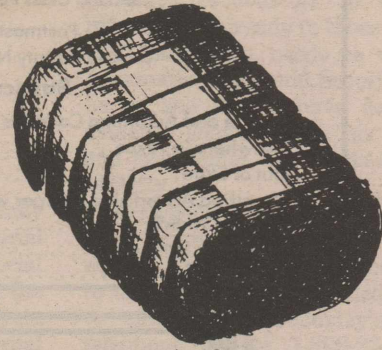
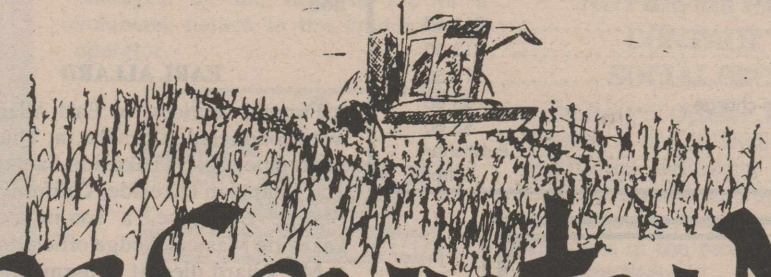


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All Around
The Town

BY MARY ANN SARCHET



Tuesday Is General Election Day In Texas

As the paper was being prepared for printing Tuesday, the anticipation of "going spooking" on Halloween night was much on the minds of the children around town.

The front yard at the home of Lynn and Connie Smith was to be transformed into a Spook's Delight, with a Fortune Teller and spooks and goblins galore. The Smiths were hoping lots of boys and girls would come by to enjoy what they have planned.

Another Halloween night treat always has been "going to see the witch" that hangs out near the home of Lem and Valeria Weaver on that special night. Last year, Lucille Scott helped the witch serve her special "witches brew" which comes out of a big black cauldron heated over a wood fire. This is a dark corner, but you won't want to miss it!

Bands Are Tuning Up For Caprock Jamboree

Bands are tuning their instruments and practicing their songs, getting ready to provide you another great night at the Caprock Jamboree on Saturday, November 3.

A variety of entertainment, coming from Plainview, Floydada, Lockney, Claytonville, Quitaque and Silverton, is scheduled for the show.

A large crowd from all around the area was in attendance for the October show. There were some wonderful musicians performing from the area, in addition to local talent. Returning after a long absence from the show was

BCAA To Provide Meal At Jamboree

Briscoe County Activities Association will provide the meal at the Caprock Jamboree Saturday night, November 3.

The meal will consist of mesquite-grilled hamburgers, chips, cobbler, tea and coffee for a price of \$4.00.

Serving will begin at 6:00 p.m. at the Briscoe County Show Barn in Silverton. The Jamboree begins at 7:00 p.m.

Caprock SWCD Taking Tree Orders

Caprock Soil and Water Conservation District is taking orders for trees now.

If you need trees for windbreak or home beautification, you may get a list of trees available from the office in Silverton.

Tuesday is general election day across Texas, and the polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. for voters who haven't already cast absentee ballots. Anyone wishing to do so can

Christmas Jubilee To Be Planned

There will be a planning session for the Christmas Jubilee at 7:00 p.m. today (Thursday) in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank.

All businesses wishing to participate with discounts, sales and drawings are invited to take part, and at least one representative is needed from each club or organization.

cast an absentee ballot in the office of County and District Clerk Bess McWilliams in the courthouse until 5:00 p.m. Friday. A good many citizens already had cast absentee ballots early this week.

Voting places Tuesday will be City Hall in Silverton, Precinct 1; Quitaque Community Center, Precinct 2; First State Bank Pioneer Room, Precinct 3; Towe Building, Precinct 4, and Lake Mackenzie Office, Precinct 5.

There are three candidates for U. S. Senator, two for U. S. Representative, three for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller of Public Accounts, State Treasurer, Commissioner of the General Land Office, Commissioner of Agriculture and Railroad Commissioner.

Then there are two candidates for a number of other offices.

Write-in candidates have declared for U. S. Senator, Governor, Lieutenant

Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller of Public Accounts, State Treasurer, Commissioner of the General Land Office, Commissioner of Agriculture and Railroad Commissioner.

In addition, David Cave is a declared write-in candidate for the office of County Judge, for which one candidate, Randy Hollums, is listed on the ballot.

James Edwards is a declared write-in candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, where Lynn Frizzell is the only candidate listed on the ballot.

A list of the write-in candidates will be in a conspicuous place in each voting precinct.

There is one constitutional amendment listed on the ballot, where voters will be asked whether they favor or are against "The constitutional amendment to clarify the authority of the senate to consider certain nominees to state and district offices and to provide for filling vacancies in those offices."

Caprock Country. They will be performing again for the November 3 show. Also returning, after a long absence, will be the Purcell Sisters.

This month, Tiffin's Department Store will donate three (3) \$10.00 gift certificates to be drawn for. The drawings will begin at 10:15 p.m.

Last month, a \$25 gift certificate donated by Tiffin's Department Store and a box of turnips donated by Buck Hardin were drawn for. The organizers appreciate these donations that have helped make the Jamboree a little more fun.

The hamburger supper to be served by the BCAA will begin at 6:00 p.m.

Don't forget to bring your lawn chairs.

See you at the Briscoe County Showbarn Saturday, November 3, 7:00 p.m., for the next Caprock Jamboree!

Miss Self Wins Age Division in 5K Race

Congratulations are extended to Zenobia Self for her first-place finish in her age division in the 5K Allsup's Annual Roadrace.



Owl POWER!



Curtis Preston (center), Briscoe County Extension Agent, and Jim Smith (right), Potter County Extension Agent who is a native of Silverton, were pictured receiving certificates of completion for an Agricultural Financial Management Seminar from Wayne A. Hayenga, Program Chairman and Economist-Management of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The three-day seminar was conducted October 23-25 at Plainview for selected Texas Agricultural Extension Service employees who counsel with farmers and ranchers on financial matters. Topics included financial statement development and analysis, making cash flow projections, investment analysis and forms of business organization. The seminar was put on with financial assistance from the G. Rollie White Charitable Trust.

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OBITUARIES

TOM FLOYD [BUD] PERKINS
 Graveside services for Tom Floyd (Bud) Perkins were conducted in the Silverton Cemetery at 10:00 a.m. Monday. Officiating at the service was Rev. Bryan Donahoo, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Silverton.
 Mr. Perkins died early Sunday morning at his home in Silverton.
 He was born in Briscoe County on

March 31, 1922 and was a son of Frank Lenard and Stella Frances Perkins. He joined the armed forces in March of 1944 and was captured in January of 1945 during the Battle of the Bulge. He was a prisoner of war until the latter part of May 1945, and weighed only 110 pounds when he was freed.

He married Mildred Stout in the home of his sister in Silverton. They operated a variety store and later a glass supply company.

Survivors include his wife, of the home; three sons, Donald Perkins and Tom Perkins, both of Silverton, and Floyd Perkins of Fort Worth; a daughter, Mrs. Phil (Kathi) Hubbard of Silverton; a brother, Ott Perkins of Silverton; a sister, Stella Hall of Silverton; 10 grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were James Edwards,

Donald Paul Fleming, Donnie Perkins, Lee Clay, Thomas Lee Perkins and Jimmy Perkins.

Honorary pallbearers were Edwin May, R. D. Reynolds, Fred Strange, Roy Mack Walker and Seymour Brannon.

EARL ALLARD

Funeral services for Earl Allard, 77, were conducted at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, September 20, at Lakeside-Santee Funeral Chapel in Lakeside, California, with George DeWeese, a son-in-law, and Lakeside Masonic Lodge officiating.

Mr. Allard died at Grossmont Hospital September 18 after a short illness.

Born May 7, 1913 in Silverton, he attended school in Silverton, graduating with the Class of 1933. He moved to California and made his home in the San Francisco Bay area in 1938. He was a building contractor until his retirement and moved to Southern California, living in the San Diego area for his last ten years.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth; two daughters, Rae Schmidt and Kay DeWeese of California; one son, Charlie of Tokyo; one sister, Mazie Lee of Chula Vista, California; and seven grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by five brothers and two sisters.

Local relatives include his sisters-in-law, Bertha Mae Allard of Silverton, Georgia Allard of Plainview and Agnes Allard of Tulia, and one brother-in-law, Nelson Moseley of Silverton.

RAY McWATERS

Services for Ray McWaters, 81, of Vernon were conducted Saturday, October 27, at 4:00 p.m. by Frederick Funeral Home in Frederick, Oklahoma.

He was born November 21, 1908 in Donie, Texas, and passed away October 25, 1990 in a Vernon hospital.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Nell; a daughter, Barbara Sue Pool and a grandson, Kenneth Ray Pool.

He married Dollie Smoker March 26, 1989, and they made their home in Vernon.

Survivors include his wife, Dollie; a son, Travis Ray McWaters of Pinesville, Louisiana, and a brother, Joe McWaters of Silverton; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McWaters, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McWaters, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Billie McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Crow attended the funeral services in Frederick, Oklahoma.

MARY LEOLA LEMONS

Funeral services for Mary Leola Lemons, 79, of Lubbock were conducted at 10:00 a.m. Monday at Sanders

Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Mel Hooten, pastoral counselor at Hospice of Lubbock, officiating.

Burial was in Floydada Memorial Park.

Mrs. Lemons died at 4:00 a.m. Friday at the residence of her son following a lengthy illness. She had been under hospice care.

She was born in Enterprise, Oklahoma, and had lived in Floydada and Silverton before moving to Lubbock in 1986. She married Ralph Lemons in 1929 in Clovis, New Mexico. He died in 1986.

Survivors include a son, Duane Lemons of Lubbock; three brothers, George Pharr of Lubbock, Leon Pharr of Kingsland and J. B. Pharr of Oakland, California; three sisters, Marie Sanders of Lubbock, Wilma Turner of Bokchito, Oklahoma and Grace Schell of Lakeport, California; and two grandchildren.

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October 23, 1980—Mrs. O. C. Maples buried Tuesday . . . Mrs. Porter Arnold was taken to Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia Wednesday night by ambulance . . . Mrs. Seymour Brannon underwent surgery last Friday afternoon at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo . . . Leon Martin was taken to the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday at noon by ambulance . . . Ashleigh Wyatt was taken by ambulance to an Amarillo hospital Saturday morning. She was suffering with asthma . . . Coach and Mrs. Randy Clay are parents of a son, Kaleb Shepherd . . . Hail and a heavy downpour of rain drive by strong winds damaged cotton crops in the area south and west of Silverton on Wednesday night of last week . . . Berle Fisch was recognized for 15 years of service as a dealer for Pioneer brand seeds . . .

October 22, 1970—Owls take first district game, 18-9, from Memphis . . . H. B. McClendon rites conducted here . . . Linda McWilliams is at home now following an emergency appendectomy she underwent in an Amarillo hospital . . . Junior High Owls defeat McLean Cubs 38-24 . . . Mr. and Mrs. John David Turner are parents of a daughter, Loretta Ann . . . Cynthia Sutton in LCC Chorus . . .

October 27, 1960—Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges quietly celebrated their sixty-second wedding anniversary at their home here last Saturday . . . Fighting Owls almost shake Idalou Wildcats . . . James E. May completes basic aviation training . . . Services honor memory of Jacob Ruel Porter, 65 . . . Bridal shower honors Miss Waynelle McCutchen . . . F. E. Hutsell attended an insurance school in Waco last week . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rhoderick, jr. and Eddie of Plainview were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rhoderick, sr. . . Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones went to Oklahoma City on a recent weekend and brought back his mother, Mrs. Susie Jones, who is visiting here and with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones in Amarillo for a couple of weeks . . .

October 26, 1950—New star mail route begun between Childress and Plainview . . . Silverton will do paving on local streets while road crew is here . . . Fred Garrison, Lions Zone Chairman, holds meeting here . . . Mrs. Wade Welch visited her mother, Mrs. Hilda Stalcup, in Tucumcari, New Mexico last week . . . Mr. and Mrs. Amos Turner, who have been making their home at Denton, have moved to a ranch west of Happy . . . Methodist Youth Fellowship to have charge of worship service Sunday night . . . Mrs. T. J. Hodges had the misfortune Sunday of catching her finger in a car door when Mr. Hodges closed it and mashed the end of her finger off, not knowing her finger was in the door . . . Mrs. T. L. Anderson and Miss Anna Lee Anderson, Mrs. M. P. Stone and Miss Lillie Mae Anderson spent Sunday in Kress with Mrs. Emma Waller, who celebrated her 84th birthday . . . Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold, Mrs. Emma Frieze, Mrs. Dan Montague, Mrs. James Henderson and Mrs. Ray Teeple called in the afternoon . . .

October 23, 1941—Oil test well is below 4,000 feet . . . Owls win conference opener from Flomot, 6-0 . . . Highway 86 to be contract job . . . Silverton is measuring her 1941 rainfall in feet now, according to Ray Bomar, and since February 1, has received two feet, three and seventy hundredths inches of moisture . . . Jackie Wafford,

a junior at West Texas State College, has been elected vice-president of the Junior class . . . C. L. McWilliams, who is stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso is spending a few days with friends and relatives here . . . Editor Roy Hahn wrote: "Have you noticed Crass Lake down by the Hotel Silverton? Theron and Alvin have ordered some government fish, with which to stock it and not to be outdone, Kate has built a duck blind. The water was going over the spillway Wednesday afternoon, but by sandbagging the dam, the danger to the south part of the city was averted" . . . Pete Blankenship, who is in the army service stationed at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, is spending a few days with friends and relatives in Quitaque and Silverton . . .

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO . . .

November 1—Ann Brown Wright, Don Curry, Bertha James, Kayla Ramsey, Brian Martin, LaVern Kingery, Renee Ellis, Marshall McCammon
November 2—Wade Brannon, Gary Juarez, Ami Dunn
November 3—Clifton Stodghill, Minerva Patino, Frank Yeary
November 4—Jo Cagle, Adrian Ramirez, Mike McGinn, Scott Hutsell
November 5—Mary Jane Patton,

Dale Smith, Shane Estes, Glenn Jones
November 6—Pete Juarez, Peggy Brannon, John McCammon, Shannon Cantwell
November 7—Bena Hester, Randy Hughes, Casey Bean, Landon Johnson

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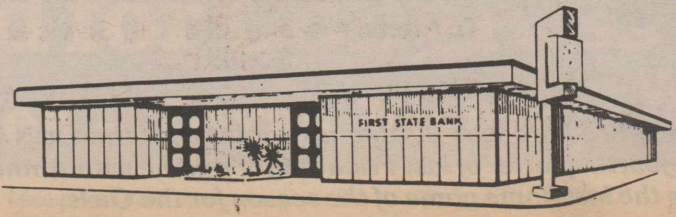
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Owls Nail Amherst For Third District Victory

Silverton's Owls continued their journey toward their first-ever outright District 3-A Six-Man football title with a convincing 44-6 victory over the Amherst Bulldogs here last Friday night. It was the last home game of the season.

"We played well. We got a little sloppy in the second, but did what we had to do," Coach Clyde Parham said. "We're starting to gel more and more as a team each week."

"We're trying not to look ahead. We know Lazbuddie is a good team," stated the coach; "We're preparing ourselves week-by-week for that game."

Amherst Coach Royce Petty obviously was disappointed with his team's performance. "We're a better team than that. We had too many mental mistakes and errors. We're better than that."

The Owls opened the game by kicking off, and Casey Frizzell dropped the Amherst return man at his 33. On fourth down, the Dogs punted to the Silverton two, and that was where the first Owl offensive play began. Brian Martin carried out to the five, after which Bradley Brunson ran for a first down on



Casey Frizzell is shown as he went for a tackle on one of the Amherst Bulldogs in the game played here last Friday night.

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the Amherst 39. Martin picked up 12 yards more, and Brian West got the first down on the 20. Martin picked up four, and Lyndell Ivory carried the rest of the way for the Owls. There was no PAT, and with 6:58 still on the clock, the Owls held a 6-0 lead.

The Owls kicked off once again, and Frank Ramirez, jr. stopped the return at the Amherst 20. The Dogs got a first down on their 38, after which the Owl defense tightened, and caused the ball to go over on downs at the Silverton 30.

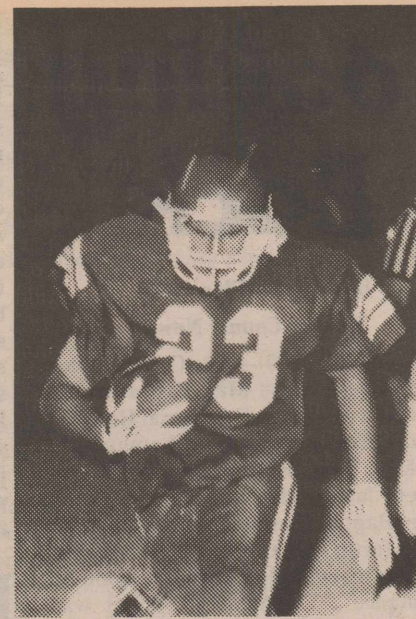
Ivory ran for a first down on the Amherst 15, after which West carried to the seven. Brunson carried the touchdown with 1:20 remaining in the quarter. There was no PAT, and the Owls had doubled their score to 12-0.

The Owls kicked off, and Brunson nailed the return at the Amherst 27. On third down, Martin intercepted an Amherst pass at the Silverton 33, and went all the way for a touchdown. West kicked the PAT, and the Owls had

moved into a 20-0 first-quarter lead.

Time had expired on the touchdown play, and the Owls kicked off again at the top of the second period. The Dogs completed a pass to their 39, and then got a first down on the Silverton 37. Defensive stars on this drive were Frizzell, Ramirez, Brunson and Martin, and the drive stalled with 4:11 remaining in the first half.

On first down after getting the ball, the Owls fumbled and Amherst recovered on the Silverton 10. On the next play, Ivory recovered a Dog miscue on the 13, and the Owls were back in business



Bryan Breedlove caught a pass from Kirk Couch and went all the way for a score for the Owls in their game with Amherst here last Friday night.

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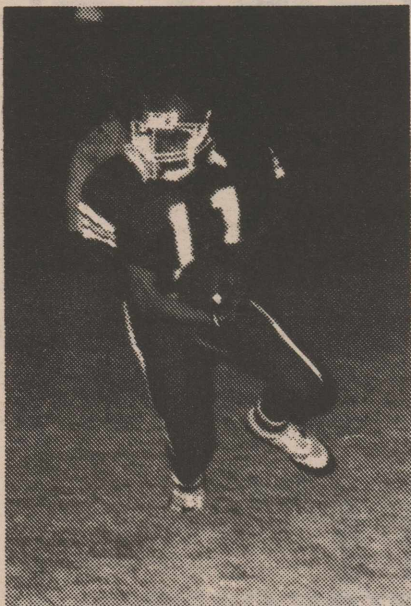
again. Martin picked up five and Brunson carried to the Silverton 30 for a first down. Brunson moved to the 33 and then to the 36, before the Owls were forced to punt it away to the Amherst 15.

This drive went nowhere and the Dogs punted to the Silverton 23 with 14 seconds remaining in the first half.

Amherst kicked off to open the second half of play, and Martin ran for a first down on the Amherst 37. West carried to the 33, and Brunson moved to the 31. Bryan Breedlove carried to the 23, after which Martin picked up a first down on the 20. West scored the touchdown with 6:22 remaining in the third quarter. There was no PAT, and the Owls held a 26-0 lead.

Amherst took the kickoff at their own 33, and passed to the Silverton 35. In spite of defense by Martin, Breedlove and Brunson, the Dogs moved for a first down on the 16, stopped by Frizzell and Martin. On the next play, Ramirez intercepted an Amherst pass and car-

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Lance Holt picked up valuable yardage for the Owls in their game with Amherst here last Friday night.

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Lance Bradford was picking up yardage for the Owls during the fourth quarter of last Friday night's game with Amherst. It was the last home game of the season for the Owls.

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Legislative proposals will expand exotic livestock industry

(AUSTIN)--"Almost everyone agrees Texas agriculture must diversify in order to meet the rapidly changing demands of the marketplace. The Texas legislature can expand marketing

opportunities for thousands of Texas ranchers and farmers by removing the remaining barriers to the state's exotic livestock industry," Deputy State Agriculture Commissioner Mike

Moeller said.

"Although Texas ranchers brought exotic animals such as axis deer, nilgai antelope, sika deer, and blackbuck antelope to Texas nearly 60 years ago, exotic livestock have become a viable agricultural enterprise only within the past five years. Texas is home to an estimated 164,000 exotic animals on 1.3 million acres, and the young exotic livestock industry's venison products are attracting attention from health conscious consumers throughout the nation. It's time this industry was granted the same legal status as more traditional segments of Texas agriculture.

"The Texas Department of Agriculture and the leaders of the exotic livestock industry worked with state

lawmakers in 1987 and 1989 on proposals to amend the Texas Property Tax Code and on implementing legislation for the Texas Animal Health Commission to define exotics as a livestock, like cattle, sheep, pigs and goats. Prior to those rule changes, exotics were treated as ranging wild game, and the property of exotic livestock ranchers was not necessarily taxed at the same lower rates as more traditional agricultural enterprises. Those legal changes helped Texas ranchers place this state among the nation's leaders in the production of exotic livestock," Moeller said.

Moeller, the number two official at the Texas Department of Agriculture, made the statements during recent testimony before a House Agriculture and Livestock Subcommittee.

"Texas lawmakers need to continue the removal of legal barriers which hamper the development of exotic livestock, an industry which could generate \$1 billion annually for the Texas economy by the end of this decade. TDA is recommending that the 1991 Texas Legislature consider the following changes in state laws and programs that impact exotic livestock:

- Expand the legal definition of livestock and fowl in the Property Tax Code to include ratites such as ostriches, emus and rheas. Ratites are among the fastest growing segments of the exotic livestock industry, but ratite producers are not treated like other livestock producers in property tax appraisal matters.

- Amend the state estray law to include exotics. Without this change it is difficult for lost or stolen exotic livestock to be returned to their owners as would be the case with lost cattle.

- Support the development of commercial processing plants to handle exotics. TDA has already provided \$1.3 million to support the expansion of exotic meat production through the use of linked deposit loans and grants authorized under the Texas Agricultural Diversification Authority (TADA). The bond programs soon to be available under the Texas Agricultural Finance Authority (TAFA) could be used to assist enterprising Texans in developing markets for exotic livestock.

- Appropriate additional funds for Texas colleges to expand exotic livestock research and urge both Texas colleges and high schools to expand their curricula in order to train young people for jobs in the exotic livestock industry. Texas A&M and Texas Tech University already have exotic research projects under way. Additional research must be done to make full use of the jobs which will be available in meeting the production, processing and animal health needs of the exotic livestock industry.

"Exotic livestock is one of several new alternative markets which will shape Texas agriculture in the next century. The leaders of this industry have already shown an excellent grasp of the real-life market needs of the industry. They only ask for a level playing field on which their industry has a fair chance to succeed," Moeller said.

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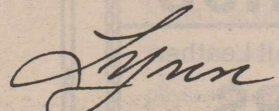
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I again want to express my gratitude and deepest appreciation for your kindness and support during the past few months of my campaigning for the office of Justice of the Peace. Silverton and Briscoe County are wonderful places to call home. Your open homes have made the campaign much easier.

I now encourage you to take time out of your busy schedules to go to the Polls on November 6 and cast your vote. Each vote counts so let your voice be heard. It has been stated that usually 40% of the eligible voters take time to vote. These 40% decide on how our County and Local governments are run. Please don't let a minority of voters decide the outcome of the upcoming elections (National, State and Local). Remember only you can make changes happen.

Again, I thank you for your support and ask that you let your voice be heard on November 6. I would appreciate your support and vote.

Thank you,



Lynn Frizzell



Winners in the pumpkin-painting contest held in Mrs. Settle's fourth grade are Jamie Casillas, third; Lindsey Weaks, second, and Lindsey Jennings, first place. They are holding the pumpkins they painted.

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Caprock Arts Festival Winners Are Announced

Texas Caprock Arts Festival, sponsored by the Briscoe County Activities Association, was quite successful. Best of Show was won by Betty Graham of Canyon with a geometric grid, watercolor painting of hibiscus.

In the paintings and drawings division, J. B. Reimund of Amarillo won first with a large oil painting that depicted the caprock area, Laurese Smith of Amarillo won second with a watercolor, and Jo Goen of Floydada won third with an oil painting. Honorable mentions went to Teresa Whitaker of Matador with an excellent drawing, Jo Goen and Laurese Smith. Merit awards also were received by Goen and Smith as well as W. Rainey Shannon of Idalou.

The sculpture division was won by Jimmie Tucek of Canyon with an alabaster carving of a horse and snake. Second place was won by Alan Glasscock of Tulia with a very unusual wood sculpture that included a Kachina, a man's face and an eagle. The third-place sculpture was a horse skull in

cedar that also was by Glasscock.

The photography division was won by Gary Tucek of Amarillo with a stunning picture of multiple lightning bolts. Second place went to R. W. Shackelford of Tulia with a close-up of an iris. Randy Stark of Quitaque placed third with a portrait of a wild tom turkey. Merit awards were received by Lance Smith, Claudia Mask, Raye Smith and Gary Tucek.

Otho Stubbs of Turkey was special guest artist. He displayed a number of large oil paintings that depicted much of the early history of the caprock area. He also displayed two excellent wood carvings.

David Reindlesbacher from West Texas State University judged the show. A large number of area residents attended the show and were highly complimentary of the quality of the work and the manner in which it was displayed.

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Eighth, Fourth Grade Candidates Crowned

At the conclusion of the Fall Festival, the candidates from the eighth grade and fourth grade were crowned as Queen and King, Princess and Prince. They were elected by popular vote of those attending the coronation ceremony.

Brandi Brunson and Jess Brannon represented the eighth grade, and Lindsey Jennings and David Gamble were the candidates of the fourth grade.

The candidates for Princess and Prince were Amanda Estes and Andrew Francis, first grade; Julie Weaver and Clint Ivory, second grade; Kylie Wade and Charlie Bomar, third grade; Shauna Kingery and Jared Francis, fifth grade; Carrie Baird and Zach Baldwin, sixth grade.

Crown bearer was Tarran Forbes and scepter bearer was Monty Woods.

Candidates for Queen and King were Kristi Smith and Zeb Holt, seventh grade; Maria Justice and Lance Holt,

ninth grade; Melissa Woods and Lance Bradford, tenth grade; Monica Arnold and Josh Brooks, eleventh grade; Carrie Ann Grabbe and Kirk Couch, twelfth grade.

Crown bearer was Samantha Francis and scepter bearer was John Arnold.

Christy Nease was master of ceremonies for the program, Ashleigh Wyatt played piano music during the event, and the winners were crowned by Julie Graham and Bradley Brunson. John Cavitt and Brian West assisted the candidates onto the stage.

The stage was beautifully decorated with bales of hay, pumpkins, gourds and a scarecrow. The event was sponsored by the Silverton Chapter of Future Homemakers of America.

Go Owls!

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Mrs. Otis Honored At Baby Boy Shower

Mrs. Bronc (Amy) Otis was honored with a Baby Boy Shower on Saturday, October 27.

She received a lovely and most useful array of gifts, including a portable crib from the hostesses.

Rainbow punch and an assortment of pastel cookies were served by Jena McFall and Angie Smith.

Centerpiece on the serving table was

a ceramic carousel unicorn made by Mary Jane Patton.

Approximately 40 guests registered in the Precious Moments baby book.

Cassie Strange, Tarran Forbes, Magan Whittington and Ami Dunn assisted with gift opening. Matt Whittington gathered bows.

Hostesses were Jo Ann and Jena McFall, Fern Parker, Shana Strange, Pat Edwards, Tammi Stafford, Missy Forbes, Pat and Lisa Lavy, Mary Jane and Alesha Patton, Colleen Reed, Diane Reynolds, Veneta Chappell, Shirley

Henderson, Angie Smith and Brenda Patton.

Venita Asebedo Receives Promotion

Venita Asebedo, daughter of Johnny and Mary Asebedo of Silverton, recently has been promoted to SpE4 at her base of duty at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

She is an occupational therapy assistant.

Her new address there is 1301 SW Bishop Road, Lawton, Oklahoma 73501.

Senior Citizens To Have Birthday Party

Silverton Senior Citizens will have their monthly birthday party Tuesday, November 6.

Members having birthdays in November will be honored. Hosts for the party will be those who had birthdays in October.

The meeting will begin at 6:00 o'clock.

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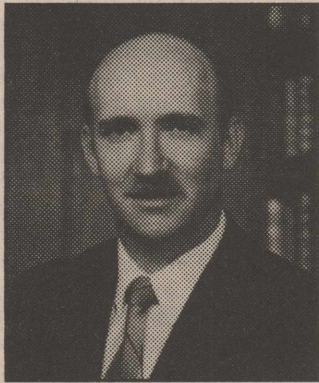
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Dr. Ruth Rector-Wright

obtained her medical degree at North Texas State University/Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine in Fort Worth. She completed her family practice internship and residency at the Womack Army Community Hospital at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, through the University of North Carolina School of Medicine at Chapel Hill. Upon completion of her residency program, Dr. Rector-Wright was named as a staff family physician and was appointed Clinical Instructor of Family Medicine for the University of North Carolina School of Medicine at Chapel Hill. Most recently, she has served as the staff family physician and chief of staff for the CIGNA Irving Health Care Center of Dallas.



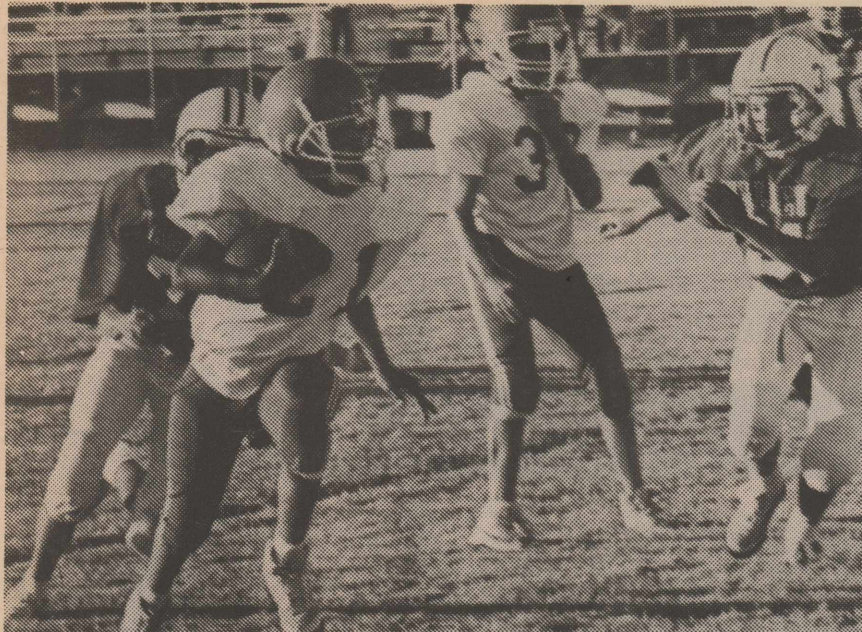
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Dewayne Juarez was off on a scoring jaunt in last Thursday's game at Valley, where the Junior High Owls earned a big victory. At least five Owls figured in the scoring during the game.

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Owls Romp Over Valley Junior High Patriots

The Junior High Owls traveled to Valley for a game with the Junior Patriots last Thursday afternoon, and came away with a big non-conference victory.

The Owls opened the game by kicking off, and Valley carried the ball out to their 18 where they were stopped by Michael Hill. Phil Patino held the Patriots to a five-yard gain on first down, and on the next play, Patino tackled the ballcarrier and Hill recovered a fumble on the Valley 13.

Hill carried a touchdown on the next

play, and Jeremiah Brooks carried the PAT, to give the Owls an early 7-0 lead.

The Owls kicked off into the endzone for a touchback, and on Valley's second play, Hill recovered another fumble for the Owls. Brooks scampered to the Silverton 36 and on the following play went into the endzone for another touchdown. There was no PAT, and the Owls had extended their lead to 13-0.

The Owls kicked off once again, and gave up a first down on their six-yard line. The Patriots tried four downs to make six yards, and gave up the ball on

the Silverton three.

Patino carried the touchdown on the next play, and Quarterback Jess Brannon passed to Cy Comer for the PAT to give the Owls a 20-0 lead.

Once again the Owls kicked into the endzone, and Valley started on the 20. On their second play, Valley lost the ball via the fumble route, and the Owls were back on offense again. Two plays later, the Owls returned the ball to Valley by the fumble.

As the second quarter began, Valley threw an incomplete pass and fumbled the ball back to the Owls, this time on the Valley 25. Dewayne Juarez carried to the Valley 13, after which the Owls lost the ball on a fumble.

Valley concluded the next series of plays with a punt that was partially blocked. The Owls took possession on the Valley 13, but gave the ball back on a fumble two plays later.

On their second play, the Patriots fumbled again and Hill recovered for the Owls on the Valley 10. A pass from Brannon to Patino was good for a touchdown. There was no PAT, and the Owls had moved into a 26-0 lead.

The Owls kicked off and held Valley at the 35. The Patriots completed a pass to move the ball to the Silverton one. They scored on the next play, there was no PAT, and the score stood at 26-6.

When Valley kicked off, Patino took the ball for the Owls and went all the way for a touchdown. An infraction had been detected against the Owls, and a penalty nullified the play, as the first half of action ended.

The Patriots kicked off to open the second half, and the Owls found themselves unable to move the ball and saw it go over to Valley on the 29. The Patriots picked up a first down on the Silverton five, where they were stopped by Hill, and scored three plays later. There was no PAT, and the Owls still led 26-13.

Valley kicked off again, and the Owls gave them the ball on a fumble at the Silverton 29. On Valley's first play, Brannon broke through the line and took Valley's pitchout and went for a touchdown. There was no PAT, and the Owls led 33-13.

After Silverton's kickoff, the Patriots went for another touchdown, completed the PAT, and trailed 33-20.

As the fourth quarter began, Hill picked up a first down on the Valley 16, after which Patino carried to near the goal line. Hill made a first down on the Valley two, and then carried the touchdown on the next play. Juarez carried the PAT, and the Owls had extended their lead to 40-20.

The Owls kicked off and held the Patriots on the 25. Juarez held Valley to minus yardage, and Comer stopped a Patriot after he had caught a pass and picked up a first down on the Silverton 27. The Patriots picked up a first down on the Silverton one before a series of fouls moved them back 30 yards and a Valley player was ejected from the game. On the next play, the defense dropped them back to the Valley 36. The next play saw Valley dropped back at the 19, and on the next play the Owl defense dropped the Patriots at the Valley five. Then it was fourth down and goal to go from 75 yards away from the endzone, and the Pats went for it, seeing the ball go over on downs at the Valley one-yard line.

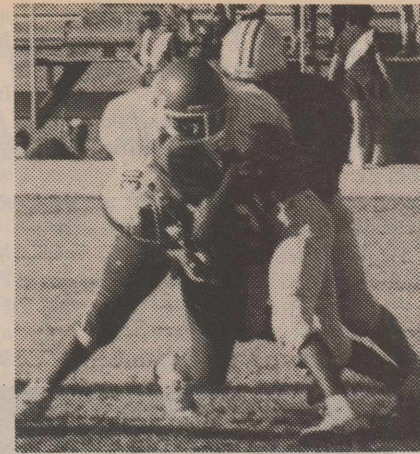
The Junior High Owls will be hosting Cotton Center this afternoon at 5:00. This is the next-to-last game for the Owls, who are undefeated in district and have lost only one game all season.

OWLS

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ried to the Silverton 14.

Stan Gamble caught a Couch-throw pass and moved the ball downfield. Brunson picked up the first down on the Amherst 30 as the fourth quarter began. Martin moved to the 18, and Frizzell carried the touchdown on a pass from



Michael Hill shows his tackling technique on one of the Valley Junior High Patriots in last Thursday's game. The Junior High Owls are undefeated in district play, and easily won this non-conference game. Briscoe County News Photo

Couch with 9:25 remaining in the game. There was no PAT, and the Owls led 32-0.

Martin intercepted an Amherst pass on first down after the Dogs took the Silverton kickoff, and Brunson carried to the Silverton 34. West picked up a first down on the Amherst 25, and Breedlove caught a Couch pass for a touchdown with 7:19 remaining on the clock. There was no PAT, and the Owls led 38-0.

The Dogs started with a touchback, and were pushed back to the 16 on first down by Brunson. There was an incomplete pass, and a completion, before the Owls got their next touchdown when the Amherst fourth-down punt was blocked by Ivory and recovered in the endzone by Brunson. Instead of holding the ball for the PAT kick, the holder, Ramirez, fell on the ball so the game wouldn't end on the 45-point rule.

The Owls kicked off from the Amherst 35 after an unsportsmanlike conduct call against the Dogs which took place as the PAT attempt was made, hitting Ramirez when he was on the ground over the ball. This went into the endzone for a touchback, and on first down Amherst went all the way for a touchdown with 4:58 still showing on the clock. The PAT kick was blocked by the Owls and the score stood at 44-6.

Amherst fired an inside kick which was taken at the Amherst 38, and Braden Towe went into the game at quarterback. Lance Holt picked up five yards on first down, and Lance Bradford carried for four on the next play. Towe completed a pass to Matt Francis which carried to the Amherst 27, and Holt ran for a first down on the 20. Bradford picked up four yards after which Towe completed a pass to Holt with 16 seconds running off the board. The game ended with the 44-6 score and the Junior Varsity Owls driving hard for another score.

The Owls made 16 first downs in the game as compared with five for Amherst.

The Owls rushed for 284 yards and passed for 67 for a total offensive effort of 351 yards. Amherst picked up 146 yards rushing and 11 passing for a total of 157 yards.

Brunson carried 12 times for 112 yards; Martin, eight times for 57 yards; Ivory, three times for 47 yards. Couch hit eight of thirteen passes for a gain of 67 yards. Breedlove caught two passes for 27 yards and Frizzell caught one for 19 yards.

The Owls will be traveling to Cotton Center for a game with 7:30 p.m. kickoff Friday. They appreciate the big crowd of fans at the game last week, and hope their fans will travel with them to these last two road games. The Owls wind up the season at Lazbuddie on November 8, in a game that looks to be for the district championship. See you at the game!

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Randy Hollums

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Costume Contest Was Big Success Saturday Night

The PTA Costume Contest was a big success Saturday night at the Halloween Carnival, with 63 entries.

Winners included Cole Patton, first; Blythe McPherson, second, and Deiter Brannon, third, in the 0-5 age group.

Molly Sarchet, first; Dara Ramsey, second, and Brooke Garvin, third, in the 6-12 year-old group were winners.

Jeff Smith placed first; Paige House was second, and Rose Lee McCoy was third in the 13 and up category.

Proceeds of the contest will go to second grade to buy something for their classroom.

Progressive Club Meets in Estes Home

Progressive Extension Homemakers met Monday, October 22, in the home of Donna Estes for an Ugly Pajama Party. Other hostesses included Dorothy Martin, Colleen Reed and Derinda Patton.

After stew, cornbread and cobbler were served, the most hideous housewife was voted on with Norma Garcia winning a \$20 BeautiControl gift certificate.

A business meeting was held, and names were drawn for Christmas.

Other members present were Dianne Ward, Marsha Green, Anita Ramsey, Marsha Brunson, Melissa Estes, Debra Smith, Beverly Minyard, Bena Hester and JonEtta Ziegler.

L.O.A. Study Club Meets Monday Night

L. O. A. Junior Study Club will meet at 7:00 p.m. Monday in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank.

There will be a program to inform those present about candidates and issues in Tuesday's general election.

Calling All Quilters!

Those of all ages who are interested in quilting or learning to quilt are invited to the Silverton Senior Citizens Center this afternoon (Thursday, November 1) at 2:00 p.m.

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Mary Grantham spent Sunday afternoon with Joe and Ruby McWaters.

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New Arrivals

Jack and Allison Robertson of Floydada are proud to announce the arrival of their son, Ryan Nathaniel. He was born Wednesday, October 17, at 9:40 a.m. at St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock. He weighed seven pounds and four ounces and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Wilma Manning of Lubbock and Sherrell Manning of Fort Worth.

Great-grandparents are Pauline Benefield of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robertson of Ralls.

John and Michelle Crowell of Pampa, formerly of Silverton, are parents of a daughter, Keisha Lee, born at 6:47 a.m.

Tuesday, October 30, in an Amarillo hospital. She weighed six pounds and one-half ounce.

They also are parents of a son, Craig, who will be two years old in December.

Mr. Crowell was district conservationist at the Soil Conservation Service in Silverton, and his wife taught in the Silverton Elementary School.

Bryan and Lisa Schott are parents of a daughter, Janna Nichole, born at 3:04 a.m. Sunday, October 28, at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. She was 22 inches long, and weighed nine pounds and two ounces at birth.

Grandparents are Charles and Janis Andrus of Tulia and John and LaQuetta Schott of Silverton.

She is the great-granddaughter of

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The next contact with you will be personal, and I will try to see each one of you before the election to try to present you with some facts, and not hearsay as some have done. I will be glad to answer any questions you may have about the office.

The office of Justice of the Peace entails more than most people realize and needs to be a full-time job; but due to financial difficulties in the county, this isn't possible. So I have to have another job to be able to support my family and myself.

The pay from the Justice of the Peace office helps to supplement this income and without it, I may be forced to seek employment elsewhere as others have had to do.

In closing, I ask you please to **WRITE IN** my name when you go to vote.

Thank you very much,

James R. Edwards
Justice of the Peace
Briscoe County Precinct 1

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NOVEMBER 6, 1990 (6 de noviembre de 1990)

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(NOTA DE INSTRUCCION: Vote por el candidato de su preferencia para cada candidatura marcando una "X" en el espacio cuadrado a la izquierda del nombre del candidato. Usted podrá votar por todos los candidatos de un solo partido político ("straight ticket") marcando una "X" en el espacio cuadrado a la izquierda del nombre de ese partido político. Si usted vota por uno de los partidos políticos y también vota por el contrincante de uno de los candidatos de dicho partido político, se contará su voto por el contrincante tanto como su voto por todos los demás candidatos del partido político de su preferencia.)

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It seems as though everyone is cultivating house plants. Feathery asparagus ferns and bromeliads hanging from ceilings keep company with ficus benjamins and begonias. Sweet potato plants and avocado seeds decorate window sills. All this greenery is a great way to bring a bit of nature indoors.

Studies conducted in the U.S. and Europe have revealed that we spend more than 90 percent of our time indoors. And according to U.S. Environmental Protection Agency studies, air inside energy-efficient houses is often two to five times more polluted than the air outside, depending on where you live.

Partly as a result, house plants are already playing a vital role in the new environmentally sound houses being built in the U.S. and Europe. Greenhouse rooms and windows have become popular in the past five or 10 years. These glassed sunspaces collect

solar heat, insulate against noise, offer a sunny spot for herbs and provide a bright, cheery place to relax.

Even NASA thinks houseplants are beneficial. In studies using houseplants to reduce indoor pollution, NASA discovered several species, like Chinese evergreen, pot mum, striped dracena, corn plant, and English ivy, reduced levels of three common household pollutants: formaldehyde, benzene and trichloroethylene. Even though NASA scientists admit their report is preliminary and suggest more study, they feel strongly that common indoor plants can be a very effective part of a system to provide pollution-free homes and workplaces.

Whether you believe house plants will purify your indoor air or simply want to green up your kitchen windowsill, there are a few common-sense rules to remember when selecting house plants. If you know what to look for, you'll increase your chances of selecting healthy plants and avoid the disappointment of trying to nurse poor plants back to health. Plant diseases are classified as bacterial, fungal or viral. Common problems caused by diseases are black spot, blight, leaf blisters, mildew, rust or wilt, to name a few. Poor growing practices can cause symptoms similar to those caused by disease.

The most common insects that can damage house plants are aphids, whiteflies, spider mites, scale insects and mealy bugs. Your nursery or garden center should have books that illustrate these pests, as well as the kind of damage they do.

Make sure the underside of the leaf is as clean and healthy looking as the top side of the leaf. Spider mites usually live under leaves, spinning fine white webs that may cover the plant. Whitefly eggs deposited on the undersides of leaves hatch into almost invisible transparent green larvae that feed on plant sap.

Aphids congregate on soft young tips or the undersides of leaves. These sap suckers stunt new growth, cause foliage to pale, curl and die. Mealy bugs look like bits of cotton clustered under leaves. They deposit egg masses in the crevices where the leaf joins the stalk, so check this area.

Most insects can be washed off plants with soapy water or swabbed away with alcohol. Severely infested plants might require insecticidal soaps or oils. Insecticidal soaps are effective in removing the insect's waxy coating, which causes moisture loss and eventually kills the insect.

Businesses selling plant materials in Texas must have a Texas Department of Agriculture Nursery/Floral certificate. That certificate indicates a commitment by that retailer not to knowingly sell plants infested with harmful insects or diseases, and TDA has statutory authority to issue a Stop-Sale order if it determines a retailer is in violation of the Nursery/Floral code.

It is against the law to reduce the price of plants for quick sale if they are infested with harmful insects or diseases. Be alert for bargains at flea markets or other unregulated outlets. If it looks too good to be true, it probably is. Most nurseries and garden centers are conscientious about their inventory and stand behind what they sell.

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Earl Cantwell
Gems & Allegorys

I wonder if there is anyone who didn't read page 14 of last week's Briscoe News. If you did not, I suggest that you take a second look and be sure to read the page. It is filled with soul-searching wisdom. A bouquet of roses to the author.

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An allegory: There is a man who has the "cornbread habit". He just has to have a piece of cornbread every 20 to 30 minutes. Every morning when he awakes, the first thing he thinks about is his cornbread. He eats a piece before he dresses and sometimes he eats another piece before he goes to work, with his pocket full of cornbread, which he eats every few minutes all through the day.

On the way home he stops at the store for more cornbread for fear his wife had forgotten to get some. Once she forgot and he got so ill-tempered that he had to drive five miles to get some before bed-time. Otherwise he would have been so irritable that he would have yelled at his wife and the kids.

This man attends church every Sunday, but the last thing that he does before entering the church building is stand on the curb or step and eat another piece of cornbread. Then he throws the crust and sack on the ground and goes in. At whatever break occurs in the services, he rushes outside and eats another piece of cornbread. And after the final amen he quickly joins the rest of the cornbread eaters on the sidewalk and the crumbs fly everywhere. Isn't it strange that a man gets the cornbread habit?

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Let me never fancy that I have zeal until my heart overflows with love to every human being. Lasting friendship and enduring love takes months and years to grow.

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Footprints in the sands of time are never made by sitting down.

The man that never makes mistakes loses a great many chances to learn something. The difference between perseverance and obstinacy is that one is prompted by a strong will and the other comes from a strong won't.

The safest side to take in an argument between two neighbors is the outside.

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Always keep your head up but be certain to keep your nose in its proper place.

To educate a man in mind and not in morals is to educate a menace to society.

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Said one, "I planned to build an ultramodern home." But a Hungarian woman whispered, "I have no home." Said another, "I dreamed of a luxurious country place." But a refugee child kept saying, "I have no country."

I started to buy a new washing machine, when a woman said softly, "I have no clothes to wash." I wanted a quick freezer to store quantities of food, but across the water came the cry, "I have no food." I ordered a new car for the pleasure of my loved ones. Then an orphan murmured, "I have no loved ones."

Go Owls

Social Security In Briscoe County

by Mary Jane Shanes

ROLE OF REPRESENTATIVE PAYEE

Among the nearly 39 million people getting Social Security benefits each month there are almost five million who do not receive their check directly. It goes to someone else—a representative payee—who is responsible for assuring that the funds are used on the person's behalf.

Representative payees are selected when it is found that a person is unable to manage his or her own funds. A payee may be a parent, legal guardian, a relative, neighbor, friend, member of a volunteer organization, or an official of an institution in which the person is staying.

Minor children require representative payees. The law also requires that drug addicts and alcoholics who receive

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payments because of disability have representative payees.

Representative payees are held accountable for the proper use of the funds and will be called upon to make an accounting periodically.

In general, the representative payee must first make sure the person's day-to-day basic needs for food, shelter, clothing, and personal items are met. If the beneficiary can manage, small amounts of spending money should be made available.

If these basic needs are met, benefits can be used for special needs the person has, such as school expenses, rehabilitation or medical expenses, insurance premiums, current payments on a house in which the person has an interest, tax payments, and certain similar expenses.

Any money not used for meeting basic and special needs must be saved or invested. Preferred investments are U. S. savings bonds. The people at Social Security can tell you how they should be registered.

Representative payees also are responsible for promptly reporting any event to Social Security which may affect the person's monthly benefit.

It's also important that the representative payee tell Social Security in advance if he or she is no longer able to serve as representative payee. This will give Social Security time to select a new payee and avoid any interruption of benefits.

Representative payees who have questions about their duties should call Social Security on the toll-free telephone number, 1-800-2345-SSA, which is 1-800-234-5772. You can speak to a representative from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. weekdays.



OPEN LETTER TO THE VOTERS OF THE 84TH DISTRICT

September 28, 1990

Dear Friend:

In my travels throughout the district, I have had many questions about my support for Dick Waterfield for Congress. I will explain my position because I believe it is important for you to know why I have made this decision.

First and foremost, Dick Waterfield is a long time friend of mine. But, that is not the only reason I support Dick.

Dick is a farmer and works the land he owns. He is a cattle rancher and owns and manages a very large cattle feeding operation. He is presently serving as a bank director of the local bank. He has served on the school board as well as serving four years in the state legislature. He has served on the Board of Directors of the Abraham Nursing Center in Canadian.

I believe Dick to be uniquely qualified to serve the people of the 13th Congressional District because of his diverse background and I urge you to consider him when you go to vote on November 6.

Sincerely,

Warren Chisum

State Representative
84th District of Texas

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**FISHIN' TIPS
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Soft plastic imitations such as worms, lizards and crawfish have become top bass producers from coast to coast.

There are a multitude of methods and techniques for fishing the soft plastics. A weedless worm hook and slip sinker still heads the list of favorite techniques.

When a bass bites a plastic lure, he usually inhales it in one motion. A bass can create quite a suction when engulfing a plastic bait. It's almost like a vacuum cleaner.

A person fishing a plastic worm should be ready to set the hook immediately upon feeling

the strike. Lower the rod tip, take up the slack line and set the hook with a quick, firm upward motion of the rod. The longer you let a fish run with the lure, the less chance of a good, clean hook set.

Fishin' Tips are presented by America's #1 Fishing Boat

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority will accept bids for a used 6300 AT&T, 30 MB Computer, along with a Panasonic KX-P1180 Printer.

Computer and printer may be seen at the main office on the south side of the lake. Bids will be opened on November 20, 1990.

Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority
Route 1, Box 14
Silverton, TX 79257
(806) 633-4318 44-2tc

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY
MAINTENANCE WORK**

Sealed proposals for: Pavement Marking (Reflectorized) located on V/A Highways in Childress/Hall, Motley, Hardeman, Donley/Briscoe, Collingsworth, Wheeler, Dickens, Knox, Cottle/King, Foard Counties will be received by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation located at:

1700 Avenue F, NW
Childress, TX

until 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, November 14, 1990 then publicly read.

All prospective bidders are encouraged to attend the Pre-Bidders' Conference which will be held at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation's District Office at:

1700 Avenue F, NW
Childress, TX

10:00 a.m. Friday, November 9, 1990
Bidding proposals, plans and specifications will be available at the District Maintenance Engineer's Office at:

1700 Avenue F, NW
Childress, TX

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**NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING
CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF
NANNIE J. BOMAR,
DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of NANNIE J. BOMAR were issued on October 25, 1990, in Cause No. 1251, pending in the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas to:

CARL D. BOMAR and TOM BURSON
The residents of the Joint Independent Executors are in Briscoe County, Texas.

Estate of NANNIE J. BOMAR
c/o Carl D. Bomar
P. O. Box
Silverton, Texas 79257
Estate of NANNIE J. BOMAR
c/o Tom Burson
Route One
Silverton, Texas 79257

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 26th day of October, 1990.

Respectfully submitted,
Sharon Sutton Pigg
P. O. Box 651
Silverton, Texas 79257
Phone: 806/823-2520
SBN 16005220
Attorney for the Estate

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**VOTE FOR
RANDY HOLLUMS**

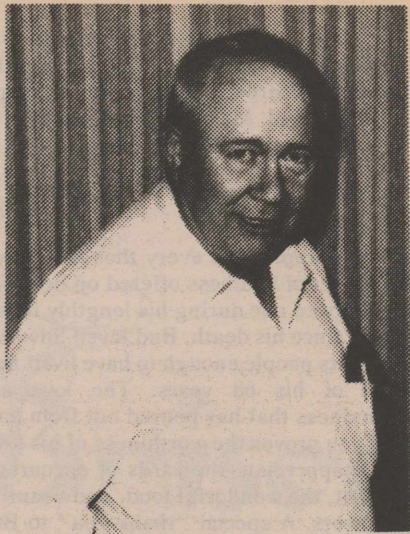
District Judge, 110th Judicial District (Juez del Distrito, Distrito Judicial Num. 110th)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Randy Hollums
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DEAR VOTER:

Even though my opponent has indicated that he is no longer a write-in candidate for the office of District Judge, there is no procedure under state law to withdraw as a write-in candidate. I want to take this opportunity to ask you for your continued support for my candidacy. It is important that you actually vote for me in the November 6 General Election.

REMEMBER - Be sure and mark the box!

Randy



Jarus Flowers



John T. Burson

Directors Elected To Caprock SWCD Board

October 3, 1990, Jarus Flowers was re-elected and John T. Burson was elected to the Caprock Soil and Water Conservation District board of directors. Flowers represents Zone 1 and Burson represents Zone 2.

Flowers has served on the board of directors for the past eleven years. He has land located in Briscoe and Swisher counties, and is currently active in the conservation reserve program. Caprock SWCD is very fortunate to have Flowers, who is very much involved with soil and water conservation and has the knowledge to make it work.

Burson is a newcomer to the Caprock SWCD, but has been involved with their practices through his farming and ranching activities. Burson, along with his brothers, has farm and ranch land located in Briscoe County. They are currently involved in utilizing soil and water conservation on these lands.

The purpose of the Caprock SWCD, which was organized in 1945, with headquarters in the Soil Conservation Office, located in Silverton, is to promote sound soil and water conservation programs on farm and ranch lands within the district and to serve as a voice for farmers and ranchers on conservation matters.

The board of directors coordinates the conservation efforts of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and has authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes.

District assistance in carrying out federal programs involves a variety of activities, including: Technical Assistance, Great Plains Program, Watershed Program, Resource Conservation and Development Program, and the Food Security Act Program.

In Texas there are 210 soil and water conservation districts. Each is a legal subdivision of state government organized by local agricultural landowners

with the assistance of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board. Unlike most other legal subdivisions of state government, SWCDs do not have the powers of taxation or eminent domain. All conservation programs managed by the districts are of a voluntary nature to the landowner or operator.



Social Security In Briscoe County

by Mary Jane Shanes
NOTICE MAY REQUIRE CONTACT WITH SOCIAL SECURITY

Starting in October, some people may receive a notice from their financial institution indicating that the Social Security number and/or the name in the institution's records are different than the ones in the records of the Internal Revenue Service.

In some cases, it may be necessary for the person to contact Social Security to change his or her name in the Social Security records or to verify the information already in those records.

If the person needs to change the information in Social Security records, he or she should have documentary evidence showing both his or her old and new names, as well as evidence of identity.

It is a good idea to call Social Security first, to make sure what action is needed. That way, an unnecessary visit to the office may be avoided. It is easy to call Social Security's toll-free telephone number, 1-800-234-SSA (1-800-234-5772).

PUBLICATION COPY - COMMERCIAL AND SAVINGS BANKS
CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION (Including Domestic and Foreign Subsidiaries) STATE 035 (3-90)

LEGAL TITLE OF BANK First State Bank PO Box 9 Silverton, Texas 79257	<510>	STATE BANK NO. 1752-20
CITY Silverton	COUNTY BRISCOE	FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11 13 22279
STATE Texas	ZIP CODE 79257	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE September 30, 1990

		Dollar Amounts in Thousands			
		Bil	Mil	Thou	
ASSETS					
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin			681	1.a.
	b. Interest-bearing balances			100	1.b.
2. Securities				6,737	2.
3. Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:	a. Federal funds sold			700	3.a.
	b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell			-0-	3.b.
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:					
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income		11	990		4.a.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses			416		4.b.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve			-0-		4.c.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)				11,574	4.d.
5. Assets held in trading accounts				-0-	5.
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)				80	6.
7. Other real estate owned				583	7.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies				-0-	8.
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding				-0-	9.
10. Intangible assets				-0-	10.
11. Other assets				794	11.
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)				21,249	12.a.
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)				N/A	12.b.
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b)				21,249	12.c.
LIABILITIES					
13. Deposits:	a. In domestic offices			18,295	13.a.
	(1) Noninterest-bearing	2	221		13.a.(1)
	(2) Interest-bearing	16	074		13.a.(2)
	b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs				13.b.
	(1) Noninterest-bearing				13.b.(1)
	(2) Interest-bearing				13.b.(2)
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:	a. Federal funds purchased			-0-	14.a.
	b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase			-0-	14.b.
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury				-0-	15.
16. Other borrowed money				-0-	16.
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases				-0-	17.
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding				-0-	18.
19. Subordinated notes and debentures				-0-	19.
20. Other liabilities				296	20.
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)				18,591	21.
22. Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus				-0-	22.
EQUITY CAPITAL					
23. Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding				-0-	23.
24. Common stock (No. of shares	a. Authorized	4	000		
	b. Outstanding		-0-		
25. Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock)				1,000	25.
26. a. Undivided profits and capital reserves				1,258	26.a.
b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities				-0-	26.b.
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments				-0-	27.
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)				2,658	28.a.
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)				N/A	28.b.
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 28.a. & 28.b)				2,658	28.c.
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28.c)				21,249	29.
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date:					
1. a. Standby letters of credit. Total				49	MEMO 1.a.
b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1.a. conveyed to others through participations				-0-	1.b.

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report. I/We, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: David Tipton, Vice President

DATE SIGNED: October 24, 1990

AREA CODE/PHONE NO.: 806-823-2426

Wе, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: [Signatures]

Notary Public, State of Texas, My Commission Expires 7-22-93, County of BRISCOE, day of October, 19 90, Signature Notary Public

