

# Briscoe County News

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It's a statement I've heard made so many times before, but I know that it's true. "We just didn't know we had so many friends... People have been so wonderful to us."

I was visiting with Lyn Payne last Saturday about his daughter, Amy Grimland, who had surgery for a brain tumor early last week. He told me that she seems to be doing well and that the doctors have given them reason for optimism. He expressed to me how much their friends have meant to them and how much they need their continuing prayers.

Some people may be able to exist without friends, but I know the quality of their lives would be improved by the addition of a circle of caring friends.

There are some of the best people in the whole world living in Briscoe County, and after all, isn't that one reason why we live here?

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In order to tell our friends, the Joe Foust family, how much we appreciate them, there will be an Ice Cream Supper given in their honor from 7:00 until 9:00 p.m. on Monday, July 8, under the shelter on the courthouse lawn. This will be a come-and-go party sponsored by the Silverton Chamber of Commerce.

Many of us feel that Dr. Joe is doing a very good job for our people at the clinic, and we want to take this opportunity to tell him and his family how much they mean to us.

If you would like to bring a freezer of homemade ice cream, it will be appreciated; if you can't bring ice cream, come anyway. If you have any questions about this, please contact Jess Little, 823-2007.

## Meeting To Finalize County Calendars

Rebel Royall and Calley Payne, County Extension Agents, have just about finished the calendar of events for the rest of this year. There needs to be another meeting with the Tourism Task Force Members in order to finalize it.

If possible, please come to the Pioneer Room at First State Bank in Silverton on Thursday, June 27, at 7:00 p.m. to do this.

At that time any other Tourism issues that have evolved since the last meeting will be discussed.

## School Supply Lists Need To Be Updated

School supply lists need to be updated by the teachers soon.

It will be appreciated if teachers will tell the school office or *Briscoe County News* what things they will be asking their students to bring when school starts.

by Jim Leser  
Extension Entomologist  
Provided by Rebel L. Royall  
County Extension Agent

Seedling cotton plants have been pelted by hail, blowing sand and strong winds. The good news is that generally warm, dry conditions have discouraged the development of seedling diseases. The bad news is that these severe conditions have encouraged Thrips to spend most of their time in the terminal and not out on the expanded true leaves and cotyledons where their feeding activity is far less damaging. Thrips feeding in the terminal area not only cause the later appearance of much reduced "crinkled up" leaves but also reduce the number of early squares. This will result in reduced yields and can delay crop maturity.

Thrips have moved into cotton from maturing wheat and other host plants. The general pattern is the appearance of winged adults during the week of seedling emergence with a sharp increase in thrip numbers the following week due to reproduction. The most prevalent species observed thus far has been the western flower thrips (WFT) although other species can be found. In test plots with up to two leaves present, thrips have averaged up to five per plant in untreated plots. Numbers as high

as 15 have been found on individual plants.

The Extension cotton guide lists the treatment threshold for thrips at 2-5 per plant. This may be too high early in the game and may be too low as plants begin to square. Generally it is not a paying proposition to treat for thrips once cotton begins to square.

There has been excessive blackening and death of terminal leaves this year, even in cotton protected with insecticides. While the best insecticides have limited this to a large degree, it still can

## School Needs Your Input Soon

The site-based decision-making committee of Silverton Independent School District is currently revising the district and campus improvement plan as mandated by state law.

In order to address the needs of the students effectively, a needs assessment survey will be mailed out to all parents of SISD students, high school students, and some community members who do not have students attending the Silverton Schools.

Your input is very valuable to the revision of this plan. Please return your survey in the stamped, self-addressed envelope that will be provided, by July 10.

be found. I believe that the incessant high winds and blowing sand this year are responsible for this increase in terminal damage. Usually these damage symptoms are almost always associated with thrips feeding.

In thrips control tests north of Earth the treatments that look best are Temik, a Gaucho + Orthene seed treatment, and foliar sprays of either Orthene or Fipronil (not registered yet). The Gaucho seed treatment provided very little control of thrip numbers or reproduction. The dominant species is the WFT. The results are somewhat different in test plots south of Littlefield where the thrips appear to be a different species than WFT. All treatments looked good including the seed treatments: Gaucho, Gaucho + Orthene, Orthene, Fipronil, and

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## Senior Citizens To Have Birthday Party

Silverton Senior Citizens will have their monthly birthday party beginning at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 2.

The party will honor those who have birthdays in July. Hosts for the party will be those whose birthdays were celebrated in June.



The new PE gym and fieldhouse have taken form quickly and are moving on toward completion. Work has been continuing inside and the area outside is being cleared and leveled so the parking area can be prepared for use by football fans during the upcoming season. *Briscoe County News Photo*

## Calendar of Events In Briscoe County

July 25-27--Caprock Cowboy Camp Meeting. Johnnie Burson Ranch. Join in this very unique camp meeting on the edge of the Caprock. You will be fed chuckwagon style and be able to mingle with people who are very close to the land and the Creator. You don't have to be a rancher to attend.

August 3--Caprock Jamboree. Showbarn in Silverton. Jam session at 5:00 p.m. Hamburgers at 6:00 p.m. Show starts at 7:00 p.m.

August 8--Briscoe County Roping. This is for residents and former residents of Briscoe County to compete against one another with their roping skills.

August 9-10--Briscoe County's 104th Birthday Celebration in Silverton. Enjoy nightly rodeo performances at the Wood Memorial Arena; dances at the Showbarn both nights; a parade, barbecue, arts & crafts booths, drawings, etc.

August 10--Silverton School Homecoming. Registration 9:30 a.m. Brunch in school cafeteria 10:30-11:30 a.m. (\$5.00 per person) Homecoming program starts at 12:00 noon in the school auditorium. Entertainment will be provided by the 3M Company.

August 13--First day of classes in the Silverton Schools

August 17--Canyon Rambling. Caprock Canyons State Park. Travel the back trails of Caprock Canyons State Park with a Ranger in an open air vehicle. View the wildlife and beautiful scenery and experience a rough and tumble ride.

September 7--County-Wide Garge Sale. Silverton, Quitaque and points in between. Take a whole day for browsing through garage sale items and see the beautiful Briscoe County high plains, canyons and rolling plains country.

September 7--Caprock Jamboree. Silverton Showbarn.

September 7--Tunnel Bat Flights. Caprock Canyons Trailway. Witness the flight of bats as they stream out of the Clarity Tunnel in search of food and water on the Caprock Canyons Trailway System.

September 14--Blue Grass Festival. Silverton. Spend the day on the lawn of the historic Briscoe County Courthouse listening to music and visiting with people who are the best in the world.

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**REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION**

Sealed proposals for 5.208 miles of rehabilitation of existing roadway on SH 86 from Quitaque to Top of Caprock covered by CSR 303-4-27 in Briscoe County, will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas, until 1:00 p.m., July 9, 1996, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Daniel E. Brown, Area Engineer, Wellington, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award.

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**TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:**

You are hereby notified that DIMMITT AGRIL. INDUSTRIES, INC. has applied for Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) Air Quality Permit No. 32636. This permit, if approved, will authorize expansion of a Cotton Gin near Silverton in Briscoe County, Texas. The location of the existing facility is the intersection of Highways 145 and 284. This facility will emit the following air contaminant: particulate matter.

A copy of all materials in the public file is available for inspection and reproduction at the TNRCC Amarillo Regional Office, Air Program, located at 3918 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79109-4996, telephone (806) 353-9251, and at the TNRCC Central Office, 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, TX 78753, telephone (512) 239-1000. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review in the Regional Office of the TNRCC. Inquiries about the permit application and any information concerning any technical aspect of this application can be obtained by writing Mr. David J. Lusk, TNRCC Office of Air Quality, New Source Review Division (MC-162), P. O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or the TNRCC Amarillo Regional Office.

You may submit written comments concerning the permit application to the TNRCC Office of Air Quality, New Source Review Division in Austin. All

written comments received within 30 days after the second publication of this notice shall be considered by the TNRCC Executive Director in determining whether to issue or not issue the permit. All written comments will be made available for public inspection at the TNRCC Central Office in Austin. This notice is to be published on June 20, 1996 and June 27, 1996.

Any person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the proposed facility may request the Commission to hold an informal public meeting and/or contested case hearing on the permit application pursuant to Section 382.056(d) of the Texas Health and Safety Code. The Commission is not required to hold a contested case hearing if the basis of a request is determined to be unreasonable. All requests for a contested case hearing must be received in writing within the 30-day comment period regardless of whether an informal public meeting has been held or scheduled on this matter. If you wish to request a public hearing, you must submit your request in writing. You must state (1) your name, mailing address, and

daytime phone number; (2) the permit number or other recognizable reference to this application; (3) the statement "I/we request a public hearing"; (4) a brief description of how you, or the persons you represent, would be adversely affected by the granting of the application; (5) a description of the location of your property relative to the applicant's operations; and (6) your proposed adjustment to the application/permit which would satisfy your concerns and cause you to withdraw your request for hearing. Requests for a public hearing on this application should be submitted in writing to Office of the Chief Clerk (MC-105), Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission, P. O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, telephone (512) 239-3300.

Before a permit can be issued for this facility, the applicant must demonstrate that all emission sources are in compliance with all TNRCC air quality rules and regulations and all applicable Federal regulations. This includes the application of "best available control technology" to each new or modified emission source and compliance with all ambient air quality standards. 25-2tc

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of course Temik. Gaucho has historically provided poor control of WFT while providing excellent control of some other thrip species.

On replant decisions, even where Temik was used earlier, costs can be cut by skipping the application of the soil-applied systemic insecticide and relying on scouting and banded foliar insecticide applications later if warranted. If weather conditions prevent a banded ground application then the more expensive broadcast aerial application will be needed. The key to foliar thrip control is finding and treating the fields quickly. Once the damage has appeared you have lost the battle.

**TREATMENT GUIDELINES FOR THRIPS**

Thrips Per Plant	Plant Stage
1.	emergency to 1 true leaf
2	2 to 4 true leaves
5	5 or more true leaves

**Day Spring Revival Services Planned**

Friday night, Silverton United Methodist Church begins a revival service with Wes Putnam bringing the messages.

Services begin each night at 8:00 in order to try to accommodate the area farmers.

Everyone is invited to attend and worship with the Methodists June 28-29-30.

Sunday morning services begin at 10:50 and will be followed by a covered dish lunch.

**Methodist Men Serving Breakfast**

Saturday morning, the men from the Methodist Church will be serving a "full-meal-deal" breakfast for the community beginning at 7:00.

Wes Putnam will lead a morning devotional service following breakfast and will dismiss by 8:00 a.m.

Start your weekend off in a great way and come join in this special time.

**Vacation Bible School To Begin Here July 8**

First Baptist Church would like to invite you to "Go For The Goal" (Phil. 3:14) at Vacation Bible School July 8-12 from 9:00 until 11:30 a.m. each day. Classes will be for children who have finished Pre-K through sixth grade.

Many fun activities and crafts are planned to help teach more about Jesus and God's plan for His people.

Family Night is planned during the Sunday night service July 14, beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Just as an athlete has to train to be the best for the Olympics, you too should train your body and mind to serve God. Come and join God's Team.



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**SUNDAY**

Morning Worship..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**

Evening..... 8:00 p.m.

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED GAS RATE CHANGE**

On May 31, 1996, Energas Company filed Statements of Intent to change its gas rates with each incorporated city listed below. The proposed changes will take effect no sooner than 35 days after filing. Each city may suspend the proposed effective date for an additional 90 days.

The company proposes to increase rates to General Service (residential and commercial), Small Industrial Service, Large Gas Air Conditioning and/or Electric Generating Gas Service, and the Air Conditioning Rate Rider. Additionally, the company is proposing to offer a new service, General Service-State Institutions, to state agencies. The company may implement a different rate design than proposed provided the increased revenue does not exceed that specified herein.

The proposed changes are expected to increase the company's annual revenues by approximately 7.6 percent or \$7.7 million. The proposed changes could affect approximately 200,000 gas consumers in the following communities:

Abernathy	Lake Tanglewood	Post
Amherst	Lamesa*	Quitaque
Anton	Levelland*	Ralls
Big Spring*	Littlefield	Ropesville
Bovina	Lockney	Seagraves
Brownfield*	Lorenzo	Seminole
Buffalo Spring Lake	Los Ybanez	Shallowater
Canyon*	Lubbock*	Silverton
Coahoma	Meadow	Slaton
Crosbyton	Midland*	Smyer
Dimmitt	Muleshoe	Springlake
Earth	Nazareth	Stanton
Edmonson	New Deal	Sudan
Floydada	New Home	Tahoka
Forsan	Odessa*	Timbercreek Canyon
Friona	O'Donnell	Tulia
Hale Center	Olton	Turkey
Happy	Opdyke West	Vega
Hart	Palisades	Wellman
Hereford*	Pampa*	Wilson
Idalou	Panhandle	Wolfforth
Kress	Petersburg	
Lake Ransom Canyon	Plainview*	

\*The level of revenue increase in these communities constitutes a "major change" as defined by state law.

Copies of the filing are available at the Energas Office at 5110 - 80th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79424, and your local Energas Office.



# LOOKING BACK

through the files of the  
Briscoe County News

**June 25, 1986-** Rains continue to fall on Silverton, with 1.87 inches measured during the last week to bring the June rainfall to 6.22 inches and the 1986 rainfall to 12.65 inches . . . W. G. (Butch) Brannon received the bachelor of science degree in nursing at Hardin-Simmons University May 10. He has been a registered nurse for seven years, and is a supervisor at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene . . . Eight-pound stripers caught at Lake Mackenzie . . . Jackie Gaskins, son-in-law of Elton and Lanita Cantwell, received a Texas Tech scholarship . . .

**June 25, 1976-** Pam Rampley holds the national second-place silver medal and the state first-place gold medal she won in dental assistant contests this year. Miss Rampley, a recent graduate of Roswell High School, has worked in the office of Dr. Robert T. Smith for 2½ years . . . A movie made some time ago in Silverton and on some of the adjacent ranch and caprock country, will premiere at the First Baptist Church in Silverton in July. The public is invited to the showing of "A Disturbing Silence," which was directed by Bob Saul and concerns the Christian witness of championship professional cowboy and rancher Walter Arnold, who helped organize the Cowboys for Christ, a chapter of the National Athletes for Christ. The story concerns Arnold's Christian witness among the rodeo people with whom he has been associated for a number of years . . . Curt Garrison, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Garner Garrison, was injured Friday afternoon when he fell from a horse on the Coleman Garrison farm here . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams and David attended a family reunion at Lake Brownwood last weekend . . . Glenda Youngquist of Lubbock has recently spent a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Vaughan . . .

**June 23, 1966-** Silverton Pool is popular habitat of local young people on these long, hot summer days . . . Another two inches of rain received . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitfill of Lockney celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitfill Sunday . . . Mrs. R. N. McDaniel and Robert McDaniel III left Monday for DeRidder, Louisiana where Mrs. R. L. Stack, nee Linda Beth McDaniel, underwent major surgery on Tuesday of last week. She is reported to be recuperating satisfactorily . . . Mrs. Milton Dudley has been staying in Amarillo with her daughter, Connie, who underwent surgery in Northwest Texas Hospital Tuesday of last week . . . Dianne Davis and John Howard Burson were among those who were listed on the spring semester

honor roll at West Texas State University . . .

**June 28, 1956-** Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stephens were in Springerville, Arizona last week to visit Pete Mashburn in a hospital there. Mr. and Mrs. Mashburn, three small sons and a niece visited the Stephens family here the previous Thursday and Friday. As they were enroute to their home in Ventura, California, Mrs. Mashburn fell asleep at the wheel and the car went off an embankment, killing her instantly. One son was dead on arrival at a hospital. Mr. Mashburn, another son and the niece were critically injured . . . Miss Frances Tunnell to become bride of Richard Babb . . . Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young, Peggy and Donnie, Mrs. Don Shurbet, Mrs. Seymour Brannon and Wade have returned from a trip to Chattanooga, Tennessee, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McKee, jr. and girls . . . 17,000 acres land treated for grasshoppers . . . Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Garrison moved to Plainview last week . . . Jimmy D. Wilson sailed last Tuesday for his new base in Hanow, Germany . . . Larry McWilliams is attending a two-week National Guard Camp at Fort Hood. He is mascot of the Amarillo Unit of the 36th Division of which his uncle, Paul Ray Webb, is a member . . . Mrs. W. E. Schott, jr., Dave, Bill and Mary left Monday for Tres Ritos, New Mexico where they plan to spend several days . . .

**July 25, 1946-** Troy Hill and Cecil Seaney have this week taken over and are re-opening the Conoco Corner, as the filling station just off the southwest corner is familiarly known . . . World awaits second test of the atomic bomb . . . Announcement of the ownership of the Bomar and Gilkeyson grocery is made this week. True Burson and Wayne Crawford are the new owners . . . Victor and Dianne Fogerson are visiting their grandparents in Matador this week . . . David A. Boyd, who has been active in helping to publish the News the past three weeks, has this week officially become a half-owner of the establishment upon purchasing the interest of John N. Merriman. Joseph B. Powell recently purchased the other half interest in the newspaper . . . Mrs. A. C. Arnold visited her sons, A. D. Arnold, Arthur Arnold and Porter Arnold recently . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Steele are parents of a son, Raymond Lee, who weighed 7½ pounds . . . Mr. and Mrs. Leo Comer and Mrs. Wylie Bomar returned Sunday from a trip to Colorado and New Mexico . . . Einell Hancock and Gordon Montague were united in marriage July 10 at 7:30 o'clock at the First Methodist Church in Clovis, New Mexico . . .

**June 25, 1936-** The Market and Grocery operated by Troy Burson, and which has assumed the new name of Burson Food Store, is staging a formal opening at the store south of the Palace Theater . . . At the King Barber Shop, a new business makes it

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appearance—a beauty shop. Miss Sylvia Day of Matador is the operator and will have brand new, latest type equipment, wave machines, dryers and all the accessories that go to make a beauty salon a real place of service . . . The Silverton Grocery and Market is keeping right up to now by adding new fixtures, stock and a lounging room for your convenience . . . Scouts from Silverton who are at Camp Post

this week are Jack Burleson, Rex Douglas, Gwynne Williamson, Taylor Williamson and Grady Martin. Homer Sanders, jr. is in charge of the boys while in camp as Acting Scoutmaster . . . Harvest underway; better than expected . . . Heavy wind, which was almost a tornado, destroyed several buildings at the J. W. Monroe farm Monday evening. The wind was accompanied by rain and hail which did some

damage to the wheat and cotton . . . Mrs. J. M. McCammon of Dallas visited with her brother, J. D. O'Daniel, Monday . . . R. E. Brookshier attended the District Continental Oil Company meeting at Plainview Wednesday night . . . Bobbie John Kent enjoyed his eighth birthday with a party attended by Allene,

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# Can You Write a Slogan for Silverton?

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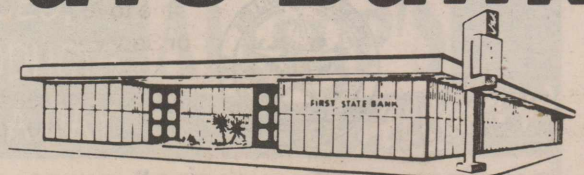
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## McCunes Renew Their Wedding Vows

John and Maxine McCune of Silverton celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary by renewing their vows on Saturday, June 8, at the home of their daughter, Brenda Shie in Comfort, Texas.

Hosting the event were the couple's five children: Jamie and her husband, Jim Ellis of Amarillo; Brenda and her husband, Richard Carpenter of Comfort; Becky and her husband, Dallas De Ornellas of Paris, Missouri; John C. McCune and Ron McCune, both of Austin.

The McCunes have nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The former Veda Maxine Aston married John Ervin McCune on June 7, 1946 in Graham, Texas.

Mrs. McCune is retired from first State Bank, now Hale County State Bank in Tulia. Mr. McCune is retired from the Plainview Independent School District.

### Happy Birthday To ...

June 27--Delois Baker, Janinne Brooks, Leona Yancey, Chad Turner, Mike Grady, Gerry James

June 28--Stoney Hubbard, Wayne Stephens, Cally Burk

June 29--Danny Schulte, Paul

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McWilliams, Tad Cornett, Garner Garrison

June 30--Richie Hill, Peggy Fleming, Eber Gill, Caleb Joseph Bean

July 1--Kyler Clay Bean, Avonna Miller, Hazel Grabbe, Mildred Davis, Joe Maciel

July 2--Weston Scott Roberts

July 3--Alison Tipton, Leslee Weeks, Max Comer

### Happy Anniversary To ...

June 27--Mr. and Mrs. Doug Forbes

June 28--Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Perkins

June 29--Mr. and Mrs. Bud Couch

June 30--Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutton

July 1--Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Gaskins, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cantwell

July 2--Mr. and Mrs. Lyndal Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Dwin Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith

### Miss Skinner Is Shower Honoree

Miss Tracie Skinner, bride-elect of Denny Hill, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Saturday, June 22, from 10:00 until 11:00 a.m. in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank in Silverton. The honoree was presented a corsage of white daisies.

Guests were greeted by Carolyn Lowrey and presented to the honoree and her mother, Sheila Skinner of Tulia, and to Janice Hill, mother of the future bridegroom. Other special guests were Bertha Underwood of Nocona, great-grandmother of the bride-elect; Ruby Hester and LaNelle Hill, both of Silverton, grandmothers of the prospective bridegroom. Guests were registered by Lee O'Neal.

Attending from out of town were Thelma Singer of Tulia, great-aunt of the bride-elect; Carolyn Singer and Laci, Tulia, cousins of the bride-elect; Felice Mote and Jeannett Herring, both of Tulia; Julie Couch, Groom, and Penni Bentley of Amarillo.

The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth and goldenrod napkins, crystal and silver appointments were used. The table was decorated with an arrangement of silk sunflowers and burgundy wildflowers in a watering can accented with a packet of sunflower seeds and miniature straw hat. Small clay flower pots tied with natural raffia holding votive candles were placed in front of the flower arrangement. This was given to the honoree for her new home.

An assortment of cookies, mini-muffins, sausage balls, mini-quiche, crunch munch, coffee and punch were served by Penni Bentley, Julie Couch and Patsy Towe.

A Sunbean gas grill was presented to the couple by hostesses Pat McWaters,

Waynelle Couch, Patsy Towe, Anita Ramsey, Sandi Tomlin, Carolyn Lowrey, Lee O'Neal, Ruby Graham, Shirley Henderson, Rhenda Burson, Della Boling, Kathy Woodard, Marsha Brunson, Dorothy Martin, Peggy Rowell and Kathy Kingery.

### R. E. Sweek Honored On 80th Birthday

The home of R. E. and Maggie Sweek was invaded Sunday, June 23, by a host of family members to celebrate the eightieth birthday anniversary of Mr. Sweek. Everyone enjoyed lunch followed by cake and homemade ice cream. There was lots of visiting, picture taking and fellowship.

Attending were their children, G. W. and Venita Chappell of Canyon, Donald and Fay Perkins of Silverton, Floyd and Jerry Perkins of Fort Worth, Terry and Rhonda Williams of Amarillo, twelve grandchildren and nineteen great-grandchildren. Annie Williams and Wimpy Vardell, both of Silverton, also attended. This made a total of 53 in-laws, out-laws and friends.

### Motley County Junior Rodeo is July 12-13

The 22nd annual Motley County Junior Rodeo will be held at the Old Settler's Arena in Roaring Springs July 12-13, 1996. It is sponsored annually by Motley County 4-H.

This year, there will be two rodeo performances. The Friday night performance will begin at 7:30 p.m. The Saturday performance will begin at 4:00 p.m. Rodeo books will close at 5:00 p.m. on July 9.

Saddles will be awarded to the All-Around Boy and Girl in the Senior Division (ages 16-19). A set of Rickey Trammell Bits and Spurs will be given to the All-Around Boy and Girl in the Junior Division (ages 13-15). Buckles will be awarded in the Pee-Wee Division (ages 8-12) and the Pre-Kids Division (ages 7 & under) for the All-Around Boy and Girl. Montana Silversmith Belt Buckles also will be awarded for first place in each event for all age divisions.

The events for the Rodeo are barrel race, flag race, pole bending, goat tying, tie-down roping, ribbon roping, breakaway, straight-away chute dogging, team roping, steer daubing, calf riding, steer riding, bareback, saddle bronc and bull riding.

A dance will be held nightly featuring Lydia Dorman. The dance begins at 9:00 p.m. both Friday and Saturday nights.

All interested youth are encouraged to enter the Rodeo and spectators are invited to watch the action and dance nightly to Lydia Dorman.

For more information or entry blanks, contact Cathey Turner.

### THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1996

Rodeo Secretary, Box 666, Matador, Texas 79244, 806-347-2834, or Beverly Logsdon, County Extension Agent, Box 670, Matador, Texas 79244.

## WEATHER

### 24-HOUR JUNE READINGS

DATE	HIGH	LOW	PRECIP.
1	86	64	.06
2	74	59	T
3	84	62	.03
4	83	53	.25
5	87	53	
6	96	53	
7	88	53	
8	81	50	
9	88	53	
10	90	57	
11	89	60	
12	90	61	.06
13	93	61	
14	89	65	
15	88	65	1.20
16	87	65	.07
17	91	64	.01
18	90	64	
19	96	64	.02
20	104	64	
21	103	68	
22	96	66	
23	93	66	
24	96	68	.09
25	92	67	.17

Total Precip. in June	1.96
Normal June Precip.	3.78
Total 1996 Precip. to Date	3.69
Normal Rainfall Year to Date	10.56

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## Independence Day is Most Celebrated Of All The Holidays

Independence Day is one of the most celebrated holidays in the United States. Trooper L. B. Snider, Public Information Officer for the Texas Department of Public Safety, states this should be a time to remember and celebrate, but for too many it will be a time of senseless tragedy because of driving errors. "Motor vehicle accidents have claimed more lives than all our military conflicts combined," says Snider, and continues "military people have sacrificed their lives to gain and preserve safeguards for the freedoms of our nation, which earns them honor." Snider asks, "Where does one find honor with dying in a traffic accident?"

"Four factors contribute to many of these deadly accidents," said Snider. The deadly four are: fatigue, alcohol, speed and tempers/attitudes. Fatigue entombs those who try to travel too far without adequate rest. Alcohol and other drugs often cause drivers to believe they have greater driving abilities, when, in fact, they slow the driver's reactions and cripple needed driving skills. Speed can be considered as the urge to drive faster than we can afford to crash. "Any one of these factors is dangerous," states Snider, "yet when we combine them it magnifies the likelihood of a deadly collision." Trooper Snider reasserts, "There is no honor in these deaths and they are needless."

Trooper Snider reminds motorists that all available DPS troopers along with officers from local agencies will be on duty this holiday looking for drivers affected by fatigue, alcohol, speed and tempers, as well as other dangerous factors. These troopers and officers also will be on the lookout for stranded motorists. Snider says that even with the increased coverage there are not enough officers to be on each stretch of road; however, motorists with mobile/cellular phones who come upon errant drivers or stranded motorists may call toll free 1-800-525-5555.

When calling this toll free number, motorists are asked to give reasonable location information such as road number/name, approximate distance from a nearby town and what type of assistance is needed. If the call is urgent, motorists may opt to dial 911.

Trooper Snider again asks motorists to steer clear of the deadly factors and use their best driving attitudes and skills to cut down the needless deaths on our roads this Independence Day.



Briscoe County  
Celebration  
August 9-10

## BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

### Vintage Style Show

Fashions from the 1890's to the 1970's will be featured in a Vintage Style Show sponsored by the Preservation Foundation of Memphis, Texas. The style show will be Sunday, June 30, at 3:00 p.m. in the Presbyterian building at the corner of Eighth and Robertson in Memphis.

### LOOKING BACK—

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Pauline and Billie Joe Peacock, Jane and Wayne White, Lou Ann Williamson, Kleave and Cleo Diviney, Joe Allard, Wilma Joyce Smithee, Fay Tice and Patricia Bomar, Linda Griffith, Hubert Bechtol, Sally Ann and Leslie Kent, jr. . . . Geraldine Biffle, who has been attending Art Institute in Chicago for the past nine months, returned Saturday to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Biffle Fort. . . .

March 18, 1926-- Texas Utilities Co. now installing electric plant. . . . The remains of Robert Sedgwick were laid away in the Silverton Cemetery Sunday afternoon after creditable services had been held at the local

Presbyterian Church. Mr. Sedgwick was born in Clover County, Illinois November 1, 1845. He came to Texas in 1871 and to Silverton in 1891. . . . F. L. Sorrelle and J. W. Busby have an incubator setting now of 1000 egg capacity. They also have four hundred laying hens. . . . Burlington RR official says they are ready. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Crow and Virgil came by T. C. McCutchen's Sunday evening and visited awhile and all went over to Fletcher Lee's to the singing. . . . Mrs. Biffle Fort received a broken arm the first of the week by a frightened horse she was hooking to the school hack. . . . Mrs. Put Jasper of the Rock Creek neighborhood has been very sick. . . . Ed McMurtry of Vigo Park was in Silverton on business Thursday. . . . Mrs. Clifford Allard and daughter, Charlsie, were in Canyon and Amarillo this week. . . .

March 11, 1926-- Mayor John G. Fort reports that he will soon start the construction of a sure enough modern residence in Silverton. He has not decided just where to locate the new structure. . . . Frank Van Winkle, state

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supervisor of rural aid for schools, visited Briscoe County with Judge Wright recently and the Francis, Holt, Lakeview, Kent and Gasoline schools were all granted aid by the State. . . . We were called to the home of our friend, Mr. Quienten Brown, to see the marriage ceremony for Mr. Lee Thomas and Miss Rebo Brown. Miss Rebo is one of our distinguished young ladies, well equipped in training and coming from a good home. We predict a successful voyage. We had never met Mr. Thomas before, but from general appearance he is easily well fitted for the partnership. . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Arnold called on Mr. and Mrs. J. Porter Sunday afternoon. . . . Mrs. Jim Bomar and Miss Zelda Brown went to Canyon City Sunday where they will be under the doctor's treatment for several days. . . . Louie Carter was sick several days recently, having received an internal hurt playing at school. . . . H. R. Brown has had a well drilled at his residence in Silverton. . . . Stump Brooks who has been gone the past three weeks came in Sunday. . . . Pauline Shaw is the only one from the third grade on the honor roll this month. . . .

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Final production figures from the 1995 High Plains crop indicate the 25-county area produced slightly over 2.6 million bales.

According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. (PCG) the main reasons for the production drop were early season drought, a mid-season flood (in some areas) and high insect pressure.

Compared to 1994, when producers chalked up their second three million-plus bale effort, the 1995 crop reflected a 14 percent drop in production.

Abandonment figures for 1995

indicate only 9.5 percent of the 3,621,900 acres initially planted went unharvested. This figure is slightly higher than the six percent lost in 1994.

A side-by-side comparison shows the true colors of last year's crop. What really stands out about 1995 is the fact that area producers harvested 250,000 more acres than they did in 1994 and made 427,900 bales less. Average yields across the 25-county area dropped from about one bale per acre to only 385 pounds per acre.

"Judging from the number of acres that were eventually harvested in our area, it appears that producers tried to make cotton on just about every acre that they could," notes PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson. "Unfortunately the combination of drought, heavy September rainfall and insects proved overwhelming, causing a significant per acre yield reduction across the entire area."

As usual several Texas High Plains counties managed to

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remain the top ranked cotton production areas in the state despite overall production declines. The top eight counties in 1995 were all from the High Plains. They are: 1. Gaines; 2. Lubbock; 3. Hale; 4. Terry; 5. Hockley; 6. Dawson; 7. Lamb; 8.

Lynn.

So far the 1996 crop has gotten off to an even worse start than did the 1995 crop. Already, estimated of up to one million acres being switched out of cotton and into alternative crops are being made.

1995 Crop Upland Cotton Texas High Plains

Source: Texas Agricultural Statistics Service

County	Planted Acres	Harvested Acres	Yield / Harvested Acre	Production
BAILEY	103,200	78,000	355	57,700
BORDEN	30,700	30,000	184	11,500
BRISCOE	46,800	38,100	202	16,000
CASTRO	77,800	65,100	499	67,700
COCHRAN	147,000	87,500	415	75,700
CROSBY	210,900	204,200	330	140,200
DAWSON	272,700	266,900	310	171,700
DEAF				
SMITH	12,700	10,200	320	6,800
DICKENS	31,500	30,500	250	16,900
FLOYD	194,300	173,100	369	133,100
GAINES	320,800	300,000	527	329,400
GARZA	40,100	40,000	239	19,900
HALE	247,200	228,700	490	233,500
HOCKLEY	263,500	228,200	382	181,400
HOWARD	102,600	102,400	184	39,200
LAMB	198,200	179,500	454	169,700
LUBBOCK	282,400	273,400	419	238,500
LYNN	265,300	255,400	313	166,300
MARTIN	127,100	125,600	270	70,600
MIDLAND	34,700	29,400	264	16,200
MOTLEY	33,500	33,000	172	11,800
PARMER	79,400	70,600	551	81,000
SWISHER	85,000	66,100	328	45,100
TERRY	265,000	243,600	448	227,500
YOAKUM	149,500	116,400	420	101,900
<b>25 County Totals</b>	<b>3,621,900</b>	<b>3,274,900</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>2,629,300</b>

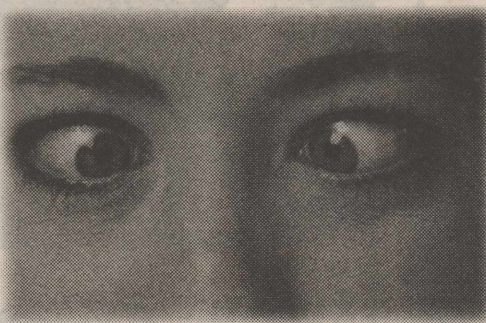
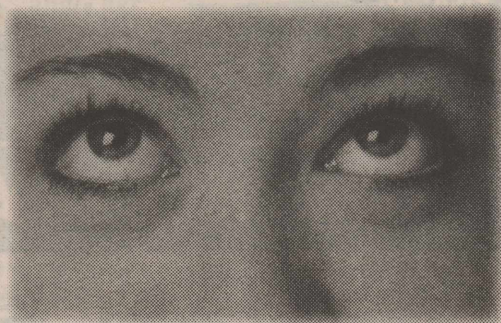


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Safe Driving Tips Given For Summer Vacation Driving

It's summertime and time to start planning vacation trips. Trooper L. B. Snider, Public Information Officer for the Texas Department of Public Safety, says safe vacation travel is as basic as one, two, three. First, prepare the vehicle; second, prepare the driver; and third, when traveling, use your best attitude and skills.

Basic vehicle preparation includes checking belts, hoses, radiator coolant, motor oil, transmission oil, power steering fluid, brake fluid and windshield washing solution. Replace wiper blades if needed and check the tires for wear and correct air pressure. Clean air and fuel filters can save roadside distress also. Trooper Snider also urges drivers to be sure all the lights are functioning properly.

Driver preparation calls for adequate pretrip rest and free of alcohol and/or other drug impairment, which includes medications that may affect safe driving. The driver(s) should be familiar with route plans and weather forecasts as well as possible alternate routes. Trooper Snider recommends travelers to share travel plans with a family member or friend who would know how to contact the travelers should contact be needed.

When traveling, Snider encourages all riders to make proper use of safety belts. "Proper use of safety belts is as fundamental as a baseball catcher's protective gear, greatly increasing our ability to survive a collision, states Snider. Drivers are requested to use headlights during daytime travel as well as at night. This helps other drivers to see us and ourselves to see others better and often quicker thus helping avoid many daytime collisions and near misses. Additional travel tips Snider offers are: allow for occasional stops to enhance driver alertness, drivers need to keep their eyes moving to avoid "highway hypnosis" and to keep alert to changes in traffic, road conditions and the area environment.

Trooper Snider adds that motorists with mobile/cellular phones needing help or to get help for others may call, toll free, 1-800-525-5555 for DPS assistance. When using this number be prepared to give good location information such as road number/name, distance from a town (estimate) and the type of help needed. If urgent help is needed, motorists may need to use 911.

"The Texas Department of Public Safety believes that proper preparation along with alert defensive driving skills and a safe driving attitude go far toward safe traveling whether it be for summer vacation or just around the block," says Trooper Snider.

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Evening Service..... 6:00 p.m.

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**TUESDAY:**

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Thanks to everyone for the flowers and cards sent to me while I was in the hospital and since I have been home. Many thanks to the Silverton Ambulance Service for transporting me to Amarillo and to the Rock Creek Church of Christ and the First Baptist Church for your special prayers.  
Aloha Fisch 25-2tc

There is no adequate way to thank someone for saving your life, but Janice, Bena and Emilio did just that for me on Memorial Day, and I will always be grateful to them for that. I would also like to thank all of you who prayed for me through those trying days and for each person who did anything for me-I thank you!

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Claims may be presented for the Estate addressed as follows: Gene Latham, Independent Executor of the Estate of Jewell C. Lyon, deceased, Box 3 Vigo RB, Vigo Park, Texas 79088.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 14th day of May, 1996.

/s/ Geo. J. Jennings, Jr.,  
Attorney for the Estate

26-1tc

**TO ALL INTERESTED**

**PERSONS AND PARTIES:**

**DIMMITT AGRI. INDUSTRIES, INC.** has made application with the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission for Air Quality Permit No. 32636 to expand a Cotton Gin in Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas. The location of the existing facility is the intersection of Highways 145 and 284. Additional information concerning this application is contained in the public notice section of this newspaper. This notice is to be published on June 20, 1996 and June 27, 1996.

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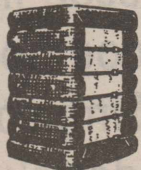
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