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## Caprock Cowboy Camp Meeting Set May 20-23

The second annual Caprock Cowboy Camp Meeting, sponsored by Ranchmen's Camp Meeting Association of the Southwest, will be held on the Johnnie Burson Ranch, located six miles east and 2 1/4 miles north of Silverton May 20-23.

Ron Hart of Tucson, Arizona will be the camp preacher, and Jeff Gore of Liberty Hill, Texas will be the song leader.

The camp meeting is an interdenominational Christian camping experience for people of all ages. There are no hookups, but you are welcome to bring your bedroll, tent, TV, travel trailer or motor home. Meals are provided, but donations to help defray the cost of the camp meeting will be accepted.

Included on the schedule are worship services, bible studies, crafts classes and demonstrations, horseback trail ride, games for all ages, trail hikes, singing, campfire fellowship and the prayer tree.

Cowboy camp meetings are over a hundred years old in Texas and over 50 years old in New Mexico. In the later 1930s, the organizing committees decided that cooks should be hired, beef donated and cooked over an open fire, and tents provided for services. There would be arranged four preaching services each day plus a men's prayer meeting under a tree and a women's prayer meeting under a tent. It was not uncommon for there to be 700 to 1000 in attendance at these early camp meetings.

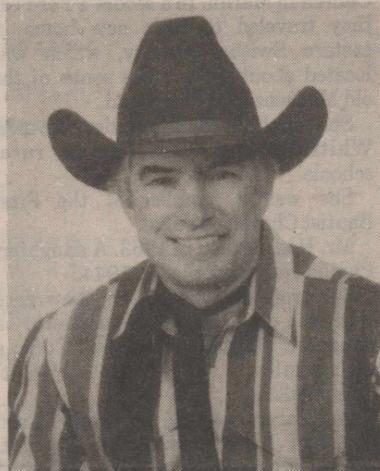
Ministers of many faiths came to preach and when people made their professions of faith, they were urged to go back to their ranches, attend the nearest churches and become active Christians.

In those early days, a manager was selected to be in charge. His job was to secure outstanding ministers to preach, ring the bell before each service, lead the opening worship services four times a day, and see that meals were ready on time. He also was responsible for all the equipment necessary to shelter and feed 1000 people for the meeting.

The cowboy camp meetings are conducted in much the same way today. They are still held on ranches under tents and meals are cooked over the open fire. There is no charge for these events but donations are accepted to help cover the operation costs.

Anyone may attend a camp meeting; you need not be a cowboy. It is a great opportunity to get away from the fast lane for a few days and to enjoy the country atmosphere and dynamic worship services without the distractions of city life.

The camp meetings are a gathering of



**Ron Hart**  
Tucson, Arizona

all kinds of people from all Christian faiths. Bring your children and youth to the meeting because there will be opportunities for worship, nature walks and hiking along the canyons for all ages. Come for one day or for all four. Wear your blue jeans and bring your Bibles. It will be an exciting experience you will never forget.

From Silverton, drive three miles southeast on Highway 86 to the junction of Highway 86 and Highway 256. Take Highway 256 east three and a half miles to a camp meeting sign at the entrance of a county dirt road. From here turn north for two and three-quarter miles and you will be at the entrance of the Burson Ranch. For information, contact Johnnie Burson, 847-2524.

Assisting with the Bible studies during the meeting will be Brad Enloe, Steve Ulrey and Steve Cody, who is president of the Ranchmen's Camp Meeting Association.

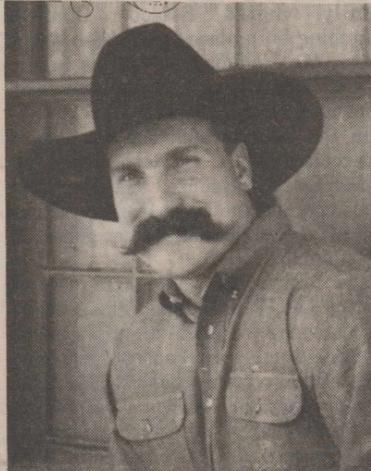
All those who play instruments are invited to bring them to take part in the campfire fellowships.

### 4-H'ers Serving Barbecue Sunday

Briscoe County Senior 4-H'ers will be serving a barbecue lunch on Sunday, May 23, from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. in the Silverton School Cafeteria.

Lunch will consist of barbecue, baked potato, beans, green salad, hot rolls and iced tea. The meal will cost \$5.00 per person for adults and \$3.50 for children 10 and under. Homemade ice cream will be sold for dessert.

You are invited to come support these 4-H'ers as they try to raise money to pay their expenses to the State 4-H Roundup June 7-11 at College Station.



**Jeff Gore**  
Liberty Hill, Texas

### Patriotic Music Program Slated

The fourth and fifth grades will present a program, "Let's Hear It For America," at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, May 20, in the school auditorium.

The program will be under the direction of Robin Boedeker.

### Final Plans To Be Made For Eighth Grade Graduation

An important meeting for making final plans for the Eighth Grade Graduation will be held in the board room in the high school building at 3:45 p.m. Monday, May 24.

A representative from each of the eighth graders' families is asked to be present at this meeting.

### Silverton School Activities

Thursday, May 20—Music Assembly, 10:00 a.m.; K-6 Track & Field Meet; Catholic Church Senior Luncheon

Saturday, May 22—Junior-Senior Outing

Thursday, May 27—Six Weeks Tests; Eighth Grade Graduation

Friday, May 28—Six Weeks Tests; High School Graduation

Saturday, May 29—Teacher Workday

### Area Financial Institutions Get Highest Ratings

Two area financial institutions improved their ratings during the final quarter of 1992, according to Bauer Financial Reports.

The report card on banks and thrifts also found that one institution saw its ranking drop while remaining strong. The remaining 13 institutions maintained ratings reported at the end of the third quarter.

Bluebonnet Savings Bank in Plainview moved up from a four-star rating to a five-star rating, the highest given. First State Bank, Tulia, moved up from a three-and-a-half star rating to a four-star rating. And Olton State Bank moved from a five-star rating to a four-star rating, which means it remains a bank with good capital.

In addition to Bluebonnet, six other banks received five-star ratings. Five-star ratings are given to institutions with at least twice the capital required by regulators.

Other institutions receiving the highest rating include American State Bank, First National Bank of Floydada, First State Bank of Abernathy, First State Bank of Petersburg, First State Bank of Silverton and Kress National Bank.

Joining First State Bank of Tulia and Olton State Bank in receiving four-star ratings were six other banks. Four-star ratings are given to institutions having capital significantly higher than regulatory requirements.

Other institutions receiving four-star ratings include First National Bank of Lockney, First National Bank of Hale Center, First National Bank of Plainview, First National Bank of Tulia, First State Bank of Happy and Hale County State Bank.

Bank America Texas maintained its three-star rating, which means the institution meets all current regulatory capital requirements but does not meet more stringent capital requirements for higher ratings.

### Elementary Field Day Set May 25

Silverton Public School will have an Elementary Field Day from 12:30 until 3:20 p.m. on Tuesday, May 25, on the football field.

This will be for boys and girls in kindergarten through the sixth grade.

Students can enter the four events of their choice. Ribbons will be awarded to the winners.

There is no entry fee.

The cheerleaders will operate the concession stand during the event.

Buses will run on schedule at 3:20 p.m.

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**OBITUARIES**

**MABEL WELCH**

Graveside services for Lillie Mabel Welch, 93, were conducted at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday in the Silverton Cemetery. Officiating was Darrell Long, a grandson of Mrs. Welch, assisted by the Rev. Brad Enloe, pastor of First United Methodist Church.

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Mrs. Welch died Sunday at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Hamilton County June 15, 1898. When she was three months old, her parents, John and Jessie (Kitchens) Vaughan moved to Erick, Oklahoma, where they lived in a dugout. In the summer of 1905, the family visited Briscoe County, searching for a place to establish a new home. Mr. Vaughan moved his family in a covered wagon to a 640-acre farm nine miles east of Silverton.

In the fall of 1908, she attended a one-room school at Haylake, which her father helped organize. They went ice skating when the lakes froze in winter and played croquet and other games in the summer.

The former Miss Vaughan married Merida Lee Welch August 29, 1920, at the parsonage of the Methodist Church late one Sunday afternoon. The young couple had known one another for years because they had grown up attending school together. She was a homemaker and a farmer, and was honored in 1988 for having been a member of the Methodist Church in Silverton for 70 years.

She and Merida sold their team of horses and mules, and bought a John Deere tractor in the spring of 1939.

He died May 3, 1947.

Mrs. Welch completed a new home for her family on the farm in 1951. Flowers and gardening always were a love of hers, and she raised a vegetable garden until she was in her eighties.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Claudia Burel Welch in 1979 and Lynn Warren Welch in 1992, and by a grandson, Walter Carl Welch in 1981.

Survivors include two sons, Carroll Welch of Kress and Ronald Welch of Tulia; two daughters, Wilma McElmurry of Taft, California and Othel Long of Lubbock; two brothers, Cecil Vaughan of Springdale, Arkansas and Hershah Vaughan of Hollis, Oklahoma; two sisters, Irene Vardell of Clovis, New Mexico and Gladys Brannon of Chillicothe; 13 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers. The family suggested memorials to the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service.

**ANNIE HODGES**

Funeral services for Annie Hodges, 105, were to be conducted at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday at Wallace Funeral Home Chapel in Tulia, with the Rev. Charles Davenport, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was to be in the Silverton Cemetery.

Mrs. Hodges died at 2:45 p.m. Saturday at her residence. She was under hospice care.

The former Miss Annie Dewberry, she was born in Falls County, Texas. She was graduated from San Marcos State Normal School, and came from Marlin, Texas to Silverton in the fall of 1914 to teach. She came by train to Tulia and rode the mail car to the home of her sister in the Rock Creek community. During her second year of teaching, she met Herbert A. (Hub) Hodges.

August 2, 1916, Miss Dewberry married Mr. Hodges at the First Baptist Church in Marlin. In a Model T Ford car they traveled to their new home in eastern Swisher County, which was located about three miles south of the old Mackenzie Battleground.

She taught in the Alexander, Beverly, Whitfield and San Jacinto rural schools.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Tulia.

Mr. Hodges died in 1963. A daughter, Phyllis Jefferson, died in 1944.

Survivors include a son, Lawrence Hodges of Racine, Wisconsin; a daughter, Mary Nell Brown of Tulia; a grandchild and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were to be Trent Finck, Joe Edd Burnett, Jim Bob Burnett, Harold Edwards, Lynn Ellis and Boyd Young.

**Silverton School Lunchroom Menu**

Monday, May 24—Ham and Cheese on a Bun, Salad, Corn, Brownie, Milk

Tuesday, May 25—Corn Dog, Pinto Beans, Fried Okra, Cornbread, Fruit, Milk

Wednesday, May 26—Hamburger with Cheese, French Fries, Salad, Cookie, Milk

Thursday, May 27—Submarine Sandwich, Tater Tots, Fruit, Milk

Friday, May 28—Sack Lunch

**NOTICES**

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION**

To the Registered Voters of the County of Briscoe, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on June 5, 1993, for voting in a special runoff election for U. S. Senator.

Locations of Polling Places:

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Precincts No. 2 & 6 City Hall, Quitaque, TX

Precinct No. 3 . Pioneer Room, FSB, Silverton, TX

Precinct Nos. 4 & 5 . . . . Towe Building, Silverton, TX

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at the Office of the County Clerk in the Briscoe County Courthouse, Silverton, Texas.

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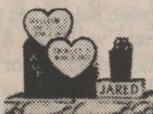
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# Looking Back

through the files of the  
Briscoe County News

May 26, 1983—Jeni Denton is valedictorian and Judy Northcutt is salutatorian of the Class of 1983 . . . Heavy rain, hail falls south of Silverton . . . Celtic Post Office historical marker to be dedicated June 5 . . . Sherri McJimsey to receive degree in nursing at Midwestern State University . . . Miss Annette Kingery, bride-elect of Merle Roehr, is shower honoree here . . . Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gamble are parents of a son, Jason Dwayne . . . The Children's Rainbow Nursery School will be opening in September, under the

direction of Mrs. Gail Wyatt . . . 4-H Trap Shooting project to begin June 4 . . . Plans revealed for summer program for vocational homemaking . . .

May 24, 1973—The old Fort Worth & Denver Railroad Station is being torn down. Built in 1928, when the rail spur was a vital transportation link for this area, the razing of the building erases a familiar landmark from the scene . . . High winds were accompanied by a heavy rain and hail storm about 8:00 p.m. Tuesday . . . Mrs. Connie Comer received her degree at Texas Tech University and was listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester . . . Rhonda Dickerson made the Dean's Honor Roll at Texas Tech for the spring semester . . . H. M. Vaughn was injured in an accident while at work about 5:30 p.m. Thursday . . . Johnny Roy Weaver

received his degree at Texas Tech University this spring. He finished with a 4.00 grade point average . . . Mrs. J. V. Self returned home from West Texas Hospital in Lubbock Saturday after having been a patient there about two weeks . . . School may add kindergarten class . . . Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bridges are parents of a daughter, Sharrel Ellen . . . Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Minyard are parents of a daughter, Lorrie Lee . . .

May 16, 1963—Connie Dudley is valedictorian of eighth grade, and Randy Hughes is salutatorian . . . James Roy Brown on Dean's List at Texas Tech . . . Masako Nakabe will be Silverton's first foreign exchange student . . . Services conducted for Milton Perry . . . Seniors begin finals today . . . Haylake Club meets with Ella Leah Riddell . . . Wes and Annette Fleming spent the

weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nance . . . Susan Anderson is Member of the Year of Zeta Tau Alpha . . . Plaque designs for Canyon Amphitheater to be shown . . . Mrs. Grace Cox and Latressa visited in the A. T. Brooks home Saturday . . .

May 21, 1953—Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Griffin attended Armed Forces Day in Amarillo. Lt. Wayne McMurtry, ROTC member at West Texas State College, participated by leading his company in the parade . . . Senior Class to leave after graduation exercises on a trip to Pensacola, Florida . . . Glen Watters left Monday to report back to San Francisco, California, for naval duty after spending a leave here with his father, Bill Watters, and other relatives . . . Miss Ima Nell Gunn went to Lubbock Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. Gene Clary of Quitaque, who is a patient in a hospital there . . . Mr. and Mrs. Nuke May are parents of a daughter, Barbara . . .

May 27, 1943—Winona Francis is valedictorian and Ruby Weast is salutatorian of the graduating class of 1943 of Silverton High School . . . What are the seniors planning to do next year? Margaret Thomas is planning to enter TSCW at Denton . . . Delma Dean Self is going to take nurses training . . . Betty Jo Howlett may take a business course . . . Elsie Morris plans to go to a barber school in Amarillo . . . Millie Hill is leaving June 1 to go to Fleming Business School . . . Florene Smith will take nurses training . . . Jonnie Allard plans to get a MRS degree at Antelope . . . Faye Bomar is going to Tech . . . Bonnie Lou Hays is going to Hardin-Simmons Junior College at Wichita Falls to major in business education . . . Dorothy McMurtry plans to go to Tech or Stevens to become a dietitian . . . Winona Francis plans to enter West Texas State to major in business administration . . . Wiley D. Nance may farm. He prefers to go to music school in Amarillo . . . Opal Weast is going to West Texas State to major in business administration . . . D. J. Northcutt is going to deliver gas at Tulia . . . Clyde Mercer intends to play messenger boy for Uncle Sam and take a message to Tojo next year . . . Roy Montague is planning to help his Dad . . . Joe Earl Deavenport prefers to join the Army Air Corps, as a radio operator . . . Freddie Garrison is going to farm this summer and wants to enter Washington State University to major in chemical engineering next fall . . . Travis McMinn is planning to take a business course at Tech . . .

October 21, 1926—Peoples Pharmacy is local representative of the Garner Bros. Undertaking Company of Plainview . . . Cemetery needs working; many graves sinking . . . Mrs. J. F. Kitchens, 65, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Schott, Monday, October 18, as a result of taking a quantity of floride of soda, mistaking it for salts. Her death came as a distinct shock to her many relatives and friends in this community. She was a pioneer of Briscoe County, having moved here in 1894 . . . Lewis Gilkeyson has young zoo in back yard . . . Cotton prices continue to drop . . . Hereford man buys big bunch of sheep locally . . .

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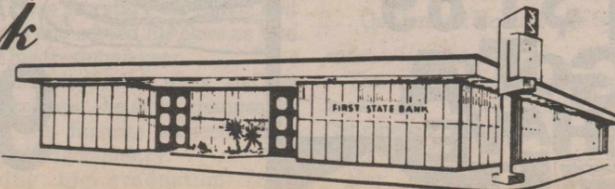
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## Shower Honors Mindy Arnold

A miscellaneous bridal shower was held for Mindy Arnold, bride-elect of Mark Marrs, on Saturday, May 8, from 10:00 until 11:00 a.m. in the Pioneer Room of First State Bank in Silverton.

Guests were greeted by Kim George, the honoree, her mother, Gail Arnold, and the mother of her fiance, Jerry Marrs.

A grapevine wreath, which encircled the punch bowl, was the centerpiece for the refreshment table. Blueberry

muffins, banana nut muffins, sausage pinwheels, quiche, coffee and punch were served by DeLynn Fitzgerald and Carrie Ann Grabbe.

The hostess gift to the couple was a comforter, dust ruffle and pillow shams.

The hostesses were Gina Reed, Kim George, Rhenda Burson, Roy Reed, Colleen Reed, Tina Nance, Carolyn Lowrey, Nancy Wood, Ramona Martin, Mary Myers, Alice and Carrie Ann Grabbe and DeLynn and Pat Fitzgerald.

Out-of-town guests attending were Peggy Chase of Abilene, Viann Arnold of Farwell, Jerry Marrs of Paducah, and Susie Lane of Childress.

## Martin-King Vows Spoken

A lattice archway framed the scene of the union of Sybil Martin and Neilson King in marriage on Friday, May 14, at 10:00 a.m. The private ceremony took place at the home of John T. and Maebelle Francis, with John Francis performing the ceremony.

They were reminded that their marriage was like two ranch gates, swinging together, bound with a chain, locked and the key thrown away.

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illuminated their faces as they spoke their vows and as he placed the ring on her finger.

The aroma of fresh purple irises permeated the air as they climaxed the ceremony with a kiss. Cake and iced tea were served as they conversed with anticipation about their new life together.

The groom is from Weldona, Colorado, and the couple will be making their home part-time in Colorado and part-time in Silverton, home of the bride.

**Join The Chamber!**

## 4-H Parents, Leaders Have Last Meeting

Briscoe County 4-H Leaders and Parents Association had its last meeting of the club year on Monday, May 10, in the Pioneer Room of the First State Bank. The meeting was called to order by Janinne Brooks, and reports were given on awards, finance, projects and training.

Fundraiser ideas, Silverton Area Foundation and election of officers were all part of new business. One fundraiser will be having tickets to Six Flags and Fiesta Texas to sell. Call the Extension office for more information.

Officers elected for the 1993-94 year were Deb Burson, president; Mickey Smith, vice president; Janinne Brooks, secretary-treasurer; Betty Stephens, reporter.

Scott Strawn presented the program on "How to Encourage Parental Involvement." Strawn brought out that parents are indispensable to 4-H. Parents share both the work and success of a club. Other highlights of the program were that parents should be informed, asked and recognized.

Those attending were Charlotte Rhoderick, Deb Burson, Janinne Brooks, Mickey Smith, Ronda Alexander, Scott Strawn and Betty Stephens.

## Senior Citizens To Have Luncheon Friday

Silverton Senior Citizens will have their regular monthly luncheon and business meeting at the center Friday.

Hostesses for the luncheon will be members of the Rock Creek Church of Christ.

### Happy Birthday to . . .

May 20—Pat Braddock, Sonny Thomas, Jackie Tate, Heather Horne, Chad Perry, Aaron Wederski

May 21—Russ Baird, Sonya Ramirez, Mattie Mayfield

May 22—Norma Vaughan, Johnnie Burson, Wayne Henderson, Ed Hutsell, Dwin Davis, Morgan Davis

May 23—Lyndell Ivory

May 24—Liz Griffin

May 25—Curt Garrison, Jim Davis, Drew Reed

May 26—Matt Whittington, Lori Brannon, Barry Francis, Vance Childress, Donna Rowell, Gary Storie, Jeri Parker

### Happy Anniversary to . . .

May 21—Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bradford

May 22—Mr. and Mrs. Terry Davis

May 23—Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison

May 24—Mr. and Mrs. Paul McWilliams

May 25—Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Burson, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Scott Cordell

May 26—Mr. and Mrs. Ken Yates

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Kathrin Karrass

## The Dream of The Real Texas

by Kathrin Karrass  
German exchange student at Valley High School

Texas as the symbol of cowboys, horses and country & western music was my dream destination before I came to America almost nine months ago. But I could not imagine to wait such a long time to see a Texan branding or to ride on horseback.

I found the reason that people probably can not imagine that their daily work is so interesting for a German exchange student. But for example, I spent most of my spare time with horses in Germany.

Well, finally two and a half weeks before I will leave Quitaque I had the spontaneous opportunity to see a branding at Truman Merrell's ranch. On Wednesday morning this dream came true as Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clay took me to one of the last brandings around Quitaque. Even the drive to Truman's ranch opened me a whole new world with a beautiful canyon area where I had not been before.

Having arrived there everybody was already working. Warning of a cruel impression of the branding didn't bother me and I even held a calf that was getting castrated, branded and dehorned. I must admit it was a bloody and hard job that needs a lot of power to hold such a scared calf.

And I thought cowboys never fall off the horse but I witnessed the opposite. One of the most experienced cowboys fell off his horse. Well, nobody is perfect and it was obviously not his luckiest day.

Then while on horseback I even helped to separate the cows and calves. The smell of sweat, dust and burned skin introduced me to the daily hard work of a cowboy.

## Little League Game Schedule

The schedule of Little League games for the Silverton teams are included below.

The Reds are a minor league team of boys coached by Rance Young and Brad Enloe.

The Indians are a minor league team of girls coached by Missy Forbes, Colleen Reed and Liz Griffin.

The Royals are a mixed T-ball team coached by Cam and Missy Forbes.

The Orioles are a mixed T-ball team coached by Ross and Melissa Estes.

- May 22 on Memphis Big Field
- 4:00 Rockies vs. Royals
- 5:00 Expos vs. Orioles
- 7:30 Reds vs. Giants
- May 22 on Memphis Small Field
- 5:00 Phillies vs. Indians
- May 29 at Quitaque
- 12:00 Orioles vs. Yankees
- 2:00 Rockies vs. Royals
- 3:00 Blue Jays vs. Indians
- 5:30 Tigers vs. Reds

The first team listed is the home team and will be in the first base dug-out.

and Chick Childress. There were three teams tied with 34 and the team of Pat George, Donna Morris, Shane Damron and Greg Faught won the playoff on the card for second place. Trent Morris, Norlan Dudley, Hank Rossi and Mikel Griffin took the playoff for third place. Ronnie Miller, Liz Griffin, Teddy McCaslin and James Allison had the other 34.

Our Ladies Golf Association will be traveling to Farwell for a playday on May 12—hopefully not in the snow. We did play at Dimmitt on April 14 and it was in the snow. But we did have some winners that got us points. Emily Hill and Liz Griffin were the winners.

The mens partnership tournament is May 15-16. The Swisher Sweet Tees 4-Lady Scramble will be held on June 5.

Remember there will be a 4-Person Scramble every Wednesday beginning at 6:30 p.m. You need to sign up by 6:00 p.m. Call the Pro Shop at 995-3400.

## Burson To Chair County Campaign

Jimmy Burson has been named chairman for Briscoe County for the County Official Campaign to benefit the Leukemia Society of America. The appointment was announced by J. Grady Walls, executive director of the Leukemia Society's Greater Dallas/Fort Worth Chapter, and Dallas County Commissioner Jim Jackson, chairman of the campaign.

The County Official Campaign will be conducted in 47 of the 123 counties which are served by the Leukemia Society's DFW Chapter. Companies and individuals will be asked to make contributions in support of the society's patient aid program within that particular county.

The goal for the 1993 County Official Campaign is \$35,000, says J. Grady Walls, which translates into a goal of \$750.00 per participating county. The \$750.00 will sponsor one patient for one full year within the society's patient aid program.

The Leukemia Society of America provides direct financial assistance for leukemia patients, conducts public and professional education programs, and supports research at medical centers around the country.

Leukemia is a malignancy of the blood-forming tissues resulting in the uncontrolled production of white blood cells. Leukemia is the number-one killing disease of children and also strikes ten times as many adults.

The Leukemia Society of America is a national voluntary health agency funded by public contributions and dedicated to finding the causes and eventual cures for leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease, and multiple myeloma.

## New Arrivals

Walter and Bobbye Bean are the proud grandparents of a granddaughter, Corrine Casey Bean, who was born May 7, 1993 at Midland Memorial Hospital. She weighed six pounds and 14 ounces. Corrine is 19 inches tall.

Her parents are Casey and Corrina Bean. She has a sister, Christine, who is 13 months old.

Other grandparents are Don and Betty Totzke of Odessa, Josie Boots of Ceylon, Minnesota. Great-grandparents are Susie Autry of Silverton, Hazel Totzke of Fairmont, Minnesota, Bernard and Eunice Pearson of Leeds, England.

### Be A Member Of The Silverton Chamber of Commerce!

## Tule Lake Golf Club News

The first Wednesday night scramble was held on May 5, wind and all. First-place winners with 33 were Buttons Bozeman, KaWilfong, Boyce Mahaney

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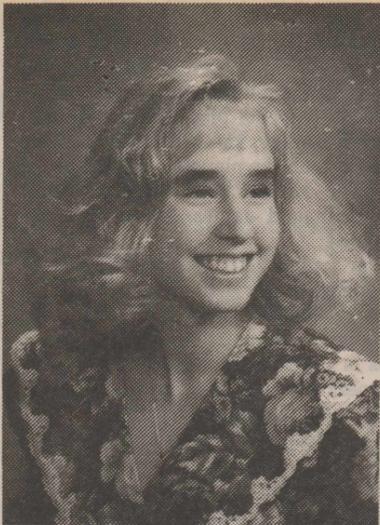
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**Aimee Jo Francis**

Aimee Jo Francis is the daughter of Danny and Donna Francis. She has green eyes, blonde hair, and stands 5'10" tall. Her birthday is September 26.

Aimee was selected as Miss SHS this year, and was chosen as Friendliest her freshman and junior years. She was selected as Most Likely to Succeed her sophomore year.

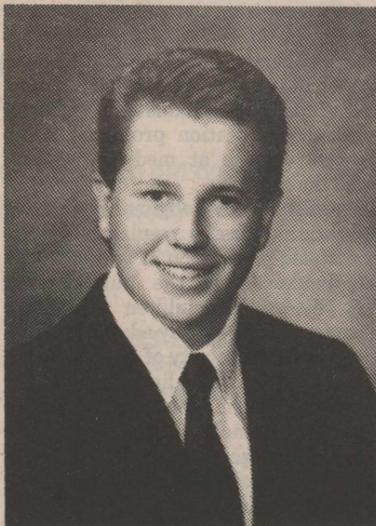
She was elected to Who's Who all four years of her high school career. She was named Most Dependable this year, and was Class Favorite her sophomore year.

She was a member of Student Council one year and has worked on the school yearbook staff the last three years. She served as editor of the yearbook her junior and senior years.

A member of Future Homemakers of America all four years in high school, Aimee has served as president this year. She has been a member of Future Business Leaders of America three years, and was a member of the Pep Squad four years.

She was recipient of the award for Most Improved Athlete her sophomore year, and received the Basketball

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**Steven Jasper**

Steven Jasper is the son of Mick Jasper. His birthday is June 4. He has brown eyes and brown hair and stands 5'5" tall.

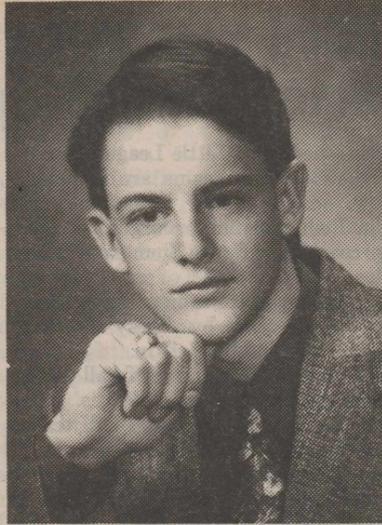
He has been a member of Future Farmers of America all four years of his high school career. He also was a member of Future Homemakers of America his sophomore year.

Steven participated in the UIL One-Act Play presentation this year.

He lists his friend, Don Curry, as having been the greatest influence in his life.

Steven's pet peeve is windy days. His favorite meals are pizza and steak. He enjoys working as a pastime, and the song he likes best is "That Summer" by Garth Brooks.

Following his graduation from Silverton High School, Steven plans to farm.



**Dusty Martin**

Dusty Martin was born January 26, and is the son of Gary and Ramona Martin. He stands 5'10" tall, has green eyes and brown hair. His pet peeves include "nosy people, people that talk about things they had nothing to do with, and people who try to con you into things."

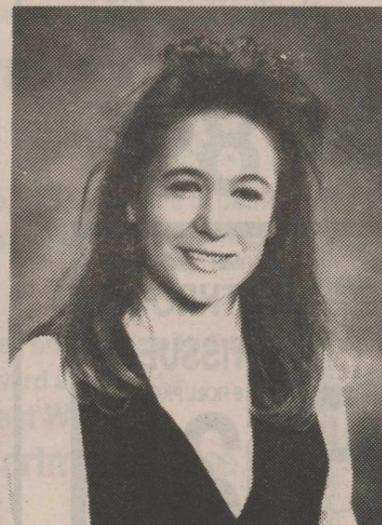
Dorcas Garrison is his favorite teacher, and his favorite subject is "any math course."

Dusty was chosen as Wittiest his freshman year and was elected to Who's Who his sophomore year. He has been included in Who's Who Among American High School Students his junior and senior years.

He was elected Class Favorite as a junior and received the Ag Mechanics award both his sophomore and junior years.

He has served as vice president of his

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**Amy Lynn Minyard**

Amy Lynn Minyard is the daughter of Carl and Fern Minyard. She has hazel eyes, brown hair, and stands 5'5" tall. Her birthday is February 18.

Amy was chosen as Class Favorite this year. She was a member of the Student Council last year, and has worked on the school yearbook staff this year.

Amy has been a member of Future Homemakers of America four years. She participated in UIL keyboarding as a sophomore, and was a member of the Pep Squad one year.

She was recipient of the Home Economics Award her junior year, and has been included in Who's Who Among American High School Students her sophomore and junior years.

Her pet peeve is "people who ignore me." Her favorite meal is chicken fajitas. Her favorite pastime is "being with Shannon."

The song Amy likes best is "Alibis" by Tracy Lawrence. Her favorite subject has been Spanish under Laura Long.

Following her graduation from high school, Amy plans to attend college.

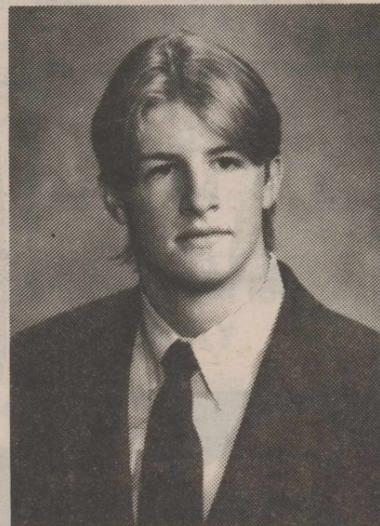


**Melissa Ann Woods**

Melissa Ann Woods is the daughter of Becky Woods of Silverton and Carl Wayne Woods of Quitaque and is the granddaughter of Perry and Estelle Thomas of Silverton and Carl Ross Woods of Quitaque. She stands 5'7" tall, has hazel eyes and brown hair. Her birthday is January 11.

Melissa lists as her favorite pastimes "being outdoors, country and western music and dancing, and rodeos." The activity she has enjoyed most was working on the school yearbook her

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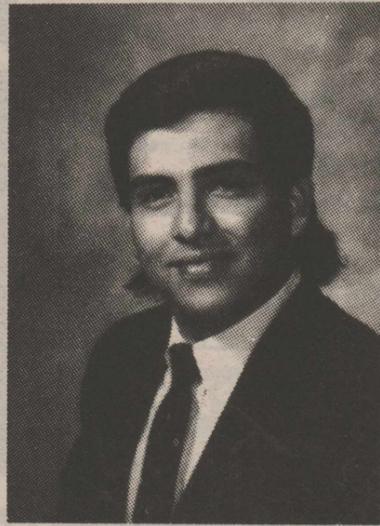


**Wil Bomar**

Wil Bomar is the son of Terry and Paula Bomar. He was born September 18, and stands 6'0". He has blue eyes and light brown hair.

Wil was chosen as Most Handsome his senior year, and was selected as Best Dressed his sophomore year. He served

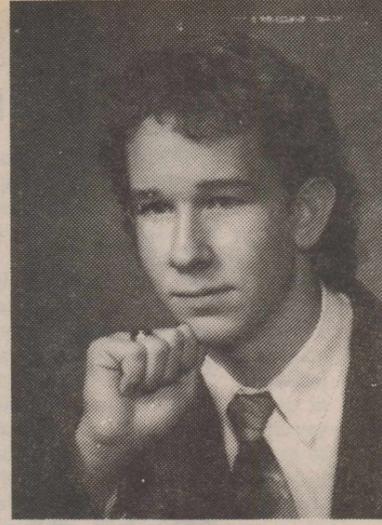
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**Jose Manuel Araujo**

Mose Manuel Araujo was born May 20, and is the son of Isabel and Adela Araujo. He has brown eyes, black hair and stands 5'7" tall.

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**Eddy Ward**

Eddy Ward is the son of Larry and Diane Ward. He was born September 6, CONTINUED ON PAGE NINE



**Maria Garza**

Maria Garza is the daughter of Estella and Eppifanio Garza. Her birthday is September 23. She has brown eyes, brown hair and stands 5'1" tall.

She was a member of Future Homemakers of America her first three years in high school, and participated in UIL keyboarding her sophomore year. She took part in the UIL One-Act Play this year.

Maria was in Pep Squad her junior and senior years, and participated in track her first year in high school. She played basketball as a sophomore.

Maria listed "my loving sisters Anita, Estella and Rosanna" as those who had influenced her life most. Her favorite subject has been Spanish.

The song she likes best is "Nothing Else Matters." Her favorite pastime has been working for the Silverton School. Maria's favorite meals include "hamburgers and chicken strips (yum yum)."

Her pet peeve has been "roaches in the field house."

Following her graduation from Silverton High School, Maria plans to attend Clarendon College.



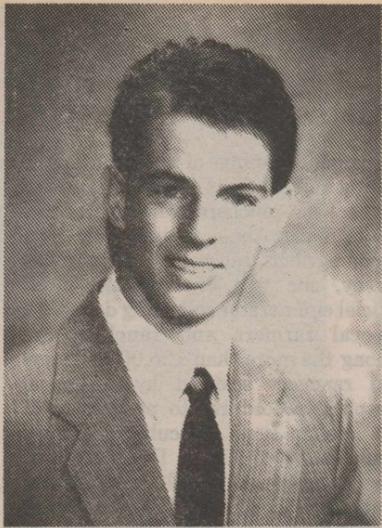
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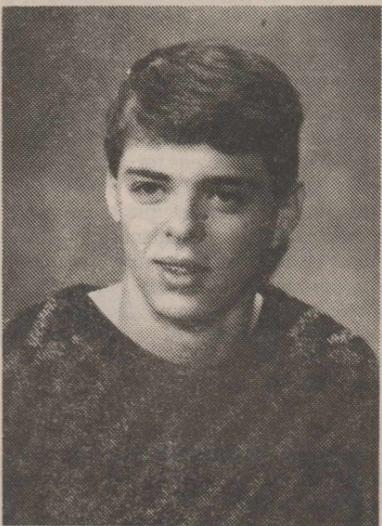
**Casey Martin Frizzell**

Casey Martin Frizzell is the son of Lynn and Kathy Frizzell, and stands 6'0" tall. He has blue eyes and brown hair. His birthday is August 19.

Casey was chosen as Most Athletic his junior year, and was elected to Who's Who his freshman and senior years. He was a member of the Student Council one year.

He was a member of Future Farmers of America his first two years in high school, and was in Future Homemakers of America his sophomore, junior and

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**Michael Hall**

Michael Hall is the son of Mike and Betty Hall. His birthday is June 12. Mike has green eyes, brown hair and stands 5'8" tall.

He lists his dad as having had the greatest influence on his life.

Mike's favorites include pizza, "hanging out with friends" and art as a subject in Silverton High School.

His favorite song is "Cats in the Cradle."

Mike's pet peeve is "people who brag too much."

Following his graduation from high school, Mike plans to enter the Air Force.



**Christy Michelle West**

Christy Michelle West was born July 12, and is the daughter of Ron and Pam Nease. She has blue eyes, blonde hair and stands 5'4" tall. She lists her mother as having had the most influence on her life.

Christy has been a member of Future Homemakers of America four years. She was in the One-Act Play one year, and has been a member of Future Business Leaders of America three

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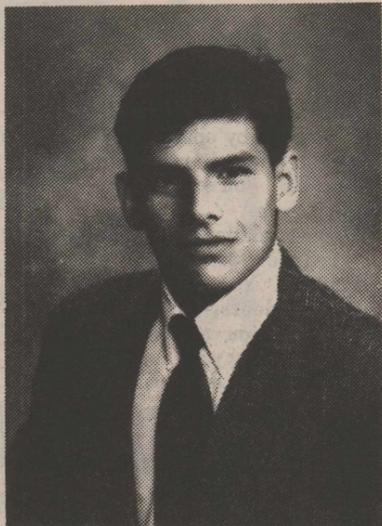


**Cecilia Miranda Castillo**

Cecilia Miranda Castillo is the daughter of Joe and Maria Castillo. Her birthday is January 12, and she stands 5' tall. She has dark brown eyes and black hair.

Cecilia was a member of Future Farmers of America her sophomore

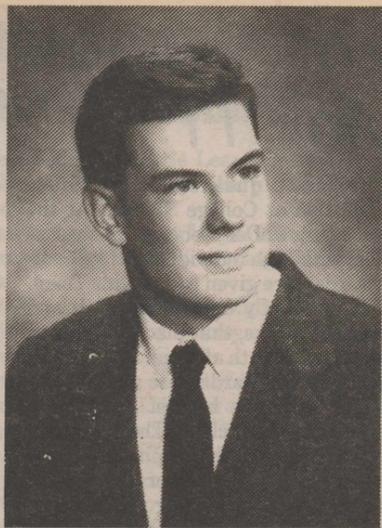
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**Frank Ramirez, Jr.**

Frank Ramirez, jr. is the son of Adelmira Ramirez and the late Frank Ramirez. He has black eyes, black hair and stands 5'7" tall. His birthday is November 18.

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**Lance Bradford**

Lance Bradford is the son of Doug and Jeanetta Bradford. His birthday is April 6, and he stands 6'2" tall. He has blue eyes and brown hair.

Lance is a four-year member of Future Farmers of America, and served as chapter reporter his sophomore and senior years.

He played football four years, and received an All-District honorable mention this year.

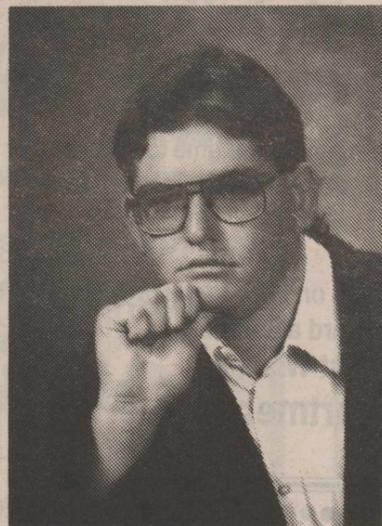
He participated in track his first two years in high school, and took part in the production of the UIL One-Act Play this year.

He is a recipient of the 4-H Gold Star Award, highest given on the county level.

Lance has played golf three years, and was a regional qualifier his junior and senior years.

His pet peeve is "windy, rainy days." His favorite pastime is playing golf, and the song he enjoys most is "Unforgiven"

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**Stan Gamble**

Stan Gamble is the son of Stanley and Frances Gamble. His birthday is February 15. He has hazel eyes, brown hair and stands 5'10" tall.

Stan was chosen as Class Favorite this year.

He is a four-year member of Future Farmers of America, and has served that organization as vice president this year.

Stan played football four years, and received honorable mention on the All-District defensive team.

He participated in track his first two years in high school, and was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students his sophomore and junior years.

Stan's pet peeves are "smart-alec people, back stabbers, nosy people." His favorite meal is steak and potatoes.

He lists "being with friends" as his favorite pastime, and Trig as his favorite subject. The music he enjoys most is any AC/DC number.

Stan is undecided about his plans for the future.



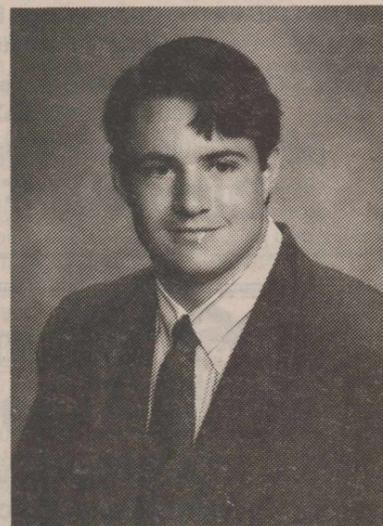
**Christine Casillas**

Christine Casillas was born January 24, and is the daughter of Sammy Ruiz and Connie Netro. She has brown hair and eyes and stands 5'4" tall.

Her favorite food is pizza, and her favorite pastime is being with friends. Christine's pet peeve is "people who smack."

Christine participated in track one year, and lists her aunts and mom as the ones who have influenced her life

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**Lance W. Smith**

Lance Smith is the son of Gerald and Raye Smith. He has brown eyes, brown hair, and stands 6' tall. His birthday is April 8.

Lance was a member of Future Farmers of America his freshman year, and was a member of Future Homemakers of America four years. He was included in Who's Who Among American High School Students two years.

He was the Merrill Lynch Stock Competition Essay Contest winner, and was first-place District PTA Reflections photography contest winner.

He served as president of his junior class, and played basketball his first two years in high school. He played football four years.

Lance received honorable mention when the All-Star Cast was selected in UIL One-Act Play competition. He was a member of Future Business Leaders of America three years.

Lance's pet peeves are "gossip, ignorant people and the government." His favorite foods are veal parmesan and oysters on the half shell.

His favorite music is "Ugly Kid Joe," "Cats in the Cradle," and "Alive" by Pearl Jam.

Lance likes to spend his spare time "partying with my friends, snow skiing, reading." His favorite subject in SHS has been physics, and he lists Ayn Rand as the one who influenced his life most.

Following his graduation from Silverton High School, he plans to enter Texas A&M and eventually to work in the tourism industry.



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# Awards Given at Annual FFA Banquet May 11

Lance Bradford, Reporter

The annual FFA Parent-Member Banquet was held Tuesday, May 11, at 7:30 in the school cafeteria. There were a number of awards given at this meeting.

Kristi Smith, Cy Comer and Jeremiah Brooks received their Chapter Farmer pins.

The Dairy Cattle Judging Team, Desley Kellum, Cy Comer, Michael Hill and JoDee Robison, was recognized. This team placed first at District, second at Area, and third at Texas

Tech, and qualified for State competition at College Station. At the State event, JoDee Robison finished as the seventh high individual.

Awards were given to the Quiz Team, Kristi Smith, Cy Comer, Zeb Holt and Jeremiah Brooks, that placed second at District and eighth at Area.

Scholarship awards were given to the students with the highest grade-point averages in their class. The freshman was Cy Comer, the sophomore was Michael Hill, the junior was Matt Francis, and the senior was Lance Bradford. The overall highest grade

point award went to Cy Comer.

The Ag Mechanics awards were given to Heath Braddock, freshman; Michael Hill, sophomore; Lance Holt, junior, and Dusty Martin, senior. The overall award for excellence in Ag Mechanics went to Dusty Martin.

The Salesmanship Award was given to Stan Gamble for the third year.

The Showmanship award was given to the person who was judged to have best worked with his animal from start to finish and presented the animal well in the livestock show. This year's Showmanship Award went to Jay Arnold.

This year, like every year, a judging contest was held for the parents and this year the top three placers were all women. In first place was Erlene Wilson, second went to Denise Kellum and third went to Mary Lane Younger.

Receiving the Star Greenhand Award was Cy Comer. Cy was the most active freshman in the FFA. He had the overall highest grade point average, and was on the Dairy Judging team that went to state.

The Star Chapter Farmer award went to JoDee Robison. JoDee was the Chapter President, showed swine, was on the Dairy Judging team, attended all District meetings, District Banquet and Area Convention.

An Honorary Membership was given to Lynn Smith for his outstanding work and leadership with the Silverton FFA Chapter.

Appreciation is expressed to those who donated prizes for the judging contest: Briscoe Implement, Briscoe County News, Nance's Food Store, Brown Hardware, Brown-McMurtry Implement, Amy's, Shirley Durham, Pizza Box, Allsup's, Tiffin's Dept. Store, Jerry's Boot Shop, Jerry's Malt Shop, Shear Delight, Dow-Elanco, and H & H Fertilizer.

# National Ag Survey Planned

Juannah Jennings of Silverton will be calling on several Briscoe County farmers and ranchers over the next few weeks asking them to take part in a major agricultural survey. During the survey, she will be working as an official enumerator collecting data.

Local farmers and ranchers are among the more than 125,000 farmers and ranchers selected by statistical sampling procedures to participate in the annual June Agricultural Survey conducted by the U. S. Department of Agriculture's National Agricultural Statistics Service. The Texas Agricultural Statistics Service in Austin, the local arm of the service, is handling the Texas portion of the survey.

"The information gathered will be used to make state, regional and national estimates of crop acreage, grain stocks, livestock inventories, and number of farms and land in farms," said Dennis Findley, state statistician.

Findley added that USDA and university economists, Extension agents, farm organizations, lenders, and others depend on the information. "In addition, federal and state agricultural officials base many of their decisions on the results of this survey," he said, "as well as farmers and ranchers who rely on these estimates to reach production, marketing, and investment decisions."

It is, therefore, important for Briscoe County farmers to participate in the survey to ensure that local agriculture is reflected accurately in the results. Most farmers selected for interviews already have been notified by mail.

"Responses to survey questionnaires are kept strictly confidential," Mrs. Jennings said. Data about an individual farm or ranch are used only in conjunction with reports from other producers. USDA will analyze the results and begin reporting the findings in the next few weeks.

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## EXTENSION TOPICS FOR TODAY

by Ronda Alexander  
Briscoe County Extension Agent  
Home Economics

### Save Dollars the Simple Way

Although we have had cool weather lately, the summer heat will be with us soon. This doesn't necessarily have to mean your energy bills will increase with the heat. Proper selection, installation and maintenance of your cooling system can save you money while improving the comfort in your home.

The simplest way to begin conserving energy is not to cool rooms which aren't being used. Some rooms or areas may need only a small amount of cooling. Another way to adjust the cooling in some rooms is by opening and closing registers. If you registers aren't adjustable, you might consider replacing them.

Proper ventilation of your house also can reduce the need for air conditioning. You can use windows, screened doors, other natural ventilation or you can use electric fans. Avoid ventilating your house when it is cooler inside than out; you need to keep

the cool air trapped. Opening vents or windows near the ceiling can help to eliminate trapped hot air.

The sun shining through windows increases the load on an air conditioner. You can help to prevent this by blocking the entrance of the sun's rays. Keep drapes, blinds and shutters closed when the sun is shining directly on them. Installing awnings over the windows also can act as a shade. The overhang or awning should extend far enough to provide full shade in the summer, but let in the sun during winter months.

Proper care and maintenance is essential in keeping all types of equipment working well. Consult your owner's guide for more information on servicing your specific type of unit. Keeping equipment in good operating condition can save you a lot, not only in dollars but also in headaches!

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**Aimee Francis**

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Award her junior year. Aimee has been on the honor roll four years and a member of National Honor Society the past three years.

She has participated in basketball and track all four years, and received All-District honors in basketball her sophomore and senior years. She served as basketball team captain this year.

Aimee was Football Queen her junior year, and has been included in Who's Who Among American High School Students four years.

Aimee lists her parents as having influenced her life most, and says that art has been her favorite subject.

Her pet peeves are "backstabbers and snobs" and her favorite pastimes are drawing and playing basketball.

The song Aimee likes best is "I Will Be Here For You" by Michael W. Smith. Her favorite meal is Mexican food.

Following her graduation from Silverton High School, Aimee plans to enroll as a student at West Texas A&M.

**Dusty Martin**

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class and is the present senior class president.

Dusty has been on the honor roll all four years he has been in high school, and has been a member of National Honor Society three years.

Dusty's favorite pastimes are "hunting and spending time with my friends." His favorite food is steak, and he plans to enter college following his graduation from Silverton High School.

**Melissa Woods**

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junior year.

She is a four-year member of the Future Homemakers of America and has competed in UIL number sense, calculator skills and spelling. She was a member of the National Honor Society three years, and served that organization as secretary-treasurer her sophomore year. She has been on the honor roll all four years of her high school career.

She was a member of Future Business Leaders of America her sophomore and junior years, and served as reporter of her class as a sophomore.

Melissa has been chosen Most Likely to Succeed this year and was named Most Dependable her sophomore year. She was in her class play her sophomore year. She has been included in Who's Who Among American High School Students four years.

As a HAM radio operator, Melissa is a certified SKYWARN spotter for the National Weather Service. She is an AREA member and an American Red Cross volunteer. She received the American Red Cross Outstanding Service Award for her work during the Fritch disaster cleanup. Other awards she has received include USAA National Math Award; USAA National Academic All-Scholar Award; USAA National Leadership and Service Award; USAA National Leadership Award; 1991 Youth Tour participant; USAA National English Award.

Melissa's pet peeve is "people who try to run my life." This is followed closely by "gossip and people who switch friends." Her favorite food is "my grandmother's cooking." The songs she likes best are the country and western numbers, and especially Chris LeDoux' "My Heroes Have Always Been Cowboys."

She lists her mother as having influenced her life most, along with everyone from Youth Tour 1991.

Following her graduation from Silverton High School, Melissa plans to work toward her degree at West Texas A&M University in May 1998 with a bachelor of science in environmental science and biology wildlife.

**Eddy Ward**

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and stands 5'10" tall. He has hazel eyes and brown hair. His plans for the future are, "as William Blake says, 'to cleanse the doors of perception and see things as they are—infinite'."

Eddy has been on the honor roll four years, and is a three-year member of the National Honor Society. He has received the National English Merit Award three years, and has been included in Who's Who Among American High School Students four years.

Eddy was chosen as Wittiest this year, and worked on the school yearbook staff the last two years. He has taken part in ready writing and science the past three years.

He was a member of both the Future Homemakers of America and Future Business Leaders of America this year.

Eddy lists his pet peeves as "incompetence and irrational convictions." His favorite food is doughnuts, and the song he enjoys most is "Imagine" by John Lennon. His favorite subject is "life and the nature of reality."

Eddy lists those who have influenced his life most as "Carl Gustav Jung, Robert Porsig and Stephen King."

**Casey Frizzell**

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senior years. He was the FHA reporter his junior year, and has been vice president this year.

Casey is a three-year member of National Honor Society, having served as vice president his junior and senior years. He is a three-year member of Future Business Leaders of America, and is serving that club as president this year.

He has participated in UIL math, typing and science, and received All-Star Cast honors this year in UIL One-Act Play.

He has been included in Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Casey has been an outstanding athlete during his high school career, having played football and basketball four years. He was named to the All-District team in football his sophomore, junior and senior years. He was chosen for the All-State team this year and received Academic All-State honors his junior and senior years. He was a member of the Amarillo Globe-News Super Team this year, and was a team captain.

Casey was named to the All-District team in basketball his senior year, the Academic All-District team as a junior, and the Academic All-State team his junior and senior years. He was a team captain in basketball this year.

Casey received a knee injury in football on which he continued to play throughout the rest of the season, and in the state basketball playoffs went down with an injury to his other knee. This required surgery, and he continues to recuperate and contemplate whether or not he will try to participate in the All-Star Game during the coaching school in June.

Casey participated in track his first three years in high school, and was a regional qualifier his sophomore and junior years. He received both the Basketball and Track awards his junior year.

He received the Most Valuable Athlete award his junior year.

He was class secretary his junior and senior years and served his class as vice president his freshman year.

Casey's favorite food is pizza, and the song he likes best, he says, changes all the time. His favorite subjects have been art and trigonometry.

Following his graduation from Silverton High School, Casey plans to enter college.

**Christy West**

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years.

A cheerleader two years, she was Football Queen this year. She played basketball three years and was a member of the Pep Squad one year.

Christy served on the school yearbook staff three years, and in the Student Council two years, and is serving as the Student Council president this year.

She was chosen as Class Favorite her freshman and junior years, and was named Most Popular her junior year. She is a three-year member of National Honor Society.

Christy's favorite subject has been psychology, and her favorite song is "The Heart Won't Lie" by Reba McEntire and Vince Gill. The pastime she enjoys most is "spending time with family and friends, and shopping." Pizza is Christy's favorite food, and her pet peeve is "people who star and talk behind your back."

Following her graduation from Silverton High School, she plans to enter West Texas A&M University.

**Wil Bomar**

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as Student Council secretary his junior year.

Wil played football three years, and was selected as a defensive safety on the second team All-District. He was a member of Future Farmers of America two years and Future Homemakers of America two years. He took part in the UIL One-Act Play this year.

He ran track and played basketball his first years in high school. He has served as class president his freshman and sophomore years.

Wil's pet peeve is "people that gossip and backstab." His favorite pastime is "hanging out with friends." The music he likes best is AC/DC "Ride On."

Spanish has been Wil's favorite subject, and the meal he enjoys most is T-bone steak and baked potato.

Following his graduation from Silverton High School, Wil plans to work and attend college.

**Jose Araujo**

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He has served as vice president of the Student Council this year, and was a member of Future Farmers of America his first two years in high school.

Jose participated in the UIL One-Act Play this year. He has been a member of Future Homemakers of America, and was included in Who's Who Among American High School Students his sophomore and junior years.

Jose's pet peeve is "windy days," his favorite food is fajitas, and the pastime he enjoys most is driving around. The song he likes to listen to is "Nothing Else Matters," by Metallica.

His favorite subject has been math under Dorcas Garrison.

Jose plans to enter college following his graduation from Silverton High School.

**Lance Bradford**

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by Metallica. Lance's favorite subject has been math under Mrs. Garrison, and Mrs. Jennings is his favorite teacher. The meal he likes best is steak and potatoes.

Following his high school graduation, Lance plans to enter college.

**Christine Casillas**

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most.

The songs she enjoys listening to most are "Boot Scootin' Boogie," "Shameless," "Friends in Low Places," "Stranger."

Her favorite subject has been Spanish, and her plan for the future includes college.

**Frank Ramirez, Jr.**

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Frank, or Junior as he is better known, was chosen as Mr. SHS this year. He also was tabbed as Best Dressed. He was selected as Most Handsome last year and as Most Athletic his sophomore year.

He was a Student Council representative one year, and was a member of Future Farmers of America his first two years in high school. He served FFA as sentinel.

He was a member of Future Homemakers of America four years, and was in Future Business Leaders of America three years.

Junior is an outstanding athlete, doing more with his small size than most people would believe possible. Part of this is due to his excellent jumping ability.

He played football and basketball four years. In football, he was named to the All-District team his junior and senior years, received honorable mention his sophomore year. He was the second team quarterback this year.

In basketball, he was named All-District his junior and senior years. He received honorable mention his sophomore year. He was the Most Valuable Player this year and was named to the first team All-State.

Junior was basketball team captain two years and was football team captain this year. He was named to the Amarillo Globe-New Super Team his junior year.

He participated in track his freshman, sophomore and senior years.

Junior says that trig and pre-cal are his favorite subjects in SHS, and that Mrs. Garrison is his favorite teacher. He lists Trés Jordan Ramirez as having had the greatest influence on his life.

Junior's pet peeve is "people messin' with my hair."

He enjoys eating steak, being with family and friends, and listening to "On With the Show" by Motley Crue.

Following his graduation from Silverton High School, Junior plans to "go to college and try to play basketball."

**Cecilia Castillo**

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year, and is a four-year member of Future Homemakers of America. She participated in track her sophomore year, and was a member of the Pep Squad three years.

Cecilia played basketball her sophomore and junior years.

A recipient of the 4-H Gold Star Award, highest award given on the county level in 4-H, Cecilia has won the "I Dare You" award. The last two years, she was included in Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Cecilia's pet peeve is "back stabbers." Her favorite food is hamburgers, and her favorite pastimes are "being with friends, and playing basketball."

Her favorite subjects have been Spanish and Algebra II, and her favorite teacher is Mrs. Garrison. She lists her mother as having been the greatest influence in her life. Her favorite song is "Como Me Duele Amor."

Following her graduation from Silverton High School, Cecilia plans to enter Amarillo College.

**Maria Gonzales**

Maria Gonzales is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raul Acencio. She was born August 17, and has brown eyes and black hair. She stands 5'1" tall.

She lists her parents as having been the greatest influence in her life.

Maria's favorite subject is history, and the song she enjoys most is "Sand Man" by Metallica.

Her favorite food is pizza.

# WEATHER

**MAY 24-HOUR READINGS**

DAY	HIGH	LOW	PRECIP.
1	77	47	
2	55	42	.56
3	63	40	.08
4	77	38	
5	89	51	
6	86	57	
7	81	58	
8	79	52	.43
9	79	53	
10	63	40	.02
11	70	41	
12	64	46	
13	70	48	
14	79	48	
15	88	47	
16	86	51	
17	80	57	.20
18	84	57	.07
Total Precip. for May			1.36
Normal Precip. for May			3.11
Total Precip. Year to Date			5.55
Normal Precip. Year to Date			6.78
Soil Temperature			66°



BY Shawn Wade

Announcement of the 1993-crop Upland Cotton Premium and Discount schedule by USDA May 5 was slightly premature according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG).

Following the initial release of the loan schedule several mistakes were recognized by PCG and other industry officials. After calling these problems to the attention of USDA it was discovered that the wrong schedule had been released May 5. USDA officials say that growers need to be careful and check to make sure they are using the correct schedule that was released May 11.

"In order to make sure the correct premium and discount information is used, PCG is in the final stages of putting together a schedule of minimum loan rates for the various qualities of cotton," says Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President. "We are putting this together so that everyone will have the correct information to go by."

Problems that made the initial premium and discount schedule inaccurate were isolated in color grades 52 and 62. It seems a few of the grade 52's in Leaf grades 1-2 and all the Leaf grade 3's were valued more than their grade 51 counterparts. Color grade 62's also were valued higher than grade 61's in all leaf grades except 5 and 6 which were correct.

"If the loan values you are using have the grade 62's worth more than the grade 61's then you are using the wrong

loan schedule," says Johnson. "If this is the case, please throw away the schedule you are using and get a copy of the corrected premium and discount schedule."

PCG encourages everyone to take a few minutes to determine if they have the correct premium and discount schedule.

### DATE SET FOR 1993 SCOUT TRAINING WORKSHOP

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service has announced the date of the 1993 High Plains Scout Training Workshop. The annual workshop will be held at the Ollie Liner Center in Plainview on June 1.

According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) the workshop has been accredited by the Texas Department of Agriculture for up to five Continuing Education Credits (CEU's) for commercial, non-commercial and private pesticide applicators. There is no charge for the workshop and the public is welcome to attend.

the more advanced player.

Coach Sheryl Estes will direct all phases of the camp and will give personal instruction to the campers. Coach Estes is in her fourth year as head coach of the Flying Queens. The last three years at Wayland, she has compiled a record of 87-25. The Flying Queens have won the District Championship and participated in the NAIA National Tournament all three seasons. Last year, the Queens finished second at the NAIA National Tournament with a 29-6 record. Coach Estes has been District 8 Coach of the Year for three straight years and was named AWSF All-American Coach twice. She has had extensive camp experience and has successfully directed the Flying Queen Camp the last three summers.

Price of the camp includes a T-shirt, basketball, picture, room, board, accident insurance and entertainment.

If you need a form to apply for admission, you may have one at the Briscoe County News.

## Youth Project Loans Available

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) makes loans to individual rural youth who are 10 through 20 years of age to establish and operate income-producing projects of modest size in connection with their participation in 4-H Clubs, Future Farmers of America, and similar organizations. Ross James, County Supervisor for Swisher/Briscoe counties, said that this program is an excellent program for young people to learn the basics of borrowing money and learning financial management.

If you are interested in this program, contact the Tulia FmHA office, 219 NW 2nd, or call 995-2318 for additional information.

## Flying Queens Set Basketball Camp Sessions

The 1993 Flying Queen Basketball Camp has scheduled non-varsity sessions for girls May 30-June 4; June 13-18 and June 20-25. A session for varsity girls will be held June 6-11.

The varsity camp schedule will vary from the non-varsity schedule. More time and emphasis will be spent on individual skills by position and five-on-five team situations. Competitive drills and games will be used extensively in the varsity camp. More advanced drills and concepts will be used to accommodate

## Silverton Native Receives Degree

Melinda Sutton participated in commencement exercises held Saturday, May 15, at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview.

Miss Sutton received her master's degree in business administration.

The graduation ceremony was held in Harrah Memorial Auditorium.

## Public Notice

On April 16, 1993, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (SWBT) filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) for approval of a new optional service, Network Subscriber Information Interface (NSII). NSII is a new service feature developed primarily for the provision of Voice Messaging Service (VMS). It will give a VMS provider (as SWBT's customer) the ability to receive originating call information from SWBT's central office and to activate and deactivate a Message Waiting Indicator (MWI) on the line of the VMS provider's patron. NSII also gives the VMS provider the ability to activate and deactivate an intermittent dial tone on a patron's line in multiple offices. The VMS provider will be able to perform these functions in multiple offices through a connection to a single Message Node office. The Message Node will be a predesignated central office and will interconnect with all central offices within the Message Node Service Area. Upon approval of this application, NSII will be available to customers where facilities are available. Available facilities are not currently deployed statewide. The proposed effective date of this service is June 20, 1993.

SWBT estimates these new services will increase its annual revenues during the first year by approximately \$2.4 million. VMS providers and Telephone Answering Services and their subscribers are the types of customers likely to be affected by approval of these services.

The proposed recurring monthly rate and nonrecurring installation charge is as follows:

Rate Element	Recurring	Nonrecurring
NSII	\$6,000.00	\$2,000.00

Persons who wish to comment on this application should notify the Commission by June 10, 1993. Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or you may call the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at 512-458-0256, or 512-458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

  
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 Evening Worship ..... 5:00 p.m.  
 WEDNESDAY:  
 Bible Study..... 7:00 p.m.

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 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  
 Bryan Donahoo, 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  
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Brad Enloe, Pastor

SUNDAY:  
 Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
 Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Youth Group ..... 7:00 p.m.

FIRST MONDAY:  
 United Methodist Men . 6:00 a.m.

TUESDAY:  
 United Meth. Women... 9:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY:  
 Choir Practice ..... 5:00 p.m.  
 In-home Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

THIRD SATURDAY:  
 Family Fun Night ..... 7:00 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.

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SUNDAY:  
 Mass..... 9:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY:  
 Doctrina Class ..... 4:30-5:30 p.m.  
 Junior & Senior  
 High..... 4:30-5:30 p.m.

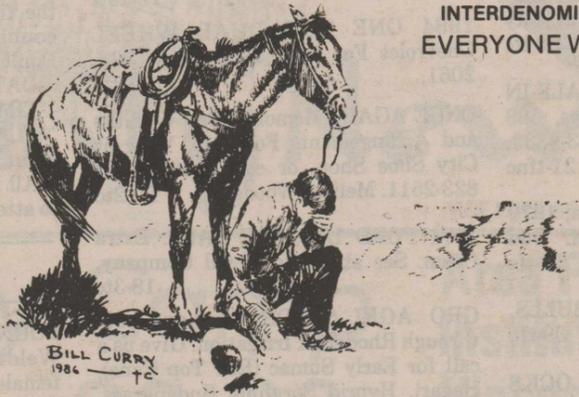
ROCK CREEK  
 CHURCH OF CHRIST

SUNDAY:  
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 Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:  
 Worship Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

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 8:00 p.m. .... WORSHIP SERVICE

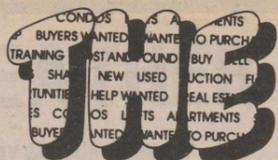
**FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY SCHEDULE**

6:30 a.m. .... BREAKFAST  
 8:00 a.m. .... BIBLE STUDY  
 9:00-11:00 a.m. .... FREE TIME  
 9:00-11:00 a.m. Saturday ..... HORSEBACK TRAIL RIDE OR GAMES FOR ALL AGES  
 11:30 a.m. .... WORSHIP SERVICE  
 12:30 p.m. .... LUNCH  
 1:30-5:30 p.m. .... GAMES & CRAFT DEMONSTRATIONS  
 (All Demonstrations Welcome—No Selling on Premises)  
 1:30-4:30 p.m. Saturday ..... TRAIL HIKES & GAMES FOR ALL AGES  
 1:30-4:30 p.m. Sunday ..... GOSPEL & COWBOY MUSIC JUBILEE  
 5:30-6:00 p.m. .... PRAYER TREE  
 6:30 p.m. .... SUPPER  
 7:30 p.m. .... CHOIR PRACTICE  
 8:00 p.m. .... WORSHIP SERVICE  
 9:00 p.m. .... COMEDY & COWBOY SONGS ..... CAMPFIRE FELLOWSHIP  
 (All Instruments Welcome)  
 9:00 p.m. Sunday ..... FAREWELLS

DONATIONS TO HELP DEFRAY THE COST OF THE COWBOY CAMP MEETING WILL BE ACCEPTED.

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**PUBLIC MEETING**

**PURPOSE:** For the discussion of Transportation Improvement Plans for the fiscal year 1994 in the following counties: Briscoe, Collingsworth, Donley, Hall and Wheeler.

**DATE:** Tuesday, May 25, 1993.  
**TIME:** 10:00 a.m.  
**PLACE:** First Bank & Trust, 301 Main, Clarendon, Texas.  
All interested parties are encouraged to attend. 13-2tc

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**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The U. S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service and Soil Conservation Service in Briscoe County, is seeking a new office location within the city limits of Silverton, Texas, as described in the bid information. This office requires 2944 square feet of net usable, high quality office space on the first floor.

Anyone interested should call Earlyne Hutsell at 806-823-3421 or come by the Briscoe County ASCS Office at 601 Main Street, Silverton, Texas for a copy of the solicitation. 20-1tc

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

The City of Silverton will accept sealed bids until 5:00 p.m. June 11, 1993, at the City Hall, Silverton, Texas, for the below listed vehicle.

1978 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton Pickup  
ID No. CCD448F497155  
Bids will be opened at 8:00 p.m. June 14, 1993, at the regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Silverton. The City reserves the right to refuse any and all bids.

Jerry Patton  
City Secretary  
City of Silverton, Texas

20-3tc

**NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF R. C. KITCHENS, DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that Original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of R. C. Kitchens were issued on May 10, 1993 in Cause No. 1299, pending in the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas, to:

Ronald Dale Kitchens  
Robert Lynn Kitchens

The residences of the Executors are in Floydada, Texas and in El Paso, Texas.

Estate of R. C. Kitchens  
Ronald Dale Kitchens and  
Robert Lynn Kitchens,  
Co-Independent Executors  
c/o Sharon Sutton Pigg,  
Attorney For The Estate  
SBN 16005220  
P. O. Box 651  
Silverton, Texas 79257  
Phone: 806/823-2520

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

Dated the 10th day of May, 1993.

20-1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**

How can we begin to say thanks to the people of Silverton for all you have done for us and for Grandmother during these last months of her life, and at her death? For each kind word of sympathy, and for the food, flowers, memorials and cards, we are truly grateful. The honor and high esteem shown toward her by this community will always be our most cherished memory.

The family of  
Charlsie Bomar Arnold

I would like to thank all those who expressed confidence in me by electing me to represent you in the City Council. I will do my best for you.  
W. D. Rowell

I want to thank everyone who sponsored me in the Bike-A-Thon for St. Jude's. Thanks again,  
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