

# Briscoe County News

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Friday has been declared as "WEAR RED" DAY in support of the Owls and Lady Owls who will be seeking to win the district championships here that night. It is hoped that a very large number of fans will be on hand at the gym to cheer the fighting Owls and Lady Owls to their first double championship in many years—maybe the first ever. There have been some good boys teams and there have been some good girls teams, but rarely have they occurred at the same time.

It is already known that the Owls and Lady Owls will go into the state playoffs, but there are advantages for the teams that win the championships and go into the playoffs as the first-place teams because they get to play the second-place teams from the other districts.

Wear red, and be there cheering for the home teams as they put their records on the line with Samnorwood Friday night. Tipoff in the first game is 5:00 p.m.

Heather Turner, freshman merchandising major at Texas Tech University, was named to the dean's list for the fall semester. She is a recipient of the Manire-Roch Scholarship and is the granddaughter of Carolyn and Joe Luckenbach.

D'anna Russell is the city secretary for the City of Roaring Springs and a beautician in Matador. Her husband, J. D., works for the Matador Ranch. Their children are Colton, eight, a second grader, and Shane'a, five, who attends pre-school. D'anna is the granddaughter of Lottie Garrison.

Tay Cannon, Tulia High School Student Council President, is one of several area students appearing on the 5:00 and 6:00 p.m. nightly newscasts of KFDD-10 through February 11. She and Walt Howard, news anchorman, talk about Thomas Nast, a famous illustrator. Tay is the granddaughter of Fred and Vivone Arnold.

Cynthia (Hale) Cagle is the new manager of the Allsup's store in Matador. She and her husband, Billy, live north of Flomot. They have three children: Donnie, 15, an eighth grader; Ashley, 12, a sixth grader; Elisa, eight, a second grader. Cynthia is the granddaughter of R. E. and Maggie Sweek.

## Owls Own First Half Of Championship

Silverton's Owls and Lady Owls earned the first half of the district championship at Samnorwood Tuesday night of last week. The Owl Ladies cruised to a 59-32 victory with all eleven players putting points into the baskets, while the Owls fought to the end of a second overtime period before taking the 83-80 advantage.

The double overtime game was just as exciting as you might expect, with the Owls having trailed throughout the game. They went into a 61-60 lead for the first time on a basket by Jack Cherry with 1:18 remaining in regulation play. Cory Chandler slipped in a two-point basket just before the first overtime ended to tie the score at 73-73, and went on to score on free throws in the second overtime. Jared Holt also got in a point from the line, but it was the big man, Jack Cherry, who pumped seven points in for the Owls during the overtimes.

Cherry fought off the double team all night long as he rang up 34 big points for the Owls.

Brandon Sarchet also scored in double figures with 16 points to his credit. Adding to the score were Trey Wyatt and Jared Holt, who got nine points each; Chandler, seven; Arnold Garza, four; Jay Arnold and Jon Ivory, two points each.

Three pointers were scored by Sarchet, three; Cherry, two; Wyatt, one. Scores at the ends of the quarters were 15-17, 27-31, 43-49, 64-64, 73-73, 83-80.

It was a very big game for the Owls, who have come from a very dismal season last year to winning their last 17 games in a row, and for Coach Donnie Dutton.

No less important was the win by the Lady Owls who held big leads at the end of each quarter: 23-5, 31-13, 46-18, 59-32.

All eleven of the girls scored, led by Lacy Brunson's 12 points, Molly Bomar's 11 points and Dedra Johnston's 10 points. Also scoring were Michelle Warren and Misty Wilkinson, five points

each; Dara Ramsey, four; Shauna Kingery and Molly Brooks, three points each; Lori Brannon, Kenzie Burson and Lindsey Weaks, two points each.

A mostly-freshman team played for the Lady Owls during much of the fourth quarter.

Three pointers were scored by Dedra, two; Shauna and Molly Brooks, one each.

The junior varsity Owls dropped their game to a hard-charging group of Samnorwood boys after trailing at the end of each quarter: 7-19, 13-42, 27-53, 38-67.

Chris Justice led the offense by scoring 10 points. Hector Martinez and Jeremy Holt rang up nine points each; Jared Francis, six; Jason Cherry and Will Hester, two points each.

Three pointers were scored by Martinez and Holt.

Win Owls, Lady Owls!

## Youth Group Invites You to Brisket Meal Wednesday, Feb. 14

Silverton Youth Group cordially invites you and your sweetheart to a Valentine Brisket Dinner Wednesday, February 14, at 7:00 p.m. at the Showbarn in Silverton.

Come enjoy fun, food and fellowship.

Donations accepted to help defray the cost of the ski trip to Red River.

## To All Parents of High School Students

All parents of Silverton High School students are invited to a PROJECT GRADUATION meeting at 7:00 p.m. Monday, February 12, in the County Courtroom at the Courthouse.

This is a drug-free, lock-in event and will be open to all Silverton High School students. It proved to be a very big success the last two years and it is very important that there be a large group to help plan this graduation party.

## Womack Named Sweepstakes Winner

Amber Womack of Floydada was named Sweepstakes winner of the 1996 Floyd County Junior Livestock Show during the banquet held on Monday night after the premium sale.

The Sweepstakes winner was presented with a traveling trophy and a plaque. She was selected because she typifies a good showman, takes care of her animals, and is helpful to others. She serves in the community and excels in school activities.

Amber showed the Reserve Grand Champion Steer and Reserve Breed Champion Cross at the Floyd County Junior Livestock Show. She also won Steer Showmanship. She is the granddaughter of Fred and Vivone Arnold and sister of Kevin Womack, all of Silverton.

Amber went to Fort Worth this past weekend and won seventh out of her class of 108 steers. She will go to San Antonio this week.



Fire Chief Johnny Tiffin, Councilmen Charles Sarchet and Flute Hutsell watched as Steve Davis of Daco Fire App. Co. presented City Administrator Jerry Patton with the keys to Silverton's new 1000-gallon pumper truck.

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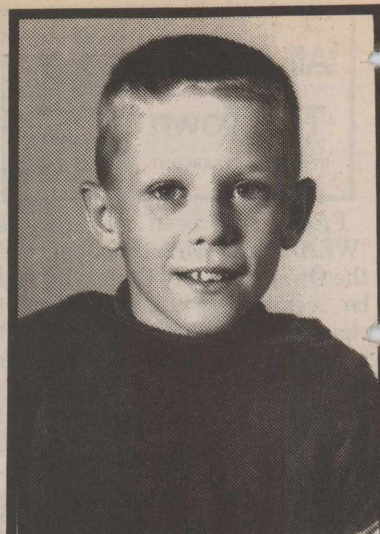
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Caprock SWCD also handles drip irrigation supplies. If you need assistance in planning a windbreak, contact the Soil Conservation office in Silverton, 823-2320.

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Evening ..... 8:00 p.m.

# LOOKING BACK

through the files of the  
Briscoe County News

**February 6, 1986--**Anthony Kingery presented the Ambulance Attendant of the Year award to EMT Janice Hill at the annual banquet of the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service Saturday night. Mrs. Hill is a director and serves as secretary-treasurer, in addition to going on many ambulance runs . . . Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, along with her sister and husband of Memphis, went to Vernon on Saturday to visit with their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gillespie and brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Renfro. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Hughes went to Iowa Park and attended Sunday morning services at the Faith Baptist Church where Bro. Jerry Miller is the new pastor . . . Mrs. Syble Teeple designed and made the winning quilt block which will represent Briscoe County in the Panhandle Sesquicentennial Quilt to be completed in February . . . Mrs. George Martin is a patient at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia . . . Leon Martin is a patient at the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo . . . Russell Simpson and Shavonne Lowrey were chosen as Mr. and Miss SHS . . .

**February 5, 1976--**Silverton's varsity Owls kissed Memphis goodbye here Friday night by beating the Cyclones 65-49 in one of the most action-packed games of the season. Since Silverton is dropping into Class B for the next two years, the teams have been playing all of their District 2-A opponents for the last time for awhile . . . Bood Myers, 74, buried here Monday . . . Staff Sergeant John M. Perkins has graduated from the Air Training Command Noncommissioned Officer Leadership School at Webb Air Force Base in Big Spring . . . Funeral services for Albert Mallow, 71, conducted Saturday . . . Willard Vardell is candidate for sheriff . . . Briscoe County has a new liberty tree planted on the courthouse yard . . . Garland Francis entered Central Plains Hospital in Plainview Thursday and underwent a thyroidectomy Friday morning . . . District Attorney George Miller moved to the District Judge's office and Floydada attorney Randy Hollums moved into the District Attorney office Friday by virtue of Governor Dolph Briscoe's appointments on Wednesday . . .

**February 10, 1966--**Mackenzie Directors confer with White River Manager . . . Funeral services conducted for Mrs. Natalie Watters, 58, a resident of Silverton for 30 years . . . Joe Bob Watson is a member of the Lubbock Christian College team that placed fourth in the junior collegiate livestock judging contest at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth . . . Raye Garrison and Martina Williams, students at Tech, spent the weekend at

home . . . Mrs. A. D. Arnold and Mrs. H. B. Simpson were in Plainview Monday . . . Mrs. Bud Long was taken to the Plainview Hospital late Tuesday evening. She underwent emergency surgery early Wednesday . . . Shirley Myers of Tulia spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bood Myers and Jimmy . . . Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Mayfield have been in Albuquerque, New Mexico for several weeks . . . David House, a student at Texas University, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie House, from Wednesday through Sunday . . . Mrs. Larry Jarrett and Mrs. Bill Durham were hostesses for the L. O. A. Junior Study Club Valentine Party at the City Cafe Tuesday evening . . . Mr. and Mrs. Deleath Peugh are parents of a daughter, Cori Lynn . . .

**February 9, 1956--**Royce Bodiford, State President of the Texas Future Farmers of America, will be the main speaker at the Silverton Father and Son Banquet on February 14 . . . Mrs. Van Martin of Flomot taken by death . . . Grandma Vaughan celebrated her 104th birthday January 29 . . . Six junior boys, Bill Stephens, Jim Whitfill, Sammy Turner, Joe Brannon, Deleath Peugh and Gerald Garvin are trying very hard to earn the Lone Star Farmer Degree . . . Plains area is snow covered. Falls up to 19 inches reported in Briscoe County during five-day snow storm . . . Mrs. Jeff Simpson receives painful injuries in fall at her home . . . Mrs. Betty Curby weds Bud Long on February 4 . . .

**February 28, 1946--**The home of Mrs. Bill Edwards was the scene of a quilting party Wednesday. Those present brought covered dishes and spent the day quilting two quilts . . . Mrs. Clay Fowler and Claynell spent last Wednesday in Amarillo. Mrs. Mae Bomar worked at the post office . . . Mrs. Wayne McCutchen entertained Monday afternoon with a party honoring her daughter, Waynelle, on her sixth birthday. Attending were Paula and Lawanda Reid, Barbara and Wilma Shipman, Betty and Janette Brown, Carlye and Marsha Monroe, Rosa Lee, Janette and Tammie Mitchell, Myrna Sue Bingham, Frankie Lou Hunt, Charles Cowart, jr., Joe and Susan Anderson, Glenda Ray McWilliams, Joy Ann McCutchen, Mrs. Charles Cowart and baby, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Paul Reid and the host and honoree . . . Students from Silverton whose names appeared on the honor roll of West Texas State College were June Wimberly, Carlyn Wimberly, Wilma Lee Francis, Winona Francis and Faye Rampley . . . Mrs. Johnnie Burson is in Dallas for medical treatment . . . Mrs. Wood Hardcastle of White Deer visited relatives here over the weekend . . .

**February 6, 1936--**The *Briscoe County News*, official publication of Briscoe County, became the property of Roy Hahn, formerly of Cimarron, Kansas. R. B. Boyle, the retiring editor, has owned and managed

the *News* for about three successful years . . . Census report shows that there were 6,159 bales of cotton ginned in Briscoe County from the crop of 1935 prior to January 16, as compared with 1,267 bales ginned to January 16th crop of 1934 . . . Mr. and Mrs. Dick Garvin spent Sunday with Dick's parents in the Lakeview community . . . Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayfield and G. Mayfield were Plainview visitors

Saturday . . . Frank Shaffer was delightfully surprised last Friday evening when he became aware of the fact that his friends had gathered in the home of Miss Luetta Northcutt to celebrate his sixteenth birthday. Cocoa, jello salad and cake were served to Misses Iwana Simpson, Reba Holt, Vontella Gresham, Bethleen Northcutt, Madge Hudgins, Buster Allard, William McIntyre, J. R. Steele, L. D.

Hover, the honoree and Miss Northcutt . . . Officers elected by the newly-organized High League are Joynelle Hodges, president; Marjorie Vineyard, vice president; Daphne Ferne Blackwell, secretary-treasurer; Jack O'Neal, reporter . . . Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Mayfield are the proud parents of an eight pound boy born February 1. Teddy Jack was  
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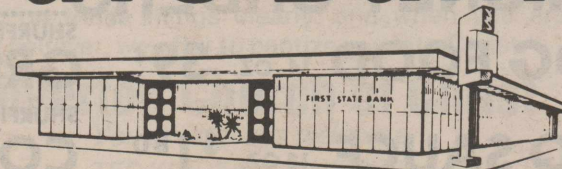
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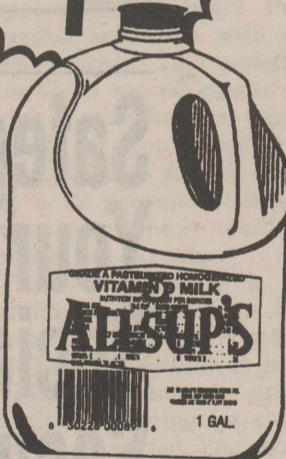


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Bernice May is pictured with his twin sister, Eunice May of Tulia. The two will celebrate their 90th birthday at a reception Sunday, February 11, from two until four in the afternoon in the Pioneer Room of the First State Bank in Silvertown. Cards will be appreciated, but it has been requested that there be no gifts, please.

**Only Registered  
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To be eligible to vote in the upcoming general primary election March 12, you must be a registered voter in Briscoe County.

If you are not a registered voter, you can still register to vote in person through February 11 and by mail through February 10.

This information was provided by Betty Ann Stephens, voter registrar for Briscoe County.

**Harold Storie**

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3	15	2	.07
4	17	2	
5	41	16	
6	56	24	
Total Precip. in February			.12
Total Precip. in 1996			.22
Normal Precip. in February			.60
Normal Precip. Year to Date			1.25

**Happy Birthday To ...**

February 8--Brad West, Susie Yates, David Warren

February 9--Jim Reid III, Bern May, Cory Chandler

February 10--Derrick Franklin Smith, Russell Bingham, Adelmira Ramirez, Lottie Owens, Ken Sarchet, Ken Holt, Lottie Garrison

February 12--Doug Coleman, Wade Greeson, Jane Pigg

February 13--David Gamble, Melissa Davis, Misti Mattheus

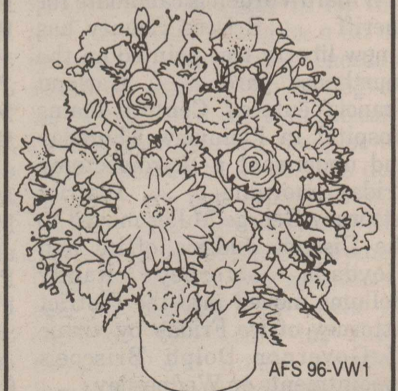
February 14--Jerry Patton, Brenda McDonough, Max D. Garrison, Scotti Sweet, Linda Hare, Daniel Reagan

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# Owls Sweep Four Games From Hedley

The red Owls completed a four-game sweep of the green Owl teams at Hedley last Friday night. A large crowd followed the teams to the games and provided support throughout the evening.

The junior varsity Lady Owls led off the action with a 62-19 victory in the most one-sided game of the series. Lindsey Weaks had the hot hands for the

Lady Owls and poured 21 big points into the baskets. Misty Wilkinson added 13. Also scoring were Terri Chitwood, seven; Destiny Ivory and Kimmie Blazier, six points each; Lindsey Jennings, five points.

The red Lady Owls led at the end of each quarter: 13-8, 24-15, 43-18, 62-19.

The junior varsity red Owls took a 57-49 victory from the green Owls, but had to come from behind to take the game: 10-15, 21-16, 31-34 and 57-49.

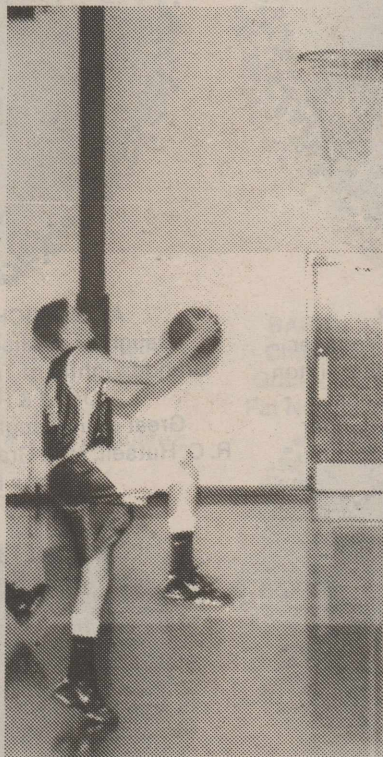
Hector Martinez was the leading scorer for the red Owls with a big 25 points to his credit, and Jeremy Holt was right with him, scoring 23 big points. Also scoring were Chris Justice, four; Jared Francis, two, and Jason Cherry, one point.

Three point shots were scored in the junior varsity games by Lindsey Weaks, five; Hector Martinez, four; Misty Wilkinson, three; Jeremy Holt, two.

The red Lady Owls took another step toward their district championship by beating the green Owls for the second time this season. Molly Bomar led the offense by scoring 17 points, and Lacy Brunson also scored in double figures with 14. Adding points to the score were Lori Brannon and Dedra Johnston, eight points each; Kenzie Burson, four; Michelle Warren, two points.

Three pointers were scored by Dedra Johnston, two; Lori Brannon, one.

The redbirds led at the end of each quarter: 9-7, 21-16, 39-24,



Brandon Sarchet goes to the basket for a layup as the Owls continue on their road to the district championship.

Briscoe County News Photo

53-34.

The red Owls also took another step toward their district championship, now having won their last 18 games in a row, by defeating the green Owls 81-72. They held the lead at the end of each of the other three quarters: 18-14, 40-26, 54-39.

Jack Cherry had the hot hands for the Owls, scorching the baskets with a big 34 points. Brandon Sarchet caged 13 points and Trey Wyatt also scored in double figures with 12 to his credit. Also scoring were Jared Holt and Arnold Garza, eight points each; Cory Chandler, six points.

Three pointers were scored by Jack Cherry, five; Brandon Sarchet, three; Trey Wyatt, one.

By the time you read this, only one regularly-scheduled game will remain for the varsity teams—that being with Samnorwood here Friday night. The first game tips off at 5:00 p.m. These are very important games, and your help is needed to cheer both teams of Owls on to victory and the district championships.

## WEAR RED FRIDAY!



Linguists say there are no exact expressions in Japanese equivalent to our "yes" and "no."



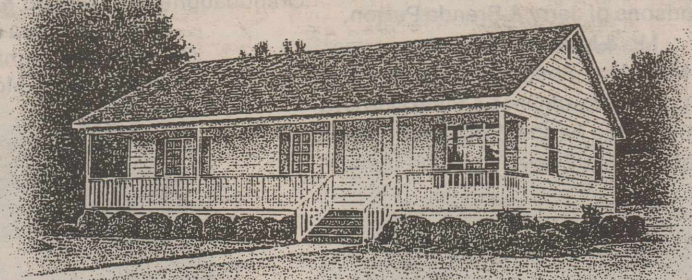
Molly Brooks shoots points into the basket for the Lady Owls as her teammates prepare to go in for the rebound, if there is one.

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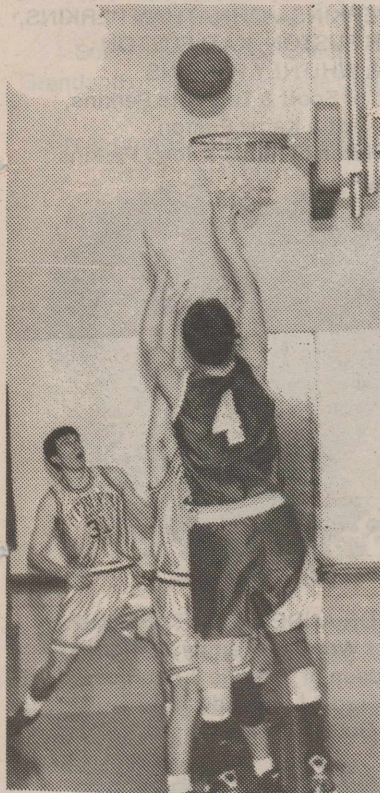
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Jack Cherry puts another shot in the basket for the Owls as they defeat Hedley enroute to the playoffs.

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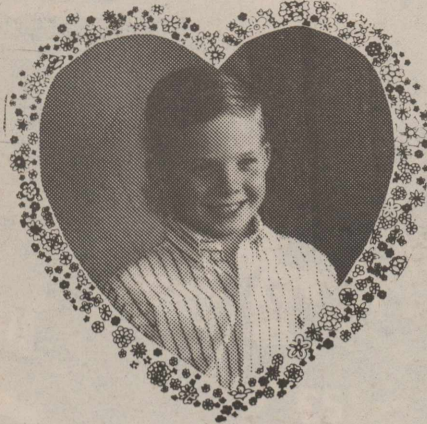
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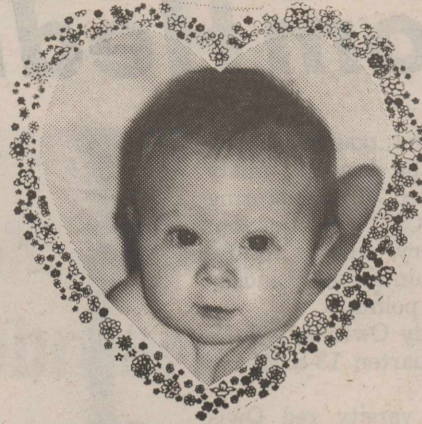
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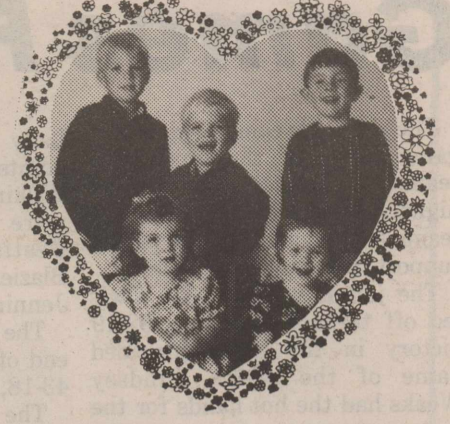
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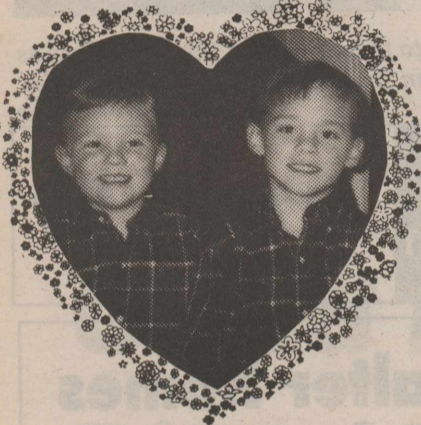
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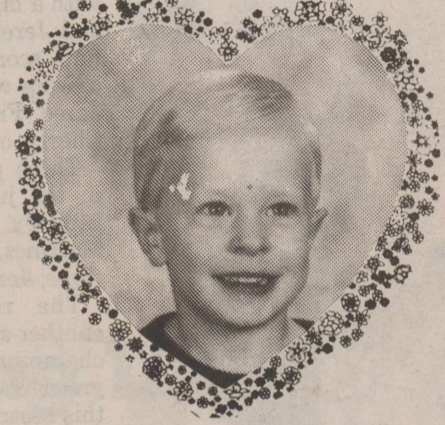
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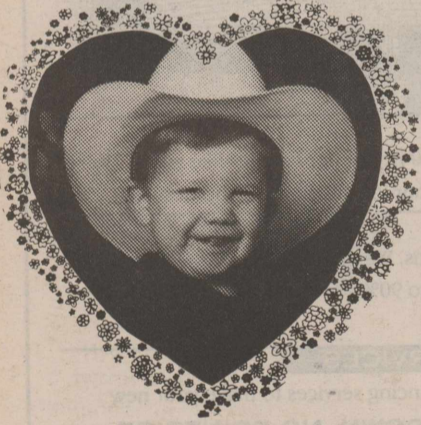
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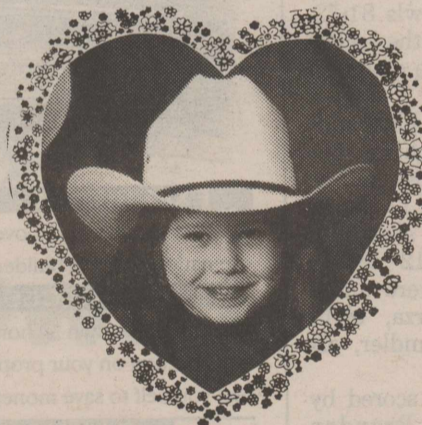
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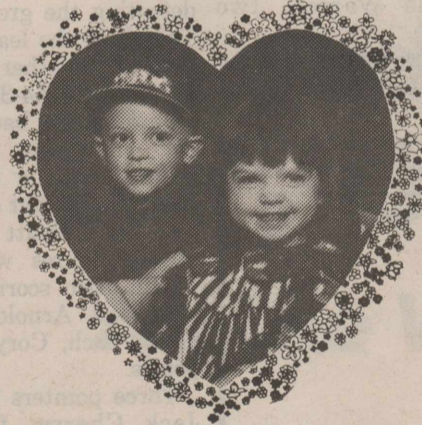
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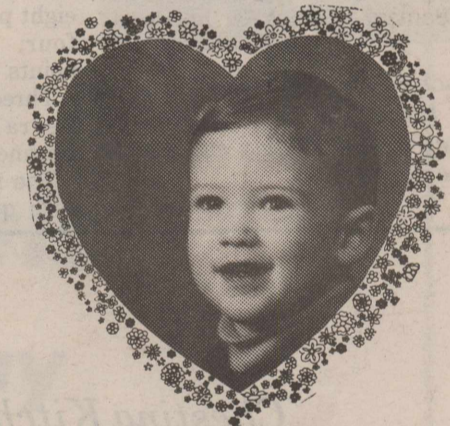
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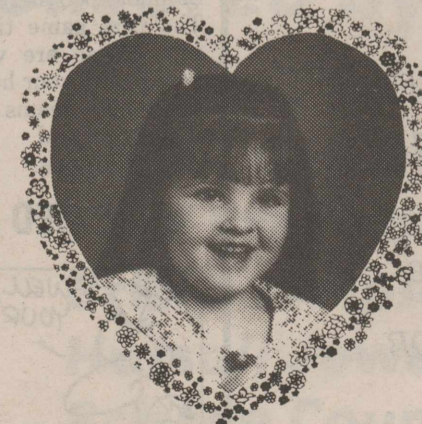
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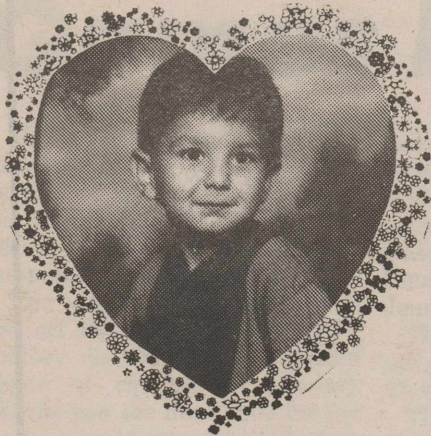
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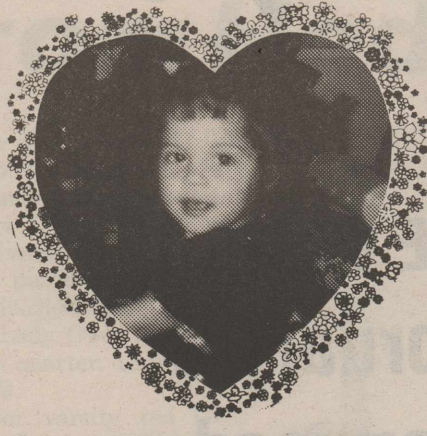
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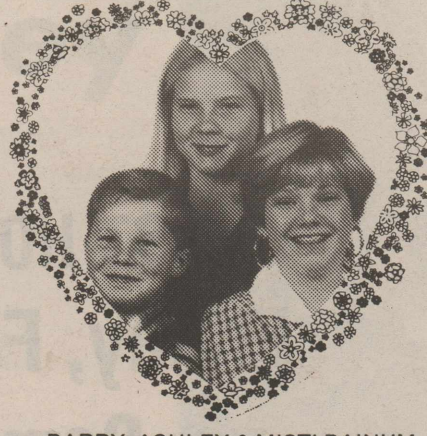
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and Tince Wellman



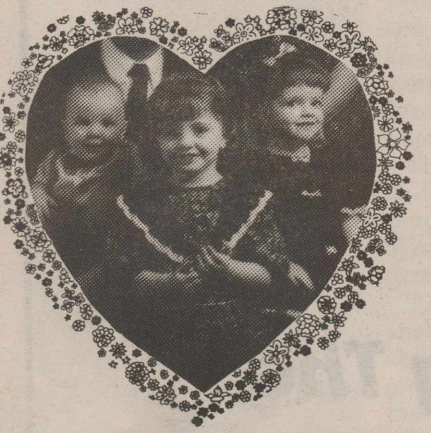
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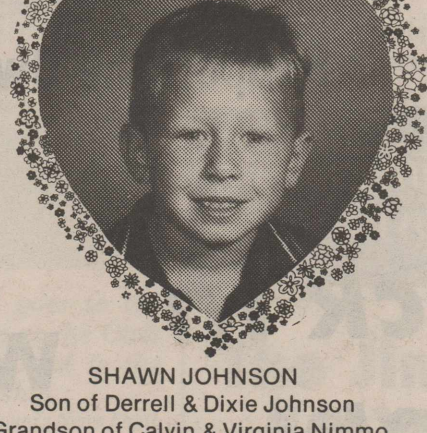
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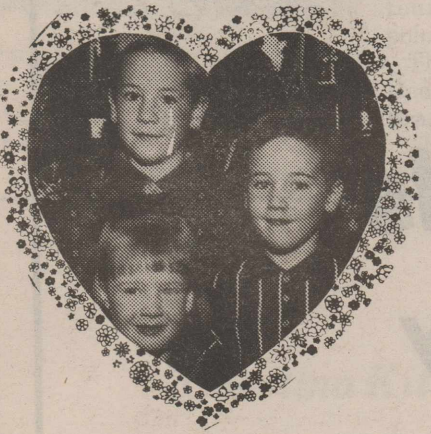
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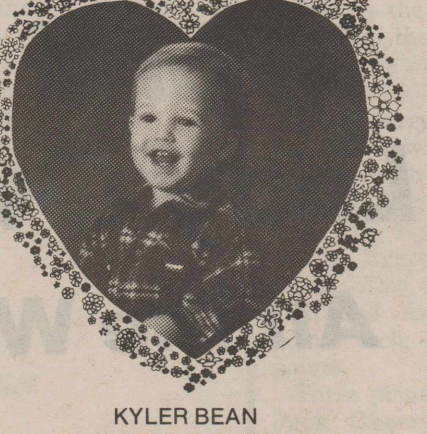
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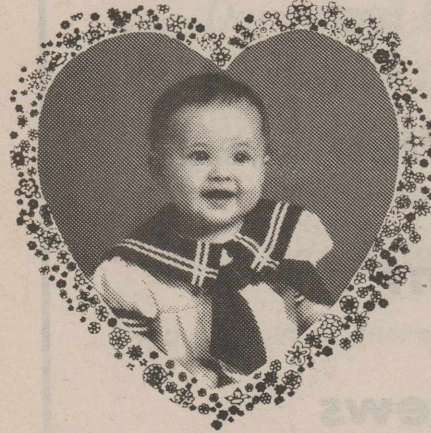
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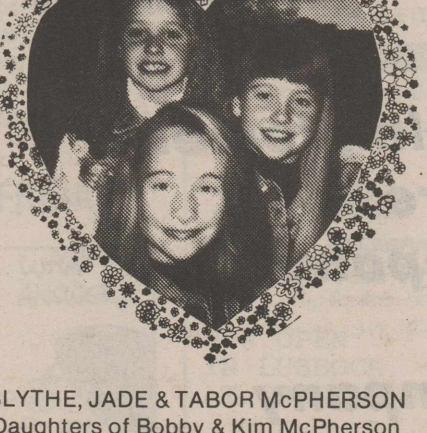
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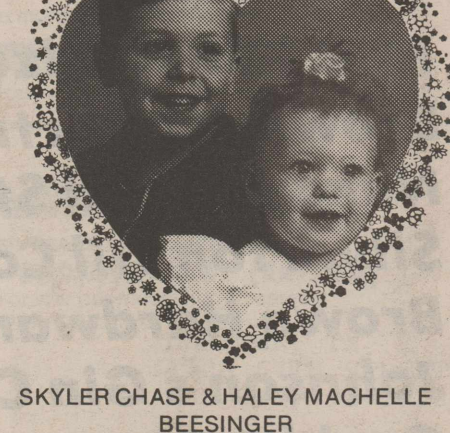
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**SKYLER CHASE & HALEY MABELLE  
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Children of Rick & Jana Beesinger  
Grandchildren of Joe & Carolyn Kitchens  
Great-grandchildren of Louie & Ruby Kitchens  
Great-great-grandchildren of Zoe A. Steele



# Owls and Lady Owls



**LAST HOME GAME  
Friday, February 9  
vs. Samnorwood**



**Wear Red Friday**

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All The Way**

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**OBITUARIES**

**LORI ANN WILSON**

Funeral services for Lori Ann Wilson, 34, former Silverton resident, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at Cullendale First Baptist Church with Dr. Rex Horne, pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church in Little Rock, Arkansas, officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery by Proctor Funeral Home.

Miss Wilson died Saturday, February 3. She had been in declining health.

She was a member of Cullendale First Baptist Church where she was a Sunday School teacher.

During the time the family resided in Silverton, she was a student in the Silverton Schools and her father was pastor of First Baptist Church. They moved from Silverton to Fort Worth.

Survivors include her parents, the Rev. Larry and Barbara Wilson of Camden, Arkansas; three brothers, Tim Wilson of Uvalde, Ted Wilson of Hopkinsville, Kentucky and Jim Wilson of Albuquerque, New Mexico, all of whom are graduates of Silverton High School; and her grandmother, Maud Russell of Stigler, Oklahoma.

The family suggested that memorials be to Cullendale First Baptist Church.

**GERTRUDE ELLIOTT**

Funeral services for Gertrude Elliott, 74, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Monday at the First Baptist Church in Hollis, Oklahoma with the Rev. Hoyt Ellis and Bob Garton officiating. Burial was in the Fairmount Cemetery by Carter Stewart Funeral Service.

Mrs. Elliott died Thursday, February 1.

Born in Wellington, she had lived in Harmon County, Oklahoma all her life. She was graduated from the Arnett School, and married Glenn Farris Elliott in 1940 in Hollis. She worked with the election board in Harmon County for many years.

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Glenda Gale Dennis and Ann Hays, both of Hollis, and Jeanell Hintergardt of Hale Center; four brothers, Fate Breedlove of Wharton, Norvell Breedlove of College Station, Van Breedlove of Silverton, and Guy Breedlove of Whitton; two sisters, Wilma Lee Fox of Houston and Edwina Smith of Andrews; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

**MARY DANIEL**

Graveside services for Mary E. Daniel, 90, were conducted at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday in the Silverton Cemetery with the Rev. Joe Highsel officiating. Burial was directed by Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Daniel, of Kenai, Alaska, died Sunday, January 28, 1996, in Kenai.

She was born June 14, 1905, in Wise County and later lived in Floyd County and Wheeler

County. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

She was a homemaker.

Survivors include two sons, Charles Keith Daniel and John Kenneth Daniel, both of Kenai; nine grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and nine great-great-grandchildren.

**LORENE CRASS**

Funeral services for Lorene Crass, 83, of Plainview were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Saturday at Wood-Dunning Funeral Home Colonial Chapel with Haun Kite of North Amarillo Church of Christ and J. W. Hamby of Garland Street Church of Christ officiating.

Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery.

Mrs. Crass died Wednesday, January 31, 1996, at Lockney Care Center where she had resided for the past several years.

She was born August 29, 1912, in Childress County. She married Zollie Edwin Crass on February 8, 1933, in Silverton. He died May 3, 1989. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

She had owned a restaurant in Silverton for several years, and she and her husband farmed until retiring in 1970. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include a son, Bob Crass of Amarillo; two daughters, Teresa Sutton of Silverton and Jean Rhea-Smith of Sedona, Arizona; seven grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

**CHLORENE MELTON**

Graveside services for Chlorene Pierce Melton, 76, of Turkey were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, February 1, in Dreamland Cemetery with Stuart Smith, minister of the Church of Christ in Turkey, officiating.

Burial was under the direction of Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Melton died Tuesday, January 30, in Plainview.

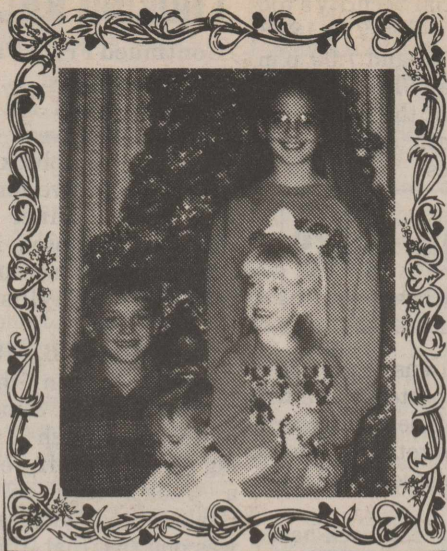
She was born December 17, 1919, in Turkey. She was a member of the Church of Christ. She married Johnny Freeman McGee on February 14, 1937 in Turkey. He preceded her in death. She married Floyd Melton in 1958 in Matador. He died in 1975.

She was a homemaker.

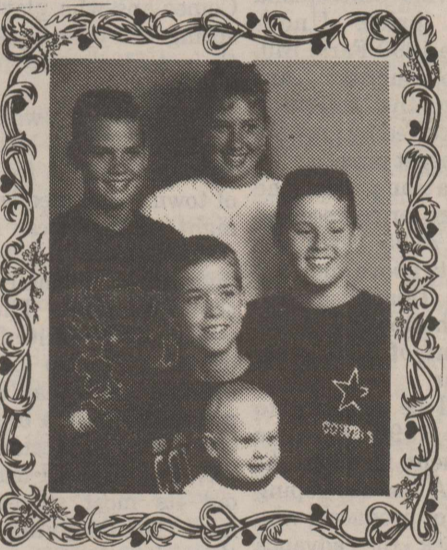
Survivors include a daughter, JoAnn McFall of Silverton; a brother, Burl Pierce of Turkey; a sister, Ruby Aplin of Memphis; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Sharon Trout, in 1994.

Pallbearers were Robert Pierce, Justin McFall, Chris Aylesworth, Billy Pinkerton, Gary Clinton and Rick Fuston.



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Grandchildren of Thelma & Glen Bailey  
SYDNEY MICHELL  
& CHEYENNE D'LEE WILLIAMS  
Daughters of Michael & Jan Williams  
Granddaughters of Ellison & Ruth Williams  
Grandchildren of Duane & Shirley Reynolds  
Great-grandchildren of Bernice Reynolds  
& Ruby Jackson



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Children of Bruce and Vickie Perkins  
JEFFREY PHILLIPS  
Son of Joe & Tammy Phillips  
STEVEN DILORENZO  
Son of Anthony & Melinda DiLorenzo  
Grandchildren of Walter & Rosie Perkins



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**What Do You Know About It?**

Conversion begins when one is "begotten again . . . through the word of God," as stated in I Peter 1:23. Hearing the word of God produces faith, we are told in Romans 10:17. This is first.

Then comes repentance in the process of conversion. But this is not all.

The word "conversion" means "change." When one believes and repents of his sins, a change takes place inside his heart. His thoughts, his will and his emotions undergo a change. But he still needs to have a change of states. A change from the lost state to the saved state. From outside of Christ to within him; for redemption is in Christ (Ephesians 1:7).

How then, does one get into Christ? Galatians 3:27 gives the answer. "For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ." Yes, it says, "baptized into Christ." When a penitent believer is baptized as an act of trust in the Savior, then he is "in Christ." And "if any man is in Christ, he is a new creature" (2 Corinthians 5:17). He has changed states. His conversion has been completed. He can go on his way rejoicing. "And when they were come up out of the water . . . he went on his way rejoicing" (Acts 8:39).

This person still has the Christian life before him. But he is now a changed man. The Lord, through his grace, has transferred him into the saved state.

What about you? Is it time for a change in your life? The right kind of change? Do you need conversion? Attend our services. We will try to help you understand the Bible teaching on these things clearly; and when you are a penitent believer, we offer to baptize you into Christ.

**Silverton Church of Christ**  
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TED KINGERY, MINISTER

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Wednesday 7:00



Lisa Comer rings up two points for the eighth grade Lady Owls.

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## Junior High Teams End Season With Hedley Monday Night

Silverton's Junior High Owls and Lady Owls ended their basketball seasons by hosting the Hedley Owls for a four-game series Monday night, and all of the teams except the eighth grade Owls won their games. The eighth grade boys had won a one-point decision from Hedley earlier in the season.

The seventh grade Lady Owls led off the action by earning a 26-9 victory. The red Lady Owls held the lead at the end of each quarter: 10-0, 16-3, 20-5, 26-9.

Catherine Reyna led the offense by tossing eight points into the



Nathan Francis scores a basket against the Hedley Owls in the eighth grade's last game of the season.

Briscoe County News Photo

baskets. Misti Mattheus, Erica Edwards, Vanessa Reyna and Heather Bowling caged four points each. Brooke Garvin rounded out the score with two points.

The seventh grade red Owls rolled to a 65-8 victory behind the lead of Adrian Ramirez, who caged a big 20 points. Also scoring in double figures were Isaiah Ivory, 17; Clint Ivory, 12; Vance Chandler, 11. Adding to the score were Daniel Castillo, six; Isaac Garcia and Martin Younger, two points each.

The red Owls led at the end of each quarter: 24-2, 35-2, 55-5, 65-8.

The eighth grade Lady Owls started rather slowly, but led at the end of the first two quarters: 9-8, 17-16. By halftime, they had fallen behind 22-25 and finished regulation play with the score knotted at 31-31. In the overtime period, they outscored the Hedley Lady Owls 12-2 to win the game 43-33.

Sara Kirchoffner led the offense by scoring 22 big points. Julie Weaver had eight points to her credit, and Lisa Comer added six. Tyra Younger rang up four points and Ana Pena hit three points.

It was a disappointing way for the eighth grade Owls to end their season after their having enjoyed winning all but two of their previous games. They didn't score well and trailed at the end of each quarter: 4-9, 8-15, 14-26, 20-35.

Nathan Francis and Jordan Sarchet scored eight points each, and Paul Segura added four points.

## UIL Realignment Changes Basketball District For Silverton

The University Interscholastic League's biennial realignment makes some changes to the basketball district in which Silverton participates, but doesn't change the football district.

Class 1A football districts in Region I include:

1--Briscoe Fort Elliott, Follett, Groom, Higgins, Lefors, Miami  
2--Chillicothe, Harrold, Hedley, McLean, Samnorwood, Vernon Northside

3--Amherst, Cotton Center, Lazbuddie, Maple Three Way, Silverton, Whitharral

4--Afton Patton Springs, Benjamin, Guthrie, Jayton, Rochester, Rule

Class 1A basketball districts in Region I include:

1--Allison, Briscoe Fort Elliott, Follett, Higgins

2--Booker, Claude Gruver, Shamrock, Wheeler

3--Farwell, Happy, Lazbuddie, Vega

4--Adrian, Channing, Hartley, Texline

5--Lefors, McLean, Miami, Samnorwood

6--Groom, Hedley, Nazareth, Silverton

7--Anton, Earth-Springlelake, Kress, Lorenzo, Petersburg, Sudan

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10--Brownfield, Union, Lakeview, Meadow, New Home, Wilson

11--Benjamin, Goree, Harrold, Megargel, Vernon Northside

12--Chillicothe, Crowell, Matador Motley County, Paducah, Turkey Valley

13--Afton Patton Springs, Guthrie, Jayton, Southland

14--Gail Borden, Lamesa Klondike, Loop, Welch Dawson, Wellman

15--Haskell Paint Creek, Rochester, Rule, Throckmorton

16--Aspermont, Knox City, Munday, Roby, Rotan, Spur

## Exception to Medicare Premium Penalty For Some Late Enrollees

by Mary Jane Shanes  
Social Security Manager  
Plainview, Texas

I've received a number of calls from people who have read about the annual open enrollment period for Medicare Part B and wonder if they will be subject to the premium penalty if they enroll after their first chance to do so at age 65. The answer is generally yes, but there is an exception.

The three-month general open enrollment period from January 1 to March 31 is for people 65 or over who don't have Part B Medicare coverage, which supplements Medicare Part A Hospital Insurance with doctor bills coverage. This period is to give you a second chance if you didn't enroll when you were first eligible or you dropped your coverage. Most delayed enrollees pay a 10 percent surcharge for each year they could have enrolled but did not.

However, there is a special enrollment period if you or your spouse is working. You may be able to delay enrollment in Part B without paying a premium penalty or waiting for a general enrollment period. You can enroll in Part B during an eight-month special enrollment period if you have group health plan coverage from that current employment at the time you first became eligible for Medicare. This special enrollment period begins with the month employment ends or the month your group health plan coverage ends, whichever comes first.

Part B coverage, also called "medical insurance," helps pay for doctors' care, outpatient hospital visits, and other medical services. People are offered the option of signing up for Part B at the same time they are automatically enrolled in Medicare's Part A (hospital insurance) program. The basic monthly premium is \$42.50 monthly.

People who want to sign up for Part B Medicare coverage should call the Plainview Social Security

office or call Social Security's toll-free number, 1-800-772-1213, between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. any business day. The lines are busiest early in the week and early in the month, so it's best to call at other times.



Final calculations have been made and, as expected, there will be no cotton deficiency payment in 1995. The marketing and price figures were released by USDA January 31.

According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) the final figures as adjusted by USDA reflect a tremendous change from 1994 to 1995. Cumulative marketings fell from 18.6 million bales in 1994 to 12.9 million bales for 1995. Higher prices to producers and slackening demand are the most significant reasons for the reduction.

Overall, producers received excellent prices for the crop in 1995. On average prices stayed well above the 72.9 cent upland cotton target price. Under provisions of the 1990 Farm Bill, deficiency payments are triggered when the weighted average price received by growers falls below the target price.

Final calculations put the weighted average price received by growers at 76.85 cents per pound, 3.95 cents above the 72.9 cent target price. This is bad news for producers who took the 1995 advance payment of 1.85 cents earlier in the year.

Producers will be required to pay back the 1995 advance deficiency payment in 1996. At this time USDA is developing several options for producers who have to pay back the advance payment.

"Producers trying to pull together some sort of plan for the 1996 crop are being held back at every turn," says PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson. "Not only are they not getting the information they need regarding what type of farm legislation will be adopted for 1996, they are now going to be required to repay the 1.85 cent advance deficiency payment they received in 1995, further complicating the job of budgeting for the new year."

December figures show a total of 2.451 million bales were marketed during the month at an average price of 76.4 cents per pound. The average price for the month of December was 3.2 cents higher than the average price received by growers in December of 1994.

Marketing and price figures quoted above were taken from the National Agricultural Statistics Service.

## LOOKING BACK—

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the name selected . . . Mrs. Printz Brown and son are visiting in Floydada this week . . . Carver Monroe of Lubbock spent the weekend in Silverton . . . Girls who were dinner guests of Blanche Thompson last Sunday are Vivian Burleson, Roberta McMurtry, Phyllis Mae and Bobbie Allred . . .

November 26, 1925-- W. J. Jenkins began his second pastorate here Sunday at the Methodist Church . . . Jim Busby, big deputy sheriff, returned from a week's trip to McGargle, Graham and Wichita Falls. This was one trip that Jim didn't "get his man" for he wasn't on a "man hunt" . . . E. H. Perry has secured a three-year lease on the corner formerly occupied by the old wagon yard on the northwest side of the courthouse square. He has torn away most of the old sheds and improved the building and put up a new picket fence. He says that he intends to put in a stock of groceries and to run a tourist camp ground during the summer . . . Gabe Garrett's Comedians who played here last spring will open here Monday in their tent theatre for a week's engagement . . . W. C. Montgomery, 42, who moved here from East Texas last spring and was living about four miles east of town, was killed late Thursday night when the car in which he was returning home left the highway at a small bridge near the cemetery. The coroners verdict, as a result of the inquest held by Justice of the Peace Morton, said that Montgomery met death from a broken neck as a result of an accident . . . The Silverton football team will close out its most successful season here Thanksgiving Day when they play the Olton eleven. The team lost to Lockney 6-13 and tied Tulia 6-6, and beat Matador 3-0, Kress 27-14, Lockney 13-7 and Tulia 14-6 . . . Onar Cornett, son of E. H. Cornett of the Haylake community, is reported to have been seriously ill for the past two weeks . . . Quite a bit of excitement was caused Tuesday afternoon when a Collie dog at the home of Jeff Davis in the east part of town turned mad, or at least appeared to do so. The dog snapped at the children and another dog and chased the children in the house. The women folks, failing to get assistance, beat off the dog with sticks or anything they could lay their hands on, and finally corralled the dog in the bath room of the house with it fighting, biting and snapping continuously. They telephoned to town for help and in the absence of the sheriff or the "official dog killer," Bob Stevenson and J. L. Watters went to their aid. They stuck the muzzle of the gun through the bath room door and killed the dog. There were several women present, including Mrs. Jeff Davis, Mrs. Rawls Miller, Mrs. Stuart, Mrs. Sam Hunt, Mrs. Alvin Davis, Mrs. Hattie Davis and perhaps others . . .

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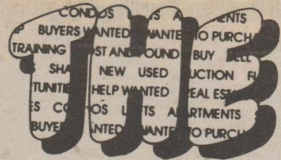
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Thank you so much for the love and concern you have shown through the years and especially this past week.

Your cards, phone calls, visits, flowers, memorials, food and prayers were deeply appreciated. A special thanks to those of you who continued to visit Mother at the nursing home.

We are again reminded of what a blessing it is to be a part of this community. May God bless you all.

The family of Lorene Crass

We would like to thank each of you for remembering us while Jack was in the hospital and since we have been at home.

The cards and letters, phone calls, visits and gifts were greatly appreciated, as were the many prayers you offered in our behalf. They all helped us make it through this very difficult time.

A special thanks to our neighbors, Dick Roehr, and the Silverton Ambulance Service for responding when we needed you.  
Jack and Teresa

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