

Briscoe County Farm Tour Slated Wednesday

The Briscoe County Farm Tour has been set for Wednesday, August 30, according to County Extension Agent Earnest Kiker.

The tour will begin at the courthouse in Silverton at 9:30 a.m.

Topics scheduled for the tour will be cotton varieties (early maturity, Verticillium Wilt resistant, nematode resistant), grain sorghum varieties, Koshia hay, Alicia grass and cotton and grain sorghum insects.

According to Kiker, the following Extension specialists will be here from Lubbock: Dr. James Supak, cotton agronomist; Dr. Zoel Daughtery, grain sorghum; Dr. James Leser, cotton entomologist; Dr. Pat Morrison, grain sorghum entomologist, and Dr. Robert Berry, area plant pathologist.

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Services Today For Mrs. Mary Cross, 91

Funeral services will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. today (Thursday, August 24) at the First Baptist Church in Silverton for Mrs. Mary L. Cross, 91. Officiating will be Bro. Earl Cantwell, minister of the Rock Creek Church of Christ, and Rev. Royce Denton, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Cross died at 1:15 p.m. Monday at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tullia. She had resided 12 miles northwest of Silverton for 65 years.

Born March 2, 1887 in Montague County, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Heckman. She married Ashel Cross on January 24, 1907. He preceded her in death in 1948.

She was a member of the Non-Denominational Christian Evangelist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. George (Dorothy) Martin, Silverton; two grandsons, Gary and Van Martin, both of Silverton; two great-grandchildren, Dustin and Vanessa Martin, Silverton; four nephews, Cecil Heckman, Ulysses, Kansas, Lowell Heckman, Pampa, Ray Heckman, Claude and Melvin Heckman, Amarillo; and six nieces, Mary Ethel Bond and Irene Tyler, both of Clarendon, Lorene Johnson, Torrance, California, Leola Gilmore, Amarillo, Dorothy Jo Ellis, Dumas, and Billie Fay Sluder, Clovis, New Mexico.

Services Held Here For Miss Eunice Cox

Funeral services were conducted at 11:00 a.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Silverton for Miss Eunice Cox, 84, who died Friday at 12:01 p.m. at the Heritage Home in Plainview, where she had resided for the past three years.

Officiating at the services was the Rev. Royce Denton, pastor.

Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements under the direction of Lemons Funeral Home of Plainview.

Born March 1, 1894 in Tennessee, Miss Cox moved to Plainview from Silverton in 1953 and worked as a seamstress at the Plainview Hospital. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Plainview.

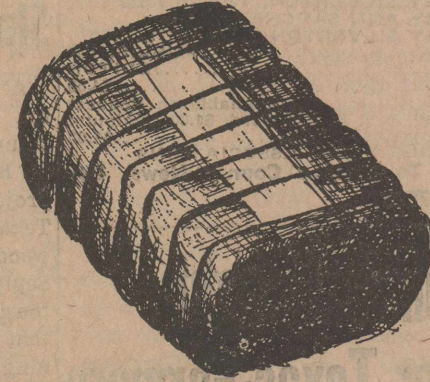
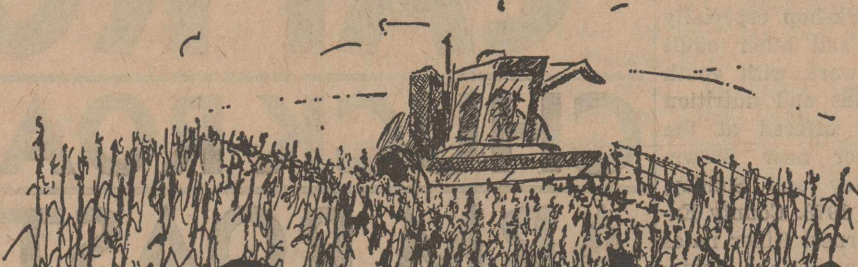
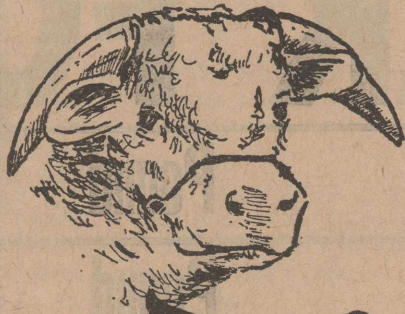
Survivors include one half-brother, Elmer Stinson of Plainview, and several nieces and nephews.

McGOWEN REUNION PLANNED AUGUST 27

The McGowen family would like to invite friends and relatives to the McGowen Reunion Sunday, August 27, in the Silverton School Cafeteria.

Ronda Grabbe flew to Boston, Massachusetts Tuesday to spend a week with her brother, Orlin Grabbe, and his family. Her mother, Mrs. Warner B. Grabbe, took her to Amarillo to emplane.

Silverton: Home of Scenic Lake Mackenzie



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High School Students To Register Next Week

High school registration has been scheduled for August 31 and September 1, with seniors expected to begin at 10:00 a.m. Thursday. They will be followed by the juniors at 1:30 p.m. that same day.

Sophomores are to register at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, September 1, followed by the freshmen at 1:30 p.m. that day.

The varsity cheerleaders will be selling red and white spirit buttons during registration for 50c each.

Teacher in-service training will be held August 30-31 and September 1 and 4. Students are to begin attending classes on Tuesday, September 5.

The other in-service training days for the teachers (when students do not have to attend school) are November 3, December 1, March 5, May 30-31.

Holidays scheduled for the school term are November 23-26, December 21-31, January 1-2, April 13-16.

Six weeks periods will end on October 13, November 30, January 26, March 2, April 12 and May 29.

First quarter tests will be given November 29-30; second quarter tests, March 1-2, and third quarter tests, May 28-29.

Graduation is scheduled for Thursday, May 31.

SCHOOL BREAKFAST

Breakfast will be served in the school cafeteria from 8:00 until 8:25 a.m. each school day. Those eligible for free lunch will be eligible for free breakfast. Regular breakfast price is 35c and reduced price is 10c.

SCHOOL LUNCH

Regular lunch price is still 75c, and the reduced price lunch is 20c.

KINDERGARTEN

The kindergarten will be operated in the same manner as last year, with the older children attending school on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and the younger children going to school on Tuesdays and Thursdays until the middle of the school term. At mid-term, the older children will begin attending classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and the younger children will go to school on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Mrs. B. J. Willis is in the process of contacting the parents of the children who will be in kindergarten to let them know which days they will attend school beginning in September.

Fair Association Seeking Exhibitors In This Area

The Floyd and Surrounding Counties Fair Association would like to extend to you a special invitation to exhibit at the Arts and Crafts Show and Sale to be held during the 1978 Fair. The show will be held on the upper level of the exhibits building from 11:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 16. Exhibitors will be charged a \$10.00 exhibitor's fee and may begin setting up exhibits after 8:00 a.m. Saturday.

This year's Arts and Crafts Show and Sale is being held in conjunction with the annual Old Fiddlers Contest, and is an excellent opportunity for you to display your talent to the people of the Floyd and Surrounding Counties area.

If you plan to exhibit at the Arts and Crafts Show and Sale, you are asked to contact Paul Koonsman, or call 806 652-3655 or 652-3351.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY BOOSTER CLUB

Silverton's Booster Club had a big turnout for its first meeting of the year Tuesday night in the school cafeteria. Officers elected for the coming year were George Reed, president; Buddy Brown, vice president; Carlye Hill, secretary, and Shirley Durham, reporter.

Don Cornett will be in charge of the concession stand.

There will be a work day at the football field Tuesday, August 29 at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited. A business meeting will follow.

Special guests Tuesday night were the coaches, cheerleaders, and football players. The cheerleaders and football players sang "Happy Birthday" to Coach Jerry Watson, and the Boosters joined in.

There will be a Pep Rally at the courthouse Thursday night at 8:00 o'clock. Everyone is invited to help boost the players for their scrimmage at Jayton Friday night.

There were 123 in attendance at Tuesday night's meeting. If you weren't there, you are extended a special invitation to attend the meeting next Tuesday night at 6:30 o'clock at the football field.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ray McWilliams of Stratford are parents of a son, Zachary Paul, born at 1:14 p.m. August 15 at Dumas Memorial Hospital. He weighed eight pounds and two and a half ounces, and measured 22 inches long.

He has a brother, Dee, who is five years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis and Mrs. Bess McWilliams, all of Silverton. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Stella Davis of Silverton and Paul Webb of Tullia.

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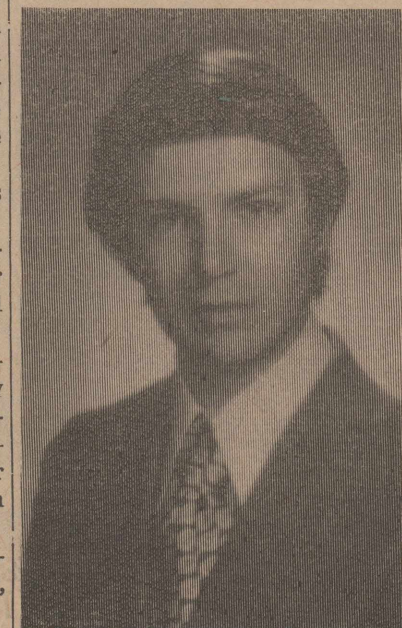
MELISSA GREENHAW

Rainbow Girls To Have Installation

Everyone is invited to the open installation of officers of Silverton Assembly No. 304, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, at 3:00 p.m. Saturday, August 26, at the Masonic Lodge.

Melissa Greenhaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Greenhaw, is to be installed as Worthy Advisor.

Other Rainbow Girls to be installed are Lisa Childress, Worthy Associate Advisor; Annette Fleming, Charity; Roxanne Bullock, Hope; Susie Tipton Faith; Scotti Fleming Drill Leader; Carol Stodghill Chaplain; Jan Reynolds, Confidential Observer; Rebecca Reid, Love; Donna Hale, Religion; Faye Lynn Perkins, Nature; Teresa Turner, Immortality; Traci Mayfield, Fidelity; Amy Perkins, Patriotism; Shelly Harris, Service; Rose Lee Perkins, Recorder; Barbara Edwards, Treasurer; Cynthia Hale, Outer Observer.



SAM B. BROWN

To Teach Voice, Piano At WTSU

Sam B. Brown will be teaching voice and piano at West Texas State University beginning with the fall semester.

Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Brown of Silverton, received his bachelor of music de-

Swimming Pool To Close Friday

The Silverton Pool will close for the season at 7:00 p.m. on August 25.

PEP RALLY TO BE HELD THURSDAY NIGHT

Silverton varsity cheerleaders are having an Owl Booster Pep Rally Thursday night (tonight) at 8:00 o'clock on the courthouse lawn.

"The boys are doing a great job and we want everyone to come and help us yell for them," said Rebecca Reid, head cheerleader.

Mr. and Mrs. Carver Monroe, Mrs. Robert Haley Hill and Greg, all of Silverton, recently attended the wedding of John Charles Emmitt and Miss Regina Bryan at the Presbyterian Church in Tullia. Also among the guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. David Miller of Roscoe and Dwain and Darrell Strange of Kress.

Math.....Miss Jo Kirkland
Science.....Miss Linda Doerfler
English.....Miss Cathy Woodyard
Business.....Mrs. Faye Rampley
Agriculture.....Mrs. John Thacker
Homemaking.....Mrs. Roy Reed
School Nurse.....Mrs. Margie Pinkerton
Librarian.....Mrs. Shirley Reynolds
Principal.....Mr. B. J. Willis
Superintendent.....Mr. O. C. Rampley
Secretary.....Mrs. Jealeta Baird

Exemption Granted For Bollworm Control

Cotton growers in Briscoe County have been granted exemption by the Texas Department of Agriculture to use five new restricted pesticides against damaging infestations of the bollworm complex.

"This action was needed since irrigated cotton inspected southwest of Silverton is under heavy bollworm/budworm attack," says Earnest Kiker, Briscoe County Extension Agent. "Decisions as to whether to treat a given field should still be based on sound scouting procedure," says Kiker.

In addition to the current recommended insecticides, the new chemicals made available to Briscoe County cotton farmers due to this exemption include Ambush (ICI-US), Pounce (FMC-Corp), Pydrin (Shell Chemical Co.) Bolstar (Chemagro Corp.) and Curacron (Ciba-Giegy).

"The exemption was declared as a result of the findings of Dr. James Leser, area entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Lubbock," Kiker said.

All applicators applying these restricted use materials must be approved by TDA.

Kiker says that these insecticides are limited in supply and that only the amount needed should be purchased. Kiker also hastens to add that even though we can now use these new chemicals this does not mean farmers should rush out and buy any of these insecticides. "Insecticides which we presently recommend will still do a good job of cleaning up bollworm problems in many cases," said Kiker.

Additional information is available at the County Extension Office.

YOUNG FARMERS TO ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Silverton Young Farmers will meet Thursday at 9:00 p.m. at the ag shop. Officers will be elected for the coming year.

All members are urged to attend.



Supervising the activities of the 1978 Owl football team are (from left) Assistant Coach Stephen Oates, Assistant Coach David Horner and Head Coach Jerry Watson. This is the second week of workouts, and it is reported that enthusiasm is running high, both in the players and their new coaching staff.

Briscoe County News Photo

Owls to Scrimmage Jayton

Silverton fans will get their first real look at the 1978 Owl football team at 6:30 p.m. Friday, August 25, at Jayton.

The scrimmage will be the first action the team has had under their new coaching staff, which is led by Head Coach Jerry Watson. He is assisted by Coaches Stephen Oates and Coach David Horner.

Coach Watson is a native of Ranger and received his bachelor's degree at Texas Tech University and his master's degree at Sam Houston State University. Oates, who is from Hempstead, received his degree at Texas A & M University, and Horner, a native of Santa Anna, earned his degree at East Texas State University at San Marcos.

Twenty-nine players have been

taking part in two-day workouts, and according to the coaches, are coming along pretty well to be as inexperienced as many of them are.

Making up the varsity are eight seniors: Kyle Bean, 135-pound wingback-defensive back; Tommy Perkins, 140-pound wingback-defensive back; Kirk Durham, 155-pound tailback-safety; Bryan Burson, 130-pound wingback-defensive back; Earl Jarrett, 170-pound fullback; James Alan Patton, 170-pound center; Larry Stephens, 135-pound guard-linebacker; and Wayne Reed, 155-pound end-linebacker.

There are also nine juniors on the varsity team: Mark Brown, 144-pound quarterback-defensive back; Paul Brannon, 135-pound

quarterback-safety; Bobby McPherson, 180-pound tailback-linebacker; Bill Denton, 165-pound tailback-linebacker; Mike Cornett, 210-pound guard; James Jarrett, 175-pound guard; Kelly Comer, 180-pound tailback-linebacker; Greg Hill, 187-pound guard, and Diji Couch, 160-pound end-defensive back.

Making up the junior varsity team are five sophomores: John Segura, 125-pound wingback-linebacker; Mark Patton, 140-pound tailback-safety; Joe Arnold, 170-pound guard; Brandon Jarrett, 130-pound end, and Russell Couch, 135-pound end.

Rounding out the junior varsity roster are seven freshmen: Casey Bean, 105-pound quarterback; Robert Davis, 123-pound wingback;

Gary Juarez, 155-pound fullback-linebacker; Michael Hill, 195-pound center; Jim Estes, 174-pound guard; Scotty Roberts, 115-pound tailback-linebacker, and Michael Greenhaw, 170-pound tackle.

The teams' managers are Dwain Tipton, Walter Perkins, Blaine Eddleman and Jimmy Dewayne Stone.

The Owls will be competing in District 2-B (North one) this season against Happy, Motley County, Claude, Valley and Nazareth. Claude has moved into the North Zone this season, having dropped from Class A to Class B.

Lefors has dropped football this season, and McLean has picked up Lefors' date on the Silverton schedule.

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SBA Opens Additional Drought Loan Offices For Texas Farmers

Although nearly 2,400 Texas farmers have either interviewed or filed drought loan applications totaling approximately \$28 million, SBA Regional Director Alicia Chacon has announced the opening of six more offices to serve those Texas farmers who have not yet applied.

For farmers who suffered drought damage and resultant financial hardship, the filing deadline is October 11, 1978, which is unchanged from the original date established when the disaster was declared. "Before the deadline occurs we expect considerably more applications to be filed and are therefore moving some of the existing offices and opening new locations as well in an effort to be as accessible as we can to the 220 counties that are eligible for drought disaster loans," said Chacon. The disaster offices will be located in Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Harlingen, Lubbock, Temple, Laredo, Amarillo, Pecos, Marshall and Abilene. Each office will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily, Monday through Friday.

SBA disaster office managers are recommending that the farmers come in person to pick up an

Weekend Workshop Slated for Leaders

A weekend workshop especially for 4-H leaders and other adult volunteers who work with youth in Extension foods and nutrition projects will be offered at the Texas 4-H Center near Brownwood on Saturday and Sunday, September 17-18, 1978. County Extension Agent Earnest Kiker notes that the workshop sessions, beginning at noon Saturday and ending at noon Sunday, will deal with topics including "Planning a Foods and Nutrition Project," "How to Conduct a Foods and Nutrition Educational Tour;" "Ideas for Making and Buying Kitchen Helpers," and "How to Teach Project Lessons." Instructors for the workshop will be Frances L. Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist, and Alma Bullard, 4-H and youth specialist, both of College Station. Also assisting will be Carolyn Gilbert and Jeanette Altenhof, of the Texas 4-H Center Staff at Brownwood.

For further details concerning this workshop, Earnest Kiker may be contacted at the Briscoe County Extension Office located at the Briscoe County Courthouse or phone 823-2343.

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Mrs. Dee McWilliams, Mrs. L. E. Davis and Mrs. Bess McWilliams were at Dumas Memorial Hospital on Tuesday of last week when a new baby son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ray McWilliams.

Physical disaster loan program for farmers will include unrecovered production costs on 1977 crops at 3% for the first \$250,000 and 6 1/2% thereafter.

Texas Agricultural Disaster Offices for this area are Lubbock, 1205 Texas Avenue, Room 422-B, and Amarillo, Room 326, Federal Office Building, 205 East 5th Street.

CAPROCK FOOD

CHUCK ROAST	Pound	\$1.09
ARM ROAST	Pound	\$1.29
GROUND BEEF	Lean Pound	99¢

HORMEL BLACK LABEL		
BACON	lb.	\$1.89
MARKET MADE		
PORK SAUSAGE	lb.	\$1.09
DEL MONTE		
CATSUP	20 oz.	69¢
HUNTS HALVES		
PEACHES	303 can	2/89¢
QUAKER		
OATS	18 oz. ctn.	65¢
SHURFINE MACARONI		
CHEESE DINNER	4/\$1.00	

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BROASTED CHICKEN

\$3.19

ASSORTED SHURFRESH		
LUNCH MEAT	6 oz.	49¢
COMET		
CLEANSER	14 oz.	25¢
ASSORTED		
JELL-O	3 oz.	19¢
TENDER VITTLES ASST. FLAVORS		
CAT FOOD	6 oz.	39¢
FRESH		
BANANAS	lb.	25¢
TEXAS ELBERTA		
PEACHES	lb.	29¢

SHURFINE ALL GRINDS		
COFFEE	lb.	\$2.29
SHURFINE		
CRACKERS	1 lb. box	39¢
SHURFINE MUSTARD OR TURNIP		
GREENS	303 can	29¢
MILNOT		
MILK	13 oz. can	35¢

FRESH		
LETTUCE	lb.	19¢
WHITE		
ONIONS	lb.	15¢

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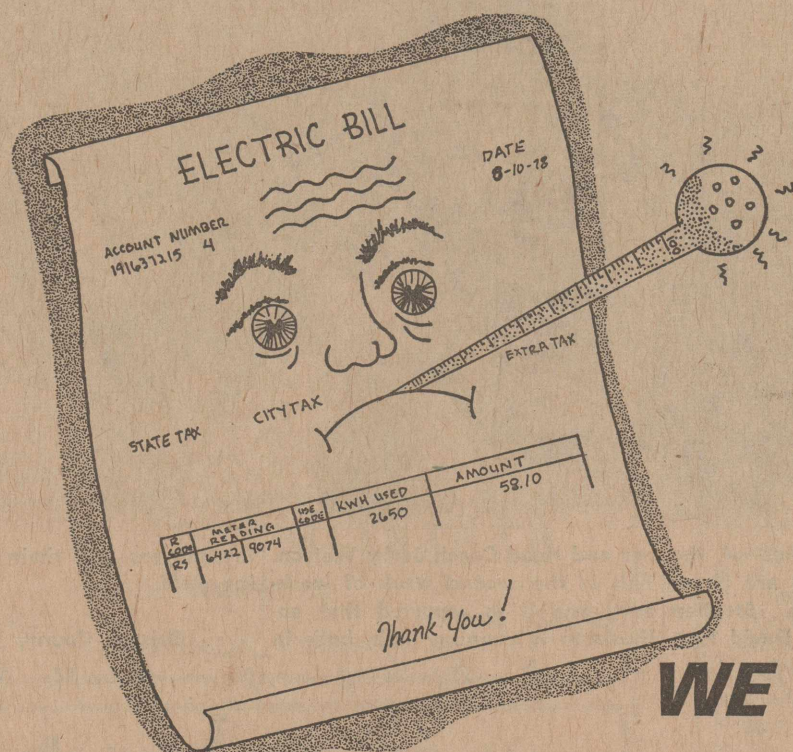
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Evening 7:00 p.m.



WHO CARES IF YOUR ELECTRIC BILL IS HIGHER THIS SUMMER? YOU DO AND ...



WE DO!

If your electric bill has jumped this summer, take a good look up at that Texas sun. Sure, we all like sunny days, but our friend the sun can be a villain in disguise. On these Texas scorches, you'll need your air conditioning to run more. Sometimes running day ... and night ... all night. Well, that runs up your electric bill. Just when vacation and school expenses are here.

We know you care about higher electric bills. And we want you to know that we care, too. We can't cool off the sun, but there are still time and ways to keep your bill from going much higher. Here are just a few:

- Turn the thermostat to at least 78, or until you find the highest possible setting that feels reasonably comfortable to you. If you have window air conditioning units, run them only as much as is absolutely necessary.
- Check your insulation.
- When you buy major appliances, including air conditioners, be sure to check the EER (Energy Efficiency Rating). The higher the EER, the more energy and money you'll save.
- Clean and replace the filters regularly.
- Keep your drapes closed to block out direct sunlight.
- Weatherstrip around doors and windows.

At Southwestern Public Service, we care about you getting the most for your energy dollar. Call us for suggestions to help you change the size of your electric bill for the better.



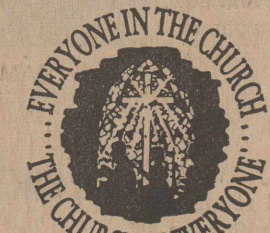
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HUSTLE AND BUSTLE

The big city throbs with business life, heavy traffic, and the comings and goings and doings of many people. Whether you live in the city or you just come to town occasionally from the small town or farm, you have experienced this hustle and bustle. It reminds you that all life sometimes gets too hurried, too frantic with all we must do. We need a time to stop and somewhere to go to find peace and respite from all this. Have you thought of trying God? Job 22:21 says, "Acquaint now thyself with God and be at peace."

How sweet it is to be in God's house, to feel close to Him, to listen to His word. Tension leaves. Peace of soul arrives. Won't you attend God's house this week and see what he can do for you?

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.



Coleman Adv. Ser.,



First State Bank

What Think Ye?



Every minute you are angry, you lose sixty seconds of happiness.

Life for some folks is the practice of sowing wild oats six days a week, and going to church on Sunday and praying for a crop failure.

Some people may spend a lot of time trying to hide their light under a bushel when a teacup would do just as well.

If the world laughs at you, laugh right back at it. It's just as funny as you.

People are so funny; they spend money they don't have to buy things they don't need to impress people they don't like.

A grudge is too heavy a load for any man to carry.

A golden bit does not make a

RECENT BRIDE HONORED AT SHOWER HERE FRIDAY

Mrs. Steve Green, nee Marsha Yancey, of Silverton was honored at a tea and miscellaneous shower from 5:00 until 8:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, August 18, in the

better horse.

Plastic surgeons can do almost anything with the human nose—except keep it out of other people's business.

Horse sense: That quality of judgment possessed by a horse which prevents him from betting on people.

To teenagers (and adults): learn to say "NO." It will be of more use to you than to learn to read Latin.

God demands a whole heart—but He will accept a broken one.

No one has ever repented of being a Christian on his death bed.

Did you know that if all the people who go to sleep in church were laid end to end—they would be more comfortable.

The pessimist: he who turns out the light to see how dark it is.

When you see a dirty face in the mirror, wash your face not the mirror.

EARL CANTWELL

Pioneer Room at the First State Bank.

Mrs. Dana Martin greeted the guests in the absence of her sister, the honoree, due to the hospitalization of Steve Green.

Refreshments were served by Misses Mignone Rauch and Debbie Storie from a table covered with a white lace-edged cloth. Red napkins were used. Red punch and cake squares decorated with red flowers were served.

The centerpiece was a basket plant accented with dried red flowers and tied with red and white ribbon, which was a gift to the bride.

Hostesses were Mrs. Donnie Perkins and Becky, Mrs. Charlie Payne and Susan, Mrs. Harold Storie and Debbie, Mrs. Bob Rauch, Mrs. Joe Brannon, Mrs. Duane Reynolds, Mrs. Jerry Patton, Mrs. Bill Boling, Mrs. Lois Cline, Mrs. Freeman Tate, Mrs. Garland Francis, Mrs. John Gill, Mrs. James Patton, Mrs. Ruby Gilkeyson, Mrs. Rick Minyard, Mrs. Lyndall Couch, Mrs. Roy Younger, Mrs. Buck Hardin and Mrs. George Seaney.

Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Vaughan of San Angelo were visitors in the services at the Assembly of God Church in Silverton Wednesday night. Rev. Vaughan built the church here and was the first pastor. They sang and played and Bro. Vaughan preached.

Also attending the services were Mrs. Dora Johnston, Mrs. J. E. Vaughan and Mrs. Homer Rag-

YOUNG FARMERS HOST SWIMMING PARTY

The Silverton Young Farmers hosted a family swimming party last Friday night. After swimming, everyone went to the park for hot dogs.

Attending were Tobe Riddell, Calvin Shelton, Merle Roehr, Fred Brannon, Manuel Cruz, Clinton Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Van Breedlove, Brian and Brandi, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chappell, Staci and Cynthia, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stephens, Jeannita and Stephen, Sarah and Jay Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill and Staci, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Turner, Scott, Robert and Christopher, Fred Minyard, Anthony and Katrice, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jarrett and Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Perkins and Amy, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bean and Kristi.

FARMERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO PLAN AHEAD FOR STORAGE

Farmers who have adequate on-farm storage and drying facilities have greater handling and market-

land. After the services, a party was held for all having birthdays in August. Those enjoying ice cream and cake were Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Vaughan, Mrs. Dora Johnston, Mrs. Homer Ragland, Rev. and Mrs. Lemy Pike, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Booth, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hill and Sylvia. Those having birthdays this month were Rev. Pike, Sylvia Hill and Mrs. Bailey Hill.

ing flexibility at harvest time. Because of this, more and more producers are building storage and installing drying equipment on their farms.

The ASCS Loan Program offers loans to farmers to help build on-farm storage structures and install drying and handling equipment that is needed.

There are several storage facilities in Briscoe County that have been erected with help through this program. Farmers can borrow up to \$50,000.00 to build facilities that are adequate to store the commodities grown on a farm in two crop years. Producers must have 15% of the cost, and the other 85% can be borrowed at 7% interest. Loans can run as long as eight years. They are secured loans and you must provide the necessary security to protect the lender.

Further details are available at your local ASCS office.

KIKER'S KORNER

POST PLANTING CARE OF YOUNG SHADE TREES

Hot, dry weather can cause serious damage to recently planted shade and ornamental trees unless they get a little special care.

The main thing is to make sure they get adequate water since hot summer days and drying winds take a great deal of moisture from the leaves and stems. Since a transplanted tree has a small root system, the only water it can utilize is that which is in the soil close to the tree. If this soil area becomes dry, the leaves wilt, turn brown and drop. Branches or even the entire tree may die.

I would suggest that you water at regular intervals all trees planted within the past year. If the soil is sandy, water about once a week; if it is clay or loam, thorough watering every 10 days to two weeks should be enough.

Using an open-end hose, regulate the water flow so there is no run-off and saturate the soil around the tree. To determine whether or not you are supplying the proper amount of water, take soil samples between waterings at depths of 12 to 18 inches; the soil should be moist but not muddy.

Insect control is also critical for transplanted trees. A few insects can cause severe damage to a newly planted tree, so control measures should be applied promptly when insects are found.

Also, for steady vigorous growth, fertilize the tree once it is established.

If the tree was worth planting, it is certainly worth the little extra effort required to keep it in good growing condition.

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BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

NOTICE

Pioneer Natural Gas Company, a division of Pioneer Corporation, hereby gives notice of its intent to implement new rates for residential and commercial, small industrial and air conditioning customer classes in the 63 cities and towns on its West Texas Distribution System, effective September 15, 1978. It is anticipated that the new rates will result in a 26.4% increase in Pioneer's gross revenues on its West Texas Distribution System, which increase is a "major change" as defined in Section 43(b) of Article 1446c, V.A.T.C.S.

A Statement of Intent to change said rates was filed with each of the cities and towns (listed below) on or about August 11, 1978, and is available for inspection at the Company's Amarillo office, 301 S. Taylor Street.

CITIES AND TOWNS AFFECTED

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| Abernathy | Muleshoe |
| Amherst | Nazareth |
| Anton | New Deal |
| Big Spring | New Home |
| Bovina | Odessa |
| Brownfield | O'Donnell |
| Canyon | Olton |
| Coahoma | Pampa |
| Crosbyton | Panhandle |
| Dimmitt | Petersburg |
| Earth | Plainview |
| Edmonson | Post |
| Floydada | Quitaque |
| Forsan | Ralls |
| Friona | Ropesville |
| Hale Center | Seagraves |
| Happy | Seminole |
| Hart | Shallowater |
| Hereford | Silverton |
| Idalou | Slaton |
| Kress | Smyer |
| Lake Ransom | Southland |
| Canyon | Springlake |
| Lake | Stanton |
| Tanglewood | Sudan |
| Lamesa | Tahoka |
| Levelland | Tulla |
| Littlefield | Turkey |
| Lockney | Vega |
| Lorenzo | Wellman |
| Lubbock | Wilson |
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FOR SALE: JOHN DEERE 16-10 DRA grain drill; good condition. Complete with drag chains and press wheels. Clifton Stodghill, Phone 823-2028. 34-4tc

FOR SALE: 1977 SILVERADO Chevrolet Pickup, 11,000 miles; 1975 Ford Maverick, 40,000 miles, good condition; 1973 3/4 ton Ford Pickup. Contact Lyndall Couch, Turkey, Texas. 34-tfc

FOR SALE: 1969 FORD 1/2-TON pickup, 69,000 miles. \$1,000.00. 823-2237, Diji Couch. 34-tfc

WANTED

DRY CLEANING, LAUNDRY: Briscoe County News is the Silvertown pick-up station for Tulia Laundry and Cleaners. Clothes will be picked up and delivered on Thursdays only. 31-tfc

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CARD OF THANKS We would like to thank all our friends for the flowers, telephone calls, cards, food, prayers, and all the other things you have done since I have been home. We couldn't live in a nicer place. Olos and Rosalie Chitty and family

NOTICE Pioneer Natural Gas Company, a division of Pioneer Corporation, hereby gives notice of its intent to implement new rates for residential and commercial type, small industrial and large gas air conditioning and/or electric generating gas service customers in the rural environs of the 63 cities and towns on its West Texas Distribution System, effective upon the date and to the extent that such rates are finally approved for the said cities and towns. It is anticipated that the new rates will result in a 1.7% increase in Pioneer's gross revenues on its West Texas Distribution System. The increase in Pioneer's aggregate revenues will not constitute a "major change" as defined in Section 43(b) of Article 1446c, V.A.T.C.S. A Statement of Intent to change said rates was filed with the Railroad Commission of Texas about August 18, 1978, and is available for inspection at the Company's Amarillo office, 301 S. Taylor Street.

Table listing cities and towns affected by rate changes: Abilene, Amarillo, Big Spring, Brownfield, Canyon, Coahoma, Crosbyton, Dimmitt, Earth, Edmonson, Floydada, Forsan, Friona, Hale Center, Happy, Hart, Hereford, Idalou, Kress, Lake Ransom Canyon, Lake, Tanglewood, Lamesa, Levelland, Littlefield, Lockney, Lorenzo, Lubbock, Meadow, Midland, Muleshoe, Nazareth, New Deal, New Home, Odessa, O'Donnell, Olton, Pampa, Panhandle, Petersburg, Plainview, Post, Quitaque, Ralls, Ropesville, Seagraves, Seminole, Shallowater, Silvertown, Slaton, Smyer, Southland, Springlake, Stanton, Sudan, Tahoka, Tulia, Turkey, Vega, Wallman, Wilson, Wolfthorh.

My gain results in MY LOSS and YOUR GAIN: Garage Sale August 24-25-26. Mobile Home on east side of south Main. Thursday and Friday, 12 noon to 8:00 p.m., Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Baby clothes, 3 to 24 months; Boys clothes, sizes 2 to 12, shirts and britches. Ladies clothes, sizes 7, 8, 9, 10. Some dresses and pants like new, shorts, blouses, swimsuits. Men's clothes, 15-15 1/2 shirts, 34-30 pants. Boys and ladies coats. Shoes — Boys; Ladies 5 1/2 M; Men's 9D. Maternity clothes. Household items: 4 Spanish style bar stools, 3 position adjustable orange, gold and black; linens, etc. For more information, call LaJuan Eddleman, 847-2571. 25c and 50c Grab Bags. 34-1tp

gation, labor management, and cotton varieties, in addition to the corn irrigation studies. The emphasis in the corn irrigation research has been to determine if less irrigation water can be applied and still obtain good yields, explained Dr. Charles W. Wendt, soil physicist at the experiment station. "In the 1978 study, full irrigation is being compared with treatments in which irrigations are eliminated during pre-tassel, tasseling to pollination, and grain filling," he said. Measurements of soil moisture and plant growth are being obtained to determine the soil moisture situation due to the various irrigation treatments. The need to conserve energy and water, especially on the Texas High Plains, is increasingly im-

portant and is a major reason irrigation studies such as this are conducted by the scientists at Halfway and Lubbock, noted Dr. Bill Ott, resident director of the experiment station. The field day program is a cooperative presentation of TAES, the High Plains Research Foundation, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Science Education Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and the National Weather Service. Professional staffs of these agencies will be on hand at the research station, 14 miles west of Plainview on U. S. Highway 70, to answer questions and discuss crop production problems with visitors. In addition, area implement dealers will have a display of the latest farm machinery and equipment.

CARD OF THANKS Thanks to all my friends who supported me for Rodeo Queen. I enjoyed participating and representing the Silvertown FFA Chapter. Rebecca Reid

Field Day To Look At Corn Irrigation Needs

How much can a producer cut the irrigation of corn and still obtain good yields? The answer, a matter not only of dollars but of conserving precious water and energy, is being sought in a continuing study at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Lubbock and Halfway. Findings of the study, which began three years ago, will be reported at one of the featured stops during the 69th annual field day at the TAES facility at Halfway September 12.

The field day alternates between the TAES centers at Lubbock and Halfway. This year's event at Halfway begins at 1:00 p.m., and offers tractor-drawn trailer tours of the 320-acre research site, J. Joe Wright, research assistant and field day chairman, said. Featured stops on the tour will illustrate the latest research on weed control, mobile trickle irri-

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