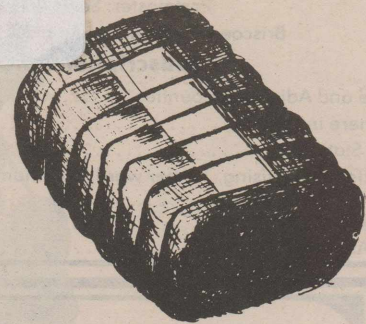
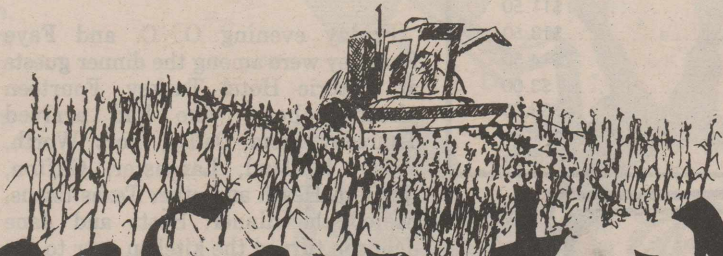


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Pat Cagle Rice (right) was sworn in as Postmaster of the Silverton Post Office last Friday by John Howard of Abilene, Regional Head of the Postal Service. Mrs. Rice and her husband, Tommie, recently have moved to Silverton from Floydada. *Briscoe County News Photo*

High Plains is Part of 10 State USDA Study

The Texas Agricultural Statistics Service (TASS) will begin surveying farmers and ranchers on the High Plains of Texas in late October about their chemical use and conservation practices in randomly-selected fields. Approximately 1,050 fields have been selected in 37 counties in Texas as part of a 10-state USDA study in 1993. A total of 4,150 farmers and ranchers will be interviewed in Arizona, Arkansas, California, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, New Mexico, Tennessee and Texas. Ten other states participated in the 1991 and 1992 studies.

The USDA's Economic Research

55/Alive Class Begins Nov. 11

The 55/Alive Driving Program, which was developed by AARP to improve driving safety for all senior drivers, will be held here November 11-12, in the Pioneer Room at First State Bank.

The Briscoe County Extension Home Economics Committee will be sponsoring the program for all adults age 50 and older. The program is taught in two four-hour sessions, which will meet from 4:00 until 8:00 p.m. on both days.

Participants attending all sessions of the program will receive a certificate for a 10% discount on part of their insurance.

For more information or to pre-register, please call the Briscoe County Extension Office, 823-2131, Ext. 11.

Service will use the data obtained to determine relationships among farming activities. Resource characteristics such as soil type, terrain, climate, and ground water quality will be studied.

USDA is committed to offering American farmers, ranchers and foresters responsible alternatives for solving water resource problems. Information obtained from this survey is strictly confidential and is necessary to understand the conditions under which chemicals do and do not threaten the nation's water or the health of farmers and ranchers who use the chemicals. Previously, agricultural chemical use information was not readily available and of limited statistical reliability. Consequently, neither USDA nor other farm and ranch organizations were able to respond to issues associated with the environmental impact of agricultural chemicals.

Questions regarding this survey may be directed to State Statistician Dennis Findley.

PTA Meets Here On November 18

Silverton PTA will meet Thursday, November 18, at 7:00 p.m. in the school library. Plans will be made for "Santa's Secret Shop" at the Christmas Jubilee Arts and Crafts Show on November 20.

Also on the agenda will be discussion of possible fund raisers, and another parent education program will be presented, which will benefit all

Caprock Jamboree to Feature Five New Groups

Saturday, November 6, five new groups will be making their debut on the Caprock Jamboree stage. The family musical entertainment show begins at 7:00 p.m. at the showbarn in Silverton.

Three of the new groups will be traveling here from Lubbock. "West Texas Swing" with Jack Taylor and "Sweet Grass" will be playing a variety of western swing and bluegrass selections. Also from Lubbock, a very young (eight- and ten-year-olds) group known as the "Little Rascals" will be a highlight of the evening.

Sharon Morrow of Clarendon and Shane Jennings of Abilene also will debut on the Jamboree Saturday night.

Returning to the show, by popular demand, are Pam Landis, the fiddler from Happy, and little Tolitha Thomas of Amarillo. With this much talent scheduled, you can be assured of a great night at the Jamboree!

Get our your lawn chairs and make your plans to attend the Jamboree. Come early to eat a mesquite-grilled hamburger prepared by the Briscoe County Historical Committee. Serving will begin at 6:00 p.m.

Don't forget that one of those who donates \$1.00 to the Jamboree will have a chance to win the electronic keyboard and stand donated by Jimmy McKay of Kermit. This will be drawn for during the Jamboree on December

parents interested in being involved in their children's education.

Last month's program presented the problem of children's self-esteem, and how parents and teachers are able to influence it.

All members and friends are urged to attend and support PTA's efforts to be involved in the education of ALL children.

4. Please help spread the word that there will NOT be a Jamboree in January, since the first Saturday will be New Year's Day. But be assured that there WILL be a December show to wind up 1993. On February 5, things will get back on the normal schedule.



REGIONAL QUALIFIER—
Kristi Smith placed fourth at the District 6-1A cross country meet, and will compete in the regional meet November 6 at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock.

Crop, Livestock Surveys Being Made This Month

Early in November, the Texas Agricultural Statistics Service will begin contacting farm and ranch operators on the Fall 1993 Crop and Livestock Surveys. Early survey results will be used to estimate final acreage and production for crops grown in 1993. Later surveys will be used to determine January 1 livestock inventory numbers.

Approximately 52,000 farmers and ranchers have been selected to represent Texas agriculture. Reported information will not only represent the selected producer, but also other farmers and ranchers who have similar size and type operations. Individual reports will be expanded and

summarized to provide state and county estimates.

"To obtain an accurate picture of Texas agriculture, we depend on voluntary cooperation of farmers and ranchers and we hope each operator contacted will participate in these important year-end surveys. All information received is strictly confidential and protected by law from any disclosure," State Statistician Dennis Findley said. Survey results will be published in Texas Agricultural Facts which will be available to all survey respondents. Anyone may receive the survey results by calling 1-800-626-3142 and requesting the 1993 Texas Agricultural Facts Annual Summary.

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OBITUARIES

WINIFRED CURTIS

Funeral services for former Tulia resident Winifred Curtis, 63, of Austin were conducted at 11:00 a.m. Monday at Wallace Funeral Home Chapel in Tulia, with the Rev. Charles Davenport, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Rose Hill

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Mrs. Curtis died at 12:45 a.m. Friday at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. She was born September 24, 1930 in Tulia. She was a homemaker and a Baptist. She moved to Austin from Tulia in 1987.

Surviving are a son, William of Iraan; two daughters, Mrs. Victor (Debbie) McGavock of Amarillo and Gloria Powell of Pflugerville; a brother, Willis Wyrick of McAllen; three sisters, Wanda Taylor of Pampa and Lou Grossman and Laraine Willison, both of McAllen; and nine grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Todd Kuykendall, Roy Dell Hodges, Jason Hodges, Windle Thomas, H. B. Brown and E. H. McGavock.

NEVA MARIE COMER

Funeral services for Neva Marie Comer, 88, will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. Thursday (today) at the Silverton Church of Christ, with the minister, Ted Kingery, officiating.

Burial will be in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements made by Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Comer died at 5:30 a.m. Tuesday at Methodist Hospital in Plainview, after having been hospitalized there for several days. She was transported to the hospital by ambulance.

She is survived by her husband, Leo Comer, and other relatives, a complete list of which was not available at presstime.

Cub Scouts to Begin Meeting

The Cub Scouts of Silverton will begin meeting every Monday at the Scout Hut from 5:00 until 6:00 p.m.

All boys in grades 1-5 may join at any time if you have not already joined.

Annual dues are \$8.00 and a subscription to Boys Life magazine is \$7.80.

For more information, call Rick Minyard, 823-2108, after 5:00 p.m.

Photographers, Writer Visit in Silverton Area

Friday evening O. C. and Faye Rampley were among the dinner guests at historic Hotel Turkey. Fourteen photographers, who had arrived Thursday from Dallas, Fort Worth, Waco, Midland, Lancaster, Clifton, Rowlett, Heath and other Texas towns, hosted the dinner. Scott and Jane Johnson turned the kitchen over to the group to do the cooking. This provided an opportunity for them to get acquainted with residents of Turkey, Quitaque and Silverton, as they combed through the area with their cameras searching for possible prize-winning black and white photographs.

Some of the places they toured during their long weekend stay at Hotel Turkey were Caprock Canyons State Park and the railroad tunnel near Quitaque, the Courthouse square and historic Jail House Museum in Silverton.

Saturday morning they visited with Margaret Bell at the Bell Ranch, had lunch at Roye's in Quitaque, came to Silverton for some pictures, then on to the Rampley's. Foundation Beefmaster Association President Rampley briefed the group on the history and development of Beefmaster cattle and gave them brochures and booklets from the Denver office before taking them out to photograph the animals.

Although the weather was cold and windy, the group was dressed for the outing and enjoyed getting up close for pictures of the cattle, horses, dogs, cats, people and surroundings.

After finishing their work, the group returned to the house to warm by the fireplace and enjoy hot coffee, tea, brownies and hot apple pie with ice

cream topping.

Last year some of this same group of photographers participated in a cattle drive with Doug and Elaine Forbes and visited the Johnnie and Dean Burson Ranch. One of the photographs they took in Johnnie's tack barn now hangs in Neiman-Marcus in Dallas.

Also attending the group activities was another guest who has been at the Hotel since mid-October, Ann Keisling from New York City, New York. Miss Keisling was born and reared in Oregon and is currently touring and writing a book of essays about the Western development from North Dakota to Texas.

When asked how she happened to find Hotel Turkey, she replied that she had come through Silverton the last week in September and had lunch at the Malt Shop. When she found a town named "Turkey" on her map, she was intrigued by the name and later visited it. When she saw Hotel Turkey, she said it was exactly what she had hoped to find, so she has made it her headquarters while doing her research and writings about this area. She plans to remain there until mid-December.

Someday, somewhere you may unexpectedly find a picture of the Briscoe County Courthouse, Jail or other local place you recognize, or read some of the essays written about this area.

Exercise Class Starts Monday

Exercise classes at the Senior Citizens Center will begin Monday and will continue three days a week—Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. and continue until 9:00 a.m. on each of these mornings.

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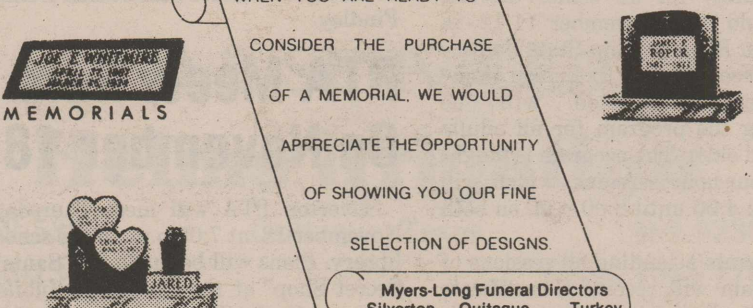
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through the files of the
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November 10, 1983—O. R. Stark has been elected to the board of trustees of Wayland Baptist University . . . Valley Patriots enter state football playoffs today . . . Old photographs of the Fort Worth & Denver Train Depots in Silverton, Quitaque and Turkey needed for historical survey . . . Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones to celebrate fifty years of marriage . . . FBLA members enjoy masquerade party . . . Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Roehr are parents of a daughter, Kimberly Michell . . . Delta Kappa Gamma society meets in

Silverton . . . November 8, 1973—Owls break into win column with 46-0 victory over Valley . . . Mrs. Carolyn Self has been returned to Lubbock and is a patient at West Texas Hospital . . . Victor McGavock returned to Fort Carson, Colorado, where he is stationed with the U. S. Army after spending five days at home . . . Scott Hutsell underwent surgery on his foot Monday and went back into surgery again Tuesday for repair of some facial scars, all of which were necessary as a result of the automobile accident he and his family were in last May. He is a patient at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo . . . Funeral services conducted for Mrs. Vernell Cowart, 58 . . . Mr. and Mrs. Dana Martin are parents of a son, Brian Dana . . . Mr.

and Mrs. Johnny McGavock are parents of a son, Gabriel . . . Miss Rita Joy Taylor and Leland Hugh Wood exchanged wedding vows Saturday in Las Vegas, Nevada . . . October 31, 1963—Coach and Mrs. Granato have boy! . . . Silverton Methodists to observe Family Fellowship Month . . . The Army's first Pershing missile unit scheduled for overseas deployment will depart from Fort Sill early Monday morning for Fort Wingate, New Mexico, to undergo a series of Pershing missile firings. The convoy will stop here that afternoon and will be here overnight . . . Monty Smith received leg injuries in the football game at Idalou Friday night . . . Gail Bullock was listed in satisfactory condition today after having been crushed about noon

Monday when the front-end loader he was driving overturned about one mile north of Quitaque . . . Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dickerson and Mr. and Mrs. Datis Martin attended homecoming at WTSU Saturday . . .

November 5, 1953—The unpaved gap in the highway between Memphis and Silverton will be hard surfaced within a year . . . Cpl. Jimmy Howard will be stationed at Camp Fort Riley . . . Diane Reynolds, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reynolds, underwent an emergency appendectomy at 1:00 a.m. Saturday . . . Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Fuller honored on silver anniversary . . . Bud Whitfield injured in football practice late Monday . . . Silverton Owls defeated Estelline Cubs 34-20 . . . Mike Reid, Patricia Cagle crowned Halloween Queens at the climax of the annual carnival . . . Mrs. Mildred Reid and daughters, LaWanda and Paula, attended a tent show in Quitaque Saturday evening . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Francis and Garland Francis were Amarillo visitors on Monday . . .

November 18, 1943—Drought shows effect on 1943-44 wheat crop . . . O. K. Reynolds, regional scouting director, will conduct a Boy Scout Court of Honor and Investiture for about fifteen Scouts here Friday night at the courthouse . . . Fire broke out last Thursday afternoon in the cotton house at the Silverton Gin . . . Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin called in the Peugh home Monday night . . . Mrs. Edwin Davis and Peggy spent the week in Amherst with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smithee . . . J. C. Fowler was honored with a surprise birthday party Monday evening . . . Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Donnell are parents of a son, Gary Charles . . . Several houses traded hands this week. Paul Reid bought the Jim Bomar home. Jim Bomar bought the Roy McMurtry home. McMurtrys have purchased the Bland Burson home . . . Carl Wimberly is on crutches following a fall from a horse. Carl says the pony was gentle and the rider was gentle but it happened anyway . . .

November 18, 1926—Denver permit granted! . . . During the past few days local firms have handled hundreds of turkeys. The turkeys have been bringing from 22 to 25 cents per pound for the No. 1's, which is considered a very reasonable price for such fowls and a price that causes the birds to net the raiser a neat profit . . . Dr. J. E. Minyard died this morning . . . J. F. Tunnell of Quitaque was a business visitor here Monday morning . . . Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Merrell and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Patton motored to Tulia Sunday afternoon . . .

Happy Birthday to . . .

- November 4—Adrian Ramirez, Mike McGinn, Scott Hutsell, Whitney Hanna George
- November 5—Mary Jane Patton, Dale Smith, Shane Estes, Dennis Matthew Grabbe
- November 6—Pete Juarez, Peggy Brannon, Shannon Cantwell, John McCammon
- November 7—Bena Hester, Casey Bean, Landon Johnson
- November 8—David Holt, Doug McJimsey
- November 9—Rick Hester, Jealeta Baird, Pete Cerbantes, Brady Jack Stark
- November 10—Richard McCutchen, Shandy Forbes

Happy Anniversary to . . .

- November 7—Mr. and Mrs. Jack McFall

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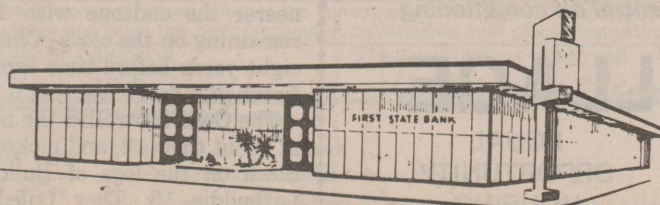
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Owls In Must-Win Game This Week

In order to go into the state football playoffs, the Owls are in a must-win situation this week when the Amherst Bulldogs, coached by Jack Shely, come to town. Forcing a three-way tie for the district championship and taking their chances in a coin flip are the only ways the Owls can make it to the playoffs this year.

The Owls and their coaches had hoped it wouldn't come to this, but it did.

After suffering a rare blowout last week at Lazbuddie, the Owls are faced with having to beat Amherst Friday in order to keep alive their chances of extending a six-year six-man playoff streak.

A Silvertown victory at home against the Bulldogs, who have won eight straight games after a season-opening loss to Smyer, would likely set up a three-way tie for first place in District 3-A, since Lazbuddie is expected to beat last-place Cotton Center in its final game. If that happens, a coin flip would determine which two of the three teams advance to the playoffs and which team stays home.

"We've got to get the Lazbuddie game behind us and concentrate on Amherst," Coach Clyde Parham said. "They like to run the ball, and we're got to contain their speed. They are so much faster than we are that if we're

not in the right spot at the right time they're going to score at will."

That's pretty much how Lazbuddie did it last week. "They were so much quicker and faster than we were. We couldn't hold our blocks long enough; therefore our offense couldn't execute. I really felt we were prepared for this game, but we just didn't execute offensively at all. Our defense was on the field too much."

The Owls took an early 8-0 lead before the 'Horns came to life, scoring 28 points in the second quarter when they took advantage of the wind at their backs. "They were averaging scoring every 20-35 seconds," Coach Parham said. "There wasn't anything we could do."

It marked the first time since before 1988 that the Owls left the field as victims of the 45-point rule.

The Owls made six first downs, as compared with 17 for Lazbuddie, and had a total offense of 164 yards as compared to 442 for the 'Horns.

Senior Lance Holt rushed the ball 33 times for a gain of 145 yards and his teammate Phil Patino rushed six times for a gain of 23 yards. Braden Towe completed passes to Holt and Patino, and Patino also recovered a fumble for the Owls. Matt Francis, Jeremiah Brooks and Towe also rushed the ball.

The first points of the game came on

a safety, when Lazbuddie snapped the ball out of the end zone.

The Owls scored first, on an 11-yard run by Holt. There was no PAT, and the Owl scoring was finished for the game. Lazbuddie scored six points in the first quarter, 28 in the second, 12 in the third and ended the game early with another seven points in the fourth quarter.

Pep rally is at 3:00 p.m. Friday and kickoff will be at 7:30 p.m. on Payne Field. The Owls need your support! Plan to don your red and white and be present to cheer for the Owls.

Junior High Owls Lose to 'Horns

It was the second time the two teams had played, the first ending in a tie, but this was their district game. The Owls kicked off and Lazbuddie ran it all the way back for a touchdown. They failed to convert their PAT, and held an early 6-0 lead.

The Owls got a good runback on the ensuing kickoff. Andy Bullock rushed for a first down on the Lazbuddie 11, and Leland Wood passed to Jackie Cherry for a touchdown. There was no PAT, and the scores were knotted at 6-6.

On Lazbuddie's next fourth down, Cherry led the attack against the passer and brought him down on the Lazbuddie 30 where the ball went over on downs. The Owls charged back, with Trey Ziegler picking up a first down and Bullock carrying to the one. Bullock scored with 33 seconds remaining to be played in the first quarter, Juan Garcia kicked the PAT, and the Owls moved into a 14-6 lead.

It was a beautiful afternoon, and the Owls were sizzling. The kickoff runback was brought down at the Lazbuddie 30. The Longhorns then passed for a first down on the Silvertown five as the second quarter began. The 'Horns scored with 5:48 still to be played in the second period. There was no PAT due to a bad snap, and the score narrowed to 14-12.

Lazbuddie kicked off and the receiver's knee went down on the Silvertown seven. Wood made a quick handoff to Cherry who ran to midfield for a first down. Bullock picked up four yards, but on the next play the Owls got a penalty, then lost the ball via the fumble route.

The Longhorns scored three plays later after passing for a first down on the Silvertown 20. The PAT pass was knocked down, and with 1:46 remaining before halftime, the Longhorns had regained the lead, 18-14.

Lazbuddie kicked off and Ziegler carried to the Silvertown 20. Bullock picked up four yards and a pass from Wood to Ziegler was near first-down yardage. Ziegler ran to midfield for a first down on the next play, and caught a pass to move the ball a couple of yards nearer the endzone with 14 seconds remaining on the clock. Cherry ran for eight yards before time expired in the first half.

The Owls controlled the next kickoff at about their 15, and picked up a first down on the legs of Bullock on the Lazbuddie 13. They failed to make enough yardage to score, and the ball went over to the Longhorns on the

Lazbuddie 12.

Back came the Longhorns, passing complete for a first down on their 35, and then driving for another on the Silvertown 20. They scored with 1:11 left in the third quarter, passed complete for the PAT, and moved ahead 25-14.

When the 'Horns kicked off, the ball bounced through the Owls' hands and out of bounds on the Silvertown 30. The Owls were unable to move the ball, and, as the fourth quarter began, the ball went over on downs on the Silvertown 25. Lazbuddie, likewise, was unable to move the ball, and the Owls got another try, this time to see the ball go over on downs on the Lazbuddie 19.

Lazbuddie scored two plays later, there was no PAT, and they moved into a 31-14 advantage. Ziegler took the kickoff near the goal and ran out to the Silvertown 11. The Owls were unable to move the ball and a short punt resulted in Lazbuddie getting the ball back on the Silvertown 17. On first down, Lazbuddie fumbled and David Gamble recovered for the Owls. Bullock scored two plays later, Garcia booted the PAT through the uprights, and with 36 seconds remaining to be played, the margin had been harrowed to 31-22.

An onside kick gave the ball to Lazbuddie on the Silvertown 25, and the 'Horns scored on the next play. There was no PAT, and with 23 seconds still on the clock, the Lazbuddie team moved into a 37-22 lead which held up until the game ended.

The Junior High Owls will have their last game of the season at Amherst this afternoon, with kickoff at 5:00 p.m.

Silvertown School Activities

Thursday, November 4—Junior High Owls at Amherst, 5:00 p.m.; Six Weeks Tests, even

Friday, November 5—Amherst Varsity, here, 7:30; End of Six Weeks

Saturday, November 6—State FFA Leadership Conference, Huntsville

Tuesday, November 9—Chamber of Commerce, Cafeteria, 5:00; Girls Basketball Scrimmage, here, 3:15 (Lefors and Kress)

Wednesday, November 10—4-H Cooking Lab, Home Ec. Room, 3:30; 4th and 5th Grades GT Field Trip; Report Cards

Thursday, November 11—School Board Meeting, 7:00; Career Day

Friday, November 12—Grades 7-12 Drug-Free School Assembly, gym, 9:50; Child Abuse Program, Grades 4-6, 9:00

Saturday, November 13—Girls Basketball Scrimmage, here, 1:00 (McLean and Lazbuddie)

Silvertown School Lunchroom Menu

Monday, November 8—Steak and Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Carrots, Hot Rolls, Syrup, Butter, Milk

Tuesday, November 9—Meat and Cheese Taco, Salad, Pinto Beans, Crackers, Fruit, Milk

Wednesday, November 10—Hamburgers and Cheese, Salad, French Fries, Cookie, Milk

Thursday, November 11—Fish Nuggets and Tartar Sauce, Coleslaw, Macaroni and Cheese, Cornbread, Fruit, Milk

Friday, November 12—Chili Dog, Tater Rounds, Fruit, Jello, Milk

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County Treasurers Meet At Quitaque Quail Lodge

County Treasurers from around the Panhandle assembled at the Quitaque Quail Lodge on Friday, October 22, for their quarterly meeting, with Janice Hill and Lanelle Dovel, Briscoe and Swisher County Treasurers, serving as hostesses.

A short business meeting was conducted, during which Geneva Bagwell, Randall County Treasurer, was elected secretary-treasurer for the Panhandle-Plains County Treasurers Association. Previous officers were advanced to next office in line. Therefore, Janice Hill, as vice president, and Pat Wyatt, as president, from Briscoe and Lipscomb counties, will serve as officers during the 1993-94 and 1994-95 years.

Other items discussed during the meeting were recent Legislative changes regarding the Treasurers' offices and constitutional amendments which were voted on this week.

After the meeting adjourned, a meal was served by Gus and Vinita Hrcir, proprietors of Quitaque Quail Lodge, to a total of thirteen treasurers and three guests. Music was provided during the meal by John and Maebelle Francis and Janice Hill.

EXTENSION TOPICS FOR TODAY

by Ronda Alexander
Briscoe County Extension Agent
Home Economics

Hospitality: Texas Style

Texans are known all across the world for their friendliness and their "Texas-Style" hospitality. In 1990, a group of Briscoe County residents met to identify issues which were or would be affecting county residents. These issues were identified so that the Briscoe County Extension Service could develop educational programs to meet the needs of the county residents.

One of the issues identified was "Marketing County Tourism and Recreational Assets." The proper development of accommodations, commercial services and recreational activities were identified as components of this issue which needed improvement. According to *Texas Travel Facts - December 1991* (a reference guide developed by the Texas Department of Commerce), "Rural tourism development is increasingly gaining acceptance as an answer to the economic difficulties facing rural America. Texas' rural communities stand to see an increase in visitorship due to travelers wanting to experience the authenticity of the way Texas used to be." It is up to each of us to do our part in promoting our area as a place to visit. The Silverton Chamber of Commerce and the Executive Board of the Briscoe County Extension Service have combined their efforts to help get started, through the development of hospitality skills.

The two groups will be hosting a "Texas Hospitality Training" in the Silverton School Cafeteria on Tuesday, November 9, beginning at 6:00 p.m. The cost of the training will be \$15.00 which includes a meal and workbook materials. Please pre-register to the Briscoe County Extension Office, 823-2131, Ext. 11. The training will be presented by Joe Wheeler of the Borger Chamber of Commerce. He believes "anyone who has an interest in the promotion of the area will benefit from the training." We look forward to seeing each of you there!

After the meal, everyone met in downtown Quitaque for a tour of the Sidewalk Museum and a visit with a few local citizens on the street. Then the treasurers were taken on an "early bird" tour of the Caprock Canyons State Park Trailway.

A lot of information was sent home with each in sacks filled with brochures, pens, candy, recipes and

more. Everyone really seemed to enjoy the day and all went home knowing that even though Briscoe County is "small in size, there is plenty of PRIDE."

Other treasurers attending from around the Panhandle were Oleta Raper, Castro County; Vesta Mae Nunley, Deaf Smith County; Wanda Smith, Donley County; Scott Hahn and wife, Gray County; Norma Jean Mackie, Hansford County; Betty Edwards, Hartley County; Claudette Hand, Hemphill County; Anne Norton, Parmer County, and Linda Keener, Sherman County.

Mrs. Hill asked that a special thanks

be expressed to all who contributed door prizes, making it possible for everyone attending to take home something that was locally made or could be purchased in the county. Contributing from Silverton were Spud and Betty Nan Tiffin, Hutsell Jewelry, Tiffin's Dept. Store, J. Christopher White, Mary John's Flowers, Caprock Floral, Chamber of Commerce, Malt Shop, Briscoe County News and First State Bank. Contributing from Quitaque were Valley Farm Store, Karol's Kountry Korner, Roye's, Farley's Flowers, Caprock Canyons Cafe, West Texas Utilities and First National Bank.



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SHURFINE VEGETABLE SHORTENING 3 LB. CAN \$1.59	SHURFINE EVAPORATED MILK 12 OZ. CANS 99¢	SHURFINE ASSORTED POTATO CHIPS 7 OZ. BAG 69¢	ASSORTED SHURFINE CANNED FRUIT 16 OZ. CAN 69¢
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SHURFINE CHICKEN BROTH 14.5 OZ. CAN 3 FOR 99¢	SHURFINE REAL CHOCOLATE CHIPS 12 OZ. BAG 89¢	SHURFINE APPLE CIDER OR JUICE 64 OZ. BTL. 99¢	SHURFINE REG/WITH BLEACH ULTRA DETERGENT 42 TO 46 OZ. \$1.99
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SHURFINE WHOLE SWEET POTATOES 20 OZ. CAN 69¢	SHURFINE SMOOTH OR CRUNCHY PEANUT BUTTER 18 OZ. JAR \$1.39	SHURFINE TOMATO KETCHUP 32 OZ. BTL. 79¢	SHURFINE SALAD DRESSING 32 OZ. JAR 99¢
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SHURFINE SMALL PITTED RIPE OLIVES 6 OZ. CAN 89¢	SHURFINE STUFFED SPANISH OLIVES 5.75 OZ. JAR 99¢	SHURFINE WHOLE SWEET PICKLES OR SWEET GHERKINS 16 OZ. JAR \$1.49	SHURFINE BLACK PEPPER 4 OZ. CAN \$1.29
SHURFINE GROUND NUTMEG 2.12 OZ. BTL. \$1.49	SHURFINE VANILLA EXTRACT 2 OZ. BTL. \$1.69	SHURFINE WHITE NAPKINS 120 CT. PKG. 79¢	SHURFINE TALL KITCHEN BAGS 15 CT. BOX 99¢
SHURFINE PLASTIC WRAP 100 FT. ROLL 79¢	SHURFINE LEMON AUTO. DISH DETERGENT 50 OZ. BOX \$1.69	SHURFINE SHEETS FABRIC SOFTENER 40 CT. BOX \$1.69	SHURFINE CAT FOOD 3.5 LB. BAG \$1.49
SHURFINE INSTANT COFFEE 8 OZ. JAR \$2.89	WESTERN FAMILY COFFEE FILTERS 2 100 CT. PKGS. 99¢	SHURFINE COFFEE CREAMER 16 OZ. JAR 99¢	SHURFINE QUICK OATS 42 OZ. BOX \$1.69
SHURFINE CEREAL RAISIN BRAN 20 OZ. BOX \$1.99	SHURFINE CEREAL CRISPY RICE 13 OZ. BOX \$1.69	SHURFINE ASSORTED TOASTER PASTRY 11 OZ. BOX 99¢	SHURFINE APPLE SAUCE 50 OZ. JAR \$1.69
SHURFINE ORANGE JUICE 48 OZ. CAN \$1.29	SHURFINE ASSORTED CRANBERRY DRINKS 48 OZ. BTL. \$1.99	SHURFINE WHITE OR GOLDEN HOMINY 3 CANS 99¢	SHURFINE ASSORTED TOMATOES 16 OZ. CANS 2 FOR 89¢
SHURFINE SPRING WATER 1.5 LTR. BTL. 59¢	SHURFINE ASSORTED WAFFLE AND PANCAKE SYRUP 24 OZ. BTL. \$1.19	SHURFINE ASSORTED POURABLE SALAD DRESSING 8 OZ. BTL. 79¢	

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SHURFINE FULLY COOKED BONELESS 5 TO 7 LB. AVG. WHOLE HAMS	1 LB.	\$2.19
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BONELESS CHUCK STEAK	1 LB.	\$1.59
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BONELESS ARM CHARCOAL STEAK	1 LB.	\$1.79
BONELESS LEAN BEEF CUBES	1 LB.	\$1.99
STEW MEAT	1 LB.	\$1.69
FAMILY PACK LEAN GROUND BEEF	1 LB.	\$1.69
SMALL PACK LEAN GROUND BEEF	1 LB.	\$1.79

NON-FOOD SPECIALS

WESTERN FAMILY SEVERE COLD-FLU CAPS	10 CT. PKG.	\$1.99
WESTERN FAMILY NIGHTTIME LIQUID CAPS	12 CT. PKG.	\$2.49
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SHURFINE 6075/100 WATT STANDARD LIGHT BULBS	3 CT. PACK	69¢

PRODUCE SPECIALS

NEW CROP TANGERINES	1 LB.	69¢
NEW CROP CRANBERRIES	12 OZ. BAG	\$1.69
NEW CROP WASHINGTON RED DELICIOUS APPLES	5 LB. BAG	\$1.99
DOLE CARROTS	1.5 LB. BAG	69¢
COLORADO BAKING POTATOES	3 LBS.	\$1.00
FRESH STALK CELERY	2 BUNCHES	99¢
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SHURFINE REG./LITE AMERICAN SINGLES	12 OZ. PKG.	\$1.59
SHURFINE COLBY OR CHEDDAR HALFMOON CHEESE	10 OZ. PKG.	\$1.69
SHURFINE CHEESE SPREAD	2 LB. LOAF	\$2.99
SHURFINE CREAM CHEESE	8 OZ. PKG.	69¢
SHURFINE CHILLED ORANGE JUICE	64 OZ. BTL.	\$1.49
SHURFINE SWEET CREAM QUARTERS BUTTER	16 OZ. BOX	\$1.19

Third, Twelfth Grade Candidates Were Crowned



Sage Brannon (left) was crown bearer and Yance Forbes (right) was sceptor bearer for the coronation of Queen Ashleigh Wyatt and King Matt Francis, seniors, at the 1993 Fall Festival Saturday night in the school auditorium.

Briscoe County News Photo



Hanna James, crown bearer, was pictured with Princess Bryn Mayfield, Prince Adam Enloe and Gid Mayfield, sceptor bearer, at the conclusion of the 1993 Fall Festival Saturday night.

Briscoe County News Photo

The candidates representing the third and twelfth grades were crowned at the Fall Festival held Saturday evening in the Silverton School Auditorium.

Holly Nance was master of ceremonies, and pianists were Brandi Brunson and Shannon Weaver. Crown and sceptor bearers for the Princess and Prince were Hanna James and Gid Mayfield. Crown and sceptor bearers for the Queen and King were Sage Brannon and Yance Forbes.

The 1993 Princess is Bryn Mayfield, daughter of Zane and Kim Mayfield, and the Prince is Adam Enloe, son of Brad and Holly Enloe.

The 1993 Queen is Ashleigh Wyatt, daughter of John and Gail Wyatt, and the King is Matt Francis, son of Danny and Donna Francis.

Other candidates for Princess and Prince were Kelsie Estes and Max Comer, first grade; Lori Griffin and Trace Mattheus, second grade; Kina Garrison and Kevin Duncan, fourth grade; Catherine Reyna and Aaron Wederski, fifth grade; Dara Johnston and Jordan Sarchet, sixth grade.

Other candidates for Queen and King were Lindsey Jennings and Josh Breedlove, seventh grade; Michelle Warren and Trey Ziegler, eighth grade; Minerva Patino and Brandon Sarchet, ninth grade; Kara Kingery and Bo Wilson, tenth grade; Leslee Weaks and Peter Trevino, eleventh grade.

The coronation was sponsored by the Silverton Chapter of Future Homemakers of America.

4-H Food Show Set Nov. 16

The Briscoe County 4-H Food Show will be held November 16 in the Silverton School Cafeteria. Judging will begin at 5:00 p.m. and the awards presentations will be made at 7:30 p.m.

Entry materials for the County Food Show are due in the Extension Office by Friday, November 5, at 5:00 p.m. Materials which must be turned in include recipe for food exhibited, day's menu (with food exhibited included) and completed project report form for Food and Nutrition Project. To pick up forms or if you have questions, please come by the Extension Office.



News From The Silverton Library

A number of new books have been added to the shelves of the Silverton Public Library, located in the basement of the Briscoe County Courthouse. Hours the library is open are 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. and 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. Tuesdays, and 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. Fridays.

Some of the new titles include "Streets of Laredo," Larry McMurtry; "The Client," John Grisham; "Dragon Tears," Dean Koontz; "In the Eye of the Storm—Life of General H. Norman Schwarzkoph," Cohen & Gatti; "The Stars Shine Down," Sidney Sheldon; "Echoes," Maeve Binchy; "I'll Be Seeing You," Mary Higgins Clark; "The Reckoning," D. R. Meredith; "Deception," Amanda Quick.

Books donated to the library have included "Vanish With the Rose," Barbara Michaels; "Daughter of Deceit," Victoria Holt; "Dream of Orchids," Phillis A. Whitney; "All That Remains," Patricia D. Cornwell; "Seven For a Secret," Victoria Holt; "Tangled Vines," Janet Dailey.

Books donated by Doris Peugh are "This Present Darkness," and "Piercing the Darkness" by Frank E. Peretti.

Also in the library are "Pillars of the Earth," Ken Follett; "The Firm," John Grisham; "The Shell Seekers," Rosamunde Pilcher; "Fortune is a Woman," Elizabeth Adler; "You Can't Put No Boogie-Woogie on the King of Rock & Roll," Lewis Grizzard; "When You Look Like Your Passport Photo, It's Time To Go Home," Erma Bombeck; "Memories—the Autobiography of Ralph Emery," with Tom Carter.

Costume Contest Winners Named

L. O. A. Study Club has announced the winners of the costume contest held at the Fall Festival Carnival Saturday night at the showbarn.

Winners of the three-year and under division were Skyler Brannon and CoDee Grabbe.

In the four-and five-year-old division, the winners were Gid Mayfield and Yance Forbes.

Clifton Baker and Stormy Brannon were winners in the grades 1-3 division.

In the division for boys and girls in grades 4-6, winners were Kurby Garvin and Kina Garrison.

In the division for seventh grade through adults, the winners were Lorn Estes, Brandon Sarchet and Dewayne Juarez.

The Silverton High August at the Har were made by Eric the photo. Attend Dehler, Amy Otis, (back) Bob Arnold,

New Arrivals

Bryan and Lisa Schott a son, Tanner John, born St. Mary's Hospital weighed seven pounds and measured 21 1/2 long. Welcoming her brother family is Nichole, who old.

Grandparents are Jo Schott of Silverton and Janis Andrus of Tulia.

Great-grandparents Pauline Chitty and Re



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Silverton, John and Linnie Andrus of Kress.

tt are parents of ... rn October 23 at ... in Lubbock. He ... and one ounce, ... at birth.

Kelly and Mary McMurtry, 4204 Eric, Amarillo, are parents of a daughter, Lexi Francis, born at 5:52 a.m. October 18, 1993, at Northwest Texas Hospital. She weighed seven pounds and four ounces, and measured 21" in length.

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Grandparents are Johnny and Claudine Peery of Turkey, Wayne and Sandy McMurtry of Houston and Jim and Anne Davidson of Pampa.

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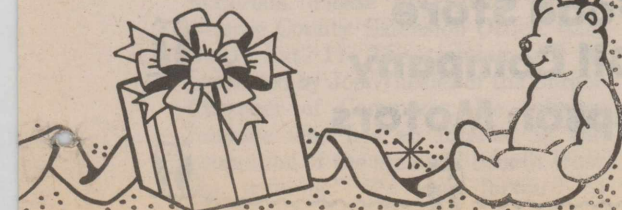
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Varsity Schedule

Nov. 5—Amherst*, here, 7:30
 **Homecoming
 *District Games

Junior High Schedule

Nov. 4—Amherst*, there, 5:00
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TELCOT Report

A Weekly Summary of Cotton Marketing News

For the Week Ending October 28

Progress continues on an early harvest of what some call one of the best crops in years, and growing supplies of high-quality West Texas/Oklahoma cotton continue to flow into marketing channels. In the past week, this favorably impacted spot trading on the TELCOT electronic marketing system.

Sales on TELCOT for the five-day trading period ended October 28 totaled 71,189 bales; well over twice that of the previous trading period. Gross premiums over the adjusted worldprice (AWP) received on TELCOT averaged 937 points, up from the preceding week. Demand for supplies offered on TELCOT has remained favorable as evidenced by sales totals which exceeded the 10,000-bale level each day of the trading period.

Why has demand remained bright? An early harvest and good yields and quality are contributing to growers' willingness to market cotton. Early in the week, the Texas Agricultural Statistics Service reported the Texas cotton crop was 48 percent harvested, ahead of 29 percent last year and the 28 percent average. The Oklahoma cotton harvest was 30 percent completed, ahead of just 16 percent last year and on average.

In addition, even further cuts are expected in an already disappointing Delta yield and quality situation. These factors have aided West Texas/Oklahoma producers in marketing their high-grade, longer staple cotton to U. S. mills who traditionally turn to the Delta for their supplies.

One source also points to New York cotton futures, saying that as long as the futures market remains above the 57-cent level, demand will remain steady. A drop in the market below that level would narrow the gap between futures and the current price of non-U. S. growths or "A" Index; a factor that could reduce equity-levels that merchants could pay to producers.

But, futures seemed content to remain in a fairly narrow range in the week ended October 28, as a lack of fundamentals again stifled activity at the New York Cotton Exchange. One industry source said the lack of movement in futures is rooted in a sluggish U. S. export scenario.

This was reflected in USDA's weekly export report on Thursday, October 28. The agency said export sales of U. S. cotton rose a net 3,500 bales in the week ended October 21. New sales of 17,000 bales to featured buyers Japan, Taiwan, the Philippines, Brazil and Mexico were partially offset by cancellations totaling 13,500 bales.

In addition, U. S. exporters late in the week reported export sales were subdued and noted few inquiries. Exporters remained hopeful that Japan would enter the market soon for purchases of U. S. San Joaquin Valley cotton. They added that basis levels for those growths remain extremely low, and Japan has expressed interest in purchases for January-forward shipment.

Looking at demand on the domestic front, a monthly U. S. cotton consumption report released Wednesday, October 27, reflected an expected drop and was mostly regarded as a non-event by the market. According to the report, U. S. Mills used cotton in September at a seasonally-adjusted annualized rate of 10.2 million bales, down 1.7 percent from the August consumption rate.

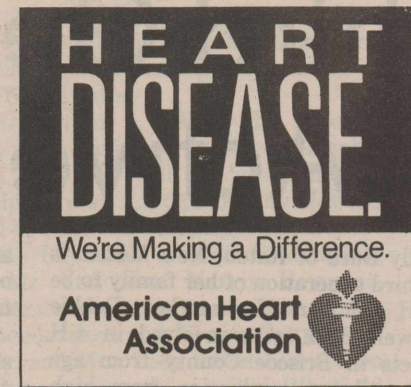
Melanie Gordon, senior market analyst for the National Cotton

Council, said the U. S. September mill use figure reflected softening demand but added that this does not necessarily mean a long-term slide has begun. Gordon reported that there were several reasons behind the falling demand during September, including a typical drop while new-crop cotton is being harvested. She added that some mills closed during the labor-day holiday.

Cotton ginnings continue well ahead of last year, according to an October 25 report from USDA. As of October 15, the agency reports nationwide ginnings totaled 4.476 million bales, ahead of

4.046 a year ago, but behind 4.955 million in 1991. Texas cotton ginnings totaled 1.337 million bales, ahead of just 967,850 bales a year ago but slightly behind 1.422 million in 1991. In Oklahoma, 54,150 bales had been ginned as of October 15, far ahead of 16,550 bales in 1992 and 11,500 bales in 1991.

On Thursday, October 28, USDA announced the AWP through the week ending November 4 is 40.76 cents per pound. The figure is down from last week and results in a producer option payment of 1,159 points.



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		Dollar Amounts in Thousands			
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ASSETS					
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin		1,029		1.a.
	b. Interest-bearing balances		0		1.b.
2. Securities			8,602		2.
3. Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:	a. Federal funds sold		100		3.a.
	b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell		0		3.b.
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:					
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income		11	260		4.a.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses			434		4.b.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve			0		4.c.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)			10,826		4.d.
5. Assets held in trading accounts			0		5.
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)			59		6.
7. Other real estate owned			0		7.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies			0		8.
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding			0		9.
10. Intangible assets			0		10.
11. Other assets			621		11.
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)			21,237		12.a.
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)			N/A		12.b.
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b)			21,237		12.c.
LIABILITIES					
13. Deposits:	a. In domestic offices		17,937		13.a.
	(1) Noninterest-bearing	3,282			13.a.(1)
	(2) Interest-bearing	14,655			13.a.(2)
	b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs		N/A		13.b.
	(1) Noninterest-bearing	0			13.b.(1)
	(2) Interest-bearing	0			13.b.(2)
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:	a. Federal funds purchased		0		14.a.
	b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase		0		14.b.
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury			0		15.
16. Other borrowed money			0		16.
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases			0		17.
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding			0		18.
19. Subordinated notes and debentures			0		19.
20. Other liabilities			227		20.
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)			18,164		21.
22. Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus			0		22.
EQUITY CAPITAL					
23. Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding)	-0-		0		23.
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized)	400				24.
	b. Outstanding	-0-	400		24.
25. Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock)			1,000		25.
26. a. Undivided profits and capital reserves			1,673		26.a.
b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities			0		26.b.
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments			3,073		27.
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)			N/A		28.a.
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)			3,073		28.b.
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 28.a. & 28.b)			3,073		28.c.
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28.c)			21,237		29.
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report of Condition date:					
1. a. Standby letters of credit. Total			6		MEMO 1.a.
b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1.a. conveyed to others through participations			0		1.b.

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report.

We, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: *David Tipton* DATE SIGNED: 10-27-93

NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: **David Tipton, Vice President** AREA CODE/PHONE NO.: 806/823-2426

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: *Thomas Strang* SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: *Walter Strang* SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: *John D...*

State of **Texas** County of **Briscoe** ss:
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this **27** day of **October** 19 **93**
 and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
 My commission expires **9-14 19 96** Signature **Beverly Munday** Public

Third Generation 4-H'er Is Active In New Mexico

Cally Burk of Raton, New Mexico is the third generation of her family to be a 4-H member. Her mother, Debbie Cantwell Burk, was involved in 4-H projects in Briscoe County from age nine until her graduation from high school. She was active in several projects, but Foods and Nutrition and Clothing projects were her favorites. She received the Briscoe County Gold Star award in 1971. Cally's grandmother, Lanita Cantwell, was a member of 4-H in Travis County, Texas. Her paternal grandparents, Norman and Juanita Burk, were 4-H members

at Hollis, Oklahoma. In fact, they met one another at a county-wide 4-H meeting.

With such a background, it is no surprise that Cally was anxious to join 4-H. In 1992 she became a member of Johnson Mesa 4-H Club in Colfax County, New Mexico. She enrolled in Braiding I, Baking I and Market Lamb projects. With a little help from her little brother, Cameron, she raised two lambs. Bullet won third place and Docker won fourth place at the County Fair. She gave demonstrations on "How to Measure Properly" and "How to

Make an Easy Sheep Halter." She entered projects in county and district contests.

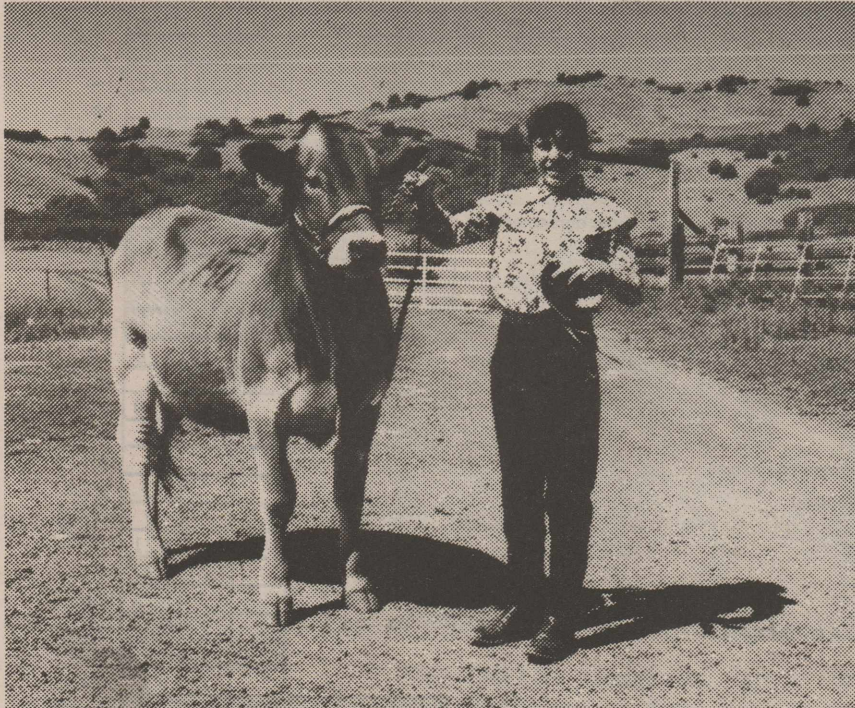
Among the awards she received for her hard work were a medal for high-point in baking and for her record book. She also got a completion pin for her lamb project, a medal for her braiding book, and one of four achievement medals given.

Early this year Cally and her fellow club members went to Santa Fe where they attended the 41st session of the New Mexico Legislature. She was chosen to serve as a page for Rep. Jose Abeyta in the House of Representatives.

Cally purchased a calf, which she named Sugar, to raise for her Dairy

Heifer project this year. Sugar received a blue ribbon as well as a grand prize ribbon at the county fair. Cally also participated in Braiding II and Dairy Foods I. She braided belts, key rings and book markers for herself and as gifts for her family. Her demonstrations were "Breeds of Dairy Cattle" and "How to Make Flavored Butter." She added more blue ribbons for some of these projects.


Cally, a sixth grade home schooler, expects to be busy in coming years with both her school work and her 4-H activities.



Cally Burk and her Dairy Heifer, Sugar. Cally is the 11-year-old daughter of Mark and Debbie Burk of the Rafter Four Ranch near Raton, New Mexico. She is a third-generation 4-H Club member, and is following in the footsteps of her parents and grandparents.

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 Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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 Ted Kingery, Minister
SUNDAY:
 Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY:
 Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Bryan Donahoo, Pastor
SUNDAY:
 Library Opens 9:15 a.m.
 Bible Study/S.S. 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
SECOND & FOURTH TUESDAYS:
 Baptist Women 9:30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY:
 Library Opens 6:30 p.m.
 Bible Study/Prayer 7:00 p.m.



LET'S HONOR THOSE WHO HAVE RETURNED FROM THE BATTLE

While all throughout our history
 Our heroes fought to keep us free,
 Sometimes conditions will demand
 The liberation of some land,
 With allied nations, to defend
 The rights of others who depend
 On those of us who, on request,
 Will always rescue the oppressed.
 Our troops were recently released
 From service in the Middle East:
 That confrontation in the form
 Of "Operation Desert Storm."
 Let's thank the Lord for His concern
 In granting them a safe return;
 While praying for an end to war,
 So peace can reign forevermore.

— Gloria Nowak

*We fight not to
 enslave, but to
 set a country free.*
 — Thomas Paine

*"Let the wickedness
 of the wicked come
 to an end; but
 establish the just."*
 — Psalm 7:9

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Brad Enloe, Pastor
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 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
 Youth Group 7:00 p.m.
FIRST MONDAY:
 United Methodist Men . 6:00 a.m.
TUESDAY:
 United Meth. Women... 9:30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY:
 Choir Practice 5:00 p.m.
 In-home Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
THIRD SATURDAY:
 Family Fun Night 7:00 p.m.

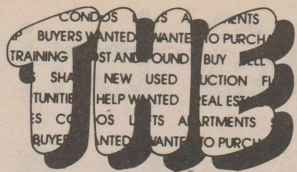
NEW FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST MISSION
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 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY:
 Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m.
 Prayer Service 8:00 p.m.

OUR LADY OF LORETO CATHOLIC CHURCH
SUNDAY:
 Mass 9:00 a.m.
WEDNESDAY:
 Doctrina Class 4:30-5:30 p.m.
 Junior & Senior
 High 4:30-5:30 p.m.

ROCK CREEK CHURCH OF CHRIST
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 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY:
 Worship Service 7:30 p.m.

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REAL ESTATE

FOR RENT: TWO 20-20 STORAGE Buildings or 20-40 Storage Building. Leon Lavy, 823-2061. 42-tfc

OWNER-FINANCED HOME FOR Sale at 1006 South Main: Two bedrooms. \$2,000 down, \$350.00 monthly. Joe Baker, 293-0463. 42-5tc

FOR SALE OR RENT: ASCS Office Building. Contact Addlene or Jay Towe at 823-2046. Small Storage Building For Sale. 41-4tc

THREE-BEDROOM HOME FOR Sale: Two Baths, Garage, Storage Building. 1105 Commerce in Silverton. 823-2097. 41-tfc

TWO-BEDROOM HOME FOR SALE: 906 Lone Star. 823-2370, Juannah Jennings. 42-tfc

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NOTICES

NOTICE TO WHOEVER BORROWED the City Sewer Tape: Please return the sewer tape to the City Hall. 42-tfnc

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The City of Silverton will accept Sealed Bids until 5:00 p.m., November 5, 1993, at the City Hall, Silverton, Texas, on the below listed real estate, located in Silverton, Texas.

UNIT	LOTS	BLK.
1	5	4
2	N 1/3 of lots 3-4-5	28

Each bid must show the Unit. No. and Description and the amount bid. Bids will be opened at 8:00 p.m. November 8, 1993, at the regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Silverton, Texas. The City reserves the right to refuse any and all bids.

Jerry Patton
City Secretary
City of Silverton

CARD OF THANKS

The Silverton High School GT Class would like to thank everyone who helped with and contributed to a successful Red Ribbon Rally Week.

We appreciate the thoughtfulness that was shown through your donations for the Drug-Free Carnival given for the elementary classes.

A special thanks to Ted Kingery for giving a very motivational speech during our assembly. It was appreciated greatly throughout the school. We would also like to thank Margie Pinkerton and Michelle Francis for their hard work and patience during the week.

Thanks again to all helpful parties.

Myrt Edwards and her family would like to express their gratitude to everyone who helped make her 85th birthday a happy and memorable occasion. The phone calls, cards, happy birthday wishes and your presence at her party were deeply appreciated.

Sincerely,
Myrt Edwards
Harold and Ellen Edwards
Joe Ted Edwards
Trent and Cynthia Finck
Derrick, Ky and Hillary

Virgil and I want to say thank you for all your prayers and concern for us since I broke my arm. To Connie Smith for her help, Shirley Henderson for doing my hair for me, for all the good food that has helped Virgil out on cooking, the phone calls, but most of all your love, thank you.

Gladys and Virgil

I would like to thank Dick Roehr for helping me open my car door after I locked my keys in the car.
Mrs. Garza

WEATHER

OCTOBER 24-HOUR READINGS

DAY	HIGH	LOW	PRECIP.
25	74	37	
26	80	37	
27	55	32	T
28	57	32	
29	73	40	
30	43	17	.02
31	42	16	
Total Precip. for October			1.26
Normal Precip. for October			1.75
Total Precip. Year to Date			14.18
Normal Precip. Year to Date			19.83

Apology

We would like to extend a sincere apology to Turner Sports Manufacturing for having listed this business name in a property description on the list of delinquent taxpayers.

Turner Sports Manufacturing DOES NOT owe back taxes, and we regret having made it seem that it does.

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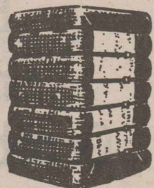
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