

Boy Scout Program Draws Big Crowd



CAL FARLEY

A large and interested crowd was on hand Wednesday night at the high school auditorium to honor Boy Scouts of Silvertown...

Members of the two local Scout troops were guests of the Briscoe County Development club at a dinner in the high school auditorium...

Mr. Farley, president of Boys Ranch and organizer of the Maverick club in Amarillo, lauded the efforts of the local club...

"Any investment in time, money or work, made in boys will pay off in a big way," said Mr. Farley.

Leaders in Boy Scout work here hope to interest a number of men as Scout masters and to organize at least two more troops in this community.

Mr. Farley in his talk traced the history of the Maverick club in Amarillo and the establishment of Boys Ranch, declaring that they were set up to meet a need with underprivileged boys...

"There are no bad boys," he said; "the ones that turn out bad are victims of environment when they are small, from eight and nine years through their early teens..."

O. K. Reynolds of Plainview, area Scout Executive, spoke briefly at the program was opened and a group of vocal solos by Thelma Jean Mercer, accompanied by Betty Burson, was greatly enjoyed.

George Martin gave some banjo numbers. Dr. Royse Dennis was chairman of the meeting.

WESLEY — BROOKS

Miss Mildred Wesley and Mr. A. T. Brooks, Jr., were united in marriage Saturday, February 9th, in the First Baptist Parsonage here.

Mrs. Brooks is the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wesley. Mr. Brooks is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brooks. Both Mr. and Mrs. Brooks attended school at the Silvertown High School.

Those attending the wedding were the bride's sister, Miss Elvira Wesley and escort, Mr. Oscar Weeks, the grooms sister, Miss Lillian Brooks, Miss Eudean Watters, Virgil Crow, Miss Gene Bingham and Sonny Milton.

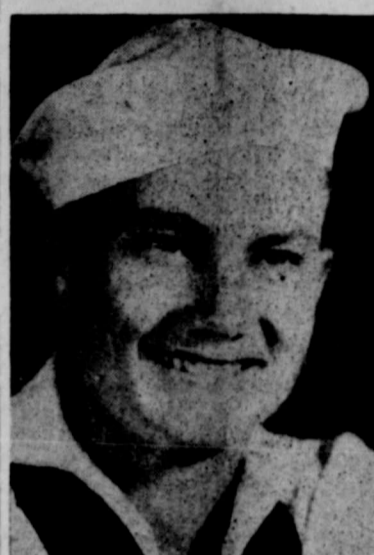
John Haynes getting Wide Support In His Campaign to Rid Alamo Yard of Piece of Trash, Jap Monument

John Haynes, pioneer of Briscoe County, friend of Admiral Nimitz and Boy Scout leader, is up in arms about a Japanese monument situated in the courtyard of the Alamo, John Haynes, Silvertown rancher and scout master visiting San Antonio today, sought the removal of the stone from the courtyard.

Commenting on the monument's effect on visitors to the Alamo, Haynes said that "although I can't read the little chicken-tracks they have for writing, the Tokyo, in big letters at the bottom, is enough to turn my stomach."

Haynes, who served with the merchant marine during the war, was in Pearl Harbor as a civilian employee at the time of the Japanese attack Dec. 7, 1941. His son, Capt. Joe Haynes, was killed in the South Pacific.

Haynes said he donated the land for the Mammy Haynes Camp at Silvertown, and spends his spare time as scout leader of the troop...



Alvie Gardner of the Navy, who is home on leave this week, greeting old friends and visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gardner.

Near Quarter Inch Moisture on Sunday

A slow drizzling rain Sunday brought almost another quarter of an inch moisture to Briscoe County ranch and farm lands and adding materially to the prospects for a wheat crop.

T. E. L. Class Has Coffee in Home of Mrs. Clifford Allard

The Baptist T. E. L. Class met for a coffee and business meeting on Friday, Feb. 8 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allard, with 22 members present.

New officers elected for the year were: President, Mrs. Marvin Thompson; vice-president, Mrs. R. C. Hutless; second vice-pres., Mrs. Clifford Allard; third vice-pres., Mrs. Pearl Simpson.

Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Wheelock; recording secretary, Mrs. Grady Wimberly; flower chairman, Mrs. Roy C. Bomar; teacher, Mrs. Earl Brown; assistant teacher, Mrs. R. E. Stephens.

T. E. L. CLASS MEETS

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist church met Sunday with Mrs. Clifford Allard presiding in the absence of Mrs. Marvin Thompson, the president.

Mrs. P. T. Allday of Washburn is here on a visit.

Three New Board Members Selected for Soil District

The board of supervisors for the Cap Rock Soil Conservation district was completed at election held last Saturday, Feb. 16, in three zones.

Members of the board elected were: Sub-division 1, San Jacinto, Obra Watson; sub-division 3, Francis, Earl Cantwell; sub-division 5, Quitaque, J. P. White.

Other members are Bray H. Cook of district 2 and Louie Kitchens of district 4.

The new soil conservation district replaces the Briscoe County Wind Erosion district and conforms to the policies of the standard state Soil Conservation Act.

W. A. "Bill" Holt Is Candidate for Commissioner No. 3

W. A. "Bill" Holt has authorized The News to announce his candidacy for county commissioner, Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

Mr. Holt, farmer and stock-raiser who lives 15 miles south-west of Silvertown, has resided in Briscoe County for 30 years and has been a resident of this area since 1901, having formerly lived in Floyd and Swisher counties.

"I have lived here long enough for the people to know me and know my record," he said, "and believe that I am qualified in every respect to serve the people of Precinct No. 3 and the county as a whole as commissioner. It will be my aim to co-operate with the other members of the court and give to the people of the county an efficient administration and one based entirely on equitable treatment to every one and a business-like handling of all public affairs."

It is the first time that Mr. Holt has ever sought public office of any nature.

"I hope to see all of the voters personally," he said, "but want to let them know now that I am a candidate and to ask for their vote and support."

CANDLELIGHT CEREMONY

Miss Peggy Linn Lawler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Lawler of Goodnight, Texas and Billy Charles Minkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders were married Sunday, Feb. 10 at 5:00 p. m. in the home of the bride's parents.

Rev. A. B. Moseley read the single ring ceremony.

The marriage rites were performed before an altar of white carnations, pot plants and fern. Two, three-branched candleabra holding white tapers lighted the recital of the marriage vows.

The candles were lighted by Hope Watson, niece of the bride and Dorothy Sanders, sister of the bridegroom.

The bridegroom entered, preceded by the minister and followed by the best man, Jiggs Thompson of Goodnight, Texas. Then came the bride with her only attendant, Miss Mary Gamble of Canyon.

The bride wore an attractive blue suit with navy accessories, a corsage of white carnations, a nosegay of white lilies on a white ribbon. For something old she wore a gold bar-pin with her mother's maiden name engraved on it.

Miss Gamble wore a suit of navy blue and a corsage of pink carnations.

Both bride and bridegroom are graduates of Goodnight high school. The bride was attending West Texas State College in Canyon. The bridegroom had been a student of Texas A. and M. before entering the armed forces. He returned home last October from the Philippines after serving several months overseas.

A reception was held in the home. The same colors, pink and white, were used to decorate the table on which was a large wedding cake trimmed with orange blossoms and a miniature bride and bridegroom.

After the first piece of wedding cake had been cut by the bride, Mrs. O. C. Watson, Jr., sister of the bride, presided at the serving. Mrs. John Howard, also a sister of the bride, poured.

Guests were the bride's Uncle and Aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar and daughter Mary Tom of Silvertown; Mrs. Hugh Thompson, Lou Ellen Pennington, Mary Joyce Hightower, John Johnson and wife of West Texas State and

Annual Red Cross Drive Opens Mar. 1

Plans are being completed this week for the annual Red Cross roll call in Silvertown and Briscoe County.

The county quota this year is \$2,000 and Leo White has been named roll call chairman. Committees are to be named for the various communities in the county and workers hope to raise the county quota in a brief campaign, opening next Friday, March 1.

C. D. Wright is chairman of the county Red Cross chapter with Mrs. D. T. Northcutt as treasurer.

Funds raised in the drive will be divided among services abroad for men in uniform, needs in the United States in the wake of domestic catastrophes and for the rehabilitation of returning service men and women and their families.

A detailed statement on the needs of the Red Cross and a list of community chairman and workers will be given in next week's issue of the News.

Elmo Baird Weds Big Spring Girl

In a double ring ceremony performed Saturday evening Feb. 16, Miss Doris Scott of Big Spring was married to Sgt. Elmo Baird of Silvertown. The vows were read by the Rev. H. Clyde Smith in the parlor of his home. Following the ceremony a wedding party was held in the Seattle hotel, Big Spring and the couple will make their home in Big Spring.

Given in marriage by Dan Arnold, the bride was attired in a chartreuse suit styled along cardigan lines, with which she wore a salmon-colored blouse. Her hat was formed on chartruese and pink flowers and she wore a corsage made of an orchid surrounded by pink carnations.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Shirley Colby of Los Angeles.

Tadlocks Observe Golden Wedding Event on Feb. 10

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Tadlock, Sr., will be glad to know that they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Feb. 10 at their home in Waurika, Okla., when friends and relatives from various places paid them a surprise visit and were guests at a dinner prepared by their son. They received many lovely gifts and expressions of good will.

One remembrance they deeply appreciated was a spray of beautiful carnations bearing the card, "Friends of Silvertown". Their children and grand-children all were present except one son, Lt. A. G. Tadlock, who is in the Army Air Forces and stationed at Biloxi, Miss. The Tadlocks lived for many years in Silvertown until moving to Oklahoma six years ago.

MRS. WULFMAN IMPROVING

The many friends of Mrs. D. F. Wulfman, who was taken to the Lubbock hospital late Sunday, will be glad to know that her condition is improving following an attack of double pneumonia. Her daughter, Annette, is with her at Lubbock and doctors believe she will be out of danger shortly.

AP WRITER VISITS HERE

Finis Mothershed, member of the Associated Press bureau in Albuquerque, visited briefly Tuesday in Silvertown with T. E. Johnson at the News Office. He has been in Albuquerque for the past two years and says he wants to get back to the Panhandle. He is a former reporter on the Amarillo Globe-News.

classmates of the bride. Miss LaNell Reid, Charles Smith, Mrs. W. M. Crain and Mrs. Bob Carter of Goodnight, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson, Jack and Hope of Perryton, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard Gilbert of Goodnight, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders, parents of the bridegroom, Nolan Sanders, Dorothy Sanders and the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Lawler.

Poll Tax List Gain This Year

There are 122 more qualified voters in Briscoe County than last year, poll tax records show—and that's not counting returned service men and women who won't need a poll tax this year.

Poll tax receipts this year total 1,175 as compared with 1,053 last year.

Service men and women may vote without a poll tax in any election coming within 18 months from the time they left the service.

New Colors for Car Tags Now on Sale by Sheriff

Automobile license plates this year are of a different color. They have buff letters and numbers on a black background.

Tags may be purchased now and may be placed on the vehicles after March 1. They must be on all vehicles by April 1.

The key letters which identify cars and trucks registered in Briscoe County are the same as last year, the numbers starting with AT for passenger cars, MC for commercial and RB for farm units.

The license plates are about an inch longer than last year and about an inch wider.

PS: Sheriff Jake Honea has an ample supply.

Rapid Progress Being Made on Paving Program

Street paving was going along at a fast clip Wednesday, after truckers got back on the job hauling caliche early Tuesday.

Caliche had been hauled, leveled and rolled on the street from the highway to the school building and was looking "like a million dollars" in the opinion of folks who saw it.

Base also had been put down on the three blocks north of the highway and on the block and a half from the post office north by the Methodist church. The street from the school east to the Silvertown hotel was being put down Wednesday afternoon.

Asphalt topping on the streets will be put down in the latter part of March, said Olin Boswell, superintendent for the Ernest Loyd Construction company.

Johnny Quillen To Operate Texaco Service Station

C. R. (Johnnie) Quillen is the new operator of the Texaco Service station, having bought out Glenn McWilliams and Shorty Bingham. Mr. Quillen plans the addition of merchandise to his gasoline and oil business as items become available and will set up the new department in the space now occupied by the Loyd Construction company as an office. A line of standard brand tires will be one of his features.

Associated with Mr. Quillen in the operation of the station are Dave Ziegler, Kelton Newman and Gene Ciemmer.

The former owners of the business have not announced their plans.

C. C. Dodson, Printer, Returns to Memphis

C. C. Dodson, who worked at The News office for two weeks as a printer, returned to his home in Memphis last Friday.

Herschel Combs of the Memphis Democrat came to Silvertown Monday night and helped the News staff repair a breakdown on the linotype.

LEGION AUXILIARY TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday, February 20, at 7:30 in the court house.

All who are interested are urged to attend.

Wayland Drops 2 Games to Owls

Both the first and second teams came out victorious over Wayland College here Tuesday night when the A team won 37 to 35 and the B team walked off with a 22 to 9 score, but the Silvertown girls dropped their game to the visitors, 15 to 13.

Owls Take Second Place in Tourney, Losing to Flomot

Apparently jinxed by Flomot, the Silvertown Owls came out in second place in the district 1-B basketball tournament in Quitaque last week-end.

Realizing from the opening game that they could win the tourney if they could get by Flomot, the Owls showed plenty of stuff to smother Quitaque 43 to 25 on Thursday night and outpoint Carey 31 to 30 Friday, but came out on the small end of a 30 to 26 score with Flomot Saturday afternoon in the title game.

The Owls lead Flomot during the first half.

Trukey finished third in the tournament.

K. D. Brian Rites Held at Lorenzo

Funeral services for K. D. Brian, father of the Rev. W. L. Brian, were conducted Wednesday, Feb. 13, at 3 o'clock in the First Baptist church in Lorenzo.

Mr. Brian is survived by his widow, six sons and three daughters. Five of his sons are ministers. He had been ill for several months in the Amherst hospital.

PENNINGTONS MOVE HERE

New local residents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pennington, formerly of Amarillo, who have moved to their farm four miles west of Silvertown. Mr. Pennington taught welding in the defense school at Amarillo College during the war. He was a member of the Kiwanis club in Amarillo and believes that the Briscoe County Development club can mean a lot to Silvertown and the county. Living with them on their farm is their grandson, Bobbie Ray Pierce.

MRS. BALLARD, CHILDREN ARE NOW LIVING HERE

Arriving in Silvertown Monday were Mrs. Virgil Ballard and her two daughters, Joni Jo and Betty Lu. They are making their home for the present with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. T. Bundy, awaiting the arrival of Mr. Ballard from Dallas. The Ballards have bought the Bain Drug store from Mr. and Mrs. John Bain. They lived in Dallas for the past 11 years where Mr. Ballard was football coach at Adams high school. He is expected to arrive by the first of next week.

SHAMROCK MAN HERE TO LOOK "THE TOWN OVER"

R. H. Dennis of Shamrock and his daughter, Patsy Ann, were in Silvertown over the week-end, the guests of his brother, Dr. Royse Dennis and Mrs. Dennis. Mr. Dennis was recently discharged from the Navy, and said he was "looking Silvertown over" before deciding to locate.

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"It looks like a million dollars", is the common expression heard about the street paving now being put down. And, so it does. Paved streets are one of the best investments any town can make, both for the community as a whole and for the individual property owner. Folks fortunate enough to get their streets paved now are getting a bargain. Future paving will cost a lot more, perhaps double, if and when more blocks are surfaced.

We want to say a word about the tie-up on paving plans last

week, when possibly some local citizens, including us, misunderstood the facts in the case. W. M. Massie of Floydada, representing the Howard lands, refused to permit the contractor to haul caliche from the pit which had been used for the highway paving. Mr. Massie had a contract with the state highway department, which included provisions for certain improvements to the site after the work was done. He was fearful that the use of caliche for other paving might void his contract. When a satisfactory statement was obtained from the highway department and the contractor, Mr. Massie permitted the use of materials for the Silverton streets. He was not being arbitrary in that sense but was merely protecting his property rights, although the mix-up did work a hardship on the truck drivers and hold up the paving work for two or three days.

We always have known that there are many fine and accommodating people in the newspaper business. It was really brought home to us this week. Being without a printer, and having the promise of one next week, Jack Burleson, who is trying to get off to Austin to school and who had other things to do, said he'd pinch hit this week. When he found the linotype out of commission Monday our good friend Herschel Combs of Memphis came over that night and got it back in running

order. In the meantime, Crannie Allred, who's not out of the service yet but is on a leave and hasn't had time to catch up with his visiting around, showed up and we hastened to get him to pull off his coat and give us a hand. But, not being able to work on the paper Monday, we were behind schedule and our paper this week is minus quite a bit of both advertising and news. Anyway, the paper we have is due to the fraternal, co-operative spirit of the fellows mentioned above—a spirit that exists everywhere among most newspaper people.

**Full Production Is Only Way to Hold Prices, Texans Told**

"Day by day it is becoming increasingly evident that the only real hope of holding the price line is full speed on the production line." Owen M. Richards of Chicago, general manager of the American Dairy Association, told the Texas Dairy Products Association.

"It's as basic as the law of supply and demand," he told the state dairy leaders at Fort Worth. "Supply in relation to ability to pay fairly determines the price level. Capricious national price policies have discouraged production, encouraged black markets, and even forced foods and manufactured goods off the market."

This is as true of America's food factories—the farms—as of the nation's industrial plants, he asserted, adding:

"In rebuilding national reserves depleted by the war, we must remember that our sinews are in our soil. Economic planners tend to forget this. Farm incomes have lagged behind farm costs for a generation. Since the 1910-14 period, farm incomes have doubled, while factory wages have leaped up 400 per cent."

**Farm Incomes Lagging**  
As proof that farm incomes are not keeping pace with incomes to industrial workers, Richards pointed out that the 1940 hourly wage paid factory workers would buy 1.4 pounds of butter; the 1945 wage would buy 1.8 pounds and the proposed 18-cents-an-hour boost for factory workers would make an hourly wage equivalent to 2.1 pounds.

"Similarly, the 1940 industrial hourly wage would buy six quarts

of milk; the 1945 wage, 6.5 quarts; and with an 18-cent increase it would buy 7.5 quarts. This means farm incomes are not meeting farm costs, because the farmer must buy from the factory. Raising factory costs while ignoring farm incomes is like watering the leaves of your economic tree but leaving the roots dry. It makes a shiny picture, but your tree won't grow."

Eight million brides, millions of new babies, record savings of 125 billions, and a national income ranging above 150 billions, all hold promise of an unprecedented demand for goods and an undreamed-of standard of living, Richards said.

"But we'll never produce plenty if we follow the economic evangelists who preach only shared scarcity," he warned. "Income alone won't bring prosperity. Neither will rationing, allocation, ceiling or similar controls. Under such circumstances, the controllers soon find themselves controlling in a vacuum—without houses, without cars, without nylons, without butter. Dividing zero pounds of butter among 140 million people would still leave you zero butter."

In Texas, he pointed out, creameries that have been in the butter business for years are simply unable to compete for cream to make 46-cents-a-pound butter when the cream itself costs vastly more.

**Situation Is National**  
"The identical situation obtains across the nation and throughout the dairy industry," he said. "One national study showed the profit for distributing milk was around one-third of a cent per quart. As far as the butter business is concerned, on the manufacturing side, there is no profit. So it goes for other dairy products. The price ceiling has been held so low, and manufacturing costs have gone so high, that the costs have simply burst through the ceiling."

"In the Corpus Christi area of Texas it costs the dairy farmer \$5.71 to produce 100 pounds of milk that he is forbidden to sell for more than \$4.70," Richards said, "and if you imagine this is mere marginal dairy land, let me point out that this same area contains one herd of 1,900 purebred Jerseys—certainly one of the largest dairy farms in the world. Other Texas areas experience like situations."

War experiences showed we have an industrial plant, agricultural energy and the raw materials to build such prosperity as the world has never known, Richards said, but he cautioned:

"Continued attempts to short-circuit the laws of supply and demand in the source of all our

wealth—the products of the soil—might so distort our economy that we'd end up far less concerned about price lines and far more concerned about breadlines."

**Veterans Eligible as Marine Cadets**

Honorably discharged veterans of the Merchant Marine and Armed Services up to the age of 24 years will be considered for appointment as Cadet-Midshipmen in the U. S. Merchant Marine Cadet Corps provided they meet the standard requirements or entrance, it was announced today by the Supervisor, U. S. Merchant Marine Cadet Corps. The regulation age limit for non-veterans is from 16 1/2 to 21 years.

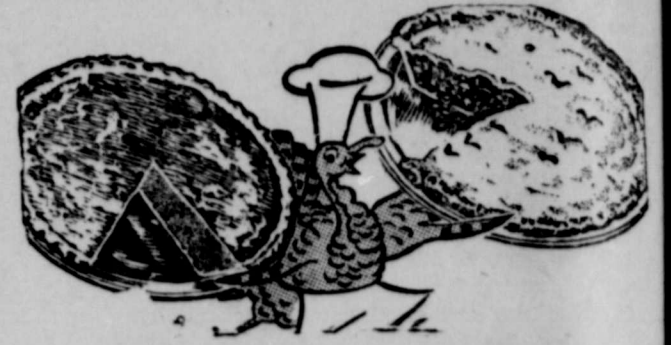
It was also announced that the veterans would be allowed an additional five points on the competitive scholastic test leading to four years of education and training in the Cadet Corps Academy and at sea preparing for careers as officers on ships of the Merchant Marine.

Present high school seniors making application or appointment as Merchant Marine Cadet Corps and Cadet-Midshipmen in the U. S. who take the examination on April 3, 1946, will be able to finish high school and receive their diplomas in May or June. Successful candidates will not be assigned to the Cadet Schools before July 1, 1946.

Applications, properly executed, must be postmarked not later than midnight, March 1, 1946, to be considered for the annual examination to be held on April 3,

1946. Full information and applications may be obtained by writing or wiring the SUPERVISOR, MINISTRATION, WASHINGTON, U. S. MERCHANT MARINE CA-25, D. C.

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**VALENTINE PARTY**

**JOYED IN WEAST HOME**  
Honoring Mr. and Mrs. John Montague who are leaving soon to take their home in Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. George West entertained with a Valentine dinner and 42 party last Thursday night, Feb. 14 at their home near South Silvertown. Red carnations and other cut flowers decorated the receiving

rooms and the dining table was covered with a lace banquet cloth. Guests were offered trays of fruit nectar beore being ushered into the dining room to enjoy a buffet dinner, with games of 42 following. The host and hostess were assisted in receiving and entertaining by their daughter her husband and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smith and Sandra Gay.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Montague, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Stanforth, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wright.

**LOCAL NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wright and Mrs. Sid Richards attended a meeting in Amarillo, last Friday, of representatives from most of the Presbyterian churches of the Panhandle. They were guests at a barbecue-banquet at the Amarillo First Presbyterian Church, honoring Doctor Lampe, Moderator of the U. S. General Assembly. It was prepared by the famous John Snider.

One of the churches under discussion for having a resident minister provided soon, is the Silvertown Presbyterian.

Mrs. A. H. Hodges was a Sunday dinner guest of her sister Mrs. J. L. Bice.

Mrs. Eddie Cox and son of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Autry over the week end.

L. D. Griffin and Roy McMurtry took Wayne to Plainview Saturday for a checkup. Wayne is doing nicely. He will soon be able to walk again.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Higgins of Dumas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Walls and daughter of Turkey spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Curby moved to Guyton, Oklahoma Wednesday where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McClendon and Mrs. T. C. McCutchen were in Lubbock Thursday and Friday

transacting business. Mr. and Mrs. McClendon have recently purchased a home in Lubbock and plan to move there soon.

Miss Oneta Henderson spent Saturday night with Miss Doris McClendon.

Mrs. Orlin Stark and Patsy of Quitaque, Mrs. T. C. Bomar, Mrs. Pearl Bomar and John Douglas visited Mrs. W. W. Douglas in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephens and son of Turkey spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephens transacted business in Plainview Saturday.

Mrs. C. C. Garrison went to Crosbyton Friday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Keltz Garrison and boys. Mrs. Garrison has returned from Dallas where she spent several weeks in a hospital. Her condition is greatly improved.

The Fogersons were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bomar Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Daniels of Floydada spent several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniel. Mrs. J. E. Daniel has been ill for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill and Bob Haley went to Plainview to visit here mother, Mrs. W. H. Haley.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Marshall had as their guests Sunday her mother, Mrs. J. W. Smith, Josephine and Mary C. Smith of Plainview and brother, Melvin, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith of Kress.

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We do half soling and repairing from the roughest brogans to the daintiest ladies shoes.

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**WHAT FARMERS WANT WHEN THEY BORROW**



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EVERYBODY knows that banks keep personal information confidential. Some lending agencies seem to feel that farmers don't mind having their private facts and figures revealed to others. But we have the old-fashioned idea that such data should be held in confidence, and that's the way we do business. We'd like to have you come in and discuss your credit needs.

- 6,242 Farmers** in a national survey, gave this list of things they want when they borrow:
- PROMPT SERVICE
  - FREEDOM FROM RED TAPE
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  - FRIENDSHIP WITH LENDER
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**SHERIFFS SALE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF BRISCOE  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Briscoe County, on the 7th day of January 1946, by State of Texas together with the Silvertown Independent School District and City of Silvertown for the sum of One Hundred Thirty Six and 11-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgement, in favor of Plaintiffs in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1270 and styled State of Texas Vs F. D.

**WOMEN! WHO SUFFER FIERY MISERY OF HOT FLASHES**

If the functional "middle-age" period peculiar to women causes you to suffer from hot flashes, nervous tension, irritability—try famous Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Pinkham's Compound is one of the best known medicines for this purpose. Also a grand stomachic tonic!

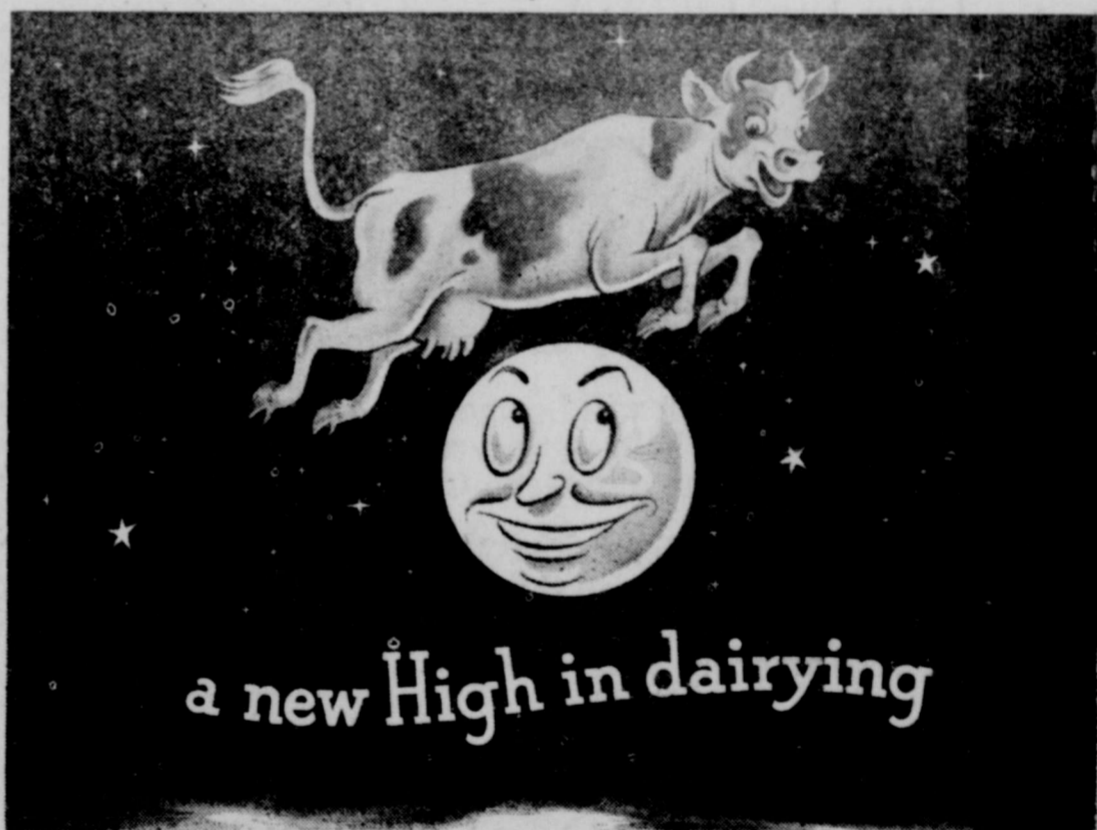
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New records in dairying are being piled up every year in the Panhandle-Plains and Southeastern New Mexico. Believe it or not, but our territory produces a large percentage of all the butter and cheese in the entire Southwest. Milch cows thrive in this good climate—and, of course, there's plenty of good feed and an abundance of fresh, wholesome water.

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**WANTED --** Sewing of all kinds and alteration work. See me in the home of J. N. Cantwell.  
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**FOR SALE --** My 160 acre farm North East of town.  
**JEFF SIMPSON** 5-4tp

**FOR SALE--** Windcharger, 32 volts, with 60 foot steel tower, 16 batteries. In good shape. Price \$500.00. Bruce Graham, Higgins, Texas, or see Heydon Hensley at First State Bank, Silvertown. 7-8p

**NOTICE --** Silvertown Masonic Lodge No. 754 will have their regular meeting Tues., March 12, at 7:30 p. m. All masters urged to attend.  
1-tfc  
**C. D. WRIGHT, WM**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given of the sale at public auction, of the Francis School Teacherage, 13 miles southwest of Silvertown at 3 p. m. on Tuesday, Feb. 26. Dimensions of building 14 by 24 feet. Piano will also be sold at auction. Trustees of the school reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Terms cash. Francis School Board of Trustees  
Lowell Callaway  
Edwin Crass  
Earl I. Cantwell.

**FOR SALE--** Barley seed, \$1.50 bushel. Gabe Garrison. 8-2p

**FOR SALE --** My place in west Silvertown. 5-4tp

**J. R. FOUST**  
Box 2529, Amarillo, Tex.

**FOR SALE--** 4 room house, 3 lots, 50 by 150 feet located block south of Crass Motor Co. R. C. Tidrick. 8-2p

**FOR SALE--** 550 ewes, 2 and 4 years old, with lambs May 1. E. D. Whitfill and Son, 3 mi. south, 1 mile east of Silvertown. 7-3tp

**FOR SALE--** The parsonage and lots and church building of the Calvary Baptist church. See Grady Wimberly, Doug Arnold, Sam Brown or W. M. Lawrence. 7-tfc

**CONCRETE BLOCKS--** for foundations and building walls. See L. C. Yates at Tiegue place. 7-2p

**FOR SALE--** Four vacant lots in west part of Silvertown, facing highway on north. Write Mrs. R. L. Campbell, Route 3, Hereford, Texas. 7-2tp

**FOR SALE--** 1937 model International tractor. Guaranteed in A-1 condition; good rubber. One 9-ft. John Deere one-way, late model. T. C. Bomar. 7-tfc

**FOR SALE--** 30x14 2-room house; 12x16 foot garage, to be moved. Other small buildings. T. C. Bomar. 7-tfc

**FOR SALE--** Day bed and pair of bed springs. Mrs. J. C. Hill. 8-2p

**FOR SALE --** Good Chicken brooder. 8-1tp  
**MRS. C. M. STRICKLAND**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

TO: Unknown Heirs of W. A. Byers, Deceased Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court 110th Judicial Dist., of Briscoe County at the Court House thereof, in Silvertown, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 8th day of April, A. D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 18th day of February A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 1278 on the docket of said court and styled Elsie R. Sautters, Ruby A. Badders and husband George Badders and S. E. Byers Plaintiffs, vs. Unknown Heirs of W. A. Byers, Deceased Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit as follows, to wit: Suit to establish ownership and title to the North 51 acres out of the Southwest One fourth of Section No. 79, Block No. M-10 in Briscoe County, Texas in the name of Plaintiffs, as heirs of W. A. Byers deceased, and to include said land as a part of the estate of the said W. A. Byers, plaintiffs claiming title as beneficiaries under the will of said W. A. Byers and as heirs at law. Plaintiffs alleging that Defendants have no right or title in or to said above described land as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition in

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**POLITICAL--**  
**COLUMN**

Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, The Briscoe County News announces the candidates below for the offices set above their respective names:

**For Representative 120th Judicial District of Texas:**  
**JOE W. JENNINGS**

**For Judge of the 110th Judicial District:**  
**ALTON B. CHAPMAN**  
**EDWIN H. BOEDEKER**

**For District Attorney, 110th Judicial District:**  
**JOHN B. STAPLETON**  
**RICHARD F. STOVALL**

**For Sheriff:**  
**N. R. (Jake) HONEA**

**For County Judge:**  
**J. W. LYON, JR.**

**For County Clerk:**  
**J. E. ARNOLD**

**For County Treasurer:**  
**W. K. GRIMLAND**

**For Commissioner, Pre. 1**  
**H. P. HOWARD**  
**G. J. NEATHERLIN**

**For Commissioner, Pre. No. 3:**  
**ALTON STEELE**  
**P. D. JASPER**  
**W. A. HOLT**

**For Commissioner, Pre. 4--**  
**CHESTER BURNETT**

file in this suit.  
The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Silvertown, Texas this the 19th day of February A. D. 1946.  
Attest:  
**J. E. Arnold, Clerk.**

District Court, Briscoe County, Texas.

Mrs. Fred Lemons left on Sunday morning for Dallas for a health check-up. She was accompanied by Mrs. Joe Lemons.

Leonard Murdock visited in the home of his father-in-law, Mr. D. F. Brooks Friday evening.

Mrs. Clifford Allen returned from a day in Amarillo with Mrs. Ash Kalfhold.

Mrs. Parker Rampley spent the day Tuesday with Mrs. Clifford Allard.

The Autrys and Mrs. Cox and son went to Plainview Sunday visit relatives. Mrs. Cox and son returned to their home in Dallas Monday.

**Regional**

By Pat MANGUM, OKLA. County Junior Fraternity of the Granger's Union and organization work for the past 40 years from farming but work in the Union this present term.

**MABEL ANN** Demo Agent of write from Motive reports of the Council, Home Education, Food Preparation and Planning and Oily Relation, a activities are ment. A feature work is now being release.

**LITTLEFIELD** Club show, closed from over the 1 staged March 2 for pictures a field also staged ther and Son **JAMES M. S** gent, Sterling (his 4-H Club stock in this also announce wheat from (mental farm in his area, an there recently employment poss war veterans possibilities is Agent.

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It will be my aim to give you the most efficient service you can find any place and all of you know the value and dependability of Texaco quality products.

Expert lubrication will be one of the features of our business. Here to help serve you will be Dave Ziegler, Kelton Newman and Gene Clemmer.

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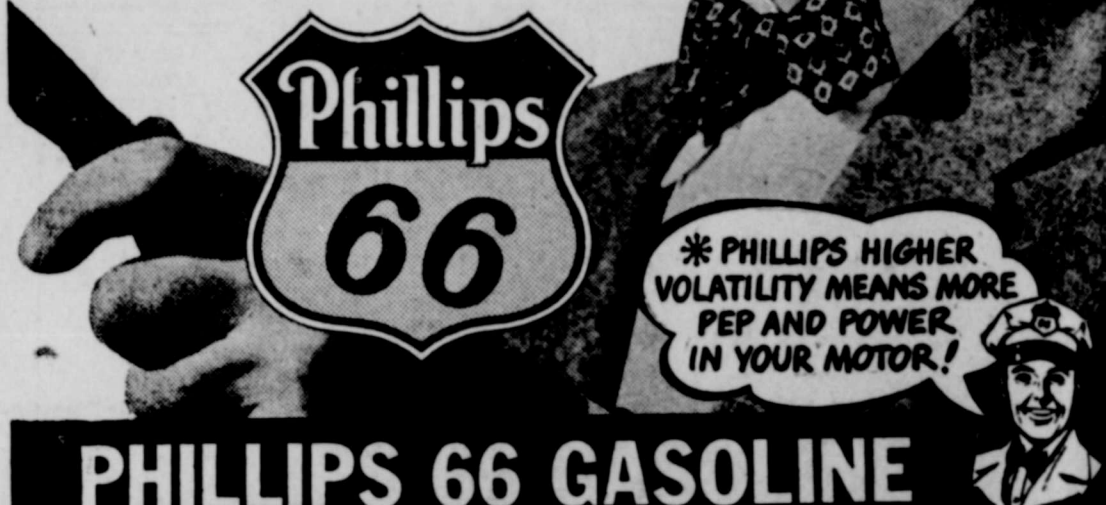


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