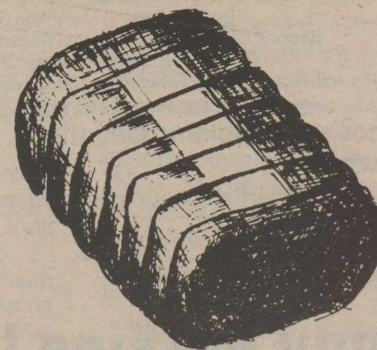
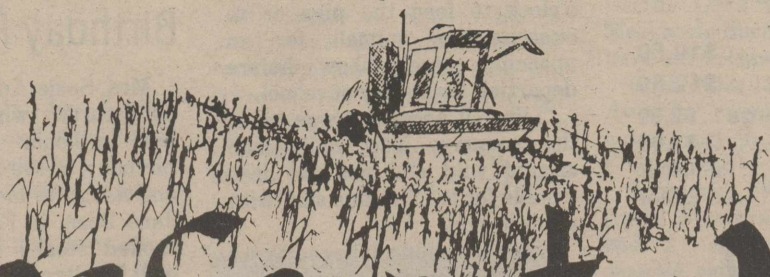


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Methodist Revival Planned September 25-28

A revival will be in progress at the First United Methodist Church in Silverton from Sunday, September 25, through Wednesday evening, September 28, with the meeting to be led by Rev. Derrell Patterson and his wife, Sandy.

Sunday services will be held at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., with a covered-dish supper and time of fellowship to be held at 5:30 p.m.

Services will be held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at noon with a sack lunch each day, and the evening services will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Derrell Patterson was born and reared in Seymour, and was graduated from Seymour High School. He majored in religion and minored in music at McMurry College, and while there he toured with two singing ensembles, the McMurry Chanters and Morning Star. After graduation, he attended Asbury Theological Seminary in Wilmore, Kentucky, and received his master of divinity degree. He sang in a small vocal ensemble and also with the Singing Seminarians. While in seminary, he was the choir director and associate minister at Harrodsburg United Methodist Church.

Sandy Schoenhals Patterson is a native of Michigan, and was graduated from Brown City High School. She received her bachelor's degree in biblical literature



Rev. and Mrs. Derrell Patterson

from Taylor University in Indiana, and her masters degree in new testament from Asbury Theological Seminary. She and her husband met through a campus singing group.

The Pattersons have two sons and a daughter: Doulas, eight; David, four, and Kimberly, born August 1, 1987. They served churches in Vernon and Idalou before serving their present appointment at First United Methodist Church in Littlefield.

Rev. Duane Knowlton and the members of First United Methodist Church in Silverton extend a cordial invitation to you to attend any or all of these special services.

Family Program to be Presented Here Tuesday Evening

"High on My Family" is the theme for a family program to be held at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 27, in the Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church in Silverton.

The Extension Home Economics Committee is sponsoring the county-wide program to help strengthen county families.

"Coping With Conflicts in Family Business" will be presented by Mike Whitecotton of Charter Plains Hospital in Lubbock. He will use group discussion to assist families in identifying and coping with problems encountered when two or three generations are involved in farming, ranching or other family business enterprises.

Ron Trusler of Central Plains MH/MR Center in Plainview will

present "Guilt-Free Parenting" to address concerns of parents of infants to teens.

There is no charge for this program which will last about 1½ hours. Child care will be provided at no cost.

For more information, call Linda Stark in Quitaque at 455-1447 or County Extension Agent Lynda Fogerson at 823-2131, Ext. 12.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are open to all regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, age, religion, handicap or national origin.

To keep mirrors and sliding glass doors from fogging up, fill the tub first with cold water, then add the hot water.

Commissioners Adopt Budget, Retain 1988 Tax Rate

Briscoe County Commissioners adopted the budget for 1989 and kept the tax rate at the 1988 rate of .4150 per \$100 valuation in their special meeting Monday morning.

After a discussion with Treasurer Janice Hill as to how the balance of the general fund compared with the balance at the same time last year, Commission-

er Jack Chandler moved and Commissioner Bryant Eddleman seconded the motion to keep the tax rate the same. Motion carried unanimously.

Commissioners noted that the declining county tax base would probably make a tax rate increase necessary next year, but they decided to review that situation carefully at that time.

Earlier in the meeting, Commissioner Chandler had moved that the County Attorney's salary be set at \$13,000, with a provision of \$4,500 for a secretary for the County Attorney and \$500 for office supplies for that office, and the motion died for lack of a second.

Commissioner Shafe Weaver moved that the salary and office expense be left as it is in the budget with a salary of \$4,800 until the County Attorney is

elected and comes to the Court with a budget request. Commissioner L. B. Garvin, jr. seconded the motion. Commissioners Weaver and Garvin voted for the motion, Commissioners Eddleman and Chandler voted against the motion, and Judge Jimmy Ross cast the tie-breaking vote in favor of the motion.

Sharon Pigg, write-in candidate for the office of County Attorney, was present at the meeting and said she would present her office's budget requirements to the Commissioners following the general election.

Commissioner Garvin told the Court that he knew the Commissioners couldn't do anything about it, but said that he felt many county salaries are too low.

Sheriff Dick Roehr brought a proposal on vehicles for his office that had been presented to the Court earlier and asked the Commissioners to approve or disapprove the question. No action was taken.

Commissioner Weaver moved that the budget be adopted, Commissioner Garvin seconded the motion, and the motion carried unanimously.

County Tax Collector Fairy McWilliams asked that her part-time clerk be deputized so that she can sign papers when the tax collector is out of the office. Motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Chandler reported that he had met with representatives of the Soil Conservation Service in regard to work needed in the area south of Highway 86 in Precinct 2 where a sloping area has a gully that needs to be repaired. This has been caused, in part, by runoff from the road and it is threatening to close the road if it gets larger. A letter had been drafted requesting SCS to provide planning assistance, to survey the situation and to present a cost estimate to the Commissioners. Commissioner Chandler moved that this request be made of SCS, Commissioner Garvin seconded, and the Court voted unanimously to sign the letter of request.

The Judge reported that the asbestos has been removed from the boiler.

Commissioner Chandler reported that the boll weevil infestation has escalated below the Caprock and especially east of Quitaque he feels farmers are in danger of losing their crop.

Ag Field Day Is This Morning

Briscoe County farmers are invited to attend the annual Agriculture Field Day today, September 22. The tour will begin at the Bryant Eddleman farm, three miles east of Silverton on Highway 86, at 9:30 a.m.

The group will return to the show barn by 11:30 a.m. for the program and noon meal. Representatives from Dupont, Sandoz and BASF will answer questions concerning the use of Ally, Glean and Banvel on CRP grasses and the use of BASF products on cotton.

The annual field day is co-sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Soil Conservation Service and the Caprock Soil and Water Conservation District.

Saturday Is Family Game Night

Briscoe County Activities Association will have game night beginning at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, September 24, at the County Show Barn.

The public is invited. Admission is \$5.00 per family or \$2.50 per person. Refreshments will be served.

Church to Have Rummage Sale

A rummage sale will be held this week at the Assembly of God Church, beginning Thursday at 8:30 a.m. and continuing until 6:00 p.m. The sale continues on Friday, from 8:30 to 6:00.

Rev. and Mrs. Royce Combs wish to thank all who have donated and helped with their rummage sales.

The liver is a gland, not an organ.

Booster Club To Serve Hamburgers

Silverton's Booster Club will be serving hamburgers hot off the barbecue grill at the football game concession stand Friday night, beginning at 6:00 p.m.

The charge will be \$2.50 for a hamburger, chips and drink.

Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m. Plan now to eat with the Booster Club and cheer the Owls to a big victory against Guthrie.

4-H Members Can Order Special T-Shirts

County 4-H members who wish to order a 4-H T-shirt to wear during National 4-H Week October 2-8 and at other times, need to turn in their orders and money to the County Extension Office in the Courthouse basement by September 27, so these can be ordered.

Available from the Texas 4-H Center is the white shirt with a green stripe across the front that says, "Texas 4-H." The shirt is 50% cotton and 50% polyester and costs \$8.50 for youth sizes and \$9.25 for adult sizes. A half T-shirt in white with green and denim imprint is \$8.85. White with green 4-H bandanas are \$2.50.

These items are not a 4-H requirement, but are of interest to some members.

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Danny Perkins Is New Assistant Bell County Agent

Background in the wide open spaces of rural West Texas brought with it an almost certain introduction to youth 4-H and Future Farmers of America. And that face-to-face encounter was enough to sell Danny Perkins on agricultural youth programs.

Today, the Silverton native is officially in the saddle as Assistant Bell County Extension Agent in Belton.

The 29-year-old, a December graduate of Texas Tech University in Lubbock, is growing accustomed to the Central Texas climate, people and his "new shoes."

But to him, the job description reads like a well-traveled road map—75 percent devotion to 4-H youth programs and 25 percent involvement with adult agricultural undertakings.

Perkins also is working with County Extension Agent James Davis on result demonstrations, livestock production and developing research plots for farmers. But the broad scope of county youth programs still is commanding his commitment.

"In Bell County, 4-H can occupy 150 percent of your time," Davis said.

Perkins recalls his early intro-

duction to agriculture, provided by the family in the community of Silverton. For Perkins, the morning routine meant getting out of bed every day at 6:00 o'clock to feed the pigs or to exercise the animals for an upcoming stock show before departing for his day at school.

"I liked it because it was out in the country. You could run around wild and not get into trouble for it," Perkins said with a subtle grin.

After the children began to set out on their own, his parents left the agricultural activities to pursue other ventures, he said. His father is now employed by the City of Silverton and his mother works for the school district there; however, the rural upbringing left its mark—not only on Danny but also on one of his brothers who now serves as a County Extension Agent in Odessa.

Girl Scouts Needing Crayola UPC Symbols

Silverton Girl Scout Troops are needing the Crayola Brand UPC symbols from boxes of Crayola crayons to make them eligible to enter a national coloring event.

If you have any of these UPC symbols you would give the girls, please contact Lois Hill or Vici Baird.

Junior High Owls Suffer Defeat Here

Silverton's Junior High Owls suffered a big black 41-0 defeat at the hands of Lazbuddie here last Thursday afternoon in their first game of the season.

The Owls kicked off with the wind at their backs to open the game, and all looked good for the home team as Lazbuddie fumbled the kick and the Owls recovered on the Lazbuddie 37. Runs by Stephen Cavitt and Casey Frizell weren't enough to get a first down and the Owls punted into the end zone for a touchback on the 20. On first down, the Junior 'Horns went all the way for the first touchdown, carried the PAT in and held an early 7-0 lead.

Silverton's next possession was cut short by a pass interception, and after two plays Lazbuddie scored again and carried in the PAT.

Early in the second quarter, Wil T Bomar intercepted a Lazbuddie pass in the endzone for a touchback. At the end of this series, the Owls didn't get their punt off and Lazbuddie got the ball on the Silverton two-yardline. The 'Horns scored on the next play, passed complete for the PAT, and led 21-0.

Next punt for the Owls was blocked and recovered by Lazbuddie on the Silverton 10. They scored on the next down, ran the PAT and moved ahead 28-0.

The Junior 'Horns intercepted a Silverton pass to end the next series for the Owls, scored on the next play, carried the PAT and moved to a 35-0 advantage.

The next series of plays for Silverton was concluded with a blocked punt which went into the endzone for a touchdown. The 'Horns failed on their PAT

Mrs. Autry Surprised With Birthday Party

Mrs. Susie Autry was surprised Saturday when a party was held in honor of her eightieth birthday in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Donald and Jane Bean, in Floydada. Donald cooked steaks on the outdoor grill for all to enjoy.

All four of her children and their spouses were present for the occasion, along with all nine of her grandchildren and all six of her great-grandchildren.

Those present were Kenneth and Ann Bean, Lubbock; Walter and Bobbye Bean, Silverton; Philip and Mildred Smitherman, Donald and Jane Bean, all of Floydada; Marc and Barbara Smitherman, Knoxville, Tennes-

see; Monty Smitherman, Abilene; Diane Claiborne and children, Alan and Jean, Judy Bean and a friend, Alex Tzouanakis, all of Houston; Randy and Carla Davis and children, Rebecca and Brad, Slaton; Mike and Tammy Bean, Mesquite; Brent and Jan Bean and sons, Zachary and Andrew, Amarillo; Kyle Bean, New Deal, and Casey Bean, Midland.

Mrs. Autry was presented a glider for her front porch as a birthday gift.

Christi Comer and Melissa Wood of Angelo State University and Durward and Edith Brown of Clovis, New Mexico were luncheon guests of Zelda Dudley Saturday.

Win Owls!



attempt, and held a 41-0 lead. Lazbuddie recovered yet another Silverton fumble before the game ended.

The Junior High Owls will be traveling to Cotton Center today with kickoff scheduled at 5:30 p.m. They need all the support you can give to help get them on the road to victory, so plan now to accompany them to the game.



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Looking Back

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September 21, 1978—Colleen Hutsell and Tracy Gill joined other WTSU President's Honor Scholars at a reception in their honor on the WTSU campus in Canyon last week . . . Junior class officers are Rose Lee Perkins, president; Cam Forbes, vice-president; Karen Martin, secretary; Melissa Greenhaw, treasurer; Marilyn Hardin, reporter; Connie Rowell and Paul Brannon, parliamentarians; Cam Forbes and Marilyn Hardin, Student Council representatives . . . Sophomore class officers are Roger Cantwell, president; Brandon Jarrett, vice-president; Sally Northcutt, secretary; Brenda Boling, treasurer; Shelly Harris, reporter; Staci Mayfield and Russell Couch, parliamentarians; Penny Cogdell and John Segura, Student Council delegates; Miss Linda Doerfler, sponsor . . . Wayne Reed is Fans' Player of the Week . . . Ursel Taylor delivered the first load of new corn to Service Elevator Monday . . . Mrs. O. C. Maples was admitted to Central Plains Hospital in Plainview Tuesday night . . . Mrs. Flute Hutsell underwent tests at Swisher Memorial Hospital Tuesday morning . . . Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill to observe fortieth wedding anniversary . . . Descendants of J. J. and Hattie Lou Turner have reunion in Silverton School Cafeteria . . .

September 19, 1968 — Owls open season with upset victory over White Deer Bucks . . . Owls to host Turks Friday night . . . Big country-style steer roping to be held Sunday . . . Funeral services conducted for Arnold Monroe Turner . . . Mrs. Mary A. Couch, 85, buried at Turkey . . . Baptist revival opens here Sunday . . . Miss Christine Colee is bride of William Ray Schott . . . Candidates for Football Queen are Dorothy Yancy, Lanis Davis, Paula Birdwell and Juannah Nance . . . Senior class officers are Paul Ray McWilliams, president; Cletus Grady, jr., vice-president; Carol Montague, secretary; Juannah Nance, treasurer, and Larry Comer, parliamentarian . . . FFA officers elected recently are Larry Comer, president; Roy Dale Wood, vice-president; Danny Vaughan, secretary; Gary Martin, treasurer; Thurman May, reporter, and Max Hamilton, sentinel . . .

September 25, 1958—Rex Vaughan wins reserve champion honors at Donley County Fair and Horse Show with Chubby Sue Gal, a mare foaled in 1956 . . . 1.93 inches of moisture received along with some hail during the past week. Heaviest hail damage was reported south and west of town . . . Jennings Supply Co. pours foundation for new store building . . . Ronald Ledbetter appointed to Dormitory Improvement committee at Wayland Baptist College . . . Stephen Jarnagin selected to serve on Razor Blade committee at Wayland . . . Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick, 81, trips on water hose and breaks leg . . . Army Pvt. Jaye M. Turner finished Transportation Driver Training School at Fort Eustis, Virginia . . . Zenobia

Self appointed to Intramurals committee at Wayland . . . Brad Wilson, Norman Chitty, Troy Chitty, Gerald Garvin and Buz Bailey, a former resident, are attending Clarendon College this year . . . Mr. and Mrs. John Francis are parents of a daughter, Lesa . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomas have moved from their farm northwest of Silverton to Plainview to make their home . . .

September 23, 1948—Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wimberly have just begun construction in the west part of town of a seven-room modern home with garage attached. When the house is completed, it will be modern throughout . . . Work on Church

of Christ building is progressing nicely . . . Buster Wilson building new granary for storing grain crop . . . Owls beat Claude Mustangs, 14-6 . . . C. E. Anderson irrigation well at west edge of town is a good one . . . Members of Church of Christ are meeting at the courthouse while construction is underway . . . Dillard Scott sells Palace Drug to E. E. Burgess . . . First bale of cotton brings \$163.50 premium . . . Mrs. Bill Watters was taken to Lubbock Sunday where she underwent major surgery Tuesday of last week . . . J. D. Bingham honored with birthday celebration . . . Dinner guests in Clifford Allard home Sunday . . .

Ashel Cross is ill in the Tulia hospital . . . William Norris Offield enlists in U. S. Army . . .

September 22, 1938—Football season opens here Friday . . . Nine indictments returned by Grand Jury . . . Silverton FFA officers are Minyard Long, president; Fred Brannon, vice-president; Bill Long, secretary; W. C. Donnell, treasurer; J. D. McGavock, reporter; Hank Brown, watchdog; Tom Brooks, historian; Thomas Olive, parliamentarian . . . Editor Roy Hahn wrote: "In a copy of 'The Stayer' that was brought in by Nig Reid, dated June 25, 1898, we find Cassy McClendon heading the Honor Roll of the first grade.

Clay Fowler says "There must be some mistake" . . . Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Shelton and children visited in the P. H. McKenney home Sunday . . .

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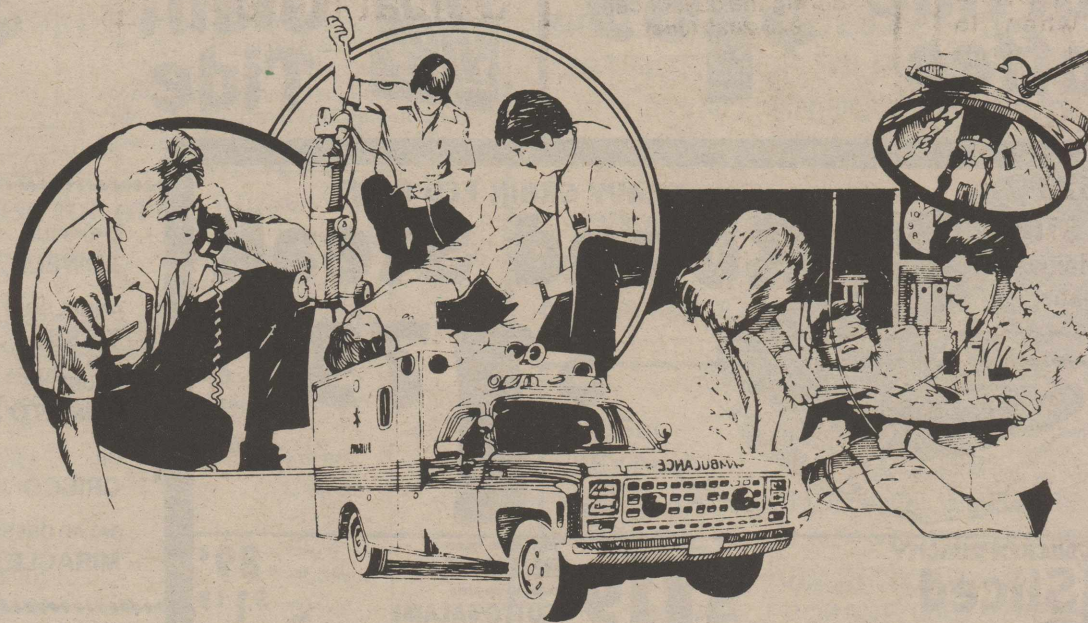
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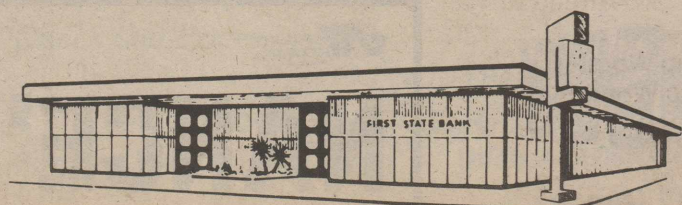


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Owls Suffer Big Loss at Lazbuddie

The No. 9-ranked Lazbuddie Longhorns jumped all over the No. 3-rated Silverton Owls Friday night, presenting Silverton with its first loss, 52-6.

The 'Horns scored six of their eight touchdowns on passes. The Lazbuddie quarterback threw for touchdown passes from 35 and 10 yards out in the opening quarter before connecting on a 43 yarder in the second period. The 'Horns also scored on a 25-yard halfback pass and a four-yard run, making it 32-0 at halftime.

Lazbuddie passed for their fourth and final touchdown in the third period before the Owls registered their lone points on a 55-yard run by Brian West. A 30-yard scoring strike from Lazbuddie preceded the final TD of the night, a 20-yard run by Lazbuddie which finalized the score at 52-6.

Lazbuddie made 19 first downs as compared with nine for the Owls. The Longhorns made 155 yards rushing and 356 yards passing for an impressive offense of 511 yards. The Owls were able to muster 148 yards rushing and 42 yards passing for a total offense of 190 yards.

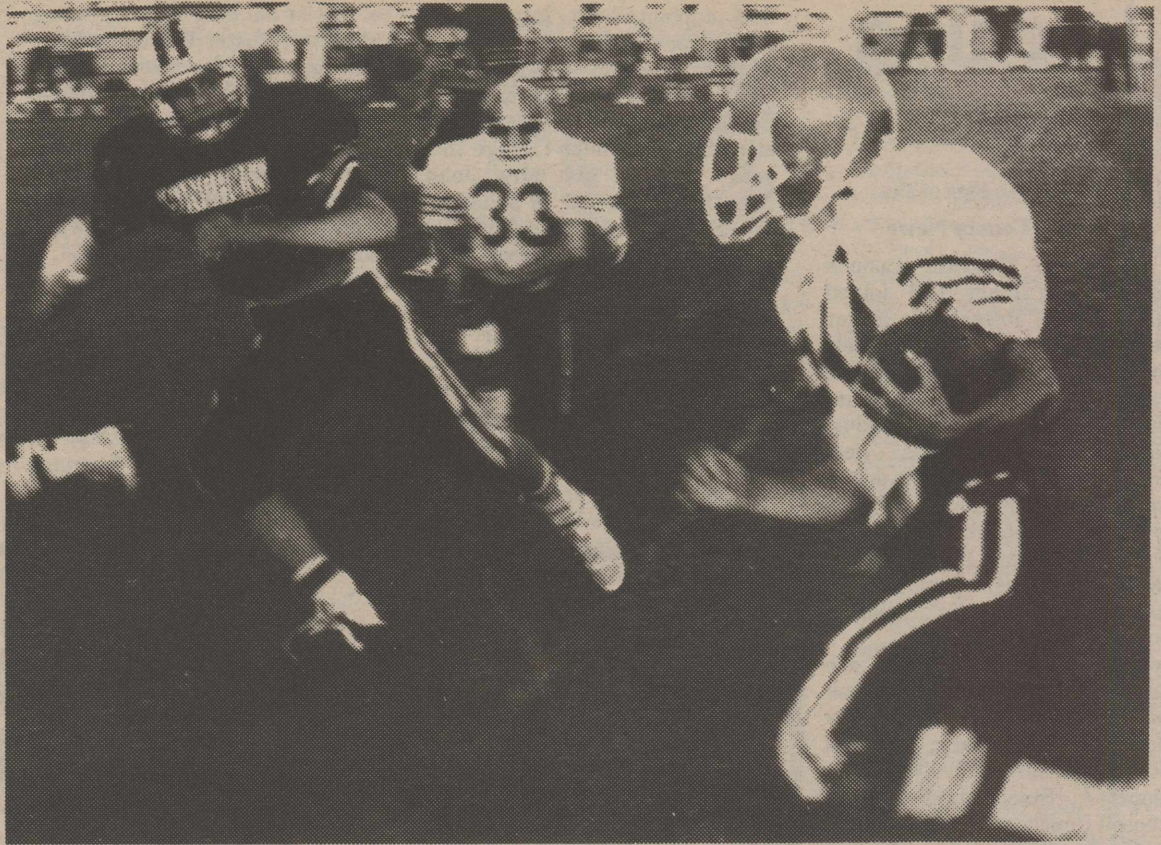
The Owls let several opportunities slip through their fingers in

this game. The first of these came early in the game when Lazbuddie had thrown three incomplete passes and punted. Silverton fumbled the kick return, Lazbuddie recovered it on the Owl 36, and went on to score on the next play. The Longhorns had bad snaps from center all night long, and missed most of their PAT attempts as a result of this.

Quarterback Kendal Minyard passed complete to Jamie Frizzell for a first down and runs by Wayne Henderson moved the ball for another first down on the Lazbuddie 17 before a couple of quarterback sacks moved the ball back to the Longhorn 33 where the ball went over on downs.

The Owls had seen Will Rowell take a Lazbuddie after-touchdown kickoff to the Lazbuddie 32, and after the 'Horns were penalized for illegal use of the hands the ball was moved to the Lazbuddie 16 when time ran out in the first half.

Minyard completed another pass to Frizzell before the Owls were forced to punt away in the third quarter, and Lazbuddie's next series was cut short when Bryan Ramsey intercepted a



Will Rowell (60) returning a kickoff for the Owls at Lazbuddie last Friday night. Denny Hill (33) was also in the action.

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pass and ran it to the Silverton 37. Again the 'Horn defense forced an Owl punt. On Silverton's next possession, the ball was lost on a fumble.

Lazbuddie returned the ball to the Owls on their first down via the fumble route on the Silverton

25, and on the next play, West scored for the Owls. The PAT kick was blocked. Time ran out in the third quarter on the scoring play.

The game ended when Lazbuddie scored the last time, with 2:33 remaining on the game

clock.

The Owls completed two of six passes attempted, while Lazbuddie completed 16 of 36. Silverton lost two fumbles and recovered one of Lazbuddie's, and each team was intercepted once.

Other results of interest from last week included Bovina 16, Groom 12; Lefors 43, Amarillo Alamo Catholic 6; McLean 40, Miami 8; Higgins, open.

This week's schedule sees Lazbuddie at Groom, Guthrie at Silverton, Miami at Goodwell, Oklahoma, McLean at Harrold, Bovina and Higgins at Groom, and Texline at Lefors.

The Owls need a lift to regain their winning ways this week. Plan to wear your red and white Friday in support of the team and go to the game at Payne Field to pack the stands and CHEER for the Owls. The coaches and players will appreciate it if everyone works to make it look like a Homecoming crowd for them Friday night to lift their spirits to victory.



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Oct. 14--Groom*, Away, 7:30
Oct. 21--Higgins*, Here, 7:30
Oct. 28--Lefors*, Here, 7:30
Nov. 4--McLean*, Away, 7:30
*Denotes District Games

SILVERTON JUNIOR HIGH OWLS FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 22--Cotton Center, There, 5:30
Sept. 29--Alamo Catholic, There, 5:30
Oct. 6--Miami*, Home, 5:30
Oct. 13--Groom*, Home, 5:30
Oct. 20--Higgins*, Lefors, 5:30
Oct. 27--Lefors*, There, 5:30
Nov. 3--McLean*, Home, 5:30
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Seventh Grade Youth Fellowship Class at the First United Methodist Church recently enjoyed a Sundae-Making Contest. They were furnished the ingredients and used their imagination to create their own sundaes.

Prayer and Share Sisters Enjoy Luncheon Meeting

The Prayer and Share Sisters (PASS) enjoyed a luncheon in the home of Lois Nance Wednesday of last week.

This was the first meeting this fall for the group. This year the study will be a "Basic Bible Course."

A round table devotional was held, and plans were finished for this year's study.

PASS will meet on the second Wednesday of each month at 4:00 p.m. and anyone desiring to study the bible is welcome to join them.

Those attending the luncheon and planning meeting were Lucy McDaniel, Florene Fitzgerald, Glenda Francis, Mildred McDaniel, Lanita Cantwell and the hostess, Mrs. Nance.

Mrs. Francis will host the October meeting.

Comings And Goings

Norma Scarborough of Amarillo has been a visitor in the J. D. Nance home this past week.

Michael and Christopher Lahoud of Fort Worth spent a week recently with their great-grandparents, J. D. and Lois Nance.

Gene and Gayle Hardin and their son and his wife, Bailey and Shannon Burk, flew from Dallas to Lubbock Saturday, September 10, to visit Axie Hardin. They enjoyed a private tour of the Llano Estacado Winery and a special wine tasting.

Mrs. Axie Hardin is delighted with her new home and is thriving on the independent lifestyle she has found in Lubbock. New friends and frequent outings fill her days. She stays quite busy and is in good health. Her phone number in Lubbock is 806-793-5549. She keeps in touch with home by the Briscoe County News.

Ashel and Mildred McDaniel went to Clarendon Friday night to the Homecoming football game and saw their granddaughter, Kayla Hunt, daughter of Gary and Nena Hunt, crowned as Football Queen.

Mrs. Truman (Irene) Loyd underwent surgery last week at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Mrs. Oford (Christine) King underwent gall bladder surgery Saturday at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Donald Sarchet of Amarillo, Charles Sarchet and A. R. Martin were in Perryton Sunday to attend the tractor show.

Casey Frizzell won two third-place trophies in the Keeley Karate Tournament at Monahan recently. Accompanying him to the tournament were his parents, Lynn and Kathy Frizzell.

Jettie Hardcastle accompanied Al and Hazel Stevenson of Cheyenne, Wyoming to Skellytown to attend the funeral of Bill Thompson Tuesday of last week. Mr. Thompson lived at Silverton a number of years.

Al and Hazel Stevenson of Cheyenne, Wyoming, Jettie Hardcastle and Bertha Mae Allard were in Fort Sumner, New Mexico Wednesday of last week to visit their brother, Lee Stevenson, who is ill.

Senior Citizens Center Hostesses For October

- Mon., Oct. 3--Wilma Hunt
- Thu., Oct. 6--Ruby McWaters
- Fri., Oct. 7--Ruby Hester
- Mon., Oct. 10--Holiday
- Thu., Oct. 13--Letha Lanham
- Fri., Oct. 14--Ione Cushing
- Mon., Oct. 17--Jewell Lowrey
- Thu., Oct. 20--Flo Fitzgerald
- Fri., Oct. 21--Luncheon
- Mon., Oct. 24--LaNell Hill
- Thu., Oct. 27--Vivian Hughes
- Fri., Oct. 28--LaVerne Mercer
- Mon., Oct. 31--Susie Autry



To win a bet for \$40, Thomas Garson of Chicago ate 22 hamburgers and two quarts of ice cream in 25 minutes back in 1938.



The world's largest swimming pool is one located in Casablanca, Morocco. It's 1,575 feet long and 246 feet wide—an area of 8.9 acres.

Ballet Class Offered All Ages

Saturday, September 24, at 11:00 a.m. in the Silverton School Cafeteria, there will be registration for ballet classes. Aerobics also will be offered if there is enough interest.

The instructor is a former student of Susan Acer School of Dance in Lubbock and is a member of the Lubbock Civic Ballet, having performed numerous times in "The Nutcracker."

Silverton is fortunate to have access to such an accomplished teacher and not have to drive great distances to provide this experience for the children.

After registration, there will be a "large class" lesson at which time the placement of each student will take place. The lesson will be one hour in length. Please be prepared to stay the extra time for placement.

After Saturday, lessons will be scheduled on a weekly basis on another day than Saturday.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

September 22—Wayne Nance, Dianne Bridges, Becky Dunn, Homer Stephens, Mark Auston, Shavonne Lowrey

September 23—Emmie Garcia, Helen Strange, Russell Simpson, Brandon Eddleman

September 25—Jim Estes, Florene Fitzgerald

September 26—Aimee Francis, Matthew Davis

September 27—Leslie Polley, Vivian Hughes, Maebelle Francis

September 28—John Schott, Brian Strickland, Neva Comer

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...

September 22—Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bean

September 23—Mr. and Mrs. Bill Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Greeson

September 24—Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Brannon, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Estes

September 26—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill

September 27—Mr. and Mrs. David Holt

September 28—Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lavy

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Daingerfield State Park is one of the many beautiful places in East Texas to see autumn's colors at their finest. Much of the 11.5 million acres of forest lands in the eastern third of the state are composed of maples, oaks, hickories, gums and other hardwoods. These trees provide for a brilliant display of fall foliage in late October and November. Dozens of festivals are held to pay homage to this special season, including the popular Winnsboro Autumn Trails, held each weekend in October. Tourism Division, Texas Department of Commerce photo.

PUBLIC NOTICE
BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS
OF PROPOSED
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
GENERAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 8, 1988

**PROPOSITION NO. 1
ON THE BALLOT**

Senate Joint Resolution 8 proposes a constitutional amendment providing that when the federal government reimburses the state for expenditures of state funds dedicated to acquiring rights-of-way and for constructing, maintaining, and policing public roadways, such federal funds must also be used for those purposes.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment and/or clarification providing that federal reimbursement of state highway dedicated funds are themselves dedicated for the purpose of acquiring rights-of-way and constructing, maintaining, and policing public roadways."

**PROPOSITION NO. 2
ON THE BALLOT**

House Joint Resolution 2 proposes a constitutional amendment to establish an economic stabilization fund in the state treasury. The fund would consist of one half of the unencumbered balance of general revenues at the end of a biennium and three fourths of the difference between the net oil and gas production taxes received in a fiscal year and the net oil and gas production taxes received in the 1987 fiscal year. During any fiscal biennium, the amount in the economic stabilization fund could not exceed 10% of the total deposited in general revenue in the preceding biennium.

The state comptroller and the state treasurer could decide to trans-

fer monies from the fund into the general revenue fund to alleviate a temporary cash shortage in general revenue. The legislature could make appropriations from the fund on approval by a three fifths vote of each house to make up the difference between anticipated general revenue and appropriations. On approval of two thirds of the members of each house of the legislature, the legislature could appropriate monies from the fund for any purpose.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment establishing an economic stabilization fund in the state treasury to be used to offset unforeseen shortfalls in revenue."

**PROPOSITION NO. 3
ON THE BALLOT**

House Joint Resolution 5 proposes a constitutional amendment that establishes the Texas growth fund. All investments of the Texas growth fund must be directly related to furthering economic growth and employment opportunities in Texas. At least 50 percent of the fund must be invested in equity and/or debt security for the initial construction, expansion, or modernization of business or industrial facilities in Texas. Not more than ten percent of the fund may be invested in venture capital investments. Of the funds available for venture capital investments, not more than 25 percent may be invested unilaterally, and the remaining investments must be matched at least equally by funds from other sources. The Texas

growth fund will be managed by a board of trustees consisting of four members appointed by the Governor and one member from and elected by the membership of each of the following: The Board of Regents of the University of Texas System; The Board of Regents of the Texas A&M System; The Board of Trustees of the Teacher's Retirement System of Texas; The Board of Trustees of the Employee's Retirement System of Texas; and the State Board of Education. The trustees may set the investment policy of the fund, enter into investment contracts, and take any action necessary for the creation, administration, and protection of the fund. The amendment authorizes the Board of Regents of the University of Texas System and the State Board of Education, in managing the permanent university fund and the permanent school fund, to acquire, exchange, sell, supervise, manage, or retain any kind of investment, including investments in the Texas growth fund. The fund will be phased out after the tenth anniversary of its creation, but the Legislature may create a second growth fund by a two thirds vote of each house.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for the investment of the permanent university fund, the permanent school fund, and public employee retirement systems in the Texas growth fund created by the amendment, which will directly create, retain, and expand job opportunity and economic growth in Texas."

Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el día 8 de noviembre de 1988. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711.

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These are just some of the lively excursions viewers take during the 1988-1989 season of DISCOVER: THE WORLD OF SCIENCE. This critically acclaimed series of five hour-long, magazine-style television specials premieres October 17, on PBS stations throughout Arkansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas, except KERA in Dallas. The series will premier on KERA October 19.

DISCOVER: THE WORLD OF SCIENCE is being underwritten for a third year by GTE Corporation. GTE has long had a commitment to excellence in science and education, and believes that a series like this can help students understand the place of science in everyday life. In keeping with that commitment, the company is developing a special teacher guide and poster for each of the shows, available entirely free of charge to all interested science educators in grades seven to twelve.

Teachers who have not yet enrolled in the 1988-89 season of GTE'S DISCOVER: THE WORLD OF SCIENCE School Program should contact the GTE School Program toll free at 1-800-523-5948 to enroll. Deadline for enrollment for teacher materials is September 23.

Last year, over 40,000 teachers enrolled their science classes in the program.

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BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS
Silverton, Texas

TDA releases new food price survey

Drought shouldn't have affected bread, cereal retail prices

Farm share is only a tiny part of the cost of grain-based food products.

Average Farm Value of Grain-based Products.

Kellogg's Corn Flakes (18 oz.)
Retail Price: \$1.81
Farm Value: \$.08

Profits:
Kellogg Co. profits for the second quarter of 1988 were up 25.5% over last year.

Wonder Bread (1 lb.)
Retail Price: \$1.01
Farm Value: \$.05

Profits:
Ralston-Purina, parent company of Wonder Bread, increased second quarter profits in 1988 by 38.6% over last year.

Gold Medal Flour (5 lb.)
Retail Price: \$1.23
Farm Value: \$.22

Profits:
General Mills, parent company of Gold Medal, increased second quarter profits in 1988 by 52.1% over last year.

(AUSTIN)--"The retail prices Texas consumers are paying for beef and grain-based food products have skyrocketed out of proportion to farmers' share of those food costs," Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower says. Hightower made the comments in releasing the latest surveys from the Texas Department of Agriculture on rising consumer food prices in the wake of a summer-long drought.

"The price of Wonder Bread, for instance, rose 19 percent in Texas between June and August, or 16 cents a loaf, while the farmer's share of the loaf increased by one-twentieth of a penny. The price of Nabisco Saltine crackers went up 25 percent, or 26 cents, while the farmer's share increased by one-fiftieth of a penny. Ranchers have seen a 10 percent decline in cattle prices in the past three months, but retail beef prices have gone up. In the latest of a series of biweekly market surveys, the Texas Department of Agriculture found that prices on 26 of 36 specific food items have increased since June in 13 Texas cities.

"We're not suffering from the greenhouse effect in food prices. It's the White House effect that has exploited farmers and consumers for the benefit of profiteers," Hightower said.

"While farmers are losing their farms, the large food processors are reveling in the price hikes they've been able to impose, claiming the drought as their justification. The 10 largest processors report an increase in second quarter earnings of between 16 percent and 51.3 percent over their earnings from the second quarter of last year. Phillip Morris (which owns Oscar Mayer meats) showed a 32 percent increase. ConAgra showed a 16 percent increase in earnings, and Pillsbury realized a 51.3 percent increase. By contrast, publicly held grocery chains showed either no increased earnings or a substantial loss when compared to last year," Hightower said.

"The 1.4 percent increase in consumer food prices recorded in July added an additional \$326 million to the grocery bills of Americans, bending out

of shape the Consumer Price Index. If this keeps up, there could be a new round of inflation that will hurt consumers and farmers alike," Hightower said.

"And it's certainly not as if we saw a drop in retail food prices when the price of grain was dropping so dramatically over the past seven years. When the farm value of Wheaties, for instance, dropped from three to two cents for a 12-ounce box, consumers didn't get a one-penny rebate! Instead, the price of Wheaties rose from \$1.04 in 1981 to an average price in Texas today of \$1.83. That price hike, obviously, is not the result of an increase in farm prices, because grain prices during the seven-year period declined overall by nearly 40 percent.

"Using the same logic being espoused by the commodity traders today, that means consumer food prices should also have dropped over the last seven years. But, lo and behold, retail food prices rose by 36 percent between 1980 and 1987, while the farmers' share of the consumer food dollar dropped from 31 cents to 25 cents. While thousands of family farmers and ranchers were being driven off their land, the leading food processors were making beaucoups profits: Between 1980 and 1987, ConAgra enjoyed profit increases of 513 percent; Quaker Oats

increased its profit by 139 percent, and Kellogg's profit was up by 114 percent. Leading the profiteering frenzy are Administration officials and economists who espouse a philosophy of low prices for producers, but encourage record profits for shippers and manufacturers," Hightower said.



On the average, a person takes in about 16,000 gallons of water during his or her life.



Every million years an entire thin surface layer of the Moon's soil is turned over 100 times by meteorites that land on the planet.

Grain, Meat products show no cause for price hikes

Hightower points to small farm share of retail food cost

Farmers get smallest share for grain-based products

This summer's price hikes on grain-based food products were totally without justification by the drought, according to Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower. The Texas Department of Agriculture surveyed food and crop prices all summer and found that price hikes were completely unrelated to crop price changes. The following chart provides some examples from the survey.

Product	Texas Retail Price		Retail Change	Farm Change
	6/24/88	8/19/88		
Kellogg's Corn Flakes (18 oz.)	\$1.76	\$1.81	+5¢	-1¢
Wheaties (12 oz.)	\$1.81	\$1.83	+2¢	-0.2¢
Wonder Bread (1 lb.)	\$0.85	\$1.01	+16¢	+0.04¢
Pepperidge Farms White Bread (1 lb.)	\$1.19	\$1.25	+6¢	+0.04¢
Nabisco Saltine Crackers (1 lb.)	\$1.04	\$1.30	+26¢	+0.02¢
Gold Medal Flour (5 lb.)	\$1.22	\$1.23	+1¢	+0.2¢
Dry Pinto Beans (1 lb.)	\$0.42	\$0.47	+5¢	+3¢

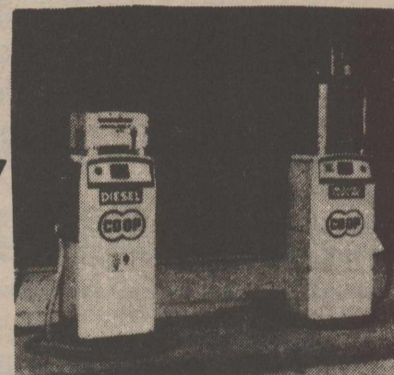
Consumers received no benefit from falling meat prices.

Falling beef and pork prices at the farm level never made their way to consumers this summer, Hightower pointed out, because middlemen used the drought to soak consumers. Beef and pork prices fell because many animals were slaughtered early in response to the drought, creating a large supply and weak prices. Poultry prices increased the most at the farm level, although some of the more processed poultry products showed price increases substantially larger than the farm cost would justify. These are some of the results of the Texas Department of Agriculture's summer survey of food products.

Product	Texas Retail Price		Retail Change	Farm Change
	6/24/88	8/19/88		
Oscar Mayer wieners (1 lb.)	\$2.25	\$2.42	+17¢	-2¢
Oscar Mayer bologna (1 lb.)	\$2.29	\$2.38	+9¢	-2¢
Pork loin chops (1 lb.)	\$2.73	\$2.84	+11¢	-0.05¢
Beef fajita skirt, (1 lb.)	\$3.10	\$3.15	+5¢	-4¢
Eggs, Grade AA, large (1 doz.)	\$0.64	\$0.89	+25¢	+16¢
Chicken, whole Grade A (1 lb.)	\$0.84	\$0.91	+7¢	+6¢
Chicken breasts, boneless (1 lb.)	\$3.37	\$3.56	+19¢	+6¢
Turkey ham, boneless, packaged (1 lb.)	\$1.92	\$2.07	+15¢	+14¢

The Texas Department of Agriculture surveyed a marketbasket of items at 39 grocery stores across the state every two weeks through the summer of 1988, recording the prices of the products as they are available to consumers.

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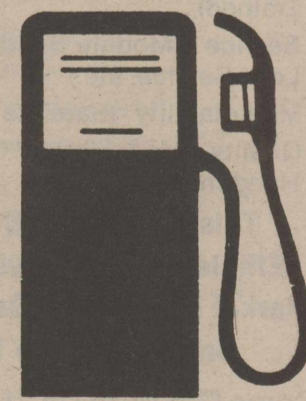
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The preliminary weighted average farm price for U. S. upland cotton through July came to 59.2 cents per pound.

The deficiency payment under the 1988 farm program will be determined by subtracting either the calendar year average price or the 51.8-cent loan from the established 75.9-cent target price, whichever results in the smaller payment. USDA estimated the payment rate for the year at 16 cents, and producers who requested an advance, as most did, received 40 percent of that

amount, 6.4 cents, at program signup in late 1987. The remainder will be paid in 1989 after final price figures, including revised figures for the first seven months, have been tallied through December.

Should the 59.2-cent average through July hold for the rest of the year, the total payment would come to 16.7 cents, and producers could expect a final settlement of 10.3 cents above the advance.

But Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains

Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, thinks the final payment may be well above that level. "U. S. prices have been in a freefall since June, we're harvesting a crop of almost 15 million bales, looking at a carryover in excess of eight million bales, and the adjusted world price has fallen to the low 40's. So there's little hope for a return to the 57 to 61-cent farm prices that prevailed earlier," Johnson concludes.

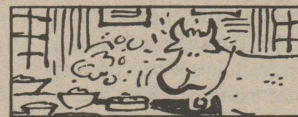
The reported average price dropped from 61.2 cents in June to 58.6 cents in July, and the latest figure, for mid-August, came in at only 55.2 cents. However marketings at the lower July price were only 123,000 bales, and the weighted annual average was hardly affected. The full month price and volume for August won't be available until September 30.

If the lower prices continue through the heavier volume months of August through December, as expected, Johnson figures the weighted annual average will drop appreciably. Marketings for the final five months of 1987 accounted for an admittedly unusual 79 percent of the year's total. In a more normal year, 1986, almost 60 percent of the year's volume was recorded in the final five months.

If one assumes an average farm price of 55 cents, and marketings of another 6.5 million bales (about 65 percent of the total) for the remainder of 1988, Johnson speculates, the annual average price would equal about 56 cents and a total deficiency payment of 19.9 cents would be due, 13.5 cents above the advance.



Andrew Johnson was the only ex-President to be elected to the United States Senate.



Cows have four stomachs.

Avoid Taking Illness To Work Or School

Along with a sandwich you could be packing the potential for food-borne illness in your brown bag lunch.

According to Marilyn Haggard, a food safety expert with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, people often have a cavalier attitude about sack lunches.

"When they're at home, most people wouldn't eat a sandwich out of lunch meat that had been out on the kitchen counter for four hours, yet they'll take a meat sandwich to work in the morning and let it sit unrefrigerated until lunch time," she said.

Lack of refrigeration that allows bacteria to multiply rapidly in protein foods is the culprit in causing countless cases of upset stomach, diarrhea and other flu-like symptoms associated with food-borne illnesses.

Of the typical brown bag lunch fare, tuna, egg and chicken salads, lunch meats and leftovers are most likely to cause problems, according to the specialist.

"Contrary to popular opinion, it's not the mayonnaise in sandwiches that spoils. In fact, mayonnaise offers some protection against bacteria because it contains vinegar," she said. "It's the meat, poultry, fish or eggs in which bacteria multiply rapidly at room temperature."

"Leftovers like a meatloaf sandwich or macaroni and cheese can also be a problem because they consist of food that has previously been handled, so more bacteria have been introduced," she said.

When no refrigeration is available at school or work, Haggard suggests freezing sandwiches. Use a coarse-textured bread and lightly spread it with margarine so the sandwich won't get soggy. Pack the lettuce, tomato or other add-ons separately then add them at lunch.

If you don't freeze the sandwich, add an ice-pack to the lunch. They're available in stores or you can make one by freezing water in a small margarine tub.

Or you can freeze a foil pouch or wax-paper carton of fruit juice to serve as both a cold drink and an ice pack.

Adult brown-baggers usually have more options since offices frequently contain vending machines, refrigerators and microwave ovens.

"Beef stew, chicken soup, spaghetti and other canned foods from vending machines will be safe to eat, as long as the cans aren't rusted, dented or bulging," Haggard said.

"Cold perishables from machines, however, require more judgment. Refrigerated sandwiches should feel cold. The use-by date will tell you if it's stale and you should always throw away any food that has an off-odor."

"The no-refrigeration retort packages for food are just as safe as cans. They're vacuum packed and cooked like canned goods," she said. "But don't even taste food from a leaky or bulging pouch."

"If you bring leftovers from home, keep them refrigerated and then thoroughly heat in the office microwave," said the specialist.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Since there was no candidate in either party primary, this office will be filled by write-in in the General Election. Only those who have filed as write-in candidates will be eligible for election.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY:
BECKY BYBEE McPHERSON
Floyd County

TOM WEST
Briscoe County

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Jimmy M. Ross

For Commissioner, Briscoe County Precinct 1:
Aaron Younger

For Commissioner, Briscoe County Precinct 3:
L. B. Garvin, Jr.

For Sheriff, Briscoe County, Texas:
Richard C. (Dick) Roehr
(Re-election)

For Tax Assessor-Collector, Briscoe County, Texas:
Fairy McWilliams
(Re-election)

Republican Party Nominees Who Have Paid Announcement Fees to This Newspaper and Will Be on the November 8 General Election Ballot.

For State Representative, 84th District of Texas:
Tom Christian

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For Tax Assessor-Collector, Briscoe County, Texas:
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For State Representative, 84th District of Texas:
Tom Christian

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For Judge, Briscoe County, Texas:
George Martin

For Sheriff, Briscoe County, Texas:
Donald Paul Fleming

For Attorney, Briscoe County, Texas:
Sharon Sutton Pigg

Why I'm High On My Family

My name is Billy Edwards. I live at 606 Grady with my mom. We have a blue car that we drive. My mom's name is Barbara. I have a blue bicycle that I ride and I have a garage. I am nine years old and I am in fourth grade. I like fourth grade a whole lot.

My mom is very special to me. So is my Mamma. I love them a whole lot. I like being with my mom and mamma. The Edwards family is happy together.

I love my family and they love me. I love dad because he lets me go anywhere with him. I love my mom. She buys me nice things I want. My brothers are mean and ugly to me, of course. My family is important to me. My granny is a good cook. Love is very important in our family.

—Jonathon Ivory

I think my family is special because they do lots of things for me. My family is special because they love me and show that they care for me. My family tries to help me on everything. That's the reason I think they are special.

—Criceldo Vargas

I love my family for the things they do for me. My dad works and with the money he earns he gives my mother of the money. She gets the things we need. If he didn't we wouldn't have anything to wear or eat and I love him for that. My mother makes us, my sister and me, sweaters and skirts out of yarn and material that she buys.

I love my brother and sister because they share the things I don't have with me and I love them for that. That's why I love my family so much.

—Isabel Patino

The McCammon family has four people and thirteen pets. My dad is an auditor and inspector. He works for Equifax. He's on the road a lot. My mom teaches first grade. She is busy, but she likes it. My sister, Laura, is six and she is in first grade. I am nine and I like fourth grade.

My sister and I like to play with our pets, ride bikes, and pretend. The whole family likes to walk.

—Marshall

My family means love and warmth. I feel safe and secure

around my family. My family gives me a home and love. I like being around my family.

—Anthony Gamble

My mom and dad love me. They take me all over the country to shows. They always help me with my homework. My dad helps me with my horse. He also helps me practice my events for rodeos. I love my family.

—Kimberly Blazier

My family is very happy. My dad, mom and brother are happy every day. Riding horses is one thing that makes us happy. Our family is very happy.

—Carrie Baird

My family has very special persons. My mom cleans houses and cleans our house. My dad works for Don Brown. He even makes stuff for me. I clean the car even from the inside, too. I clean my room almost every day. My brother doesn't do anything. My family is a very special group.

—Lupe Vargas

Families are about love and caring. Your mother might take you to some places because she loves you. She can take you to a very fun place.

Your father loves you, too. Your father and mother love you. There's nothing that will break that love. You might hate one of your brothers or sisters, but you only hate them in the outside and you love them deep in your heart.

—Arnold Garza

My dad's name is Johnny. What he does special is he loves me and protects me and helps me do things. My mom's name is Pete. What she does special is she loves me and protects me and helps me do things, too. My sister's name is Holly. What she does that's special is she loves me and she helps me clean up things. There is one cat. His name is Smokey and I have five dogs. Their names are Snoopy, Beal, Sweetiepie, Lucy and Lulu. The dogs are Beagles. They are the best pets you could ever have. That's my special family.

—Heidi Tiffin

My family means a lot to me because they love me. They feed me. They buy my clothes and things. She takes us to Plainview to go shopping. We play games at

home. We play outside and play on the swings. We go to church together. This is why my family means so much to me. —Minerva

My family is nice to me in many ways. My mama helps me with my homework and mow the lawn. My sisters help me clean my room. My brother plays cars with me. My family is very nice to me.

—Terry



Sean Knowlton

Airman Sean Knowlton, son of Rev. and Mrs. Duane Knowlton of Silverton, is serving on the USS Theodore Roosevelt, a nuclear-powered aircraft carrier which is on its way to the North Sea. They will be making port in Germany soon and expect to be there four or five days. A graduate of Morton High School where he played on the regional championship football team and the basketball team which advanced to the state playoffs, he has been in the service two years. He took his training in electronics at Memphis, Tennessee.

Around the turn of the century, one Johann Huslinger walked on his hands from Vienna, Austria to Paris, France—a distance of 871 miles—in 55 days.

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The City of Silverton, Texas will hold a public hearing at 8:30 p.m. on September 29, 1988, in the city hall in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Commerce for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant.

The purpose of this meeting is to allow citizens an opportunity to discuss the City of Silverton's housing and community development needs, the amount of TCDP funding available, all eligible activities under the TCDP, and the use of past TCDP funds, if applicable.

This meeting will provide citizens an opportunity to participate in the development of the application. Citizens unable to attend this public hearing may submit their views and proposals to Mayor A. R. Martin at city hall. Citizens needing handicapped accommodations for this meeting should also contact city hall.

The final application will be submitted to the Texas Department of Commerce by October 27, 1988.

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LAKE MACKENZIE FISHING REPORT

Big fish weighed in at the Cactus Cove Marina on Lake Mackenzie during the past week have been channel cat.

September 17, J. T. Hodges of Amarillo caught a 7½ pound channel cat on stink bait in Tule Creek.

Saturday, Wayne Mayfield, Guinn Fitzgerald, David Tipton and A. Hartman caught five channel cat, the two largest of which were eight and eight and one-half pounds, on a trotline baited with waterdogs in Tule Creek.

The water temperature is now 71° and the depth at the dam has risen to 107.4 feet.



Alligators can close their ears just as camels can close their noses.

COMBINED NOTICE NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON THE ENVIRONMENT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

Date: September 22, 1988

Name of Contractor: City of Silverton, P. O. Box 250, Silverton, Texas 79257, (806) 823-2125
To All Interested Agencies, Groups and Persons:

On or about October 10, 1988, the above named entity will request the Community Development Block Grant Program to release federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, for the following project:

Project Title: City of Silverton - Water System Improvements
Purpose: The rehabilitation of the elevated storage tank, the installation of the two booster pumps, and the upgrading of the distribution system will improve the water pressure throughout the city. The city's fire fighting capabilities will be enhanced with the addition of the seven new fire hydrants.

Location: City of Silverton Enumeration District/Census Tract: ED-27

Finding of No Significant Impact

It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment in the project area and accordingly the above named entity has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

The reasons for such decision not to prepare such statement are as follows:

The rehabilitation of the storage tank and the replacement of portions of the existing distribution system with larger lines will benefit the project area. No environmental conditions exist which are potentially adverse. The project is not an action which will significantly affect the quality of the environment.

An environmental assessment

respecting the within project has been made by the above named entity which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such statement is not required. The environmental assessment is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request at City Hall between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Public Comments on Finding

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the entity to the office of the undersigned. Such written comments should be received at the address specified on or before October 10, 1988. All such comments so received will be considered, and the entity will not request a release of federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

Release of Funds

The City of Silverton will undertake the project described above with Community Development Program funds from the Department of Commerce under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. Mr. A. R. Martin, as certifying officer of contractor approved by the Texas Department of Commerce in his official capacity as Mayor, consents to accept the jurisdiction of the federal court if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental assessment's decision making and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal affect of the certification is that upon its approval the City of Silverton may use the Texas Community Development Program funds and Texas Department of Commerce will have set aside its responsibility under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, and 24 CFR, Part 58.

Objections to State

Release of Funds

The Texas Department of Commerce will accept an objection to its approval only if it is on one of the following basis: (a) that the certification was not in fact executed by the certifying officer or other officer of contractor approved by Texas Department of Commerce; or (b) that contractor's environmental review record for the project indicates omission of a required decision finding or a step applicable to the project in the environmental assessment. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR, part 58.75) and may be addressed to the Texas Department of Commerce, Finance Division, P. O. Box 12728, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. Objections to the release of funds on a basis other than those stated above will not be considered by the Texas Department of Commerce. No objection received after October 27, 1988, will be considered by the Texas Department of Commerce.

Certifying Officer of Contractor: Mayor A. R. Martin, Environmental Certifying Officer, 409 Broadway, Silverton, Texas 79257.

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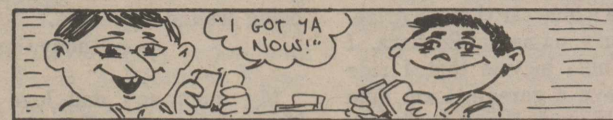
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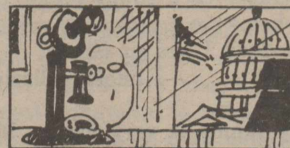
LEGAL NOTICE
Notice is hereby given to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, Austin, Texas, that an unincorporated Association of Persons has applied for a Private Club Registration Permit to be located at INT S/W Corner HWY 86 and FM 378, Silverton (Not in City), Briscoe County, Texas. Said private club to be operated under the name of Rock Creek Country Club. The officers are as follows: Bufford Garland Johnston, President; Cordie Mae Johnston, Secretary/Treasurer. 36-2tc



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Randy Clay, Box 71, Plains, Texas, former resident and graduate of Silverton High School, Class of 1976, son of Lee and Ada Clay, is not responsible for checks given by Randy Clay, Box 221, Silverton, Texas. 38-1c

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