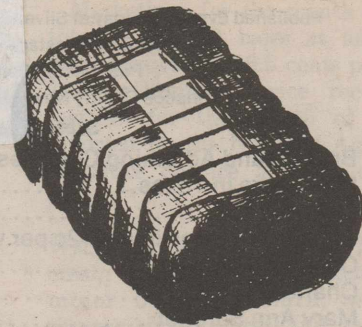




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## ISRA Steer Roping to Be Held June 10-11

If you don't like the weather in the Texas Panhandle, just wait a little while; it's sure to change.

For the last week the weather has been pretty consistent: flash floods, hail, high winds, tornadoes across Castro and Swisher counties to the west which have extended into other counties. The first day of the flood situation was May 31 when Tulia received an inch of rain and the area south and west caught six to eight inches that fell quickly. This brought water over I-27 and old Highway 87 south of Tulia. Southbound traffic on I-27 was re-routed west on 86, south on FM 1424, then back east to I-27. This greatly frustrated travelers who were in a hurry.

When we viewed the area Wednesday morning, there was a van, a car and two 18-wheelers stranded in the water on I-27. The woman who was driving the van told a friend of ours who works at Grandy's that when she got out of her car the water was hip deep. The driver of a cattle truck drove right up to where she was, opened the door and pulled her into the cab with him. She felt that he saved her life, for she feared she would have been swept down the creek without his quick action.

The south and middle Tule Creeks have been swollen with runoff water. Early this week the north Tule also was flooding and water was going over the old Tule Lake dam.

It was told me that Tule Creek where it runs through the John Herring place was the fullest it had ever been.

Almost daily heavy rains have fallen, and after filling the many lakes and dams on the watershed, began to reach Lake Mackenzie early Sunday. As of Monday, the lake had risen about 2½ feet, and about another foot was received by early Tuesday.

Receiving water in the lake is very important to the towns that get their municipal water there because life cannot exist where there is no water. It is important to our friends who are employed at the treatment plant that the lake have water.

But the storms have been very hard on crops, and the continuing wet soil and cloudy days are stressful to the seedlings that haven't been lost to hail. In addition, just a little drying of the topsoil sets sand a-blowing across the fields. We need the lake, but now we need for the weather pattern to modify so crops can either be replanted or get to growing.

In the meantime, pastures have seldom been prettier. Cows don't have to walk far to drink, and it creates a beautiful sight to behold.

★  
 One of Silverton's most dangerous storms occurred Monday afternoon. A funnel cloud was sighted that seemed to

### Commodities To Be Given

Commodities will be given to those who are eligible to receive them at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, June 15, at the Showbarn in Silverton.

There will be no deliveries.

No one will be allowed to pick up commodities for someone else unless arrangements are made in advance for this with the office of the County Judge, 823-2131.

be suspended almost directly above the Mom & Pop Cafe. Minutes later, weather observers spotted several more funnels south of town. These were accompanied by large hail and a deluge of rain which flooded the highways in several places and did a lot more harm to the already-damaged crops. Thankfully, it didn't cover an extremely large area.

★  
 Kirk Couch, son of Stan and Waynelle Couch, made the dean's list at West Texas A&M University for the spring semester.

★  
 Robyn Martin received her bachelor of science degree in education from West Texas A&M University during commencement exercises Saturday, May 13, at the Amarillo Civic Center Coliseum. Robyn is the daughter of Frank and Cindy Lane of Turkey, and is the wife of Brian Martin and the daughter-in-law of Dana and Dorothy Martin.

### State Validation To Be Monday

by Rebel L. Royall  
 Briscoe County Extension Agent

State Steer Validation will be held Monday, June 26, 1995, from 4:00 until 6:00 p.m. at the Ken Wood home east of Silverton just off Highway 256 to Clarendon.

All steers, 4-H or FFA, to be shown in a major livestock show, must be validated at this time. If you have a problem with this time and date, please let Rick McKay, Darran Martinez, or myself know BEFORE the validation date so that other arrangements can be made.

Any steer not validated before June 30 will not be eligible to show in any major livestock show.

### Report Cards Can Be Picked Up

Students can pick up their report cards any weekday in the office of the Silverton School Principal.

### CRP Program May Be Extended For A Year

CRP Contracts that expire September 30, 1995, may be extended for one additional year at the same payment rate per acre.

An ISRA Steer Roping will be sponsored here by Briscoe County Activities Association on Saturday, June 10, and Sunday, June 11, at Wood Memorial Arena.

A free barbecue plate will be served to all those who have purchased a \$5.00 gate pass between 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

Introduction of the ropers will be conducted between 12:00 and 1:00 p.m., with the A Roping scheduled to begin at 1:00 p.m. This will be followed by the B Roping and the C Roping.

The Open Roping will begin on Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

A Jeff Anderberg Saddle will be given to the average winner in the open. Breast collars will be awarded to winners of other events.

To enter the ISRA, call Barbara Dugan, 806-655-9400. For information on the C or Open Ropings, contact Walter Arnold, 806-847-2586, or Hand Baird, 806-847-2644.

A variety of homemade foods will be on sale at the concession stand both days.

### Silverton Class of '45 To Have Reunion

The Class of 1945 of Silverton High School will have its 50-year reunion at the home of Nina Zell Cantwell Martin on June 16-17.

At last count, there were about sixteen of the class who are planning to attend. Visitors are welcome to come by.



Two 18-wheelers were stranded in flood water that covered I-27 south of Tulia on May 31. When the water was highest all lanes, medians and access roads were hidden by the water.

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**A Voice From the Country**



Earl Cantwell  
**Gems & Allegorys**

Missions and Missionaries . . . Visions without work is visionary; work without vision is mercenary . . . Visions together with works is missionary . . . A true missionary is God's man in God's place, doing God's work in God's way for God's Glory . . . The Missionary's Equipment: A life yielded to God and controlled by His Spirit . . . A restful trust in God for all needs . . . A sympathetic spirit and a willingness to take a lowly place . . . Tact in dealing with men and adaptability toward circumstances . . . Zeal in service and steadfastness in all discouragement . . . Love for communion with God and for study of His Word . . . Some experience and blessing in the Lord's work at home . . . A healthy body and a vigorous mind



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A worthy vicar in a rural parish waxed eloquent in the interest of foreign missions one Sunday, and was surprised on entering a shop in the village, during the week, to be greeted coolly by the woman who kept it. On asking the cause, the good woman produced a half crown from a drawer, and throwing it down before him said: "I marked that coin and put it in the plate last Sunday, and here it is back in my shop. I know well that them poor Africans never got the money."

An African pastor asked missionaries leaving on furlough to "Tell our friends in America that we do not have refrigerators and all other modern contrivances. We would even dispense with some other conveniences. But tell them that we cannot do without the gospel of the Son of God."

There is the story of the New Hebrides Chieftan who sat peacefully reading the Bible, when he was interrupted by a French trader. "Bah," he said in French, "Why are you reading that Bible? I suppose the missionaries have gotten hold of you, you poor fool. Throw it away! The Bible never did anyone any good." Replied the Chieftan calmly, "If it were not for this Bible, you'd be in my kettle there by now."

Well, my friends. I grew tired of the stormy news, so I give you this soul-stirring message above.

If you need work done on your vehicle, just call 995-3565 during the day, or call 823-2498 (Dale) after 7:00 p.m.  
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 Evening . . . . . 8:00 p.m.

**—OBITUARIES—**

**MILTON GEORGE MARTIN**

Funeral services for M. George Martin, 78, were conducted at 10:00 a.m. Friday at the First Baptist Church with Dr. David Smith, interim pastor, officiating. He was assisted by J. D. Nance, minister of the Rock Creek Church of Christ, and John Christopher White.

Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements made by Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mr. Martin died Wednesday, May 31, in Amarillo. He had been in intensive care since undergoing surgery a couple of weeks before.

Born March 30, 1917 in Hill County, he moved to Briscoe County in 1928 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin. He had three brothers, Leon Martin, Datis Martin and Grady Martin, all of whom preceded him in death.

He was married to Dorothy Cross on July 29, 1945 in Abernathy, following his return from serving 3½ years with the Army in the South Pacific during World War II. He enjoyed singing, playing the violin and guitar, and making violins, and while he was in the service of his country he spent some of his time entertaining his fellow soldiers with western and novelty songs and guitar accompaniment from Hawaii to New Zealand.

He farmed, ranched and operated a rock quarry in northwestern Briscoe County. He had served as ASC administrative officer for four years.

Survivors include two sons, Gary Martin and Van Martin, both of Silverton; and three grandchildren, Dusty Martin, Vanessa Martin and Matt Martin, all of Silverton.

Pallbearers were Dana Martin, Stan Martin, Rick Martin, Dusty Martin, Matt Martin, Walter Arnold, Doug Forbes, John Jowell, Bill Ellis, Gary Weaks and Gerald Smith. Honorary pallbearers were the deacons of the First Baptist Church.

The family suggested memorials be to the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service.

**JERRY WALTER TAYLOR**

Graveside services for Jerry Walter Taylor, 54, of Lubbock were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Friday in Gray Mule Cemetery, southwest of Quitaque, with the Rev. Jimmy Fred Taylor officiating.

Burial was under the direction of Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mr. Taylor died Tuesday, May 30, in a Lubbock hospital as a result of injuries he received in a one-vehicle accident on Highway 207 south of the Tule Creek bridge. He was pinned in the wreckage, which couldn't be seen from the highway, from about 10:30 p.m. on Thursday, May 18, until Mackenzie Authority employees located him early the next morning as they were enroute to work. A hubcap lying beside the highway was the clue that led them to investigate and find the wreckage.

Silverton's fire and ambulance services, with the assistance of Joe Foust, PA, conducted the extrication which required use of the Jaws of Life.

Mr. Taylor was born in Lockney February 5, 1941. He was an automotive parts manager in Lubbock.

Survivors include his wife, Kimberly; a stepson, Fred Morris, jr. of Lubbock; his parents, Carl Oliver and Vernie Taylor of Clarendon; a brother, Jimmy Fred Taylor of Clarendon; and a sister, Carlene Hollar of Clarendon.

**BURL DeWAYNE SAIN**

Funeral services for Burl DeWayne Sain, 59, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Monday at the First Baptist Church in White Deer with the Rev. Pat Youngquist, pastor of the White Deer

Assembly of God, and the Rev. Grady Roundtree, pastor of the Nazarene Church in Clarendon, officiating. Burial was at 4:30 p.m. Monday in Rowe Cemetery at Hedley by Spicer Funeral Home of Memphis.

Mr. Sain died of cancer Friday, June 2, 1995.

He was born in Estelline, and had owned and operated a restaurant in White Deer. He operated a restaurant in Silverton a few years ago.

He married the former Linda Kay Childress in 1981 at Clovis, New Mexico. He was the son-in-law of Vance and Nadyne Childress.

Survivors include his wife; six daughters, Twila Moore of Hollis, Oklahoma, Arlena Buck of Pflugerville, Mindy Auston of White Deer, Marcie Roys of Turkey, Charmaine Weber of Lone Wolf, Oklahoma and Kimberly Sain of Yukon, Oklahoma; two sons, Mark Auston of Houston and Rick Mitchell of Edmond, Oklahoma; two brothers, Johnny Sain of Corpus Christi and Glen Sain of Memphis; two sisters, Donna Main of Oklahoma City and Nina Riddlespurger of Hedley; and nine grandchildren.

The family suggested memorials be to Hospice of the Panhandle in Pampa.

**ESTHER McCLENDON**

Funeral services for Esther Mae McClendon, 94, of Tulia, were to be conducted at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday at the Central Church of Christ with Trey Morgan, minister, Aubrey Dunn, sr. and Howard Patton officiating.

Burial was planned in Rose Hill Cemetery, with arrangements directed by Wallace Funeral Home.

Mrs. McClendon died Monday at St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo.

She was born January 30, 1901 in Ripley, Oklahoma. She married John Riley McClendon on December 28, 1919, in Silverton. He died February 2, 1977. She attended college in Harper, Kansas and was a member of the Church of Christ and Swisher County Senior Citizens Association.

She and her husband had owned and operated McClendon Welding and a farm at Hart.

Survivors include two sons, Cline McClendon of Hendrix, Oklahoma and Jimmy McClendon of Tulia; two daughters, Ruby Jewell Smith of Dumas and Betty Jo Dunn of Almagordo, New Mexico; four brothers, Johnny McGavock of Tulia, J. D. McGavock of Silverton, Oscar McGavock of Iredell and French McGavock of Happy; a sister, Olive Chisum of Tulia; 18 grandchildren, 30 great-grandchildren, and 13 great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were to be grandsons. Honorary pallbearers were to be granddaughters.

The family suggested memorials be made to High Plains Children's Home or to Swisher County Senior Citizens or to St. Anthony's Hospice, P. O. Box 950, Amarillo, Texas 79105.

**WEATHER**

**24-HOUR JUNE READINGS**

DATE	HIGH	LOW	PRECIP.
1	77	54	.14
2	84	54	
3	80	54	.04
4	80	57	.78
5	67	56	.06
6	76	58	.09
Total Precip. in June			1.11
Normal Precip. in June			3.78
Total Precip. Year to Date			7.80
Normal Precip. Year to Date			10.56



# Looking Back

through the files of the  
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**June 6, 1985**--Heavy rains in the area Tuesday and Tuesday night were continuing Wednesday morning, with rain remaining in the forecast for Wednesday. The water level at Lake Mackenzie was continuing to rise Wednesday morning, the elevation already having risen from about 90 feet to about 97 or 98 feet. The maximum depth of the lake at the dam at one time had been about 105 feet, but in the last couple of summers the level has dropped to about 90 feet. Mackenzie Manager Neil Taylor said early Wednesday morning that 4.20 inches of rain had been measured at the office Tuesday and Tuesday night... Haylake reunion to be held at Lake Mackenzie... Claude Allison and Avis Crow taken by death... Casey Bean named to Dean's Honor Roll at Texas Tech... Sonya Henderson to marry Tommy Bitner... The annual Cross reunion was held here June 2 in the school cafeteria... Among those receiving Associate Degrees from Bakersfield College was Mary L. Stodghill Garner.

**June 5, 1975**--Announcement has been made of the appointment of Rev. Earl Blair to replace Rev. Ray Elmore who has been pastor of First United Methodist Church in Silverton for the past year and is now moving to Roscoe... Funeral services conducted for Will Lyon, 87... High-point 4-H'ers in the first county elimination for the District Horse Show were Cam Forbes and Brenda Payne... Mrs. Ora Alexander was taken to Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia by ambulance Sunday morning... Dick Garvin, sr. buried here Sunday afternoon... Mrs. Josie Fleming, 92, buried at Byers... Joe Self delivered the first load of new wheat to Service Elevator in Silverton Tuesday afternoon. The wheat was combined on the Schott Ranch below the caprock...

**June 10, 1965**--Elizabeth J. (Becky) Woods is one of 43 student nurses who were capped at Hotel Dieu School of Nursing in El Paso... Joe Bob Watson, Jimmy Burson, Buddy Comer and John Montague attended the State 4-H Roundup at College Station last week, and placed first of 16 teams in the Soil Evaluation Contest. They are eligible to compete in the national contest to be held in Oklahoma City... Mrs. Mart Norris and Ruby left Friday for Texarkana for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Pitchford and Martie... Lillian Lindsey is new Eastern Star Worthy Matron... Max Garrison and Bill Schott left for College Station recently to attend Texas A&M this summer... Miss Celene Lanham, bride-elect of Roger Allen, was honored with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Luke Thompson... Mrs. Grace Cox announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Latresa, to Virgal Minyard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Minyard... Mr. and Mrs. Philip Smitherman were in Amarillo Wednesday. Marc and Monty spent the day with their grandmother, Mrs. J. K. Bean... Ben Whitfill and Gene took Jim Whitfill to San Marcos Monday. Jim plans to attend SWTC for six weeks. Mrs. Jim Whitfill and children remained here for a longer visit before returning to their home in Rockport...

**June 9, 1955**--Miss Erma B. Folley weds Lt. Pat Ridge in formal ceremony... Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Bomar are parents of a daughter, Kaedean... Last week's News stated that Mike Reid would accompany Pat Redin to Girls State. It was a mistake. Roxanna McJimsey and Pat Redin are representing Silverton... Post Office starts Certified Mail plan... Carol

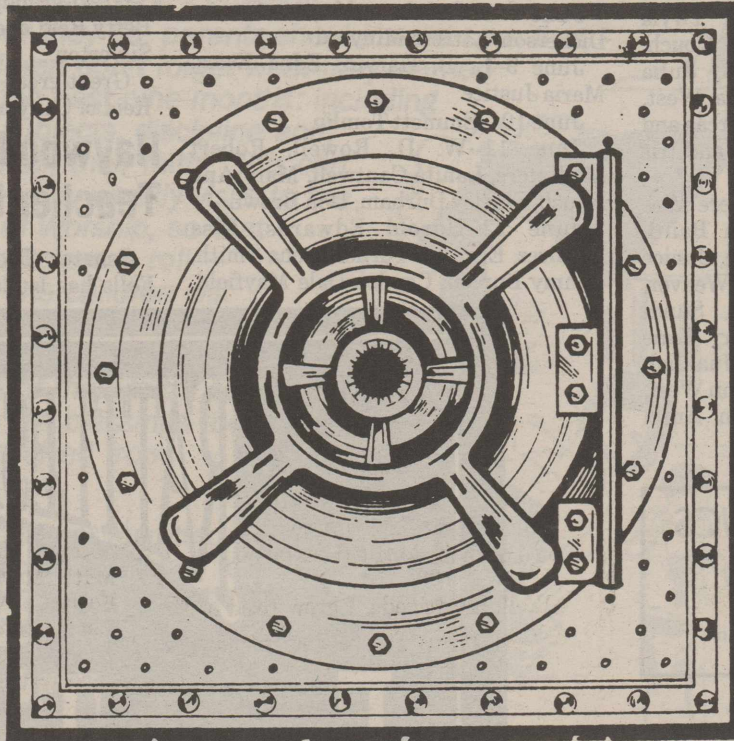
Jean Sandlin to wed Jack Paige... Seniors return from Florida trip... "He who cannot forgive others breaks the bridge over which he himself must pass if he would ever reach heaven; for everyone has need to be forgiven." --Herbert... Jerald Cleo Purdy of Quitaque has been admitted to the Plainview Polio Ward for treatment of Polio... Mrs. R. C. Hutsell returned to her home in the Haylake community Sunday after having spent several days at the Porter Clinic in Lubbock... E. W. Yancy was fishing at Buffalo Lake Saturday night... Mrs. Bud McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ledbetter, Don and Ronald were in Plainview last Thursday... Mrs. T. C. Bomar and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Speed are enjoying an extended trip through Old Mexico... Miss Mary Joyce Wood is spending an extended

visit with her sister, Miss Clara Ruth Wood, who has been working and living in Silverton for many moons... Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Arnold went to the Cancer Clinic at Savannah, Missouri some two weeks ago. Mrs. Arnold returned home when it was determined that she had no cancer; Rusty remained for treatment but was in hopes he could come home soon... Mrs. E. W. Yancy underwent minor surgery two weeks ago at the Lockney hospital...

**June 7, 1945**--Pvt. Bob McDaniel entered the Army Air Corps in August 1944. His training was preparing him as an M.P. to join the Army of Occupation in Europe. Just as he reached the port of embarkation, news came that V-E Day had arrived. Plans were changed and he was sent to a port of embarkation at San Francisco... O.

R. Stark, jr. received his call for the Navy Sunday. He volunteered for Navy service when he was 17 and reported to Dallas for induction... Dorothy Roy McMurtry is graduate of Stephens College... Rev. G. A. Elrod has accepted pastorage of First Baptist Church... Albert Myers home from Nazi War Prison... Mrs. C. S. Mast and Mrs. O. T. Bundy entertained Wednesday afternoon with a miscellaneous shower for Patricia Bomar who was married June 1 to William Colston... Glenda Rae McWilliams was honored Saturday on her third birthday with a party. Those enjoying the party were J. E., Jerry and Pat Patton, Myrna Sue Bingham,

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## SAFER THAN ANY SAFE

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## Miss Towe is Bridal Shower Honoree Here

The home of Jane Self was the scene of a coffee and miscellaneous shower honoring Julie Towe, bride-elect of Kirk Couch, on Saturday, June 3.

Guests were welcomed by Miss Self and presented to the honoree, her mother, Patsy Towe, and Kirk's mother, Waynelle Couch. Special guests included Addlene Towe and Mollie Beseda, grandmothers of the bride-elect, and Lanie Wellman, grandmother of the prospective bridegroom.

Penny Bentley and Julie Brunson served the guests from a table covered with a white cut-work cloth draped with tulle, gold ribbon and ivory roses. The centerpiece, a brass candelabra holding ivory candles and tied with roses and ribbon, was a gift from the hostesses. Other table appointments included an antique crystal punch bowl and brass serving trays.

Out-of-town guests included Beebe Beseda, Berkeley Farenthold, Twyla Beseda, Jill Beseda, Shirley Couch, Kristin Couch, Kara Couch, Julia Couch, Robyn Martin, Brianna West, Kori Bailey, Ann Chadwick, Dorcas and Kina Garrison, Christa Tucker and Iris Godwin.

Hostesses for the occasion were Miss Self, Rhenda Burson, Jealeta Baird, Dorothy Martin, Ruby Graham, Janice Hill, Carolyn Shelton, Jonnie Weaver, Tina Nance, Pat Fitzgerald, Sandi Tomlin, Lynda Fogerson, Mary Lane Younger, Carolyn Lowrey, Juannah Jennings, Margie Pinkerton, Ann West, Elaine Forbes, Marsha Brunson, Anita Ramsey and Maria Garcia.

### EXTENSION TOPICS FOR TODAY

by Rhonda Alexander  
Briscoe County Extension Agent  
Home Economics

#### Beware of the Manchurian Mushroom

The following is an article about the Manchurian mushroom, that I thought some of you might have heard about and be interested in. It was written by Peggy Gentry-Van Laanen, Food and Nutrition Specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The "Manchurian mushroom" also known in some circles as "Kornbucha tea", may not be the panacea it is proclaimed to be. The conditions of producing and handling the substance may promote the growth of unsafe foodborne pathogens.

The "mushroom" received much public attention after claims of its curative properties appeared in an AIDS newsletter in Los Angeles. But the recommendation of "growing" the "mushroom" at room temperature creates a situation that is supportive of mold growth, particularly the extremely toxic aspergillus mold, making it less than safe for any individual, especially those with chronic illness.

Promotional materials suggest that Kombucha can eliminate wrinkles and help remove brown spots on hands, prevent cancer, reduce hot flashes, help allergies and aching nerves, cure diseases, burn fat, level-off glucose, thicken hair, help digestion and reserve symptoms of AIDS.

The Manchurian Mushroom is not really a mushroom, but a symbiotic colony of yeast and bacteria that resembles a jelly fish in form and acts as a living culture. The consumer is instructed to grow the substance in a special medium of three quarts of water boiled with one cup of sugar. This liquid is then transferred to a glass bowl to

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Gary Younger

June 13--Carolyn Kitchens, Seymour Brannon

June 14--Margie Braddock, Wayne Reed, Betty Stephens, Eddie Baker, Casey Manning

### Happy Anniversary To . . .

June 8--Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Grabbe

June 11--Mr. and Mrs. Shafe Weaver

June 12--Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Markart, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Rowell

### New Arrival

Warren and Jodi Reed of Amarillo are parents of a son, James Warren Reid V, born May 31. He weighed seven pounds, 7<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> ounces.

Grandparents are Jim and Sheila Reid of Amarillo; Bill Martin and the late Lynn Martin, Bernie and Ann Green, all of Gruver.

Great-grandparents are J. W. and Betty Reid and Pauline Jarnagin, all of Silverton.

Great-great-grandmother is Ruby Reid of Canyon.

### Haywood Praises Teacher Pay Raises

Senator Tom Haywood of Wichita Falls has lauded the teacher pay raise

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approved recently by the Senate-House Conference Committee on Senate Bill 1, the education reform bill.

"As a former professor, a member of the Senate Education Committee, and the husband of an elementary school teacher, I wholeheartedly support this measure. No one in Texas deserves a pay raise as much as our classroom teachers," stated Haywood vehemently.

Under the agreement, Texas teachers will receive their first state-funded pay raise in six years. The plan boosts the minimum annual starting salary from \$17,000 to \$18,500 this fall, rising to \$20,000 in the 1996-97 school year. The top minimum salary for teachers with 20 years of experience would rise from \$28,400 to \$32,078 this fall, and \$35,755 next year.

"This means that nearly 54,000 teachers will be getting a pay raise this fall, and 104,000 teachers will get a raise for the 1996-97 school year. When you give good pay for good work, you will get good results. We will see those results in the achievements of our students."

"I am proud of the leadership in this education reform. It is because of the dedication and hard work of Governor George W. Bush, Lt. Governor Bob Bullock, and the Education Committee Chairmen Senator Bill Ratliff and Representative Paul Sadler, that this progress has been made," Haywood ended.

The kangaroo can leap at speeds up to 40 mph.

which five tea bags are added and allowed to steep for 10 minutes. The Kombucha culture is then floated on top of the cooled tea. Some instructions recommend covering the mixture with a cotton cloth and leaving the bowl in a warm, dimly-lit place for about a week. Other instructions advise keeping the culture in a "cool" place. In a week's time, fermentation produces a ciderlike, sometimes carbonated drink. Each fermented batch also produces a second culture, commonly referred to as a "baby." These babies often are given to friends or sold.

At least one safety problem does exist with Kombucha, according to mycologists. The Kombucha can become contaminated with toxic mold. In particular, it may be unwise to consume the substance when held at room temperature for a week. All individuals are now advised to avoid consuming anything appearing to contain mold growth.

### Happy Birthday To . . .

June 8--Justin May, Carrie Dickerson, Latresa Minyard

June 9--L. B. Garvin, Edna Estes, Maria Justice

June 10--Emmett Tomlin

June 11--W. D. Rowell, Robert McWaters, Lanita Cantwell, Mary Ann Rauch, Shirley Durham, Don Brown

June 12--Harold Edwards, Elsa Ramirez, Elwayne Turner, Dona Smith, Jimmy Burson, Cayden Dale Mayfield,

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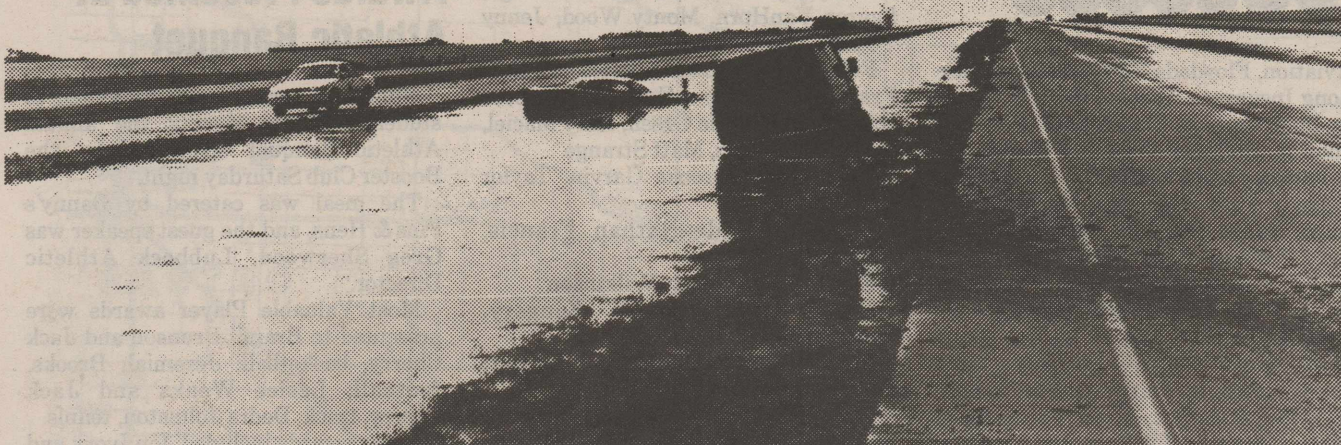
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These were two of the vehicles that were washed off I-27 by the flood water south of Tulia on May 31. They were recovered by wreckers shortly after this picture was taken. Briscoe County News Photo

### Are High Utility Bills Ruining Your Budget?

High utility bills taking a bite out of your budget? Panhandle Community Services would like to announce the availability of funds on a limited basis. Funds are available to pay one gas bill and one electricity bill per client

household. This must take place during the months of June, July or August, and both the gas and electric bill must both be paid at the same time. If you have already received utility assistance from Panhandle Community Services in the 1995 fiscal year, you will need to check with the local office to determine if you have already been helped through the current available

program funds. If you have, you will not be eligible for additional assistance through the same program more than once per fiscal year. As always, assistance is available to eligible households (based on income) on a first come, first served basis. Current bills and proof of income for the previous thirty days must be presented at time of service.

Applications must be completed by PCG staff in person and cannot be mailed out to the client. In Briscoe County, you may contact the local Panhandle Community Services office at 416 South Kearney in Clarendon to set up an appointment. The telephone number is 806-874-2573. Robbie Hill will be in Silverton at the Briscoe County Courthouse on the first Thursday morning of each month at 9:00 a.m. Ms. Hill will be at the First National Bank in Quitaque on the first Thursday afternoon of each month at 12:45 p.m.

### LOOKING BACK — CONTINUED FROM PAGE THREE

Frankie Lu Hunt, Waynelle and Joy Ann McCutchen, Carlye and Marsha Monroe and Gayle Holt . . . Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sweek, Deal Self, Mrs. J. J. Vardell and Leroy attended commencement exercises at Estelline Friday night. Alta Mae and Mary Nell Kendricks were among the graduates . . . Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell and Mr. and Mrs. Louie Reithmayer spent Sunday in Canyon . . . Mrs. Bud Perkins has heard directly from Bud, receiving the word last Friday. He said he was free and hoped to be home soon . . . Teddy Gail Hancock came Sunday to spend the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smithee. His mother is attending summer school in Canyon . . . Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rowell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe McWaters and son were guests in the Charlie Probasco home Monday night . . . Mrs. Ted Reid and Virginia have moved back to the farm for the summer . . . Joy and Ann Brown spent Friday night with Teresa and Patsy Crass . . .

June 26, 1925-- Jim Whiteley collected a \$20.00 cash bonus from one of the elevators at Lockney Saturday morning for hauling in the first load of 1925 wheat. In addition to the bonus, he received \$1.45 per bushel for his wheat. The wheat tested 57 . . . H. M. Bowers has leased the J. R. Guest building, which is under construction, and will open up a modern dry goods store about August 1 . . . The deal was closed Tuesday by H. L. Gunter for the lot just west of Douglas and Whiteside store and it is understood that a brick building 25x70 feet will be erected upon it at once and a modern drug store put in . . . Earl Cowart has rented the old building on the corner on the southwest side of the square as a temporary location for the Cowart Chevrolet Company . . . Miss Lillian Dickerson entertained a group of her friends with a slumber party Monday night. Upon gathering at Miss Dickerson's home, the guests went to the home of Miss Iris Crawford and enjoyed dancing until eleven o'clock. Between the hours of eleven and two, the party went to a chicken roast out in a pasture south of town. After everyone had enjoyed some of the roasted chicken, the party returned to Miss Dickerson's home and played Touring and other card games until the neighbor's chickens gave warning that day was breaking. The boys of the party left at about four thirty o'clock and the girls slumbered until eight o'clock Tuesday morning. Those attending were Misses Lillian Dickerson, Iris Crawford, Lora Pyeatt, Maxine Frieze, Marion Breaker, Opal Davis and Maurine Whiteside, and Messrs. Ted Wood, True Burson, J. D. Tyler, Willie Hardcastle, Doyle Rogers, Ernest Dickerson, Johnny McClendon, Buck Wood, Alanzo Rogers and Steve Snapka . . .



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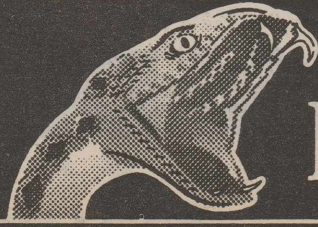
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# Project Graduation Was A Big Success

The Silverton Graduating Class of 1995, Project Graduation Committee and the high school student body expresses sincere appreciation to all those who made Project Graduation a great success.

The night was filled with lots of excitement as casino games were played. Play money won was used to buy exciting prizes on the auction block. Hoola Hoop contest, Basketball Throw, Candle Shoot with Water Guns, Plinko, Lotto, Bingo, Dart Throw and Ping Pong were all part of the night's activities. Lots of food, along with Music to the Maxx D. J. provided an entertaining night. Door prizes also were given to each person attending.

The committee for Project Graduation extends a big "thank you" to everyone who made the night possible. To the many individuals who donated cash, gifts, food and time, we greatly appreciate your interest and concern for our youth.

Thanks goes to Cactus Cove Marina, Progressive Homemakers, Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service, PTA, Ed and Ann Norris, Wayne and Betty Stephens, Century of Progress, Student Council - Silverton ISD, Lavy's Pump Service, Emma Ivory, New Fellowship Baptist Church, Tulia Wheat Growers, Latha Lanham, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver, 4-H Adult Leaders Association, John and Maebelle Francis, Dale and Pat McWaters, Seymour and Ruby Brannon, Gary and Cathey Weaks, L. B. Garvin, Jimmy and Rhenda Burson, Janice Hill, Richard Roehr, Bess McWilliams, Ted and LaVern Kingery, Silverton Auto Parts, Briscoe Implement, W. D. and Peggy Rowell, Danny and Donna Francis, Amy's Beauty Shop, Rick's Muffler, D & K Manufacturing, Silverton Fire Department, First State Bank, Ivory Detail, H & H Fertilizer, Garvin Oil Company, Malt Shop, Tiffin's Dept. Store, Caprock Floral, Aaron and Mary Lane Younger, Hutsell Insurance, Rock Creek Church of Christ, Johnson's Gin, Brown-McMurtry Implement, Church of Christ, Cam and Missy Forbes, Mikel and Liz Griffin, Briscoe County News, Bill and Janinne Brooks, Nance's Food Store, First Baptist Church, United Methodist Church, The Plum Thicket, Sylvia Fogerson, TX Dept. of Transportation, L. O. A. Junior Study Club, Tom and Deb Burson, E. A. and Norma Birdwell, Silverton Oil Company, Mom and Pop's Cafe, Brown Hardware, Max and Sheryl Weaver, Shear Delight, Jerry and Dorothy Baker, Seniors of 1995, Briscoe County Clinic, Erma Reyna, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ramirez, Mrs. Adelaido Vargas, Theta Holt, BCAA, Doug Cherry, Donnie and Leigh Ann Dutton, John and Gail Wyatt, Ramona Martin, David Holt, Lee and Krista Smith, Dana Martin, Wade and Mary Jo Brannon, Perry and Marsha Brunson, JonEtta Ziegler, Linda Kernell, Bena Hester, Johnny Tiffin, Tom Justice, Janet Baker, Kathy Kingery, Barry and Michelle Francis, Alex and Lydia Segura, Doug and Jeanetta Bradford, Ken and Nancy Wood, Wayne and Tina Nance, Cip and Norma Garcia, Mike and Estella Juarez, Jerry Baird, Bob Myers, Silverton.

Also Mayfield & Associates, First National Bank, Caprock Home Center, Merrell Food, Valley Farm Store, Karol's Kountry Korner, Shirley Hawkins, Jack Chandler, Dale Ramsey, Bennie Reagan, Sportsman Cafe, all of Quitaque.

Also Feather Your Nest, Sherman

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Also, Burger King, Coca-Cola Company, United Laboratories, Jim Hill, Buffalo Beano, Dillard's, Cardinal's, Jasper Wood Fire Extinguisher, Wiloughby & Company, Fox 34 - KJTV, all of Lubbock.

Also, Dr. Philip Corbin, Westgate Kar Wash, TX Dept. of Public Safety, all of Amarillo.

TX Dept. of Transportation, childress.

Shane Kernell of Wichita Falls.

Hopefully, no name was omitted from this list, but in case it was, please accept our apologies and please let the committee know. THANKS!

## Silverton School Honor Roll

### SIXTH SIX WEEKS

First Grade-Sage Brannon, Jacob Francis, Melonie Johnson, Ethan Long, Gid Mayfield, Thor Patton, Jesse Reynolds, Tanner Young

Second Grade-Peter Brown, Josh Manning, John P. Myers

Third Grade-Payton Estes, Caleb Francis, Lori Griffin, Tyler Reed, Daryl-Ann Reynolds

Fourth Grade-Pam Castillo, Tarran Forbes, Bryn Mayfield, Kassie Strange, Lauren VanHorn, Jenny Young

Fifth Grade-Amanda Estes, Andrew Francis, Kurby Garvin, Kylie Green, Amy Maciel, Refugio Martinez

Sixth Grade-Brooke Garvin, Jordan Sarchet

Seventh Grade-Nathan Francis, Jordan Sarchet

Eighth Grade-Misty Wilkinson

Ninth Grade-Miles Comer, Trista Davis, Shauna Kingery, Michelle Warren

Tenth Grade-Brandon Sarchet

Eleventh Grade-Molly Bomar, Vanessa Martin, Shannon Weaver

Twelfth Grade-Brandi Brunson, Josie Vargas

### SECOND SEMESTER

First Grade-Sage Brannon, Jacob Francis, Ethan Long, Gid Mayfield, Thor Patton, Kambra Ponder, Tanner

Young

Second Grade-Peter Brown, Josh Manning

Third Grade-Payton Estes, Caleb Francis, Tyler Reed, Daryl-Ann Reynolds

Fourth Grade-Pam Castillo, Tarran Forbes, Bryn Mayfield, Kassie Strange, Lauren VanHorn, Monty Wood, Jenny Young

Fifth Grade-Amanda Estes, Andrew Francis, Kurby Garvin, Hector Gonzales, jr., Kylie Green, Amy Maciel, Refugio Martinez, Matt Strange

Sixth Grade-Brooke Garvin, Taylor Griffin

Seventh Grade-Nathan Francis, Jordan Sarchet

Eighth Grade-Misty Wilkinson

Ninth Grade-Shauna Kingery, Michelle Warren

Tenth Grade-Kimmie Blazier, Brandon Sarchet

Eleventh Grade-Vanessa Martin, Shannon Weaver

Twelfth Grade-Brandi Brunson, Holly Nance, Josie Vargas

### YEAR

First Grade-Sage Brannon, Jacob Francis, Ethan Long, Gid Mayfield, Thor Patton, Kambra Ponder, Jesse Reynolds, Tanner Young

Second Grade-Josh Manning, John P. Myers

Third Grade-Payton Estes, Caleb Francis, Lori Griffin, Daryl-Ann Reynolds

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Sixth Grade-Brooke Garvin, Taylor Griffin, Julie Weaver, Tyler Young

Seventh Grade-Nathan Francis, Jordan Sarchet

Eighth Grade-Matt Martin, Misty Wilkinson

Ninth Grade-Trista Davis, Shauna Kingery, Michelle Warren

Tenth Grade-Kimmie Blazier, Brandon Sarchet

Eleventh Grade-Vanessa Martin,

Shannon Weaver

Twelfth Grade-Brandi Brunson, Hilda Garcia, Holly Nance, Josie Vargas

## Awards Presented at Athletic Banquet

Numerous awards were presented to student athletes during the annual Athletic Banquet sponsored by the Booster Club Saturday night.

The meal was catered by Danny's Fins & Hens, and the guest speaker was Greg Sherwood, Lubbock Athletic Director.

Most Valuable Player awards were presented to Brandi Brunson and Jack Cherry, basketball; Jeremiah Brooks, football; Leslee Weaks and Jack Cherry, track; Dedra Johnston, tennis.


Other awards included Jon Ivory and Lori Brannon, Most Improved Athletes; Cy Comer and Holly Nance, Sportsmanship; Jack Cherry, football offensive lineman; Arnold Garza, football offensive back; Jeremiah Brooks, football defensive back; the 1995 Owls, defensive linemen.

Academic All-District in football awards went to Shannon Weaver, Holly Nance and Brandon Sarchet.


Academic All-District in basketball awards were received by Brandi Brunson, Holly Nance, Molly Bomar, Shannon Weaver, Shauna Kingery, Michelle Warren and Brandon Sarchet.

Academic All-State in basketball awards went to Brandi Brunson, Holly Nance, Molly Bomar and Shannon Weaver.

Scholar-Athlete awards were given to Brandi Brunson, Holly Nance, Leslee Weaks, seniors; Molly Bomar and Shannon Weaver, juniors; Brandon Sarchet, sophomore; Molly Brooks, Kenzie Burson, Miles Comer, Shauna Kingery and Michelle Warren, freshmen; Donnie Burson, Jeremy Holt, Lindsey Jennings, Matt Martin, Dara Ramsey, Lindsey Weaks and Misty Wilkinson, eighth grade; Lisa Comer, Nathan Francis, Sara Kirchoffner and Jordan Sarchet, seventh grade.




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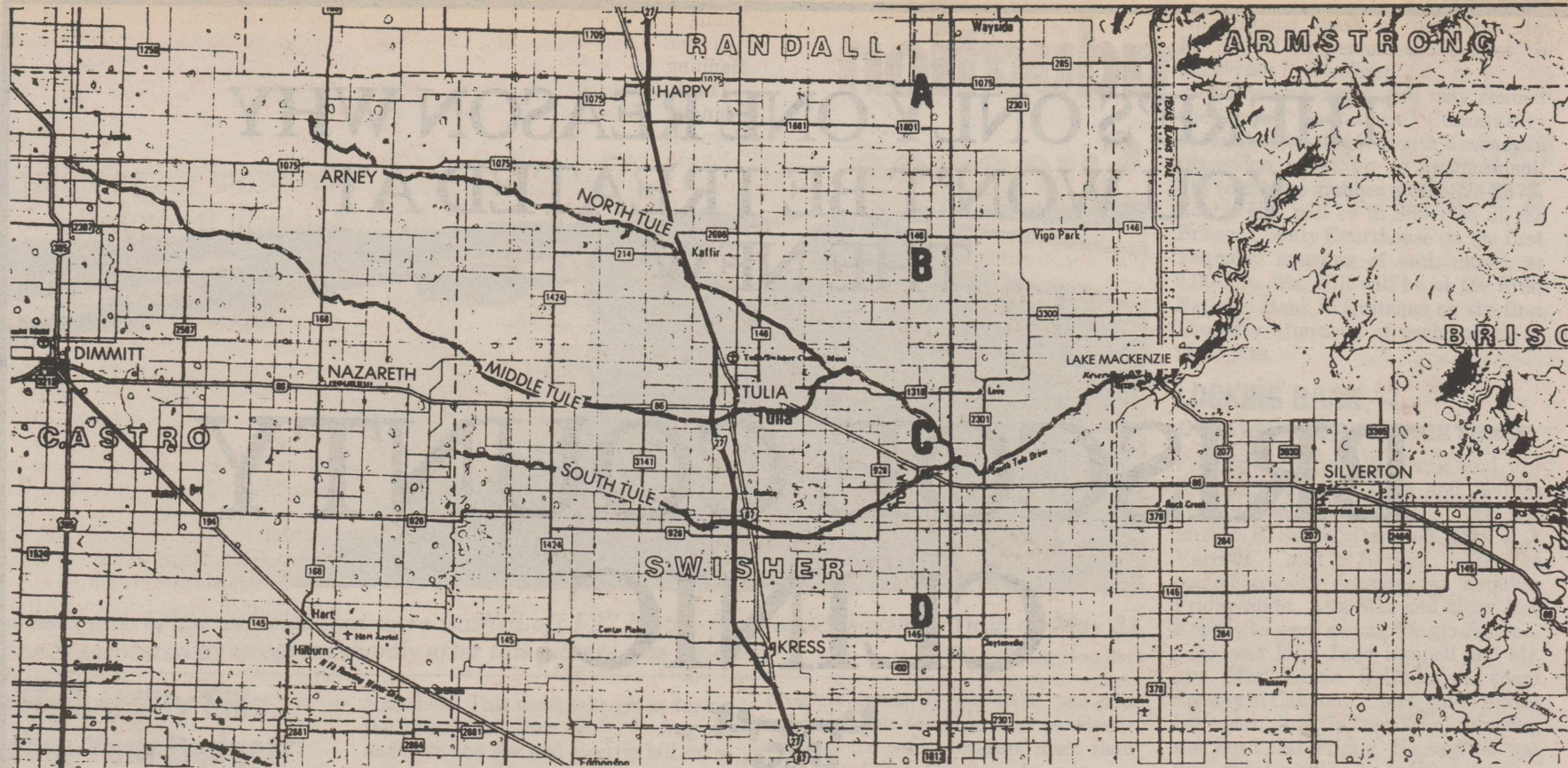
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This map shows the north, middle and south Tule Creeks and how they join before reaching Lake Mackenzie. All of the creeks have been flooding during the past week.

### HEALTH TIPS

by Arnold D. Kolman, PA-C  
Baptist Hospital Urgent Care Center

Acne, whether severe, moderate, or mild, can have terrible psychological repercussions. There's nothing quite so awful as having an outbreak before an important interview or social engagement. Also, acne scarring can last a lifetime and is difficult to treat. So do something positive about treating your acne; begin by going to your health care provider.

If your acne is mild (papules or lumps that have not become pustules), with no inflammatory pimples or redness, then you may start treatment with a topical

agent usually containing benzoyl peroxide (Oxy5 or Oxy10). If your acne is accompanied by blackheads or whiteheads, your health care provider will probably choose a different ointment containing tretinoin or retinoic acid. When the acne is moderate with pustules, pimples and redness, treatment might start with a benzoyl peroxide agent plus a topical antibiotic preparation. In severe acne with pustules, pimples, cysts and constant inflammation, a course of therapy with oral isotretinoin (Accutane) is often indicated, providing there is no possibility of pregnancy during the period of treatment. Of course there are many variations in acne therapy, each individualized to the patient's unique circumstances and

needs.

Some general rules of thumb apply to all acne therapy. Early treatment is essential to stop the formation of additional pimples. Acne is a disease of the sebaceous (oil) glands which become clogged. So washing the skin carefully but gently at least twice a day with a mild soap and water is important. But acne is not caused by dirt, so special abrasive cleaners are not necessary and only seem to irritate the problem. More complicated factors, such as bacteria, hormones, and heredity contribute to acne. When applying prescribed medication, the entire area should be covered, not merely the pimple. Remember medication is best absorbed on slightly moistened skin. There is no evidence that food can cause acne, but some people feel that certain foods make the condition worse. So if you are aware of such foods, it is prudent to eliminate them from the diet. If you wear makeup, choose a water-base type that is easy to remove with soap and water and won't clog your pores. And be sure not to stop any prescribed medication without your health care provider's permission.

### Driver Safety Course Planned

A Driver Safety Course will be held at Clarendon College on Saturday, June 10, 1995. It will meet from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. in Room 103 of the Administration Building. The fee is \$25.00.

Please contact Clarendon College at 1-806-874-3571 for further information.

Upon completion of this course, participants will be eligible for a 10% discount on their liability insurance for three years and dismissal of a traffic violation. All dismissals of traffic violations must be approved by the appropriate Justice of the Peace. This course is offered by Clarendon College and USA Training Company, Inc.

### Diplomas Awarded At Texas A&M

Diplomas were awarded to more than 3,800 Texas A&M University graduates during May commencement ceremonies.

Included was Tara Val Nance of Silverton, who received her masters degree.

Tara is the daughter of Wayne and Tina Nance and has been employed as a dorm mother at Texas A&M.

### Tax Collector's Office To Be Closed For Educational Purposes

Briscoe County Tax Assessor-Collector Betty Ann Stephens states that her office will be closed for business on Monday, June 12, through Wednesday, June 14, so that the employees can train on a new computer system that has recently been installed. The new system is called RTS which stands for registration and title system.

The Texas Department of Transportation developed the automated, high tech system to improve service to customers, save time on turn arounds, and generally conserve time and be more productive.

Vehicle titles will be sent to new owners within two weeks instead of the eight- to ten-week waiting period. Vehicle registration will be updated within 48 hours instead of six weeks.

By the end of the year all 254 counties will be on the RTS system. It is going to make the tax office more efficient and accurate.

The Briscoe County Tax Assessor-Collector's office will be open on Thursday, June 15, for business.

### Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

I've got to share this with you and the people I grew up with in Silverton.

My friends from high school, whom I haven't seen since the early sixties, located me. They are Billie Fay (Heckman) Sluder and Margaret (Stephens) Thornton.

They flew in to Love Field on a Thursday. I was so anxious to see them and we did recognize one another (ha ha).

We really had a lot of fun catching up on news and gossip, and of course a lot of laughing.

We have promised to stay in touch. It has proven to me "once a true friend, always a friend."

A former resident,  
Faye (Bingham) Reeves

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**WEDNESDAY:**  
 Bible Study..... 7:00 p.m.

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

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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**SUNDAY:**  
 Library Opens ..... 9:15 a.m.  
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 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
**SECOND & FOURTH TUESDAYS:**  
 Baptist Women..... 9:30 a.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 Library Opens ..... 6:30 p.m.  
 Bible Study/Prayer ..... 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST  
 CHURCH**

**SUNDAY:**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
 Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Youth Group ..... 7:00 p.m.  
**FIRST MONDAY:**  
 United Methodist Men . 6:00 a.m.  
**TUESDAY:**  
 United Meth. Women... 9:30 a.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 Choir Practice ..... 5:00 p.m.  
 In-home Bible Study 7:00 p.m.  
**THIRD SATURDAY:**  
 Family Fun Night ..... 7:00 p.m.

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**SUNDAY:**  
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 Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
 Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
 Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 Choir Rehearsal ..... 7:00 p.m.  
 Prayer Service..... 8:00 p.m.

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 Mass..... 9:00 a.m.  
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 Doctrina Class ..... 4:30-5:30 p.m.  
 Junior & Senior  
 High..... 4:30-5:30 p.m.

**ROCK CREEK  
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**SUNDAY:**  
 Worship Service ..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 Worship Service ..... 7:30 p.m.



**C** HILDREN SHOULD NOT FORGET  
 THEIR FAITH DURING SUMMER

For most children, school is out now unless they attend classes on a year-round basis or will be going to summer school. Sunday school is also in adjournment now, except that some Houses of Worship conduct Sunday school sessions during the summer months. In any case, the children will have some time off to enjoy the summer and see some of the wonders of God's creation. Whatever they do, parents should make sure that the children don't forget what they learned during the past nine months: including school subjects, discipline and, most of all, their faith. This can be helped by weekly visits to the House of Worship, so that when fall classes roll around the children will have a real head start and remember the lessons of their faith, as well as the blessings they have received from God's love.

No parent ever regretted bringing up his children to love, fear, honor and obey God.  
 — Author unknown

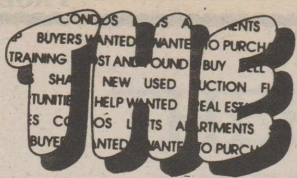
"All thy children shall be taught of the Lord."  
 — Isaiah 54:13



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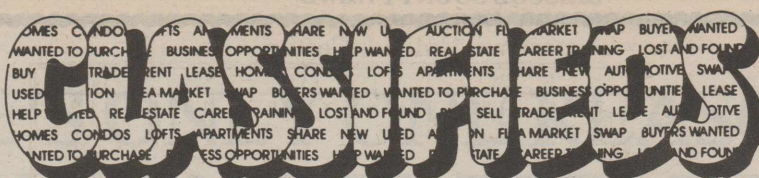
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Dear friends,  
Words cannot adequately express our feelings for the acts of love and kindness shown to our family these last few days.  
We want to say Thank You to the Silverton Ambulance Service for responding so quickly to help Daddy. Thank you Anthony, Emmett and Connie.  
Also Thank You to everyone who called and visited at the hospital, and to all who brought food and to all who came by the house; we appreciate you so much.  
We also want to thank Dana and Matt for mowing and cleaning up the yard.  
Thank you for the flowers and the cards that you sent to us.  
You all honored George with these many things that you have done. Keep us in your prayers in the days ahead. We love you all.  
The family of George Martin  
Van, Gary, Ramona,  
Dusty, Vanessa and Matt

We would like to take this means to express our appreciation for your concern, prayers and presence during the recent injury and loss of our husband, son and brother, Jerry Walter Taylor. We appreciate every prayer offered in our behalf, the flowers, phone calls and every act of kindness extended to us. A special thanks to the ladies of the Methodist Church in Quitaque for providing the noon meal.  
Kim Taylor  
Jinks and Vernie Taylor  
Burl and Carlene Hollar  
Jim and Mary Taylor

Thank you to LaNell Montague and to Carl Bomar for their donations to the Fire Department.  
Also, we thank Bud and Glenda Couch, Jerry and Brenda Patton, Sylvia Fogerson, Bessie Garrison and Steve Jarnagin for their recent memorial gifts.  
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		1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995	
White: (11&21)	3	-495	-450	-315	-285	-235	-230	-85	-80	+95	+95	
	4	-525	-485	-345	-325	-265	-265	-115	-115	+60	+55	
	(31)	3	-495	-460	-315	-290	-235	-235	-85	-85	+95	+95
	4	-525	-485	-345	-330	-270	-275	-120	-125	+40	+45	
(41)	3	-525	-490	-330	-320	-280	-285	-130	-135	+0	+0	
	4	-550	-505	-355	-335	-300	-300	-150	-150	Base	Base	
	(51)	3	-710	-695	-555	-560	-555	-560	-405	-410	-350	-355
	4	-730	-705	-575	-570	-575	-570	-425	-420	-375	-370	
Light Spotted: (12&22)	3	-535	-500	-380	-345	-290	-290	-140	-140	-10	-30	
	4	-600	-590	-445	-425	-350	-385	-200	-235	-75	-170	
	(32)	3	-560	-530	-395	-375	-315	-320	-165	-170	-10	-30
	4	-655	-625	-500	-470	-470	-460	-320	-310	-275	-290	
(42)	3	-665	-630	-510	-480	-485	-480	-335	-330	-290	-310	
	4	-680	-645	-530	-495	-505	-495	-355	-345	-315	-325	
	(52)	3	-760	-760	-600	-670	-600	-670	-450	-520	-440	-520
	4	-945	-895	-880	-855	-880	-855	-730	-705	-730	-705	
Spotted: (13&23)	3	-930	-870	-820	-760	-820	-750	-670	-600	-670	-600	
	4	-940	-925	-830	-840	-830	-840	-680	-690	-680	-690	
	(33)	3	-930	-870	-820	-760	-820	-760	-670	-610	-670	-610
	4	-1175	-1085	-1135	-1050	-1130	-1050	-980	-900	-980	-900	
(43)	3	-1190	-1160	-1190	-1160	-1190	-1160	-1040	-1010	-1040	-1010	
	4	-1190	-1165	-1190	-1165	-1190	-1165	-1040	-1015	-1040	-1015	
	(53)	3	-1210	-1240	-1210	-1240	-1210	-1240	-1060	-1090	-1060	-1090
	4	-1470	-1425	-1470	-1425	-1470	-1425	-1320	-1275	-1320	-1275	

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supplies decline.

Marketings for the month of March totaled 435,000 bales at an average price received of 86.5 cents per pound. The preliminary price received by farmers for the month of April is reported by the National Agricultural Statistics Service at 90.6 cents per pound.

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Planting cotton on the High Plains of Texas in 1995 hasn't been easy because the area was suffering from the second driest 12-month period on record, according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG). Much of the area has received much-needed rainfall during the past week.

Irrigated acreage, which comprises about one-half of the area's 3.5 million cotton acres, is estimated to be 80-90 percent planted through May 26. Irrigated cotton emergence to date is estimated at around 60 percent.

Dryland acres, on the other hand, are estimated at only 5-10 percent planted with many producers contemplating whether or not to "dry-plant" some of their acres instead of waiting for a "planting rain" to come along.

Dr. Kater Hake, Extension Cotton Specialist for the High Plains region, says he expects at least a portion of the area's unplanted dryland acres will be planted in a dry seedbed. Hake is advising producers who are thinking about dry-planting cotton to be conservative and only plant part of their dryland acres in this manner.

"Currently there is still enough time for producers to implement some strategy into their planting efforts," notes Hake. "We still have a little time to get a planting rain. The key will be in getting the number of acres to be planted following that rain down to a manageable level."

Hake's advice to dry-plant enough cotton acreage so that following a planting rain the producer can easily plant all unplanted acreage in 4-5 days.

Of the acreage already planted and up to a stand, most appears to be in good shape. Producers in some areas may see some increase in seedling disease pressure following several days of cool, damp weather; however, overall the crop is off to a fairly good start.

For producers concerned about the possibility of being prevented from ever planting the 1995 crop, the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) just issued some revised regulations for producers with crop insurance.

The revised provisions relate to a producer's options under the Federal Crop Insurance program. For more

information about the changes, producers should contact their county Consolidated Farm Service Agency office.

Rainfall totaling up to three inches fell across much of the High Plains providing many farmers a much-needed dose of moisture for dryland cotton fields.

According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG), the recent rains haven't been totally beneficial from a coverage standpoint. Much of the dryland cotton acreage west of Lubbock remains too dry to plant.

Producers who have not received enough moisture to plant their acreage and are considering "dry-planting" cotton have been advised by Extension Cotton Specialist Kater Hake to only dry-plant a portion of their acres. He suggests leaving an amount equal to what can reasonably be planted in 4-5 days unplanted so that if a planting rain is received the producer can easily take advantage of the situation.

In addition to the rain, several thousand acres will probably need to be replanted as a result of the recent barrage of storms. Scattered reports of crop loss due to hail also have been heard although no firm estimates of the extent of this damage are available at this time.

"This past week has significantly brightened the prospects of many thousands of dryland cotton acres across the High Plains region," says PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson. "We expect to see a dramatic jump in the number of dryland acres planted, unfortunately we are still in a deficit moisture situation and will need some timely summer rains to keep the crop going through harvest."

Johnston notes that strong prices continue to encourage producers to do whatever they can to make a cotton crop in 1995. A preliminary look at the volume of marketings and the prices received by producers appears to back up this feeling.

Through the month of March a total of 3,483 million bales of cotton have been marketed by producers. Monthly totals indicate that marketings are beginning to taper off as 1994 crop

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