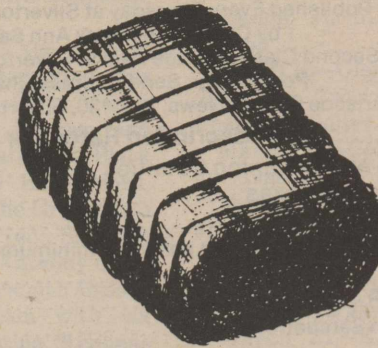
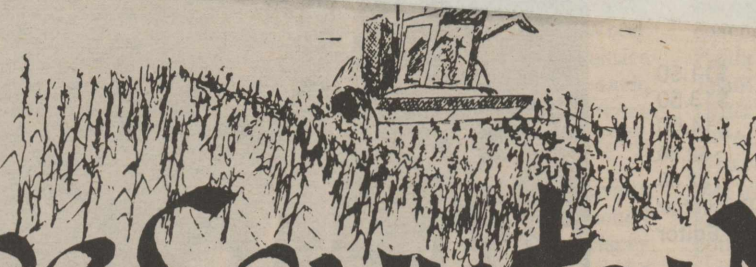


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City Requests Additional County Funds for Operation of Fire Dept.

Several firemen, Mayor A. R. Martin and City Secretary Jerry Patton appeared before the Briscoe County Commissioners Court Monday morning to request additional financing for the Silverton Volunteer Fire Department. Spokesmen for the City were Patton and Martin. They emphasized that many of the fires the department works are outside the city limits, and that the city residents are paying more than their share of the expense.

The Commissioners postponed making a decision on the request until next month's meeting.

A statement of the fire department's income and expenses in 1989 was presented to the Commissioners. This showed that the department answered thirty county fires, using thirty gallons of fuel per fire and having an

estimated one flat per two fires, an expense of \$2,136.00. The department also worked nineteen fires within the city limits, using an estimated five gallons of fuel per fire and having an estimated one flat per five fires, for a total expenditure of \$725.00.

There were 24 practices at \$2.25 per man, an expense of \$584.25. The firemen traditionally donate this amount back to the department for the purchase of equipment and supplies.

Insurance on four vehicles cost \$3,274.00; insurance on the fire station was \$1,491.50; workers compensation insurance on twenty firemen cost \$3,324.00.

The fire reporting system, with thirty telephones, cost \$3,236.28.

The city expense for equipment, repairs, batteries, air,

vehicle stickers, tires, radio repair, etc., amounted to \$1,835.37.

Estimated utilities for the fire station was \$480.00.

The fire department's expense for equipment, repairs, schools,

all paid for with fire department funds, amounted to \$8,190.89.

The city contributed \$2,529.25 and the county contributed

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Love Fund Started For Mildred Combs

A love fund has been started at First State Bank in Silverton for Mildred Combs.

Mrs. Combs recently underwent back surgery, and even though she is recovering very well, the family has no hospitalization insurance.

She is the wife of Royce Combs, pastor of the Assembly of God in Silverton.

If you would like to have a part in this, you may do so at the bank.

Runoff Necessary in Justice of Peace Race

Only about half of the registered voters in Briscoe County went to the polls Tuesday to cast ballots in the Democratic Primary. In all, 779 votes were counted.

In Precinct 1, a runoff will be needed on April 10 to select the nominee for Justice of the Peace. Incumbent James Edwards led the field with 227 votes, but failed to get a majority of the votes. Challenger Lynn Frizzell polled 207 votes to gain a place in

the runoff.

Connie Smith received 66 votes and Jeanetta Bradford polled 59 for Justice of the Peace nominee.

Briscoe County voters gave the nod to Jim Mattox for Governor, with 448 votes. Ann Richards polled 134 votes and former Governor Mark White garnered 100 votes here.

Much-maligned Jim Hightower received the most Briscoe County votes (316) to be nominated for re-election to his seat as Commissioner of Agriculture. Burnett polled 141 votes and Smith received 86.

For District Judge, challenger Randy Hollums led Briscoe County voting with 358 votes over incumbent David Cave's 306 votes.

Rhenda Burson was elected County Democratic Chairman. Precinct Chairmen will be Virgil Crow, Precinct 1; B. K. Blankenship, Precinct 2; Carrie Dickerson, Precinct 3; J. C. Fowler, Precinct 4; Gene Latham, Precinct 5.

The three referendum questions on the ballot carried, number one, 370-149; number two, 455-81; number three, 483-61.

Silverton PTA to Elect Officers

Silverton PTA will have its March meeting Tuesday, March 20, at 7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. There will be a pot-luck supper before the business meeting.

Election of new officers is the main item on the agenda.

Bring your family and a dish and join PTA Tuesday night.

Williams Carries County GOP Governor's Race

Briscoe County's Republican voters cast 12 votes for Clayton Williams to be their party's nominee for Governor of Texas in Tuesday's voting. Kent Hance received nine votes and Jack Rains got four votes.

A total of 25 voted in the Republican Primary.

Dick Waterfield led Bob Price 15-8 for nomination as United States Representative.

J. E. (Buster) Brown received 12 votes as Attorney General nominee, compared with seven for Pat Hill, three for H. Tex Lezar and one for Bobby Steelhammer.

Irby Max Ford received nine votes and Warren G. Harding, jr. got eight for Comptroller of Public Accounts. Jon Hall tallied

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

J. S. Hinds will be 80 on March 28, and I would like to ask you to send him a birthday card. I never can find anything really great for him and I think a lot of cards would really make him feel good. You might ask others if you think they might want to do this for him.

I really do appreciate this and I hope all of your family is doing fine.

Thanks again!
Nancy Hinds Hall
J. S. Hinds
Box 6
Hedley, Texas 79237



It was a windy, windy day last week when the kindergarten class had its annual kite flying contest as a highlight of Public Schools Week. Michelle Francis is shown assisting her son, Andrew, while another son, Caleb, appears to be having just as much fun. Ribbons were awarded to the boys and girls for "highest flying kite", "kite with longest tail", "prettiest kite", "smallest kite", "stubbornest kite", etc.

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**WILLIAMS CARRIES
COUNTY GOP
GOVERNOR'S RACE**

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three votes.

Kay Bailey Hutchison received 20 votes as State Treasurer nominee, compared with none for her opponent, Charlotte Boylan Self.

For Commissioner of the General Land Office, Wes Gilbreath polled 10 county votes, Grady Yarbrough got eight and William

James John got one vote.

For Commissioner of Agriculture nominee, Rick Perry polled 18, Gene L. Duke got four and Richard McIver received none.

Beau Boulter received 24 votes as nominee for Railroad Commissioner. Ted Lawson received one vote.

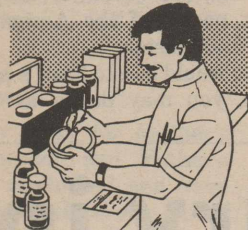
John Gill was re-elected to serve as County Republican Chairman.

**Combs Appointed
Sergeant in Air Force**

Royce A. Combs has been appointed a sergeant in the U. S. Air Force.

The new non-commissioned officer completed training in management, leadership, human relations and NCO responsibilities before being awarded this status.

Combs is an information management specialist at Shaw Air



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WEDNESDAY

Evening 7:00 p.m.



Brandi Rice led the floats in the Book Parade, in which there were participants from the kindergarten through fifth grades, on Friday afternoon of last week. The boys and girls made their floats to represent a favorite book, and the floats took many shapes and forms. This was a special event of Public Schools Week, and the entire school turned out to watch along with parents and grandparents of the participants.

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**Kress Juniors to
Have Volleyball
Tournament Soon**

The Junior Class of Kress High

Force Base, South Carolina, with the 363rd Supply Squadron.

He is the son of Royce A. and Mildred A. Combs of Silverton.

The sergeant is a 1985 graduate of Linden-Kildare High School in Linden, Texas.

School will be sponsoring a volleyball tournament March 29-30-31. The women's division will be played on Thursday, the men's games will be played Friday and the mixed team games and finals will be Saturday.

Entry fee is \$40 per team.

To enter, call Kress High School, 684-2651. At night, you may call Cindy Rogers, 995-3063.

SILVERTON SCHOOL

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Fourth Six Weeks

Twelfth Grade—Teddy Hubbard, Joey Leal, Julie Towe, Tracy Tomlin

Tenth Grade—Jennifer Grimland, Langdon Reagan

Ninth Grade—Stephen Cavitt, Dusty Martin, Melissa Woods

Eighth Grade—Kami Martin, Christa Tucker, Ashleigh Wyatt

Seventh Grade—Brandi Brunson, Holly Nance

Sixth Grade—Vanessa Martin, Shannon Weaver

Fifth Grade—Brandon Sarchet

Fourth Grade—Kenzie Burson, Shauna Kingery, Windy Wood

Third Grade—Matt Martin

Second Grade—Misty Edwards, Nathan Francis, Laura McCammon, Jordan Sarchet

First Grade—Brooke Garvin, Taylor Griffen, Isaiah Ivory, Julie Weaver

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\$2,000.00. Memorials brought in \$303.00, while donations amounted to \$5,570.00. Farm Bureau paid the department \$350.00.

Funds from the fire department's projects and funds spent for refreshments and recreation aren't reported. The firemen traditionally have borrowed money at the bank, personally signing notes, and repaid it out of their project money when they needed equipment or equipment repairs.

The point the City group was making to the Commissioners' Court was that the county fires cost the department a total of \$15,450.00, while the city fires cost a total of \$9,785.00.

The City requested a larger contribution of county funds to help offset this deficit. The City officials reminded the Commissioners that it isn't fair for the residents of the City of Silverton to carry such a large burden of the expense for out-of-city fires, and said that if the county doesn't contribute a larger share of the expense, it might be necessary to limit the department's fire-fighting territory. This would mean that some county residents might be refused fire-fighting service by the fire department.

The firemen don't want to do this. They believe they should serve anyone who needs them, but they may not be able to continue this if additional funds are not found. If you live in rural

Briscoe County, you might want to discuss this matter with your Commissioner before next month's meeting.

David Brunson was present at the Court meeting, and said that even though he wasn't prepared with the facts and figures, the City of Quitaque is in the same situation.

Information was brought from surrounding cities showing that the Floydada fire department receives \$250.00 per month and \$200.00 per fire call out of the city from the county. Floyd County also owns two trucks and pays insurance on them and the two trucks are housed at the City Fire Station.

Lockney has the same agreement with Floyd County.

The Wellington fire department receives \$175.00 per fire call. The county owns one truck and paid the city \$8,000.00 last year.

Last year, for each fire in Swisher County, the fire department received from the county \$341.00. Swisher County purchased trucks for Tulia, Happy and Kress three or four years ago.

At Clarendon, the fire department has a contract for \$416.00 per month from the county.

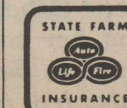
City taxpayers also pay taxes to Briscoe County, but receive little back in the way of services. The fire service is one that should be shared by all those who are potential users of the service.

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Looking Back

through the files of the
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March 6, 1980—Public Service Company asking for rate increase . . . Claude Jarrett has been a patient in Lockney General Hospital since last Thursday. Visitors have been limited to members of his immediate family . . . The family of Mrs. Minnie Haynes gathered at her home Sunday afternoon to help Mrs. Haynes celebrate her 84th birthday . . . Vinson Smith spent last weekend in Austin attending a District Attorney Investigating School . . . Mike Graham exhibited the Grand Champion Barrow of the 1980 San Antonio Livestock Show . . . Walter Fleming was transported to Swisher Memorial Hospital by the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service on Thursday night of last week . . . Karla Sue Waldo marries Ronnie Allen Strange . . . Brownies hold Investiture Ceremony . . .

March 5, 1970—Theatre group seeking funds to make repairs, replacements before opening drive-in theatre . . . Snooks Frizzell underwent surgery at Nichols Hospital in Plainview Tuesday morning . . . Fairy McWilliams is candidate for Briscoe County Tax Assessor and Collector . . . Miss Dianne Davis to marry Tommy Bridges . . . Miss Kathi Faye Perkins and Phillip Morse Hubbard exchanged marriage vows Tuesday, February 24, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Perkins . . . Members of the UIL One-Act Play cast are Gene Whitfill, Cathy Jones, Alvin May, Paula Birdwell, Gail Mayfield, Marsha Teeple, Nicky Long, Max Hamilton, Lane Garvin and Steve Brown . . .

March 10, 1960—Doris Estes, president of the local chapter of Future Homemakers of America, was elected Area I Recording Secretary at the convention held in Lubbock . . . Funeral services held for Raymond Dudley, 70 . . . Mrs. E. D. Wilmeth, a teacher in the local grade school, fell on an icy sidewalk at the school early Thursday morning of last week and broke her right hip . . . Susie Arnold celebrated her ninth birthday with a party for a group of her friends in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Arnold . . . Funeral services conducted for Barbara Ann McDaniel, 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kit McDaniel, jr., who live near Hale Center . . . Mr. and Mrs. James Whitfield were honored with a "42" party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer Monday evening . . . Miss Diane Fogerson to marry Teddy Jack Mayfield . . . Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall and Linda of Memphis spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, Robert and Randy . . . Mrs. Bailey Hill and Ralph were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Watts at Vigo Park . . . New Student Council president is Joe Anderson . . . Mrs. Gordon Montague and Jene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee, Thursday of last week . . . Mrs. Bob Dickerson was taken to the Plainview hospital Saturday . . . Mr. and Mrs. Don Garrison are

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attending a PCA meeting in Austin this week . . .

March 9, 1950—Judge C. D. Wright has been confined to his bed by order of a specialist due to a kidney infection . . . Captain Harley J. Redin, who served with the United States Marine Corps during World War II, today was awarded permanent citations for the Air Medal with one Gold Star . . . Miss Fayree McMinn visited a friend, Miss Louise Garrett, in Kress Sunday . . . R. E. Hutsell drills second good water well on his farm . . . John Earl Simpson spent the weekend in Houston, where he attended a state Chevrolet meeting . . . Earl Cantwell, who has been spending some time at

Grand Prairie for medical treatment, returned Monday night . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ziegler entertained friends Sunday . . . C. R. Badgett is ill this week with a cold . . . Mrs. Judd Donnell and daughter, Janice, and Mrs. Keyth Tiffin were in Tulia Monday afternoon on business . . . Mrs. Shelby Haynes honored with birthday dinner . . .

March 6, 1941—For the first time since a group of interested citizens began a drive to raise capital stock for a bank in Silverton, a fairly definite statement can be made on the progress of the undertaking. Nearly \$10,000 has been pledged by farmers and businessmen, and in denominations ranging from

\$50 to \$1,000 . . . Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reid are parents of a daughter born March 4 at Tulia . . . Those on the sixth grade honor roll are Wanda Leigh Moore, Vance Childress, Milton Clemmer, Anita Johnigan, Wanda Wood, Jeanne Dudley, Erma Lee May, Norman Strange, Travis Ellis, Jim Crow, Clara Bell Ziegler, June Ziegler and Joyce Dell Hardin . . . Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bomar are driving a new Chevrolet car . . . Marriage license issued to James Horace McDonald and Julia E. Reid . . . Mrs. Bob Dickerson is on the sick list this week . . .

March 6, 1930—Some up-town stuff was resorted to Saturday afternoon by Raymond Patton

when he had a visiting airplane drop a few hundred circulars from the skies over Silverton and South Plains, advertising the big used car sale now in progress by the Patton Motor Company . . . Weekly Trades Day set for Silverton . . . John Rhea was in Clarendon Monday to secure medicine for his wife who is on the sick list . . . J. L. Watters is recovering from an attack of the flu . . . Mark Morris purchased a Case tractor from the Whippet Motor Company of Silverton last week . . . Mrs. Onar Cornett visited Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Davenport several days last week . . .

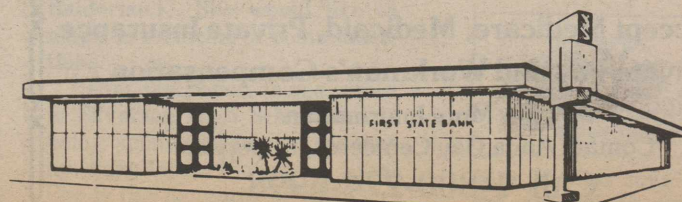


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Silverton Wins UIL District Meet at Hedley

Silverton School students traveled to Hedley for their UIL district meet Thursday afternoon of last week, and brought home the championship. They outscored the second-place team 412-365.

The Music Memory Team, coached by Mary Ann Rauch, and made up of Cy Comer, Shannon Weaver, Molly Bomar and Marshall McCammon, won first place. Heidi Tiffin was the team's alternate.

In fourth through sixth grade Number Sense, Brandon Sarchet tied for second place. Billy Edwards and Zeb Holt also entered this event, and Cy Comer was the alternate. In the seventh and eighth grade division, Holly Nance placed third, Brandi Brunson was fourth and Ashleigh Wyatt finished in sixth

place. Lance Holt was the alternate. M. L. McGehee coached these participants.

In Oral Reading, Jonathan Ivory placed third and Molly Brooks was sixth in the fourth through sixth grade division. Dedra Johnston also entered this event and Maria Castillo was the alternate. In the division for seventh and eighth graders, Kayla Ramsey won second, Holly Nance finished third and Ashleigh Wyatt was fourth. Christa Tucker was the alternate. Mary Ann Rauch and Jane Self coached these students.

The Picture Memory Team, composed of Brandon Sarchet, Marshall McCammon, Criselda Vargas and Heidi Tiffin and coached by Sue Miller, placed second. Lacy Brunson was the team's alternate. Criselda Var-

gas had a perfect paper in this event.

In seventh and eighth grade Calculator Applications, Rusty Miller placed sixth. Jo Ann Ramirez and Ashleigh Wyatt also competed and Zane Henderson was their alternate. These students were coached by M. L. McGehee.

In fifth and sixth grade Dictionary Skills, Marshall McCammon placed first, Brandon Sarchet was fifth and Patricia Patino finished sixth. Zeb Holt was an alternate. In the division for seventh and eighth grade students, JoDee Robison placed first, Kayla Ramsey was second and Ashleigh Wyatt won third place. Kami Martin was their alternate. Jane Self and Sue Miller coached the students in this event.

In seventh grade Earth/Life Science, Holly Nance won second, Rosie Segura was third and Brandi Brunson finished fourth. Josie Vargas was an alternate. In the eighth grade division, Matt Francis won first, Kami Martin placed third and Christa Tucker was fourth. Braden Towe was their alternate. Mike Long coached the participants in this event.

In fifth and sixth grade Listening, Patrick O'Neal won fourth. Zeb Holt and Billy Edwards participated in this event, and Jonathan Ivory was alternate. Juannah Jennings was the coach for this event.

Lindsey Jennings won fourth place in third and fourth grade Personal Writing. Misty Wilkinson and Jay Arnold also participated and Lindsey Weaks was their alternate. Michelle Crowell coached these Ready Writers.

In fifth and sixth grade Expressive Writing, Vanessa Martin placed second and Brandon Sarchet finished third. Christina Stephens also participated, and Criselda Vargas was alternate. Sue Miller was the coach of this group of Ready Writers.

In seventh and eighth grade Expository Writing, Holly Nance won first and Ashleigh Wyatt won sixth place. Christa Tucker also entered the event and Brandi Brunson was alternate. Jane Self coached these Ready Writers.

Windy Wood won first in third and fourth grade Spelling. Misty Wilkinson won fourth and Lindsey Jennings placed sixth. Kenzie Burson was alternate. In the fifth and sixth grade division, Marshall McCammon won third place. Maria Castillo and Jessica Maciel also entered the event, and Vanessa Martin was alternate. Ashleigh Wyatt placed third and Becky Scarce fourth in the seventh and eighth grade division. Matt Francis also entered this event and Josie Vargas was alternate. Jane Self coached the spellers.

Lisa Comer won first, Mickey Juarez was third and Lindsey Weaks was fourth in second and third grade Storytelling. Misty Wilkinson was alternate. Bobby Bean coached the Storytellers.

Owls, Owlettes in Track Meet at Loop

Silverton's Owls and Owlettes left early Saturday morning to travel to Loop for competition in their first track meet of the season.

The 400 meter relay team was composed of Lyndell Ivory, Bradley Brunson, Brian Martin and Stephen Cavitt.

Lance Smith, Junior Ramirez and Kirk Couch entered the 800 meter run.

Bryan Breedlove and Lyndell Ivory entered the 400 meter dash.

Langdon Reagan and Josh Brooks participated in the 1600 meter run.

Stephen Cavitt, Brian Martin and Bryan Breedlove were in the 200 meter dash.

Stephen Cavitt placed fourth in the 100 meter dash. Brian Martin and Brian West also entered this event.

Bradley Brunson finished second in the 110 meter hurdles. Wil T Bomar and Casey Frizzell also took part in this event.

Bradley Brunson finished in third place in the 300 meter intermediate hurdles. Wil T Bomar and Casey Frizzell also ran this hurdles event.

Bradley Brunson finished fourth in the long jump, in which Brian Martin and Lyndell Ivory also were competitors.

Lyndell Ivory won third in the triple jump, in which Brian Martin also competed.

Stephen Cavitt and Casey Frizzell entered the high jump.

Casey Frizzell came in fourth in the pole vault. Other pole vaulters are Kirk Couch and Josh Brooks.

Bradley Brunson finished second in the shot put, with Stan

Gamble and Rob Weaks also competing.

Brian West placed second in the discus throw, with Stan Gamble and Lance Bradford also competing.

In the girls division, Christy Nease and Aimee Francis were in the 100 meter dash and 200 meter dash.

Maria Garza was in the 400 meter run.

Julie Graham finished fifth in the 300 meter intermediate hurdles and also ran the 100 meter hurdles.

Christy Nease and Maria Garza put the show and also threw the discus.

Aimee Francis was in the long jump event.

Julie Graham placed third in the high jump.

SILVERTON SCHOOL LUNCHROOM MENU

March 19 - 23

Monday—Corn Dog, Spinach, French Fries, Fruit Cobbler, Milk

Tuesday—Seafood Platter, Coleslaw, Cornbread, Fruit, Milk

Wednesday—Mexican Casserole, Salad, Chips, Fruit, Milk

Thursday—Steak and Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Honey and Butter, Milk

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Girl Scout Week Is March 11-17

Sir Robert (later Lord) Baden-Powell, the founder of Boy

Scouting, noticed a group of girls wearing the shirts and hats of the boys' uniforms with long skirts at a rally in England. When he asked them who they were, they replied, "We're the

Girl Scouts." He asked his sister, Agnes, to help him start Scouting for girls, because with so many girls becoming Scouts, assistance was needed.

CHURCH SERVICE

The Silverton Girl Scouts were urged to attend the Assembly of God Sunday morning worship service March 11 to celebrate the Girl Scout Birthday. Following

the worship service, there were a wonderful variety of covered dishes spread for a luncheon for the Girl Scouts and their families at the Scout Hut.

Those who enjoyed the wonderful time of sharing this special time were LaToya Baker, Staci Hill, Christina Stephens, Wayne and Betty Stephens, Fred, Lois, Richie and Will Hill. The girls who attended will receive a Girl Scout Week patch.

GIRL SCOUT COOKIES

The Silverton Girl Scouts still have a variety of Girl Scout Cookies. If you were missed or you want more cookies, please contact Betty Stephens, 847-2616, or Lois Hill, 823-2561.

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ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

OF

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9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.....Registration

Members **Must** register during this time in order to vote during the meeting and to be eligible for door prize drawings following the meal.

Final Prize Drawing Is For A Microwave Oven
MEMBERS MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN PRIZES

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT BY MARK & JENNIE LYNN HODGES

10:00 a.m.....Children's Movie at Royal Theatre

"Back To The Future II"

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.....Business Meeting

Kenneth Wyatt — Master of Ceremonies
Election of Directors, Reports



11:30 a.m

Featured Entertainer

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12:00 Noon.....Luncheon for Members & Guests

Ezra Jones High School Cafeteria
Fish & Chicken, Vegetables, Dessert prepared by Dorothy Boyett & Her Staff

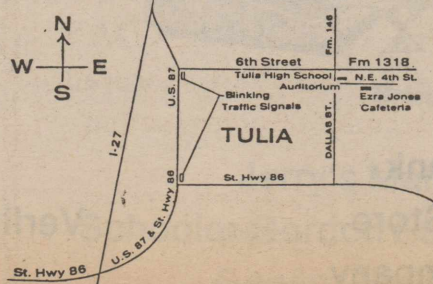
1:00 p.m.....Announcement of Directors

Election Results & Drawings for Door Prizes

1:30 p.m.....Adjourn

* Voting and Chances at Door Prizes Reserved for Members Currently Receiving Service AND Who Registered at the Morning Registration.

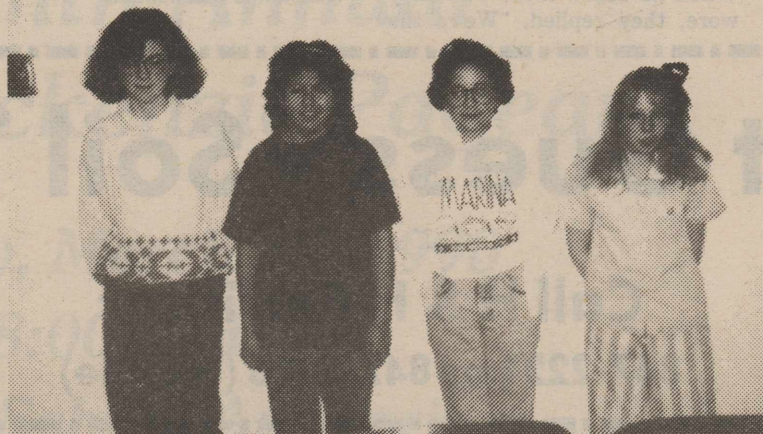
Directions To 1990 Annual Membership Meeting
Tulia High School Auditorium



Silverton Students Win District in UIL Events!



First Place UIL Music Memory Team—Marshall McCammon, Heidi Tiffin (alternate), Cy Comer, Shannon Weaver and Molly Bomar.



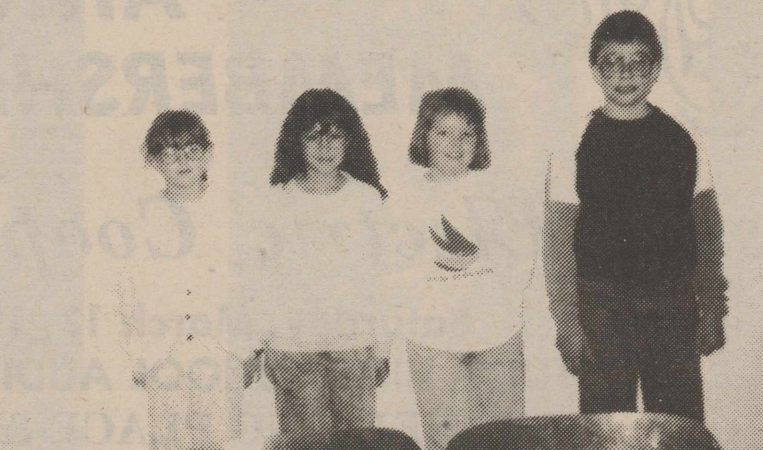
Seventh Grade UIL Earth Science—Brandi Brunson, fourth; Rosie Segura, third; Josie Vargas (alternate); Holly Nance, second.



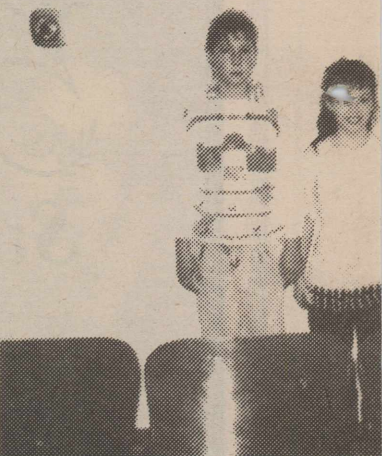
Seventh and Eighth Grade UIL Brunson (alternate); Ashleigh Holly Nance, first.



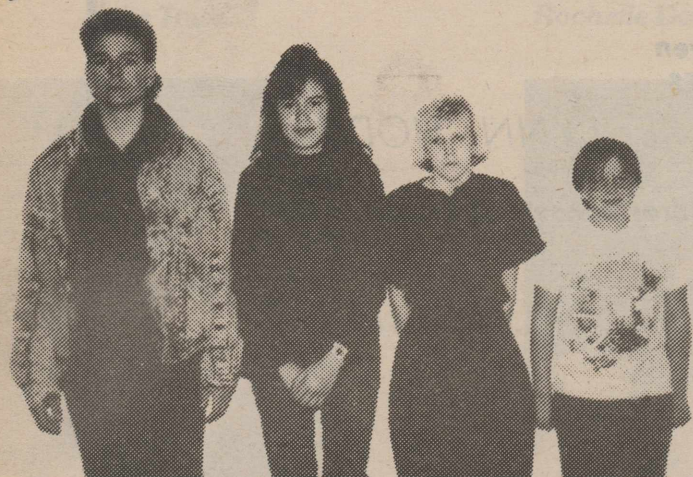
Eighth Grade UIL Dictionary Skills—JoDee Robison, first; Kayla Ramsey, second; Kami Martin (alternate); Ashleigh Wyatt, third.



Third and Fourth Grade UIL Ready Writing—Lindsey Weaks (alternate); Misty Wilkinson; Lindsey Jennings, fourth; Jay Arnold.



Third and Fourth Grade UIL (alternate); Windy Wood, first; Lindsey Jennings, sixth.



Seventh and Eighth Grade UIL Calculator Applications—Zane Henderson (alternate); Jo Ann Ramirez, Ashleigh Wyatt, Rusty Miller, sixth place.



Fifth and Sixth Grade UIL Dictionary Skills—Marshall McCammon, first; Patricia Patino, sixth; Zeb Holt (alternate); Brandon Sarchet, fifth.



Fifth and Sixth Grade UIL (alternate); Zeb Holt; Patr Edwards.



Fifth and Sixth Grade UIL Number Sense—Zeb Holt; Cy Comer (alternate); Billy Edwards; Brandon Sarchet, second.



Second and Third Grade UIL Storytelling—Lindsey Weaks, fourth; Misty Wilkinson (alternate); Lisa Comer, first; Mickey Juarez, third.



Second Place Fourth and Fifth Grade UIL Team—Marshall McCammon, Criselda Vargas, Heidi Tiffin,

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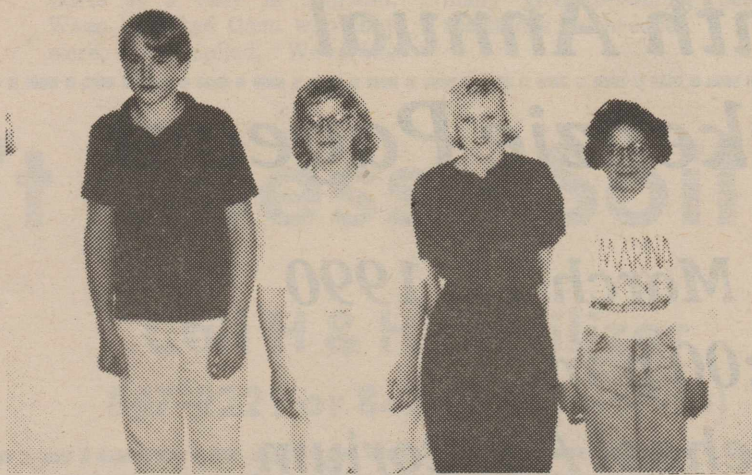
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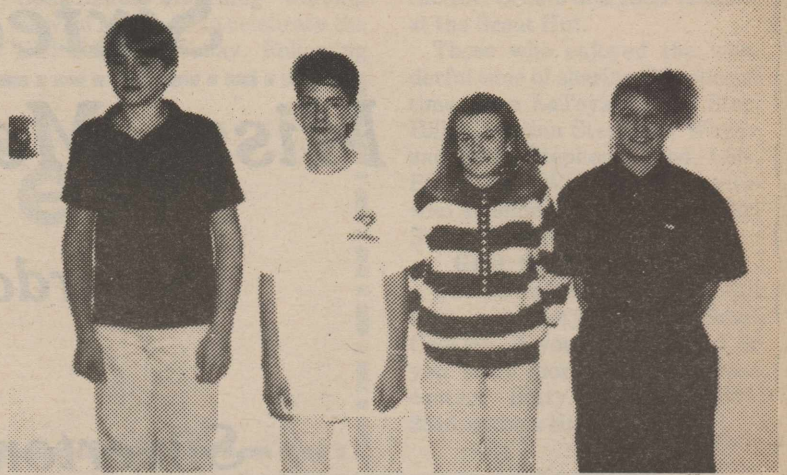
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Expository Writing—Brandi Wyatt, sixth; Christa Tucker;



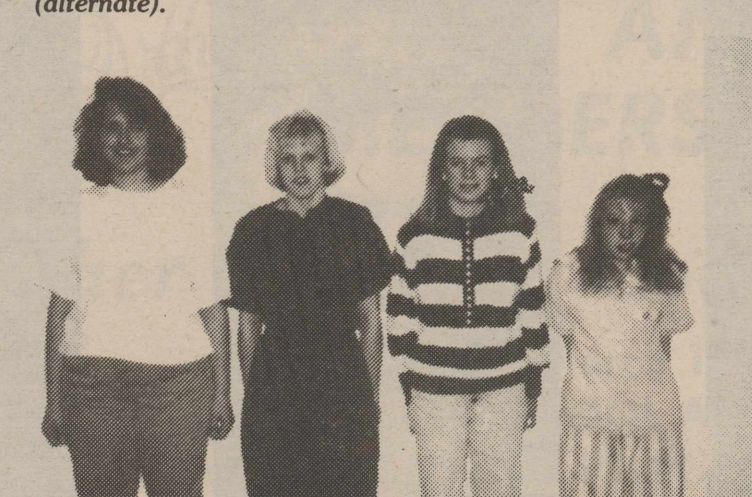
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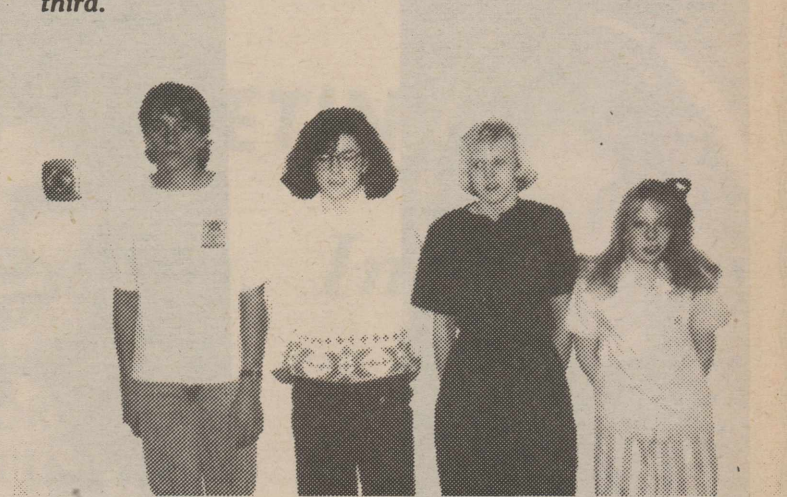
Eighth Grade UIL Life Science—Matt Francis, first; Braden Towe (alternate); Christa Tucker, fourth; Kami Martin, third.



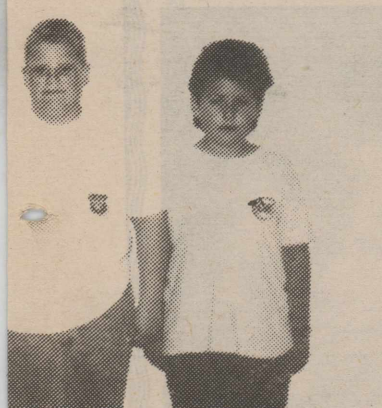
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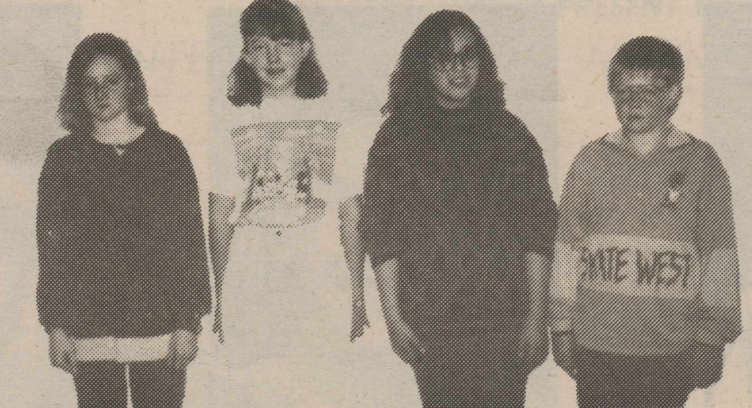
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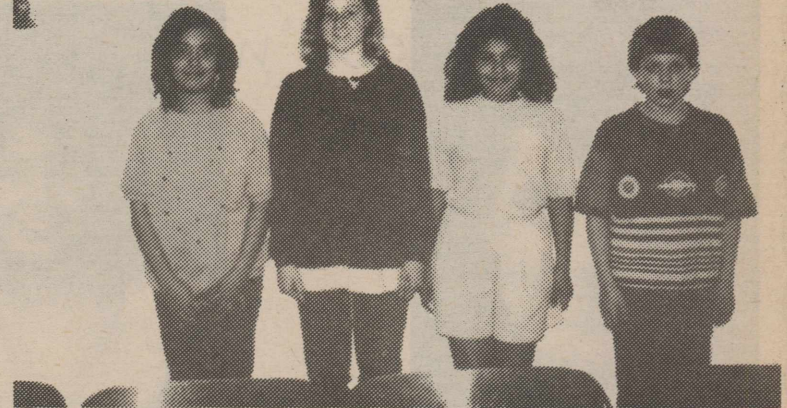
Seventh and Eighth Grade UIL Number Sense—Lance Holt (alternate); Brandi Brunson, fourth; Ashleigh Wyatt, sixth; Holly Nance, third.



Listening—Jonathan Ivory; Nick O'Neal, fourth; Billy



Fifth and Sixth Grade UIL Ready Writing—Vanessa Martin, second; Christina Stephens; Cricelda Vargas (alternate); Brandon Sarchet, third.



Fifth and Sixth Grade UIL Spelling—Jessica Maciel; Vanessa Martin (alternate); Maria Castillo; Marshall McCammon, third.



Eighth Grade UIL Picture Memory—Lacy Brunson (alternate); Brandon Sarchet.



Elementary UIL Oral Reading—Molly Brooks, sixth; Dedra Johnston; Maria Castillo (alternate); Jonathan Ivory, third.



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Sixteenth Annual Miss Mackenzie Pageant

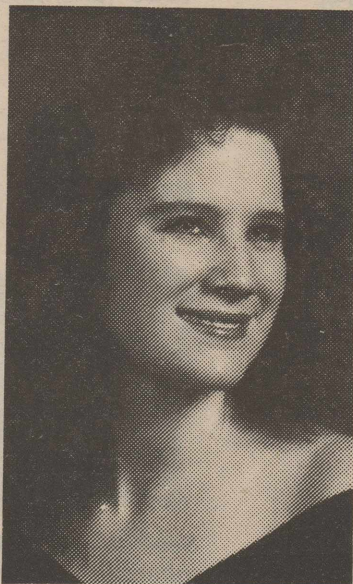
Saturday, March 17, 1990

8:00 p.m.

Silverton School Auditorium



Julie Towe



Rochelle Dawn Bartram



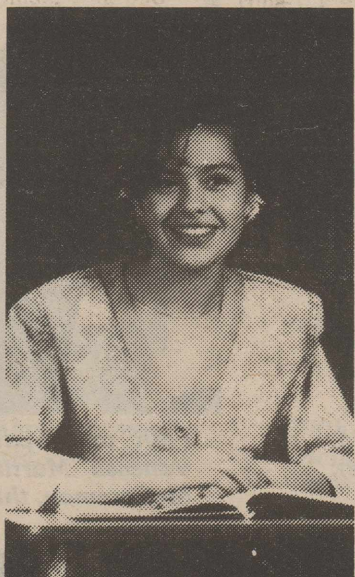
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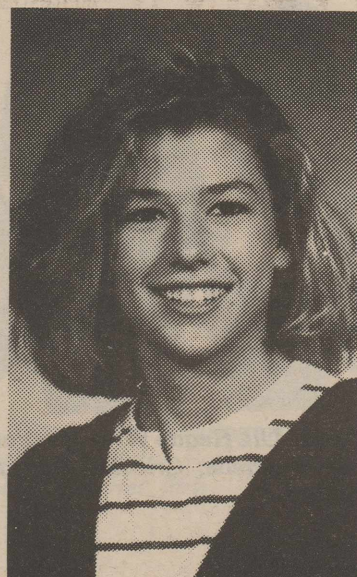
Penni Fogerson



Tandi Gant



Anna Maria Vargas



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Annual Miss Mackenzie Pageant is Saturday

The sixteenth annual Miss Mackenzie Pageant will begin at 8:00 p.m. Saturday, March 17, in the Silverton School Auditorium under the sponsorship of the L. O. A. Junior Study Club of Silverton. Admission will be \$3.00 for adults and students, and preschoolers will be admitted free.

The Miss Mackenzie Pageant is open to girls aged 16 to 18 from the cities of Floydada, Lockney, Silverton and Tulia, cities which make up the Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority which built Lake Mackenzie to provide a reservoir for municipal water needs.

The girls will be competing for the honor of being Miss Mackenzie 1990. The new Miss Mackenzie is expected to promote and advertise Lake Mackenzie during her reign.

"Carousel" will be the theme of

this year's pageant. The pageant will begin with each contestant introducing herself on stage, and the contestants also will be judged on stage in sportswear and formal attire.

Julianne Cornelius of Floydada will be the master of ceremonies for this year's pageant. She is the committee chairperson of Floydada Punkin' Days and was the 1989 president of the Women's Chamber of Commerce.

Entertainment will be provided by Tommy Stewart of Tulia.

The current Miss Mackenzie is Tracy Tomlin of Silverton, who is a senior in Silverton High School. She will be present to crown the new Miss Mackenzie.

Former Misses Mackenzie are Kathy Wilks of Tulia, 1975; Kerri Arnold of Silverton, 1976; Millicent Murff of Tulia, 1977; Adeana Morris of Floydada, 1978; Melba Dobbs of Tulia, 1979; Judy

Nelson of Tulia, 1980; Cynthia Edwards of Silverton, 1981; Shele Morris of Floydada, 1982; Tammi Edwards of Silverton, 1983; Angel Edwards of Tulia, 1984; Dina Joy of Tulia, 1985; Angela Stewart of Tulia, 1986; Trudie Hart of Tulia, 1987; Kelli LaBaume of Floydada, 1988.

Stage ushers will be Frank Lowrey and Jim Cogdell. They both are seniors in Silverton High School.

A get-acquainted party will be held at 4:00 p.m. Saturday in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank in Silverton. The Coke Party will be hosted by the Progressive Extension Homemakers. At this time the contestants will be interviewed individually by the judges, Glenn Patton of Lubbock, surgery technician at Methodist Hospital; Lynette Thuett, makeup artist and model and teacher at Robert Spence Modeling School in Lubbock, and Patti Sisk of Lubbock, a professional model.

Contestants will be judged on appearance, poise and personality.

Gifts will be awarded to Miss Congeniality, Miss Mackenzie, the first and second runners-up. All of the jewelry gifts are from the L. O. A. Junior Study Club. Miss Mackenzie will receive a \$50.00 savings bond from the City of Silverton, and each contestant will receive a T-shirt from Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority.

The contestants are:

Rochelle Dawn Bartram, green-eyed, brown-haired daughter of Nancy and Bob Bartram of Tulia. She stands 5'9" tall and attends Tulia High School. She is

sponsored in the pageant by Tulia Floral.

Her hobbies and special interests are Shakespeare, "Romeo and Juliet" and "MacBeth", mythology, playing the piano and trumpet, and part-time work. She is a member of her school's annual staff, is historian of the Business Professionals of America and has participated in UIL Accounting. She has participated in athletics two years, in band three years and in DECA one year. She has been elected to Who's Who and is active in the work of her church.

Her plans for the future are to major in business administration at Angelo State University.

Penny Hutson is the daughter of Shot and Fran Hutson of Tulia. A student in Tulia High School, she has hazel eyes, blond hair and stands 5'8" tall.

She enjoys dancing, cheerleading, gymnastics and bicycling. She is a member of Student Council, the cheerleading squad, Future Teachers of America, BPA, DECA and Methodist Youth Fellowship. She is sponsored by Tulia Lions Club.

She plans to attend college and become a commercial artist.

Lori Frances Gonzales is the daughter of Pete and Rosa Gonzales of Lockney and is sponsored by Lockney Insurance Agency. She has brown eyes, brown hair and stands 5'4" tall. She is a student at Lockney High School where she enjoys twirling, running and tennis. She enjoys playing the piano, cooking, reading, collecting ceramic figurines and teaching children's gymnastics.

She is a member of National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Spanish Club and has been included in Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Her plan for the future is to attend college and pursue a career in the science or medical field.

Tandi Gant is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gant. A student in Lockney High School, she has green eyes, brown hair and stands 5'10" tall. She is sponsored in the pageant by Lockney Lions Club.

Most of all, she enjoys twirling and has been feature twirler for the LHS band since she was in the eighth grade, and has twirled since she was three years old. She has won several state and national titles in twirling. She loves playing basketball and being with her friends.

She has lettered three years in basketball, is president of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, is a member of National Honor Society, is Student Council representative, Junior Class reporter and secretary of the Future Homemakers of America. She has been chosen for inclusion in Who's Who Among American High School Students and Distinguished American High School Students.

She hopes to be able to attend Texas Tech University where she would love to be feature twirler for the "Goin' Band from Raiderland". She would like to major in medicine or communications.

Penni Jan Fogerson is a senior in Silverton High School and is being sponsored in the pageant by Mary John's Flowers & Gifts. She is the daughter of Stan and Lynda Fogerson.

This blue-green eyed miss has

blond hair and stands 5'10" tall. She enjoys playing basketball, snow skiing, participating in one-act play, and talking and laughing with friends. She is secretary of the Future Homemakers of America, a member of Future Business Leaders of America, National Honor Society secretary-treasurer and is the yearbook staff co-editor. She is a cheerleader, has played tennis and basketball, is a member of 4-H and the UIL One-Act Play.

Her plans for the future include attending Texas A&M University.

Julie Kay Graham is the daughter of Jack and Ruby Graham of Silverton and is a junior in Silverton High School. She is being sponsored by Progressive Homemakers. She has brown eyes, brown hair and stands 5'7" tall. She enjoys being with friends, playing basketball, snow and water skiing. She also enjoys working with and showing livestock.

She is a member of Future Business Leaders of America and Future Homemakers of America. She is on the yearbook staff, a member of Pep Squad and in 4-H.

Her future plans are to attend college and major in physical therapy.

Anna Maria Vargas is being sponsored in the pageant by Briscoe County Activities Association. The daughter of Manuel and Lourdes Vargas, she is a student in Silverton High School. She has brown eyes, black hair and stands 5'2" tall.

She is interested in children, and says, "I like to talk to them and see how they feel. I try to make them feel special. I also like to play with children." Her hobbies are playing the cello and learning to play new instruments.

She is active in Future Homemakers of America, Pep Squad and is Sophomore Class representative on the Student Council.

Her future plans are to graduate from high school and go to college to major in computers.

Julie Kristene Towe is the daughter of Jay and Patsy Towe and is being sponsored in the pageant by Nance's Food Store. She is a student in Silverton High School where she is a member of National Honor Society, Future Business Leaders of America, Future Homemakers of America, 4-H and Booster Bunch.

This blue-eyed blond contestant stands 5'2" tall. She participates in UIL Science, athletics, has been elected to Who's Who and is active in the Methodist Church. She is the head cheerleader this year.

She enjoys being with friends, reading, dancing, ballet, playing volleyball, watching movies, snow skiing, playing golf, swimming and going to the lake, and cheerleading.

Her plan for the future is to attend Texas Tech University following her graduation from SHS this spring. She plans to major in business and psychology.

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NOTICE OF REQUEST TO CHANGE AGRICULTURAL PROCESSING RATE

Notice is hereby given that LIGHTHOUSE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. (the utility) intends to reduce the agricultural processing rate available to cotton gins, grain elevators, and other seasonal agricultural processing services. The existing rate contains an energy charge for the first 450 KWh per KW of peak billing demand of \$.1357 per KWh with all excess KWh billed at the rate of \$.03 per KWh. The proposed rate is 150 KWh per KW of peak billing demand per month, but not more than 450 KWh per KW of peak billing demand per season at \$.1357 per KWh with all excess KWh at the rate of \$.03 per KWh. Based upon billing units in the 12 month period ended December 31, 1989, the proposed rates reduce revenues to the utility by approximately \$50,000 or 0.45% of total operating revenues.

Implementation of the proposed changes is subject to approval by the appropriate regulatory authority. A statement of intent including the proposed revisions of tariff and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change is available at the general office of the Utility located at Floydada, Texas.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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A Voice From the Country



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It has been said that the three sweetest words in the world are "mother," "home" and "heaven". Let us have a look at them.

"Mother". Blessed are the mothers of yesterday, for their memories shall be called beautiful and beneficent. They are like flowers growing by sunken gardens and by still waters in pastures, for they are like soft winds that blow with peace and love on wistful wings.

Blessed are the mothers of today. In their hands they hold

the tomorrows, and in their hearts the destiny of nations' hearts and homes.

Blessed are the mothers of tomorrow, for they have been summoned to a great and heroic hour. For they shall be called the mothers of men who shall make miracles of human life. Mothers of tomorrow shall breed a race of giants who shall handle lightning as a little thing, and make the clouds and thunder obey their wills.

Blessed are the mothers of tomorrow!

Blessed are the mothers of scientists and statesmen, of laborers and poets; of preachers and prophets; of teachers and dreamers: for dreams and visions and prophecies and the glory and glow of creation are born in the hearts of mothers.

Blessed are the mothers of tomorrow!

Blessed are the mothers for



Molly Brooks was pictured with her two adopted grandparents, Letha Lanham (left) and Eudean Crow (right) at the 4-H Clover Club's Adopt-a-Grandparent Tea Wednesday afternoon of last week in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church.

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they taught barbarian ancestors to grow grain, to build shelves, and mothers are the conservers of the human race.

Blessed are mothers, for they have conserved the spiritual things of life for the sake of their children.

Blessed are the mothers of the earth, for they have combined the practical and spiritual into one workable way of human life. They have darned little stockings, washed little faces, and have pointed little eyes to the stars, and little souls to things eternal. Blessed be the mothers!

Most of the good things in this life come to us in twos and threes, dozens and hundreds—plenty of roses, stars, sunsets, rainbows, brothers and sisters, cousins, comrades and friends—but only one mother in the whole wide world.

Mothers who scold a little boy for carrying crazy things in their pockets should take a close look in their own handbags.

Many married couples are like a team of horses—separated by a tongue.

4-H Clover Club Has Special Tea

Several weeks ago, members of the 4-H Clover Club adopted grandparents under the direction of club manager and leader Charlotte Rhoderick. On Wednesday afternoon of last week, they revealed themselves to their adopted grandparents, for whom they had been doing special things, at a tea in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church.

Each club member introduced himself or herself and told who his adopted grandparent was, and many presented gifts along with a hug to the special grandparent.

Carrie Baird adopted Jessie Bomar as her special grandparent. The other 4-H members and their adopted grandparents were Kimmie Blazier, Mary Darnell; Molly Brooks, Letha Lanham and Eudean Crow; Lacy Brunson, Mary Ann Rauch; Donny Burson, Freeman and Jackie Tate; Rico Cordes, Aubrey Rowell; David Gamble, O. E. May; Will Hester,

Myrt Edwards; Lindsey Jennings, Jonnie Weaver; Shauna Kingery, Gayle Robertson; Marshall McCammon, Virginia May; Dara Ramsey, Leslie Meier; Michael Reagan, Jack Strange; Kendra Rhoderick, Bette Cogdell; Brandon Sarchet, Pauline Turner; Heidi and Holly Tiffin, Merlene Stephens; Lindsey Weeks, Elsie Cornett; Trey Wyatt, Bob Hill; Trey Ziegler, Thada Fowler.

Among those attending were Letha Lanham, Jessie Bomar, Jonnie Weaver, Thada Fowler, Myrt Edwards, Eudean Crow, Aubrey Rowell, Virginia May, Freeman and Jackie Tate, Merlene Stephens, Kristopher Copeland, Pauline Turner, Mary Ann Rauch, Jack Strange, Bette Cogdell, Mary Darnell, Bob Hill, County Extension Agent Lynda Fogerson and Mary Ann Sarchet.

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Little Dribblers Play Again Here Fri. Night

Little Dribblers played their second games Monday night and are looking forward to Friday night games this week. Their game schedule and those who have work assignments may be found elsewhere in this issue. If you can't work at the time assigned you, you are responsible for finding your own replacement.

Last week, there was an omission from the story about the first games. Roderick Ivory

scored two points for Barry Francis and Ken Sarchet's fifth and sixth grade Navy Team.

Monday night, the Red Team of third and fourth graders coached by Jimmy Burson and Dwight Ramsey defeated the Blue Team coached by Gary Weak and Bill Brooks, 16-6. Trey Wyatt scored 10 points for the Red Team, while Kenzie Burson tossed in four and Andy Bullock rang up two points. For the Blue Team, Trey Ziegler

scored four points and Matt Martin tossed in a pair of points.

The Yellow Team, coached by Ken and Nancy Wood, defeated the Green Team, coached by Barry Francis, 12-4. Jay Arnold led the Yellow Team's scoring with six points. Leland Wood, Lacy Brunson and Chris Justice dropped in two points each. Scoring for the Green Team were Jared Francis and Jared Holt, two points each.

In the fifth and sixth grade division, the Navy Team coached by Ken Sarchet and Barry Francis was defeated 27-2 by the Red Team coached by Larry Comer. Lori Brannon scored all the points for the Navy Team. Scoring for the Red Team were

Cy Comer, ten; Rico Cordes, eight; Arnold Garza, five; Vanessa Martin and Dedra Johnston, two points each.

The last game of the evening was one of the most exciting ones played yet. The Gray Team, coached by Max Weaver and Paula Bomar, defeated the Black Team, coached by Bill Brooks, 16-12. Scoring for the Gray Team were Phil Patino, ten; Shannon Weaver, two, and Anthony Gamble, four points. Jeremiah Brooks led the Black Team with six points, while Christina Stephens rang up four points and Zeb Holt lighted the board with two points.

Comings And Goings

Debbie, Cally and Cameron Burk have returned to their home near Raton, New Mexico after visiting with Elton and Lanita Cantwell and other local relatives.

On Thursday, the Cantwells went to Flower Grove where they visited Jack, Brenda and Holly Beth Gaskins. They helped Holly Beth celebrate her third birthday a little early.

Cally had enjoyed a longer visit, having met her grandparents at Dalhart on February 23. She traveled with them to San Antonio. Elton, along with the manager and other directors, represented Mid-Plains Rural Telephone Cooperative at the annual meeting of National Telephone Cooperatives Association. The convention was held in San Antonio's lovely Convention Center and in the Mariot Rivercenter Hotel.

In addition to the convention activities, they enjoyed visits to the Alamo, the Hall of Horns, The Tower of the Americas, The Texas Institute of Cultures and Brackenridge Park Zoo. They also visited Lanita's aunt, Jewel Thulemeir and a friend, Martha Acosta.

Enroute home they stopped in Fredericksburg where they toured the Nimitz Hotel Museum. They stopped briefly in Mason where they viewed the memorial erected on the courthouse grounds honoring early settlers of the county. Lanita's great-grandfather, Samuel Logan Fleming, was listed among those pioneers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nance were in Dallas last week to visit Mr. Nance's nieces and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Robertson, Jerminy and Celeste, Mrs. Dudley Robertson and Mrs. Woody Voss and Andrea.

They returned to Fort Worth and spent a few days with their grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Fares Lahoud, Michael and Christopher. They attended a talent show at Ridglea Hills School where Michael and Christopher attend. Michael took part in the show. On Saturday they watched the boys' soccer games and saw Michael try out for baseball.

Enroute home they visited in Wichita Falls with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Walters. Mr. Walters taught in the Silverton Schools a few years ago.

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March 17—Colleen Sternberger, Lois Hill

March 18—Ky Williams, Mary Jo Brannon

March 19—Betty Olive

March 20—Laura Cavitt, Missy Forbes, Virginia Hardin

March 21—Kathy Perkins, Dick Cogdell, Leti Ramirez

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO ...

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March 16—Mr. and Mrs. Don Curry

March 17—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cagle

March 20—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gragson

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NOTICE OF TARIFF CHANGE TO CENTRANET® SERVICE

GTE Southwest Incorporated gives notice of its proposed tariff changes to CentraNet® service, which is a Central Office-based service that provides PBX-type features to multi-line business customers and is currently being offered in all company wire centers where such facilities exist to provide the service.

The Public Utility Commission of Texas approved a generic tariff for CentraNet® service up to 100 lines in Docket No. 7652. The proposed tariff revision would establish specific rates for CentraNet® service involving 101 to 400 lines. Other proposed revisions involve the rate applicable to changes, additions, or deletions to the data bases and a new rate is proposed for additional trunks.

The names of the three CentraNet® packages have changed from Standard, Premium, and Deluxe to CentraNet® 1000, CentraNet® 2000, and CentraNet® 3000, respectively. Direct Call Pickup has been added to the three CentraNet® packages while Multiple Call Park and Shared Speed Call 30 have been added to CentraNet® 2000, and Speed Call 30 and Call Forward Busy/No Answer Split have been added to CentraNet® 3000. Flexible Night Answer and Automatic Route Selection also have been added as new optional features.

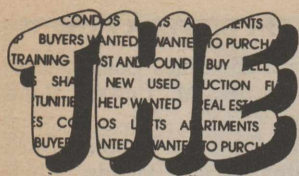
The proposed changes and new service offerings have been assigned Docket No. 9251, and pursuant to Section 43(d) of the Public Utility Regulatory Act will become effective June 23, 1990. Rates for service will be applicable to customers who subscribe to the service as well as existing customers. Therefore, there will be no effect on any other rates of the company. The company's gross annual revenues will increase by approximately \$399,600, or less than one percent annually.

The proposed rates are on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and are available for public inspection at the offices of GTE Southwest Incorporated. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission. The deadline to intervene in this docket is 3:00 p.m., April 9, 1990.

A request to intervene, participate, or for further information, should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



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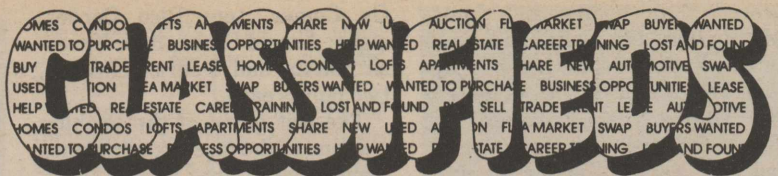
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Cards of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for their prayers and phone calls while we were looking for Wayne after his accident early Sunday morning and the visits from concerned friends. We especially appreciate Anita, Dwight and Bryan Ramsey for helping us hunt for Wayne, and Charlie and Fern Parker for their

assistance at our home. There was a wonderful outpouring of love for our family, and we appreciate it more than you will ever know.

Dwain, Shirley,
Wayne and Zane

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all of our loved ones and friends in Silvertown for the prayers, flowers, food, cards, memorials, visits and every remembrance of us in sympathy at the death of our Mom, Willie Hill. You are a wonderful community of loving, caring people. A special thank you to Bro. Duane Knowlton and members of the First United Methodist Church; also Janice and Ralph Hill, Fred and Lois Hill.

Sincerely,
Bud and Bettye Long
and family
Anita Walls and family

Thank you for answering the call to the grass fire north of my house Saturday afternoon.

Iris Burson

Thank you for all the wonderful things you have done for us

POLITICAL

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to Action of the Democratic Primary

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE, 110th Judicial District of Texas:

DAVID CAVE
[Re-election]
Spur, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by David Cave

RANDY HOLLUMS
Floydada, Texas

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE, Briscoe County, Texas:

JIMMY BURSON
Silvertown, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Jimmy Burson

FOR COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK, Briscoe County, Texas:

BESS McWILLIAMS
[Re-election]
Silvertown, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Bess McWilliams

FOR TREASURER, Briscoe County, Texas:

JANICE HILL
[Re-election]
Silvertown, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Janice Hill

FOR COMMISSIONER, Briscoe County Precinct 4:

FRED A. STRANGE
Silvertown, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Fred A. Strange

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Briscoe County Precinct 1:

JAMES R. EDWARDS
[Re-election]
Silvertown, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by James R. Edwards

CONNIE SMITH
Silvertown, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Connie Smith

JEANETTA BRADFORD
Silvertown, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Jeanetta Bradford

LYNN FRIZZELL
Silvertown, Texas

Pol. Adv. Pd. For by Lynn Frizzell

since Mildred had her back surgery. We appreciate the food, flowers, telephone calls, cards, love gifts, prayers and every expression of your friendship and concern.

She is home now and doing well.

Royce and Mildred Combs

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Scoutmaster Mark Eddleman

Next week I will have a word or two about our camping trip we took during Spring Break weekend, and a few words about Camp John Haynes. We will go on our next camping trip March 24, and on April 7, we will go to Amarillo to tour the new prison.

New Arrival

Shane and Tracy Reagan of Gruver are parents of a son, Brandon Shane, born February 12, at 3:53 a.m. He weighed five pounds, 12 3/4 ounces, and measured 19 inches long at birth.

Welcoming him into the family is a brother, Chase.

Grandparents are Roy and Judy Hughes, Carolyn Reagan and Bennie Reagan. Great-grandparents are Snooks and Margaret Frizzell, Albert Ondracek and Lillian Reagan.

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