

## 4-H To Sponsor Concession Stand

Briscoe County 4-H will be operating the concession stand during the Briscoe County Livestock Show to be held at the showbarn in Silverton January 22-24. The concession stand will be open on Thursday, January 22, from 12:00 until 9:00 p.m.; Friday, January 23, from 8:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.; and Saturday, January 24, from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and during the sale.

Everyone is invited to come out and eat with 4-H while enjoying this year's stock show. Specials will be: Thursday Supper--stew, cornbread and a drink for \$3; Saturday Lunch--mesquite grilled hamburgers, chips, brownie or rice krispie treat and a drink for \$3.50. Other items available will be burritos, baked potatoes, hot dogs, nachos, fritos pies, candy, breakfast burritos, sausage/egg biscuits.

Funds raised from this activity will support the county 4-H program and events during the year.

## Stock Show Group Seeking Flatbed Trailers

Several flatbed cotton trailers are needed for storing the stock show panels that have recently been completed. The panels need to be put on trailers and shedded in order to preserve them for many years to come. If you have an old trailer you would donate or sell, please contact Deb Burson, Janinne Brooks, Bena Hester or Beverly Minyard.

Thanks to those who have donated to the 4-H - FFA stock show building fund to make it possible to hold the county show in Silverton once again.

Special thanks to the FFA boys and girls who finished the welding on the panels. They are just about painted and ready for the stock show.

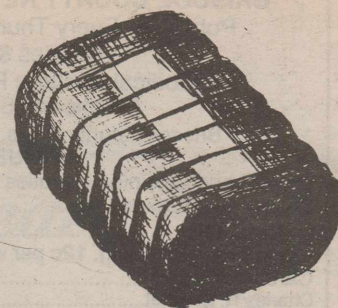
## Students Can Get 'Virtual Tours' of Capitol at Library

Texas House Speaker Pete Laney of Hale Center announces the distribution of "A Virtual Tour of the Texas State Capitol" to schools in his House District 85, which includes Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Motley, Parmer and Swisher counties. The CD-ROMS have been mailed to superintendents for use in their school libraries.

This state-of-the-art CD-ROM, narrated by Bob Schieffer of CBS News, takes users on a floor-by-floor tour of the Texas Capitol. Viewers get a full 360-degree angle view of each room on the tour. The CD-ROM also includes interviews with state officials, segments on the capitol's construction and state historic figures, an explanation of how a bill becomes a law and a helpful reading list on state history.



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# Briscoe County News

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## Honors Continue to Accumulate For Jeremy and Jared Holt

Honors continue to pile ever higher for Jared Holt and Jeremy Holt, members of the Silverton Owl football team which advanced to the state quarterfinals before losing to the eventual state champion, Borden County.

The Six-Man Coaches Association All-State Teams have been announced, and Jared Holt was selected as the punter on the first team.

Jeremy Holt was chosen as a running back on the second team.

The boys are juniors in SHS and are sons of David and Debbie Holt.

The members of the All-State teams follow:

### First Team Offense

Center--Jason Thomas, Lazbuddie senior  
Ends--Oscar Baeza, Borden County senior; Mike Risse, Panther Creek junior

Quarterback--Colt McCook, Borden County junior

Spread Back--Brandon Purcell, May junior

Running Backs--Damien Jackson, Trinidad junior; Luis Delagadillo, Panther Creek senior; Roy Vasquez, Grandfalls junior

Kicker--Jeff Hopkins, Strawn junior

### First Team Defense

Defensive Linemen--Demond Smith, Trinidad junior; Ryan Grant, Borden County junior; Jammy Murry, Miami senior

Linebackers--Chris Chamberlain, Gordon senior; Stephen Floyd, Panther Creek junior; Toby Burgin, Groom senior; Jimmy Ramirez, Grandfalls senior

Safety--Fernando Baeza, Borden County junior

Punter--Jared Holt, Silverton junior

### Second Team Offense

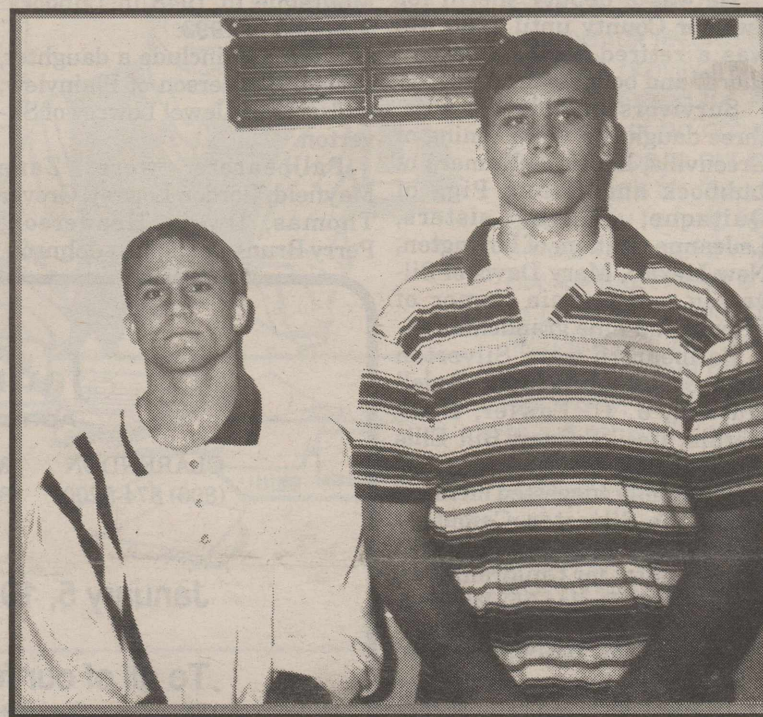
Center--Joel Dickson, Trinidad senior

Ends -- Artie Wright, Samnorwood junior; Robert Pounds, Newcastle senior

Quarterback--Brent Dawson, Panther Creek senior

Spread Back--Shane Mallory, Strawn junior; Debossa Mendoza, Balmorhea senior

Running Backs--Jeremy Holt, Silverton junior; Aaron Orisini, Strawn senior; Marshall Flowers,



Jeremy Holt and Jared Holt  
members of the All-State 6-Man Football Team

## Grandparents! It's Brag Page Time Again

The Briscoe County News Valentine Page is scheduled for Thursday, February 12. Deadline for the publication is Monday, February 9.

All grandparents need to do is bring the picture or pictures they wish to be printed in the newspaper to the News office. The charge will be \$8.00 per picture.

Black and white or colored photos will be accepted. All photos can be picked up at the News office anytime after February 12.

Miami senior

Kicker--Kenneth Willingham, Zephyr senior

### Second Team Defense

Defensive Linemen--Jeremy Jackson, Gordon senior; Jeremy Harlan, Wellman junior; Tradd Strawbridge, Newcastle junior; Angel Solis, Blackwell senior

Linebackers--Clint Scott, Borden County senior; Junior Nunez, Strawn junior; Olin Gibson, Follett senior

Safety--Justin Stracener, Whitharral senior

Punter--Aaron Hungerford, Gustine senior.

Be sure to include the name or names of the child/children in the picture, the names of the parents and grandparents--whatever information you wish to have included with the photo. It is not necessary that the children or their parents live in Briscoe County . . . they may live anywhere in the world.

This is a unique way for grandparents to help their grandchildren say "Happy Valentine's Day" to the rest of the family and friends. It is also an opportunity for proud grandparents to show readers of this newspaper they have the finest, prettiest, or most handsome grandchildren to be found anywhere.

## Senior Citizens To Meet Here Friday

Silverton Senior Citizens will have their regular monthly business meeting and luncheon Friday, January 16 at the Center.

Members of Silverton Church of Christ will be hosts for the luncheon.

## Fire Department To Meet, Elect Officers Tonight

Members of Silverton Volunteer Fire Department will meet for supper at 7:00 p.m. at the City Hall today (Thursday).

Officers will be elected following the meal.

## Musical Program Planned Sunday

Panhandle Chapter of the Singing Women of Texas will present a concert at 6:00 p.m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Silverton.

Everyone is invited.

There will be a time of fellowship following the concert.

## Girl Scout Cookie Sales Underway Until January 23

The Silverton Girl Scout Troops will be selling Girl Scout cookies January 9-23.

If you would like to purchase a box of cookies, contact Troop leaders Charlotte Rhoderick or Linda Vernon. This will be the major fundraiser for this year. The girls will use the money for field trips, day camps, re-registration and possibly for uniforms.

Every purchase is greatly appreciated. Support your Silverton Girl Scouts--buy some cookies.

## Firemen To Serve Steak Dinner Feb. 14

Silverton Firemen will prepare and serve a steak dinner for their Firemen's Ball to be held from 7:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m. Saturday, February 14, at the Showbarn.

A live band will provide music for the event.

Tickets are \$15.00 each, and may be purchased from a member of the Silverton Volunteer Fire Department or at City Hall.

Go Owls & Lady Owls!

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## Obituaries

### O. NORLAN DUDLEY

Funeral services for O. Norlan Dudley, 70, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Monday at Wallace Funeral Home Chapel in Tulia with the Rev. Denzil Leonard of Canadian, a retired Baptist minister, officiating.

Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery.

Mr. Dudley died Friday, January 9, 1998 at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Amarillo.

He was born October 18, 1927 in Silverton, and was the son of O. Milton and Zelda Dudley. He married the former Doris Faye Holt on April 2, 1948 in Amarillo. He was a member of First Methodist Church.

He was graduated from Silverton High School, and was a U. S. Navy veteran of World War II. He moved to Tulia in 1982. He was a

member of Silverton Lodge AF&AM, Khiva Shrine, El Paso Scottish Rite, American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Sheriffs Association of Texas and the Lions Club.

He was a deputy sheriff for Swisher County until 1988. He was a retired banker, deputy sheriff and bondsman.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Joan Vining of Greenville, Laura McNamara of Lubbock and Donna Pigg of Quitaque; three sisters, LaJeanne Graham of Lovington, New Mexico, Mary Davis of Silverton and Connie Comer of Friona; and nine grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Silverton High School classmates, Esdell Hutsell, J. C. Fowler, Buck Hardin, Cecil Seaney, Bill Ellis and Rex Holt.

The family suggested memorials to the Silverton Cemetery Association or the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children, P. O. Box 199300, Dallas 75219-9842.

### JAMES M. HENDERSON

Graveside services for James M. Henderson, 75, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Saturday in the Silverton Cemetery with



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## Stock Show Date Has Been Changed

Briscoe County Stock Show has been re-scheduled for January 22-23-24.

Due to this change, Silverton ISD will have an in-service day on January 23 and regular classes will be scheduled for January 29.

Edwin Norris and Doug Cherry officiating. Arrangements were made by Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mr. Henderson died at his home Thursday morning, January 8.

He was born in East Texas and was a retired farmer. He was a member of the Rock Creek Church of Christ.

He married the former Lavelle Montague in 1948 in Lubbock. She died in 1993.

Survivors include a daughter, Freeda Henderson of Plainview; and a sister, Jewel Lowrey of Silverton.

Pallbearers were Zane Mayfield, Gordon Lowrey, Grover Thomas, Dwain Henderson, Perry Brunson and Rex Johnson.

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I am pleased to tell you that Jason Green has decided to come with James F. Hayes & Co. on a permanent basis as a sales associate and as an appraisal trainee. He has recently been licensed with the Texas Real Estate Commission.

Jason was raised in Donley County, attended Clarendon High School, went through the RFO program at Clarendon College and then obtained his B.S. Degree at Panhandle State University. So you see, he comes to us with good credentials.

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## LOOKING BACK

through the files of the  
Briscoe County News

**January 21, 1988**-Playing for the Owls this year are Wayne Henderson, Ryan Smith, Kendal Minyard, Robbie McWaters, Denny Hill, Kirk Couch, Neal Edwards, Ricky Clardy, Jon Pigg, Frank Lowrey, Bradley Brunson and Jamie Frizzell. They are coached by Kevin Cleveland . . . Coaching the Owlettes this year is Gary Childs. The players are Carrie Ann Grabbe, Gina Myers, Tracy Tomlin, Stacie Chappell, Keeley Burson, DeLyn Patton, Penni Fogerson, Kim Burson, Julie Towe, Julie Graham and Tara Nance . . . Chosen to serve on the board of directors of Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service are Diamond Williams, Tom Burson, Lynn Frizzell, James Edwards, Dick Roehr, Emmett Tomlin and Anthony Kingery . . . Berle Fisch was dismissed from the Bivins Rehabilitation Center and is now staying with his daughter, Linda, in Amarillo. Mrs. Aloha Fisch remains in the intensive care unit at Northwest Texas Hospital . . . Mrs. Tone Brooks came home Friday after spending eight weeks with her daughter, Jane, in Amarillo while recuperating with a fractured pelvis . . . Corey Robertson made the Dean's Honor Roll at South Plains College, posting a grade point average of 3.75 on a 4.0 scale for the fall semester . . . Clay Schott chosen for All-State Six-Man team. Jamie Frizzell was picked as a member of the defensive second team . . .

**January 19, 1978**-Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hutsell are parents of a son, Matthew Ryan . . . New construction is underway at several locations in Silverton. In downtown Silverton, Verlin B. Towe is the owner of an office building that is being built east of First State Bank; an addition to the Silverton High School vocational agriculture department is under construction, and a new home for Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whitfill is going up . . . Services conducted for Chester D. (Red) Copelin, 65 . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Steele returned last week from a vacation in California and points of interest in the west . . . Dave Francis is scheduled to enter Methodist Hospital today to undergo surgery on his right arm to repair torn and dislocated ligaments. This was from an injury that he had over a year ago . . . David Dea has been named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at Asbury College in Wilmore, Kentucky . . .

**January 18, 1968**-Louie Kitchens has been chosen as president of the Silverton Riding Club. Elected to serve with him were Jim Brooks, vice president; Anna Belle Tipton, secretary-treasurer; Novadell Kitchens, reporter; Jack Loudermilk, parade marshal; Winston Hamilton, Bryant Eddleman and

Jack Loudermilk, directors . . . Roger Younger was exhibitor of the first-place barrow in the Chester White class of the Briscoe County Fat Stock Show Saturday . . . Ken Wood, a 10-year-old Silverton 4-H Club member, exhibited the grand champion steer, a Hereford . . . Funeral services will be conducted today for Charles Leonard (Buster) Wilson . . . FFA boys who will be exhibiting animals in the Amarillo Fat Stock Show are Van May, Tim Mattheus, Lane Garvin, Ricky Stephens, Gene Whitfill, Monty Teeple, Thurman May, Max Weaver, Rod Vaughan, Bill Brooks, Max Hamilton, Randy Cantwell, Larry Comer, Mike Tate, Roy Wood, Cletus Grady, jr., Alvin May, Gary Martin, Monty Teeple and Roy Dale Wood . . . Caprock TOPS Club has begun its new year with new officers: Nina Martin, leader; Fairy McWilliams, co-leader; Nena Kay Hunt, secretary; Lois Cline, treasurer; Sybil Martin, weight recorder; Lallie Patton, reporter; Marie Garrison, scrapbook chairman, and Mildred McDaniel, program chairman . . . Mrs. W. E. Schott, sr. was honored on her eighty-fourth birthday anniversary Sunday afternoon by members of her family in the J. V. Self home . . . Wes Fleming honored on ninth birthday . . . Mrs. Mildred Brooks is recuperating from recent surgery at her home . . .

**January 16, 1958**-Miss Veneta Sweek is bride of Donald Gene Hale . . . The City Conoco Service Station has undergone a complete renovation. It has been painted inside and out and new gas pumps are to be installed as well as a new grease and wash rack, hydraulic and other equipment, said Neil Jennings. Harvey McJimsey and Brubs Bomar are the chief directors of the station. In the east room of the filling station building, a television will be set up and tables for dominoes will be arranged for customers wishing to come by for a rest and visit with their friends . . . Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hardin are parents of a daughter . . . Fire that started from a panel-ray heater in the office of Tomlin-Fleming Gin Tuesday night ruined the partition wall and heater and considerable smoke damage was done to the building, which Mr. Tomlin estimated to be around \$400 . . . L. C. Jasper, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Milt Jasper, will receive a Hobbs Knight of the Road highway courtesy award at the Silverton Lions Club meeting Thursday night. Jasper, a truck operator for J. C. Jones, will be recognized by the award for his courteous and quick action at the scene of an accident at one of Dallas' busiest traffic intersections . . . Don Cornett, Abilene Christian College sophomore, is

now serving on the staff of ACC's radio station KACC. He is working as an announcer-engineer and is a member of the music staff . . .

**January 22, 1948**-Jack Jefferson of Tulia is visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jefferson . . . Pat and Jeannie Garvin, Betty Gardner, Betty Marshall and Rev. Adcock attended church services in Plainview Sunday . . . Mrs. Marcalete Lee was absent from her duties as teacher in the school here last Thursday because of illness . . . O. W. Mitchells are parents of Silverton's first baby in 1948 . . . According to the best informed sources available, the old JA ranch, owned by Mrs. John Adair, who came to this section from England and erected a beautiful and luxuriously furnished home in the canyon, on the Mulberry, employed several men of this county. Among those men was one by the name of Wadsworth--a senator of New York and also manager of the JA ranch at that time. Several Briscoe County men were also employees of the JA and it was among these that various parties were planned that are still remembered today. A man known as "Slim" was cook at the ranch. In 1911 Willie Sedgwick was the jeweler in Silverton and he sold the majority of the wedding bands to couples marrying in

those days as well as clocks better known to the older folks as "Big Bens". Also in 1911 the group employed at the JA had planned a party. The following begins an account of the party as reported by Mrs. Roy McMurtry, who was present at the occasion. Big Ben, which they purchased from Mr. Sedgwick, gave his alarm at 4:00 o'clock Sunday morning--and grabbing for shoes began among the girls. At sunrise the mounted horsewomen started; followed by buggies which carried: rats, paints and powder. They were met at the caprock by Mr. V. Terry, who showed them over hills and thru hollows to the "wagon". Arriving at 10:00, they prepared for dinner. After having enjoyed a good dinner prepared by the wagon cook, the time was pleasantly spent by the following young ladies: Misses Frankie, Cass and Bob McClendon, Pearl Young, Dorn Burleson, Lyda Hawthorn and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McDonald and Tom Porter. The following young men were with the "wagon": Lois Hancock, the ladies man, also Roy Mc, then there was the Hobo element--Bill Bomar and old John Black; but last of all was the Dudish Bunch headed by Ben Bar and along comes Billie Tar. We have missed the singing Bunch, led by Master Red and ably assisted by (fun among them) Freddie Hext. Af-

ter dark, when everything was quite still, we could hear the silvery notes of the famous Bill Beverly and Bill Heisler. Just when we thought everything was complete, two more joined the glorious choir, Slim and Fonso Babisto. So we will have benediction led by Rowden down by the Old Big Tree. Only a few days before Christmas Mr. Roy McMurtry received a letter from Slim the cook at the JA some 35 years ago . . .

**January 20, 1938**-The Silverton All-Stars, boasting the best basketball team ever developed in Silverton, outplayed and outscored a fighting Turkey team Tuesday night to defeat them by a score of 36-30. Paced by Arnold Slats Brown, the Silvertonites gained revenge for their defeat at the hands of the Turkey All-Stars three weeks ago. Alan Dickerson, with his left hand working overtime, was hitting the basket with usual accuracy; and Weaver played his usual jam-up good game. Outstanding for the Turks were Johnson and Young. The Silverton team is composed of such players as Aulton Durham, Lem Weaver, Fred Mercer, Coy Chappell, Hollis Sweatt, Datis Martin, Odell Gregg, Alan Dickerson and Arnold Brown . . . Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allard of the Shoebar Ranch were in town last Sunday visiting relatives . . .



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## Owls, Lady Owls Win Hoot-Out

Silverton's Owls and Lady Owls romped to a 4-0 and 3-0 finish in the Hoot-Out last weekend, to win championship honors in the round-robin tournament.

The Lady Owls opened the tournament by defeating the Hartley Tigers 79-25. Lacy Brunson had the hot hands and poured 21 points into the baskets for the Lady Owls. Also scoring in double figures were Sara Kirchoffner and Michelle Warren, 14 points each, and Lindsey Weaks, 13. Rounding out the score were Dara Ramsey, seven; Misty Wilkinson, six; Lisa Comer, four points.

The top scorer for Hartley was Gretta Thompson with 10.

Lady Owls	21	37	55	79
Hartley	6	14	18	25

Three-point shots were hit by

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Lindsey (3), Sara (2) and Misty (1).

The Silverton Lady Owls squashed the Lady Owls from Hedley 76-36 in the second round of the tournament, jumping out to a big first-quarter lead and never relinquishing it.

Sara Kirchoffner led the offense by scoring 18 points. Also in double figures were Misty Wilkinson, 17; Lacy Brunson, 16; Dara Ramsey and Michelle Warren, 12 points each. Lisa Comer rang up a point from the line.

Michelle Brooks led the scoring for Hedley with nine points.

Three pointers were hit by Dara (1), Misty (3) and Sara (4).

Lady Owls	19	47	63	76
Hedley	3	16	29	36

The Lady Owls destroyed the Dimmitt JV 81-39 in the tournament's third round.

Lacy Brunson burned the baskets with a big 28-point effort. Also scoring in double figures were Sara Kirchoffner, 18, and Michelle Warren, 12. Rounding out the score were Misty Wilkinson, nine; Lindsey Weaks and Dara Ramsey, six points each, and Lisa Comer, two points.

Three pointers were hit by Misty (1), Sara (2) and Dara (1).

Lady Owls	15	37	58	81
Dimmitt JV	7	22	28	39

High scorer for Dimmitt was Becky Ramirez, with nine points.

The Owls blew out the Dimmitt JV 64-50 on the opening morning of the tournament.

Jack Cherry led the offense with 19 points. Also scoring in double figures were Jared Holt, 15, and Jay Arnold, 10. Adding to the score were Jeremy Holt, nine; Nathan Francis, six; Trey Wyatt, five.

Three-pointers were hit by Jack (2), Trey (1).

Owls	22	29	50	64
Dimmitt JV	13	22	31	50

Prieto and Sherman led the offense for Dimmitt by scoring 10 points each.

Later that same day, the Owls played to a 72-49 decision over the Hartley Tigers.

Jack Cherry led the scoring with 20 points to his credit. Jared Holt was right behind him with 19 and Trey Wyatt got 16. Adding to the score were Jeremy Holt, six, and Jay Arnold, four points.

Jack hit a three pointer in the game.

Jake Van Beck led the offense for Hartley by scoring 18 points.

Owls	14	34	58	72
Hartley	6	19	33	49

The Big Red Silverton Owls defeated the Green Owls from Hedley 80-50 on the second day of the tournament.

Jack Cherry had the hot hands and burned the cords with a 30-point effort. Trey Wyatt caged 21 and Jared Holt added 19. Adding to the score were Jay Arnold, six, and Jeremy Holt, four.

Owls	22	43	61	80
Hedley	17	23	35	50

Seven three-point shots were hit by Jack Cherry.

The Owls concluded their tour-

## JV Owls Win Consolation At Lazbuddie

The Junior Varsity teams played in a tournament at Lazbuddie last weekend, and the Owls were winners of the consolation bracket.

After losing to Muleshoe 78-21 in the first round, the Owls played to a 41-38 victory over Boys Ranch and defeated Lazbuddie 57-30 to win a trophy.

First-round scoring was by Paul Segura, Adrian Ramirez and Daniel Reagan, five points each; Max Whitworth and Clint Ivory, four points each; Bert Garza and Gary Whitworth, two points each.

Three pointers were hit by Segura (1) and Reagan (1).

JV Owls	7	19	25	27
Muleshoe	26	48	58	78

The Owls recaptured their winning ways against Boys Ranch, led in scoring by Adrian Ramirez and Max Whitworth, who caged 13 points each. Also scoring were Daniel Reagan, seven; Bert Garza and Clint Ivory, three points each, and Paul Segura, two points.

Three-point shots were hit by Clint Ivory (1), Max Whitworth (1) and Reagan (2).

JV Owls	10	18	30	41
Boys Ranch	10	19	27	38

The Owls romped to a 57-30 victory over Cotton Center in the consolation finals. Daniel Reagan and Adrian Ramirez had hot hands in this game, scoring 17 and 16 point respectively. Also scoring were Max Whitworth, eight; Issac Garcia, five; Daniel Castillo, four; Paul Segura, three; Bert Garza and Vince Cruz, two points each.

Three-point shots were hit by Reagan (3), Garcia (1) and Segura (1).

Owls	14	37	49	57
Cotton Center	6	18	22	30

The JV Lady Owls defeated Cotton Center 64-14 in the first round of the tournament. Destiny Ivory had the hot hands and burned the baskets with 21 points. Brooke Garvin and Taylor Griffin also scored in double figures, with 12 and 11 points respectively. Also scoring were Sharyl McMurtrey and Dara Johnston, eight points each, and Catheryn Reyna, four points.

Three-point shots were hit by Dara (2).

Lady Owls	15	28	46	64
Cotton Center	7	10	12	14

The Lady Owls lost to Farwell 31-27 in the second round. Destiny Ivory led the scoring with 10

points, and others scoring were Dara Johnston, eight; Taylor Griffin, seven, and Sharyl McMurtrey, two points.

Jack (2) and Trey (2) each hit three-point shots in the game.

Owls	23	34	50	72
Boys Ranch	10	27	39	51

## Junior High Teams Split Games With Hedley

Silverton's Junior High teams played a couple of games with Hedley on Monday night of last week, with the Lady Owls dropping a 25-11 decision and the Owls earning a 59-56 victory.

Scoring for the Lady Owls were Chelsey Cherry, four; Kurby Garvin, Bryn Mayfield and Lauren Van Horn, two points each; Tarran Forbes, one point.

Lady Owls	1	5	9	11
Hedley	9	18	23	25

Leading the offense for the Owls was Jimmy Castillo, who burned the baskets with a big 20-point effort. Also scoring were Andrew Francis and Matt Strange, eight points each; Red Ivory, seven; John Arnold, four, and Monty Wood, two points.

Owls	8	28	43	59
Hedley	12	22	35	56

## Silverton School Lunch Menu

Monday, Jan. 19--Ham & Cheese on a Bun, Salad, Pok & Beans, Fruit, Cookie, Milk

Tuesday, Jan. 20--Assorted Sandwiches, Salad, Baked Potato Wedges, Rice Krispie Treat, Milk

Wednesday, Jan. 21--Steak Fingers, Gravy, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Hot Roll, Honey, Butter, Milk

Thursday, Jan. 22--Hamburger & Cheese, French Fries, Salad, Cookie, Milk

Friday, Jan. 23--Teacher In-Service Day, Student Holiday

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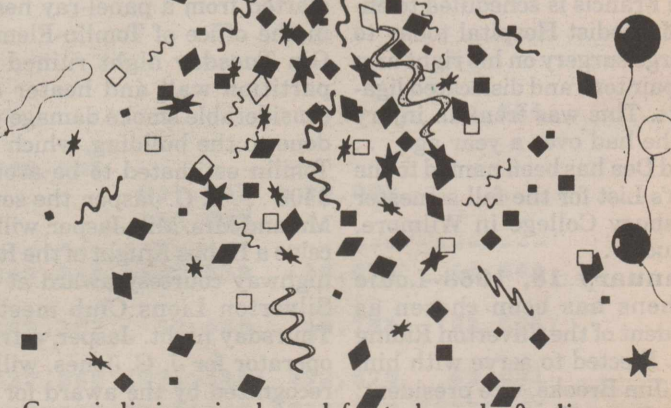
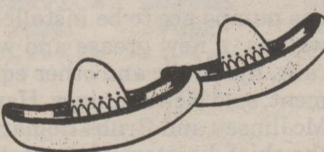


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### Lady Owls Win, Owls Lose Games At Paducah

The local teams played a series of four games at Paducah Tuesday night of last week, with the Owls dropping their matches and the Lady Owls winning theirs.

The junior varsity Lady Owls led off the action with a 46-36 decision over the Lady Dragons.

Dara Johnston led the scoring with 12 points, which was four three pointers, closely followed by Brooke Garvin and Destiny Ivory, with 10 points each. Also scoring were Taylor Griffin, seven; Catheryn Reyna, four; Sharyl McMurtrey, three points.

Lady Owl JV 10 19 28 46  
Paducah 8 17 24 36

The junior varsity Owls played to a 53-38 loss to the Dragons. Adrian Ramirez led the offense by scoring 12 points. Also scoring were Isaiah Ivory and Max Whitworth, seven points each; Clint Ivory and Bert Garza, four points each; Paul Segura and Daniel Reagan, two points each.

Owl JV 8 14 26 38  
Paducah 13 32 45 53

The Lady Owls rolled to a 58-54 victory, led by the scoring of Michelle Warren and Lacy Brunson, 14 points each, and Lindsey Weaks, 10 points. Rounding out the score were Dara Ramsey, eight; Misty Wilkinson, seven; Sara Kirchoffner, five points. Three pointers were hit by Lindsey (2)

and Dara (1).

Lady Owls 17 30 39 58  
Paducah 14 31 41 54

The Owls got off to a slow start and were never able to catch up with the Dragons in their match.

Jared Holt was the offensive leader with 18 points. Jack Cherry and Trey Wyatt caged 12 points each. Also scoring were Jay Arnold, nine; Jeremy Holt, five; Nathan Francis and Will Hester, two points each.

Three-point shots were hit by Jack (1) and Trey (2).

Owls 10 19 39 60  
Paducah 22 44 69 84

### Silverton School Activities

Thursday, Jan. 15--HS Speech Play for parents, 7:00 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 16--HS Speech Play for Grades 7-12, 9:45; Happy, there, 4:00

Monday, Jan. 19--Groom JH, here, 4:00

Tuesday, Jan. 20--Motley County, here, 4:00

Thursday-Saturday, Jan. 22-24--Briscoe County Livestock Show

Friday, Jan. 23--Groom, there, 4:00; In Service Day, Student Holiday

Saturday, Jan. 24--Kress JH Tournament

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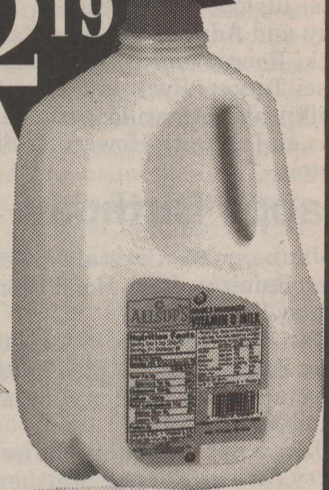
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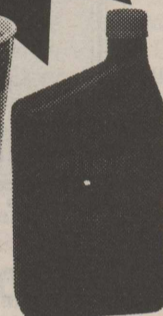
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Home December 28**

J. L. and Bettie Williams celebrated their anniversary December 13 at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Judy and John Griffin, in Amarillo. They were honored at the dinner buffet by their children, grandchildren and friends.

Tables were decorated with Christmas greenery, white candles, white lights and silver ribbon. The cake was covered with white poinsettias and served on Spode Christmas Tree dinnerware. After dinner the couple was presented with a pair of glider rockers.

Those attending were Scott, Allison, Amber and Weston Roberts, Idalou; David, Susan, Tiffany and Adrian Williams, Lubbock; Ronnie Yancey, David and Traci Tucker, Ryan and Brandy Griffin, all of Amarillo; Dena Thomas and Juanita Howard of Silverton.

**Happy Birthday-**

January 15--Crystal Miller, Juan Ramirez, Janet Henderson, Ashley Smith

January 16--Sheryl Breedlove, Santos Garcia, jr., Ernest Garcia, Rusty Miller, Louise Vaughan

January 17--Aubri Renee Perry, Ashley Glenn, Matthew Hutsell, Beverly Minyard, Kent Carpenter, Jerry Cole Patton

January 18--John Wyatt, Debbie Weak, Thor Patton

January 19--Annell Davis, Sue Lynn Morris

January 20--Anna Belle Tipton, Aloha Fisch, Daryl-Ann Reynolds, Jack Graham, Barry Grant Wheeler

January 21--Judy Barbo, Lois Ziegler, Fred Sweet

A late Christmas dinner was held in the home of Juanita Howard December 28. All four of her children attended, including, James and Marlyn Webb, Amarillo; Frank and Judy Welch, Dimmitt; Jonathan and Kristin Welch, Shallowater; Melesia Watts, Amarillo; Robin Watts, Denver, Colorado; Ann and Bill Philpott, Clint and Delese, Lubbock; Beth, Charles and John Cargill, Lubbock; Carroll, Judy and Kathy Welch, Kress; Bettie and J. L. Williams, Silverton.

The group enjoyed a traditional Christmas dinner and a visit from Santa in the afternoon. Diane, Jake and Joseph Chitwood of Lubbock came in the afternoon for a visit with all.

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DAY	HIGH	LOW	PRECIP.
1	53	22	
2	61	26	
3	70	35	
4	61	34	
5	48	34	
6	60	29	
7	39	27	
8	44	20	
11	62	18	
12	62	27	
13	63	24	
Total Jan. Precip.			.00
Normal Jan. Precip.			.65
Total Precip. Rec'd.			
Year to Date			.00
Normal Precip. For Year to Date			.65

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The residence of the Temporary Administrators is Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas; the post office address is:

c/o Peter I. Clarke  
Attorney at Law  
P. O. Box S  
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All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 6th day of January, 1998.

Peter I. Clarke  
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(806) 995-2391  
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By: /s/ Peter I. Clarke

Peter I. Clarke  
Attorney for the Estate  
State Bar No.: 04317120

**MACKENZIE MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY  
ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT  
FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1997**

	GENERAL FUND	DEBT SERVICE FUND	WATER SUPPLY FUND	RECREATION FUND	CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
<b>RECEIPTS:</b>					
Taxes	132,685	344,085			
Interest	4,979	22,195	58,038	4,246	1,483
Miscellaneous	624				
Water Revenues			323,196		
Sinking Fund Deposits			478,692		
Recreation Receipts				78,034	
Transfer In				64,564	
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>138,288</b>	<b>366,280</b>	<b>859,926</b>	<b>146,844</b>	<b>1,483</b>
<b>DISBURSEMENTS:</b>					
Transfers Out					64,564
Administrative and Operating	154,347				
Bond Principal and Interest		342,893			
Operating Expenses			507,223	98,093	
Bond Interest Expense			320,615		
<b>Total Disbursements</b>	<b>154,347</b>	<b>342,893</b>	<b>827,838</b>	<b>98,093</b>	<b>64,564</b>
<b>NET</b>	<b>(16,059)</b>	<b>23,387</b>	<b>32,088</b>	<b>48,751</b>	<b>(63,081)</b>
Fund Balance October 1, 1996	127,476	337,260	(571,416)	292,578	63,081
Fund Balance September 30, 1997	111,417	360,647	(539,328)	341,329	0

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 Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.  
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 WEDNESDAY:  
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 WEDNESDAY:  
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 Library Opens.....9:15 a.m.  
 Bible Study/S.S.....10:00 a.m.  
 Morning Worship.....10:30 a.m.  
 Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.  
 SECOND & FOURTH  
 TUESDAYS:  
 Baptist Women.....9:30 a.m.  
 WEDNESDAY:  
 Library Opens.....6:30 p.m.  
 Bible Study/Prayer.....7:00 p.m.

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 Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.  
 Worship Service.....11:00 a.m.  
 Evening Service.....6:00 p.m.  
 SECOND SUNDAY:  
 Praise & Worship.....6:00 p.m.  
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 WEDNESDAY:  
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 Evening Service.....6:00 p.m.  
 WEDNESDAY:  
 Choir Rehearsal.....7:00 p.m.  
 Prayer Service.....8:00 p.m.

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SUNDAY:  
 Worship Service.....10:30 a.m.  
 Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.  
 WEDNESDAY:  
 Worship Service.....7:30 p.m.

# Beginning The New Year With God



January is a time when we can reflect on our past accomplishments and determine what needs to be done during the coming new year. One perplexing task that most of us start in January, is to try and get our personal income tax records in order. A more pleasant activity that we may want to begin planning for, is a family vacation, or an occupational move that may be in our future. Setting some goals for the year is always a good way to help keep us focused on our accomplishments. Planning for our spiritual needs is just as important as planning for our physical needs. With this in mind, we may want to establish a goal to read the Bible each day, or get into a Bible study, or to just set aside a daily prayer time. Although everyone may have different lifestyles and goals, if we begin the year with God, and make Him Lord of our lives, He will bless us throughout the year.

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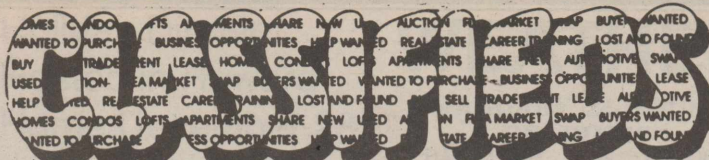
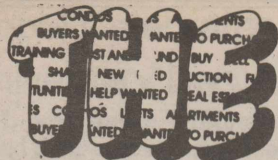
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Sincere thanks to one and all for the visits, phone calls, flower, food, prayers, and "housecleaning." A special thanks to the ladies of First Baptist Church and others for the lunch they prepared before the memorial service and also a thanks to Ed and Doug for the beautiful words they spoke.

May God bless each and every one of you.

Freeda Henderson  
Jewel Lowrey and family  
Faye Henderson and family  
Dwain and Shirley  
Henderson and family

We would like to thank everyone for all the wonderful things done for us during David's illness and since his death. The visits, phone calls, cards, food, flowers, memorials and most of all for your prayers which are a comfort to us during this difficult time in our lives.

Reba Tipton  
Anna Belle Tipton  
Dwain, Alison and  
Abbie Tipton  
Gary, Susie, Chase  
and Anna Younger  
Weldon and Eva Tipton

We would like to say "Thank You" to each of you in the community who has shown your love and support to our family during the death of my brother and Donna's surgery. Thank you for all the calls, visits, flowers, food, prayers, help with the girls, and encouraging words that you have offered in the past few weeks. We feel fortunate to be a part of such a caring community that reaches out to one another when there is a crisis or need. God bless each of you for your acts of kindness.

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