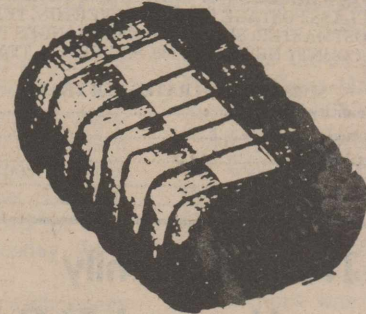


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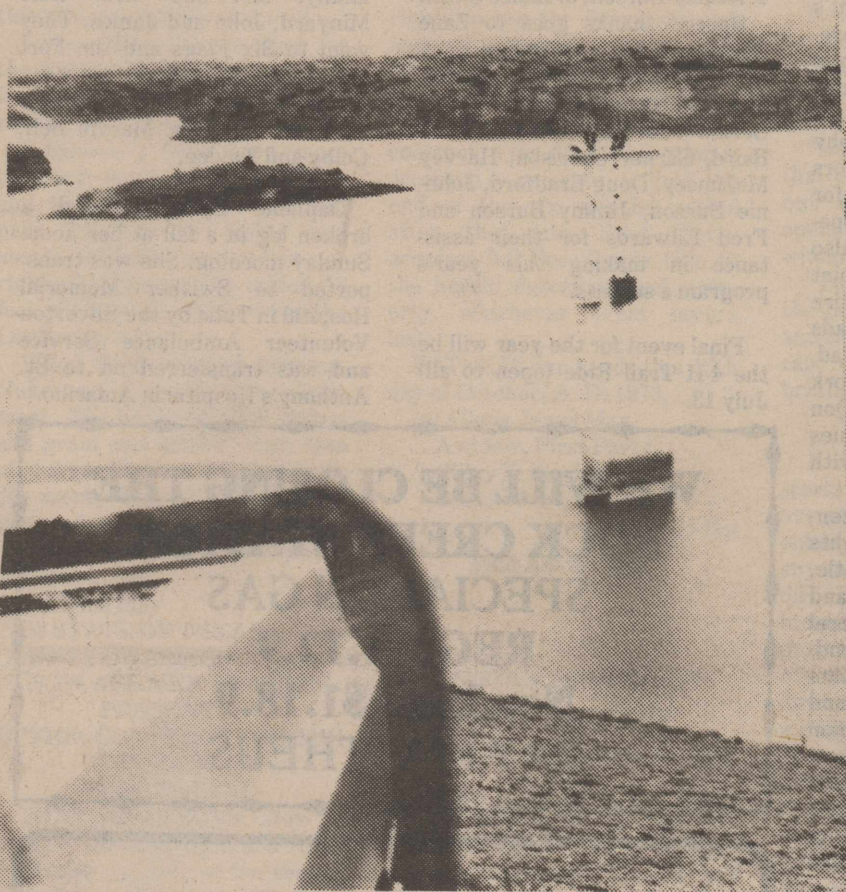
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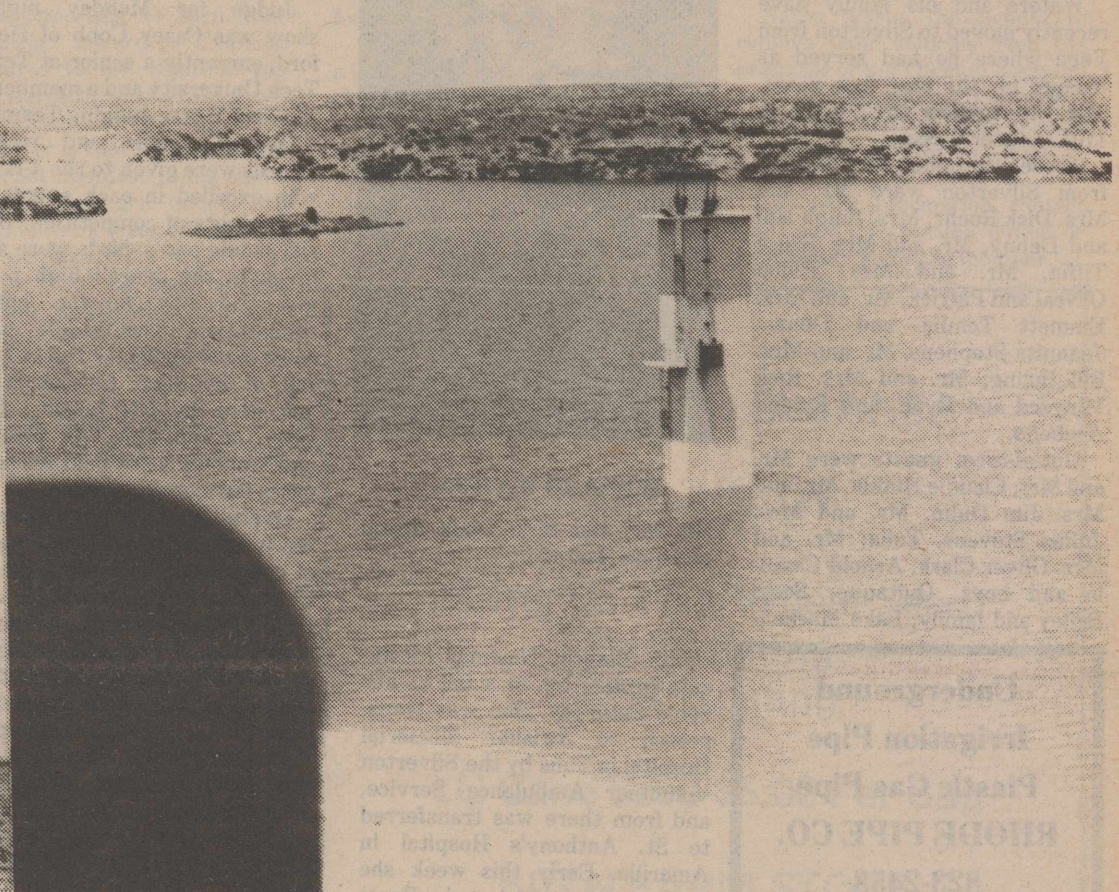
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The view of the tower at the dam at Lake Mackenzie taken on Tuesday of last week [left] can be compared with the view taken on Monday of this week [right].

Note the elevation of the little island near the boat ramp in the background, which also shows how much the water has risen with the recent rains.



## Lake Rises More Than 18 Feet

Lake Mackenzie rose more than 18 feet with the heavy rains last week, and is continuing to rise a little, according to Neil Taylor, manager. "The lake is about five feet above its previous maximum, and is holding about 18,000 to 20,000 acre feet of water now," Taylor added.

The four cities use approximately 2,000 acre feet of water a year. Taylor said that evaporation in the late winter and early spring takes more water out of the lake than the cities use.

"If you haven't been to the lake since the rains, you should come out," Taylor said. "You'll be surprised how green and pretty everything is."

"A few fish were caught over the weekend, especially up the Tule—which is surprising considering how muddy it has been up there. The basin is clearing, and it is beginning to look real pretty," he said.

A swimming area is still roped off where the beach used to be.

Taylor said there were people playing in the water over the weekend even though the water was muddy. "The big difference now," he said, "is that you have to walk down to the water instead of driving down. But there is still a good place to play in the water."

Rainfall in Silverton Monday night amounted to .50 of an inch, according to Fred Strange, bringing the June total to 5.10 inches. This brought the 1985 rainfall total to 12.35 inches.

Taylor measured .60 of an inch at the lake Monday night, and it was reported that Tulia received .75 of an inch.

Mrs. Marie McCutchen and Mary Stephens of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Alvah McCutchen, Alvah, jr. and George of Abilene have been guests of Mrs. Lillian Lindsey and attended the Haylake Reunion at Lake Mackenzie.

## 4-H Fashion Show Is June 20

The County 4-H Fashion Show is set for Thursday, June 20, with judging at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church in Silverton. The public is invited to attend the Fashion Show and awards program at 8:00 p.m. that night in the Fellowship Hall.

4-H members in the clothing project in the Silverton and Valley clubs are reminded that their Fashion Show Narration Forms are due in the Extension Office Friday, June 14. These forms are available from the clothing leaders or the Extension Agent Lynda Fogerson.

Leaders working with the clothing project are Becky Lane, Margie Pinkerton, Juanita Gray, Janinne Brooks, Gail Wyatt, Raye Smith and Vicki Bean. There are three age categories for this year's fashion show: Junior 1-3rd grade to 10 years of age, Junior 2-11-13 years of age, and Senior-14-19 years of age.

Participants in each age category may enter one of the four clothing divisions: daytime non-tailored, daytime tailored, active sportswear, or evening and specialty wear.

THINK SILVERTON!

## Commodities To Be Given Away Friday

Dry milk, rice, cheese and butter will be given to all eligible persons Friday, June 14, beginning at 9:00 a.m. at the Community Building. Please bring a sack for your commodities.

Everyone living in the household must report their income. Check with the Eligibility Guideline to see if you qualify. If your income is above the Guideline, please report this to Judge Mercer's office, 823-2383.

## Methodists To Have Vacation Bible School

The Methodist Church will be having Vacation Bible School June 17-21 from 6:00 until 8:00. Classes will be available for children three years through sixth grade.

A hay wagon will begin picking up children at 5:00. If your child would like to ride the hay wagon, it will be going down each street and can be stopped when it comes by your house. Parents will need to pick up their children after Bible School. The hay wagon will NOT run after Bible School.

There will be a program Friday night from 8:00-8:45 so the children can perform and show what they have learned during the week.

Plan for a week of learning and fun.

## 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.

## Lockney To Have Main Street USA Celebration In August

Everyone is invited to Lockney August 10 for the annual Lockney Main Street USA Celebration.

A program of local and area talent will begin at 4:00 p.m. on Main Street and will conclude about 8:00 p.m.

Persons interested in appearing on the program should contact Cindy Smith at 652-2170 or write Lockney Chamber of Commerce, Box 85, Lockney 79241.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yeary recently have been her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Namon Phelps of Farmington, New Mexico.



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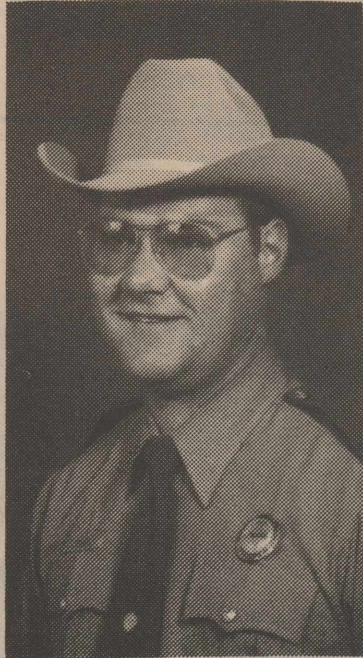
## New DPS Trooper, Family Honored At Cookout

Briscoe County's new Department of Public Safety trooper, Richard Waters, his wife, Judy, and son, Luke, were honored by the Briscoe County Peace Officers' Association at a cookout at Lake Mackenzie Monday evening.

Waters and his family have recently moved to Silvertown from Vega where he had served as trooper for the past four years. They are making their home at 1101 Pulitzer Street.

Those attending the cookout from Silvertown were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Roehr, Mrs. Ralph Hill and Denny, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Tiffin, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon O'Neal and Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Tomlin and Donna, Jeannita Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boling, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Minyard and Ryan, and Roland Asebedo.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dulin, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Stevens, Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Clark, Arnold Castillo and boys, Quitaque; Scott Bailey and family, Lake Macken-



RICHARD WATERS

zie; Mr. and Mrs. Dude Speed and boys, Matador.

Mrs. Blanche Newman received a broken hip in a fall at her home Saturday. She was transported to Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia by the Silvertown Volunteer Ambulance Service, and from there was transferred to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. Early this week she was awaiting surgery in Room 544-A. The hospital's address is 735 North Polk Street, Amarillo 79107, for those who would like to send cards.

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## 4-H Overall High Point Individuals Presented Monday Night

Highlighting the final night of the 1985 Briscoe County 4-H Horse Show June 10 at Wood Memorial Arena was the announcement of the overall high point girl and boy, Suzann Settle and Todd Reagan.

The first night of competition was June 3 at the arena.

County Extension Agent Dirk Aaron stated that this year's entire horse program was a huge success and was highlighted by an outstanding show. Aaron said the kids have been working very hard every Friday night since the first of April, and this hard work was very evident at the show.

Judge for Monday night's show was Casey Cobb of Hereford, currently a senior at Texas Tech University and a member of the Tech Horse Judging Team.

Overall plaque and trophy awards were given to the 4-H'ers who excelled in each event for both nights of competition. Special saddle pad awards were also given to the overall high point girl and boy in the entire competition. The saddle pads were made by Texas Horse Pad, Inc. of Quitaque. Leather work was done by 4-H Leader, Don Gray, of Quitaque. All plaques and trophies were paid for with entry fee money.

Overall awards were presented for the combined two nights of competition to Suzann Settle, Champion Registered Mare and Grand Mare, Champion Barrel Racer and Champion Pole Bender; Todd Reagan, Champion Registered Gelding, Grand Champion Gelding, Champion Showmanship, Champion Western Horsemanship, Champion Western Pleasure; Christa Tucker, Champion Grade Gelding; Kim Burson, Champion Stake Racer.

The following 4-H'ers, because of their outstanding efforts and the efforts of their leaders and parents, qualified for the District 2 4-H Horse Show June 25 at the South Plains Fair Grounds in Lubbock: Todd Reagan, Langdon Reagan, Kim Burson, Suzann Settle, Christa Tucker, Russ Baird, Neal Edwards, Keeley Burson, Lance Smith and Wil T Bomar. The deadline for these 4-H'ers to enter the District Show at the County Extension Office is Thursday, June 13, at 5:00 p.m.

Winners of the events in the final night of competition were:

Grand Champion Registered Mare--Suzann Settle  
Registered Gelding--1. Todd Reagan; 2. Langdon Reagan; 3. Russ Baird; 4. Keeley Burson; 5. Neal Edwards  
Grade Gelding--1. Neal Edwards; 2. Christa Tucker; 3. Trent Smith; 4. Lance Bradford  
Grand Champion Gelding--Todd Reagan  
Reserve Champion Gelding--Langdon Reagan

Showmanship--1. Todd Reagan; 2. Suzann Settle; 3. Langdon Reagan; 4. Kim Burson; 5. Keeley Burson

Western Pleasure--1. Todd Reagan; 2. Keeley Burson; 3. Langdon Reagan; 4. Kim Burson; 5. Russ Baird

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Western Horsemanship--1. Todd Reagan; 2. Langdon Reagan; 3. Suzann Settle; 4. Kim Burson; 5. Neal Edwards

Barrel Race--1. Suzann Settle; 2. Kim Burson; 3. Christa Tucker; 4. Keeley Burson; 5. Russ Baird

Pole Bending--1. Suzann Settle; 2. Kim Burson; 3. Christa Tucker; 4. Lance Bradford; 5. Trent Smith

Stake Race--1. Kim Burson; 2. Christa Tucker; 3. Suzann Settle; 4. Keeley Burson; 5. Lance Smith

Special thanks goes to Zane Reagan for his outstanding work as 4-H Horse Project Leader. Thanks also go to Cam Forbes, Gerald and Raye Smith, Hand Baird, Garner Garrison, Harvey McJimsey, Doug Bradford, Johnnie Burson, Jimmy Burson and Fred Edwards for their assistance in making this year's program a success.

Final event for the year will be the 4-H Trail Ride (open to all) July 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian Shelburne of Lubbock were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Billie McDaniel on Sunday. Ian was the speaker at both services of Rock Creek Church of Christ on Sunday. He is the third generation of the Shelburne family to occupy the pulpit at Rock Creek over the past 30 years. His grandfather, G. B. Shelburne, jr., and his father, G. B. Shelburne, III, have preached here many times. In addition, his uncles, Gene, Curtis and Jim Shelburne, have held regular preaching appointments at Rock Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Minyard and Ryan traveled to Irving Saturday, June 1, and spent the week visiting his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sinor, Cody and Jeff, and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Minyard, John and James. They went to Six Flags and the Fort Worth Zoo while there.

Sunday they visited in Plano with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Self, Colby and Kaylee.

Daphene Lytle suffered a broken leg in a fall at her home Sunday morning. She was transported to Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia by the Silvertown Volunteer Ambulance Service and was transferred on to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

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## Looking Back

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**May 28, 1970**—Paula Montague to be installed as Worthy Advisor of Rainbow Girls . . . Mrs. Alma Stephens buried at Stamford . . . Quitaque named one of state's top communities . . . Outstanding Citizen Agnes Seaney honored at luncheon . . . Mrs. Betty Weast buried here . . . Elaine Forbes to be installed as Eastern Star Worthy Matron . . . Coach and Mrs. Bill Wood are parents of a son . . . Mrs. Bill Hunt presents program for Silverton Young Homemakers . . . Floydada Whirlers Square Dance Club to have street dance . . .

**June 2, 1960**—First 1960 wheat delivered to Silverton Elevators by W. E. Schott . . . Glen Morrison, 44, a farmer in the Gasoline community east of Quitaque, was pinned beneath his overturned tractor for over two hours last Tuesday. Helpless to free himself, Mr. Morrison waited patiently while in extreme pain, for the passing of Rural Route Carrier Morris Wilson who freed him . . . Mrs. Della Elizabeth Hamilton buried at Quitaque . . . General rain falls on county . . . Paula Reid and Jerry Dee McWilliams were involved in an automobile accident in the south part of town Sunday morning as they were enroute to church . . . Miss Anna Lee Anderson honored at "This Is Your Life" program . . . Bonnie May installed as president of Eta Chi sorority during impressive jewel ceremony . . . First Lieutenant and Mrs. William B. Shives, who are currently stationed in Germany, are parents of a son . . . Sue Grundy, Doyle Shannon marry at Flomot . . . Robert Hughes is winner of full tuition scholarship to Colorado High School Speech Institute at the University of Colorado in Boulder . . . Dave Schott elected FFA president . . .

**June 1, 1950**—Frances Norris and Jack Davis married May 29 . . . Miss Myrna Jean Swinney honored at shower . . . Joe Earl Deavenport graduated from Texas Tech . . . Berle Fisch harvests first load of 1950 wheat Tuesday . . . Mrs. Shelby Haynes entertains sisters Saturday night . . . Miss Jackie Wingo presents piano pupils in recital . . . Dan Montague, who has been seriously ill at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, was brought home last Saturday . . . Road bond election carries by large majority . . . Mrs. Rex Long complimented with shower . . . LTD Club meets with Mrs. J. W. Lyon, jr. . .

**June 5, 1941**—Harvest to start here within two weeks . . . Miss Freda Lee Elliston received a bachelor of science degree at Texas State College for Women . . . Marcalete Reid gets degree at WTSTC . . . Dorothy Marie Cross, Lavelle Montague and Alma Ruth Thompson are candidates for graduation at WTSC . . . 1.73 inches of rain fell on Silverton early this morning . . . Miss Vivian Burselon weds Frank Miller . . . Mrs. Treva Bob Lyles of Turkey was killed instantly last Thursday morning when the car in which she was riding overturned near the narrow bridge east of Quitaque. The car was owned and driven by Clinton Fyfe of Floydada, who

received severe head injuries. Miss Cora Tunnell of Turkey and Paul Herring of Floydada, the other occupants of the car, received severe injuries . . . Miss Gaynell Douglas and Miss Nora Mae Thompson were hostesses at a bridal shower Saturday in honor of Mrs. Paul Stanford . . . Funeral services held for Mrs. S. T. Bogan . . . Tom Brooks elected vice-president of the International Relations Club at WTSTC . . . Highway 86 gap to be completed between Silverton and Tulia . . .

**May 28, 1936**—Over four inches rain since May 17 . . . Former Silverton boy, Burl Penn, killed near Carlsbad . . . Monard Preston wins Walter Woodul Essay Contest . . . Miss Lola

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Marie Arnold, Carroll A. Garrison wed . . . Wilma Dickerson, president of the senior class, won the honor of being valedictorian with an average grade of 96.12. Mildred Deavenport was salutatorian with an average of 96.05. Gaynelle Douglas was chosen by a vote of the teachers as honor student . . . Mr. and Mrs. George Kirk have purchased the City Cafe from Jesse Hill . . . R. D. Wheelock graduates from West Texas Teachers . . .

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO . . .

June 13—Seymour Brannon, Carolyn Kitchens  
June 14—Dusty Straley, Eddie

Baker, Betty Stephens, Marge Jones, Wayne Reed  
June 15—James Patton, sr., Desley Kellum  
June 16—Angie Castillo, Dale McWaters, Kathy Frizzell, Bradley Brunson, Brent Grabbe, Ann Jasper

June 17—Loretta Gamble  
June 18—Will T. Hill, Bradley Wade Davis, Tonya Baird, Aida Ramirez  
June 19—Fred Kellum, Gayle Robertson, Steve Shie, Joe Davis, Julia Juarez

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO . . .

June 13—Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jarrett  
June 15—Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Self

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June 16—Mr. and Mrs. Rick Minyard, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sarchet  
June 18—Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Beasley  
June 19—Mr. and Mrs. Guy Breedlove

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Vaughan recently attended the graduation of their granddaughter, Glenda Youngquist, from Dunbar High School in Lubbock. Glenda is their last grandchild to graduate. The Ewing Vaughans have attended the graduations of all six of their grandchildren.

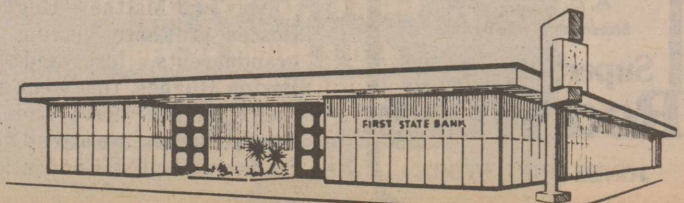


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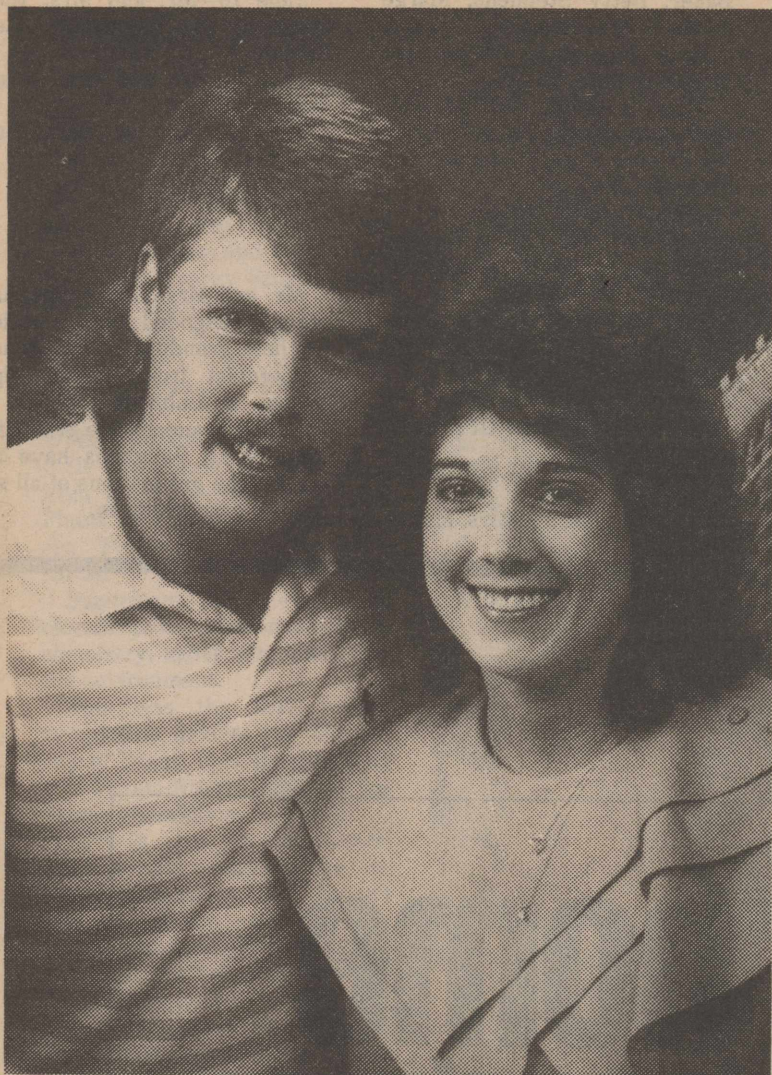
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### Wedding Vows To Be Solemnized August 16

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Jones of Happy and Mr. and Mrs. John Bowman of Silverton are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Vicki Lynne and Brian Scott.

The wedding vows will be solemnized August 16, 1985, at 7:00 o'clock in the evening at the

First Baptist Church in Happy.

The bride-elect is a senior administrative services major at West Texas State University. The prospective groom is a senior finance and marketing major at West Texas State University and is employed by Prairie Sunrise Sales of Canyon.

### Phelps Reunion Held In Quitaque June 2

The descendants of the late J. T. and Rhoda Phelps held a reunion at the Quitaque Community Center on Sunday, June 2, 1985.

The children attending were Frank and Nora Lee Yeary, Silverton; Other and Flossie

Truelock, Paducah; Tommie Harrison, Quitaque; Shon Phelps, Quitaque; Basle and Nancy Phelps, Dallas; Namon and Lola Mae Phelps, Farmington, New Mexico; Charles and Ruth Phelps, Canon City, Colorado; Charry Reynolds, Canon City, Colorado; Delbert and Ruth Phelps, Quitaque; Bob and Billye Phelps, Dallas; Letty Jean Mayberry, Odessa; Janie and Robbie Harkey, Lubbock; Joe and Oree Cook, Paducah; Charlie and Bettie Fisher, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Robert and Lynda Phelps, Lubbock; James and Maurice Truelock, Childress; La-Donna Newbrought and Donna Hash, Monahans; Chuck Garza, Odessa; John Castleberry, Cloud and Doris Conner, Amarillo; Tom and Jeena, Bob, Patrice and Angela Harrison, Lubbock.

Amy and Matthew Hughes of Roscoe are here visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, this week while their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Randy Hughes, are attending the Southern Baptist Convention in Dallas.

### Fifth Haylake Reunion Held Saturday, Sunday At Lake Mackenzie

The fifth Haylake Reunion was held Saturday, June 8, and Sunday, June 9, at the group picnic shelter at Lake Mackenzie. One hundred forty-nine persons registered at the reunion of people who have a nostalgia for the Haylake community, its people and their love for one another. These include some of the finest people in the world.

A business meeting was held Saturday night. The two eldest Haylakers in attendance were recognized. They were Mabel Welch, who will be 86 on June 15, and Jim Brooks, who will be 86 October 30.

Hosting this year's reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cagle, Mrs. Ella Leah Riddell and Tobe Riddell. Volunteers who will host the reunion in June 1987 are Joe and Ruby McWaters, Lillian Lindsey and the Watters family.

A program of music was presented Saturday night by John Francis, Shannon and Russell Bingham, Dock Wallace, Ricky Hester, Jerry Miller, Lynn and Connie Smith, Ruth Proctor and Cecil Purcell.

Shirley Pitts of Clarendon, son of the late Herman and Lela (Hill) Pitts, gave an inspiring devotional Sunday morning. This was followed by congregational singing.

Breakfast was served at 7:00 a.m. Sunday by the hosts. The menu consisted of sausage, bacon, eggs, gravy, biscuits and homemade jellies.

Attending from Silverton were Bailey and LaNell Hill, Bob Hill, J. L. and Faye Self, Jim Brooks, Boyd Bingham, Frank and Wilma Hunt, Jack Davis, Lillian Lindsey, Glenn and Winnie Smith, R. E. and Maggie Sweek, Ella Leah Riddell, Tobe Riddell, Raymond and Ravenel Grewe, Joe and Ruby McWaters, Arch and Sybil Martin, Virgil and Eudean Crow, Maxine Morris, John Francis, Barry Eddleman, Dock and Wanda Wallace, Ashel and Mildred

McDaniel, T. V. and Opal McClure, Pete and Pauline Chitty, Lynn Welch, Jane Pigg, Neal Edwards, Clay Schott, Nannie Bomar, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brooks, and family, Girtha Vaughan, G. W. Lee, Willard Vardell, C. L. and Fairy McWilliams, Pascal and Donnie Garrison, Donnie Stephens, Gloria Wood and children, Shannon and Russell Bingham, Johnnie and Dean Burson, Luree Burson, Terry and Ann West, Brad and Brian West, Neva Garvin, Onar and Elsie Cornett, Iris Burson, Bill and Lucy McDaniel, Tone Brooks, Doyle and Merlene Stephens, Rick and Bena Hester and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wilkinson, Letha Lanham, Myrt Edwards, David and Diane Johnston and daughters, Jerry and Peggy Miller and Mary Miller.

Also attending were Kels and B. V. Lowry of Waxahachie; Jimmy and Lometa Neatherlin, Klondike; Sammy Johnston, Nadine (Neatherlin) Case, Anson; Larkin Vardell, San Angelo; Corey Johnson, Floydada; Mary Sue Bingham, Borger; Willie Mae Gerdes, Tulia; Dale and Dona Smith, Quitaque; Afton and Mary Nell Teague, Amarillo; Edith Guest, Turkey; Pat and Erma B. (Folley) Ridge, Atlanta, Georgia; Alvah and Laverne McCutchen, Alva, jr. and George McCutchen, Abilene; Mary Stephens, Marie McCutchen, Brownwood; Carroll and Glenna Garrison, Tulia;

Also, Donna Smith, granddaughter of Lillian Lindsey, Seymour; Bonnie Watters, Yuma, Arizona; Jodie and Walt Dunham, Clarendon; Rex Tillery, Stratford; Wilson and Pat Folley, John Folley, Norman, Oklahoma; Sidney and Oneta (Henderson) Rodgers, Plainview; Wayne and Lina Whittington, Quitaque; Roy Lynn Brooks, Lubbock; Bud and Mildred (Brooks) Mouser, Plainview; Gale and Gay (Merrell) McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson, Lockney;

Also, Cecil Purcell, Wade and

Ruth Proctor, Billy McWilliams, Bobby and Punk McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cagle, D'anna and Devona Smith, Quitaque; Martha (McWilliams) Ludury, Belout, Kansas; Shirley and Dorothy Pitts, Clarendon; Shirley Sue (Pitts) Peters and Ryan, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Slaton and son, Pampa; Tom Brooks, Borger; Olen Yocum, Tucumcari, New Mexico; Lola Smalts, Hereford; Jane Lusk, Amarillo.

### Group Attends Commencement In New Orleans

Robert Lou (Rob) Barrett, jr., grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nance of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Barrett of Lockney, received his B. S. degree from the School of Medicine at Tulane University in New Orleans, Louisiana June 1.

Barrett will practice medicine at the Parlane Hospital and the D. A. Hospital in Dallas as he studies cardiology.

The Nances, accompanied by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Redies of Plainview, and their granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fares Lahoud, Michael and Christopher of Fort Worth, were in New Orleans for the commencement exercises.

The group also attended the Ivy Day Exercises for the 1985 graduates in the McAlister Auditorium, and the reception following in the Kendall Cram Room in the University Center.

Barrett and Mrs. Nanda Lahoud are children of the Redies.

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State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday sent checks totaling \$58.1 million in local tax payments to the 1,003 cities that levy the one percent local sales tax, with the largest amounts of increases and decreases seen by Texas' smaller cities.

Houston received the largest check—\$10.3 million—to push 1985 payments to \$76.6 million, up 5% over last year. Dallas' payment of \$7.5 million brought its yearly total to \$56.4 million, a 16% increase.

San Antonio's check for \$3.5 million brought payments this year to \$27.4 million, up 14%. Austin received \$2.9 million, pushing its 1985 total to \$21.8 million, a 27% increase over last year.

Fort Worth's payment was \$2.2 million for a 1985 total of \$16.5 million, a 12% increase. El Paso received a check for \$1.3 million, bringing total checks this year to \$10.3 million, up 15% from 1984 payments.

June checks represent taxes collected on sales made in April and reported to the Comptroller by May 20.

Silverton's sales tax rebate for this period was \$933.70, down from the \$759.56 received for the comparable period in 1984. This brought the Silverton total to date in 1985 to \$9,852.16, down 2.29% from the \$10,083.51 that had been received at this time last year.

Quitague received no payment for this period in 1985, after having received a check for \$655.80 last year. The Quitague payments to date in 1985 total \$6,003.07, down 4.44% from the \$6,282.26 received for the same period in 1984.

Sales tax rebates received by area cities and the percentages of increase or decrease include Claude, \$1,661.82, up 5.71%; Dimmitt, \$8,719.86, up 15.63%; Hart, \$1,473.37, up 29.48%; Nazareth, \$1,052.96, up 4.56%; Childress, \$10,944.64, down 1.65%; Paducah, \$2,550.61, up 17.30%; Crosbyton, \$1,146.53, up 27.51%; Lorenzo, \$1,500.51, up 20.89%; Ralls, \$3,250.26, up 2.46%; Dickens, \$2,016.91, up 16.76%; Spur, \$1,923.53, up 6.98%; Clarendon, \$5,413.85, down 3.83%; Hedley, \$0, down 6.94%; Howardwick, \$604.35, down 15.71%; Floydada, \$6,484.01, up 14.94%; Lockney, \$1,428.34, up 13.18%; Lefors, \$0, down 25.71%; McLean, \$1,306.72, down 12.58%; Pampa, \$99,427.86, up 2.85%; Petersburg, \$1,395.61, up 20.31%; Plainview, \$72,400.12, up 7.96%; Estelline, \$1,803.49, up 64.50%; Lakeview, \$0, down 12.59%; Memphis, \$4,853.82, down 1.04%; Turkey, \$0, down 8.16%; Idalou, \$2,006.21, up 37.88%; Lubbock, \$847,465.47, up 6.32%; Matador, \$926.39, up 12.75%; Roaring Springs, \$1,219.99, up 8.29%; Amarillo, \$738,231.00, up 4.50%; Canyon, \$19,392.46, up 0.43%; Happy, \$0, down 3.93%; Kress, \$574.94, down 27.79%; Tulia, \$7,682.81, up 1.43%; Shamrock, \$7,890.40, down 1.27%; Wheeler, \$3,616.92, down 9.09%.

Texas cities showing the greatest percentage of increase in sales tax rebate were all small towns, and included Southmayd (Pop. 318) in Grayson County, up

1038.00%; Goodlow (Pop. 343) in Navarro County, up 7032.14%; Fate (Pop. 263) in Rockwall County, up 1127.16%. Showing the greatest percentage of decrease in rebate were Elmendorf (Pop. 492) in Bexar County, down 100.00%; Luella (Pop. 371) in Grayson County, down 100.00%.

The best and worst trends in this part of Texas were established by Estelline, up 64.50%; Wolfforth, up 85.16%; Sanford, down 31.74%; Mobeetie, down 39.63%.

**A flying honeybee beats its wings 250 times a second.**

### Scott Davis Is Graduate Of Odessa High School

Scott Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Turner, jr., of Odessa, was a May graduate of Odessa High School. He is presently on a tour of Germany, Switzerland, France and England. He formerly attended school in Silverton.

Scott is the grandson of Mrs. Pauline Turner of Silverton.

Donna Kay Smith of Seymour spent last week with her grandmother, Lillian Lindsey. She attended Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church and the Haylake Reunion at Lake Mackenzie.

Douglas Vaughan of Arlington recently spent a week's vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Vaughan. Delton Vaughan, also of Arlington, had spent some time visiting them earlier.

While Douglas was here they went fishing at Lake McClellan and when Delton was here they fished at Greenbelt Lake. The boys wanted to revisit those lakes and retrace memories of fishing trips their grandparents had taken them on when they were younger. They spent the

day fishing picnicking and recalling the good times they had together when they were growing up.

The Vaughan farm is not a large place but it has been a place for their six grandchildren to spend their vacations each summer while growing up, and it holds many treasured memories for each of them.

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## Area Students, Teachers Attend Science Symposium

The latest developments in energy were studied June 4-7 by outstanding area high school science students and teachers at the Texas Energy Science Symposium in Austin.

Attending with top students and teachers from throughout the state was Jeff Wheeler, 17, son of Rev. and Mrs. Lanny Wheeler of Silverton.

He was among 39 participants from the Panhandle and South Plains sponsored by Southwestern Public Service Company (SPS).

Participants heard experts in electric power, fusion research, chemistry, super computers and the environment.

This was the 25th annual symposium held at the University of Texas. It is sponsored by the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation.

SPS is one of 10 electric utilities that compose the research foundation. SPS doesn't own or operate nuclear power plants, but through the foundation supports fusion research at the University of Texas.

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should consider varieties that fall into the very early maturity class, the Extension specialist said. Producers in the central counties around Lubbock should use very early or early maturing varieties for planting until approximately June 10. After June 10, only the very early varieties should be used, he advised.

Producers south of Lubbock can use the early maturing varieties until mid-June. After that time they should give priority to only the very early maturing cultivars, Supak said.

Information about the cotton varieties available on the Texas High Plains and their approximate maturity class can be obtained from seed company representatives or County Extension Agents.

Late planted cotton generally requires a slightly higher than normal planting rate, Supak noted. He said research has shown that 55- to 60,000 plants per acre (4 to 4.5 plants per foot of drill) is a good plant population for late cotton. This requires a planting rate of 20 to 25 pounds per acre, or six to eight seed per foot of drill.

Pre-emergence herbicide residues are frequently a problem in replanting. On land treated with Caporal or Karmex, seedling injury can generally be avoided by busting down to about four inches or more below the soil surface, Supak said. He said residual problems are unlikely to

## Time To Start A Planned Grazing System

Grassland and other forage plants that were grazed short during last year's drought are in a weakened condition and will recover a lot faster if managed properly during the 1985 growing season.

occur with Sancap and Dual unless the chemicals were applied to cotton planted in deep furrows. In such instances, it would be advisable to replant into untreated soil, he suggested.

Decisions concerning irrigation must be considered after late cotton is up and growing. "Because the yield potential for late planted cotton is reduced, fields having adequate moisture at replanting won't likely require summer irrigation," Supak said. In fact, yields and quality of late planted cotton are frequently reduced by overwatering."

Likewise, application of nitrogen fertilizers to late planted cotton tends to encourage vegetative growth and delay maturity, he cautioned. The specialist said the application of foliar fertilizer to cotton damaged by hail or foliar disease isn't recommended. "The leaf area of the damaged plants is usually too limited for such fertilizers to be of much benefit," he explained.

Melony Chandler, range conservationist for the USDA Soil Conservation Service in Silverton, said producers who sold their livestock last year should develop a grazing plan that considers the needs of these weakened plants before they buy back.

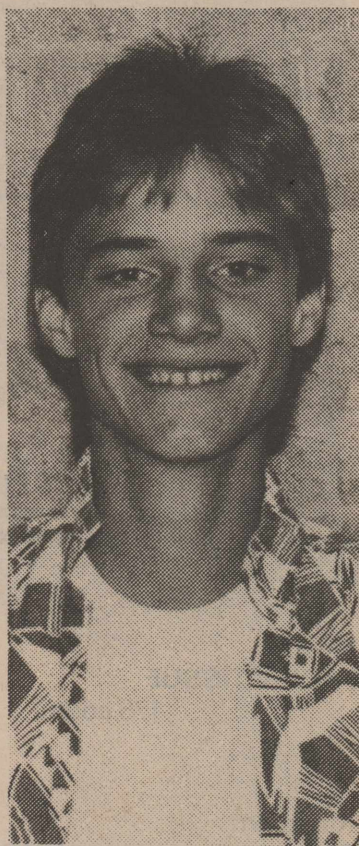
"Our better range plants are very low in vigor due to the drought," Chandler said. "The more rest we can give them this year, the faster they will regain their productivity."

"People who are stocking back now should consider stocking at a lower rate for at least a year to give the grass a chance to get ahead of the livestock. And remember, we don't have any assurance that we won't be back in a drought by the end of the year."

Chandler said since we now have adequate moisture, this would be an excellent time to install a planned grazing system so all pastures could be rested during the current growing season.

If you have cropland, you might also want to consider growing some forage sorghum this year. You could graze it to take some pressure off your grassland until later in the year.

The Caprock Soil and Water Conservation District can help producers work out a planned grazing system or a grazing plan to help improve the drought stressed grassland.



JEFF WHEELER

## Care Needed With Replanted Cotton

Recent heavy rains and other bad weather have damaged or destroyed large acreages of cotton on the Texas High Plains. Thousands of acres will have to be replanted in June and producers need to use care in selecting varieties and cultural practices for an abbreviated growing season, warns a cotton specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

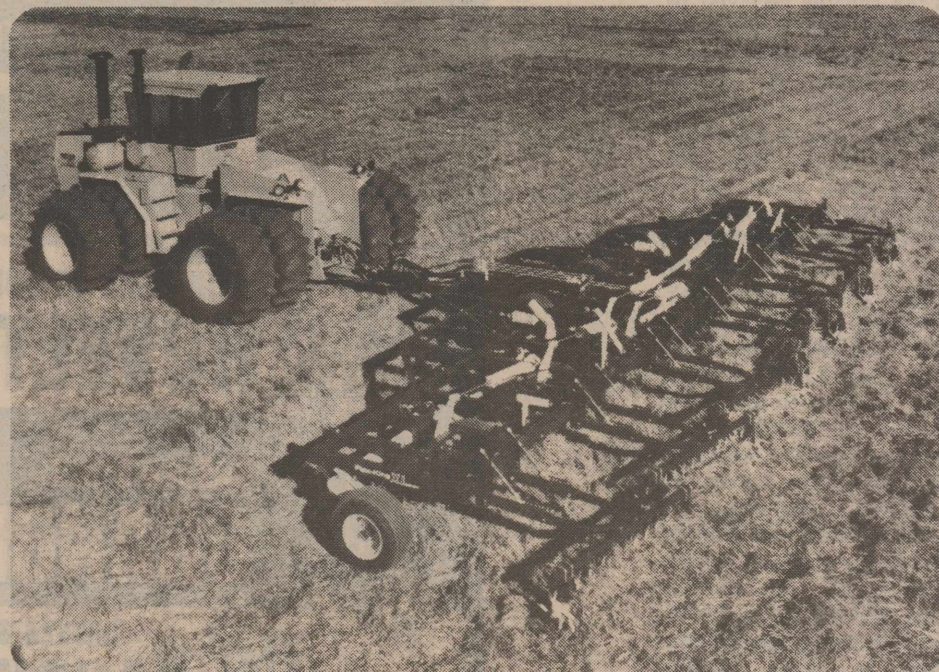
Replanting is complicated by several factors, said Dr. James R. Supak, the Extension agronomist. First, growers are nearing the cutoff date for planting to allow the crop to mature before harvest. Second, there are limited supplies of seeds for the more desirable varieties for late planting. "Many producers will have to look at such alternate crops as grain sorghum, sunflowers, forages or, where they have sufficient water, soybeans," Supak said. He cautioned that before replanting with any alternate crop, the producer must get certified by his local office of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

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There has been some confusion on a business matter between Riley Ziegler and myself (Allena Jewel May). Since a few of you have made it your business, I thought I would enlighten you on the option contract for the purchase of my place drawn up on October 15, 1973 (recorded in courthouse).

**CONTRACT**

The land was deeded to me on April 8, 1985. The option for purchase and the use of irrigation well and tile line will extend to October 8, 1985. After the 8th, this contract will become void.

I have given Riley a price for the 200 foot strip which I believe is fair. At this time, he has neither accepted or rejected.

I believe I have been more than fair on the usage of the tile and well. For 12 years he had paid \$10 for the rights and usage—without permission or right of easement, he added 18 feet of tile to run water from the Ledbetters.

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THAT Allena Jewel May as party of the first part, and Riley J. Ziegler as party of the second part, being of Brewster County, Texas, and Briscoe County, Texas, respectively, have this day made and entered into the following agreement, to-wit:

Party of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of \$10.00 to her in hand paid by Riley J. Ziegler, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, hereby agrees, binds and obligates herself, her heirs, executors and administrators, to give said party of the second part the option to buy and to convey to him by general warranty deed or to any person, persons or corpor-

ation he may designate, and to furnish and deliver to him a complete certified abstract of title to date thereof showing a good and merchantable title at any time during the six (6) months period beginning on the date Seller acquires full Fee Simple title to the herein described real property, or a 200 foot strip along the East side of said real property for a price and upon terms which are agreeable to both Purchaser and Seller at that time, the following described tract of land situated in Briscoe County, Texas:

All of the Southeast one-fourth (SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>) of Section Sixteen (16), in Block B-2, B. S. & F. Survey, in Briscoe County, Texas.

It is further herein mutually agreed by and between the parties hereto that second party shall have full and complete rights to use the irrigation well and underground irrigation tile located in, on and under the herein described real property from the date of this option contract to the date this option is accepted or rejected, or until the end of the six months period after the date First Party acquires full Fee Simple title to the herein described real property, whichever event occurs last.

WITNESS our hands this 15th day of October, A. D. 1973.

/s/Allena Jewel May  
 A widow, First Party.  
 /s/Riley J. Ziegler  
 Second Party.

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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC  
 MEETING OF THE  
 APPRAISAL REVIEW BOARD**

Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the appraisal review board of the Briscoe County Appraisal District will meet from 10:00 a.m. on June 17, 1985, at the Briscoe County Courthouse in the Appraisal District office.

The board will examine and equalize the appraisal records of the chief appraiser, and will hear and determine taxpayer and taxing unit appeals on all matters permitted by TEX. PROPERTY TAX CODE Chapter 41.

The appraisal review board may be in session on other days, notice for which will be duly posted, until all tax appraisals have been equalized and approved and all timely filed appeals

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Gerald Beasley

**"WOULD IT  
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God allowed Satan to afflict Job severely. Then Job's friends came to comfort him, but they proved to be "miserable comforters" (Job 16:2).

Job, on the defensive, told his critics, "No doubt but ye are the people, and wisdom shall die with you." "What you know, I also know; I am not inferior to you" (Job 13:2, N.I.V.).

Then Job pointed out that his critical friends, too, had a relationship with God. Job asked, "Would it turn out well if he examined you? (Job 13:9).

If you are an "examiner" be assured that you are ever being divinely "examined!"

It is important to turn your examining inward. "Examine yourselves to see whether you are in the faith; test yourselves" (2 Cor. 13:5).

"Neither is there any creature that is not manifest in his sight: but all things are naked and opened unto the eyes of him with whom we have to do."

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Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cantwell, Earl Cantwell and Nina Martin recently attended a Cantwell reunion near Austin. Descendants of James Thomas and Narcissus Cantwell gathered at McKinney Falls State Park. Earl Cantwell met many of his cousins for the first time in many years. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cantwell in Brownwood enroute.

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heard and resolved.

If you feel your values are in error, you may meet with the Appraisal Review Board BY FILING A WRITTEN NOTICE OF PROTEST with them before the date set out above. A notice of protest can be obtained from the appraisal district office.

This notice is given pursuant to TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN. art. 6252-17.

John T. Francis  
 Chairman,  
 Appraisal Review Board

24-1tc

**Grasshopper Control Program To Be Implemented In Briscoe County**

The USDA-Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service and the Texas Department of Agriculture have agreed there is a need for a Grasshopper Control Program in Briscoe County. Local ranchers attended the first planning meeting Tuesday, June 4.

A program on grasshoppers was conducted by Jim Duncan of the USDA-APHIS. Mr. Duncan explained the control program and how the federal government would contribute. He stated that under the available program the federal government pays one-third, the state pays one-third, and the rancher is responsible for paying the remainder for non-crop land.

At the county program June 4, a County Control Committee was elected. The role of the committee is to administer the program and be a liaison between the rancher, the USDA-APHIS and Texas Department of Agriculture. County Chairman is Pascal Garrison. Other committee mem-

bers are Jarus Flowers, Doug Forbes, Zane Mayfield and Don Burson.

All farmers were contacted by the County Extension Office of the available program and its need. The deadline to sign up was June 11 at 5:00 p.m.

Aaron states that the turnout of ranchers was very good and the prospects of a successful kill look favorable. The chemical to be used will be Malathion at eight ounces per acre and will be applied by three aerial applications. At this point, 40,000 acres have been blocked off and are ready to spray. June 20 is the projected date for the grasshoppers to be sprayed.

Aaron warns the people to remove their vehicles from the premises or put them in a garage or shed; also that all beekeepers within the county should contact the County Extension Office at once.

For more information, contact the County Extension Office or your local committee member.

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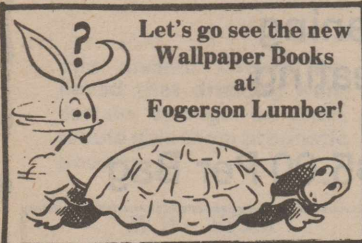
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I deeply appreciate all of the cards and telephone calls I received while I was in the hospital for back surgery. I am thankful also for the prayers offered in friendship and love in my behalf. San Antonio is a long way from home and family and friends. Every consideration helped to ease the pain and loneliness. My love to each of you who performed acts of kindness and help to Flute and Colleen and Robin.

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