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Briscoe County Scores Winnings At Amarillo Tri-State Fair--School Gives Students Holiday Monday To See Fair

Wilson Grain Co. Completing Large Storage Elevator

Wilson Grain Company, Silverton, will complete work on a 100x40-foot, 420,000 bushel grain elevator within the next two weeks, says Martin, local manager said Tuesday morning.

The new building is just north of their other elevator property in east Silverton. Barring weather, the largest in several years in Briscoe County, Mr. Martin said.

Army Worms on the Prowl -- Better Check Your Crops

Army worms are threatening the irrigated grain sorghum this year. There has been a few cases of them in the county. Considerable damage has been done in Swisher and Hale counties. Farmers should be on the lookout for the worms in their fields.

These worms, a true type cutworm, are foliage feeders. They eat all the leaves off a grain sorghum crop in a day or two. They stay out of sight during the day by staying under the leaves and in the ground. At night, they come alive and really work, consequently farmers notice them until major damage is done. Cut worms eat the stems and by doing so, stop the plants from maturing thereby reducing the yield by a large amount. DDT alone would be the same effect as a combination of DDT and toxaphene and DDT alone will control army worms. Two quarts per acre are needed.

A guide for controlling insects in grain sorghum is available at the County Extension Agent's office.

Miss Judy Williams Wed To Alvie Morris

Miss Judy Williams, daughter of Alvie Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris, and Miss Judy Williams, of Cushing, Oklahoma, was married there on September 15. Alvie is a graduate of the Silverton high school; he served months with the army in Germany and has been with the firm in Cushing for more than a year.

Paul Ramsey, Quitaque, Stationed in California

Paul Ramsey, of Quitaque, California, (AHTNC) — a 3rd Class Paul Ramsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ramsey, Quitaque, is a power generator specialist in the 933d Anti-Aircraft Missile Battalion at Fort Bliss, Brea, California.

Specialist Ramsey entered the army in February, 1956, and completed basic training at Fort Bliss. He attended Quitaque High School and was a farmer before joining the army. His wife, Mrs. Ramsey, lives in El Monte, Calif.

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Meeting Monday Night, Sept. 23 to Discuss Cotton Future

County Agent Robert Ledbetter, gives out the following information:

Every grower of cotton in Briscoe County is vitally concerned with the cotton situation. Will there be more or less acreage of cotton in the future? How does price influence acreage? What affects do the man made fibers have on the acreage and price of cotton? These are some of the things the National Cotton Congress will try to answer to the cotton grower of the County Monday night, September 23rd. Every cotton farmer that avails himself to this information will have a better understanding what cotton faces.

One may ask, "what is the National Cotton Council, What do they do for me?" The Cotton Council is made up of growers, ginners, and all the people that make a living from cotton organized to try to keep where they can continue to make a living from cotton and its related business.

Mr. John Gregg from Memphis, Tennessee, will lead the discussion at this meeting. All the county ginners, warehousemen, and the County Extension Service urge you to come to this fine meeting. It will be held in the County Courtroom at 8:00 p. m. the 23rd of September. Mark the date down and bring your neighbors.

Ralls Jackrabbits Defeat Silverton Owls 20-0

In the first game of the season for the Silverton Owls, the Ralls Jackrabbits defeated them 20-0 in Friday night's game on the local field. The local team will play seven home games this season.

Friday night they will play Kress Kangaroos on the local field. This promises to be a good game, and a large crowd is expected to be on hand to see the game.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris spent last week in Amarillo visiting their daughters and families, Mrs. Anne Grimland and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Green, and granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Welch and sons. Mr. and Mrs. Green and Mrs. C. B. Welch and James Lee brought them home Sunday morning; the entire group were guests at a fish fry Sunday noon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris, Gretchen and Arnold.

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Soil District Farm and Conservation Tour September 25 and 26

The Briscoe County Soil District Farm and Conservation Tour will be the 25th and 26th of September. The tour on the 25th will be held at Quitaque and the surrounding area, and the tour on the 26th will be at Silverton and area. County Agent Robert Ledbetter said. Both tours will begin at 1:30 p. m. from the City Hall at Quitaque and the Courthouse in Silverton. There will be some interesting stops that farmers want to miss. There will be a stop at the Hybrid grain demonstration on the Glynn Morrison and Murray Morrison have planted, there will be the grass demonstration Leron Brunson has planted. These are just two of the fine stops that are in that area. At Silverton, stops will be made to observe a Land Leveling Demonstration that K. M. Fleming has, then there will be the Hybrid demonstration of Bryant Eddleman's, and many other stops that will interest every farmer on the plains.

A farm and soil tour does a lot for the community by showing demonstrations that may or may not be applicable on each farm in the county.

A large crowd is expected both days.

FARMERS UNION MET MONDAY NIGHT

The Silverton Farmers Union met Monday night at the courthouse. Scott Smithie presided over the business meeting. J. E. Wheelock led the opening prayer. Mrs. Chafe Tipton gave a brief talk on a recent meeting held in Plainview for officers.

October 21, 1957 will be the date for election of officers. Edwin Crass, Gilbert Elms and Chafe Tipton were appointed to serve on the nominating committee.

Monday, September 23, the Gasoline local will meet to elect officers and the Silverton members are invited to attend the business meeting and ice cream supper to be held following the meeting.

G. H. THOMAS HONORED ON SEVENTH BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith were host to a supper honoring her father, G. H. Thomas, on his 70th birthday, September 12.

Those enjoying the supper were the honoree, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Thomas, Miss Annie Horn, sister of Mrs. Thomas, of Mt. Pleasant; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Phillips, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Thomas and children, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Johnston and boys, of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hester and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Thomas and Ellen, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Thomas and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Rags Riddell and Alton and the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith and family.

MISS LOTTIE MATTHEUS HONORED WITH SHOWER

Miss Lottie Mattheus, bride-elect of Werner Boedecker, of Plainview, was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Lem Weaver on Saturday, September 14, from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m. Mrs. Weaver received the guests and presented them to Lottie, her mother, Mrs. L. A. Mattheus, and Mrs. Leo Boedecker, of Plainview, mother of the groom to be.

Mrs. Jack Harris presided over the bride's book and registered the gifts. Mesdames J. L. West and Milton Frizzell showed the gifts. Misses Kay Garrison and Inette Shelton served refreshments. A profusion of garden flower bouquets were used throughout the reception rooms. The bride's chosen colors of red and white were used in the serving table and appointments. The table was laid with a white Damask linen cloth centered with a ceramic bride and groom and red and white carnations. Punch and white cake squares bearing the names "Lottie" and "Werner" written in red on white icing were served with crystal and silver.

Several ladies from the Rock Creek community assisted with the hospitalities.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Terrell, of Amarillo, were week end guests of his nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McWilliams, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McPherson and Lelia Jo and Mr. and Mrs. Gale McPherson and Steve left Monday morning for a vacation trip along the western part of the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitfield, whose home was destroyed in the recent tornado are moving to the Graham house recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Tuck Turner on north Braidfoot street.

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Silverton Ready To Welcome Ex-Students And Teachers To Homecoming Saturday, 21--Barbecue At City Park 7:00 P. M.

Tomlin - Fleming Gin Young Men and Women Leave for College Work

Tomlin-Fleming turned out the first cotton bale of this season Tuesday afternoon when they ginned for Lenton Lanham and Jack Harris 2120 pounds of seed cotton which processed 860 pounds of seed and 560 pounds of lint cotton.

The cotton was harvested from the Peugh farm 11 miles southwest of Silverton, and was unofficially classed as middling light spot 15-18. Market price on Tuesday was 27.53c, and Tomlin-Fleming paid 30c since it was the first bale of the season.

Mr. Tomlin said their new all-electric gin did a good job on the new cotton and he especially invites all to come and see the new outfit in action.

Funeral Services For Earl Edgar Martin Held Tuesday

Last rites were held Tuesday at 2 o'clock for Earl Edgar Martin, at the First Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. G. A. Elrod, local pastor. Interment was made in Silverton cemetery under direction of Douglas Funeral Home.

Mr. Martin was born April 4, 1898 at Parks, Arkansas, and died September 15, 1957 in the Veterans Hospital, Amarillo, where he has been a patient for sometime. He moved to Texas in 1921, and was converted in 1924 and joined the Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, his father, J. M. Martin, Wichita Falls; one brother, Joe Martin, Fort Smith, Arkansas; three sisters, Mrs. Virgie Rivenbank, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Lorene Johnson, San Antonio; Mrs. Norene Hendry, Monroe Louisiana; one step son, two step grandchildren.

Mrs. Bud Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lindsey, Mr. A. T. Brooks, Silverton, and Mr. A. N. Brooks, of Oakland, California, were dinner guests of Mrs. Leona Brooks and Jane on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. A. T. Brooks took her mother, Mrs. J. H. Wesley, to Tulia for a check up on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Wesley has been quite ill and in the Tulia hospital twice recently but is thought to be recuperating satisfactorily now.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wayne Brooks and Mark, of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks were noon day dinner guests of Mrs. Leona Brooks and Jane Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Lyde and daughters, of Lubbock, were week end visitors of her mother, Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Sr., and other relatives.

Rev. John Tucker and Mr. Robert Pyeatt, of Lubbock, both local residents here in an early day, greeted old friends and neighbors here Saturday.

Mrs. Alva Trout, a teacher in the local school, spent the week end at her home in Brinkman, Oklahoma.

Young Men and Women Leave for College Work

Silverton has quite a few college students this year. Those attending WTSC, Canyon, include Bud Whitfield, Pat Redin, Charles Wayne Mayfield, Jimmy Baird, Jack Mayfield Shirley Elms, Carlye Monroe, Deleath Peugh, Sammy Turner, J. W. Brannon, Jr., and Janet Turner, and Gay Lynn Calloway.

Those going to Texas Tech, Lubbock, are L. E. Paige, Dean McWilliams, Clayton Dale Elkins, Norman Jasper, Roy Deavenport, Charles Don Wallace, Don Thomas, Jamie Allison, Jim Whitfill, Kenneth Stephens, Bob Barrett, and Norvell Breedlove.

Frank Hill, James Ross Alexander, Troy Chitty, Norman Chitty and Gerald Garvin are attending Clarendon Junior College.

C. L. Dunn is attending S. M. U. of Dallas.

Keith Whitfield is at A. & M. College Station.

Nancy Black is attending Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois.

Mrs. Richard Babb is attending Oklahoma Southwestern State College, Weatherford, Oklahoma.

Don Cornett is attending ACC, at Abilene.

Don Ledbetter and Tommy Autry are attending Howard Payne College, Brownwood.

Mrs. Jamie Allison, Mrs. Jim Whitfill and Edwina Breedlove are attending Draughton's Business College, Lubbock.

Carolyn Martin is attending Merriman's Business College, Lubbock.

Mrs. Gatewood Lusk is attending Foringer's Business College in Amarillo.

Brad Wilson and Jack Williamson will attend Wayland College, Plainview.

SMITHEE SISTERS GATHER AT DONNELL HOME

Four Smithee sisters met on Tuesday in the home of one of them, Mrs. Cora Donnell for an all day session of talk and reminiscing of their younger days; they try to get together about twice annually. Each took a covered dish and a wonderful lunch was enjoyed at noon. They played Canasta in the afternoon. The sisters present were: Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick, Mrs. Cora Donnell, Mrs. E. D. McMurtry and Mrs. Bob Dickerson; one sister, Mrs. Loyd Meeker, of Medford, Oregon, was unable to attend. These ladies grew up here in an early day and have watched the county and country grow up. Messrs. Will Smithee and Scott Smithee are their brothers.

Mrs. E. C. Newman and Mrs. Virgil Crow were in Plainview Saturday where they visited Mrs. Elma Baker and Mrs. Hugh Lovett. Mesdames Newman, Baker and Lovett are sisters and Mrs. Crow is their niece.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens spent Sunday in Turkey with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephens, Herbert has recently suffered a severe heart attack. He spent several days in the Matador hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Hawkins and girls of Lubbock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar.

Latin Americans Net \$52.50 To Building Fund

At the regular Saturday night supper and dance the Latin Americans made \$52.50 to add to their church fund to construct a building. They will continue to meet regularly on this day of the week. Mass will be held each Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

The church group are interested in buying lots suitable to build their church. Marcos Saucedo said they would need about four lots and anyone having lots they wished to sell to please contact him, and he would take the information to be acted on later by those who will be in charge of selecting a site for the church.

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Rev. and Mrs. James P. Patterson went to Lubbock Sunday afternoon; he is conducting a revival there this week. Mrs. Patterson returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nance and son, J. D. Nance, of Lockney, visited Mrs. P. D. Jasper and Dawn on Monday. Mesdames Nance and Jasper are sisters.

Scripto Pens \$1.00, at The Briscoe County News Office.

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Builder Predicts Impending Return From Suburbia

CHICAGO—"It is just a glimmering today, but the pattern is already set for many cities throughout the country. People are becoming dissatisfied with life in the suburbs; they are going to move back to the city, and then straight up!"

So predicts Chicago realtor Ralph W. Applegate, a specialist in the construction of high-rise residential cooperative apartment buildings. He is convinced that for Chicago and scores of other cities, the time is ripe for a major reversal of the trend to a suburbia.

As an example, he cites Phoenix, Ariz., where the Phoenix Towers, a \$3 million 14-story luxury cooperative is now nearing completion near the downtown area. Demand for apartments in the building—the first of its kind in the state—was so great, he says, that more than half were sold from blueprints alone.

According to Applegate, cities can expand just so far. After that, they invariably bog down, deep in their own mire of public and private transportation. Fifty years ago, city planners, if they were any for most young towns, had no conception of the potentially straggle volume of traffic which would result as the community expanded outward in every direction.

"Most cities of any size have reached the point of horizontal saturation," Applegate says. "There simply isn't anywhere to go but straight up! And, if we go up, there's no point in doing it 45 or 60 minutes away from business and social centers of community life. We must build near downtown."

As communities grow and expand, it becomes more difficult to surmount the problem of finding space for new homes close to centers of business and social activity.

New Missing Link Is Uncovered

Washington, D. C.—Finding of a "missing link" in the evolution of modern mammals—a creature that had branched off from the great family of odd-toed ungulates, which includes the horse and rhino, toward the present tapir—is reported by C. Lewis Gazin, Smithsonian Institution curator of vertebrate paleontology.

This ancient animal, of which a fossil jaw and parts of a skull were found in the Wind River basin of Wyoming, was Dilophodon, about the size of a fox which lived during the upper Eocene period of geological time, about 45,000,000 years ago. The Wind River area long has been a favorite hunting ground for mammals of the Eocene, the period when the warm-blooded creatures began to take on some of their present forms.

Also encountered were the fossil remains of a somewhat larger tapirid, Desmatotherium, rather resembling the smaller tapir, Dilophodon, but cannot be considered directly ancestral to any living form although representative of the general complex from which arose rhinos, horses, tapirs, and certain groups of extinct hoofed mammals.

Men at 21 Top Auto Fatality Lists

NEW YORK—Men at age 21 record the highest mortality from motor vehicle accidents, according to experience of one insurance company among its millions of industrial policyholders. At this age, the toll among men is nearly eight times that among women.

The motor vehicle accident death rate among the insured male during the years 1953-55 rose sharply from an average of less than 10 per 10,000 at ages 1-24 to a peak of 64.1 per 100,000 at age 21. The rate for females at age 21 was 8.4 per 100,000.

Among females, there was a comparatively gradual rise in the death rate from this cause during the teen ages, with a rate of 13.4 per 100,000 at age 18, but the peak rate, 16.0 per 100,000, occurred at ages 65-74 years.

The higher motor vehicle death rate among males in the late teens and early twenties may reflect, in large measure, frequent disregard of safe driving practices the statisticians suggest.

Picture for Candles Brighter Than Ever

WASHINGTON—The simple candle, man's main source of light for 20 centuries, brightens many a special corner in the dazzling age of electricity.

Although gas lamps and incandescent bulbs ended dependence on wax and tallow dips, tens of millions of candles are set aflame each year—in the dusky still of churches; over the silver, crystal and gleaming damask of festive tables; on countless birthday cakes.

Early California Conflict Halted Legislative Work

SANTA BARBARA, Calif.—An historian seeking the solution to a political "who-dunnit" has stumbled upon a little known California conflict which once reached the proportions of a Greek tragedy.

The "who-dunnit" element appeared when political research of Dr. Robert L. Kelley revealed a startling reversal of political form in 1879. Party control suddenly switched and, even more odd, it seemed that the legislature sat dormant throughout one session—scarcely a bill was passed.

Research divulged the reason. By 1870 hydraulic mines in the Sierra Nevada had become multi-million dollar giants, spewing forth a steady stream of wealth for investors. Their roaring jets of water fed by hundreds of miles of ditches and flumes had also filled the Sacramento river and tributaries with silt and debris, burying 40,000 acres of the once rich valley floor and leaving terror and devastation in the wake of floods.

A bitter conflict arose between farmers and mining interests, symbolizing the historic clash between agrarian and explorative industries in California—and the nation.

The struggle was a major problem for 20 years, involving at times the entire state. It swayed back and forth between courts and legislature, splitting both parties and paralyzing the legislature of 1881.

An injunction was finally granted to prevent the miners from using the rivers as dumps.

South American Minerals Important

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.—Mineral raw materials from Latin American countries might well provide the margin between victory and defeat in the event of war, says Dr. John D. Ridge, professor of mineral economics at the Pennsylvania State University.

Dr. Ridge therefore believes that the United States must be careful not to do anything to bolster our own mining economy which would have harmful repercussions in Latin America and that Latin America must be defended from Soviet aggression.

Says Dr. Ridge: "Raising tariffs on mineral raw materials imported by the United States from our southern neighbors would reduce

markedly the tonnages they could sell in this country and would force them either to seek other markets or to curtail production. In either event, when we later need to resume large imports from our southern neighbors, the United States might find those countries unable or unwilling to meet our requests.

Nation's Marriage Rate Continues Upward

NEW YORK—Marriages in the United States increased last year, reaching an estimated total of 1,567,000, or a rate of 9.4 marriages per 1,000 population. This figure, which includes the Armed Forces overseas, compares with the postwar low of 9.2 per 1,000 in 1954.

Most states recorded small increases in marriages, but in two—Indiana and Oklahoma—there was a pronounced upswing, almost 17 per cent in Indiana and about 11 per cent in Oklahoma.

Eleven states reported a decrease, in most cases relatively small—under five per cent in Nebraska and Georgia and two per cent or less in the other nine states.

In cities with at least 100,000 population, the trend was similar to that for the states—there were increases in 74 cities and declines in 29.

Nylon Artery Makes Medical History

DECATUR, Ala.—Already carrying the life blood of a growing number of men and women, a new man-made Y-shaped artery is making medical history. The new artery, made of nylon, replaces the vital human aorta where it branches to carry blood to the legs.

Today, less than eight months after the first medical meeting report on the nylon "aortic bifurcation graft," more than 200 people in the U. S. and foreign countries are walking testimonials to the success of this new replacement artery.

Welfare Costs Up

NEW YORK—The cost of government-sponsored social welfare under civilian public programs in the United States has risen fivefold in the last decade.

Compilations made by the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare show that expenditures for these programs from the public purse—Federal, State and local combined—rose from \$4½ billion in 1945 to some \$21½ billion in 1955.

INVESTIGATING MAN'S OLDEST FOOD CROP, SESAME, AT HIGH PLAINS STATION

Plant scientists of the High Plains Station at Halfway in Hale County are investigating man's oldest food crop, sesame, as a potential source of cash income for regional farmers.

"The Station's sesame program is designed to find those varieties and strains that are adaptable to High Plains soils and climate, that are profitable yielders and that may be easily and cleanly harvested with modern combining machinery," Dr. Johnny H. Davis, associate head of the station, said.

"Such varieties and strains already have been produced for other parts of the state. Sesame now is a profitable cash crop grown on a large scale in North, Central and South Texas."

The station's sesame investigation program consists of three parts. One is a study of 50 varieties in 22-foot rows, with four replications, on irrigated land.

In another phase of the program, four varieties in 2-row plots, 100 feet long, with four replications, are being studied for dryland culture.

"The sesame program also includes a 10-acre seed production field of Renner 15 for release to regional farmers next year." He explained that Renner 15 was a newly developed combine type that offered promise as a high-yielding cash crop for the high plains.

He said that all the station's sesame had received 40 pounds of phosphate an acre at planting time—during the last half of May—and 50 pounds of nitrate an acre as a side-dressing.

"It is only a matter of time and methodical research before sesame varieties and strains are developed that will prove as profitable in this region as other varieties and strains are proving in other parts of the state," Dr. Davis said.

"Sesame was introduced to this region in 1953, and several farmers already have grossed more than \$100 an acre on it." He estimated that high plains farmers this year planted 10,000 acres of the crop.

He described sesame as the finest seed crop known to man. Approximately one-half of the weight of the seed is a high quality edible oil of unusual stability, and the meal is a high protein livestock feed.

Sesame oil, which brings a higher price on world markets than it does on the domestic market, is used extensively by industry in the manufacture of drugs, insecticides, soaps, cooking oils, margarine, shortening and many other commodities.

"The whole seed is used in garnishing bakery products and in the manufacture of candies and confections, for it is highly nutritious as a source of essential minerals and vitamins," Dr. Davis concluded.

HAYLAKE CLUB MET WITH MRS. ELSIE CORNETT

The Haylake Club met in their first regular gathering of the season on September 12, in the home of Mrs. Elsie Cornett.

New officers were elected for the coming year. They are as follows: Elsie Cornett, president; Maude McJimsey, vice president; Ikie Bingham, secretary-treasurer, and Ruby Brannon, reporter.

Peanut pals were drawn for the next three months. We are happy to welcome Mrs. Marye Autry as a new member. We are sorry to lose Lillus Ruth McJimsey, Mildred Brooks and Gladys Brannon and hope they will soon be back with us.

The afternoon was spent quilting. Refreshments were served to Blanche Newman, Mary Rampley, Vivian Merrill, Ella Leah Riddell, Ikie Bingham, Anna Bell Tipton, Marye Autry, Mary Lee Watters, Bill Hill, Eudean Crow, Ruby Brannon, Wade Brannon and the hostess.

The next meeting will be an afternoon meeting with Vivian Merrill on September 26.

Frank Hill, of Springfield, Oregon, is spending an extended visit with his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chitty. Both Frank and Troy are attending Junior College in Clarndon. They commute daily along with other local folks who attend the school.

Mrs. D. N. McGavock, of Tulia, a former Silverton resident, is spending this week here with friends and attending the meeting at the Church of Christ; she was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brooks on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cantwell and family, of Slaton, were Sunday visitors here with his mother, Mrs. J. N. Cantwell, and sisters, Mesdames Kite Hill and Marie Bishop.

SISTERS VISIT CAVANAUGH'S OVER WEEK END

Mr. and Mrs. Soney Vincent, of Lake Charles, Louisiana, and Mrs. Jasper McClary, of Nacogdoches, Texas, spent from Wednesday until Saturday morning here on a visit to the girls' brother, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Cavanaugh.

The party made a trip through New Mexico on a short sight-seeing tour during their visit here.

Jim Jeffries has been quite ill and spent a few days in the local hospital last week. On Saturday his son, Bucky Jeffries, of Floydada, came and took his father to his home to rest a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. (Robert) London attended the wedding of her niece, Barbara Ann Sheid to Doug Randolph, Jr., of Pampa, in the Methodist Church in Stamford, on September 7. Barbara Ann is the daughter of Mrs. Lena Mae Sheid, of Stamford, and of M. N. Sheid, of Fort Worth; she lived here with her parents when she was a small child.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bain, of Floydada, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee.

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DRIVE - IN

September 19-20: "SOMETHING OF VALUE"

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Dana Wynter

September 21: Watch for this picture.

September 22-23: "GUNFIGHT AT THE O. K. CORRAL"
Burt Lancaster
Kirk Douglas

September 24-25: "FOR WHOM THE BELL TOLLS"
Gary Cooper
Ingrid Bergman

PALACE

Showing Saturday Night and Sunday Matinee.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arthur Arnold, Margie, Pat and Mike have recently returned here from Georgetown, South Carolina, where they have lived for some time. They plan to make this their home for the time being; they are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Welch, other relatives and friends.

Messrs. Jim Whitfield and Fred Mercer attended a committee meeting for the ASC at College Station on Tuesday of last week. Keith Whitfield accompanied the men down and registered for the opening of A&M College where he is attending school.

Mrs. J. H. Carter and daughter Mrs. E. A. Bellinger, were Plainview Sunday afternoon; they visited J. W. Carter, brother in law to Mrs. Carter.

There was no school in Silverton on Monday and many parents and students attended the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo. Quite a few remained there for evening attractions.

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National Fire Prevention Week, October 6-12

The Post Office Department plans to cooperate wholeheartedly with the President's declaration of National Fire Prevention Week, of October 6-12, 1957.

Postal employees, as well as all housewives are requested to closely check any fire hazards that might be found in Post Offices and homes.

Listed below are a few of the many fire hazards that might be found in the home.

(1) Curtains near gas stoves and kitchen ranges that can be blown the flame by the wind.

(2) Rags soiled with furniture polish, wax, etc., placed in closets or attics.

(3) Rubbish piled in the backyard or alleys too close to buildings.

(4) Matches within reach of small children.

(5) Extension cords to lamps, and other electrical appliances that has damaged cords.

(6) Paints, cleaning fluids, and all flammable solvents should not be stored in places near open flames.

The observance of the few items listed above might save your home, or the life of some person.

E. C. Fowler, Postmaster.

HY-LANDS STUDY CLUB MET WITH MRS. MILTON DUDLEY

The Hy-Lands Study Club opened the new club year at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday, September 10, with a coffee in the home of Mrs. Milton Dudley.

Mrs. J. E. Minyard welcomed the members and introduced Mrs. Arthur Arnold, president, who addressed the group and presided over the short business meeting.

Members present were: Mesdames Arthur Arnold, J. K. Bean, Johnnie Burson, Bill Edwards, Berton Hughes, G. Mayfield, and the hostesses, Mrs. Milton Dudley, Mrs. Bryant Eddleman and Mrs. J. E. Minyard. Mrs. Bruce Womack was a guest.

The next meeting will be held in the clubroom, September 24, at 3:00 p. m.

SUBS FOR PASTOR

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. James P. Patterson, Mr. Rupert Hughes gave an interesting talk on his visit to the Holy Land at the Methodist Church Sunday evening; all who heard the lecture thoroughly enjoyed it.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Fleming and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Doodle Zachry, spent Sunday in Friona with Messrs. and Mesdames Jack Tomlin and John Hand.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Riddle, Roy and Joy Morrison, of Lockney, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Linda and Janet Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. L. McMurtry visited Mrs. Mary Daniels in the Tulia hospital on Monday.

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1957 SCHEDULE

- Sept. 14—McMurry 8 p.m.
- 21—Texas Tech 8 p.m.
- 28—*Texas Western 8 p.m.
- Oct. 5—Miss. Southern 8 p.m.
- 12—Trinity 8 p.m.
- 19—*N. Mexico AM 8 p.m.
- 26—*Hardin-Simmons 8 p.m.
- Homecoming 2 p.m.
- Nov. 2—*Arizona 8 p.m.
- 9—Abilene C. 2 p.m.
- * Border Conf. Game
- § Home Game

The two big guns in West Texas State's powerful ground attack last year will be back in action this fall. Ron Mills (top), White Deer halfback, was the team's top rusher with 569 yards and was named "most valuable player" in the Tangerine Bowl Jan. 1. Charlie Sanders, Gruber fullback, made All-Border Conference after leading the league in scoring with 72 points. Together, they gained 1095 net yards and scored 120 points.

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Fertilizer Experiment At High Plains Station Offer Many Pointers

Three fertilizer experiments on grain sorghums at the High Plains Station at Halfway in Hale County may offer pointers to regional farmers on how to increase their per-acre net profits on the crop.

"The experiments will be among the major steps during the Station's first annual Field Day on Wednesday, September 18," Dr. Thomas C. Longnecker, head of the station, said Tuesday.

"Of all the crops grown on the High Plains, grain sorghums probably offer the greatest opportunity for an increase in yield through the practical use of fertilizer."

He said the fertilizer program on grain sorghums was an effort to find the answers to a number of questions; such as, what kind of fertilizer to use; when to use it; where to place it and how much to use.

"One experiment has been set up to determine whether phosphate is necessary to increase the yield of grain sorghums and whether the phosphate is required in combination with nitrogen," Dr. Longnecker said.

"This test, which was set up in the Spring of 1957, called for applications of nitrogen and phosphate at planting time, singly and in all possible combinations at the per-acre rates of zero, 40, 80 and 120 pounds," he continued.

"The second experiment involved the application at planting time of zero, 40, 80, 120 and 160 pounds of nitrogen to the acre, with zero and 80 pounds of phosphate to the acre. The fertilizers were applied singly and in all possible combinations."

In addition, 40 and 80 pounds of nitrogen were applied to the acre as a side-dressing after the first irrigation. "But in no plot did the total nitrogen application exceed 240 pounds an acre," Dr. Longnecker added.

He explained that the second experiment was designed to determine how high nitrogen applications could go and still show an increase in net profit for the farmer.

"The third experiment is concerned with spacing," he said. "Many farmers have become interested in closer spacing as a possible factor in increasing per-acre yields."

This last test, accordingly, is one in which grain sorghums in one and 2-row beds can be compared at four rates of seeding and three fertilizer levels.

"The rates of seeding were 5 1-2, 7, 8 1-2 and 10 pounds to the acre," Dr. Longnecker said. "And the three fertility levels were zero, 100 pounds of nitrogen an acre at planting time, and the same amount of nitrogen at planting plus an additional 100 pounds as a side-dressing just after the first irrigation."

He thought that planting and fertilizing rates should be included in the investigation of thicker spacing of grain sorghums in order to determine the most effectual combination for closer spacing of rows.

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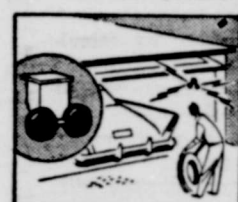
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Atomic Fall-Out Threat to Future Generation

WEEKEND CITY — The radio-active fallout particles being spread throughout the world as a result of atomic bomb tests, and uncontrolled antibiotic therapy are the causes of chronic illness and premature death in present and future generations, an American expert on genetics warned here.

The danger of both were re-emphasized by Dr. Edwin J. Grace, of the Grace Clinic, Brooklyn, N.Y., speaking before the congress of the International College of Surgeons.

Radio-active fallout from atomic tests may induce dangerous cellular mutations (Changes in the characteristics of an organism) in man with untoward effects on present and future generations, he said. "Likewise, the antibiotic changes caused by inadequate antibiotic therapy must be considered."

He said wartime research has brought out that combinations of antibiotics delayed or prevented the emergence of resistant bacterial strains. This technique, he stated, has been improved by a combination of antibiotics in a solvent (aerosol wash) which is used in the hospital.

The combination, he said, results in an extensive diffusion of antibiotics into a wound and prevents the need for extensive procedures. He said:

"The detergent solution so emphasized therapy that previously inadequate doses immediately became adequate in certain instances, and produced an effectiveness beyond their additional value."

Dr. Grace said an antibiotic in a detergent also is being inhaled as a mist in the treatment of many infectious lung diseases. It also is being used in cases of sinusitis (inflammation of the sinus).

Sees Big Year for Educational TV

ANN ARBOR, MICH.—This year will be the biggest yet for experimentation in teaching by television, believes Edward Stasheff, associate professor of speech at the University of Michigan.

He predicts that a great many elementary schools will experiment during the coming year with closed circuit TV, either in one classroom or in a group of two or three schools situated close enough so that fewer miles of cable will be needed to connect them, he says.

TV's success in imparting factual information has already been reported, the U-M professor believes. The next steps are to find some way of getting around the barriers of human contact and to offset the very natural prejudice against anything mechanical and impersonal on the part of both students and educators.

The professor reports that on the college level perhaps the most significant work has been done at the Pennsylvania State University, where many courses covering the entire curriculum have been taught. On the high school level, experiments in Cincinnati showed that a chemistry class benefited more by television than the control group in the classroom did.

He said that in the classroom, the nature, algae cells convert stored energy from the sun's energy by a process known as photosynthesis.

Cost Index Affects Every Pocketbook

MINNEAPOLIS—How hard will it actually hit your pocketbook if the U. S. living cost index keeps climbing in 1957?

If you are the head of a typical farm family in the \$5,000 bracket, you can figure that from now on it will cost you about \$34 a year for each full point's rise in the index.

Farm Exports Drop
WASHINGTON—Exports of United States farm products will drop during the first half of 1957, the Agriculture Department predicts, citing the fact that the Suez canal has trimmed the pocketbooks of some foreign customers.

Nebuchadnezzar Might Have Been Bit Overrated

PHILADELPHIA—History may have overrated King Nebuchadnezzar of New Babylon. He is generally regarded as one of the ancient masters of pillage and war—but he also knew stonemasonry, defeat and rebellion.

Nebuchadnezzar may not have been as invincible as we think, J. Philip Hyatt suggests in the Journal of Biblical Literature. Though he was beyond doubt both an able general and a war-loving king, Nebuchadnezzar must have had a harder time of it than scholars have assumed.

Hyatt, professor of Old Testament at Vanderbilt University, bases this revised estimate on a newly available set of Babylonian records. For years, five cuneiform tablets lay in the British Museum, receiving little careful study. In 1956, four of the five were published by J. D. Wiseman.

The tablets have thrown "a great flood of new light" on the reign of King Nebuchadnezzar (605-561 B. C.) and the last days of Judah, Hyatt declares. With gaps, the tablets cover the period 627-555 B. C.

Nebuchadnezzar was once actually defeated by the Egyptians, or at least fought to a standstill. In 601 Nebuchadnezzar took his forces southward toward Egypt. As Hyatt translates, "The King of Egypt mustered his army in open battle they inflicted great destruction upon one another, the king of Akkad (Nebuchadnezzar) and his army turned around, and went back to Babylon."

Suggests Treating Addicts Medically

SAN FRANCISCO—Narcotic addiction should be treated medically rather than punitively, according to Dr. Karl M. Bowman, professor of psychiatry, emeritus, at the University of California Medical Center here.

While illegal selling of narcotics should be vigorously prosecuted, addiction in itself should be regarded as a medical problem and not a crime, Dr. Bowman recently told the American Psychopathological Association. He praised the British system of narcotic control, under which addicts are encouraged to seek medical treatment, and where if their physicians deem it necessary, are given prescriptions for sustaining doses of narcotics.

Opium derivatives and their synthetic substitutes do not produce criminal behavior, the psychiatrist said; rather, they quiet addict and suppress aggressive and sexual impulses. Addicts may, however, commit crimes to obtain drugs. Such crimes, as well as the illicit narcotic trade itself, could be largely discouraged by overhauling the narcotic control laws, Dr. Bowman believes. "It now seems time," he said, "to turn to the medical approach as it is being used for alcoholism."

Code System for Doctor's Diagnosis

CHICAGO—You may think you have poison ivy and your doctor may even tell you that you do, but when he records his diagnosis, he will call it "dermatitis venenata."

What you call "athlete's foot" he'll call "dermatophytosis." And his secretary will simply file it as "112-211."

This may look like a method for confusing the patient and making a mystery of something simple, but it isn't. The patient isn't the only one who has been confused by terminology; so have the doctors. Calling athlete's foot "112-211" is one result of years of effort to give them a common language.

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BOARD MEETS

The board of supervisors met in regular session Thursday evening at the ASC office building, with Lem Weaver as chairman.

Plans were made to hold an election in Sub-Division Four of the district on or near the First of October. County Agent Ledbetter was appointed to see that notices were posted and sent out.

The board also decided to sponsor a grass judging contest for FFA and 4-H boys.

The board voted, also, to make plans for a conservation tour to be held in Quitaque on the 25th and Silverton on the 26th. Please look for other details on these tours.

Glynn Morrison also reported to the Cap Rock Board on the watershed committees trip to Brownwood to view and study flood prevention work and producers.

He reported the committee was anxious to get started in forming a water control and improvement district.

The board further reviewed and approved 15 conservation agreements covering 7310 acres.

WHATS DOING

Field leveling for a conservation irrigation system.
F. E. Hutsell
Tomlin and Fleming
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This leveling is being done by Milton Dudley and L. A. Mathews.

PONDS FOR LIVESTOCK WATER

Bill Cushing.

CENTURY OF PROGRESS STUDY CLUB OPEN FALL SESSION WITH COFFEE

The Century of Progress Study Club opened the fall session with a coffee Wednesday morning, September 11, 1957, in the home of Mrs. George Long.

Greetings were given by the president, Mrs. Carl D. Bomar, Mrs. George Long, program chairman, gave a preview of the year-books. The course of study this year is "Women Through the Centuries." Projects for the club are Silverton Disaster Relief, Civil Defense, Religious Emphasis, Traffic Safety and Children's books for the library.

Refreshments of coffee and rolls were served to the following members present: Mesdames E. A. Birdwell, C. D. Bomar, James Davis, Edwin Dickerson, Garland Francis, John Gill, L. D. Griffin, Jean Grundy, Robert Ledbetter, Grady Martin, Wayne McMurtry, Dee McWilliams, Joe Montague, Pat Northcutt, O. C. Rampley, Norman Strange, Verla Towe, Charles Whitfill, George Long and Jack Strange.

FHA OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED SEPTEMBER 19

An open house of the Home Ec. Department will be sponsored by the Silverton Chapter of Future Homemakers of America, on September 19, 1957 at the Silverton High School Auditorium at 8 p. m. The incoming officers will be installed by Mrs. Crawford Black. After the installation services refreshments of cookies and punch will be served.

Everyone is cordially invited to come.

FHA Reporter, Diane Fogerson.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smithie, Mrs. Cora Donnell and Mrs. Bob Dickerson at Vigo Park Sunday afternoon visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed McNeon; Mr. Smithie is a brother to Mesdames Sedgwick, Donnell, Dickerson and McMurtry.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE — Five-room house and bath, in Quitaque, can be moved. Phone 3491. H. R. Cushenberry. 38-4tp

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FOR RENT — Mills Apartments. Verlin B. Towe. Phone 2851. 36-tfc

USED CLOTHES SALE

The Silverton Methodist W.S. of CS, ladies will sponsor a used clothing sale. Everyone that has good clothes that they would like to discard the ladies will appreciate them very much. They must be good usable clothes. If they need cleaning the W. S. of C. S. will have them cleaned for the sale. Sale starts September 12.

All clothes offered for sale will be good usable and clean. Sale will be held at Seaney Hardware and Appliance. 37-2tc

CARD OF THANKS

To those who expressed their sympathy in so many beautiful and practical ways during our recent bereavement, we extend our heartfelt thanks.

MRS. ANIS CLANAHAN,
Kay, Pat and Judy.
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ESA MET TUESDAY NIGHT WITH MRS. CAGLE

Eta Chi Chapter of E. S. A., met Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Vera Cagle.

We studied our constitution, By-Laws and duties of each officer. Those present were: Mesdames Lula Bellinger, Maxine Morris, Bonnie May, Jewel Lyon, Rosalee Chitty, Eva Lee McWilliams, Lillian Lindsey, Lillie Patton, and the hostess, Vera Cagle. Reporter.

1952 STUDY CLUB MET SEP- TEMBER 13 IN CLUB ROOM

The 1952 Study Club met September 13, in the club room. This meeting was the first meeting of this club year.

Mrs. Billie Ellis, president, was in charge of the meeting. After reading the minutes, a short business session was held, in which plans were discussed for those who planned to attend the classes, the following day at Tulia.

Those present were: Mesdames Billie Ellis, Rex Holt, Billie Garvin, Buck Hardin, Doyle Tiffin, Phillip Smitherman, Gwen Fitzgerald, John Francis, Alvie Francis.

Mrs. Bland Burson, of Channing, spent last Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Burson.

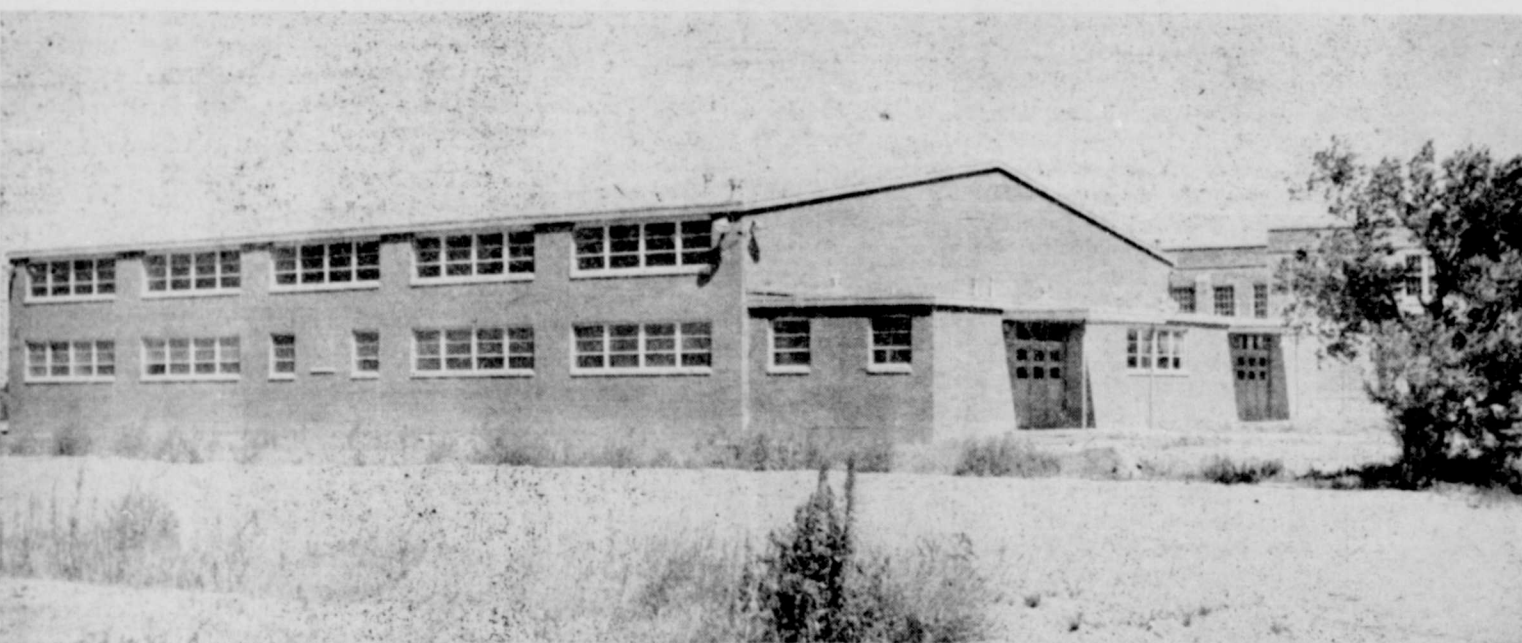
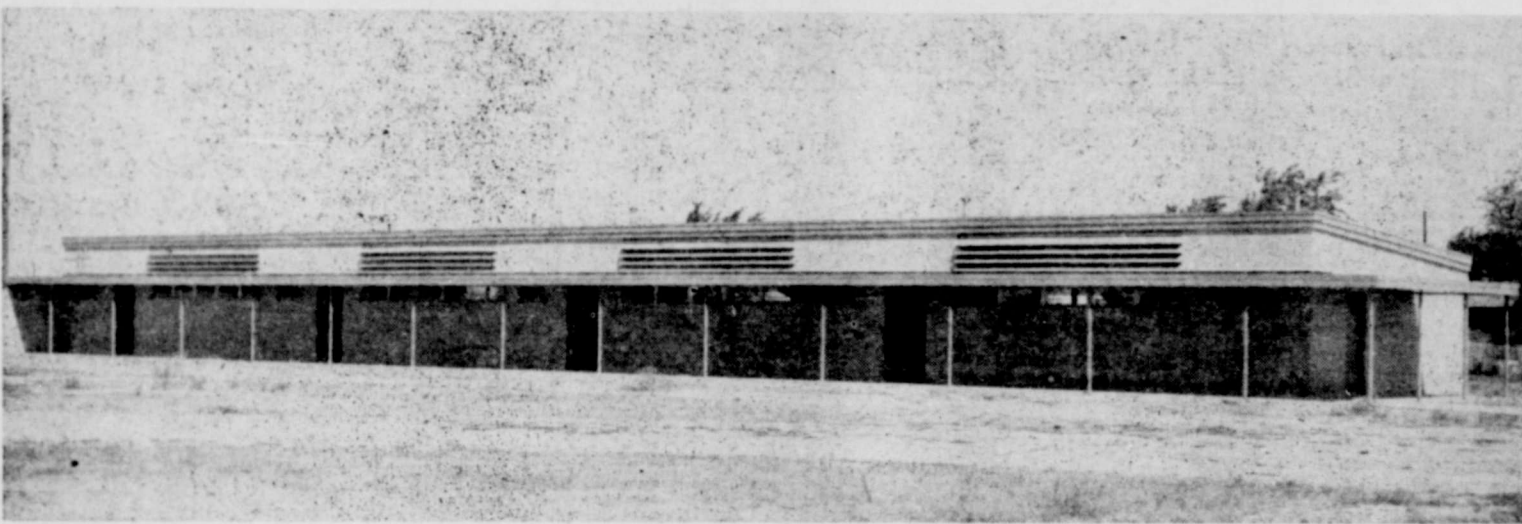
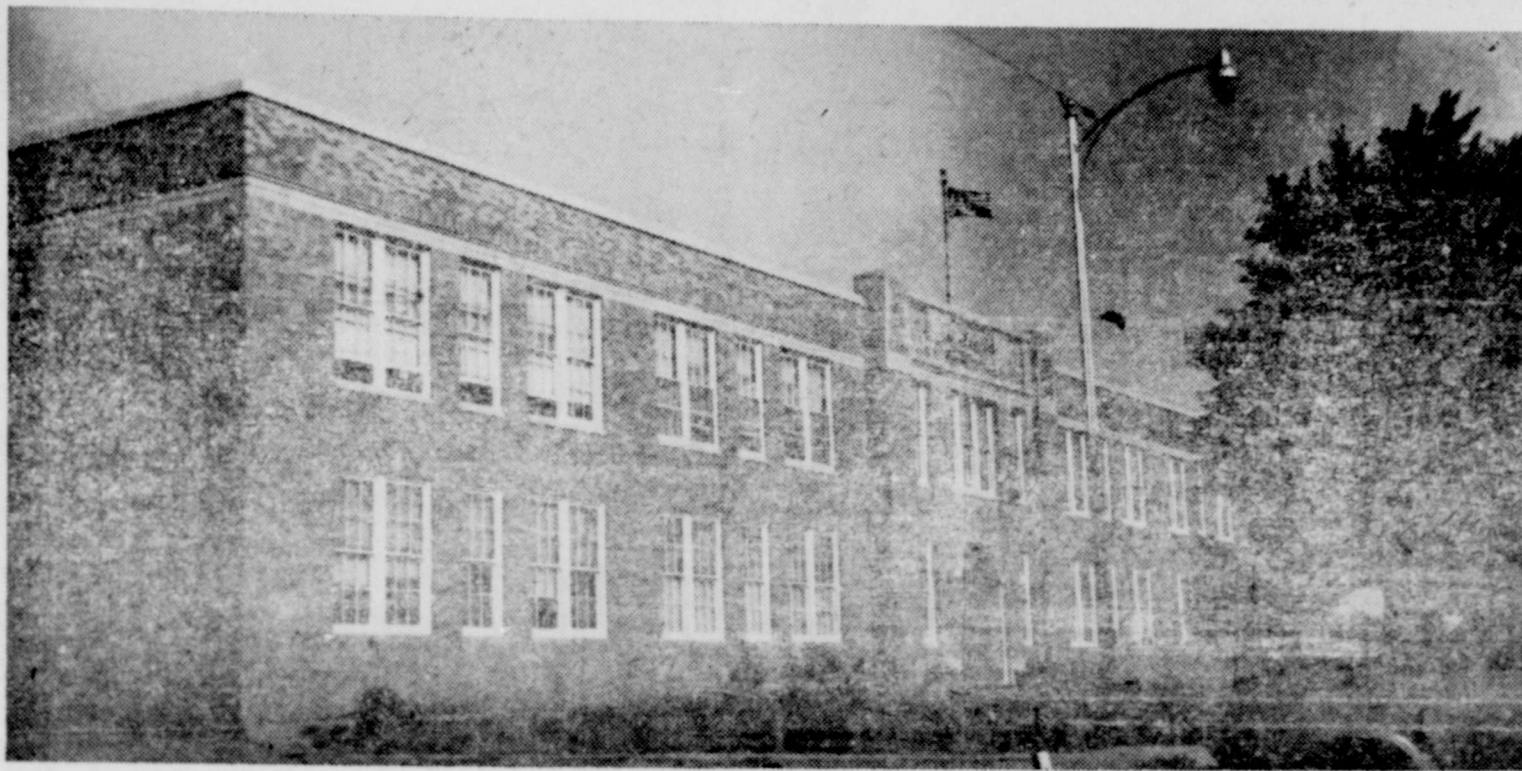
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Welcome, Ex-Teachers and Students of Silverton Schools

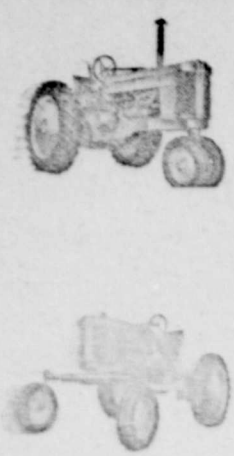


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Little Mary LaJuan Toler, of Electra, is spending a visit here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Milt Jasper, and other relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kethen Bean, of South Plains have been in Houston the past two weeks having examinations and treatment for their daughter, Diane's hearing. It is thought that she has only partial hearing. Diane, who was born prematurely and spent several months in an incubator here and in Lubbock, was five years old on Monday. Kenneth returned here over the week end and took their other daughter, Karla, two years old, to Houston. Karla spent last week here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean and Walter

Pvt. Mike Eden, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris, has finished his high school work while serving with the army at Fort Hood and has received his diploma; he expects to be sent to Germany in the near future and plans to take college work while there. He grew up here and has attended the Silverton school most of his life.

HELPING HAND CLUB MET SEPTEMBER 12 WITH MRS. ROWELL

The Helping Hand Club of the Francis Community met September 12, in the home of Mrs. A. J. Rowell.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Aubrey Rowell, Scott Smith, J. T. Smith, Frank Mercer, Jack Jewell and the hostess.

The next meeting will be in the Jack Jewell home on September 26.

Reporter.

DON THOMAS ENTERS TEXAS TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE

Don Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Thomas, Jr., left last Thursday for Lubbock, accompanied by his mother, where he will enter Texas Tech. Mrs. Thomas returned home Friday afternoon. They visited relatives west of Lubbock Thursday night.

Mrs. Truman Loyd writes from Baylor Hospital in Dallas that Mr. Loyd, who is a patient there, is slowly improving from an infection following surgery; she does not know when they will permit him to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Trulove, of Edmondson, spent Sunday afternoon with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McWatters.

Mrs. Delia Brown, of Plainview, Mrs. Cecil Brown and Mrs. Robert Lee Brown, of Lockney, were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grewe. Mr. Grewe and Mrs. Delia Brown are brother and sister; she is the mother of Cecil Brown and Robert Lee Brown is his son.

Mrs. Lenore Dumas, of Old Glory, spent Saturday night with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. London. On Sunday they and Mrs. London's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Sheid, of Sagerton, and Mrs. Leona Brooks and Jane attended services at the Church of Christ and the picnic lunch at the local park. Mrs. Dumas brought the Sheids to Silverton.

Mrs. W. L. McMinn and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Riddell, of Lubbock, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn. Mrs. W. L. McMinn, mother of Mrs. Riddell and Mr. McMinn, remained here for an indefinite visit and will be glad to see her old friends and neighbors, having lived here before moving to Lubbock.

Messrs. and Mesdames Ray Bailey and E. E. Degge, of Hale Center; Adrian McLroy, of Kress; Paul Epps, of Lockney; Floyd McCune and Johnny McClendon, of Tullia; Gordon Downing and Maird Fields, of Floydada; Dr. and Mrs. W. L. McClendon, of Childress, and Mrs. D. N. McGavock, of Tullia, attended the official opening of the new meeting house of the Church of Christ here Sunday; they also attended the lunch at the park and the gospel singing in the afternoon. Many are former residents here.

Mrs. Mary Cross, Mrs. W. W. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and children were in Lubbock Saturday; they visited Mrs. O. D. Peden, sister to Mrs. W. W. Martin, and attended the Chuck Wagon Gang and Plainsman quartet singing in the evening, coming home at an early hour Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tunnell, of Amarillo, are the parents of a baby girl, Lisa Kevin, born in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo on September 9. Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Lanham and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tunnell are the grand parents. Mrs. J. B. Lanham, Silverton, and Mrs. Mary Tunnell, Tullia, are the great grandmothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Montgomery, of Cordell, Oklahoma, visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wilmet, from Friday through Sunday.

Mrs. M. C. Cornelius and son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cornelius, of Plainview, visited Mrs. Fred Lemons one day last week. Mrs. Cornelius is a sister to the late Mr. Fred Lemons.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Moreland were in Lubbock on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Moreland visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cox and son, Bill, Jr., while Mr. Moreland attended to business.

Miss Nancy Black left for Evanson, Illinois, on Monday where she will be a junior in Northwestern University this year; Nancy has spent the summer here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Black, and sister, Susan. Mrs. Black took Nancy to Amarillo on Monday.

Mrs. H. O. Mitchell, of South Bay, Florida, and Mrs. Frank Breen of Jacksonville, Florida, arrived here last Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. King; Mesdames King and Mitchell are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Sheid, of Sagerton, former Silverton folks, were week end guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Wood. They attended the official opening of the new meeting house of the Church of Christ on Sunday and the church picnic at the local park at the noon hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Stephens are the parents of a baby daughter, Tammy Lynn, born at the Lockney Hospital on Thursday, September 12; weight 6 3/4 pounds. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Younger, of Jefferson, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens are the grandparents.

Mrs. Edna Cox, of Houston, and Mrs. Alma Hon, of Enid, Oklahoma, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grewe from Friday through Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goss have recently returned from a 15 day vacation trip. They visited various points in Oklahoma, Colorado, Yellowstone National Park and Jackson Hole in Wyoming, and Santa Fe, New Mexico. Mr. Goss says they had a wonderful time and saw too many wonderful things to mention all. They planned to go on to the west coast but time ran out on Mrs. Goss, who works in Amarillo, and had used up her entire vacation time.

Mrs. T. W. Collins, of Canyon, and daughter, Mrs. Terrell Christian, of Claude, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Collins is Mr. Smith's sister.

Mrs. Bud McMinn went to Plainview last Saturday morning for an appointment with her doctor. She brought back little Gail Watkins who had spent last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Bulah Watkins, in Plainview. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. McMinn went to Amarillo to take Gail home and to spend the night with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins and family. Bud went to see an optometrist in the afternoon.

Mrs. Frances Boston of Goodlet, is now staying with Mrs. John Vaughan at her home. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson, of Lockney, visited her mother, Mrs. Vaughan, and Mrs. Boston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Vaughan and Carlene, of Hollis, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Letrell, of Amarillo; and Mrs. Elmer Vaughan, of Quitaque, were six o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brannon.

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