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Bryan Burson, Tom Burson and John Burson were pictured with Clay Schott, winner of the Second Annual Don Burson Memorial Herdsman Award which is presented to the outstanding 4-H or FFA member who excells above all others in the areas of feeding, fitting, showmanship and personal effort throughout the entire feeding program. The award, presented during the Briscoe County Livestock Show last Saturday, is sponsored by the Burson family. Briscoe County News Photo

Clay Schott Is Winner Of Burson Memorial Award

A highlight of the 1988 Briscoe County Livestock Show was the presentation of the Don Burson Memorial Herdsman Award to Clay Schott. Sponsored by the Burson family, the award is presented to the outstanding 4-H or FFA member who excells in the areas of feeding, fitting, showmanship and personal effort throughout the entire feeding program.

The show opened at 9:00 a.m. Saturday with the Junior Sheep Show of which Joe Edd Helms was superintendent. Cal Farley was exhibitor of the Breed Champion and Grand Champion, and the Reserve Breed Champion and Reserve Grand Champion were shown by Kim Burson. Clay Schott was winner of the lamb showmanship award. Mediumweight Mediumwool: 1. Kim Burson, Reserve Breed Champion and Reserve Grand Champion; 2. Keeley Burson; 3. Clay Schott; 4. Robbie McWaters; 5. Kim Burson; 6. Christa Tucker; 7. Julie Graham

Heavyweight Mediumwool: 1. Cal Farley, Breed Champion and Grand Champion; 2. Keeley Burson; 3. Bradley Brunson; 4. Clay Schott; 5. Brandi Brunson; 6. Christa Tucker

In the class for the Briscoe County Sheep Breeders, a lamb bred by Dean Burson was the winner. This animal was shown by her granddaughter, Kim Burson. Champion; 2. Kelly Patrick, Reserve Champion; 3. Warren Merrell; 4. Tina Clay; 5. Julie Clay; 6. Kelly Patrick

Bred Dairy Heifers: 1. Tina Clay; 2. Bradley Price; 3. Julie Clay

Larry Price was superintendent of the steer show which began at 11:00 a.m. Cal Farley was exhibitor of the Grand Champion Steer, and Langdon Reagan showed the Reserve Champion and won the steer showmanship award

SPS Customer Accounting Being Consolidated

Southwestern Public Service Company (SPS) has announced that as part of the continuing program to improve efficiency and reduce costs, part of Silverton's Customer Accounting is being consolidated with the Floydada office. Henceforth, the Silverton office will no longer have a full-time cashier.

In the future, payment should be mailed to P. O. Box 668, Floydada, Texas 79235. Payment can still be made at the Silverton office. A night deposit box is being installed for your convenience, allowing payment after hours or when the manager is out on service calls or other duties.

SPS will continue to serve your electrical needs; trouble calls or requests for service should be called to the Floydada office at 983-2162. After hours, please report service problems by dailing "O" and asking the Operator for Enterprise 84152.

Work Begins On 9-1-1 Service For Region

Three people from counties in the Panhandle are involved in the creation of emergency telephone service for the region. They are Jimmy Ross, Briscoe County Judge; June Rhodes, Friona City Commissioner, and Jay Spain, representing the Hereford Fire Department.

They and representatives of the six Panhandle telephone companies make up the 18-member advisory board of the Panhandle Emergency Communications District, appointed last fall by the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission Board of Directors.

The board, chaired by Briscoe County Judge Jimmy Ross, operates under a state law passed last year which calls for the establishment of emergency telephone service throughout Texas by 1995.

"I've never been involved in a more important project," Judge Ross said. "This new emergency communications system will give all citizens a way to react more quickly to a cry for help, regardless of where it's coming from. I know my fellow Panhandle citizens will see the critical need for this system. To me, it's not a matter of 'how' but 'when'."

The calls will be answered at a public safety answering point, where the request for services will be routed to the nearest police, fire, or ambulance dispatcher.

Access to the three-digit number keeps the caller from having to look up emergency numbers in a phone book. The streamlining could make the difference between life and death in many cases.

Twenty-three counties in the

the next 90 days.

Precedent has already been set for 9-1-1 service in the Panhandle. The Potter-Randall County system will be in operation by late May.

Major Stock Show Meeting Is Monday

A major stock show meeting has been set for Monday, February 1, at 7:00 p.m. in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank.

Plans for the San Antonio show, Brenham and Houston will be items discussed.

All families with livestock projects going to any of these shows are urged to attend.

T.E.A.M.S. Tests To Be Given Soon

T.E.A.M.S. tests for Grades 3, 5, 7 and 9 will be given here February 9-10-11. Testing will begin at 8:30 a.m. each day.

Subject areas covered will be Math, Reading and Writing.

Test scores of Silverton students in the past have ranked among the highest in the state. It will be appreciated if you will have your children at school on these days and to encourage them to do their very best.

Fifth Sunday Singing Planned

All those interested in singing or listening to the singing of gospel music are invited to the Fifth Sunday Singing Sunday, January 31, beginning at 3:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Silverton.

Placings in the sheep show included:

Finewool Cross: 1. Clay Merrell; 2. Warren Merrell; 3. Lance Bradford

Lightweight Mediumwool: 1. Susie Farley; 2. Robbie McWaters; 3. Julie Graham; 4. Julie Graham; 5. Christa Tucker; 6. Clay Schott; 7. Brandi Brunson The Dairy Heifer Show began at 10:30 a.m. directed by Superintendent Larry Price. Clay Merrell was exhibitor of the Grand Champion, and Kelly Patrick showed the Reserve Champion.

Placings in the dairy heifer show included:

Lightweight Open Dairy Heifers: 1. Brandi Price; 2. Donnie Calvert; 3. Bradley Price

Heavyweight Open Dairy Heifers: 1. Clay Merrell, Grand ono name of the of

Placings in the steer class were: 1. Cal Farley; 2. Langdon Reagan; 3. Suzie Farley.

After a break for lunch, during which the 4-H and FFA livestock parents served grilled hamburgers, the swine show was held under the direction of Superintendent Perry Brunson. Clay Schott was exhibitor of the Breed Champion and Grand Champion. Julie Graham showed the Breed Champion and Reserve Grand Champion and also won the showmanship award.

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region have a direct stake in the establishment of the system. County and city commissions will be able to join the system and allow the telephone companies serving them to add a monthly surcharge to phone bills. Surcharge revenues will be used to purchase equipment and operate the system. The state emergency communications law allows up to fifty cents for the surcharge.

The most immediate challenge for Judge Ross and other members of the board is visiting each county commissioners' court and city commission to explain the program. That process will take

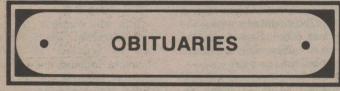
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No evening services are planned that day at First Baptist.

Specials are invited, and if you or your group would like to do a special you can have it placed on the program schedule by contacting the church secretary, Carrie Dickerson.

Harry Booth underwent surgery at Lubbock General Hospital last week and is slowly improving.

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TED HESTER

Funeral services for Ted Hester, 61, were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Wednesday at the First Baptist Church in Silverton with the pastor, Rev. Jim Browning, and Ted Kingery, minister of the Silverton Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery with arrangements by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

Mr. Hester died at his home early Tuesday morning, and was pronounced by Justice of the Peace James Edwards, who ruled the death was due to natural causes.

Born August 13, 1926, he was the son of the late Donie and Ola Hester. He was married to Miss Ruby Joyce Thomas in front of the courthouse in Matador on March 24, 1944.

He farmed and operated Hester's Gulf Service Station here for many years until failing health forced his retirement several years ago.

He was a veteran of the Korean War.

Family musicals have always been a big part of the Hester family life, and just about every member of the family plays at least one instrument and/or sings. For many years, friends have enjoyed joining the family on special occasions to be a part of the musicals.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Ronnie Hester of Dalhart and Rick Hester of Silverton; a daughter, Janice Hill of Silverton; seven grandchildren, including Denny Hill, Will and Katy Hester, all of Silverton, and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Dwain Henderson, Clifton Stodghill, Robert McPherson, Freeman Tate, James Edwards, Bill Reid and Jerry Baird.

HALLIE CHARLSIE ROBERTS

Graveside services for Hallie Charlsie Roberts, 74, are scheduled for 11:00 a.m. today (Thursday) in the Silverton Cemetery. Rev. Jim Browning, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Silverton, will officiate.

Miss Roberts died Sunday at the Lockney Care Center where she had resided for a number of years.

She was born at Jean, Texas September 24, 1913 and was a daughter of the late Vince and Caroline Roberts.

Surviving are a sister, Nora Shinault of Silver Lake, Kansas; and several nephews and nieces, including Carrie Dell Dickerson of Silverton.

Pallbearers are to be Virgil Crow, A. R. Martin, Roy Mack Walker, Robert McPherson, Bryant Eddleman and Wayne Whittington.

ELVA WATSON REED

Funeral services for Elva Watson (Ma) Reed, 87, of Quitaque were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Thursday at the First Baptist Church in Quitaque with the Rev. Leo Cole, a Baptist minister, and the Rev. Jess Little, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the Flomot Cemetery, with arrangements made by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Reed died Monday evening, January 18, at Plainview's Central Plains Hospital.

She was born January 30, 1900 in Collin County. She was married to Isom Francis Reed on February 1, 1920 at Montague, Texas. The family moved to Quitaque in 1929. Ike Reed preceded his wife in death February 15, 1974. A daughter, Dora Mae, and an infant son also Bindid McDorald Children's Charries. Benold McDorald Children's Charries. Harrington Cancor Centor \$11,200 PC Harrington Cancor Centor \$11,200 PC

Dr. Charlene Holt receives a check from Ronald McDonald Children's Charities, presented by John and Carol Morin, owner-operators of McDonald's in Dumas. Mrs. Morin serves on the Ronald McDonald House board of directors in Amarillo. The Ronald McDonald Children's Charities Foundation has awarded The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center a grant of \$11,200, which will be used to implement public awareness programs about cancer for the Panhandle region. Dr. Holt, director of pediatric oncology at HCC, will oversee the public education program, designed to provide cancer biology, prevention and early detection education for cancers which occur in youth and adults.

preceded their parents in death. Mrs. Reed was a housewife and a member of the Baptist Church.

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Mr. and Mrs. Reed were recognized by the Texas Farmers Union for their outstanding service and dedication to the "Pioneer Spirit" of family farming. Mrs. Reed received recognition for her life-long devotion and service in the Farmers Union: her family had been involved in that organization since 1902. She was also an active adult 4-H Club leader for many years in Motley County.

She is fondly remembered as "Ma Reed" because her home was always open to everyone in the community for food and fellowship.

Survivors include five sons, James Reed of Red Oak, Oklahoma, E. G. Reed of Quitaque, Cecil Reed of Whitesboro, Leo Reed of Amarillo and George Reed of Silverton; three daughters, Elizabeth McDonald of Quitaque, Juanita Gowin of Tulia and Alma Monk of Uvalde; two sisters, Martha Stephens of Big Spring and Luna Reeves of California; 26 grandchildren, including Wayne and Wendell Reed of Silverton, and 41 great-grandchildren, including Tyler Reed of Silverton.

Pallbearers were Henry Hast-

and was graduated as valedictorian of the Class of 1958. He attended Ambassador College in Pasadena and studied Data Processing at Denver, Colorado.

He was married to Verna Louise Baldrey in Grand Junction, Colorado July 5, 1964. They made their home in Pasadena, where he was a Data Processing Programmer at Ambassador College.

lege. He was preceded in death by a sister, Ina Lou Lain.

He is survived by his wife and three daughters; three brothers, Lester Grabbe of Hull, England, Orlin Grabbe of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and Crockett Grabbe of Iowa City, Iowa; and two sisters, Ronda Chandler of Pasadena and Susan Gehman of Amarillo.

LEIGHTON TEEPLE

Services for Leighton Oliver Teeple, 67, of Plainview were conducted at 3:30 p.m. Thursday at the First United Methodist Church in Floydada with the Rev. Gary Martin, pastor of Plainview First Assembly of God, officiating. The Rev. Lou Hill, a Baptist minister from Dallas, assisted with the services.

Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park, with arrangements directed by Moore-Rose dada and moved from South Plains to Plainview in June. He married Juanita Luttrell on June 28, 1942 in Lockney. He was a farmer, a U. S. Navy veteran of World War II and was a member of the Assembly of God.

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Survivors include his wife; a son, Dwight Teeple of South Plains; two daughters, Sherlene Reddout of The Netherlands and Rhonda Parker of Marrero, Louisiana; a sister, Mildred Hamm of South Plains; and six grandchildren. He was a brother of the late Raymond Teeple and was the uncle of Ray Teeple and Mrs. Bud (Norma) Vaughan of Silverton.

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ey, Jimmy Davidson, Ottis Mullin, Joe Edd Smith, Warren Lee Merrell, Arthur Patrick and Wayne Whittington.

DAVID CARSON GRABBE

David Carson Grabbe, 46, a former Silverton resident, died last week and funeral services were conducted Friday in Pasadena, California, where he had made his home for a number of years.

Born in Briscoe County May 20, 1940, he was a son of the late Warner and Opal Grabbe. He attended the Silverton Schools

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Funeral Home.

Mr. Teeple died at 4:00 a.m. Tuesday at his home. Justice of the Peace Frank Curry ruled natural causes in the death. Mr. Teeple was born in Floy-



Looking Back

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through the files of the **Briscoe County News**

January 26, 1978-Dr. James Chua Tuan to open clinic in Silverton ... Bryant Eddleman is candidate for commissioner . . . Silverton Mayor Fred Mercer files for County Judge . . . Miss Rose Lee Perkins to be installed as Worthy Advisor of Silverton Rainbow Assembly . . . Mrs. Barbara Pigg seeking election as justice of the peace . . . Parents of unlicensed drivers being ticketed . . . EMT instructors give program for Young Modern

Home Demonstration Club . . . Miss Rhonda Sutton, bride-elect of Kim Scott of Austin, was honored at a miscellaneous shower . .

January 25, 1968-Louis Ed Grabbe and Leo Fleming were operating the L. E. Davis Drilling Company deep water rig in Silverton, as the search for a new source of supply of water for the city continues . . . Scholarship fund established here in memory of a former pastor, Rev. G. A. Elrod . . . Lois Walker elected president of Town & Country Home Demonstration Club . . . Rainfall boosts wheat crop prospects in county . . . G. W. Chappell had an emergency appendectomy Friday at the Lockney Hospital . . . Mrs. C. L. McWilliams has been a patient in Swisher Memorial Hospital for several days ... Walter Watters is a patient at Swisher Memorial Hospital after having been a patient in an Amarillo hospital and having undergone surgery . . Jim Boling left early this week for Houston for. medical treatment and examination . . . Bill Boling is a surgical patient at the Plainview Hospital . . . Gene Smith, Terry Grimland and Joe Mercer have received certificates of commendation in recognition of the fact that each of them scored 100% correct on the Air Force Tests administered to the Senior Class recently ...

January 23, 1958-Funeral services for D. E. (Uncle Ed) Brown, 80 . . . Mrs. Luke Thompson has returned to St. Anthony's Hospital . . . Mrs. Doodle Zachry underwent an emergency appendectomy at Tulia last Wednesday night . . . Leon Martin leaves to visit in Anchorage, Alaska . . . Mrs. J. E. Vaughan is announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Lola, to Dale Smalts . . . Judge J. W. Lyon, jr. will be candidate to succeed himself . . . Mrs. J. H. May, Virginia May and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer May were in

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inery being installed this week at county judge . . . Alton Steele seeking re-election as commis-Western Clay and Products . Dee McWilliams Company ... J. E. Minyard and asking re-election to clerk's office R. E. Brookshier, under the firm **Cemetery Association gets** name of Brookshier and Minyard, aid in the amount of \$47.00 . . . have secured the agency for Many people attend local John Allis-Chalmers Farm Machinery Deere Show . . . Many attended here . . . Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Highway meeting here last week Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mercer ... Clyde Mercers entertain with "42" party ... Mrs. John Turner and Rev. John Thorns attended the twelfth annual District Banreturned home Friday from the , quet for Boy Scouts Tuesday Plainview hospital after a tennight in Lubbock . . . Ware Fogerson attended a convention day illness . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Vaughan were dinner and school of instruction for guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Purina dealers last week in Fort Elbert Stephens . . . Mr. and Mrs. Worth ... All-Stars divide games with Tulia . . . Kenneth Bain, P. J. L. West were supper guests in the Claude Allison home Sunday D. Jasper and Mrs. Agnes Donnell Turner announce for January 27, 1938-New machoffices . . . A wedding of interest

to everyone in the vicinity was that of Richard Eugene (Buster) Dickerson of Floydada and Miss Cloye Dunlap of Plainview, who were married here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dickerson. parents of the groom, Saturday night . . . The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ely, born January 16, died in the Tulia hospital Thursday, January 26..

Mrs. B. R. Ezzell was very happily surprised Thursday on her birthday anniversary . According to the records in the County Clerk's office, there were forty marriage licenses issued in Briscoe County during 1937. Fourteen divorces were granted by the District Court during the year, and five divorce suits are

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pending . . . Birthday party held for Durene Strickland. Attending were Marinez Cowart, Claynelle Fowler, Donaleta Seaney, Rex Douglas, Bruce Burleson, John Ed Bain, Guinn Williamson, Minyard Long, Pascal Garrison, Lola Fern Foust, Thomas Olive, O. C. Rampley, Pershing May, Alton Walker, Bill Ed and R. H. Stodghill and the honoree ...



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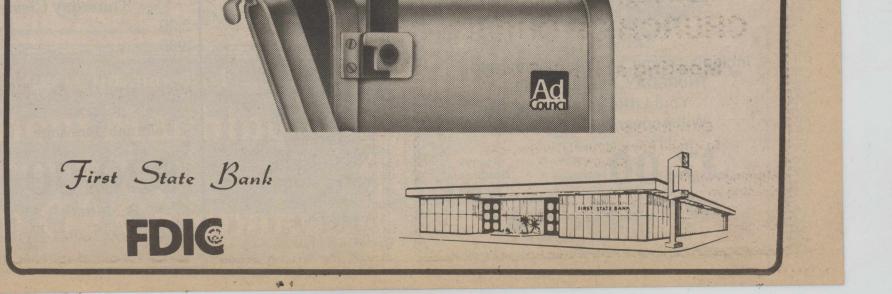
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Plainview Sunday morning . Mrs. O'Neal Watson of Amarillo spent Friday night and Saturday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner, and other relatives

January 22, 1948-0. W. Mitchells are parents of Silverton's first baby in 1948... Dick Bomar is candidate for commissioner . . . J. D. Strickland, son of Mrs. C. M. Strickland and the brother of Mrs. Hugh Nance, was honored at Plainview last Friday when he was selected Plainview's most outstanding citizen for 1947 by the Plainview Junior Chamber of Commerce . . . J. W. Lyon, jr. announces for re-election as



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Iwana Simpson Monroe

Carver Monroe

Couple Honored at Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Carver Monroe were honored with a Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary family celebration at their home in Silverton on Sunday, January 24.

Carver Monroe and Iwana Simpson were married in Roswell, New Mexico on January 23, 1938. The couple resided on their farm southeast of Silverton most of their married life until they moved to their present home in the City of Silverton in 1980. To this union were born three daughters. The couple also have six grandchildren and one great-

grandchild

The anniversary celebration was hosted by their daughters and sons-in-law, Carlye and Donald Fleming of Silverton, Marsha and David Miller of Roscoe, and Mary and Louie Strange of Kress.

Those attending were Michael Hill, Bob Hill, Rev. and Mrs. Duane Knowlton, all of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Greg Hill and Cortney, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Rademaekers, Austin; Darrell and Dwain Strange, Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simpson,

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Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Simpson, Trinidad, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. John E. Emmett, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Wilkerson and Amy, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Emmett and Erin, all of Tulia.

The anniversary couple received telephone calls from Monroe Hill of Amarillo, who was too ill to attend, and from Mazie (Allard) Lee, who had accompanied them when they married. They also received a telegram from Mr. and Mrs. Keith Simpson of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who were unable to attend.

Miss Gillespie Is Shower Honoree Here

Miss Kelli Gillespie, bride-elect of Craig Patton, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Sunday afternoon from 3:00 until 4:00 o'clock in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank.

Punch, coffee and cookies were served to those attending by DeLyn Patton and Shellie Cornett, sister and cousin of the prospective bridegroom.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Max Ham and Traci of Quitaque; Shellie Cornett, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cornett, Mr. and Mrs. Tad Cornett and Mrs. Bobby McPherson, all of Lubbock; Mrs. Ellie Nutt, Dimmitt; Mrs. Jerry Ulmer and Kace Gillespie, Lamesa.

Hostesses were Sybil Martin, Vaughnell Brannon, Pat Edwards, Mary Brown, Pat Fitzgerald, Shirley Durham, LaVern Kingery, Shirley Henderson, Waynelle Couch, Peggy Rowell, LaQuetta Schott, Carolyn Reagan, Carol Martin and Reba Tipton, and their gift to the couple was a vacuum cleaner.

SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER **HOSTESSES FOR FEBRUARY**

Luncheon

Ruby McWaters Mon., Feb. 1 Thu., Feb. 4 Fri., Feb. 5 Wilma Hunt Grace Vaughan **Ruby Gilkeyson** Mon., Feb. 8 Thu., Feb. 11 **Myrt Edwards** Fri., Feb. 12 Flo Fitzgerald **Pauline Benefield** Mon., Feb. 15 Thu., Feb. 18 Jessie Bomar Fri., Feb. 19 Mon., Feb. 22 Jewell Lowrey Thu., Feb. 25 Susie Autry Fri., Feb. 26 Letha Lanham

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Lynda Fogerson **Briscoe** County Extension Agent **CHILDREN AND READING**

Many parents think teaching a child to read is the school's responsibility; however, child development specialists say the foundation for learning to read is laid in infancy with the early interaction between parent and child. Children know a lot about reading when they enter school because their parents have been teaching them since they were born

Early childhood educators have found that reading with children is an important function for later reading achievement. Reading with a child, rather than to a child, allows talking about the story and answering questions, which are as important as the story itself.

This parent-child interaction applies to the content of the story as well as to the discussions about letters, words and phrases that help children become familiar with books.

Research tells us that regular reading with children 8-10 minutes a day for 4-7 days a week is associated with both high reading achievement and positive attitudes toward reading. The positive feeling that goes along with the shared time between parent and child also influences children's success in learning to read.

Many young children begin their learning-to-read process by "pretend" reading-turning pa-ges, following lines of print with their fingers and retelling the story as they look at the pictures. Parents' role in teaching a

child to value and appreciate

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reading is crucial in the development of this life-long skill. Parents model reading behavior. If you, as a parent, read for pleasure and information, your child is more likely to have positive attitudes and achievement in reading as well.

Some of my earliest remembrances are of my mother's teaching the ABC's as she ironed or cooked; my father's constant reading when he was home; the shelves of books in our home; the newspapers read daily; and my father's explanation of the derivation of words. Because of my parents' value of reading and education, I have been privileged to experience the importance of the parents' role in their children's school achievement.

I would encourage parents of infants and pre-school children to begin now to build the foundation for your child's success in school by communicating the interacting with your children in using language to develop their appreciation of reading.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

January 29-Wanda Wallace, Addlene Towe, Lola Mae Stephens, Jo Ann Ramirez

January 30-Fern Minyard, Sylvia Ramirez

January 31-Brian West, Tamara Roehr, Mary Patino, Pamela DeOrnellas, Gayla Ziegler

February 1—Reba Self, Faye Self, Corey Robertson, David Tipton, Bonnie Chappell

February 2-J. L. Self, Kevin Drew, Colleen Reed, Barbara Banister

February 3 — Melinda Ellis, Charles Whitfill, Amy Brannon, **Freeman Tate**

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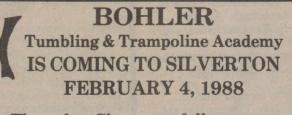
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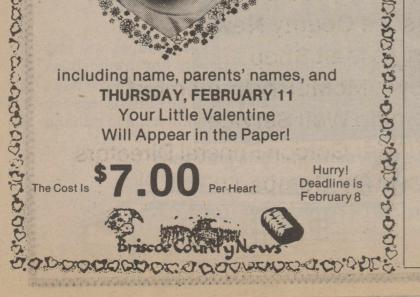
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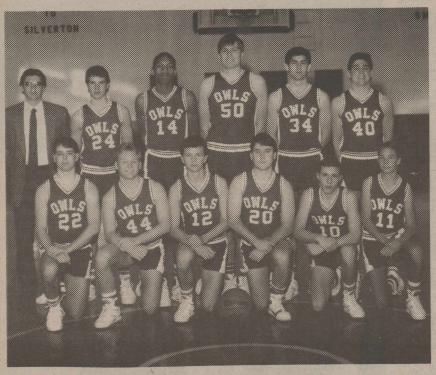


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Good Luck Owls And Owlettes, We Are Behind You 100%!



THE OWLS—Silverton High School's varsity Owls (kneeling, left to right) Wayne Henderson (22), Ryan Smith (44), Kendal Minyard (12), Robbie McWaters (20), Denny Hill (10), Kirk Couch (11); (standing) Coach Kevin Cleveland, Neal Edwards (24), Ricky Clardy (14), Jon Pigg (50), Frank Lowrey (34) and Bradley Brunson (40). Not pictured is Jamie Frizzell (42). Photo by R Photography



THE OWLETTES—Silverton High School's varsity Owlettes (first row, left to right) Carrie Ann Grabbe (35), Gina Myers (54), Tracy Tomlin (24), Stacie Chappell (21), Keeley Burson (40), DeLyn Patton (30); (second row) Julia Couch, manager; Penni Fogerson (22), Kim Burson (14), Julie Towe (12), Julie Graham (4), and Coach Gary Childs. Not pictured is Tara Nance (32). Photo by R Photography



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Placings in the swine show classes included:

Berkshires: 1. John Harmon; 2. John Harmon; 3. John Harmon Chester Whites: 1. Shane House; 2. James Taylor; 3. Russ

Baird Durocs: 1. Rickey Hughes; 2. Robbie Harmon; 3. Rickey Hugh-

Lightweight Hampshires: 1. Leslee Weaks; 2. Josh Brooks; 3. Carrie Baird; 4. Christina Stephens; 5. Briana Sperry

Mediumweight Hampshires: 1. Warren Merrell; 2. Bradley Brunson; 3. Carrie Baird; 4. Langdon Reagan; 5. Jamie Frizzell

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Heavyweight Yorkshires: 1. Josh Brooks, Breed Champion; 2. Brandon Smith; 3. Cy Comer; 4. **Jason Little**

Lightweight Crosses: 1. Robbie McWaters; 2. Cy Comer; 3. Colby Waldrop; 4. Noah Grah

Light Middleweight Crosses: 1. Clay Schott; 2. Christina Stephens; 3. Brandi Brunson; 4. Briana Sperry; 5. Gina Conner

Middleweight Crosses: 1. Kelly Patrick; 2. Will Sperry; 3. Robby Weaks; 4. Will Sperry; 5. Jarrett Pigg Heavy Middleweight Crosses:

1. Langdon Reagan, Reserve Breed Champion; 2. Lance Bradford; 3. Bradley Brunson; 4.

Jeremiah Brooks; 5. Kyle Fuston Light Heavyweight Crosses: 1. Julie Graham; 2. Jeremiah Brooks; 3. Brandon Smith; 4.

Kirk Martin; 5. Cal Farley Heavyweight Crosses: 1. Julie Graham, Breed Champion and Reserve Grand Champion; 2. Penni Fogerson; 3. Langdon Reagan; 4. Noah Grah; 5. Brandon Stark

The last event was the Pee Wee Showmanship class for those too young for the regular livestock show classes.

Winners were:

Swine: 1. P. J. Merrell; 2. Brandy Stewart; 3. Amanda McGavock

Sheep: 1. P. J. Merrell; 2. Lacy Brunson; 3. Jamey Fuston

The Sheep and Beef shows were judged by Dr. John Dillingham of Lubbock, and the Swine Show was judged by Milton Marrow of Levelland. Brad Bass of Lubbock judged the Dairy Show.

Show superintendent was Jimmy Burson; Warren Lee Merrell was assistant superintendent, and Aaron Younger was the show announces.

The show was sponsored by the Livestock Show Board of Directors, the members of which are Jimmy Burson, Warren Lee Merrell, Harvey McJimsey, Gerald Smith, Billy Pinkerton, Randy Powell, Bennie Reagan, T. D. West, John Schott, Joe Edd Helms, Aaron Younger, Lynn Frizzell, Perry Brunson, Doug Forbes, Kenneth Helms, Jack Graham, Donald Hughes, Larry Don Price, Dale McWaters, Wayne Stephens, Don Gray, Mike Graham. Curtis Preston is the Briscoe County Extension



Sheep Superintendent Joe Edd Helms presented a buckle to Cal Farley, exhibitor of the Breed Champion and Grand Champion lamb of the Briscoe County Livestock Show. The winner was a heavyweight Hamp. **Briscoe County News Photo**



Joe Edd Helms, sheep superintendent of the Briscoe County Livestock Show, was shown as he presented a trophy to Kim Burson, exhibitor of the Reserve Breed Champion and Reserve Grand Champion lamb, a mediumweight Hamp. Briscoe County News Photo

Agent, Kirk Robinson is the Silverton Vo-Ag instructor, and Jon Davidson is the Valley Vo-Ag instructor.



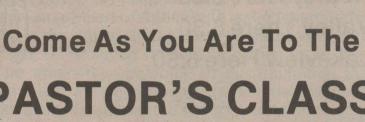
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Clay Schott was exhibitor of the Breed Champion and Grand Champion barrow of the Briscoe County Livestock Show. It was a heavyweight Hampshire. Clay was winner of the lamb showmanship award.



Julie Graham was exhibitor of the heavyweight crossbred barrow that was named Breed Champion and Reserve Grand Champion of the Briscoe County Livestock Show Saturday. Julie also won the swine showmanship award and showed the Reserve Breed Champion heavyweight Hampshire barrow. Briscoe County News Photo



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19E Livestock Show A Big Success

The annual Briscoe County Livestock Show was held Saturday, January 23, at the Briscoe County Show Barn. Twentythree sheep, twelve dairy heifers, three steers and sixty-two barrows were exhibited.

The Briscoe County Livestock Show Board would like to thank all of the supporters of this year's show which made it a huge success. The following is a list of the individuals and businesses who made donations:

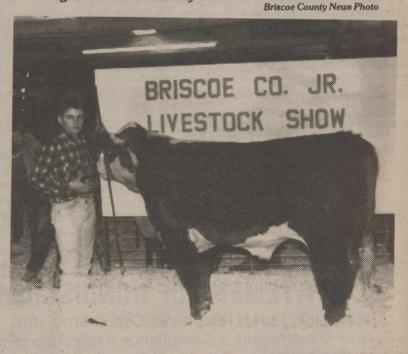
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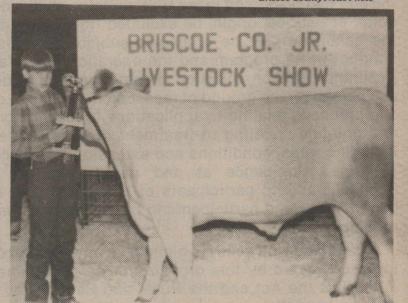
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Kelly Patrick was exhibitor of the Reserve Champion of the heavyweight open dairy heifer show Saturday during the Briscoe County Livestock Show.



Cal Farley showed the top steer of the Briscoe County Livestock Show and received a buckle for his efforts. The Grand Champion was a well-finished Hereford. Briscoe County News Photo



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Clay Merrell was exhibitor of the Grand Champion of the heavyweight open dairy heifer show at the Briscoe County Livestock Show last Saturday. He won a buckle for his efforts in feeding and preparing the heifer for show. He was also exhibitor of the lightweight Yorkshire that was selected as Reserve Breed Champion of the swine show. Briscoe County News Photo Langdon Reagan was exhibitor of the Reserve Champion Steer of the Briscoe County Livestock Show Saturday. He received a trophy and was recipient of the steer showmanship award. Langdon was also exhibitor of the Reserve Breed Champion, a heavy-middleweight crossbred barrow. Briscoe County News Photo

the concession stand; Tobe Riddell and Eddie Rhoderick for cooking the hamburger patties, and to all those who attended the 1988 show to support the youth of Briscoe County.

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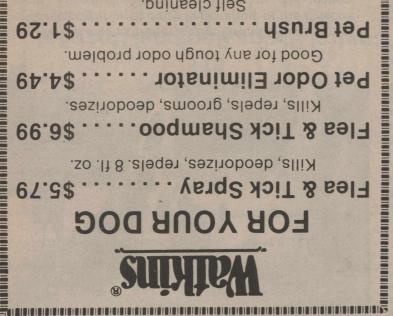
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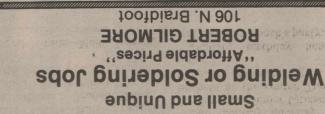
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Varsity Teams Split **Games With Hedley**

The varsity teams played their first district games of the season at Hedley last Friday night, with the Owls taking a 58-40 victory and the Owlettes dropping their match, 47-37.

DeLyn Patton led the Owlettes in scoring with 16 points. Adding points to the score were Kim Burson, seven; Tracy Tomlin, five; Julie Graham and Keeley Burson, four points each, and Gina Myers, one point.

The girls led 10-9 at the end of the first quarter, and then went cold and fell behind. "In the last quarter, after we had trailed by as much as 13 points, we rallied and caught up to six points behind. While we were doing this we lost DeLyn and Keeley to fouls, and weren't able to do it," said Coach Gary Childs. "I was extremely proud of the girls; they did everything we asked.

"We had lots of fun and there were lots of fans there. We

we can tell you," the coach added.

Silverton 10 14 24 37 9 23 31 47 Hedley "We were a little off the pace

at Hedley," Coach Kevin Cleve-land said of the Owls. "But we had lost some games to bad weather and hadn't played in two weeks. It's hard to be sharp when we haven't had any games."

Neal Edwards led the scoring for the Owls with 16 points, and Wayne Henderson also scored in double figures with 10 points. Also scoring were Ricky Clardy,

We appreciate everyone who

came and took part in Thursday

seven; Ryan Smith and Denny Hill, six points each; Jamie Frizzell, five; Jon Pigg, four, and Kendal Minyard, three points. Silverton 14 33 41 58

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Hedley 8 16 22 40 The varsity teams travel to Lakeview Friday night and have their rematches with Hedley here Tuesday night.

"We are going to need lots of fan support for these games," Coach Childs said. "Lakeview always comes up and plays a tough game against us, and we can't take any of them for granted the rest of the season."

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PTA UPDATE

week.

The Silverton High School Math teacher is Brenda Williams. Pre-Algebra, Algebra I, Algebra II and Geometry are taught by Mrs. Williams.

She has a Bachelor of Science degree from West Texas State University and eight years experience. This is her first year to teach in Silverton.

Mrs. Williams' duties include cafeteria monitor and she is the UIL Number Sense sponsor.

In her classroom, discipline is a strong point. She is not afraid to give homework and she has a deep sense of caring for the students. These all work toward a strong math program.

She is the wife of Dennis Williams. They have two daughters, Krysta, age five, and Amber, age two.

Silverton School Honor Roll

Third Six Weeks

Twelfth Grade-Robbie Mc-Waters, Juannah Woods

Eleventh Grade—Tara Nance Tenth Grade-Joey Leal, Julie Towe

Ninth Grade—John Cavitt Eighth Grade-Brian Martin

Seventh Grade-Stephen Cavitt, Aimee Francis, Melissa

Woods Sixth Grade-Matt Francis, Kami Martin, Braden Towe, Christa Tucker, Ashleigh Wyatt Fifth Grade-Brandi Brunson. PAGE NINE

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Third Grade-Marshall Mc-Cammon, Heidi Tiffin

Second Grade-Molly Brooks. Shauna Kingery

First Grade-Julie Browning, Lindsey Jennings, Misty Wilkinson, Windy Wood

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Twelfth Grade - Shannon Bingham, Juannah Woods

Eleventh Grade-Tara Nance Tenth Grade-Julie Towe

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Seventh Grade-Stephen Cavitt, Aimee Francis, Melissa Woods

Sixth Grade-Kami Martin, Braden Towe, Christa Tucker, Ashleigh Wyatt

Fifth Grade-Holly Nance

Fourth Grade-Molly Bomar, Cy Comer, Maria Castillo, Vanessa Martin, Shannon Weaver

Third Grade - Kim Blazier, Marshall McCammon, Heidi Tiffin

Second Grade—Lacy Brunson, Shauna Kingery, Will Hester

First Grade-Julie Browning, Lindsey Jennings, Misty Wilkinson, Windy Wood

Senior Citizens To Have Party

The monthly birthday party for Silverton Senior Citizens will be held at the center Tuesday,





Next PTA meeting is scheduled for February 16 with Dr. Cabellero bringing the program.

Meet The Faculty

Sheryl Weaver holds the position of Business Education teacher. This includes bookkeeping, typing and computer classes.

She received her B.B.A. from Texas Tech University in 1974 and her teacher certification in 1986. This is her first year to teach.

Her special duties include Yearbook Staff Advisor, FBLA Sponsor, and National Honor Society Sponsor.

A new idea that Mrs. Weaver has implemented is a "Friends of the Yearbook" plan. This is for students who want to earn a yearbook.

Mrs. Weaver's computer class adds a new dimension to learning. Basic computer programing, and the history of computers are among the things taught in this class.

Mrs. Weaver is the wife of Max Weaver. They have two daughters, Shannon, age nine,



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Mrs. Garms Announces Candidancy For State Senate

Nancy Sample Garms announced her candidacy recently for State Senate, District 31, in the Democratic Primary.

At a news conference held in the heart of the regional medical center in Amarillo, Garms said she will draw on her professional background as a teacher, small business owner and lawyer as well as her personal background to bring credibility to the Senate seat.

"Everything I've been doing these past 48 years has prepared me for this job. As a wife, parent and now grandparent, I've made a strong investment in my family, church and community. In the public schools, I've worked as a teacher, counselor and



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State University.

"As an attorney, my peers saw fit to elect me president of the Amarillo Bar Association. Having served as a Legislative Analyst to the Governor, I learned my way around the halls of the state capitol," Mrs. Garms added.

Mrs. Garms' experience as chairman of the Amarillo In Motion campaign has given her many opportunities to hear the concerns of people as she has traveled throughout the region. "I did some talking, but I did a lot more listening. I've heard folks say that they want to be a part of the process of getting and keeping the Panhandle in motion. A vital part of that process is building a credible voice in Austin. I can bring that needed credibility to our Senate seat," Mrs. Garms emphasized.

"Folks in these 29 counties deserve heads-up, energetic leadership-the kind of leadership which will restore the confidence the rest of Texas had for us when Max Sherman was our Senator. Ten years is a long time to go without a Senate Committee chairmanship. We deserve the strong, informed leadership Max gave us," Mrs. Garms said.

"If the incumbent had taken care of business in Austin during the past regular session and the succeeding special sessions, we would not be forced to go to the polls next month and do what we sent him to Austin to do. In a news release from his own office, the current senator admits, 'Texas voters may be overwhelmed this November 3 when they go to the ballot boxes and find 27 propositions awaiting them'.'

'In the coming months, I will be listening to the folks of this District. From what I've already heard, I expect to find a focus on the very issues which prompted me to enter this race-important issues like: the kind of education which will equip our children to compete for good jobs in the future; accessible, quality health care, especially for senior citizens; safe water into the 21st century; and solid policies which allow farmers and ranchers to manage their own business.

"This Senate seat does not belong to one political party, to one individual or to a special interest group," Mrs. Garms maintained. "It belongs to the people of these 29 counties.

"My platform includes addressing the concerns I hear from parents and business leaders about our educational system. I agree with the editorial staff of the "Plainview Daily Herald" that 'this state must find a way to

Holts Are New Owners Of Teeple Fertilizers

David and Debbie Holt are the new owners of Ray Teeple Fertilizers, with the date of the purchase becoming effective being January 20, 1988.

The Holts are operating as H & H Fertilizer.

'We at H & H Fertilizer have one goal in mind, and that is to be a professional fertilizer supplier that you can depend on for the highest level of service and integrity," Mr. Holt said. "I will try to call on each of you personally, but until then please feel free to give me a call at 847-2221."

They will be offering the same services to which the customers of Ray Teeple Fertilizers have become accustomed, including soil sampling (at no charge to the

Informal Bible Study To Begin Here

"I find that most people, regardless of their religious background, have an interest in learning more about the Bible. The Pastor's Class, beginning February 8 at 8:30 a.m. on Sunday mornings at the First State Bank's Pioneer Room, is an opportunity for people to discover some insights in the Word of God," said Jim Browning, pastor of First Baptist Church and leader of the class.

"If you are not currently attending Sunday School somewhere, you are invited to attend. The class will be kept very informal so you are welcome to come in your work clothes. No one will be asked any questions on the Bible, to read any scripture, nor be asked to pray. The opportunity is for you to come and learn more about the Bible.'

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customer), and a complete line of insecticides and herbicides including the Pro-5 or bulk Treflan on which there will be savings again this year. They also will handle a complete line of liquid fertilizers that can be custom blended to the needs of your soils, as shown by the soil samples. They will carry anhydrous ammonia and dry fertiliz-

"We will do our 'dead level best' to earn your respect, your confidence and your business. We will count it a privilege to serve you," Mr. Holt added. They will appreciate the continued patronage of all the customers of Ray Teeple Fertilizers.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt have also purchased the home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teeple, and will be conducting the operations of the fertilizer business from there

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FOR STATE SENATOR, 31st DISTRICT OF TEXAS: NANCY SAMPLE GARMS

Potter County

FOR STATE REPRESENTA-TIVE, 84th DISTRICT OF TEX-AS:

WARREN CHISUM **Gray County**

FOR JUDGE, BRISCOE COUN-TY. TEXAS:

JIMMY ROSS

FOR COMMISSIONER, BRIS-COE COUNTY PRECINCT 1: ALTON [Tobe] RIDDELL **EDDIE RHODERICK AARON YOUNGER**

FOR COMMISSIONER, BRIS-**COE COUNTY PRECINCT 3:**

The law requires the Commissioners' Court to meet at least once each month, and the regular meeting must be held the 2nd Monday of each month. The court can meet in special session at any time it so desires so long as the proper notice is given and there is the proper posting of such notice. 2 (Texas Agricultural Extension Service Bulletin)

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FOR SHERIFF, BRISCOE **COUNTY, TEXAS:** RICHARD C. [Dick] ROEHR **Re-election**

FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COL-LECTOR, BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS:

FAIRY McWILLIAMS Re-election WAYNELLE COUCH GLORIA WOOD

Girl Scout News

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We elected new officers for January through March. They are Staci Hill, president; Sonya Ramirez, first vice-president; Carrie Baird, second vice-president; Christi McWaters, secretary; LaToya Baker, treasurer;

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners Court of Briscoe County will be accepting Sealed Bids until February 8, 1988, for the purchase of one new Motor Grader for Precinct #4.

BID SPECIFICATIONS BRISCOE COUNTY PRECINCT #4

One (1) New Tandem Powered Motor Grader meeting the following minimum specifications:

Diesel Engine with 638 cubic inch displacement and 135 net horsepower.

Articulating Main Frame. ROPS Enclosed Cab, with heater and air conditioner.

Direct Drive Power Shift Transmission with six (6) speeds forward and six (6) speeds reverse; single lever controlled.

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14.00 x 24, 10 PR Tires mounted on 10" Wheel Rims.

14 foot Chrome Blade with side shift and tip control. Minimum of six (6) circle shoes with replaceable wear inserts.

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24 Volt Electrical System.

Suspension Seat.

Low Temperature Starting System.

Heavy Duty Radiator. Minimum Operating Weight of

29,500 lbs. Bids to be taken for guarantee

maintenance and replacement for five (5) years or 7,500 hours.

Only Total Cost Bids will be accepted.

Forms will be available in the County Judge's Office.

The bids will be publicly opened and read before the Commissioners' Court of said County February 8, 1988 at 10:00 a.m.

Trade-in: One (1) Used Caterpillar #120 Motor Grader.

The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Address bids to the office of County Judge.

Jimmy M. Ross

Box 535

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Silverton, Texas 79257 Posted this the 18th day of January, 1988.

/s/Jimmy M. Ross

BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

Christina Stephens, reporter;

Leslee Weaks, money project

We have started the Cookie

Sale this month. We will be

delivering them in the middle of

February. We will be having a

Cookie Sale booth at Nance's

Food Store for those who missed

director has resigned. The Coun-

cil is looking for a replacement.

Our leader, Lois Hill, recently

attended the Plainview Service

Unit meeting. She was elected to

be one of the delegates to go to

Caprock Council Annual Meeting

hosting "Texas Rendezvous '88"

in Lubbock this year. Our troop

is planning to go. So our troop is

planning to have a brisket sale in

came to show us stamp collecting. We really did enjoy seeing

the many different stamps the

Post Office puts out. We would

like to thank him for taking time

out of his schedule to show us his

We have been meeting on

Friday afternoons instead of

Monday afternoons because of

the Junior High basketball

games. We will not meet January

29, but we will meet on February

Christina Stephens, reporter

5, in the Scout Hut at 4:00 p.m.

Boy Scout News

by Scoutmaster Mark Eddleman

This year we will be doing the

flag service. We want to thank

the Girl Scouts for letting us do

the service this year. If you don't

know what the flag service is, I'll

tell you. We will put an American

flag at your home or business

seven times this year, and install

a holder or ground pipe for only

\$10.00 a year. Call 823-2297 for

an order or to ask a question. Be

a proud American; show every-

one your support for our country

and the men and women serving

our country and those who lost

their lives for world peace and

freedom. We want to thank the

ones who have already placed

Davis and I went to Plainview to

attend this month's Roundtable.

Other leaders in the district

attended. We discussed new

national policies concerning lia-

bility for Scout leaders. We made

plans for this year's Camporee

that will be held at Caprock

I want to thank everyone for

the nice compliments on the

Scout news. I feel it keeps

everyone informed on our doings

Canyons State Park in April.

Last Thursday night, Tommy

orders.

On January 8, Fred Strange

The Caprock Council will be

Our Plainview Service Unit

ordering the cookies.

in Lubbock on April 18.

April to pay for this.

stamps.

person.

Extension Homemakers Meet In Rex Holt Home

Southwestern Extension Homemakers met January 21 in the Rex Holt home for the first meeting of the new year.

Roll call was answered with "A Habit I've Changed or Given Up," by Christine King, Florene Fitzgerald, Theta Holt, Frances Kellum and the County Extension Agent Lynda Fogerson.

Mrs. Fogerson brought an interesting and timely program on "How to Save \$\$\$ When You Don't Have a Dime to Spare."

The new TEHA Chairman to replace Eunice McFall is Bena

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Patton are parents of a son, Thor Addison, born at 3:25 p.m. Monday, January 18, at Lockney General Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds and nine ounces, and measured 21 inches long at birth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patton of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cruse of Flomot.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Patton and Mr. and Mrs. Shorty West, all of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Browning and Mrs. Belle Cruse, all of Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Greenhaw of Lamesa are the proud parents of a son, Dakota Brian, born at 6:01 p.m. January 2 at Medical Arts Hospital in Lamesa. He weighed nine pounds and two ounces, and measured 20¹/₄ inches in length.

He has a brother, Tucker, 6^{1/2} years old, and a sister, D'Lynn, two years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ken Farr, Lamesa; Mabry Greenhaw, Crosbyton, and Darla Willis, Spur.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Triebes, Pueblo, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Ford Greenhaw, Petersburg, and Mrs. Arla Williams, Floydada.

Great-great-grandmother is Mrs. O. L. Bearden, Floydada.



Hester from the Progressive Extension Club.

Members voted to take dues from the club funds. The District Meeting will be April 14 at Levelland. Delegate to this meeting is Theta Holt and the alternate is Virginia Hardin. All members are urged to attend.

Yearbooks were given out and lovely refreshments were served to those in attendance.

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SILVERTON SCHOOL LUNCHROOM MENU

February 1 - 5

Monday—Fish, Tartar Sauce, Fried Okra, Cornbread, Cobbler, Milk

Tuesday—Meat Loaf, Broccoli with Cheese Sauce, Beans, Hot Rolls, Chocolate Cake, Milk

Wednesday—Vegetable Soup, Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Fruit, Cookie, Milk

Thursday—Steak and Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Honey and Butter, Milk

Friday—Chili Dogs, French Fries, Fruit and Jello, Milk

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6	\$40.00	P205/75R15	Supreme Black
2	\$42.00	P215/75R15	Supreme Black
6	\$30.00	P155/80B13	Supreme Black

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Briscoe County Judge Silverton, Texas I, the undersigned County Clerk, do hereby certify that the above Notice is a true and correct copy of said Notice, and that I posted a true and correct copy of said Notice on the bulletin board at the Courthouse door of Briscoe County, Texas, at a place readily accessible to the general public at all times on the 18th day of January, 1988. Dated this the 18th day of January, 1988. /s/Bess McWilliams **County Clerk**

Briscoe County, Texas

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WATKINS PRODUCTS FOR Sale in Silverton. Briscoe County News, 508 South Main Street, or call 823-2333. 41-tfnc FOR YOUR ELECTRIC FENcing needs, see Brown-McMurtry. We have battery, hi line or solar powered fencers. We also carry insulators, gate handles and wire. 46-tfc

FOR BIRTHDAY CAKES, Cake Donuts and Cookies for special occasions, call Lee at 847-2624. 13-tfc

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Tiffin Talk

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LADIES CAN EARN \$50 TUES day or Thursday Silverton or surrounding towns. No parties necessary. Stanley Home Products. Ina Nolan, 995-4254. 1-4tc

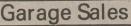
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Real Estate

FOR SALE: TWO BEDROOM, one bath, fully carpeted and draped house. Attached garage. Call 823-2062. Night 214-642-7345. Day or night, 214-291-0027. 32-tfc

BUILDING FOR SALE: OLD Potpourri (flower shop) building on southwest corner of the square. Call Evelyn Holcomb, (512) 585-2821. 53-9tc

TWO BEDROOM HOUSE AT 306 Pulitzer For Sale. Needs some work; might finance. Price is right. 823-2333. 1-4tp



GARAGE SALE: WEDNES-day and Thursday, 10-5, 901 S. Braidfoot. Items of interest to men, women and children. 4-1tp

Cards of Thanks

Fern and Charley Holt wish to thank all the people of Silverton for their kindness, visits, flowers, food and phone calls, during Fern's hospital stay and since being home. A special thanks to our family for their love and support, also to the quick attention of the ambulance crew, James, Janice and Roland. God bless you all.

Thank each of you who remembered us during our loss of Ma Reed. We appreciate your prayers, visits, phone calls, cards, memorials, flowers, food and help. Thank you for being there for us. God bless you.

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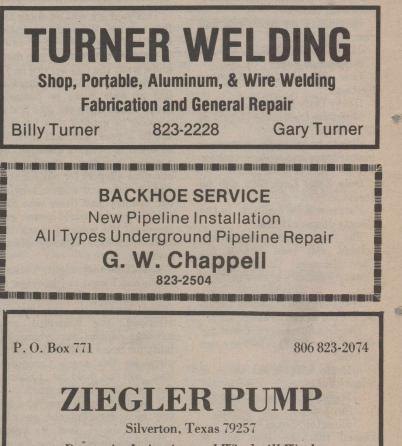
1/2 section of land, includes barns, pens, fence, windmill, 3 irrigation wells.

Located 6.3 miles east of intersection SH 86 and FM 256 on SH 86, then 4/10 mile north on dirt road to SW corner. Legal: North 1/2 of Section No. 2, Blcok B-1, Certificate No. 1/506 issued to BS&F, Briscoe County, Texas.

Owner: Troy Wayne Vaughan and Ruby Vaughan.

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