

All Around The Town



Most everyone seemed to have a nice time during the Briscoe County Birthday, Texas Sesquicentennial and Silverton Homecoming celebrations last week! A number of individuals commented on the clean-up, fix-up that was begun back in the spring, and Pauline Buchanan Nash who lives at Donie, said that if she had been here she would have brought her mower and helped with the project.

Harley Redin and the other members of the Class of 1936 issued a commendation to the residents for their hard work, and expressed this in an ad in

last week's paper.

Now we're started, but I don't want us to be finished with our efforts to make our town a better place in which to live. We put on a "happy face" to welcome home former residents last week, but we need to keep up the work in order that our community will not deteriorate to the point that it's just a wide spot in the road with obvious signs of decay for ridicule by those passing through. Even though our population is smaller, we aren't dead and we can keep up appearances and help make our town a better place for all.

Most agricultural towns are experiencing the same things we are. We can react to this in either of two ways: (1) let it die, kick it and walk away; or (2) stand and fight and keep things going as well as we can.

Yes, it is true that work of this nature usually falls to the same people if it is to get done. Were you ever a member of a club, class, church, or any other group in which some didn't carry more than their share of the load? It is the same with the community spirit—some people do more and show their citizenship more by undertaking and accomplishing more than others. We appreciate all those hard-working ones-we don't know how our town could get along without them!

Now, let's all continue.

The following checklist was prepared as a joint effort of the Beautify Texas Council and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

IN GENERAL

Do the highway entrances to the community create a favorable impression on strangers?

Is the highway mowed, free of litter and neat in appearance? Are areas adjacent to the

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Large Crowd Attends Homecoming Activities

A larger-than-usual crowd attended the 1986 Silverton School Homecoming program in the school auditorium Saturday morning, and the eldest graduates answering roll call were Winnie Redin and Anna Lee Anderson, both of whom graduated with the Class of 1918 and both of whom are former long-time teachers in the school system.

Bertha Mae Allard was present from the Class of 1923 and Bonnie Burson represented the Class of 1924.

The class with the largest representation (22) was the Class of 1936 which was celebrating its 50-year anniversary. Eight were there from the classes of 1938 and 1940. The Class of 1931 had seven present, as did the classes of 1941, 1945 and 1966. Six were present from the classes of 1926, 1932, 1944, 1950, 1960, 1963 and

There were 10 former and present teachers attending, several of whom are graduates of the Silverton Schools.

Carolyn Garrison Lowrey reported that those attending this year's homecoming program numbered 313 and had traveled more than 200,000 miles to attend. Wilma Dickerson of Creswell, Oregon and Mr. and Mrs. John White of Myrtle Creek, Oregon traveled the farthest.

Registration was conducted by Clay Schott, Robbie McWaters, Julia Couch, DeLynn Fitzgerald, Kim Burson, Suzann Settle and Tonnette Miller, members of the local chapter of Future Business Leaders of America.

Coffee and donuts were served during registration in the school library by Shavonne Lowrey, Lee Ann Durham and Kristy Fogerson, members of the Class of 1986.

The group approved the next homecoming for 1988 during the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration. Elected to serve on the committee to make arrangements for the meeting in 1988 were L. B. and LaRue Garvin, Wayne and Norma Vaughan and Clifton and Joy Stodghill.

The current SHS cheerleaders, Kim Burson, Stacie Chappell, Julie Towe, Shannon Bingham, DeLyn Patton and Tracy Tomlin, led the singing of the alma mater.

Superintendent O. C. Rampley, a member of the Class of 1941, who said he had been associated with the school as a student, teacher and administrator for 50 years, was the speaker



IRIS CRAWFORD BURSON 1986 Homecoming Queen

and told a number of humorous anecdotes about his former classmates and students: Ruth Ann Minyard, Pete Dunn, Johnnie Roy Weaver, Gary Whitfill, Max Garrison, Garner Garrison, La-Guan Thompson, Johnnie Burson, Troy Burson, Pat Northcutt, Gary Edwards, Fred Stafford, Mary Inez Cowart, Nona Deavenport, Tina Weaver, C. L. Dunn, Elaine Stephens, Brenda Cornett, Lane Garvin, Roland Montague, the 1963 boys English class under Mrs. Lacy (Bill Schott, Van Breedlove, David House, Johnny Jowell, Fred Edwards, Butch Norris, Stan Fogerson, Joe Kitchens, Truman Loyd, Jim Edd Steele, Louie Towe, Jim Reid) who decided to go on strike, Wayne Nance, Dyrle Maples, John Schott, Jerry Dee McWilliams, J. E. Patton, Robert Hill, Troy Chitty, Eldon O'Neal, Dave Schott, Aulton Durham, Dick Reid, Marsha Teeple, Pat Cagle, John H. Burson, Bill Durham, Jack Strange, G. W. Lee and L. D. Griffin, and one concerning himself, Huber Tillery and Hank Brown that concerned SHS's first streaker in 1939.

John Schott served as master of ceremonies for the program, and the invocation was given by

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High School To Register August 29

The high school classes are to register Friday, August 29, in the office of Principal Leonard Morgan.

The seniors are to register between 9:00 and 10:00 a.m.; juniors between 10:00 and 11:00 a.m.; sophomores between 11:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon, and freshmen between 1:00 and 2:00 p.m.

Owls To Scrimmage At Patton Springs

Silverton's Owls will be scrimmaging at Patton Springs today (Thursday) beginning at 6:00

Miami will be coming here for a scrimmage with the Owls on Friday, August 29, beginning at 6:00 p.m.

NEWS OFFICE CLOSED THURSDAY, FRIDAY

The office of the Briscoe County News will be closed Thursday for eye appointments in Amarillo, and also may be

Teacher In-Service Days Begin Friday

Teachers in the Silverton Schools will begin their in-service days Friday, August 22, and the teacher workdays will continue August 25-29.

Monday, September 1, is the Labor Day holiday and school is set to begin on Tuesday, Septem-

The first six weeks ends October 10 and the second six weeks ends November 21. November 27-28 have been designated as Thanksgiving holidays.

Christmas holidays will be from December 22 through January 2. The first semester ends January 16, and January 19 has been set aside as a teacher in-service day.

February 25-26-27 are holidays, and March 6 marks the end of the fourth six weeks. The fifth six weeks ends April 16, and April 17-20 have been set aside as bad-weather days.

The second semester ends May 28, and May 29 is a teacher in-service day.

Graduation will be held May

Semester tests will be January 15-16 and May 27-28.

Several changes have been made in the high school faculty, but most of the teaching assignments in the elementary and junior high remain the same.

Teaching assignments include Mrs. Tina Nance, kindergarten; Mrs. Fern Parker, first grade; Mrs. Bobbye Bean, second grade; Mrs. Michele Crowell, third grade; Mrs. Norma Vaughan, fourth grade; Mrs. Mike Settle, fifth grade; Mrs. Florence Morgan, sixth grade; Miss Jane Self, Duane Reynolds, junior high; Mrs. Juannah Jennings, Mrs. Patsy Fitzgerald, special education; Mrs. Mary Ann Rauch, Chapter I reading; Stan Fogerson, vocational agriculture; Robert Loy, boys basketball and social studies; Gary Childs, girls basketball; Mrs. Faye Rampley, business; Mrs. Annette Shely, English; Jack Shely, football and social studies; Mrs. Patsy Towe,

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OBITUARIES

SYBLE G. TEEPLE

Funeral services for Mrs. Syble G. Teeple, 80, were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Silverton. Officiating were the Rev. Milton Baldwin, pastor of the Lone Star Baptist Church of which Mrs. Teeple was a member for many years, and the Rev. Dick Hatfield, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Silverton where Mrs. Teeple held membership at the time of her death.

Interment was in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Direc-

Mrs. Teeple died at 3:30 a.m. Thursday at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following a lengthly

The former Syble Covington, she was born in Hopkins County February 3, 1906. She moved with her parents to Floyd County at the age of three, and was a lifetime resident of Floyd and Briscoe counties.

She married Raymond Teeple May 20, 1928 in Plainveiw and they resided in Floyd County

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until 1958 when they moved to Briscoe County. They lived 12 miles southwest of Silverton and farmed until his retirement in 1971. Mr. Teeple preceded her in death in 1979. They were also preceded in death by two grandsons, Monty and Randy Teeple.

Mrs. Teeple was a charter member of Southwestern Extension Homemakers and for many years held membership in a Floyd County Extension Home-makers Club. Last May a red oak tree was planted at Lake Mackenzie in her honor by the Southwestern Club. The oak tree, a symbol of strength, was chosen to represent the beauty, comfort and strength of Mrs. Teeple's life. In all, she had been involved in home demonstration club work for more than 50

A tireless and generous worker, she had held almost every office in her clubs. She was a past president of the LaVentana Study Club at Lone Star and was a long-time member of the Order of the Eastern Star. She was an active member of the Silverton



Miniature covered wagons were circled by the "pioneer" members of Progressive Extension Homemakers on their second-place float in Saturday's parade. The Tulia Chamber of Commerce won first and the Silverton Girl Scouts won third place. -Briscoe County News Photo

Teams To Scrimmage Here Friday Night

Friday, August 22, Lefors and Cotton Center will scrimmage on Payne Field in Silverton beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 28, Higgins and Three Way will be scrimmaging here beginning at 5:00

1986 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Varsity Owls

Sept. 5--Higgins, Here, 7:30 Sept. 12--Lefors, There, 7:30 Sept. 19--Amherst*, There, 7:30 Sept. 26--Smyer*, Here, 7:30 Oct. 3--New Home*, There, 7:30 Oct. 10--Whitharral*, Here, 7:30

Senior Citizens Association.

Survivors include a son, Ray Teeple of Silverton; a daughter, Mrs. Wayne (Norma) Vaughan of Silverton; three sisters, Mrs. Cecil Fyffe of Floydada, Gladys Edwards of Olney and Thelma Jones of Stockton, California; four granddaughters and nine great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were David Lewis, Shorty Hartman, Weldon Cumbie, Buddy Brown, Norman Caldwell and Reed Lawson

Oct. 17--Texline*, There, 7:30 Oct. 24--Open Oct. 31--Three Way*, Here, 7:30 Nov. 7--Southland*, There, 7:30 Nov. 14--Cotton Center*, Here, 7:30

*District Games

Junior High

Sept. 12--Lefors, There Sept. 18--Amherst, Here Sept. 25--Patton Springs, Here Oct. 2--Cotton Center, There Oct. 9--Lefors, Here Oct. 16--Miami, Here Oct. 23--Patton Springs, There

Booster Club To Sponsor Hamburger Supper Monday

The Silverton Booster Club will sponsor a hamburger supper Monday, August 25, at 9:15 p.m. at the football field.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Using light colors in a small room makes it seem larger.

Booster Club Elects New Officers Mon

Elected to serve this year as officers of the Silverton Booster Club are Fred Edwards, president; Dwight Ramsey, vice president; Alice Grabbe, secretarytreasurer.

A membership drive is underway, and dues are \$5.00 per person or \$10.00 per family, and everyone is needed to join. Booster Club is for the families of athletes in all sports, both the boys and girls. Without the support of all the families, the club cannot effectively support all the athletes.



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Looking Back

through the files of the **Briscoe County News**

August 12, 1976-Girls competing for Rodeo Queen this year are Rebecca Reid, Melissa Greenhaw, Donna Hale, Lee Ann McMurtry and Karen Ziegler . . The Brunson reunion was held July 30-31 at Lake Texhoma . . . The H. J. Bailey family met at the Congress Inn in Plainview Friday through Sunday morning fer their annual reunion . . . Briscoe County History books, jewelry on sale . . . The descendants of David H. Stephens met at the Doyle Stephens bunkhouse for a reunion August 5-6-7... Family of the late Frank Lee Perkins held its annual reunion at the City Park Sunday, August 8 . . . Reunion of the family of the late G. C. Holt held here Sunday ...

August 18, 1966-Joni Self selected as reporter for the Texas Youth Comment, official publication of the Fourth Annual Youth Conference to be held in Austin August 18-21 on the University of Texas campus . . . Larry West, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. West, is a candidate for the bachelor of science degree in physical education at West Texas State University . . . SHS cheerleaders who attended cheerleading school on the campus of Southern Methodist University August 7-13 and won two second-place ribbons, a thirdplace ribbon and an honorable mention were Ginger Martin, Cathy Jones, Tina Weaver, Debbie Dickerson and Carol Ann Montague . . . Miss Anna Lee Anderson chosen as Homecoming Queen ...

August 16, 1956-Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer and 44 of their 55 descendants held a family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kit McDaniel, jr., near Hale Center Saturday . . . Miss Bonnie Watters is one of 200 who are candidates for degrees at the summer commencement at West Texas State College. She is to receive the bachelor of science degree. Her major study at WT was physical education . . . Miss Anne Bryant of Denver, Colorado was here visiting her sister, Mrs. Dan Montague, over the weekend when she was injured in an accident at an irrigation well...Wilson Grain Company is building a 30,000 bushel elevator here . . . Briscoe cotton farmers are nearing end of irrigation . . . Poole family reunion held near Lockney ...

September 19, 1946—Funeral nuccheson, 37-year-old crash victim who was killed Tuesday morning when his light truck hit a caboose on the Fort Worth & Denver crossing at Quitaque, were held this morning at the Methodist Church in Quitaque, with Rev. Thompson, pastor of that church, officiating. Evidence of the fact that the ducks won't be disappointed is being noted all over Briscoe County this week. Muddy feet, muddy cars and smiling farmers are reminiscent of the good rains which have fallen since last Thursday's press time. According to Raymond Bomar, operator of the local weather bureau station, since last Thursday

noon, 4.52 inches of moisture has fallen. . . Services conducted at Clovis for James Davis Cross, 86 . . . New subscribers this week are Louis Grabbe, Aubrey Rowell, Manley Wood, Bonnie Smith, Leroy Saul, Gabe Garrison, E. L. Gardner, Bill Edwards, Lt. Harold Molyneaux, A. A. Boling, J. D. Strickland, J. C. Hopson, D. O. McElmurray . . . Miss Bessie Garner of Turkey became the bride of Coleman Garrison in Amarillo August 31. Rev. A. T. Foreman, jr., pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated. The couple is at home near Crosbyton

July 30, 1936-Delise Blackwell left Friday on an excursion

trip through Yellowstone Park and other places of interest with the Biology Class of Southwestern State at Weatherford, Oklahoma . . . Dave Graves is victim of pneumonia . . . Four to enter home for crippled children are Irlen Jack Austin and Bailey Leo Eddleman of Quitaque, Bonnie Lou Hays and Dova May Yocum. . . Mrs. A. L. Kelsay was a very much surprised lady upon arriving home Tuesday when she received a telegram telling her that she had won \$100.00 and a ticket to the Centennial in Dallas. This was one of the prizes given in a contest that was sponsored by Proctor & Gamble, advertising Crisco ... Sam Thompson, 60,

died at his home in Silverton Wednesday after an illness of about three weeks . . . 1500 votes cast in primary election . . . Editor Roy Hahn wrote: "This really happened: The young man, age 12, walked into his sister's bedroom as she was dressing. She immediately jumped him in the fond way sisters have, for not knocking. 'Why,' said she, 'I might have been all undressed.' 'Oh, I knew you weren't,' said the intruder, 'for I looked through the keyhole before I came in'" . Miss Mary Eva Allard and Mr. Reese Morgan Garvin were united in marriage last Friday . . . Miss Claudine Chitty weds W. S. Berry, jr....

New Arrival

Bruce and Debra Haynie of Corsicana are parents of a daughter, born July 8 at 9:40 p.m. at Corsicana. She has been named Taylor Beth.

The couple also have a son, Brady, who is 51/2 years old, and a daughter, Britney, who is two years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Neil Haynie and Mrs. Helen Strange, all of Corsicana. Mrs. Mildred Thompson of Plainview is the great-grandmother.

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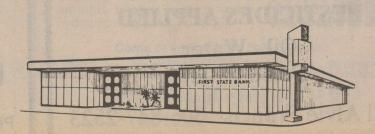
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Large Crowd

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Fred Edwards. The flags were presented by members of the Brownie Girl Scouts, Staci Hill, Christina Stephens, Leslee Weaks, Kara Kingery, Carrie Baird, Christi McWaters, and their leaders, who also led the pledge of allegiance to the flag. The welcome was given by Alton Riddell. Classes were recognized by Edwards, and the benediction was given by Gordon Lowrey.

The 1986 Homecoming Queen, Mrs. Iris Crawford Burson, was presented by Lowrey and was escorted to the stage by her daughter, Betty Burson Kirk. Lowrey described the new queen as valedictorian of her graduating class in 1926, an A student in college and a former teacher who had continued to read, study and keep abreast of current events. He added that 10 members of her family are graduates of Silverton High School.

Mrs. Burson was presented a corsage of red and white roses. A number of her family members were in attendance, including her daughter, son-in-law, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

A catered luncheon was attended by 245 in the school cafeteria following the program.

The 1986 homecoming committee would like to thank each and every person who had a part on the program or helped in any way with the homecoming. A special thanks to Faye Rampley, who provided members of the FBLA to serve on the registration committee; Lois Hill and Kathy Kingery, Girl Scout leaders, and Jealeta Baird for helping with the programs.

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Tara Nance is the 1986 Rodeo Queen. The first runner-up was Jeannita Stephens and the second runner-up was Devona Smith.

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homemaking; Roscoe Jontra, math; Mrs. Laura Long, Spanish; Mrs. Margie Pinkerton, school nurse; Mrs. Shirley Reynolds, librarian; Leonard Morgan, principal; O. C. Rampley, superintendent; Mrs. Jealeta Baird, superintendent's secretary; Mrs. Pam Nease, principal's secretary.

Cafeteria workers are Rose Mary Perkins, Stella Hall, Linda Baird and Odelia Stidham. Janitors are Santos Garcia, Maria Garcia, Minerva Patino, Ott Perkins and Lois Hill. Bus drivers are Duane Reynolds, Roscoe Jontra and Mary Martin.

Tricycle Race Winners Named

Winners of the tricycle races sponsored by the L. O. A. Junior Study Club have been announced. The races were run in front of the First State Bank in Silverton last Saturday afternoon.

Winners of the two-year-old race were 1. Matt Strange; 2. Danny Dunn; 3. Curby Garvin.

Three-year-old winners were 1. Russell Kennedy; 2. Julie Weaver; 3. Brooke Garvin.

Four-year-old winners were 1. Laura McCammon; 2. Kristen Ramsey; 3. Krista Williams.

Winners in the five-year-old division were 1. Jonathan Johnson; 2. Kayla Coleman.



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Steve Roberson of Amarillo caught a nice walleye.

Al Darst of Canyon picked up a nice five-pound walleye using a Rattletran.

Rattletrap.
Randy Massicci of Amarillo caught a 7½- and an eight-pound striper while trolling in deep water with Downriggers.

A lot of small bass are still being caught. Crappie are slow. Water depth at the dam is 112'

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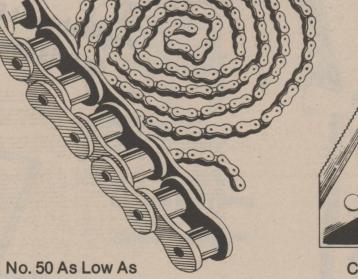
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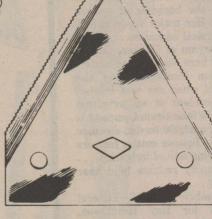
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Marshall McCammon dressed like an airline pilot and decorated his bicycle to look like an American Eagle plane to win first place in the Kids' Bicycle Parade Saturday afternoon.

-Briscoe County News Photo



Chester and Gladys [Smithee] Strickland of Lubbock will be honored with a "'This Is Your Life'' program at the Hilton Inn in Lubbock Saturday. Former students, friends and family members are invited. The reunion is being sponsored by former students at Kress where the Stricklands taught from 1931-35. For more information, you may contact Mildred Wheeler, 293-3961; Maurine Meader, 296-6948; Virginia Snider, 293-1233; or Margaret Dines, 684-2271.

-Briscoe County News Photo

Square Dance Is Special Feature Of Area Fair

A special feature this year at the Floyd and Surrounding Counties Fair at Lockney will be a square dance, starting at 9:00 p.m. Friday, August 22, in the entertainment building at the fairgrounds.

Sid Perkins of Plainview will call. Admission is \$2.00 per dances, and spectators will be admitted free. There is no gate fee to attend the fair.

Whirlers Square Dance Club of Floydada is sponsoring the dance and donating all proceeds to the Fair Association.

JUNIOR GIRL SCOUTS HAVE "BRIDGING OVER" CEREMONY TUESDAY

On August 12, the Junior Girl Scouts No. 165 met in the Scout Hut for a "Bridging Over" ceremony. Those who were bridged to Juniors were Brandi Brunson, Staci Hill, Kara Kingery and Christina Stephens. Christi McWaters, Kayla Ramsey and Leslee Weaks received their Junior Aide patches.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Perry Brunson and Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill, Richie and Will, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kingery and Shawna, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stephens and Jeannita, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McWaters, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Ramsey and Dara, Mrs. Gary Weaks, Ted Kingery, Mrs. Rosalie Chitty and Polly Savage.

This summer has been a busy one for the girls with camp, learning how to: tie a square knot, gather wood for a fire, cook a simple meal, set up an outdoor kitchen, use a jack-knife and follow trail signs; helping with the Brownie Troop in putting up the flags, making a float for the parade, and assisting with the school's homecoming and the Sesquicentennial program.

The leader is Mrs. Lois Hill and assistant leader is Jeannita Stephens. To be a Junior Girl Scout, a girl must be in the third to sixth grades. The first meeting will be September 8. Juniors will be meeting at the Scout Hut on Mondays after school.



Polar bears use only their front legs for swimming, yet they have been spotted eighty miles away from any ice floe or land.

The great Alaska brown bear weighs as much as 1,600 pounds and measures up to nine feet in length.



For hot, buttered corn, fill a large quart jar with hot water and sticks of butter. When butter melts and floats to the top, dip in the cobs and pull out slowly.

SATURDAY-SUNDAY, AUGUST 30-31

Big Trouble In Little China

Jack Burton's in for some serious trouble and you're in for some serious fun.

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THE MIDWAY THEATRE

Bicycle Parade Winners Announced

Due to an oversight last Saturday, the Bicycle Parade prize money was not awarded. The winners can pick up their prizes at the Briscoe County News

First-place winner was Marshall McCammon, who was dressed like an airline pilot and had his bicycle decorated like the American Eagle.

Second-place was won by Lindsey Jennings.

There was a tie for third place between Abel Maciel and Walt Henson.

Adam Loy and Lupe Vargas received honorable mention. No prizes were announced for this placing but they are available if they will come by the News Office to pick them up.

Ambulance Service Has Meeting

Members of Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service held their regular meeting on Tuesday night of last week, and work assignments were made for the rodeo and celebration. New humidifier units that have been purchased for the emergency units were shown.

Anthony Kingery announced that MAST recertification classes would be held in the fall, probably in September.

Those attending were Janice Hill, Stephen Stephens, Emmett Tomlin, Rick Minyard, Mary Ann Sarchet, Diamond Williams, Anthony Kingery, Ted Kingery, Bill and Della Boling.

The United States produces more than twice as many cars each year as babies.



Scientists believe the Cro-Magnons of 40,000 years ago were the first to have a language.

"Imagination is the art of taking up residence in someone else's point of view."

John Erskine



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CLASS OF 1948—[seated, left to right] Nelda Montague Teeple, Hazel Chitty Grabbe, Fayree McMinn Watkins, Lou Self Younger; [standing] L. B. Garvin, Fred Arnold, Clifton Stodghill and John Arnold. This class had its reunion Friday night in the school cafeteria.

—Briscoe County News Photo



CLASS OF 1950 held its reunion Friday night in the school cafeteria. Attending were [front row, left to right] Polly Chitty Savage, Beth Joiner Bralley, Joy Reithmayer Stodghill, Marion Arnold Hamilton, Joan Clemmer Suter, Don Brown; [back row] Donald Rhea, Carol Davis, Mona Brock Merritt, Elton Cantwell, Betty Dickerson McPherson, Gene Hardin, Flute Hutsell, Wayne Hamilton and Robert McPherson. Teresa Crass Sutton also attended but was not present when the picture was made.

—Briscoe County News Photo

Class Of 1967 Enjoys Activities

Several members of the SHS Class of 1967 began Saturday by attending the chuckwagon breakfast at the Adams Ranch after finally locating the correct route. They met at the school for the homecoming program, and afterward, J. C. Fowler loaned them his 1967 automobile in which Randy and Judy Hughes, Mike

and Laura Long, Buddy and Connie. Comer and Margaret Tomlin rode in the parade. It was reported that another member of the class was in the car's trunk.

The group met under a beautiful handmade flag with the '67 emblem on it and enjoyed the barbecue supper on the north side of the courthouse. Attending the class meeting were Kay Strange Garrison, Margaret Minyard Tomlin, Connie Dudley Comer, Tina Weaver Nance,

Randy Hughes, Mike Long, Buddy Comer, Doug Turner, Max Stevenson, Jimmy Burson and their families. It was the first time Randy and Max had been able to attend a class reunion.

The old class president Buddy Comer called the meeting to order, and plans were made for the 20-year reunion. After lengthly discussion, they decided to change the class flower from the mum to the crysanthemum, and finally decided to meet next year



Four members of the Class of 1949 were present at their reunion Friday night in the school cafeteria when this picture was made. They are [seated, left to right] Beth Joiner Bralley, Juanita Edwards Welch Howard; [standing] LaRue Gilkeyson Garvin and Sybil Watters Martin. Alvie Francis also attended but was not present for the picture.

-Briscoe County News Photo

Class Of 1944 Has Homecoming Reunion

The graduating class of 1944 met August 16 during the school homecoming at the high school. Ten members of the graduating class were present to renew fond memories of some 42 years ago. This get-together marked the third meeting for this class since graduation in May 1944.

The group met in the Board Meeting Room of the high school for a business session and to renew friendships of their past school days.

Correspondence was read from several members of the class who were unable to attend. They were greatly missed and were remembered at the meeting along with some of their contributions they had made to the class.

The minutes of the 1984 class meeting were read. The class voted to meet every two years. The next meeting will be in August 1988, in connection with the Silverton Homecoming.

A committee was named to direct the next reunion composed of Buck Hardin, Silverton; Ava Nell Kuykendall, Pasadena, Texas, and Anna Rambo, Hale Center, Texas.

A mysterious character (Nosy) who seemed to know everything that went on up and down the halls was portrayed by Merlene Stephens, who wore an Owl costume.

She related humorous tidbits of gossip from the Owl school newspaper. Some of those present had forgotten and denied some of the incidents that were charged against them by Nosy. Later the school newspaper produced "proof of the pudding."

The group enjoyed recalling some experiences they had long forgotten.

in Acapulco. The Class of 1967 likes to do things in a big way!

Following the business meeting, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stephens served as host and hostess at their home. Refreshments included sandwiches, chips and dips, cheeseballs, cookies, drinks and etc. Other guests were present to enjoy the hospitalities.

All members of the class are urged to keep the new committee informed on address changes and other information for the next reunion.

Incidentally, the present school song was written by Carlyn and June Wimberly during their high school days. Carlyn was a member of the Class of 1944.

Attending were Cecil and Anita Seaney, Kent, Texas; Norlan and Doris Holt Dudley, Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Young, Lubbock; Anna Bean Rambo, Hale Center; Doris Marler and Linda Marler, Floydada; Ava Nell Wilson Kuykendall, Pasadena, Texas, and her sister, Hazel from Plainview, and her aunt, Margaret from California; Elvira Wesley Weaks, J. C. Fowler, Rex and Theta Holt, Buck Hardin, Doyle and Merlene Stephens, all of Silverton.



To clean a badly stained broiler pan, sprinkle heavily with dishwasher detergent or dry laundry detergent. Cover with dampened paper towels and let stand an hour or so.

"Courage is doing unwitnessed what one would be capable of doing before the whole world."

LaRochefoucauld



CLASS OF 1946 and 'friends'. Betty Burson Kirk was the only member of her class who was present when this picture was made, even though Faye Brown Self had been there earlier, so her husband, Corky Kirk [left] and Ray Teeple [right] got in the picture with her so she wouldn't be lonesome.

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Class Reunion Held At Lake Mackenzie

The classes of 1952 and 1953 met at the lakeside home of Mr. and Mrs. Gale McPherson at Lake Mackenzie Saturday night for a reunion.

Attending were Bonnie Watters, Yuma, Arizona; Melvin Hamilton, Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. George Rampley, Roswell, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Welch and Kathy, Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Flute Hutsell, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Davis, all of Silverton.



Mrs. Stella Cearley broke her hip in a fall at her home recently, and was taken to Lockney General Hospital by the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service. She is now residing at the Lockney Care Center.

Merl Oneal returned home from Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia on Tuesday of last week, after having been a patient there for several days.

Mrs. Mary Lee Watters was among those who attended the Boyles reunion in Quitaque August 10.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Stodghill were Mozelle Purcell of Dalhart; Mrs. Hugh Sanders, Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ray Stodghill, Perryton; Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Garner, Matthew and Nicholas, Longview; Donna Majors, Carol Stodghill and Leroy Williams, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bruton, Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Bern May.

Rev. and Mrs. Randy Hughes, Amy and Matt of Roscoe visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, from Wednesday until Sunday afternoon, and attended the School Homecoming and Sesquicentennial Celebration on Saturday. They attended services Sunday at the First Baptist Church before returning home to Roscoe Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cantwell returned last Thursday from a trip to Kansas City, Missouri. They were there to attend the regional meeting of the National Telephone Cooperative Association being held at Westin Crown Center Hotel. They were joined there by the manager and other directors of Mid-Plains Telephone Cooperative. In addition to the convention, they visited Liberty Memorial Museum and the Agricultural Hall of Fame.

As they were returning home, they stopped to visit overnight with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones near Wyandotte, Oklahoma. They are long-time friends of Lanita and this was their first time to see one another in over 33 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Gaskins of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cantwell and Devin of Canyon visited during the weekend in the Elton Cantwell home and attended the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration.

Melvin and Fayree Watkins of Canyon spent Friday night and Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Ollie McMinn. Fayree attended the reunion of her graduating class and the homecoming program at the school. They were joined for lunch by Travis and Linda McMinn of Lubbock, and all went together to watch the parade and other activities.

E. C. and Pauline Buchanan Nash of Donie visited last week with Joe and Ruby McWaters and attended the school homecoming and county birthday



CLASS OF 1960—[front row, left to right] Elaine McDaniel LaBaume, Joyce Thornton Patterson, Lynda Brannon Seymour, Glenda McWilliams Couch, Nora LaRock Misner, Frankie Hunt Ledbetter, Joann Turner Griffin, Dona Garrison Smith; [back row] Ronald Vaughan, Dale McWaters, Jerry Patton, Gordon Lowrey, Dick Mayfield, Bob Crass and T. D. West. The class held its reunion Friday night in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank.

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Members of the Class of 1947 met Friday night for a reunion in the school cafeteria. They are [left to right] Gene Clemmer, Fred Strange, Joyce Chappell Gaston, George Rampley, Ray Teeple and John Arnold.

celebration activities.

Mrs. Oner (Elsie) Cornett was returned to High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo Wednesday evening of last week by the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service. Her daughter, Mrs. Jerry (Brenda) Patton said Saturday morning that Elsie had been moved out of intensive care and into a room.



The official name of the Statue of Liberty is "Liberty Enlightening" the World."

Class Of 1976 Has 10-Year Reunion

The graduating class of 1976 and several of those who attended school with the class through the years enjoyed greeting one another and building a float for the rodeo parade Friday night.

Among those assisting with the float were Monte and Kerri Arnold Cannon, Ken and Jonann Sarchet, Russ Hubbart, Ron and Suzette Fitzgerald Nistler, Danna Garvin Coleman, Brett Gill, Mary Jo Thomas Brannon, Marilyn Asebedo Leal and some of their children.

Joining the group on Saturday were Debra Strange Haynie, Kevin and Becky Francis Drew, Randy and Kelly Clay, Manuel Cruz and some of their children.

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Saturday night, a group of the former classmates and their spouses, the Cannons, Nistlers, Sarchets, Gills, Clays, Drews and Colemans, met at a restaurant in Plainview to continue their reminiscence.

There are more individual species of insects than there are men. Each year about 1,000 new species are discovered.

An adult flatfish—a large group of fish that includes the flounder, halibut and sole—has both eyes on the same side of its head.



Dry Spell Coming For Some Texans

A different kind of dry spell is coming soon for some Texans.

W. S. McBeath, administrator of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, today issued a reminder that the legal drinking age will rise to 21 on Labor Day. The present legal age is 19.

At 12:01 a.m. on Monday, September 1, possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages will be illegal for any person who has not reached his or her 21st birthday. The only exception is if the under-age person is in the immediate physical presence of his own parents or spouse who is over 21. Possession of an alcoholic beverage by the underage person is a misdemeanor with a possible fine of \$25 to \$200.

It is also a crime for the underage person to present false identification or to misrepresent his age in an attempt to purchase alcoholic beverages, or to successfully make such a purchase even without misrepresenting his age. In either case, the first offense fine is the same as for possession. Giving alcohol to a minor carries a fine of \$100 to \$500.

Sale of alcoholic beverages to an underage person is the most serious offense. A fine of \$100 to \$500 and/or a year in jail is the penalty for the first violation. A second violation can result in the same jail term and/or a fine of \$500 to \$1,000.

McBeath also cautioned that the age change will affect persons entering package stores. Liquor stores may not allow underage persons to even enter the store. And most such establishments have warning signs prominently posted.

"Many young people do not realize it is a criminal offense to ignore the warning signs and enter a liquor store," said McBeath. "It is criminal trespass under section 30.05 of the Texas Penal Code, which is a Class B misdemeanor."

Another common misconception is that drinking age violations only apply to public places. "That's not true," said McBeath. "It will be just as illegal in a party barn, a fraternity house or a car parked on private property."

ty," he said.

McBeath urged voluntary compliance on the part of both licensees and underage former customers. Anyone who has a question about the upcoming change can obtain clarification from the nearest district office of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, or at the Main Office in Austin, telephone (512) 458-2500.



Pere Fouettard is said to keep track of children's behavior in France. Only the good children on his list will receive gifts at Noel.



The basketball dribble was first used professionally by Bert Loomis in 1896.

ASCS To Conduct Wool, **Lamb Referendum**

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service will conduct a referendum August 18-29 for wool and lamb producers to vote for or against the continuation of a market promotion and improvement program between the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the American Sheep Producers Council, Inc. (ACPC).

The agreement authorizes



The County Celebration has come to an end, and can again be termed nothing less than a huge success. Due to the hard work of the Silverton Young Farmers, the Silverton Fire Department, Briscoe County Sesquicentennial Committee, and many other volunteers, the celebration is a very exciting time.

Even during the County Birthday, we were blessed with a very good rain across the entire county. You cotton farmers have begun to take measures to control bollworms in the last two weeks. I have been in communication with several area entomologists and I have also assisted several producers in scouting their crops. Bollworm egg lay has been very high and 3/8" worms or shorter have been evident. Remember, the real yield saving comes from controlling smaller worms. Too many people are detering infestation too late or waiting on control decisions. But when making control decisions, one must remember to look for the maximum economic yield.

In talking to Greg Cronholm, Extension Entomologist in Hale County, I learned he is basing thresholds on the reduced potential price of cotton this year. So the thresholds used should be higher than we have suggested in previous years. The control cost has been generally around \$10.00, depending on the amount of chemical used, etc. At this price, if cotton sells for 40c/lb., then a threshold of 10,000-12,000

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USDA to withhold part of any wool incentive payment that might be made to producers on 1987, 1988, 1989 and 1990 marketings to finance the ASPC's activities. Deductions would be used by the Council to finance advertising and sales promotion programs for wool and lambs, and programs to develop and disseminate information on product quality, production management, and marketing improvement for wool and sheep.

If producers approve the agreement, up to six cents per pound on shorn wool marketings, and 30 cents per hundredweight on unshorn lambs would be

To participate in the referendum, producers must have owned sheep six months old or older for at least 30 consecutive days during 1985. Members of cooperatives which cast votes would not be eligible to vote separately in the referendum.

ASCS will begin distributing copies of the agreement and ballots to Briscoe County wool producers on August 15th. Ballots may be returned by mail or in person to the county ASCS

U. S. sheep producers have approved the market promotion and improvement program in each of the eight referendums held since 1954.

Leonardo Da Vinci is believed to have invented the

larvae per acre should be used.

We must also begin to watch our grain sorghum crop for sorghum midge. Most area reports have been in the 2-3 midge/20 heads range, but two fields in Swisher and Hale counties average 2-3 midge/

With all the late-planted sorghum, we need to be aware of the possibility of midge problems developing in blooming fields. Scouting should be done daily between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. during bloom. Sorghum should also be scouted for headworms as grain fill begins.

For assistance concerning your crops, feel free to contact me at home or the office, 823-2343 or 847-2251.

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ing when painting All items should be marked with the child's name

FIRST GRADE

2 No. 2 Pencils Crayolas Scissors Paste or Glue **Big Chief Tablet** Kleenex School Box

SECOND GRADE

2 No. 2 Pencils Tablet (no notebook) Elmer's Glue Cravons 2 Folders with Pockets #2114 Cursive Tablet (no exceptions)

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THIRD GRADE

Crayolas Notebook and Paper Scissors 2 No. 2 Pencils Red Ink Pen 2 Large Boxes Kleenex Small Spiral Notebook 2 Pocket Folders

FOURTH GRADE

2 No. 2 Pencils Theme (Notebook) Paper Red Ink Pen Crayolas Elmer's Glue 1 Folder with Pockets **Metric Ruler** Large box Kleenex

No. 2 Pencils

FIFTH GRADE

Red Ink Pen 1 Black Fine Point Permanent Felt Tip Pen Colored Map Pencils Crayons Scissors Box of Kleenex School Box Protractor Compass Metric Ruler Glue Stick set Broad Tip Watercolor Markers 15-Pocket Trapper Keeper 1 Spiral Notebook

SIXTH GRADE

Spiral Notebook for notes Paper No. 2 Pencils Eraser 1 Red Grading Pen Metric Ruler Elmer's Glue **Pocket Folders** Kleenex Scissors Crayons Map Colors Protractor Mark all items with your name

SEVENTH GRADE

Large box Kleenex Notebook Paper (not spiral) Black or Blue Pen (no felt tips) Red Pen (no felt tips) **4 Pocket Folders**

New Arrival

Laree and Wylie Bomar III of Lubbock are parents of a son, Wylie Virgil Bomar IV, born at 1:14 p.m. Sunday, August 17, at St. Mary's Hospital. He weighed six pounds and ten ounces, and measured 19 inches long.

Welcoming their brother into the family are his twin sisters, Casey Michelle and Stacey Rachelle, who are three years old. Grandparents are Mrs. Betty

Bomar, Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Keepers, Boise City,

Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Young, Oklahoma City, Okla-

Great-grandparents are Mr.

and Mrs. C. A. King, Shawnee,

Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. Roy

Bingman, Inglewood, California.



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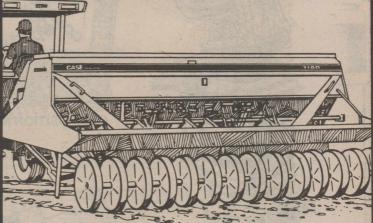
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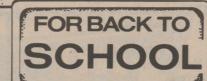
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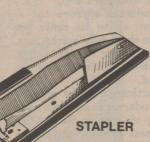
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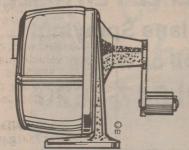






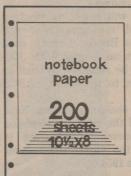






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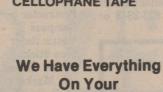
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School Supply List











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highway free of objectionable views, junked cars, run-down fences, dilapidated buildings, dead trees, weedy vacant lots, etc.?

Is the general appearance of the community neat, clean and respectable?

If YOU were a traveler, would you be pleased enough with what you see to stop, visit and eat in this community? STREETS, SIDEWALKS

STREETS, SIDEWALKS Are streets and sidewalks free of debris, litter, large stones?

Are margins along the pavement graded smoothly?

Are ditch banks kept free of weed growth by spraying or mowing?

Are trees on the streets free of insects and dead wood, and are they pruned for best appearance?

Are new street tree plantings adequate?

Do fences along the streets appear neat and presentable?

Are fence lines free of weeds? Are sidewalks smooth and free of hazard and weeds?

PARKS, PLAYGROUNDS
Are parks easily found?

Are parks maintained in a neat, presentable condition?

Is there sufficient park area to meet the needs of the community?

Is the lawn green and inviting in appearance?

Is it moved regularly?

Are the edges of the lawn sharp and clipped?

Is the lawn surface reasonably smooth?

Is the lawn free of weeds?

Are trees and shrubs free of insects, dead and diseased wood?

Are there adequate trees for shade?

Are the parks well lighted at night?

Are picnic tables and playground toys maintained and kept painted?

Is a fountain or other drinking water available?

Is the area kept free of litter and debris?

Are there enough parks, recreation areas and tourist rest stops?

Are playground areas within easy walking distance of most children who use them?

SCHOOL GROUNDS, CHURCHES

Is the landscaping on the school and church grounds a credit to the institution they represent and to the people whom they serve?

Does the maintenance of the school and church grounds set a good example for the children and adults to follow at home?

Are youngsters involved in planting and maintenance of school and church grounds?

Are the school and church grounds kept free of weeds, ashes, tin cans, paper and other litter?

Are properties next to the school and church grounds respectable in appearance?

BUILDINGS IN THE BUSINESS AREA

Do buildings in the business area indicate pride and prosperity?

Are they well maintained and painted?

Are vacant buildings adequately maintained?

Is the area in back of the buildings free of trash, debris

and weeds?

Are trees and other plantings adequate in the business district to create a pleasing effect?

Are equipment, lumber and other necessary items arranged well or screened from public view by a fence or some other means?

CEMETERY

Is the cemetery adequately maintained?

Are roads neat, convenient and serviceable?

Are fences surrounding the cemetery neat and acceptable in appearance?

Where turf is present, is it well maintained?

Where turf is not feasible, is the area free of weeds?

Is the cemetery adequately planted to trees and shrubs?

HOMES
Does the appearance of the homes in the community indicate neat, thrifty, respectable inhabi-

tants?
Are homes tidy and presentable?

Has the community had a widespread, effective fix-up, paint-up campaign recently?

Are all the run-down places that spoil the appearance of the community eliminated?

VACANT LOTS

Are vacant lots in the business area and elsewhere in town maintained in a neat condition free of trash, junk cars and weeds?

Are weedy trash-collection

Are weedy, trash-collecting vacant lots being converted to lawns, playgrounds for children, vegetable or flower gardens or some other desirable use?

DISPOSAL AREA

Is there a definite area designated for disposal of garbage waste, debris, trash and other materials?

Is this area (community dump) suitably located and hidden from view of the town and the highway?

Is the road to the dump kept free of trash and litter?

Are the rats controlled in the dump area?

HOME GROUNDS

Is the general appearance of the home ground neat and tidy?

Would the home and its surroundings impress strangers and others favorably?

Is the yard organized for greatest convenience and ease in carrying on usual duties?

Are walks and drives located for greatest convenience and best appearance?

BACKYARD

Is the backyard free of litter, debris and clutter?

Is there a fire-safe burner for trash?

Is necessary equipment stored in a neat, organized manner in a suitable place?

Is the area free of weeds?
Is it easy to maintain in a neat

condition?

Is the backyard covered with

grass wherever feasible?
Are lawn areas open expanses, free of spotty plantings?

Are trees and shrubs well maintained and placed for greatest utility and beauty?

FENCES
Are fences upright, straight and sturdy?

Are all boards in place and uniform in height?

Are rundown unnecessary fen-

ces removed?

HOUSES

Is the house neat and present-

able in appearance?

Is the house in good repair?
Is siding in place and secure?
Is it painted?

Is the porch in good condition? Is the roof in good condition? Are steps safe, free of loose boards and hazards?

PLANTS

Is all dead and diseased wood removed from trees and shrubs? Are plants free of damaging

insects?

Are flower borders neat and free of weeds?

Is the flower border well maintained and attractive?

LAWNS

Is the lawn attractive and reasonably free of bumps and depressions?

Do the grass edges form a sharp line?

Are the edges clipped?
Is the lawn free of dandelions and other weeds?

Is the lawn free of diseased and brown spots?

Silverton residents can answer "yes" to many of these questions, but our work is never finished. Let's make a brand-new resolve that our little town will be among the best of its size—and then let's work hard to make it so!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

August 21—Durward Brown, Palmira Ramirez

August 22—Mandy Rampley, Cody Bridges, Max Davis, LaRue Garvin, Susan Pool

August 23—Shannon Bingham, Tammi Edwards, Pat Fitzgerald, Kirk Couch, Bradley Harrison, Putt Jasper, Levi Hutsell

August 24—Tonia Perkins, Louis Grabbe, Gary Whitfill

August 25—Staci Denton, Ruben Ramirez, Lesia Baker, Brenda Shie

August 26—Larry Stephens, Rhenda Burson, Effie Beavers, Curtis Scrivner

August 27—Mike Miller, Anthony Kingery, Missy Minyard, Debra Turner

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO ...

August 21—Mr. and Mrs. Gene Whitfill, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Perry

August 22—Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hutsell

August 25—Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grantham August 26—Mr. and Mrs.

Randall Eddleman



The marathon race was originally 26 miles. It was increased 385 yards in the 1908 Olympic Games so King Edward VII could see the finish from the royal box.



In the early days of the petroleum industry, during the late 1800, kerosene ranked as the leading product of refineries. Gasoline was considered a useless byproduct.

"Good company and good discourse are the very sinews of virtue."

Izaak Walton

Burleson Roping Held At Flomot Recently

Despite temperatures which rose above 100°, the three-day Burleson Memorial Roping at Flomot drew a crowd of over 850 dedicated fans on July 25-27. The heat did not deter either the contestants or their hardy mounts from capturing prizes worth over \$3,000.

While spectators scurried for the shade, Jo Goen, June Keltz, Terry Keltz, Jack Robertson, Robert Pyle, Christeen Gilbert, Tony Shipley, Otho Stubbs, Effie Sherman and Joe Taylor, area artists, displayed their work in an art show at the headquarters

Under the airy hay barn, Morris Burkes and Dickie Garrison cooly pitched their way to the Washer Pitching Championship over 19 other teams.

Proceeds of the events benefitted the Scholarship Fund of Clarendon College in memory of Dusty Burleson.

Division winners in Western Pleasure in the Youth Division who took home Alvin Durham halters were Kristi Smith of Plainview, Russ Baird of Silverton and Kelly Smith of Plain-

view.

In the One Over 40, with 167 entries, Mike Jones of Roaring Springs and Buddy Adair of Floydada received the Billy Paul Campbell bit. Campbell's spurs went to AB winners Wayne Stephens of Silverton and Cliff Tippett of Paducah.

In the Pee Wee Western

Pleasure class, winners were Kristi Smith of Plainview, Josh Adair of Floydada, Leland Wood of Silverton, Kacey Parks of Roaring Springs and Lacey Washington of Flomot.

Winners in the Pee Wee Flag Race were Kristi Smith of Plainview, Leland Wood of Silverton, Cobey Turner of Flomot, Kacey Parks of Roaring Springs and Lacey Washington of Flomot.

Junior Western Pleasure winners included Russ Baird of Silverton, Kaycee Smith of Plainview, Kimber Williams of Floydada, Misti Lobban of Tahoka and Jody Boykin of Northfield.

Cole Garrison was a participant in the Junior Division.

Even if you are on the right track, you will get run over if you just sit there.

Will Rogers

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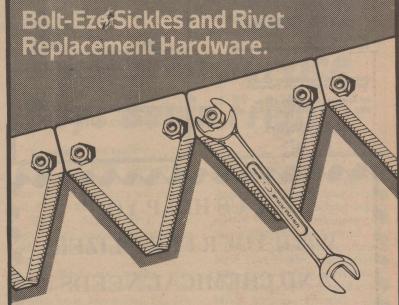
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1976 CORDOBA FOR SALE: Good condition. Gene Whitfill, 864-3434. 32-tfc

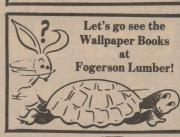
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Public Notices

AN APPLICATION HAS BEEN made for the change of address of D. J.'s Club from 515 Commerce to 408 Main in Silverton. 33-2tc

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREby gives notice of application to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, Austin, Texas for a Private Club Registration Permit to be located at 515 Commerce Street, Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas. Said business to be operated under the name of Jack's. The officers are as follows: Alvis Jack Loudermilk, President; Nickie Nan Loudermilk, Secretary/Treasurer.33-2tc

Cards of Thanks

We would like to express appreciation to everyone who helped with the barbecue, parade, rodeo and dances. If you helped, you are partly responsible for the success of the 1986 Birthday Celebration!

Thank you!
Silverton Young Farmers

THANK YOU to everyone who purchased a rodeo sign from us. We hope this helped boost everyone's spirits for the celebration. Sorry we could not control Mother Nature.

Juannah and Melissa Woods

We would like to express our appreciation to everyone for the cards, flowers, phone calls, food and many acts of kindness done for us during Mother's hospital stay and afterward. Words cannot express the comfort and friendship which the people of Silverton give to the bereaved intheir time of sorrow. Thank you.

Ray and Nelda
Bud and Norma
Johnny and Venita
Perry and Marsha
Dennis and Brenda
Gene and Susan

Thanks to all who assisted with their donations, labor and all that was done to help clean up the town for the celebration.

City of Silverton

My grateful thanks to the committee for choosing me Homecoming Queen. I shall always cherish this honor.

Iris Burson

I would like to take this time to thank each person who bought rodeo and saddle tickets from me. I would also like to thank the Young Farmers for being my sponsor. Thanks to all the people who had a part with this year's celebrations. Y'all did a SUPER SUPER job. And a special thanks to George Reed for helping me Friday night.

Thanks again, Jeannita Stephens

The family of D. T. (Chick) Northcutt express their appreciation and thanks to each of you for the food, flowers, visits and prayers in the loss of our loved one.

Our special thanks to Jettie Hardcastle, Bertha Allard and LaVern Kingery for all their help.

God bless each of you. Ruby Northcutt

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