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Caprock Jamboree Goes Onstage Here Saturday Night

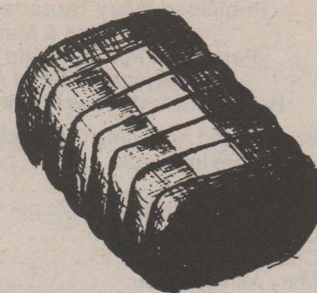
Caprock Jamboree goes on stage at the showbarn again here Saturday night, November 2, with music beginning at 7:00 p.m. Another great night of musical entertainment has been scheduled.

Quitaque Fire Department will be firing-up the grill to prepare mesquite-grilled hamburgers at the Jamboree beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Door prizes donated by loyal fans will be given away throughout the show. At 10:00 p.m. a cash prize of \$25.00 will be given away.

Make plans to support Quitaque Fire Department as well as have a great night of family entertainment with your friends Saturday.

Bring a folding chair if you have one, but if you can't bring a chair, one will be provided for you.



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Write-In Candidates Have Been Certified

Three candidates have filed declarations of write-in candidacy for county offices for the November 5 General Election.

No candidate is listed on the ballot for either of these offices.

William P. (Bill) Smith and

Kelly K. Dunbar are write-in candidates for the office of Briscoe County Attorney. The only way you can vote for either of them is to write their name on the ballot in the space provided.

Steve Miller has declared himself to be a write-in candidate for Constable of Briscoe County Precinct 1.

These write-ins are for Briscoe County Precincts 1, 3, 4 and 5.

In addition, there are several write-in candidates for statewide and district offices. They include:

Mary Cal Hollis and Eric Chester, and Ralph Nader and Winona LaDuke as write-in candidates for President and Vice President of the United States.

Emma Thompson-Warren is a write-in candidate for State Representative, District 120.

Robert (Bob) Minton is a write-in candidate for District Judge, 47th Judicial District.

The write-in column appears on the far right side of the ballot. If you can't remember the candidate's full name, write enough of the name so the election judge will understand for whom you are voting.

No write-in votes will be counted except for those who are declared and certified as write-in candidates.

Sophomore Class To Have Pancake Supper

The Sophomore class of Silverton High School will sponsor a Pancake Supper Friday, November 1, from 5:00 p.m. until game time in the school cafeteria.

The menu will include all you can eat of pancakes, bacon, sausage, milk, juice and coffee.

Prices will be \$4.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children.

You are invited to support this Sophomore fund-raiser.

BCAA Meets on Fourth Thursday

Briscoe County Activities Association's October meeting was attended by 14 members.

They invite everyone to come and join them on the fourth Thursday of the month at 8:00 p.m. at the Showbarn in Silverton.



Gold Star Award Winners are Wynter Smith and Molly Brooks.

Outstanding 4-H'ers, Leaders Recognized

BY Calley Payne, CEA-FCS
Briscoe County Extension Agent

A roundup of the "Best In The West" was held Sunday, October 20, 1996, as Briscoe County 4-H families and guests gathered to recognize the outstanding youth and leaders of the local 4-H program from the past year.

After a meal of Mexican Stack-Up prepared by the 4-H Adult Leaders and Senior 4-H'ers, the 4-H members led the awards program.

All 4-H'ers who completed a project last year received a T-shirt depicting the theme of the banquet. Eleven 4-H'ers were presented with State recognition plaques for either competing at State 4-H Roundup or State 4-H Recordbook Judging. They included Terri Chitwood, Molly Brooks, Lindsey Jennings, Coy McKay, Mandy Pigg, Michael Reagan, Wynter Smith, Briana Sperry, Shannon Weaver, Jeremiah Brooks and Kenzie Burson.

Other special awards presented were the Gold Star Awards, Friend of 4-H Award, Distinguished Leader Award, and Silver Spur Awards.

Receiving the Gold Star Awards were Molly Brooks,

daughter of Bill and Janinne Brooks, and Wynter Smith, daughter of Mickey and Debra Smith. The Gold Star Award is the highest award you can receive at the county level.

Each year Briscoe County 4-H recognizes someone for special support of the 4-H program with the Friend of 4-H Award. This year's deserving recipient was Roye Pigg.

Three outstanding leaders also were recognized at the banquet. Receiving the Distinguished Leader Award from the District I Volunteer Leaders Association was Jackie Sperry. Receiving the Silver Spur Awards for their outstanding leadership in Briscoe County 4-H were Rick Hester and Nancy Wood.

Receiving the Danforth "I Dare You" awards were Terri Chitwood, niece of Jimmy and Rhenda Burson, and Teal Bennett, son of Kristi Morgan.

Sponsors for this year's County 4-H Achievement Banquet were Wilson Vacuum Service, Johnson's Gin, Bill and Janinne Brooks, Roye Pigg, Swisher Electric Cooperative, Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, and the Briscoe County 4-H Adult Leaders Association.



Kirsten Crabb and Tyler Garvin were the crown and sceptor bearers for the Halloween Queen and King, Kimmie Blazier and Billy Edwards, of the senior class.



Kirsten Crabb and Brooks Brock were the crown and sceptor bearers for the Princess and Prince, Camisha Wilson and Tanner Young of the third grade.

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Beefmaster Breeders Attend 36th Annual Convention

O. C. and Faye Rampley attended the Beefmaster Breeders United Convention in Corpus Christi October 24-26, 1996. Theme of the convention was "Rooted in the Past-Focused on the Future." The workshops and lectures centered around the problems and solutions involved in the financial survival of cattlemen in today's depressed cattle market prices.

O. C. is serving on the BBU

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Breed Improvement Committee.

The Rampleys were thrilled to find the featured "Ultrasound Technologies Workshop" director and speaker, Dr. Tommy Perkins of Springfield, Missouri, was the son of Thomas Lee and Rose Mary Perkins and their own beloved former Silverton High School student. He did an outstanding presentation and Faye says she is sure she grew two inches taller as he recognized her as his "high school mentor who introduced him to the field of business." He served on the Beef Improvement Ultrasound Board of the United States Department of Agriculture and is one of only 12 certified ultrasound technicians in the USA today.

One of the highlight events was a ranch tour and barbecue dinner at the Nolan Ryan ranch near George West on Thursday. The convention was closed with a Beefmaster cattle sale of outstanding cattle from area BBU breeders. O. C.'s name was drawn at the sale and won a 12-HP STX 38-inch cut John Deere riding lawn mower—a pleasant climax to the whole convention. It will be delivered by Briscoe Implement.

They returned home by way of Wills Point and spent the night with Dwight and Mary Rampley and "visited" their mother cows and calves that were pastured there for the past 10 months.

They also made a side trip to Keller to check on the progress of their youngest of the Rampley Breed—little Braden Matthew Lanier, who was born to granddaughter Rene (Rampley) and her husband Lance on July 5, 1996. Braden made his debut in Silverton at the age of five weeks when he rode on the August Briscoe County Celebration float featuring four generations of Rampleys.

Win Owls!

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Evening 8:00 p.m.

Financial Classes To Help Agriculture

Clarendon College will offer the "Bottom Line Farming" curriculum on financial management in agriculture in Tulia during November and the first week of December. The class will be taught at the Swisher County Extension Building in Tulia.

The class will start Monday,

PROCLAMATION

By Executive Order of the Honorable John Bowman, Mayor of the City of Silverton, it is hereby proclaimed:

WHEREAS, April 1996 marks the twenty-eighth anniversary of the passage of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, which included Title VIII, the Fair Housing Law, for guaranteed equal housing opportunity for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, Fair housing is consistent with the principle of equality and justice for all, providing the challenge to combat discrimination, and to broaden the protection of the beliefs upon which our nation was founded; and

WHEREAS, This month provides an opportunity for all Americans to rededicate themselves to the principles of free choice and to reacquire themselves with the rights and responsibilities that are theirs under the Fair Housing Law.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bowman, Mayor of the City of Silverton, do hereby proclaim November 1996 as:

FAIR HOUSING MONTH IN THE CITY OF SILVERTON

and urge my fellow citizens to join me in reaffirming the obligation and commitment to fair housing opportunities for all people.

Let all within the reach of this proclamation heed its directive.

By his Honor the Mayor of the City of Silverton, Texas.

/s/ John Bowman
 October 28, 1996

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November 4, 1996 at 6:00 p.m. and last until 10:00 p.m. The balance of the 36-hour course will be taught on Monday and Wednesday of each week during November and the first week of December (it will not meet on Wednesday, November 27).

Registration for this class will be conducted the first meeting. Spouses are encouraged to attend. This class meets the requirements for financial training of the FSA (formerly FmHA). If you have any questions, please call 806-874-2313, or your local FSA office.

Club Ready To Receive Donations

Century of Progress Study Club has announced that it is ready to begin accepting donations to the Christmas Greeting Page, and these can be mailed to Century of Progress Study Club Christmas Greeting Page, Box 4, Silverton, Texas 79257.

Deadline for getting your name on the special page is November 30.

Look for donation forms and envelopes in your October Silverton bank statements or use the form below. Be sure to print your family's name as you wish it to appear on the Christmas Greeting Page.

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To The Voters of Prct. 1

I would like to ask the voters of precinct 1 for your vote and support in the upcoming election.

I have enjoyed the campaign and I will attempt to contact each of you between now and November 5.

If I am elected Commissioner of Precinct 1, I will carry out the duties of the office in a fair, efficient and business like manner.

Thank you,
Terry Grimland

Pol. Adv. Paid For By Terry Grimland

LOOKING BACK

through the files of the
Briscoe County News

October 30, 1986--Author and humorist Jon Erickson and his wife, Chris, presented a program with musical accompaniment on their "Hank the Cowdog" stories. . . Tenth annual 4-H pig sale set for Saturday . . . Cable TV system to be upgraded . . . Service conducted at Quitaque for Mrs. Agnes Tunnell, 81 . . . Few here are affected by school's no pass, no play rule . . . Venita McGavock creates baskets of gourmet foods for customers in her English-style shop, Creative Accents, in Plainview . . . Kelli LaBaume is Floyd County 4-H Gold Star award winner . . . School participating in Read-a-Thon . . . Junior High Owls complete perfect season with 46-28 victory over Patton Springs . . . Brian Martin and Jennifer Grimland are King and Queen of the Halloween Carnival. Ky Martin and Lori Brannon are the Prince and Princess . . .

October 28, 1976--At presstime, big white flakes of snow were falling. Light rain had fallen intermittently during the day, and icy conditions were expected by morning . . . Terry Bomar underwent surgery on his shoulder Friday at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo . . . Loveta Blanch Norris, 68, buried Wednesday . . . Jeff McCord was presented last week as Pep Squad Beau. Others nominated were Brent Grabbe, Jimmy Lacy, Walter Perkins and Bill Settle . . . Mary John Harris is a patient at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview . . .

October 27, 1966--Little Miss Rebecca Reid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed, was selected as "Princess Blossom" from a field of 31 contestants during the final night ceremonies Saturday at the annual Hi-Plains Cotton Festival at Plainview . . . Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chitty were Sunday visitors with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Guest, Beth and Jamie . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. Jon LaBaume were honored at a going-away party Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Martin and children. Mr. and Mrs. Bingham left Monday for Seattle, Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. LaBaume are moving to Wellington . . . Mrs. Claudia B. Welch and children spent the weekend with Mrs. M. L. Welch and Ronald. Claudia Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Welch were also Sunday dinner guests . . . Mrs. J. H. Burson was honored on her 88th birthday anniversary Sunday . . . Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dickerson visited her sister, Mrs. Jake Carthel, in Amarillo Friday . . .

November 1, 1956--Funeral services held Sunday for Douglas O'Neal . . . Richard D. Eddleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Eddleman, and Johnnie M. Garner, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Garner, have completed recruit

training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, California . . . Mr. and Mrs. Glenn H. Bunch and family spent the weekend in Brownfield with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bearden, and sister, Mrs. Ralph Kerley and Mr. Kerley . . . Mr. and Mrs. Billy Nye were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alva C. Jasper and children. Billy lived with the Jaspers for two years some time ago . . . Mrs. Grady Wimberly spent the weekend with relatives in Canyon and Tulia . . . Mr. and Mrs. Bland Burson were overnight guests of his mother, Mrs. Una Burson, Monday . . . W. M. Peugh was taken to the Lockney hospital Tuesday morning after having suffered a heart attack a few hours earlier . . . Messrs. and Mmes. George Long, Roy Montague, Edwin Dickerson, Joe Montague and John Earl Simpson attended the Ronald Coleman show in Amarillo Saturday evening . . . Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Strange of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fowler and family of Dimmitt, and Messrs. and Mmes. Norman Strange and family, Fred Brannon and family, Fred Strange and son, and Jack Strange and Donald Dee Weast were Sunday dinner guests of their mother, Mrs. Bryan Strange . . . Mr. and Mrs. Edward Edwards and son were in Amarillo Saturday to consult a doctor . . .

November 21, 1946--Owls defeat Lakeview 19-6 . . . The district committee, composed of representatives of the schools at Claude, Vega, Groom, Happy, Estelline, Turkey, Flomot, Quitaque, Kress and Silverton (with Silverton and Flomot having no vote) ruled in Amarillo Saturday of last week that the Silverton football team is ineligible for play in the District championship contest this year on the grounds that one boy who has been participating in games was not scholastically eligible. Flomot was ruled out of the conference play by the same committee that ruled Silverton out and this leaves Estelline to play Happy for the District championship . . . Hilton (Runt) Vardell, an employee at the Wise Gin in Quitaque, was taken to the Plainview hospital Monday when he had the misfortune of getting his left hand caught in a cog of the gin machinery . . . Jett Mason, Don Burson and Hershel Harrison spent the weekend with John Burson on his ranch . . . Demonstration of a new wheat plow is to be held Sunday afternoon at the home of D. N. McGavock . . . Honoring their son, Truman, on his birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Stephens entertained with a weiner roast in their backyard Wednesday evening . . . Miss Juanita Edwards visited with her father, Andrew Edwards, in Lubbock recently . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ted Childress moved to their new home on Broadway last week . . . Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett entertained a number of friends with a forty-two party at their home in the Haylake community

Friday evening . . .
October 29, 1936--Reservations for special train to Centennial must be made by November 2 . . . Silverton Owls win 18-7 over local Outlaws . . . Mrs. B. V. Lowrey is claimed by death . . . Miss Valeria Williamson and Mr. Lem Weaver were united in marriage Saturday night. The ceremony was performed at the Baptist parsonage in Childress . . . Editor

Roy Hahn wrote: "Fifty years ago the fifteenth of November, M. C. Potter came to Briscoe County. That's quite a while ago. His nearest neighbor was 18 miles away. Silverton nor Quitaque were in existence at all. He says that the first few years he spent in digging the canyons through the country. I think Bob Stevenson helped him a little with the project. All the buffaloes were still little calves and all the

Indians were papooses at that time. Anyway, it was a long time ago and anyone who will stick with a place that long deserves a lot of credit . . . Lem Weaver left a trail of broken hearts behind him when he left the rank of single blessedness Saturday evening. Here he has been slipping around town with that self satisfied look,

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Booths are 8'x10' and the cost per booth is \$20.00. The sponsor will provide one table and two chairs. Please state if you need the table. Also if you prefer a wall or center booth. And send information as to what will be displayed in your booth.

Make checks payable to the Nazareth Art Club. Booths will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis.

Last day to make reservations for a booth will be Saturday, November 16. The cafeteria will be open at 7:30 a.m. on Sunday, November 24, for you to set up.

For more information, contact Lucille Drerup, Box 3, Nazareth, TX 79063, 806-945-2562, or Rose Mary Wilhelm, HC 2, Box 13, Nazareth, TX 79063, 806-945-

2583.

Make plans to enjoy the turkey dinner that will be served at noon in the Community Hall sponsored by the Christian Mother Society. Bring your family, tell all your friends and neighbors to meet you in Nazareth on November 24 for a good meal and hours of leisurely holiday shopping.

Mrs. McWaters Has Birthday Surprise

Ruby McWaters was surprised by her family on the occasion of her eightieth birthday Saturday. They came bearing food, gifts and best wishes. Those who could not attend called and sent cards and gifts.

Among those present at the McWaters home were Glen and Anis McWaters and daughters, Dee Dee and Glenda, all of Lamesa, and their son and daughter-in-law, Shane and Tonya McWaters of Levelland;

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Dale, Pat and Christi McWaters of Silverton and their granddaughter, Caitlyn, of Canyon.

The family enjoyed a bountiful lunch, visiting, picture taking and opening a number of birthday cards which were sent.

LTD Club Disbands

LTD Club met with Pauline Jar-nagin October 14, 1996.

With mixed emotions and a sad note indeed, the club decided to disband.

LTD "Limited to a Dozen" was organized in 1940 with 12 members and has met continuously since.

During the years there have been a multitude of members, several are deceased, others moved away or resigned to pursue other interests.

From all accounts there are five Charter Members living: Frances Crass, Sylvia Fogerson, Eugenia Foust, Barbara Hahn and Dara Luke.

Members present were Ruby Brannon, Elsie Cornett, Sylvia Fogerson, Bessie Garrison, Mary Grantham and the hostess.

Due to illness, other members were unable to attend.

Mildred Davis, a former member, was a guest.

Senior Citizens To Have Birthday Party

Silverton Senior Citizens will have their monthly birthday party beginning at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 5, at the Center.

Senior Citizens who had their birthdays celebrated in October will host this month's party. Those who have November birthdays will be honored.



Danforth "I Dare You" award winners are Teal Bennett and Terri Chitwood.



Silver Spur Award winners are Rick Hester and Nancy Wood.

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*Sincerely,
Aaron Younger*

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New Arrival

Fourteen-month-old Brennen Cole George has spent the last few weeks getting acquainted with his new baby brother, Gentry Scott. Gentry was born October 3, 1996, at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. He weighed seven pounds, 4.5 ounces and measured 20.25 inches in length.

Jeff and Shavonne George of Tulia are the proud parents. Other family members include grandparents, Ronnie and Lynda George of Tulia and Gordon and Carolyn Lowrey of Silverton; and great-grandparents, Jewel Lowrey and Pascal and Donaleta Garrison of Silverton.

Happy Birthday To . . .

October 31--Carolyn Lowrey, Jeremy Holt, Misty Wilkinson, Linda Baird, Roger Cantwell, Ruby Kitchens, Heraclio Ramirez, jr.

November 1--Ann Brown Wright, Don Curry, Bertha James, Kayla Ramsey, Brian Martin, LaVern Kingery, Marshall McCammon

November 2--Wade Brannon, Gary Juarez, Ami Dunn, Keely Klein, Joseph M. Klein, jr.

November 3--Clifton Stodghill, Minerva Patino

November 4--Adrian Ramirez, Mike McGinn, Scott Hutsell, Whitney George

November 5--Mary Jane Patton, Dale Smith, Shane Estes, Dennis Matthew Grabbe

November 6--Pete Juarez, Peggy Brannon, Shannon Cantwell, John McCammon

Happy Anniversary To

November 2--Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hutsell, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Parker

Kappa Delta Pi Inducts New Members

West Texas A&M University's Iota Theta chapter Kappa Delta Pi, an international honor society in education, inducted its newest members Sunday, October 13, in the Quiet Room of the Jack B. Kelley Student Center. The society welcomed 33 new members.

Fall inductees included Aimee Francis, a senior generic special education major, from Silverton.

"Our major goal is to provide service to the community and raise money for scholarships in education," Dr. Enid Bates, associate professor of education and WTAMU Kappa Delta Pi advisor, said.

LOOKING BACK—

Continued From Page Three apparently never a worry, and at peace with the world, fooling everyone into thinking that he was a confirmed bachelor, but now alas, he has gone the way of all flesh and taken unto himself a wife, the hypocrite. Too bad gals, but he's gone, and that's all there is to it" . . . Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rowell announce the arrival of a daughter . . . Miss Pauline Davis and Mr. Marlin Jarnagin were married Saturday night . . . Noel Deavenport will leave next week for Los Angeles, California where he will attend a machinist's school . . .

October 14, 1926--Mr. and Mrs. Noah Amason, who sold out their hamburger and lunch room about two months ago, are again in charge of the same stand. The building has been completely redecorated on the inside and Mr. and Mrs. Amason are anxious to see their old friends. They promise the same kind of food and service that made their place one of the most popular eating places in the county at the time they sold it . . . John Vaughan pulls cars through mud hole for two bits per . . . Marion Arnold returned Saturday night from his trip taking a truck load of household goods for Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ragland to a place near Wichita Falls where Mr. and Mrs. Ragland are now at home with Mrs. Ragland's son and family . . . 1925 Study Club will beautify court house with tulips . . . Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merrell motored to Estelline Sunday to take her sister, Miss DeSpain, to the train to go to her home in Dallas . . . Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Simpson visited home folks in Tulia Sunday . . . Friday night some sophomore girls were invited to Lavaca Moore's home to have a marshmallow roast and spent the night. Some of the girls could not come because of the threatening weather, but those who did were Bertha Thomas, Velma Northcutt, Leo Hardcastle, Myrtle Jenkins, Bessie Jenkins and Jeane Jackson . . .

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Valmont Honors Helms Irrigation

Valmont Irrigation has announced that Kenneth Helms of Helms Irrigation, Inc., in Quitaque, Texas, has earned the Sales & Service Quality Circle Award. The award was presented at the company's international sales meeting, held in Orlando, Florida.

Jim Eiting, vice president of sales at Valmont Irrigation, says the award is based on customer satisfaction.

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UIL Creates Rules For Tiebreakers

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Conference 5-A has the most districts not using the new tiebreaker with six while Conference 1A and Six-Man each have a perfect mark with all 16 districts using the new overtime period. Conference 4A, 3A and 2A each have one district not using the new procedure.

The first-year NCAA rule (UIL football schools play under NCAA rules and not National Federation) allows games in district and post-district play to settle ties with an overtime period with each team alternating possessions starting at the opponent's 25-yard line.

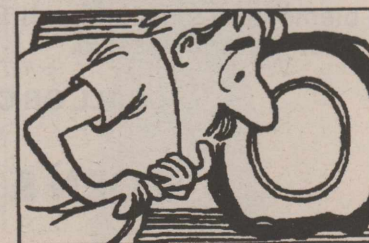
In non-district games, games will still end in a tie and in district play, schools as a group have the option of using the new rule or some other method. In the playoffs, all games will be played with the new NCAA rule.

In overtime, the possession continues until a team scores or loses possession by a turnover or on downs. If the teams remain tied at the end of the first alternating possession, another overtime ensues, and the process is repeated until there is a winner.

Since 1928, the UIL has used a system of penetrations (inside an opponent's 20-yard line), first downs and total yardage to determine which team might advance for playoff purposes or to help determine district wins or losses.



"The early responses from teams playing overtime games has been positive," UIL Athletic Director Charles Breithaupt said. "Coaches and fans have been pleased with the excitement generated in the overtime games."

Win Owls!



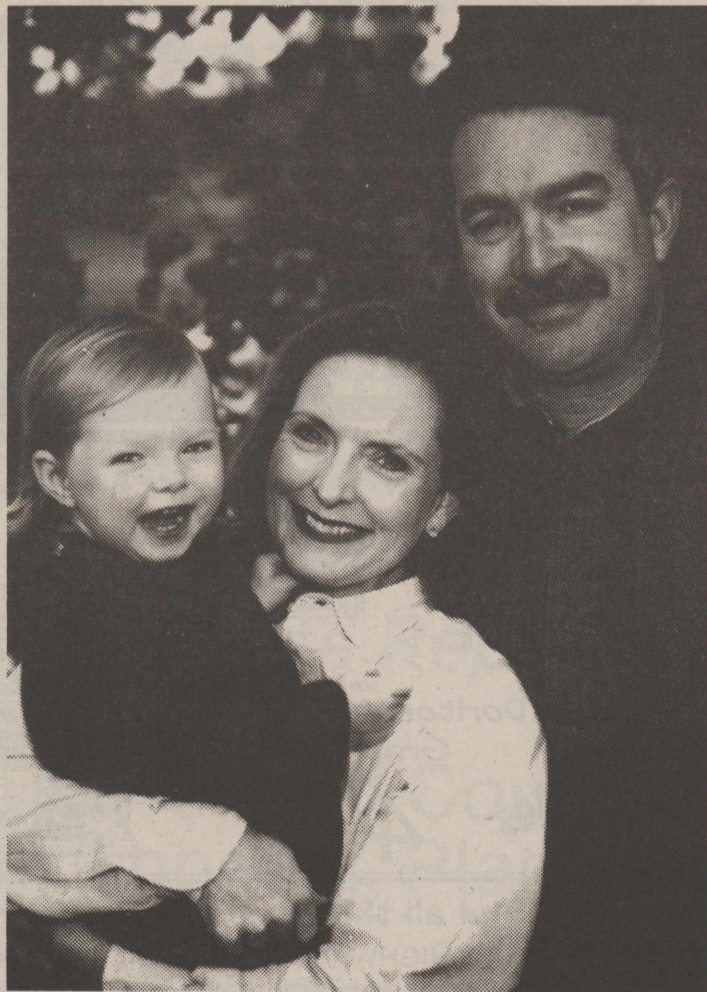
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Owls Drop Their Second District Game

The Owls dropped their second district game to Whitharral Friday night, dashing their playoff hopes. The Owls did a lot of things right in the game and Whitharral fans said that they were the hardest-hitting team the Panthers have played this year.

Coach Clyde Parham has the answer to the question that's on everyone's minds in District 3-A Six-Man circles, and it may come

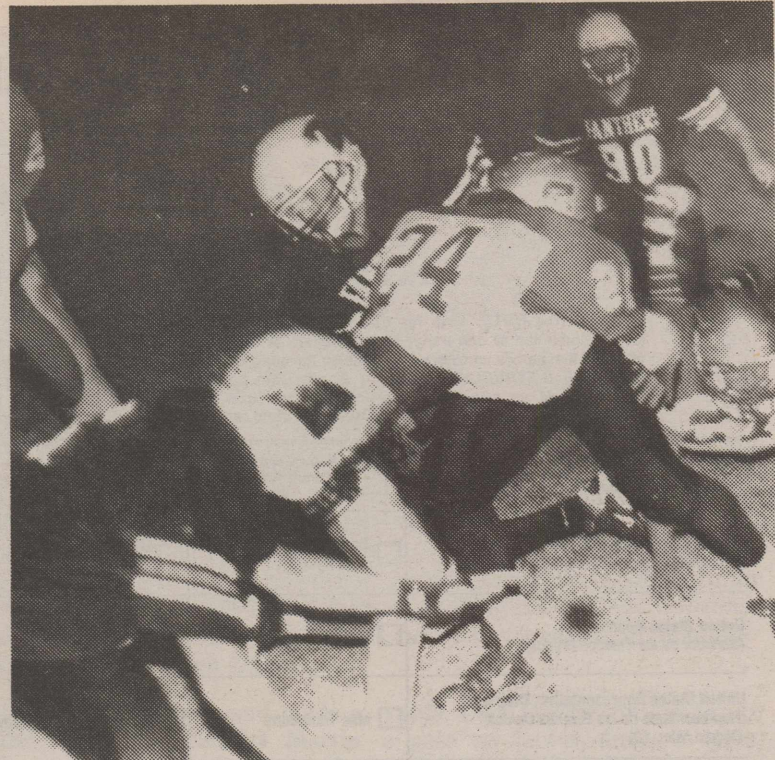
as a shock to some. "Who's going to win the showdown between Lazbuddie and Whitharral?"

After the Owls have faced both those undefeated teams the past two weeks, Coach Parham feels, as many other Owl fans also do, that No. 7 Lazbuddie has the edge over top-ranked Whitharral. The Longhorns beat Silvertown 48-26 two weeks ago before Whitharral

topped the Owls 44-12 last Friday.

"It was a lot closer than the score indicated," Coach Parham said of the battle with the Panthers. "We had the perfect game plan and everything."

A lot of Owl fans were surprised last week when Whitharral was moved to the first-place spot in the poll, putting Gordon in second place



Jon Ivory (24) was shown stopping the Whitharral ballcarrier.

after they had been rated first all season long. Even though both Whitharral and Lazbuddie are rated as top teams in the state, this writer does not believe either will be the eventual state champion. All that remains to be seen, and the game between Whitharral and Lazbuddie should be an earth shaker.

Whitharral kicked off to open Friday night's game, and Jeremy Holt carried it out to the Silvertown 33 before carrying to midfield. Cory Chandler passed complete to Jack Cherry for a first down before passing to Andy Bullock for another on the Panther three. The Owls carried a touchdown on the next play, but got a holding penalty and saw a pass intercepted by Whitharral with 7:04 remaining in the first quarter.

The Panthers picked up three yards, stopped by Jon Ivory and Leland Wood, before being thrown for a loss by Ivory. They completed a 15-yard pass, but the ball went over on downs to the

Owls with 4:24 still to be played in the first stanza. Contrary to what many believe, there is such a thing as defense in some six-man football teams, and the defense seen in this game was fierce with very hard hitting.

Arnold Garza carried for a first down, after which there was yet another quarterback sack and pass interception which was carried to the Whitharral 25. The Panthers made a first down on the Silvertown 33 before scoring on a pass with 1:01 still showing on the first-quarter clock. They kicked their PAT, and moved into an 8-0 lead.

Whitharral kicked out of the endzone for a touchback, and the Owls started their offensive effort on the 20. Holt picked up five, Garza added a few, and Chandler passed complete to Cherry as the second quarter opened. Garza ran for the first down on the Whitharral 38. Chandler completed a pass to Holt before the Owls saw the ball go over on downs.



Jeremy Holt (11) has been a dependable player for the Owls, chasing down the ball and bringing it down.

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The Panthers came passing back, making a first down on the Silverton 35 and passing for another touchdown with 7:54 remaining before halftime. They kicked their PAT, and moved ahead 16-0.

The Owls were unable to pick up yardage on their next series, and the Panther passes were too much for the Owls as they scored again with 4:13 remaining. They kicked the PAT, and moved into a 24-0 advantage.

Garza and Holt ran for a first down on the Whitharral 35 and picked up a few more yards before the Owl machine ran into trouble again. Chandler passed complete to Center Billy Edwards for minus yardage on fourth down just before the first half ended.

Chandler kicked off short for the Owls to open the second half, and stopped the runback on the Whitharral 35. Garza, Ivory and Wood provided some good defense on this series, and the ball came back to the Owls on downs with 8:29 still to be played in the third quarter. Garza ran for 12 yards and Holt carried the touchdown with 7:52 still on the clock. There was no PAT, and the Owls had narrowed the Panther lead to 24-6.

The Owls kicked off once again, and Whitharral received a penalty on the play which moved them back to their 15. Penalties against the Owls gave the Panthers a first down, and Jared Francis stopped the run at midfield on their next first-down play. Francis provided good defense on the next play, and the ball eventually came back to the Owls with 4:22 still to be played in the third.

The Owls were unable to make anything on this series, and punted to the Whitharral 25. Ivory and Wood stopped their first play and Holt chased down the ballcarrier on the first-down run which followed. Ivory, Garza and Trey Wyatt were holding the Panthers to short gains, but they managed to make a first down on the Silverton 12. They passed for another touchdown with 9:54 remaining in the fourth quarter. The Owls blocked the PAT kick, and the Panthers moved ahead 30-6.

Whitharral kicked off and Garza controlled the short kick at the Silverton 30. The Panthers intercepted the Owls right away, with defense by Edwards and Wyatt. They passed for another touchdown with 7:58 remaining to be played in the game. The PAT kick was blocked, and the Panthers held a 36-6 advantage.

Cherry took the short kickoff to the Whitharral 26, after which there was a pass completion to Holt, but it wasn't enough and the ball went back to the Panthers on the Whitharral 20 with 6:44 remaining in the game.

This time the defense, led by Wood and Garza, held and the ball came back to the Owls. Garza and Holt picked up a few yards and Wood passed complete to Cherry for a first down on the Whitharral 10 with 3:07 remaining in the game. Holt

picked up five and Wood passed complete to Cherry for a score with 2:44 left on the clock. There was no PAT, and the Owls held the short end of the 36-12 score.

The Owls kicked off and Whitharral made a first down before passing for yet another touchdown with 1:13 still on the clock. They kicked the PAT, and held a 44-12 lead.

The Owls came right back, refusing to roll over, and Wood completed another pass to Holt which was good for a first down on Holt's refusal to go down on the tackles the Panthers threw at him. Wood completed another pass to Holt for six yards, and one to Cherry. On fourth down, needing five, Wood passed complete to Ivory. This moved the ball to the Whitharral 15 as time expired in the game.

Holt rushed the ball 16 times for a gain of 86 yards, while his teammate Garza rushed 18 times for a gain of 84 yards. Chandler hit six of 14 passes with three interceptions for a gain of 29 yards while Wood hit six of seven for a gain of 85 yards.

Cherry caught five passes for a gain of 61 yards; Holt got four for 33, Ivory caught one for 18 yards and Garza got one for six yards gained.

The Owls host Three Way this week and Amherst next week to conclude the season. With playoff hopes gone, they will be playing for pride now and they certainly do need the support of their fans as they seek to end their season on a high note. Pep rally is at 2:30 in the gym and kickoff time is 7:30 p.m. Be there!

Junior Varsity Team Drops Game Here

Silverton's Junior Varsity Owls dropped their game to the Whitharral Panthers here last Thursday. This Owl team has been weakened by injuries, players who have quit football and by some being taken up to the varsity. There are some young players who have been paying their dues on this squad that will be around to play for the Owls for several years, and the experience they have gained will be invaluable in spite of their scores.

The first time the two teams played was at Whitharral, and regulation play ended in a

moderate rain and electrical storm. The weather was near perfect for this match, which was abbreviated under the 45-point rule.

Whitharral opened the game by kicking off and Bert Garza carried to the Silverton 16. Paul Segura ran for four yards before Nathan Francis passed complete to Charlie Bomar for a short gain. Francis passed to Jason Cherry on the next down, and this was broken up by one of the Panthers. The ball went over to Whitharral on the Silverton 25.

The Owls were penalized for being offside before Garza stopped the Panthers on the three. They scored on the next play, failed on the PAT, and held a slim 6-0 lead with 5:32 remaining in the first quarter.

The Panthers kicked off again, and Garza carried to the 23. The Owls were unable to move the ball at all, and punted short on fourth down. To top it off, the Owls got a penalty on the next play, and saw the Panthers go for a touchdown on their next try. They carried the PAT into the endzone, and moved into a 13-0 lead with 3:34 remaining in the first quarter.

Whitharral kicked off, and Segura brought it out to the 21. On the third play, Whitharral intercepted the Owls and carried it to the Silverton five. They scored on the next play, carried the PAT, and moved ahead 20-0.

Garza took the ensuing kickoff to the 35, after which the Owls were unable to move the ball. As the second quarter opened, Whitharral scored, there was no PAT, and the Panthers owned, a 26-0 lead.

Garza brought the kickoff out to the 17, and Francis passed to Vince Cruz for a short gain before being sacked for a loss of seven. Francis passed to Donny Burson on fourth down, but the ball went over to the Panthers on about the 15.

When Whitharral kicked off again, Segura brought it out to the 35, but the Owls were stopped in their tracks on the series. The punt carried to the Whitharral 27. Matt Martin stopped a seven-yard gain before an Owl penalty gave the Panthers a first down. Whitharral scored on the next play, carried the PAT, and owned a 39-0 lead with 2:33 remaining in the second quarter.

Whitharral kicked off and

Fall Festival Royalty Crowned Saturday

Fall Festival royalty was crowned in a formal ceremony Saturday night in the school auditorium. Molly Brooks, FHA president, was master of ceremonies for the event, and the King and Queen, Prince and Princess were crowned by Terri Chitwood and Jeremy Holt.

Lindsey Jennings provided piano selections, and Brandon Sarchet was usher.

Chosen as Prince and Princess were Tanner Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rance Young, and Camisha Wilson, daughter of Cami Frizzell. They represented the third grade.

King and Queen are Billy Edwards, son of Barbara Edwards, and Kimmie Blazier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Rhoderick. They are members of the senior class.

Due to an error in the program, Tyler Garvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Garvin, was not properly introduced at the coronation. He was a scepter bearer chosen from the kindergarten.



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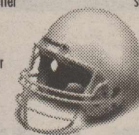
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Junior High Owls Whip Whitharral

Silverton's Junior High Owls took a 34-20 win from Whitharral here Thursday afternoon, beating the Panther Cubs for the second time this season. In an earlier meeting at Whitharral, the Owls took a 32-19 decision.

Whitharral's teams show sound basics of football, and even their smaller junior high players demonstrate the value of their teaching. The Owls had a little more trouble staying ahead of them in the early going, but finished with a similar end result.

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the game, and the Owls controlled the ball on their 20. Clint Ivory ran for a couple of yards before Adrian Ramirez went all the way to score for the Owls. Vance Chandler kicked the PAT, and with 4:59 still remaining to be played in the first quarter, the Owls held an 8-0 lead.

When Chandler kicked off, Ramirez stopped the runback on the Whitharral 30. The Cubs passed for a first down, stopped by Clint Ivory on the Silverton 18, after which Whitharral fumbled and Chandler pounced on the ball for the Owls on the 12.

Clint Ivory picked up five yards before Chandler passed complete to Ramirez for a first down on the 35. Clint ran for a few more yards before Ramirez passed complete to Chandler for a short gain on what looked like a broken play. The ball went back to the Panther Cubs before the first quarter ended.

Whitharral passed complete,



Vance Chandler blocks for Clint Ivory as he picks up yardage for the Junior High Owls.

stopped by Ramirez, and made a first down, stopped by Martin Younger and Ramirez on the Silverton 20. This series ended when the ball went back to the Owls on downs at about the 20.

Silverton's next series was nipped in the bud when Whitharral intercepted an errant pass and moved to the Silverton 30. As was becoming apparent by this time in the game, Whitharral's every play was turning out to be a pass play, and Clint Ivory stopped the next completion after a three-yard gain. The Cubs passed to the Silverton 5, then passed for a touchdown with 55 ticks remaining in the first half. The Cubs fumbled and the Owls recovered on the PAT play, and this left the Owls still in the lead with an 8-6 advantage.

Ramirez took the onside kick near midfield, and Clint Ivory ran for a first down to the Whitharral 17. The Owls fumbled, picked it up, lateraled, and didn't get much out of it. Clint was thrown for a five-yard loss before Chandler completed another pass to Ramirez. The half ended at this point.

Chandler kicked off to open the third quarter, and Clint stopped the runback after it carried to the 20. The Cubs passed for a first down, stopped by Ramirez, and scored two plays later. They failed on their PAT attempt, and moved into a 13-8 lead over the Owls.

Whitharral kicked off, as is the custom of all their teams this year, with the short onside-type kick, and Ramirez controlled it for the Owls. There was a fumble, recovered by Clint who picked it up and passed to Ramirez for an 11-yard gain. Clint made a touchdown on a 20-yard run with 2:29 still on the third-quarter clock. There was no PAT, but this gave the lead back to the Owls, 14-13.

Chandler kicked off again, and the runback was stopped by Ramirez and Issac Garcia on the Whitharral 12. Ramirez performed the quarterback sack, which lost yardage for the Cubs, before a pass moved the ball to the Whitharral 35, stopped there by Ramirez. As the fourth quarter began, the Cubs passed for six

yards. Clay McMurtrey broke up a pass on fourth down to give possession of the ball back to the Owls.

Clint Ivory carried a touchdown the next play. Chandler kicked the PAT, and moved the Owls into a 22-13 lead. The Owls kicked off once again, and on their first play the Cubs passed complete for a touchdown. They passed for the PAT, and narrowed the score to 22-20.

The onside kick went out of bounds, but when the Owls got untracked again, Chandler passed complete to Ramirez for another touchdown. There was no PAT, and with 3:36 remaining to be played in the game, the Owls moved ahead 28-20.

The Owls completely stymied Whitharral's next series of plays, and the ball went back to the Owls on the 27. Clint scored on the next play, the PAT failed, and the Owls held the advantage on the 34-20 score.

Daniel Castillo kicked off for the Owls, and the runback was stopped by Ramirez. The second team went into the game, and McMurtrey and Tyler Young stopped the Cubs as they made another first down. Whitharral fumbled and the Owls recovered on the Silverton 24 with 42 seconds remaining in the game.

Whitharral fans said that their junior high team has won all their other games except those with Silverton.

The Junior High Owls travel to Amherst for their last out-of-town game of the season today (Thursday). Kickoff time is 5:00 p.m. The pep rally is at 12:15 p.m. in the gym. Be there!

Win Owls!

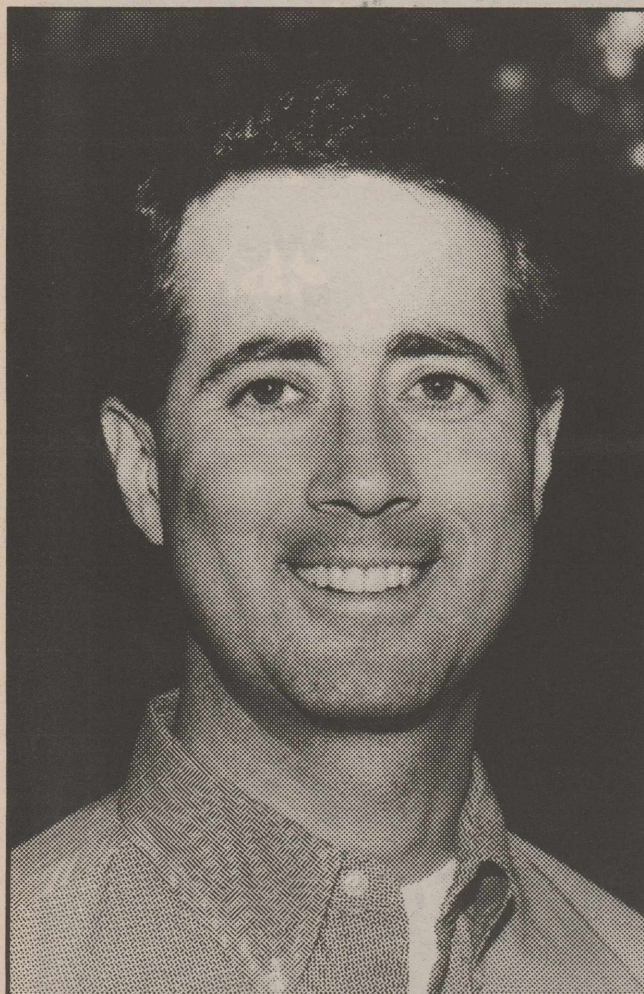
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Best Students Name Their Best Teachers

A select group of America's teachers are being honored by their toughest critics—their former students, in the fourth edition of Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1996.

All of the 120,000 teachers being honored were selected by their former students who themselves are currently listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students, or The National Dean's List, publications which recognize 5% of the nation's high school and college students respectively.

"There is no greater honor teachers can receive than to be recognized by former students for their excellence and dedication," said Paul Krouse, publisher of Who's Who Among America's Teachers.

The students were requested to nominate teachers who "made a difference in their lives" by helping to shape their values, inspiring interest in a particular subject and/or challenging them to strive for excellence. Many of the students commented about

the enthusiasm and knowledge their teachers demonstrated in the classroom, and many praised their teachers for their ability to relate to youngsters on a personal as well as a professional level.

One student wrote about her teacher, saying, "She made education something pleasurable, instead of a dreadful ordeal, by letting me spread my wings and showing me the best way to fly."

Local educators honored in Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1996 include Michelle McDonough Francis, Silverton High School math teacher, and Sheryl Worrall Weaver, Silverton School Principal.

Silverton School Lunchroom Menu

Monday, Nov. 4--B-B-Que on a Bun, Potato Salad, Pinto Beans, Cornbread, Brownie, Milk

Tuesday, Nov. 5--Veg. Soup, Cheese Sandwich, Crackers, Fruit, Milk

Wednesday, Nov. 6--Steak, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli & Cheese, Hot Rolls, Honey, Butter, Milk

Thursday, Nov. 7--Turkey & Dressing, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Bread, Pumpkin Dessert

Friday, Nov. 8--Chili Dog, Tater Rounds, Fruit, Jello, Milk
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Monday, Nov. 4--Sausage, Biscuit, Juice, Milk

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Friday, Nov. 8--Blueberry Muffin, Juice, Milk

Some Airlines Now Require Photo Identification Cards

Many airlines now require ticket holders to present

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"Any Texan, any age, can get a photo ID card at any DPS Driver License Office," said Frank Elder,

deputy administrator of the DPS Driver Licensing and Control Bureau. "People who don't have a driver license often find themselves in need of an official photo ID, whether for cashing checks, proof of age, air travel or other purpose."

An applicant for a card must present a birth certificate, passport or military identification card and pay a \$10 fee. The card is valid for four years. Parents applying for cards for their children must bring one

of the required documents for each child.

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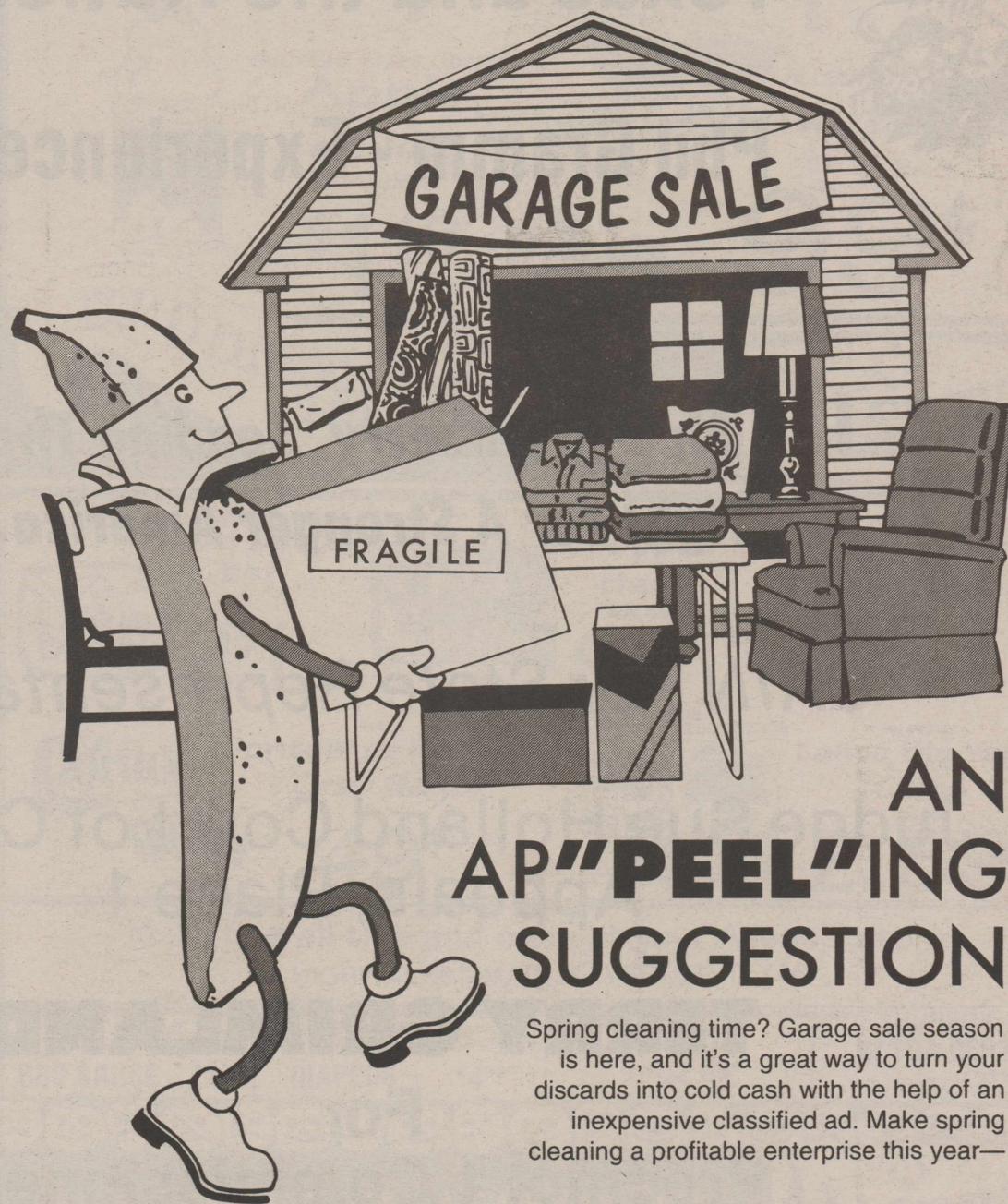
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Silverton School Activities

Friday, Nov. 1--Amherst, here, 7:30; Soph. Pancake Supper, 5:00, Cafeteria

Saturday, Nov. 2--FFA Leadership Contest, Clarendon

Monday, Nov. 4--Girls B-Ball Scrimmage, Tulia, 5:00

Tuesday, Nov. 5--Election Day

Wednesday, Nov. 6--Dist. B-Ball Meeting, Clarendon, 11:00

Thursday, Nov. 7--Six Weeks Tests (Odd)

Friday, Nov. 8--Three Way JH, here, 5:00; Three Way Here, 7:30; Six Weeks Tests (Even)

Saturday, Nov. 9--Girls B-B Scrimmage, Ralls, 7:00

Sunday, Nov. 10--PAT Sunday Dinner, Turkey & Dressing

Tuesday, Nov. 12--Laser Show, 9:00; Kress (Girls), Here, 7:00; Memphis (Boys), There

SWCD Leading Way in Developing Programs

"As a result of the 1996 Farm Bill, Caprock Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) with headquarters in Silverton, along with 3,000 other SWCDs in the nation, has been given the charge to lead the way in developing programs and initiatives to improve soil and water resources at the local level," said Alton Riddell, chairman of the SWCD.

"After years of applying top-down program management approaches in federal conservation programs, the new 1996 Farm Bill establishes a locally-driven process, coordinated by conservation districts, to guide the state and nation's agricultural conservation efforts. It provides tremendous opportunities for local people to become involved in assessing local resource needs, Riddell added. To enact the Farm Bill on the local level, Caprock SWCD, in partnership with the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, will conduct a work group meeting with its conservation partners and interested persons or organizations on November 7 in the NRCS office at 8:00 p.m. Purpose of the meeting is to conduct a local conservation

needs assessment, and make program recommendations on what problems the SWCD should address in future years. Local recommendations will then flow to the state level where the district's technical issues, resource priority areas and program policies will be reviewed and integrated into a state, regional and national program.

"We are excited about the opportunities the new Farm Bill offers because Congress is seeking our leadership to assist our community in carrying out a cooperative, locally driven, incentive-based conservation program that wisely invests public resources to protect local natural resources," said Riddell.

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OBITUARIES

JOHNNIE McGAVOCK

Funeral services for Johnnie McGavock, 91, were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Saturday at Wallace Funeral Home Chapel in Tulia with Rick Bloodworth, minister of Happy Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery by Wallace Funeral Home.

Mr. McGavock died Friday, October 25, at 11:35 a.m. in Swisher Memorial Hospital.

He was born September 24, 1905 in Stroud, Oklahoma. He married Opal Tillery on December 19, 1936, in Clovis, New Mexico. He grew up in Granite, Oklahoma and attended schools there. He moved to Silverton in 1914.

He was a farmer and had lived in Tulia for the past 30 years. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a sister, Ollie Chisum of Tulia; three brothers, Oscar McGavock of Iredell, French McGavock of Happy and J. D. McGavock of Silverton.

Two brothers, Lee McGavock and Leonard McGavock, and two sisters, Lucy Kirk and Mae McClendon, are deceased.

The family suggested memorials be to the Tulia Senior Citizens.



Research gave him a future



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THE OWLS—(left to right, back row) Coach Donnie Dutton, Chris Justice, Will Hester, Jared Holt, Matt Martin, Jack Cherry, Billy Edwards, Cory Chandler, Lorn Estes; (third row) Coach Clyde Parham, Trey Wyatt, Trey Ziegler, Jon Ivory, Arnold Garza, Anthony Gamble, Nathan Francis, Jason Cherry, Coach Ronnie Miller; (second row) Manager Monty Wood, Jordan Sarchet, Vince Cruz, Leland Wood, Andy Bullock, David Gamble, Charlie Bomar, Jared Francis, Manager Vance Chandler; (first row) Daniel Reagan, Ryan Minyard, Donny Burson, Paul Segura, Jeremy Holt. Bert Garza is not pictured.

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Varsity Owls

- Sept. 6--Owls 46, Lefors 0
- Sept. 13--Owls 14, Miami 28
- Sept. 20--Owls 32, McLean 21
- Sept. 27--Owls 12, Guthrie 16
- Oct. 4--Owls 19, Samnorwood 20
- Oct. 11--Owls 64, Cotton Center 18
- Oct. 18--Owls 26, Lazbuddie 48
- Oct. 25--Whitharral*, there 7:30
- Nov. 1--Amherst*, here 7:30
- Nov. 8--Three Way*, here 7:30

*District Game
**Homecoming

Junior High Owls

- Sept. 19--Owls 7, McLean 13
- Sept. 26--Owls 32, Whitharral 19
- Oct. 3--Owls 39, Lazbuddie 16
- Oct. 10--Owls 37, Cotton Center 13
- Oct. 17--Owls 32, Lazbuddie 8
- Oct. 24--Whitharral here
- Oct. 31--Amherst there
- Nov.--Three Way (JH only) here
- JH Games Begin at 5:00
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Case IH Dealer Goes Mile High For Event

David Reagan of Brown-McMurtry Implement in Silverton recently joined more than 3,000 Case IH dealership personnel and customers in Denver, Colorado, for the Case IH Denver Summit, the largest introduction of new products in Case Corporation's history.

More than 20 new products were introduced at the event, including the new Case IH

Quadtrac™, 8900 Series Magnum™ and 9390 Steiger® tractors; several new configurations of 955 Series Early-Riser® planters; an assortment of new tillage implements; and a number of new hay and forage products. Additionally, features on new 1997 Case IH Axial-Flow® combines, including several enhancements to improve reliability, serviceability and productivity, were profiled. Brown-McMurtry Implement will

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be offering the new Case IH equipment introduced at the Denver Summit as it becomes available.

"We told our customers and dealers they would see the future of agriculture at this event," said Jim Irwin, Case vice president, North American agricultural equipment sales. "And they saw that and more. The Case IH products introduced in Denver are designed to contribute to farmers' success as they move into the next century."

As part of the three-day event, Reagan attended his choice of breakout sessions that covered a variety of topics and issues of interest to farmers, as well as highlighting key features of the new Case IH equipment. Attendees also had the opportunity to operate the new Quadtrac and Magnum tractors in nearby fields.

The 360-horsepower Quadtrac tractor, Case Corporation's first fully integrated four-wheel-drive track-type vehicle, features

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superior floatation, power and reliability, meeting farmers' needs for low compaction and high productivity with the most tractive efficiency possible.

The new 8900 Series Magnum line, with five new models—the 8910, 8920, 8930, 8940 and 8950—feature increased horsepower, tighter turning, greater visibility and exclusive end-of-row hitch functions.

Reagan noted that Case relied heavily on input from customers in the development of the new Case IH equipment and incorporated features in response to customer needs. He said Brown-McMurtry Implement is looking forward to getting the new equipment into the field with customers.

Winter Driving More Hazardous Than Many People Believe

"Winter driving is more hazardous than most people realize," says Trooper L. B. Snider, Public Information Officer for the Texas Department of Public Safety. There are more hours of darkness, lower visibility and sometimes freezing temperatures with ice, sleet or snow. "These challenges often catch many motorists unprepared," warns Snider.

"Safe winter driving is largely the use of common sense use of basic driving skills," advises Trooper Snider. "Drivers need to be able to see all around their vehicle, which requires us to clear all windows of ice and snow rather than settling for 'peep holes,'" continues Snider. Motorists should take time to scrape the exterior glass and allow the defroster to clear glass from the inside. When scraping the exterior glass, also be sure the wiper blades are clean and not stuck.

Too much speed in adverse conditions is the leading factor in winter traffic accidents. Drivers need to adjust their driving habits to match the weather and road conditions. Travel on icy roads require more time. If the road is covered with ice or snow, start your vehicle moving slowly and gently. When stopping, allow three to ten times the normal distance. Apply your brakes lightly and steadily. Make your turns slowly and smoothly.

Loss of control on slippery roads usually results in skidding. To recover from a skid, ease off the accelerator, stay off the brakes and steer in the direction you want to go.

Trooper Snider states, "Winter driving is a serious challenge to the most experienced and professional drivers. If we will take a little extra time to clear the glass, slowly accelerate, multiply our needed stopping distance and make slower steady turns, we can have a safer winter."

Hollis Cain on Education:

Hollis Cain believes providing a quality education for our children is the most important issue in Texas. Hollis is an advocate for public education. As a former school board member, Hollis understands the needs and problems of rural schools. He understands the impact of legislative action on local school districts and taxpayers. Hollis is proud that two of his daughters are certified teachers. He understands the difficulties faced by classroom teachers in complying with bureaucratic paperwork and mandates. Hollis is committed to working to make the schools in District 85 the best in the state.



Hollis Cain with five reasons he cares about quality education - his grandchildren.

HOLLIS CAIN WILL WORK FOR:

- cutting centralized bureaucracy and bloated administrative costs
- putting savings from cuts into classroom resources and teacher pay
- curriculum standards that are objective, measurable and achievable
- back-to-basics academics and meaningful vocational programs for students
- less decision-making in Austin and more at the local level
- a school funding plan that benefits all schools without passing the burden on to property owners
- the fundamental right of parents to direct the education and upbringing of their children
- ensuring retired teachers have adequate pensions
- continuing the downsizing of the Texas Education Agency

Hollis Cain's opponent, James E. "Pete" Laney, voted for Robin Hood against the wishes of 70% of District 85 voters. Mr. Laney last month received another \$25,000, his largest single contribution, from the liberal Texas NEA. Maybe that's why, as speaker, Mr. Laney has instructed his House Education Committee to consider giving incentive pay to inner-city (Houston, Dallas, Austin, San Antonio) teachers. Hollis Cain wants to cut bureaucracy and waste and give more pay to ALL teachers.

VOTE FOR HOLLIS CAIN FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE

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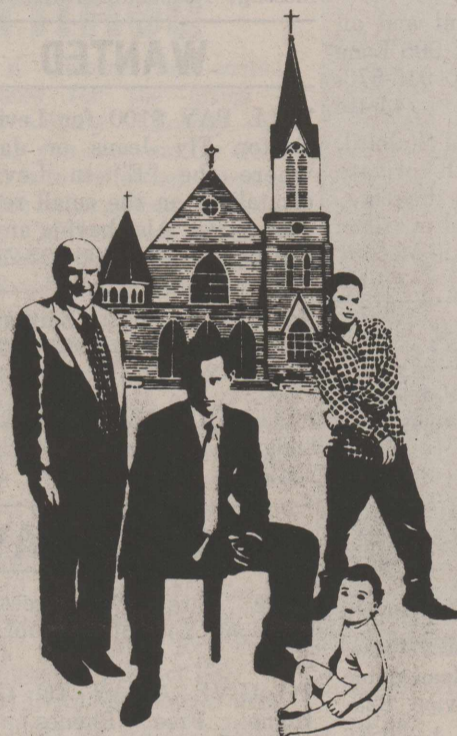
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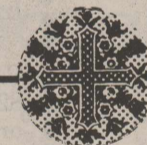
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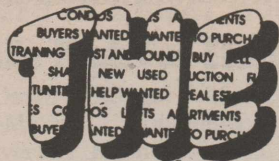


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