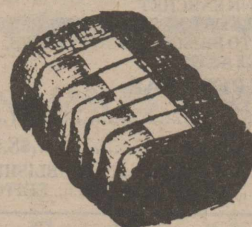


Silverton: Home of Scenic Lake Mackenzie



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JEANNITA STEPHENS

Jeannita Stephens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stephens, was presented as the 1983 Rodeo Queen Saturday night. Runners-up were Suzann Settle and Melissa Stone.

Telephone, Cable TV Service Interrupted

Telephone and cable TV service were interrupted in Silverton Tuesday morning after a trash fire behind the John Deere shop got into the wires.

Both companies were at work repairing the lines before noon Tuesday, just about as soon as they could after the fire had been extinguished by the Silverton Volunteer Fire Department.

Faculty Complete For New School Year

Faculty assignments are complete and all is in readiness for the opening of the new school year.

Making up the grade school faculty this year will be Mrs. Glenna Cornett, kindergarten; Mrs. Fern Parker, first grade; Mrs. Bobbye Bean, second grade; Mrs. Rita Mullin, third grade; Mrs. Norma Vaughan, fourth grade; Mrs. Mike Settle, fifth grade; Mrs. Florence Morgan, sixth grade; Miss Jane Self and Duane Reynolds, junior high; Mrs. Juannah Jennings and Mrs. Patsy Fitzgerald, special education; Mrs. Sandy Perkins, special education aide; Mrs. Mary Ann Rauch, Title I reading; Mrs. Denise Burson, migrant pro-

gram.

Included in the high school faculty are Marvin Self, athletic director; Rick Agee, boys basketball coach; Miss Kelly Braisher, girls basketball coach; John McCune, math; Blake Hefley, science; Mrs. Margie Hefley, English; Mrs. Faye Rampley, business; George Martin, vocational agriculture; Mrs. Ima Nell Francis, homemaking; Mrs. Margie Pinkerton, school nurse; Mrs. Shirley Reynolds, librarian; Leonard Morgan, principal; O. C. Rampley, superintendent; Mrs. Jealeta Baird, secretary; Mrs. Susie Younger, principal's secretary.

Cafeteria workers will include Rosemary Perkins, Stella Hall,

Booster Club Elects Officers

The Silverton Booster Club met Monday, August 15, and elected officers for the coming year.

Selected to serve as president was H. B. (Doc) Simpson. Bennie Reagan is vice-president and Mrs. Elaine Forbes is secretary.

Jack and Gayle Robertson, Larry and Mary Lou Jarrett and Lynn and Kathy Frizzell will be in charge of the concession stand.

Don Cornett was appointed to be in charge of collecting the dues.

The Booster Club will meet on Tuesday nights at 8:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria to review football progress.

Members are asked to be at the football field Thursday, August 18, at 6:00 p.m. to work on the concession stand.

The Owls will scrimmage Cotton Center here August 19, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

SUPPORT THE OWLS

Linda Baird and Odelia Stidham.

Janitors will be Santos Garcia, Maria Garcia, Minerva Patino, Ott Perkins and Willie Ramirez.

Bus drivers will be O. C. Maples, Connie Smith and Duane Reynolds.

Water Rates To Jump In Four Towns

Water piped from Lake Mackenzie to the four cities of the Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority—Silverton, Floydada, Lockney and Tulia—will cause water bills to jump, in some cases as much as doubling rates.

The Silverton City Council approved a rate increase at its last meeting that will move rates up from \$8.00 for the first 3,000 gallons and 80c for each additional 1,000 gallons to \$16.00 for the first 6,000 and 80c for each 1,000 thereafter.

Discussion of the proposed rate increase lasted several hours, but "something had to be done," according to a city spokesman.

In Floydada, the water rate will double, effective September 1, although no water will be received by the city until November 1. The city voted to keep the tax rate at last year's level and increase the water rate to pay the monthly payment to the Authority.

Floydada's new rate will be \$14.00 for the first 2,000 gallons and \$2.00 per each additional 1,000 gallons.

In Lockney, a plan has been adopted to double water rates by January 1985.

According to City Secretary Elma Duckworth, the first phase will go into effect October 1, when the minimum rate will be increased from \$6.00 for the first 3,000 gallons to \$12.00 for the first 2,000 gallons. The \$1.00 charge for each additional 1,000 gallons will remain the same until January 1985, when it will be increased to \$2.00.

Mrs. Duckworth said the payment to the Water Authority has been broken into phases, with the first payments just for receiving the water. In July 1984, the city will begin paying back revenue bonds to the Farmers Home Administration.

In Tulia, City Manager Jim Madewell said new rates have not yet been established but that there "may not" have to be as great an increase as in other

cities.

He said there will not be a raise in water rates at least until October 1. The current rate is a \$6.00 minimum.

Madewell said the city has the money to pay the first bond payment but added that a rate increase still will be necessary. "It is better to have expensive water than to have no water at all," Madewell said.

Parade Winners Are Announced

Winners in the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration parade held here last Thursday afternoon have been announced.

According to Parade Marshal Harvey McJimsey, winner in the division for riding clubs was the Lelia Lake Riding Club.

In the floats division, winners were L. O. A. Junior Study club, first place prize of \$100.00 donated by First State Bank; Progressive Homemakers, second prize of \$50.00 donated by Brown-McMurtry Implement Company; Silverton High School Cheerleaders, third prize of \$25.00 donated by Ray Thompson Implement Company.

In the bicycle parade, the winners were Leslee Weaks, first; Jeff and Kristi Smith, second, and Melissa Woods, third. The others who registered in the bicycle parade were Robby Weaks, Monica Arnold, Michael and Robert Bell, Colby Self, Brandi Brunson, Penni Fogerson and Blake Eddleman.

CHEERLEADERS HAVING YELL TEACHING SESSION

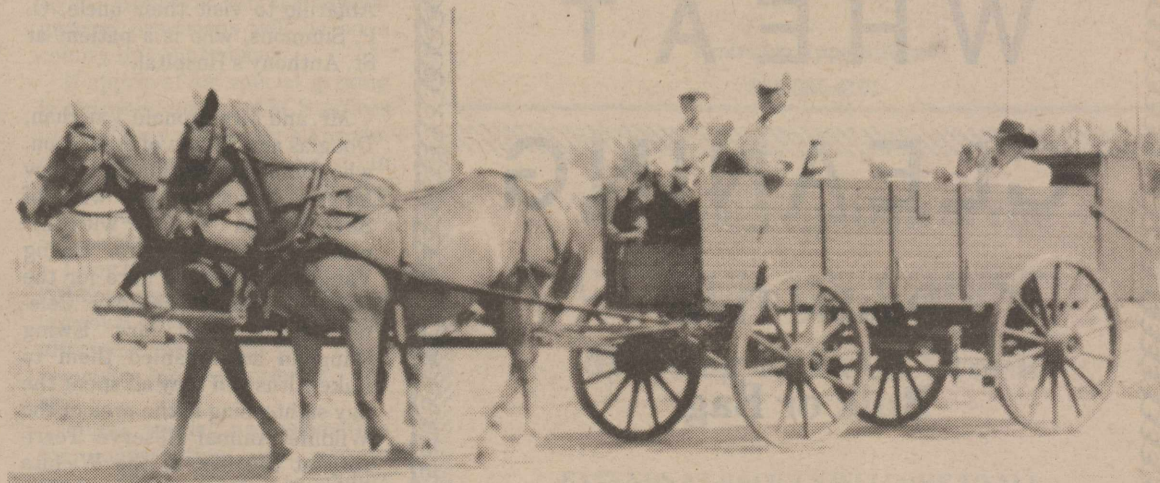
The Silverton High School cheerleaders will be having a teaching session for cheers that were learned at camp tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock in the school gymnasium.

This will be for parents, Pep Squad members and anyone who is interested in taking part in cheers for the Owls.



Braden Towe portrayed the Red Baron on the L. O. A. Junior Study Club's first-place float in

the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration parade last Thursday. -Briscoe County News Photo



One of the entries in the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration parade last Thursday was this chuck wagon driven by Don

Burson, who was accompanied by L. B. [Beefie] Garvin, John T. Burson and the "kids." -Briscoe County News Photo

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Silvertown, Texas
Mr. and Mrs. David Tipton*

Miss Brown Is
Shower Honoree

Miss Missy Brown, bride-elect of Cam Forbes, was guest of honor at a coffee and miscellaneous shower from 9:30 until 11:00 in the morning on Saturday, July 23, in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Peggy Fleming, and presented to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Mary Brown, and to the mother of her fiance, Mrs. Elaine Forbes. Also receiving guests were Mrs. Florence Weldon of Midland, Mrs. Elsie Brown and Mrs. Lola Mae Stephens, both of Silvertown, grandmothers of the couple, and the honoree's sister, Mrs. Liz Griffin and baby.

Miss Kathy Brown, sister of the bride-elect, presided at the guest registry which was decorated with an arrangement of pink silk flowers arranged in a brass box.

Miss Rose Lee Perkins and Mrs. Sally Brown served pink punch, a variety of pastries and fruit from a table covered with a pink ruffled cloth. An arrangement of pink silk flowers decorated the table.

Gift of the hostesses to the couple was a set of Farberware cooking ware and the silk flower arrangements. Hostesses were Mmes. Brenda Patton, Peggy Fleming, Mary Lou Jarrett, Polly Jarrett, Glenna Cornett, Mary Jane Patton, Von Ann Mercer, Lynda Fogerson, Rosemary Perkins, Carolyn Reagan, Vaughnell Brannon, Ellen Edwards, Sue Martin, Carlye Hill, Gail Wyatt, Polly Montague, Mike Settle, Carol Martin, Helen Strange and Waynelle Couch.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet and her mother, Mrs. J. M. Hill of Tulia, were in Lubbock Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sarchet, Brandon and Jordan. Mrs. Ken Sarchet was unable to accompany the group due to Jordan's illness, but the rest attended services at the Calvary Baptist Church in Lubbock, of which the Ken Sarchet family are members. It was Mrs. Hill's birthday, and lunch was enjoyed in the Ken Sarchet home.

After returning home, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet met his sisters and brother-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Skelton, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Cruce, all of Lubbock, at Lake Mackenzie for supper. The Lubbock group were returning home after having been in Amarillo to visit their uncle, O. P. Simmons, who is a patient at St. Anthony's Hospital.

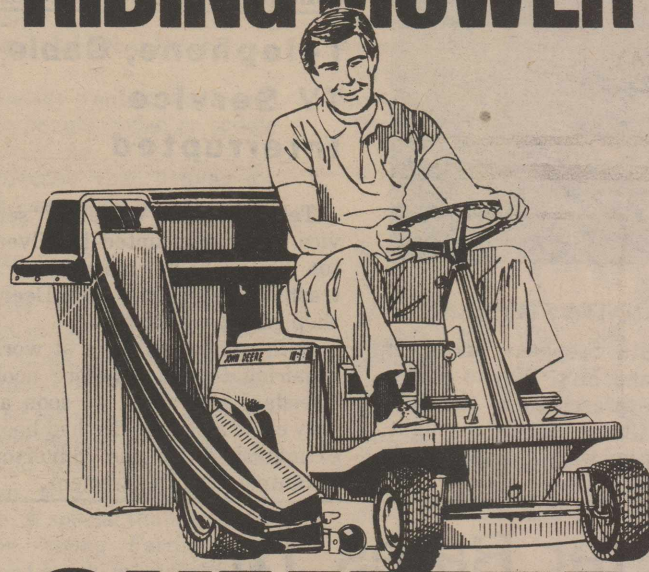
Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Vaughan, Douglas and Delton of Arlington, who had been vacationing in New Mexico, returned by way of Silvertown for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Vaughan, and were here for the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration. Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Vaughan accompanied them to Lake Altus and they all spent the day sightseeing in the area of the Wildlife Animal Reserve Territory at the foot of the Wichita Mountains. Buffalo, deer, prairie dogs, longhorn cattle and other animals can be seen there. The scenery was beautiful, but the temperature was worse than here.

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through the files of the
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AUGUST 15, 1968—School to

open September 2. Faculty mem-
bers include Mrs. Letha Elms
and Mrs. Alva Trout, first grade;
Mrs. Ruby Steele and Mrs.
Jessie Bomar, second grade;

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NIGHT
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Mrs. Annell Davis and Mrs.
Pearl Holt, third grade; Mrs.
Norma Payne and Mrs. Rita
Mullin, fourth grade; Mrs. Dor-
thy Crabb and Mrs. Obra Wat-
son, fifth grade; Mrs. Pauline
Turner, Mrs. Sheri Lorange, Dan
Neal, Mrs. Karla Alexander,
Mrs. Betty Gauer, Mrs. Erma
Joy Luhman, W. P. Verden,
junior high; Billy Wiggins, bas-
ketball coach and math; Art
Sommerfeld, vocational agricul-
ture; Mrs. Ruby Williams, home-
making; Mrs. Cecilia Allen, En-
glish; Eddie Wheeler, history;
Bill Wood, coach and history; Bill
Lorange, coach and health; Ja-
mes R. Alexander, math; Dan
Evans, biology; Mrs. Faye Ram-
pley, commercial; O. C. Rampley,

principal and government; J. S.
Hinds, superintendent; Mrs. Del-
phine Kleman, nurse; Mrs. Win-
nie Redin, special reading; Mrs.
Manley Wood, librarian . . .
Juannah Nance is rodeo queen . .
. Rickie Bingham, Dwight Ram-
pley to marry . . . Mr. and Mrs.
Gary Edwards are parents of a
daughter, Angela Sue . . .

AUGUST 20, 1953—Silverton
School year to begin September
7. New teachers are Mrs. G. W.
Trout, Mrs. M. J. Schofield, Billie
Ellis, Mrs. Faye Rampley, Miss
Loretta Hesterwerth, Mrs. Joe
Montague, Mrs. Mary Watson
Jones and M. J. Schofield. Teachers
returning for another
year are Miss Anna Lee Ander-
son, Mrs. Letha Elms. Mrs. E. D.

Wilmeth, Mrs. G. H. Bunch, Mrs.
Gordon Montague, E. D. Wil-
meth, Mrs. Alvin Redin and G. H.
Bunch. M. G. Moreland is super-
intendent . . . Mr. and Mrs. O. C.
Maples, their children and his
mother, Mrs. Oda Maples, have
been visiting relatives down
state . . . Folley reunion held in
Amarillo . . . Friendship Class
meets with Mrs. Ray C. Bomar . .
. Charles D. McWilliams returns
from Far East aboard the light
cruiser USS Manchester . . .
Alvie Smith fractures shoulder in
fall . . .

AUGUST 14, 1941—Members
from Silverton who assisted with
the Scout Camporee were Homer
Sanders, Clay Fowler, Doc Min-
yard, Paul Reid, Jo Eason, J. T.
Luke, John Haynes and D. O.
Bomar . . . Andy Chappell and
son recovering from minor injur-
ies received in car wreck . . . M.
K. Summers home being built in
west Silverton . . . W. T. Davis
receives broken neck when car
falls off jack and catches him
underneath . . . C. L. Cowart
buys tourist court at Alpine . . .
Aulton Durham accepts coaching
position at Munday . . . Revival
begins Sunday at Calvary Bap-
tist Church . . . Palace Theatre
installing popcorn machine . . .
Editor Roy Hahn wrote: "Min-
yard Long had the misfortune to
run into a door last Saturday,
resulting in a slight injury to one
of his glimmers. I don't know but
I don't think that is far wrong
either about the door. Slightly
old, but still good. I think the
door wanted to dance with the
same girl that Minyard did" . . .

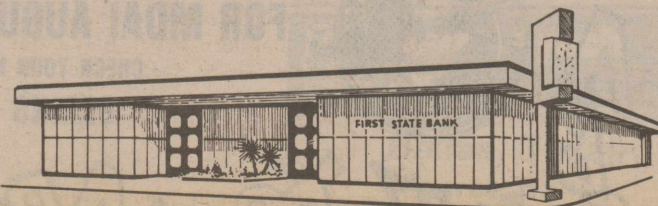
AUGUST 18, 1938—Silverton
Schools to open September 5
with the following faculty: A. L.
Kelsay, superintendent; W. E.
Sherman, principal; Lem Wea-
ver, agriculture; Mrs. A. Y.
Doherty, home economics; Aul-
ton Durham, commercial sub-
jects and coach; Fern Murphy,
English; Rosalie Montgomery,
English-Spanish; Opal Cross, ma-
thematics; Douglas Forbes,
band; Sudie Lee Foust, Mrs.
Alvin Redin, Anna Lee Anderson
and Mrs. Mattie Walling, first
four grades; R. D. Wheelock,
Mrs. Looe Miller and Althea
Brown, fifth, sixth and seventh
grades. Five buses will run for
the rural students . . . L. T. Wood
buys Silverton Drug Store from
H. C. Mercer . . . Good rain falls
on Briscoe County . . . Purebred
Guernsey bull, Governor's King
Paul 249192, purchased by G. J.
Neatherlin . . . Haylake School to
open August 22, according to
Principal Jake Spencer. Enroll-
ment expected to be 65. The
other teachers will be Mrs. Jake
Spencer, intermediate grades;
Miss Betty Agnes Workman,
primary teacher. Grades will be
taught up to and through the
seventh . . . Ware Fogerson and
Tom Allday opening new tailor
shop . . .

AUGUST 22, 1929—Lions frolic
in new \$80,000 high school
building . . . Roberts Grain
Company Elevator and Kemp
Shoe Shop burned Monday
morning . . . A. R. Castleberry
purchases the Toggery from I. A.
Stephens, and will merge with
the stock of McClister Dry Goods
Store . . . J. R. Foust goes as
Armour manager . . . Briscoe
County has fine quality fruit . . .
Cholera showing up in turkey,
chicken flocks



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law, earning the highest interest
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ness our business and prove it with the
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Cheesemakers call the holes
in Swiss cheese "eyes."

OBITUARIES

DENZIL RAY VAUGHAN

Funeral services for Denzil Ray Vaughan, 51, of Plainview were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church in Silverton, with the pastor, Rev. Jerry Miller, and the Rev. Cecil Vaughan, Assembly of God minister from San Angelo and uncle of the deceased, officiating.

Burial was in Resthaven Cemetery at Quitaque, with arrangements directed by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors of Silverton.

Mr. Vaughan died at 7:20 p.m. Sunday at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock following a lengthy illness.

Born September 1, 1931, he lived with his parents, Elmer and Girtha Mae (Johnston) Vaughan in the Haylake community in Briscoe County as a youngster.

The Hollis, Oklahoma native was a veteran of the Korean War and owned Vaughan Real Estate in Plainview. He had also lived in Amarillo and Hereford, where he was also involved in real estate.

He was a member of Calvary Temple in Plainview.

Survivors include a son, Derek of Plainview; one daughter, Shellie Vaughan of Plainview; his mother, Mrs. Girtha Mae Vaughan of Silverton; a brother, Wayne Vaughan of Silverton; and two sisters, Mrs. Norma Ragland of Lubbock and Mrs. Lola Smalts of Hereford.

Pallbearers were Danny Vaughan, Ronny Vaughan, Deannie Henderson, Ronald Welch, Bob Lithell and Carroll Welch.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- August 18—Silverton Lions Club Silverton Fire Department
- August 19—Football scrimmage with Cotton Center, here, 6:30 p.m.
- Miami vs. Three Way, here Senior Citizens Luncheon, Business Meeting
- August 19-20-21—Tulia 3-2 Softball Tournament
- August 25-26—Teacher In-Service
- Miami vs. Cotton Center, here
- Silverton Young Farmers
- August 26—Bill Sarpalius Mobile Office here, 4:00-5:00
- Football scrimmage at Miami with Higgins
- August 27—Caprock Squares
- August 29—First Day of School
- September 2—Whitharrell, here
- September 5—School holiday
- September 6—Booster Club
- September 8—McCaulley at Jayton P.A.S.S.
- September 11—Plainview Air Show
- September 12—Commissioners' Court
- City Council
- September 13—Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service
- September 16—Three Way, 5:00, There
- September 20—Briscoe County Peace Officers Ass'n.
- September 20-22—TEHA State Meeting, Lubbock
- September 23—Cotton Center, There
- October 6—Jayton JV, here, 5:00 Jayton JH, here

JAMES ERIC WARD

Funeral services for James Eric Ward, 88, were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the First Baptist Church in Silverton. Officiating were the Rev. Royce Denton of Clovis, New Mexico, former pastor of the First Baptist Church in Silverton, and the Rev. Jerry Miller, present pastor.

Graveside rites were conducted at 6:00 p.m. that same day in Denver City Memorial Park Cemetery, with arrangements directed by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

Mr. Ward died Wednesday,

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August 10, at Lockney General Hospital where he had been a patient since the previous day.

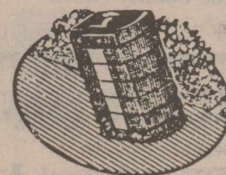
A native of Swenson, Mr. Ward moved to Silverton four years ago from Denver City. He had also lived in Lamesa. He was a retired rancher and carpenter.

Survivors include three sons, Jim Ward of Waco, W. P. Ward of Denver City and Bill Ward of Spur; three daughters, Mrs. Aileen Lyle of Fort Worth, Mrs. Margaret (Marge) Jones of Silverton and Mrs. Ann Gober of Brownwood; one brother, Houston Ward of Aspermont; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Mae Folliard of Dallas and Mrs. Elizabeth Davis of Fort Worth; 19 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons: Patrick Ward, Michael Ward, Jeffery Jones, Larry Scott, Jim Lyle, Douglas Scott, Robert



Ward, Jerry Ward and W. P. Ward, jr.


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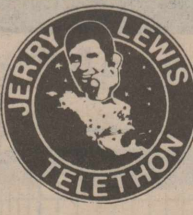
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**USDA TO ANNOUCE 1984
UPLAND COTTON PROGRAM
BY NOVEMBER 1; REQUESTS
COMMENTS**

The U. S. Department of Agriculture plans to announce the 1984 upland cotton program on or before November 1, with

final decisions to be based on the public's recommendations and the most current data on U. S. and world crop conditions and supply and demand.

According to Everett Rank, administrator of USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, the deadline for receiving comments is October 4.

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Rank said USDA is asking for comments on the following:

—the base loan rate for the basic grade of upland cotton (strict low middling 1 1/16 inch, micronaire 3.5 through 4.9) at average U. S. location. This base loan rate—which by law cannot be less than 55 cents per pound—will be determined according to a

statutory formula using domestic and world price data.

—the 1984 target price and the appropriate level of advance deficiency payments, if any.

—whether USDA should establish an acreage reduction program and, if so, the level of reduction.

—the appropriate national pro-

gram acreage and voluntary reduction percentage if no acreage reduction program is announced.

—whether USDA should establish a paid land diversion program and if so, the percentage of the diversion and level of payment.

—whether there should be a payment-in-kind program and if so, the provisions of the program.

—whether to require offsetting compliance if an acreage reduction program is established.

—methods for determining the 1984 crop acreage bases for upland cotton.

—the loan rate for seed cotton.

Comments should be sent to director, analysis division, USDA-ASCS, room 3741-S, P. O. Box 2415, Washington, D. C. 20013. Comments will be available for public inspection in that room from 8:15 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

New Laws Pertaining To Motor Vehicle Registration, Fees

H.B. 306 by Criss—This bill creates and provides funding for a motorcycle operator training course. The motorcycle registration fee will now be \$6.05 (including 30c reflectorization fee) with 75c of the fee being deposited by the Department for use by DPS for this training course. The effective date of the Act is September 1, 1983.

H.B. 455 by Barrientos—This legislation provides a 5-day grace period for the continued operation of a motor vehicle in Texas after the expiration of the vehicle's registration. The effective date of this Act is September 1, 1983.

H.B. 470 by Blanton—Amends the current antique vehicle statute by reducing the vehicle age criteria from 35 years to 25 years for eligibility to register under the statute. Allows the display of an old set of Texas license plates issued in the same year as the year model of the antique vehicle subject to approval by the Department. A special validation sticker will be issued for display on these old license plates. The replacement fee for the antique registration will now be \$5.30 instead of the prorated antique registration fee. The effective date of the Act is September 1, 1983.

H.B. 825 by Hackney—This bill provides for the registration of mopeds (motor-assisted bicycles are reclassified as mopeds) which have been certified by the DPS. A distinctive license plate with the word "Moped" appearing thereon will be issued for mopeds. In addition, this bill provides for the issuance of certificates of title for mopeds. Manufacturers' Statements of Origin will be required on all new mopeds sold in Texas on and after September 1, 1983. With respect to used mopeds, an individual may not register, sell, trade, or otherwise transfer a moped within this State unless a certificate of title is applied for and issued in the name of the owner as of September 1, 1983. A dealer may transfer a used moped in stock as of September 1, 1983, on the Department's prescribed Affidavit of Ownership for a Moped, and a Dealer's Reassignment of Title, Form 41.

H.B. 872 by Moreno of Hidalgo—This legislation provides that an application for Texas registration and title covering a motor vehicle which has been imported into the United States by someone other than a distributor or dealer for the manufacturer must be supported by a form issued by the United States Customs Service stating that the vehicle was declared to a customs officer in

accordance with the Tariff Act of 1930. The effective date of this Act is September 1, 1983.

H.B. 897 by Criss—This bill exempts manufactured housing from the Registration Law. No registration of any type, including One Trip Permits, Intransit License Plates, or Dealer License Plates/Cardboard Tags, is required for the movement of manufactured housing on the highways. This bill also increases the oversize permit fee from \$5.00 to \$10.00. The effective date of this Act is September 1, 1983.

H.B. 965 by Jackson—This bill allows the counties the option of collecting \$5.00 in addition to the regular registration fee for each vehicle registered in the county. The county commissioners court must issue an order and notify the Department by September 1, 1984, if this fee will be collected. Such collections may begin on January 1, 1985. The counties will retain 97% of the optional fee with the remaining 3% being remitted to the Department. Additionally, this legislation specifies that joint registration and title transactions may be filed in the owner's county of residence, the county where the sale occurs, or the county in which the lienholder is located. The effective date of this Act is August 29, 1983.

H.B. 1421 by Jones—This legislation will allow 34-day deferred remittance of registration and title fees by the counties if such fees are placed in interest bearing accounts or certificates in the County Depository (current law states that these fees must be placed in daily interest savings accounts). The effective date of this Act is August 29, 1983.

H.B. 1601 by Hall of Tarrant—This bill eliminates the 65-foot limitation for truck tractor, trailer and semitrailer combinations. In lieu of the combination length, this bill establishes maximum lengths for trailers operated in such combinations as follows:

1. Semitrailer—57 feet
2. Two trailers—28½ feet each

No more than three vehicles may be operated in combination. There is still a 65-foot limitation on vehicles other than truck tractor combinations. The effective date of this Act was immediately upon passage. (June 19, 1983)

H.B. 1602 by Hall of Tarrant—This legislation increased the maximum width requirements for vehicles from 96 inches to 102 inches for operation on designated Texas highways. The effective date of this Act was immediately upon passage. (June

19, 1983)

H.B. 1778 by Luna—This legislation amends the current dealer license law by requiring that every dealer other than franchised dealers licensed by the Texas Motor Vehicle Commission shall be required to maintain a \$25,000 bond filed with the Department. The purpose of the bond is to protect dealers from invalid bank drafts from other dealers and retail purchasers for failure of a dealer to furnish title. A levy against the bond will require an order from a court of competent jurisdiction. In addition, new entry dealer fees will increase from \$100.00 to \$250.00 making dealer license fees (including tax): (1) new entry \$270.30; (2) renewal \$120.30; and (3) supplemental \$30.30. The effective date of this Act is January 1, 1984.

H.B. 2157 by Turner—This legislation amends current law by eliminating the necessity for an applicant for Soil Conservation License Plates to obtain certification from the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee and allows such applicant to certify his own application. The effective date of this Act is September 1, 1983.

H.B. 2183 by Barrientos—This legislation amends the Certificate of Title Act by requiring that odometer readings for motor vehicles be placed on the face of the certificate of title as well as on all applications for title and assignments of title, including assignments between dealers. The effective date of this Act is January 1, 1984.

S.B. 139 by Blake—This bill provides for the issuance of "Texas Guard" License Plates by the Department directly to an applicant. The plates may be issued for passenger cars and light trucks owned by active members of the Texas Army National Guard, Texas Air National Guard, and Texas State Guard. The fee for the license plates is the regular registration fee for the vehicle with the entire amount being deposited in the State Highway Fund. All applications accompanied by the appropriate fee should be submitted to the Department. The effective date of this Act was immediately upon passage. (April 26, 1983)

S.B. 222 by Caperton—This Act increases the 72-Hour Permit fee from \$10.00 to \$25.00 and provides for the issuance of a 144-Hour Permit for a fee of \$50.00. The effective date of this Act is August 29, 1983.

S.B. 261 by Sharp—This bill amends Section 41 of the Certificate of Title Act by specifying that a security interest in a

motor vehicle held as inventory by a person who is in the business of selling motor vehicles may be perfected only by complying with Chapter 9 of the Business and Commerce Code. The effective date of the Act is August 29, 1983.

S.B. 284 by Santiesteban—This bill provides for a new permanent identification card for disabled persons to be displayed in the windshield of a vehicle transporting such disabled person. A disabled person now has the privilege of obtaining the permanent identification card, a disabled person license plate validation sticker or both. The effective date of this Act is August 29, 1983.

S.B. 288 by Leedom—This bill changes various fees prescribed under the motor vehicle title and registration laws. These changes are as follows:

1. Eliminates \$10.00 Parade License Plate registration fee. These plates will now be issued free of charge.
2. Duplicate license receipt fee increased from \$1.00 to \$2.00.
3. Certified Copy Original or Duplicate Original title fee increased from 25c to \$2.00.
4. Assigned number fee increased from \$1.00 to \$2.00.
5. Title application fee increased from \$3.00 to \$10.00.
6. Transfer registration receipt increased from 50c to \$2.50.
7. Delinquent transfer penalty increased from \$5.00 to \$10.00.

The effective date of this Act is September 1, 1983.

S.B. 547 by Whitmire—This bill provides that a County Tax Assessor-Collector or an employee of the County Tax Assessor-Collector may administer oaths and take acknowledgements relating to any document required or authorized to be filed with the county tax office, including assignments of title. The effective date of this Act is August 29, 1983.

S.B. 802 by Brown—This bill requires the certificate of title or certificate of origin for a vehicle rendered a total loss due to flood damage to be surrendered to the Department for cancellation. It further requires the Department to place an "appropriate designation" on any title subsequently issued for a vehicle to which the original evidence of ownership has been surrendered to the Department for cancellation due to flood damage or other causes. The effective date of this Act was immediately upon passage. (June 19, 1983)

CONTROL WHITE GRUBS IN LAWNS

Travis Harney
Briscoe County Extension Agent

May or June beetles have completed emergence from the soil and females are now laying eggs in the lawns on the South Plains. White grub worms which hatch are beginning to feed on grassroots in home lawns. Once grubs begin feeding, control measures should be taken.

Treatment time varies with the particular area of the state and ranges from early July in South Texas to mid-August in the Panhandle. Homeowners in Briscoe County should treat between late July and mid-August if white grubs are a problem. Timing of application is critical for adequate control.

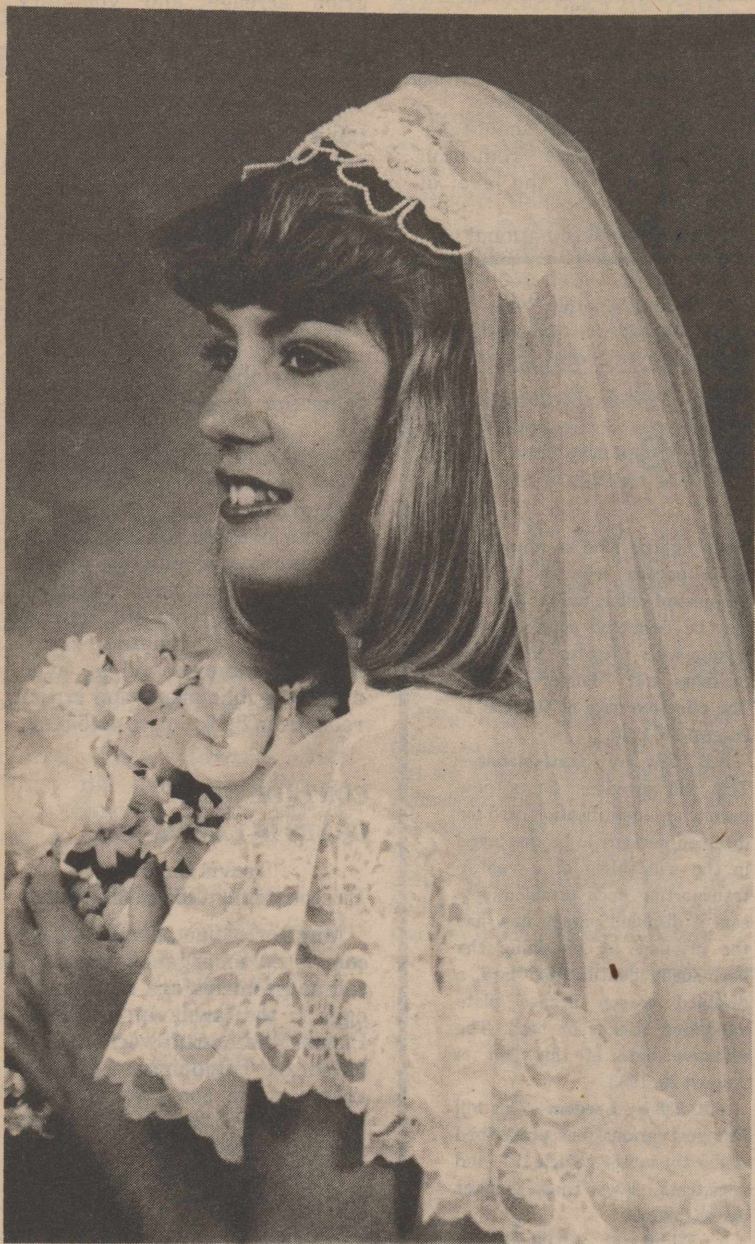
White grubs in excessive numbers can heavily damage lawns. Check for white grubs by cutting a square foot section of sod with a shovel and examining the roots and soil to a depth of four inches. Examine at least one square foot of sod for 1,000 square feet of lawn area. Chemical treatment is needed if there are two or three grubs per square foot of sod.

Diazinon or dursban provide adequate control and should be used at recommended rates given on the chemical container label. The granular form is easier to apply and to wash into the soil than liquid or spray formulations. After using granules, drag the grass with a tow sack or water hose to knock them down to the soil. Then apply about two inches of water to soak the granules into the soil. Oftanol, a new white grub insecticide, works well but may not be locally available in some areas.

The key to white grub control in home lawns is proper timing of chemical applications and getting the insecticide through the grass to the root zone where grubs are feeding.

Further information is provided in the publication, "White Grubs in Texas Turfgrass," available at the Briscoe County Extension Office.

An estimated 100 million meteoroids enter the Earth's atmosphere each day. All but about 500 a year are burned up in the air.



MRS. MICHAEL ELLISON WILLIAMS

Reynolds - Williams Vows Exchanged

Miss Janice D'Ann Reynolds became the bride of Michael Ellison Williams in a formal double-ring ceremony at five o'clock Saturday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Silverton. The pastor, Rev. Jerry Miller, performed the ceremony before a 15-branch candelabrum flanked by 15-taper spiral candelabra entwined with silk ivy and accented with orchid satin bows. Two potted ferns and orchid silk flower arrangements completed the setting. Large orchid satin bows marked the pews for the parents and grandparents of the couple.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Reynolds of Silverton, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Williams of Kress.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white gown of chiffonet with Chantilly lace wedding band collar. Her sheer yoke was sprinkled with Schiffli embroidery and outlined with a Chantilly lace ruffle. Her skirt was sprinkled with lace motifs, edged with cascading rows of Chantilly lace which formed a chapel-length train. Her Chantilly lace bandeau held her lace-trimmed fingertip veil of illusion.

The bride carried a bouquet of orchid and white silk roses and daisies accented with baby's breath and showered with a cascade of white satin ribbon.

To carry out bridal tradition, she chose to wear her maternal grandmother's engagement ring as something old, her wedding gown as something new, pearl earrings borrowed from her sister-in-law, and added a blue garter.

Serving her sister-in-law as matron of honor was Mrs. Darrell (Diane) Reynolds of Plainview. She wore a floor-length gown of orchid flocked sheer delight designed along simple lines with gathered skirt and lace-trimmed off-the-shoulder neckline and a bow at center front. She carried a bouquet of orchid and purple silk flowers and white lace.

Bridesmaids and matrons were Mrs. Cam (Missy) Forbes, Miss Judy Northcutt and Mrs. Merle (Annette) Roehr. The junior bridesmaid was Miss Sherri Reynolds of Amarillo, cousin of

the bride.

The bridesmaids and matrons wore dresses which were identical to that of the matron of honor and carried similar bouquets. The junior bridesmaids wore a floor-length dress of the same material designed with high neckline edged with lace and puffed sleeves with lace-edged ruffles over the shoulders and full gathered skirt with lace-edged ruffle at the hemline. Her bouquet was similar to those carried by the other bridal attendants.

Miss Heather Meek of Plainview, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. Her dress was identical to that worn by the junior bridesmaid.

Ring bearer was Cory Williams of Kress, cousin of the groom.

Bryan Reynolds and Greg Reynolds, both of Amarillo and cousins of the bride, served as candlelighters.

Serving as best man was Keith Bedford of Kress. Groomsmen were Kelly Todd of Kress, Michael Watson of Canyon and Courtney Williams of Kress, brother of the groom.

Guests were seated by Lee

Bedford and Kendal Freeman, both of Kress.

Mrs. LaRue Garvin was organist and Mrs. Anne Davidson was pianist. They accompanied Darrell Reynolds of Plainview, brother of the bride, when he sang "Through the Eyes of Love," "Twelfth of Never," "The Lord's Prayer" and "Truly."

The bride's mother wore a cream-colored floor-length dress designed with long sleeves, tucked front, tie belt and V-neckline. She added a corsage of orchid-tipped cream silk roses.

The bridegroom's mother chose a floor-length three-piece gown of magenta designed of accordian-pleated sheer fabric. She also added a corsage of orchid-tipped cream silk roses.

RECEPTION

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the fellowship hall of the church.

The bride's table was covered with a white cloth accented with ruffles and held the bouquets of the bride and her attendants, the crystal punch service and the three-tiered white wedding cake accented with lavender roses topped with a miniature bride and groom. Nuts and mints were

served along with the punch and cake by Miss Angie Lowrey of Silverton and Miss Jeni Denton of Clovis, New Mexico.

The groom's table was covered with a gray satin cloth and was accented with a vase of purple and orchid flowers, with baby pictures of the bride and groom. Hors d'oeuvres were served with iced tea by Miss Rosemary North of Amarillo and Miss Rhona Teaff of Lubbock, cousins of the groom.

Others assisting with the reception were Mes. Lois Walker, Carolyn Lowrey, Bobbye Bean, Virginia Hardin, LaTrella Flowers, Janelle Reeves and Pat Fitzgerald.

Miss Angie Lowrey was in charge of the guest book.

Following a wedding trip to Colorado, the couple will be at home at Kress.

The bride is a graduate of Silverton High School. Her husband is a graduate of Kress High School and is self employed.

REHEARSAL PARTY

A rehearsal party was hosted by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Williams, at Loston's Restaurant in Kress Friday night.

NOTICE OF VOTE ON TAX RATE

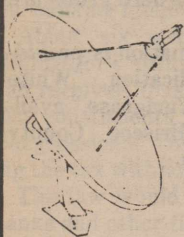
The Silverton Independent School District conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase your property taxes by 8 percent on August 15, 1983 at 8:00 p.m.

A public meeting to vote on the tax rate will be held on August 18, 1983 at 8:00 p.m. at Silverton High School.

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SILVERTON, TEXAS

Holt-Winn-Clay Reunion Held

The Holt, Winn and Clay families enjoyed a day of visiting and lunch in the Silvertown School Cafeteria Sunday, August 7, 1983.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Coopersmith, Tatum, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holt, Graham; Mr. and

Mrs. Wayne Hamilton, Mozelle Northcutt, Mr. and Mrs. Norlan Dudley, all of Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Kit McDaniel, Hale Center; Randa McDaniel, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Neil Holt, Grand Prairie; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Holt, Mineral Wells;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaffer, Perryton; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carthel, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Montgomery and Kale, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cope, Mrs. Leila Holdaway and daughters, Amar-

illo; Karen, Chad, Neal and Dee Turner, Lubbock; Lance Holt, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Todd Hamilton, Bryan; Mrs. Shorty Donnell, Canyon; Mrs. Donna Pigg, Krissi, Mandy and Ben, Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Osborne, Pampa;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Eddleman, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Baird, Kerry and Kori, Mr. and

COUPLE TO CELEBRATE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

A couple who were recently in Silvertown for their 50-year high

Mrs. Billy Garvin, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holt, Kent Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer, all of Silvertown.

Calling in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Winston Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mercer and Mrs. Doleta Boyce.

school reunion will soon celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary in Tyler, Texas.

Jeff Bomar Morriss and Fern Blocker Morriss were married on August 25, 1933 in Silvertown. The couple has lived in Amarillo, Colorado and for the past 13 years in Tyler.

They have four children, Joe Morriss, Lynda Reeves and Don Morriss, all of Tyler and Hal Morriss of Canton, Oklahoma. The Morrisses also have 15 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

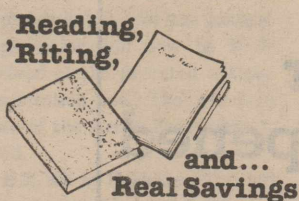
Mrs. Morriss is a retired bookkeeper and an avid gardener. Mr. Morriss is retired from Morriss and Company, a paint contracting business which he founded in 1972.

The couple will be honored at a reception August 27 at the home of their son, Don, in Tyler.

RICE'S BACK TO SCHOOL SALE

- Men's and Boy's Hanes Underwear 25% off
- Boy's Knit Shirts 1/2 price
- Blue & Gray (All Sizes)
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- Summer Children's Clothing 40% to 50% off

Fall Merchandise Arriving Daily For Back To School



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Quitaque, Texas



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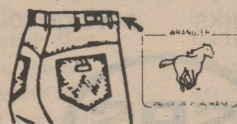
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Attention consumers - Read rules carefully! This certificate must accompany all requests for coupons. Limit one request per certificate, and two certificates per family, organization, group or address. Offer void outside U. S. A., and where prohibited by law. Consumer address must show zip code, and consumer assumes risks of lost mail. Allow 6 weeks for processing of your request. OFFER EXPIRES OCTOBER 15, 1983.

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RICE DRY GOODS
Quitaque, Texas

4-H COOKBOOKS STILL AVAILABLE

4-H cookbooks are still available for \$6.50. The cookbook includes recipes from 4-H members throughout Texas. Each recipe has a nutrient analysis for its calories, fat, sodium, potassium, cholesterol, protein and carbohydrates. This information is especially helpful to those on special diets.

This cookbook is a special project in celebration of the 75th anniversary of 4-H club work in Texas. Local 4-H clubs keep a portion of the cookbook sale price.

Call the Extension Office, 823-2343, if you want this cookbook and a 4-H member will deliver one to you.

FAMILY LIVING COMMITTEE TO MEET IN QUITAQUE

The Briscoe County Family Living Committee will meet Thursday, August 18, at 5:30 p.m. for a dutch treat supper and meeting at Roye's in Quitaque. The Silvertown members will leave from the courthouse shortly after 5:00 p.m.

The agenda will include a report by those who attended the Family Life Seminar in Lubbock in May, the selection of a program emphasis area for Extension programs in 1984, and the completion of plans for a "Stress Management Seminar" September 19.

Committee members include Lottie Garrison, chairman; Polly Jarrett, Patsy Towe, Jackie Mercer, Johnnie Morrison, Elgin Conner, Henrietta Scoggins, Kathy Frizzell, Rhenda Burson, Vicki Bean and Lanita Cantwell.

PRESSURE CANNERS TO BE TESTED

Homemakers are reminded to bring their pressure canner lids to the Extension Office in the courthouse basement if you need the gauge tested for accuracy. The Extension Office now has an electric canner testing unit, and there is no charge for this service.

The lids need to have the owner's name attached.

Among those attending the funeral of Jim Stell in Quitaque last week were Mrs. Ronald Kitchens, Mrs. W. E. Schott, Mrs. J. C. Rhoderick, sr. and Mrs. Lorene Johnson.

Ambulance Service Has Meeting

Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service met at the City Hall Tuesday night of last week with Anthony Kingery presiding. Ambulance assignments during the rodeo were announced, as well as the drivers of the units for the parade.

A MAST certification meeting was announced for August 27 at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, and several members of the Silverton Ambulance Service are planning to attend.

Following the meeting, the units were cleaned and waxed inside and out.

Attending were Riley, Sandy and Shelly Harris, Bruce and Susie Tiffin, Mike Pigg, Anthony Kingery, Helen Strange, Mike Mercer, Janice Hill, Dale McWaters, Rick Minyard, J. L. and Faye Self, Mary Ann Sarchet, Tom Burson, James Edwards, Jeff Tiffin, Bill and Della Boling, Jarus Flowers, LaRue Garvin and Lynn Frizzell.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

- August 18—Lanis McWilliams, Edwin May, Jennifer Lavy
- August 19—Jackie McVay, Casey Frizzell, Opal McClure
- August 20—Bill Durham, Scotty Harris, Tonya Clardy, Lindsey Weeks
- August 21—Palmira Ramirez
- August 22—Mandy Rampley, Cody Bridges, Max Davis, LaRue Garvin
- August 23—Shannon Bingham, Levi Hutsell, Pat Fitzgerald, Tammi Edwards, Putt Jasper, Kirk Couch, Bradley Harrison
- August 24—Louis Grabbe, Gary Whitfill, Tonia Perkins

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...

- August 18—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lowrey
- August 21—Mr. and Mrs. Gene Whitfill
- August 22—Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hutsell
- August 24—Mr. and Mrs. Don Burson

TAX WITHHOLDING ON INTEREST, DIVIDENDS HAS BEEN REPEALED

Local and area banks will not withhold 10 percent of their customers' interest and dividend payments now that the withholding tax law has been repealed. President Ronald Reagan signed into law legislation repealing income tax withholding on interest and dividends late last week.

Reagan had opposed the legislation and at one time threatened to veto it. That probably would have been futile, though, as the measure passed both the House and Senate by margins wide enough to override a veto, after a massive lobbying campaign by the banking industry.

About six weeks ago, Jack Hightower's office reported he had received 13,500 letters from his constituents in the 13th Congressional District concerning the tax withholding law.

The law would have required banks and other financial institutions to withhold 10 percent of interest and dividend payments to promote taxpayer compliance and speed tax collection.

Sharon Brown of The First National Bank of Amarillo is a member of the American Bank-

ALLSUP'S STORES JOIN THE FIGHT AGAINST MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY

Through Labor Day, September 5, Allsup's Convenience Stores will display Muscular Dystrophy collection canisters in all stores in New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma. This fund-raising activity, along with many others, will help find causes and cures for 40 crippling neuromuscular disorders that affect an estimat-

ers Association Marketing Committee which was instrumental in organizing bank customers for a letter-writing campaign to their legislators.

"Part of the reason for the campaign was to inform the public and let them know about the tax," Ms. Brown said. "We also wanted to give them the opportunity to respond to their legislators."

"We didn't expect the response to be as great as it was, but we knew it would take broad consumer response to get the bill repealed," Ms. Brown said. "I think it is important for the public to understand that if they will speak out, their representatives in Washington will listen."

ed one million Americans of all ages.

The programs of the Muscular Dystrophy Association are funded almost entirely by private contributions and corporations. And the research is working! MDA recently announced the first breakthrough in the treatment of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS)—also known as Lou Gehrig's disease. While the drug—TRH—is classified as experimental, it is the first treatment that has ever resulted in significant improvement in ALS patients and it represents a glimmer of hope for people with this terrible disease. Allsup's is proud to be a part of such worthwhile research.

Again this year, Allsup's invites area youngsters to participate in the annual "Door Beel Brigade for MDA." Kids are encouraged to pick up collection kits at their local Allsup's store on August 27 and 28. After collecting donations for MDA and "Jerry's Kids," return the collections to the store and each youngster will receive a free fountain drink of his or her choice. It's Allsup's way of saying thank you to all the kids who care about helping "Jerry's Kids."

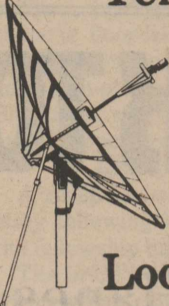
Northwestern University conferred an honorary degree on ventriloquist Edgar Bergen's dummy, Charlie McCarthy.

Rae Allard Schmidt of Woodside, California visited her aunts, Nannie Bomar, Jettie Hardcastle and Bertha Allard, last week.

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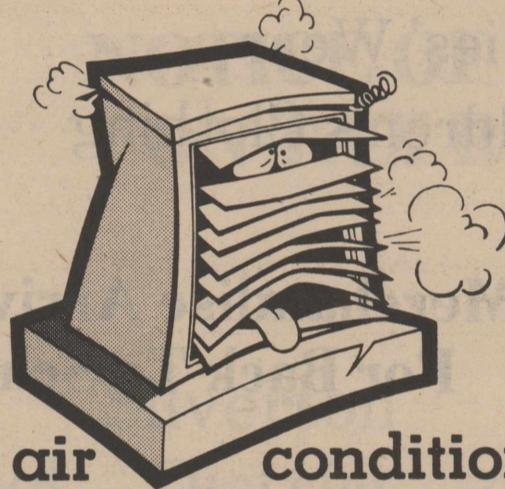


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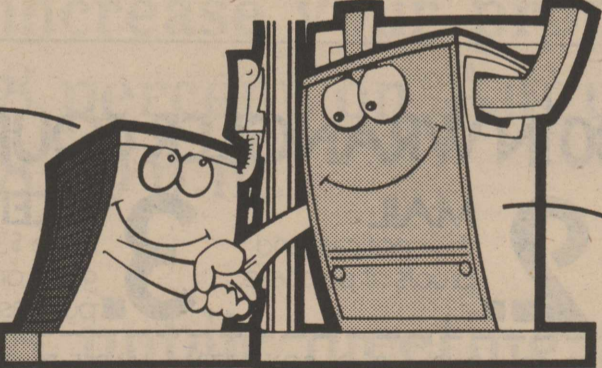
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with your present furnace. Besides cooling your home in the summer, it helps heat your home in the winter.

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Approximately 1,000 people were served at the barbecue held last Thursday during the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration. Here Judge and Mrs. Fred Mercer were pictured as they were served by Firemen Emmett Tomlin, Anthony Kingery, Flute Hutsell, Jeff Tiffin and James Edwards.

—Briscoe County News Photo

SENIOR CITIZENS TO HAVE LUNCHEON FRIDAY

Silverton Senior Citizens will meet Friday, August 19, for their regular monthly luncheon and business meeting.

Ladies of the Silverton United Methodist Church will be hostesses for the luncheon.

Hawaii was formed by the activity of undersea volcanoes.

Gardner Reunion Held In Tulia

The Gardner reunion was held Sunday, August 7, 1983 at the Swisher Memorial Building in Tulia. A delicious meal was served at lunch which had been brought by those attending.

A domino tournament was held, the winners of which were Homer Vaughn of Silverton and Carlton Gardner of Tulia.

Card games were enjoyed by several groups, and members of the group also toured the museum.

Prizes, other than for the domino tournament, were given to Mr. and Mrs. Warner Ward for having the most family members present, and to Mr. and Mrs. Don Dean and family of Indio, California for traveling the farthest distance.

Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pratt and Jana, Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Don Mulder and Kristi, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Mulder and Josh, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bogdonovich and Selena and Mrs. Alta Horton, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Triplett, El Paso; Jerry Orr, Canutillo; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Widegren, Grand Junction, Colorado; Mrs. Karen Knight, Heather and Derek, Colorado Springs, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Crafton, Cathey and Tim, Cortez, Colorado;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fowler, Smyer; Mrs. Laura Mae Pitts, Alexandria, Louisiana; Mr. and Mrs. Farris Martin, Roscoe; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dumesnil, Livingston; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ward, Ja and Jeul and Susan Hansford, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bryan, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Alan Dickerson, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Lafoye Lenz, Mesquite; Homer Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strange and Mrs. Bessie Autry, Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Don Dean, Brian, Lana, Jarrod, Slade and Ashley, Indio, California;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Evans, Crosbyton; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Evans, Ralls; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wood and Jessica, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. James Ward, Shan, Jessica Jo, Lynn and Samantha and Danny Ward, Hart; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Gardner, Mrs. Sylvia Collum and Mr. and Mrs. Warner Ward, all of Tulia.

198.38 ACRES

GOOD CAREY & SANDY LOAM FARM.

LAND

Auction

GOOD LOCATION

10:00 A.M. FRIDAY, AUGUST 19, 1983 10:00 A.M.

LOCATION: From Memphis, Texas on Hiway 287, 11 Miles South to Farm-to-Market Road 1619;
From Estelline, Texas, on Hiway 187, 4 Miles North to Farm-to-Market Road 1619;
From Farm-to-Market Road 1619, 2 1/2 Miles East, 1 Mile South and 1/2 Mile East to Sale Site.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

198.38 Acres of Land, more or less, and being a portion of Survey No. Twenty Nine (29) in Block one (1) of the S.P. Ry. Co. Survey, and a portion of the J.H.N. Brewer Pre-emption Survey No. Three (3) in Childress County, Texas and described by Metes and Bounds as follows:

Beginning at a stake at the northwest corner of said survey No. 29, Block 1, S.P. Ry. Co. Survey:

Thence South 950 Varas to a Stake; Thence East 1184 Varas to a Stake in the East line of the J.H.N. Brewer Survey No. 3; Thence North 950 Varas with the East boundary line of the said J.H.N. Brewer Pre-emption Survey No. 3 to a rock; thence west 1184 varas to the place of beginning.

POSSESSION:

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TAXES:

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MINERALS:

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Final Provisions Given For 1984 Wheat Program

Inasmuch as Congress did not buckle under to the Administration's pressure to freeze 1984-85 target prices before it adjourned until September, the Secretary of Agriculture has voided the options announced July 29 and now made a final announcement of provisions for the 1984 Wheat Program. The choosing of the so-called "option B" is no surprise — \$4.45 target, \$3.30 loan, 30% ARP, 10%-20% PIK, 75% Payment rate. There are some additional provisions included

that merit your attention, as you decide whether or at what level to participate, said Bill Nelson, executive vice president of Texas Wheat Producers Association, Amarillo.

—Base acres will be the average planted in 1982-83. This will be of benefit to those that grazed-out or otherwise had an abnormal low base when they were established. It will, however, make the overall program less effective and more costly.

—Producers with no reserve or loan wheat to use for PIK and are unable to harvest will not receive a PIK payment. If such a producer is prevented from planting due to drouth or loses his crop to drouth, insects, freeze, hail, etc., he would have

no pay at all for his land diversion efforts.

—Conservation use [set aside] acreage may be grazed. This is one producer always have to fight for.

—There will be no assurance of a reserve after the one-year loan period as a ceiling is being considered on the reserve.

Please keep in mind that these provisions outlined are the only public press statements in a broad and general scope. Depend only on your local ASCS office for specific operating details. While not addressed in the USDA News Release, there is no assurance that there will not be changes made in this program if Congress does eventually freeze target prices or take other policy action.

It is hoped that making this information instantly available as a membership service will be of help as you plan your 1984 wheat production and marketing, added Nelson.

Your Association's analysis and public reaction to the program announcement is, "Inasmuch as the principal objectives of current programs are, or should be, to reduce carryover stocks and strengthen producer income and since this program does not meet these objectives, it is unacceptable as a stopping point and we are continuing our efforts for administrative or legislative improvements even at this late date." USDA has projected that under the program, carryover stocks will leap some 200 million bushels by 1985 and producer income will plummet from net returns of \$6.9 billion to \$4.9 billion, Nelson concluded.

USDA ISSUES EMERGENCY PROVISIONS FOR GRAZING

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has issued special provisions that will allow producers in some drought affected counties to graze their own livestock on their own conservation use acreage.

Conservation use acreage is cropland that has been removed from production and devoted to approved cover as a requirement for the acreage reduction program, paid diversion and the payment-in-kind program.

Requests for permission to graze should be made to county offices of USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, according to Deputy Secretary of Agriculture Richard Lyng. Approval for the special grazing provisions will be on a county-by-county basis.

If approval for special grazing is granted, county ASCS offices immediately will notify all producers. Producers interested in conservation use acreage grazing then must notify county ASCS offices of their intentions.

Lyng said USDA is aiming at a "24-hour turnaround" in getting approval back to the counties affected. "ASCS will give these requests highest priority," he said.

These special provisions are for conservation use acreage only, and do not apply to wildlife acreage. Grazing will be restricted to livestock owned by the producer as of August 1.

A producer may not let another use his conservation use acreage; it must be his livestock on his land. The permitted grazing may not remove cover to

the extent that the acreage would lose its protection from weeds and from wind or water erosion, Lyng said.

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