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100,000 ACREAGE FOR BRISCOE COUNTY INCREASED FOR 1959

Cotton acreage allotments for Briscoe County have been increased by 1332 acres through selection of the alternate Choice (B) Program by cotton producers. Operators of 55 farms selected the Choice (B) Program for their 1959 cotton crop. Allotments for these farms were therefore increased from a total of 3328 acres to 4660 acres.

The Choice (B) Program will therefore apply on 10.5 per cent of the total farms and on about 17 per cent of the total allotment acres available to producers in the county.

Out of the 25,688.0 acre county allotment 1,113.3 acres are included in 'Whole soil bank farms' and will not be eligible to be planted.

Nationally, 69,138 farms selected the Choice (B) Program for their 1959 cotton crop, for an increase of 1,017,830 acres. The total acreage for all farm allotments for 1959 cotton crops now stands at 17,327,830 acres.

The Choice (B) program will therefore apply on 7.2 per cent of the total farms in the nation, and on about 20.6 per cent of the total allotment acres available to producers for growing the 1959 crop. National figures on the amount of cotton acreage in 'Whole soil bank farms', are not available at this time.

Bobby Stafford Is Elected MYF Officer

Bobby Stafford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stafford of Silvertown, recently elected District Vice President of the Methodist Youth Fellowship. The meeting was held following a banquet presided over by Wendall Patterson, District President.

Luther Kirk installed the officers. This session was addressed by five members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship. After the business was completed, games were played by group.

Janice Thomas Gives Demonstration

Janice Thomas, Junior 4-H Leader with the Busy Bee 4-Hers, yesterday afternoon, gave a demonstration on the ten shrubs group to learn to identify, set up in the activity.

Joyce outlined the value of the fun to be gained by a member of the shrub study book in which she had prepared and mounted specimens of the ten shrubs. These were as to name, type and use. She will make a similar book. Joyce viewed live specimens of different shrubs, then toured of their leader to see in the natural state.

The group enjoyed having Joyce as their game leader, Janice as their song leader, and Carol Turner, president, as the business meeting.

Refreshments were served to the group by Mrs. Hester, Mrs. Minyard, Mary Schott, Mrs. Smith, Paula Turner, Mrs. Castillo, Joyce Thomas and Mrs. Obra Watson.

James Clemmer Wins Regional Essay Contest

James Clemmer is the eighth place winner in the annual Save the Soil and Save Texas Soil Conservation Essay Contest. This contest is sponsored by the Fort Worth Press. The essay medal will be received by Mr. Clemmer at the Region 1 awards dinner in Wellington on May 16. There were 30,000 essays entered in the state of Texas.

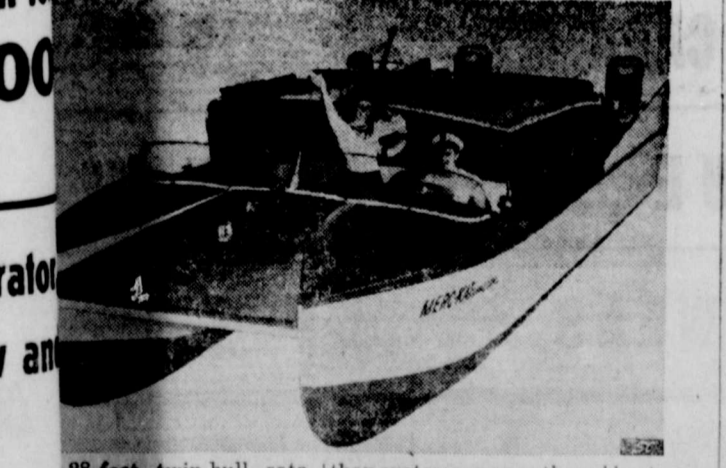
Local winners included Tommy Rhode and Bobby Crass, who tied for first place, James Clemmer, second and Sam Brown third place winner.

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Students Carbon Paper at The News Office

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Best 1959 Boats Have Twin Hulls For Rough Water Safety



28-foot twin-hull catamaran was the largest outboard in the New York and boat shows, which kicked off the 1959 boating season. Devoe Carl Klekhaefer, whose 'cat' cruiser is designed to stimulate new interest in safe and more comfortable boating. It was designed to ride smoothly and rough and open water, the way toward future hull development.

The 'cat' does not build up a bow wave, but it is reported to be a foot higher than customary on outboard boats for greater safety in rough water and following seas. With the showing of the boat, the company announced the industry's first motor with a 12-inch-longer shaft for higher transoms, and a new remote steering system of rods inside rigid conduit to replace the conventional rope-and-pulley system on longer hulls.

Built by Warren Gale of Ft. Pierce, Florida, the catamaran cruiser has a beam of 10 feet 4 inches, a free-board of 42 inches, and seats up to 20 people. The drivers cockpit is forward of the cabin for better visibility in cruising with a second set of controls at the afterdeck for use while sport fishing.

Helping Hand Club Meets in Lenton Lanham Home

The Francis Helping Hand Club met Thursday, April 9, in the home of Mrs. Lenton Lanham with Mrs. Jack Harris as hostess. Nine members were present and quilled a friendship quilt for Mrs. Harris.

A covered dish dinner was enjoyed at noon. The next meeting will be April 23 with Mrs. J. D. McGavock.

Safflower Meeting To Be Held April 17

A letter to the Briscoe County Agricultural Agent from the State Farmers Union Office at Denton, advised that there would be a meeting of interested potential Safflower growers at Silvertown the 17th of April at 2:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the County Courtroom pending further notice.

County Agent Ledbetter said there had been some interest of part of the farmers growing safflower in this area. The interest has primarily stemmed from the intensions of the National Farmers Union and a safflower processing group to establish an oil mill in the immediate high plains area.

Safflower is an oilseed crop that received some play in 1951 and 1952 in the high plains area when some 1,700 acres were planted. Much of this acreage was in the Perryton and Hereford area.

Safflower has been under test at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station for many years at Chillicothe. Other tests have been located at the Lubbock Station and on Paymaster Farm near Plainview. In 1951 variety, irrigation and planting date studies were conducted at the Paymaster Farm, cooperating with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. These results are available.

Farmers Bulletin, USDA, 'Growing Safflower' gives a great deal of information about growing safflower as an oilseed crop. This bulletin can be worthwhile to the potential safflower grower.

Growth and Care of Safflower

Safflower is adapted to both dryland and irrigated plantings in fertile, well drained, deep soils. Avoid shallow soils and alkali lands. Light clay or sandy loams are considered best for safflower.

Planting dates are from March 15th to June 1st. The success of earlier or later plantings are hazarded by frost, winds, and inadequate moisture and rainfall.

The rates of seeding for dry land: 20 to 25 pounds per acre; Irrigated: 25 to 30 pounds.

The planting method and care for dry land is to grain drill; for irrigated, rows 20 to 42 inches apart.

Early irrigation is important. Pre-irrigation for a well saturated seed bed is important. The first irrigation of the crop is usually applied when the plants are just beginning to branch. Light and frequent irrigations are preferred to fewer heavier ones. Avoid long rows and standing water when irrigating the crop.

Seed Cost: All varieties will be sold for \$10.75 per 100 pounds. CASH.

Marketing of the crop: Through local grain dealers designated by Farmers Oil Seed Mills.

Guaranteed market price of \$62.00 per ton basis of clean, marketable seed.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brown made a trip to Fort Worth last week. They visited the S. P. Brown children on the trip.

Quitauque Man Purchases Grundy's Grocery

Mr. Buddy House, of Quitauque, has purchased the holding of Bert and Jean Grundy who have been operating as Grundy's Grocery. Mr. House, his wife, Loretta, and their children, Dee Dee, 16, David, 13, and Sandy, 12, are natives of Hale County. They have lived in Quitauque for the past few years where they have operated a grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. House plan to move to Silvertown just as soon as they are able to find a place to live. They are members of the Methodist Church.

Jean Grundy, who has been manager of the store, plans to stay on as an employee of House Food.



DOUG LAWYER

Gospel Meeting at Church of Christ

A cordial welcome awaits you at the gospel meeting to be held at the Church of Christ in Silvertown beginning April 20 and lasting until April 26. Services will be held every morning except Saturday at 9:30 a.m. and every evening at 8:00 p.m. except on Sunday when the services will begin at 6:00 p.m.

Doug Lawyer of Lorenzo, Texas will be preaching.

Reminder City Clean-Up Campaign to Get Underway Monday

The residents who may still have belongings in the area struck by the tornado are advised again that on Monday, volunteer workers from the City of Silvertown will begin gathering and hauling away debris. The City Council does not wish to cause anything to be destroyed that is of any value to anyone, so the ones concerned in this matter should take necessary steps over the weekend to remove their property.

Also, the City is not responsible for the carrying away or burning of old trees and rubbish piled on various properties around town. Property owners are asked to take the responsibility for cleaning these unsightly places, so that Silvertown will be a town we can all be very proud of!

Mrs. Jack Stafford was called to the bedside of her father, D. Leach, who is in the Memphis Hospital, yesterday. Mr. Leach is reported to be about the same, but due to other illness in the family, Mrs. Stafford was needed there.

Mr. Melt Jasper is reported to be feeling better now that he is home from Lockney Hospital.

Owls Participate In Area Track Meet At Hale Center

Running on a muddy 6-lane track at Hale Center, the Owls Track team competed against Class AA, A, and Class B schools of the South Plains Area. All Classes were thrown together for the meet. There were 24 teams entered in the meet. Floydada took first place, Abernathy was second, and Crosbyton finished third in the meet.

Although the track was wet and muddy the Owls turned in some of their best times of the season. The Owls did much better in this meet than they did at the Crosbyton Relays last week.

Squad members making the trip were Bobby Crass, James Roy Brown, Jimmy Smith, T. D. West, Jerry Patton, Joe Anderson, Dave Schott, and coach Adams. Larry West was ill and unable to make the meet.

Silvertown qualified boys for the finals in the 120 yard high hurdles and the 100 yard dash. Bobby Crass took first place in his heat of the 120 yard High Hurdle

preliminaries with a time of 17.9 and came back in the finals to run his best time of the season with 17.3 and finished in 5th place against some of the best hurdlers in the area. Jimmy Smith running his first full flight of the 180 yard low hurdles, turned in a time of 24.5 and Bobby Crass got a 24.2 time. Both boys failed to qualify for the finals even though they both finished second in their heats.

James Roy Brown had a time of 11.3 and Jimmy Smith got 11.4 in the 100 yard dash. Brown was in a very fast heat and failed to qualify for the finals. His heat was won by Dunn of Southland in 10.3. Smith made the finals by finishing second in his heat. Jimmy was 6th place in the final race. The 440 yard sprint relay team composed of Jimmy Smith, Jerry Patton, T. D. West and James Brown drew the soaking wet 6th lane and finished 4th in their heat of the relay. Jerry Patton failed by only three-tenths of a second to qualify for the finals of the 220 yard dash. Jerry had his best time of the year with a 25.3. T. D. West brought in a time of 26.3, which is his slowest for the year.

Joe Anderson had his best performance of the season in the 440 yard dash with a time of 58.3. Joe Anderson and Bob Crass had a hard time in getting their footing for the High Jump. They both cleared 5 foot 4 inches and went out of the event at 5 foot 6 inches. Dave Schott participated in the Shot-Put along with T. D. West and James Roy Brown. All three failed to place against the strong teams from Floydada and Abernathy. James Brown finished 5th in the broad jump with a leap of 18 foot 10 inches. Jimmy Smith got 17 foot 2 inches for his best jump of the day.

In the last vent of the day, the mile relay-team made up of Bob Crass, Jerry Patton, Dave Schott and Joe Anderson ran a time of 4:45. This was the first time this relay team has competed in the race. They finished with the 6th best time of the day.

Next Wednesday and Thursday are the dates for the District 4-A track meet at Lubbock on the Texas Tech track.

Coach Adams thinks his team will bring home a few points from this meet. The members of the track team who will be making this meet are Bob Crass, James Brown, Jimmy Smith, Larry West, Joe Anderson, Dave Schott, T. D. West, Jerry Patton, Jerry Brannon.

Cotton Classing Office To Open In Memphis

MEMPHIS — Directors of the Rolling Plains Cotton Producers Association adopted by-laws for the organization at a meeting in Memphis last Wednesday and took the final steps to place the organization in full operation. V. C. "Zip" Durrett, president of the board, stated.

The organization will furnish a building and equipment for a cotton classing office to be located in Memphis. The office will serve a 12-county area including Motley, Cottle, King, Childress, Collingsworth, Donley, Hall Wheeler, Briscoe, Armstrong, Gray and Carson counties, and also some fringe area counties which are not major cotton producers.

Approval for the office was received from the U. S. Department of Agriculture on March 25. Work toward the establishment of the sub-office began back in December of 1958 when over 300 farmers from several counties met in Memphis and discussed the possibility of establishing such an office here.

Frank C. McClendon of the Dallas office of the Agricultural Marketing Service met with the farmers at that time and explained the procedure necessary for the establishment of such a sub-office.

A director from each county was selected and the board of directors began work. County agents in each of the areas conducted a survey for the Dept. of Agriculture to determine the desire of the farmers in relation to establishing the office here.

The results of the survey showed that the farmers were overwhelmingly in favor of a sub-office in Memphis.

The Dept. of Agriculture will furnish classers for the office and will pay the utilities during the time of the year the office is in operation, Durrett explained.

The Rolling Plains Cotton Producers Ass'n will furnish the building, equipment and take care of the maintenance.

The board of directors of the organization have decided that the best way to finance the operation is with a charge based on the bale basis which will be collected by the various gins in the area, the president said.

Average production during the past five years shows that by paying 25c per bale this year, the entire cost can be paid for and

Cancer Drive Goes Over Quota

The quota for the 1959 Cancer Drive in Briscoe County was set at \$650.00. The amount raised was \$672.00, with many of the workers not having reported at press time.

"We wish to thank the following citizens of Briscoe County for their co-operation in making this drive the success that it is," said Gene Morris, Chairman of the drive.

Mrs. J. L. West, Mrs. Joe McWaters, Barney Latham, Mrs. Garland Francis, Mrs. Fred Mercer, Mrs. Troy Burson, Mrs. Verlin Towe, Mrs. Roy S. Brown, Mrs. Perry Whittemore, Perry Whittemore, Mrs. Jack Strange, Mrs. Joe Mercer, Mrs. Arnold Brown, Mrs. Farris Martin, Mrs. Josephine Anderson, Mrs. J. W. Lyons, Jr., and Hugh Nance.

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Thinking Back

FIVE YEARS AGO. . . Silverton places second in district meet. Ina Lou Grabbe ranked first and Ronald Kitchens second in the Arithmetic Number Sense. Ann Lusk placed second in Senior Girls Declamation. Carl Gaunt placed second in the Junior Boys Declamation and third in the boys division of Extemporaneous Speech. Ann Lusk placed first in the girls division of Extemporaneous Speech. Lou Grabbe placed second in Slide Rule. Faith Barrett placed first in Typewriting. Paty Cross placed first and Faith Barrett second in shorthand. Silverton took four second places in Tennis events. John Ivey Woody was absent from the "You All Come" presentation. His award would have been \$25.00 had he been present. Mrs. P. H. McKenney was awarded \$15.00 and Mrs. A. J. Rowell \$10.00. They had visited Nance Food Store. Miss Gloria June Stevenson, student nurse at Memorial

F. M. Autry breaks hip . . . Rayburn Burgess returns to Norman Oklahoma University . . . T. M. Marshall is building new home . . . "Just Ducky" is Senior class play . . . Local teachers hosts to Quitaque Teachers . . . Among those attending the Floyd County Workers Conference at South Plains were Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod, Mrs. G. R. Dowdy, Mrs. A. H. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown, Mrs. Floy McClendon, Mrs. Ray C. Bomar, and Miss Eunice Cox . . . Jim Clemmer and Homer Stephens made a business trip to Quitaque this week . . . Lt. R. C. Hutsell honored with dinner . . . Miss Posey, of Rotan, Texas, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. Posey . . . Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sid Brown at Center . . .

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO. . . Chester Burnett, Commissioner of Precinct 4 asks for re-election . . . Owlet, Silverton High School newspaper, wins first place in Class C from the Plains district . . . Mr. and Mrs. George Weast entertained at "42" in their lovely South Plains home last week . . . NEWS FROM BOYS IN THE SERVICES COMES FROM: Jack Loudermilk, L. B. Loudermilk, Elmo D. Baird, Homer Gilkeyson, Freeman Tate, John Estell McGain, H. C. Peugh, Ted Childress, Bud Perkins, Lardin Verdell, Kelton Newman and Thomas E. Daniel . . . Dr. McCasland will be out of his office for a week. TWENTY YEARS AGO . . . Free permanents offered by Peggy's Beauty Shop won by Mildred Franks and Anna Bean. . . Clay Fowler made a business trip to Wichita Falls this week . . .

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Katherine Daniels spent the Easter Holidays in Floydada. . . Mrs. Bill Miller and children spent Sunday in Tulia. . . Gordon and Donald Alexander transacted business in Clarendon this week. . . Carl Bean who is attending barber school in Amarillo helped Ben O. King in the Barber Shop Saturday. . . Mrs. Dave Ziegler left Monday morning for Fort Worth where she plans to enroll at Sellers Beauty School. . . C. M. Chappell of south of Silverton purchases a reconditioned Farmall tractor and equipment from Tull Implement. . . Students home for the holidays were: G. W. Lee and Johnny Burson of Sul Ross; Joe Burson, Anis Fowler and Quentin Gill from Tech. Taylor Williamson and Otis Gregg from John Tarleton; Wynona Bomar, Gaynelle Douglas, Elmo "Walling", Marvin Montague, Alma Ruth Thompson, Mildred Bean, Bera Davis, Dorothy Dickenson and Dorothy Cross from W. T. Jim Haynes and Homer Sanders, Jr., from Texas University. Garner Guest from A. and M. Janie Schott from T.S.C.W. at Denton, Carl Bean from Amarillo and Mildred Bean from Wayland. . . THIRTY YEARS AGO. . . Vigo Park is getting better road outlet to markets. . . Miss Violet Fisch makes Texas Tech honor roll. . . J. S. Fisher attends Lions meeting at Floydada. . . T. M. Nichols and Mrs. J. L. Cosby let contracts for structures on the West side of the square. . . W. L. Waters went to Childress delivering a load of kaffir seed while over there. . . Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clayton attended church at the Francis school house last Sunday. . . Arthur Gregg, who is working in Quitaque, spent Saturday with his family here. . . The list of places in the literary events of cludes: Senior Essay—Jack Wright first; Senior Spelling—Rheua Alexander and Herbert Davis, Girls' Declamation—Elva Wright, first; Mildred Jackson, second; Senior Boys' Declamation—Herbert Davis, second; Story Telling—Rose Morgan, first; Junior Girls' Declamation—Elsie Graham and Ona Dell Guest, first; Junior Boys' Declamation—Joe Lemons, first; G. W. Lee, second; Junior Spelling—Faye Dean Lee, first; Conrad Alexander, second; Sub-Junior Spelling—Wilma Dickerson, first. Honor Roll for March, 1929: FIRST GRADE—Jozelle Hodges, Rose Morgan, Daphne Ferne Blackwell, Norma Alexander, Wilma Joyce Smithee, Waldene Vaughn, Wilene Bomar, Eugene Whitely, Beryl Long, Roy Thomas, Minyard Long, Oscar Ragland, Jr., and Mary Lee Kendrix. . . SECOND GRADE—Anna Mae Busby, Lewin Buell, Jim Cline, Ray Summers, Ona Blocker, Della Braly, Helen Cain, Lillia McCain, Nadine Bowen and Georgia Kirk. . . Third GRADE—Alma Ruth Thompson, Nora Mae Thompson, Joe Burson, J. S. Long, Bertie Castleberry, Elma Walling, Lavelle Montague, Morris Dillard, Jim Tom Nichols, Jean Alexander, Lois May Cox, Perry Thomas, and Marvin McCain. . . FOURTH GRADE—Anis Fowler, Mary Elva Allard, Gaynelle Douglas, Wyona Bomar, Wilma Dickerson, Nelma Moore, Lucille Yates, and Alma Lee Smith. . . FIFTH GRADE—Alynn Bain, Lois Hodges, Jessie Buchanan, Delsie Blackwell, Norma Lee Burleson, Edith Hooper, Ruth Thomas, Dorothy Dickerson, Wallace Alexander, Douglas Tibbetts, Lloyd Hodges and Emry Mills. . . SIXTH GRADE—Berton Hughes, Lorena Yates, Joe Earl Haynes and Willie Mae Dillard. . . SEVENTH GRADE—Ware Forgerson, Jim Haynes, Joe Lemons, Ruth Braly, Jonnie Bundy, Elsie Graham and Ora Yates. . .

CAP ROCK SOIL DISTRICT NEWS

We have recently received word from the Kress Nursery in Plainview that the potted Arizona Cypress trees are ready for delivery. Those who applied for assistance through the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District in obtaining

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FOR SALE OR TRADE: Known as old Joe Smith house. Make a bid. Bill Hardin, Silverton. 16-2tp.

FEMALE EMPLOYEE WANTED: Experience is not necessary. If you have a car and are ambitious to earn more money than you ever believed possible please write or phone, giving age, weight, background, marital and family status. Jack Mezell or Evelyn Clark, 204 West 16th, Amarillo. Dr. 6-4363. 16-2tc

ARENA DRIVE - IN

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Inger Stevens

Wednesday and Thursday, April 22-23
"THE JOURNEY"
Deborah Kerr
Yul Brynner

these trees at special rates may pick them up at their convenience. Those who have applied for District assistance include Allen Kellum, Roy Beasley, Sam Lewis, Tom Barbee and Chester Burnett. Others who are interested in obtaining trees may still submit requests at the S.C.S. office for assistance.

Sue Lynn Allard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Deane, has been a patient in St. Hospital in Amarillo. Fred Brannan is reported to be doing nicely after eye surgery at St. Hospital in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray were in Amarillo one of last week. They were Cowart, of Palo Duro, a former Silverton resident. Jim Crow, Both men are in Northwest Texas.

Dr. Lynn McOPTOMETRIST
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The Briscoe County News

Weather Predicting Peculiar Knack of Seminole Indians

WASHINGTON—Still relatively primitive, the Seminole of the Florida Everglades predict hurricanes as much as a month in advance. They have their own curious version of the great Flood of Noah and an even more curious creation legend in which the story of Cain and Abel is mixed incongruously with the Christian tradition. Punishment for crime is usually in the form of whipping administered by a relative. For murder the penalty can be death at the hands of the family of the offender, if it is inflicted within 5 days. Otherwise the slayer gets a respite until the next "Corn Dance," which may be several months away.

These are among the beliefs and customs of the Seminole related by Dr. Frances Densmore, research associate of the Bureau of American Ethnology, in a publication on the music of these people issued by the Smithsonian Institution. Ability of the Indians to predict disastrous storms far in advance puzzles weathermen. For instance, Dr. Densmore relates, the great hurricane in the fall of 1926, one of the worst ever to hit the area, was known to the Indians at least 4 days in advance. They were so certain of it that they persuaded the Indian agent to move all his charges to a safe place, and thus they were entirely prepared for the catastrophe.

Rare Disease Puzzled Doctors

CHICAGO—A case of "seal finger," a disease usually found only among Scandinavian sealing expedition members, has been reported in the midwestern United States. The disease, called "Spekkfinger" (blubber finger) in Scandinavia, occurs so rarely in this part of the world that it has been described in American medical literature only once before.

The midwestern case occurred to a St. Louis fur company employee who worked as a blubberer scraping fat from the inside of sealskins during an expedition to the Pribilof Islands in the Bering Sea. Near the end of the season, one of his fingers, which had been cut, began to swell and become painful. American doctors, unfamiliar with the disorder, unsuccessfully treated it with "hot soaks," lancing and draining, and finally penicillin. Eventually an older company official suggested it might be seal finger. Tetracycline was given and the finger healed.

Marquis Once Refused To Kiss Hand of Lady

WASHINGTON—A pair of gloves now in the Smithsonian Institution recalls an incident in the early history of Baltimore. They were worn by a belle when the Marquis de Lafayette visited the Maryland city. When he met the lady, the Marquis bent gallantly to kiss her hand, only to halt short of performance.

There, staring him in the face, was his own portrait, carefully worked on the back of the lady's glove. Lafayette could not, he explained, kiss his own likeness. Many of today's gloves do much more than serve their basic purpose of warming and decorating the hands. Special gloves are now made for special purposes. To name a few, there are fireproof gloves, rubber gloves for surgeons and electrical workers, and electrically heated gloves. A surgeon's glove impregnated with lead has been perfected to allow doctors to work with their hands constantly exposed to x-ray.

Extra Leisure Time Changes Way of Living

NEW YORK—Increase of leisure time is bringing the United States and other modern industrial nations to a new stage of civilization, says August Hecksher, Director of the Twentieth Century Fund. "The working day has been shortened," Mr. Hecksher notes. "Two decades hence the five-day work week is almost certain to have been reduced to four. Vacations have been lengthened, and meanwhile at both ends of the life span—in youth and in age—the period uncommitted to a regular occupation has been extended." Free time—and perhaps leisure time—is now within the grasp not of a small group of society as it has been through most of history; it is promised for all, and all seem determined to pursue it as a goal, Mr. Hecksher says. "The consequence," he points out, "must not only affect the economic system, but the whole quality and texture of the country's life."

Texas Is Host
AUSTIN, Tex.—The State of Texas was host to 8,400,000 out-of-Texas visitors in 1956. They spent \$379,000,000 while in Texas. A survey by the State Highway Department indicates that the average visitor spent \$7.71 per day.

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Grade School News

FIRST GRADE

Mrs. Elms
We have added the name of Rosa Mariscal to our roll as a new pupil. Our attendance for the past six weeks period was 95%. We are rapidly completing our workbooks and are progressing much faster in all our subjects now. We have decorated our room with tulips, jonquils and roses. The children have been bringing real jonquils and iris to school for the classmates to enjoy.
We are planning and practicing on a program to be presented in assembly.

FIRST GRADE

Mrs. Trout
We are going full speed, trying to do our daily work and have enough time left for a rehearsal period. The March of Time Study Club has asked us to present our Easter program for their next meeting, April 16th. Although this calls for a little extra work we are very glad to have the pleasure of again getting to work on the stage.

SECOND GRADE

Miss Anna Lee
Carol Ann Montague and Johnny Roy Weaver were the two best story tellers in Miss Anna Lee's room this week. Carol Ann got to tell a story against the third grade. The two third graders won but we were proud of Carol Ann anyway.
We had two children that did not miss a word in spelling this last six weeks. They were Caron Montague, and Carol Ann Montague. Kenny Snow and Tobi Rowell only missed one.

THIRD GRADE

Mrs. Bragg
We had our regular Bird Club meeting Wednesday, April 8. Nancy Long is president. Terry Lee is the reporter and Roy Ann Bomar is secretary. Gary Weeks told a story. The roll was answered by naming a bird and flower of the same color. We will answer the roll next week by naming a state and its state bird. This week we are putting our language papers up on the bulletin board. We are trying to make them neat.

THIRD GRADE

Mrs. Wilmeth
We like the rain but we do get tired being house plants. We have had quite an interesting discussion this week on our ancestry. Some of us were surprised to know

that we were any thing except American. Kathie Maples was elected to represent third grade in Story Telling at Petersburg, Tuesday night, April 14th. Both groups of third grade have been invited to sing for a study club.
We are quite enthused about it.

FOURTH GRADE

Mrs. Williams
We are proud that the fourth and fifth grade won first place in picture memory at Petersburg, Tuesday night, April 7. We took up two figure multipliers, Thursday, April 9. We are really learning to do them fast. The Tadpole has legs that you can see now. He's really growing. We got our report card Wednesday and some of us were happy and some of us weren't.
The two groups of ants we had all died, now our ant farm is for rent.

FIFTH GRADE

Mrs. Rhode
The Picture Memory team won first place at Petersburg on April 7 in the Interscholastic League Meet. Each of the fifth graders made a score of 100%. The team was composed of Paula Turner, Wayne Rampley, Orlin Grabbe, and Joe Self from the fifth grade and Key Strange and Connie Dudley from the fourth grade. Silverton's score was 99 2/3; Crosbyton in second place had a score of 95 7/9. Much credit goes to Linda Fish who was the student assistant who helped drill the team.
Ruth Ann Minyard won second and Mary Lynn Schott won third in the school try-outs for declamation in the 5th and 6th grade.

FOURTH GRADE

Mrs. Bragg
Johnny McGavock won second in the boy's division try-outs here at school.
Joyce Lowrey, welcome to our school. We are glad that you moved here from Petrolia, Texas.
Fifth graders making 100 in Spelling for the six weeks are Paula Turner, Linda Fisch, Orlin Grabbe, Bailey Loyd, Sheila Maples, Wayne Rampley, and Joe Self.

SIXTH GRADE

Mrs. Turner
The sixth grade is happy to have two of its members to represent the school in sub-junior declamation. Sandi Rhode will represent the girls and Allen Thomas will represent the boys.
Those who received 100 in spelling for the last six weeks are Robert Bomar, Dianne Davis, Janice Lewis, Martha Mills, Sandi

Rhode, Martina Williams, and Joe Bob Watson.
Janice Lewis won first place in the junior division of the Briscoe County Spelling Bee held recently in Quitaque. Robert Bomar won second place in the junior division.

SEVENTH GRADE

Mr. Williams
Jealeta Eddleman won first in Declaration of the 7th and 8th grade group. Connie Hildebrand won third place.
Lester Grabbe, and Helen Sewis went to Petersburg in the Interscholastic League. Jerry Lynn Garrison was one of the two highest to win Ready Writing in the local contest.

EIGHTH GRADE

Mr. Wilmeth
Robbie Sue McJimsey won second place in the local try-out in the girls Junior Division. She won with "The Love of God".
In the boys Junior Division, Butch Norris won first with "The Creation".
Clela and Dwin were discussing the national history of America: Clela: Dwin, did you know that our forefathers settled this land that we are standing on right now?

GRADE SCHOOL INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE

The pupils of Silverton Grade School are happy of the success they are having in interscholastic competition in the new district.
Last Monday both the boys and girls won their first round of volleyball against Hale Center.

Tuesday night the contests in ready writing, spelling, number sense, and picture memory were held at Petersburg. Bill Schott and Jerry Lynn Garrison represented Silverton in ready writing. The results of the contest have not been determined at this time. Gerald Smith placed first and Jim Steel placed third in number sense. Lester Grabbe and Helen Louis were the entries in the seventh and eighth grade spelling division, and Janice Lewis and Diane Davis were the entries in the fifth and sixth grade division of spelling. Because of the stormy weather the director of the meet decided not to check the papers until later, so the results of the spelling contests are still unknown.
Wayne Rampley, Joe Self, Paula Turner, Orlin Grabbe, Connie Dudley and Kay Strange represented Silverton in the picture memory contest. The team won first place. Wayne Rampley, Paula Turner, Orlin Grabbe and Joe Self, all made perfect scores.

STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS

Hey Kids, don't forget the High School skating party to be held April 21 at Plainview Skating Rink Time 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. All Silverton High School students be sure to attend. We're sure you will have a "fallin' good time!"

"KID DAY"

On April 9, the day that had been selected as "Kid Day", the Seniors were anticipating a breath of spring in the air. However, their short skirts and knee pants were kissed by rain drops and snow flakes.

The Senior Class presented an assembly program which consisted of two short skits; "The Lamp Went Out" and "A Mock Wedding."

The 'kids' enjoyed eating with the primary classes at the lunch room.

Immediately following lunch, they donned traveling clothes and nineteen seniors accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Rampley and four parents went to Amarillo. They first went swimming at the YMCA then bowling at the Western Bowl. Some attended a movie while others tended to some late shopping.

Finally, about 9:00 P.M. the weary, but still happy group started for home.

Policeman: "I've had my eye on you for some time, Miss."
Reba Maples: "Fancy that, and I thought you were arresting me for speeding."

The declamation and story telling contests will be held at Petersburg next Tuesday, April 14, at 6:30 p.m. Butch Norris will enter the Junior Boys Division. Jealeta Eddleman, in the Junior Girls Division.

Allen Thomas and Sandi Rhode will represent Silverton in the Sub-Junior Division. Kathy Maples is entering the story telling contest.

The grade school track meet will be held at Lubbock April 20th. Silverton will have entries in most of the events held there.

F.F.A. NEWS

The Welding School which was held at Silverton High School on April 6-10, was of great educational value. Those attending the Welding School were Alton Riddle, Brandon, Fred Kellum, Elbert Stephens, Irving McJimsey, Harold Storie, Joe Harris, Walter Brandon, and Robert Ledbetter. Mr. E. Rogers was the instructor for the school.

THE OWL'S HOOT

— STAFF —

College Tips

by Mrs. O. C. Rampley

College officials throughout the country are urging high school graduates to begin their college careers in the summer, rather than wait until fall.

Some of the advantages offered by summer attendance are:

Most advisors on duty to guide entering freshmen.

Smaller classes.

More room for study in libraries.

Extra study time provided by light social calendar.

Smoother transition to college life at a less- hectic time of year.

College officials are particularly stressing summer courses in English and mathematics for entering freshmen. Students who develop their abilities in mathematics in English first usually show more satisfactory progress in other subjects.

One of the most difficult aspects of the transition from high school to college is the tremendous amount of writing to be done. By taking English in the summer, the student can reduce the amount of writing to be done during the long term.

By attending both summer sessions and long sessions, a student started for home.

You may obtain information concerning admission, dormitories, and other details of summer sessions attendance by writing the Registrar of the college you plan to attend.

Two ladies who had not seen each other for a long time met on the street.

"Oh, Mary, 'Blanche excitedly exclaimed, 'I've had lot happen to me since I saw you last. I had my teeth out and an electric stove and a refrigerator put in!"

Marsha: "Richard Jarnagin says he's going to marry the prettiest girl in town."

Gretchen: "The idea! Why, I've never even gone with him!"

STUDENTS WIN AT CROSBYTON

The Silverton High School students showed up very well in the District Literary Contest held April 10 at Crosbyton. This is our first year of competition in the new district and we are very proud of our contestants. Our students walked away with 6 first places, 3 second places, and 1 third place ribbon.

The individual winners were as follows:

Susan Anderson—first place, shorthand; Eulane Rackley—second place, shorthand; Robert Hughes—first place, extemporaneous speaking; John Mercer—first place, slide rule; Toni Rhode—first place, poetry reading; Robert Rhode—first place, number sense; Robert Rhode—first place Jr. declamation; Joy Morrison—second place, Jr. declamation; Linda Jones—second place, Sr. declamation; Doris Estes and James Clemmer—third place, spelling (team).

The district track contest will be held April 15 and 16 at Lubbock. The tennis contest will be held on April 18.

All regional competition will take place April 24 and 25 at Lubbock. We wish the best of luck to all of the contestants in the events to come!

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Peepin' Tom

Mistaken identity: Old Tom always thought T. D. and Carolyn were cousins until last week end.

I heard that Dale Francis and Carol Grundy became close friends last Friday—at least for the length of time that eight people were packed into the Rampley car.

I heard that after Sunday night Joy Morrison couldn't decide between Mike or Robert R.

Do all Ag teachers turn green when they smoke cigars?

It seems that James Roy and Bobby Crass instituted a "Twirp Night" of their own last Saturday.

Mr. Verden's wife's little sister was seen Sunday night with Dewey Estes sister's ex-boyfriend. Jerry Williamson did you really attempt suicide three times while on a fossil hunt?

Spring fever has hit grade school too! Rita Brown and Sandi Rhode are carrying a mill stone around their necks now!

It seems that Lonnie can't make up his mind. He wears one girl's ring on his little finger and another around his neck.

I heard that Jerry D. thinks Paula can make very good chocolate cakes.

LUNCHROOM MENU

THURSDAY, APRIL 16
Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Corn, Peach and Cottage Cheese Salad, Hot Rolls, Plain Cake with Icing.

FRIDAY, APRIL 17
Pork Chops, Baked Potatoes with Cheese, English Peas, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Chocolate Cake, Hot Rolls.

MONDAY, APRIL 20
Fish, Corn, Salad, Green Beans, Cottage Cheese and Pears, Bread and Milk.

TUESDAY, APRIL 21
Steak and Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Jello and Fruit Salad, Banana Pudding Hot Rolls and Milk.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22
Roast and Roast Gravy, Baked Potatoes and Carrots, Green Beans, Cottage Cheese and Pineapple, Hot Rolls, Milk.

BOOK REVIEW OF THE WEEK

THE EXECUTIONERS
By John D. MacDonald

How would it feel to have your life and the lives of your wife and children suddenly threatened by a half-insane man who had only recently been released from prison? This was the problem that faced Carol and Sam Bowden. Many years before, through an army experience, Sam had helped send Max Cady to prison. Now he was free and a vicious menace to Sam and his family. The law could do nothing, because they had no proof of any wrong doing. The family dog was poisoned, one of the children wounded in the arm from a gun shot, and many other breath-taking experiences followed. I think that you would thoroughly enjoy reading this book. It offers excitement and

FROM PAULA'S PEN

I clipped this from a newspaper the other day and thought it would be of interest to you.

LOYALTY OF PARENTS

When a youngster gets jam the first thing his parents ask themselves is "did I do wrong?" They then the years that have gone and wonder if they spannered their child too much, did they not strict enough, and on and on.

Unhappily there doesn't seem to be any pat answers. Most of the time their grief as best they can try to put the pieces of life back together. Yet, they succeed in retaining erring one they still where they, as parents, feel the first place.

Maybe they didn't fail to be any pat answers, which they had no control over that caused their to jump the track. So, piously proclaim that the no such thing as a bad girl, a bad girl, I can't quite if some of them are not inly bad they at least choose which is evil instead of which is good despite the of family inflexible.

Lately many of us have been concerned about the baseball that has come to Ray Camp the famous baseball player mobilized as the result of automobile accident, and his Their 15-year-old son, Dan, been charged with streeting and burglary.

It is reasonable to assume the boy's home environment good. There certainly is a highly respected baseball player than his father who went out of his way to youth groups and exert the of his reputation and in pointing out the wrong good conduct and the penable misconduct.

If the charges against the are true all of us can just the Campanellas in words "Why?"

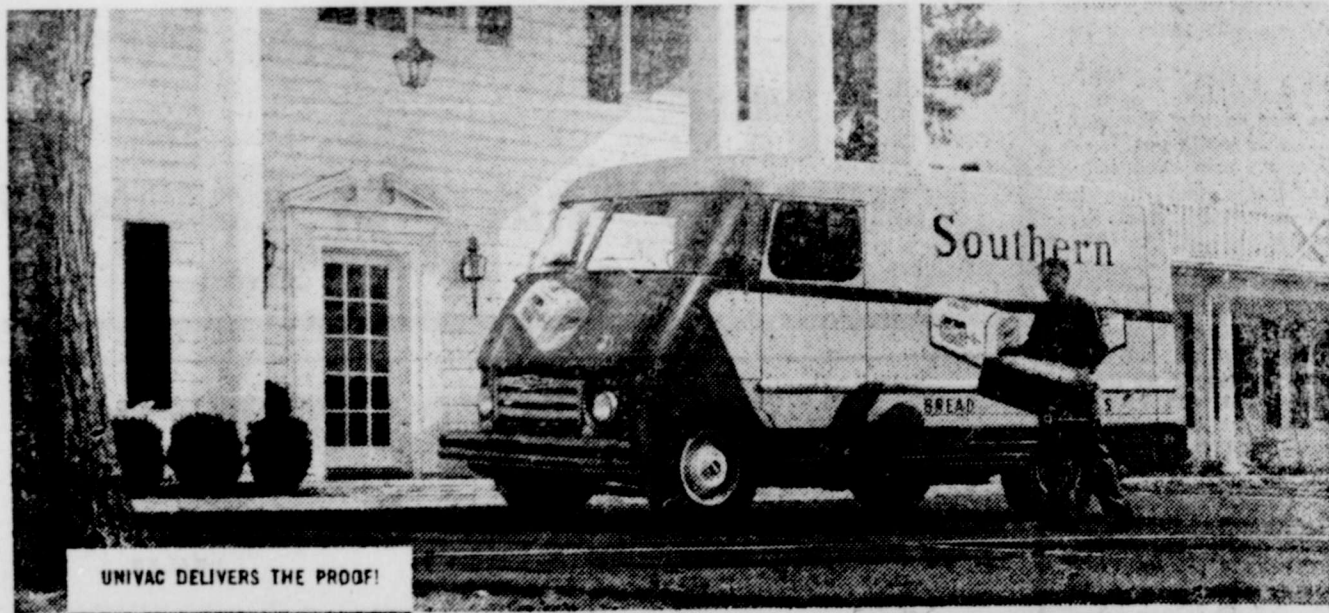
Those of us who are older no way of knowing what pressures and temptations are placed for young people when they away from home. We do that they have grown to world that is nervous and gain. We do know that they greater opportunities of having than ever before.

are given more freedom at when their judgement is mature and they haven't learned inexorable law of cause and effect.

But, with the saddened anellias, parents say—if parental fiber is as tough as—"The boy's my boy, I try to help him when he messed up." It may be that moment of greatest trial a parent may do more to save destruction one who is teen on the brink that at any time—Earnestine Rogers, Atlanta Journal.

suspense for its readers. Reviewed by Sam Brown

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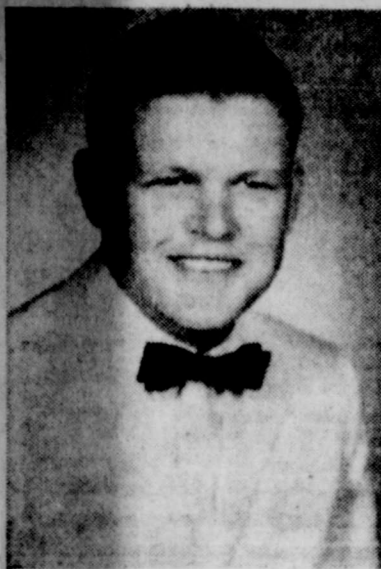
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Seniors of the Week

Fossil Hunt

by Jerry Williamson



J. E. Patton

YOU HAVE SEEN HIM: His name is J. E. Patton. He is 6 feet, 1 inch tall, has brown eyes and brown hair. J. E.'s birthday is November 22.

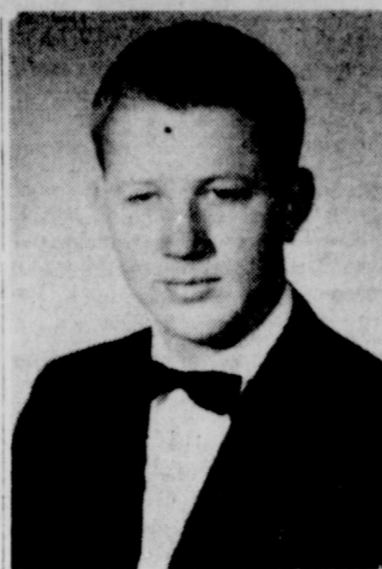
FAVORITE FOOD: Steak, Gravey, and Mashed Potatoes

FUTURE PLANS: To Coach

HIGH SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS: J. E. was Most Athletic, 57-58; Track, 3 years; Football, 3 years; Basketball, 3 years; captain of the Football team, 57-58, 58-59; Captain of the Basketball team, 58-59; J. E. made the All-District Football team 57-58, 58-59; All-District Basketball team 58-59; and Honorable mention High Plains Football team 58-59. He was also a member of the Senior play cast.

THE ONCE-OVER

When you look at this girl like pretty a



Calvin Shelton

YOU HAVE SEEN HIM: His name is Calvin Shelton. He is 5 feet, 7 inches tall, has light brown hair and green eyes. Calvin's birthday is July 7th.

FAVORITE FOOD: Steak and Chocolate Ice Cream

FUTURE PLANS: Have an Army career or become a farmer.

HIGH SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS: Calvin transferred at mid-term of 1957-58 from Tulia High School. He has taken an active part in all S.H.S. activities.

JUNIOR PLAY

Thursday, April 23, has been chosen by the Junior Class as the date for their annual play entitled "Rest Assured." Everyone who likes comedy will want to see this play. Be sure to see next week's paper for further information.

BIRTHDAYS

April 16, Richard Jarnagin
 April 17, Clifford Rowell
 April 20, Clinton Dickerson
 April 21, Lynn Smith

The Homemaker's Scrapbook

To save dishes, mix pancake or waffle batter in wide mouth jar ready to pour onto griddle. Leftover batter can be stored in refrigerator and thinned with milk when used again.

Remember breakfasts should always be attractive both for the family and for guests.

Use sheets for curtains and summer washables. It is real economy. In a double size sheet you get about seven square yards of smooth, sturdy, closely-woven, launderable material. Compare a sheet's cost with that of a similar quality washable dress fabric by the yard. You will find it pays to use sheets!

Are you concerned because your child will not eat much now that spring is here? Don't worry about it any longer, if he drinks at least 3 glasses of milk daily. If he refuses to drink milk, then you really have a problem!!

5th SIX WEEKS HONOR ROLL

These students have an A in each subject.

Freshmen: Barbara Fisch, Carolyn Garrison, Robert Hughes, Joyce Thomas.
 Sophomore: Celene Lanham.
 Junior: Marsha Monroe.
 Senior: Susan Anderson.



Norma Sue Gamble

YOU HAVE SEEN HER: Her name is Norma Sue Gamble. She is 5 feet, 4 inches tall, has blue eyes and blonde hair. Norma's birthday is April 27th.

FAVORITE FOOD: Fried Chicken and Ice Cream

FAVORITE PASTIME: Sewing and Watching TV

FUTURE PLANS: Business Career

HIGH SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS: Norma was a member of F.H.A., 3 years; a member of pep-squad, 3 years; and a member of the Senior play cast.



Elaine Stephens

YOU HAVE SEEN HER: Her name is Elaine Stephens. She is 5 feet 3 inches tall, has brown eyes and red hair. Elaine's birthday is June 24th.

FAVORITE FOOD: Liver

FAVORITE PASTIME: Riding horses.

FUTURE PLANS: To be a cowgirl

HIGH SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS: Elaine was Most Beautiful, 56-57; Who's Who, 55-56; F.F.A. Sweetheart, 57-58; Most Popular, 58-59; Cheerleader, 3 years; Lion's Club Queen, 59-60; Basketball, 3 years; President of F.H.A., 57-58; Member of F.H.A., 4 years; and a member of the Senior play cast.

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LINE FROM THE LIBRARIAN

By Glenna Wilson
 This is the month of April
 My favorite month of the year
 A month of newborn gladness
 Of freshness, hope and cheer.

As Winter is changing to Spring-time
 Beauty springs forth from the ground
 And all of God's creatures are singing
 What a glorious triumphant sound!

Showers fall on the lilacs
 I hear a mocking bird sing
 Oh, I fear I'm getting poetic
 In this wonderful month of Spring.

TULIA F.F.A. RADIO

OPENS TONIGHT

The Tulia F.F.A. Rodeo club is holding its annual rodeo starting tonight, April 16 and ending April 18. Shows begin nightly at 8:00 p.m. Prizes will be given in every event, including buckles, spurs and straps. A team trophy will be given to the boys with the most points, and chaps to the all around cowboy. Other featured events include musical chairs and barrel races for the girls.

The show promises to be bigger and better than ever before, according to J. M. Bradley, a member of the Rodeo Club.

BRAD WILSON SELECTED TO DEAN'S HONOR ROLL

Brad Wilson, a graduate of Silverton High School, has been selected for the Dean's Honor Roll for the first nine weeks of the second semester at Clarendon Junior College, Clarendon, Texas. The scholastic requirements to the election to the honor roll is a 2.6 grade average, or an A-, or above in all subjects pursued during the grade report period.

Mrs. J. T. Neese visited her sister, Mrs. Mattie Roden, in Memphis over the weekend.

Mmes. Bob McDaniel, Sr. and Sam Brown and James Cl...
 Jord Hollingsworth visited Jim attended Senior Day at Wayland
 Crow at Northwest Texas Hosp... College in Plainview last Saturday.
 Dinner was served the group and special entertainment provided.

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MRS. BIRDWELL IS HOSTESS FOR STUDY CLUB

Mrs. E. A. Birdwell was hostess when the Century of Progress Study Club met Wednesday, April 8, 1959.

Reports were given by members who attended the Seventh District T.F.W.C. Convention held in Borger. The Press Book sent in by the club won second place in the district.

Plans were made for the breakfast to be given in behalf of the honor students of Silvertown High School in the Fellowship Hall of the Baptist Church on April 14.

The program was "Women Designers in the Creative Arts". Lilli Dache was discussed by Mrs. Jack Strange. Mrs. L. D. Griffin gave a

talk on Hattie Carnegie. After this, the members modeled their own original creation in hats. Some were made of lamp shades, cabbage leaves and bread baskets. Mrs. James Davis was Narrator and Mrs. C. D. Bomar took pictures of the hilarious style show.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames C. D. Bomar, James Davis, L. D. Griffin, Robert Ledbetter, Joe Montague, O. C. Rampley, John E. Simpson, Jack Strange, Norman Strange, and Buster Miller.

Mrs. M. B. Boydston of Tulia spent Monday with Mrs. G. C. Boydston of Silvertown.

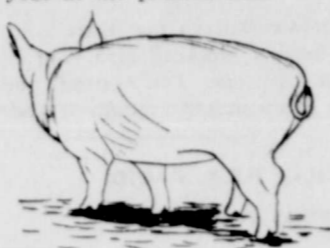
Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cavanaugh are on a trip to Marlin, Texas, and other points in south Texas to visit relatives.



Prepared by American Foundation for Animal Health

Farmers who raise hogs are becoming more concerned every year over the spread of erysipelas.

They do so with reason, because this swine crippler and killer has now climbed to second place in the nation as a top contagious disease of hogs... second only to cholera. It is costing farmers a booming total of over \$24,000,000 a year at the present time.



Enlarged joints are characteristic of one form of swine erysipelas.

The bacterium which causes erysipelas is really a tough one. It resists smoking, freezing, drying, and even pickling. It can linger in the soil for a long time, and then cause fresh outbreaks. It is often introduced into a clean herd by "carrier" pigs which harbor the germ without being sick themselves.

Hog producers experience their worst erysipelas losses from the acute form of the disease. This type of outbreak strikes suddenly. Pigs tend to remain in their nests, squeal if forced to move, walk on tiptoe, have poor appetites, and may vomit. Sometimes red or purple blotches and bumps appear on the skin. One of the confusing problems is that some of these symptoms also resemble cholera or other diseases, and it takes careful study by a veterinarian to make sure which condition has to be dealt with.

Another form, chronic erysipelas, produces arthritis, sometimes sloughing of the skin, swollen joints, and causes economic losses due to unthriftiness and stunting.

There are several steps to be taken against erysipelas. These include: 1) having pigs vaccinated in areas where the disease has been a problem; 2) isolating all newly-purchased animals for at least 30 days, to give latent disease a chance to show up.

It is also worth noting that the germs causing erysipelas can affect human beings, and some farmers and veterinarians working with swine have contracted a painful form of the disease known as human "erysipelas".

Mr. and Mrs. "Doc" Simpson have enjoying a trip to California this week. They left last Saturday for Los Angeles to visit Mr. Simpson's family and are expected home about next Saturday.

Costs Less Today

Air Conditioning Now Ideal Part Of Remodeling

Home owners whose remodeling plans include air conditioning would be wise to investigate the importance of insulation to home cooling.

When a house is insulated with 6 inches of mineral wool in the ceiling, a minimum of 3 inches in walls, and 2 inches in floors where needed, air conditioning costs can be cut in half.

This is because the efficient, heat-stopping qualities of min-



Home owner installs 6-inch batt of mineral wool in ceiling of new room that will be air-conditioned, heated electrically.

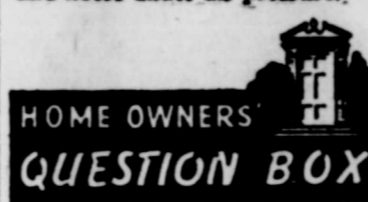


Workman insulates attic floor of house with mineral wool forced by air pressure through a long, flexible hose.

eral wool reduce heat penetration so effectively that a smaller, less expensive air-conditioning system can be used with good results.

In addition to this savings on the initial cost of equipment, its operating costs are lower because of its smaller size. A further benefit is lower bills for winter heating fuel.

These recommended thicknesses of mineral wool are available from building material dealers in batts or blankets. For older homes, mineral wool can be blown into walls, ceilings, and floors under air pressure.



Q—We need a new roof, but I'd rather economize and patch up the old one for now. How can I find the leaks without waiting for a rainstorm?

A—Don't patch it. It would be a waste of time and money since it is false economy to patch up an old roof. Here's why: a roof wears out uniformly and new leaks are bound to spring up soon after you patch the old ones. Besides, walking on the old roof may open up new leaks in the age-weakened material. If you really want to economize, apply an entire new roof of asphalt shingles in a color your family likes. This will give you years of trouble-free protection, add to the appearance of the house, increase its value, and save the cost and time of making futile repairs.

Q—Can electric heating be installed in an old house?

A—Yes. In fact, this is one of the advantages of electric heating. Equipment is designed to take up as little space as possible. There's no duct work or elaborate piping to install. It's simply a matter of running electrical cables to heating units in various rooms.

Q—Why do many items for the home, such as unfinished furniture and toys, come unassembled?

A—To save you money. Unassembled, the piece costs less to store and ship. This savings is passed on to the buyer.

Q—My blacktop driveway is full of pot holes. I hesitate to go to the expense of having it repaired professionally with a hot mix. Is a cold mix satisfactory?

A—Cold mix works just as well and will stand up as long as hot mix when it is used to repair blacktop.

Q—I want to hang an outdoor floodlight on my house. Will it be safe from weather?

A—Most fixtures for outdoor lights are waterproof. It's a good idea, though, to hang the light under the eaves if you can. This extra protection will double its life.

Q—We plan to put a new roof on our house and have been advised to leave the old roofing material in place, applying the new roof directly over it. What do you think?

A—Why not? If you use asphalt shingles, I can't think of any disadvantages to this procedure, but there are several advantages. You save money for one thing. It takes a lot of costly time and labor to rip off old roofing and try out all the nails. You also save cleaning up afterward, since the job of tearing off an old roof can leave an awful mess. Last but not least, leaving the old roof in place avoids exposing your house to elements in case a sudden storm blows up before the new roof is completed.

Q—As a do-it-yourself painter, I hate to wait for paint to dry. Does a commercial drying additive weaken paint?

A—Some commercial dryers may lessen the paint's durability. A new enamel now on the market dries in 15 minutes. Might be worth trying.

NOTICE

Century of Progress Study Club Members there will be a regular meeting held in the home of Mrs. John Earl Simpson on Wednesday, April 22, 1959. The program will be "Literature and Drama in the Fine Arts."

Mrs. Mattie Roden is here for a visit with her sister, Mrs. T. J. Neese.

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Reading of unapproved minutes of previous meeting of members; taking the necessary action thereon.

ENTERTAINMENT—

Report of Merrill Riggen, REA District Representative, on financial conditions and future prospects of Lighthouse Electric.

FREE LUNCH, 12:00 O'CLOCK NOON

ENTERTAINMENT 1:30 P.M.

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ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Report of D. B. Lancaster of Bailly County Cooperative and director of Texas Electric Cooperatives, on Legislation matters as they affect the Electric cooperative.

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Rev. James P. Patterson and Messrs. Edwin May, O. C. Maples and E. W. Yancey were in Amarillo on Tuesday of last week, where they donated blood at the Blood Bank for Jim Crow. They also visited Jim who is thought to be recuperating satisfactorily from recent surgery.

Mrs. A. F. Van Meter, of Quitaque, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Crow were in Amarillo on Thursday of last week. All visit-

ed Jim Crow at Northwest Texas Hospital. The ladies visited their cousin, Alfred Hunt, a former Silverton resident.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holt and son, Rex, returned home Tuesday from a trip to Dallas, where they visited Mrs. Holt's brother, Glen Seay who has been in Baylor Hospital. Mr. Seay is recuperating nicely from surgery. The Holts also visited her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Seay, in Dallas. While

Crusty Ham Patties with Spicy Apple Sauce



These ham patties can be readied in the morning and stowed in the refrigerator. Then bring them out to brown, and serve smoking hot with a savory lay-on of hot spicy apple sauce.

You'll find the ham patties most easy to prepare. The spicy apple sauce is made with canned apple sauce simmered with fragrant cloves, cinnamon and nutmeg. Happy thought: make double the amount of spicy sauce and save some for dessert the next day. Serve thoroughly chilled, with cream.

CRUSTY HAM PATTIES with SPICY APPLE SAUCE

- 1 12-oz. can luncheon meat
- 1/2 cup dry bread crumbs
- 1 tablespoon prepared mustard
- Few grains pepper
- 2 eggs
- 2 cups canned apple sauce
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cloves
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg

Grind luncheon meat with coarse blade of meat grinder. Add bread crumbs, mustard and pepper, mix well. Beat eggs slightly and add to meat. Shape meat mixture into patties; fry in a little fat until brown on both sides. Put apple sauce in another saucepan; add cloves, cinnamon and nutmeg. Simmer for 5 minutes, stirring occasionally. Serve hot on patties. Makes 4 servings.

enroute, they spent the night with the Edgar Holt family at Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Rober Barrett of Lubbock are the parents of a six pound twelve and a-half baby boy born April 11. They named their son Robert Lou. Grandparents of the baby are: Mrs. Lois Smithee and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Barrett of Silverton. Great-grandparents are: Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hawkins of Roscoe, Texas.

He received 2200 wings, which he thinks represented perhaps 10 per cent of the county harvest.

A Baylor county rancher who kept a record of bobs and blues told of taking 1030 quail off a two section rectangle. About two thirds of the birds were bobs. Influx from saturated range resulted in a still higher population by the end of the season.

Hotels, motels and restaurants in the area also did an overflow business during the quail season. One small store in Seymour sold 225 cases of shotgun shells, and another sold 120 cases. This is a town of 4000 population where most of the hunters were non-residents and could be expected to bring their own ammunition.

GAME & FISH NEWS

IN PANHANDLE SETS RECORD QUAIL HARVEST

AUSTIN — Reports coming in from the Texas Panhandle now indicate an exceptionally heavy harvest of quail during the season just recently closed, according to the assistant secretary of the Game and Fish Commission.

A. S. Jackson, wildlife biologist, provided a breakdown of information on several ranches. Warden Weldon Fromm of Matador reported 29 shooting preserves in his area, covering 30,000 acres, yielded 12,000 bobwhites and scaled quail. According to Jackson, this is an average of a bird harvested for every 2 1/2 acres. A bird per acre is a figure generally accepted as a maximum population attainable.

Warden Charles Boynton of Quanah broadcast an appeal through a local radio station for hunters to leave quail wings at a centrally located grocery store.

DAM BUILDERS STUDYING USE FOR RECREATION

Greater and more specific provisions for recreation and public use facilities in development of waterways and reservoirs should begin at the drawing board, according to Col. Walter J. Wells, Fort Worth District Engineer, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. He was writing in the March issue of TEXAS GAME AND FISH magazine. "Before Congress now is a bill which provides that recreational benefits and fish and wildlife resources be included as an integral consideration in the planning 'insofar as use for such purposes' does now impede or conflict with major purposes," he writes. He then points out that Maj. Gen. Emerson G. Itschner, chief of engineers, in a letter reiterated the policy of the Corps, recognizing the importance of recreation and public use aspects of Corps projects.

According to Col. Wells, current projections indicate 24 million visiting recreation seekers at the nine reservoirs in the Fort Worth area can be expected by 1965. By that time the area probably will have at least three more reservoirs.

THIS YEAR IS AN IDEAL ONE FOR WILDLIFE

This is a big year for animals of all species, according to the Director of Wildlife Restoration, Game and Fish Commission. Good rains and excellent vegetative growth following the dry years are responsible.

"There has been plenty of food and cover for nearly all of our wildlife," said the director. The cycle that followed has brought on an increase in population of all animals, small and large.

The small species such as the birds, rabbits, rats and mice, found enough food and cover pre-

sent to take care of larger families. So, they had larger families. This increase in small animal populations encouraged an increase in the larger animal populations such as the mountain lions, wolves, coyotes, and bobcats, which prey on the smaller species.

"There will be more bobcats

in the brushland this year than in any year since the drouth period," said the director. "It's a natural trend under such ideal conditions. This is the year when some animal populations will reach their peak."

One indication that animals naturally produce larger litters when

conditions are good, is the recent discovery of a bobcat with five unborn kittens. Just three days after this find, the same trapper killed another cat. This one would have given birth to seven bobkittens, had it been spared. The average litter for this animal is two or three.

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Award Given New Car Dealer For Safety Training

A certificate of merit for lending an automobile to the high school driver training program was received this week by Simpson Chevrolet Co. authorized dealer in Silvertown.

The award was made to the dealer by the Texas Automobile Dealers Association, the state-

wide association of factory franchised dealers whose members have for more than 10 years loaned cars to high schools for "behind the wheel" driver education. The vehicles are loaned without charge, as a public service.

The local company loaned an automobile to the Silvertown High School which has instructors qualified to teach the fundamentals of actual driving, as well as the theoretical aspects of proper use of today's modern motor vehicle.

Officials of the state new car dealers association describe the driver training program as a

most important part of the campaign to cut down the accident rate of teenagers and those in the early 20's age group. "Youthful drivers are the reservoir from which future operators of motor vehicles are siphoned," said Sam H. White, Houston, President of the association. "As the sellers of motor vehicles, our members who have loaned these cars are glad to do everything possible to give them as much advance training as they can."

Records show that students who have been graduated from a high school driver training class have little trouble passing the driver's license tests, and upon being licensed usually make better drivers than those who have not had such training.

Authorized new car dealers have more than \$1,000,000 invested in automobiles on loan to high schools throughout the State for this purpose, according to an estimate by Tom J. Crooks, Manager of the association at Austin.

In addition to cars loaned for driver training, many dealers lend cars to FFA and 4-H Clubs so agriculturally minded youths may become familiar with the operation of at least one type of vehicle used in agriculture.

Shortage of teachers qualified to instruct in "behind the wheel" classes prevents a wider participation in the program by both schools and dealers.

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SIMPLE SOLUTION



The simple solution for the German problem, according to Daniel Tracy of Hoboken, New Jersey, is to unite all Germany into one nation with total disarmament for ten years, after which Germany is to join it any limitation of armaments in effect at that time.

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PARENT-TEACHERS ASSN SERVED STATE'S CHILDREN FOR 50 YEARS

The 56th Legislature has gone on record commending the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers for its 50 years of service to the children and youth of the state. Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 49 was sponsored by Senators A. M. Aikin, Jr., Paris; Grady Hazlewood, Amarillo, and D. B. Hardeman, San Angelo.

The complete text follows: Whereas, The Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, through its five original objectives, works:

To promote the welfare of children and youth in home, school, church and community;

To secure adequate laws for the care and protection of children and youth;

To bring into closer relation the home and the school that parents and teachers may cooperate intelligently in the training of the child;

To develop between educators and the general public such united efforts as will secure for every child the highest advantages in physical, mental, social and spiritual education; and

Whereas, This organization will observe its 50th anniversary in October, 1959; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the 56th Legislature to extend hearty congratulations on attaining this milestone; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, that we express our deep appreciation to the Congress of Parents and Teachers, and to its individual members, for the excellent service it has rendered in behalf of our children in this state during the past five decades; and that this great organization be encouraged toward continued success in its mission.

The Resolution was signed by Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey, San Augustine, and Speaker of the House, Waggoner Carr, Lubbock.

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Care Is Worth the Trouble

Don't Skip Small Spaces When Insulating

Warning to do-it-yourselfers: The fact that a building material is easy to apply is not a license to do a careless job.

This is particularly true of insulation. Because insulation is later hidden by other materials, it's tempting to skip small spaces. But when this is done, the effectiveness of the insulation is reduced greatly, far out of proportion to the seeming neglect.

Narrow stud and joist spaces require that mineral wool batts and blankets be cut to fit. The photos at the right show how:

1. Measure the space to be filled.
2. Mark width on back of the batt, the side without flanges on the paper covering. Cut the batt a little oversize so that it will fit snugly.
3. Cut with a straight-edge and a sharp knife. Do not cut through the thicker, vapor-barrier covering underneath.
4. Cut the vapor barrier about 1 inch away from the mineral



wool proper in order to leave a stapling flange. Cut flanges at ends for stapling at top and bottom wall plates.

5. Staple insulation in place. Vapor-barrier flange overlaps flange of batt in adjoining stud space.

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