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All Around
The Town

BY MARY ANN SARCHET



Wasn't it nice of the Texas Legislature to vote to assess each business a \$25.00 fee for the privilege of collecting the state's sales tax?

DON'T DO IT, SON

So you were stopped for a traffic violation and were discovered in possession of pot—a felony—and received a suspended sentence. Do you think that is the end of it, son?

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Son, take it from some guys with a lot of mileage behind them: To you—with a lot of mileage still ahead of you—it just isn't worth it! DON'T DO IT!

—Kansas VFW Bulletin taken from "Jim's Bobbin' Around," Lockney Beacon

A pronghorn antelope restoration program at Caprock Canyons State Park has been successful in its early stages, according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Park Superintendent Charles Gray said the four bucks and six does released at the Panhandle area park, located just north of Quitaque in Briscoe County, during December survived the winter and produced two fawns this spring.

The animals were trapped at a West Texas ranch by the department's Wildlife Division and transported to the park by trailer.

Pronghorns, which once were native to this area, now are a part of the park's 740-acre interpretive prairie. The prairie restoration gives park visitors an impression of how some of the region's natural grassland communities looked hundreds of years ago, Gray said.

Storm Damage Surveyed During Meeting Here

Storm damage inflicted on Briscoe, Floyd and Motley counties was discussed and some was seen during a meeting of affected farmers and news media personnel here last Thursday.

Meeting with the group were Dr. James Supak, a cotton specialist, and Dr. Brent Bean, a grain sorghum and corn specialist, both with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, ASCS, FmHA and other officials who have direct dealings with the farmers.

Purpose of the meeting was to tell farmers about their options and to assess their damage.

A damage assessment report was prepared to be submitted to Governor Clement's office. If approved, it will be sent to the Department of Agriculture in Washington, D. C.

Congressmen are being contacted, and the needs of the area's farmers are being discussed. Briscoe County Judge Jimmy Ross is planning to go to

Washington, D. C., if necessary, to take the crop disaster story to Congress and the Department of Agriculture.

Disaster relief has to come through Congress in the form of a bill. The judge is compiling a report of the total situation, in cooperation with other county officials.

"Chances are slim, but I feel that if we can present our story to them in a straightforward manner, maybe we can get something done," Judge Ross said. He emphasized that since the storm damaged crops in a three-county area served by three different Congressmen, there would be more people involved in trying to get a bill through Congress.

The effort is being made to get a direct farm disaster payment through USDA, rather than low-interest loans, since many farmers already have more loans than they can repay.

Activities Association Makes Plans For Celebration

Plans for the County Birthday Celebration to be held August 13-14-15 were reviewed and made during the meeting of the Briscoe County Activities Association last Thursday night.

The tent to shade the courthouse lawn has been ordered and is ready.

Wood for the barbecue was to be gathered at 4:00 p.m. Saturday, July 25.

Motion carried to replace broken lights at the rodeo arena.

Junior and Senior Rodeo Queen contests were discussed. Motion carried to give gifts of \$100 and \$75 to the winners in the Senior event and \$50 and \$25 to the winners of the Junior contest. It was also decided to give silk roses to the candidates.

Calvin Shelton and Harvey McJimsey will be in charge of the parade prizes.

Motion carried to sponsor the local Boy Scout Troop and to sponsor the Girl Scout Troop, if necessary.

Ken Wood reported that plans for the rodeo are going smoothly. He said that the County Roping and introduction of ropers would be held Wednesday night, the top five would rope Thursday night and there would be open

and novice events.

It was decided that there would be no gate charge Thursday night at the 4-H event.

Prizes will be \$50 bonds for the winners of the Little Mister and Miss Briscoe County contests.

It was decided that the Little Mister and Miss contests will begin at 2:30 p.m. with the parade to follow at 3:30 p.m. Cow Patty Bingo will begin at 10:00 a.m.

Plans were also made for a Sunday Night Community Church Service at 8:00 p.m. under the tent downtown.

The Briscoe County Activities Association is NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCIDENTS in connection with any of the birthday celebration or rodeo activities.

Senior Citizens To Have Birthday Party

Silverton Senior Citizens will have their monthly Birthday and "42" Party beginning at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 4, at the Center.

All senior citizens are invited to attend.



To model in the Senior division of the District 4-H Fashion Show are (left to right) Penni Fogerson, Celeste Sperry and Heather Gray. Hattie Williams (not pictured) will also be a District competitor.

Old Photos Needed For Celebration Paper

Old photographs are needed of scenes in and around Silverton to be used in the Briscoe County

News edition of August 13, the week of the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration.

If you have an old photo that you would like to share, preferably one that hasn't been used in the newspaper before, please bring it to the News office.

Silver Haired Legislature Trust Fund Has Local Depository

The Texas Silver Haired Legislature is launching a statewide effort to implement the trust fund of the Silver Haired Legislature Foundation, and the local depository account is located at First State Bank in Silverton, Account No. 32-097-8.

The first TSHL was created by an act of the 60th Texas Legislature in 1985; however, no state funding was provided for its operation so it has served as a strictly volunteer organization. This group of 116 senior citizens of Texas was elected by its senior peers to bring the priority needs of elderly Texans to the attention of the Texas Legislature.

As the need for the funding of its operation became apparent, a tax-exempt foundation was created. The income from the Foundation's trust fund would then defray the operational cost of the Legislature in the future. The individual legislators would, however, continue to serve on a voluntary basis.

The constituency of the Texas

Silver Haired Legislature consists of an estimated 2.5 million citizens over the age of 60. It has been suggested that a donation of one dollar, or more, from each of these seniors would produce a trust fund of over \$2.5 million dollars. The earned income from the basic 2.5 million dollar foundation fund will be used to pay the annual costs for general operations of the Texas Silver Haired Legislature.

In an effort to achieve this goal, TSHL is establishing temporary depository accounts in the name of the Silver Haired Legislature Foundation at local cooperating banks across the state where donations from all the citizens of Texas may be conveniently deposited. As funds accumulate in these accounts they will be forwarded to the Foundation Trust Fund in Austin.

You are advised to contact your TSHL representative, Mrs. Poppy Hulsey, in Tulia for further information.

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OBITUARIES

HENRY M. McPHERSON

Funeral services for Henry M. McPherson, 57, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at the First United Methodist Church in Happy with Jim Jackson, an elder at New Salem Primitive Baptist Church in Floydada, and the Rev. David Hestand, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery by Wallace Funeral

Home of Tulia.

Mr. McPherson died at 10:10 p.m. Saturday at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo following a brief illness.

He was born February 24, 1930 in Trinidad, Colorado, and moved to Happy in 1962 from Lockney. He served in the Korean conflict and was a farmer and rancher. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

He and Mrs. Durene Nance

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Junior Rodeo Planned At Roaring Springs

The Motley County Junior Rodeo will be held at Old Settlers Arena in Roaring Springs August 7-8, with three performances, Friday at 8:00 p.m., Saturday at 2:00 and 8:00 p.m.

Entries may be mailed to Ray Minkley, Box 670, Matador, 806-347-2733, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Divisions, entry fees and prizes will include:

Pre-Kids (7 & under), Barrel Race, Flag Race, Pole Bending and Goat Ribbon Pull, \$6.00 each; Calf Riding, \$10.00. Trophies will be awarded in each event with ribbons for first six places in each event.

Pee Wee (8-12), Barrel Race, Flag Race, Pole Bending, Goat Tying, Steer Riding, \$10.00 each; Break-a-Way, Steer Daubing, \$15.00 each. Buckles are to be given in each event, buckle for all-around, and ribbons for the first six places.

Junior Girls (13-15), Barrel Race, Pole Bending, Goat Tying, \$20.00 each; Break-a-Way, Steer Daubing, \$25.00 each. Junior Boys (13-15, girls may enter boys' team roping), Bareback, Bulls, Ribbon Roping, Tie Down, Team Roping (twice, points split), Steer Daubing, \$25.00 each. Buckles will be given in each event, 1/2 entry fee paid back. Cates bits and spurs sets to all-around boy and all-around girl in three events.

were married September 6, 1975 in Happy.


Survivors include his wife; four daughters, Mary Hodges of Vega, Becky Sheldon and Terri Cox, both of Tulia, and Donna Stewart of Sunray; two sons, Ricky McPherson and Milton McPherson, both of Happy; two step-daughters, Mrs. Nancy Montague of Tulia and Mrs. Juannah Jennings of Silverton; one step-son, Wayne Nance of Silverton; his step-mother, Mrs. Ova McPherson of Floydada; two brothers, Robert McPherson of Silverton and Gail McPherson of Lockney; and 13 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were C. E. Hays, Wayne Pearson, Edgar Robinson, Reggie Johnson, Loyd Leavitt and Don Kimbrell.

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Dance nightly to the music of Silverton's own Caprock Country.

State Troopers Recruits Being Sought Now

The Texas Department of Public Safety has announced that January 19, 1988 has been selected as the beginning date for a recruit training school for the position of State Trooper, according to Major V. J. Cawthon, Regional Commander for the Department of Public Safety.

Entrance exams and agility tests will be given at the Lubbock, Amarillo and Wichita Falls Department of Public Safety offices every Tuesday and Thursday beginning on July 28, 1987. The final day for testing will be August 27, 1987. The testing will begin at 8:00 a.m. on each above mentioned day and will take most of the day to complete.

Selected applicants will attend an 18-week police training school at the Texas Department of Public Safety Academy in Austin. Recruit trainees will be paid a monthly salary of \$1,515.00 while they are attending the school.

Major Cawthon advised, "Interested persons should contact the recruiting coordinator in either Lubbock, Amarillo or Wichita Falls for employment qualifications and application forms. All necessary paperwork must be completed prior to taking the entrance exams. Employment qualifications and application forms may also be obtained by contacting your local Department of Public Safety Trooper."

The Texas Department of Public Safety is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Boy Scout News

At this week's meeting of the Boy Scout Troop, plans were made for a camping trip to Caprock Canyons State Park.

The group will leave about 11:00 a.m. Saturday from the Scout Hut, and will be back Sunday afternoon.

Next week's meeting will be at 4:30 p.m. Friday, and plans will be made for the barbecue and rodeo in August.

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Looking Back

through the files of the
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July 28, 1977—Rev. Royce Denton called as pastor of First Baptist Church . . . Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Long are parents of a son, Joshua David, born July 13, the birthday of the new baby's great-great-grandmother, Mrs. M. L. Welch . . . Jon LaBaume, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Ashel McDaniel, has returned to his home in Floydada following surgery at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview . . . Jack McFall underwent surgery Wednesday of last week at Hall County Hospital in Memphis . . . Tad Cornett, Craig Patton and Cary Fleming are at Camp Blue Haven in New Mexico this week . . . Eural Vaughan has been a patient at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo . . . Debra Cantwell, bride-elect of Mark Burk, is shower honoree here . . . Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kirkland and children have been in the process of moving into the home recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCord and Jeff, who have moved to Lindsay, near Gainesville . . . Andy Bullock had the misfortune of breaking his leg on the job Wednesday afternoon . . .

July 20, 1967—David Tipton and Jerry Patton, Silverton volunteer firemen, are attending the Annual Texas Firemen's Training School at Texas A&M University this week . . . Joni Self is the representative of District 2, and will be among the 16 Texas 4-H members making the 4-H Talent Tour July 23-28 . . . Mrs. Laura L. Bradshaw, 78, buried here Monday . . . Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weatherly are parents of a son . . . Mr. and Mrs. Dick Reid are parents of a son . . . Mrs. Charlie Rowell underwent surgery at John Seely Hospital in Galveston Wednesday of last week. A kidney was removed . . . A. D. Arnold underwent surgery at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo last Wednesday . . . Mrs. Seymour Brannon has been a recent visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Brannon and Amy at Lampasas . . . Alvie Mayfield has been in the Plainview Hospital for several days . . .

July 25, 1957—Linda McDaniel is bride of Sgt. Robert Lee Stack, jr. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Dave Alexander observe golden wedding anniversary . . . C. L. Wilson wins trophy and watch in golf tournament played at Plainview . . . Wayne Crawford's sell home and move to Claytonville . . . Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crass and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutton, Cynthia and Rhonda were in Lubbock Tuesday evening where they were six o'clock dinner guests of Patsy Crass, a student at Texas Tech . . . Mr. and Mrs. Jack Estes, Doris and Dewey have returned from a week's vacation trip to Colorado . . . Mrs. James F. Davis, Diane, Barbara and Jim are spending this week in Paducah with Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.

D. Tye . . . Mr. and Mrs. Olos Chitty and granddaughter, Patsy Grabbe, spent the weekend in Dumas with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Savage and Ricky . . . Mr. and Mrs. Gene Morris and son, Joel,

have moved into the new home recently moved in just north of the Badgett home . . .

July 17, 1947—Local Methodists pledge \$8,000 church building fund . . . Crops beginning to need rain badly . . . Arnold Brown is reported this week to be recuperating nicely following an operation in the Tulia Hospital last week. "Colonel," as he is better known to his friends, was admitted to the hospital following an acute attack of appendicitis . . . Peggy Childress honored on her first birthday . . . LTD Club meets with Mrs. Johnnie Lanham . . . Fay Tice Bomar to wed Jack W. Billingsley . . . Gala dance to be Thursday night at

the Vets Hall . . . Mr. and Mrs. John H. White and family and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Thomas, jr. and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pavlicek Sunday night . . . Mr. and Mrs. Durward Brown, Jeanne Dudley and Betty Burson were Lubbock visitors Tuesday . . . Mary Frances Dudley and her cousin, Martha Lou Dudley of Lamarque are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stoltenberg in Tulia this week . . . Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell and children and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCutchen and children were shopping in Amarillo Tuesday . . .

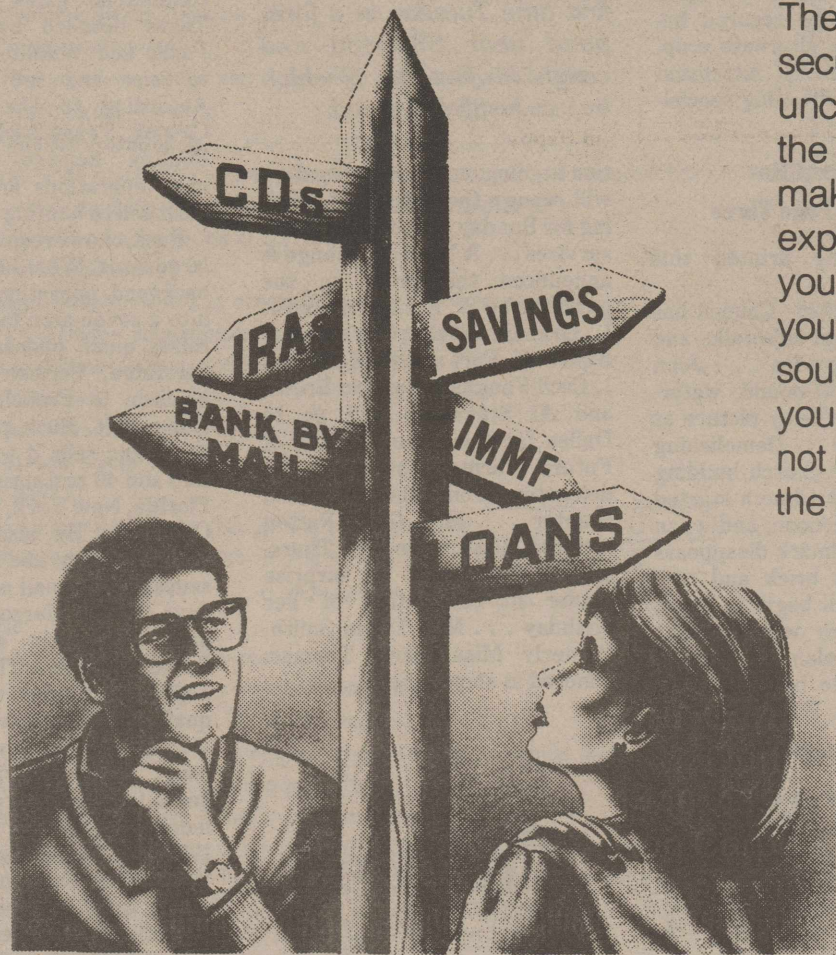
July 20, 1939—Ruby Jewell McClendon weds Perry Smith . . .

Eleanor Blasingame to represent county at Memphis celebration . . . Mrs. Jack Blocker is new operator at King's Beauty Salon . . . Silverton streets which have been under construction for the past two weeks are now open for traffic . . . Jim Stevenson weds Sybil Meeks . . . Editor Roy Hahn wrote: "Lightning almost struck twice in the same place Sunday night at the Jimmy Cantwell place. It struck one side of his house, and in less than an hour struck the other side" . . . Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer and daughter, Ruth Mercer and Alvie Boyce left Monday morning for Del Norte, Colorado for an extended vacation trip . . . L. B.

Loudermilk, who is in the U. S. Navy, came Monday for an extended visit with his father. His mother and sister from California arrived the same day on a visit . . . Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Garrison and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Garrison attended the funeral of Mrs. Gabe Garrison's father, Mr. Hudson, Wednesday afternoon at Flomot . . . Orville Whearer, 18, drowns at Claude Crossing northwest of Silverton . . . A gentle soul, Rev. P. B. Henderlite, taken by death . . . Silverton Bakery sold to J. N. Painter . . . 1925 Study Club

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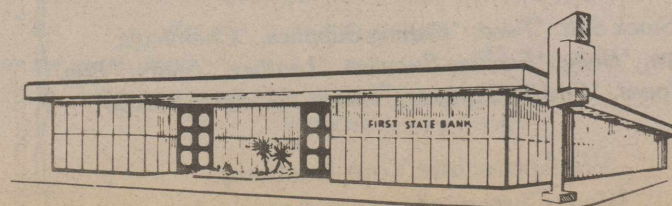
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Cotton Growers Grasp For Alternate Crop

Summer storms with hail and driving winds have dealt a heavy blow to thousands of acres of cotton across the Texas South Plains, forcing farmers to seek an alternate crop.

It's too late to replant cotton, said Dr. James Supak, cotton agronomist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. There isn't time for even short season varieties to mature adequately, he said.

"This means that producers who suffered this damage must consider such crops as sunflowers, grain sorghum or vegetables if they have to replant," he said.

But he cautioned that cotton producers who incorporated Treflan or Prowl preplant herbicides have generally eliminated the possibility of growing sorghum on that land this year, unless they are able to get under the treated soil with buster type planters.

Sorghum seed must be planted below the herbicide treated zone, the agronomist cautioned. The depth of the herbicide can be determined by examining the root system of the damaged cotton plants, he said. "The point at which feeder roots are found typically indicates the end of the herbicide treated zone," Supak explained.

Wide ranging storms Monday, June 29, saw hail cut a swath about three miles wide across portions of Bailey County and wreak heavy damage on fields in Crosby, Floyd, Briscoe, Swisher, Lynn, Dawson and adjacent counties. From one to two inches of rain fell across much of the area.

"Except for, possibly, Lynn and Dawson Counties, the rains will be beneficial to the remaining cotton," Supak said. "It would have been nice had it been delayed for another week, but we'll take the rain when we get it."

The Extension agronomist urged farmers to carefully evaluate the condition of their crops before making the critical decision to plant something else.

"As we've said many times, don't make your final decision the morning after a storm,"

Supak cautioned. "Wait at least two or three days to evaluate the prospects for recovery. Run a sandfighter or rotary hoe as soon as possible to prevent further damage from blowing sand."

Check the plants carefully, Supak urged. If portions of leaves remain on the plants and the stems aren't badly damaged, the plants may recover quickly, he noted. "Even if leaf defoliation is nearly complete, as long as the bark on the stems is intact below the functional buds, the plants will recover," he said.

Research studies conducted on the High Plains have shown that nearly optimum yields can be obtained from plant populations ranging from about 25,000 to 60,000 plants an acre. This corresponds to approximately two to 4.5 plants per foot on 40-inch rows.

"As a general rule, if a stand averages two or more plants a foot of row and is fairly uniform, without too many long skips, replanting isn't warranted," the Extension specialist said.

When considering alternate crops to replace the hailed out cotton, consider potential markets for the new crop, urged Dr. Roland E. Roberts, Extension vegetable specialist. A firm contract should be secured before planting an alternate crop, Dr. Jackie Smith, Extension economist and marketing specialist, stressed.

LOOKING BACK—

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yearbooks being printed this week...

October 17, 1929—Council has engineers run out sidewalks and street paving grades... John Folley grows 51-pound watermelon... Zane Grey picture at Palace Saturday... Demolishing of the old frame church building of the Methodist Church started Wednesday afternoon, and when the ancient landmark disappears Silverton's first brick and concrete church will begin to arise. The new church will be built upon the unit plan as finances permit. A usable basement will be the first unit. While construc-



Ronnie Carter, 7, of the Tipton Home in Tipton, Oklahoma is spending this week here with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kingery. He went fishing with his "Grandpa" for the first time Tuesday in a farm pond near Silverton and caught his first fish, of which he was justifiably proud.

tion is going on, the congregation will occupy the old school building for Sunday School and church services... A business change is announced this week in the purchase by W. E. Lemons and J. L. Graham of the City Market from J. G. Fort and E. H. Perry... Cecil Vaughan, Norman Brown and Al Stevenson will go to Dallas for the state meeting of Future Farmers of Texas as delegates from the Silverton chapter... Mrs. G. C. Patton honored Miss Lucille King Thursday evening with a surprise dinner in celebration of her birthday... Mrs. Doyle Smith, formerly Miss Marie Thomas, honored at shower here...

Game Birds Just Great On The Grill

Outdoor cooks eager to try something new can light a fire under some quail this summer and serve them basted to a turn to delighted guests.

Hunters have known this for a long time, freezing birds killed during hunting season and grilling them outdoors when the weather turns warm. But only as quail and other game birds have started showing up in restaurants and supermarkets have the rest of us begun to catch on. These lean little birds are neither exotic nor hard to cook. Prepared well, they can add flavor and variety to everyday menus.

Wild and commercial game birds taste slightly different. "Wild birds are leaner and have more of a gamey taste," said Texas Department of Agriculture home economist Carol Ware. Commercial birds are raised in confinement. They exercise less, which ensures tenderness, and eat controlled diets, which makes them fatter.

"It's just a nice little layer of fat," added Mike Buck of R and B Quail Farm at Blanco. "Just enough so that when you go to cook them, you're able to keep the juices in."

Buck is one of about 1,100 commercial game breeders in Texas licensed by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department to raise and sell game birds. According to Dr. William O. Cawley, Texas A&M University Poultry Science Department, most operations are small, and most sell to hunting preserves.

Buck, however, breeds on a large scale. What he started as a backyard operation has turned into a seven-acre farm where he raises quail, pheasant, Chukkar partridge, Cornish game hens, poussin (a French game hen), and rabbit. Buck processes the game and sells it to 12 distributors and 40 restaurants in Texas, Florida, New York, Colorado and California. He also sells fresh quail, pheasant and rabbit, rabbit sausage and quail eggs Wednesdays in San Marcos and Saturdays in Austin at the local farmers markets. This year Buck expects to market a half million quail and 150,000 pheasants.

In Crystal City another company, Royal International, expects to market around 200,000 federally-inspected quail during 1987 and more than 300,000 in 1988. The company has been selling quail for meat for a year, according to marketing director Rony LaMantia. Texas is its biggest market. Sixty percent of sales are to restaurants and caterers, 40 percent to supermarkets.

R and B and Royal International also fill individual mail orders.

Despite a growing demand, Cawley estimates that per capita game bird consumption in the United States is less than a pound. "Game birds are still more of a specialty item," he said.

Ware agrees. "Game birds are not going to replace chicken in the American diet," she said. "But they are a nice addition to menu planning. They have their own flavor. They're something different. If you already have

quail or pheasant left over from hunting season in the freezer, grilling is a great way to use them. There's no reason to wait until Thanksgiving or Christmas."

Ware recommends marinating and basting to add flavor to game birds and keep them juicy. If overcooked, game birds turn tough. Basting every five minutes or wrapping them in bacon will keep them from drying out.

Small birds like quail can be cooked whole or butterflied on a covered grill about eight inches above medium-hot coals. Most game birds require 15-30 minutes of cooking time, depending on their size. To check for doneness, prick the skin to see if juices run clear. If they do, remove the birds from the grill immediately or they will become dry and stringy.

GRILLED QUAIL WITH THYME

- 1/2 C. olive oil
- Juice of 3 lemons, about 6 T.
- 2 tsp. melted butter
- 1 T. fresh minced thyme
- 10-12 dressed quail

Mix oil, lemon juice, butter and thyme. Brush birds with mixture and place on grill over medium-hot coals. Grill about 10 minutes, turning birds once and basting several times during cooking. Makes 4-6 servings.

GRILLED QUAIL

- 1 C. wine or herb vinegar
- 1 C. vegetable oil
- 1/4 C. fresh lemon juice
- Lemon rinds with pulp, reserved after squeezing juice
- 3 crushed garlic cloves
- 2 bay leaves
- 1 T. soy sauce
- 1 T. Worcestershire sauce
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 10-12 dressed quail

Combine all ingredients and marinate quail for several hours or overnight. Grill birds over medium-hot coals, turning once and basting several times. Cook 10-15 minutes or until done. Makes 4-6 servings.

GRILLED PHEASANT

- 1 1/2 C. Worcestershire sauce
- 1/2 C. fresh lemon juice
- Lemon rinds with pulp, reserved after squeezing juice
- 1/2 C. butter
- Lemon pepper seasoning
- 4 dressed pheasants

Combine Worcestershire sauce, lemon juice, lemon rinds and butter. Cook sauce until butter is melted; discard lemon rinds. Thoroughly rub lemon pepper seasoning on each pheasant. Grill over medium-hot coals, turning several times and basting often with sauce. Grill 15-20 minutes or until done. Makes 6 servings.



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Twenty-One 4-H Members Participate In Fashion Show Here Friday

"Sewing Safari" was the theme of the 1987 4-H Fashion Show held Friday night in the Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church in Silverton.

Twenty-one 4-H members participated in the competition. Eleven of these earned the right to advance to the district contest in Lubbock August 3, after winning in their respective divisions.

Top awards were presented to Shannon Weaver, Junior I sports; Krisse Pigg, Junior I casual; Christina Stephens, Junior I specialty; and Shamika Scott, Junior I buying.

Junior II winners were Christy Nease, dressy; Christi McWaters, casual, and Ashleigh Wyatt, sports.

Winners in the Senior division were Celeste Sperry, non-tailored daywear; Penni Fogerson, active sportswear; Hattie Williams, buying, and Heather Gray, evening wear.

Special awards were presented to Shannon Weaver as Best Rookie, Holly Nance as Best Junior I Model, and Ashleigh Wyatt as Best Junior II Model.

Other 4-Hers competing in the Junior I division were Brandi Brunson, Carrie Baird, Holly Nance, Leslee Weaks and Julie



JUNIOR II 4-H Fashion Show winners named here last Friday were (left to right) Christi McWaters, Ashleigh Wyatt and Christy Nease.



JUNIOR I 4-H Fashion Show winners are (left to right) Krisse Pigg, Christina Stephens, Shamika Scott and Shannon Weaver.



Mrs. Darrell Logan Davis

Goodwin-Davis Vows Exchanged In Lubbock

The home of the bride's parents in Lubbock was the setting for a garden wedding August 1 at 9:30 a.m. when Catherine Anne Goodwin and Darrell Logan Davis exchanged their marriage vows. Dr. Mike Goodwin of Festus, Missouri, cousin of the bride, performed the ceremony.

The bride was attended by her sister, Carren Gibson, and Nicole Webb, both of Lubbock. The groom's attendants were his brother, Mark Davis, and Kyle Whitaker, both of Fort Worth.

The bride is the daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Goodwin of Lubbock, and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kellum of Silverton. She is a graduate of Monterey High School and Methodist Hospital School of Nursing, and is employed by Harris Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth.

The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Davis of Saginaw, is a graduate of Boswell High School in Saginaw and Texas Tech University. He is employed by Eagle Mountain - Saginaw Independent School District.

The bride wore a romantic

gown of Versailles taffeta. The fitted bodice was trimmed with hand beaded pearls on Alencon lace and featured a sweetheart neckline and ball gown sleeves. Her full skirt was edged with Alencon lace and flowed into a cathedral train. Her picture hat was trimmed with hand-beaded sequins and pearls on Alencon lace and was accentuated with a pouff and fingertip veiling. She carried a free-flowing bouquet of white roses.

Her bridesmaids wore tea-length gowns styled of royal blue Matte taffeta trimmed with white taffeta. They were designed with sweetheart necklines outlined with white taffeta piping. The backs of the bodices featured a low cut circle styling, and at the bottom of the circle was a large royal blue taffeta bow trimmed with white. They carried arm bouquets of white roses and gladiolas with accents of royal blue.

Rachel Stephenson of Commerce, cousin of the bride, served as flower girl. Her dress was a miniature of the bridesmaids' dresses, and she carried a white basket of white roses trimmed with white and royal blue.

Following the ceremony, a brunch reception was held at the Dallas Room of the Lubbock Plaza Hotel.

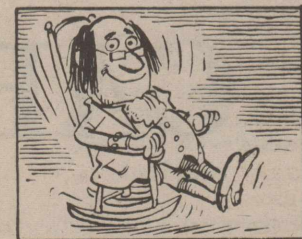
The couple will be at home in Fort Worth.

Ross. Pee Wee contestants were Molly Brooks and Mandy Pigg. Junior II participants were Vera Pinkerton, Amy Ramsey and Kayla Ramsey.

Completion certificates and awards were presented by the clothing project leaders, Janinne Brooks, Margie Pinkerton, Bena

Hester, Michelle Francis, Sheryl Weaver and Juanita Gray.

Josh and Jeremiah Brooks served as escorts for the fashion show. County Extension Agent Lynda Fogerson was coordinator for the event.



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What's For Dessert? Ice Cream

When in Rome, an American tourist might cool off with a cone of zucchini gelato. Italians have been experimenting with frozen desserts ever since the days of the Roman Empire when they imported snow from the mountains and ate it with fruit juice and honey.

Back home, the traveler probably would settle for something less unusual. Though tastes in ice cream (America's version of gelato) have broadened in recent years, ice cream manufacturers have yet to raid the vegetable patch for new ideas. Vanilla is still the favorite flavor in this country, followed by chocolate, nut flavors and strawberry.

Whatever the flavor, summer is the time when ice cream consumption soars. Americans will scoop up 30 percent more of the creamy, rich dessert during the next three months than at any time of year. Texans are no exception. The state ranks third in ice cream production nationwide, and much of it is consumed right here.

Always delicious by itself, ice cream can be combined with other ingredients for easy-to-make desserts. The secret to success is softening the ice cream before using it and freezing the final product in a good cold freezer. To soften ice cream, break it up in a mixing bowl and stir with a wooden spoon. Do not let the ice cream reach the melting point.

One of the simplest frozen desserts is an ice cream angel food cake. Texas Department of Agriculture home economist Carol Ware gives these instructions to make one:

Slice off the top third of a store-bought or homemade angel food cake. Cut a one-inch tunnel in the top of the bottom portion and fill it with your favorite ice cream. Replace the top, cover the cake in plastic wrap and freeze it for several hours or overnight.

Another easy recipe is for homemade ice cream sandwiches, ice cream layered between two cookies. Sandwiches can be individually wrapped and held in the freezer for between-meal snacks.

Elegant ice cream pies take a little more time, but they are worth it. Two tested in the TDA kitchen are Peanut Butter Ice Cream Pie served with a rich chocolate sauce, and Ice Cream Cone Pie, ice cream over an easy "crust" of sugar cones, pecans and melted butter.

Every year the U. S. dairy industry gets a special tip of the hat during June Dairy Month, which recognizes the industry's contribution to the American diet. This June you can tip your own hat—and have fun doing it—with one of these frozen pies.

ICE CREAM CONE PIE

- 12 sugar cones
- 1 C. coarsely chopped toasted pecans
- 1/2 C. chocolate chips
- 5 T. butter
- 1 qt. any flavor softened ice cream

With rolling pin, crush cones into small pieces in plastic bag or between sheets of waxed paper. Do not chop in food processor.

Place crushed cones and pecans in medium bowl; set aside. Melt chocolate chips and butter in small heavy saucepan over low heat. Pur over cone mixture, stirring to coat evenly. Press a third of mixture evenly over bottom of 9-inch pie plate. Spread half of ice cream on top. Repeat layers of crumbs and ice cream, ending with crumbs. Press down on crumbs with spoon. Cover and freeze until firm. Pie may be frozen up to a month. Makes six servings.

PEANUT BUTTER ICE CREAM PIE

- 2 C. (about 30 cookies) chocolate wafer cookie crumbs
- 1/2 C. melted butter
- 3 pt. softened vanilla ice cream
- 1 1/2 C. creamy peanut butter
- 1/2 C. honey
- 3/4 C. coarsely chopped roasted peanuts

Hot Fudge Sauce (recipe follows)

Mix cookie crumbs and butter in food processor fitted with metal blade or mix together in medium bowl. Press evenly over bottom and two-thirds up sides of 9x3-inch springform pan; set aside. With electric mixer on low, mix ice cream, peanut butter, honey and peanuts in large bowl until combined. Pour into prepared crust. Cover and freeze until firm. Remove pie from freezer 10 minutes before serving. Run sharp knife around edges and remove sides of springform. Place on serving platter and serve with Hot Fudge Sauce. Pie may be frozen up to a month before serving. Leftovers may be refrozen. Makes 12-14 servings.

HOT FUDGE SAUCE

- 1 C. chocolate chips
- 1 (14 oz.) can sweetened condensed milk
- 2/3 C. water
- 1 tsp. vanilla

Melt chocolate chips with milk, water and vanilla in heavy medium saucepan over low heat, stirring constantly until mixture comes to full boil. Whisk over moderate heat until thickened, about 3-5 minutes. Serve warm. Sauce may be refrigerated up to a month. Makes 2 3/4 cups.



The largest eyes of all land animals are those of the horse and ostrich — about one and a half times the size the human eyes.

Raw Fish Is A Food Safety Hazard

It's hard to go wrong with high-protein, low-calorie fish—unless you eat it raw.

"The growing popularity of undercooked fish or raw fish dishes such as sushi, sashimi, ceviche and others has resulted in an increase in cases of disease attributable to fish parasites," says food safety expert Marilyn Haggard.

"Properly canned or frozen fish pose no danger of infection," notes the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service specialist.

Cooking fresh fish until all parts of the fish have reached a temperature of 145 degrees Fahrenheit will also kill parasites, she adds.

"Frying, baking or broiling fish until it flakes with a fork is still good advice," Ms. Haggard says. "Fish that is so lightly broiled or sauteed that it's still translucent in the middle may be called a gourmet dish, but it could also be dangerous."

According to the specialist, brining and hot smoking are other methods that kill parasites, while cold smoking which uses no heat, will not.

"Commercially prepared lox, or smoked salmon, is both brined and smoked," she notes. "But ceviche can be hazardous because the lime juice used in the marinade may not kill all parasites."

Ms. Haggard says that freezing fish at minus four degrees Fahrenheit for 3-5 days will also prevent illness.

Given the health risks involved, consumers would be wise to avoid raw or undercooked seafood, stresses the specialist.



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Don't call—write. That's the message the highway department needs to get across to everyone trying to find out who owns a particular car or truck.

In compliance with Senate Bill 161, which Gov. Bill Clements signed into law on June 20, the department's Division of Motor Vehicles has stopped supplying information to anyone who inquires over the telephone about a vehicle by license plate number.

The new law changes the procedures the highway department and county offices must follow when releasing this type of information.

From now on, to find out the name and address of a vehicle owner, the inquirer must either specify the vehicle identification number or make the request in writing. And he must state that his request is for a "lawful and legitimate purpose."

So unless you know the vehicle identification number, don't call. Instead, drop a note to the Division of Motor Vehicles. Specify the Texas license plate number and affirm that you are

requesting the information contained in the vehicle registration records for a "lawful and legitimate purpose."

Sign the request, print your name and address on it, and put it in an envelope with \$1.00 (cash, cashier's check or money order) for each inquiry. Mail it to DMV, Austin, Texas 78779.

As a convenience, request forms will be available at county tax assessor-collectors' offices.

Winners Named In Tulia Ladies Golf Tournament

In the recent Ladies City Golf Tournament held at the Tule Lake Golf Club, the winners were:

Championship Flight — Jane Allison, Tulia, 157; Gerry Payne, Tulia, 168.

First Flight — Sue Ward, Tulia, 183; D'Lynn Malcolm, Tulia, 184.

Second Flight — Sharon Simpson, Silverton, 191; Bonnie Waters, Silverton, 194.

Third Flight—Gloria Bryan,

Tulia, 198; Mary Davis, Silverton, 200.

The scores are for 36 holes. Ladies from Tulia, Happy, Kress and Silverton are eligible for the Tulia Tournament.

Brown Sisters Have Reunion In Silverton

Recently the Brown Sisters, Mmes. Lois Nance, Faye Self, Joy Wood of Dell City, Ann Wright of Austin, and their families met for a reunion at the Silverton School Cafeteria.

The day was spent reminiscing, playing games, making pictures, swimming, and enjoying delicious meals together.

Others present were Duane and Spencer Wright, Austin; Marvin, Reba, Colby and Kaylee Self, Plano; Clayton and Kelli Lois Wood, Dell City; Robin Sternberger, Alva, Oklahoma; Rex and Faith Redies, Plainview; Wayma Lewis, Amarillo; Nanda Lahoud, Michael and Christopher, Fort Worth; Ginger Daniels, Corpus Christi; Bonnie Watters, Yuma, Arizona; Jan Tooley, Joshua and Robin, Maples; Fred and Jackie Mercer, Jamie and Casey Frizzell, Stephen Stephens, J. L. Self, Junis and Flute Hutsell and J. D. Nance, all of Silverton.

Comings And Goings

Michael and Christopher Lahoud of Fort Worth returned to their home after spending the past week with their great-grandparents, J. D. and Lois Nance.

Visitors in the George Seaney home the past week have been Mrs. Seaney's nieces, Mrs. Opal Lawley of Stockton, California and Mrs. Ann Maddox and Chad of Amarillo, and Mrs. Seaney's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ingram, Kile and Spence of Mesquite; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Seaney of Kent; Mrs. Angie Smith and Dakota of Quitaque; Mrs. Carolyn Lowrey and Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison.

Luncheon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison last Thursday were Mrs. Opal Lawley of Stockton, California, Mrs. Ann Maddox and Chad of Amarillo, Mrs. Carolyn Lowrey and Frank and Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney.

Mrs. Charles Sarchet spent most of last week in Lubbock taking care of her grandchildren while their mother, Mrs. Ken (Jonann) Sarchet was a patient at Highland Hospital. Jonann had a virus that caused her to become anemic and very ill, and was in the hospital from Tuesday until Friday afternoon. She is feeling better now, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet were back in Lubbock Tuesday evening to help with a party in celebration of Jordan Sarchet's fifth birthday.

Mrs. Ollie McMinn entered Northwest Texas Hospital on Tuesday morning, July 21, and has been undergoing tests and treatment there. Her son-in-law, Melvin Watkins, has been seriously ill at St. Anthony's Hospital during this same time.

Rev. and Mrs. Randy Hughes, Amy and Matt of Roscoe were here last week so Randy could attend his school class' twenty-year reunion. He also brought both messages at the First Baptist Church on Sunday. They returned to Roscoe on Sunday night.

SUMMER SIGNALS

WATERMELON WEATHER

Summer. Time to kick off your shoes, spread some newspaper on the picnic table and slice into an ice cold watermelon. There's hardly a lazier, more enjoyable, less expensive way to spend an evening with the family.

Choosing the right melon is the first and most important step. Size will depend on the number of people and the extent of their appetites. If the kids are particularly hungry, a family of five or six can devour a 15-pounder on the spot. A group of 16 less exuberant eaters, on the other hand, can make do with a 20-pound melon if everyone just wants a slice.

Whole Texas watermelons, primarily Long Grays and green-striped Jubilees, average 20-22 pounds with larger ones weighing in at 28-32 pounds. The big ones usually are cut first at

supermarkets and sold in halves, quarters or slices. Cut melons are wrapped in clear plastic, which gives customers the advantage of actually seeing a melon's meat and seeds before buying one.

SALAD

2 C. watermelon balls
1 C. seedless grapes
3 bananas, cut in small pieces
1½ C. fresh pineapple, cut into chunks
1 C. orange pieces
2 C. miniature marshmallows
1 C. pecans or unsalted peanuts
1 C. whipping cream, whipped
1/2 C. flaked coconut

Combine all ingredients and mix well. Chill overnight before serving. Makes 10-12 servings.

THREE MELON MELANGE

1 C. granulated sugar
1/2 C. water
1/3 C. orange liqueur
4 C. diced watermelon
2 C. diced cantaloupe
2 C. diced honeydew

Combine the sugar and water and bring to a boil. Remove from heat and add liqueur; chill. In large bowl, combine melons; chill until ready to serve. Just before serving, pour syrup over fruit. Makes eight servings.

Cards of Thanks

We would like to say thank you to our relatives and friends who cut our wheat and plowed for us. Thanks, also, for the cards, pot plants, phone calls, food, visits and prayers while Roy was in the hospital and since he has been home.

Roy and Lou Younger

I would like to thank you for the cards and calls while I was in the hospital and since I have been home.

Thank you,
Russ

Words cannot express our deep appreciation for the kindness that was shown us in the loss of our Darling Baby Girl, Tanya. How grateful we are to everyone who made telephone calls, sent food, cards, flowers, money contributed to the ambulance fund, and the ones that came by to help in our sorrow on Sunday, after her short illness and the days that followed. For Dora Bullock staying at our home with Misty and going to the hospital with her; also Dick Roehr, James Edwards and Janice Hill for taking Misty in the ambulance; for the ladies who helped clean our home and Barbara Edwards for staying with Sheila; for the many prayers that have been said for all of us; also for the nice church service and to Bro. Ted Kingery and Bro. Earl Cantwell—may God bless and keep you every one.

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Thank you so much for the food, flowers, cards, visits and other acts of kindness while Lessie was in the hospital and since she has been home. All are appreciated very much.

John D., Lessie,
Linda and Tonya Baird

Spirit and Truth



by Rev. M. G. Baumgartner
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"The fear of the Lord is to hate evil: pride, and arrogance, and the evil way, and the froward (perverse) mouth, do I hate." Proverbs 8:13

The tide is changing and the winds are contrary. Not many years ago godly living was the only acceptable way of life. Schools regularly pledged allegiance to "one nation under God", the Ten Commandments were still in classrooms, and most businesses encouraged a family atmosphere. But this is no longer the way it is. Parents seem to have forgotten that they are to "Train up a child in the way he should go" Prov. 22:6 And the government has turned schools away from the Lord, no longer recognizing evil. Some businesses have let family values fall by the wayside and now encourage worldliness rather than godliness. The presence of the Man of God or the Word of God now seems offensive, where once profanity and drunkenness were. (I wonder if we know what we've traded?) "For God hath not called us unto uncleanness, but unto holiness." I Thess. 4:7 Do we serve the Lord on Sunday only, or do we walk with Him daily? At home, at school, at work, and at play we're to acknowledge Him. For I say unto you, "Abstain from all appearance of evil." I Thess. 5:22

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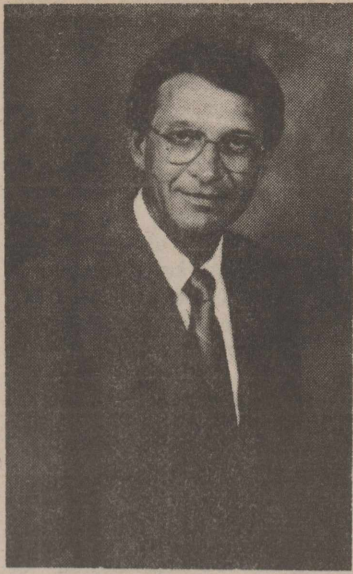
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Rev. Lanny Wheeler, former pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Silverton, has recently been appointed as chaplain at King's Manor Methodist Home in Hereford. He began his ministry in June 1976, serving the First United Methodist Church at McAdoo. After pastoring churches in Hart, Norborne, Missouri and Silverton, he served the Wesley United Methodist Church in Hereford one year before his present assignment. He and his wife, Jackie, have three children: Jeffrey, a sophomore at Texas Tech; Bryan, a senior at Hereford High School, and Timmy, a tenth grader. Mrs. Wheeler is the Deaf Smith County Adult Probation Officer.

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Turtles give their young no care at all. The mother sea turtle digs a hole on a beach and lays her eggs, covers them with sand and then returns to the sea. The sun hatches the eggs.

Beef: Gearing Up For The 1990's; Producing Cattle To Fit Industry Needs

Packer specifications, what breeds work and what breeds don't, beef/food safety, branded beef, and consumer production orientation seem to be the most mentioned phrases in the beef cattle industry.

"It has cattlemen a bit unsure as to what their next step should be," said Dr. Larry Boleman, Extension Beef Cattle Specialist. According to Boleman, the coordinator for the 1987 TAMU Beef Industry Conference, to be

held at College Station August 10-11, this year's beef industry conference will address the hottest topics hitting the industry. Dr. Dell Allen (Kansas State) and Dr. Bill Mies (Texas A&M and former feedlot manager) will discuss live cattle specifications, while Dr. Steve Hammack (TAEX) and Dr. Darrell Wilkes (NCA) will discuss breed utilization and herd improvement. Also, Dr. Wilkes will address the beef/food safety issue.

Dennis Farley of Friona Industries will explain their plan to vertically integrate the beef industry. Dr. Rod Bowling of Monfort of Colorado and Dr. Jeff Savell (Texas A&M) will discuss packer hot fat trimming and uncoupling quality and yield grades and how those changes might create a change in the way you sell cattle. The night of August 10, Jo Ann Smith (Past President of NCA) will address "Beef Promotion: Is It Working?"

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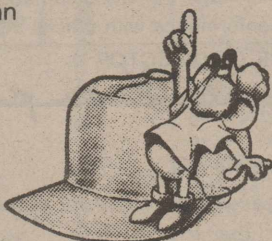
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These are only a few of the speakers to address key topics during the TAMU Beef Conference.

The TAMU Beef Industry Conference ("Beef Gearing Up for the 1990's) heads up an entire week of activities, collectively called "Beef Week." Following the A&M conference there will be breed activities, sales and educational programs. Early registration for the conference is due postmarked by August 1. The conference hotel will be the College Station Hilton. To insure special hotel rates be sure and tell them you are with the "Beef Week" group.

For more information, contact Dirk Aaron at the Briscoe County Extension Office.

Barrow Judging Clinic Set For August 20-22

Swine producers from throughout the state are invited to a barrow judging clinic at Texas A&M University on August 20-22.

Registration will begin at 6:00 p.m. at the Ramada Inn on August 20 and will continue the next morning at Louis Pearce Pavilion at 8:00 a.m.

The judging clinic is for adults only, and judging of 40 barrows entered in a special futurity will begin at 8:00 a.m. August 21 at the Pearce Pavilion, points out Dr. Bill Thomas, swine specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. The futurity and judging clinic is an educational program of the Extension Service in cooperation with the Texas Pork Producers Association and Board.

Following the judging, placings will be discussed by Dr. T. D. Tanksley, retired swine specialist with the Extension Service and Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

That afternoon participants will have an opportunity to judge a group of feeder pigs, says Thomas. Those pigs will be fed and evaluated as slaughter hogs

at a Swine Seminar at Texas A&M December 5. At that time the hogs will be slaughtered to obtain carcass data.

Barrows in the futurity will weigh between 200 and 260 pounds and will be divided into five equal classes by weight. After the judging, they will be slaughtered to obtain carcass data, including backfat and percent muscle. Final placings will be based on live placing (50 percent) and carcass placing (50 percent).

On August 22 the various classes of barrows judged the previous day will be evaluated based on carcass data, and final results of the futurity will be announced, Thomas points out.

Registration information for the judging clinic is available at any County Extension Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Steele, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Steele of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Mercer, Mrs. John Lee Francis of Plainview met in the home of Alton Steele Saturday, July 25, for a family reunion. After having lunch at the Pizza Box, the family returned to Alton's home for coffee and cake later in the afternoon.

An easy way to ice cupcakes is to place a small piece of chocolate on the top when the cupcake is still hot, and spread the chocolate as it melts.



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- SUNDAY:
 - Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 - Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 - Royal Rangers 3:30 p.m.
 - Missionettes 3:30 p.m.
 - Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
- 1st & 3rd MONDAYS:
 - Youth Alive 7:00 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY:
 - Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
- 1st & 3rd THURSDAYS:
 - Women's Missions 6:00 p.m.

SILVERTON

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Ted Kingery, Minister

- SUNDAY:
 - Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 - Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.
 - Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY:
 - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

- SUNDAY:
 - Library Opens 9:15 a.m.
 - Bible Study/S.S. 9:30 a.m.
 - Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 - Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
- SECOND & FOURTH TUESDAYS:
 - Baptist Women 9:30 a.m.
- WEDNESDAY:
 - Bible Study/Prayer 7:00 p.m.
 - Acteens, G.A.s, Mission
 - Friends, R.A.s 7:00 p.m.
- SECOND SATURDAYS:
 - Baptist Men 7:00 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Duane Knowlton, Pastor

- SUNDAY:
 - Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 - Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 - Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
- TUESDAY:
 - United Meth. Women 9:30 a.m.
- WEDNESDAY:
 - Choir Practice 6:00 p.m.

NEW FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST MISSION

- SUNDAY:
 - Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 - Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 - Training Union 5:00 p.m.
 - Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY:
 - Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m.
 - Prayer Service 8:00 p.m.

OUR LADY OF LORETO CATHOLIC CHURCH

- SUNDAY:
 - Mass 12:30 p.m.
- TUESDAY:
 - Escuela 8:00 p.m.
 - Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
- WEDNESDAY:
 - Elementary Doctrina Class 4:30 - 5:45 p.m.
- THURSDAY:
 - Mass or Communion 8:00 p.m.
 - Ultreya After Mass

ROCK CREEK CHURCH OF CHRIST

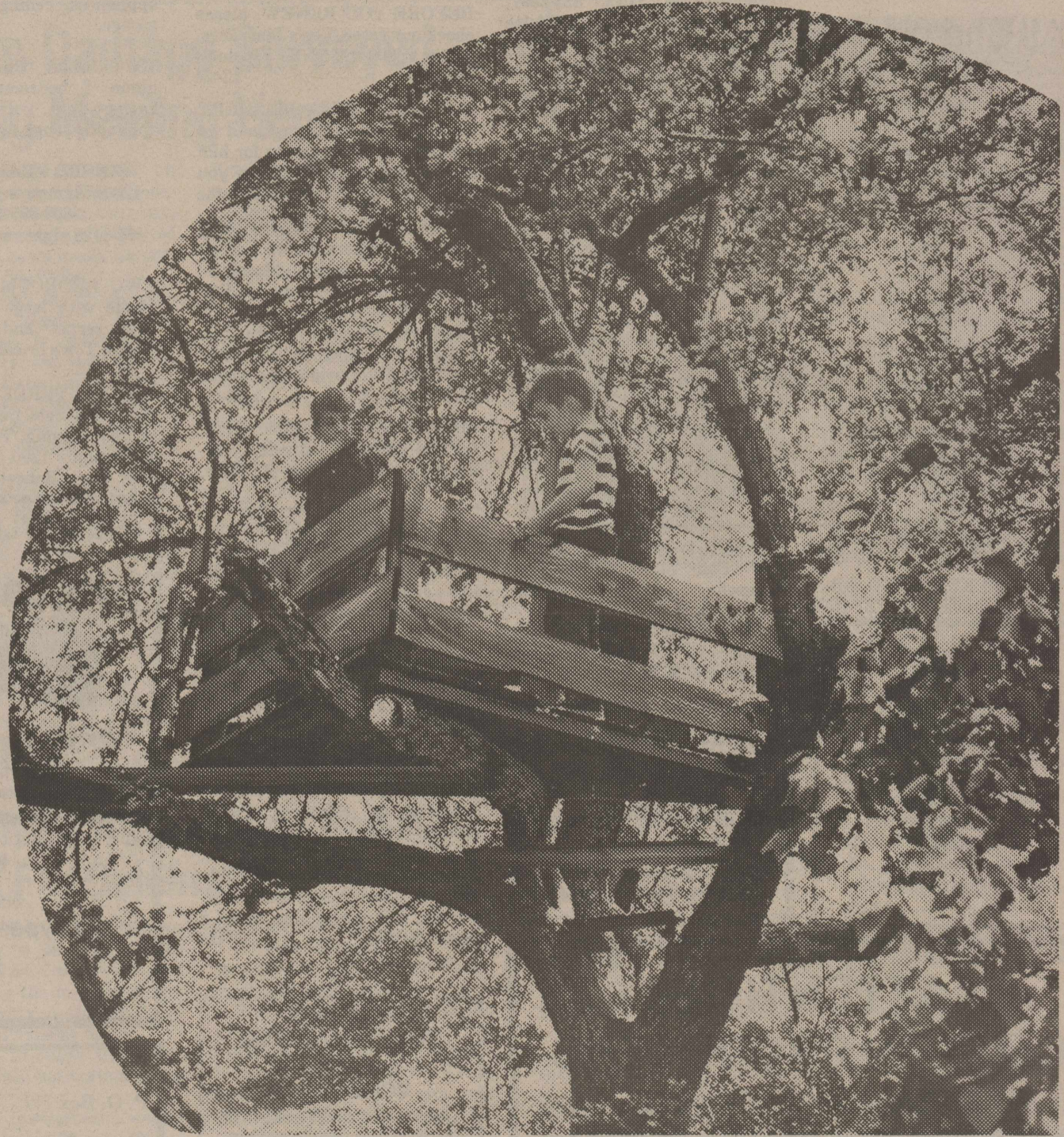
- SUNDAY:
 - Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
 - Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY:
 - Worship Service 7:00 p.m.

TREE HOUSE

There is joy in the tree house nestled high in the boughs . . . for the boys climbing up to play in it . . . for the adults remembering the golden afternoons of their own childhood.

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Help your children enjoy the precious childhood hours — never forgetting that they must grow up. Remember you have a never-ending source of guidance. The church will help your children preserve the spirit of youth and give them the wisdom, courage and faith that will sustain them through the rest of their lives.



ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE THIS SUNDAY

- Verlin B. Towe Agency, Inc.
- Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors
- Garvin Oil Company
- Caprock Food
- Brown-McMurtry Implement
- Silverton Well Service
- Briscoe Cooperatives

- First State Bank
- Nance's Food Store
- Briscoe Implement
- Silverton Auto Parts
- Briscoe County News
- Jerry's Malt Shop
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BRANGUS BULLS FOR SALE: 16 to 18 months old. Saul Cattle Company, 806 652-3744 or 806 455-1138. 30-2tc

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BEANS AND PEAS FOR Sale: You Pick. Call 847-2668 after 5:00 p.m. 29-tfc

FOR SALE: SQUARE AND round wheat hay bales. J. E. Patton, 847-2540. 21-tfc

WATKINS PRODUCTS FOR Sale in Silvertown. Briscoe County News, 508 South Main Street, or call 823-2333. 41-tfnc

FOR BIRTHDAY CAKES, Cake Donuts and Cookies for special occasions, call Lee at 847-2624. 13-tfc

FOR YOUR ELECTRIC FEN- cing needs, see Brown-McMurtry. We have battery, hi line or solar powered fencers. We also carry insulators, gate handles and wire. 46-tfc

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Services

HURTING? HAVE A PRO- blem? Call 823-2045, 24-Hour Counseling Number. 31-tfnc

IS SOMEONE'S DRINKING causing you a problem? Call Al-Anon, 847-2619. 16-tfnc

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ED LAIN WILL BE HERE about the first of August, and we are booking piano tuning for him at this time. Call 823-2333 if you have a piano to be tuned. 28-tfnc

SINGER SEWING MACHINES, Vacuum Cleaners, Smith Corona Typewriters, Adding Machines, Kirby Sales and Service. Buy here, service here. Call in Silvertown, 823-2333. Office located at 620 Noel in Memphis, 259-2716. Here every two weeks on Thursdays. 21-tfc

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BABY SITTER WANTED FOR one child, Monday - Friday. 823-2045. 31-1tc

WILL DO CUSTOM FARMING, all types. Call George Reed, 823-2258, or Wayne Reed, 823-2516. 8-tfc

APPLICATIONS ARE BEING accepted at Silvertown Public School through August 13 for teachers in grades kindergarten, first and fourth; Elementary aide and one Custodian/Maintenance. Person who would also drive a bus, 823-2476. 29-tfc

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Real Estate

SOLD—P. D. Thurman home. 906 Braidfoot

FOR SALE: 504 Braidfoot. Settle home. 3 bedrooms, 1-3/4-1/2 baths, built-in appliances, ceiling fans, double garage.

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COTTON PRODUCERS**

Briscoe Cooperatives will hold a cotton producer meeting to explain the new options for marketing your cotton, offered by Plains Cotton Cooperative Association, for the 1987 crop.

After purchasing the Denim Mill at Littlefield, producers now have the opportunity to share in the Denim Mill margins, sell through a pool marketing program, or continue to market your cotton through Telcot as you have in the past.

A Plains Cotton Cooperative Association representative will be here to review these options, assisting you in making a decision best suited to your operation.

The meeting will be held at the First State Bank Building in Silvertown on August 11 at 8:00 p.m.

Raymond McJimsey, Manager

BRISCOE COOPERATIVES