

Annual Livestock Show Planned Here January 25



Employees of Southwestern Public Service Company were out in the cold Monday to repair an outtage which occurred during the night as the winds whipped lines near the Phil Hubbard home. Customers east of Main Street were unaffected by the outtage, but those west of Main, including the Silverton Schools, felt the effects of darkness and not being able to enjoy electrical conveniences part of the day.

Briscoe County News Photo

Breast Cancer Screening Unit Coming Here

The breast cancer screening mobile unit from Transamerican Diagnostic Services, Inc. will be in Silverton on Thursday, January 23, at the City Hall.

Appointments may be made by

calling Diamond Williams at 823-2318.
For more information, you may call Transamerican at (915) 561-8888.

According to the American Cancer Society, one out of every nine women in the United States will develop breast cancer sometime during her lifetime. Every year over 37,000 women die as a result of breast cancer.

According to a spokesman from Transamerican Diagnostic Services in Midland, "The death rate from breast cancer could be drastically reduced if women would have mammograms done before a problem exists."

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The annual Briscoe County Livestock Show has been scheduled Saturday, January 25, at the County Showbarn in Silverton, under the sponsorship of the Briscoe County Livestock Show Board.

All livestock must be weighed in and in place between 12:00 noon and 6:00 p.m. Friday, January 24.

A meeting of the board of directors will be held at 8:00 p.m. that Friday night at the showbarn.

Judging begins at 8:30 a.m. Saturday with the sheep show. This is to be followed by the steers at 10:00 a.m.; beef heifers at 10:30 a.m.; dairy heifers

at 11:00 a.m.

The swine prospect show begins at 12:00 noon and the swine market show

is at 2:00 p.m.

Pee wee showmanship will be featured at 4:00 p.m.

A brisket dinner is to be served at 5:00 p.m., followed by the premium sale at 6:00 p.m.

Presentation of the sixth annual Don Burson Memorial Herdsman Award, sponsored by the Burson family, will be made at noon on show day. This award is presented to the outstanding 4-Her or FFA member who excells above all in the areas of feeding, fitting, showmanship and personal effort throughout the entire feeding program.

The sheep show will be broken into the following classes: fine wool, fine wool cross, medium wool, southdown and championship.

Divisions of the swine show will be: Berkshires, Chester Whites, Durocs, Hampshires, Yorkshires, Spot/Polands, crossbreds and championship.

Members of the Livestock Show board of directors are Kenneth Helms, chairman; Hand Baird, Perry Brunson, Jon Davidson, Garner Garrison, Warren Lee Merrell, Randy Powell, Greg Ramsey, Wayne Stephens, Doug Bradford, Jimmy Burson, Billy Farley, Jack Graham, Donald Hughes, Clinton Pigg, Larry Don Price, Bennie Reagan, Bryan Burson, Bill Brooks, Larry Comer, Wilda Fuston, Joe Edd Helms, Ronnie Miller, Billy Pinkerton, Stan Price, John Schott and Ricky McKay. Included in this group are the youth supervisors, Scott Strawn, Briscoe County Extension Agent; Ronnie Miller, Silverton Vo-Ag instructor; Jon Davidson and Ricky McKay, Valley Vo-Ag instructors.

All exhibitors in this show must be bonafide members of FFA chapters or 4-H clubs in Briscoe County and enrolled in the Silverton or Valley Public Schools. All animals must have been the property of the owner and exhibitor throughout the feeding period, which is to have begun before November 1 for sheep, beef heifers and



DAVID CAVITT

Superintendent Leaving Silverton To Accept Midland Position

Silverton School Superintendent David Cavitt has announced that he will be presenting his resignation to the board of trustees at their regular meeting tonight, and that he expects the board will act on his resignation and will consider the employment of an interim superintendent.

Mr. Cavitt said that applications are being accepted for a new superintendent who will be expected to begin work on or before July 1.

Mr. Cavitt's last day in the Silverton Schools will be January 31.

He is going to Midland as the Field Service Specialist for the Region 18 Education Service Center. He will serve as a liaison for the Texas Education Agency, Education Service Center and school administrators in Region 18, which encompasses 19 counties in the Midland-Odessa area.

"It will be an interesting job," Mr. Cavitt told the Briscoe County News. "It will be a promotion in that I will be consulting with superintendents. It will be an opportunity for us to be near family and a potential place for our retirement.

"We appreciate the support we have received in Silverton, and will miss a lot of people here," he continued.

"I wish Silverton the best and pray that God will bless the Silverton School," he added.

Mr. Cavitt's wife, Martha, and son, See Superintendent—

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dairy heifers; December 1 for swine, and steers must have been owned since July 1.

Judges for the show will be Jim Lewis, sheep; Mark Edens, swine; Ronald Gooch, steers; Floyd Collins, dairy heifers.

Show superintendent is Kenneth Helms, and ring announcers will be Aaron Younger and Jimmy Davidson.

Showmanship awards will be presented in all divisions of the show, and the judges will select those to whom these awards will be made.

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OBITUARIES

MAXINE A. DONNELL

Maxine A. Donnell, 75, died Monday, January 13.

Services were scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Wednesday at the First Baptist Church in Silverton with the Rev. Bryan Donahoo, pastor, officiating. Burial was to be in the Silverton Cemetery, with

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arrangements directed by Holley Funeral Home of Canyon.

Mrs. Donnell, the former Maxine Allred, was born in Rogers, Arkansas. She moved with her family from Tulia to the Francis community in 1927. She attended the Francis school until 1931 when the family moved to Silverton. She was graduated from Silverton High School with the Class of 1934.

She married R. J. Donnell in 1937 at Plainview. They lived near Las Vegas, New Mexico until moving to Umbarger four years ago.

She had attended West Texas State University and was a homemaker.

Mrs. Donnell was the 1990 Silverton High School Homecoming Queen.

Survivors are her husband, Judd; two daughters, Janice J. Keyes of Albuquerque, New Mexico and Karen K. McMains of Roswell, New Mexico; a son, Steven Ray Donnell of Umbarger; two sisters, Phyllis Joslin of Plainview and Mary E. Nestor of Fort Worth; and eight grandchildren.

Pallbearers were to be J. E. Patton, Jerry Patton, Joe Brannon, Clifton Stodghill, Riley Holmes and Charles Kuhnert.

Honorary pallbearers chosen were Seymour Brannon, Keyth Tiffin, Robert Maese and Johnnie Burson

SUPERINTENDENT -Continued From Page One

Stephen, will be moving to Midland Saturday, and Stephen will begin the second semester at Midland-Lee High School Monday

Martha Cavitt has been employed in the Briscoe County Extension Service office for some time, and will be greatly missed at the courthouse.

The Cavitts came to Silverton 41/2 years ago from Whiteface where he had served as school principal.

Good Luck Owlettes!

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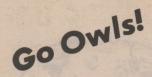
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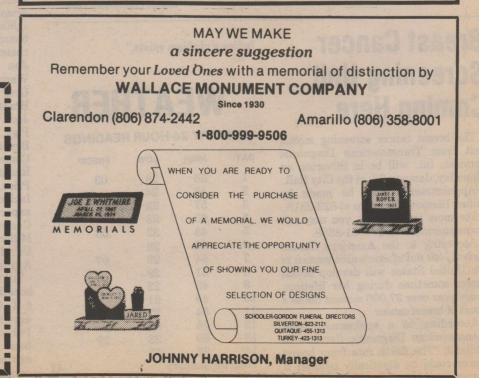
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Looking Back

through the files of the Briscoe County News

January 21, 1982—Jesse Alvin Davis, 95, buried here . . . Graveside rites held for O. L. Butcher, 85 . . . Bryant Eddleman is candidate for reelection as Commissioner of Precinct 4 . . . 4-H Rifle project group to meet

Monday . . . Brenda K. Cantwell and Janet Michelle Crowell named to Dean's List at West Texas State University . . . Donald Weast and David Tipton were elected directors of First State Bank in Silverton at the board of directors meeting Thursday. Mary John Harris,

Ada Clay and Madeline Stone were promoted to assistant cashiers...Little Dribblers to have parents' meeting... Among those registering for classes at WTSU were LaNelle Montague, Glenna Cornett, Jackie Carol Gerhardt, Becky Woods and Glenda McGavock...

Woods and Glenda McGavock . . . January 20, 1972—Ty McMurtry, Brenda Payne, John Burson exhibit grand champions at livestock show . . . Danny W. Vaughan is distinguished student in veterinary medicine at Texas A&M University . . . Ian Lanham named to Dean's Honor Roll at Texas Tech . . . Mrs. A. E. Tate honored at Dozier on 85th birthday . . . Pat Cogdills to be honored on golden wedding anniversary . . . Miss Donna Sue Seaney and Daryl Eugene Wynn were married Wednesday, January 12, at Follett . . . Buddy Comer on Dean's

Honor Roll at Texas Tech... Mrs. Joyce Drewry and Tammy spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brooks, Roy and Bill, and also visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Minyard, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wesley. Mr. Drewry spent New Year's weekend here and took his wife and daughter home... Refreshments were brought to the Four Leaf Clover 4-H Club by Twila Wood, Karen Ziegler, Beverly Boling and Liz Wristen.

Wristen...
January 18, 1962—Max Garrison and Mike Rodgley show grand champion animals...Jim Reid wins showmanship award along with Buddy Comer and Max Garrison...Mrs. Nettie Baldwin asks for County Treasurer's post...O. M. (Milton) Dudley seeks re-election as

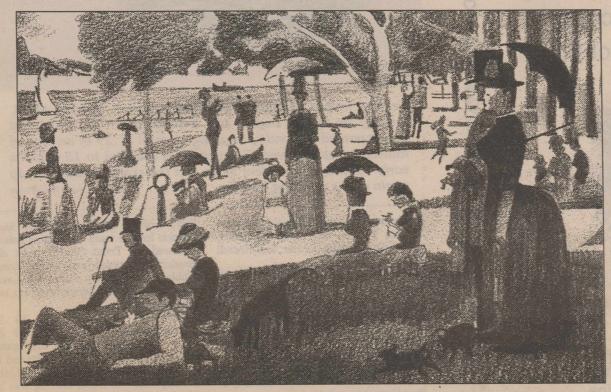
Commissioner of Precinct 4 . . . J. W. Lyon asking re-election as County . Birthday anniversaries of Peggy Phillips and Mrs. Jimmy Ray Baird were observed with a family dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McKenney on Sunday . . . Square Dance Club being organized in Silverton. Buster Dickerson of Lubbock is instructor. Gene Morris is president, Don Cornett is vice president, and Mrs. Doris Morris is secretary . . . Mr. and Mrs. Gene Goodwin are parents of a daughter, Carren Rae . . . New 4-H Club officers are Jim Smith, president; Dick Reid, vice president; Dianne Davis, secretary; Raye Garrison, reporter; Camellia Comer, song and recreation leader; Sandra Mercer, princess...

January 11, 1952—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stout celebrate fiftieth anniversary December 25 . . . H. A. Cagle and James W. Mitchell of Childress are announcing the opening Thursday, January 17, of a new auto and tractor supply store in Silverton. Miss Joy Seaney weds Pvt. Bill Edd McDaniels . . . Mr. and Mrs. Robert Isbell are parents of a daughter, Vickie Ann . . . Bryan Strange died Monday night of a heart ailment . . . Miss Sybil Watters, who is attending beauty school in Lubbock, spent the weekend at home . . . Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lanham and girls left Wednesday for Hot Springs, New Mexico, where they will remain indefinitely . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ashel McDaniel and family are leaving the latter part of this week for Pineville, Missouri, where they will make their home . . . Linda Jones is still out of school because she has rheumatic

January 15, 1942—Walter Watters enters race for County Commissioner of Precinct 1 . . . W. Coffee, jr. is candidate for re-election as County Judge . . . Roy Montague, the District FFA President, and J. D. Nance, the District Representative to Plainview, will attend the January meeting of this district January 14 . . . Re-elected as officers of the Farmers Fuel Association were T. C. Bomar, president; Bryan Strange, secretarytreasurer; Herbert Brown, vice president; C. M. Strickland and Arnold Turner, directors . . . Mrs. Arnold Brown and son were brought home from the Tulia hospital last Thursday. . Donna Mayfield, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayfield, is very ill at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo . . . J. T. Gilkeyson has been accepted as a First Class Fireman in the U.S. Navy and will leave from Amarillo February 1 . . Nina Zell Cantwell spent Wednesday night with Ava Nell and Winona Brown . Hollie Francis left Monday to join

the army ...
April 3, 1925—Railroad into Silverton now assured . . . Texas Utilities Company serves Silverton now New lumber yard open for business in Silverton . . . 1500 attended Fifth Sunday Song Convention . . . I. N. Summers to come here from Electra to be associated with brother in the Super Service Filling Station . . . Willson & Son plans immediate enlargement of lumber yard here . . . District Court opens here Monday with heaviest docket in years . . . "Pride of Briscoe" flour is product of Silverton mill . . Quitaque railroad committee visits Denver officials . . . Walter Fogerson is drinking "crazy" water at Mineral Wells this week . . . Twelve or fifteen Cherokee Indians were camped in the tourist camp ground this week. They were on their way from the state of Washington to Tulsa, Oklahoma . . . Eck Bomar's little girl, who has been sick with the flu and tonsillitis, is greatly improved . . . Champ Blackwell has begun actual construction work on a modern up-to-date filling station on main street south of the Tourist Garage . . The old Haylake school house is being repaired with a view of using it

for the remainder of the school term . . .



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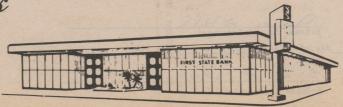
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Junior Varsity Owls Take Victory From Valley

Silverton's Junior Varsity Owls earned a one-point, 51-50, victory over the Valley JV Patriots last week. The Owl offense was led by Trent Smith, who scored 15, and Lance Holt, who caged 12 points. Braden Towe was right behind them with 11. Other scoring was scored in double figures, putting

by Matt Francis, six; Stoney Hubbard, four; Russ Baird, two, and Jess Brannon, one point.

The Patriots started slow, but came on strong to make a very close game at the end.

Owl UV 13 21 35 51 Valley JV

The Owlettes dropped a 68-37 decision to Valley. Leading the scoring for the Owlettes was Aimee Francis, with 17 points. Monica Arnold also scored in double figures, putting 11



Several inches of snow blanketed Silverton Sunday night, melting as it first began and drifting with the winds that accompanied it Monday morning. A total of .29 of an inch of moisture was received. Temperatures plunged to 15 degrees early Tuesday under clear skies, but the skies became cloudy again as the morning went by. Briscoe County News Photo

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points on the board. Also scoring were Christa Tucker, who rang up seven, including one three pointer, and Brandi

Brunson, two points. **Owlettes** 21 37 55 68

The Owls dropped their game to the Patriots, 75-57. Frank Ramirez, jr. led the scoring with 18 points. Also in double figures were Brian West, 15, and Langdon Reagan, 12, including one three pointer. Also scoring were Casey Frizzell, eight; Brian Martin and Bryan Breedlove, two points each.

15 40 56 75 Valley

The Junior Varsity Owlettes played to a 21-47 decision with Motley County on Tuesday night of last week. Leslee Weaks led the offense with 14 points, followed by Brandi Brunson, with five, and Jo Ann Ramirez, with two points. 6 10 17 21 Owlette JV **Motley County** 8 16 36 47

The Junior Varsity Owls played to a 24-38 finish with Motley County, with

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light scoring by their players. Matt Francis led the team with seven points, followed by Trent Smith, with six. Braden Towe caged four points, Stoney Hubbard put up three points, and Lance Holt and Zane Henderson rang up two points each.

Owl JV **Motley County** 11 18 30 38

The varsity Owlettes lost their game 58-34, trailing quite a bit at the end of each period. Aimee Francis led the scoring with 16. Other scoring was by Monica Arnold, six; Christine Casillas, five; Christy West, three; Christa Tucker and Kami Martin, two points

Owlettes Motley County 16 39 50 58

The Owls dropped their game 55-38. Frizzell led the scoring with 12, followed by Ramirez and West with 10 points each. Reagan, Martin and Breedlove scored two points each. The Owls led at the end of the first quarter, but dropped behind and trailed at the end of each of the other periods.

Owls 16 22 28 38 **Motley County** 15 33 40 55 The teams traveled to San Jacinto Christian Academy in Amarillo Tuesday night and have games with Claude here Friday. The Junior Varsity

teams will be in a tournament at Valley this weekend.

Dwain Tipton Named To Dean's Honor List

Dwain Tipton earned a 3.60 grade point average for the fall 1991 semester at South Plains College, and has been placed on the Dean's List.

Since he has been at South Plains College, his grade point average has

WTSU Dean's List is Announced Here

One hundred eight West Texas State University undergraduates were named to the President's List and 591 earned mention on the Dean's List for the 1991 fall semester.

Carrie Ann Grabbe, a freshman general agriculture student, earned Dean's List status. Students on the Dean's List achieved

grade point averages of at least 3.250.

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A Voice From the Country

Earl Cantwell

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It is a New Year-what shall I do with it? As I ponder this, there are a few warnings that should be considered. Between the great things I cannot do and the little things I will not do, the danger is that I shall do nothing . . . Too much time is wasted by some people in telling how busy I am . . . I will not get much done by starting tomorrow . . . And even if I get on the right track I will surely get run over if I just sit there

O. C. and Faye Rampley are proud to announce the arrival of their first greatgrandchild, a baby boy born to Priscilla and Ty Rampley on Sunday.

Tomas Adrian Rampley made his appearance at South Park Hospital in Lubbock at 11:16 a.m. on January 12, 1992. He weighed in at seven pounds and six ounces, has light brown hair, blue eyes and is 20½ inches long.

O. C. says most newborns are not much to look at, but Tomas is "really pretty." Faye thinks ALL newborns are "really pretty" to those who love them!

Alzheimer's Group To Meet Here Tonight

There will be a meeting of the Alzheimer's and Related Illnesses support group from 7:00 until 8:00 p.m. tonight (Thursday, January 16) in the annex building at the Church of Christ in Silverton.

The program will be a discussion with an emphasis on caregiving strategies.

Silverton School **Lunchroom Menu**

January 20 - 23

Monday-Burritoes, Salad, Hot Sauce, Chips, Fruit, Milk

Tuesday-Ham and Cheese on a Bun, Salad, French Fries, Brownie, Milk

Wednesday-Pot Pie, Salad, Krispie

Thursday—Fried Steak and Gravy, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Hot Rolls, Syrup and Butter, Milk Friday-No school

Happy Birthday to . . .

January 16-Sheryl Breedlove, Santos Garcia, jr., Ernest Garcia, Rusty Miller, Louise Vaughan, Peggy Miller

January 17—Ashley Glenn, Matthew Hutsell, Beverly Minyard, Kent Carpenter, Jerry Cole Patton

January 18-Marshall Watson, Michelle Whitfill, John Wyatt, Debbie Weaks, Lessie Baird, Thor Patton

January 19-Annelle Davis, Sue Lynn Morris

January 20-Anna Belle Tipton, Aloha Fisch, Daryl-Ann Reynolds, Jack Graham

January 21-Judy Northcutt, Lois Ziegler, Fred Sweet January 22-Diana Hill, Rick Hutsell

Merle and Annette Roehr and family will be moving to Gallup, New Mexico late this week to work as relief house parents at the children's home. They have been making their home on the Reed Lawson place in Floyd County.

. So let me do my bit where I am . . . If the world doesn't see me it makes little difference; God does.

Here are a few observations: It always feels good to be good . . . Don't stay away from church because it is not perfect... How lonely you would feel in a perfect church . . . Christian life: A life for which some people are willing to do anything—except give up sin Life: An obligation to live meaningfully and an opportunity to do so.

Take time . . . Take time to live. That is what time is for. Killing time is suicide . . . Take time to work. It is the price of success . . . Take take to think. It is the source of power . . . Take time to play. It is the mountain of wisdom. . Take time to be friendly. It is the road to happiness . . . Take time to dream. It is hitching your wagon to a star Take time to look around. It is too short a day to be selfish . . . Take time to laugh. It is the music of the soul Take time to play with children. It is the joy of joys . . . Take time to be courteous. It is the mark of a gentleman or a lady.

This year: The church needs more . . Than ever before . . . More tithes and fewer drives . . . More action and less faction . . . More workers and fewer shirkers . . . More backers and fewer slackers . . . More praying and less straying . . . More God's plans and less of man's . . . More divine power and less human power . . . More burden-bearers and fewer talebearers.

We have learned in airplanes to fly through the air like birds and in submarines we have learned to swim like fish in the water. What we need badly now is to walk upon the earth like men . . . "Taint what we have, but what we give . . . Taint what we are, but how we live . . . Taint what we do, but how we do it . . . That makes this life worth

goin' through it.

A man is never in worse company

than when he flies into a rage and is beside himself. So let us face the New Year calmly . . . in hope.

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rate and a 90% 10 year survival

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A mammogram can detect a

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Guidelines For According to the American Cancer Society, one out of ten women **Screening Mammography** in the United States will develop Established by the breast cancer sometime in her **American Cancer Society.** lifetime. It is currently estimated that over 37,000 women die each

I. 35-40 years of age -One baseline mammogram.

II. 40-50 years of age -A mammogram every 1-2 years depending on breast type and risk factor.

III. 50 years of age and over -An annual physical examination and annual mammogram.

IV. Asymptomatic women under 50 years of age with significant high risk factors should be examined at appropriate intervals. These risk factors include previous breast cancer and family history of cancer.

V. A symptomatic woman should have a mammogram at any age when she experiences a mass, nipple discharge, skin changes or unexplained breast pain.

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December Was Wet, Warm on South Plains

The weather across the Texas South Plains during December 1991 was set with above-normal temperatures.

Temperatures averaged 1.2 degrees above normal and ranged from 2.8 degrees above normal at Snyder to 0.4 degree below normal at Lamesa. Silverton's temperatures averaged 40 degrees, which was 1.6 degrees below

the South Plains average.

Maximum temperatures averaged 2.0 degrees below normal and ranged from 0.2 degree above normal at Snyder to 4.2 degrees below normal at Seminole. The highest temperature of the month was 77 at Jayton and Paducah on the

8th. Silverton's maximum temperatures averaged 51.7 for the month, .80 of a degree below the South Plains average. Silverton's highest daytime temperature during the month was 72 degrees on the 8th.

Minimum temperatures averaged 4.4 degrees above normal and ranged from 6.1 degrees above the long-term average at Lubbock to 2.8 degrees above normal at Lamesa. The lowest temperatures of the month occurred during the first few days of the month with Dimmitt reporting the lowest of 14 on the morning of the 2nd. Minimum temperatures in Silverton averaged 28.3, 2.30 below the South Plains average. The lowest temperature recorded during December was 20 degrees on the 2nd, 4th and 5th.

Precipitation was frequent and heavy averaging 2.58 inches above normal while ranging from 4.16 inches above normal at Post to 1.58 inches above normal at Abernathy. Much of the precipitation occurred as rain during the middle of the month with many stations reporting over an inch on the 22nd. The only worthwhile snow caused a white Christmas for much of the area as especially western counties were treated to several inches Christmas afternoon and evening. Some of that snow lingered into the day after Christmas with the heaviest total of six inches reported at Littlefield on the morning of the 26th.

Silverton's precipitation measured 2.41 inches, which is 1.72 inches above normal and .81 of an inch below the South Plains average. An inch of snow was estimated from the rain/snow mixture that fell on December 24.

Teams Lose Pair Of Games to Lazbuddie 'Horns

Silverton's Junior High Owls and Owlettes dropped their games to Lazbuddie here Monday night, the girls dropping a close 37-31 decision and the boys losing 49-11 to their tall opponents.

It looked like the Owlettes would win their game, but it wasn't to be. They trailed the Lady 'Horns by only a point at the end of the first quarter, and trailed 17-12 at halftime. By the end of three quarters, the Lazbuddie girls were ahead 27-22.

Dedra Johnston led the scoring for the Owlettes with nine points, closely followed by Molly Bomar with eight. Shannon Weaver dropped in five points, one being a three pointer. Vanessa Martin added four; Lori Brannon and Teri Rodgers, two points each, and Kara Kingery tossed in a point from the line.

Arnold Garza and Jeremiah Brooks caged four points each for the Owls and Zeb Holt rang up three points. The Owls were behind 17-3 at the end of the first quarter and were down 25-5 at the midway stop. By the end of three quarters, they trailed 39-9.

The teams will go to Happy on Thursday, January 23, for their next round of district games.

Caprock Genealogical Society To Meet in Floydada January 20

Caprock Genealogical Society will meet Monday, January 20, at Floyd County Museum in Floydada at 7:00

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Naming Cutting Horses is Fun Art

National Cutting Horse Association Hall of Fame member Billy Cogdell and his son, Dick Cogdell, get a kick out of finding unusual names for their horses.

One of the latest is Rattlesnake Jones, the 1991 NCHA Derby reserve champion with about \$50,000 in career earnings. In Fort Worth on December Rattlesnake Jones, with rider/trainer Shannon Hall, posted a solid score of 216 as the Will Rogers Futurity began its six-day run at John Justin Arena.

Many riders who competed in the NCHA World Championship Futurity, which concluded its 13-day run Sunday, December 15, were staying in Fort Worth the rest of the week to compete in the Will Rogers event.

Rattlesnake Jones, a second-year competitor, advanced to the four-yearold open division second go-round.

"This is the first time he's been shown since September," Cogdell said. "He's been standing around in the barn getting fat. I was tickled to death with the way he worked today.'

How did Cogdell come up with a name such as Rattlesnake Jones?

"When he was a little colt, he was long-necked, would keep his head low and would move his neck around a lot," Cogdell said. "He would move his neck before he would move the rest of his body. He reminded me of a horse named Snake who did the same thing.

"His father's name is Lance Jones. So I put the two together and came up with Rattlesnake Jones."

There are several other Cogdell-bred horses with unusual names. Crackin finished seventh in the 1991 NCHA Futurity's open division. Cogdell sold her in last year's Futurity Sale to Greg Williamson of Fort Worth. Crackin has several sisters-Swingin, Twistin Cee. Shakin and Sneakin and a brother named Cattin.

Rattlesnake Jones has a brother named Jitterbug Jones and he will be shown in the 1992 Futurity.

"I enjoy raising horses," Cogdell said. "But I enjoy coming up with names that nobody else would.

Basketball Concession Stand Workers 1991-92

DATE	TIME	WORKERS
Jan. 17	6:30	Dwain, Shirley, Zane
		Henderson; Vici,
		Russ, Carrie Baird
Jan. 24	4:00	Jean Mayfield, Teri
		Rodgers; Stoney
		Hubbard; Lee, Eldon,
		Patrick O'Neal
	6:30	Jerry, Sandra, Trent
		Smith; Wayne, Tina,
		Holly Nance
Jan. 27	5:00	Van, Sue, Brandi
		Breedlove: Dee. Pat.

Jan. 31	4:00	Christy, Brian, An
		West: Pam Nease
	6:30	Patsy, Braden Towe
		Gary, Cathey, Lesley
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NOTICES

THE BRISCOE COUNTY ASCS office is accepting applications for a temporary employee position in the county office at 501 Main St. in Silverton, Texas. Typing skills, farm background, and computer experience desirable. Applications must be received by January 27, 1992, and may be delivered to Briscoe County ASCS Office at 501 Main St., or mailed to P. O. Box 667, Silverton, Texas 79257. Vacancy Announcement containing basic qualifications is available upon request

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SECRETARIAL POSITION

Title: Secretary Location: Briscoe County Extension Office in Silverton

Date Employment Begins: February 10,

Application: Applications will be accepted immediately and until

position has been filled. A candidate for the position will be selected by February 7, 1992. Applications will be accepted in person between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. in the County Extension Office. Personal interviews will be scheduled beginning January 27, 1992. Basic Qualifications: Completion of high school or equivalent; secretarial experience preferred; mental alertness; clerical aptitude; good typing skills; experience with word processor and other computer operations preferred; ability to effectively meet the public; general filing and record keeping skills. Major Job Responsibilities: Type correspondence, reports, newsletters, news articles, etc.; maintain files; duplicate and mail materials; use computer capabilities to maintain and use mailing lists, print labels, prepare mailings and monthly reports; pick up and distribute mail; answer telephone; perform bookkeeping operations; receive office visitors; and perform other related clerical duties.

Contact: Persons interested in being considered for this position should contact Ronda Alexander or Scott Strawn at the County Extension Office in the Briscoe County Courthouse basement, Box 730, Silverton, Texas 79257, phone 823-2131.

Public Notice

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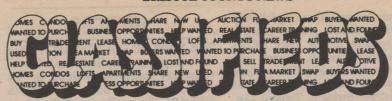
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David Tipton

Thank you for the cards, flowers, food and the prayers at the death of our father, grandfather and greatgrandfather.

Tina, Joe and Patsy Davis Tommy Jeff, Terry Jeff and Trista Davis

Thank you to all who called, sent flowers, gifts and visited me while I was in the hospital.

Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated.

Thanks again, Kami Martin

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