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## All Around The Town

By Mary Ann Sarchet

Silverton Chamber of Commerce will have a bingo night on Saturday, November 13, to benefit the Meals on Wheels program. The event will take place in the Pioneer Room at City Bank beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Silverton's next blood drive will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the City Hall on Tuesday, November 23. Coffee Memorial's Blood Center will be here to draw the blood donations. Call Lou Younger at 823-2254 to schedule your appointment. Every donor will receive a T-shirt.

Ted and Doris Vardell of Amarillo will be here Saturday night, and she will be singing at the Lighthouse Gospel Singing. Everyone is invited to attend.

Menus for Meals-on-Wheels:  
Monday, Nov. 15-Chicken Pattie, Whipped Potatoes, Gravy, Mixed Veggies, Dessert

Wednesday, Nov. 17-Meat Loaf, Buttered Corn, Green Beans, Roll, Spiced Peaches

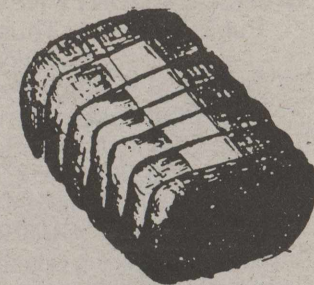
Friday, Nov. 19-BBQ on Bun, Pickles, Onions, Coleslaw, Fruit, Cookies

Our grandchildren, Meredith and Brandon Sarchet, visited Charlie and me Sunday afternoon. Meredith received notification last week that she had passed the state bar examination, and was to go to work in the District Attorney's office at Lamesa Monday morning. Needless to say, Meredith was very happy; she took the bar exam the last week in July, and has been waiting all this time to hear from it.

Fred Strange stopped by Monday morning to tell us that he has received several new donations to the Veterans' Memorial project. These came from Rank and Toy Cogdell, Carl Satterfield, John, Vonceil and the late Jerry Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eddleman.

Country music artist Gene Watson and his Farewell Party Band will be presented in concert at the Bob Wills Gymnasium in Turkey Saturday, November 13 at 7:00 p.m. Local talent will include The Highway 70 Band.

For reservations or ticket information call 806-423-1420 or 806-423-1113. Tickets are \$20 each.



# Briscoe County News

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A large wet snow fell on Silverton Tuesday, November 2, dropping more than an inch of moisture in the area. A good crowd of voters turned out on Election Day in spite of the snow.

Briscoe County News Photo

## Owls Playoff Game Is Tonight at Groom

Silverton's Owls have finished the football season in second place in the district behind Valley, and will be in the bi-district playoff against Wheeler at 7:30 p.m. at Groom tonight (Thursday, Nov. 11).

Admission will be \$4.00 for adults and \$2.00 for students.

The Owls have lost only two games this season, to two district champions, Valley and Wheeler.

It is hoped that a large group of fans will make the trip to Groom to cheer for the Owls.

Valley's playoff game will be at Wheeler at 7:30 p.m. Friday against Follett.

The Owls didn't have a game last week, but received a 2-0 forfeit from Lazbuddie.

## Veterans Day To Be Celebrated At Silverton School

This year the 51st Anniversary of the Veterans Day Celebration, Silverton ISD will be recognizing the nation's veterans with a program.

Everyone who has served the country, as well as the whole community, is invited to come at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, November 11, in the school auditorium to take part in this program. It is hoped that everyone will gain an appreciation for the contributions America's veterans have made for all.

Please join the school in honoring the veterans.

## SBA Economic Injury Loans Are Available

Businesses in some Texas counties can now apply for low interest Economic Injury Disaster Loans from the U. S. Small Business Administration (SBA). These loans are available to help businesses meet normal operating expenses that cannot be met due to the effects of a disaster. Drought that began April 1, 2003, and continu-

## Caprock SWCD is Taking Orders For Windbreak Trees

Caprock Soil and Water Conservation District is currently taking orders for windbreak trees. Tree seedlings will be offered from Texas and Colorado Forest Service. Orders will be taken for larger trees from New Mexico as well. Caprock SWCD also sells drip supplies for optimum care for the trees.

A minimum order may be required on the seedling orders. There is no minimum on the larger trees. The earlier you order, the better chance you have of getting the varieties you want. Many of the trees will be sold out in a short time.

For more information, call 806-823-2341, Extension 101, or go by the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) office in Silverton located at 410 Lone Star.

ing, caused many farmers and ranchers to experience reduced incomes which may have had an adverse economic effect on business depending upon these producers. Farmers and ranchers are not eligible for this loan program but may be eligible for disaster assistance through other Federal agencies. However, nurseries that are victims

## Republican Candidates Carry Briscoe County's Precincts

Republican candidates carried Briscoe County's election precincts in the November 2 General Election.

For President: Bush-Cheney, 619; Kerry-Edwards, 191

For United States Representative, District 13: Thornberry, 618; Smith, 19

For Railroad Commissioner: Carillo, 411; Scarborough, 288; Garcia, 16

For Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3: O'Neill, 499

For Justice, Supreme Court, Place 5: Groom, 497

For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2: Meyers, 494; Parker, 43

For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 5: Johnson, 506; Oxford, 30

of drought disasters can apply. Businesses in the following counties are eligible to apply: Armstrong, Briscoe, Castro, Floyd, Hale, Randall and Swisher.

To qualify, businesses must be small by SBA's size standard. Businesses which can meet their financial needs through other sources are not eligible.

For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 6: Kessler, 462; Molina, 213

For State Senator, District 23: Duncan, 515

For State Representative, District 58: Chisum, 537

For Justice, 7th Court of Appeals District, Place 4: Campbell, 505

For District Attorney, 110th Judicial District: McPherson, 508

For County Attorney: Smith, 582

For Sheriff: Fuston, 567

For County Tax Assessor-Collector: Stephens, 595

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1: Grimland, 113

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3: Comer, 156

Of the 1,328 registered voters in Briscoe County, 813 cast ballots in the election.

To obtain an application or receive additional information, interested business owners may call the SBA toll-free at 1-800-366-6303 or TDD 817-267-4688 for the hearing impaired. The deadline for filing an application is June 13, 2005.

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**Obituary**

**LESSIE MAE VANDIVER BILGRI**

Lessie Mae Vandiver Bilgri, 94, died Saturday, Nov. 7, 2004, in Hereford.

Rosary was said Monday at 7:00 p.m. in Carmichael-Whaley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel in Pampa. Mass was at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday in Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Rev. Mieczyslaw Przepiora, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Sacred Heart Cemetery.

Mrs. Bilgri was born Jan. 12, 1910, in Cherokee County, Alabama. She was a resident of Dumas from 1941 to 1958, when she moved to White Deer. She resided in White Deer until 2000, when she moved to Hereford. She married Joe Bilgri Sept. 8, 1938, in Hereford. She was a member of Sacred

Heart Catholic Church and the Altar Society. Mrs. Bilgri was a member of the White Deer Senior Citizens Center.

She was preceded in death by her husband on Sept. 8, 1969.

Survivors include two daughters, Teresa Potter of Vega and Sam Urbanczyk and husband Martin of Hereford; a son, Myron Bilgri and wife Audene of White Deer; a sister, Lois Newman of Amarillo; two brothers, John Vandiver of Bella Vista, Arkansas and Floyd Vandiver of Amarillo; nine grandchildren, Joe Potter of Silverton, Joan Potter, Mike Potter and Jill Chrisman, all of Amarillo, Kent Kotara, Kory Shackelford and Stacy Lovejoy, all of White Deer, Rachel Heath of Mesquite and Dan Kotara of Canyon; and eight great-grandchildren.

The family suggested memorials be to King's Manor of Hereford, P.O. Box 1999, Hereford, TX 79045 or to Sacred Heart Catholic Church in White Deer.

**Historical Group Has Called Meeting**

Briscoe County Historical Committee held a called meeting in the Pioneer Room of City Bank-Silverton October 25. Teresa Sutton gave the treasurer's report. Carrie Dickerson called the meeting to order and reported that the County Jail had been repaired and painted. She stated that the Holt School marker will be coming from Austin soon.

Mrs. Dickerson reported on a new state program called "Texas Yes!" This is a program trying to help rural communities stay alive by increasing tourism. Membership is free and organizations, businesses and individuals are welcome to join.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department has a "Horned Toad Lizard" essay contest. The essay has a minimum of two pages and maximum of three and the due date is January 15, 2005. After discussion of the days when boys chased the girls with horned toad lizards, and how many lizards there used to be, the group voted to support and encourage this essay for the county students.

Texas Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs is encouraging any farm and ranch land owners that has had land in their families for 100 years or more to make application for recognition from the State of Texas.

Members voted to lower the price of "Footprints of Time in Briscoe County, Vol. II" to \$35.00 each. Postage would still be \$5.00. This would make excellent Christmas gifts for family and friends.

Loyd Stephens asked if there were any available lots in town for exhibiting antique farming equipment. Several possible lots were discussed, but nothing was decided at this time. Mr. Stephens also had some other memorabilia for a local museum, if one is ever started. Those present were Mrs. Dickerson, Mrs. Sutton, Wayne Nance, Tom Burson, Mr. Stephens

**Texas Plains Trail Region Presentation Planned in Quitaque**

The public will have an opportunity to learn more about the recently established Texas Plains Trail Region on Monday, Nov. 15, at the First United Methodist Church in Quitaque. Scheduled at 7:00 p.m. the Quitaque Lions Club will be hosting Melissa Shackelford, regional coordinator, for a very informative program. Ms. Shackelford is the full-time regional coordinator with offices in Borger.

The Texas Plains Trail Region is only one of ten state-wide trail regions being established by the Texas Historical Commission. This region encompasses the northern 52 counties of Texas. It is the goal of the trail region to identify, promote and assist heritage and cultural sites and events throughout the region. The Quitaque, Turkey and Silverton area has many sites that qualify as heritage sites of interest to the public. Community members can learn about the possibilities that these sites offer as Ms. Shackelford explains the trails program.

**Cotton Producers Vote to Continue Boll Weevil Program**

Texas Department of Agriculture has announced that cotton producers in the six-county area of the Northern High Plains Boll Weevil Eradication Zone has voted to continue program operations. Final and Betty Stephens. As always this is an open organization for any interested individual caring about the past for the future generations.

**Silverton School Lunch Menu**

Monday, Nov. 15-Fish, Mac & Cheese, Blackeyed Peas, Bread, Tartar Sauce, Fruit, Milk  
 Tuesday, Nov. 16-Corn Dog, Potato Salad, Jello, Milk  
 Wednesday, Nov. 17-Burrito, Fiesta Corn, Chips, Hot Sauce, Fruit, Milk  
 Thursday, Nov. 18-Turkey, Dressing, Gravy, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Pumpkin Desert, Milk  
 Friday, Nov. 19-Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Salad, Chips, Fruit, Milk

**Silverton School Activities**

Thursday, Nov. 11-Veteran's Day Program, 1:30; Board Meeting  
 Friday, Nov. 12-Lorenzo Varsity and Junior Varsity Girls, here, 5:00  
 Saturday, Nov. 13-District FFA Leadership Contests at Clarendon  
 Monday, Nov. 15-Plainview JH Christian Academy, here, 5:30  
 Tuesday, Nov. 16-Amherst JV-V, here, 4:00  
 Friday, Nov. 19-Patton Springs JV-V, here, 5:00

results were 1,393 voting "for" and 336 voting "against" continuation.

TDA issued 3,110 ballots to cotton producers who were eligible to vote in the referendum. A total of 1,729 valid ballots were post-marked by the Oct. 19 deadline and counted.

Voters elected Weldon Melton of Hale County to represent the Northern High Plains Zone on the statewide board of directors for the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation, Inc. Part of Briscoe County in in the Zone.

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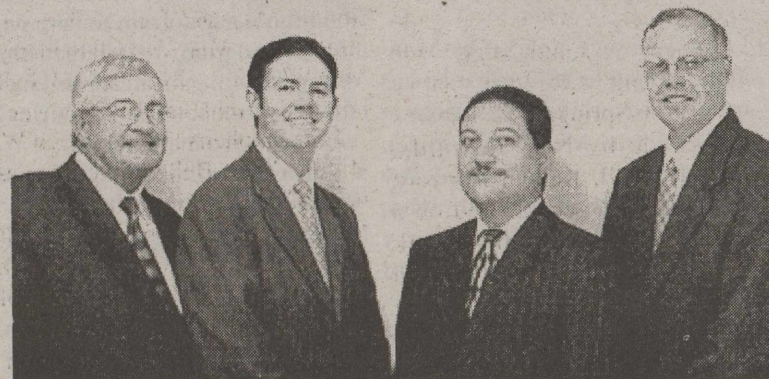
**WEATHER**

Readings Taken at 6:00 a.m. during November

	High	Low	Precip.
1	60	40	.05
2	52	32	.37
3	33	31	1.06
4	43	28	
5	57	29	
6	68	31	
7	75	38	
8	73	39	
9	69	44	
November Precipitation			1.48
Normal Nov. Precip.			.71
Total Precip. in 2004			34.21
Normal Precip. to Date			20.54

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## LOOKING BACK

through the files of the  
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**October 20, 1994-**Brandi Brunson was presented in the rain as Football Queen in pre-game activities Friday night before the homecoming game. The senior candidate, she was escorted by Jack Cherry... Progressive Homemakers to have Arts & Crafts Jubilee Saturday, Nov. 12... Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service recently received a \$15,000.00 donation from the Martha Ann Cogdell Hospital Trust Fund... Jeremiah Brooks was presented as the Pep squad Beau in a ceremony conducted during the Pep Rally last Friday afternoon... Mr. and Miss Flame, Jeremiah Brooks and Shannon Weaver, lighted the flame of the spirit of homecoming in pre-game activities here Friday night... Owls drop game to Cotton Center... Junior High Owls add Elks to their victory string... Funeral services conducted for Joe B. Mercer, 86, and Ethel Jones, 78... Rank Cogdell and John T. Burson recently were re-elected to the Caprock SWCD board of directors...

**October 25, 1984-**Melannie Daniels is first runner-up to Miss Mackenzie... Junis Hutsell is a patient in room 206 at Highland Hospital in Lubbock. She may have to undergo back surgery... Mrs. Leavie Cherry honored with party on her 81st birthday... Jennifer Martin and Mark Marley of Lubbock spent the weekend with her mother, Mary Martin... Michael Flowers placed in the top five percent of over one million participants in the 30th annual competition and will receive a Letter of Commendation from the current Merit Program in honor of outstanding promise for future academic success... Owls drop game to Dawson... Junior High Owls extend string with 25-6 victory over Patton Springs. Touchdowns were made by Neal Edwards, Jamie Frizzell, Kendal Minyard and Brad West who scored on a pass from Denny Hill. Frank Lowrey rushed once for a 90-yard gain...

**November 1, 1984-**Both the Junior High and Varsity Owls won their games last week... Halloween royalty crowned Saturday evening were Terry Miller and Carrie Ann Grabbe, sixth grade, King and Queen, and Kami Martin, and Braden Towe, third grade, Princess and Prince... Richard W. Reid, 17, son of Dick and Susie Reid of Midland, was honored at an Eagle Scout Court of Honor

Monday... Brooke and Kurby Garvin tied for first place in the Halloween Costume Contest. Other first-place winners were Braden Towe, Robby Weaks, Connie Smith and Tobe Riddell. Second-place winners were Pace Millhollon, Molly Bomar, Jeffrey Grimland and Ted Kingery. Third places went to Russell Byers, Jeffrey Mercer, Amy Ramsey and Loyd Stephens...

**October 24, 1974-**Halloween coronation, carnival set Saturday night... The fall monsoon season has continued this week, with at least an inch of rain having fallen before presstime Wednesday and the rain continuing to fall... Clayton Fowler has been undergoing tests and treatment at St. Anthony's Hospital... Mrs. Lizzie Scoggins, 77, buried Saturday... Mrs. Roy Younger is a patient in the Lockney Hospital this week... Leading cheers for the Junior High Owls this season are Rebecca Reid, Connie Rowell, Kim Cornett, Bob Ann Welchel, Karen Ziegler and their mascot, Shellie Cornett...

**October 31, 1974-**Crowned as Halloween Queen was Jo Jarrett, and her escort was Darrell Reynolds, sophomores. The fifth grade Halloween Princess is Melinda Sutton, who was escorted by Gary Juarez... With .81 of an inch of rain during the past week, Silverton's rainfall total for 1974 now stands at 24.57 inches, topping the annual rainfall measurement of 19.95 inches... Eddie Holland is new Briscoe County Extension Agent... New officers of the clinic association are Jay Towe, president; Wayne Nance, vice president; Pat Edwards, secretary-treasurer; Bonnie May and Jack Robertson, directors... Miss Worrall to marry Max Weaver... Mrs. Jack McFall honored at pink and blue shower... Lois Stephens to marry Fred W. Hill... Mrs. Belle Olive is a patient in the Lockney Hospital... Miss Jana Futch, bride-elect of John Minyard, was honored at a shower Saturday in the home of Mrs. Pat Northcutt... Mr. and Mrs. Will Sinor are parents of a son, William Cody...

**October 8, 1964-**The Silverton Owls surprised the Memphis Cyclones here last Friday night by handing them a 30-22 defeat. The Owls opened the game with a show of power which left the Cyclones stunned... Jerry Dee McWilliams, pharmacy student, has been elected president of Phi-Delta Chi chapter

national pharmacy fraternity at Southwestern (Oklahoma) State College. He also has been appointed to the staff of The Apothecary, official school of pharmacy journal at Southwestern State... Dianne Davis is new Worthy Advisor of Silverton Rainbow Girls... Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fleming are parents of a son, Cary Jack... Mr. and Mrs. Dick L. Mayfield are parents of a daughter, Sandy Lee... Glen Watters, a graduate of Silverton High School and WTSU, is teaching art at Robert E. Lee School in Amarillo... Miss Carolyn Elaine McDaniel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ashel McDaniel, became the bride of Jon Jeral LaBaume Sunday afternoon... Jackie Durham spent a long weekend with Sandi Rhode... Gary Whitfill was a patient in Swisher County Hospital early this week...

**October 7, 1954-**Engineer visits proposed site for Tule Canyon Dam... Plunkett's all new stage show with their band and orchestra will be showing in Silverton soon... Mrs. Helen Eddleman received \$75 at the "You All Come Day" program Saturday. Gordon Lowrey missed \$15 by not being present. Judy Stephens received the \$15. Mrs. Jim Baird received \$10... Sheriff and Mrs. Raymond Grewe returned Thursday from a Sheriff's Convention in Corpus Christi... Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver attended the Tech-Oklahoma A&M football game in Lubbock Saturday... Mmes. Minnie Stevenson, James Stevenson and Dean Allard spent Monday night in Amarillo with Mrs. Iris Graham... Messrs. and Mmes. H. L. McWaters and Eugene Long returned home Thursday after a 15-day trip to California... Cpl. Jim Howard of the 807 Engineer Company, Janaw, Germany, recently was promoted to Sergeant... Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Grimland and Terry took Mrs. W. K. Grimland to Amarillo Monday for examination and possible treatment... Messrs. H. A. Cagle, Bruce Womack, Monroe Lowrey, Norris Offield and Charlie Parker attended a Perfect Circle Piston Ring sales meeting in Childress Monday...

**November 2, 1944-**First Lieutenant Homer S. Sanders, jr. recently received his second Purple Heart award of the war, thousands of miles from the area where he received his first. Lt. Sanders was awarded his first Purple Heart December 7, 1941 at Pearl Harbor. Then an enlisted man, he was injured when the Japs made their infamous sneak attack. Later Lt. Sanders was graduated from the Quartermaster officer candidate school at Camp Lee, Virginia...

The Silverton Owls trounced the Turkey Turks Friday, 38-6... Claynell Fowler has pledged the Las Vivarachas social club at Texas Technological College... The Gatewood Blacksmith Shop is undergoing repairs and enlargement. The north half of the shop is being widened several feet and the roof made higher with a wide door to accomodate larger vehicles... Editor Roy Hahn wrote: "I am about to clear up an old mystery. Joe O'Neal was telling me about a little stunt that happened when he was in high school. Ted Reid was superintendent and some of the boys tipped over the outhouse with Ted inside. Ted couldn't get the door open to get out. Joe said, 'Boy, 'twas a good thing for us that he didn't find out who did it' And now I don't know whether it is too late for Ted to do anything about it or not, but there's the information"...

**November 9, 1944-**Roosevelt in easy win over Dewey... Owls have the District Championship in the bag... Harley Redin cabled his parents last week that he is now in a rest camp in Australia, after ten weeks in combat... Pfc. Jack Harris is with the Air Corps ground forces. He was wounded in France, was in a hospital in England. He holds the Purple Heart. He is now back in France... Another pioneer has passed over the last trail. R. F. Stevenson has crossed The Great Divide. He had been in poor health for sometime, and he steadily went down following the

## Happy Birthday-

November 11-Pam Rampley, Earl Jarrett, Alesha Patton, Allan McCuchen, Darrah McCammon  
November 12-Brandi Brunson, Dorcas Garrison

November 13-Krischel Perkins, Doug Forbes, Glenda Francis, Stacy Bain, Jacob T. Ortiz

November 14-E. A. Birdwell, Robert Wayne Bell, Jennifer Turner, Lindsey Alison Williams, Gage Gregg, Heather Brannon, Sheridan Reagan

November 15-Justin McFall, Shane Reagan, Victor McGavock, Thelma Sheely, Jennifer Daugherty, Dorthy Hale

November 16-G. W. Chappell, Cam Forbes, Greg Garcia, Donna Francis, London Cantwell

November 17-Kelli Patton, Ian Dunbar, Dean Burson, David Johnston, Jana Beesinger, Don Glenn, Michael Shane Bell, Trenton Younger

## Happy Anniversary-

November 11-Mr. and Mrs. Derrel Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Ellison

November 12-Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall

November 15-Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Martin

November 16-Mr. and Mrs. Rick Beesinger

November 17-Mr. and Mrs. Don Glenn

death last year of his son, Roscoe...

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## **Silverton Owls**

### **District Runner-up**

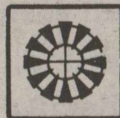
#### **Good Luck at Bi-District**

**SILVERTON VS. WHEELER**  
**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11,**  
**AT GROOM, 7:30 p.m.**



Silverton Owl's - (back row, left to right) 2-E. J. Ivory, 9-Drew Reed, 7-Gid Mayfield, 23-James Tiffin, 90-Calvin Daugherty, 55-Beau Brock, 85-Jesse Reynolds, 40-Jacob Francis, 97-Ory Johnson, 44-Chance Rhoderick; (front) 12-Yance Forbes, 8-Thor Patton, 21-Davin Fabela, 38-Gabriel Vargas, 3-Humberto Vasquez, 30-Max Comer, 4-Zak Perkins, 54-Shane Estes, 80-Ignacio Gamez, 19-Cooper Cogdell.

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# Congratulations To The Silverton Junior High Undefeated District Champs!



Standing: 14-Josh Garcia; 5-Tyler Garvin; 2-Cord Griffin; 33-Shawn Johnson; 35-Cade Holt; 60- Cord Stidham; 66-Reece Scarborough; 49- Carlos Garcia; 48-True Burson; 55-Blake Strange; 65-Thomas Watson; Kneeling: 99-CoDee Grabbe; 3-Blaze Cogdell; 19-Skyler Beesinger; 50-John Perkins; 12-Brooks Brock; 4-Chase Stidham; 7-Logan Fabela; 20-Nicholas Garcia.



Carlos Garcia had a good game on offense and defense.



Shawn Johnson caught a pass and ran for a touchdown.



Charla Rhoderick, Nichole Schott, Marchell Curry, Emily Long



Cade Holt completed a number of passes and ran a touchdown.



True Burson intercepted a Lazbuddie pass.



Cord Stidham made a TD for the Owls.

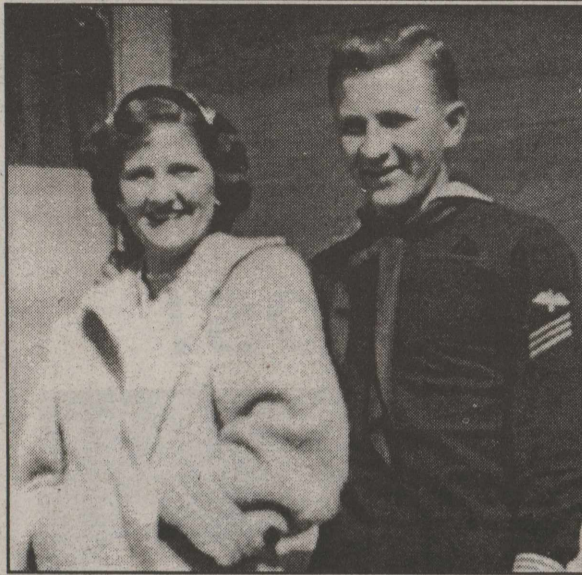


Reece Scarborough running with ball and Thomas Watson blocking for him.

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Mr. and Mrs. Riley Joe Ziegler-1954



Mr. and Mrs. Riley Joe Ziegler-2004

## Mr. and Mrs. Riley Joe Ziegler to Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary on November 27

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Joe Ziegler will observe their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Saturday, November 27, 2004. In today's world, it's not often that you come across a lifetime of love and commitment. When one does it definitely should be noted. Half a century has passed since our parents made a commitment to love and honor each other through the sanctity of marriage.

The children, Dean and Cindy Ziegler, Brad and JonEtta Ziegler, Michael and Karen Boyd, and Ivan and Delinda Suchowolski and families, can only imagine how beautiful their Mom must have looked in her rose satin dress with navy accessories and how handsome Dad was in his Navy attire on that fall day back in 1954. Serving in the Korean War, Dad was

home on leave. Riley Joe (Buddy) Ziegler and Alma Lois Butcher were married at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 27, 1954, at the Methodist parsonage in Clovis, New Mexico with Brother Underwood officiating. The couple was accompanied by Bernice McPherson (Lois' sister) and Jo Ann Vaughn (Riley's sister).

Dad returned to active duty a few days after they were married and Mom later joined him in San Diego, California where Dad was stationed until his discharge in March of 1956. At that time, Mom and Dad returned to Silverton where they have made their home for 48 years.

Mom and Dad have created memories that will always live on in the hearts of their family and friends. For twenty-plus years, snack time has consistently been at 3:00 p.m. and the kitchen is closed after 8:00 p.m., and all know that they had better not get caught trying to sneak something out of the refrigerator after then. The sofa has always belonged to Dad after meals for a short nap, so none get any ideas about stretching out in that location. The first phrase that the Ziegler grandchildren learned has been the same for all eleven and it surely won't be different for the two coming up. It is short but sweet. Dad asks them, "Whose boy (or girl) are you? And they are geniuses to reply "Papa's boy" or "Papa's girl"! And holidays! What would they be without Mom's famous and interesting programs?

Mom and Dad have shared a love that has reached much further than their respect for one another and their care for the immediate family. Rearing four children is a huge task in itself, but Mom and Dad have always made sure that they had time and energy to lend a helping hand to friends, family, those in the community and even

## Junior High Owls Finish Season As Undefeated Football Champions

After Nicholas Garcia had done such a good job at quarterback for the Junior High Owls until injuring his knee at Hedley, Cord Griffin took over and did a good job of finishing the season for him. The Owls are the undefeated Junior High District Champions.

Lazbuddie kicked off in the last game and Cade Holt took the ball to the 35. Griffin passed to Carlos Garcia for the game's first touchdown, the PAT failed, and the Owls held an early 6-0 lead.

Cord Stidham kicked off and Carlos Garcia recovered the onside. Stidham ran for a five-yard gain, and True Burson made a first down on the Lazbuddie 10. Griffin passed to Blake Strange for a touchdown with 2:43 still on the first-quarter clock. There was no PAT, and the Owls extended their lead to 12-0.

Logan Fabela kicked off and Lazbuddie took off on their first offensive series, scoring with 51 seconds remaining in the first quarter. There was no PAT, and the score became 12-6.

Lazbuddie kicked off and Reece Scarborough took the ball. A pass from Griffin to Cade Holt set up another Owl touchdown, which Cord Stidham carried as time expired in the first quarter. Holt carried the PAT, to extend the Owl lead to 19-6.

Fabela opened the second quarter by kicking off, and defense led by Burson, Strange, Garcia, Brooks Brock and Thomas Watson held and got the ball back for the Owls near the 34 yard line.

Runs by Carlos Garcia and Scarborough picked up a first

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*There is no kind of peace which may be purchased on the bargain counter.*

Carey Williams

*Beauty I have learned from the*

down on the three-yard-line, and Griffin passed to Shawn Johnson for a touchdown with 1:33 remaining before halftime. This brought the score to 25-6.

Lazbuddie was unable to move the ball, and when the Owls got the ball back, Griffin passed to Burson for a first down on the 13. Griffin completed passed to Shawn Johnson and Burson before the first half ended.

Defense led by Scarborough, Stidham, Johnson and Holt held, and the Owls got the ball back. Stidham ran for a first down on the Lazbuddie 10, and Holt scored with 1:07 remaining in the third quarter. This brought the score to 31-6.

Stidham kicked off and Lazbuddie ran a touchdown on their first play. This gave them a score of 31-12.

Stidham made a first down as the fourth quarter began, Griffin passed to Carlos Garcia, and Burson scored with 5:38 remaining to be played. John Perkins carried the PAT to give the Owls a 37-12 lead.

Brooks Brock intercepted a Lazbuddie pass, but the Owls fumbled the ball right back to them. Burson intercepted a Lazbuddie pass with 3:39 remaining.

Holt made a first down on the Lazbuddie 25, and Stidham scored with 2:01 remaining in the game. This brought the score to 43-12.

When the Owls kicked off, Lazbuddie ran for another touchdown, passed for the PAT, and narrowed the score to 43-18.

When Lazbuddie kicked off, Brock ran for a touchdown. There was no PAT, and with 1:34 remaining, the Owls held a 49-18 score.

Fabela kicked off and Josh Garcia recovered a fumble. Stidham ran for a first down, and Holt carried a touchdown with 39 seconds remaining. Josh Garcia passed to Blaze Cogdell for the PAT, giving the Owls a 55-18 lead.

The Owls kicked off and on first down Lazbuddie carried a touchdown, ran the PAT, and narrowed the score to 55-25. Scarborough ran for a first down before the game ended.

Fans are very proud of the Junior High Owls for their performance in their games this season. They will be looking forward to seeing them again next year!

*ugly, charity from the unkind and peace from the turmoil of the world.*

Frederick Ward Kates

*Peace rules the day where reason rules the mind.*

William Wilkie Collins

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THURSDAY  
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## Joseph and Forgiveness



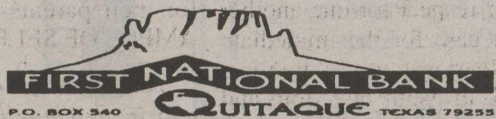
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bread.  
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we forgive our debtors.*

K.J.V. Matthew 6:12

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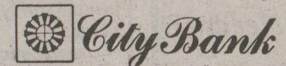


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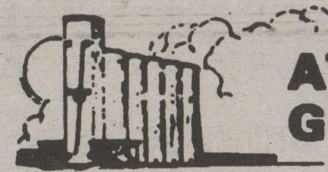


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