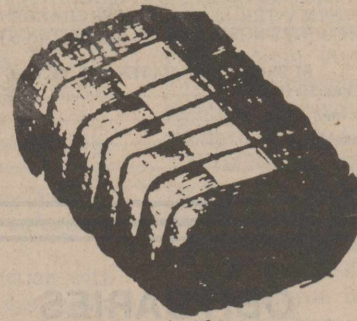




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Alternative For Storm Damaged Cotton

A large storm accompanied by heavy washing rains and hail hit portions of Briscoe County causing heavy damage to cotton.

County Extension Agent Dirk Aaron says farmers are now faced with a tough decision on whether to replant cotton or shift to an alternate crop.

"In some cases, farmers still have time to replant to cotton if they use faster maturing varieties and cultural practices that encourage earliness," he believes. "In some areas, however, growers are already looking for alternative crops."

Among alternate crops, farmers might consider for replanting are grain or forage sorghum, soybeans and sunflowers.

Cotton producers who incorporated Treflan or similar pre-plant herbicides have generally eliminated the possibility of growing sorghum on that land this year. Even if they used a pre-emerge herbicide, the agent said, they would be running a risk to plant sorghum. The surface-applied chemicals are leached into the soil by rainfall, though the depth of penetration varies with the type of herbicide, texture of soil and amount of rain.

To circumvent the problem on the heavier textured soils, a buster planter set to display the top four to five inches of soil can establish a seed furrow in herbicide-free soil, the Extension Agent recommended.

Hybrid selection is also an important consideration. Medium-late maturing hybrids can still be planted throughout the area. However, the early maturing hybrids are usually a better choice for the dryland areas south of Lubbock. Producers are cautioned that late sorghum plantings will be susceptible to midge damage, and they should be prepared to check for damaging infestations to apply insecticides if needed.

Sunflower also constitutes a good alternative crop, Aaron suggested.

This crop is tolerant of the "yellow herbicide" and can be planted as late as 100 days prior to the first normal frost date and still mature a seed crop. June plantings have a yield potential of approximately 500 to 1,500 pounds per acre, depending on soil type, growing conditions, fertility and moisture availability. A publication outlining planting rates and other cultural practices may be obtained at the

County Extension Agent's office.

Aaron noted that soybeans are frequently used as a replacement for hail-damaged cotton in irrigated areas. This crop is also tolerant to the preplant incorporated cotton herbicides and can be planted over a wide range of dates.

Pointing to results of a four-year study conducted by researchers at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center at Lubbock, he says that good yields may be obtained from late June to early July plantings.

"Since soybeans are sensitive to day length," he adds, "late plantings result in short stalk growth of all varieties and the combines miss a good portion of lowest seed pods. This problem can be partially circumvented by the use of varieties that fall into the late Group IV and Group V maturity groups.

Cultural practices which encourage stalk growth in late plantings include higher seeding rates (65 to 70 pounds of good quality seed per acre), planting a single row per bed and early irrigation.

"It is especially important to avoid periods of moisture stress in late planted beans," he emphasized.

"Selecting an alternate crop is always an unpleasant chore," Aaron observed. "Fortunately, there are crops such as grain sorghum, sunflower and soybeans which can be planted relatively late in the season to partially compensate for the loss of the primary crop."

This information was furnished by Dr. James R. Supak, Extension Agronomist-Cotton, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service based in Lubbock. For more information on these and other alternative crops, please contact the County Extension Office, 823-2343.

Overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cantwell last Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Randy Cantwell, Samantha, Carl and Ryan of Alvin; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Manuel of Long Mott, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cantwell and Devin of Canyon.

Mrs. Blanche Newman underwent surgery on Tuesday of last week for the repair of a broken hip at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

EARLY MORNING SHOWER DROPS HALF INCH OF RAIN TUESDAY

An early morning shower Tuesday dropped half an inch of rain on Silverton, as measured by Fred A. Strange.

This brought the June total to date to 5.60 inches, and the 1985 rainfall to 12.85 inches.

Vacation Bible School Planned June 24-28

The Silverton Church of Christ will conduct its Vacation Bible School June 24-28, nightly from 7:30 until 9:00 o'clock.

There will be classes for all ages, nursery through adult.

The theme for younger students will be "How Great Our God."

The adult theme will be "Jesus Is" (a study of the characteristics of Jesus).

For further information phone 823-2060.

Square Dance Clubs To Meet

Caprock Squares of Silverton and the Shirts and Skirts of Tulia will square dance Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock in the Rex Tiffin barn. The caller will be Randy Wilson of Amarillo.

All members are urged to attend, and visitors are welcome.

Hosts will be Fred and Wanda Strange, John and LaQuetta Schott and Bud and Glenda Couch.

SILVERTON STUDENTS EARN DEGREES AT TECH

Texas Tech University has awarded degrees in 1984-85 to Jennifer L. Martin, daughter of Mrs. Mary Martin, bachelor of business administration in accounting, and Ruby J. Bidwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jarrett, master of education in physical education.

Enjoying lunch in the Buck Wesley home on Father's Day were Eddie and Bobbie Wesley of Brownfield, Mildred and Bud Mouser of Plainview, Gary and Cathey Weaks, Leslee and Lindsey, Victor and Debbie Weaks, Jeff, Misti and Dusti, Carl and Fern Minyard, Amy and Missy, all of Silverton.

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4-H Awards Program Slated Here Tonight

"Soaring with Sewing" is the theme of this year's Briscoe County 4-H Fashion Show and awards program tonight (Thursday) at 8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church in Silverton. Judging will be at 10:00 a.m. Thursday.

Sixteen 4-H members from the Silverton and Valley clubs will model garments they created as a part of their 4-H clothing project. Project members learn about wardrobe planning, pattern and fabric selection, clothing care, clothing construction, grooming and modeling.

4-H'ers in the Junior 1 division are Christi McWaters, Leslee Weaks, Kayla Ramsey, Kami Martin, Ashleigh Wyatt, Kacey Fuston, Audra House and Kristi Bean.

Competing in the Junior 2

division are Vera Ruth Pinkerton, Amy Ramsey, Jennifer Grimland, Celeste Sperry, Penni Fogerson, Oleta Lane and Heather Gray.

Kristy Fogerson is entered in the senior division.

The public is invited to attend the Fashion Show and awards program. There is no charge.

News Office To Be Closed June 28

The office of the Briscoe County News will be closed Friday, June 28.

Please arrange your business at the News Office so you will not be inconvenienced by this closing.

JUST A REMINDER

Deadline for getting news and advertisements in that week's issue of the Briscoe County News is Tuesday at noon. If you will be later than this getting your material to the newspaper office, it will be appreciated if you will call 823-2333 and reserve space for whatever you will be bringing after that time.

SOFTBALL TEAMS NEEDED FOR LEAGUE PLAY

Anyone interested in playing in a Softball League is asked to call Jack Chandler, 455-1219.

OMISSION

The names of R. E. and Maggie Sweet were omitted from the list of host couples for the next Haylake Reunion.

SENIOR CITIZENS TO HAVE MONTHLY LUNCHEON

The next Senior Citizens monthly luncheon and business meeting will be June 21, at the Senior Citizens Center in Silverton.

Members of the Southwestern Extension Homemakers will be hostesses for the luncheon.

A nurse will be there to check blood pressure.

Earl Cantwell was honored with a Father's Day dinner in his home on Sunday. Those present were Nina Martin of Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cantwell, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Martin, Brian and Kami, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Martin, Wayne, Ky and Bobby.

Ambulance Service Has Business Meeting

Several items of business were discussed at the regular monthly meeting of the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service at the city hall Tuesday night, June 11.

President Lynn Frizzell conducted the meeting, and handed out a list of things to remember in connection with ambulance runs.

Classes in cardiopulmonary resuscitation planned for the public in the fall were discussed.

Janice Hill read the minutes of the previous meeting. A report was given on the Children's Miracle Network Telethon.

Bruce Tiffin and James Edwards demonstrated the proper use of the Kendrick Extrication Device, and after this the members divided into teams and practiced the skill.

Attending the meeting, in addition to those already named, were Danny Mac Francis, Della and Bill Boling, Diamond Williams, Glenda McGavock, Stephen Stephens, Rick Minyard, Anthony Kingery, Susie Tiffin, Dick Roehr, Tom Burson, Faye Self and Mary Ann Sarchet.

Stephens and Mmes. Williams, McGavock and Sarchet were welcomed as the service's newest Emergency Medical Technicians.

ROCK CREEK CLUB MEETS NEXT TUESDAY

Rock Creek Quilting Club will meet Tuesday, June 25, in the home of Patti Montague.

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OBITUARIES

R. A. STARK

R. A. Stark, 55, of Canyon died Saturday.

Services were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Monday at Southwest Baptist Church in Canyon with the Rev. Alan Ford, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Memory Garden by Schooler-Gordon-Herring Funeral Directors of Canyon.

Mr. Stark, born in Swisher County, was a former resident of

Tulia. He retired in 1980 from Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. He served in the army and was a Baptist. He married Jean Blain in 1950 in Tulia.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Donna Stevens of Lubbock and Shelia Kelly of Odessa; two sons, Randy Stark of Canyon and Clay Stark of Biloxi, Mississippi; two sisters, Ilene Madsen of Salt Lake City, Utah and Mrs. Alva C. (Nelda) Jasper of Silverton; and eight

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Letters To The Editor

This past weekend I attended a Leadership Conference at Clarendon College. As most of you know the Future Farmers of America are in trouble. The government is trying to do away with us. They have already taken away our Area Supervisor, and they are making their move to get us all.

Most people think that all the FFA is, is plowing and livestock show. There are many more important things than this in FFA. There is Public Speaking, Junior Conducting Leadership, Quiz teams, Skill teams, and many more. But most of all FRIENDS. I met a lot of new friends while I was at the conference and we were all challenged to do something. Our challenge was to go back to our own towns and motivate others. Not just students. Everyone!

If I could do it all on my own I would but I am not able to do that. One person cannot make a difference for the FFA's needs. But with help from you it can be done.

What I am asking you to do is write a small letter to Austin and explain that Future Farmers of America is not just cows and plows. It is people leading one another, agri-business, opportunities, responsibilities, and learning experiences. I challenge you to do this for me. If you do, pat yourself on the back for making a stand for the FFA.

If you have any questions feel free to call me at 847-2616 or write. I will do my best to respond the best way I can. Thank you.

Sincerely,
 Jeannita Stephens
 HCR 2, Box 25
 Silverton, Texas 79257

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

We are having a 4-H project on how to take care of the American flag. We would like to remind the people of the community to honor and take pride in our flag by taking care of it.

In order to take proper care of a flag: do not fly it in bad weather; do not let it touch the ground; destroy torn or damaged flags.

The Feisty 4-H Club
 of Silverton
 Written by Jeff Grimland,
 Jeff Smith and Brian Martin

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Brett Gill are parents of a daughter, Corye Beth, born Father's Day (June 16) at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. She weighed seven pounds and fifteen ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Gill of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Birdwell of Dimmitt. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Mamie Birdwell of Dimmitt and Mrs. J. Lee Francis of Plainview.

Rev. and Mrs. Dennis Williams of Claytonville are parents of a daughter, Amber Lynnea, born June 7 at Lockney General Hospital. She weighed six

pounds and six ounces, and measured 18½ inches.

She has a sister, Krysta Lynne, who is three years old.

Grandparents are Mrs. Norma Vaughan of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Hilliary Williams of Pasadena, Texas. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Syble Teeple of Silverton, Mrs. Ethel Payne of Matador, and Charlie Bates of Clarendon.

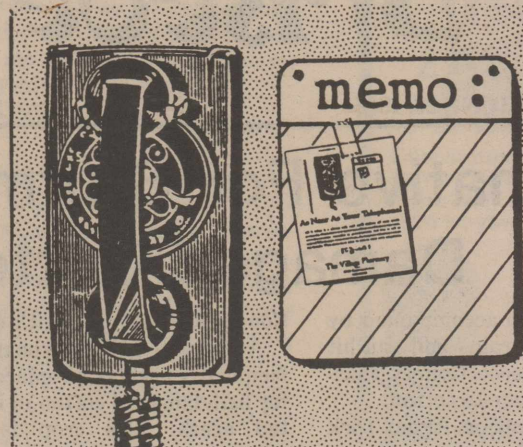
Gene and Beth Whitener of

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Paducah are parents of a daughter, Paula Ann, born June 4 at 8:50 p.m. at Childress General Hospital. She weighed eight pounds, 14½ ounces, and measured 21½ inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitener of Paducah and Mr. and Mrs. Sid McFall, jr. of Clarendon.

Great-grandparents are Ben Robinson of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shepperd of Throckmorton and Mrs. Sid McFall, sr. of Quitaque.



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Looking Back

through the files of the
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June 4, 1970—A. L. (Roy) McMurtry, pioneer resident, buried on Memorial Day . . . Nancy Long was one of the young women who modeled styles of yesteryear during the Floyd County Pioneer Reunion in Floydada . . . Robert Haley Hill chosen as chairman of Red Cross Chapter . . . Robert Rhode graduates magna cum laude from Duke University . . . Johnnie Roy Weaver on Dean's Honor Roll at Tech . . . Rain, hail destroy crops southwest of Silverton . . . Rhonda Sutton to represent Silverton Young Homemakers in Rodeo Queen Contest . . . Funeral services held for Barney Brown . . . Mrs. Una Loretta Martin buried at Flomot . . .

June 9, 1960—Johnnie Lanham re-elected as sheriff, A. D. Arnold re-elected as county commissioner . . . Rains, hail dominate weather picture . . . Highway improvement slated for Briscoe . . . Bessie Sauls installed as Worthy Matron of Quitaque Eastern Star Chapter . . . Quitaque School calls bond election . . . Jean Sanders weds Jarrell Rice at Hedley . . . Bridal shower honors Mr. and Mrs. Rice . . . Quitaque seniors return from trip to Houston, Galveston, Austin . . .

June 8, 1950—.70 of an inch of rain falls in Silverton over the weekend . . . Miss Pat Baird becomes bride of Carl Tidwell . . . "Twelve O'clock High" at Palace Theatre Sunday . . . Miss Jean Swinney weds Cecil McCain in Clovis, New Mexico . . . Wayne McCutchen injured his foot in a plow he was demonstrating Friday. It crushed his foot and broke two bones . . . Grandpa Myers was honored on his 82nd birthday . . . Attending the WSCS Officer Training School in Plainview were Rev. and Mrs. Grady Adcock, Mrs. R. M. Hill, Mrs. Curtis Bingham, Mrs. Warner Grabbe, Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. Flora Dickerson, Mrs. Glen McWilliams and Mrs. Arnold Turner . . . T. L. Anderson's condition reported improved at the local hospital . . . School Superintendent Moreland is building a new home . . . Lt. Charles E. Yates, jr. on duty in Lubbock . . . Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heckman honored with surprise party before moving to Umbarger to make their home . . .

June 12, 1941—Tornado does heavy damage. After dipping down in several places between Kress and Silverton, the tornado left the Gabe Garrison family sitting shelterless in the rain and hail when the roof of their home sailed away. In Silverton, at the elevator, the office building was moved several feet and a huge safe crushed through the floor. The east wall of the elevator was swept away, and parts of the roof were torn off. Electric and telephone wires were a tangled mass. In one place a piece of 2x4 was driven endways through the building. Alton Steele, R. B. Byrd and many other farmers sustained damage to outbuildings and fences. At Clarendon the storm reached its peak. The \$40,000 home of Jim McMurtry was wrecked, in addition to others. The Clarendon damage was set at half a million dollars . . . T. T. Crass received painful arm

injuries Monday evening when a welding tank exploded as he was making ready to weld . . . Mrs. J. L. Francis is very ill at the Sanitarium in Plainview . . . R. E. Douglas is new Worshipful Master of Silverton Lodge . . .

June 4, 1936—Road finished to caprock . . . William David Barclay dies . . . W. P. Hester buried . . . First payments July 1 on old age assistance . . . An eight or nine inch rain fell last week at Antelope . . . Roy Heckman visited in the Oscar Bullock home Friday . . . Roberta McMurtry spent the weekend with Virginia McDonald in Amarillo . . . Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Callaway are the parents of a daughter . . . George Kirk is working in the

harvest fields near Crowell with his truck and will be there for about three weeks. He was accompanied to the harvest by Wade Deavenport, who will work at combining . . .

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO . . .

June 21—Clay Greeson, Trent Brown

June 22—Faye Rampley, Beth Reid

June 23—Carolyn Reagan, Riley Harris, Robert Bell

June 24—Maria Garcia, Elaine Forbes, Gary Turner

June 25—Paul Segura

June 26—Rusty Whitfill, Tommy Davis

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY . . .

June 20—Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Frizzell

June 23—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Martin

June 24—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Meier

June 26—Mr. and Mrs. Billy Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McWaters, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grabbe

Mr. and Mrs. Don Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Travis (Bo) Cowell, all of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Henderson, Wayne and Zane visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cowell, on Father's Day.

Jordan and Molly Sarchet of Lubbock spent from Thursday until Tuesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet, while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sarchet, were vacationing in Colorado. Brandon Sarchet stayed with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rogers, jr., in Plainview.

Lowell Callaway has been a patient at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo, having been taken there by the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service.

Printz Brown was a patient at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo last week.



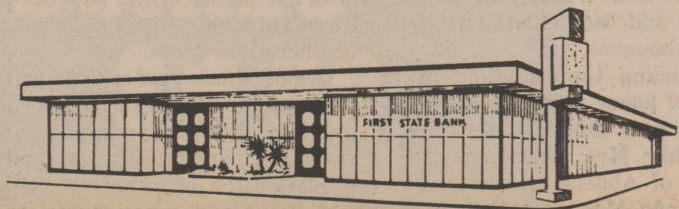
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MRS. BRYAN BURSON

Lana Fuston, Bryan Burson Exchange Vows In Ceremony

In an impressive double-ring ceremony, marriage vows were exchanged May 25 at 2:30 p.m. at the Turkey Church of Christ by Miss Lana Fuston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fuston of Turkey, and Bryan Burson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Burson of Silverton. Officiating minister was Harold Rhodes of Lubbock.

Vows were spoken before an archway entwined with greenery. The altar was enhanced by two candle trees and heart-shaped candelabra holding white tapers. Centered on the altar was the unity candle. Baskets of Hawaiian schefflera completed the setting, and peach and white satin bows marked the bridal aisle.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a southern belle gown designed by Michele Piccione. This graceful gown of silk taffeta featured a ruffle of Cluny lace and taffeta which was edged with silk venise lace, with silk bows and flowers adorning the shoulders. The natural waistline was gathered into a full ballroom skirt of taffeta ruffles, lace ruffles and satin rosettes cascading into a magnificent cathedral-length train. She wore a large brim picture hat by Priscilla featuring Cluny lace ruffles and a venise covered crown adorned with puffs of maline illusion accented with silk flowers jeweled with seed pearls. Boughs of white jasmine tied with white satin ribbon and lace made up the bride's bouquet.

Attending the bride as matrons of honor were Mrs. Laura Davidson of Dimmitt, sister of the bride; Mrs. Charmaine Adamson of Abilene, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Lisa Fuston of

Monte Vista, Colorado, sister-in-law of the bride. Miss DeLane Proctor of Turkey was bridesmaid. They wore identical full-length peach-colored taffeta dresses with sweetheart necklines and large puffed sleeves. They carried braided straw hearts entwined with peach and lace ribbon showered with streamers.

Lighting the candles were Miss Paula Helms, Miss Sandy Morris, Mrs. Dianne Dendy of Lubbock and Mrs. Lisa Blake of Sweetwater. They wore dresses fashioned like those of the bridesmaids. All of the attire of the bride's attendants was made by Mrs. E. L. Hill of Turkey.

Jarrod Crowell of Turkey, cousin of the bride, served as ring bearer. Flower girls were Jamie Fuston and Ashley Adamson, nieces of the bride, and they were escorted by Aaron Adamson, nephew of the bride, and Donnie Burson, nephew of the groom.

Serving the groom as best man was John Burson of Silverton, brother of the groom. Groomsman were Tom Burson of Silverton, brother of the groom; Tony Schaffer of Lubbock, and Jon Davidson of Dimmitt, brother-in-law of the bride.

Guests were greeted and registered by Mrs. Debbie Burson of Silverton, sister-in-law of the groom.

Ushers for the occasion were Rex Adamson of Abilene, brother-in-law of the bride, and Leck Fuston of Monte Vista, Colorado, brother of the bride.

Organ music preceding and during the ceremony was played by Mrs. Ross Herrington of Quitaque. Ronda, Sherry and Emily Fuston of Hereford, cousins of the bride, sang "God Has

Been Doubly Good To You." Steve McLean, minister of the Turkey Church of Christ, sang "My Only Love." During the lighting of the unity candle, Steve McLean and Carie Teague of Lubbock sang "Nobody Loves Me Like You Do."

The bride's mother chose a street-length dress of sea-foam green for the ceremony, while the groom's mother chose a street-length beige-colored dress. Both mothers had gardenia corsages.

RECEPTION

The bride's table was covered with a white lace cloth over peach underlay and featured a four-tiered cake with a stacked base. Cascades of roses covered the base and kissing angels were placed in the center. Australian lace and bands of peach-colored rosebuds, made of icing, encircled the tiers in scallops, and the confection was topped with a cherub and roses enclosed in a gazebo made of icing. The cake was designed especially for the bride by Betty Johnson of Lubbock.

The groom's table was covered with a floor-length peach cloth with a round crocheted cloth covering the table top. (The crochet was a gift to the bride and groom from Mrs. Ying Lyles.) The centerpiece was a small antique wooden saddle tree. The groom's cake, baked by Mrs. Billy Pinkerton, was square

and topped with a horseshoe decorated with chocolate roses. Names of the bride and groom and the date of marriage were inscribed on the top. Chocolate mints in the design of boots, horseshoes and saddles complimented the table setting.

Those who served at the reception were Barbara McCarthy of Tucson, Arizona, Kara Gott, Jenny Clay, Judy Mason, Renee Beasley and Jammie Cammack, all of Lubbock. Claudia Crowell, cousin of the bride, gave each guest a rose-shaped rice bag.

REHEARSAL DINNER

A lovely rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents at the Quitaque Community Center. Dinner was prepared by James Brunson.

After a honeymoon trip to Boston, Maine and parts of Canada, the couple will live in

Silverton where the groom is engaged in ranching.

BRUNCH

A brunch for the bridal attendants was served on Saturday morning in the home of Mrs. Thomas R. Fuston.



The first known use of the expression "A-1" was said to be by Lloyd's of London, the British insurance organization. Lloyd's graded ships according to the risk of insuring them.

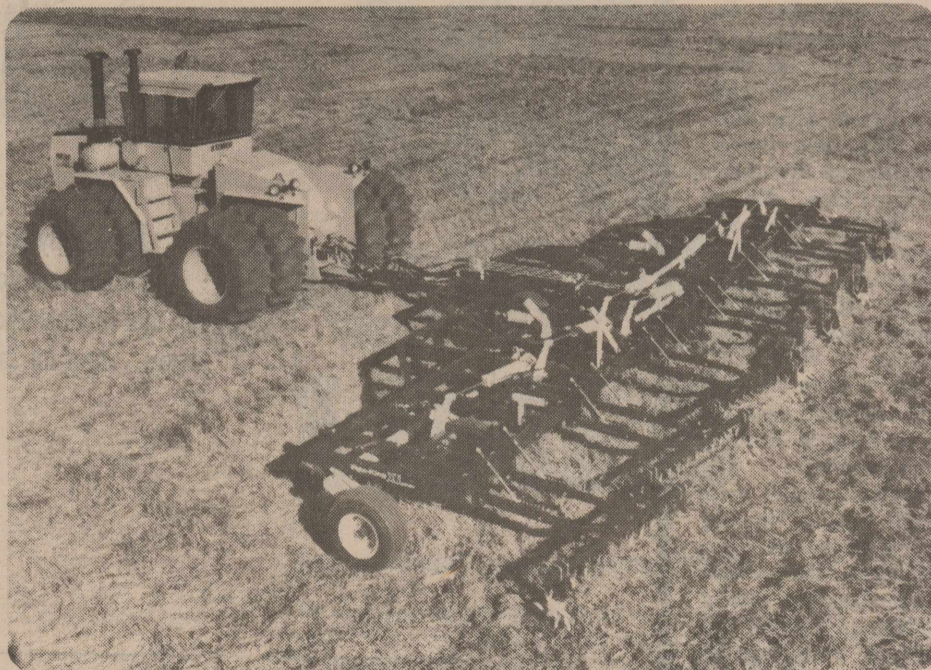
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Appraisal District Has Business Meeting

A meeting of the Briscoe County Appraisal District was held Thursday, June 13, and was called to order by Chairman L. B. Garvin, jr. Paul Ramsey read minutes of the May 9 meeting in the absence of Ray Teeple.

The other directors present were Joe B. Mercer and Robert McPherson, along with Chief Appraiser Carlye Hill.

Values in the county were discussed at length. The reappraisal for 1986 was also discussed. The proposed 1986 appraisal district budget was examined, and it was decided to table discussion on the budget until more information on the outside appraisal services which will be needed can be gathered. Mrs. Hill was instructed to secure some estimates and to call a special meeting in the near future to discuss the budget further.

The financial report was given by Mrs. Hill. Current collections through the month of May were Briscoe County, 94.4%; Silverton ISD, 95.1%; City of Silverton, 90.0%, and Mackenzie Water Authority, 89.9%.

Mrs. Hill reported that the Appraisal Review Board had its organizational meeting on Monday, June 10. John Francis was elected chairman and Wayne Nance was elected secretary. Procedures were discussed. Schedules used by the tax office were examined and approved, including the ag-use schedule developed by Pritchard & Abbott, Inc. Taxpayer protest hearings were to begin Monday, June 17, at 10:00 a.m.

Motion carried to pay all bills presented at the meeting.

Feisty 4-H Has Program On American Flag

The Feisty 4-H Club met Tuesday, June 11, at the show barn. A program was held on the American Flag. Roll call was answered with the name of an Armed Forces Veteran who lives in Briscoe County.

Flag etiquette and days of special flag observances were discussed. A letter was written to Judge Fred Mercer asking the Briscoe Courthouse to set a good example for the community by displaying the flag.

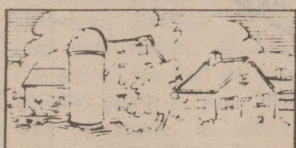
A letter was also written to the Briscoe County News asking them to remind Silverton citizens to honor the flag of our nation.

Posters were made for Flag Day and July 4.

4-H'ers signed up to participate in record book training. If you were not there and plan to do a record book, please notify the Extension office.

After the meeting, the Dance Club met.

Recent visitors in the Obra Watson home were Mrs. Gertrude Morse of Lubbock and A. G. Dunlap of Floydada.



There were 100,000 fewer American farms in 1979 than in 1978.

IRS ENROLLMENT EXAM SCHEDULED JULY 31

Tax practitioners who are not CPA's or attorneys may qualify to represent their clients before the Internal Revenue Service by successfully completing the Special Enrollment Examination. The two-day examination, given annually, is scheduled for October 10-11, 1985.

Individuals who wish to take the 1985 examination must have

their application postmarked no later than July 31, 1985. No extension of time to apply will be granted.

The IRS will send to applicants, upon request, a copy of a special enrollment examination package which includes the application form, instructions, study materials, and regulations governing enrollment.

An application fee of \$50 will be required with the application form from those who plan on

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MRS. DAVID WORDEN

Wilson-Worden Vows Exchanged May 24

Gena Patricia Wilson and David Worden were united in marriage on the evening of May 24 with Dr. Winfred Moore performing the ceremony at the First Baptist Church in Amarillo. The bride is the daughter of Jimmy Don Wilson, formerly of Silverton, and Neva Wilson. Parents of the groom are James

and Merle Worden of Amarillo. Maid of honor was Robin Ross and best man was Douglas Clark, both of Amarillo.

Honor guards were Eddie Johnson, Tim Worden, Glen Weir, Chris Pumphrey, Mike Givens, Ciscero Gutierrez, Paul Crawford and Thomas DeSalvio.

Flower girl was Michelle Lynn Wilson, sister of the bride. Ring bearer was Michael Ward, nephew of the bride.

Guests were seated by Worden, brother of the groom.

A reception followed in Fellowship Hall.

The bride is a granddaughter of Glenna and Carroll Garrison.

First Hardin Reunion Held Here June 8

The first-time-ever Hardin Reunion was held Saturday, June 8, 1985 at the school cafeteria in Silverton. This was a time for getting acquainted with some of the younger offspring of the Hardin clan. The meal consisted of barbecue, beans, vegetables, salads and desserts. A total of 28 attended the get-together.

Present for the affair were Mrs. W. R. Hardin, Buck and Virginia Hardin, Marilyn Patrick, Russell and Chance, all of Silverton; Linda Vernon and Duncan, Artesia, New Mexico; Ann Payne, Clinton, Darren and Lana, Wendell and Nedra Hardin, Eileen and Megan, Amarillo; Gene and Gayle Hardin, Dallas;

Arlas and Joyce Cavett, Andrews; Rodney and Debra Cavett and Tabitha, Andrews, and Ruth, Carrollton; Brett Cavett, Lubbock; Kenneth Hardin and Bea Hardin, Rotan.

Virgil Kidwell had surgery at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo on Tuesday of last week.

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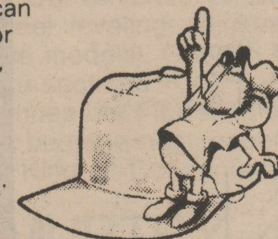
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Gerald Beasley

EXCHANGE TROUBLES?

A classic story about individual troubles relates that in a certain small town the complaining habit pervaded every home. Everyone growled about difficulties, real and imaginary. It was a sour place.

Finally an angel appeared,

gave to each person a bag, and instructed that all personal troubles should be bagged and the bags then hung on the courthouse fence.

On signal each citizen would rush and pick out whichever bag of troubles they wanted.

A terrific scramble ensued. That's right; each wanted back his own bag!

Mature perception is a great thing. Life circumstances are different for each, and we do get to thinking that "the grass is

greener on the other side."

But wise examination reveals that mere circumstances have nothing to do with real joy. Happiness is an "inside job."

"Unhappiness is not knowing what we want and killing ourselves to get it." Paul knew what he wanted: "... the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus" (Philip. 3). Consequently he wrote of the "peace that passeth all understanding," and, "Rejoice in the Lord always..." (Philip. 4). Think!

VACCINATIONS STILL NEEDED TO PREVENT INFECTIOUS DISEASE

Immunizations save U. S. citizens an estimated billion dollars a year in health care costs—more than any other preventive health care practice.

These savings illustrate the remarkable effectiveness and good sense of immunizations, according to Dr. Robert Bernstein, Texas Commissioner of Health. "The widespread use of vaccines in the U. S. has had a tremendous impact on disease prevention. We have seen the number of diphtheria cases reduced from 206,939 cases in 1921 to only one case in 1984. Polio cases have decreased from 21,269 cases in 1952 to only four cases in 1984," Dr. Bernstein said.

He added that our past success in controlling these diseases does not mean that immunizations are unnecessary. "Quite the contrary, if children are not immunized, we risk new epidemics of infectious disease," he said.

In Texas, 1,006 cases of vaccine-preventable disease were reported in 1984. These included 642 cases of measles, 219 cases of mumps, 75 cases of rubella, 60 cases of pertussis resulting in three deaths, and 10 cases of tetanus.

To help prevent cases of vaccine-preventable disease, Dr. Bernstein advised parents to check family immunization records to be sure they are complete and up-to-date. "Parents whose children are not immunized should call a doctor or local health department to make arrangements to receive the vaccinations," he said.

In Texas, state law requires immunizations for polio, tetanus, measles, rubella, mumps and diphtheria before children may register in public schools. In addition, the Texas Department of Health and American Academy of Pediatrics recommend pertussis shots for children beginning at two months of age.

State Homemade Ice Cream Contest Slated

The Texas State Homemade Ice Cream Contest will be held June 29 in Sulphur Springs as a part of the Hopkins County Dairy Day.

Hopkins County is the leading dairying county in Texas.

A champion will be chosen in each of seven classes of ice cream—vanilla, chocolate, fruit, nut bisque, candy and mixed—along with an overall champion.

Activities begin at 9:30 a.m. in Heritage Park on Jackson Street. The contest is a joint effort of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Hopkins County Chamber of Commerce.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the citizens of the United States and of the City of Silverton, Texas have a long history of contributing to the common defense when called upon; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of the United States and of the City of Silverton, Texas believe in military preparedness to safeguard our freedom; and

WHEREAS, registration with the Selective Service System by

eighteen-year-old male citizens has been recognized by Congress as being integral to the nation's defense; and

WHEREAS, the Selective Service System is conducting an awareness campaign to educate eighteen-year-old male citizens about their duty to register; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate for the City of Silverton, Texas to join in this effort with other communities across this nation;

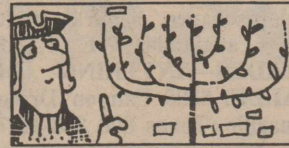
NOW THEREFORE, I, A. R. Martin, Mayor of the City of Silverton, Texas do hereby proclaim June 23, 1985 to June 29, 1985 as

SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION WEEK

in Silverton, Texas, and I urge all young men residing in the City of Silverton, Texas to register as required by the Military Selective Service Act and thereby continue the long history of contribution by the citizens of the City of Silverton, Texas to the common defense.

A. R. Martin

In witness whereof, I hereto set my hand and affix the seal of the City of Silverton, Texas this 10th day of June, 1985.



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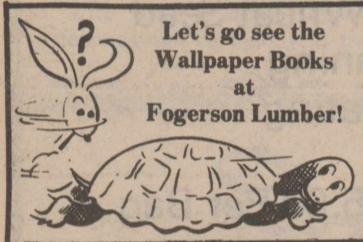
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LAWN MOWING WANTED: Call Red after 6:00 p.m. 823-2567. 16-tfc

GARAGE SALES

FOUR FAMILY GARAGE Sale: Friday, June 21, 2:00 p.m.; Saturday, 9:00-6:00. 806 Loretta Street. 25-1tc

GARAGE SALE: FRIDAY, June 21, 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Clothes, bedspreads, curtains, miscellaneous. Many items will be marked free. Community Building next to News Office. Pat Fitzgerald. 25-1tc

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Daphene Lytle

Thank you to everyone for your cards, calls and lovely plants during my recent hospitalization and while I've been home. A very special thanks to those persons who volunteered to give blood to replace the units I used; thankfully it wasn't necessary to replace the used products. Most of all to my very special Mom for all her loving care and Dad for his caring of my girls here at home.

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