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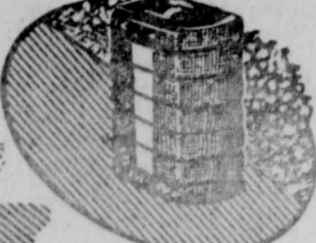
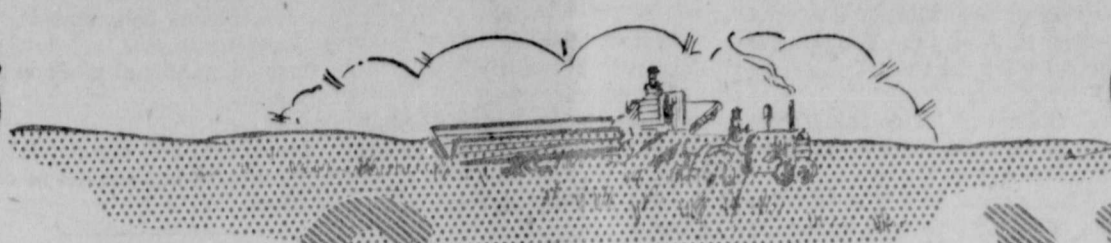
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Briscoe County Designated Under Emergency Program

Walter T. McKay, State Director, Farmers Home Administration, today advised Ralph E. Griffiths, county supervisor, of the designation of Briscoe County for assistance under the Emergency Feed Grain Program and the Hay and Roughage Program. Farmers and ranchers may file applications for grain and roughage with the ASC office in Silvertown. Applications for grain will be received through October 1, 1956 to provide feed for basic livestock herds through October 31, 1956. Applications for roughage may be filed through December 3, 1956 for a supply of roughage needed to last through December 31, 1956. Roughage under the program includes hay, baled or loose, cotton seed, peanut hulls, corn cobs, sorghum bundles or ensilage. Eligible applicants will receive assistance in the amount of \$1.00 per one hundred pounds to purchase certain grain. The hay and roughage program was worked out between the Governor and the Secretary of Agriculture to provide emergency assistance to farmers and ranchers of the State's designated disaster counties. Under the program the local county FHA committee will determine each applicant's eligibility. A certificate will be issued for \$7.50 per ton on roughage actually purchased. The applicant will then apply the certificate on the purchase price of roughage from any dealer he chooses. The dealer endorses the certificate and mails a draft on the Emergency Committee's account.

END WEEKEND IN RUIDOSO

Mrs. J. N. Jennings and children have recently returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Black, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown, of Brownfield. Mr. and Mrs. Black and Mesdames Jennings and Eakin and their children spent several days in Ruidoso, New Mexico. Mr. Jennings flew there for a week end visit.

MR. GUNN, 92, PASSES AWAY

Mr. Earl I. Cantwell, Messrs. Mesdames John L. Francis, and Gene Clary attended the funeral of Mr. Lee Gunn, 92 years and 9 months, in the Flomot Church of Christ, at 8 p. m. Saturday. Mr. Gunn was the grandfather of Mesdames and Garland Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Brooks, of El Paso, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Francis and other friends and relatives here on Wednesday of last week. They were over night guests of their sister in law, Mrs. Kay Brooks. They were enroute to El Paso or Consequences, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Northcutt have recently returned here from Fort Worth, Kansas. They will live in the northwest of Silvertown where he has been associated with his father, T. Northcutt in farming and stock raising. Pat is still in the reserve and will report next week and attend an annual two week training camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dowd and family, of Happy, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Gill and Mrs. Lilla Brown.

Mrs. Lilla Brown spent the week end here with relatives and friends. She attended High School Homecoming on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Offield and the wee kend in Breckenridge with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Offield.

T. Smith has recently attended the funeral of a relative in law; his father, Mr. Charles Smith, of Wichita, Kansas, returned home with J. T. for a visit.

Silvertown Lions Club Ladies Night Set For September 27

The Silvertown Lions Club ladies night will be on Thursday, September 27, in the basement of the Methodist church. Special guests will include the local school faculty. Second vice president, M. G. Moreland has an entertaining program planned. All members are urged to get their tickets early from any M. F. Y. youth or Lion Rev. Patterson. The club voted at the last meeting to change to night meetings so all those people not attending because of noon meetings are urged to re-instate and get back in good standing.

THOMAS FAMILIES HELD REUNION IN AMARILLO PARK

The children of the late R. M. Thomas held a reunion in the Thompson Park in Amarillo, September 15.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kendall, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Deavenport, Silvertown; Mr. and Mrs. Zerrell Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas, Eads, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thomas, Lamar, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thomas, Amistad, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Edd Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisch, and Mrs. B. B. Joiner, Silvertown; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne E. Thomas, Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brawley, Groom; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Spencer, Mrs. Arlie Barnett and children, and Miss Gale Spencer, all of Amarillo.

F. F. A. NEWS

There was a beautiful sight of blue and gold on the Silvertown High School campus bright and early Monday morning, September 17. Eighteen freshmen received their new FFA jackets. It was a wonderful sight to see the boys parading from the Ag. building. The regular FFA meeting will be held Monday night, October 1. Twenty green hands will be initiated.

The freshman's V.O. Ag. parents will meet October 2 at 8 p. m. at the school auditorium.

The VA students will provide the program. Reporter.

Mrs. J. H. May was in Amarillo on Thursday of last week to consult a specialist. She was advised that she should not undergo surgery at this time. Loyd May and Miss Virginia May accompanied their mother to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Grimland were in Amarillo early last week. Mrs. Grimland went there to consult a doctor.

Miss Jane Cobb, of Tulia was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean on Thursday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bain of Floydada visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith, other relatives and friends here on Saturday. They also attended the High School Homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Montague and family were in Amarillo on Saturday. Carol Ann modelled a suit, which her mother had made, in the White and Kirk style show; Freddie's birthday anniversary is on September 19 and Darrell's anniversary on the 17. Cup cakes and ice cream were served to the boys and their friends. Everyone had fun.

Messrs. Keith Whitfield, Gene Minter and W. D. Rowell, students at A. & M. College, College Station, were here over the week end visiting their parents and friends. The boys came to Childress with friends and Mr. Minter met them there.

Mrs. Gid Mayfield has been a patient in the local hospital since early last week; she was thought to be doing satisfactorily early this week.

Mrs. Ann Alexander spent the week end in Tulia, a guest of Mrs. Minnie Duckett.

Drouth Disaster Program Extended To Briscoe County

The Secretary has designated counties of Briscoe, Carson, Donley, Hall and Parmer as drouth disaster areas and included in the program of major disaster areas under authority of Public Law 875, 81st Congress, as amended. Occasioned by drouth and eligible for assistance under the emergency feed grain program of the department. Applications for assistance in these counties may be filed in county FHA offices to and including October 1, 1956 for a supply of feed grain sufficient to carry eligible livestock to and including October 31, 1956. Under authority of Public Law 540, 84th Congress and pursuant to the Governor's certification of the need therefor, the secretary consents that producers in the above named counties, together with all other presently designated counties in Texas, may graze land designated in acreage reserve agreements to and including December 31, 1956. The hay and roughage program for Texas approved by the Secretary on August 14 is also authorized hereby in the above listed counties.

Future Home Makers Change Date to September 24

The Future Homemakers of America have changed the date of their next meeting from Thursday of this week to Monday, September 24. The meeting will be held in the high school auditorium at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. M. G. Moreland will install the officers for this year. All F. H. A. mothers are invited and urged to be present. The refreshment committee, is composed of third year homemaking girls.

CLAUDE ARCHER HERE FOR COTTON SEASON

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Archer, of Wichita Falls, arrived here on Sunday to spend the fall months here; he is a cotton buyer and will be here during the cotton harvesting season. They are at home at Mrs. O. T. Bundys.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Coleman, students at Tech College, Lubbock, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Renfro, of Whitesboro, were guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, from Wednesday through Friday of last week.

John Henry Crow, wife and son, of Dallas, planned to arrive Wednesday for a few days visit with his mother, Mrs. Carl Crow, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smithee, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Elms, Edwin Crass and John Larson attended a political speaking in Tulia Saturday night.

Freddie Stafford and Darrell Glover were honored by their mothers, Mesdames Jack Stafford and Ralph Glover, with a party in the City Park Monday afternoon. Freddie's birthday anniversary is on September 19 and Darrell's anniversary on the 17. Cup cakes and ice cream were served to the boys and their friends. Everyone had fun.

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Tomlin, Long, Perry Whittemore Named On Commiftee

Three Briscoe County citizens, Perry Whittemore, Bill Long and Shelle Tomlin will serve as County Farm Labor Committee and met with Mr. Bill Day, manager of the Texas Employment Commission ofice, Plainview, to review the total seasonal employment needs developed by the TEC.

The committee was presented with the figures of the TEC that Briscoe County will be short 385 cotton pullers during the peak period of the cotton harvest.

The committee will function under Public Law 78, obtaining facts relevant to the supply of domestic farm workers existing in Briscoe County and the shortage of workers, if any, which must be met by importing Mexican Nationals to harvest the cotton crop. Under the Public Law 78 the TEC must supply this information to the Secretary of Labor who must limit the number of Mexican Nationals to be used in this county by granting a "ceiling". The committee consults with the local office manager to assist him in estimating the number of workers who will be needed, based on current local conditions affecting the cotton crop.

"Ceilings" granted by the Secretary of Labor limiting the importation of Mexican Nationals into this area will be posted in the post office in Silvertown, in the County Agent's office, and in the County Courthouse.

The TEC has estimated that 425 Mexican Nationals will have to be imported into this county to harvest this year's cotton crop.

More Than 300 Ex-Students Attend Homecoming Here

Approximately 330 ex-students of Silvertown school were on hand Saturday for the homecoming barbecue and general get to gether at the high school. After registration the crowd was served barbecue lunch, following which they went to the school auditorium and heard the guest speaker, Mr. Day. Carroll Garrison was elected president, and Mrs. Josie Anderson, secretary, for the next year. The students voted to hold the homecoming again in 1957.

ROCK CREEK CLUB MEETS IN SHELTON HOME

The Rock Creek Club met with Mrs. Garion Shelton in an all day quilting. One quilt was finished. Each member brought a covered dish and a delicious meal was enjoyed by each one. Members present were: Uerna Allison, Margaret Frizzell, Ruth West, Marie Garrison, Ruby Garvin, Ruby McWatters, Merle O'Neal, Juanita Stephens, Ada McWatters, Lola Mae Shipman and Florene Fitzgerald. Visitors were: Mrs. Paul Shelton and Randy, Mrs. Ed Shelton and Ronnie Thornton. The next meeting will be Wednesday, September 26, with Mrs. Leroy Shipman.

HELPING HAND CLUB

Mrs. John Lee Francis was hostess to the Helping Hand Club members on September 13.

Those attending were: Mesdames Clarence Gaunt, Jack Harris, Lowell Gallaway, Jack Sutton, Frank Mercer, Aubrey Rowell, Alva C. Jasper, J. D. McGavock, Jack Howell, Garland Francis, Wade Steele, Scott Smithee, and the hostess.

The club will meet October 2, at 2:30 with Mrs. John Gill.

Mr. W. A. Smith, of Quitaque, visited his niece, Mrs. P. D. Jasper and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Garvin, Sr., early last week.

Owls Down Jackrabbits Friday Night 13-12 at Ralls

The Owls of Silvertown continued their dominance of higher classified teams with a 13-12 thriller over the Class A Ralls Jackrabbits. The Owl line was almost impregnable and C. L. Dunn scored two long touchdown runs.

In the first quarter Silvertown kicked off to Ralls and then the fourth down a Ralls punt was partially blocked. This started a frustrating series of long Silvertown plays being called back and long drives into Ralls territory stalling and then the long punts of Sonny Watson forcing the Owls to begin over. Even with one kick blocked Watson averaged 40 yards.

Finally in the second quarter, a series of jarring tackles by the Silvertown line (Jim Marshall and Sam Turner especially good) forced Ralls to kick from near their goal line. Watson kicked 48 yards, but on a delayed double reverse C. L. Dunn went 53 yards around right end and then passed the extra point to Bill Stephens to make the score 7-0 at the end of the first half.

The Ralls band put on an amusing football theme at half time and Ralls spirit was quite high. C. L. Dunn began the play with a sizzling 90 yard kick off return to put Silvertown in front 13-0. Dunn's pass on the extra point try to Norman Chitty was short.

Midway in the third quarter Ralls finally penetrated into Owl territory but lost the ball on downs on Silvertown's 25. A good tackle by center Care Taylor and a couple of penalties backed Silvertown to their own 20. C. L. Dunn quick kicked 60 yards and was shaken up on the play and removed from the game. The good kick was called back and on third down with 30 to go Silvertown called a pass play and Dwaine Slater intercepted on the 17 yard line and ran for an easy touchdown to make the score 13-6.

An inside kick went out of bounds and after considerable discussion Ralls kicked over and the third quarter ended. Silvertown 13, Ralls 6.

The fourth quarter was another thriller. A blocked kick put Ralls in business inside Silvertown territory and after a series of hard line plays Ocie Forbes went 10 yards for a touchdown. Point after try was blocked by Marshall and with little time left the score was 13-12 in favor of Silvertown.

Ralls kick off was returned to the 20 and Silvertown set out to run out the clock by long end runs. Bill Stephens made a first down around left end and Deleath Peugh, who made good short yardage all evening when needed, plowed the middle twice and had a first down near mid field as the game ended.

With the 13-12 win to their credit, the Owls are looking forward to the trip to Kress on September 21.

G. H. Bunch, Sports Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Montague recently returned from a vacation trip. They visited Niagra Falls, attended a Sea Bee reunion at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and had an enjoyable trip through various states enroute and on the return trip. Roland Montague visited his grandmother, Mrs. Dan Montague, while his parents were away; Caron, Janet and Paula were guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elkins, in Tulia.

Mrs. Ralph Glover took her mother, Mrs. Lenna Nettles, to Hereford for a check up on her leg which was broken in an accident several months ago.

Mrs. Clarence Mast and children, of Midland, were here on Saturday for homecoming at the local high school; they were overnight guests of her mother, Mrs. O. T. Bundy, Saturday night.

Local Students Return To College To Take Up Years Work

The following Briscoe County young men and women will attend college during the coming school term:

Lucille Clemmer Souter, Shirley Elms, Patsy Brannon, Joe Wayne Brooks, Charles Wayne Mayfield, Michael (Mike) Reid, Janice Turner, Janet Turner, Dwain Wilmeth, and Jimmy Baird have enrolled in W. T. S. C. Canyon.

Jack Mayfield, Patsy Jean Crass, L. E. Paige, Dean McWilliams, Kay Steele McWilliams, Clayton Dale Elkins, Gene Hardin and Valettra Weaver Coieman are attending Texas Tech, at Lubbock.

Fannie Tunnell Babb is attending Oklahoma Southwestern State College, Weatherford, Oklahoma.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE MEETING

The church in Southeast Asia is the Mission Study the Woman's Society of Christian Service is learning about now. Mrs. Joe Fowler reviewed facts about the formerly American ruled Phillipine Islands. Roman Catholicism is the principle religion here. Mrs. Orville Turner told the group that Indonesia is the most densely populated area of the world. Java and Sumatra are two well known islands of this group. Islam is the principle religion in this region. Taiwan, also known as Formosa, has had a stormy past for as rulers are concerned. Mrs. Patterson told the women.

This small island is principally Buddhist on belief. Mrs. Arnold Turner pointed out that the tropical area called Burma is also Buddhist in religion. Christianity is established in all these Asian countries but is found in small areas. Hostesses for the two meetings in this series to date have been Mrs. Orville Turner and Mrs. E. E. Posey. Mrs. Arnold will be hostess to the group Monday, September 24.

Those attending the previous meetings were: Mesdames J. S. Fisher, Jeff Simpson, S. R. Turner, Ann Alexander, M. G. Moreland, Buster Rothwell, George Seaney, Hugh Nance, R. M. Ledbetter, R. M. Hill, Bill Edwards, Edd Thomas, and those above mentioned.

BONFIRE THURSDAY NIGHT

There will be a bonfire and pep rally Thursday night at 7:00 in the new masonic building. Everyone interested in football are invited to attend.

BRISCOE CO. FARMERS MEET

The Briscoe County Farmers Union met in regular session Monday night. A good crowd was present. Bobby Crass, Janette Bice and Harvey McJimsey reported on their trip to Turner falls. Mr. and Mrs. Elms gave a talk on their job as camp deans. R. E. Brookshier reported on the Democratic Convention. Refreshments of home made ice cream and cake was served. Reporter.

Mrs. E. E. Tomlin returned home

Monday after having spent a week with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tomlin at Friona.

Mrs. Lewis Kiker, of Plainview, spent Friday night here with her sister, Mrs. O. T. Bundy, and attended homecoming at the local high school on Saturday.

Mrs. George Blackerby, of Wichita Falls, is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Shelly Tomlin, and Mr. Tomlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fleming and Leo spent the week end in Byers with Mr. Fleming's mother Mrs. Josie Byers. They attended the Clay county reunion and rodeo.

Mrs. G. M. Brunner, of Lockney, spent Monday here with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Montague and children.

'57 Cotton Allotment Declared Same As For 1956

The national acreage allotment for the 1957 upland cotton crop has been set at the same figure as for 1956 in accordance with recent provisions of law Roy Mayfield, chairman of the county agricultural stabilization and conservation committee said this week. The allotment figure is 17,391,304 acres.

The national marketing quota has been set at 11,014,493 bales (standard bales of 500 pounds gross weight) the number of bales produced at normal yields on the national allotment.

To be effective, the national marketing quota must be approved by at least two thirds of the cotton farmers voting in a referendum to be held not later than December 15, 1956. Mr. Mayfield explained. The exact date for this referendum will be announced later. The allotment and quota were announced earlier than usual this year to allow additional time for the greater amount of work involved in establishing the 1957 acreage allotments.

Under the existing legislation, a national marketing quota and a national acreage allotment for upland cotton must be proclaimed for the following year if the Secretary of Agriculture finds that the total supply of upland cotton for the current marketing year exceeds the normal supply.

The latest available statistics indicate a total of upland cotton for the 1956-57 marketing year of 27,550,000 bales (running bales or the equivalent). This is 9,870,000 bales above the "normal supply" of 17,680,000 bales, the amount used for estimated domestic consumption and exports, plus a 30-per cent reserve.

Chairman Mayfield stated that the national allotment will be apportioned to States, the State allotments to counties, and the county allotments to farms according to provisions of law. Individual farm allotments will be made available to producers prior to the referendum.

MISS MARY ANN MARTIN WED TO E. L. SCARBROUGH

The First Baptist Church was the scene for the wedding of Miss Mary Ann Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Martin, Silvertown, and Edward Lawrence Scarbrough, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Scarbrough, of Quanah. Rev. G. A. Elrod, pastor, officiated at the double ring service at five p. m.

A wrought iron arch entwined with greenery and yellow mums formed the background for the ceremony. Mrs. L. B. Garvin, organist, played traditional wedding music. Evelyn Jones sang, "Whither Thou Goest," and Bobby Scarbrough, brother to the groom, sang "The Lord's Prayer"; they were accompanied by Sam Brown at the piano.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a blue suit with matching hat and accessories. Her bouquet was of white carnations and festoons of ribbon atop a white bible.

Carolyn Martin, sister of the bride, was maid of honor; James Scarbrough, of Amarillo, brother of the groom, was best man.

A reception was held in the Martin home immediately following the ceremony. Only relatives and a few close friends attended the wedding and reception. Sue Smith caught the bride's bouquet when it was thrown as the newly married couple left the church.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Quanah.

Mrs. Shelly Tomlin, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ray Tiffin and Bruce spent the week end in Wichita Falls with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. O'Brien, parents of Mrs. Tomlin and grandparents of Mrs. Tiffin.

CENTURY OF PROGRESS STUDY CLUB MET IN HOME OF MRS. DICKERSON

The Century of Progress Study Club had their first meeting of the year Wednesday afternoon, September 12, 1956, in the home of Mrs. Edwin Dickerson with Mrs. Joe Montague as co-hostess. The meeting began with a beautiful ceremony based on the Club Collect using the lighting of candles to denote the different parts of the Collect. This was used in place of the usual opening prayer. After the business meeting the program began with a greeting from the club president, Mrs. James Davis and a welcome to the new members who are Mrs. John Gill, Mrs. Norman Strange, Mrs. Wayne McMurtry and Mrs. Dee McWilliams. She also welcomed back an old member who has been on leave of absence this past year, Mrs. Roy Walker.

"Beacon for Tomorrow," the theme of the club's yearbook was presented by Mrs. V. B. Towe. Explanation of the programs for the coming year were given by Mrs. Grady Martin.

Refreshments of chocolate cake and coffee were served to the following members: Mesdames Geo. Long, Garland Francis, Jack Strange, Norman Strange, V. B. Towe, Wayne McMurtry, L. D. Griffin, O. C. Rampley, C. D. Bomar, Dee McWilliams, Roy Walker, Bob Ledbetter, J. W. Brannon, Jr., John Gill, James Davis, Grady Martin and Edwin Dickerson.

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HY-LANDS STUDY CLUB HELD LUNCHEON AT METHODIST CHURCH SEPTEMBER 11

The Hy-Lands Study Club held their first meeting of the season with a 12:30 luncheon in the basement of the Methodist Church Tuesday, September 11, with Mrs. Arnold Turner as hostess. The program committee, Mrs. Robert London, Mrs. Berton Hughes and Mrs. C. L. Wilson were in charge of the arrangements. The Clubs colors, brown and gold were carried out in the table decorations. A beautiful brown vase with yellow mums centered the table covered with yellow table cloths, brown crystal dishes, yellow napkins and place cards. The menu consisted of sliced baked chicken, fresh green peas, salads, fresh sliced tomatoes, cantalope, little cranberry sandwiches, iced tea and cake squares in brown and yellow mums in the center.

The invocation was given by Mrs. Don Garrison, Mrs. Onar Cornett, president gave the message, after which Mrs. Robert London presented the year books and explained some of the programs for the year.

The club had all of its members present which were: Mesdames Arthur Arnold, J. K. Bean, Onar Cornett, Milton Dudley, Bryant, Eddieleman, Bill Edwards, Don Garrison, Berton Hughes, Robert London, G. Mayfield, J. E. Minyard, E. S. Stephens, H. R. Stephens, Arnold Turner and C. L. Wilson.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick and Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed McMurtry at Vigo Park Sunday afternoon.

SECOND ANNUAL FLOWER SHOW TO BE TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

The second annual flower show of the Silvertown Garden Club will be held at the Simpson Chevrolet Garage in Silvertown. Following is the rules for the show:

EXHIBITORS:
Exhibits will be accepted from 8:00 a. m. until 10:00 a. m. Tuesday, September 25.

Entries must be left at registration table and be placed by staging committee.

Competition is open to all gardeners.

Flowers used in arrangement classes need not be grown by the exhibitor.

Exhibitors will be allowed no more than two entries in each class, but may show as many exhibits as desired.

Exhibitors must remove entries and containers at close of show Tuesday, September 25, from 6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

Exhibitors will be furnished uniform containers for all horticultural entries.

All horticultural exhibits must be grown by exhibitor and labeled as to variety wherever possible.

The Silvertown Garden Club assumes no responsibility for damage or loss of property.

Exhibitors are under the control of the show committee after they have been entered in the show.

PLANT MATERIAL
Foliage is allowed in all arrangement classes.

Exhibitors must furnish containers in all arrangement classes.

Pot plants must be in the natural pot. No extra trimming on pot. No state conservation materials are acceptable for entry in any class of the show.

Judging will start at 10:00 a. m. with standard judging system used. All members of the Silvertown Garden Club will serve on the clean up committee.

Horticultural Divisions
All specimens must be correctly, legibly and attractively labeled. Annuals or plants grown as such in our vicinity.

Asters, Single, 3 blooms.
Asters, double, 5 blooms.
Marigolds, single, 5 blooms.
Marigolds, double, 5 blooms.
Celosia, large, one specimen stem
Celosia, small, one specimen stem

Bells of Ireland, one spike
Petunias, single, 3 sprays
Petunias, double, 3 sprays
Petunias, ruffled, 3 sprays
Zennias, any color,
a Giant type, 1 bloom
b Fantasy, 1 bloom
c Dwarf, 3 blooms

Snappdragons, a specimen spike
Perennials—
a. Verbenas, any color, one specimen stem
b. Fall Asters, one spray
Roses, hybrid teas, any color, one bloom
Roses, Floribunda, any color, one bloom

Dahlia, any color
a Formal decorative
b Informal decorative
c Cactus large
d Cactus small
e Ball
f Pompom
Chrysanthemum, any color, 3 sprays

Cannas, one specimen stalk
a Red. b Yellow. c Pink. d Orange. e Bicolor.
Gladiolus, any color, one specimen stalk
Iris, any color, one specimen stalk
Daisies, 3 blooms
Foxgloves, 3 sprays
Phlox, 3 sprays
Any bulb, bulbous plants including corms, tubers or tuberous roots 1 stalk

Berried or Fruited Trees and Shrubs
Shrubs worth while for blossom, fall color or fruit, 1 branch
Small tree, notable for both bloom and fruit, 1 branch, no more than 36 inches in height

Potted Plants
Any plant that blooms, must be in bloom at the time it is exhibited

African violet
Begonia, any type
Caladium
Elephant ears
Geranium
Rubber plant
Snake plant
Ivy

Any other potted plant (not previously listed)

Arrangement Classes
Arrangement featuring one color
Arrangement featuring 2 colors
Arrangement featuring multi-colors

Study in silhouette. A line arrangement of flowering branches in a low container
Miniature arrangement not over 3 inches high

Luncheon table arrangement
Arrangement of wild flowers in any container
Composition of flowering material in combination with fruits and or vegetables

Arrangement of white flowers in white container
Small arrangement not over 8 inches high

Arrangement featuring any dried materials, planned for a special decorative purpose

Junior Classes
For kindergarten, first, second and third grades
An arrangement in my favorite container
Breakfast tray for a sick doll, must include flower arrangement

For fourth, fifth and 6th grades
Miniature arrangement not over 6 inches high
Flower arrangement featuring 2 colors

Boys only. A planting in a flat approximately 12 inches by 18 inches, showing a typical scene in any country you have studied

For Junior High
Girls only. Arrangement in any color featuring line, that is, triangle, crescent, etc.
Boys only. Animal made out of vegetables

Special
Educational and commercial exhibits invited, but are not in competition.

MISS MARY ANN MARTIN HONORED WITH SHOWER
Miss Mary Ann Martin, bride-elect of Edward Lawrence Scarborough, of Quana, was honored with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. C. L. Wilson, from three until five p. m. on Friday, September 14.

Mrs. Wilson presented the guests to Mrs. O. L. Scarborough, of Quana, mother of the groom to be, Miss Martin, bride-elect, and her mother, Mrs. W. H. Martin.

Miss Carolyn Martin, sister to the bride-elect, registered the guests. Mrs. Don Garrison displayed the gifts. Mrs. C. O. Alford and Miss Evelyn Jones served refreshments from a lace covered table centered with a bouquet of garden flowers. The bride-elect's chosen colors of brown and gold were carried out in the refreshments of spiced tea, cookies, nuts and mints.

Mesdames E. W. Clifton and Lewis Croft, of Tulia, were out of town guests.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to take this method of thanking our neighbors and friends for their kindness and assistance during the illness of our mother, Mrs. R. C. Harris. Words cannot adequately express our deep appreciation for your many acts.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ziegler, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin.

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1952 STUDY CLUB MET WITH MRS. MERLE MONTAGUE

The 1952 Study Club met Thursday, September 13, in the home of their president, Mrs. Merle Montague. The members enjoyed a program given by the past president.

Those present were: Mesdames Betty Tiffin, Faith Barrett, Glenna Francis, Junis Hutsell, Peggy Jennings, Nelda Teeple, Faye Self,

Mary Tom Burson, Sandra Rampley, Larue Garvin, Theta Holt, Mildred Stephens, Nadine Mercer, Dot Ellis, Mildred Smitherman and the hostess, Bernice Montague.

Mrs. Chester Pyeatt and son, Mr. Ollie Pyeatt, of Amarillo, attended the High School Homecoming here on Saturday and greeted old time friends downtown during the afternoon.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

The State of Texas, County of Briscoe,
 WHEREAS by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Briscoe County, Texas, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1956, in Cause No. 1548, where in Frances Christopher was Plaintiff, and Paul L. Davis was Defendant, on a judgment rendered in said Court against Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of Two Thousand Two Hundred Fifty-nine and 89-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I did on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1956, at 9:20 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described lots, tracts and parcels of land situated in Briscoe County, Texas, as the property of Paul L. Davis to-wit:*

All of the South one-third (S1-3) of Lots Nos. Seven (7), Eight (8), and Nine (9), in Block No. Seventy seven (77), in the town of Silverton, in Briscoe County, Texas; and on the 2nd day of October, A. D., 1956, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said County, and I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Paul L. Davis in and to said above described property.

Witness my hand this the 5th day of September, A. D. 1956.

RAYMOND K. GREWE,
 Sheriff, Briscoe County, Texas.
 36-3tc

MARCH OF TIME STUDY CLUB MET WITH MRS. SCHOTT

The March of Time Study Club met in the home of Rena Schott for coffee September 6, at our first meeting of the year. Beth Reid was co-hostess. The meeting was presided over by Francis Crass and Josie Anderson, our president, gave us a message for our new club year.

Those enjoying the coffee were: Leota Alexander, Josie Anderson, Daisy Burson, Mildred Burson, Iris Burson, Frances Crass, Rosie Dickerson, Rhua Lusk, Lillian Mayfield, Mattie Mayfield, Carolyn Montague, Artie Northcutt, Patt Whitfill and the hostesses.

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CARD OF THANKS

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J. T. Gilkeyson and family.

NOTICE! I have bought a corn combine. Let me do your corn harvesting. L. W. Francis. 37-4tp

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Messrs. and Mesdames W. A. Holt, Elbert Dickerson and Rex Holt and children attended a Holt-Wynn family reunion in the park in Snyder on Sunday. Two hundred or more people were there and it was decided to make the reunion an annual affair. Barbecue and covered dishes were served at the noon hour; needless to say the occasion was enjoyed by everyone present and it was hoped that more would attend next year.

Mr. R. L. Johnson has recently returned from an extended visit with relatives in Lubbock, Anson, Temple, Edna, Horton, Bruni and Laredo. He was a guest of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson at Edna, and of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Crawford, in Bruni. But he says he had the best time of all in Lubbock; among other attractions there is his only great grandchild.

Miss Billie Faye Heckman, of Farwell, spent the week end here with relatives; she was a Sunday dinner guest of her cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Heckman.

Mrs. Earl Martin suffered a stroke early last week and spent several days in the local hospital. She was taken to her home Saturday evening. Her son, Raymond Henderson, of Los Angeles, California, and Mr. Martin's sister, Mrs. Lorraine Johnson, of San Antonio, are here helping care for Mrs. Martin who seems to have improved some early this week.

Mrs. Glen Lindsey underwent surgery at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock early last week. She was able to be brought home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Richards, of Cache, Oklahoma, were week end guests of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Richards. They also attended homecoming at the local high school.

HAYLAKE CLUB MET IN RUBY BRANNON HOME SEPT 13

The Haylake Club held its first regular meeting Thursday, September 13, in the home of Ruby Brannon. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon time. We are very happy to have Mesdames Earl Vaughan and Juanita Welch as new members. One guest was present, Bessie Vaughan. Names were drawn for new peanut pals and officers were elected for the following year:

Lelus Ruth McJimsey, president; Mary Waiters, vice president; Ella Leah Riddle, secretary-treasurer; Juanita Welch, assistant secretary-treasurer; Eudean Crow, Reporter. Attending were: Lelus Ruth McJimsey, Juanita Welch, Maud McJimsey, Ella Leah Riddle, Mary Waiters, Mildred Brooks, Irlie Bingham, Anna Bell Tipton, Blanche Newman, Eudean Crow, and the hostess, Ruby Brannon.

The next meeting will be in the home of Vivian Merrell, September 28, and peanut pal gifts will be exchanged. The roll call will be answered with a household hint.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilbur, Robert and Dee, of Dalhart, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dickerson over the week end.

Mrs. Wood Hardcastle, of Skelley town, attended the High School Homecoming here on Saturday and spent the week end with relatives and friends. Mrs. Minnie Stevenson returned home with her daughter, Mrs. Hardcastle, for a weeks visit.

T. S. Stevenson, Jr., of Canyon, former Silverton resident, who is a nephew to Mrs. Will Smithee, is reported to be very ill with spinal meningitis in a Canyon hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McWilliams and daughters visited his and family, Mr. and Mrs. McWilliams and daughter, Quitaque Saturday evening.

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