

**All Around
The Town**



By Mary Ann Sarchet

Ashel McDaniel has returned to his home in the Rock Creek community after having been a patient at the rehab center in Floydada for the past several weeks.

I spoke to him on the phone the other day, and he sounded like he was feeling really well.

James Clemmer and Katy Villarreal are assisting in his care at home.

I talked to Sue Miller one day last week, and found that she is continuing to do well following the bi-lateral knee replacement she underwent in March. She told me that she had to get better fast, because she and Ronnie are expecting a grandchild soon.

I understand that the Millers are retiring at the end of this school year, and will be moving their home to Lubbock. We surely will miss them!

Obelia Bullock told me that the carrier Kittyhawk, on which her son Andy is serving with the U. S. Navy, has been ordered to the Persian Gulf. The ship was in port in Japan for several months before being deployed.

Cory Chandler was selected to play in the Golden Spread All-Star Basketball game in Amarillo last weekend. A member of the South Team, he made 10 points in the first game and two in the second game.

Heidi Tiffin and her sister, Holly Tiffin, are planning to enter the U. S. Navy after Holly graduates from high school next month.

Beefy and LaRue recently found a copy of the 1930 Briscoe County Fair program as they were going through some things that had been put away. There were 47 Silverton businesses that had ads in the book. Things accepted for the fair competition and exhibition were grains, vegetables, livestock, poultry, textiles, embroidery, plain sewing, quilts, breads, cakes and pies, preserves, jellies, canned goods, candy, butter and soup, relish, floral, etc.

Saturday, April 24, is the 28th anniversary of Bob Wills Day in Turkey. Many of the former Texas Playboys will be featured.

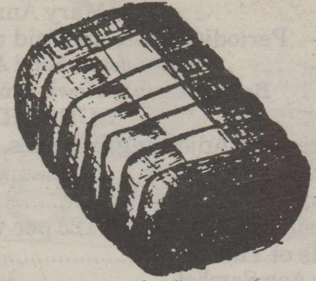
The special observance opens Thursday, April 22, with an autograph party and jam session from 7:00 until 11:00 p.m. when those who attend will have an opportunity to meet some of the former Texas Playboys. Admission is \$5.00 per person in the Bob Wills Center gymnasium.

Friday, April 23, there will be a dance from 9:00 p.m. until midnight at the Bob Wills Center. Former Texas Playboys will be featured. Admission is \$10.00 per



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Methodists To Begin Revival Services Here

Silverton United Methodist Church extends an invitation to everyone to attend revival services beginning Saturday, April 17, and continuing through Monday, April 19. The schedule includes:

Saturday, 6:00 p.m.--potluck; 7:00 p.m. - revival service

Sunday, 10:55 a.m. - revival service; 12:00 - potluck; 4:00 p.m. - youth volleyball and cookout; 7:00 p.m. - revival service. After service - youth campfire/marshmallow roast at the lake

Monday, 6:00 p.m. - potluck; 7:00 p.m. - revival service

The revival speaker will be Kerry Hurst, who grew up in Lorenzo and was graduated from McMurry University in 1974 and from Asbury Theological Seminary in 1977. He and his wife, Kim, and their daughter, Kelcee, attend The Springs United Methodist Church in Lubbock.

They have two other children, Kurt, who is a student at South Plains College, and Kassie, who is a student at Southwest Texas State University.

Rev. Hurst has pastored in Sudan, Gruver, Aldersgate United Methodist in Lubbock, Childress and Levelland before taking early retirement in 1998. He is presently employed by Hurst Farm Supply, Inc. He is still very active in preaching and teaching in churches in Texas and Oklahoma as well as being a member of the board of directors of the Llano Estacado Emmaus Community in Lubbock.

See METHODIST REVIVAL--Continued on Page Two

person. Saturday, April 24, a pancake breakfast will begin at 7:00 a.m. in the Bob Wills Center Cafeteria.

Benefit For Alvarez Family

There will be a benefit for the Alvarez family Saturday night, April 17, at the Showbarn in Silverton.

No admission will be charged, but a donation will be taken for the Alvarez family.

There will be live music from 6:00 p.m. until midnight. Everyone is invited.



Silverton FFA Dairy Judging Team will be advancing to the State Contest after placing in the top four of the Area contest last week. Team members are (left to right) Clint Ivory, Kathryn Reyna, Adrian Ramirez and Julie Weaver. Briscoe County News Photo

Pool Manager Being Sought

Anyone interested in being the pool manager this summer is asked to submit a letter of application by May 4, 1999. The pool manager needs to be 18 years of age or older.

Please send your letter to Missy Forbes, HCR3 Box 2, Silverton, TX 79257.

Fire Department Meets Tonight

Members of Silverton Fire Department will have their regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. today (Thursday) at the City Hall.

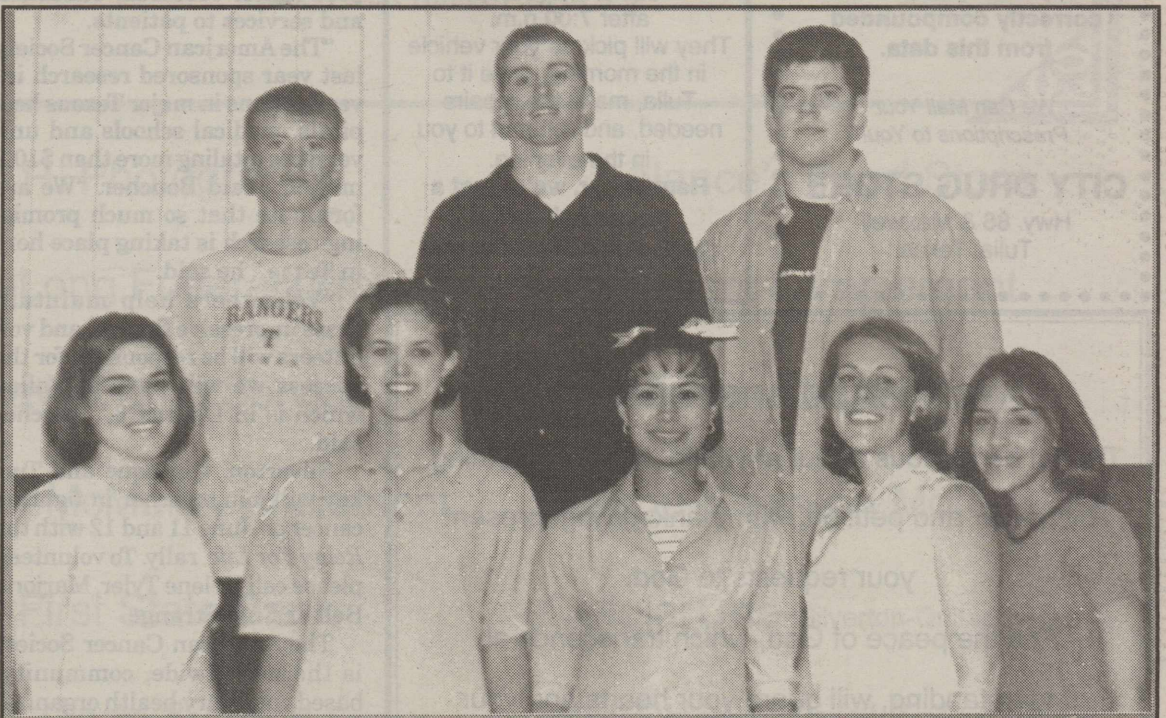
A meeting of the pool members will be held April 22. All members are urged to be present for the annual meeting at 7:00 p.m. at the swimming pool.

Senior Citizens To Meet Friday

The monthly luncheon and business meeting of the Silverton Senior Citizens will be held at the Center at noon Friday.

Hosting the luncheon will be members of the Assembly of God.

Potatoes were first discovered as a food source by the Indians of Peru.



Regional UIL competitors from Silverton High School are (back row, left to right) Andrew Francis, Nathan Francis, Josh Breedlove; (front) Julie Weaver, Lindsey Weaks, Misty Wilkinson, Lisa Comer and Amy Maciel. Nathan Francis, Misty Wilkinson and Josh Breedlove will be in the Math team competition; Andrew Francis will take part in Number Sense; Amy Maciel will be in Persuasive Speaking; Lisa Comer and Lindsey Weaks, Prose Interpretation; Julie Weaver, Editorial Writing. Briscoe County News Photo

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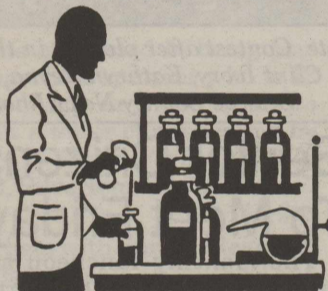
Obituary

JAMES B. HAYNES

Funeral services were conducted March 13 for long-time Eagle Pass resident James B. Haynes, 83, who died March 11 in San Antonio.

Services were at 10:00 a.m. in Memorial Chapel with interment at 2:30 p.m. in the Masonic Cemetery under the direction of Memorial Funeral Home.

Mr. Haynes was born on April 3, 1916 in Gallup, New Mexico to John T. Haynes and Viola Louise Whiteley. He received his undergraduate degree from West Texas State University and a master of business administration degree in 1939 from the University of Texas



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in Austin. He taught at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene and after serving in the U. S. Navy during World War II he moved to Eagle Pass in 1941 to work for the U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service. He served as an Officer with U. S. Immigration in Eagle Pass, Hawaii and San Francisco and after 34 years of service he retired to Eagle Pass in 1976.

He owned and operated Haynes-Immigration Consultant and was a member of the Masonic Lodge Unit 626 and the American Legion Post 0211. He resided at 470 North Monroe Street at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife, Ofelia Trevino Haynes of Eagle Pass; three sons, Jim Tom Haynes of Washington, D. C., Les Haynes of Eagle Pass and Lee Ray Haynes of Houston; a daughter, Joy Hester of Houston; seven grandchildren, one deceased; five great-grandchildren, and numerous other relatives and friends in the U. S. and Mexico.

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Rock Creek Church of Christ

Silverton Library News

by Polly Montague

Patrons who ask for books on Inter-Library Loan are reminded that the only cost for this service is paying the return postage. From now on, I'm asking that the

Breakdown of Cancer Society Donations

"Contributions to the American Cancer Society in Texas represent one of the best returns on the dollar that I know of," said Jess Boucher, Field Representative of District 3 of the American Cancer Society.

Boucher feels it is important for District 3 residents to know how the Society invests its contributions. "We are proud of our fiscal record and I know our friends and neighbors will be even more willing to support the American Cancer Society when they learn how well their money is being spent," he said.

Contributions raised in 1996-1997 were invested during this fiscal year (September 1, 1997 - August 31, 1998) in Texas as illustrated:

Public Support Allocated to National Programs--38% (for research, medical grants and fellowships, and other activities)

Prevention/Detection/Treatment--26%

Patient/Community Service--18%

Fund-raising--15%

Management and General--3%

"These expenditures are in line with what contributors are interested in supporting," Boucher said, "and, as these figures show, we are concentrating our efforts on fulfilling our mission to support cancer research, education and services to patients.

"The American Cancer Society last year sponsored research investigations in major Texas hospitals, medical schools and universities totaling more than \$10.2 million," said Boucher. "We are fortunate that so much promising research is taking place here in Texas," he said.

"Volunteers help maintain these impressive figures, and volunteers will be responsible for the success we will have at Valley which is in District 3," Boucher said.

Silverton, Quitaque and Turkey will join together in fighting cancer on June 11 and 12 with the *Relay For Life* rally. To volunteer, please call Delene Tyler, Marjorie Bell or Fred Strange.

The American Cancer Society is the nationwide, community-based voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives and diminishing suffering from cancer, through research, education, advocacy and service.

patron be prepared to give me the amount of the return postage when the book is checked out to them.

A new book in the library is "Puerto Vallarta Squeeze." Novelist Danny Pastor liked what he found inlazily beautiful Puerto Vallarta, Mexico: Luz Maxea, a woman he was crazy about; cantinas that played his kind of music; and la dolce vita, the sweet life. That was the problem. Danny needed to write, and he was up against a blank wall, not turning out a word while his money ran low and his nerves went wild.

Then he was in the right place, or the wrong one, to be the sole witness when a shooter gunned down an American naval officer. At a cafe table with Luz, Danny Pastor saw it all, and saw the possibility of a story, a surefire prize-winning account that could restore his pride and make him famous. And when the killer approached him, the only other Anglo around, and asked for a ride across the border, Danny, bold with tequila, said yes. Now in a Fod Bronco named Vitox, two men and one woman began a hair-raising run for the border that will hold you spellbound.

Just out in paperback is "Twanged," by Carol Higgins Clark. Sleuth Regan Reilly is hired as a bodyguard for singer Bridgid O'Neill, a rising country star who has been receiving threatening "love notes." Bridgid also has a "magical" Irish fiddle said to be cursed--whoever takes it out of Ireland will have an accident or face death.

Guests of Bridgid including

Regan and others, who stay at Chappy Tinka's estate, will meet Chappy and his ditzy wife Bettina, the guru Peace Man, Chappy's sidekick Duke, a feng shui specialist obsessed with re-arranging furniture and a party guest found floating face-down in the pool.

In some of my mal, I found the suggestion that readers remove the beautiful covers of hard-back books while they read and then replace them when finished.

Hours: Tuesday morning, 8:30 - 11:30 a.m., Tuesday and Friday afternoons, 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Methodist Revival--

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The music leader will be Jenny McClendon of Lubbock. She was reared in Lamesa and attended McMurry University and Baylor University. She is married to Phil McClendon, pastor of The Springs United Methodist Church in Lubbock. They have served in churches in Amherst and Stamford before moving to Lubbock in June 1997. Mrs. McClendon is the worship leader at The Springs and also teaches piano. She and Phil have threechildren: Paul, 20, is a student at Texas Tech; Sarah, 18, is a senior at Frenship High School and will attend Tech in the Fall; Mark, 16, is a sophomore at Frenship.

"We are looking forward to a time of worship and renewal, and pray that you will come take part in the blessing God has for us during these three days," said the pastor, Jay Stinson.

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LOOKING BACK

through the files of the
Briscoe County News

April 13, 1989-Texas Wagon Train to visit Briscoe County . . . Citizens busy planning Media Day activities . . . Noel Deavenport underwent open heart surgery Monday in Lubbock . . . Graveside services conducted for Terry Wayne Yancey, 35, who died Saturday, April 8, in Tucson, Arizona . . . This year's Bob Wills Day promises to be just a little different than the last seventeen have been. George Lavon Gafford has designed a special pictorial stamp cancellation for Wills' fans . . . Clifford and Kim Oldham are parents of a daughter, Amber Dena . . . Junior High does well in Groom Track Meet . . . March weather was warmer, drier than normal . . .

April 12, 1979-Rainbow Girls donate proceeds of pop bottle raid to the Silverton Volunteer Ambulance Service . . . Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Eddleman, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dickerson and Mrs. Robert McPherson attended church Sunday with their father, Elbert Dickerson, and Mrs. Dickerson in Willis, Oklahoma . . . Staci Mayfield qualified for regional competition in the mile run at the girls district track meet held at Groom . . . Penny Cogdell won second in typewriting and is eligible to compete on the regional level. Marilyn Hardin placed third in ready writing and will advance to regional. Penny Cogdell placed fourth in ready writing and will be the alternate contestant for regional . . . Elementary honor roll: Jana Kitchens, Traci Tomlin, first grade; Tara Nance, Keeley Burson, second grade; Carey Blackerby, Juannah Woods, third grade; Corey Robertson, fourth grade; Kristy Fogerson, Donna Tomlin, Kori Baird, Melissa Stone, fifth grade; Alesha Patton, Michael Flowers, sixth grade . . .

April 10, 1969-An architect's drawing was on display of the remodeling project which is now underway at First State Bank in Silverton . . . Mrs. H. Roy Brown, 80, buried Saturday . . . Jerry Miller returned home Saturday after having been a surgical patient at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo . . . The Dairy Cattle Judging team, composed of Max Hamilton, Thurman May, Quinn Montague and Dana Martin, placed second out of some 30 teams. Max Hamilton tied for fourth highest individual honors in the contest. The second team was composed of Tommy Burson, Roger Younger, Monty Teeple, Lane Garvin and Ronnie Strange . . . Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stephens announce the engagement of their daughter, Judy Kay, to Mr. Gregory Lynn Towe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Towe . . . Mr. and Mrs. Norman Strange announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Diana, to Mr. Bill Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wood of Claude . . . Mr. and

Mrs. Steve Miller are parents of a daughter, Tonnette Lynn . . . Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Dudley announce the marriage of their daughter, Connie Lynn, to Mr. Leo Bryson (Buddy) Comer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Comer . . . Jackie Carol Tate to present senior vocal recital . . .

April 9, 1959--Elaine Stephens was chosen to represent the Silverton Lions Club as queen at their district convention to be held in Plainview . . . Trustees elected for the San Jacinto Common School District were Gilbert A. Elms, Merle McMurtry and Dave Anderson. County Trustee at large for Silverton is Clyde Lightsey. County Trustee of Precinct No. 4 (Vigo Park) is Chester Burnett. County Trustee of Precinct No. 2 (Quitaque) is W. J. Rice . . . One can get water with a post-hole digger on the Los Lingos Creek, often called Linguist or Linguish Creek . . . Incumbents re-elected to the Silverton School Board are R. L. Hill, Albert Mallow and E. A. Birdwell . . . The Silverton Owls placed J. E. Patton on the first all-district team and James Roy Brown on the second team. The Owlettes had two girls on the first team, Thelma Eddleman and Elaine Stephens, and one girl, Kay Williams, on the second team . . . Mrs. Roy Younger, the former Eva Lou Cowan, was honored at a shower in the home of Mrs. Seymour Brannon Tuesday afternoon . . . Gayla Tate is sick with the measles . . .

April 14, 1949-Whirlwinds defeat Silverton Owls 9-6 Monday . . . T. M. Marshall turned the foundation Tuesday for a four-room house with bath on the lot just west of his residence . . . Local teachers host Quitaque teachers . . . Billy G. McWilliams in training at Camp Chaffee, Arkansas . . . Jim Clemmer and Homer Stephens made a business trip to Quitaque Saturday afternoon . . . Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holt visited with Mrs. Holt's brother in Portales, New Mexico last week . . . Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown, Mrs. Scott Smithee and Mrs. J. L. Self visited in Quitaque Monday . . . Lt. Riddell C. Hutsell, who has been stationed at Seattle, Washington visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hutsell, this week. Lt. Hutsell is being transferred to Patuxent River, Maryland . . . Miss Sybil Absher of Borger, bride-elect of Jimmy Price, was complimented with a coffee and miscellaneous shower in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mercer . . . Mr. and Mrs. Willie McJimsey honored Mrs. McJimsey's mother, Mrs. M. E. Noblett, on her eighty-first birthday with a dinner Sunday . . .

April 6, 1939-Swirling snow storm after inch of rain . . . After losing playground ball to Gasoline Friday in the championship game for rural schools, Haylake

came back strong Saturday to win the track meet for the third consecutive year. The boys who represented Haylake were Bobby and Billy Gerald McWilliams, J. L. Self, Troy Wayne Vaughan, Troy Brooks, Sol Barclay and Earl Sample . . . W. W. Wingo of southwest of Silverton purchased a new F-30 Farmall and 4-row lister-planter this week from Tull Implement. Oliver Savage, who lives southwest of Silverton, is the owner of a reconditioned F-30 Farmall tractor which he purchased from Tull Implement. Mrs. Parker Rampley has a new Electrolux which Parker bought for her last week from Mrs. Kate Fowler . . . Fulton Gregg took a

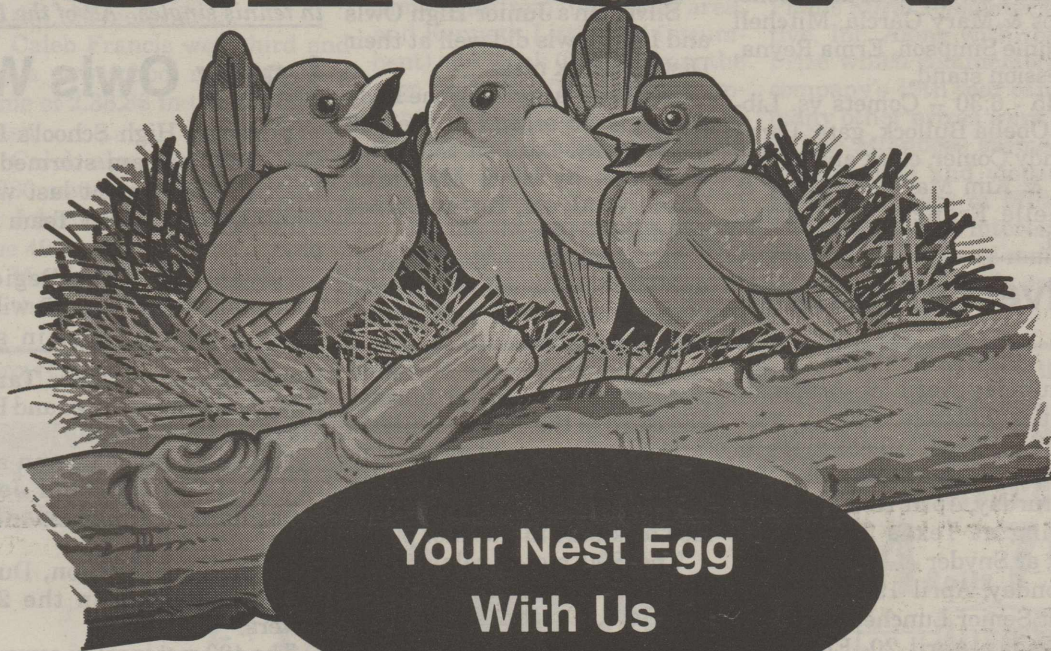
load of cattle to Kansas City the first of the week. Mrs. A. A. Boling went as far as Oklahoma City where she stayed to visit with an aunt . . . Johnnie Burson, who is attending Sul Ross at Alpine, came in Saturday to spend the Easter holidays with his parents . . . Faye Gene Davis and Wynona Francis spent the weekend with Ruby and Opal West . . . Donald West spent Saturday night with James Davis . . .

May 16, 1929-Honor Roll for April: Perry Thomas, Adelle Graham, Jean Alexander, Pauline Buchanan, J. L. Long, Hudson Garrison and Alice Vaughan, third grade; Anis Fowler, Wyona Bomar, Mary Eva Allard, Nelma

Moore, Gaynelle Douglas, Wilma Dickerson, Lois Davis, Alma Lee Smith and Lucille Yates, fourth grade; Allyn Bain, Norma Lee Burleson, Jessie Buchanan, Delise Blackwell, Dorothy Dickenson, Lois Hodges, Edith Hooper and Ruth Thomas, fifth grade; Berton Hughes, Lorene Yates, Pansy Dillard and Joe Earl Haynes, sixth grade; Jonnie Bundy, Ora Yates, Ruth Braly, Joe Lemons, Elsie Graham, Ware Fogerson, Jim Haynes and Bonnie Walling, seventh grade .

The U. S. officially recognized January 20 as Martin Luther King Day for the first time in 1986.

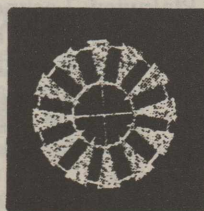
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No Youth Basketball Games Are Scheduled on Tuesday, April 27

There will be no youth basketball games played on Tuesday, April 27, due to TAAS tests being given the following day and teachers and parents wanting the boys and girls to be rested for that.

Games will start earlier on Friday, April 30, and six games will be played. These will be the last games of the season.

Workers for the games include: 4:15 - 5:00 --Trailblazers vs. Comets: Shana Strange, gate; Ross & Melissa Estes, clock and books; Joe & Maria Castillo, Wayne & Colleen Reed, Kippi Cogdell, concession stand.

5:00 - 5:45 -- Lakers vs. Heat: Carol Braddock, gate; Mark & Derinda Patton, clock and books; Santos & Mary Garcia, Mitchell & Connie Simpson, Erma Reyna, concession stand.

5:45 - 6:30 -- Comets vs. Liberty: Obelia Bullock, gate; Larry & Cindy Comer, clock and books; Zane & Kim Mayfield, Barry & Michelle Francis, concession stand.

Silverton School Activities

Thursday, April 15--Academic Banquet, 7:00 p.m.

Friday, April 16--Seniors & Parents Outing; Early Out

Saturday, April 16--State FFA Judging at Texas Tech; Area Track at Snyder

Monday, April 19--Church of Christ Senior Luncheon

Tuesday, April 20--Employee Supper, 7:00 p.m.

Friday, April 23--Regional UIL Academic Events

Saturday, April 24--State FFA Judging at A & M

Monday and Tuesday, April 26-27--Regional Tennis

6:30 - 7:15 -- Dawgs vs. Wolves: Palmira Ramirez, gate; Mark & Derinda Patton, Mitchell & Connie Simpson, Janie Ramirez, Ramona Hunt, concession stand.

7:15 - 8:00 -- Heat vs. Bulls: Shelley Brock, gate; Darrell & Diane Reynolds, Lucia Alvarez, Bryan & Lana Burson, Patricia Vasquez, concession stand.

8:00 - 8:45 -- Dawgs vs. Rockets: Olga Garcia, gate; Clarence & Diana Ivory, clock and books; Paula Montague, Rosa Vargas, David & Sheila Reagan, concession stand.

Junior High Team Does Well at District

Silverton's Junior High Owls and Lady Owls did well at their District track meet.

In the girls division, the Lady Owls placed second in the 400 meter relay. Legs on this relay were run by Bryn Mayfield, Katheryn Myers, Tarran Forbes and Lori Griffin.

In the 800 meter dash, Daryl-Ann Reynolds won first, Krystal Walls won fourth and Jenny Young placed seventh.

Katheryn Myers finished third in the 100 meter hurdles and third in the 100 meter dash.

Kelcy Simpson won sixth in the discus, which was also entered by Bryn Mayfield. Bryn also took part in the shot put.

The 800 meter relay team, composed of Lori Griffin, Bryn Mayfield, Tarran Forbes and Kassie Strange, won second place.

Kassie Strange won first in the 400 meter dash, with Kelcy Simpson coming in third and Lori Griffin finishing fourth.

The 1600 meter relay won first, with team members being



Lady Owls who helped win the District Team Trophy were (left to right) Dara Ramsey, Lindsey Weaks, Misty Wilkinson and Dara Johnston. Andrew Francis (far left) won third place and is a district alternate in tennis singles. All of the Lady Owls pictured are Regional Qualifiers. Briscoe County News Photo

Lady Owls Win District Tennis Team Trophy

Silverton High School's Lady Owls tennis team stormed the District Tournament last week, winning the District Team Trophy.

Advancing to the Regional Tournament April 26-27 will be Dara Johnston, first in girls

singles; Misty Wilkinson, second in girls singles.

Dara Ramsey and Lindsey Weaks, who placed second in girls doubles.

Andrew Francis won third place, and is an alternate to Regional in singles.

Others participating in the District Tournament were Amanda Estes and Kurby Garvin, doubles; Vince Cruz and Adrian Ramirez, doubles; Paul Segura, singles; Martin Younger and John Rogers, doubles.

Daryl-Ann Reynolds, Tarran Forbes, Kassie Strange and Bryn Mayfield.

Tarran Forbes also won sixth in the long jump, and Jenny Young finished second in the high jump.

In the boys division, Dustin Hale ran second in the 2400 meters.

The 400 meter relay, composed of Caleb Francis, Chase Comer, John Arnold and Red Ivory, placed seventh; Dustin Hale ran third in the 800 meters, and Caleb Francis placed fifth in the same event.

Red Ivory came in third in the 300 meter hurdles, and Caleb Francis finished third in the 1600 meters.

The 1600 relay team, Dustin Hale, Adrian Cruz, Chase Comer and John Arnold, won sixth.

Red Ivory won second in the triple jump.

Amy Maciel Wins Trip to Washington

Amy Maciel, daughter of Joe and Faye Lynn Maciel, was winner of a trip to Washington, D. C. in a speaking contest. More details on this will be given later.

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Silverton School Lunch Menu

Monday, April 19--Corn Dog, Cheese Stix, Baked Beans, Spinach, Bread, Fruit, Brownie, Milk

Tuesday, April 20--Spaghetti, Salad, Corn, Garlic Bread, Applecrisp, Milk

Wednesday, April 21--Burrito, Hot Sauce, Salad, Ranch Beans, Crackers, Pudding with Fruit, Milk

Thursday, April 22--Chicken Fajita, Hoi Sauce, Salad, Rice, Sour Cream, Chips, Fruit, Milk

By education, then, I mean goodness in the form in which it is first acquired by a child... the rightly disciplined state of pleasures and pains whereby a man from his first beginnings on will abhor what he should abhor and relish what he should relish. --Plato

What passion cannot music raise and quell? --John Dryden

Friday, April 23--Hamburger, Salad, Oven Potatoes, Fruit, Cookie, Milk

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Lady Owls Finish Second In the District Track Meet

Silverton's Lady Owls finished in second place in the District Track Meet at Wolfforth last week, and are heading for the Area Meet at Snyder Saturday. This is a change from the procedure followed in the past when District qualifiers advanced directly to Regional competition.

The 400 meter relay team, Sara Kirchoffner, Amanda Estes, Sharyl McMurtrey and Taylor Griffin, won first place.

Sara Kirchoffner won first in the 100 meter hurdles.

Brooke and Kurby Garvin participated in the 800 meters.

Amanda Estes won fourth in the 100 meter dash, and Sharyl McMurtrey also took part in this event.

The 800 meter relay team, Amanda Estes, Sharyl McMurtrey, Sara Kirchoffner and Taylor Griffin, won second.

Lindsey Weaks won sixth in the 400 meter dash, and Chelsey Cherry also entered this event.

Misti Mattheus won second in the 200 meter dash and Taylor Griffin placed fifth.

Amy Maciel won third in the

1600 meter run.

The 1600 meter relay, Chelsey Cherry, Lisa Comer, Lindsey Weaks and Misti Mattheus, failed to place.

Sara Kirchoffner won first in the long jump, and Taylor Griffin placed sixth in the same event.

Amy Maciel won the high jump.

Misti Mattheus placed third in the shot put.

Sara Kirchoffner won first in the triple jump, and Lindsey Weaks finished third.

Amy Maciel came in third in the 3200 meter run.

Ropes won the girls division with 133 points. The Lady Owls placed second with 125 points. Other team placings included 3. Meadow, 88; 4. Whitharral, 80; 5. New Home, 78; 6. Wilson, 48; 7. Motley County, 25; 8. Patton Springs, 13; 9. Southland, 0.

In the boys division, team placings were 1. Ropes 135; 2. Meadow, 113; 3. Whitharral, 86; 4. Motley County, 64; 5. Silverton, 57; 6. Wilson, 22; 7. Patton Springs, 14; 8. Southland, 2; 9.

New Home, 0.

Placings of Silverton boys that were listed in the daily newspaper (first three places) included:

- Shot Put: 3. Holt, 40-6 1/4
- Long Jump: 3. Rogers, 18-5 3/4
- Triple Jump: 1. Holt, 39-7 1/2
- 400 relay: 3. Silverton, 47.97
- 800: 2. Francis, 2:13.70
- 1600: 2. Francis, 5:22.80

Junior High Owls Competed In Groom Relays

Several Silverton Junior High Owls won places in the Groom Relays recently.

Dustin Hale won first in the 2400 meters.

Martin Hernandez placed second in the 200 meters and fourth in the 100 meter dash.

Caleb Francis won third and set a new school record with a time of 2:38.88 in the 800 meter dash.

Caleb also won fifth in the 1200 meters.

John Arnold placed third in the 400 meters.

Martin Hernandez won sixth in the triple jump.

Mid-Plains Rural Telephone Annual Meeting Held

Mid-Plains Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc. held its 46th Annual Meeting on Friday, April 12, at the Ezra Jones (Tulia High School) Cafeteria in Tulia. Registration began at 7:00 p.m. with 191 members registering. A light buffet was served before the meeting started at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting included the President's Report, the Auditor's Report, and the Manager's Report. During the meeting three directors were elected to fill the places available due to expiring terms. The candidates on the ballot were: Aaron Younger and Elton Cantwell (incumbent), from the Bean/Silverton area; Ronnie Johnson (incumbent) and Tim Payne from the Gurley area, and Kenneth Littlefield (incumbent) and Rank Cogdell from the Vigo Park area. The three incumbents, Elton Cantwell, Ronnie Johnson and Kenneth Littlefield were re-elected by the membership.

During the meeting there was an array of door prizes given. The Grand Prize was a cash prize of \$49.00 given to a member in each

Bull Riding School Slated

Bobby Keeter, former bull rider and now promoter, will present a bull riding school with Scott Doyle, the 1996 Justin World Bull Riding Champion.

The two-day bull riding school will be April 17-18 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Cobb-Wheeler-Mote Arena East of Tulia. The school will include a bucking bull machine, live bucking bulls, video recording, personal instructing and lunch. The cost is \$300 for the entire school package.

Call Bobby Keeter at 995-4646 or Scott Doyle at 995-2529 for more information or to sign up for the school.

of the ten exchanges of Mid-Plains Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc. Along with the Grand Prize which commemorated the company's 49th year of business, many other prizes were given.

The attendees seemed to enjoy the food and visiting with other members of Mid-Plains. The meeting was interesting and relatively short and many members left with a smile and a door prize in hand.



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Junior High, Elementary School Students Win Annual UIL Meet

Silverton's Junior High and Elementary School students won the UIL meet again this year. These students have a good record for winning the team title, so it has come to be expected that they will do it again this year. Silverton's teachers are very good at coaching the students for these events.

In the elementary division, Silverton won with 690.5 points. Patton Springs finished in second place with 558 points. Motley County scored 343 and Lakeview captured 29 points.

In the junior high division, Silverton scored 567 points. Patton Springs was second with 372 points, and Motley County scored 344 points.

Following are the results of the individual events:

Second Grade Oral Reading: 1. Nicole Schott; 2. Cade Holt; 3. True Burson; 4. and 5. Patton Springs; 6. Lakeview

Second Grade Storytelling: 1. Destiney Wilson; 2. Patton Springs; 3. Townlii Ziegler; 4. and 5. Patton Springs. 6. Motley County

Second Grade Creative Writ-

ing: 1. Blake Strange; 2. Patton Springs; 3. Shawn Johnson; 4. Charla Rhoderick; 5. and 6. Patton Springs

Third Grade Oral Reading: 1. Jessica Garcia; 2. Shandy Forbes; 3. Patton Springs; 4. Motley County; 5. Patton Springs; 6. Jasmin Ivory

Third Grade Spelling: 1. Lindsey Mullin; 2. Cooper Cogdell; 3. Shane Estes; 4., 5. and 6. Motley County

Third Grade Ready Writing: 1. Cooper Cogdell; 2. Shandy Forbes; 3. and 4. Patton Springs; 5. Lindsey Mullin; 6. Patton Springs

Fourth Grade Oral Reading: 1., 2. and 3. Patton Springs; 4. and 5. Motley County; 6. Haylee Simpson

Fourth Grade Number Sense: 1. and 2. Patton Springs; 3., 4. and 5. Motley County; 6. Patton Springs

Fourth Grade Spelling: 1. Zakkary Perkins; 2. Clay Strange; 3. Ami Dunn; 4. and 5. Patton Springs; 6. Motley County

Fourth Grade Art: 1. Silverton; 2. Motley County; 3. Patton Springs

Fourth Grade Ready Writing: 1. and 2. Patton Springs; 3. Motley County; 4. Clay Strange; 5. Patton Springs; 6. Ami Dunn

Fifth Grade Oral Reading: 1. Lakeview; 2., 3. and 4. Patton Springs; 5. Camisha Wilson; 6. Brittany Perkins

Fifth Grade Maps, Graphs, Charts: 1. Tanner Young; 2. Ethan Long; 3. Patton Springs. 4. Jesse Reynolds; 5. Patton Springs; 6. Motley County

Fifth Grade Number Sense: 1. Tanner Young; 2. Thor Patton; 3. and 4. Patton Springs; 5. Gid Mayfield; 6. Lakeview

Fifth Grade Dictionary Skills: 1. Jesse Reynolds; 2. Patton Springs; 3. Ethan Long; 4. Gid Mayfield; 5. Patton Springs; 6. Motley County

Fifth Grade Spelling: 1. Tanner Young; 2. Jesse Reynolds; 3. Motley County; 4. Angie Lewis; 5. Lakeview; 6. Patton Springs

Fifth Grade Art: 1. Silverton (Dusty Burson, Ory Johnson, Zakkary Perkins, Drew Reed, Clay Strange); 2. Patton Springs

Fifth Grade Music Memory: 1. Patton Springs; 2. Silverton (Ethan Long, Tanner Young, Gid Mayfield, Camisha Wilson, Angie Lewis)

Fifth Grade Ready Writing: 1. Motley County; 2. and 3. Patton Springs; 4. Tanner Young; 5. Colton Russell, Motley County; 6. Patton Springs

Fifth Grade Listening: 1. Thor Patton; 2. Ethan Long; 3. and 4. Patton Springs; 5. Hannah James; 6. (tie) Motley County

Sixth Grade Oral Reading: 1. Motley County; 2. Patton Springs; 3. Zack Burson; 4. and 5. Patton Springs; 6. Brittany Perkins

Sixth Grade Number Sense: 1. Motley County; 2. Max Comer; 3. and 4. Motley County. 5. Chance Rhoderick; 6. Patton Springs

Sixth Grade Dictionary Skills: 1. Motley County. 2. Patton Springs; 3. Max Comer; 4. Patton Springs; 5. Logan Fisher; 6. Motley County

Sixth Grade Spelling: 1., 2. and 3. Motley County; 4. Patton Springs; 5. Amanda Villarreal; 6. Patton Springs

Sixth Grade Ready Writing: 1. Brittany Perkins; 2. Motley County; 3. Max Comer; 4. Patton Springs. 5. Kelsie Estes; 6. Motley County

Sixth Grade Maps, Graphs, Charts: 1. Motley County; 2. Logan Fisher; 3. Motley County. 4. Max Comer; 5. Patton Springs; 6. Krista Hale

Junior High Division

Seventh Grade Oral Reading: 1. Motley County; 2. and 3. Patton Springs; 4. Lori Griffin; 5. Motley County; 6. Patton Springs

Seventh Grade Mathematics: 1. Tyler Reed; 2. Caleb Francis; 3. Daryl-Ann Reynolds; 4. Patton Springs; 5. and 6. Motley County

Seventh Grade Maps, Graphs, Charts: 1. Tyler Reed; 2. Patton Springs; 3. Caleb Francis; 4. Lori Griffin; 5. Patton Springs; 6. Motley County

Seventh Grade Impromptu Speaking: 1. Caleb Francis; 2. Daryl-Ann Reynolds; 3. and 4.



Kyle Fuston was pictured with Omar Martinez, winner of a drawing held by The Owls Nest, which is the school branch of First State Bank in Silverton. All those who made deposits during March were eligible for this drawing.

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Motley County; 5. Patton Springs; 6. Lori Griffin

Seventh Grade Number Sense: 1. Caleb Francis; 2. Tyler Reed; 3. and 4. Patton Springs; 5. and 6. Motley County

Seventh Grade Dictionary Skills: 1. Daryl-Ann Reynolds; 2. Caleb Francis; 3. Lori Griffin; 4. Motley County; 5. Patton Springs; 6. Motley County

Seventh Grade Modern Oratory: 1. Tyler Reed; 2. Daryl-Ann Reynolds; 3. Keley Simpson

Seventh Grade Calculator: 1. and 2. Motley County; 3. Lori Griffin; 4., 5. and 6. Patton Springs

Seventh Grade Spelling: 1. Motley County; 2. and 3. Patton Springs; 4. Caleb Francis; 5. Patton Springs; 6. Motley County

Seventh Grade Science: 1. Patton Springs; 2. Motley County; 3. Patton Springs; 4. Daryl-Ann Reynolds; 5. Motley County; 6. Tyler Reed

Seventh Grade Listening: 1. (tie) Caleb Francis and Patton Springs; 2. (tie) Daryl-Ann Reynolds and two students from Motley County and one from Patton Springs

Seventh Grade Ready Writing: 1. Motley County; 2. Daryl-Ann Reynolds; 3. Patton Springs; 4. Caleb Francis; 5. Patton Springs; 6. Lori Griffin

Eighth Grade Oral Reading: 1. Patton Springs; 2. Red Ivory; 3. Jenny Young; 4. and 5. Patton Springs; 6. Taran Forbes

Eighth Grade Mathematics: 1., 2. and 3. Motley County; 4. Bryn Mayfield; 5. Kassie Strange; 6. (tie) Krystle Clinton and Patton Springs

Eighth Grade Maps, Graphs, Charts: 1. Patton Springs; 2. Bryn Mayfield; 3. Jenny Young; 4. Motley County; 5. and 6. Patton Springs

Eighth Grade Impromptu Speaking: 1. Red Ivory; 2. Patton

Spring; 3. Jenny Young; 4. Patton Springs; 5. Bryn Mayfield; 6. Patton Springs

Eighth Grade Number Sense: 1., 2. and 3. Motley County; 4. and 5. Patton Springs; 6. (tie) Patricia Acevedo and John Arnold

Eighth Grade Dictionary Skills: 1. Bryn Mayfield. 2. Kassie Strange; 3. Kristle Clinton; 4. Patton Springs; 5. and 6. Motley County

Eighth Grade Modern Oratory: 1. Chase Comer; 2. Pam Castillo; 3. John Arnold

Eighth Grade Calculator: 1. Motley County; 2. Patton Springs; 3. Kristle Clinton; 4. Patton Springs; 5. John Arnold; 6. Kassie Strange

Eighth Grade Spelling: 1. Jenny Young; 2. Bryn Mayfield; 3. Motley County; 4. Pam Castillo; 5. and 6. Motley County

Eighth Grade Science: 1. and 2. Patton Springs; 3. Motley County; 4. Bryn Mayfield; 5. Jenny Young; 6. Motley County

Eighth Grade Listening: 1. (tie) Jenny Young and Motley County; 2. (tie) Bryn Mayfield, Motley County and Patton Springs; 6. Kristle Clinton

Eighth Grade Ready Writing: 1. Jenny Young; 2. Patton Springs; 3. Motley County; 4. and 5. Patton Springs; 6. Motley County

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Registration begins at **5:15 p.m.** and dinner is served at **6:00 p.m.** The business meeting will highlight with the director election, president's message and chairman's message.

Hope to see you this year at the Ambassador Hotel, 3100 I-40 West in Amarillo on April 17, 1999.

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WEDNESDAY:
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TUESDAYS:
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WEDNESDAY:
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Bible Study/Prayer.....7:00 p.m.

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Choir Practice.....5:00 p.m.
Evening Bible Study.....6:00 p.m.
TUESDAY:
Unit. Meth. Women.....9:30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY:
In-home Bible Study.....7:00 p.m.
FRIDAY:
Unit. Meth. Men.....6:30 a.m.

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



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In the Bible, Jesus asked Peter three times if he loved Him. Peter proclaimed to Jesus all three times that he did, and mentioned the third time, "Lord, you know everything: you know that I love you!" (John 21:15-17). This scripture is sometimes

explained by tying it into the scripture in Luke, where Peter denies Jesus three times. Even though he denied Him, I am sure that Peter's love for Jesus was strengthened after proclaiming that he loved Him three times. Perhaps when we are praying, we should reinforce in our hearts how much we love Jesus by telling Him several times that we love Him, because we probably have also denied Him in one way or another.

The Lord knows everything, and He knows who loves Him even when we fail Him. However, when you profess your love to God, you are strengthening your faith and trust in Him. God returns our love on a continuing basis and His love for us is everlasting. A simple triad prayer of, "I love you, Jesus, I love you, Jesus, I love you, Jesus," strengthens our love and devotion for our Savior and may be just what we need whenever we fall short of His glory.

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We want to thank all of you who sent cards and all of you who offered expressions of sympathy when my mother and our grandmother died. May God bless each and everyone of you and keep you in His care.

Lee O'Neal
John, Linda and Molly Moore
Patrick O'Neal

Thank you so much for all your prayers, cards and calls during Brett's transplant. We are very, very blessed to have such loving friends. Brett continues to improve but as he recovery will be long and tedious, we ask that you continue to pray for our family.

Thank you again for everything. We love you all.

Brett and Judy Gill,
Corye and Kendall

P. S. To all of the above, ditto, and a special thanks to some wonderful neighbors and friends who have helped and offered to help often. Two thankful sets of grandparents:

Norvelle and Judy Birdwell
John and Wilma Gill

We would like to thank our friends and neighbors for the visits, flowers, food, cards, letters, prayers, telephone calls, memorial donations to the Milo Cemetery, Vigo Park Baptist Church, RSVP, Vigo Park Fire Department and Tulia Senior Citizens at the loss of our loved one, Mary Beasley.

Roy and Wayne Beasley
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Gilbert and Letha Elms and family

We would like to express our appreciation for all the cards, phone calls and especially the prayers during the illness and death of Ewing Edwards. May God bless your kind thoughtfulness during our time of sorrow.

Minnie Edwards and family
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Sincerely,
Silverton Volunteer
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To all those who have visited, sent cards, flowers, food and gifts during my hospital stay and since I have been home, thank you! thank you! thank you!

Especially I want to thank all those who have offered prayer in my behalf. Prayer is the reason the surgery was so successful, pain was limited, and I am doing so well now. I still have a way to go before I run any races, but things are good. To those who have asked--insane not brave.

Thanks again,
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7	72	35	
8	75	44	.18
9	67	38	
10	78	34	
11	67	35	
12	62	37	
13	61	40	.05

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