

All Around
The Town

BY MARY ANN SARCHET



Plans are being made for the annual Fall Festival, sponsored by the Silverton chapter of Future Homemakers of America. High school and elementary royalty will be presented and crowned at the ceremony which is to begin at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, October 26, in the school auditorium.

The carnival will follow the coronation at the Showbarn and will be sponsored by the Little League baseball players and their parents from 7:00 until 10:00 p.m. A number of booths already are planned, and if you would like to have a booth at the carnival, you need to contact Colleen Reed.

The seventh annual Texas Caprock Arts Festival will be held October 19-20 at the Showbarn in Silverton. The juried art show and sale will be open to the public from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday and from 12:00 to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday. There is no admission to view the show.

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The dinner will be served buffet style and is to be catered by Marty's Catering by Joyce from Amarillo. The menu will include prime rib and champagne chicken. Tickets for the dinner theater are \$20 each and can be purchased through Tuesday, October 15.

The art show and dinner theater are sponsored by the Silverton Chamber of Commerce. Information on the show, dinner theater or entries in the show can be obtained by contacting Gerald Smith, 823-2486.

The annual Fall Foliage Festival will be held in Quitaque October 19 and a number of special events are planned. There will be a Kids Bike Parade, a Kids Bike Race, a Hot Sauce Taste-Off, Cow Patty Bingo and a Health Fair, in addition to the tours of the fall foliage. There will be a flea market, and a soup and salad luncheon will be served at the Community Center.

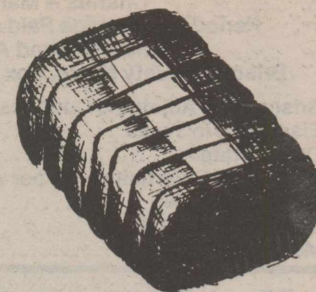
If you are interested in entering your homemade hot sauce in the taste-off, you can contact Dona Smith, 455-1259, or Mike Kinezek, 455-1492. Prizes will be awarded for first place in three categories.

Love Fund Is Established at Bank

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Art Show, Dinner Theater To Be Feature of Arts Festival Here

The seventh annual Texas Caprock Arts Festival will be held in Silverton October 19-20. Artists may enter original works of art in six different categories through October 17. The categories are drawing, pastel,

sculpture, oil watermedia and photography. Acrylics are judged with either oils or watermedia. There will be a total of \$1800 in prize money, and ribbons also will be awarded.

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Cogdell Trust Donates Gift to Silverton EMS

Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service is the recipient of a \$10,000 gift from the Martha Ann Cogdell Hospital Trust.

"We appreciate very much the generosity of the Cogdell family which helps assure the continuation of the Silverton EMS with equipment that is second to none," said President Emmett Tomlin. "We always have a shortfall in our account collections, and this certainly guarantees that we have funds on hand for paying the insurance (\$7,000 a year) and buying the things we need."

The trust was created by the Cogdell family in 1953 in memory of Martha Ann Cogdell who passed away at the age of 13.

Since it was formed, all of the income from the trust has been used to make donations to religious, educational and charitable institutions.

Donations have been made to

institutions in various parts of the state, including Scott & White Hospital in Temple and Cogdell Memorial Hospital in Snyder.

For over 20 years, most of the donations have been made in this immediate area. Funds from the trust were donated to build the Cogdell Clinic in Floydada, the Cogdell Clinic in Lockney and the Briscoe County Clinic in Silverton.

The ambulance services in Silverton, Quitaque and Turkey have received numerous gifts from the trust fund.

Breast Cancer Clinic Planned at Quitaque

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and Baptist/St. Anthony's Health System will conduct a Breast Cancer Screening Clinic at the First National Bank in Quitaque. The clinic will be held Saturday, October 19, 1996, in the Bank's Community Room.

Breast cancer affects one in eight women. The key to winning the battle against cancer is early detection by having an annual breast exam, mammogram and performing a breast self-exam each month.

Participants will receive a low-cost screening that includes a mammogram and instruction in self-examination by a registered nurse. The total cost is \$70. A minimum of fifteen women need to register in order for the mobile mammography clinic to come to area towns. Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for Texas residents who qualify for assistance. All exams are done by appointment only. Call 359-4673 or 1-800-377-4673 for more information.

Flu Shots To Be Given Here Oct. 22

Flu shots will be administered at the City Hall in Silverton from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 22.

There will be no charge for medicare patients. A \$7.00 fee will be charged others needing flu shots.

This clinic is sponsored by Swisher Memorial Hospital Home Health Care and Silverton City Hall. For further information, contact City Hall or call 806-995-3263.

for Obelia Bullock and her family who lost their home and all its contents to fire early Thursday morning of last week.

Those who would like to make additional donations may do so at First State Bank.

Future Homemakers To Serve Lunch Here Sunday, October 13

Silverton chapter of Future Homemakers of America invite the community to eat lunch with them Sunday, October 13. The funds collected will be used for the Sweetheart Prom.

Serving will be from 11:00 a.m. until 12:45 p.m. The price for the meal is \$5.00 for adults and \$3.50 for children.

The FHA will be serving turkey, dressing, rolls, cranberry sauce, green beans and homemade desserts.

Please join us for a great meal.

Health Fair To Be Held With Fall Foliage Tour

by Calley Payne, CEA-FCS
Briscoe County Extension Agent

Fall has arrived and along with it will be the annual Fall Foliage Tour and Health Fair in Quitaque. This year's Health Fair promises to be a success with the largest number of exhibitors in quite a while. It will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the First National Bank.

Services available will be flu shots, breast health risk appraisals, mammograms, HIV testing, glaucoma screening, blood pressure, blood sugar and hemoglobin screening.

Agencies participating will include AARP 55/Alive Mature Driving, Alzheimer's Association, Briscoe County Clinic, Columbia Homecare, Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center, Jan Werner Adult Day Care Center, Lions Hi Plains Eye Bank, Panhandle AIDS Support Organization, Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services, and the American Cancer Society.

The Health Fair is sponsored by the Quitaque Lions Club, Extension Home Economics Committee, and the Briscoe County Office of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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Julis Stevens Retires As Game Warden Here

Julius Stevens hopes to spend the next several years of his life traveling with his wife, Peggy, and doing things he does not have to do. He has spent the last 31 years as the game warden for Swisher and Briscoe counties. He has made lots of friends in this area, and will be missed by all. Stevens, who was reared at

Memphis, began his career as a game warden in June of 1966 after working as a fireman/engineer for the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad.

"The railroad was downsizing," he explained, "and they were trying to get rid of the firemen. I didn't have enough time as an engineer to hold a job year around.

"They decided in 1965 that they were going to get rid of everyone with less than ten years service. I had nine years and six months," he laughed.

Stevens has not regretted the decision to become a game warden, and he believes that the best part of the job was getting to work with people.

He enjoyed the challenge of communicating with a wide variety of people and groups who did not necessarily have a hunting or fishing background.

He emphasized further the need for good communication skills in crisis situations.

"You can handle things in a way that makes things go smoothly, or you can say one or two words out of place and then everything blows up," he pointed out.

Fortunately, he said, things seldom got out of control, although there was one time in particular when a man pointed a gun at him and would not lower

Caprock Partners Foundation to Meet

There will be a meeting of Caprock Partners Foundation, an education and charitable support group for Caprock Canyons State Park, at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 22, at the Community Center in Quitaque.

Through recruitment and organization of volunteers, finances and resources, Caprock Partners Foundation can enhance the educational, interpretive and recreational opportunities of the park.

This organization should insure the future of the park by increasing its economic, aesthetic and environmental worth through the development of a strong regional-based

it. Stevens is a soft-spoken man who is not prone to losing his cool, and this undoubtedly helped him in dealing with many sensitive situations.

Over the last 31 years, Stevens said that many things had changed in the profession.

For instance, candidates now are required to have a college degree, preferably in law enforcement, wildlife, or related fields.

However, the most notable changes have come in the equipment and vehicles game wardens used.

"When I first went to work we had a standard, straight-shift, four-door car. No air conditioner. No radio. You were expected to use it in all types of terrain," he said.

"In that rough ranch country in Briscoe County," he continued, "a four-door Chevrolet is useless."

In the 1980s, the state adopted four-wheel drive vehicles for game wardens, he said.

Also, they have improved radio communication and the weaponry game wardens are allowed to carry.

Stevens enjoyed his years as a game warden, and said that he always received cooperation from other Swisher and Briscoe County law enforcement agencies, as well as from the state.

However, he was ready to retire and begin the next phase of his life.

"You look around and see people looking at retiring and they wait too long," he pointed out.

The Stevens decided they were not going to make that mistake, he said.

This money was collected by Maria Garcia and Felipa O. Martinez for Obelia Bullock's family:

- Norberto Garcia \$10.00
- Maria Garcia 20.00
- Felipa O. Martinez 10.00
- Maria Castillo 2.00
- Rosa Vargas 20.00
- Diana Ivory 10.00
- Mary John Harris 10.00
- Johnny & Mary Asebedo 20.00
- Lydia Segura 10.00
- Maria Jesusa Vargas donated groceries.

partnership. Volunteering doesn't require hours and hours. You can spend as few as two hours per week or as many as you want. You set the time you work.

Volunteers are the mainstay in this most beautiful of settings:

- *Assist school groups in learning the story of the canyon
- *Aid in organizing lesson plans for volunteers
- *Help in office work
- *Give bus tours of the park
- *Assist in welcoming the camping visitors
- *Put on your best cowboy-wear and greet and assist visitors
- *Work maintaining trails
- *Paint signs
- *Write interpretive material

The educational gap between the canyon and its visitors hasn't slipped by the newly-formed Partners organization. It was formed for obvious political reasons and for subtler reasons, such as teaching thousands of visitors and a majority of nearby residents about the canyon's fragile environment and wild

history. Indian wars took form earlier this century and more recently, roads have been built in the park so visitors can drive instead of having to walk. Scenic beauty combined with educational tours organized by the Foundation should translate into more money for the canyon and that money would be used to preserve the canyon's resources. Visitors would be enriched with legends of Indians and cavalries and, when they ride home into the sunset, part of their wallets would trail behind.

Apparently, the Foundation has no plan of action as of yet, but Texas Parks & Wildlife might be looking to upgrade the infrastructure of the park—signs, posts, restrooms—things like that.

The Foundation is an overdue voice for area residents interested in the park's future.

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LOOKING BACK

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October 9, 1986--Owls lose, 48-22, to New Home Leopards... Leading the cheers for the Junior High this fall are Jennifer Grimland, Crystal Miller, Amy Ramsey and Julie Graham... Governor appoints David Cave as District Judge... Heavy thunderstorms during the past week forced several highway closings and caused some flooding in Briscoe and Floyd counties as well as pummeling portions of the county with a damaging hail storm... A family reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gallington August 30-31...

October 7, 1976--Mickey Cornett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett, underwent major surgery at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo last Friday... Mrs. Willie Smithee buried here Friday... Debbie Storie is Football Queen... National Honor Society officers are Darrell Reynolds, president; Kim Hutsell, vice president; Brenda Cantwell, secretary; Arlene Lavy, treasurer; Lesa Francis, reporter, and Dayne Mayfield, parliamentarian... Johnnie Lanham was to enter Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia Wednesday... Mrs. Walter Fleming pinned on her husband's 50-year Masonic Service Award during ceremonies held at the Silverton Lodge recently... Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clemmer to be honored on golden wedding anniversary... Lynn Payne suffered a heart attack about 8:00 a.m. Tuesday after he had gone to work at the Post Office in Clarendon. He is a rural route carrier... Mrs. James Davis and Mrs. Datis Martin of Gamma Iota chapter attended the District XI Regional Meeting of Delta Kappa Gamma in Lubbock Saturday...

October 6, 1966--Owls defeat Lefors 14-12 to make four in a row... Mrs. W. E. Autry taken by death... Bond election is next step for water project... Mrs. George Seaney has been a patient in Swisher Memorial Hospital... Miss Jane Self installed as Rainbow Worthy Advisor... Raye Garrison, a student at Texas Tech, and Jerry Garrison, a student at Hardin-Simmons, attended the Tech vs. A & M football game at College Station Saturday afternoon... Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Max Garrison at College Station... Kenneth Stephens underwent an emergency appendectomy at Swisher Memorial Hospital Saturday evening... Mr. and Mrs. Wade Steele, Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Francis, Mrs. Ray C. Bomar and Mrs. J. L. Lovvorn returned last week after spending 28 days in Canada and Alaska... Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Francis celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday with an open house... Junior High Owls defeat Happy 42-14...

October 11, 1956--Owls win season's opener from Lakeview

Eagles Friday, 25-6... Funeral services for D. N. (Uncle Doc) McGavock, 93, retired farmer and pioneer resident of Silverton and Briscoe County for 39 years, were conducted Sunday. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McGavock. His father was a Confederate soldier who was killed before his birth... Mr. and Mrs. Herb Brink and children were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, sr. and other relatives... Mr. and Mrs. Noble Lyde and daughters spent last Friday night here with her mother, Mrs. Wiley Bomar, sr. and other relatives... Rev. Cecil Vaughan called to Haskell as pastor of the Assembly of God... Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burson announce the marriage of their daughter, Judy, to Mr. Carroll D. Welch, son of Mrs. M. L. Welch... Mrs. Mary Tunnell and Mrs. Clyde Tunnell transacted business in Friona Tuesday... Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis were weekend guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stanford... John and Carol Ann Montague accompanied their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brunner, to Pampa for a weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Burger and children... Mr. and Mrs. Rex Long and Mike of Alanreed spent Friday and Saturday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar, other relatives and friends...

October 31, 1946--Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Pyron and Tyler arrived last week for a visit in the home of their daughter, Mrs. K. N. Tiffin, and family... Mrs. Ben Garvin received a very painful injury to the forefinger on her right hand early last Friday morning when she was washing and caught her finger in the wringer of the washing machine... Mrs. Bob McDaniel, Linda Beth and Wanda Sue were Plainview visitors Saturday and Sunday... A number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Will Newman Sunday to honor her on her birthday... Mrs. Leavie Lindsey enjoyed having her children with her Monday to help celebrate her birthday... Mrs. Berton Hughes and son, Robert, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall in Memphis this week... Mrs. M. A. Brock and son, Ralph, of Lubbock, spent Sunday with their son and brother, Earl Brock, and family...

October 8, 1936--The first car of rotary clay was shipped from the oven owned and operated by J. L. Webb here... Fred Buchanan further improved his Guernsey herd this week when he purchased another high class bull... Bob Stevenson adds to his little museum... Inch of rain Tuesday; falling again today... The high school boys got their first defeat of the season here Friday, 12-0, and succeeded in proving to their own satisfaction at least, that the pick-up team wasn't such "Once-weres" as they had been rated... Mrs. A. A. Peacock and Mrs. Ed Thomas are hostesses to the Flower Club... Mrs. Herbert Sims honored with shower... Hugh Stodghill had

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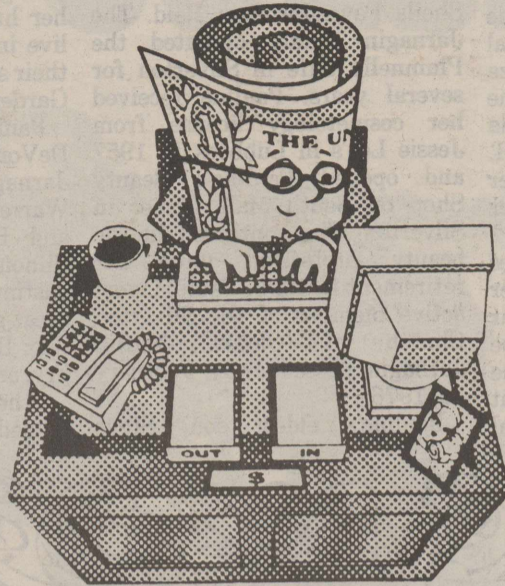
the misfortune to lose a finger last Friday while he was working on a tractor... Mrs. C. O. Allard was in Lubbock over the weekend visiting her sister, Miss Jean Jackson... The farmers in Wallace community are very busy getting ready to sow wheat...

September 23, 1926--First bale of Plains cotton ginned Saturday for S. J. Ellis of the Rock Creek community... Post Office and Bank have moved into

new brick buildings... Burson Motor Co. "fixing up"... Side walk to school grounds being made... Guy Whitacre is building a nice modern residence near the Jeff Burson place... Jack Garvin, 13-months-old son of T. E. Garvin of the Lakeview community, died Monday and was buried here Tuesday... J. W. Monroe recently purchased a Van Brunt drill from Fort & Co... Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Melton

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entertained with young married people's class of the Baptist Church Friday evening. Officers elected during the business meeting are Mrs. Melton, president; Mrs. Gunter, first vice president; Mrs. Noah Amason, second vice president; Mrs. Carter, third vice president; Raymond Bomar, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. C. O. Allard, press reporter... Briscoe County Fair is the place to be on October 1-2...



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Pauline Jarnigan is Honored With 80th Birthday Celebration

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Pauline Davis Jarnagin was born October 10, 1916, in the home of her maternal grandparents, Forrest and Eliza Weast, in Briscoe County. She was the second child of Stella Weast Davis and Durward H. Davis, and they named her Pauline Ardis. Her older brother was the late Leon Edwin Davis.

The Weast and Davis families both were Briscoe County pioneer families. Pauline grew up near Silverton and has lived in Briscoe County most of her life. She began her formal education at Lakeview (Briscoe County) rural

school and was graduated from Silverton High School in 1934.

She married John Marlin Jarnagin on October 25, 1936 in Floydada. They had three children, Stephen Paul Jarnagin, Richard Donovan Jarnagin and Sheila Faye Jarnagin Reid. The Jarnagin family operated the Plumnelly Cafe in Silverton for several years. Pauline received her cosmetology license from Jessie Lee's in Lubbock in 1957 and opened Pauline's Beauty Shop on South Main Street in Silverton. She continued in the beauty profession until her retirement in 1993. Pauline is an active member of the Silverton Church of Christ. Marlin Jarnagin passed away February 12, 1976.

Pauline's eldest son, Steve

Jarnagin, recently retired from the First State Bank in Silverton; he now lives in Clarendon. The second son, Richard Jarnagin, is a pharmacist and lives in Amarillo with his wife, Linda. The youngest child, Sheila Reid and her husband James W. Reid III live in Amarillo where they and their son own and operate Coulter Gardens.

Pauline has five grandchildren: DeVonna Jarnagin Boyd, Lisa Jarnagin Fry, Lanie Jarnagin, J. Warren Reid IV, all of Amarillo; and Lori Reid of Carbondale, Illinois. One of her favorite pastimes is being with her five great-grandchildren: Andrew and Alix Boyd, Jordan and Harrison Fry, and little James W. Reid V.

Other members of Pauline's immediate family are: a sister,

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Happy Anniversary To . . .

October 13--Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dean McCoy

New Arrival

Ian Kirk Dunbar proudly announces the birth of his baby sister on September 12, 1996. She is Haley Leigh Dunbar. She weighed seven pounds and fourteen ounces, and measured 21" long.

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Happy Birthday To . . .

October 10--Danny Dunn, Pauline Jarnagin, Ashleigh Wyatt, Blanche Copelin

October 11--Taylor Brook Hill, Jimmie Sue Estes, Norma Birdwell, Jess Brannon, Patrick Drew

October 12--Annette Grady
October 13--Bryan Ramsey, Jeanne McLeland, Rick Ramirez, Mary Myers

October 14--Shirley Henderson, Mae Tennison, Laura Long, Roland DeLeon, Katherine Myers

October 15--Weston Blake Howell, Jack Strange, Amy Martin, Cody Whittington

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Silverton School Activities

Thursday, Oct. 10--Cotton Center JH, here, 5:00 p.m.; Board Meeting, 8:00 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 11--Cotton Center, there, 7:30

Sunday, Oct. 13--FHA Sunday dinner

Monday, Oct. 14--Herff-Jones to bring ring order packets for Juniors; GT Field Trip, Second & Third Grades

Tuesday, Oct. 15--PSAT Tests, Juniors; PTA Open House, 7:00

Thursday, Oct. 17--District Cross Country, JH & HS, Amarillo, 4:30; GT Field Trip, Fifth & Sixth Grades; Lazbuddie JH & JV, there, 5:00 & 6:30

Friday, Oct. 18--Lazbuddie, here, 7:30; Church of Christ to host After-Game Party

4-H is More Than You Ever Imagined

by Calley Payne, CEA-FCS
Briscoe County Extension Agent

Briscoe County 4-H'ers will be using their head, heart, hands and health "to make the best better" for the local program during National 4-H Week October 6-12. Evidence of 4-H pride will be seen over the community as each of the three county clubs has chosen a promotion project and also will be carrying out the 4-H Heritage Search.

4-H INFO

4-H members choose projects that interest them. Texas has more than 40 projects to choose from including traditional livestock, food and clothing projects as well as dog, photography, recreation and public speaking projects, and many more. 4-H'ers may be members of livestock, horse, meat, or consumer decision-making judging teams. They can also participate in 4-H camps, fairs or trips to other states and countries. Many 4-H'ers receive college scholarships. The Briscoe County 4-H Program is growing and hopes to begin new projects and activities. The opportunities are endless.

WHAT ABOUT ADULTS?

4-H is a family affair and strong adult leaders are the key to

a successful 4-H program. There are several opportunities for parents to help. This help can range from being a project leader to driving members to activities or supplying refreshments for a meeting.

If your family would like to be involved in 4-H, please contact the County Extension Office, 823-2131, or come to any of the 4-H Club meetings.

Briscoe County Senior 4-H Club Meetings are at 7:30 p.m. the first Monday of every month at a place to be announced.

Silverton Junior 4-H Club meets at 3:15 p.m. the first Tuesday of every month in the Silverton School Cafeteria.

Valley Junior 4-H Club meets at 3:45 p.m. the first Wednesday of every month in the Valley School Cafeteria.

We hope you will join us as we strive to make the best better in Briscoe County!!

Children Are Getting Excited About Their Trick-or-Treating

The end of October is approaching; leaves are falling, temperatures are changing and children are getting excited about Halloween. Although chaperoned parties have taken over much of the traditional "trick or treating," many young children will be taking to the neighborhoods for that "trick or treat" venture.

Trooper L. B. Snider of the Texas Department of Public Safety says "Many disasters can be prevented this halloween by parents using good judgement." Trooper Snider states, "Small children should be accompanied by parents or older responsible youth and 'trick or treating' should be confined to those areas the parents are familiar with. Costumes should be light in color, non-flammable and any type of mask should not interfere with the child's vision."

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Owls Lose by Narrow Margin to Samnorwood

Silverton's Owls played a good game at Samnorwood Friday night and lost a narrow 20-19 game that could have gone either way before the Eagles' homecoming crowd.

It looked like the Owls (2-3) had the victory all but wrapped up when the 18th-ranked Eagles staged an improbable rally to win it. The Eagles were helped by a couple of Silverton's 13 penalties (compared to two for Samnorwood).

Cory Chandler kicked off for Silverton and Leland Wood stopped the runback at about the 20. The defense played well and

on fourth down the Eagles punted to the Silverton four-yard line.

The first possession for the Owls was uneventful with Jeremy Holt and Arnold Garza doing most of the work, but on fourth down, needing a yard, the Owls lost the ball on a fumble. Samnorwood pounced on it and scored two plays later. They kicked the PAT with 5:51 still showing on the first-quarter clock and moved ahead 8-0.

When Samnorwood kicked off, Lorn Estes controlled the onside at the 35, but the Owls lost the ball via the fumble on their first play. Defense by Trey Wyatt held

the Eagles at the 24 and defense by the rest of the team caused the ball to come back to the Owls on downs with 5:17 still remaining in the quarter.

Garza carried to the 22, then picked up three yards more before Chandler passed complete to Jack Cherry for a first down on the 36. Runs by Holt and Garza were good for another first down before Holt carried to the 15. Chandler passed to Cherry for the touchdown with 1:06 still to be played in the first quarter. The PAT kick was blocked, and the Owls held the short end of the 8-6 score.



Cory Chandler is shown blocking for Jeremy Holt as he rushes the ball for another first down for the Owls in their game at Samnorwood Friday night.

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The Owls kicked off and the return was stopped at the 20 by Jon Ivory. Garza, Wyatt and Estes were doing a good job defensively for the Owls, and the Eagles punted on fourth down. It was taken by Holt to the 24. The Owls were unable to move the ball, and on fourth down Cherry punted to the Samnorwood 16.

The Eagles ran for three yards, stopped by Cherry, and passed for a first down on the 35. Estes held them to a one-yard gain before the Eagles passed for another first down on the Silverton 20. Ivory and Garza shut them down at that point, and the ball came back to the Owls on downs.

Neither team was able to move the ball on the next two possessions, and the first half ended with Chandler completing a pass to Wyatt for a first down.

Samnorwood kicked off to open the second half, and Holt took the ball out to the 20. Garza picked up four yards and another pass to Wyatt moved the ball to the Samnorwood 28 for a first down. Holt picked up several yards after which Garza got the first down on the Eagle five. Garza scored with 8:00 remaining in the third quarter. The PAT was blocked, and the Owls moved into a 12-8 lead.

The Owls kicked off and Samnorwood brought the ball out to the 32. In spite of defense by

Holt, Garza and Estes, the Eagles made a first down before scoring with 5:55 still showing on the third-quarter clock. The Owls blocked the PAT kick, and the score stood at 14-12, favoring the Eagles.

Samnorwood kicked off short and Estes controlled the ball again. The Owls were unable to move the ball, but the defense held and kept the Eagles in check also. On fourth down the Owls received a penalty giving Samnorwood a first down, and they were back in business again. The Owls held again, and as the fourth quarter began went back on offense again.

Holt and Garza moved the ball a little but a pass completion to Holt failed to net enough for a first down, and on fourth down Cherry punted it away. The Eagles picked up a first down before fumbling and seeing Wyatt grab it for the Owls.


The Owls kept getting penalties but kept driving, and Holt carried a score with 3:48 remaining in the game. Leland Wood, back to hold for the kicker, fired a complete pass to Cherry for the PAT. This gave the Owls a 19-15 lead.

Silverton kicked off short and the ball was taken by Samnorwood at the 30. Wyatt stopped the play on first down, and on the next play Billy Edwards recovered an Eagle



Jack Cherry makes another of his many tackles on one of the Samnorwood Eagles Friday night.

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fumble. Garza ran to the 34 before picking up a first down on the 11. Holt carried to the one, but on fourth down the ball went back to the Eagles who made a first down at midfield. They passed complete for another first down, and scored with 20 seconds remaining in the game. There was no PAT, and the score stood at 20-19 with the Owls holding the short end.

Chandler took the short kickoff into Samnorwood territory, and passed to Holt for a first down on the four-yard line as time expired in the game.

"It was a barn-burner," said Coach Clyde Parham. He added that the Owls were a 14-point underdog in the game and had to deal with numerous off-field incidents during the previous week which resulted in multiple disciplinary actions to players.

"But we pulled through," the coach said. "We're more focused and have more things going for us now than we did at the start of the year. We're coming together as a team, finally."

Parham said the Owls, who lost a close 16-12 decision to Guthrie a week earlier "aren't hurting. We're just not doing things at the right times."

Garza and Holt led the ground offense by gaining 106 and 67 yards respectively. Chandler completed seven of eleven passes for a gain of 143 yards. Holt caught three for 66 yards; Wyatt got two for a 50-yard gain; Cherry caught two for 27 yards.

Both the Cotton Center Elks and Silverton Owls will be trying to kick-start their seasons when they open the District 3-A Six-Man wars this week against one another in Cotton Center. The Elks (1-3-1) hope to knock off one of the district's playoff hopefuls when they face Silverton. "They're always real good and Coach Parham always has them real well prepared," Cotton Center Coach Sonciper said. "We're going to go out and play the best we can and hope for the best."

Pep rally will be at 2:30 and kickoff time at Cotton Center is 7:30 p.m. Be there!

Silverton School Honor Roll

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- Fifth Grade--Caleb Francis, Daryl-Ann Reynolds
- Sixth Grade--Bryn Mayfield, Kassie Strange, Jenny Young
- Seventh Grade--Amanda Estes,

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 Tenth Grade--Josh Breedlove, Matt Martin, Misty Wilkinson
 Eleventh Grade--Irene Gonzalez, Shauna Kingery, Michelle Warren
 Twelfth Grade--Brandon Sarchet

Lunch Menu

Monday, Oct. 14--Burrito, Salad, Ranch Beans, Cornbread, Blueberry Muffin, Milk
 Tuesday, Oct. 15--Lasagna,

Salad, Corn, Bread, Fruit, Milk
 Wednesday, Oct. 16--Chicken Noodle Soup, Cheese Sandwich, Crackers, Fruit, Milk
 Thursday, Oct. 17--Steak, Gravy, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Hot Roll, Honey, Butter, Milk
 Friday, Oct. 18--Chili Dog, Potatoes, Fruit Jello, Milk
BREAKFAST
 Monday--Ham & Cheese Biscuit, Juice, Milk
 Tuesday--French Toast, Juice, Milk
 Wednesday--Oatmeal Muffin, Juice, Milk
 Thursday--Egg Burrito, Juice, Milk
 Friday--Cheese Toast, Juice, Milk
 Tuesday, Oct. 15--Lasagna,

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24-HOUR OCTOBER READINGS

DATE	HIGH	LOW	PRECIP.
1	76	44	
2	83	47	
3	74	47	
4	69	48	
5	65	52	
6	74	53	
7	78	53	
8	83	50	
Total Precip. in Oct.			.00
Normal Precip. in Oct.			1.75
Total Precip. Rec. 1996 Year to Date			18.53
Normal Precip. Year to Date			19.83

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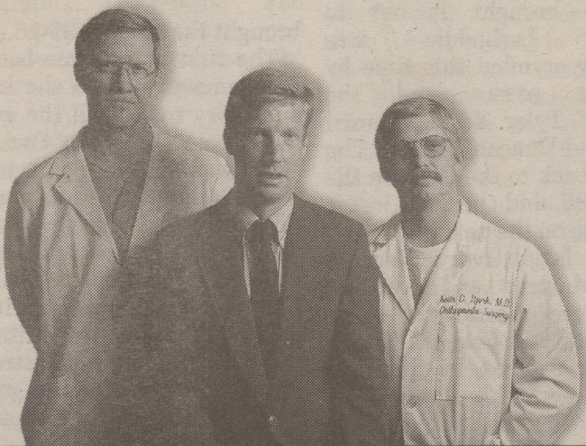
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Owls Take Easy Win Over Lazbuddie Here

Silverton's Junior High Owls took an easy 39-16 victory over the Lazbuddie Longhorns here last Thursday afternoon. The first-string players rested on the sideline through much of the game.

Vance Chandler opened the game by kicking off and making the tackle on the returner at the Lazbuddie 31. Clint Ivory and Adrian Ramirez continued to make up the one-two punch of the Owl defense, and on Lazbuddie's second play Ivory recovered a fumble to put the offense on the field. Ivory scored on the first play and Ramirez carried the ball

into the endzone for the one-point PAT. With 4:51 still remaining to be played in the first quarter, the Owls held a 7-0 lead.

The Owls kicked off once again and stopped the runback at the Lazbuddie 33. This time Martin Younger combined with Ivory and Ramirez at making key defensive plays. The 'Horns made a first down at the Silverton 30, but the defense shut them down and got the ball back at that same spot. Ivory scored on the first play, Ramirez carried the PAT, and with 3:07 still on the clock the Owls held a 14-0 advantage.

Ivory and Ramirez stopped the

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kickoff runback near the Lazbuddie 25 and gave up a first down on a pass completion which moved the ball to the Silverton 22. Younger, Ivory and Ramirez continued playing tough defense, and on fourth down Chandler intercepted a Lazbuddie pass and took it all the way to the endzone for another score for the Owls. There was no PAT, and with 23 seconds still to be played in the first quarter, the Owls moved into a 20-0 lead.

Ismael Alvarez kicked off for the Owls, and the 'Horns took it to midfield where they were stopped by Ivory, Issac Garcia and Daniel Castillo. Lazbuddie completed a pass for a 10-yard gain before the second quarter began. The 'Horns picked up a first down on the Silverton 22, stopped by Younger, before



Martin Younger made a solo tackle on one of the Lazbuddie Junior High Longhorns in the game played here last Thursday.

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Chandler picked off another Lazbuddie aerial and took it to midfield.

Ivory took the handoff from Chandler and carried for a first down on the Lazbuddie 20, then moved the ball to the one. Chandler passed to Ramirez for the touchdown, and Ivory carried the PAT to move the Owls ahead 27-0 with 3:48 still to be played in the first half.

Alvarez kicked off, and with Silverton's second team in the game, the 'Horns went all the way to score. They kicked their PAT, and narrowed the score to 27-8.

Lazbuddie kicked off and Chandler took it to the Silverton 35. On the next play, Ivory went all the way for another touchdown. The little team didn't make the PAT, and the Owls extended the score to 33-8 with 3:15 remaining in the second quarter.

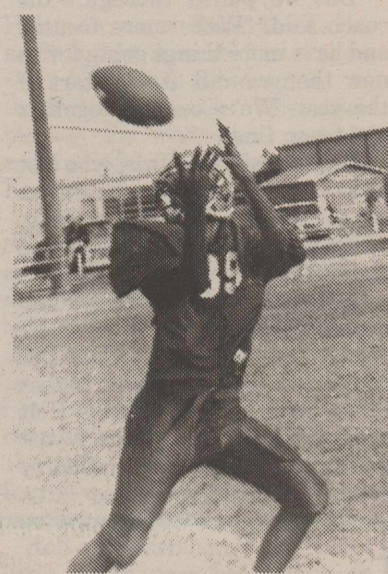
Alvarez kicked off again, and Lazbuddie brought it out to midfield. Lazbuddie was completely stymied this time by incomplete passes and the defense of Tyler Young, Daniel Castillo and Duncan Vernon. The ball went back to the Owls on the Silverton 35, and the Owls lost it on a fumble on the next play.

Alvarez, Isaiah Ivory, Vernon, Clay McMurtrey and Nicholas Vargas were providing defense for the Owls and held the 'Horns until time expired in the first half.

When Lazbuddie kicked off to open the second half, Ivory took it all the way for another touchdown. There was no PAT, and with 5:47 still on the third-quarter clock, the Owls held a 39-8 lead.

The kick runback was stopped by Young, Matt Strange and Kevin Duncan at the Lazbuddie 30. Vargas and Vernon provided the defense that held the 'Horns until Ivory intercepted a Lazbuddie aerial on the Silverton 30.

With Isaiah Ivory at quarterback and Jason Gamble at center, the Owls went back on offense. For the rest of the third period neither team scored. Lazbuddie came back with 2:23 remaining in the fourth period with a score, kicked the PAT and



Adrian Ramirez watches a pass from Vance Chandler into his hands as the Junior High Owls defeated Lazbuddie here last Thursday afternoon.

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brought the score to 39-16.

The first team came back into the game to handle the kickoff, and Ivory took it all the way for more points for the Owls. The play was called back by the referees due to a penalty against Silverton, and the Owls started near midfield. The little offense was unable to move the ball, and Chandler came in to punt it away on fourth down. The little team came back in and McMurtrey and Alvarez prevented yardage gains by the 'Horns as time expired on the clock.

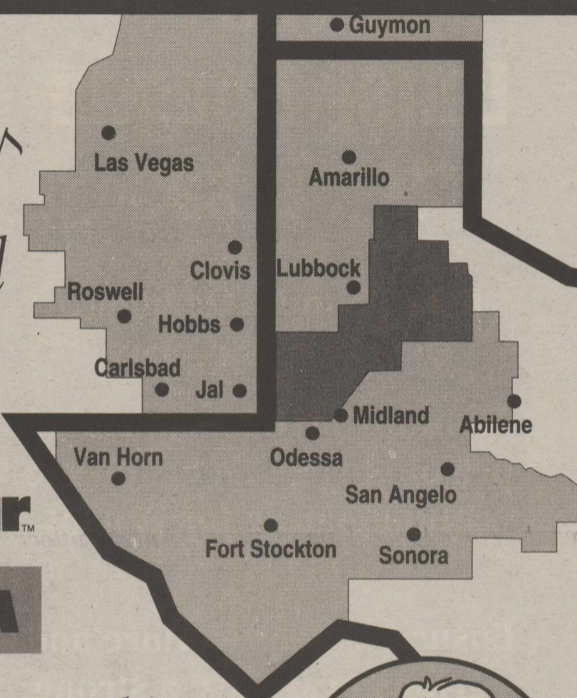
Next game for the Junior High Owls is at 5:00 p.m. Thursday, October 10, on Payne Field in Silverton. Their pep rallies are at 12:20 p.m. in the gym, and you are always invited to join them there!

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Silvertown Owls 1996 Varsity Football

- Sept. 6-- Silvertown 46, Lefors 0
 - Sept. 13 Silvertown 14, Miami 28
 - Sept. 20 Silvertown 32, McLean 21
 - Sept. 27--Silvertown 12, Guthrie 16
 - Oct. 4--Silvertown 19, S'n'wood 20
 - Oct. 11--Cotton Center*, there 7:30
 - Oct. 18--Lazbuddie*, here 7:30
 - Oct. 25--Whitharral*, there 7:30
 - Nov. 1--Amherst*, here 7:30
 - Nov. 8--Three Way*, here 7:30
- * District Game
** Homecoming

Silvertown Owls vs. Cotton Center Elks There, 7:30

1996 Silvertown Owls Junior Varsity, Junior High

- Sept. 19--McLean here
 - Sept. 26--Whitharral there
 - Oct. 3--Lazbuddie here
 - Oct. 10--Cotton Center here
 - Oct. 17--Lazbuddie there
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 - Oct. 31--Amherst there
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COTTON MARKETING NEWS

For the Week Ending Oct. 3

The market rollercoasted this week as uncertainty about the U. S. and world crop size seized nervous market watchers. Wet weather was in the news for several leading cotton-producing countries as well as closer to home in the Southeastern U. S. and South Texas.

Moist conditions continue to prevail in the countries of India, Uzbekistan and Pakistan, where substantial amounts of cotton are grown. Unusually heavy monsoon rains were reported across much of the already-soggy central and southern areas of India this week, and there is concern for the cotton crop in that country. In addition, frost was reported in northern Uzbekistan. Although a report has not yet been released, it is commonly believed the cold temperatures coupled with wet conditions likely did some

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damage to the cotton crop there. Meanwhile, Pakistan has problems of its own as the cotton crop has been subjected to cool weather and a whitefly infestation that have substantially damaged the crop.

On the home front, USDA reported overall U. S. cotton crop conditions declined slightly as of September 29, with 61 percent rated good to excellent, against 63 percent a week ago. As of the same date, approximately 77 percent of bolls had opened, compared with an average of 72 percent. The cotton harvest continues to expand on schedule with 18 percent of the crop off the stalk, against 12 percent previously reported and a five-year average of 17 percent. All of the states were either equal to or ahead of the normal harvest schedule, except Texas, where only 18 percent had been harvested as of September 29 compared with the average of 25 percent.

Harvest has been slowed over most of Texas. In fact, many Central Texas growers are not able to return to their fields after recent rains and concern over cotton quality mounts. Some open cotton in the area has deteriorated with exposure to

additional moisture and regrowth has become a problem in the unharvested fields. Harvest is nearing completion in the Upper Coastal Bend as producers race the intermittent patterns of wet weather to bring their cotton in before the grades slip any further. According to an analyst in the area, there also has been a problem with exceptionally high micronaire.

On the High Plains, where harvesting aids are being applied as bolls open, crop maturity was slowed by unseasonably cold, wet weather. However, the first bales were harvested in some Plains areas and gins are beginning to open for the new season. One analyst in the area is optimistic about the West Texas crop. "The crop's potential has been reduced by cool temperatures, and any chance of record regional yields are gone; however, about one-third of the crop was not affected by the adverse conditions and will produce above average crop," the analyst noted.

Meanwhile, USDA announced export sales of 1996-97 U. S. cotton increased a net 111,300 bales in the week ended September 26, down slightly from the previous week's figure of 123,500 bales. Featured buyers were Japan, Mexico and South Korea.

Some analysts noted commitments by this period last year were more than 4.0 million bales, compared with the current commitments of 2.2 million bales. USDA projects 1996-97 export sales of 6.2 million bales, but many market watchers are expecting a downward revision of that number. Some forecast exports at no more than 5.0 million bales as demand for higher-priced U. S. cotton remains somewhat sluggish.

U. S. imports also have been a topic of conversation in the market. The U. S. Customs Bureau reported cotton imports of 31,712 bales for the week ended September 29. USDA's projection for U. S. imports is 500,000 bales, but as foreign growths continue to be imported, analysts expect the figure to be much higher. So far, the season's export shipments are 381,700 bales, according to USDA. Total imports are more than 360,000 bales, and could possibly overtake export numbers.

On the spot cotton scene, TELCOT sales were down slightly, as a selective interest in high grade old crop cotton was noted. One observer said this was further proof that poor cotton grades are flooding the market due to less than favorable growing conditions throughout the nation. Sales of 1996-97 cotton on TELCOT for the five trading days ended October 3 totaled 4,130 bales, down from the previous week's figure of 5,277 bales. Average daily prices received by producers on the electronic marketing system ranged from 67.72 to 72.41 cents per pound.

OBITUARIES**BERTHA MAE PAVLICEK**

Graveside services for Bertha Mae Pavlicek were conducted at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday in the Silverton Cemetery with the Rev. Randy Thomas, pastor of Silverton United Methodist Church, officiating. Arrangements were made by Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Pavlicek, 85, died Saturday, October 5, in Tulia where she had resided the past few weeks.

The former Bertha Mae Thomas, she was the daughter of Perry William and Florence Elizabeth Thomas. She was born at the Thomas homeplace in Silverton April 23, 1911.

She attended and was graduated from the Silverton Public Schools. She married Pat Pavlicek in 1938 in Plainview. He preceded her in death.

A life-long resident of Silverton, she was a former long-time Briscoe County & District Clerk.

Survivors include two brothers, Perry Thomas of Silverton and George Thomas of San Antonio; a sister, Ruth Parker of Wellman; and several nieces and nephews.

PCCA Announced Record Distribution

Plains Cotton Cooperative Association (PCCA) announced a record cash distribution of \$34.6 million at its 43rd Annual Stockholders Meeting in Lubbock. The cooperative also reported for fiscal-year-end June 30, 1996, net margins of \$27.5 million on gross sales of \$785 million, both reaching the third highest levels ever.

"We are proud of these results because they are in keeping with our goal," PCCA President and CEO Van May said, "to add significant value to our members' cotton."

The cash distribution to members exceeds the previous record by \$2.2 million. The distribution consists of cash dividends totaling \$13.3 million, stock retirements totaling \$16.5 million and revolvment of mill option retains totaling \$4.8 million.

May reported strong results from the 1995 crop marketing pools as well as from the company's TELCOT and crop contracting operations. "Our warehousing operations also turned in good years in spite of smaller-than-average crops and rapid shipment of the bales we did receive," he added.

PCCA's year-end results also showed the cooperative's denim mill at Littlefield recorded its second highest net margins in its history, averaging \$15.09 per bale for members participating in PCCA's mill option program. May also reviewed the Mill's \$14.5 million expansion project to increase production capacity.

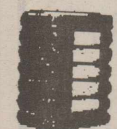
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Cost of Indirect TEA Administration Cost = \$11,994,851

Number of TEA (Texas Education Agency) Employees = 914

Percent of School Districts Rated Exemplary or Recognized = 6%

Average Annual Amount Spent to Educate Each Child in Texas = \$6,771

NOW, THE LIBERALS HAVE REWRITTEN TEXAS' ACADEMIC STANDARDS!

The proposed Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (a blueprint for what every Texas public school student should learn) is a 2,000 page compilation of some of the silliest liberal ideas imaginable. Kindergartners are asked to list stress and coping strategies, fourth graders determine whether to discuss sex with their parents and high schoolers are encouraged to do volunteer work at places like Planned Parenthood.

"As your State Representative, I'll fight the liberals in Austin who think they know more about your children than you do. The personal, social and cultural aspects of a child's life should be left up to parents, not to the bureaucrats in Austin.

Our schools must stress the basics of reading, writing and arithmetic. They must teach our children about our Constitution and the true history of America. The liberal bureaucrats won't do it. It's time for legislators to set the basic academic standards for Texas schoolchildren.

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WEDNESDAY:
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
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SUNDAY:
Library Opens 9:15 a.m.
Bible Study/S.S. 9:30 a.m.
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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
SECOND & FOURTH TUESDAYS:
Baptist Women 9:30 a.m.
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Bible Study/Prayer 7:00 p.m.

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SECOND SUNDAY:
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TUESDAY:
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WEDNESDAY:
Choir Practice 5:00 p.m.
In-home Bible Study. 7:00 p.m.

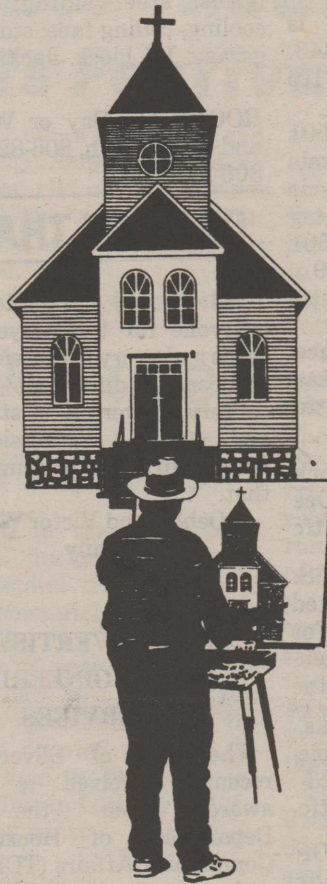
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Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY:
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Prayer Service 8:00 p.m.

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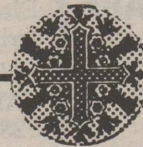
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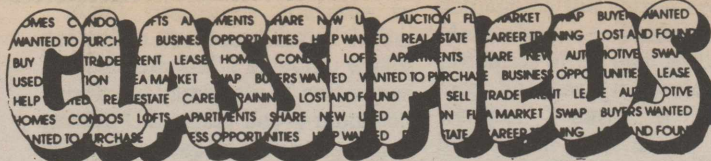
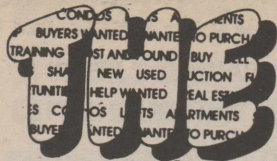


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We would like to thank everyone for the prayers, calls, cards and every expression of love and concern during and after my surgery. Silverton is still home, and your expressions of friendship serve to remind us of that.

Debbie and Victor Weaks and family

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENT FOR ENGINEERING SERVICES

The City of Silverton has recently received a contract award from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) for water system improvements. Accordingly, the City is seeking to contract with a qualified engineering firm (registered to practice in the State of Texas) to prepare all preliminary and final design plans and specifications, and to conduct all necessary interim and final inspections.

A copy of the Request for Proposal for Services may be obtained from the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, P. O. Box 9257, Amarillo, Texas 79105, ATTN: Jarrett Atkinson, 806-372-3381. A statement of qualifications for these proposed services will be required. Please submit your proposal and statement of qualifications to Mr. Jerry Patton, City Administrator, City of Silverton, P. O. Box 250, Silverton, Texas 79257-0250.

Completed proposals must be received by the City no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, October 21, 1996 to be considered. The City of Silverton reserves the right to negotiate with any and all engineers or firms that submit proposals, as per the Texas Professional Services Procurement Act and Office of Management and Budget Circular No. A-102.

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Bailey Hill would like to thank everyone for all the prayers, letters, cards, flowers, phone calls, money, food and those who visited at the hospital, and the ones who came after he got home. May God bless you all.

Love,
The Bailey Hill family

First I want to thank the Lord for giving us such a beautiful day on Sunday to celebrate my 80th birthday. Thanks so very much to my children and their families for doing this for me.

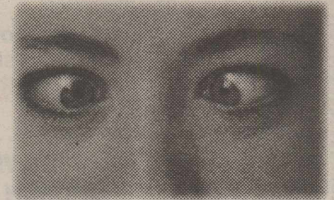
Thanks for so many relatives who came and for all the friends. My oldest and dearest friend, Eunice (Gregg) Townley and her family came all the way from Oklahoma City.

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Thanks to all.
Love,
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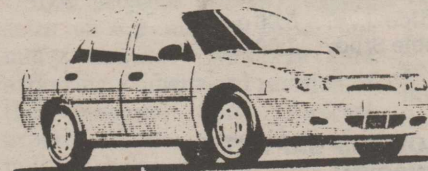
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