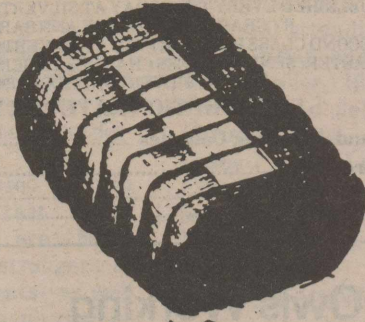


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All Around
The Town



BY MARY ANN SARCHET

Rodeo Opens Here Today

School is beginning a new term next Monday, and I feel sorry for the teachers as they begin handling the burden of paperwork that was put on them by the special session of the state legislature.

I think that a lot of what was written into the new education bill will drive teachers out of the profession, and that more and more in the future the schools will have a harder time filling faculty vacancies.

Many of the state legislators did not represent their people when it came time to vote on the education and tax bills, and I wouldn't be surprised if most of them find themselves in a big battle for re-election the next time around.

These legislators, who succumbed to the pressure of the Speaker, Governor and possibly others, weren't responsive to the people of their districts, and it is likely that the people will be looking for new spokesmen in Austin. I have heard some very emphatic expressions of displeasure by people in Lubbock.

I will agree that some changes were due in education, but the new bill went absolutely overboard! The only thing that will save us is if the legislators do some more work on the bill in the regular session in January. Even that won't help anyone for this school term.

The annual Silverton Young Farmers Rodeo will begin tonight at 8:00 o'clock at Wood Memorial Arena, and will continue Friday and Saturday nights.

Stock will be furnished by Terrell Rodeo Company of Roaring Springs. Admission will be \$3.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children.

Events will include tie down calf roping, heading and heeling,

ladies barrel racing, bareback bronc riding, steer riding and bull dogging. Fifty dollars will be added in each event of the TCRA-approved rodeo. There will be steer riding for those 12-13-14 years old and a calf scramble for those 11 years old and under.

Dances, sponsored by the Silverton Volunteer Fire Department and Silverton Young Farmers, will be held nightly from 9:00 until 1:00 at the Briscoe County Show Barn. West Wind from Lockney will be the band playing for tonight's dance. Silverton's own Caprock Country will play for the Friday night dance, and Saturday night's band will be the Rough Riders from Nazareth.

The Young Farmers will be hosting a free watermelon feast at 5:30 p.m. Saturday on the courthouse lawn.

The Rodeo Queen candidates, who are continuing to sell tickets, are DeLynn Fitzgerald, sponsored by the Silverton Young Farmers; Suzann Settle, representing the Century of Progress Study Club; Tonnette Miller, candidate of the Southwestern Extension Homemakers, and Kim Burson, sponsored by the L. O. A. Junior Study Club. One of these girls will be presented as the Rodeo Queen Saturday night following the rodeo grand entry.

Free Watermelon Feast Saturday

Everyone is invited to a free watermelon feast, hosted by the Silverton Young Farmers, at 5:30 p.m. Saturday on the east side of the courthouse yard.

Cheese and Butter To Be Given Away

Cheese and butter will be given away Friday, August 24, at the Silverton Community Center beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Please bring a sack for your commodities.

If a baked cake sticks to the pan, try placing the pan on a cloth wrung out in hot water. It may help remove the cake from the pan.

Producers Reminded of 1984 ACR Maintenance Requirements

Earlier in this crop year, Briscoe County producers were informed that 1984 ACR acreage should have a cover crop. These crops could either be summer or fall seeded. A few producers were approved to mechanically till small plots of ACR throughout the year to control weeds and grass.

This is to caution all producers that all ACR acreage must be properly maintained to prevent wind and water erosion throughout the entire year, which will end December 31, 1984.

Continuous spot-checks are being made throughout the county and those ACR acres that are found to be grown up in weeds, or in anyway not properly maintained, could cause a producer to lose all program benefits. You must have ACR acreage in shape for an inspection at all times.

Even though Briscoe County has been approved to hay and graze cover on ACR, those planning to so utilize ACR cover must come to the County ASCS office and request permission to hay or graze ACR. Any producer who grazes or hays this acreage without prior permission loses program benefits and could be completely out of the 1984 program.

Producers must understand that only his or her cattle can graze ACR, and only his or her cattle can be fed hay cut off of ACR acres. Cattle had to be bought prior to April 15. Hay can never be fed to other cattle, but ACR can be grazed by other cattle or those belonging to another producer after October 31.

All of those who have ACR that they wish to graze or hay

Briscoe County Budget Hearing Is August 29

There will be a Briscoe County budget hearing for 1985 including Revenue Sharing in the County Courtroom at 10:00 a.m. August 29, 1984.

The proposed tax rate will be voted on.

The public is invited to attend and take part.

IN HOSPITAL FOLLOWING HEART ATTACK LAST WEEK

Glen Lindsey suffered a heart attack at his home Tuesday of last week, and was transported to Central Plains Hospital in Plainview by the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service. He is in Room 424.

He will probably go to Lubbock for an angiogram sometime after his condition stabilizes.

should come in and make a request to do so.

All Is In Readiness For Opening Of School

Classes will begin in the Silverton Schools at 8:20 a.m. Monday, August 27. The first bell will be at 8:15 a.m.

Those students who haven't registered need to meet in the auditorium at 8:20 that morning.

Buses will run that day, and free lunch forms will be handed out by the home-room teachers the first day of school.

Teachers begin their in-service work today and this continues Friday.

Members of the faculty are Mrs. Tina Nance, kindergarten; Mrs. Fern Parker and Miss Donna Grabbe, first grade; Mrs. Bobbye Bean, second grade; Mrs. Michelle Crowell, 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, Mrs. Patsy Fitzgerald, special education; Mrs. Mary Ann Rauch, Title I reading.

In high school, faculty members will be Marvin Self, English and athletic director; Rick Agee, boys basketball coach; Miss Kelly Braisher, girls basketball

coach; Mrs. Denise Burson, social studies; Gene Whitfill, math; Dan Walters, science; Mrs. Faye Rampley, business; George Martin, vocational agriculture; Mrs. Patsy Towe, homemaking; Mrs. Margie Pinkerton, school nurse; Mrs. Shirley Reynolds, librarian; Leonard Morgan, principal; O. C. Rampley, superintendent; Mrs. Jealeta Baird, secretary; Mrs. Reba Self, principal's secretary.

The cafeteria workers will be Rose Mary Perkins, Stella Hall, Linda Baird and Odelia Stidham.

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

Buses will be driven by O. C. Maples, Duane Reynolds and Les Bice.

The school calendar shows student holidays on September 3, November 22-23, December 24-31, 1984; January 1, February 25-28, March 1, April 5-8, 1985. Teacher in-service days, on which students will not attend class, are August 23-24, September 24, October 22, November 9, 1984; January 14, February 4 and May 29, 1985.

Graduation will be May 30, 1985.

New Sales Tax To Be Assessed On Newspaper Subscriptions

Beginning October 2, 1984, a 5 1/8% sales tax will be assessed on Briscoe County News subscriptions. This was an action taken by the special session of the state legislature.

With the tax, subscriptions will be \$7.87 in Briscoe and surrounding counties and \$8.93 elsewhere.

If your subscription won't expire between now and October 2, you can renew and your renewal will be added to the end of your present subscription.

Subscribe or renew now by

coming by the office or mailing your subscription to Briscoe County News, Box 130, Silverton, Texas 79257.

Subscription rates from now until October 1 will continue to be \$7.50 in Briscoe and adjoining counties and \$8.50 per year elsewhere.

NANCE APPOINTED TO SILVERTON CITY COUNCIL

Wayne Nance was recently appointed to take Donnie Martin's place on the Silverton City Council.

Martin had to resign due to his moving outside the city limits.

Stefanie Cassada Wins Student Award

Stefanie Cassada of Woodward, Oklahoma, daughter of Sam and Camellia Hudgens and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Comer of Silverton, was honored with the "Student of Today" award given annually by the Masons of Woodward for the 1983-84 school year. She was given the plaque for leadership, citizenship and scholarship, and was selected from over 260 sixth grade students in the Fifth and Sixth Grade Middle School in Woodward.

Her teachers and principal

Charlie and Fern Parker took their son, Brit, home to Colorado last Friday. They were accompanied by his wife and baby. Brit is recovering with a broken leg he received in an accident here recently. He was unable to ride in his automobile, and that was why his parents took him home.

recommended her for this award, in part, because of her outstanding academic record for the 1983-84 school year. She was on the "All A" honor roll every nine weeks through the year.

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Eleven Owls Working Out For Varsity Football

Eleven Silverton High School boys are working out for football this season. The team is made up of two seniors, five juniors, two sophomores and two freshmen. The first scrimmage will be at Cotton Center at 6:00 p.m. today.

Listed on the roster are Cal Brannon, 6'1" junior quarterback-safety; Ross Estes, 5'10" senior halfback-linebacker; Scott Harris, 5'10" quarterback-safety; Robbie McWaters, 5'5" runningback-end; Todd Reagan, 5'11" junior runningback-cornerback; Clay Schott, 5'4" freshman quarterback-center; David Schott, 5'9" senior end-cornerback; Sloan Grabbe, 5'10" sophomore center-end; Corey Robertson, 5'11" sophomore center-defensive end; Joe Ted Edwards, 5'8" junior end-defensive end.

The team is coached by Marvin Self and Rick Agee.

The Owls dropped from Class 1A 11-man football last season and played as an independent six-man team. Now the Owls are challenging the real world of District 1-A.

"Last year was invaluable in terms of experience, not having ten games," said Coach Self. "We learned a lot the hard way last year. The first six-man game I saw was the first one I coached against Whitharrel.

"The problem was, we had three weeks between some games, and that's not good and then have two or three weeks off. It was hard to get any consistency."

For all its shortcomings, there's no doubt the experience sold the team and coaches on six-man football.

"The kids enjoy it," Self said. "Our kids had gotten to a point where they couldn't compete with 11-man teams. We were looking at 12 players for last year. We played 11-man the year before with 14.

"I think it's great. Tell me another game in the Panhandle where you can see 1,000 yards of offense in one game, or see one boy consistently rush for 200 yards a game. When you have



CLASS OF 1952 had a reunion recently in the Flute Hutsell home. Pictured are Mary [Dudley] Davis, Junis [Mercer] Hutsell, Bonnie Watters

of Yuma, Arizona, Millie [Marshall] Lewis of Lubbock, Melvin Hamilton of Spearman and Joe Lee Bomar of Amarillo.

good six-man teams, that kind of thing happens.

"It's the first time in seven years we've run the same thing two years in a row," he said. "The plays we ran last year already look good (in workout).

"We've got some good, experienced six-man players," Self concluded.

The team will scrimmage at Miami at 6:30 p.m. August 31.

Miami and Three Way will scrimmage here at 6:30 p.m. Friday.

The Owls open their regular schedule September 7 at Patton Springs, with kickoff scheduled at 7:30 p.m.

OWL VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

- Sept. 7—Patton Springs, T, 7:30
- Sept. 14—Higgins, H, 7:30
- Sept. 21—Southland, T, 7:00
- Sept. 28—Open
- Oct. 5—Cotton Center, H, 7:00
- Oct. 12—Three Way, T, 7:00
- Oct. 19—Dawson, H, 7:00
- Oct. 26—Wellman, T, 7:00
- Nov. 2—Loop, H, 7:00
- Nov. 9—Whitharrel, T, 7:00
- Nov. 16—Texline, H, 7:00

For the first time since Silverton began playing six-man football, the team will be playing in a regular conference this season.

FATE OF JUNIOR HIGH FOOTBALL NOT KNOWN

It is still not known what the fate of junior high football will be, this as a result of the education bill passed by the special session of the Texas Legislature.

The Silverton junior high's tentative schedule is as follows:
Sept. 14—Higgins, H, 5:00
Sept. 21—Southland, T, 4:30
Oct. 5—Cotton Center, H, 4:30
Oct. 12—Three Way, T, 4:30
Oct. 18—Patton Springs, H, TBA
Nov. 9—Whitharrel, T, 4:30

The fate of junior high football competition was to have been decided at a meeting in Level-land last night.

Ashel McDaniel has been receiving treatment at a Lubbock hospital this week. His wife, Mildred, and Mrs. A. R. (Sybil) Martin have been at the hospital with him.



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LOOKING BACK

through the October 11, 1918 issue of the Silverton Star

The Patriotic rally last Tuesday night was well attended considering so much sickness in the community, and much interest was manifested. Dr. Gordon Barrett of Tulia made a very interesting address and many fine songs were sung by the Liberty Quartet, which consists of Misses Alexander, Maxey, Burson and Pirtle, after which applications were filled out for bonds to the amount of several thousand dollars, but the entire quota was not made up, due partly to there being so much sickness that many who would

have bought were not there. Among those purchased were a \$100 bond by the Liberty Quartet and a \$50 bond by the 9th grade and also a \$100 bond by the 11th grade of our high school . . . A letter was reprinted from Pvt. Jim P. Baker, Co. L 359th Inf. A.E.F., from France to his mother, Mrs. Alice Baker, in which he described the people, countryside, food, etc. there . . . H. R. Braly and family came in the first of the week from Fannin County where they have been visiting for some time. Mr. Braly is preparing to move into the Antelope community and embark in the cattle business again. He is an old hand at that business and we predict he will make good at

it again. He has been serving as assistant cashier of the bank at Quitaque for the past few years. They are visiting at the home of Mrs. Braly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cozby, this week . . . R. W. Crowder, oil man at Tulia and owner of the Silverton Garage was down a day or two this week. His son, R. W. jr., who manages the garage here is on the sick list . . . Miss Tucker, who was teaching domestic science in the high school this year has resigned and returned to her home in Georgia. Miss Beulah Duensing of Plainview has been secured in her place . . . It is hoped that our high school will soon become affiliated with the State University. All the requirements have

been met, we understand. This will give our school a prestige it never before had . . . I positively forbid the hauling of Johnson grass hay or seed across my land. Please take notice of this and do not haul any on the roads crossing my place or I will be forced to take other steps to stop it. J. L. Bolton, five miles west Turkey . . . Draft registrants included James C. Bomar, James H. Conner, Daniel Gip Joiner, Theodore L. Strange, Perry A. Jones, James P. Page, George O. Moffitt, John L. Blackwell, John P. Hardesty, Fletcher T. Lee, Claud J. Witherspoon, John D. Huggins, William M. Brunnett, George L. Wood, Charles L. Craig, John F. Jago, Daniel H.

England, Joe B. Miller, Jessie B. Ruswell, George C. Tummins, William J. Bryan, John M. Daniel, Jesse D. Freeman, Robert E. Douglass, Samuel D. Blackwell, Charlie C. Garrison, George L. Hargatt, William B. Bynum, David P. Brooks, James A. Ramey, Jesse E. Clingan, Roy H. McClure, King S. Ray, John S. Rogers, Charles E. Donnell, Joseph F. Hendricks, James M. Davis, Ous J. Smith, Herbert A. Simmons, Elishe Bridges, Barney G. Brown, Edward L. Rhea, Langdon L. Waldrop, Henry Heckman, Willis A. Jackson, William Dickerson, Wilbert J. Hyatt, Isaac K. Curry, Marlin F. Byatt, Joseph L. Bice, James L. Nitchell, Albert F. Pietzsch, Silas E. Johnson, James B. Blackwell, James R. Frakee, Lee McGavock, Pleasant V. Rhea, John B. Blankenship, Smith F. Comer, Robert A. Harris, Thomas P. Fancher, Edward Vaughn, Haskell B. Rittenberry and Sol W. Long . . . Lloyd Meeker is now operating the battery department at the Silverton Garage and is preparing to do casing vulcanizing . . . S. L. Cantwell, who recently came here from Roscoe and purchased the crop, tools and teams of Mr. Joiner, who was farming the C. L. Dickerson place, is exceedingly well pleased with this part of the country. He has land in one of the new oil fields and has a prospect of selling royalties on it at a pretty nice figure. We hope to see him settle permanently in our midst with his estimable family . . . I have good Red Rust proof oats at \$1.00 per bushel at granary two miles west of Rock Creek School. B. F. Smith . . . Bob Dickerson and son, Rex, and Scott Smithee are all confined to their beds at Bob's place . . . There is quite an epidemic of typhoid fever and influenza in this part of the country, but no deaths have yet resulted. It is hoped that these maladies will let up soon . . . Mrs. Alvin Redin, who was called to Camp Travis two or three weeks ago on account of Alvin being ill, will remain there until he is transferred to another place. He has been better, but we learn he is back in the hospital again now . . . Mrs. Jeff Roberts was called to Camp Travis yesterday by a telegram stating that Jeff was quite ill . . . W. A. Sedgwick is at Amarillo this week as a petit juryman in the Federal Court. . . V. L. Dunham, Vernon Wolf and Harve Foster were up from Quitaque and were jubilant over the favorable war news . . . Eph Stevenson was in town Wednesday with a lot of fine turnips, many of which weighed around four pounds. We have one of them on display in our office which weighs 4 1/4 pounds, and we got off with enough of them to have a nice mess to eat. These turnips, of which he has about an acre, grew without irrigation . . . Malcom Daniel left last Friday to take his place in the band of the Cavalry in which he registered some time ago . . . Jack Bowman has sold his farm near town to Albert Northcutt and left for New Mexico with a bunch of cattle last week. He shipped them from Tulia . . . Wylie Bomar left last Friday for New Mexico to see his stock he left there . . . A. Allison of Vernon was here last week looking after his interests. He is preparing to bring some stock here to winter on account of having lots of feed here . . .

Rodeo

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FREE WATERMELON FEAST, 5:30 p.m. Saturday

Tie Down Calf Roping \$50, Heading and Heeling \$60, Ladies' Barrel Race \$40, Bareback Bronc Riding \$50, Bull Riding \$50, Saddle Bronc \$50, Steer Riding (12-13-14 yrs. olds), Calf Scramble (11 and under), Bull Dogging \$50.00



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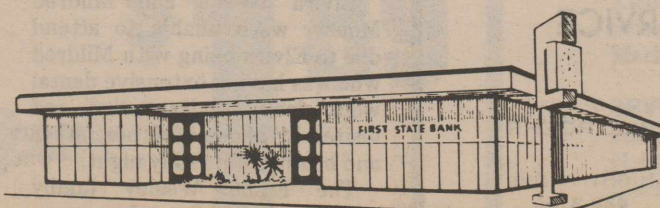
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CLASS OF 1955 met for a reunion in the Spud Tiffin home recently. Attending were Earnestine [Strange] Barnes of Tulia, Virginia

[Garrison] Hardin, Bud Schofield, Pat [Bomar] Fitzgerald, Doyle [Spud] Tiffin and Lola [Vaughan] Smalts of Hereford.

Cousins Reunion Held In Lockney

Homer and Norma Ragland recently were hosts for a reunion of the Franks cousins. The event was held at the Lockney Community Center.

Attending were L. A. and Mary McGraw of Amarillo; Travis and Mildred Horn and Clint, Kerens; Margaret McGee, Wilmer; L. J. and Hattie Stapp, Marilyn Coryell, Kim and Kevin, Chancy Rosemond, Larry and Jackie Stapp, Sherry and Larry and Danny Pierce, all of Clovis, New Mexico.

Also, Shirley Booth, Gary and Cindy Pierce and Kenda, all of Portales, New Mexico; Wimpy and Leona Vardell, Dana and Dorothy Martin, Brian and Kami, all of Silverton; Pee Wee and Melba Austin, Lonnie and Debbie Slaughter and Scottie, Steve and Marsha Green, Karlie and Kylie, Mandy Austin and Jan Ragland, all of Plainview.

Included were Ronnie and Elaine Austin, Becky and Lacey, Thomas and Betty Morrison, Tommy and Donna Morrison,

Troy, Chris and Jenny, Ray and Brenda Stephens, Terry, Trista and Kayle, all of Kress; Vickie and Holly Stewart of Quitaque; Jack and Sandy Ragland, Jay and Keith of Odessa; Vanesa Ragland of Wichita Falls; Stacy and Cole Ragland, Quanah, and the hosts.

LEADERS, COUNCIL MEMBERS TO ATTEND 4-H FORUM

County 4-H leaders and District Council members will convene for the annual South Plains 4-H Leader Forum Saturday, August 25, in the Home Economics building on the Texas Tech University campus in Lubbock. Leaders from the 20-county South Plains District will participate in workshops designed to increase their knowledge and skill in working with 4-H youth in a variety of project areas.

Leader workshops are planned in sheep, field crops, foods and nutrition, beef cattle, decision making, computer programming and scholarships. Participants will be able to select two of these to attend.

District 4-H Council officers will be installed during the opening ceremony.

An area school superintendent will report on the Education Bill and its implications for 4-H activities.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

August 23—Shannon Bingham, Tammi Edwards, Pat Fitzgerald, Kirk Couch, Bradley Harrison, Putt Jasper, Levi Hutsell

August 24—Tonia Perkins, Louis Grabbe, Gary Whitfill
August 25—Staci Mayfield, Ruben Ramirez, Lesia Baker, Brenda Shie

August 26—Blake Hefley, Larry Stephens, Rhenda Burson, Effie Beavers, Curtis Scrivner

August 27—Mike Miller, Anthony Kingery, Missy Minyard, Debra Turner

August 28—Walter Bean, Rhonda McGinn, Karen Turner
August 29—Jackie Gerhardt, Lorene Crass

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...

August 24—Mr. and Mrs. Don Burson

August 25—Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stone

August 26—Mr. and Mrs. Randall Eddleman

August 29—Mr. and Mrs. Mikel Griffin

Senior Citizens Center Hostesses For September

Mon., Sept. 3—Lucy McDaniel

Thurs., Sept. 6—Syble Teeple

Fri., Sept. 7—Myrt Edwards

Mon., Sept. 10—Merl Oneal

Thurs., Sept. 13—Flo Fitzgerald

Fri., Sept. 14—Ruby McWaters

Mon., Sept. 17—Pauline Benefield

Thurs., Sept. 20—Ione Cushing

Fri., Sept. 21—Monthly Luncheon

Mon., Sept. 24—Lorene Voyles

Thurs., Sept. 27—Ollie McMinn

Fri., Sept. 28—Iris Burson

Eddie and Bobbie Wesley and daughter, Redina, of Brownfield, and their grandson, James Wesley of Dallas, spent several days last week with his father, Buck Wesley. Bobbie cooked a birthday dinner for her father-in-law Friday.

Elvira Weak and Mildred Mouser were unable to attend due to Elvira being with Mildred who was having extensive dental work done. Elvira called and visited by phone with her father and brother Thursday night.

The Eddie Wesley family returned home Saturday morning.

Ambulance Service Has Program on Communication

Bill Propst of Panhandle Emergency Medical Services and the Amarillo Communications Center was the guest of the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service Tuesday night at the City Hall. He discussed ambulance radio protocol, placing special emphasis on patient assessment. Ambulance members attending will receive continuing education credit for the program.

Collection of past-due accounts was discussed.

Refreshments were served by

Shelly Harris and LaRue Garvin. Attending were Emmett Tomlin, Janice Hill, Shelly Harris, James Edwards, Bruce Tiffin, Tom Burson, Dale McWaters, Larry Comer, LaRue Garvin, Rick Minyard, Mary Ann Sarchet, Bill and Della Boling, Riley and Sandy Harris and Anthony Kingery.

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SUTTON NAMED YIELD SPECIALIST FOR HYBRID SEED WHEAT

Rohm and Haas Seeds, Inc. has named Jack Sutton as Yield Specialist for HYBEX hybrid seed wheat. As a Yield Specialist, Sutton is responsible for sales of the hybrid seed wheat in the Silverton area.

HYBEX hybrid seed wheats are new high-yielding, disease-resistant winter wheat hybrids developed by Rohm and Haas Company.

HYBEX hybrid technology is based on a chemical hybridizing agent that inhibits pollen development in wheat without affect-

ing the fertility of the female portion of the plant; it is the product of more than a decade of research.

Sutton has been a farmer in the Silverton area for 32 years. As a Yield Specialist for Rohm and Haas Seeds, he will advise farmers about the HYBEX hybrid brands that are best suited for local growing conditions. He also will consult with growers about planting test plots and can discuss farm management techniques that will maximize yields.

Don Glenn, regional product manager for HYBEX seed says the appointment of Sutton as a Yield Specialist is the result of increasing local interest in HY-

BREX hybrids.

"Our experience in the Silverton area indicates that farmers using HYBEX hybrid seed wheat can achieve yields that are 20 to 30 percent higher than varietal yields. We want to insure that growers who are interested in planting HYBEX wheat plots will be able to obtain the seed they need to get started."

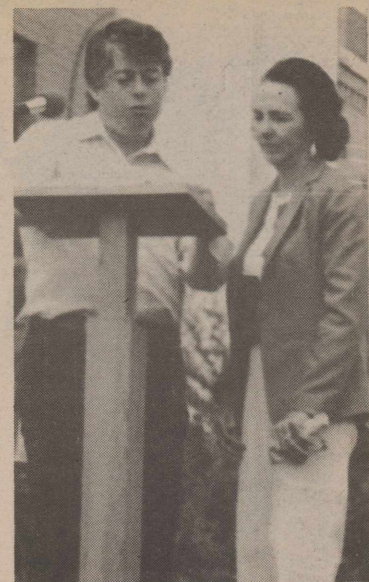
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"A man has not seen a thing who has not felt it." Henry David Thoreau



Wayne Nance and Lily Bea [Brooks] Whitney of Yakima, Washington, who traveled the farthest to attend the Homecoming.

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PLAN RESIDUE MANAGEMENT FOR NEXT YEAR'S CROP

Proper residue management now will give you a head start on your 1984 crop.

Give careful attention to present field conditions and crop residues, since these will have a big influence on your crop yields next year, advises Travis Harney, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

A high percentage of annual rainfall in much of Texas comes during the fall and winter months, so it's important to begin refilling the soil's water storage capability. Proper residue management aids this process.

Some deep, fine-textured soils will hold two or more inches of available water per foot of depth. This deep moisture is what sustains crops when the going gets rough next summer.

Good crop residue management requires that stubble be shredded right behind the combine while it still has a high moisture content. Also, destroy root systems to prevent regrowth and subsequent use of soil moisture.

Tillage equipment to be used may include a sweep, chisel or subsoiler, singly or in combination, or any one of a number of other methods.

Partial or complete covering of residues will start the decomposition processes and supply soil organisms with food and energy. Fresh green residue decomposes more rapidly than aged, air dry residue.

Nitrogen may be applied but probably will not be needed. However, if a crop is to follow shortly (30-60 days), nitrogen fertilizer applied to the residue will be a paying proposition. Otherwise, hold off until later so that the fertilizer will be used more fully by the following crop.

An inch of moisture stored deep in the root zone this fall will go much farther toward high yields than an inch of moisture in the form of light showers next summer.

Moisture that doesn't soak in runs off, and also carries soil and plant nutrients with it. With proper residue management, you can hold the maximum amount of water where it falls and make the excess move slowly to the bottom of the slope.



MRS. JOE ED ARNOLD

Meurer-Arnold Vows Exchanged In Slaton August 11

Miss Vickie Lynn Meurer became the bride of Joe Ed Arnold in a formal double-ring ceremony at 6:00 p.m. Saturday, August 11, at the First Baptist Church in Slaton. The pastor, Rev. Kenneth Winchester, performed the service in front of a white arch trimmed with greenery accented by a basket bouquet of white, pink, yellow, blue and lilac carnations.

Christy Bartholomew of Slaton and Larry Meurer of Lubbock. The groom is the son of Mrs. Lettie Hahn of Dumas and the late Edgar Lee Arnold.

Escorted and given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white lace gown designed with high neckline outlined with silk embroidery. The V-yoke was accented with Venise lace appliques and a wide wedgewood lace ruffled flounce. Her bishop sleeve

The bride is the daughter of



Members of the SHS graduating class of 1935 met for a reunion during the Homecoming. Pictured were [standing, left to right] G. W. Lee, Deliese [Blackwell] Kronenberger of Green Valley, Arizona, Alice [Gregg] Lindemann of

Plainview, Henry Norrid of Amarillo; [seated] Ruth [Thomas] Parker of Wellman, Juanita [Gardner] Dickerson of Lubbock, Ruby [McDaniel] McWaters and Lillian [Brooks] Lindsey.

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es featured wide cuffs covered with Venise lace. The gown's natural waistline was encircled with narrow Venise lace trim. Five tiers of ruffled wedgewood lace fell to floor length and extended into a cathedral train. To complete her bridal ensemble, she chose a white large-brim picture hat trimmed with Venise lace and eyelet. Her veil of illusion was trimmed with flowers and eyelet streamers.

She carried a bouquet of orchids, tiger lilies, roses and baby's breath.

To carry out bridal tradition, she carried an old lace handkerchief which belonged to the groom's mother, chose her satin shoes and wedding ensemble as something new, borrowed earrings and added a blue garter.

Serving her sister as maid of honor was Christy Ann Bartholomew of Slaton. Bridesmaids were Bonnie Koslan of Southland and Pam Maeker of Slaton, friend and cousin of the bride.

They wore identical chiffon gowns of powder blue, pink and maize with bodices featuring off-the-shoulder ruffle trimmed with white lace. Their waistlines were enriched with self fabric ties, and their skirts fell to floor length with chiffon ruffles at the hemlines. They wore picture hats to match their dresses and carried matching color carnations on lace fans.

Lisa Swan Breckinridge, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a white eyelet dress trimmed with lilac satin ribbon and wore a picture hat trimmed with lilac. She carried a basket accented with rainbow tiger lilies and dropped white rose petals.

Patrick O'Neal, cousin of the groom, was ring bearer.

Steven and Scott Bartholomew of Slaton, brothers of the bride, lighted the candles. Groomsman were Russell Couch of Amarillo and Macky Malone of Hart. The best man was Brandon Jarrett of Red River, New Mexico.

Guests were seated by Doug Stevens of Clovis, New Mexico and Cary Fleming of Silverton.

Patti Joan, pianist, accompanied Brad Ruff and Sarah Beth Willis, who sang "Endless Love."

Ruff also sang a special song he had composed for the couple. The bride's mother wore an

off-the-shoulder powder blue
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Attention! All High School Students

Don't miss the L.I.F.E. Rally going on Saturday, September 1 beginning at 5:00 p.m. The rally is sponsored by the First Baptist Church High School Youth.

The evening will begin with team volleyball at the gym, followed by a concert by "Qara," "Excuuuuse Me!" and topped off by a Pizza Panic.

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**WEDDING—
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floor-length chiffon dress. Her corsage was of blue, pink and yellow roses.

The groom's mother was attired in a floor-length pink gown with a lace jacket. Her corsage was of white roses.

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

The bride's table was covered with a lace cloth with pink underlay. The four-tier wedding cake decorated with yellow and pink roses and blue flowers was topped with a miniature bride and groom and was made by the groom's mother. The punch bowl was placed on the table along with pink, blue and yellow streamers.

Wedding cake was served by

Mrs. Eldon O'Neal and Linda O'Neal, aunt and cousin of the groom, of Silverton. Punch was poured by Becky Jones of Oklahoma, cousin of the bride.

The groom's table was decorated with a brass spittoon accented with wheat and straw flowers, a duck decoy and wooden candleholders on a white cloth. German chocolate cake made in the shape of a pair of western boots, made by the groom's aunt Lee O'Neal, was served by Paula Arnold, sister of the groom, and Sandra Stevens, cousin of the bride.

Tammy Hood, cousin of the bride, was in charge of securing the guests' names for the wedding book.

Following a wedding trip to Dallas, the couple is at home at Vigo Park where he is engaged in farming.

The bride is a graduate of Southland High School and attended South Plains College.

The groom is a graduate of Silverton High School and graduated from South Plains College.

REHEARSAL PARTY

A rehearsal party, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hahn, step-father and mother of the groom, was held the night before the wedding at the Smoke House in Slaton.

Becky Woods will be assisting with the instruction of the R.N. program being offered in Plainview by West Texas State University during the fall semester. Mrs. Woods' present position at Central Plains Hospital is coordinator of staff development.

**Sunday School
Teachers To Be
Honored at Banquet**

First United Methodist Church in Silverton will hold its first annual Sunday School Teachers Appreciation Banquet at 6:00 p.m. August 26 in the fellowship hall. The celebration will honor all Sunday School teachers for their dedication to the church and its education ministry. Teachers will be the guests of their students for the meal and a special program.

At the heart of the celebration will be the dedication of the teachers. They are the real-life Christian heroes and heroines that provide models for the children. Rev. Lanny Wheeler extends an invitation for all

interested persons to attend.

The teachers being honored are Gail Wyatt, Valeria Weaver, Ann West, Sheryl Weaver, Wayne Nance, Liz Griffin, Debbie Montague, Paula Bomar, Darrah McCammon, Juannah Jennings, Doris Peugh, Pauline Benefield, Annelle Davis, Jackie Wheeler and Frank Hunt.

**FAMILY LIVING COMMITTEE
TO MEET TUESDAY**

The Extension Family Living Committee will meet Tuesday, August 28, at 11:00 a.m. for a "Spudtacular" luncheon and program planning meeting in the home of Extension Agent Lynda Fogerson.

The committee is a group of 12 members from all areas of the county representing different age groups and interests that help plan and carry out Extension home economics programs each year.

County residents who would like to make suggestions about educational programs, workshops or shortcourses they want held are invited to contact one of the members or the Extension Agent.

Committee members are Lottie Garrison, chairman; Jackie Mercer, Patsy Towe, Johnnie Morrison, Janice Henson, Emma Jean Ivory, Kathy Frizzell, Roy Reed, Rhenda Burson, Polly Jarrett and Lanita Cantwell. Another committee member was Wayne Norman, who recently moved from the county.

Educational programs of the TAES serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wood are parents of a son, born August 11 at 4:58 a.m. in Amarillo. He weighed six pounds and eight ounces, was 19½ inches long and has been named Monty Floyd.

He has a brother, Leland, who is 4½ years old, and a sister, Kenda, who is 2½.

Grandparents are Berniece Wood of Silverton, Lou Reynolds of Amarillo, and Roy and Lida Reynolds of Lake Tanglewood.

Great-grandparents are Floyd Shipman of Abernathy, Gertie Todd of Borger and Helen Reynolds of Canyon.

BROWNIE TROOP TO

ORGANIZE FOR NEW YEAR

The Silverton Brownie Troop will be organizing soon for the coming year.

If you are in the first, second or third grade, and would like to enjoy the fun and learning experiences of Brownies, please contact Vicki Bean as soon as possible at 847-2658.

If there are too many Brownies for one troop, the group may have to be divided into two troops. This makes it very important for you to contact Mrs. Bean as soon as possible.

Word was received recently informing R. N. McDaniel of the death of his sister, Bertie Crouch of Mena, Arkansas.

He was unable to attend the services, but his sister, Edith Wilson of Plainview, is in Mena with the family now.

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Friendships Renewed At Class Reunion

A great many friendships were renewed when the graduating class of 1944 met August 11 in Silverton to celebrate the fortieth year since its graduation from SHS. Many of the classmates had not seen one another since their return from an ill-fated senior trip to Carlsbad Caverns, where the majority of the class was involved in a bus-truck accident that hospitalized some with painful and serious injuries.

Norlan Dudley of Tulia, who chaired the meeting held in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank, noted that of the 27 who he had hoped might attend, 17 were in attendance, eight were not able to attend and two are deceased. Of those who were unable to attend, Dudley extended regrets that had been conveyed to him by letter and by telephone. Also in the "small world department," he reported that Bernice McCarty of Logan, Utah, had called him and stated that he had lived within 10 miles of Eula (Merrell) DeWitz and 90 miles from Lillie B. (Brooks) Whitney for a period of five years when he lived in Washington state. It was also learned that Bill Woods' eldest son, who is just out of law school, will be joining a Houston law firm in September. Carlyn (Wimberly) Montgomery had some knowledge of this because her brother-in-law, June's husband, is a partner in the firm.

Those in attendance at the meeting in the Pioneer Room were Lillie B. (Brooks) Whitney of Yakima, Washington; Anna (Bean) Rambo, Hale Center; Bonnie Dell Chappell, Mill Valley, California; Buck Hardin, Esdell Hutsell, Rex Holt and Doyle Stephens, all of Silverton; Eula Mae (Merrell) DeWitz of Kennewick, Washington; Cecil Seaney, Gage, Oklahoma; Carlyn (Wimberly) Montgomery, Amarillo; Avanel (Wilson) Kuykendall, Pasadena; D. L. Young, Lubbock; Russell Lee, Temple, and Joyce (Norrid) Cook. Two

members of the class, Ava Nell (Brown) Huffman and Joe Frank Hill, are deceased.

Those unable to attend were Howard Autry, Englewood, Colorado; Doris (Campbell) Cook, Plainview; Norland Havran, Longmont, Colorado; Bernice McCarty, Logan, Utah; Billy Ellis, Dumas; Billy Wood, Richmond; Curtis Wimberly, Abilene.

Those dropping by the Pioneer Room for a visit included Tom Rambo, Anita Seaney, Connie Lee, Theta (Stephens) Holt, Hazel (Wilson) Alexander, Martha (Griffith) Hawk, Joyce (Chappell) Gaston, Merlene (Yates) Stephens, Earlyne Hutsell, Glen and Lillian (Brooks) Lindsey, Elvira (Wesley) Weaks, Nina (Cantwell) Martin, Mary (Oneal) Martin, Dimple (Jasper) Toler, J. L. and Faye (Brown) Self and Ruby Young.

Teachers in attendance who were honored by the group were Mrs. Lee D. Bomar, first grade; Miss Anna Lee Anderson, second grade; Mrs. Pauline (Bates) Turner, typing and bookkeeping.

Of special interest to those in attendance was a scrapbook that had been prepared by Mrs. Norlan (Doris Holt) Dudley. The book contained copies of each member's picture taken from the 1944 annual and placed at the top of each of their double-page layouts, along with resumes of the last 40 years. Also contained in the layout were pictures of the group that got together for the 38th-year reunion in Lubbock two years ago, and several snapshots from the 1944 annual "Kid Day."

The group was unanimous in voting that Ed Hutsell, Buck Hardin, Rex Holt, J. C. Fowler and Doyle Stephens handle arrangements for the next reunion. Stephens was selected by "the Silverton Five" to chair the event.

A cookout was held at the beautiful and spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stephens, co-hosted by Norlan and Doris Dudley, Esdell and Earlyne



THE CLASS OF 1936 of SHS met for a brief reunion and planning session recently at the school. The class will be celebrating its fiftieth anniversary at the 1986 homecoming the second week in August. All former classmates are urged to start making plans to attend this

occasion. Pictured are [back row] Virgil Crow and Billie McDaniel; [front row] Mozell [Stodghill] Purcell of Dalhart, Wynona [Bomar] Lyde of Lubbock and Jackie [Bomar] Tate. Onita [Stodghill] Sanders of Clarendon left the group before the picture was made.



CLASS OF 1944—[back row, left to right] Ed Hutsell, Norlan Dudley of Tulia, Russell Lee of Temple, Cecil Seaney, Gage, Oklahoma; [front row] Doyle Stephens, Carlyn [Wimberly] Montgomery, Amarillo, Avanel [Wilson] Kuy-

kendall of Pasadena, Doris [Holt] Dudley of Tulia, Lillie B. [Brooks] Whitney of Yakima, Washington, D. L. Young of Lubbock, Rex Holt and J. C. Fowler.

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Hutsell. J. C. Fowler helped cook the hamburgers and Lillie B. Whitney, in spite of the rain, brought an assortment of Lillian Lindsey's fresh garden vegetables to munch on.

Attending the cook-out were Norlan and Doris Dudley, Floyd and Lillie B. Whitney, Bonnie Dell Chappell, Carlyn Montgomery, D. L. and Ruby Young, Cecil and Anita Seaney, Avanel Kuykendall, Anna and Tom Rambo, Eula Mae DeWitz, Rex and Theta Holt, Esdell and Earlyne Hutsell, J. C. Fowler, Doyle and Merlene Stephens, Hazel (Wilson) Alexander.

Dropping in for a visit were Ted and Georgia Childress and granddaughter, Lockhart; Theo (Chitty) and Loyd Lee, Tulia; Edna Mae (Grimland) and Cecil McKay, Plainview; Bob and Virginia McWilliams, Quitaque; Bonnie Watters, Yuma, Arizona; Mary (Dudley) Davis, Silverton; Kay (Steele) McWilliams, Germantown, Tennessee.

This account of the reunion was submitted by Norlan Dudley.

AS A MAN THINKETH

Gerald Beasley

"MOUTH OF A FOOL"

A frog talked two geese into flying him to Florida for the winter. He tied the ends of a cord to each goose. With strong jaws he grabbed the cord at its middle and the trio took off.

Things went well until an amazed observer yelled up, "Hey, that's terrific! Whose idea was that?" In his anxiety to take full credit, the proud frog opened his mouth to say, "Mine!" Thud! "The mouth of a fool invites ruin" (Pr. 10:14).

"Pride goeth before destruction, and a haughty spirit before a fall" (Pr. 16:18). "A man's pride shall bring him low" (Pr. 29:23).

"Talk no more so exceeding proudly; let not arrogancy come

out of your mouth" (1 Sam. 2:3).

"... if a man thinketh himself to be something when he is nothing, he deceiveth himself" (Gal. 6:3). "... it is not the one who commends himself who is approved, but the one whom the Lord commends" (2 Cor. 10:18).

"For everyone that exalteth himself shall be humbled" (Lk. 14:11).

How many disastrous events have occurred because people opened their mouths to feed their own egos?

Overnight guests on Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes were her brother, R. L. Renfro of Fort Worth and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall of Memphis.

The first woman to win a U.S. Distinguished Service Medal was Evangeline Booth, Commander of the Salvation Army. The award was made in 1919.



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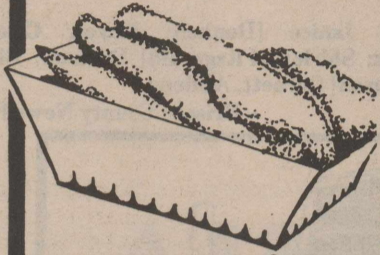
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- Eraser
- Paste
- Big Chief Tablet
- Large box Kleenex
- Book Satchel
- Scissors
- Watercolors
- School Box
- Large towel for nap time
- Large old shirt to protect clothing when painting
- ALL items should be marked with the child's name

FIRST GRADE:

- 2 No. 2 Pencils
- Crayolas
- Scissors
- Paste or Glue
- Big Chief Tablet
- Kleenex
- School Box

SECOND GRADE:

- 2 No. 2 Pencils
- Big Chief Tablet
- #2114 Tablet (need in December)
- 2 Glue Sticks
- Crayolas
- 1 Spiral Notebook
- Large box Kleenex
- 1 Folder with Pockets

THIRD GRADE:

- Crayolas
- Metric Ruler
- Notebook and Paper
- Scissors
- 2 No. 2 Pencils
- Red Ink Pen
- Glue
- Glue Stick
- Large box Kleenex
- Small Spiral Notebook
- Pocket Folder

FOURTH GRADE:

- 2 No. 2 Pencils
- Theme (notebook) Paper
- Red Ink Pen
- Crayolas
- Elmer's Glue
- 1 Folder with Pockets
- Metric Ruler
- Large box Kleenex

FIFTH GRADE:

- No. 2 Pencils
- Eraser
- Red Pen
- 1 black fine point Permanent Felt Tip Pen
- Colored Map Pencils
- Crayons
- Scissors
- Box of Kleenex
- Shoebx
- Protractor
- Ruler
- Theme Paper
- 1 Pocket Folder
- 1 4-subject Spiral Notebook with Pocket Dividers

SIXTH GRADE:

- 1 4-subject Spiral Notebook
- Paper
- No. 2 Pencils
- Eraser
- 1 Red Grading Pen
- Ruler (metric and regular)
- Elmer's School Glue
- Pocket Folders
- Shoebx
- Kleenex
- Scissors
- Mark all items with your name

SEVENTH GRADE:

- Large box Kleenex
- Notebook Paper (not spiral)
- Black or Blue Pen (no felt tips)
- Red Pen (no felt tips)
- 4 Pocket Folders

Regional Contributions To State's Tax System Are Examined

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said today that for the first time, Texans can examine regional contributions to the state's tax system.

"Every region of the state has its economic strengths and weaknesses," Bullock said in releasing a special financial report on the geographic breakdown of state taxes. "As the old saying goes, you can't tell the players without a scorecard."

The Plains region of Texas is made up of 1,722,000 people with a per capita income of \$10,964. The unemployment rate during 1983 in this region was 4.3%, as compared with 12.7% in the Border region, 4.0% in the Central Corridor, 6.9% in the Gulf Coast region, 6.4% in East Texas and 3.5% in the Metroplex.

Population figure for the Border region is 1,385,000; Central Corridor, 2,523,000; Gulf Coast, 4,261,000; East Texas, 1,089,000; Metroplex, 3,284,000.

Per capita income exceeds that of the Plains region in the Gulf Coast region where it is \$12,992 and the Metroplex where it is \$12,397. The Border people have the lowest per capita income with \$6,799.

The Plains area of Texas paid \$1.8 billion of the total state tax revenue of \$8.5 billion in 1983. The only area of Texas which paid a larger share of the total state revenue was the Gulf Coast, where \$2.4 billion was paid. The Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex paid \$1.5 billion.

Big cities, of course, dominate the sales tax which is Texas' largest tax revenue source. The Gulf Coast pays in \$1,123.6 million, the Metroplex, \$865.8, Central Corridor, \$456.0, Plains, \$337.1.

The Plains leads the state in oil and gas taxes collected, with \$1,210.2 million. The Gulf Coast is second with \$420.8 million. The Plains also leads all others in oil and natural gas production, producing 41.9% of this resource. The Gulf Coast is second with 24.4%.

Plains alcohol and tobacco taxes collected ran in fourth place with \$73.0 million, behind the Gulf Coast, \$197.3; Metroplex, \$156.4; Central Corridor, \$104.7.

The total population living in dry counties on the Plains is 19.5%, and the alcohol tax payments per person of drinking age is \$22.09. The highest alcohol tax payments per person was \$30.08 in the Metroplex where only 5.1% live in dry counties. In East Texas 47.4% live in dry counties, and \$12.60 per person of drinking age is collected in taxes. This was the lowest of all regions. On the Gulf Coast, there are no dry counties and \$27.68 in alcohol tax payments is collected per person. There are no dry counties in the Border region, where \$18.95 per person is collected in alcohol taxes.

The Plains ranks third in utility taxes with \$35.9 million, behind the Gulf Coast with \$121.9 million and the Metroplex with \$76.1 million.

The Plains ranks fourth in hotel-motel taxes with \$3.7 million, behind the Gulf Coast with \$12.4, Metroplex with \$12.0 and Central Corridor with \$7.8.

Regional contributions to state taxes will likely remain unchanged for the next several months. The Central Corridor will continue a high growth rate, and the Border region will lag behind the rest of the state because recovery from the peso-related slump has been slow.

Don, Jeff and Amy Thomas of Wichita, Kansas returned home after visiting two weeks with his parents, Perry and Estelle Thomas, and his sister and nieces, Becky, Juannah and Melissa Woods. While here Don and Becky took their children on a three-day trip to Carlsbad Caverns and other points of interest in that area.

"What is easy is seldom excellent."

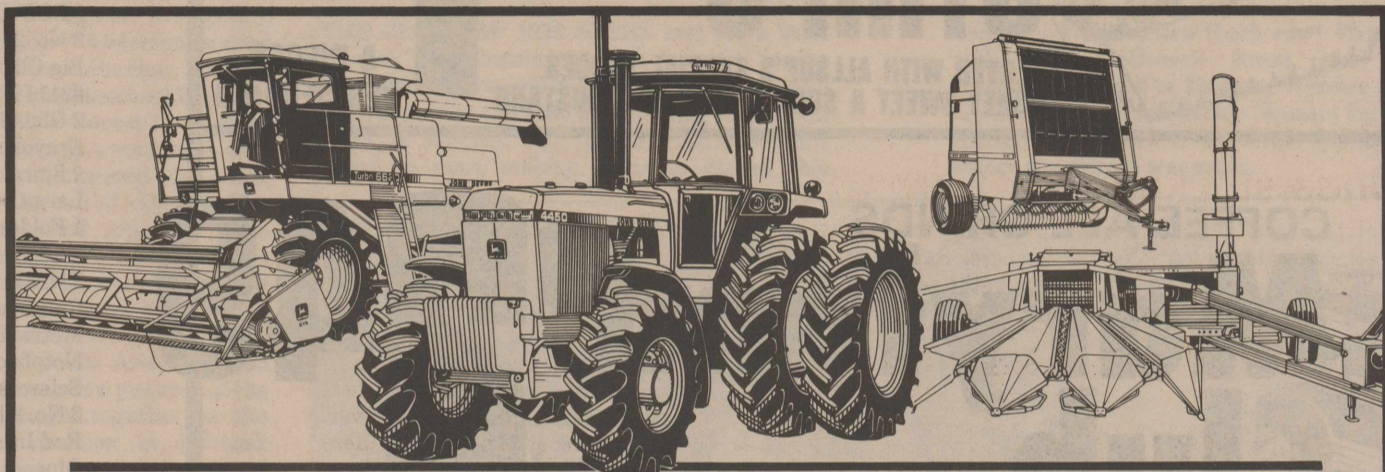
Dr. Johnson



Among high school friends who enjoyed being together during the Homecoming were June [Elkins] Voelcker, San Antonio; Vaughnell [Rowell] Brannon; Carol [Elkins] Davis, Weath-

erford; Janice [Donnell] Keyes, Colorado Springs; Shirley [Fitzgerald] Durham; Glenna [Thompson] Cornett, Abilene.

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50-hp 2255***	475	400	325
55-hp 2350	600	500	425
65-hp 2550	675	575	475
75-hp 2750	775	650	525
85-hp 2950	900	750	625
100-hp 4050	1450	1225	1000
120-hp 4250	1575	1325	1075
140-hp 4450	1650	1400	1150
165-hp 4650	2000	1700	1400
190-hp 4850	2225	1875	1550
185-hp 8450 4WD	2500	2100	1725
235-hp 8650 4WD	3050	2575	2100
300-hp 8850 4WD	3800	3225	2625

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 *** This model is not available for sale in Nebraska.

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CLASS OF 1953 enjoyed a reunion recently in the Flute Hutsell home. Attending were [back row] Gay [Merrell] McPherson of Lockney, Junis [Mercer] Hutsell, Sam Lusk of Denison; [front row] Mary [Dudley] Davis, Jimmy Ray Baird of Alvord, Delbert Mattheus of Houston, Millie [Marshall] Lewis of Lubbock, Norman Jasper of Austin, Sandra [Mallow] Rampley of

Roswell, New Mexico, Mildred [Bean] Smitherman of Floydada, Kay [Steele] McWilliams of Germantown, Tennessee, Janice [Turner] Odom of Wellman, Kenneth [Red] Stephens of Lubbock, Helen [Vaughan] Youngquist of Lubbock, Darrell O'Conner Dye of El Reno, Oklahoma, Eudean [Baird] Cutrell of Amarillo also attended.

Texas Rangelands: Understocked and Overgrazed?

One of the recent authorities on rangeland management, Dr. Allen Savory, has raised an interesting subject for Texas ranchers. Savory contends that most of the rangeland in this area

of the state is understocked but overgrazed. It is easy to see how a rancher can overstock with too much livestock, and leave his grass overgrazed and suffering. After all, grass with few leaves just can't grow fast. Reduced leaf area means less growth.

But how can you stock heavily and avoid overgrazing? At first this sounds impossible; however, a close look at Mr. Savory's ideas shows how this could be done, right here in Briscoe County.

The answer: Rotating pastures quickly allowing each pasture to get more rest than it does grazing.

The idea of rotation grazing and resting pastures has been around for ages. Most Briscoe County ranchers rest their pastures periodically. It's nothing new. But Mr. Savory's idea of resting more than grazing is not as hard to do as it sounds.

First, you need several pastures. Eight or ten smaller pastures are better than one large pasture. Permanent electric fences, such as the ones in use by Don Burson, can provide a lot of advantages including lower cost and some predator control.

The second requirement is water. You need enough water in each pasture to support the entire herd. This can be solved by several methods, the easiest being to put water in a common corner where fences from several pastures come together. (An example is the "wagon wheel" design with water at the hub.)

The third thing is to move, or rotate, your livestock rapidly. Place all of your cattle in one herd and move them from a grazed pasture to a "fresh" pasture every few weeks or days.

Example: take an eight pasture system on 1000 acres. Divide the 1000 acres into eight pastures, put all the livestock into one pasture, and move them to a fresh pasture about every four days. In this set-up, each pasture is grazed four days and rested twenty-eight days.

The key to this system is the 28 days of rest each pasture gets, plus the four days of extremely heavy grazing. Figured over one year, each pasture would be

JOYS, GIRLS DISCUSS BEING "SAFE AT HOME"

Sixteen boys and girls from 12-12 years of age participated in the "Safe at Home" program August 6, sponsored by the Briscoe County Extension Service.

The group discussed how to handle situations that might arise when they are home alone—phone calls, strangers at the door, fire, accidents—as well as encounters while playing or coming home by themselves.

They viewed a movie, "Better Safe Than Sorry," in which children dealt with similar problems.

Fire Marshall Emmett Tomlin spoke to the group about fire precautions and handling emergencies.

The boys and girls cooked their meal of nutritious foods they could prepare by themselves as snacks, and received recipes.

The class was taught by grazed about 48 days and rested 317 days. The four days of extremely heavy grazing will force livestock to graze a few plants they wouldn't normally graze. The result is, you take advantage of every grazable plant growing on your land.

After each rest period you will find that regrowth has occurred in that pasture resulting in higher protein and a "fresh" pasture, more desirable to the livestock.

There are endless variations on this type of system. But the ideas of rotation and rest are the keys. Even with your present set-up, you can grow more grass, resulting in more pounds of gain, if you will go into some type of rotation grazing system.

Call 823-2320 and the Soil Conservation Service will help you design a grazing system for your land.

Extension Agent Lynda Fogerson with Kristy Fogerson assisting with the food preparation.

Those attending were Russ Baird, Brian and Kami Martin, Terry Miller, Blake Eddleman, Jennifer and Jeffrey Grimland, Christy Nease, Tracy Tomlin, Casey Frizzell, Langdon Reagan, Christi McWaters, Penni Fogerson, Bryan and Amy Ramsey and Kirk Couch.

BAPTIST MEN'S DAY TO BE OBSERVED SUNDAY

Baptist Men's Day and Hazel Family in concert singing gospel hymns will be a feature of the 10:30 a.m. service Sunday, August 26, at the First Baptist Church in Silverton.

All people are welcome to come and worship God in this special service.

SENIOR CITIZENS HAVE BREAKFAST AT LAKE

Silverton Senior Citizens enjoyed breakfast Tuesday morning at Lake Mackenzie. Thirty-seven Senior Citizens and visitors enjoyed the breakfast.

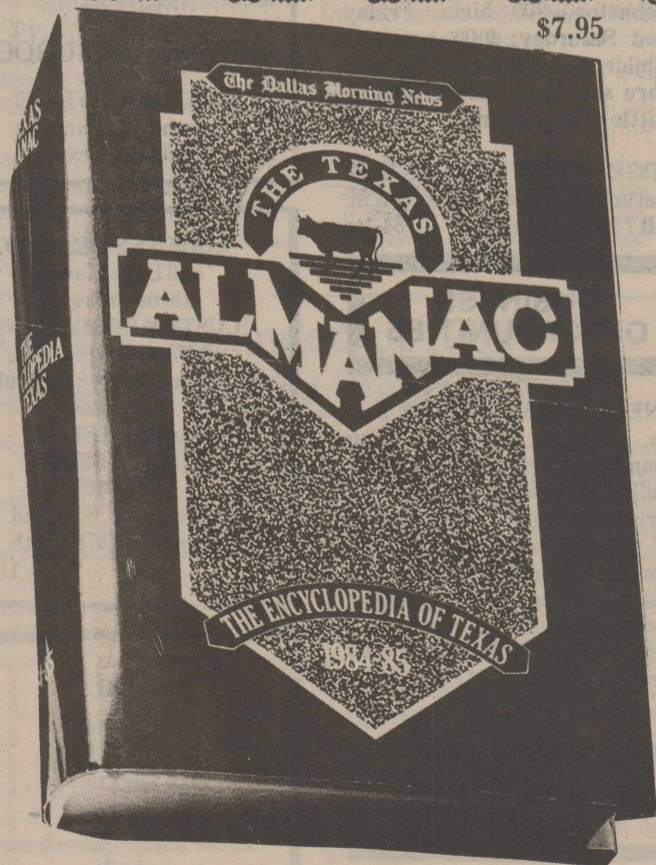
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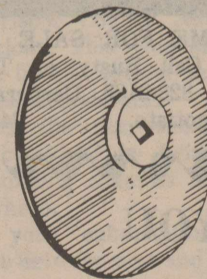
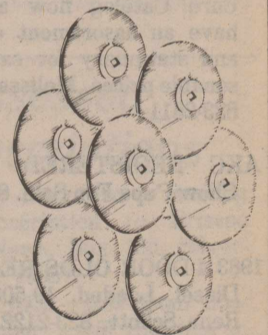
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We would like to say thank-you to all who sent cards, and for your prayers offered for us at the loss of our loved one. Your words of concern have helped us through it all. We love you all. God loves you all the more. The Mary Miller family

We, the family of R. E. Brookshier, would sincerely like to thank the committee of the Briscoe County Birthday Celebration for their kind acknowledgement of our father, grandfather and great-grandfather as being the eldest citizen living in Briscoe County. Your announcement was accepted as a gracious surprise by Emmett and his descendants. He was very honored by the committee's announcement. Mr. Brookshier has held this record for some years now, and we hope and pray he will for more years to come.

I want to thank everyone for all the cards, calls, visits, flowers, gifts and food brought while I was in the hospital and since I've been home. Your thoughtfulness and concern have been greatly appreciated.

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