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Miss Anna Lee Anderson, who graduated with the Class of 1917, was the eldest former student in attendance at the Silverton School Homecoming program August 13. She was also the teacher with the longest tenure, 45 years, in the Silverton Schools.

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## Faculty, Assignments Are Complete For New Term

Faculty assignments have been made and all seems to be in readiness for the opening of the new school year on Thursday, September 1.

Teaching assignments include:

### Elementary School

Kindergarten, Mrs. Tina Nance  
First Grade, Mrs. Fern Parker, Mrs. Darrah McCammon  
Second Grade, Mrs. Bobbye Bean  
Third Grade, Mrs. Michele Crowell  
Fourth Grade, Mrs. Debbie Holt  
Fifth Grade, Mrs. Mike Settle, Mrs. Sue Miller

### Junior High School

Sixth, Mrs. Juannah Jennings

Seventh, Miss Jane Self  
Eighth, Duane Reynolds  
Special Education, Mrs. Patsy Fitzgerald, Mrs. Paula Garvin  
Chapter I, Mrs. Mary Ann Rauch  
Aide, Mrs. Ramona Martin

### High School

Agricultural Science, Ronnie Miller  
Boys Basketball and P.E., Dwight Rice  
Girls Basketball, Mrs. Annette Shely  
Business, Mrs. Sheryl Weaver  
English, Mrs. Annette Shely  
Football and Social Studies, Jack Shely  
Home Economics, Mrs. Patsy Towe  
Math, Richard Moore  
Science, Mike Long  
Spanish, Mrs. Laura Long  
Counselor, Mrs. Patsy Towe  
Librarian, Mrs. Shirley Reynolds, Miss Zobie Self  
School Nurse, Mrs. Margie Pinkerton  
Principal, Stan Fogerson  
Superintendent, David Cavitt  
Superintendent's Secretary, Mrs. Jealeta Baird  
Principal's Secretary, Mrs. Pam Nease  
**Auxiliary**  
Cafeteria, Rose Mary Perkins, Dora Bullock, Nora Cruz, Bena

Hester  
Janitorial, Santos Garcia, Maria Garcia, Mike Juarez, Lois Hill  
Bus Drivers, Duane Reynolds, Mary Martin, Mike Juarez

### Bell Schedules Given For School Days

Bell schedules for Silverton School days will be as follow:

Regular Day Bell Schedule:  
First bell, 8:21; first period, 8:25 - 9:15; second period, 9:20 - 10:10; third period, 10:15 - 11:05; fourth period, 11:10 - 12:00; lunch end, 12:35; fifth period, 12:40 - 1:30; sixth period, 1:35 - 2:25; seventh period, 2:30 - 3:20.

Short Period Day Bell Schedule: first bell, 8:21; first period, 8:25 - 9:00; second period, 9:04 - 9:39; third period, 9:43 - 10:18; fourth period, 10:22 - 10:57; fifth period, 11:01 - 11:36; sixth period, 11:40 - 12:15; lunch end, 12:50; seventh period, 12:55 - 1:30.

On Pep Rally days, the schedule will be: first bell, 8:21; first period, 8:24 - 9:12; second period, 9:15 - 10:05; third period, 10:08 - 10:58; fourth period, 11:01 - 11:51; lunch end, 12:21; fifth period, 12:24 - 1:14; sixth period, 1:17 - 2:07; seventh period, 2:10 - 3:00; dismissal bell, 3:20.

### All Around The Town

BY MARY ANN SARCHET



Since our grandsons, who have spent the summer with us, were going home Saturday, we took off last Thursday afternoon and took them to Canyon to the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum. They had a very good time there, and so did we. It had been several years since we had been there, and we could hardly believe the improvement that has been made.

Because the state's financing of the museum has been red-lined, it is important that everyone who can continue private support of this institution. It would be a terrible waste if it were not able to remain open and available to the public.

After spending between two and three hours at the museum, we drove out to Palo Duro Canyon where the boys enjoyed a ride on the Sad Monkey Railroad and hearing about the geological formations found along the railway.

We didn't have reservations for "Texas," but decided to put our name on the waiting list. We got wonderful tickets and the play was just fantastic. It had been several years since we had seen it, and we thought it was the best ever. Some new sound and light equipment has been added this year that adds a dimension of realism to everything.

"Texas" was begun with donations from the private sector and has steadily grown and improved to the point where it seems little more can be done. The equipment that was added this season was what the author, Paul Green, had in mind when he wrote the play, and it just puts a

### Game Night Will Be Held August 27

Briscoe County Activities Association will have a Game Night beginning at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, August 27, at the Show Barn in Silverton.

The public is welcome, and non-members are invited. Admission is \$5 per family, and refreshments will be served.

### Next Blood Drive Slated Here Soon

The next Silverton blood drive will be from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 13, at the City Hall.

Coffee Memorial Blood Center's bloodmobile will be here to take the blood donations.

### Computer Class Registration Is August 30

Registration for the Fall Computer Class will be held at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 30, in the Silverton School Library.

finishing touch on it.

I've never been to the drama when I felt I needed a wrap, and it was quite warm that night in spite of a few sprinkles of rain falling on us. There wasn't a breath of wind and this made a bit of a problem with the bugs that are drawn to the lights, but other than that it was a very pleasant evening.

Our grandson, Brandon, who is nine, loved every minute of "Texas." His brother, Jordan, who is six, was scared out of his wits by the thunder and lightning show and kept asking, "How did they make the lightning set that tree afire?"

The 1988 season ends Saturday night, so if you haven't been, you'd better go tonight.

### School Calendar Lists Holidays

The school calendar provides that teacher in-service days began Wednesday, August 24, and are to continue August 25-26 and 29. Teacher workdays are August 30-31.

The first six weeks begins September 1 and runs to October 7.

October 10 has been designated as Fall Break.

The second six weeks begins October 11 and will continue through November 18. The third six weeks begins November 21 and continues through January 13.

November 24-25 has been set aside as the Thanksgiving holiday.

December 22-23-26-27-28-29-30 has been designated as the Christmas holiday.

January 14 is a teacher workday.

The fourth six weeks begins January 16 and will continue through February 24. The fifth six weeks period begins February 27 and continues through April 14.

March 1-2-3 has been designated as Spring Break.

March 24-27 have been designated as Easter Break.

March 27 is the second Snow Day set aside in the school schedule.

The sixth six weeks will begin April 17 and continue through May 26.

May 5-8 are designated as May Break.

May 8 has been set aside as the first Snow Day.

May 27 is a teacher workday and commencement day.

### New Students To Enroll In Office

New students need to enroll in the Principal's office before going to their classrooms.



Honored Sunday for 70 years of faithful service to the First United Methodist Church in Silverton were Mrs. Mabel Welch and Bob Hill.

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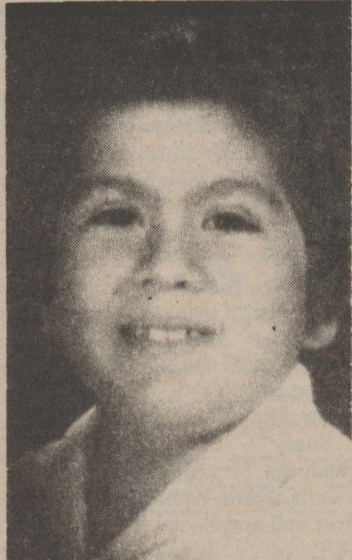
**OBITUARIES**

Eduardo Lucas Trevino, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eduardo and Mary Frances Trevino, died Monday, August 15, at McAllen Medical Center. He was eight years old.

Eduardo was preceded in death by his grandfather, Pedro Trevino, sr., in 1982.

He was to have entered the third grade at Kelly Elementary School in Pharr this fall.

Also surviving are a sister,



**Eduardo Lucas Trevino**  
Melissa Trevino; his paternal grandmother, Rosa Trevino; and



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Evening.....7:00 p.m.

his maternal grandparents, Francisco and Mercedes Martinez, all of Pharr.

Requiem mass was celebrated Wednesday, August 17, at St. Jude Catholic Church in Pharr, with burial following at Palm Valley Memorial Gardens.

Pallbearers were Pedro (Peter) Trevino III, Agustin Trevino, jr., Oscar Trevino, jr., Alberto Trevino, Steve Miller and Steve Martinez. These were his cousins, uncle and friend.

Eduardo was the nephew of Octavio and Esther Trevino of Silverton.

The family suggested memorials be donated to the Leukemia Society of America.

**4-H To Have Family Swim Party**

All 4-H members and their families and leaders are invited to a 4-H family swim party on Tuesday, August 30, from 8:00 until 10:00 p.m. at the Silverton Pool.

After swimming, all 4-H'ers will be divided into their clubs to meet with their leaders to elect officers for the coming year and set their club meeting dates.

Parents and leaders will meet at 8:30 p.m. to plan activities and set dates of events for the 1988-89 4-H club year.

Families may bring snack food of their choice—brownies, cookies, chips, dips, ice cream, cake or sandwiches. Drinks will be furnished.

The 4-H program is open to boys and girls in the third grade to 19 years of age regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, religion, handicap or national origin.

**NEW ARRIVALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson of Hollis, Oklahoma are the proud parents of a son, Chisum Joe, born August 13, 1988 at 8:45 p.m. at Childress, Texas. He weighed seven pounds and ten ounces, and was 21½ inches long.

He was greeted by a 2½-year-old sister, Shacy Lane.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson of Hollis, Oklahoma and Rev. and Mrs. Ron Ledbetter of Hinton, Oklahoma. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Oda Castleman, Hollis, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ledbetter, all of Silverton.

Dr. and Mrs. David Fuston of Childress announce the birth of a daughter at 7:50 a.m. August 1. She weighed six pounds, twelve and one-half ounces, measured 20 inches long and was named Molly Aeien.

She has a sister, Megan, and a brother, Matthew.

Grandparents are Mrs. Hazel Fuston of Turkey and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reid of Silverton. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Ted Reid of Canyon and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Twilla of Turkey.



People believe if you carry a potato with you, you will be healthy.

**Extension Service Plans Educational Meetings in County**

The Briscoe County Extension Service will be conducting two educational meetings over the Agricultural Hazard Communication Act, commonly referred to as the "Right-to-Know Act."

The first meeting will be held at 8:00 p.m. Thursday, August 25, at the Quitaque Community Center. The second meeting will be Monday, August 29, at 8:00 p.m. at the Show Barn in Silverton.

These meetings will be directed toward farm workers and how this law will effect them; however, farmers are encouraged to attend because the law is directed toward farm employers. The presentation will be available in Spanish and English, and a bilingual person will be present. Farmers are encouraged to attend and urge their employees to attend.

For more information, contact the County Extension Office in the courthouse basement or call 823-2131, Ext. 13.

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Since there was no candidate in either party primary, this office will be filled by write-in in the General Election. Only those who have filed as write-in candidates will be eligible for election.

**FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY:**  
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# Looking Back

through the files of the  
Briscoe County News

**August 24, 1978**—Sam Bomar Brown will be teaching voice and piano at West Texas State University beginning with the fall semester . . . Services held here for Miss Eunice Cox . . . Services today for Mrs. Mary Cross, 91 . . . Owls to scrimmage Jayton . . . George Reed is new president of Booster Club . . . Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ray McWilliams are parents of a son . . .

**August 22, 1968**—Glen Lindsey appointed as District Deputy of Region IV by the District 2T-1 Lion Governor Milton Laurie of Kress . . . A. H. Chappell buried here Friday . . . Loyd Bullock buried at Wayside Friday . . . Julia Camellia Cassada to receive bachelor of science degree in elementary education . . . Steve Jarnagin has been employed by the First State Bank . . . Methodist Church to have general cleanup . . . Lester Paige is managing the pool hall full time now . . . Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stafford and Jason are moving to Abilene, where he will be associated with a bank . . . Funeral services conducted for Jewell Robert (Bud) Minyard . . . Three arrested here following break-ins . . . Ruth Ann Minyard is bride of William Harold Hatchett . . . Mary Lynn Schott is bride of Roy Lee Neff . . . Mr. and Mrs. Dave Schott are parents of a daughter . . . Mr. and Mrs. Riley Harris are parents of a son . . . Descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. Riley Seay have reunion in Red River, New Mexico . . . Cecil Vaughan spent Saturday and Sunday nights with Mrs. Mabel Welch and left for his home in San Angelo Monday . . . Connie Theresa Collier is bride of Tony Mike Allison . . . L. B. Loudermilk of Newport, Rhode Island is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Loudermilk . . . Mrs. Doyle Stephens was in Lubbock for medical attention Tuesday . . . Mr. and Mrs. Wade Steele and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar returned Sunday from a 15-day tour of Alaska . . .

**August 28, 1958** — Services held in Tulia for Mrs. Wright May . . . J. S. Watson injured in accident at his home last week . . . Mr. and Mrs. Berle Fisch were hosts Sunday to a group of her relatives . . . Jasper family meets in Tulia for reunion . . . Teddy Gail Hancock of Plainview was a dinner guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee, Sunday . . . Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson was brought home from Northwest Texas Hospital on Friday of last week . . . Fitzgerald family reunion held at Lake Altus . . . Mr. and Mrs. Sid Richards were in Abilene Monday to visit his father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Richards . . . Earl Cantwell returned home Sunday night after having held a meeting at the Hurlwood Church of Christ last week . . .

**August 26, 1958**—The Smith-Brown cousins reunion met in Floydada over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith in attendance from Silverton . . . George Jones and son, Billy,

were in near serious car accident Saturday afternoon near Tulia . . . Roy Howard had the misfortune of breaking his leg Tuesday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Howard . . . City Cleaners moves to south side of square . . . \$30.00 cemetery donations received, more needed . . . Those enjoying a fishing trip to Buffalo Lake Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney, Mr. and Mrs. John McCain, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nance and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mercer . . . In a matched calf roping contest Friday night, Snooks Baird and J. W. Brannon, jr. of Silverton working as a team won top honors against Vinson Smith of Amarillo and Bob

Thompson of Tulia . . . Mr. and Mrs. Dee McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brown return from a week's vacation trip to the mountains of Colorado . . . William Ennis Autry, jr. and Jack Duane Paige enlist in Air Force . . .

**August 25, 1938**—The rural schools are getting underway, and according to W. Coffee, Rock Creek, Antelope, Gasoline, Haylake and Kent are already open . . . Mrs. Clyde Wright entertained for her daughter, Miss Elva Wright, with a garden party and dinner Saturday . . . Mrs. J. E. Minyard, who has been seriously ill, was taken to the Plainview Sanitarium Tuesday morning . . .

Bus drivers hired for the coming year by the Silverton School are Roy Brown, O. O. Toler, Monroe Lowrey and James Patton . . . Mr. and Mrs. George Kirk, Corky, Georgia and Doris motored to Lubbock Sunday . . . Mrs. Will Smithee and Mrs. Clyde Hancock spent Monday in Turkey with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green . . .



The pads on a fly's feet secrete a sticky substance that enable it to cling to almost any surface—even run upside down along a ceiling.

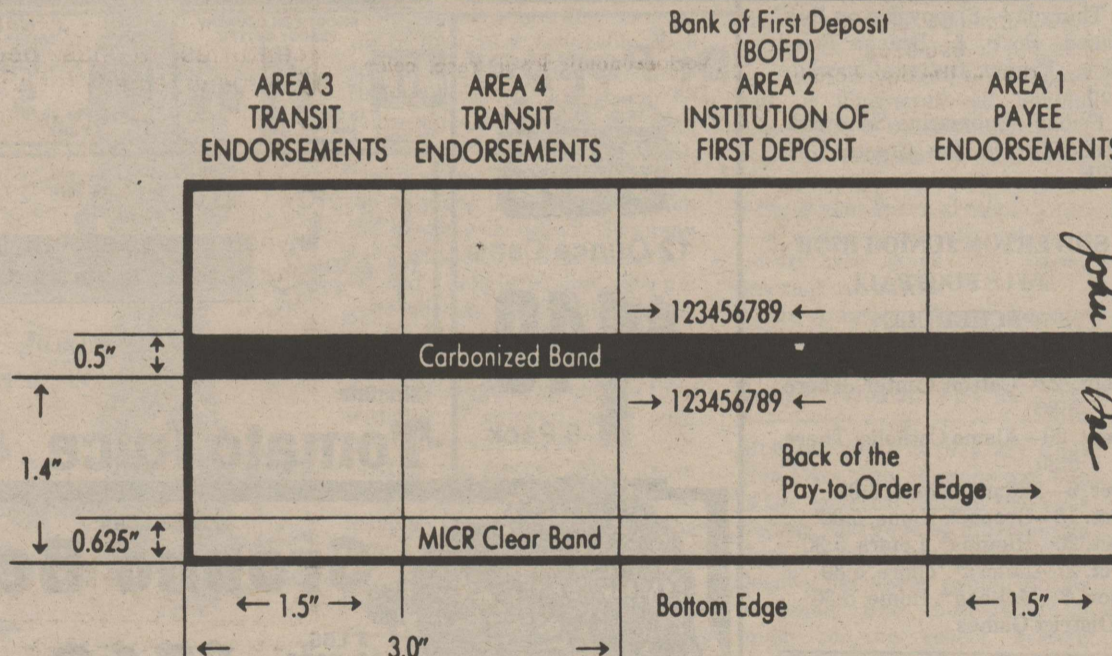


Historians believe that the folding fan was invented in Japan about A.D. 700. The inventor may have made the fan after noticing the way a bat folds its wings.

## EFFECTIVE SEPT. 1, 1988

### New Endorsement Standards

#### THIS IS THE BACK OF ANY CHECK



All Payee Endorsements MUST be contained in this area on the back of ALL checks.

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The Federal Reserve Board has adopted endorsement standards for all financial institutions effective September 1, 1988. This will enable these institutions to more readily identify the depository institution (the institution where the item is deposited by the customer) to which the returned check or notice must be sent.

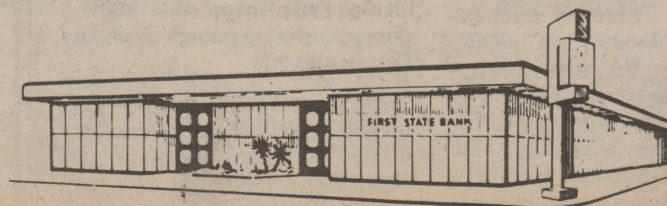
The area from the trailing edge of the check to 1.5 inches from the trailing edge is reserved for the depository institution's customer signature or endorsement stamp. (See illustration.) Does your endorsement stamp comply with these standards? The remainder of

the check is reserved for the endorsement of the depository institution and subsequent collecting financial institutions.

You should benefit from the faster return of checks if you protect the legibility of the depository institution's endorsement. Failure to follow these endorsement standards could result in your incurring a financial loss.

Should you have any questions, please contact your bank or financial institution.

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# Budget Hearing, Board Meeting Held At School

The Budget Hearing for Silverton Schools was held at 7:30 p.m. Monday evening, and the regular meeting took place at about 8:00 p.m.

During the regular meeting, the 1987-88 budget was amended, the 1988-89 budget was adopted and the board examined the delinquent tax record.

Other business included adoption of Update 32 for the School Board Policy Manual (these policies coincide with state mandated guidelines). San Jacinto land was sold to the second highest bidder since the highest bidder withdrew his bid and the board adopted a Mission Statement and District Plan for 1988-89.

### MISSION STATEMENT

Silverton believes all students can learn. It is the responsibility of the local school district to provide ample opportunity for that learning.

Silverton students are required to master the essential elements of the basic education required by the state. Silverton School exceeds state requirements by offering additional courses and educational opportunities.

An atmosphere is provided at Silverton School which encourages, enriches and enhances the student's learning environment. Silverton wants each student to realize his potential and be prepared for life after graduation.

### DISTRICT PLAN

The District Plan includes goals which can be met on a continued basis. Keeping these goals in perspective will insure the provision of student needs and offer opportunity for continued growth. The intent of the District Plan is to give the educators and planners on the campus level some idea of what may be needed for the district as a whole.

Goals are listed in the District Plan and each Campus Plan (Elementary and Secondary) will address specific needs and objectives as well as determine a plan of action and expected results.

Goal I: All students are expected to meet or exceed education-

al performance standards established by the state.

Goal II: Implement a curriculum which meets the needs of all students.

Goal III: Provide a learning atmosphere that is positive, productive, promotes high self-esteem and helps each student realize his potential.

Goal IV: Use qualified, effective teachers to guide all instructional programs.

Goal V: Continue to enhance and upgrade facilities, materials and equipment so the school may always provide the best possible learning climate.

### SCHOOL TERM

School will start September 1. School hours will be different this year due to the State reducing high school class periods from 55 minutes to 50 minutes. School will begin at 8:30 a.m. and dismiss at 3:20 p.m. Tutorials will be offered between 8:00 and 8:20 a.m. and 3:25 and 3:45 p.m., depending on the teacher.

Come by or call if you have a question or concern. You are always welcome at the Silverton Schools.

## Silverton School Lunchroom Menu

September 1-2

Thursday—Sloppy Joe on Bun, Baked Pork & Beans, Fried Okra, Peanut Butter Chocolate Cup, Milk

Friday—Submarine Sandwich, French Fries, Ice Cream Cup, Milk

### SILVERTON JUNIOR HIGH OWLS FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

- Sept. 15—Lazbuddie, Home, 5:30
  - Sept. 22—Cotton Center, There, 5:30
  - Sept. 29—Alamo Catholic, There, 5:30
  - Oct. 6—Miami\*, Home, 5:30
  - Oct. 13—Groom\*, Home, 5:30
  - Oct. 20—Higgins\*, Lefors, 5:30
  - Oct. 27—Lefors\*, There, 5:30
  - Nov. 3—McLean\*, Home, 5:30
- \*District Games

# PTA UPDATE

Children will be going back to class again soon, and as they begin another new school year, it is a good time to think about what you can do to help make 1988-89 a great school year. PTA can be your answer!

This year's theme is "PTA—Partners Taking Action!" and we believe that every member of our community (parents, grandparents, teachers, business people, senior citizens) has something valuable to contribute to this partnership. There is such a diversity of interests and talents in Silverton, and what better way to express and use them than working together with the school for the education and well-being of children! Membership in PTA doesn't require a lot of money—dues are still just \$2 a

year; it doesn't require a lot of time—you can do as much or as little as you feel comfortable with; and it doesn't require that you have children or grandchildren in school—if you care about kids, you have a place in PTA.

We want to encourage school students to take an active part in enlisting PTA members again this year, and we will be giving free passes to home football and basketball games to the class or classes who have the highest percentage of members to join by October 10.

Partners Taking Action—sign-up will be held at the elementary school building Thursday morning, September 1, or you may contact Donna Francis at 847-2581 to join.

# Booster Club Elects New Officers At Annual Hamburger Cookout

The Silverton Booster Club met Tuesday, August 16, at the football field for the annual hamburger cookout and election of officers. Approximately 100 people attended.

Officers elected were Dwight Ramsey, president; Dana Martin, vice president; Pat Edwards, secretary-treasurer.

Several items were discussed and several committees were appointed.

The dues will remain the same as last year. They are \$5.00 for an individual or \$10.00 per family. You can pay them to any club member or to Pat Edwards.

The new Silverton Owl caps are in and are for sale for \$5.00 at the concession stand. The Top O' Texas football magazine is also available there.

The Concession Committee is Perry and Marsha Brunson, Dwain and Shirley Henderson,

Gary and Cathey Weeks, Dana and Dorothy Martin.

The Yard Sign Committee is made up of Peggy Rowell and Dorothy Martin.

The Bus Decorating Committee is Mary Lane Younger, Tina Nance and Latresa Minyard.

The Business Poster Committee is Wayne Nance, Cathey Weeks and Peggy Rowell. Pictures of the football players will be made and placed in the business windows.

The Booster Club will meet every Monday night at 8:00 o'clock until the time changes. Next Monday night the group will meet at the football field. Everyone is invited to attend the meetings and to join the Booster Club.

People believe if a spider crawls towards you, you will have a quarrel.

## SILVERTON OWLS VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

- Aug. 26—Whitharral scrimmage
  - Sept. 2—Amherst, There, 7:30
  - Sept. 9—Bovina, Home, 7:30
  - Sept. 16—Lazbuddie, Away, 7:30
  - Sept. 23—Guthrie, Here, 7:30
  - Sept. 30—Open
  - Oct. 7—Miami\*, Away, 7:30
  - Oct. 14—Groom\*, Away, 7:30
  - Oct. 21—Higgins\*, Here, 7:30
  - Oct. 28—Lefors\*, Here, 7:30
  - Nov. 4—McLean\*, Away, 7:30
- \*Denotes District Games



The first receivers of telephone calls cried out "Aho-ahoy" rather than the later greeting of "hello."

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All those with fifty years or more of service to the First United Methodist Church in Silverton were honored at the Sunday morning worship service and afterward at a fellowship luncheon. They are (left to right) Mrs. Agnes Seaney, 58 years; Mrs. Mabel Welch, 70 years; Bob Hill, 70 years; Mrs. Frances Crass, 51 years; Mrs. Willie Hill, 57 years, and George Martin, 51 years. Vance Childress also was honored for 50 years of service, but left before the pictures were made.

## Comings And Goings

Norman and Evelyn Emfinger of Littlefield were recent visitors in the J. D. Nance home.

Vance Childress became ill on the job Thursday morning of last week, and was transported to Lockney General Hospital by the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service. He has asked that his appreciation be expressed to the ambulance service volunteers who took care of him.

Michael and Christopher Lahoud of Fort Worth are visiting their great-grandparents, J. D. and Lois Nance.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wood of Dell City came for their class reunion during the Silverton School Homecoming. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nance, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Self, and other relatives and friends before returning to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Griffin spent a recent week at Eagle

Nest Lake in New Mexico, and enjoyed fishing and sight-seeing.

Taylor Griffin recently took her parents, Mikel D. and Liz Griffin, and sister to AstroWorld, using the tickets she won in a recent Briscoe County News/AstroWorld coloring contest.

Bertha Mae Allard and Carrie Dickerson visited Bertha Rhoderick at the Westridge Home in Plainview on Thursday of last week.

James Patton underwent surgery Tuesday morning at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview for repair of a broken hip.

Visiting in the homes of Marie Boling, Bill, Della and Brenda Boling and Rick, Beverly, Ryan and Eric Minyard during the Briscoe County Celebration were Ora Isbell and Shellie Schultz of Albuquerque, New Mexico, Charlie and Eunice Townley, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Bob and Lona Isbell, Fort Collins, Colorado, and Victor, Debbie, Jeff, Misti and Dusti Weak of Lubbock.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Estes

## Mr. and Mrs. Estes to be Honored at Family Event

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## Descendants of Pioneer Family Meet For Reunion

Ninety-six years ago, in the spring of 1892, John L. and Minnie Francis and their son, Louis Williams Francis, came to this country in a covered wagon to settle and begin a new life. Mrs. J. W. Francis, mother of John L., also accompanied them. Later, five more children were born to these pioneers, including Odie Pearl, Hollie Frank, John Lee, Minnie May and Zoe Annie. John L. was a strong, stern and courageous man. His wife, Minnie, was a quiet, loving and caring lady. This couple left a great heritage to their children, especially a strong belief in God as the Creator, a great and wonderful legacy, a belief that the majority of the family continues to believe and trust in. These were excerpts taken from a welcoming speech given by John T. Francis as he and his wife, Maebelle, hosted a reunion and yard party Saturday, August 20.

Family members began to arrive about 2:00 p.m. to enjoy the fellowship while luxuriating in the cool shade of the trees. The evening was spent reminiscing, playing horseshoes, jar lid toss, basketball, four-square ball, croquet and going down the monorail. A talent show, featuring a member of almost every family, was the highlight of the afternoon. Page House and Kerri West, aged 10, started the show by singing the National Anthem. They did a beautiful job. Participants ranged from three to 86 years in age. Solos were sung by Corye Gill, Samantha Francis, Cara House, Matthew Francis, Angela Johnson, Lori House and Maebelle Francis. A quartet made up of Wade Steele, Gary House, James Johnson and Jo Bidwell was also featured. Recitations of poems were given by Tamara West and Kerri West. Mistie Mattheus had planned to recite "Humpty Dumpty," but like Humpty Dumpty she fell off the wall before she was able to do so, but unlike Humpty Dumpty, her grandmother was able to "put her together" again. John T. Francis accompanied all on his keyboard. Jared and Nathan Francis played piano solos.

A six o'clock supper was enjoyed by all after a great-grandson, Barry Francis, had offered thanks for the food and

Estes, sr. were born June 9, 1908 and July 13, 1908, respectively. They were married December 11, 1929, in Marietta, Oklahoma, and lived several years in Grayson County, Texas, before moving to the Lemons Ranch southeast of Silverton in December 1942. They have lived in Briscoe County for over 45 years.

The couple have four children, nine grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. Hosts and hostesses will be the couple's children and their spouses, Melba and Carl Cafferty, Horatio, Arkansas; Valda and Bill Ferguson, DeQueen, Arkansas; Doris and Lynn McDonald, Leland, Mississippi, and Dewey and Jimmie Sue Estes, Silverton.

Friends of the couple are invited to come by the cafeteria for a visit from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m. The couple requests that no gifts be brought.

asked God's continued blessings on the family.

Following supper, the group was entertained by a country music band consisting of John, Bennie Brown, Cliff and Joy Stodghill, O. B. Barnes and Jack Thompson. The band did a lovely job of "pickin' and grinnin'" in spite of the birds. One player said "he thought the birds must want to buy the deck they were playing on, because they put plenty of 'deposits' down on it."

During the band's performance, the group was surprised with a "hat show." Wilma Gill was the moderator while wearing a black stovepipe hat once worn by Louis Francis. Those modeling the hats that included headgear from the World War II and earlier, and into the '50's, were Angela and Lesa Johnson, Becky and Samantha Francis, Lori, Page and Cara House, Barbara and Kerri West, Tamara West, Mary Jane and Alesha Patton, Ann West, Donna and Aimee Francis, Glenda, Michelle and Maebelle Francis and Derinda Patton.

Before the evening came to an end, several were recognized, Wade Steele being the eldest, and the youngest being Jacob Francis, Danny and Tamara West had traveled the farthest.

There were more descendants of Louis W. Francis than any other with a total of 47. Those being Kathleen Francis, wife of the late Hollie Frank; Charles and Alpha Francis and granddaughter, Kim Cecil; Ruth Francis West and her family, Larry, Barbara and Kerri West, J. E., Mary Jane, Alesha and James Alan Patton, Mark, Derinda and Thor Patton, Ann, Brad and Brian West; Snooks and Margaret Francis Frizzell; descendants of the late Irvin and Peggy Francis were Danny, Donna, Aimee and Matthew Francis; Alvie and Glenda Francis, Barry, Michelle, Jared, Nathan, Andrew, Caleb and Jacob; John and Maebelle Francis, Gary, Lori, Page, Leah and Cara House and James, Lesa, Jonathan and Angela Johnson.

There were 13 descendants of the late John Lee Francis, which included his widow, Fannie; John and Wilma Gill, Brett, Judy and Corye Gill, Cecil and Winona Franks, Ima Nell, widow of the late Garland Francis, and Jace, Becky, Samantha and Wesley Francis.

The seven members representing the Zoe Francis family included she and her husband, Wade Steele, Louie and Ruby Kitchens, Polly Jarrett, Jo Jarrett Bidwell and Joshua.

Representing the late Odie Francis Lovvern family was their one daughter, Eunice Loftiss.

Visitors who stopped by to sit a spell and visit with the family were Jeff Steele, Misti Mattheus, Raymond and LaJuana McJimmsey, Lanita Cantwell, Cally and Cameron Burk.

Including the bandmembers already mentioned, there were eighty in attendance. Ten o'clock brought an end to a lovely day, and the beginning of hopes that the family will meet again in the near future.

### LINES FROM Y N D A

Lynda Fogerson  
Briscoe County Extension Agent  
**SUCCESS IN SCHOOL**

As school bells start to ring, most parents and children look to the beginning of a new school year with anticipation and hope that this will be a successful year for the child.

What factors make for a child's success in school? Educators tell us that a child's ability to read is a key factor to success as a student and in adult life. If your child does not like to read or has difficulty with reading, try to help him/her develop an appreciation for reading by setting an example—let your child see you read for information and enjoyment.

A pediatric psychologist says that children who excel in school have parents who spent substantial amounts of time playing with their children during their preschool years. She found that the amount and quality of time parents spend with their children has greater bearing on the children's mental development than the amount of time spent playing with other children.

Parents must also have realistic expectations for their child's achievement in school. Don't expect more than your child is capable of doing, but always challenge him to do his/her best and to attempt a little more than they might think possible. Expecting too little of your child can be just as damaging as expecting too much.

Help your child develop a positive self-concept. When he achieves, let him know you are proud. Success breeds success.

When a child feels a sense of satisfaction from doing well and knows the parent is proud of him, he will feel more confident and will not have to seek the attention of the teacher in a disruptive manner.

School is so important to children, and they spend such a great portion of their formative years in school, that it should provide a beneficial experience for them. Because I have always liked going to school, and still enjoy it, it disappoints me to see children who do not enjoy their school years.

We, as parents, have a great challenge and opportunity to help our children get the most from their school experience in order for them to be well prepared, both intellectually and socially, for their role in the adult world. Children respond positively to encouragement. I encourage each parent to begin this new school year with enthusiasm and excitement for the school experience. Your children will benefit from your positive attitude.



During the Middle Ages, the year began at various dates in different times and places. In England it was not until 1751 that January was restored to its place as first month, as it had been during the Roman era.

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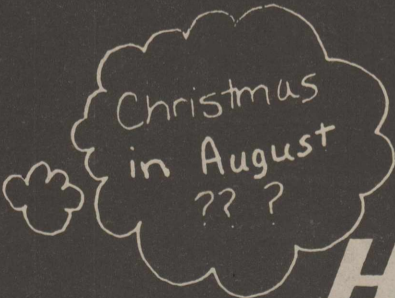
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With proper bugle call and drum rolls, the 4th U. S. Cavalry, Memorial, rode into camp at the Mackenzie Battleground on the Ray Adams Ranch Saturday morning. It was a pleasant morning with just a slight breeze ruffling the tops of the enormous cottonwood trees.

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## Memorial Cavalry Bivouacs at Old Mackenzie Battleground

The Lubbock-based 4th U. S. Cavalry Regiment, Memorial, returned to the Mackenzie Battleground over the weekend to re-enact the lives of the horse soldiers during the 1870s. Troopers, many of whom have had military experience, demonstrated their swordsmanship and shooting skills from horseback, fired a little light artillery and displayed their uniforms and camp equipment.

Members of the group, which includes several teachers, began their hobby as a way to show the real history of the period because the version seen in movies and television was far from realistic, said Major Larry Goldston, a Lubbock stockbroker who commanded the unit on Saturday.

The re-enactment brought declarations of admiration for the horse soldiers, who were expected to ride for many hours without food or rest, fight a battle and ride again to safety.

"It makes you wonder how they did it," Goldston said.

Troopers, averaging 140 pounds each, wore heavy wool military jackets, wool trousers and socks, cotton longjohns and muleskin boots, said Corporal Dennis Cogan, a psychology professor at Texas Tech University. They carried about 25 pounds of weaponry and ammunition around their waists, and with the rider, his weapons and equipment, each horse carried approximately 250 pounds. This included a cloth sack in which 15 pounds of grain, considered enough to supplement the horse's food for three days, was carried.

A description of the troopers' uniforms was given and it was explained that the wider stripe down the leg of his pants denoted his higher rank. Gold stripes signified the cavalry, red stripes were for members of the artillery and green stripes were for the

members of the medical corps, and three of the memorial regiment members are doctors.

It was noted that Col. Ranald S. Mackenzie's men were accompanied by a very good surgeon who kept the mortality rate of the troops very low.

Col. Mackenzie was described as a man who never forced his troops to wear their heavy wool jackets away from the garrison, and while on campaign he allowed them to dress in just their longjohn shirts and wool pants. The troopers were said to have lived in their longjohns for five or six weeks at a time without changing, and "it was no wonder that the Indians could smell them coming," Goldston said.

Mackenzie's men usually didn't

wear their sabers, because the Indians hated the "longknives" and usually kept their distance from them.

The 4th Cavalry's biggest triumph, Goldston said, may have been ending the Indian threat on the High Plains with very little bloodshed—except for most of the Indians' horses which were slaughtered in the Mackenzie Battleground area.

Several hundred Indians had left government reservations and had taken up residence in Palo Duro Canyon when Col. Mackenzie led about 300 troopers after them late in 1874. The Indians were considered a threat to settlement, and Mackenzie was to get them back to the reservation.

Palo Duro Canyon made a perfect hiding place for the renegade Kiowa, Comanche, Southern Cheyenne and Arapho Indians, Goldston said. After each raid of a farm or settlement, they would disappear back into the canyons. The 4th Cavalry's first hurdle was to find them; no white man ever had.

But when braves attacked a sentry post at Mackenzie's camp near the canyon one evening, the regiment got its chance. Soldiers gave chase, only to lose the Indians in the darkness. But troopers continued their pursuit in the general direction of escape, and eventually came upon bluffs overlooking a large Indian camp.

Those troopers led the main body of Mackenzie's force back to the canyon rim, where they eventually found a trail leading to the floor about a mile from the Indian camp. The soldiers descended, leading their horses down single file, as the Indians below scurried to escape with what they could.

By the time Mackenzie's men could gather for battle on the canyon floor, probably after 2:00 a.m., only women and children remained in camp. The braves had fled to fight another day. Mackenzie's men swept past the camp in pursuit of the braves and killed five or six of them in a running battle, Goldston said.

Returning to the camp, troop-

ers found the Indian lodges and most of their possessions in disarray from the hasty retreat. Soldiers burned the lodges, and gathered a large herd of horses, possibly as many as 1,800, to take back to their own camp in Tule Canyon several miles to the south.

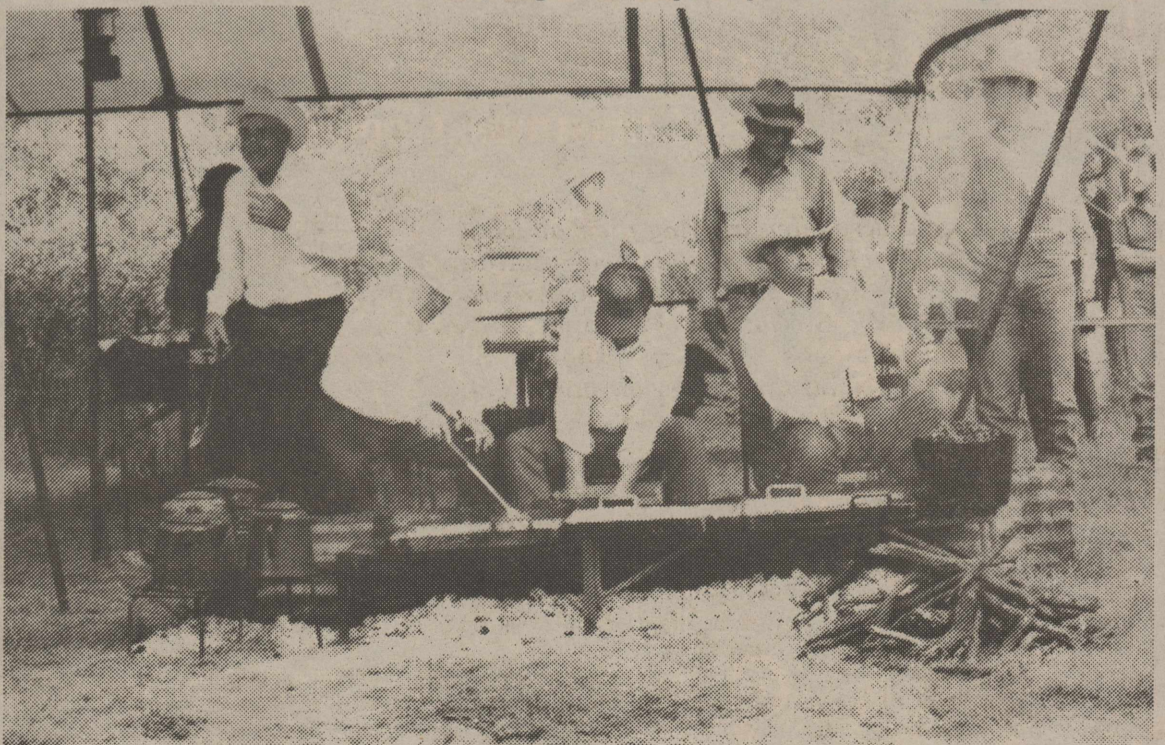
Indians rarely attacked the more heavily armed soldiers, Goldston said, but Mackenzie knew the braves would be back for their horses. He reasoned that the only way to protect his men from raids and put the Indians out of business would be to destroy their mounts.

A troop of about 80 men spent the entire next day killing approximately 1,600 horses near Mackenzie's camp in Tule Canyon. About 100 of the best had been given to the regiment's Indian scouts and another 100 of the best horses were given to the government. The legend of the horses having been stampeded over the cliffs to their death was dispelled by Goldston who said that he had not gleaned that fact from any of the stories he had read which were written by men who actually witnessed the event. It is known that the troopers probably didn't have enough ammunition to spare to shoot that many horses, and it is felt that many probably had their throats cut.

Ray Adams, who leases the ranch on which the battleground is located, said he, too, doubted that the horses could have been stampeded over the cliffs to their death. He said the first horses to arrive at the cliff would stop, halting the stampede. Of course, a few might accidentally go over the cliff, but basing his opinion on the natural behavior of horses, he said he didn't think many could be killed in this fashion.

The slaughter sent the Indians back to the reservation, opening the region to white settlers. Only eight Indians were killed and one injured. Mackenzie's troop suffered only one injury, to its bugler, who was "gut-shot" but recovered through the efforts of

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A chuckwagon breakfast was served to members of the 4th U. S. Cavalry, Memorial, and guests at the Ray Adams Ranch Saturday morning. The meal was prepared by (left to right) Roy Vaughn, Sheriff John Gayler, Henry Roach, who operates a restaurant in Tulia, and Joe Adams, Standing behind Joe is Ewell Mote, who was the ticket-taker for the breakfast. A large number of people attended from Tulia, Kress, Silverton, Pampa, Plainview, Amarillo and other Panhandle cities.

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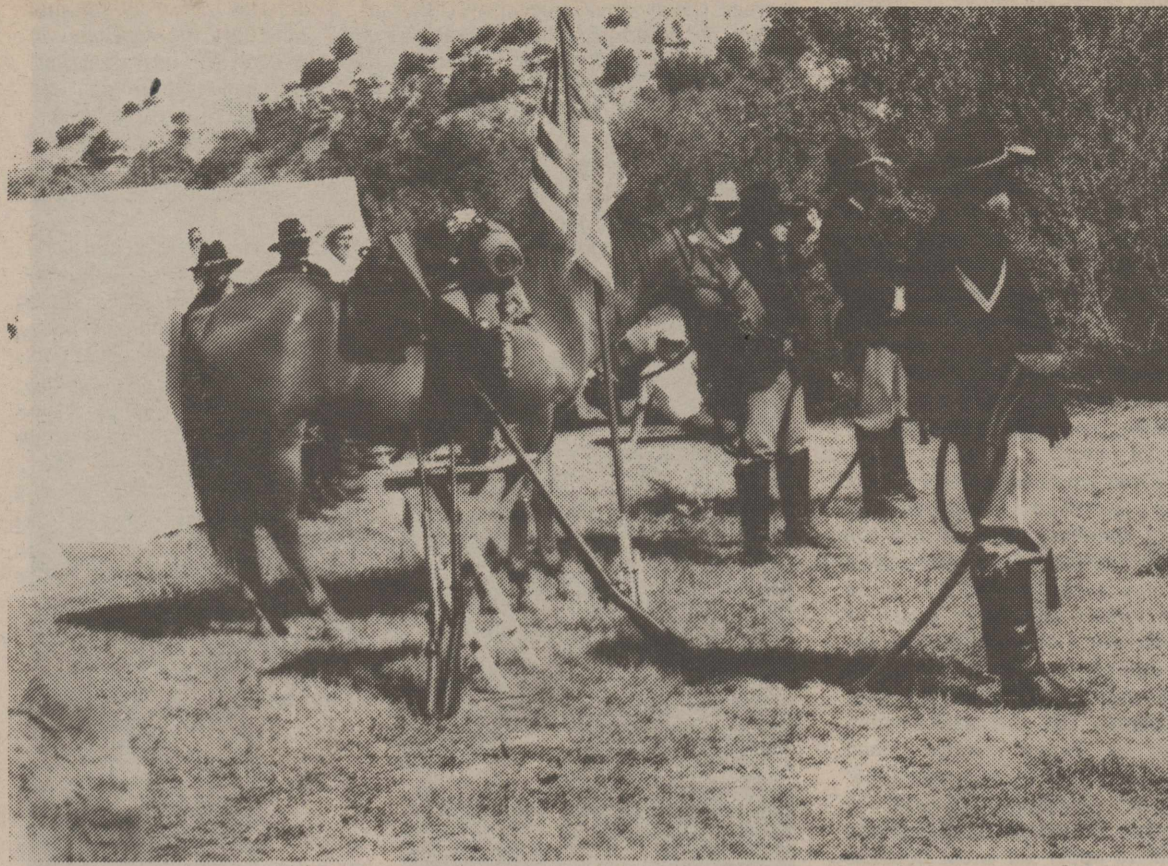
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Members of the 4th U. S. Cavalry, Memorial, described their uniforms, weapons and equipment carried on their persons and horses at their bivouac at the Mackenzie Battleground Saturday morning. In the background are the troopers' "cabins" and in the foreground are some of their rifles and the swallowtail flag with 34 stars, representing the 34 states in the Union in 1874.

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They didn't get cold very often wearing their all-wool uniform jackets, socks and pants over cotton longjohns with their hats, boots and gloves. Two members of the 4th U. S. Cavalry, Memorial, also related how hard it was for Col. Ranald S. Mackenzie's men to reload their guns on horseback wearing the gloves.

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the regiment's surgeon and due to the fact that he had not eaten in 30 hours. One other soldier had died of illness before the battle.

Mackenzie, himself, had been wounded in the battle of Blanco Canyon earlier in the campaign.

That was the extent of cavalry casualties in the campaign, earning Mackenzie high praise from his superiors as an effective campaigner. His move to wipe out a herd of horses had spared human lives and forced the Indians back to the reservation, Goldston said.

Col. Mackenzie and his men were later dispatched elsewhere to quell Indian uprisings, and they were responsible for finishing the job Custer couldn't do, as well as getting Indians back to their reservations in two or three other states.

Wives and children of the memorial troopers accompany them on their bivouacs, and these "dependents" were appropriately dressed in clothes of the 1870s. The campsite was very neat, with drinking water dispensed from wooden barrels outside the "cabin" tents that housed two troopers each. The swallowtail flag with 34 stars, representing the 34 states in the Union at that

**LETTER TO THE EDITOR**

Dear Sir or Madam:

I noticed the red circle around my name again and I believe that means "it's pay-up time."

I returned yesterday (August 15) from a most enjoyable time and visit to the Silverton School Homecoming. It has been 64 years since I received my high school certificate (Class of 1924). There were 17 in our class. I was the only one that stood up when that year was called. So many have passed on to their reward.

I had a delightful time with my good friends, Bertha Mae (Stevenson) Allard and her sister, Jet Hardcastle, as Bertha Mae asked me months ago to spend the time with her. I enjoyed being with Iris Burson and Iris M. Fox.

After my mother (Mrs. Jesse Burson) passed away at age 28 leaving three children—I was nine, two brothers, Monroe, age six, and Floyd, age three—we lived with the Jno. Burson family

time, was posted in the camp. A wooden bowl filled with home-grown apples further added to the color of the scene.

Members of the memorial regiment and their families are expected to research the characters they represent and are expected to be able to answer any questions visitors to their camp might ask. The memorial regiment was organized three years ago.

Breakfast was served the memorial regiment and guests at the ranch chuckwagon, and it consisted of scrambled eggs, sausage, bacon, gravy, biscuits cooked in dutch ovens, coffee, jellies and hot sauces. Everything was cooked over mesquite coals which were taken by shovelfuls from an open pit.

Goldston said the memorial cavalry is a non-profit organization that is available for parades and activities, and more information can be secured by writing him at Box 64394, Lubbock, TX 79464, or calling (806) 792-3390.

**Future Of Underground Water To Be Discussed**

The future of Briscoe County's underground water will be discussed in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank in Silverton beginning at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, August 25. State Representative Foster Whaley will be here for the meeting.

This will be a discussion meeting for the purpose of organizing an underground water district for Briscoe County. Laws pertaining to the future of

ground water use and control will be discussed.

A video will be shown by Foster Whaley of a debate on the floor of the House in regard to water districts.

Important decisions will have to be made that day. It is very important that all Briscoe County residents be present at this meeting, as the future of the underground water is at stake.

**Breast Cancer Detection Unit Available to Women**

The Breast Cancer Detection Unit from Women's and Children's Hospital in Odessa will be in Silverton Monday, August 29, under the sponsorship of the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service. You may call 823-2318 this week for an appointment.

According to the American Cancer Society, one out of ten women in the United States will develop breast cancer sometime in her lifetime. It is currently estimated that over 37,000 women die each year as the result of breast cancer.

Ninety percent of breast cancers are diagnosed by women or their physicians finding a lump in the breast. Women who are diagnosed with a lump large enough to feel have a 50 percent five-year survival rate. A woman who is diagnosed as having breast cancer by mammography, before a lump can be felt, has a 97% five-year survival rate and a 90% 10-year survival rate.

A mammogram can detect a cancer this small even before it can be felt.

The American Cancer Society has established guidelines for mammography in asymptomatic women. (Women who have no

after her death in 1915. My Aunt Una (Mrs. Jno. Burson) was one of the sweetest women I've ever known. She gave so much of her time and talent to the community despite her never ending duties at home. She contributed so much to the school system especially.

I'm so glad I had the opportunity of growing up in a small town with a good school and wonderful, caring people.

I always enjoy getting the Briscoe County News and keeping in touch. I've especially enjoyed the "Looking Back" column.

Sincerely,  
Bonnie Burson Brooks

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- Mon., Sept. 5—Holiday
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- Fri., Sept. 9—Pauline Benefield
- Mon., Sept. 12—Ruby McWaters
- Thu., Sept. 15—Daphne Ferne McGavock
- Fri., Sept. 16—Luncheon
- Mon., Sept. 19—Pauline Chitty
- Thu., Sept. 22—Grace Vaughan
- Fri., Sept. 23—Lucy McDaniel
- Mon., Sept. 26—Myrt Edwards
- Thu., Sept. 29—Iris Burson
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symptoms of disease). Those guidelines have been adopted by the American Academy of Family Physicians, American College of Obstetricians and The American College of Radiology. Those guidelines are:

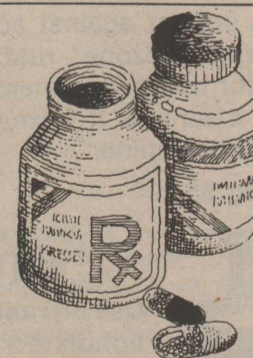
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5	25,179	2,099	485
6	28,805	2,401	554
7	32,431	2,703	624
8	36,057	3,005	694
Each Additional Family Member	\$3 3,626	\$ 303	\$ 70

## Information Given On Free, Reduced-Price School Lunches

The Silvertown Public School serves nutritious meals every school day. Students may buy lunch for 75c and breakfast for 35c. Children from households that meet Federal Income guidelines are eligible for free meals or reduced-price meals at 40c for lunch and 30c for breakfast. To apply for free or reduced-price meals, complete an application, sign it and return it to the school.

Students are allowed ten days on last year's application, but after that a new application must be on file.

If you currently receive Food Stamps or "Aid to Families with Dependent Children" for your child, you only have to list your child's name and food stamp or

AFDC case number, print your name, and sign the application. Since you have already given income information to the welfare office, the school can confirm your eligibility.

If your household income is at or below the level shown on the scale, your child is eligible for either free or reduced-price meals. To apply for meal benefits, you must provide the following information and sign the application: (1) list the names of everyone who lives in your household. Include parents, grandparents, all children, other relatives and unrelated people who live in your household. (2) List the social security number of each adult age 21 or older. If an

adult does not have a social security number, print "None". (3) List total monthly income and amount of income (BEFORE deductions for taxes, social security, etc.) each person received LAST month and where it is from, such as wages, retirement, or welfare. If you have a household member for whom last month's income was higher or lower than usual, list the person's expected average monthly income.

The information on the application may be checked by school officials at any time during the school year.

If you list income information and your child is approved for meal benefits, you must tell the school when your household income increases by \$50 or more per month (\$600 per year) or when your household size decreases. If you list a food stamp case number or AFDC number, you must tell the school when you no longer receive food stamps or AFDC for your child.

Your foster child may be eligible for meal benefits. If you wish to apply for meal benefits for a foster child, contact the school for help with the application.

Children who receive free or reduced-price meal benefits are treated the same as children who pay for meals. In the operation of child feeding programs, no child will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, national origin, age or handicap. If you believe you have been discriminated against, write immediately to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. 20250.

If you do not agree with the school's decision on your application or the result of verification, you may wish to discuss it with the school. You also have the right to a fair hearing. This can be done by calling or writing Stan Fogerson, Principal, Box 608, Silvertown, TX 79257, 806-823-2476.

The information you provide will be treated confidentially and will be used only for eligibility determination and verification of date.

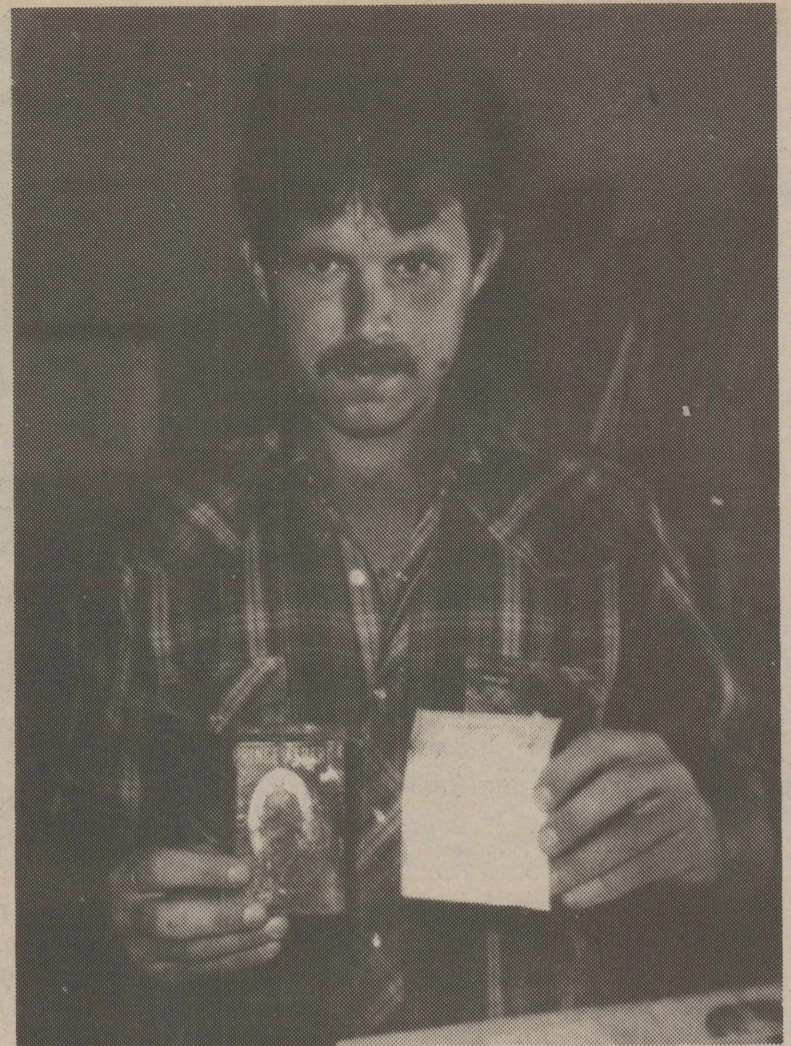
You may apply for benefits any time during the school year. If you are not eligible now but need to apply later in the year, please fill out an application at that time.

You will be notified when the application is approved or denied.

## Comings And Goings

Glen, Annis, DeDe and Glenda McWaters of Lamesa spent a few hours Sunday visiting with his parents, Joe and Ruby McWaters. They were on their way home after visiting with her mother, Fay Dudley, in Quitaque. They had attended the funeral of Fay's brother in Amarillo Friday.

Covey and Polly (Buchanan) Nash of Donie, Texas spent the weekend with Joe and Ruby McWaters. They also visited Virgil and Eudean Crow's flower garden, pulled onions and enjoyed the school homecoming and rodeo. They reported a very good time.



James Dunn has been tearing down the old Dennis house, located in the southwest part of town, for lumber and has found several interesting items. In a Prince Albert tobacco can, he found a note that read: "This column was put up by Perry Thomas June 29, 1928." An addition to the note read: "This column was replaced after tornado damage of May 15, 1957 by donated labor from Local Union #665 on May 25, 1957. Joe E. Hamilton, 222 N. Carolina, Amarillo, Texas." In a jar buried in concrete, Dunn found another note, and he also has found film that was apparently a photograph of the house when it was new. This is the old Thomas home place, and Perry Thomas, jr. was born there. Don Thomas was born in the same room of the house as his father.

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

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

August 28—Rhonda McGinn, Karen Turner, Gina Banister

August 29—Lorene Crass, Dusti Weeks

August 30—Erma Reyna, Doug Bradford, L. D. Griffin,

Amy Turner  
August 31—Sheila Reid, Monroe Hill

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO ...

August 25—Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grantham

August 26—Mr. and Mrs. Randall Eddleman

August 29—Mr. and Mrs. Mikel Griffin

August 30—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kitchens, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Rampley

August 31—Mr. and Mrs. Carol Davis

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Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 5:00 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.

**SILVERTON CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Ted Kingery, Minister

**SUNDAY:**  
Sunday School ..... 9:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Jim Browning, Pastor

**SUNDAY:**  
Library Opens ..... 9:15 a.m.  
Bible Study/S.S. .... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
**SECOND & FOURTH TUESDAYS:**  
Baptist Women ..... 9:30 a.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
Bible Study/Prayer ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Acteens, G.A.s, Mission  
Friends, R.A.s ..... 7:00 p.m.  
**SECOND SATURDAYS:**  
Baptist Men ..... 7:00 a.m.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Duane Knowlton, Pastor

**SUNDAY:**  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m.  
**TUESDAY:**  
United Meth. Women.... 9:30 a.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
Choir Practice ..... 6:00 p.m.

**NEW FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST MISSION**

**SUNDAY:**  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
Choir Rehearsal ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Prayer Service ..... 8:00 p.m.

**OUR LADY OF LORETO CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**SUNDAY:**  
Mass ..... 12:30 p.m.  
**TUESDAY:**  
Escuela ..... 8:00 p.m.  
Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
Elementary Doctrina  
Class ..... 4:30 - 5:45 p.m.  
**THURSDAY:**  
Mass or Communion ... 8:00 p.m.  
Ultreya ..... After Mass

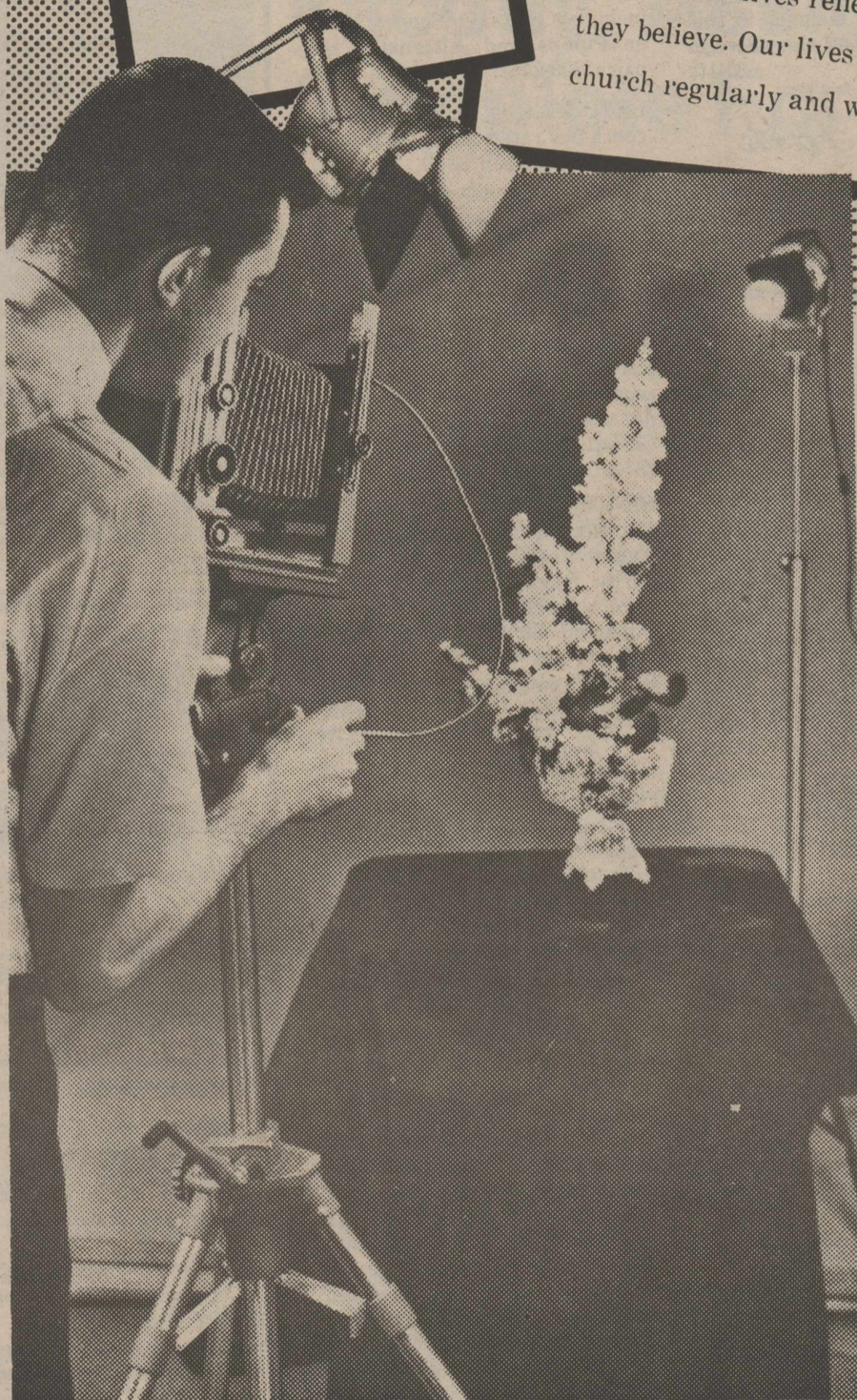
**ROCK CREEK CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**SUNDAY:**  
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Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
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Individuals' lives reflect how they think and what they believe. Our lives count most, when we attend church regularly and walk in the light of the Lord.



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

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We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to everyone for all the nice things that were done for us during the hospitalization and death of our loved one. We appreciate all your assistance and offers of help, the food, flowers, cards, calls, visits and memorials to Briscoe County Activities Association, Silverton Cemetery Association, Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service and the Methodist Church.

Some things were sent to our homes without names, and we appreciate these even though we don't know who sent them.

May God's blessings be with you, and may He send friends to help you in your time of trial as He has sent to assist us.

H. M. Cowell and family  
Dwain, Shirley,  
Wayne and Zane Henderson  
Tommy, Sonya  
and Rikki Bittner

The family of Kate Turner would like to express our thanks and deep appreciation to all the wonderful people in the Silverton area for your many expressions of love and sympathy shown us in the loss of our loved one. May God bless and keep you.

Jaye and Jo Turner and family  
Janice and Frank Odom  
and family  
Jeanette Martin and family  
Joann and Jim Griffin  
and family  
Pauline Turner

We would like to thank the paramedics and other members of the ambulance service for all they have done for us, and express appreciation to all for the sympathy cards, phone calls and visits after the death of our brother, Elmo Dean Baird.  
John D. and Lessie Baird

DISHES LEFT AT THE Homes of H. M. Cowell and Shirley Henderson can be picked up at the Baptist Church. 34-1tnc

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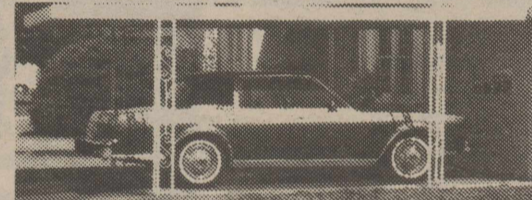
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