class To Begin Soon

A new class for Emergency Medical Technicians will begin at 7:00 p.m. February 14, at the City Hall in Silverton.

Anthony Kingery will be instructor for the class.

Senior Citizens To Have Monthly Birthday Party

Silverton Senior Citizens will have their Monthly Birthday Party meeting that was postponed at 6:00 p.m. February 14, at the Senior Citizens Center.

Musical entertainment will be provided by John Francis, Jimmy Burson, Cliff and Joy Stodghill.

SWEETHEART DANCE TO BE HELD AT HESTER'S

The public is invited to a Sweetheart Dance with Caprock Country Band Saturday, February 12, from 9:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m. at Hester's Gulf Station.

The dance is being sponsored as a Briscoe County 4-H fundraising event and admission will be \$5.00 for couples and \$3.00 for singles.

Stock Show Board Expresses

Appreciation For Donations

The Briscoe County Stock Show Board and 4-H and FFA youth would like to thank the following businesses and individuals for their donations to the 1983 County Livestock Show:

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Also, Jimmy Davidson, Paymaster Gin, Merrell Food, Valley Farm Store, Griffin Gulf Service, Anderson, Clayton & Company, Herrington Equipment and Harvey McJimsey.

Snow Blankets Silverton Again

Snow has blanketed Silverton several times so far this winter, beginning at Thanksgiving which is earlier than snow is usually expected. According to the official measurement recorded by Fred Strange, four inches of snow fell in November, three inches in December, 11½ inches in January and another 11 inches in February, for a total of 29½ inches with several weeks of winter still remaining on the calendar.

The snow melt has amounted to .38 of an inch in November, .32 of an inch in December, .99 of an inch in January and 1.09 inches in February, for a total of 2.78 inches of badly-needed winter moisture.

Even though the snow and ice have been a great inconvenience to residents (some of whom were running out of butane last week with at least one county maintainer stuck and unable to make a path into the rural areas for a delivery truck), when the grass turns green, the wildflowers begin to bloom, and farmers and ranchers are wearing big smiles on their faces, everyone will realize how blessed the area has been.

In January 1982 only .37 of an inch of moisture was received. February followed with .40 of an inch. Total moisture for November 1982 was 1.50 inches and in December it was 1.45 inches. The area seems to be well on its way to an above-average subsoil moisture condition that will be a boon to both farmers and ranchers, who have had a very difficult

MICROWAVE SCHOOL IS TONIGHT IN QUITAQUE

A Microwave School will be tonight (Thursday) from 7:00 until 9:00 p.m. at the West Texas Utilities Office in Quitaque.

The microwave demonstration, taught by Karen Burgess, home economist with West Texas Utilities Company in Childress, is sponsored by the Briscoe County Extension Service.

The public is invited, and there is no charge.

Educational programs of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

DROP STATION HERE FOR BOYS RANCH

Shirley Henderson has announced that she has a drop station for clothes for Boys Ranch.

The clothes must be clean and mended.

Contact her at home, 823-2034, or at Shear Delight Beauty Salon, 823-2468, for further information.

time getting feed to their stock this winter.

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Teams Looking —

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six; Clifford Clardy, five, and Cal Brannon, one point.

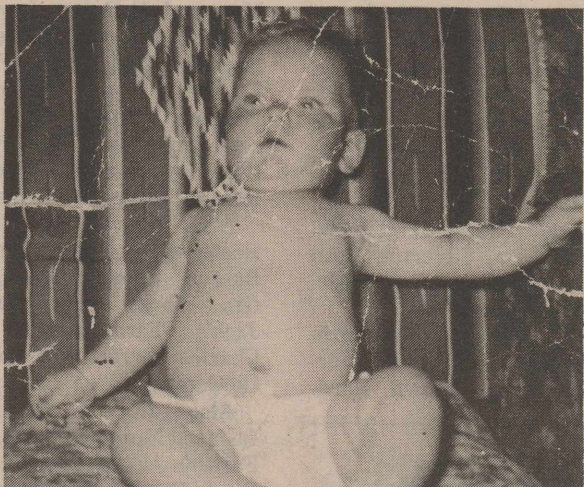
Clardy, Eric Patton and Kyle Couch fouled out, weakening the team before the end, but apparently Valley underestimated the value of the Owl reserves and, trying to get the ball back, fouled players who were able to sink their free shots.

Owls 13 30 43 53 57 68
 Valley 11 26 40 53 57 62

The Owlettes lost their game and one of their players as well.

Jeni Denton received torn knee ligaments that required surgery and she will be on crutches for eight weeks. This ended the high school athletic career for one of SHS's most outstanding athletes and took away her chance for a third trip to the state track meet.

Kathy Brown led the Owlette offense with 15 points, with Judy Northcutt right with her with 14 points to her credit. Amy Perkins dropped in 10 points; Lisa Lavy and Missy Brown, six points each.



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NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Max Weaver are parents of a daughter, Julie Michelle, born Friday, February 4, at 1:18 p.m. at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed five pounds and thirteen ounces and is 19½ inches long.

She has a sister, Shannon, who is five years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Worrall of Fort Worth.



Mr. and Mrs. Eloy Reyna are parents of a daughter, Catherine Jean, born at 3:43 a.m. January 26 at Lockney General Hospital. She weighed six pounds and 5¼ ounces, and is 20 inches long.

The new baby has a sister, Vanessa Mae, who is 11 months old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Aguilar of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Alberto Reyna of Turkey.

"The object of teaching a child is to enable him to get along without his teacher."

Elbert Hubbard

Owlettes 8 23 33 51
 Valley 10 22 44 61

On January 28, the Owls dropped their game to Estelline by two points. Clardy led the team's scoring with 16 points; Eric Patton and Craig Patton caged 11 points each; Reagan got 10 points, and Fleming rounded out the scoring with four points.

Owls 15 30 46 62
 Estelline 15 32 44 64

The varsity teams took big victories over Lakeview on February 7. The Owlettes had five girls scoring in double figures as they romped home to an 82-39 tune. Kathy Brown led the scoring barrage with 18 points, while Lisa Lavy rang up 14, Missy Brown and Angie Lowrey caged 12 points each, and Judy Northcutt lighted the boards with 10 points. Rounding out the scoring were Lee Ann Durham, with six; Amy Perkins and Tammi Edwards, four points each, and Kori Baird, two points.

Owlettes 23 44 67 82
 Lakeview 2 5 21 39

The Owls were close to scoring that magic 100 points as they whipped Lakeview 91-65. Reagan burned the baskets with 27 points, while Couch rang up 22 and Clardy got 21. Eric Patton caged 10, Craig Patton got seven, and Fleming dropped in two points.

Owls 22 48 65 91
 Lakeview 15 33 47 65

The junior varsity Owls played in a tournament at Hart recently, losing both of their games.

Their first match was with Hart, and the tournament hosts took a 41-21 victory over the Owls. Scoring was by Russell Bingham, five points; Cal Brannon, Russell Simpson and Chris Clardy, four points each; Barry Eddleman and Scotty Harris, two points each.

Owl JV 6 7 9 21
 Hart 15 23 32 41

The Owls lost their second game to Sudan, 39-26. Brannon led the scoring with 10 points. Simpson, Clardy and Harris scored four points each, Eddleman got three points, and Todd Reagan dropped in a free throw.

Owl JV 4 12 19 26
 Sudan 7 19 26 39

AS A MAN THINKETH

Gerald Beasley

LIFETIME FRETTING

She shook him awake and whispered of a noise below. He fumbled downstairs and found himself staring at a robber's pistol.

"Nobody will get hurt if you hand over your valuables."

He promised no outcry and offered the silver. "However," he said, "I wish you'd do one favor before you go. Go up and meet my wife. She's been looking for you every night for over 30 years."

How many worry and spawn ulcers over things that usually never happen? Jesus says, "Do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own" (Mt. 6:34, N.I.V.).

But Jesus does enlist our proper concern in genuinely important matters: "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you" (Mt. 6:33). Long ago faithless Israel "spake against God; they said, Can God prepare a table in the wilderness?" (Psa. 78:19). He could and did!

"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm."

Ralph Waldo Emerson

"Often the surest way to convey misinformation is to tell the strict truth."

Mark Twain

MIXED DRINK TAX UP DURING FOURTH QUARTER

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Monday said collection of the state's 10 percent mixed drink tax during the fourth quarter of 1982 was up 2.3 percent over the same period last year.

Bullock said the state received \$35.1 million in taxes on the sale of mixed drinks during the last three months of last year.

Bullock's office is sending checks totaling \$10.2 million to 221 counties and 410 cities as their share of the gross receipts tax on mixed drinks for the fourth quarter.

The state's general revenue fund will receive the balance—\$24.9 million—of the tax money collected.

Texas cities and counties each receive a 15 percent rebate of the tax collected on mixed drinks sold within their boundaries under the law that legalized the sale of mixed drinks in the state.

The mixed drink tax is collected by the Alcoholic Beverage Commission and city-county rebates are sent out quarterly by the Comptroller's office.

Bullock said the mixed drink tax brought in \$140.2 million for all four quarters of 1982.

Mixed drink tax remittance for the fourth quarter of 1982 in Briscoe County was \$1743.85. The county's 15% remittance amounted to \$261.58.

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arrive on schedule, it may be due to one of these reasons:

Change of address—Have you changed your mailing address recently? This may be the reason, particularly if you did not promptly notify both Social Security and the post office.

No check due—Perhaps you were not eligible for a payment because you failed to submit a requested report or no longer meet all requirements for benefits. Earnings of a retirement

beneficiary is also sometimes a reason that a check is not due.

Mail delay—Your check may be late because of misrouted mail, heavy mail volume during a holiday, or some other reason.

Theft—About one-fourth of all missing Federal checks are not received due to confirmed theft and forgery.

In case of a missing check, first wait three days after the expected delivery date to make sure it hasn't been delayed in the mail.

Then contact the nearest Social Security office.

Someone at the Social Security office will check to make sure you had a payment coming and that a check was issued. If so, you will be asked to complete and sign a notice of missing payment. Information you provide is then sent to the U. S. Treasury Department regional disbursing center that issued the check.

How long it takes to get a replacement check depends on

what happened to the original one. If it was mailed to the wrong address, it will simply be sent to the correct one. If your check is still missing and has not been cashed, you generally can expect a replacement within a few weeks.

If your check was stolen and cashed, a forgery investigation is necessary. In this case, it could take several months before you receive a substitute check.

Here's what you can do to make sure you receive all benefits due on time:

1. Let both Social Security and the post office know your new address as soon as you have it.

2. Promptly report any events that may affect your payments and return any questionnaires or other forms sent to you by Social Security.

3. Consider signing up for direct deposit which can save you time, money, and worry. Ask at your bank or other financial institution for form SF-1199.

If you have further questions concerning Social Security please call our office at 293-4371 or come by our office at 1401-B West 5th Street in Plainview.

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The United States Congress recently passed a law that will adversely affect you and most other savers in the nation. Under this law, all banks, savings and loans, money market mutual funds, credit unions, mutual savings banks, and other payers of interest or dividends will be required to automatically withhold 10% of the interest and dividends earned by their customers and transmit this amount to the IRS. You already have to pay income taxes on your interest earnings—but now the IRS wants to take 10% of your total interest in advance.

This rule is wrong for the following reasons:

- 1) Withholding will cut the amount of cash you have available during the year from your interest income.
- 2) The amount withheld may not be correct for your tax bracket. If overwithholding occurs, you will have to file for a tax refund to get back your own money.
- 3) Your total interest earnings will be reduced because of less income from reinvestment and compounding.
- 4) Elderly persons and low income individuals (including children) will have to file an exemption certificate for each and every account they have in order to avoid withholding. If the exemption is not filed in time, a tax return must be filed the next year — or the withheld money will be forfeited to the government.

Unless Congress acts to stop the withholding rule, it will go into effect on July 1, 1983. This bank is working to do away with the rule, but we need your help. IT'S YOUR MONEY.

Please detach the message that follows, and mail it to your Congressman. Send a copy to your U.S. Senators. Give us a call if you have any questions or need information. Let's put a stop to withholding before it begins.

TO: Congressman _____
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Please support legislation to repeal withholding on interest and dividends!! It's harmful because it takes away from the income that I count on during the year; it's unfair to those of us who have always paid our share of taxes on interest; and, it's a burden to the elderly and low income persons, including children. It will discourage savings in this country, and that's bad news for the economy.

May I count on your support to repeal this rule before it goes into effect on July 1, 1983?

Your constituent,

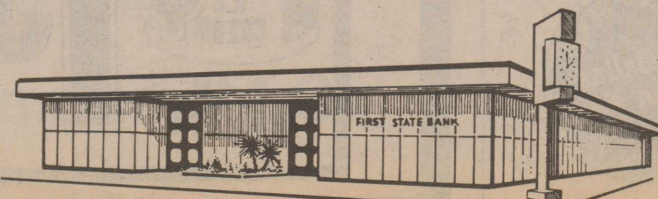
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

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February 13—Melissa Davis, Mistie Dyan Mattheus

February 14—Lee Burnett, Jerry Patton, Scotti Fleming, Brenda Boling, Max Garrison

February 15—Gary Weak, Charlie Francis

February 16—Greg Garcia, Genie Lavy, James Alan Patton, Jane Self, Dijl Couch, Brent Brannon, Clifford Clardy, Charlotte Burnett

February 17—Patti Perkins

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...

February 12—Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Haynie, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brannon, Mr. and Mrs. Onar Cornett

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Mrs. Hastey Is Shower Honoree Here

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Mrs. Walter Bean greeted the guests at the door and introduced them to the new bride and her mother, Mrs. Raymond McJimsey, and to Mrs. Maurice Hastey, mother of the groom.

After signing the register, the guests were shown the gifts and served refreshments of miniature loaves of sweet breads and a choice of coffee or tea. The refreshment table was decorated with a beautiful arrangement of dogwoods in earthtones with streamers bearing the names

"Tandy and Victor." The arrangement was set upon a pedestal which was underlined with a straw mat. Completing the table decor were brown and white napkins.

Included among the guests who attended were Mrs. Lois Waller of Floydada; Alisa Richardson and Aaron, Plainview; Dee Purdy and Gail Palmer, both of Plainview.

Hostesses for the occasion were Bobbye Bean, Janelle Reeves, Merlene Stephens, Ada Clay, Marge Jones, Dean Burson, LaRue Garvin, Glenda Francis, Shirley Reynolds, LaTrella Flowers, Lois Walker, Mary Ann Rauch, Sharon Simpson, Mabelle Francis, Lottie Garrison and Lanita Cantwell.

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4-H is open to all boys and girls 9-19 years of age regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, religion or national origin.

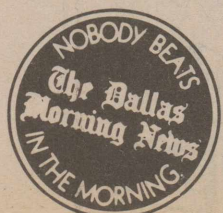
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Bill Griffin returned to his home in Quitaque Monday after spending several days at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview for treatment of an ulcer.

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DONIE HESTER

Funeral services for Donie B. Hester, 80, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Friday at the First Baptist Church in Silverton, with Earl Cantwell, minister of the Rock Creek Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements under the direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors of Silverton.

Mr. Hester died Wednesday of last week at Lockney General Hospital.

Donie Hester was born October 27, 1903 in Choctaw Indian Territory, now Oklahoma, into a family of nine children. As a small boy, his family moved to a farm near Sherman, and from there moved to Santa Rosa, New Mexico. His father raised mules which were brought to Texas, mostly to the Quitaque area, and sold.

As a young man he worked as

a cowboy, and in 1922 he moved to Hale Center and worked as a farmer. There he met Ola Mitchner, who was helping cook for the harvest hands, and they were married June 30, 1924, in Dimmitt.

They moved to Olton in 1930 and lived in a dugout while he farmed. In 1934 they headed for Missouri. When they got to the caprock of Texas, his brother-in-law, M. E. Smith, asked them not to go on to Missouri but to stay in Briscoe County. They are said to have been the last family to move to Briscoe County in a covered wagon.

They bought land eight miles east of Silverton and farmed.

Hester had many talents. At one time he cut hair in the Haylake community. The talent he will most be remembered for is woodcraft. In 1954 he picked up a piece of red cedar and carved an ashtray. He liked the way it turned out and decided to

make other things. Since he lived close to Holmes Creek, he would haul out stumps and carve them into lamps, picture frames and smoking stands. He built himself a shop and began building lamps, tables, cabinets, beds and almost everything used in the home. He made toys for his nephews, nieces and grandchildren. His wife helped with the finishing work by varnishing each piece. They worked together, and what had started as a hobby became a business at which they made their living.

Another favorite pastime of the Hester family and their neighbors was their musicals. Donie played the guitar and French harp. Ola played the piano. Their son, Ted, played the guitar and violin. Ted's wife, Ruby, played the violin and guitar. As they came along, the grandchildren learned to play instruments and sing.

Life changed dramatically for Donie and Ola Hester in 1965 when his shop burned to the ground. He soon retired from woodworking and they moved to Silverton where he assisted his son in the operation of a service station and also worked in the Green Thumb program.

When their health began to fail, the Hesters moved to the Lockney Care Center. She preceded him in death in July 1974.

He is survived by a son, Ted, of Silverton; three grandchildren, Mrs. Ralph (Janice) Hill and Ricky Hester, both of Silverton, and Ronnie Hester of Gould, Oklahoma, and seven great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Alton Riddell, Dale Smith, Donnie Perkins, Terry West, Lynn Smith and David Johnston.

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It is expected that the proposed rate schedule will not increase the company's net intrastate revenues, but rather, the increased rates will offset increased settlements paid to certain other telephone companies.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas.

**Notice to Customers of
Other Telephone Companies**

Changes in intrastate long distance rates would also affect customers of other telephone companies because such companies provide intrastate long distance service in accordance with rates specified in Southwestern Bell's tariffs.

Aviso Público

Southwestern Bell, con el objeto de cumplir con el decreto previo del Public Utility Commission (Comisión de Servicios Públicos) del Estado de Texas, Acta No. 3957, por la presente hace saber su intención de establecer un nuevo arancel de tarifas para servicio intraestatal de larga distancia, con vigencia a partir del 1o de abril de 1983, a menos que la Comisión haga otra determinación.

Se espera que el nuevo arancel de tarifas que Southwestern Bell se propone establecer no aumentará sus ingresos netos intraestatales, sino que servirá para compensar el aumento de los ajustes que se les paga a algunas otras compañías de teléfono.

Una copia completa del nuevo arancel de tarifas se ha archivado en las oficinas del Public Utility Commission (Comisión de Servicios Públicos) en Austin, Texas, y esta disponible para inspección pública en todas nuestras oficinas en el Estado de Texas.

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GRACE C. TYE

Funeral services for Mrs. Grace C. Tye, 85, were conducted Wednesday of last week at 2:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Paducah with the pastor, Rev. Henry Alley, officiating.

Burial was in Garden of Memories Cemetery by Seigler Funeral Home of Paducah.

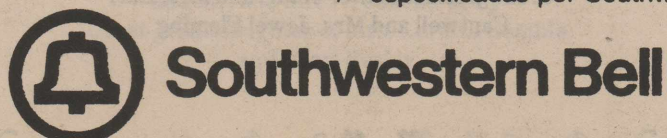
Mrs. Tye died Monday, January 31, in Abilene.

Born in Montague County, Mrs. Tye moved to King County in 1918 and taught school for several years. She married Reuben D. Tye in 1923 at Benjamin. She was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Order of the Eastern Star.

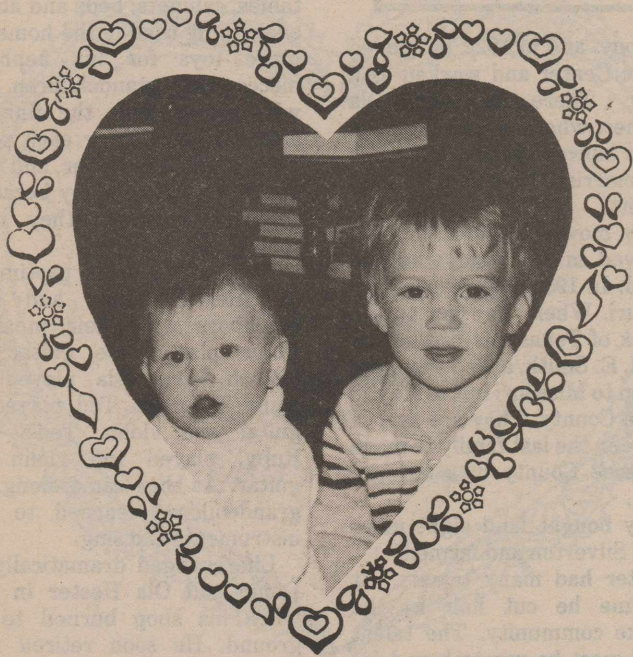
Survivors include her husband; two sons, Reuben D. Tye, jr. of Arlington and Ernest Tye of Houston; two daughters, Mrs. James (Annell) Davis of Silverton and Mrs. Mary Sherman of Abilene; 13 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes spent last weekend at Roscoe in the home of their children and grandchildren, Rev. and Mrs. Randy Hughes, Amy Lynne and Matthew, to help celebrate a late birthday for Amy and an early one for Matt and Judy. They returned home Monday just before the snow started.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones spent a few days last week with their son-in-law and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Verden, at Earth following his release from the hospital.



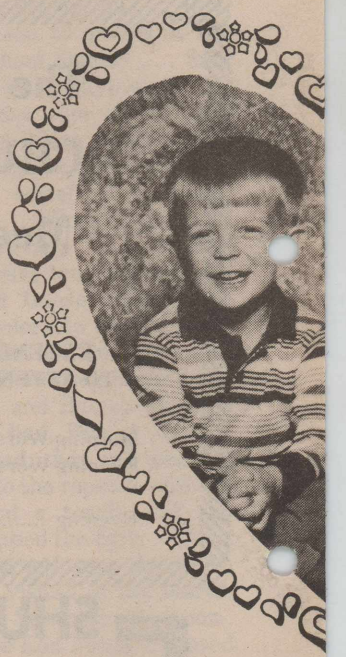
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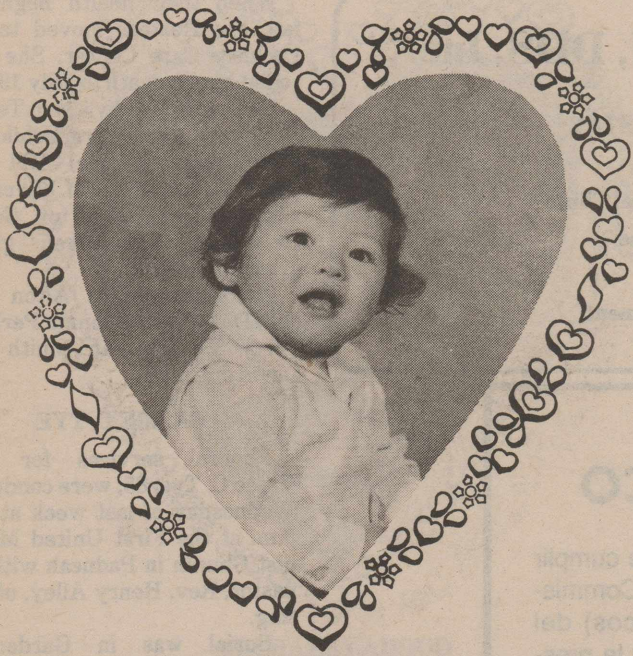
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Grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Francis
Great-grandsons of Mrs. Boone McCracken



CODY AND LEAH WHITFILL
Children of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Whitfill
Grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Martin
and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitfill



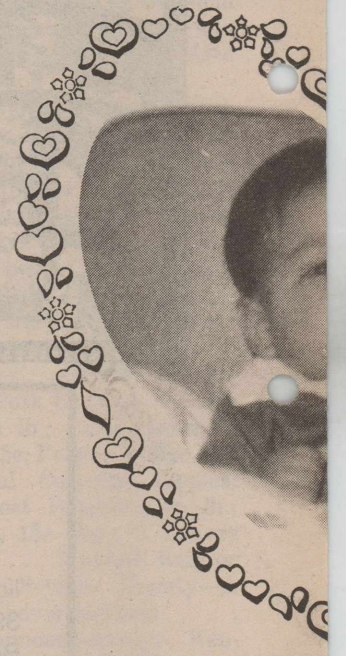
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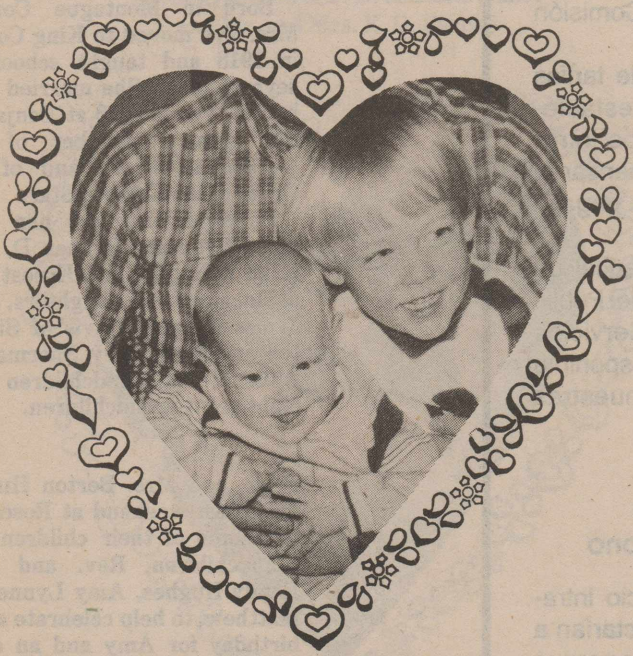
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Granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour
Brannon and Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Thomas



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Grandson of Pete a
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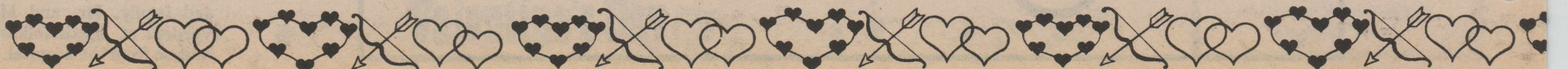
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Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyles



CALLY ANN BURK
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burk
Granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cantwell
Great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl
Cantwell and Mrs. Jewel Fleming



KAYLA COLEMAN
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Coleman, Jr.
Granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Garvin, Jr.
and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Coleman, Sr.
Great-granddaughter of Mrs. Ruby Gilkeyson,
Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver, Mrs. Mary Coleman
Great-great-granddaughter of
Mrs. Charlise B. Arnold



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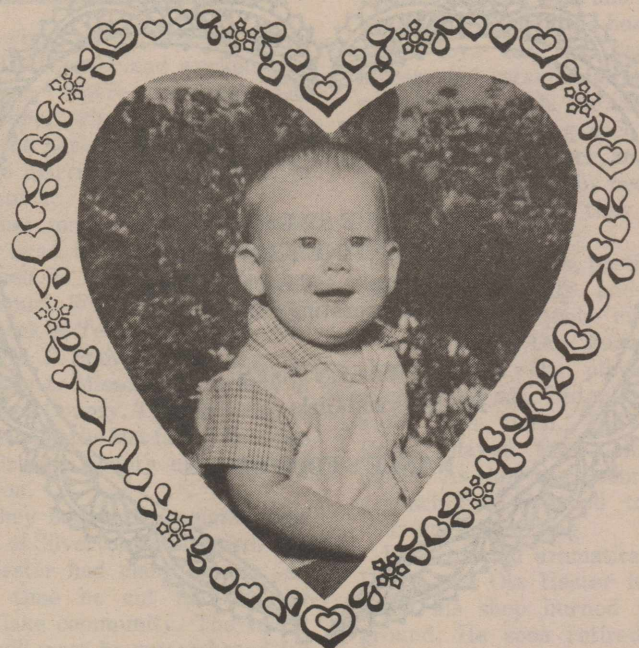
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and Jonette Hamilton
Mrs. Marguerite Reynolds
Mrs. Winston Hamilton



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and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Weaks
Great-grandchildren of Mrs. Marie Boling



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Great-grandson of Mrs. Marie Boling



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KRYSTA WILLIAMS
Daughter of Dennis and Brenda Williams
Granddaughter of Mrs. Norma Payne
Great-granddaughter of Mrs. Syble Teeple



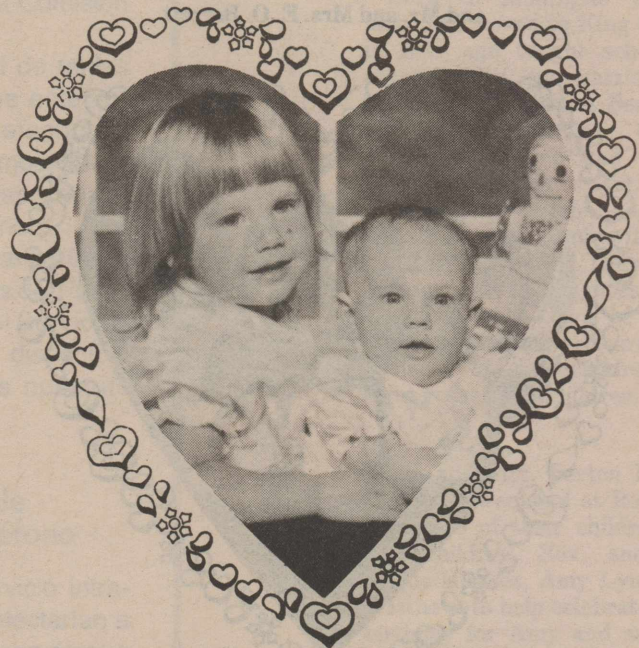
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Children of Mr. and Mrs. John Wyatt
Grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. G. Mayfield



LEAH BROOKE GARVIN
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lane Garvin
Granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Garvin, Jr.
and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hardin
Great-granddaughter of Dick Dingler
and Mrs. Ruby Gilkeyson
Great-great-granddaughter of
Mrs. Charlsie B. Arnold



MELODY FARLEY
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Farley
Granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Childress
and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Farley
Great-granddaughter of Mrs. Loretta Gamble
and Pearl Farley



ASHLEY LYNN AND MISTI LEE McCOY
Daughters of Mr. and Mrs. David McCoy
Granddaughters of Mary Lou and Larry Jarrett,
Pat and Glenna Northcutt
and Hurl and Florene McCoy
Great-granddaughters of Chick and Ruby
Northcutt and Lula Bellinger



Looking Back . . .

through the files of the
Briscoe County News
25 Years Ago—T. J. Hodges

honored on 80th birthday . . .
Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and
Mrs. John Lee Francis and Dale
were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Franks,
Cenci and Celina of Amarillo, Mr.

and Mrs. Garland Francis and
Mr. and Mrs. John Gill and Cris .
. . Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hill are new
owners of the Silverton Variety
Store, having purchased it from
Mr. and Mrs. Keyth Tiffin . . .
School dismissed because of gas
leak . . . Mrs. Alice Rebecca
Miller buried . . . Mrs. Flora
Dickerson honored on 86th birth-
day . . . Briscoe County blanketed
with snow and ice . . . Mr. and
Mrs. Carl Bomar and Terry were
in Amarillo on Wednesday for
Terry's checkup following a
recent tonsillectomy . . . Winners
in the Fort Worth Press and
Caprock District "Save the Soil
and Save Texas" essay contest
included 1. Marjorie Autry, 2.
Marsha Monroe, 3. Leah Kellum,
Silverton High School; 1. John
Criss Reagan, 2. Melvin Carter,
3. Grady Lee Jacobs, Quitaque
High School . . . Rev. James P.
Patterson, D. G. Shelton, James
Priddy, Rupert Hughes, Arnold
Turner and Orville Turner at-
tended a Methodist Laymen's
Banquet in Plainview . . . Mrs.
Gwenlyn Whitfill had the misfor-

tune of breaking her ankle while
skiing at Santa Fe . . . Judd
Donnell of Las Vegas, New
Mexico and Mrs. Agnes Bingham
were Sunday dinner guests of
their mother, Mrs. Cora Donnell .
. . G. W. Lee, Shellie Tomlin, K.
M. Fleming, Norman Strange,
George Long and J. V. Self were
in Dallas to donate blood for W.
P. Whittemore . . . Mrs. J. N.
Hamilton of Quitaque and daugh-
ter, Mrs. George Setliff of
Turkey, visited Mr. and Mrs. C.
R. Badgett . . . Quotation
appearing in Grundy's Grocery
ad: "Advice to the lovelorn—
Never marry on the Sabbath; it's a
sin to gamble on Sunday" . . .
Grocery specials included 20
packages Wrigley's Gum, 59c; 2
lbs. Wilson Cheese, 69c; Giant
Size Tide, 69c; Whole Picnic
Hams, 39c lb. . . Cigarettes—
Regulars, \$2.25 carton, Filters,
\$2.35 carton . . . Funeral rites for
Dow Nix held at Plainview . . .
Soil Fertility Day program to be
held at Palace Theatre. Com-
mittee for the event includes
Neal Jennings, Hugh Nance,

George Seaney, J. E. Minyard,
James Priddy, Clifford Allard,
Alvin Redin, William Strange,
Keyth Tiffin and Edwin Crass . . .
45 Years Ago . . . Funeral
services conducted for Mrs.
Florence R. Brooks, 83 . . . Rev.
W. H. Jackson to preach at the
Haylake School Sunday . . . Sam
Carr dies at Skellytown . . .
Wayne White, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Pierce White of Quitaque,
seriously injured when he fell
under the wheel of a loaded
tractor . . . Work begins on
Buffalo Lake dam . . . From Roy
Hahn's "Yours true?ly" column:
Buster and Goose carried the
Silverton colors to the Lubbock
Golden Gloves Tournament.
Goose let them drag clear down
in the dirt, and Buster let them
sag pretty bad. Buster had his
man whipped, they tell me, and
went over to the ropes to spit out
a tooth and a tonsil, and the
referee stopped the fight . . . Mrs.
Chester Burnett and daughter,
Billie Ann, visited in the Martin
Hyatt home Saturday afternoon .
. . Little Joe Edd Burnett caused
some excitement when he be-
came lost from his daddy in
Silverton Saturday . . . Miss
Mavis Strickland, who is teach-
ing home economics at Bovina,
was here for a visit last weekend
. . . Mrs. Emmett Brookshier and
Dan visited relatives in Hereford
Saturday and Sunday . . .
Silverton Garden Club met with
Mrs. Grady Wimberly and four
new members, Mmes. Wade
Steele, John Lee Francis, Dur-
wood Davis and Alton Steele,
were voted into the club . . . Mr.
and Mrs. Chester Hawkins visit-
ed relatives at Lockney Sunday .
. . Misses Mary Ollie and Rena
Persons spent the weekend with
their mother . . . Grocery specials
included: Pork Sausage, 19c lb.;
Steak, 15c lb.; Corn Flakes, 3
boxes for 25c; Folgers Coffee, 25c
lb.; Bushel Colorado Apples,
\$1.00; Sweet Potatoes, 3c lb.;
Cigarettes, 15c pkg.; 2 Loaves
Bread, 15c . . . Wanted: Rain or
snow for Briscoe County—A
prayerful advertisement . . .
Political announcements: Ken-
neth Bain and Alton B. Chapman,
for District Judge; Winfred F.
Newsome and John A. Hamilton,
for District Attorney; W. Coffee,
jr., for County Judge; N. R.
(Jake) Honea, for Sheriff; R. E.
Douglas, County and District
Clerk; Lizzie Gregg and Agnes
(Donnell) Turner, for County
Treasurer; J. R. Foust, for
Commissioner, Precinct 4; C. M.
Strickland, R. M. Hill and J. E.
Wheelock, for Commissioner,
Precinct 1; P. D. Jasper, for
Commissioner, Precinct 3 . . .

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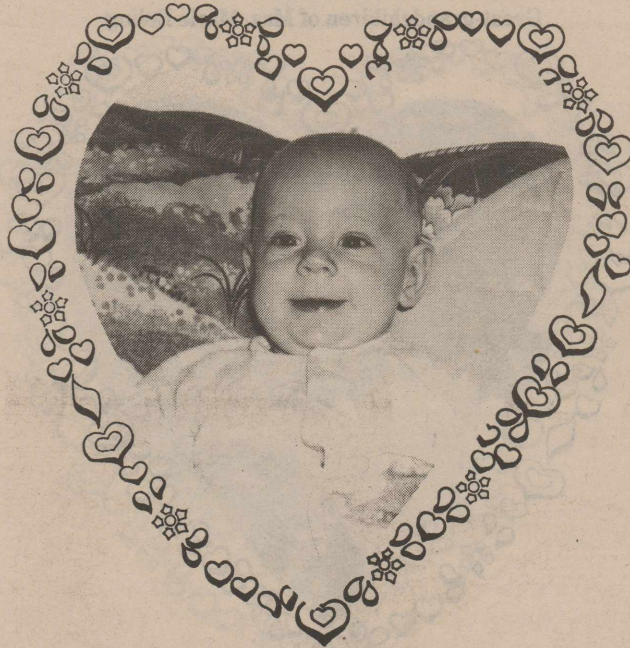
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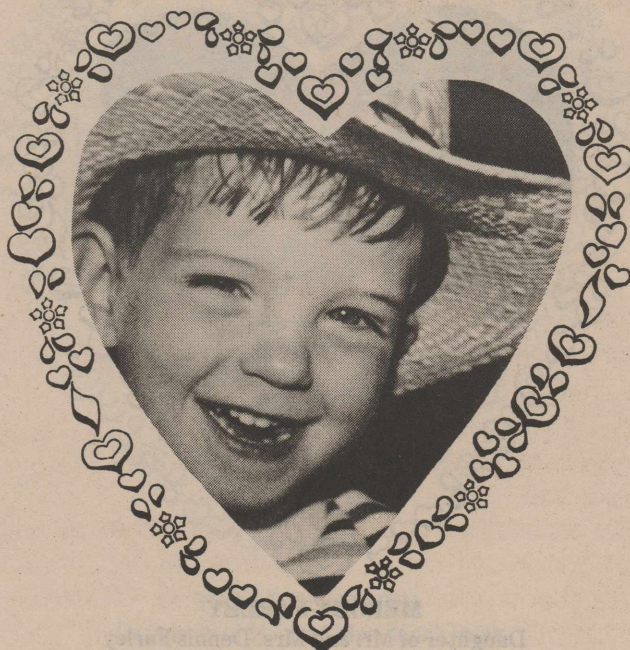
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Son of Fares and Nanda Lahoud
Grandson of Rex and Faith Redies
and Robert Barrett
Great-grandson of J. D. and Lois Nance
and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Barrett



JUSTIN BREEDLOVE
Son of Chris and Karen Breedlove
Grandson of Norvell and Betty Breedlove
and Riley and Lois Ziegler
Great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Wayland
Fitzgerald and Mrs. Frank Breedlove



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KIMBERLY, CURTIS, DeLYNN, LEE ANN**
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Annual Joint Meeting of FBLA Chapters Being Held

The District XVI and XVII Chapters of Future Business Leaders of America will hold their annual joint meeting on the WTSU Campus on Thursday, February 10, (today) with registration beginning at 9:00 a.m. Activities will be at the Student Activities Center under the direction of Michael Renteria, District President, from Alamo Catholic High School. Silvertown District Officers who

will be participating in the program are: Jan Reynolds, vice-president; Angie Lowrey, reporter, and Missy Brown, parliamentarian.

The Silvertown chapter members who will be competing are as follows:

Accounting—Judy Northcutt, Jan Reynolds, Jeni Denton
Business Math—Stephen Stephens, Alesha Patton
Clerk Typist I—Soledad Gar-

cia, Estella Trevino, Reina Garibay, Warren Jarrett, David Schott

Clerk Typist II—Angie Lowrey, Donna Boling, Mary Patino
Job Interview—Alice Maciel, Monroe Hill, Russell Bingham
Parliamentary Procedure—Rank Cogdell, Eric Patton, Max Davis, Kyle Couch, Cary Fleming

Miss FBLA—Aida Ramirez
Mr. FBLA—Kerry Baird
Poster Teams—Missy Brown, Amy Perkins, Jena McFall, Tammi Edwards
Public Speaking—Annette Kingery

Our Thanks To . . .

(sponsored by the L. O. A. Junior Study Club)

We would like to take this opportunity to say thank-you to Mrs. Rita Mullin for great achievement with our most valued possession—our children.

Mrs. Mullin is a graduate of Hageman High School. She attended one year at Eastern New Mexico University and received her bachelor's and master's degrees from West Texas State University. She married Otis Lee Mullin August 18, 1954 in Carlsbad, New Mexico.

She has three children, Brent of Graham, Norman of Big Spring and Jena of Mount Carmel, Illinois. She also has five grandchildren. She is a member of the Turkey Church of Christ and is very active with the youth of her church.

Her dedication to the teaching profession has been received by many students. We asked grades five through twelve to tell us what they remembered most about Mrs. Mullin. Their comments say "thank-you, Mrs. Mullin," and are from the ones who felt the love she shared with them.

"She was the first teacher to give me licks—but I knew I



MRS. RITA MULLIN



needed them."

"She always encouraged you to do your best."

"She's beautiful."

"She had neat ways of teaching so the kids would want to learn."

"She treated everyone the same."

"When we got a spanking, she said it was cause she loved us."

"She was a great friend to have around when you were in trouble."

"Her expression, 'That's rude, crude and totally unacceptable'."

"She was special."

"She said I could be whatever I wanted to be—and I believed her."

"For listening to our dumb stories and little problems. And for caring about us and laughing and joking and learning with us. And for proving she really cared."

"Thanks for loving us!"

Rita Mullin is not just concerned with the academics of school, but with the total child. How the student gets along with other children, recognizing their strong points and giving them the confidence they need. She builds self esteem and moral character, and that cannot be measured in grades. The parents and community would like to add our thanks to those expressed by her students.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet and her mother, Mrs. J. M. Hill of Tulia, were in Lubbock Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sarchet, Brandon and Jordan. They had an early celebration of the birthday anniversary of Ken Sarchet.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Feb. 11—L. O. A. Junior Study Club Valentine Party
Progressive Homemakers Valentine Supper
Varsity teams vs. Hedley, here
- Feb. 12—Silvertown Fire Dept. Annual Banquet
FHA Sweetheart Banquet
- Feb. 14—EMT Class Begins
Caprock Squares Senior Citizens Monthly Birthday Party
- Feb. 15—Varsity teams vs. Motley County, there
Silvertown Volunteer Ambulance Service Monthly Meeting
- Feb. 17—Girls Bi-District Games, Plainview
- Feb. 18—Senior Citizens Monthly Luncheon, Business Meeting
- Feb. 19—Silvertown Ambulance Service Banquet
- Feb. 22—FFA Awards Banquet
LaLeche League
- Feb. 24—Boys Bi-District Games, Plainview
- Feb. 26—Silvertown Young Farmers Awards Banquet

(If you know of events that need to be added to this list, please call 823-2333.)

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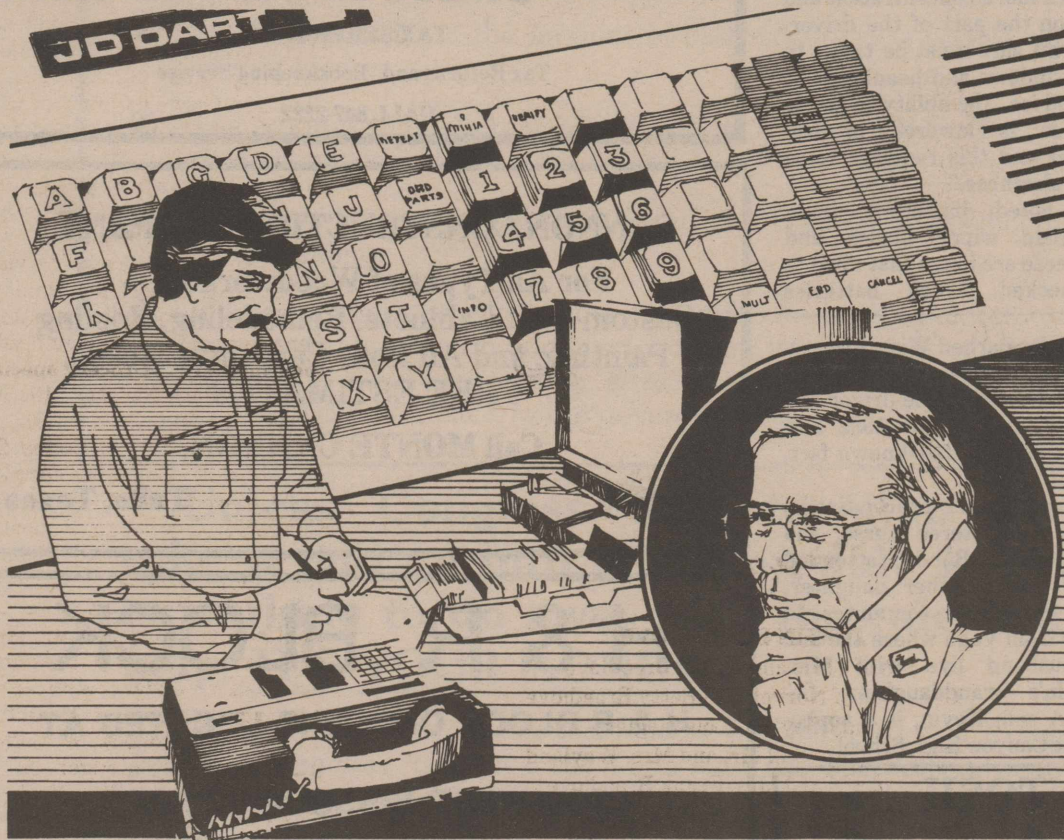
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Mrs. McAlpin Is New WTSU Associate Registrar

Although Mrs. Jackie McAlpin just began her new job at West Texas State University in January, she already is familiar with many students and faculty members.

Mrs. McAlpin is associate registrar in the WTSU Registrar's office, succeeding Lila Vars, who served in the position for eight years until she was named WTSU director of development in November.

Since she assumed the new position only two days before spring semester registration, Mrs. McAlpin said her duties have involved ruling on student residency situations and learning to work with computers. Registration for the spring semester for the first time involved the use of computer terminal operators to enter student schedule and billing information. The student then received a copy of the schedule and bill. An average waiting time of 50 minutes in the pay line was eliminated by using the system.

"I started the Monday before Wednesday registration. It was a terrifically exciting eight days and nights," she said. "There's so much to learn and I love working with the students."

She will coordinate admissions activities with Dr. Don Cates, dean of admissions and registrar, work with transfer and freshman students concerning academic records.

A graduate of Levelland High School, Mrs. McAlpin received a bachelor of business administration degree from WTSU. She met her husband, Willie McAlpin, who is administrative assistant for the Canyon Independent School District, while they attended WTSU.

She has joined many of her classmates and former instructors at WTSU. She and Linda Elliott, who became assistant to the registrar in August, were WTSU classmates and she taught math labs as a student assistant for Durwood Henderson, who is director of computer services at WTSU.

Because her husband was a coach, Mrs. McAlpin said her family lived in several Texas communities, including Silverton, Tulia, where she taught business subjects in high school, Muleshoe and Beeville.

They moved to Canyon 15 years ago and for four years she taught vocational office education in a program she initiated at Canyon High School.

She also completed a master's degree in education at WTSU and became employed by the Northwest Texas Hospital School of Nursing in Amarillo. In her 10½ years there, Mrs.



Mrs. Jackie McAlpin works with students in her new job as associate registrar at West Texas State University.

[WTSU Photo by Andy Hester]



McAlpin worked as director of federal projects to improve student services where she was involved in recruiting and registration.

Mrs. McAlpin is active as a member of the state board of the American Association of University Women and as a district coordinator for the Panhandle AAUW organizations. She also recently completed a term as a state alumnae chairperson for Alpha Delta Pi, a national social sorority of which she was a member as a WTSU student.

She and her husband have worked with Girlstown and the Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville and are members of the

BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

DPS REMINDS MOTORISTS EXTRA CARE NEEDED DURING WINTER SEASON

The Texas Department of Public Safety reminds motorists that the winter season is upon us, and it is time once again to get both the driver and the vehicle in the best possible condition for this most grueling driving season.

The DPS reported 1,262 fatal accidents that caused 1,469 deaths during the winter months of 1981 and 94 of these fatal accidents were attributed to snow or ice covered roadways, according to Major Vernon Cawthon, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

He said, "Winter driving on wet, foggy, or ice covered roads is different and requires more patience."

He advised the motorist to start early, to allow time for traffic delays, and for rest periods on long trips, to adjust their speed for road and traffic conditions, and to avoid sudden driving maneuvers.

Cawthon said, "Winter driving requires more concentration and effort on the part of the driver, and extra care must be taken to clean windows and headlights of mud and ice. The ability to see or be seen is lowered in bad weather and this requires more driver alertness."

He noted batteries, tires, windshield wiper blades and anti-freeze are items that need to be checked. Weak batteries

Panhandle Barbed Wire Association of which she was the 1981 state champion staple-driver and the runner-up in the 1982 contest, which is a little-known fact, she said.

Her daughter, Stacy Gatlin, who is a registered nurse, and her husband, Randy, attended WTSU, and another daughter, Tracy Spinhirne, commutes to WTSU from Vega where she and her husband live with Mrs. McAlpin's granddaughter, Celeste. A son, Kevin, is a sophomore at Canyon High School.

should be replaced, tires should have good deep treads, and good wiper blades are vital in winter when visibility is poor.

"Remember the speed limits posted on our highways are limits for good conditions, and winter driving may require us to lower our speed to adjust for poor conditions," he said.

He emphasized that impatience will not get you to your destination any faster. Patience will not get you there any faster either, but he said, "It will sure make the trip more pleasant and safe."

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1983

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Tiffin of Earth, Texas are the proud parents of a son, Clayton Boyd, born February 5. He weighed nine pounds and seven ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rex Tiffin of Silverton and Boyd Lowery of Earth.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Lowery of Muleshoe, Emily Clayton of Earth, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hall, sr., of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Von Tiffin of Flomot.

Great-great-grandmother is Lora Hall of Benjamin, Texas.



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Plainview Cattle Feeder To

Speak In Tulia Tuesday

Robert M. Carter, a cattle feeder from Plainview, will speak on the cattle industry at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, February 15, in the First National Bank Conference Room in Tulia.

In Chicago in August 1982, Mr. Carter was elected National Livestock and Meat Board Chair-

man. He has spoken before the Texas Cattle Feeders Association in Austin, the National Association of Farm Broadcasters in Kansas City, and the Texas Farm Bureau in Dallas.

The public is invited to attend. Refreshments will be served by the Terra Cotta CowBelles.

Windbreak Seedlings

Still Available

Some species have been sold out, but it is not too late for West Texans to purchase several varieties of windbreak tree seedlings from the Texas Forest Service.

The Service's West Texas Nursery in Lubbock still has three varieties of conifers and five types of hardwood seedlings

available for the 1982-83 planting season, which ends in late March.

According to Bob Fewin, silviculturist at Lubbock, the conifer species still available are Austrian pine, ponderosa pine and redcedar. These six to 12-inch pine and cedar seedlings are grown in individual cells, 30 cells to the styrofoam container. A

AOUDAD SHEEP HUNT HELD AT CAPROCK CANYONS STATE PARK

The 1983 public aoudad sheep hunt at Caprock Canyons State Park concluded at 12 noon January 15. The third hunt was a success in that no injuries or accidents occurred.

A four-inch snowfall on December 31 and January 1 limited hunter mobility for the first week of the hunt. Cold weather was not a handicap. Daytime temperatures were never below the upper 20's and several days were in the 60 to 70 degree range.

The sheep population is presently at its lowest since the first hunt in January 1981. This fact was reflected in the hunter success percentage. The total of sheep taken in three hunts is 45. Hunter success for each hunt is: 1981—43 hunters killed 20 sheep for 47% success; 1982—17 of 39 for 44%; 1983—8 of 39 for 21%. Of the 31 unsuccessful hunters in 1983, 13 shot at sheep and

minimum order is 30, or in multiples of 30, for \$30 per 30 trees plus sales tax. The containers are 12 inches wide by 14 inches long, by eight inches deep, and several containers can be easily transported in the back seat of a car or pickup cab.

The hardwood seedling species still available include: green ash, honeylocust (thornless), native plum, Russian olive and mulberry. The hardwoods are sold in minimum lots of 100 for \$25 (plus sales tax and shipping costs).

The West Texas Nursery grows windbreak seedlings for a 60-county High Plains and Panhandle area, north of Big Spring and west of Wichita Falls.

Fewin said the hardwoods may be shipped, but the containers in which the conifer seedlings are grown are not designed for shipping and these should be picked up at one of four distribution points, each of which will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on day of distribution.

Planters in a 12-county area surrounding Knox County may pick up their orders at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station (TAES) Vegetable Research Center at Munday, Texas on March 1.

On March 8, planters in a 20-county Panhandle area around Amarillo can pick up their seedlings at the Soil Conservation Service office at 1416 West 8th Street in Amarillo, and on March 10, resident applicants from the 24 counties surrounding Lubbock can receive their conifer seedlings at the TAES Experiment Station on FM Road 1294 in Lubbock.

The hardwood species are bare root seedlings, Fewin said, and can be shipped by normal freight methods.

West Texans interested in planting trees for homestead, feedlot, field or wildlife windbreaks, should write for seedling applications: West Texas Nursery, Texas Forest Service, Route 3, Box 216, Lubbock, Texas 79401, or call 806/746-5801.

Windbreak planters may not use these seedlings for landscaping or ornamental purposes.

Fewin said the seedlings would be sold on a first-come basis until the end of the current planting season, or until the supply is exhausted.

Mrs. Charles Wayne (Joni) Mayfield underwent major surgery Tuesday morning at St. Joseph's Hospital in Bryan.

missed, eight saw sheep but did not shoot, and 10 did not see sheep. One goat was taken.

All of the hunters have been residents of Texas except for one from Vale, North Carolina. Those from Texas came from Huntsville, Castroville, Stephenville, Dallas, Baytown, Muleshoe, Seabrook, Burleson, Amarillo, San Antonio, Arlington, Odessa, Junction, Pinehurst, Abilene, Katy, Houston and Seminole.

Marie Boling, Donna Boling, Jim Estes and Beverly and Ryan Minyard were in Lubbock Saturday to attend the LCC Master Follies in which Brenda Boling took part as a member of Lambda Omega Alpha social club.

They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Victor Weeks, Jeff and Misti, in their new home Sunday.

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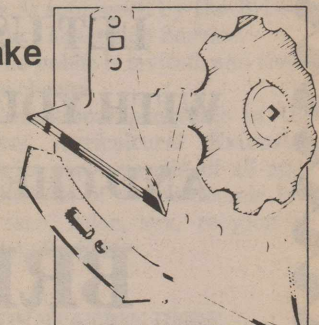
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We want to thank each and everyone, for all the prayers, visits, cards, flowers and all the good food, and the ladies who prepared our meals, and especially Bro. Earl Cantwell, and every expression of love and concern shown to us at the passing of our loved one, Donie B. Hester. Your kindness and love for us will always be remembered. We love you all, and may the Lord bless you.

Ted and Ruby
Ron, Christi and family
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We would like to thank each of you for the prayers, phone calls, visits and pretty cards while Glenn was in the hospital and at home.

May God bless you.
Glenn and Ethel Jones

LaLeche League To Meet

Unfavorable weather conditions prevented the Silverton LaLeche League from meeting last month. The group plans once again to discuss "The Family in Relation to the Breastfed Baby."

The discussion will be informal and will center on the arrival of the baby and how to manage those first hectic weeks with emphasis on the entire family as well as timely tips for mother and baby.

The meeting will be held Tuesday, February 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Cindy Comer. For further information, call 823-2190.

NEW PEACE JUSTICES ATTEND SEMINAR

Roy Patterson, Justice of the Peace of Precinct 4 in Hall County, and James Edwards, Justice of the Peace for Precinct 1 in Briscoe County, attended a 40-hour seminar at the Criminal Justice Center at Sam Houston University in Huntsville from January 30 through February 4.

Enroute to Huntsville, Mr. Patterson spent Saturday night with his daughter and family in Dallas, and Mr. Edwards spent the night with a sister and her family in Fort Worth.



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