

**All Around the Town**  
by Mary Ann Sarchet

Local residents are being asked to water in their yards and gardens during the morning hours when the evaporation rate is at its lowest. The water wells are producing enough water to take care of your needs.

Some of the Boy Scout flags are missing, and this makes it difficult to decorate the town on special occasions.

It will be appreciated very much if everyone will check to see if a flag has been left at your home or business and not picked up. If you find you have one, please call Mabry Greenhaw.

Local residents are preparing this week for the big Briscoe County Birthday Celebration which will be staged here August 10-12 and for the Silverton School Homecoming which is to be held Saturday, August 12.

Ex-students and teachers are invited to enjoy both activities as they visit old friends here next week.

Registration for the homecoming will begin at 1:00 p.m. at the high school. A hospitality committee will be on hand to greet you, and show you around until 3:00 p.m. when the program is scheduled to begin.

Speaker at the program will be LTC Carol D. Davis of Fort Huachuca, Arizona.

A barbecue dinner will be served in the school cafeteria beginning at 5:00 p.m.

**SARAH COVENTRY PARTY TO BENEFIT MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY**

On Saturday, August 5, in the P.C.A. community room, the Silverton chapters of Young Homemakers of Texas and Future Homemakers of America will be co-sponsors of a Sarah Coventry Party, with proceeds being donated to the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

Ms. Isia White, a Sarah Coventry fashion director from Lubbock, will present two jewelry fashion shows at 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. with a continuous display between showings.

If you cannot attend the party or come by during the open house but are interested in seeing a catalog, you may contact any Young Homemaker or Carolyn Turner at 823-2193 and someone will bring you one.

**Pre-Rodeo Dance Slated August 5**

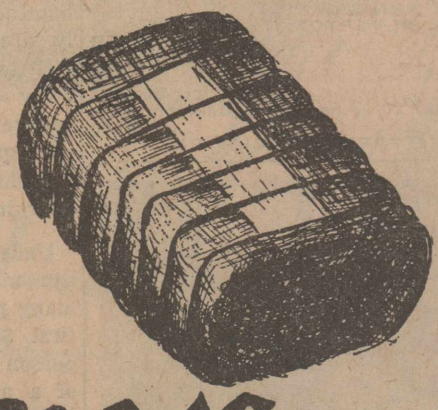
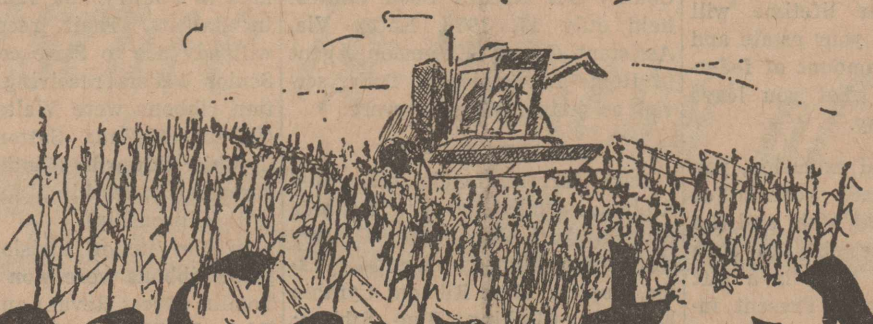
There will be a pre-rodeo dance Saturday, August 5, at the concrete slab in Silverton. Time of the dance will be 9:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m.

Music will be provided by Frank Hopson, Becky Durning and The Texas Country.

Admission will be \$5.00 per couple or \$3.00 stag.

The dance is being sponsored by the Silverton Young Farmers.

**Silverton: Home of Scenic Lake Mackenzie**

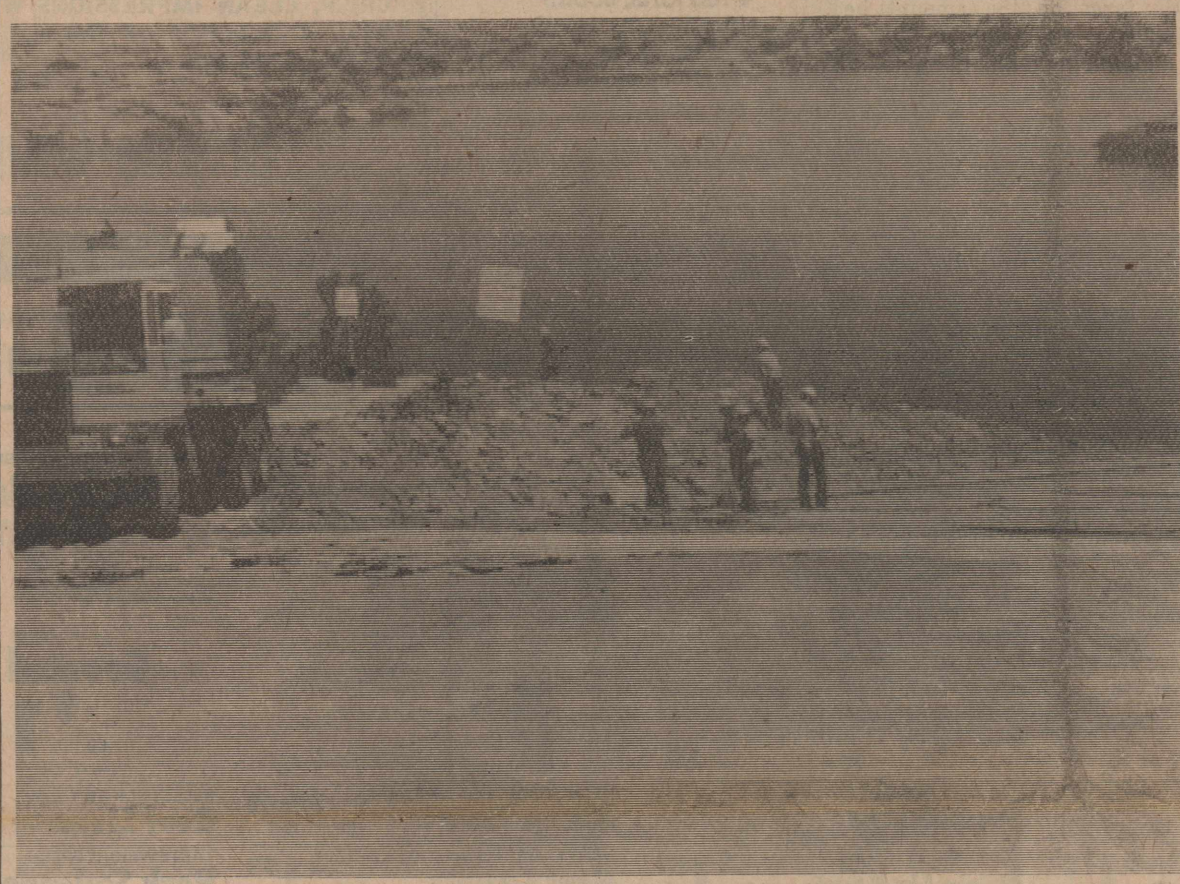


**Briscoe County News**

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**Matching Funds Being Sought To Build Treatment Plant, Lines**



Work on the boat ramp at Lake Mackenzie is proceeding this week. The angle of the ramp is being changed and concrete was scheduled to be poured Wednesday. The ramp is closed until the work is finished, but many boaters have been launching their crafts at the beach area.

City officials from Floydada, Lockney, Silverton and Tulia met at the Lake Mackenzie office Monday, July 24, to look into the possibility of securing matching funds for building a water treatment plant, raw water lines, pumping station, storage and transmission lines.

Attending the meeting were R. E. Edwards, district manager, Farmers Home Administration, Amarillo; Gary Brown, Farmers Home Administration, Floydada; George H. James and Bill Barrett, Farmers Home Administration, Tulia; Billy Taylor, Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, Amarillo; Kenneth Leggett, planner, South Plains Association of Government, Lubbock; Bill Fouerbacker, city

manager, and Parnell Brown, mayor, Floydada; Jerry Patton, city manager, A. R. Martin, mayor pro tem and Charles Sarchet, mayor, Silverton; John Gayle, city manager, Tulia; Claude Brown, mayor, Lockney, and Neil Taylor, general manager, Lake Mackenzie.

This was the second of two meetings of this type for the purpose of getting information and input to put together materials for filing applications with both Economic Development Administration and Farmers Home Administration. The funds from EDA would be used for building the treatment plant, raw water lines, pumping station and storage facilities. The funds from FHA would help in building transmission lines from the plant to the four towns.

At this time Silverton is the hardest hit for water—and what little water the town has is not state approved. All possible means for new water in the city have been exhausted and there is none to be found. City officials do not feel that the present water supply will hold out until water can be secured from the lake. Members present from some of the other cities feel that in a very short time they will also be experiencing the same problem that Silverton is having. With the water table dropping nearly three feet each year, it will be a very few years before many towns on the High Plains will have to have surface water to survive.

The cost of building the above-mentioned treatment plant and pipeline has risen nearly three million dollars in the past six years and there is no reason to believe that the cost will not continue to rise.

Many of those present at the meeting expressed the opinion that the Water Authority should continue with the application and that they would help in any way possible in securing funds for this project.

**Students To Receive Annuals At Party**

High school students and graduates may receive their new Silverton High School annuals at an autograph party which will begin at 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 8, in the school cafeteria.

The yearbooks will be handed out August 8 from 1:30 until 3:30 p.m. and August 9 from 9:30 a.m. until 12:00 noon and from 1:00 until 3:30 p.m.

No annuals will be handed out between August 9 and the first day of school.

Mrs. Olos Chitty has been a patient this week in Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia.

Glen Lindsey has been a patient at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview since Monday.

Mrs. Maynard Greeson and sons have been here from Kansas this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis.

**COMMUTER SEEKING CAR POOL TO WTSU**

Ed Lain needs to be able to commute to classes at West Texas State University this fall with someone from this area. His schedule is open and can be arranged to match that of the driver.

**Committee Members To Meet Here**

A meeting of the Crops and Livestock Committee has been scheduled for Thursday, August 3, at 8:00 p.m. at the First State Bank in Silverton.

The purpose of this meeting is to plan future programs that will aid the producers in Briscoe County with special emphasis on the 1978 Farm Tour scheduled for August 30. "It is important that you are present to discuss crop and livestock educational programs, demonstrations, or whatever you

feel we need," said Earnest Kiker, Briscoe County Extension Agent. Your knowledge and experience in farming and ranching are vital aids to the Extension Service as you give your support and help in planning educational programs for Briscoe County, he added. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, or national origin.

**RAINBOW GIRLS TO HAVE CONCESSION STAND**

Silverton Rainbow Girls will operate the concession stand at the rodeo dances August 10-12. They will be selling pop and chips.

**NEW ARRIVAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Martin are parents of a daughter, Vanessa LeAnn, born at 10:19 a.m. July 17 at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia.

She has a brother, Dusty, who is 3½ years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, all of Silverton. She also has three great-grandmothers, Mrs. Mary Cross and Mrs. Merl Oneal, both of Silverton, and Mrs. Myrtle Martin of Childress.

John H. Crow, son of Mrs. Carl S. Crow, has been seriously ill in a hospital in Houston, where he has made his home the past few years. He is thought to be improving now. His wife, a multiple sclerosis patient, has been in the same hospital for some time. They have a single son, Don Crow, who lives at home. They have a married son, Carl, who with his wife attends school in Austin. The John Crow family resides at 8011 Hazen Street, Houston 77036. He will appreciate hearing from old friends here. He grew up here and was a soldier in World War II

**Club To Sponsor Three New Events**

In an effort to add a little more spice to the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration this year, the L. O. A. Junior Study Club is sponsoring three new events.

During the rodeo performance this year, there will be a boot race. Each team will consist of a

boy and a girl—both of whom must be at least 15 years of age—and will be required to pay a \$2.00 entry fee.

To enter the Boot Race, call Debbie Burson at 823-2310 or 847-2214.

A Tri-cycle Race for three and

four year old children will be held just prior to the start of the rodeo parade. The youngsters will race for approximately 30 yards north of the First State Bank. There will be no entry fee for this event, but contestants must enter by contacting Jealeta Baird at 823-2476 or 847-2210.

During the barbecue, there will be a Sack Race for those from four to eight years of age. There will be no entry fee for this event, but you must enter by contacting Rhenda Burson at 847-2257.

According to Tina Nance, club president, everyone is urged to get into the spirit of the celebration by signing up for the events to be held for your age group.

**Rodeo Participants Can Order Pictures**

Participants in the Silverton Young Farmers Rodeo can purchase pictures of themselves in action if they will contact Tim Dea in advance.

Dea is offering 8x10 color photographs for \$6.00 each. He will have a table set up at the rodeo, but he needs you to let him know as soon as possible if you are interested in buying pictures.

**Field Day Planned For Experiment Station**

The 69th annual edition of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Field Day for Lubbock and Halfway, highlighting a variety of crop research programs on the Texas High Plains, will be held Tuesday, September 12.

The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Halfway, located 14 miles west of Plainview on U. S. Highway 70, will be host this year. Dr. Bill Ott, resident director of the TAES Lubbock Experiment Station, said. The annual program alternates between the experiment station locations at Lubbock and Halfway, in cooperation with the High Plains Research Foundation.

A five-stop field tour of research sites and facilities at the Halfway Station is planned, said J. Joe Wright, field day chairman. The stops will illustrate research being conducted in weed control, mobile trickle irrigation systems, labor management, corn irrigation, and cotton varieties and disease control.

Additional features will include machinery and equipment displays by area implement dealers and other tests being conducted at the station, Wright said.

The field day program is a cooperative presentation of TAES, the High Plains Research Foundation, the Science Education Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the National Weather Service, and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Professional staffs of these participating agencies will be on hand to answer questions and discuss problems with agricultural producers, home owners and gardeners, Ott said.

Out-of-town visitors in the George Seaneys home the past weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bond and two sons, German-town, Wisconsin. Victor is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haverty, Clayton Bond of Flomot and Mrs. Muade Flowers of Hurst. He and the Seaneys attended school together in Oklahoma, and had not seen one another in 55 years.

Also visiting the Seaneys were her nephews and nieces, Bill McIntyre of Delhi, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Neighbors and Tammie and Mrs. Pauline Hooper of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hooper of Greenville and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hooper of Paris, Texas.

Riley Harris was returned home Saturday by the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service. He is continuing to recuperate at home from recent back surgery.



Nora Chapa, Estelle Juarez and Donna Copeland are employees of Silverton Industries, and have been assembling the Texas Tycoon games this week. The girls are assembling games at the rate of about one game every minute and a half. Briscoe County News Photo



North guard Billy Allen (right) of Dallas Highland Park directed such height as (left to right) 6-10 Anthony Lee of Tyler, 6-10 James Griffin of Fort Worth Dunbar, 6-7 Jackie Vaughn of Silverton and 6-10 Eddy Kerr of Lamesa against the South Friday night at the Hofheinz Pavilion in Houston.



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Charles (Mule) Grantham is pictured with an appalosa catfish at Lake Mackenzie last week. The fish had not been weighed when the picture was made, but was estimated at seven pounds. Stan Fogerson and Emmett Tomlin took off his trotline

heirs.

Annual gifts up to \$3,000 to each individual, or \$6,000 if a husband and wife make the gift jointly, are tax-free under the federal gift tax law. The amount given away during your lifetime will reduce the size of your estate and consequently the amount of federal estate tax on what you leave your heirs someday.

Under the annual exclusion, you can make gifts each year to as many people as you wish, and the first \$3,000 of the gifts to each person is tax-free if it is a gift of a present interest. Present interest indicates that the recipient takes immediate possession and enjoyment of the gift. If possession and enjoyment are postponed or are subject to some condition or the wishes of another, it is a gift of a future interest and does not apply to the \$3,000 (or \$6,000 husband/wife joint) annual exclusion.

Gifts made under the \$3,000 annual exclusion are not subject to be included in the gross estate if the giver dies within three years after making the gift. Beginning in 1977, all other transfers by gift within the three-year period prior to death will automatically be included in the gross estate of the deceased—and so will be subject to estate tax. This makes the annual exclusion an effective way to reduce the size of your estate regardless of when death occurs.

The recipient of your gift under the annual exclusion has no

**Record Book Winners Are Announced**

Ten Briscoe County 4-H'ers turned in record books for the Briscoe County 4-H Record Book Contest held July 17, 1978. Kathy Via, Assistant County Extension Agent in Home Economics in Tulia, served as judge. Winners were:

**SENIOR DIVISION**  
 Earl Jarrett, Leadership, Blue Ribbon; James Jarrett, Rabbits, Blue Ribbon; Jo Jarrett, Citizenship, Blue Ribbon; Thomas Perkins, Poultry, Blue Ribbon; Cynthia Edwards, Clothing, Blue Ribbon; Melinda Sutton, Foods, Blue Ribbon; Walter Perkins, Horse, Red Ribbon.

**JUNIOR DIVISION**  
 Joe Ted Edwards, Horse, Blue Ribbon; Donna Tomlin, Dress Revue, Blue Ribbon; Kristy Fogerson, Clothing, Blue Ribbon.

All ten 4-H'ers qualified for district competition.

**DISTRICT ELIMINATION**  
 The District 2 Record Book Elimination was held in Lubbock Monday, July 31. Briscoe County was well represented by its 4-H'ers.

obligation either to report or pay income taxes on the amount he receives.

In considering tax-free gifts, it is suggested that you contact a lawyer or tax accountant who can assist in planning lifetime gifts and other phases of estate planning.

In the senior division, first place ribbons were won by Thomas Perkins in Poultry and James Jarrett in Rabbits. Their record books will advance to State competition. Senior 4-H'ers receiving participation ribbons were Walter Perkins (Horse), Melinda Sutton (Foods), Cynthia Edwards (Clothing), Earl Jarrett (Leadership), and Jo Jarrett (Citizenship).

In the junior division, second place ribbons were won by Donna Tomlin (Dress Revue) and Joe Ted Edwards (Horse). Kristy Fogerson (Clothing) won a third place ribbon.

James and Jo Jarrett accompanied County Extension Agent Earnest Kiker to Lubbock in order to help judge junior record books.

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**KIKER'S KORNER**

4-H'ERS ARE BUSY YOUNG PEOPLE

Local 4-H'ers participated in State 4-H Horse Show in San Antonio and in Electric Camp at Cloudcroft, New Mexico, last week.

Lee Ann McMurtry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McMurtry of Silverton, placed fifth in the Pole Bending at the State 4-H Horse Show against 90 other Pole Benders. Bad luck rode with Lee Ann as she ran the Barrels. Knocking over the first barrel cost Lee Ann the second fastest time in the eliminations.

Lee Ann reported having a wonderful time at the State Show and encourages all Briscoe County youth to join 4-H and participate in the Horse Program.

Mountain climbing, folk games, volleyball, electric projects and many other activities filled the five-day trip to Cloudcroft, New Mexico (Electric Camp) for Cynthia Edwards and James Jarrett.

Both youth reported the trip as being lots of fun and encouraged others to go next year.

**EQUINE ENCEPHALOMYELITIS**

Horse owners should be aware that the Western Equine Encephalomyelitis (sleeping sickness) virus has been isolated from mosquitoes at 21 different areas of the Texas Gulf Coast between Kleberg and Orange counties. Serious outbreaks of Eastern Equine Encephalomyelitis have already taken place in Florida as well as the Dominican Republic.

Horse owners who have not already done so may want to contact your veterinarians to schedule vaccinations for all colts, mares, geldings, stallions, ponies and mules. I must emphasize that vaccinations must be repeated each year to give proper immunity.

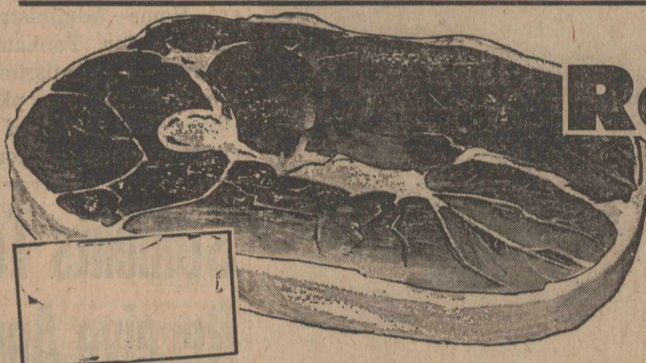
It is possible to give Eastern, Western and Venezuelan Encephalomyelitis vaccines — along with tetanus—as a single combined vaccine. It is much cheaper to prevent a disease than to treat an infected animal, since these diseases do not respond to antibiotic treatments.

I would suggest that you consult your local veterinarian for recommended vaccinations for your particular situation.

**TAX - FREE GIFTS**

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**BUDGET S-T-R-E-T-C-H-E-R-S**



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**SENIOR CITIZEN HOSTESSES**

**FOR AUGUST 1978**

Thursday, August 3 —Afternoon, Opal Hyatt, hostess  
 Friday, August 4—All Day, Mae Bomar, hostess  
 Monday, August 7 — Afternoon, Jewell Lowrey, hostess  
 Thursday, August 10—Afternoon; center will not be open  
 Friday, August 11—All day, Madge Brooks, hostess  
 Monday, August 14 —Afternoon, Mary Rampley, hostess  
 Thursday, August 17—Afternoon, Neva Garvin, hostess  
 Friday, August 18—All Day; Monthly Luncheon, Silverton Church of Christ  
 Monday, August 21 —Afternoon, Sybil Teeple, hostess  
 Thursday, August 24 —Afternoon, Willie Hill, hostess  
 Friday, August 25—All Day, Anne Bryant, hostess  
 Monday, August 28 — Afternoon, Bertha Pavlicek, hostess  
 Thursday, August 31—Afternoon, Mattye Mayfield, hostess

Mrs. Jord Hollingsworth was taken to Central Plains Hospital in Plainview Friday morning by the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service.

**TOWER  
TALKS**



by U.S. Senator for Texas  
**JOHN TOWER**

**Social Security Insecurity**

WASHINGTON—You don't correct one mistake by compounding it with another.

Yet Washington often seems intent on doing just that. The latest example is a Health, Education and Welfare (HEW) regulation which Secretary Califano has proposed in a curiously misplaced concern over money for the ailing Social Security system.

Its primary result, rather than help Social Security much at all, would be to deprive states and localities of a valued source of revenue, while adding to the already swollen administrative costs they incur in dealing with Washington's bureaucracy.

That Social Security should need money at all at this point is disturbing. After the threefold tax increase enacted into law last January, you wouldn't think the system would still be in financial straits.

But that seems to be the long and short of it. What HEW's Califano proposes is a change in the revenue collection schedule by which states turn over to the Federal government Social Security payroll taxes. Normally turned in quarterly, they would be collected every month if his regulation becomes law.

This change would be costly. Local governing bodies customarily invest these temporarily usable monies in short term interest bearing notes, or use the dollars to avoid short term borrowing. Either way, they provide important capital for local needs.

HEW would force Texas cities to turn over these funds monthly, presumably so that the Social Security Administration could make similar use of the money.

But wasn't the reason for the threefold tax increase last January to stave off the imminent collapse of Social Security? And as those Members of Congress who voted for the measure adamantly assured us, weren't stiff tax increases the only way out of the financing dilemma?

Well, of course, they were not. The tax increase only threw more dollars into the ailing system without bothering to correct the real reasons for its depleted reserves: funding formula inequities too long left unattended, and more social service obligations heaped on the system over years for which it never was intended nor equipped to meet.

Those of us who argued in January against tax increases of the kind enacted—merely prolonging the inevitable—view the Secretary's proposal as a strong endorsement that our arguments in January were right to begin with.

Depriving the cities of a valuable source of revenue will not solve Social Security's money problems. It would cause serious financial disruption for municipalities, however, forcing them to beg and barter elsewhere for needed capital.

Moreover, the administrative burdens—not to mention associated costs—of monthly filings would be enormous. If you have difficulty imagining the problems, think of the headaches if you as an individual were forced to file income tax returns every month.

Not a pleasant thought? Multiplied many times over, HEW's regulation would cause that kind of administrative misery for local government. That's why if those of us in the Senate who oppose HEW's proposed regulation have our way, it won't go beyond the proposal stage.

**Eyeing Inflation's Causes**

WASHINGTON—Inflation is no longer an economic indicator charted only by sophisticated observers of the world's money markets.

These days, inflation is a household word and its ups and downs have to be reckoned with by everyone—consumer as well as businessman.

To most Texans this summer, watching inflation's barometers has become just about as important as watching the West Texan horizon for rain clouds.

The reason is inflation has risen again to alarming rates. That spells bad news and more belt tightening ahead when cutting back already has become a way of life for many.

Rising prices, brought under control by late 1975, are gaining a full head of steam again. Latest figures indicate that inflation by the end of the first four months of the year skyrocketed to nearly 10%.

And just as the return to nearly double digit inflation was as unexpected as it was damaging to the economy, predictions by the Administration that it will recede in coming months have no credibility.

Quite simply, no one—and least of all government—has been able to come up with a magic formula to hold inflation down. At the moment it seems to be steering its own course.

Some of the most alarming indicators have centered on food prices. In this critical area, inflation has gone wild. It's doubtful that if you've set foot in a grocery store, you are unaware of the problem. For the record, though, in the first four months of the year, grocery prices jumped 18%.

That of course means that the family's bread winner who paid \$60 for food last December now will be devoting \$70 of the weekly paycheck to the shopping basket, and yet will be getting no more for the dollar.

That is a particularly irksome development for families. While their purchasing power has dwindled, the taxes they pay for everything from sewer use to social security have multiplied enormously to pay for the cost of big government to do business.

The biggest spur to inflation, of course, is the Federal government itself, which continues the very practices and policies it points to as the reason for inflation, government spending chief among them. The Federal government's deficit this year is nearing \$60 billion and the Administration's budget request amounted to a half-trillion dollars.


It's small wonder that taxpayers have so little faith in government's promises to hold the line on inflation. That's a little like the Anopheles mosquito denouncing malaria.

Several developments may change all that though. Proposition 13 has forced a new awareness of the need for government to set spending priorities and then stick to them. Otherwise taxpayers won't think twice about setting the priorities at the voting booth.

Another requirement is broad-based tax reduction. Many of us in the Senate have fought to enact legislation providing for a 33% across-the-board tax reduction. It would return a measure of buying power to individuals, stimulate economic growth, and hasten the creation of productive jobs.

These will help enormously. But before inflation will be brought to its knees, Uncle Sam must admit that up to now, government has been part of the problem, not part of the solution.

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### Offer To Build Nation's First Gas - Cooled Breeder Reactor Is Withdrawn

Berl Springer, president of Southwestern Public Service Company, said today that the electric company is withdrawing its offer to provide \$100-million and a plant site for building the nation's first gas-cooled breeder reactor.

"This has been a hard decision for us to make. We have been hoping, for nearly four years, that the plant would be built in our service area. However, the program has met with unusual and continuing delays, and the time has come for us to make other plans to be sure that our customers will have plenty of electricity in the future," Springer said.

Southwestern announced in September of 1974 that it had entered into an agreement with General

Atomic Company, developer of the gas-cooled nuclear reactor, to provide the plant site and \$100-million for a nuclear breeder reactor with an electric generating capability of 300,000 kilowatts.

"When we made our offer in 1974, we made a commitment for a demonstration plant ready to turn out electricity on a daily basis, just like any of our other plants. At that time, it looked like we would get that kind of plant in the early 1980's. It now appears that it will be after 1990 before a plant can be built, and it will be a research project subject to shutdown and testing and not one on which we can depend for day-to-day operation.

"One of our problems is the big

battle that continues over the Clinch River Breeder Reactor. The President is unalterably opposed to Clinch River at the same time that he is vague about what breeder technology he would support. The Congress seems just as insistent that Clinch River be built and pays little attention to gas-cooled or other breeder alternatives. As a result, all the breeder debate is on Clinch River, although many of us are convinced the gas-cooled breeder is better. This has delayed the building of a demonstration plant, and it is not to the best interests of our customers to keep waiting around for this problem to be solved," Springer pointed out.

General Atomic has been working on the gas-cooled breeder since 1961. In 1968, a group of utilities representing about one-third of the generating capability in the country was formed to join General Atomic in support of the program. It, also, has had limited financial support from the federal government and some foreign nations.

Southwestern joined the industry group in 1974 when it made the offer of the plant site and the \$100-million.

Helium Breeder Associates was formed in 1976 by some of the original members of the utility group. HBA was started to serve as the organization to contract with the federal government for research and development. When it was established, it was hoped that there would be a significant increase in the federal support of the gas-cooled technology which, in turn, would develop additional utility support.

Southwestern will continue to research nuclear fusion as a charter member of the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation. In the fusion process, the atoms are joined, rather than split, and the hydrogen in seawater is the fuel for making electricity.

"We will continue on our plan to use coal as our base fuel. We will also look at other nuclear alternatives and continue our support of the fusion program. The decision we have reluctantly made about the gas-cooled breeder will not, in any way, interfere with our ability to serve our customers, either now or in the future," Springer concluded.

Karen Martin continues to receive treatment in Room 437-A at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo for a concussion of the spine she received in a skiing accident at Lake Mackenzie on Monday afternoon of last week.

### Perkins Reunion Held Here

Descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lee Perkins held their annual reunion in the Silverton School Cafeteria July 9. There were 81 present.

Among those attending from Silverton were Mr. and Mrs. Ott Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lee Perkins, Tommy, Danny, Walter and Rose Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gamble, Stan and Anthony, Mrs. Frances Edwards, Odell,

Ronnie, Larry, Danny, Bobby and Barbara, James Edwards, Marion Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Perkins, Becky, Patti and Amy, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall and Al, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Perkins, Roy Don and Tonia.

Attending from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins and Lee, Del Rio; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Offield, Randy, Rhonda and Robin, Spade; Mr. and Mrs. David Hall and Cindy, Plainview; Mrs. Diane Gardner, Vigo Park; Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Perkins and Daleedra, Stinnett; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dale Roberts, Timmy, Gerry, Dana, Kristi, Mikle and Traci, Fort Worth;

### Green - Hall Vows Exchanged

Miss Anna Green of Boswell,

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Brad-dock, Hubert, Joy, Lewis, David and Heath, Dimmitt; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Perkins, Stacy and Chance, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Perkins, Rhett, Greg and Shane, all of Amarillo. There were three visitors, Susan Grabbe and Haskell Stidham, Silverton, and Jackie Faulkner, Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet enjoyed supper Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Don Sarchet at Lake Mackenzie. Also visiting their cousins at the lake were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Simpson of Tulla.

Oklahoma and Al Hall of Silverton were married in Hugo, Oklahoma on Monday, July 24, and are making their home in Silverton.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Catherine Guice of Boswell and Claude B. Green of Houston. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall of Silverton.

The bridegroom is employed by C & W Gin at Vigo Park.

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SANTA ROSA LB. <b>PLUMS</b> 39c	SHURFINE 26 OZ. <b>SALT</b> 2/39c	USDA <b>ROUND STEAK</b> \$1.95
LB. <b>BANANAS</b> 19c	DEL MONTE SLL., CRUSH. 1 1/2 CAN <b>PINEAPPLE</b> 3/99c	FRESH <b>GROUND BEEF</b> 99c
SUNKIST LB. <b>ORANGES</b> 29c	SHURFINE MANDARIN <b>ORANGES</b> 49c	USDA <b>ARM ROAST</b> \$1.29
RUBY RED LB. <b>GRAPEFRUIT</b> 19c	SHURFINE LB. BAG <b>LARGE LIMAS</b> 49c	USDA <b>CHUCK ROAST</b> \$1.09
BLUE BONET LB. QTRS. <b>OLEO</b> 63c	BIRDS EYE 9 OZ. <b>COOL WHIP</b> 69c	KRAFT 2 LB. BOX <b>AMERICAN CHEESE</b> \$3.59
COUNTRY TIME FROZEN 12 OZ. <b>LEMONADE</b> 49c	SHURFINE 10 OZ. <b>CHOP. BROCCOLI</b> 37c	SHURFRESH LB. <b>TURKEYS</b> 59c
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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.

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### What Think Ye?



If you are disposed to be critical, turn your critical eye on yourself.

If you delight in the business of fault-finding, find your own faults and set about mending them.

The world is looking for, and sorely needs, the man who can do something; not for the man who can "explain" why he didn't do it.

The slightest mist on the lens of a telescope blurs the image of the stars. Even the smallest deliberate sins block our view of God.

Open transgressions of God's law slays its thousands, but worldliness kills it tens of thousands.

You can easily determine the caliber of a person by finding out the amount of opposition it takes to discourage him.

Neither the authority of years, the weight of numbers, nor the intensity of sincerity can make a thing right if it is fundamentally wrong to begin with.

Men are sadly apt to forget that it does not require great sins to be sinned in order to ruin a soul forever. They have only to go on hearing without believing, listening without repenting, going to church without coming to Christ, and by and by they will find themselves in hell.

A man by his own acts goes

### North Cagers Win All-Star Game

"I think our big people wanted it a little worse at the end than

down and down or up and up, like a well digger or a builder of a wall.

#### IT IS NOT EASY

To apologize . . . To begin over . . . To admit error . . . To be unselfish . . . To take advice . . . To be considerate . . . To endure success . . . To keep trying . . . To avoid mistakes . . . To forgive and forget . . . To make the most of little . . . To always maintain a high standard . . . To shoulder a deserved blame . . . BUT IT ALWAYS PAYS.

There are three kinds of givers—The FLINT, the SPONGE, and the HONEYCOMB. It takes a blow of steel to get anything out of a flint, then it is often a vicious snap. The sponge must be squeezed, and then it will not yield all it has absorbed. The honeycomb is but a fragile covering of a store of sweetness, and for the smallest puncture, it yields its sweetness.

#### I AM MONEY

Dug from the mountainside, and washed in the glen, servant am I, or the Master of men. Steal me, I curse you; earn me I bless you. Grasp me and hoard me, a fiend shall possess you. Lie for me; died for me; covet me, take me. Angel or devil, I am what you make me.

Many a man saves everything except his soul.

EARL CANTWELL

at first when they thought it was easy pickins," said North basketball coach Al Oglesby of Odessa Permian following Friday night's 109-108 victory in the Texas High School Coaches Association All-Star Game in Houston.

The North was favored in the game because of a height advantage that included three 6-10 players. The South's roster didn't show a player taller than 6-6.

But somebody forgot to tell the South that they weren't supposed to win.

They outthrust and outrebounded (39-24) the North in the first half and played much more aggressively.

After a dull first half in which 52 free shots were taken, the North came alive, and with Dallas Highland Park's Billy Allen contributing two steals and four points in the last minute, the North opened a 109-104 lead with 1:04 left.

The North simply held on in a victory that broke all scoring records including the aggregate total as it moved its series edge to 18-16.

"We weren't getting a lot of movement from our inside people in the first half, but Anthony Lee (of Tyler) had a super last half," said Allen, who is headed for SMU. "They really got after it and outthrustled us in the first half."

"We thought we could dominate them because of our height, but they showed they can play too," said 6-10 high school All-American James Griffin of Fort Worth who scored 12 points before fouling out with two minutes left in a game in which the score was tied

15 times and the lead changed hands 16 times.

The South outrebounded the North 76-48 for the game, its most surprising statistic.

"We didn't get on the boards like we should have or take time on our shots," said Silverton's 6-7 Jackie Vaughn, who scored eight points and played more than any other Class B player in the contest.

"They surprised us. We knew they were quick and physical, but we didn't think they could get on the boards as good as they did."

"We hadn't worked against that aggressive a defense all week," said Oglesby. "It threw us for a loop for awhile, but I think at the end, that aggressiveness got them in offensive foul trouble and a little tired."

"Rocky Rawls (Dimmitt) is a smooth little player. It's too bad he was playing behind Allen or he would have played a lot more."

"South Plains College definitely got a prospect in Jackie Vaughn. He did a good job, and is going to play a lot in college," Oglesby said.

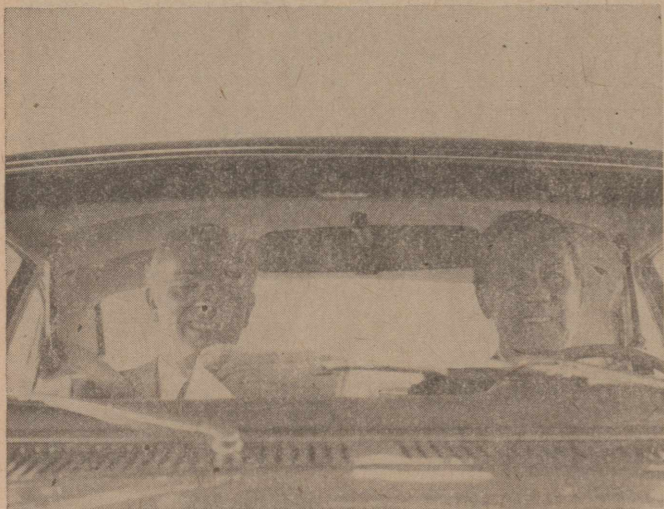
North most valuable player honors went to Abilene's David Little, who will be playing college ball for Texas Tech. "He played his heart out although he had four fouls most of the last quarter," Oglesby said. "He sure deserved the honor."

In addition to Silverton's coaches, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Vaughn, Linda and David attended the All-Star game.



"Real Cool" was heard quite often last week at the 4-H Electric Camp, located 28 miles southeast of Cloudcroft, New Mexico in the Sacramento Mountains. The camp, sponsored by Southwestern Public Service Company, was attended by 150 4-H'ers from West Texas. Attending from Briscoe County were Cynthia Edwards and James Jarrett. The Southwestern instructor was Don Pemberton from Lubbock.

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Clayton Fowler, creator of Texas Tycoon, delivered three dozen of the games to Toys by Roy in Amarillo Tuesday, Wednesday, 200 of the games were delivered to Hester's Office Supply in Lubbock. These are the first games produced in 1978 to have been delivered to retail outlets. The operation is under the direction of Silverton Industries (Ted and Anthony Kingery) in the former tailor shop building in Silverton.

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### Mrs. Lyndall Couch Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. Lyndall Couch of Turkey, the former Miss Lydia Younger, was guest of honor at a coffee and miscellaneous shower from 10:00 until 11:00 on the morning of Saturday, July 29, in the Pioneer Room of the First State Bank in Silverton.

Guests were received by the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Roy Younger of Silverton, both of whom were presented corsages of apricot silk flowers.

Miss Lisa Younger, a sister of the bride, presided at the guest registry. Two other sisters of the bride, Mrs. Joel Riddlespurger of Amarillo and Mrs. Doug Bradford of Silverton were in attendance as were their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Self, and an aunt, Mrs. Bill Self, all of Silverton. Mrs. Stan Couch, an aunt of the bridegroom, was another of the special guests. Attending from out of town were Miss Jacquelyn Reed of Quitaque.

Refreshments were served by Misses Brenda Cantwell and Annette Fleming from a table covered with a beige cloth. Napkins were apricot-colored and the candle centerpiece also was accented

with apricot. Ironstone and silver appointments were used to serve spiced tea, coffee, sausage balls, miniature muffins and fresh strawberries, cherries and melon balls.

Hostesses were Mrs. Seymour Brannon, Mrs. Elton Cantwell and Brenda, Mrs. Bob Rauch and Mignone, Mrs. Rick Minyard, Miss Marsha Yancey, Mrs. Doyle Tiffin, Mrs. Leo Fleming, Annette and Scotti, Mrs. Harold Storie and Debbie, Mrs. J. R. Steele, Mrs. Annie Williams, Mrs. Charlie Payne and Susan, Mrs. Joe Brannon, Mrs. John Gill and Tracy, Mrs. Charlie Parker, Mrs. Ray C. Bomar, Mrs. Charles Sarchet, Mrs. Lorene Johnson, Mrs. Garland Francis and Mrs. Ennis Autry.

Mrs. Couch was also guest of honor at a shower in the home of Mrs. Hubert Price in Turkey Friday from 6:30 until 8:00 p.m.

Guests were greeted by Miss Sherice Price.

Attending from out of town were the bride's mother and sisters.

The refreshment table was covered with a lace trimmed linen cloth and personalized blue napkins were used. Frosty pineapple punch and an assortment of cookies, nuts and mints were served from crystal and silver appointments by Mrs. J. B. Meacham and Mrs. Billy Meyer. The centerpiece was an arrangement of blue silk flowers flanked by four blue candles which were a gift to the bride.

Assisting as hostesses were Mrs. Byron Young, Mrs. J. B. Meacham, Mrs. Irvin Seymour, Mrs. Wilburn Leeper, Mrs. Tommy Cruse, Mrs. Jan Turner, Mrs. Don Mills, Mrs. Keith Green, Mrs. James Lipscomb, Mrs. Jerry Landry, Mrs. Jay Eudy, Mrs. Melvin Clinton, Mrs. Jacquelyn Crump, Mrs. Jack Lacy, Mrs. David Setliff, Mrs. J. W. Lacy, Mrs. Ottis Mullin, Mrs. Ronnie Eudy, Mrs. Perry Lane, Mrs. U. F. Coker, jr., and Mrs. Billy Meyer.

### Homemakers Have Family Outing

Silverton Young Homemakers met in City Park Friday, July 28, at 8:00 p.m. for their family outing.

Those attending were Carolyn and Orville Turner, jr., Robert, Scott and Christopher Davis, Judy, Steve, Tonnette and Terry Miller, Vici, Carl Dean and Russell Baird, Lois, Fred and Staci Hill, Jenny, Doug and Lance Bradford.

The members conducted a short business meeting for discussion of the float to be entered in the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration Parade, the Hamilton Beach Food Processor, which is to be given away during the rodeo and may be seen at Nance's Food Store, and the Sarah Coventry Party which is to benefit Muscular Dystrophy.



# Hardin - Garvin Vows Exchanged In Formal Church Ceremony

Miss Paula Jo Hardin and Lane Bomar Garvin were united in marriage Saturday, July 29, in a ceremony in the First Presbyterian Church in Clarendon. Rev. Owen McGarity, pastor, performed the double-ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hardin of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Garvin, jr., of Silverton.

The altar of the church was draped with garlands of boxwood and white satin bows above two large bouquets of silk apricot peonies and roses placed back of the kneeling bench. Four arched candelabra decorated with silk apricot roses, peonies and palm leaves with six palm trees flanked the altar. The windows of the church were decorated with votive candles entwined with English ivy and accented with silk roses and baby's breath. Pews were marked with bows centered with apricot-colored silk daisies.

Escorted to the altar by her fa-

ther, the bride wore a formal gown of candlelight chiffon designed by Priscilla of Boston. The bodice was covered with sheer English net and re-embroidered lace with a Queen Anne neckline. Scallops of lace draped down over the waistline. The full skirt flowed from the hi-low waistline to a chapel length train in back. Tiny accordion pleats with wide English net and re-embroidered lace cuffs formed the long sleeves. Self-covered buttons accented the back of the dress and cuffs. The cathedral length veil of imported illusion, designed by the bride and created by her mother, was edged with sheer re-embroidered lace and seed pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of silk candlelight rose buds and baby's breath. She added a pearl necklace borrowed from her mother.

Miss Danna Garvin of Silverton, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor. Miss Cindy Walker of Silverton was bridesmaid. They



MRS. LANE BOMAR GARVIN

wore identical dresses of apricot-colored crystalline over satin with large sheer flowing collars and sashes. They carried cascade bouquets of silk apricot and candlelight roses with long streamers. Each wore a pearl teardrop presented to them by the bride. They had apricot roses and stephanotis caught in their hair.

The flower girls were Crystal and Bobbie Jean Havens of Clarendon. They wore dresses and hairpieces identical to those of the bridesmaids and carried natural baskets decorated with illusion and baby's breath.

Nicky Long of Silverton served as best man. Guests were seated by Tom Burson, John Burson and Mitchell Simpson, a cousin of the bridegroom, all of Silverton.

Organist was Mrs. Jessie Adams of Clarendon. Sam Brown of Tulia, a cousin of the bridegroom, accompanied by his wife, Mary Catherine, sang "Evergreen" and "The

Lord's Prayer" during the ceremony. "Whither Thou Goest" was sung as the unity candle was lighted and as the bride presented the mothers with silk apricot roses.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Hardin chose a floor-length dress of pale aqua polyester crepe. Mrs. Garvin, the bridegroom's mother, wore a floor-length dress and matching coat of light green. Each added a corsage of silk rosebuds.

A reception was held in the

fellowship hall of the church following the ceremony. The bride's table was laid with a white lace cloth over apricot underlay. The table was centered with an arrangement of silk apricot roses and candlelight peonies in a four candle epergne. The six tiered wedding cake was designed and decorated by the bride and her mother with white and apricot roses. It was topped with a blown glass heart adorned with doves and bells and placed in bed of silk apricot roses and baby's breath. Mrs. Chris Parker and Mrs. Dee Whittington served the bride's cake and Mrs. Bruce Oney presided at the crystal punch service.

The round groom's table was laid with a chocolate brown taffeta cloth with lace overlay. It was centered with a bouquet of silk apricot roses, brown daisies and eucalyptus placed in a two candle epergne. Mrs. Cindy Rattan and Dianne Havens served the two tier chocolate cake. Shirley Watkins of Odessa presided at the silver coffee service.

Mrs. Beryl Clinton provided music for the reception. Debbie Hall of Sudan registered guests at the wedding and reception at a table covered with an apricot cloth with a sheer overlay centered with an arrangement of candlelight roses.

Apricot satin roses filled with rice were given to guests by Donna Grimland of Amarillo and Gina Cash of Topeka, Kansas.

For their wedding trip, the bride chose a white sundress with a jacket. She added a corsage of white silk rosebuds.

The bride is a senior at West Texas State University where she is a member of Kappa Delta Pi. The groom is a graduate of Texas Tech University and is engaged in farming at Silverton.

**PRE-NUPTIAL COURTESIES**  
Courtesies honoring the bride were a tea hosted by Mrs. Fred Chamberlain and Mrs. Trey Chamberlain; a lingerie shower given by Cindy Walker and Debbie Hall at Canyon; and miscellaneous showers given in the home of Mrs.

E. H. Monroe in Clarendon and in the Pioneer Room of the First State Bank in Silverton.

**REHEARSAL DINNER**

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Garvin, jr., of Silverton at Mrs. Bromley's Dining Room. Each table was centered with spring bouquets and candles.

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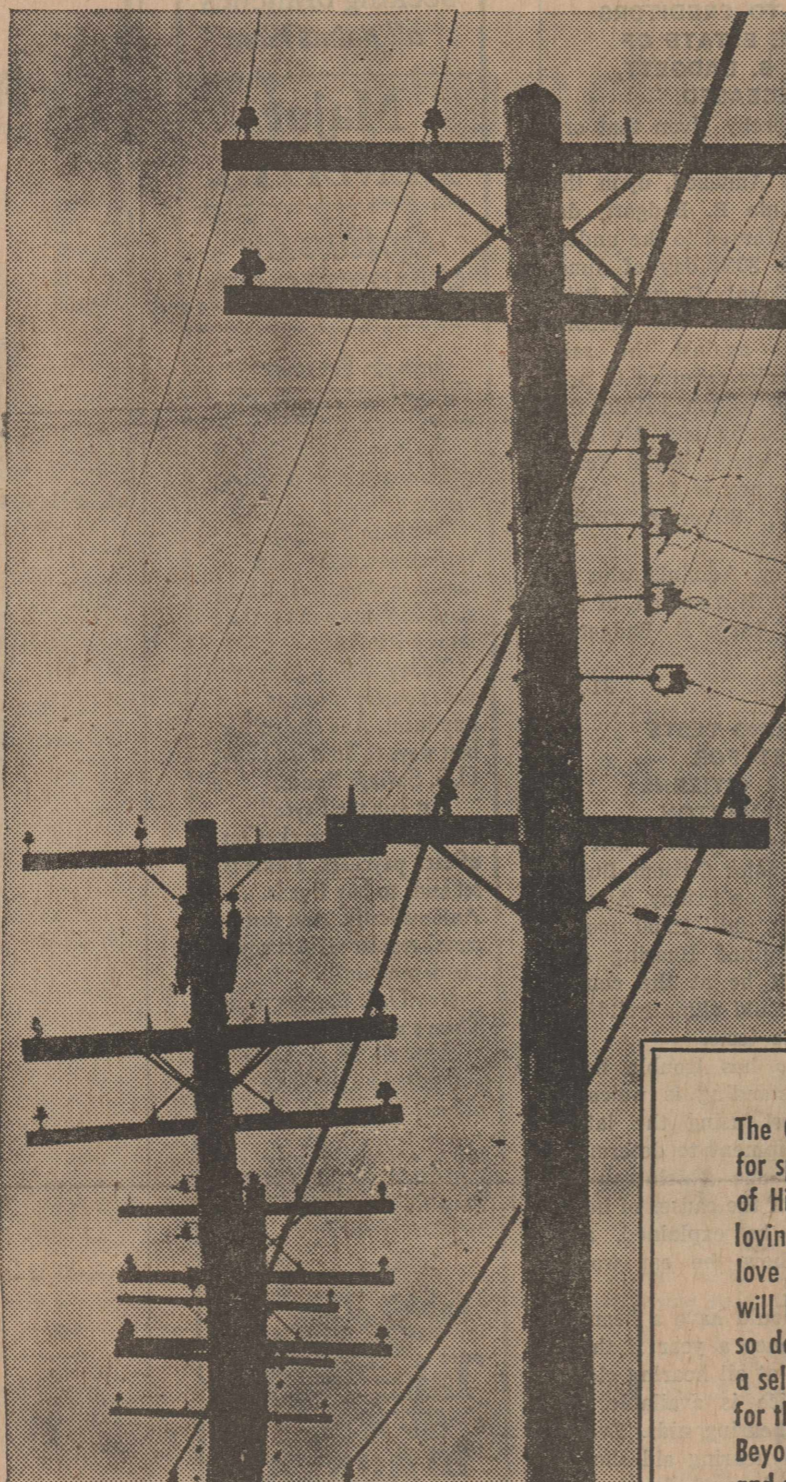
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Lemy L. Pike, Pastor

**Sunday**

Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service..... 7:00 p.m.

**Wednesday**

Worship Service..... 7:30 p.m.

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**CHURCH OF CHRIST SILVERTON**

Ted Kingery, Minister

**Sunday**

Sunday School..... 9:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship..... 10:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday**

Bible Study..... 7:00 p.m.

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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

Royce Denton, Pastor

**Sunday**

Library Opens..... 9:15 a.m.  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.  
Library Opens..... 4:30 p.m.  
Youth Choir..... 4:30 p.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
Mission Friends, G.A. and R.A..... 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

**Second Monday**

Night W. M. S..... 7:00 p.m.

**Second and Fourth Tuesday**

W. M. S..... 9:30 a.m.

**Wednesday**

Junior High Acteens..... 3:35 p.m.  
High School Acteens, first and third Wednesday..... 3:35 p.m.  
Mid-Week Service..... 7:00 p.m.  
Choir Rehearsal..... 7:45 p.m.

**Second Saturday**

Baptist Men..... 7:00 a.m.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Jesse Dea, Pastor

**Sunday**

Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.  
M. Y. F..... 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday**

Choir Practice..... 6:00 p.m.

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**NEW FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST MISSION**

**Sunday**

Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Service..... 6:00 p.m.

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Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Loyd May, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 19th day of June, 1978, by the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas. All persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My address is: O. R. Stark, Jr., Quitaque, Texas 79255. My attorney is J. W. Lyon, Jr., Box 657, Silvertown, Texas 79257.  
O. R. Stark, Jr., Independent Executor of the Estate of Loyd May, deceased. 31-1tc

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF ANNIE B. BADGETT, DECEASED.**

Notice is hereby given that original letters of Administration with the Will Annexed, upon the Estate of Annie B. Badgett, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 30th day of June, 1978, by the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas. All persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My address is: E. E. Berry, Tullia, Texas 79088. My attorney is J. W. Lyon, Jr., Box 657, Silvertown, Texas 79257.  
E. E. Berry, Administrator with the Will Annexed, of the Estate of Annie B. Badgett, deceased. 31-1tc

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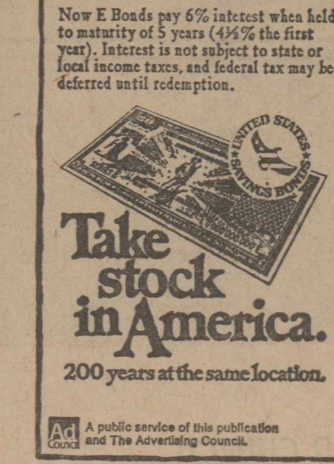


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