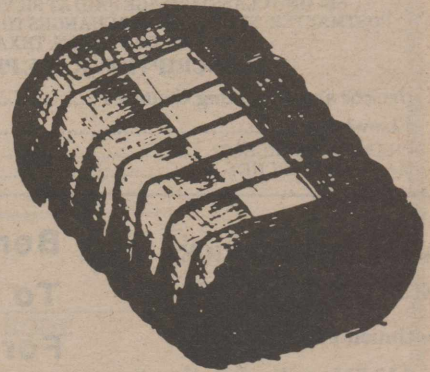
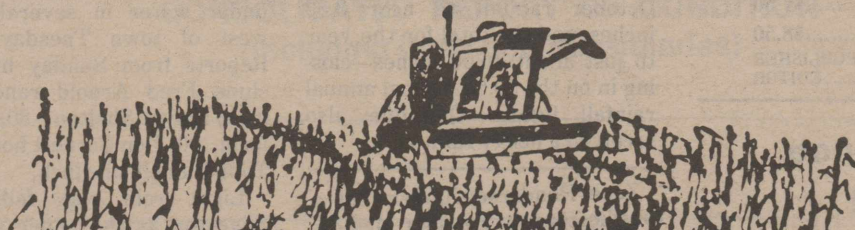


Silverton: Home of Scenic Lake Mackenzie



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Progressive Extension Homemakers To Sponsor Halloween Carnival

The Halloween Carnival will be sponsored this year by the Progressive Extension Homemakers. The spacious remodeled show barn will be the site for all ghosts and goblins to congregate at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, October 29.

All clubs, organizations and individuals are encouraged to have booths.

A costume contest will be the highlight of the event. There will be age groups for preschool, school age and adults. A booth will be provided for contestants to sign up and be assigned a number.

Booth space will be \$5.00 per group. For information call Sue Martin at 823-2354 or Ramona Martin at 847-2260.



Football Queen and her Court—Kathy Brown [wearing the traditional football helmet crown] was presented as the 1983 Football

Queen in pre-game ceremonies here Friday night. Miss Brown is pictured with the other candidates, nominated by the Silver-

ton Owl football team, Lisa Lavy, Shellie Cornett and Soledad Garcia.

—Briscoe County News Photo

Ambulance Service Receives \$25,000 Gift

Members of the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service met in regular session Tuesday night of last week, with Anthony Kingery presiding. Announcement was made that the ambulance service was the recipient of a \$25,000 gift from the Martha Ann Cogdell Memorial Trust, which has been instrumental in providing equipment and a building for the Briscoe County Clinic and equipment for the ambulance service.

Those present expressed their appreciation to the Cogdell family and trustees for the gift, and promptly voted to pay the balance on the note for the new ambulance, the principal amount of which was \$15,300. It was also decided to put the remainder of the gift into a money market certificate at the First State Bank in Silverton.

The motion also carried to buy See AMBULANCE SERVICE—Continued On Page Two

Scoring Rule Invoked In Silverton Victory

The six-man scoring rule was invoked in the third quarter of the Silverton Homecoming football game here Friday night, ending the game with a 47-0 victory for the Owls.

The rule states that if either team is 45 points ahead at the half, or at any time during the second half, the game automatically ends.

So, the Owls recorded their second straight victory over New Life Christian Schools of Lubbock in fine fashion, giving the locals a 2-3 record for their first season in six-man football.

Russell Simpson and Jim Forbes led Silverton as they scored three times each in the game.

Simpson started the scoring with a 35-yard run in the first quarter followed by three Forbes runs of two, twelve and seven yards. Simpson added a six-yard run and then Warren Jarrett broke loose for an 11-yard scoring jaunt to give the Owls a 41-0 halftime lead.

Simpson scored again in the third period to end the game at 47-0.

Forbes finished the night with 141 yards on 14 carries, having scored three touchdowns and

having run for three two-point conversions.

The Owls had been scheduled to play the Jayton JV this week, but both of the games with Jayton were cancelled earlier due to Jayton's personnel shortage. The next game for the Owls will be with Midland Christian Schools here October 28, and the season will close with New Life Christian Schools who come here again on November 4.

FFA Fruit Sale Is Continuing

The Silverton FFA Chapter will continue to take orders for fruit until November 1, at which time the fruit will be ordered.

This year the club is offering apples, oranges, grapefruit, pineapple and combinations of the fruit.

Mrs. Jackie Carol Gerhardt was a patient at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia from the previous Friday until Monday of last week. She returned to her job as activities director at the Lockney Care Center Tuesday.

"Nature never breaks her own laws."
Leonardo Da Vinci



Several large catfish have been taken on trotlines at Lake Mackenzie during the past week. This group of fishermen, Jerry Baird, David Tipton, Calvin

Shelton, Charles [Mule] Grantham and J. E. Patton, brought in two which tipped the scales at 30 pounds each Monday morning. They caught another in this size

range Sunday morning, and Monday afternoon they brought in a 34-pounder.

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Silverton Receives Rain

Silverton received about an inch of rain Sunday night, and an additional two inches of rain Tuesday night. This brought the October rainfall to near 3.50 inches, and the total for the year to just about 16.00 inches—closing in on the 20.50 normal annual rainfall figure. Quitaque also received a heavy rain.

J. E. Patton reported that 3½ inches of rain and hail fell at his home west of Silverton, and Highway 86 was reported to be under water in several places west of town Tuesday night. Reports from Sunday night include Fred Arnold ranch, one inch; Calvin Shelton, .80; Tipton farm, .90; Don Cornett home, .60; Tobe Riddell, one inch.

Light rain was falling on Silverton as the paper went to press at 9:00 a.m. Wednesday, with rain continuing in the forecast through today.

Neil Taylor reported that .90 of an inch of rain had fallen this week at Lake Mackenzie, where fishing has been fantastic during the past few days.

"The last two weeks, everyone who has fished at the lake has caught fish," Taylor said. "They are catching bass up to five and five and a half pounds, stripers and catfish. We are lacking the catches of crappie and white bass, and this is bad because we want our fishermen to be able to catch fish from the banks without having to have a boat and expensive equipment to get out in the lake for them. The biologist is trying to turn this around, and hopefully it won't be long before everyone can catch fish at Lake Mackenzie."

Rainfall continued to be in the picture for the area, with a misting rain falling as this story was being written Tuesday.

VALLEY 4-H TO HAVE DANCE PROJECT MEETING

The Valley 4-H Club invites all Silverton 4-H members to their dance project meeting Saturday, October 22, at the Bob Wills Center in Turkey at 7:30 p.m.

This club will use records to learn line dances and polkas, schottische, Cotton-eyed Joe and others used at 4-H activities.

There is no charge. 4-H is open to all youth from 9-19 years of age regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, or national origin.

Recent out-of-town visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney and Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison have been Mr. Seaney's sister, Mrs. Anna Belle Patterson, and Mrs. Seaney's niece, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lawley, of Stockton, California. Other relatives and friends have included Mr. and Mrs. Jack Waguespeck, Odessa; Mrs. Paulene Hooper, Fort Worth; Walter Bradley, Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Seaney, Follett; Mrs. Daryl Wynn, Kimberly, Toby and Stacy, Booker; Cendy Turner, West Texas State University, Canyon; Mrs. Myrtle Sullivan, Mundy.



A group of turtles is known as a bale.

AMBULANCE SERVICE RECEIVES \$25,000 GIFT

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an AM-FM radio for the new ambulance.

Following the business meeting, Paramedics Kingery and Lynn Frizzell were instructors for a MAST (medical anti-shock trousers) in-service training workshop. Instruction was given, after which those who will be certifying divided into groups and were tested orally and in a practical demonstration on their knowledge of the subject. A written test will be given later on which the participants will actually be certified.

Attending the meeting were Helen Strange, Bruce and Susie Tiffin, Riley and Sandy Harris, Danny Francis, Larry Comer, Tom Burson, James Edwards, Bill and Della Boling, Faye Self, Rick Minyard, Mary Ann Sarchet, Janice Hill, Dale McWaters, Harold Edwards, Jim Estes, Dick Roehr, Kingery and Frizzell.

Refreshments were provided by Bruce Tiffin and Dale McWaters.

Benefit Dance

To Be Held

For Ted Hester

A dance by the Caprock Country band is being held Saturday, November 5, at the Briscoe County Show Barn. All proceeds will go to the Ted Hester Love Fund to help defray his hospital expenses incurred when he had open heart surgery.

Mr. Hester had no hospitalization insurance.

Zane Henderson underwent a tonsillectomy at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia Monday morning. He returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. George Seaney's nephew, Melvin Gene McIntyre, who was injured in the auto accident in which his two brothers were killed, has never regained consciousness at the hospital in Oklahoma City. The three boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McIntyre.

Panhandle EMS Issues Halloween Warning

Panhandle Emergency Medical Services System Paramedics have issued a few warnings for the ghosts, goblins and witches out on Halloween. It is the time of year when some special problems occur. Here are a few tips on warding off these unwanted tricksters:

Halloween costumes are notoriously poor insulators from the cold, so be sure to bundle up

under the costume. The head accounts for the greatest percentage of heat loss from the body. A good stocking cap or other well insulated hear gear is in order. Of course, well bundled bodies are musts in the cold, since a child is less likely to complain of being cold in the excitement of the moment. Extra pairs of socks and a warm pair of gloves is recommended. It's a good idea to unbundle as soon as you get home to prevent overheating the child.

Unfortunately, parents must beware the criminally insane people who seem to enjoy giving out dangerous treats on Halloween. Anything from Chocolate-covered mice to razor blades in apples have been reported in the past. Parents can best avoid these idiots by following a few basic rules for trick or treaters:

(1) Only visit people you know well.

(2) Caution your children to never accept treats from other children, especially older children.

(3) Never allow your child to have homemade treats such as candied apples or popcorn balls unless you know the giver well.

(4) Examine each treat yourself for any evidence of tampering and caution your children to never eat a treat until you have examined it.

(5) Only allow individually wrapped treats that can be examined easily for evidence of having been opened or tampered with.

(6) Caution your children to never let someone else examine or handle their treats.

If your child eats one of their treats before they get home and begin to manifest symptoms of nausea, vomiting or general distress after having been well all evening, you may want to notify emergency medical personnel.

In the case of suspected poisons, you can call the Poison Control Center through the Panhandle Emergency Medical Services System at 1-800-692-1331.

Do not take chances if you suspect poisoning... call for help immediately!

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LOOKING BACK

through the files of the Briscoe County News

OCTOBER 17, 1968—Kangaroos beat Owls for seventh straight season . . . Application being taken for Cable TV service . . . Diana Strange and Janet Montague are contestants in the "Miss Cotton" contest to be held at Plainview . . . Rev. Jesse B. Leverett, former pastor of the First Baptist Church in Silverton, buried at Stinnett . . . Travis McMinn injured in a fall on the job at Eules . . . Elected as officers of the 4-H Club were Becky Francis, president; Bill Reid, vice-president; Lesa Francis, secretary; Ken Sarchet,

reporter. Roy Wood and Pat Jarrett were junior leaders assisting with the meeting . . . Mildred Mary Jones weds John David Turner . . . Roy Garrison places in State 4-H Dress Revue . . . Cheerleaders for the Junior High Owls are Laura Arnold, LaNell Stephens, Susie Parker, Louise Croft and Ramona Martin

OCTOBER 16, 1958—Mike Mercer hurt in football mishap Monday afternoon . . . Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brooks are parents of a son, Roy Lyn . . . Mrs. Buck Lancaster was cut about the face by flying glass in a wreck near Lockney last Thursday . . . Commissioners B. K. Hamilton, Milton Dudley and Dud Watters attended a Judges and Commis-

sioners Meeting in Dallas last week . . . Mrs. T. W. Bell, sr. of Turkey visited Mrs. J. H. May and Virginia May Tuesday afternoon . . . It's Turkey trot as Silverton falls 60-0 . . . Mmes. G. A. Elrod, W. H. Tension, J. M. Thompson, Ray Palsey, Rex Holt, Jim Clemmer, C. L. Wilson, Truman Loyd, James Maples, J. E. Minyard, Doyle Stephens, J. E. Morton, Conrad Alexander, Buck Hardin and Don Garrison attended a WMU workshop in Plainview last week . . . Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McWilliams, Mary and Jim visited Mrs. H. E. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cagle and Rhonda in Quitaque Saturday evening . . . Officers and members of the 4-H Club are

Paula Turner, president; Jackie Durham, vice-president; Ruth Minyard, secretary; Janice Hester, song leader; Mary Schott, reporter; Judy Bingham, Mary Welch and Kathryn Smith . . . Mrs. R. M. Hill has been a patient in the hospital at Tulia . . .

OCTOBER 15, 1953—Peggy Holt to marry Billy Wayne Garvin . . . Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowart and children made a business trip to Abilene Sunday . . . Bill Watters was severely injured Tuesday when a dump truck fell on his right arm . . . Delbert Mattheus is enrolled at Texas Lutheran College . . . B. F. Keltz buried Sunday . . . Owls defeat Lakeview Eagles . . . Tina and Max, children of Mr. and

Mrs. Lem Weaver, spent a day or two early this week in the local hospital . . . Messrs. and Mmes. D. T. Northcutt, Lem Weaver, Perry Whittemore and Gordon Montague attended the A&M-Tech football game in Lubbock Saturday . . . Darden Jasper is here on leave from Fort Bragg, North Carolina . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Vaughan visited their daughter, Helen, a student at WTSC . . . Mrs. R. C. Green of Turkey spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee . . .

OCTOBER 16, 1941—O. C. Rampley has been playing football and seeing the sights in the sunny states of California and Arizona. A guard on the Buffalo football squad, he is enjoying competition with the other Border Conference schools, including Arizona State Colleges at Tempe and Flagstaff, the University of Arizona, etc. The Buffs won their first three games, two of which were played in Fresno, California and Tempe, Arizona . . . Bill Hardin claims the honor of the first bale of 1941 cotton . . . "Mammy" Haynes claimed by death . . . Alva C. Jasper spent the past week at Borger with his sister, Mrs. Aubrey Rowell and Mrs. Lowell Callaway . . . Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cantwell visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Montague Sunday . . . Little Dwain Henderson is on the sick list this week . . . Attending the Senior Party in the home of Pat Bomar last week were Carl (Dude Boy) Bomar, Raymond Lee Womack, LaVerne Young, Evelyn Coffee, Billy Rampley, Louie Bonds, Lola Howard, Charline Garrison, Wynona Lee, Harley Chappell, Bobby Olive, Bobbie Dean Nance, Mildred Boswell, J. W. Brannon, Freda Wimberly, Joe Montague, Joe Bean, Velma Lois Young and Mr. King, class sponsor . . . It was rumored in the halls of SHS that Jonnie Allard and Wayland Harrison can always find something to giggle about . . .

OCTOBER 13, 1938—Glenn Wallace, 31, meets tragic death on highway when struck by a motorist while walking along the roadside . . . Officers of the Freshman Class are Vance Burson, president; Carl Dean Bomar, vice-president; Evelyn Coffee, secretary-treasurer; Billy Rampley, reporter; Freda Wimberly, assistant reporter; Miss Opal Cross and Mrs. R. D. Wheelock, class sponsors . . . Tule Canyon crossing to be improved . . . Owls win first conference game from Matador . . . Gaynelle Douglas elected vice-president of the Dramatics Club at WTSC . . . Mrs. Finley White and Mrs. Clyde Wright entertain with a "42" tea honoring Mrs. Ross Stiles . . . Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Deavenport Thursday evening . . . Margaret Sue and Bettye Gardner underwent tonsillectomies at Turkey Wednesday . . . Bailey Childress transacted business and attended the American Legion Convention in Fort Worth the first of the week . . . Bailey Hill, who is attending school in Abilene, spent the weekend with his parents . . . Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Northcutt entertained with a dance Friday night . . . J. T. Luke, formerly of Crosbyton, is the new manager of the Farmers Produce Com-



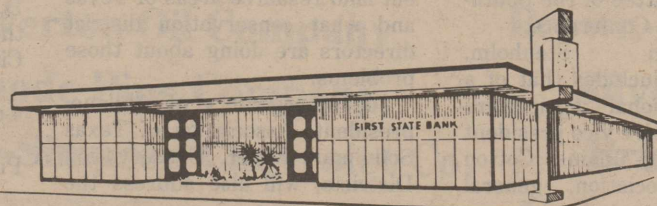
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pany, replacing Earshall Garrison, who resigned last week . . . The ladies rest room at the courthouse is being divided, with the west end to be another County Resettlement office . . . Johnnie Lanham has purchased the Smylie house . . . Dorothy Dickenson is the Senior Class representative to the Student Council . . .

OCTOBER 17, 1929—Briscoe County booth at the State Fair receives \$125 cash prize for being third best. . . Normal frost date, October 20, is approaching . . . It is expected that 1800 bales of cotton will be ginned here this fall . . . Silverton Owls lose to Turkey . . . John Folley grows 51-pound melon . . . J. G. Fort and E. H. Perry have sold City Market to W. E. Lemons and J. L. Graham . . . Work begins on new Methodist Church . . . Cecil Vaughn, Norman Brown and Al Stevenson will be delegates to the State Future Farmers meeting in Dallas . . . Mrs. G. C. Patton honored Miss Lucille King on her birthday . . . Mr. and Mrs. Wood Hardcastle hosted a chicken dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Peters of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allard, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Allard, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Burleson and family, A. G. Stevenson . . . The outstanding social event of the autumn was the bridge party given by Mrs. Bland Burson at her beautiful new home in north Silverton last Friday afternoon. Softly shaded lights enhanced the elegance of the rooms where five tables for bridge and two for "42" were set. Red dahlias and the bright colors of the tallies struck the right note of gaiety. Mrs. D. O. Bomar won high bridge score and was presented a dainty dance handkerchief. In "42" Mrs. Walter Fogerson was high and won a handpainted crystal powder jar . . . A most enjoyable affair was the shower for Mrs. Doyle Smith, formerly Miss Marie Thomas, given by Mrs. R. E. Douglas and Mrs. W. L. Jewett in the pretty new Jewett residence last Tuesday afternoon . . . Mrs. Dick Cowart is charming hostess to London Bridge . . . Jack Brooks caught a coyote last week . . .

OCTOBER 24, 1929—Nipping frost arrives with some ice . . . Owls meet Tulia Hornets on Friday . . . J. L. Francis and W. M. Gourley returned Friday from Dallas where they had been for ten days, preparing, setting up and looking after the county exhibit at the State Fair . . . The most delightful affair of the season in Silverton society was the "42" luncheon given by Mrs. Tom Nichols Wednesday . . . Mrs. Jeff Gunter was hostess to bridge party . . . Mrs. Max Crawford to host London Bridge . . . Mrs. R. E. Douglas is new president of Parent-Teacher organization . . . Jim Bomar and H. R. Brown returned Friday from Dallas. They report a fine trip except that Mr. Brown declared Jim had the roof of his mouth sunburned from gazing at the skyscrapers; and Mr. Bomar says H. R. developed heart-trouble from the sudden ascent of the hotel elevator. They state that between adventures they purchased a carload of beautiful new furniture for the store . . . Gordon Alexander, Bland Bur-

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(1983 Poverty Income Guidelines for All States Except Alaska and Hawaii)
(Normas de Pobreza de 1983 para Todos los Estados con las Excepciones de Alaska y Hawaii)

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2	8,502	709	164
3	10,686	891	207
4	12,870	1,073	249
5	15,054	1,255	290
6	17,238	1,437	333
7	19,422	1,619	375
8	21,606	1,801	416
9	23,790	1,983	459
10	28,158	2,347	541
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District Directors To Meet In McAllen

C. L. Sutton, Don Burson and Jay Flowers, directors from the Caprock Soil and Water Conservation District will be in McAllen October 24-26, 1983 to attend the forty-third annual State Meeting of Texas Soil and Water Conservation District Directors. The meeting will be held in the McAllen Civic Center.

The purpose of the meeting is to review developments affecting Texas conservation programs. An array of top agricultural leaders and legislative and congressional officials will highlight the meeting. Speakers will include State Senators Grant Jones of Abilene, Bill Sarpalius of Canyon, U. S. Congressman Charles Stenholm of Stamford, Tom Benson, president, Federal Land Bank of Texas, Austin and Billy Griffin, state conservationist, Soil Conservation Service, Temple.

Approximately 1,000 SWCD directors including other conservation leaders are expected to attend the meeting.

Speaking during the Tuesday morning general session will be Senator Jones, Congressman Stenholm and Federal Land Bank President Benson.

Senator Jones is currently chairman of the Senate Finance Committee and is a member of the Education and Economic Development Committee. He is also a member of the State Audit Committee and Legislative Budget Board.

Senator Jones represents Texas as a member of the Natural Resources and Environmental Quality Committee of the Southern Legislative Conference.

Congressman Stenholm, whose career includes that of a former vocational agriculture teacher, executive vice president of the Rolling Plains Cotton Growers Association, general

son, Roy McMurtry and Neale Crawford have returned from a hunting trip to Walsenburg, Colorado . . .

manager of the Stamford Electric Cooperative and president of Double S Farms, Inc. is vitally active in Congressional agricultural activities.

He serves on the U. S. House of Representatives Agriculture Committee and Subcommittees on Cotton, Rice and Sugar; Livestock, Dairy and Poultry; Tobacco and Peanuts; and Conservation, Credit and Rural Development.

"Future Changes in Agricultural Financing" will be the topic of Benson's address. Benson, who was named president of the Federal Land Bank of Texas in 1979, previously served as a regional manager, secretary and vice-president and senior vice president of the Land Bank System. The purpose of the Federal Land Bank of Texas is to make long-term real estate loans on farm and ranch land and rural residences throughout the state.

Speaking at the banquet on Tuesday evening will be State Senator Sarpalius, who represents the 31st Senatorial District covering the upper 26 counties of the Panhandle, serves on the Senate Education, Natural Resources and State Affairs Committees. He is also chairman of the subcommittee on Agriculture.

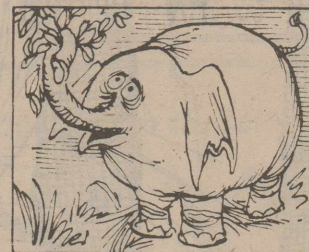
During the Wednesday general session SCS State Conservationist Griffin will speak on the working relationship between conservation districts, SCS and other agencies and groups. His talk will also center on the major resource problems in the different land resource areas of Texas and what conservation district directors are doing about those problems.

Joe Montgomery of Abilene, president, Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts, will also address the group.

Four concurrent workshops featuring discussions on conservation tillage, soil and water salinity, conservation education and one especially for district

employees will be conducted on Tuesday afternoon.

Regular elections for the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation District Directors for State Areas One, Three and Five will be held on Tuesday afternoon in the area sessions. A president and vice president of the State Association will be elected as the Association's business session on Wednesday.



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A worker honeybee collects enough nectar in his lifetime to make about 1/10 of a pound of honey.



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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to the Mayor and City Council of the City of Silverton, Texas, Briscoe County, will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, until 5:00 p.m. D.S.T. November 14, 1983, on the following vehicles that the City offers for sale.

Vehicle #1: 1977 Chevrolet 4-door car

Vehicle #2: 1967 Chevrolet Pickup

Vehicles are to be bid on separately. Vehicles can be seen at City Hall.

The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

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Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Grimland of Needles, California visited with friends and relatives here Tuesday. They had dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Durham and Lee Ann. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Terry Grimland, Alison, Jeffery and Jennifer, Mr. and Mrs. Riely Yates, all of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ratliff, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McKay, Plainview.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County will be accepting Sealed Bids until 10:00 a.m. November 14, 1983 for the purchase of one used Motor Grader. The machine must meet the following specifications.

One used Tandem powered motor grader meeting the following specifications:

1973 year model or newer
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Successful bidder will be required to take in trade one 1972 year model used 118 Gallion Motor Grader now owned by the county.

Such sealed bids will at said time be publicly opened and read before the Commissioners' Court of said county. Will be publicly opened on November 14, 1983 at 10:00 a.m.

The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. This notice is given in compliance with Article 2368-A Vernon's Civil Statutes and all amendments thereto and pursuant to an order of the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas.

Address bids to office of the County Judge, Briscoe County.

Fred W. Mercer
County Judge
Briscoe County, Texas

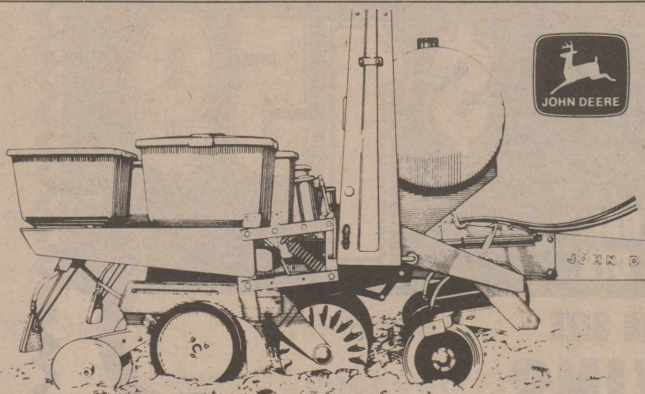
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Several Highway Department employees in Briscoe County received awards recently at a ceremony held in Childress. Some 170 Childress District employees were honored with service and safe driving awards presented by Childress District Engineer Lewis H. White. Marcus L. Yancey, Deputy Engineer Director for the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation headquarters office in Austin, was the principal speaker. Employees pictured are [from left to right] Gwan H. Wilkinson, Gail Bullock, Lynn H. Smith, Rickey L. Minyard, Johnny T. Tiffin and Windle D. Thomas.

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12-row N	825	12-row N	\$ 450
8-row W	700	12-row N-fold	550
7000 Drawn		8-row W-fold	375
12-row N	\$ 625	8-row N	300
8-row W	425	8-row W	300
8-row N	400	6-row W	225
6-row W	350	6-row N	225
6-row N	300	4-row W	175
4-row W	200	7100 Integral Soybean	
4-row N	225	12-row N	\$ 500
		10-row N	450
		8-row N	350

N: Narrow W: Wide
*Availability of John Deere financing and leasing plans subject to approval of credit. Leases not eligible for cash in lieu of waiver. This offer may be reduced in value or withdrawn at any time.

Ray Thompson Implement
Silverton, Texas

Iris Beds Need Special Care

Early fall is the time for planting or renovating bearded iris beds, says a landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

For existing beds, dig up and separate rhizomes and replant only those that are clean, strong

and disease-free. Put new plantings in well-drained soil that is high in organic matter, spacing them 12 to 18 inches apart. Shallow planting is best, so place the rhizomes just below the soil surface. Cut back foliage by one-third when transplanting iris.



The average silkworm spins a thread twelve thousand times as long as its body.

olis for oats.

Storage payments for reserve corn and reserve IV sorghum will remain stopped through October 31 and interest will be charged on all of the loans.

USDA REPORTS ON STATUS OF COMMODITIES IN FARMER-OWNED RESERVE

Corn and oats in all farmer-owned grain reserves and sorghum entered in the reserve from October 6, 1981 through June 30, 1982 will remain in release status through October 31, according to a U. S. Department of Agriculture official.

Everett Rank, administrator of USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, said the decision on the three reserve commodities was made following a review by USDA's Commodity Credit Corporation of their average market prices October 3, as reported by USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service, adjusted to reflect the market price received by farmers.

On October 3, the adjusted price for corn was \$3.39 per bushel, above the release levels for reserves IV and V of \$3.15 and \$3.25, respectively. The adjusted price for sorghum was \$5.41, above the reserve IV release level of \$5.36. Oats had an adjusted price of \$1.65 per bushel, the same as the reserve release level.

Data used by CCC include daily prices compiled by the Agricultural Marketing Service, as well as the month-end report of prices received by farmers issued by USDA's Statistical Reporting Service. This end-of-month report shows the previous month's average price and the current mid-month price.

Daily markets reviewed by CCC are Kansas City, Minneapolis, Omaha and St. Louis for corn; Kansas City and Texas High Plains for sorghum and Minneap-



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P215/75R15	\$63.00	\$2.59
P225/75R15	\$65.00	\$2.74
P235/75R15	\$69.00	\$2.96

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Comparable Prices on Other Sizes Passenger and Farm Tires

Miss Cornett Is Shower Honoree

Miss Kim Cornett, bride-elect of Bobby McPherson, was honored with a coffee and miscellaneous shower on Saturday, October 15, 1983, from 9:30 until 11:00 a.m. in the Pioneer Room of the First State Bank in Silverton.

Hostess Glenda Francis greeted and presented the guests to the honoree, her mother, Glenna Cornett, and to Betty McPherson, mother of the prospective bridegroom. Each was presented with a silk corsage of pink and burgundy flowers. Also in the receiving line were the honoree's grandmothers, Mildred Thompson of Plainview and Elsie Cornett. Shellie Cornett, sister of the bride-to-be, presided at the guest registry.

Other special guests include aunts of the bride-elect, Helen

Strange and Brenda Patton; her great-aunt, Neva Garvin; her cousins, Jo Nell Hatcher of Tulia and DeLyn Patton; the sister and niece of the prospective groom, Leila Holdaway and Cortney of Amarillo; his aunts, Ruby Eddleman of Silverton and Gay McPherson of Lockney; his cousin, Jealeta Baird. Others attending from out of town were Connie Simpson and Donna Rowell, both of Lubbock.

A burgundy and pink silk flower bouquet in a wicker basket was the focal point of the refreshment table which was laid with a pink, ruffled cloth and burgundy napkins. Liz Griffin

and Patti Perkins, hostesses, used china and silver appointments to serve miniature cinnamon rolls, thumbprint cookies with pink centers and sausage balls accompanied by hot cranberry punch and coffee.

The centerpiece and a set of stainless steel cookware were gifts from the hostesses.

Additional hostesses were Shirley Durham, Sharon Simpson, Berniece Wood, Sandy Perkins, Lura Brown, Mary Brown, Carolyn Reagan, Elaine Forbes, Roy Reed, Carlye Hill, Maebelle Francis, Mary Jane Patton, Carol Martin, Rosemary Perkins, Florence Fitzgerald, Pat McJimsey, Reba Tipton, Joy Stodghill, Willene Comer, Vaughnell Brannon, Sylvia Fogerson and Donna Ferrell of Amarillo.

Club Hears Program On Asthma Center

On Monday, October 10, the Progressive Extension Homemakers met in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank to hear a program given by Gail Wyatt on the National Jewish Hospital/National Asthma Center. Mrs. Wyatt had recently had firsthand experience with this hospital and her program was very informative and was sparked with much enthusiasm.

After a short business meeting and refreshments served by hostesses Marsha Brunson, Bena Hester and Michelle Francis, Mrs. Wyatt concluded with a brief program on candy molding.

Club members present for the meeting were Terry Harney, Anita Ramsey, Annette Roehr, Reba Self, Ramona Martin, Dorothy Martin, Roy Reed, Debbie Weaks, Sherri DeLano, Pat McWaters, Sue Martin, Beverly Minyard, Tisa Whitfill, JonEtta Ziegler and Gail Wyatt.

Freeman Tate returned home Wednesday of last week after having been a patient in Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia for ten days. He had pneumonia and other complications.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Not too long ago there was a letter in the Briscoe County News from Ione Sheid. Does that bring back memories from so long ago. Back in the late twenties and early thirties there were four families living in Silverton that were very close together. The families were the Bomar family consisting of Wylie and Julie and kids Roy, Wynona, Brubs and Willene. The Blocker family consisting of Joe and Jetter and kids Fern, Jack, Ona and Snookie. The Sheid family consisting of Nick and Ione and kids Edith, Bo and a dog named Lindy. The Noah Amason family consisting of Noah and Nell. Almost every week one of the families would have a party. We kids really had a good time.

I lost track of the Sheids when they moved away in the late thirties until the letter to the editor. Maybe somehow I could get Ione's address and could write to her. I really enjoy the Briscoe paper especially the going back through the files. Keep up the good work.

When I was a kid growing up in Silverton I thought the best people in the world lived in Silverton and someone said that is still true.

Jack Blocker

(Ed. Note: Mrs. Sheid's address is Box 95, Rule, Texas 79547.)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

October 20—Angie Lowrey, Wayne Mayfield, Peter Trevino, Nelda Jasper

October 21—Ramona Martin, Betty Long

October 22—Jeff Smith

October 23—Ruth West, Margaret Frizzell, Myrt Edwards, Renee Fuston, Brandi Breedlove

October 24—Robert Hill, Renee Ramirez, Roque Ramirez, Matthew D. Martin

October 25—Kim Burson, Sylvia Fogerson, Edwin Crass, Lynn Frizzell

October 26—Kay Garrison, Emma McCune, Matt Lawrence, Mitch Martin, Kelly Braisher

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO ...

October 21—Mr. and Mrs. Don Garrison

October 23—Mr. and Mrs. Perry Brunson

October 26—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Birdwell

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CHARLIE AND HAZEL JOHNSON

Couple To Celebrate Golden Anniversary

The children of Charlie and Hazel Johnson will host a reception in honor of the couple's Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, October 30, 1983, between the hours of 2:00 and 4:00 p.m. The reception will be held in the Willie Room of Swisher Electric Cooperative, Inc. at 401 S.W. Second in Tulia. All friends and relatives are invited to join Charlie, Hazel and their family in the celebration of this occasion.

Charlie A. Johnson and Hazel A. Chappell were reared in the Rock Creek Community near

Silverton, and were married October 28, 1933 at the Presbyterian Parsonage in Tulia. The couple has lived almost all of their married life in Tulia, having lived at 306 N. Maxwell since 1953.

The couple has five children: Charlie Daniel, Tulia; Bettye McKone, Woodward, Oklahoma; Patsy Franks, Pecos; W. O. Johnson, Sudan, and Danny Johnson, Tulia. They also have twelve grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Please let your attendance at the reception or your thoughts on this special occasion be your gifts.

Shirts and Skirts To Have Reunion Dance

The Shirts & Skirts Square Dance Club will have a reunion dance at 8:30 p.m. Saturday, October 22, at the VFW Hall in Tulia.

All former members and students of the Shirts & Skirts Square Dance Club are invited to come and visit or dance and just plain enjoy yourselves, according to reporters Joe and Joy Smith.

Jack Thompson will be calling the basic calls you enjoy.

Come as you are. Square dance clothes are not required.

Senior Citizens To Have Luncheon Friday

Silverton Senior Citizens will have their monthly luncheon and business meeting Friday at the Senior Citizens Center.

A nurse will be at the meeting. The women from the Assembly of God Church will be hostesses for the luncheon.

"The best sauce is the world is hunger." Cervantes



Mr. and Mrs. Ron Vaughan, 8422 Freemont, Lubbock, are parents of a son, John Kyle, born at 6:15 p.m. Saturday, October 15, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. He weighed nine pounds and six ounces and measured 21 1/4 inches long.

The couple are also parents of a son, Justin Blake.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Riddell Hutsell of Reseda, California, Bud Vaughan of Silverton and Rubye Vaughan of Lockney.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Girtha Mae Vaughan of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hutsell of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blankenship of Faxon, Missouri are parents of a daughter, Kristen Renee, born October 11.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blankenship of Saint Marys, Missouri and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Sorter of Winfield, Missouri.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Patton of Silverton.

Great-great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rex Puckett of Phoenix, Arizona and Mrs. Clay of Saint Marys, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn are parents of a son, Daniel Lee, born at 8:27 a.m. Monday, October 10, at Lockney General Hospital. He weighed five pounds and fourteen ounces, and measured 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Perkins of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dunn of Abilene.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ott Perkins of Silverton; W. W. Dunn and Mrs. Mimi Jones, both of Jackson, Mississippi.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Oct. 20—Silverton Lions Club
- Silverton Fire Department
- Oct. 21—Senior Citizens Luncheon, Business Meeting
- Oct. 22—Caprock Squares
- Oct. 24—Progressive Extension Homemakers
- Oct. 24—Teacher In-Service Training
- Oct. 25—Rock Creek Quilting Club
- Oct. 27—Silverton Young Farmers
- Oct. 28—Midland Christian Schools, Here
- Oct. 29—Halloween Carnival
- Nov. 3—Cotton Center JH, Here
- Nov. 4—Teacher In-Service Day
- New Life Christian, Here
- Nov. 5—Ted Hester Benefit Dance
- Nov. 8—Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service
- Nov. 15—Briscoe County Peace Officers' Association
- Nov. 17-18-19—Cotton Center JV Tournament
- Nov. 21—Happy, Here, 5:00
- Nov. 22—Clarendon A-B Girls, A Boys, Here, 5:00
- Nov. 24-25—School Holiday

LINES FROM YNDA



Lynda Fogerson
Briscoe County Extension Agent
WASH AND WEAR?

One hundred years of research have created man-made fibers that have revolutionized the way we live and dress and lightened the load of household chores. But new fibers and fabrics require new care methods.

When cotton, wool, silk and linen were the only fabrics and a bar of lye soap was the only soap, clothing care was simple (except I have never figured out how they cleaned the silks and elegant clothes with beads and lace).

With many forms of polyester, rayon, acrylic, nylon and the blends of these synthetics and natural fibers, hundreds of new fabrics are on the market. Detergent manufacturers create new formulas to clean these fabrics. Many laundry aids are available to make cleaning easier—pre-soaks, pre-wash treatments, water softeners, bleach products, and fabric softeners.

Care labeling legislation passed in 1972, required each article of clothing to have a care label permanently attached by the manufacturer. Fabric is also required to be labeled. Do you look at the number in the triangle on the end of the fabric bolt and ask the salesperson for the care label of that number or read the care requirement for that material before you buy it?

One study showed that consumers care for the garment the way they want to regardless of the label information. When their care method ruins the garment, they are unhappy.

Detergent boxes give directions for detergent use but many consumers do not follow these. I saw an example of this when I visited the Soap and Detergent Association in New York. Water varies across the United States. Hard water requires more detergent for good cleaning. Minerals in water create additional problems.

For best results in clothing care, read labels BEFORE buying clothes or fabric and read and follow instructions on all laundry products. If you have problems, call me (823-2343) or come by my office. I have many resources on clothing care problems and stain removal.

INGENIOUS IDEAS DEPT.

For thousands of years, brushes were used for cleaning, spreading paint, brushing teeth and brushing hair. Brush handles have been made of wood, metal, rubber or plastic; hairs and bristles have come from pigs, camels, squirrels, and, more recently, nylon or other man-made fibers. In 1808, Artemus Woodward of Medfield, Massachusetts manufactured the first brushes in

- Nov. 28—Lakeview, There, 6:30
- Nov. 29—Clarendon A-B Girls, A Boys, There, 5:00

Rock Creek Club To Meet Tuesday

Rock Creek Quilting Club will meet Tuesday, October 25, in the home of Marie Boling.

NEWS

For Mothers

Tasty Snacks Can Be Nutritious, Too

If kids know one thing about potato chips and corn chips, it's that they taste great. That's what interests youngsters the most.

Many Moms are more concerned about the nutritional value of those "fun foods" that children clamor for. Recent studies indicate they are more nutritious than some mothers may realize.



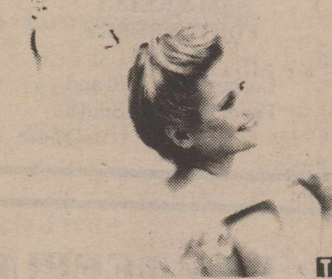
When youngsters (and others) clamor for snack foods, you'll be giving them some valuable nutrition as well as good taste.

The information indicates that these snacks may not be the answer to total nutrition, but they can be part of it. Such children's favorites as the potato and corn chips from Frito-Lay are eaten for fun and good taste. They also contribute vitamins and minerals to the Recommended Daily Allowances. Their calorie and sodium content are lower than many probably think.

A national survey showed that over 95% of children consume less than eight percent of their total daily calorie intake in snack foods.

For a FREE booklet about "Good Things to Know About Good Things To Eat," write to Frito-Lay, "Good Things To Know", P.O. Box 35034, Dallas, TX 75235.

the United States.



Now there's a long-handled, battery operated rotary action bath/shower brush that makes it a breeze to wash from back to toes. The detachable soft bristle brush rotates in the center for effective lathering and cleansing, while the outer bristles remain stationary and serve as a splash guard. Also included with the new Norelco Clean Body Machine is a smooth bath sponge which can be used interchangeably with the brush. Rotary action of the brush or sponge assures thorough lathering and cleansing with either bar or liquid soaps.

The Congregation of the CHURCH OF CHRIST Meeting at Rock Creek

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Sunday
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday
Evening 7:00 p.m.

BRISCOE COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT
1983 VALUES

TAXING UNITS	TOTAL GROSS APPRAISED VALUE (Before exemptions and productivity valuation reductions)	TOTAL NET APPRAISED VALUE (After exemptions and productivity valuation reductions)	1983 TAX RATE	1983 TAX LEVY
Briscoe County	\$126,788,352.	\$91,035,383.	\$.310	\$282,212.50
Silverton ISD	92,143,152.	61,638,115.	.688	424,070.29
City of Silverton	16,096,697	16,066,467.	.201	32,293.90
City of Quitaque	9,371,235.	9,349,485.	.174	16,268.25
Mackenzie Water Auth.	16,096,697.	16,066,467.	.280	44,986.02

Appraisal District Directors Review 1983 Tax Roll Values

At the regular meeting of the directors of the Briscoe County Appraisal District, the 1983 tax roll values, as presented by Chief Appraiser Carlye Hill, were reviewed.

L. B. Garvin, jr., chairman, called the meeting to order. Attending, in addition to Garvin and Mrs. Hill, were Stan Fogerson, Ray Teeple and Joe Mercer.

Final totals for the 1982 tax roll collections through the month of September were as follows:

Briscoe County 96.8%

Silverton I.S.D. 96.4%
City of Silverton 89.5%
Mackenzie Authority 94.9%

Mrs. Hill noted that a letter had been written to the delinquent tax attorneys requesting a progress report and that Blair's secretary had called the office the day before the meeting to say that she had just put the letter to the directors in the mail. The letter had not been received as of the meeting time.

Following examination of the bills, the motion carried to pay all bills presented at the meeting.

SWCD DIRECTORS EXPRESS APPRECIATION FOR FIELD DAY ASSISTANCE

The directors of the Caprock Soil & Water Conservation District and the Briscoe County Extension Service extend a special thank-you to the following people for helping sponsor the 1983 Briscoe County Agricul-

ture Field Day. Your participation made the Field Day a success.

Don Brown, Brown-McMurtry Implement Company, Jack Strange, First State Bank, Don Cornett, Ray Thompson Implement, Inc., Ray Teeple, Ray Teeple Fertilizer, Loyd Stephens, Silverton Metal Works, Jack Lyons, DuPont Chemical Com-

pany, Guy Bell, Velsical Chemical Corporation, Fred Irwin, Flex King Corporation, Bobby Spencer, Connally Implement Supply Company, Inc., Ray Sammons, Ag Computer Service, Ron Crabtree, Eversman Manufacturing, H. B. (Doc) Simpson, Grabbe-Simpson Chevrolet-Oldsmobile.

The directors would also like to thank Don Brown, Dwain Henderson and Ware Fogerson for having field demonstrations on their farms, and Ramona Martin and Sherry Delano for their help as hostesses.

Approximately 100 people attended all or part of the Field Day this year.



A seal can swim steadily for eight months, sometimes swimming as many as 6,000 miles without once touching land.

Young Farmers Have Business Meeting

On Thursday, October 13, the Silverton Young Farmers held their regular business meeting in the school vocational agriculture department with Dale McWaters presiding.

Members discussed the upcoming Halloween Carnival to be held at the Briscoe County Show Barn. The club voted to have a softball pitch booth.

Calvin Shelton reported on the

eight tables and 100 chairs that the Silverton Volunteer Fire Department and the Silverton Young Farmers purchased for the show barn.

A Thanksgiving party was discussed, and a date will be decided at the next meeting.

The thirtieth annual Young Farmers of Texas Convention was discussed. The convention will be held at Palmer Auditorium in Austin January 19-21. The club is entered in the competition for Outstanding Publicity, and a local member, Jerry Baird, will be recognized as Outstanding Area I Associate Member.

Those attending the meeting were Tobe Riddell, Clinton Dickerson, G. W. Chappell, Hand Baird, Calvin Shelton, Dale McWaters, Fred Brannon and Wayne Stephens.

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Robert Browning

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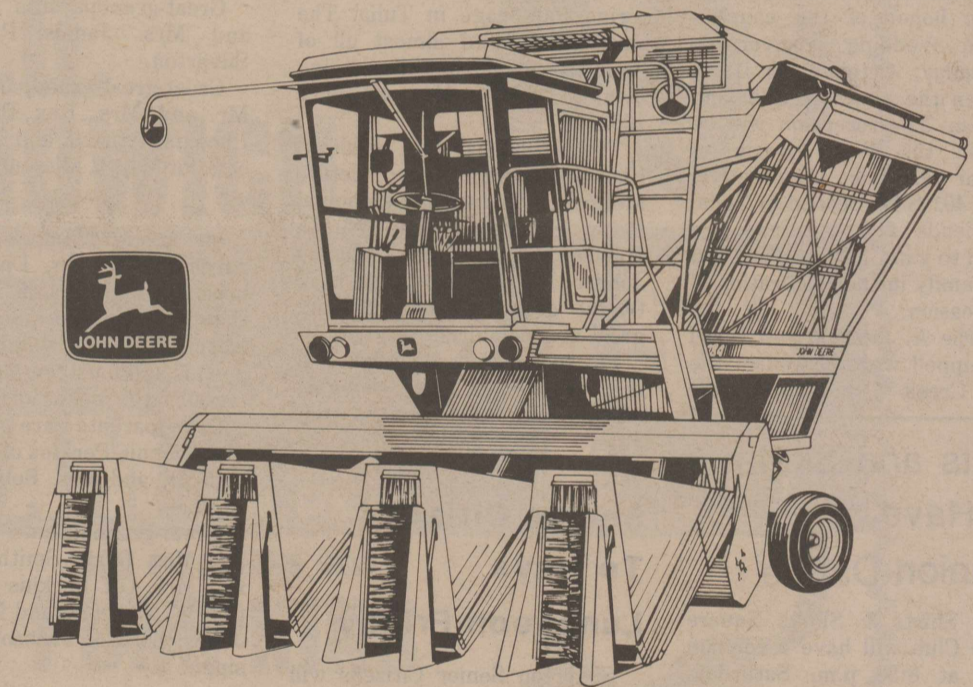
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Deere, without waiver, and receive a \$5,925 cash rebate.*

These John Deere offers are in addition to the special deal your dealer will make on a new 484 Stripper. And, if you purchase now, you can qualify for substantial tax savings from investment tax credit (ITC) and depreciation. All is in your favor for buying a new John Deere 484 Stripper now. See your dealer for details on this double-barreled bonus offer.

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD

James E. Smith, Pastor

SUNDAY:

- Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
- Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
- Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:

- Worship Service 7:00 p.m.

SILVERTON

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Gerald Beasley, Minister

SUNDAY:

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

WEDNESDAY:

- Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Jerry Miller, Pastor

SUNDAY:

- Library Opens 9:15 a.m.
- Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
- Morning Worship 10:30 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 & FOURTH TUESDAYS:

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

WEDNESDAY:

- Junior High Acteens 3:35 p.m.
- High School Acteens, First and Third Wed. 3:35 p.m.
- Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.
- Choir Rehearsal 7:45 p.m.

SECOND SATURDAY:

- Baptist Men 7:00 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Jene Greer, Pastor

SUNDAY:

- Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
- Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
- Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY:

- United Meth. Women 9:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY:

- Choir Practice 6:00 p.m.

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.

WEDNESDAY:

- Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m.
- Prayer Service 8:00 p.m.

OUR LADY OF LORETO CATHOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY:

- Mass 12:30 p.m.

ROCK CREEK

CHURCH OF CHRIST

SUNDAY:

- Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
- Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:

- Worship Service 7:00 p.m.

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Attend church regularly... help keep America beautiful.

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

Coleman Adv. Ser.



“... in thy presence is fulness of joy ...”

ATTEND CHURCH THIS WEEK



JUDGES ATTEND SEMINAR
—Ninety-seven justices of the peace attended a 20-hour Texas Justice of the Peace Training Center seminar September 13-16 in Amarillo. The training center is based at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. The seminars are held in compliance with Article 5972, Section

B. of the Texas Revised Civil Statutes. Among the judges attending were [left to right] Roy Patterson of Turkey, Hall County, Precinct 4; Dick Taylor of Quitaque, Briscoe County, Precinct 2, Place 1; Ruby Roden of Memphis, Hall County, Precinct 1; and James Edwards of Silverton, Briscoe County, Precinct 1.

EMERGENCY LOAN INTEREST RATES LOWERED

Secretary of Agriculture John R. Block has announced that President Reagan has instructed him to reduce emergency loan interest rates by three percent, from eight to five percent, for all farmers operating in counties designated eligible in the natural disaster emergency loan program for the 1983 crop season.

The five percent rate will apply to the first \$100,000

borrowed; the balance will be subject to the eight percent rate. This reduction applies to all eligible farmers who are unable to obtain credit elsewhere. The current rate of 13.75 percent applies to those able to obtain credit elsewhere.

"After reviewing the input we received from governors of the affected states earlier this month, it became apparent that additional action was necessary to assist agriculture in these areas," Block said. "Reducing

Allsup's Marathon Attracts 300 Runners

The ninth annual Allsup's Marathon was held in Clovis, New Mexico recently, and attracted approximately 300 runners from across the Southwest and from as far away as Arkansas.

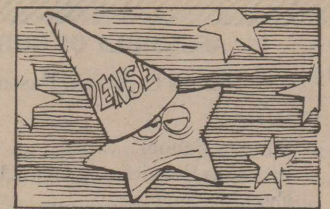
The race was highlighted by the setting of several new course records in both men's and women's age groups in all three events: full marathon, half marathon and 10 K. Gerry Garcia, 33, from El Rito, New Mexico, bested the old record of 2:33:16 with a winning time of 2:30:56 in the men's full marathon. Kathy Martinez, 26, from Santa Fe,

New Mexico, won the women's full marathon with her time of 3:19:01.

The half marathon held a new women's course record for 26-year-old Margret Stuber of Wichita Falls, Texas. Her winning time was 1:29:45—the old mark was 1:33:39. The men's half marathon was won by Dennis Grunstad, 24, of Lubbock, Texas, with a time of 1:14:36.

George Chavez, age 29, of Tucumcari, New Mexico, won the men's 10 K event with a time of 31:33, just eight seconds off the course record of 31:25. The women's 10 K event was won by Michelle Montoya, 16, of Tucumcari, with her time of 40:32, only seven seconds off the course record of 40:25.

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LEGAL TITLE OF BANK

FIRST STATE BANK

CITY	COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE
Silverton	Briscoe	Texas	79257

STATE BANK NO.	FEDERAL RESERVE DIST. NO.	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE
1752	11	September 30, 1983

ASSETS	Mil.	Thou.
1. Cash and due from banks	1	442
2. Due from other depositories and all cash items in the process of collection		57
3. U.S. Treasury securities	1	089
4. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations		0
5. Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States	2	337
6. All other securities		35
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1	500
8. Total loans (including overdrafts totaling \$ 14,444,92) (From Schedule A, Item 8)	11	028
9. Lease financing receivables		0
10. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		80
11. Real estate owned other than bank premises		0
12. Letters of credit and customers' liability on acceptances outstanding		0
13. All other assets		0
14. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 13)	17	568

LIABILITIES	Mil.	Thou.
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3	108
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	11	935
17. Deposits of United States Government		17
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States		347
a. Deposits of the State of Texas	347	
19. Due to banks		0
20. All other deposits		0
21. Certified and officers' checks		57
22. Total Deposits (sum of items 15 thru 21)	15	464
a. Total demand deposits	3	182
b. Total time and savings deposits	12	282
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		0
24. Interest-bearing demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money		0
25. Mortgage indebtedness for which the bank is directly liable		0
26. Unearned discount on loans		50
27. Letters of credit and acceptances outstanding		0
28. All other liabilities		0
29. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) (sum of items 22 thru 28)	15	514
30. Subordinated notes and debentures		0
31. Allowance for possible loan and investment losses		11

EQUITY CAPITAL	Mil.	Thou.
32. Common stock (No. of shares outstanding 4000)		400
33. Certified surplus	1	000
34. Undivided profits		643
35. Uncertified surplus, reserve for contingencies, and other capital reserves		0
36. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 35)	2	043
37. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 29, 30, 31 and 36)	17	568

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer signing the report.

I, the undersigned officer, do hereby declare that this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT	AREA CODE/TELEPHONE NO.	DATE SIGNED
<i>David Tipton</i>	806-823-2426	October 13, 1983

NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT

David Tipton
Vice President

We the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR	SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR	SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR
<i>Edna Strange</i>	<i>Don West</i>	<i>Pat L. Johnson</i>

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We would like to say "thank you" for the flowers, phone calls, prayers, food and visits while Bryan was recovering from his accident. Every act of concern was deeply appreciated. Bryan Ramsey and family

Words cannot express our gratitude to everyone in this community during the time of my recent illness and surgery. This community has proved once again what wonderful people live here.

Our special thanks to the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service and Lynn Frizzell, Riley Harris, Shelly Harris, James Edwards, and for each one who responded to our house.

And to the ones who were there during the surgery.

A very special thanks to Loyd and Laverne Stephens for the use of their trailer, and to R. E. and Maggie Sweek for staying with us at the hospital.

Again, thanks so much for the money, food, flowers and cards, and most of all your prayers. May the Lord bless you all. Ted, Ruby and family

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