



# BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

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## POLITICAL COLUMN "The Owllet" School News Edited by Pupils

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries the Briscoe County News has been authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices set above their names:

**COUNTY OFFICES**  
For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent  
J. W. Lyon, Jr. (Re-Election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:  
Raymond K. Grewe,  
For Re-election

For County Treasurer:  
Mrs. Annie J. Stevenson  
For Re-Election

For County and District Clerk  
Dee McWilliams  
For Re-election

For Commissioner Precinct 1  
H. A. (Dick) Bomar  
For Re-Election

Commissioner Precinct No. 3:  
Alton Steele

For Commissioner Precinct 4  
Milton Dudley (Re-election)

**DISTRICT OFFICES**  
District Attorney of the 110th Judicial District  
John B. Stapleton  
(For Re-election)  
Enos T. Jones

**STATE OFFICES**  
For State Senator 30th Senatorial District  
A. J. (Andy) Rogers

Texas Legislature 89th Legislative District:  
J. W. (Jack) Walker, Jr.  
Plainview, Texas  
Leroy Saul, Kress, Texas

### F. H. A. NEWS

Could any one tell us why so many of the Silvertown high girls weren't seen any Saturday. Do you suppose they were resting? We imagine they needed to after the slumber party they had Friday night. We even heard they didn't sleep any all night. Is this true girls? Everyone who went reported a good time. They played games all during the night.

Some of the games were Little white house over the hill, Red rover, Two deep, London bridge, May I, Flying Dutchman, and Basketball. A great many of the girls were very sore the next day.

Cokes were served, all night and the girls brought lots of food. Junis Mercer brought her radio and the girls spent some of their time dancing. We heard one of the girls say that they thought they would stay up that late every night for the music was much better than earlier in the afternoon and night.

The homemaking girls have been cooking quite a bit lately. Thursday Miss Gunn was sick and the Junior girls proved them selves capable of doing all Miss Gunn had taught them. They cooked a meal consisting of fried chicken, salad, mashed potatoes, green beans, chicken gravy, hot rolls, cinnamon rolls, and ice tea. The meal turned out real well. Miss Gunn must be very proud of her third year girls.

Millie Marshall.

### SENIOR NEWS

There will be a lot of "fussing" fuodin' and a-fightin'" in town when the senior class put on their senior mid year play in the Silvertown high school gym on the evening of March 21 at 8:00 p. m. However, the excitement will all be on the stage, and its all in fun, and what fun the audience will have when they see this howlingly hilarious three-act comedy of hill billy life, which is called appropriately "Coming Around the Mountain." Written by the popular playwright and motion picture scenarist, Robert St. Clair.

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Joe Bomar.

### SECOND AND THIRD GRADE NEWS

We are very sorry to have lost Polly Clark from our third grade this week. She moved to Tullia. The following is our A honor roll for the last six weeks: Mona Kay Mayfield.

The following pupils made the B honor roll in the third grade: Polly Clark, Dewey Estes, David Tipton.

The following pupils made the B honor roll in the second grade: Kenneth Peugh, Anita Stout, La-quetta Chitty, Ann Wingo, Mary Jane Jacobs.

By Mrs. Wilmeth.

### THIRD GRADE NEWS

Eldon O'Neal has been out because of illness. This is Public School Week and we are glad to have visitors.

The following students made the A honor roll: Dale Francis, Norma Faye Rowland.

The following students made the B honor roll in the third grade: Joe Anderson, Freddie Funham, Bobby Brownlow, Doris Estes, Barbara Ferguson, Carol Grundy, Norma Lou Henderson, Joy Ann McCutchen, Darla Peugh.

By Mrs. Gill.

### SPORTS NEWS

Spring training started Tuesday, February 26. The team looks like it has a good chance for district next. There are 26 coming out and from the way it looks Silvertown will have a good football team for the next four years.

The seniors that played last year are helping the boys as much as they can. They have to stay in shape too for the future and x's game that is held the last of spring training. The other teams in the district had better watch out next year.

TRY A NEWS WANT AD.

### LOCAL BOYS ENTERTAIN WITH DANCE

Friday night Sam Lusk and Red Stephens gave a dance in the old Chevrolet house. Everyone attending wishes to thank Tony Burson for the use of his building. During the first part of the dance John Francis and Charles Jacobs played. During the last part of the dance records were used. Everyone who went reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Eddleman were the chaperons. Everyone who went also wishes to thank them for this.

Millie Marshall.

### SECOND GRADE NEWS

Two new pupils in the second grade this week are Janice Ellen and Ruth Fowler. Janice Ellen came from Sand Hill School and Janice came from Hereford.

The following pupils made the A honor roll in the second grade: Robert Hughes, Marsha Kay White, Barbara Kay Fisch.

The following pupils made the A and B honor roll in the second grade: Nancy Jane Brooks, Carolyn Garrison, Becky Mallow, Sandra Mercer, Joyce Thomas, Edith Miller, Edna Archer, La-Juan Curby, Larry Elms.

By Miss Anderson.

### FIRST GRADE NEWS

We have been having good attendance in our first grade.

We are glad to have Tommy Singleton back in school.

Jim Edd Steele is going to be gone a few weeks to New Mexico.

Our best speller for this week is Evelyn Gamble.

By Mrs. Elms.

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### FIFTH GRADE NEWS

The following students made the A honor roll in the fifth grade: Susie Anderson, Joy Gatewood, Paula Reid, Jerry Dee McWilliams.

The following students made the B honor roll: Diane Fogerson, Peggy Grundy, Mary Jane West, Dyrle Maples, Richard Jarnigan.

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Mrs. Alta Wylie, of Friona, visited Mrs. T. P. Jasper last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Steele and Mrs. W. E. Redin, left Thursday for Truth and Consequence, New Mexico, where they will take treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brown and family spent the week end in Erick, Oklahoma, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cogdill.

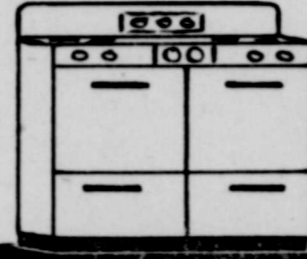
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Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner, John Vaughan and Mrs. Jeff Simpson visited in Turkey Sunday with Mrs. Simpson's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rowell, who have been at Midland for the past three months returned home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Brown and family, of Plainview, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown.

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## W. S. C. S. Met Monday at Methodist Church

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church met Monday, March 3, with eleven members present. Mrs. Gordon Montague presided at the business session. Mrs. M. G. Moreland was elected as a delegate to the Methodist Texas Conference to be held in Amarillo on April 1, 2 and 3. Mrs. Arnold Turner was elected alternate.

Mrs. Arnold Turner was leader of the program. "Workers Together With God". Mrs. Joe Smith gave the devotional; Mrs. Gordon Montague and Mrs. Orville Turner gave interesting parts.

Mrs. M. G. Moreland gave a report on the zone meeting held

## SCHOOL NEWS

Anne Brown a member of the sophomore class was born November 1, 1935. Anne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown. She started to school at Silverton and has gone here ever since. She is 5 feet 2 inches tall and weighs 110 pounds.

## FOURTH GRADE NEWS

The following students made the A honor roll in the fourth grade: Marsha Monroe, Frankie Lou Hunt, Bobby Crass.

The following students made the B honor roll in the fourth grade: Jimmy Smith, Louis Ed Grabbe, June Elkins, Gloria Brownlee, Ronold Johnson, Gutchen Morris, Barbara Shipman, Carla Dean Miller, Joyce Thornton, James Clemmer, Glenda Ray McWilliams.

By the Fourth Grade.

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at Lockney on February 21, then dismissed with a prayer.

Our study for March will be "Churches for our Countries Need." Monday, March 10, is the beginning of this study and will last four weeks. All members are urged to attend.

Reporter.

Vardman Smith of Pampa, and Chester Smith, of Eldorado, Arkansas, visited last Wednesday with their sister, Miss Bonnie Smith, who was a patient in the local hospital. They moved their sister to a Pampa hospital for further treatment. Mrs. Smith accompanied her daughter and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson, of Lockney, attended the stock show here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Olive, of Petersburg are the parents of a

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Bonnie Smith.

#### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends for the gifts, cards and flowers I received during my recent stay in the hospital. Your kind thoughtfulness of me was deeply appreciated.

May God bless each of you,  
MRS. R. M. HILL.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coffee and daughter, Kathy, of Datil, New Mexico, visited here last week with Mr. Coffee's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. Coffee, Jr.

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#### PERSONALS

Miss Joyce Hardin, of Lubbock, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hardin.

John Earl Simpson spent the week end in Dallas and Fort Worth on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glover's new home that has been under construction for sometime has been completed and they moved Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Florence Fogerson and Mrs. Pearl Simpson spent the week end in Canyon with Mrs. Fogerson's sister, Mrs. Maude Long. Sunday afternoon they drove to Amarillo where they visited another sister of Mrs. Fogerson's, Mrs. J. D. McElroy, who is a patient in the hospital.

Carol Davis, Wayne McMurtry and Pat Northcutt, of Roswell, New Mexico, spent the week end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Davenport, of Wellington, spent Wednesday night in the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Will Newman.

### Mrs. Jimmie Howard Shower Honoree At Tulia

Mrs. Jimmie Howard, the former Doris Gunkey, of Tulia, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. L. G. Conner, in Tulia, Saturday, February 9, from 3 to 5 p. m.

Assisting hostesses were Mesdames Paul Wimberly, Joe Palmer, Jewell Whitsett, Bun Hale and Misses Merlene Hulén, Genevieve Heckman, Doris Roper and Margaret Peugh.

Mrs. Conner greeted the guests at the door. In the receiving line were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. O. L. Gunkey and the grooms mother, Mrs. A. A. Howard. Mrs. Jimmie Howard wore a corsage of yellow carnations. Mrs. Gunkey wore a corsage of red roses and Mrs. Howard wore a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. B. C. Edwards, sister of the bride presided at the guest book. Doris Roper and Margaret Peugh were dining room hostesses. Gift room hostesses were: Merlene, Genevieve Backman and Mrs. Bun Hale.

In the diningroom the valentine motif was carried out in the attractive centerpiece of red carnations banked with twin candleholders bearing white tapers and the tea service in crystal and silver.

Refreshments were spiced tea, heart shaped cakes in white and red and nut baskets containing a heart with the names Doris and Jimmy.

Approximately 85 guests registered and brought gifts.

Those attending from Silverton were: Mrs. A. A. Howard, the grooms mother; Mesdames A. P. Dickenson, A. H. Chappell, H. P. Howard, Floyd B. Williams, G. N. McGavock and Bill Cannon of the Providence community, sister of the groom.

Others sent gifts who were unable to attend.

#### BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Don Garrison are the parents of a baby girl born February 28, 1952 in the Tulia hospital.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and deep appreciation for the many kind acts of sympathy expressed by thoughtful friends and neighbors during the passing of our father, brother and uncle. May God bless you all.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Murdock, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Brooks, Mrs. A. T. Brooks, Sr., and family

#### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to everyone who helped to extinguish the fire that was started by accident.

To the City and City Fire Department and each individual. Thanks a million.

Bill Hardin.

Mrs. Jeff Burson, of Plainview, visited several days last week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Bomar, Jr., and family, of Tulia, visited relatives here Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards, of Happy, were business visitors here Friday.

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