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Owls To Scrimmage At Paducah Friday

Theatre Meeting Slated Here Tonight

A meeting of the theatre stockholders has been called for 8:00 o'clock tonight (Thursday, August 29) at the First State Bank.

Purpose of the meeting is to dispose of the property of the old Arena Drive-in.

FmHA To Guarantee Emergency Loans

Financial assistance to livestock and poultry producers under the Emergency Livestock Credit Act will become available this week through a new loan guarantee authority of the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA), a rural credit service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Mr. George H. James, jr., FmHA County Supervisor, said agency will be prepared to implement the recently-enacted law by guaranteeing up to 80 percent of possible loss on loans made by legally organized lenders to livestock and poultry producers.

Under terms of the act, the loan guarantee program will be in effect through July 25, 1975. It may be extended for six months beyond that date if the Secretary of Agriculture determines that it is needed to help the livestock industry obtain sufficient credit.

The law calls for loans to be made by banks or other legally organized lenders. Interested producers are urged to make applications to, and complete loan arrangements with lending institutions. The lender in turn will ask FmHA for a loan guarantee if one is required. The lender will process the application, close the loan and service it.

The maximum loan to any single borrower that can be assisted by an FmHA guarantee is \$250,000. Loans will be repayable from one to three years, although renewal for two years may be authorized. Interest rates are determined between borrower and lender.

Mr. James said the agency is authorized to guarantee up to 80 percent loss a lender may incur on loans to bonafide farmers and ranchers who breed, raise, fatten or market beef and dairy cattle, hogs, sheep, goats, chickens and turkeys. A majority of the borrower's income must come from the operation and a majority portion of the borrower's time must be devoted to the livestock or poultry production.

In the case of a corporation or partnership, assistance can be extended only when the majority partners or stockholders are primarily engaged in the livestock or poultry production.

FmHA guarantees will be made only when the bonafide farmer or rancher cannot obtain financing without a guarantee. Loans may not be used to expand operations.

Mr. James said the county FmHA office serving the area where the borrower's livestock or poultry operations are conducted will handle requests from lenders for guarantees, or supply information on the loan guarantee program.

OFFICE TO BE CLOSED

The Farmers Home Administration County Office personnel serving Swisher and Briscoe counties will be attending a statewide meeting in Fort Worth September 17-18. The County Office in Tullia and Silvertown will be closed September 16-17-18.

School Calendar Of Student Holidays

Sept. 2—Labor Day Holiday
Nov. 8—Teacher In-Service Day
Nov. 28-29—Thanksgiving Holidays
Dec. 19-20—First Semester Tests
Dec. 23-31, January 1-3—Christmas and New Year Holidays
Feb. 14—Teacher In-Service Day
March 28-31—Easter Holidays
April 4—Teacher In-Service Day
May 20-21—Second Semester Tests
May 22-23—Teacher In-Service Days
May 23—Graduation

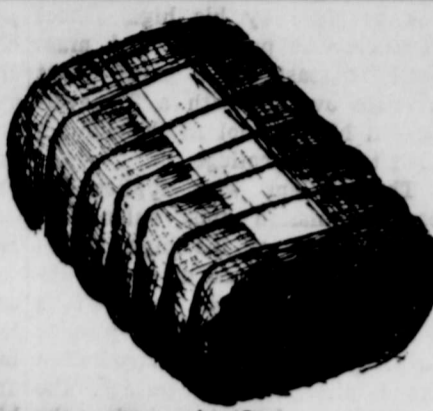


Silvertown: Home of Scenic Lake Mackenzie

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Tullia Girl Chosen As First Miss Mackenzie



MISS MACKENZIE, MISS KATHY WILKS

The first Miss Mackenzie is Miss Kathy Wilks, a junior in Tullia High School. The dark-haired, brown-eyed beauty, who stands 5'1" tall and was sponsored by J-Gee Department Store of Tullia, was chosen in the first annual Miss Mackenzie Pageant in Silvertown Saturday night.

Miss Wilks lives on a farm with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wilks, and two younger brothers. Her father is a teacher in the Tullia Public Schools. She is in the school band and attends the United Methodist Church, where she is president of the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

As Miss Mackenzie, Miss Wilks will be the official hostess at the dedication of the Mackenzie Dam and will crown the 1975 Miss Mackenzie in a similar pageant to be held in Silvertown next year.

The pageant was attended by about 300 persons from several area towns, and was sponsored by the L. O. A. Junior Study Club of Silvertown, who presented Miss Mackenzie a bouquet of red roses, a gold and rhinestone crown, an engraved bracelet and matching ring. The City of Silvertown presented her with a \$50.00 saving bond. She was crowned by Mrs. Gary Weak, president of the sponsoring organization.

Prior to her presentation as Miss Mackenzie, Miss Wilks was asked to name the most memorable experience of her life, and she said this would be her participation in the Miss Mackenzie Pageant.

First runner-up in the contest was Miss Connie Bradley, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bradley of Lockney. A senior in Lockney High School, she has brown hair, green eyes and stands 5'8" tall. She has been a member and officer of a number of school clubs, is a member of her school's band, and is a member of a singing group, "His Children," from the First Baptist Church in Lockney. She has gone on mission trips with other young people from her church the past three years. She was sponsored by the Lockney Business & Professional Women's Club, and received a single red rose and a gift of jewelry. Before being announced as the first runner-up, she was asked to describe the quality she most respected in her favorite teacher.

Miss Kerri Arnold, a junior in Silvertown High School, was the second runner-up. She also received a single red rose and a gift of jewelry. The question she answered for the judges concerned the qualities she most admires in her best friend.

Miss Arnold is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arnold. Sponsored by the Silvertown Volunteer Fire Department, she plays basketball and takes part in many other school activities. She was the first runner-up for Bob Willis Day Queen in Turkey recently. She is an active member of the Rock Creek Church of Christ.

The other two finalists were Miss Ruth Ann Cline, a senior in Silvertown High School, who was selected by the other girls by secret ballot as Miss Congeniality, and Miss Sherry Metcalf, a junior in Tullia High School.

Miss Cline, daughter of Jim Cline and Mrs. Lois Cline, is an honor student who owns a three-year scholastic average of 97.88. In addition to being a participant in all school activities, she is editor of the school annual and was chosen Most Likely to Succeed by the faculty of her school. She earned a Merit Achievement Award, the Geometry and Algebra awards and was elected to Who's Who Among American High School Students. She placed first in debate in the U. I. L. district contest last year, is an active member of the First Baptist Church and is a Past Worthy Advisor of the Silvertown Rainbow Assembly. She was sponsored in the Miss Mackenzie Pageant by the Claude Crossing Club.

The 23 girls in the contest were interviewed individually by the judges, Len Slesick of Amarillo, Jan Hamilton of Plainview, and Virginia Dulin of Lubbock, during a get-acquainted party in the Pioneer Room at the First State Bank in Silvertown Saturday afternoon. Century of Progress Study Club of Silvertown hosted the informal coke party.

The mayors of Tullia, Lockney, Floydada and Silvertown were introduced at the pageant, and the members of the Mackenzie Water Authority were presented. Owen Thornton of Lockney responded with a few words on behalf of the water authority.

The girls appeared on stage in sportswear and eveningwear during the pageant, and were escorted onto and off the stage by Zane Mayfield and Mikel Griffin, seniors in Silvertown High School. Ted Lanham, Silvertown Public School Music Director, was master of ceremonies, and Mrs. Wayne McMurry provided the music. Each girl received a favor from the L. O. A. Junior Study Club, and 30 door prizes were given to those attending.

Area Wet, Green After August Rains

The rural area around Silvertown has blossomed following the heavy August rains, and the pastures, which had been burned by the summer sun until they looked dead, have taken on a springtime green again.

In the City of Silvertown, the official rainfall recorded by Fred Strange was 3.11 last week and 2.90 this week, for a total of 6.01 inches during August. The total rainfall for Silvertown in the first seven months of 1974 was only 8.32 inches, and this makes the grand total for the year to date 14.33 inches.

The monthly breakdown is: .42 in January; .03 in February; 2.00 for March; 1.60 for April; 2.17 in May; 2.00 in June, and .10 in July.

A total of 3.40 inches was reported from the Johnny Burson Ranch northeast of Silvertown on Thursday night of last week, following a three inch rain the night before. Barrel Creek Ranch also reported three inches Wednesday night, while southeast of town at the Louie Kitchens farm, an inch fell Thursday night. Merle Graham, west of town, reported only .75 of an inch Thursday night and from Lewisville, Sam Lewis reported only .50 of an inch. Edwin Dickerson reported .8, while Fred Mercer and Wayne Vaughan reported two-night totals of four inches each.

Rainy conditions continue, with some rural areas receiving showers almost every day.

Silvertown High's red and white Owls will travel to Paducah to scrimmage the Dragons Friday, with the junior varsity scheduled to see action at 7:00 p.m. The varsity scrimmage will follow.

The Owls scrimmaged Springlake-Earth at home last Friday night before a good crowd of fans who are, apparently, anxious for the season to begin. The controlled scrimmage was a rather equal tussle, with both teams showing a bit more on defense than on offense, which is to be expected early in the season. Neither team was able to score but only a penalty prevented Springlake-Earth's defense from carrying to near the Owl goal.

The Owls are a little taller and a little heavier this year than last season. The backs average 150 pounds, with the line averaging about 166 pounds. They will, doubtless, be outweighed by most of the teams they face, even though some of the individuals have gained from 20 to 40 pounds each in the off-season. Coach Weldon McCord says that Dayne Mayfield, sophomore lineman, is a good example of what a body-building program can do for a player. He has put on 40 pounds since last season and is the heaviest player at 200 pounds.

The cheerleaders, Tammy Stephens, Becky Francis, Gayla McCord, Colleen Hutsell and Lydia Younger, urge you to support the Owls by attending the scrimmage at Paducah Friday night.

Immunization Clinic Slated Here Soon

Texas law now requires that all children attending school must have received at least three doses of DPT/Td and Polio vaccines (of which at least one dose of each has been received since the fourth birthday), and children under 12 years of age must also have received rubella and measles vaccine.

Clinics will be held in which your children can receive the vaccines free of charge. The dates and locations for these clinics are:

Sept. 6, 1974—1:30 to 3:00 p.m.
Nov. 1, 1974—1:30 to 3:00 p.m.

At Silvertown ISD Nurse's Office

You may bring your health records to the school nurse prior to the first clinic to have your child's immunization needs checked and to sign permits for the immunizations.

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Quarterback Club To Meet Tuesday

The Silvertown Quarterback Club will have a called meeting Tuesday, September 3, at 8:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Old and new members are urged to attend, according to President J. C. Fowler. If you will have a boy or girl participating in the school's athletics this year the Quarterback Club would like to extend you a special invitation to attend.

Mackenzie Dam Accepted From Contractor

The Mackenzie Dam is now complete and was accepted by the Mackenzie Water Authority from the contractor, Gilvin-Terrill Construction Company, Monday.

The lake will not be open to the public until further notice, and people are asked to respect the signs and stay out until the area can be made safer. Some roads have been washed out in the area by the rains of the past week.

It is estimated that the lake is now 38 feet deep at its deepest point, and continues to rise with the runoff from rains this month.

Silvertown Fire Department Invited To Demonstration

All area fire departments, LP-Gas dealers, and their employees will practice skills they hopefully will never have to use, in fighting liquefied petroleum gas fires at a demonstration on Monday, September 9, 1974, at the Clarendon College Campus in Clarendon from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Members of the media are invited to witness the demonstration which is being held for the firemen by Ranger/Pan American Insurance Companies of Houston, and sponsored by the LP-Gas dealers in your area and Texas A&M Fire School.

This training session will be an actual exercise in dealing with a liquefied petroleum gas fire. The

LP-Gas industry is relatively new; suppliers and dealers have already had special training in handling the fuel and the safety record has been sufficiently good that few firemen have had occasion to gain experience in combating this kind of fire.

Ranger's fire safety instructors will provide a 500-gallon LP-Gas tank and a multi-pronged "Christmas Tree", each of which will be ignited and then extinguished by the participating firemen, who will be using their regular fire-fighting equipment. About 1,000 gallons of LP-Gas are expected to be burned during the two-hour session. The purpose is to give local

ATTENDS UNCLE'S FUNERAL

Barbara Pigg left Sunday, August 18, after receiving word that her uncle, Wayne Farley, 29, of Farmington, New Mexico, had been the victim of a hit-and-run automobile-motorcycle accident on Main Street in Farmington Saturday night. Funeral services were held Wednesday in the Crestview Baptist Church in Farmington. Survivors included his two daughters, Shannah, 9, and Carenda, 3, of Farmington; his mother, Mrs. E. J. Farley, sr., also of Farmington; seven brothers and four sisters.

Mrs. Riley Ziegler underwent a tonsillectomy in an Amarillo hospital Tuesday. She returned home Wednesday.

Wright May Buried At Milo Wednesday

Funeral services for Wright B. May, 81, a retired farmer who died at 7:15 a.m. Sunday in the Heritage Home in Plainview, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday in the Wallace Funeral Chapel in Tullia.

Officiating were Horace Burgess and Mark Crane.

Burial was in the Milo Cemetery, with arrangements under the direction of Wallace Funeral Home.

Mr. May was born in Quannah and was a long-time resident of Vigo Park. He had resided in Tullia since he retired in 1960.

He married Mari Flora Goar in 1914. After she died in 1958, he married Mattie Mae Douglas in 1962. She died in April.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. E. S. Brown, jr., of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and Miss Barbara May of Tullia; five brothers, Lee May of Tullia, Earl and Bernice May, both of Silvertown, Ben May of Lubbock and Murray May of Vigo Park; three sisters, Mrs. Fred Cox, Mrs. Warren Cope and Miss Eunice May, all of Tullia; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Telephone Number Given For Telethon

The local number for Silvertown area residents who wish to participate in the Muscular Dystrophy Telethon is 847-4341.

BIRTHDAY CALENDARS

Anyone who hasn't picked up your FBLA Birthday Calendar is asked to pick it up at the school.

SOPHOMORE OFFICERS ELECTED LAST WEEK

The Senior Class of 1977 met Tuesday, August 20, 1974, to elect officers.

Those chosen were Brad Ziegler, president; Jeff Jones, vice-president; Lesa Francis, secretary; Gayla McCord, treasurer; Lee Ann McMurry, reporter, and Brent Bean, parliamentarian. Gayla McCord and Gary Younger were elected Student Council Representatives.

Senior Citizens To Meet In The Park

Do the people of Silvertown and surrounding area want a Senior Citizen organization, a retired person's organization, or anything of that nature? If you do, be present August 30, 1974 for an Ice Cream Supper in the City Park at 6:30 p.m.

The same committee, Winnie Redin, Mae Bomar, Maude McLimsey and Porter Arnold, that sponsored the Pot Luck Luncheon in June are sponsoring this meeting.

Bring a freezer of ice cream if you can't bring cream or cake, come anyway. If the weather is not suitable for an outdoor gathering, we will meet at the CETA Hut.

Who is a senior citizen? The AARP (American Association of Retired Persons) includes anyone 55 or older. Some organizations are for people 60 or older, some 65 or older. We are setting no age limit. If you are retired or not, if you consider yourself a senior citizen come.

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High School Seniors May Take College Courses

High school seniors now may enroll in freshman college courses while still attending high school under a new program of early admission offered by Wayland Baptist College.

The faculty at Wayland recognizes the outstanding academic work being done in area secondary schools. As a result of such work, many superior high school students are now capable of doing college level work while still in high school.

The Early Admission Program is designed to permit such students to complete many of their freshman college requirements while still attending high school.

Full college credit will be granted under certain conditions which were established in part to protect the student's opportunity to participate in contests sponsored by the University Interscholastic League.

The student who applies must be classified by his high school as a senior, be recommended for

the program by his high school counselor or principal, and must have at least a 2.5 grade point average overall, with a 3.0 average in high school in the subject area taken in college.

The student who applies for early admission must submit an official copy of his high school transcript, a record of standardized test scores from the ACT, a \$15 check or money order payable to Wayland, and an application for admission to the college. The ACT should be taken during the junior year to clear credit-by-examination possibilities since a student may receive up to 12 college hours based on his ACT test scores.

The student may enroll in any term following completion of enough high school credits to classify him as a senior. He may enroll in summer terms at Wayland following completion of his junior year and prior to beginning his senior.

When the student does not have a full complement of studies during his senior year, he may, when recommended by his counselor or principal, enroll in courses at his high school and at Wayland simultaneously.

The student may enroll in special courses offered to students enrolled in this program or in regular college classes.

College credit will be given only upon enrollment at Wayland after graduation from high school. This procedure protects the eligibility of the student to participate in activities sponsored by the U.I.L.

All credit hours and grades earned will be recorded for each student during his participation in the Early Admission Program. These credits and grades will be awarded and transferred to a permanent record for the student when he enrolls as a freshman at Wayland.

Credits earned in the program will satisfy requirements toward graduation from Wayland if applicable to the chosen degree. Credit in these courses will not apply to satisfaction of requirements for high school graduation.

Students interested in the Early Admission Program should contact

Cattlemen Should Be Alert For Anaplasmosis

Cattlemen should be alert for signs of anaplasmosis, a serious blood disease of cattle, cautions Jimmy Vanstory, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Horseflies—the most common insect spreader of the disease—are emerging in large numbers and will remain active for some time.

Anaplasmosis, characterized by anemia, is infectious but not contagious. This means the organism must get into the bloodstream of an animal either from an insect bite or careless handling of medical or other instruments, explains Vanstory.

In addition to horseflies, mosquitoes can also spread the disease along with certain ticks.

Man can also spread anaplasmosis, notes Vanstory. This is especially true of those who engage in do-it-yourself veterinary service. In the hands of careless individuals, hypodermic needles, nose leads and dehorning can be transmitters of the disease.

Anaplasmosis is particularly severe in mature cattle, often causing 30 to 50 percent death losses among infected animals. Annual losses to the livestock industry nationally are estimated at well over \$100 million.

What should cattlemen look for? When an animal becomes weak and lags behind the herd, anaplasmosis should be suspected. The skin first becomes pale around the eyes, on the muzzle, lips and teats, and then turns yellow.

Following the acute stage of the disease, infectious organisms can remain in the body of survivors, and these animals become carriers. Significantly, some animals—especially younger ones—become carriers without showing any sign of illness.

If anaplasmosis is suspected, the agent urges cattlemen to consult their veterinarians about control and preventative measures. Testing is most important to identify carriers.

The Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory is equipped to perform the rapid card test for anaplasmosis. Local veterinarians can provide additional information on this test.

Unfortunately, this is not the best time of the year to test because blood samples from animals recently infected will not react to the test. They must have the infection 30 days or more to show a reaction.

Ideally, testing should be carried out during the winter, says Vanstory. Then, depending upon the size of the herd and the number of carriers found, one to five alternate plans should be put into effect:

- If only a few carriers are found, send them to slaughter.
- If a large number are found and facilities are available, separate

BOYS RANCH RODEO TO BE STAGED THIS WEEKEND

The biggest Labor Day attraction in the Texas Panhandle is the annual Boys Ranch Rodeo at Cal Farley's Boys Ranch where more than 370 boys will be putting on the 30th presentation of the nationally-known event.

The Ranch's boys have been preparing for most of the summer by trying to become contestants by riding calves, steers, bulls and bucking broncs. The rodeo's two-hour time limit restricts the number of entries to about 150 boys, but all will have some part in the rodeo production. Trophies are awarded to riders for the best performances in each riding event.

All the boys will be competing for the titles of Junior and Senior All-Around Cowboys.

The rodeo will also be an annual reunion of the Boys Ranch Alumni Association whose members are composed of young men who have lived at the Ranch since its founding by Cal Farley in 1939.

Another attraction will be barbecue beef plates that will be prepared and sold by the boys for \$1.50.

Rodeo performances are scheduled for 2:30 p.m. September 1 and 2. Reserved box seat tickets are available at the Boys Ranch Administration office, 600 West 11th in Amarillo for \$2.50. General admission is \$1.50 for adults and 75c for children and service-men in uniform.

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He sneezes, he wheezes, he freezes — the house is too cold (you keep it like an icebox); the house is too hot (No wonder the bills are so high). He knows, he blows, he'll doze, he harks, he barks, he moans, he groans, he spits, he sits, he bites, he fights, he hates Kleenex, he dislikes a handkerchief, he hates you, he dislikes children, he hates himself, he can't hear (ha! ha!), he can't taste, he can't smell and in general he feels like — — — !

He can't take antibiotics (that's for someone else); he can't tolerate aspirin (it upsets his bowel), and come at him with Mentholatum and there's a howl! Vicks Vaporub is a witch's brew, and he's forgotten that his mother could teach him a thing or two — his nose is redder than anyone's, his drip would overflow the Gulf of Mexico, his cough hasn't him long for this world, and no one — absolutely no one — understands him — as he demands coffee in bed, maybe a little oatmeal with dry toast, or two coddled eggs (who's coddled?), the morning paper, menthol cigarettes, fresh orange juice with crushed ice (beaten fine with a hammer). (I could make better use of the hammer!) he also wants a softer pillow, an extra blanket, no door bells, no dogs, no visitors, no children, no wife, just nobody, just leave him alone and let him die in peace —

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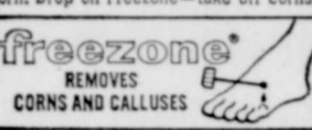
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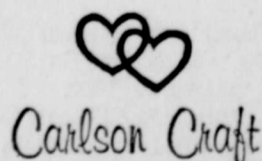
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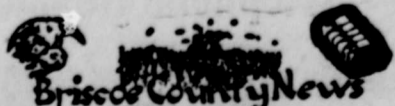
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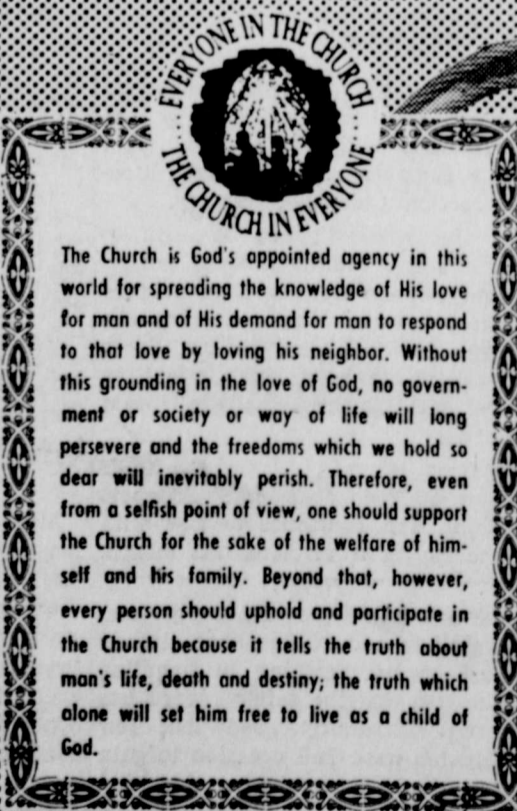
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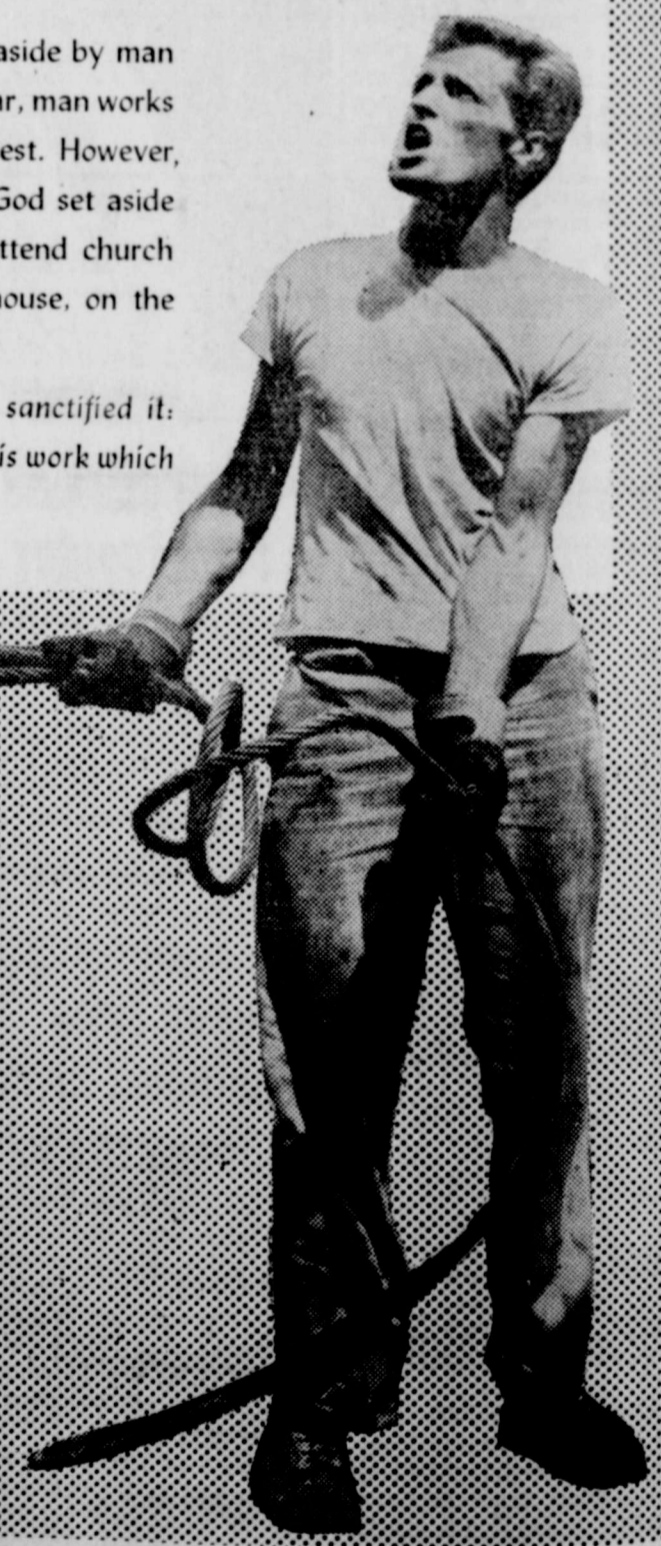
SPECIAL DAYS... Monday has been set aside by man as a day to honor labor. Throughout the year, man works hard and deserves this recognition and rest. However, even before man saw this need for rest, God set aside one day a week for rest and worship. Attend church each Sunday. Worship the Lord in His house, on the day that He set aside.

"And God blessed the seventh day, and sanctified it: because that in it He had rested from all His work which God created and made."



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

Coleman Adv. Serv.



First State Bank



Pond being constructed on the Johnny Burson Ranch. The pond will furnish livestock water and better grazing distribution.

Pond Is Practical Water For Livestock

Building a pond is a practical way to supply water for livestock, distribute grazing, and to provide recreation. Water for livestock should be available in each pasture or grazing unit. Water is as important as

Emergency Loans Available From Farmers Home

Farmers and ranchers in Briscoe County who sustained production losses as a result of drought from October 1973 to May 1974; windstorms and hailstorms on May 21 and June 1, 2, and 3, 1974; and excessive rainfall on June 13, 1974 may be eligible to receive an emergency loan from the Farmers Home Administration.

Those who have not received an emergency loan to assist them in recovering from their losses may should be spaced so that livestock do not have to travel more than one-quarter mile to water in rough, broken areas or more than one mile in nearly level areas. This spacing encourages uniform grazing.

A well-managed pond can also yield a dependable supply of fish and provide recreation for the family.

For further information contact the Soil Conservation Service.

apply for such a loan at the Farmers Home Administration county office at Agricultural Building, 219 N. W. Second Street, Tulla, Texas, before close of business on October 18, 1974 for physical losses or May 20, 1975 for production losses.

These loan applications will be taken under the terms of a new law (P. L. 93-237) enacted January 2, 1974. Individual examination will be made of each application to determine date of the disaster occurrence and emergency loan benefits for which the applicant is eligible.

Loans based on qualifying production losses may include funds to reimburse applicants for production expenses which went into damaged or destroyed crop and livestock enterprises, but not to produce new crops during 1975. Payment terms depend on the purposes for which the loan is used and the applicant's payment ability. No loan may exceed the actual loss sustained. The interest rate for these loans is 5% and there will be no principal cancellation. These loans must be secured by crops, livestock, farm machinery, or real estate.

Six Accidents Investigated In Briscoe County

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated six accidents on rural highways in Briscoe County during the month of July 1974, according to Sergeant J. R. Smith, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and one person injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first seven months of 1974 shows a total of 29 accidents resulting in one person killed and 13 persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for July 1974 shows a total of 485 accidents resulting in 18 persons killed and 230 persons injured as compared to June 1973 with 658 accidents resulting in 21 persons killed and 366 persons injured. This was 173 less accidents, three less killed, and 86 less injured in 1974 at the same period of time.

The 18 traffic deaths for the month of July 1974 occurred in the following counties: four in Deaf Smith; two each in Garza and Haskell; and one each in Oldham, Wilbarger, King, Palo Pinto, Dallam, Montague, Parker, Terry, Wise and Roberts.

To Marry Soon



JANA FUTCH

Rev. and Mrs. James J. Futch of Lorenzo announce the engagement of their daughter, Jana Kaylene Futch, to Mr. John Earl Minyard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. (Doc) Minyard of Silverton.

Both the prospective bride and bridegroom are 1973 graduates of Silverton High School and are sophomore students at West Texas State University.

The couple plan a November 29 wedding in the Lorenzo United Methodist Church.

THORNTON RECEIVED DEGREE AT HOUSTON

Kenneth D. Thornton was among 1,500 students who received degrees awarded by the University of Houston in summer commencement exercises Saturday, August 17.

Thornton, son of Mrs. Georgia Thornton of Silverton, received a bachelor of science degree in technology.



LYLE M. ROBINSON

ROBINSON ELECTED OFFICER OF TEXAS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES

General Manager Lyle M. Robinson of Swisher Electric Cooperative has been elected vice-president of the association of Texas Electric Cooperatives, and Mrs. Robinson has been elected chairwoman of the TEC Ladies Program. The elections came during the 34th annual meeting of TEC in Dallas August 7-9.

Robinson, born in Mississippi, was first associated with rural electrification in 1939 as a lineman and engineer. He served in the Army Air Force between 1942 and 1946, then studied and taught at Oklahoma A&M University in Stillwater. From 1951 until 1959 he was a partner in an engineering firm.

He and his life Kattie are parents of three daughters: Mrs. Cynthia Hulet of Liberia, West Africa, Mrs. Debra Hardy of Lubbock and Mrs. Donna Boyett of Odessa.

While Robinson is involved in activities of the statewide board of directors as vice-president during the next year, Mrs. Robinson will be concerned with programs to interest women in rural electrification. And she will chair women's activities during the statewide TEC annual meeting next August in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Sumner of Snyder and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reynolds, traveled to Wichita Falls on Monday, August 19, and spent the night with a brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sumner. They traveled on to DeQueen, Arkansas to visit another sister, Mrs. Bertha Clark. They returned to Silverton last Friday.

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L. O. A. Junior Study Club has asked that appreciation be expressed to the donors of the door prizes for the Miss Mackenzie Pageant.

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Buck Baird is a patient in the Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulla after apparently suffering a heart attack early this week.



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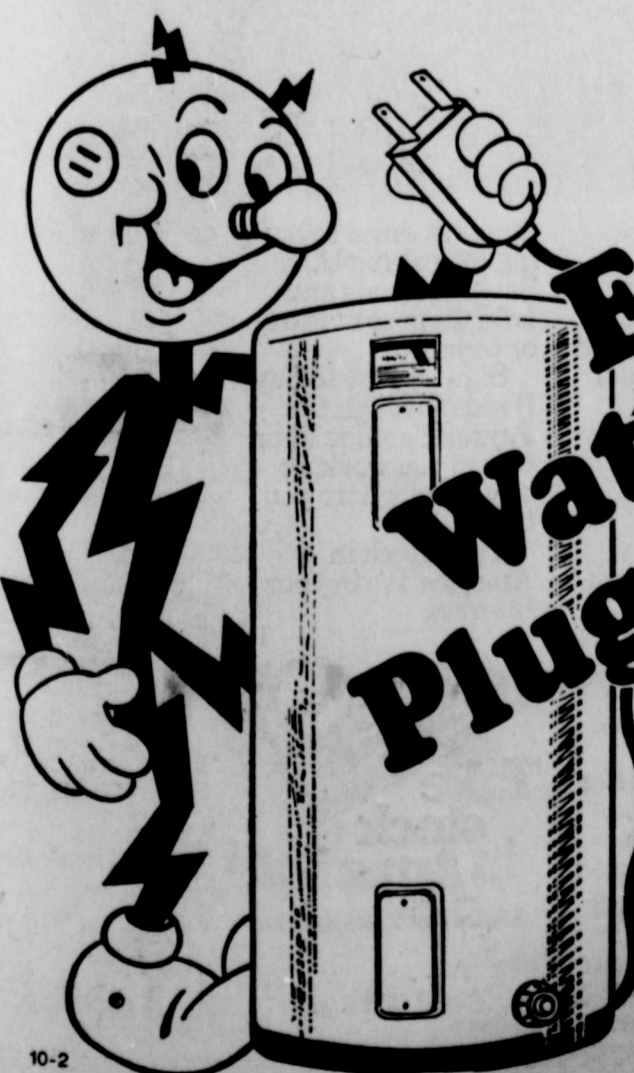
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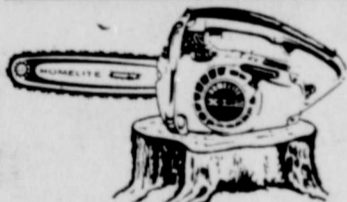
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NOTICE OF HEARING TO CONSIDER THE DISSOLUTION OF PANHANDLE WATER CONSERVATION AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held by the Texas Water Rights Commission, pursuant to Section 50.251 et. seq., Texas Water Code, to dissolve Panhandle Water Conservation Authority, which is located in Armstrong, Bailey, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Floyd, Gray, Hale, Hall, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lamb, Lipscomb, Moore, Motley, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher, Wheeler, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Lynn, Dawson, Terry and Garza Counties, Texas, which was created by special act of the Texas Legislature in 1937. The Commission anticipates dissolving the District for reasons of inactivity and failure to perform any of the functions for which created during five consecutive years and having no outstanding bonded indebtedness.

The hearing on this matter will be held by the Texas Water Rights Commission in the Stephen F. Austin State Office Building at Austin, Texas, on October 2, 1974 at 10 o'clock a.m. All persons interested in the dissolution or continuation of the above named District are requested to appear and present evidence for or against the dissolution of the District.

/s/ Burke Holman
Acting Chairman
TEXAS WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

(Seal)
Date: August 16, 1974 34-2tc

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank everyone for the visits, flowers and cards while I was in the hospital and the interest shown in me. Special thanks to the ambulance drivers who drove me to the hospital. Guy McWilliams

Saying "thank you" to the Silvertown Fire Department for sponsoring me in the Miss Mackenzie Contest doesn't seem enough, but it's all I can do. So thanks to each of you. Thanks to the L. O. A. Junior Study Club for the lovely bracelet and for a beautiful pageant. Kerri Arnold

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their prayers, food, flowers and cards of sympathy in the time of our sorrow. These acts of kindness will never be forgotten. May God's richest blessings be upon you. Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Lanham

COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT

The Texas Community Improvement Program continues to make strides in "helping rural communities to help themselves." It is conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the state's investor - owned electric utilities companies.

This year 191 communities representing 75 counties have enrolled in the program, according to a community improvement specialist for the Extension Service. A total of 572 communities conducted some form of organized activities during 1973. Almost 1,000 have community centers for holding organized activities. More than 700 leadership training meetings were also held last year involving some 3,000 people.

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