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Briscoe County News

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I have often said that the Owls play in a very tough football district, and this year the proof is there for all to see. Both of our district representatives, defending state champion Amherst and Whitharral are in the regional finals Friday night.

Whitharral plays at 7:30 p.m. at Lamesa against Klondike.

Amherst goes against Sands at 7:30 p.m. at New Home.

Most fans agree that Amherst should repeat as the state champion, with some picking Klondike to be their opponent in the final game.

Who knows? Wouldn't it be something if the two teams in our district had to play again this season?

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Earl Cantwell To Observe 90th Year On December 12

The children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Earl Cantwell invite you to celebrate his 90th birthday by sending a card or writing a letter to honor this great benchmark that he has reached.

His birthday is December 12, 1995.

Please mail to Earl Cantwell, Route 1, Box 20, Silverton, Texas 79257.

Program to be Given For Parents, Students

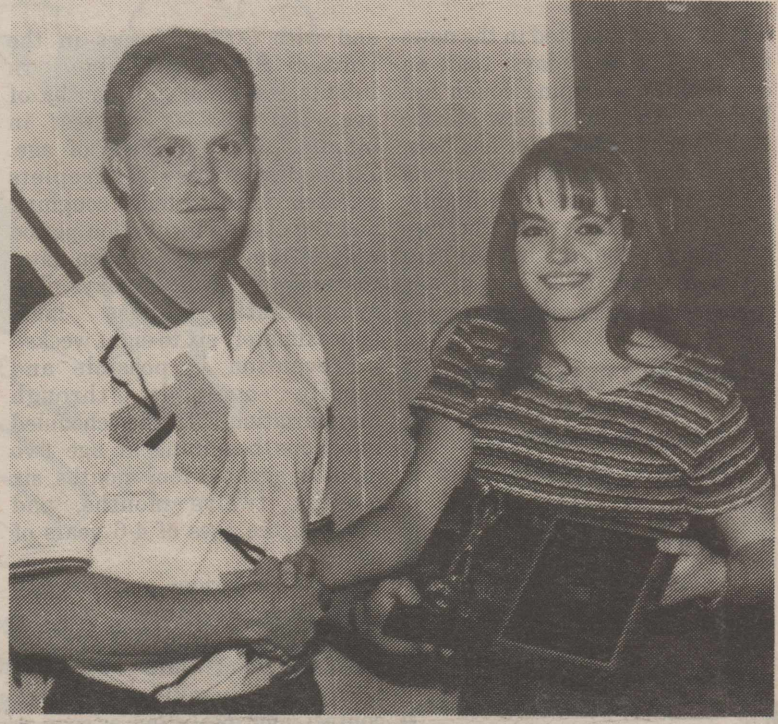
Ed Ainsworth of Whiteheart Communications will be presenting the "Love, Sex and Dating" program for Silverton students in grades 5-12 on January 8-11.

He will present a program for parents of school children at 7:00 p.m. December 7 in the school cafeteria. At this time he will discuss and preview with parents what he will present to the students and answer any questions they may have. All parents of students in grades 5-12 are encouraged to attend.

Whiteheart says we live in a society where there is a superhighway of information which is called the media. This superhighway manifests itself in many forms, some of which are television, music and literature. Much of the information that comes along this highway is confusing and even misleading, especially when it comes to

information concerning teenage sexuality. It is critical to the future and the future of generations to come that a standard is raised by which the American student can live.

For such a time as this, Whiteheart Communications comes out of the cloud of confusion, deception and misinformation to make a very clear call to the American student. This voice is calling for chastity, purity, healthy and wholesome relationships, and a honest look at sexuality. Whiteheart Communications believes that the American student is craving honest answers to age-old questions concerning love, sex and dating. They are committed to impart communication to the American student that will last a lifetime. They remind everyone that if they can help one, they have been successful.



Coach Joe Crabb presented the All-Tournament Team plaque to Debra Johnston in recognition of her outstanding participation in the Queens Classic last weekend in Plainview. The plaque is very beautiful and will be a treasured keepsake.

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WEATHER

24-HOUR NOVEMBER READINGS

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Total Precip. in Nov. .21
Normal Precip. in Nov. .71
Total Precip. Year to Date 19.44
Normal Precip. Year to Date 20.02

Local Zimmatic Dealer Receives Top Thirty Award

Rhoderick Irrigation of Silverton recently received the Zimmatic Top Thirty Award at Lindsay Manufacturing Company's annual dealer convention held in Vail, Colorado. The Zimmatic Top Thirty Award recognizes Rhoderick Irrigation as an outstanding Zimmatic dealer in 1995. The award is presented to dealers who exhibit superior commitment to customer service and satisfaction. The convention focused on the



(From right to left) Charlie Meis, Lindsay Manufacturing Company; Charlotte and Eddie Rhoderick of Rhoderick Irrigation; and Jack Bloomer, Lindsay Manufacturing Company.

Jamboree Goes On Onstage Again Sat.

challenges that dealerships are facing in order to be successful and provide better service to their customers. The dealers attended meetings on new product technology, industry issues, and participated in dealer discussion panels. According to Robert Snoozy, Vice President of Marketing at Lindsay Manufacturing Company, "Dealers will need to meet or exceed their customers' future needs and expectations when it comes to the new technology surfacing in the irrigation industry. Our Zimmatic dealers are making that commitment to provide time and energy saving technology, and improve service to their customers," said Snoozy.

Lindsay Manufacturing Company, based in Lindsay, Nebraska, is a leading producer of automated irrigation equipment including Zimmatic center pivot, corner and lateral move systems, as well as computerized monitor and control units. Lindsay has dealers in 38 states and Zimmatic products operating in more than 80 countries worldwide.

Caprock Jamboree will be on stage in Silverton Saturday night, December 2. Another big night is planned, with musicians from Plainview, Ralls, Kress, and an adult showcase being planned. If you can play or sing, you are invited to sign up to do a song or two with the stage band.

The November "Band of the Month" award winner was Weldon Allard from Amarillo.

The Silverton Chamber of Commerce will be serving mesquite-grilled hamburgers beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Entertainment will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will continue until approximately 10:00 p.m.

Senior Citizens To Have Birthday Party

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

Those who have birthdays in December will be honored.

The party will be hosted by those who had their birthdays celebrated in November.

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Notes From The Briscoe County Clinic

It has been reported in the news in the last few days that an outbreak of whooping cough has been documented in New Mexico and one confirmed case has been reported in Amarillo. Whooping cough or "pertussis" is a highly-contagious disease with the risk of disease being highest in children under five years of age

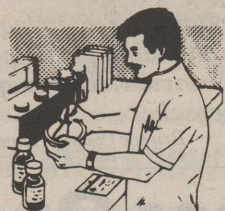
and with 30% of cases in the United States occurring in infants less than six months of age. Mortality is greatest in infants under one year of age. Transmission is by droplets released during intense coughing and the disease incubation period ranges from six to fourteen days, the average being six days. The symptomatic illness lasts approximately six to eight weeks.

Prevention is possible and readily available through immunization with the scheduled injections beginning at age two months, again at four months, six months, twelve months, and between the ages of 4-6 years of age.

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4-H'ers Preparing For District Contests

by Ronda Alexander
 Briscoe County Extension Agent

Seven Briscoe County 4-H'ers are busily preparing for the District 1 4-H Food Show which will be held in Amarillo on Saturday, December 2. These 4-H'ers are advancing to the district competition after winning first place at the county level contest which was held November 15.

In the Senior Division, Molly Brooks will be preparing "Hot Skinny Dip" and entering it in the Nutritious Snacks and Desserts category. For the Main Dish entry, Carrie Baird will be exhibiting her dish of "Hamburger Cornpone Pie." A "Layered Salad" will be Wynter Smith's entry in the Fruits and Vegetables category. Briana Sperry's entry of Apricot Bread will be competing in the Breads and Cereals category.

Katy Hester will be entering her special "Plum Cake" in the Intermediate Nutritious Snacks and Desserts category. "Hobo Bread" will be the entry for Scarlett Sperry in the Junior Breads and Cereals category. To finish up the Junior entries, Tara Smith will be preparing "Sliced Baked Potatoes" in the Fruits and Vegetables category.

Each of these 4-H'ers received first-place Food Show medals for winning their category and cutting boards for their participation in the County Food Show. Judges for the Food Show were Melissa Long, Floyd County Extension Agent, and Kaci Mathis, Floyd County 4-H'er.

Driver Safety Course Planned Saturday

A Driver Safety Course will be held at Clarendon College on December 2, 1995. It will meet from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. in Room 103 of the Administration Building. The fee is \$25.00.

Please contact Clarendon

College, 1-806-874-3571, for further information.

Upon completion of this course, participants will be eligible for a 10% discount on their liability insurance for three years and dismissal of a traffic violation.

OBITUARIES

LESLIE JERREL MARTIN

Masonic graveside services for Leslie Jerrel Martin, 65, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Saturday in the Flomot Cemetery. Burial arrangements were by Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Mr. Martin died Thursday, November 23.

He was born in Flomot and lived in Turkey for eight years before moving to Donley County in 1957. He had been a rancher.

He was a 32nd Degree Mason, a Scottish Rite Mason, a member of Clarendon Masonic Lodge No. 700, a past master of the Clarendon Lodge and a past deputy of the Grand Lodge. He also was a member of the Clarendon Order of the Eastern Star Chapter No. 6, Khiva Shrine and First United Methodist Church.

He married Joy Lee Wynn in 1950 at Matador.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Jayre McElroy of El Paso; two sons, Mitchell L. Martin and Scott Martin, both of Clarendon; two brothers, Donnie Martin of Silverton and Farris Martin of Turkey; a sister, Lillie Mae Johnson of Floydada; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The family suggested memorials to a favorite charity.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Homero Espinoza,
 Respondent, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Briscoe County at the Court House thereof, in Silverton, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 8th day of January A. D. 1996, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 5th day of January A. D. 1995, in this cause, numbered 2773 on the docket of said court and styled IN THE MATTER OF THE MARRIAGE OF ESPERANZA ESPINOZA, Petitioner, vs. HOMERO ESPINOZA, Respondent.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

Respondent's location is unknown.

as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Silverton, Texas this 22nd day of November A. D. 1995.

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 Briscoe County, Texas
 By Bena Hester, Deputy.

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LOOKING BACK

through the files of the
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November 28, 1985--Owls are Bi-District Champions. Friday night proved to be one of the most outstanding highlights in SHS football history, as the Owls did what they had to do to redeem an early-season 54-16 loss at Higgins. That early game was played on a very wet and muddy field, and without the services of Sloan Grabbe (who was ill) who adds a lot of punch to the line on both offense and defense. In their first state playoff appearance since 1947, the Owls jumped out to a 40-6 halftime lead over a heavily-favored Coyote squad, then hung on for the win that sends them against defending state champion Jayton Friday at Ralls. "Man, that was a sweet one," said Coach Jack Shely. "That'll teach 'em to ignore us," he laughed. . . . Love fund established for the family of DPS Trooper Richard Waters, who was to enter St. Mary's Hospital in Rochester, Minnesota Monday for surgery on Tuesday. He will be having chemotherapy after he returns home. . . . The varsity Owlettes have opened their basketball season with one win and one loss, and the junior varsity girls have notched a win. . . . Cody Whitfill earns black belt in karate. . . .

November 27, 1975--Dayne Mayfield has been elected to both the defensive and offensive All-District football teams. . . . Blaine Eddleman is to enter the hospital in Amarillo Wednesday afternoon to undergo oral surgery Thursday. . . . Mobile telephone tower to be installed soon. . . . First-place senior winners in the Briscoe County 4-H Food Show were Rebecca Reid, main dishes; Annette Fleming, snacks and beverages; Jo Jarrett, breads and desserts. Junior winners were Delinda Ziegler, side dishes; Melinda Sutton, snacks and beverages; Melissa Greenhaw, main dishes; Rose Lee Perkins, breads and desserts. . . . Laquita Bomar to marry Jack Fields in February. . . .

December 2, 1965--Funeral services conducted for Mrs. Pearl Holland Cantwell, Clifton Guy Harrison, Gladys Lillian Hollingsworth, Vernon Rhea, Grave Eva Irion, Jack Fisher. . . . Mrs. C. A. Holt has been a patient in Swisher Memorial Hospital while undergoing tests and examination. . . . J. W. and DeeDee Caraway spent a recent weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Linda and Janet. . . . Sunday dinner guests in the A. M. Perkins home included Mr. and Mrs. Walt Perkins and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Perkins, Marion Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Perkins and children. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Loyd May, Van and Alvin were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Pinckard and daughters. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. H. J.

Bailey in the afternoon. . . . Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Shelton and Calvin had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shelton and children. . . . John Earl Simpson, Billy McWilliams, Bobby McWilliams, W. E. Hawkins, R. L. Brunson, Jess Brunson, Denver Anderson and C. L. McWilliams recently enjoyed hunting deer at Junction. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Pitchford and Martin spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. Mart Norris, Ruby, and other relatives and friends. . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Sorter are parents of a daughter, Sheri Ann.

December 8, 1955--Services held Saturday for W. M. Stout, an early pioneer of Briscoe County. . . .

Mrs. J. L. West was present to receive the \$25.00 award in Saturday's You All Come Day program. T. J. Crass received the \$15.00 award, and Roxanna McJimsey received the \$10.00 award. . . . Thieves broke into Rusty Arnold's Service Station on Highway 86 in the west part of town Saturday night. . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyon and Judge and Mrs. J. W. Lyon, jr. spent Thursday night and Friday of last week in Amarillo. . . . Mrs. W. A. Rowell returned home on Wednesday of last week after several days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lorene Voyles and daughters in Lubbock. . . . Mrs. J. R. Burson of Plainview visited her daughter, Mrs. Shelby Haynes, and Mr. Haynes on Thursday of last week. . . . Misses Ruby Underwood and Pat Patton spent the weekend here with home folks. . . . Lee Perkins is a patient in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. . . .

November 29, 1945--Mr. and Mrs. M. Potter celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary with a family reunion at their home Sunday, November 25. They were married November 23, 1882 at San Saba and moved to Floyd County in 1886 and were the only couple in the county at that time. Mr. Potter served as deputy sheriff there for a number of years. For eight years they lived at Quitaque where he was postmaster. They moved back and forth from Floyd to Briscoe County until 1915 when they moved here permanently. Mr. Potter is 86 and Mrs. Potter is 83. . . . S I-C Freeman Tate phoned his wife Sunday night from Seattle, Washington that he had arrived back in the states and would be home soon with his discharge. . . . Miss Latrice Ellis was married to Earl L. Davis Tuesday afternoon. . . . Lt. Kay Fiwchuk and Lt. Homer S. Sanders, jr. were married June 9, 1945 at the General Hospital Chapel in Paris, France. . . . The Owls defeated the Quitaque Panthers Tuesday evening, starting off like veteran players. Bobbie McWilliams, Joe Allard and Bobbie Bradford turned in an outstanding game and were ably supported by Bruce Price and Gene Clemmer. The final score was 44-16. . . . J. L. Self was home on a one-day pass last Thursday. . . . Mrs. Alpha Kitchens became ill while visiting her son and family during

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Thanksgiving and was taken to the Plainview Hospital Saturday. . . . Callers in the W. N. West home Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. John Montague, Mr. and Mrs. George West, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smith. . . .

October 9, 1925--J. W. Brannon, one of the crew of carpenters from Munday that has been building a house for T. J. Hodges on his place three miles

north of town, was painfully injured Saturday afternoon when he fell from the roof of the building. . . . The 10-year-old son of Sam Allen was seriously injured Sunday noon at Quitaque when run over by a car being driven by Everett Boyles. . . . Members of the Silverton football team are Jim Stevenson, center; Arthur Thomas, right guard; Greene Buchanan, right tackle; Johnny McClendon, right end;

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Edwin Crass, left guard; Printz Brown, left tackle; Robert Hill, left end; True Burson, fullback; Price Stone, quarterback; Ted Woods, right halfback; Willie Hardcastle, left halfback. . . . Briscoe County to have exhibit at Dallas Fair for first time. . . . The Junior Play given Saturday night as the closing feature of the Community Fair was well
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THE BARE FACTS OF BANKING

Strip away all the hype of the banking industry, and what are you left with? Pretty much the same products from one institution to another. So what makes us different?

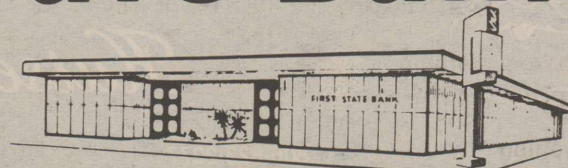
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EXTENSION TOPICS FOR TODAY

by Rhonda Alexander
Briscoe County Extension Agent
Home Economics

Top 4-H'ers Earn Salute

Thirty-three outstanding 4-H Club members from the Panhandle area were honored at the Panhandle District 1 38th annual 4-H Gold Star Banquet which was held at the Borger Country Club on Monday, November 6.

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, North Plains Electric, Swisher Electric Cooperative and Rita Blanca Electric were sponsors for the banquet.

Theme for this year's program was "Star Light, Star Bright, Our 4-H Stars Shine Tonight." Speaker for the evening was Mike McKinney of Brownwood. He has been named Director of the Texas 4-H Center.

Briscoe County Gold Star

recipients who were honored at the distinguished banquet were Briana Sperry of the Valley 4-H Club and Shannon Weaver of the Silverton 4-H Club. The awards were presented to them by Dr. Bob Robinson and Dr. Martha E. Couch, District Extension Directors of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Also attending the banquet were Rebel, Cynthia and Chapman Royall, Craig and Ronda Alexander.

Thanksgiving Guests In McDaniel Home

Thanksgiving guests of Lucy McDaniel included Jon and Elaine LaBaume, Floydada; Clint and Audra Hunt, Canyon; Gary and Nena Hunt, Clarendon; Coy LaBaume, Plainview; Charles and Kelli Childre, Allen; Kayla Lindley, Lakeview; Lewis and Jean McDaniel, Hereford; Mace McDaniel, Midland; Ashel and Mildred McDaniel of Silverton.

The group celebrated the 60th anniversary of Ashel and Mildred McDaniel in the afternoon.

Five Generations Gather For Holiday In Strange Home

Five generations of family members gathered for the Thanksgiving Day dinner in the home of Norman and Peggy Strange last week.

They included Max and Kay Garrison, Ty, Patrice, Morgan and Bailey Wood, all of Canyon; Cody Garrison, Midland; Reagan Metcalf, Lubbock; Bill and Diana Wood, Bryson; Bryan, Brandy and Kinnsey Wood, Rotan; Opal Bowerman, Fritch; Geneva Holt, Mineral Wells; Bill, Shana, Matt, Kassie, Clay and Blake Strange and Fern Holt, all of Silverton.

Happy Birthday To . . .

November 30--Heather Henderson, Larry May, Thomas Lee Perkins, sr.

December 1--Bailey Jordan Bounds, Estella Trevino, Norma Garcia, Christi McWaters

December 2--Brenda Gaskins, Jena McFall, Stella Hall, Cameron Stephens

December 3--Fernando Patino, Beryl Long, Penny Carpenter

December 4--Desiree Star Casillas, Jimmy D. Stone, Lori Griffin, Elsie Cornett

December 5--Anita Ramsey

December 6--Ethan Long, Robert Cole Burson, Donaleta Garrison, Perry Brunson, Rose Mary Perkins, Roy Wood, Annie Grabbe, Leland Wood

Happy Anniversary To . . .

November 30--Mr. and Mrs. Eber Gill, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill

December 1--Mr. and Mrs. Doug Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Perkins

December 3--Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kingery

New Arrival

Kevin and Camille Swanson are parents of a son, Alexander, born at 11:55 a.m. November 17 at Methodist Hospital in Plainview. He weighed six pounds and five ounces.

Grandparents are Richard and Noreen Bales of Canyon and Mike and Corky Swanson of Abilene. Great-grandparents are Pearl Putnam of Canyon, Frances Raymond of Clovis, New Mexico, Vida Swanson and Ruth Evelyn McVay of Abilene.

Bro. Swanson is pastor of the Silverton United Methodist Church. The couple are parents of two other children.

Extension Supporter Of Year Announced At Annual Meeting

Committee members of the Briscoe County Extension Program Council met for the annual meeting on November 16 in the Fellowship Hall of the Silverton United Methodist Church.

Linda Stark, Quitaque volunteer, was recognized as this year's "Extension Supporter of the Year." She was selected because of her dedication and support of the Briscoe County Extension program. She has served on the Executive Board of the Extension Program Council and the Extension Home Economics Committee.

The program for the meeting consisted of an update on the Briscoe County Clinic which was given by Physician's Assistant Joe Foust and Cheryl Friday of High Plains Baptist Hospital. Members were given an opportunity to ask questions about the clinic. All agreed that the clinic were very positive and that the clinic needs to be used as much as possible for health care needs.

Committee reports from each

committee of the Extension Program Council were given by Briana Sperry, 4-H and Youth Development Committee; Mabelle Francis, Home Economics Committee, and Rebel Royall, Agriculture Industries. The meeting concluded with annual reports and an update on the 1995-99 LREP given by County Extension Agents Rebel L. Royall and Ronda Alexander.

by Ronda Alexander
Briscoe County Extension Agent

High Plains Better Health Notes

Claude Medical Clinic
A Service of High Plains Baptist Hospital
Tom White, PA

This article continues our discussion of the common forms of skin cancer. The focus this week will be on the least common, but most destructive, of the skin cancers: malignant melanoma. Where basal cell and squamous cell skin cancer tends to be associated more with long-term, chronic forms of sun exposure, malignant melanoma appears to arise from short but very intense episodes of sun exposure at an early age. Where basal cell and squamous cell skin cancer tend to arise from chronic, frequently occupationally-related sun exposure, malignant melanoma appears to arise from more of a recreational pattern of sun exposure—intermittent in nature, limited in length of time, but very intense—frequently resulting in intense sunburns at an early age.

Malignant melanoma arises in the cells of the skin that produce the pigment—melanin. The frequency of melanoma has increased from one in 1500 persons in the 1930's to about one in every 90 persons by the end of this century.

This increased frequency is felt to be related to the trend to increased exposure of our skin to the sun's rays during recreational activities over these years. Malignant melanoma has characteristic identifying features. These tumors are usually assymetrical in shape, with irregular borders, variegated coloration (including shades of gray, brown, black, red, white and blue) and, with lesion diameters that are greater than 6 mm in diameter. (6 mm is about the diameter of a #2 pencil eraser.) Malignant melanomas tend to grow laterally in the skin and also to invade deeply into the underlying skin. The depth of the growth into the skin provides a way to estimate of the probability of survival with treatment. The more superficial the melanoma is when diagnosed and treated, the better the chances of long-term survival.

Malignant melanoma confined to the upper level of the skin when removed has very little risk of metastasis and an excellent chance of cure. As the depth of penetration increases, the risk of metastasis also increases, and the likelihood of cure decreases.

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Junior High Owls Win Pair of Road Games

Silverton's Junior High Owls drove to Lazbuddie on Monday of last week and brought home a couple of victories. The Lady Owls dropped their match due to having trouble finding the baskets.

The Seventh Grade Owls led off the action with a 44-17 victory. They led 8-4 at the end of the first quarter and extended it to 20-8 before halftime. The score saw the Owls leading 29-12 at the end of three quarters.

Vance Chandler led the scoring with 13 points, including one three pointer. Adrian Ramirez also scored in double figures with 10. Adding to the score were Isaiah Ivory, eight; Clint Ivory, five; Daniel Castillo, four; Isaac Garcia and Martin Younger, two points each.

The Lady Owls were scoreless in the first quarter of their game and trailed by 15 points at its close. At halftime, the Lazbuddie girls had moved ahead 20-8 and extended it to 28-12 by the end of three quarters. The Lady Owls finished on the short end of the 33-24 score.

Sara Kirchoffner, Julie Weaver and Ana Pena led the offense by scoring six points each. Vanessa Reyna, D. D. White and Misti Mattheus scored two points each.

The Eighth Grade Owls romped over the Longhorns to the tune of 48-20. They led 14-7 at the first stop, and 22-11 at the intermission. The score was 36-15 at the end of three quarters.

Nathan Francis led the charge by scoring 18 big points. Paul Segura also scored in double figures with 14 points to his credit. Adding to the score were Vince Cruz, six; Daniel Reagan, four; Charlie Bomar, Jordan Sarchet and Mickey Juarez, two points each.

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received by the large audience in attendance. Preceding the play a number of specialties were given, including a make-believe broadcasting program. Edward Minyard did the announcing from Station ABC and the listeners heard a familiar bedtime story. Misses Anna Burson, Loreta Pyeatt and Lillian Dickerson presented a pretty little dancing act featuring the Charleston step. Misses Ruby Bomar and Laura Ella Coffee sang one of the present-day popular hits . . . Tom Northcutt was severely but not seriously injured Saturday night when his truck overturned on the highway where it makes the turn into Main Street . . . E. G. Snapka, who recently purchased the residential property on the corner of Seventh and Grady Streets from A. R. Castleberry, moved into the home Monday . . . Earl Simpson is constructing a small residence on the block near where his mill is located . . . Ralls Miller was kicked by a horse on the leg and received a very painful injury . . .

High School Teams in Tournament at Miami

Silverton's varsity Owls and Lady Owls will be playing in the Miami Tomahawk Classic Basketball Tournament this weekend. First-round games will be with Pampa JV, with the girls tipping off at 5:30 followed by the boys at 7:00 p.m.

The other teams in both divisions are Groom, Trinity, Spearman, Booker, Canadian, McLean, Claude, San Jacinto, Follett, River Road JV, Memphis, Wheeler Christian and Miami. In addition, Borger JV will play in the boys division and Canadian B will participate in the girls division.

Second-round games in the winners bracket will be at 2:30 and 4:00 p.m. Friday. Third-round games hold a possibility of there being two games for each team on Saturday.

In the losers bracket, the second-round games are at 8:30 and 10:00 a.m. on Friday, with there also being the possibility of two games per team on Saturday.

Games will be underway in two gyms all the three days.

Attention Holiday Shoppers:

The Scholastic Book Fair will be held in the Silverton School Library December 4-6. All students will receive order forms on Friday, December 1, for you and your child to view and make selections. The students will attend the Book Fair at scheduled times with their class, and all parents are invited to attend their their children.

The Scholastic Book Fair always offers top-name books as well as many novelty items such as posters, pencils, erasers, games and puzzles that make great stocking stuffers! The hours for the Book Fair will be 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. The Library also will be open on Tuesday night until 8:00 p.m. during the ballgame. Please support the Book Fair. All profits made will be used to purchase more prizes for the Accelerated Reader Program that has been so successful this semester. These prizes are motivating your children by encouraging them to read to acquire points to get these prizes, so your support is greatly appreciated.

Come on out Tuesday night to support the Silverton Owls and Lady Owls and attend the Book Fair.

Silverton School Lunch Menu

Friday, Dec. 1--Chili Dog, Tater Rounds, Fruit, Jello, Milk
Monday, Dec. 4--Beef and Vegetable Soup, Toasted Cheese Sandwich, Crackers, Fruit, Milk
Tuesday, Dec. 5--Chalupa with Meat and Cheese, Salad, Ranch Beans, Crackers, Brownie, Milk

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Wednesday, Dec. 6--Lasagna, Salad, Corn, Crackers, Muffin, Milk

Thursday, Dec. 7--Chicken Strips, Gravy, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Hot Roll, Honey, Butter, Milk

Friday, Dec. 8--Hamburger and Cheese, Oven Fries, Salad, Fruit, Milk

BREAKFAST

Friday, Dec. 1--Cinnamon Toast, Juice, Milk

Monday, Dec. 4--Biscuit, Gravy, Juice, Milk

Tuesday, Dec. 5--Blueberry Muffin, Juice, Milk

Wednesday, Dec. 6--Pancake Syrup, Juice, Milk

Thursday, Dec. 7--Cinnamon Toast, Juice, Milk

Friday, Dec. 8--Sausage, Biscuit, Juice, Milk

S-Club Basketball Concession Work Schedule For 1995

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4

4:00-6:00 Michelle, Barry & Jared Francis; Juannah & Lindsey Jennings

6:00-Close Bill, Janinne & Molly Brooks; Rick, Bena & Will Hester

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5

4:00-6:00 Rance, Nancy & Tyler Young; Mike, Estella & Mickey Juarez

6:30-Close Liz, Mikel & Taylor Griffin; Lane, Paula & Brooke Garvin

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11

4:00-6:00 Dwight, Anita & Dara Ramsey; David, Connie & Michelle Warren

6:00-Close Gary, Cathey & Lindsey Weaks; Anthony, Kathy & Shauna Kingery

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12

4:00-6:00 Brad, JonEtta & Trey Ziegler; John, Gail & Trey Wyatt

6:30-Close Rick, Beverly & Ryan Minyard; David, Sheila & Daniel Reagan

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15

4:00-6:30 Cindy, Larry & Cy Comer; Charlie, Mary Ann, Jordan & Brandon Sarchet

6:30-Close Tim, Sherry & Misti Mattheus; Cynthia, Tyra & Martin Younger

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18

5:00-Close Perry, Marsha & Lacy Brunson; Tom, Deb & Donny Burson

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19

4:00-6:00 Frank, Janice & Sara Kirchoffner; Ken, Nancy, Leland & Kenda Wood

6:30-Close Gary, Ramona & Matt Martin; Stan, Frances, Anthony & David Gamble

Available for substitutions are the Chandlers, Holts and Arnolds.

If you are unable to work on the assigned date and time, PLEASE find someone to take your place. If you are unable to find someone, please call Clyde Parham at 823-2476 on the day of the game.

Black Is New Law Officer in Duncanville

Johnny R. Black III of Dallas, who recently graduated from The Regional Police Academy with 640 hours of basic course in applied police science, is now a police officer with the Duncanville Police Department in Duncanville. He was awarded first place for the most physically fit in his class of 24 students. He received a certificate in October 1995 for a Basic Peace Officer from the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education.

Black also is a minister for Christ. He was called to the ministry January 9, 1994 and was ordained as a deacon July 5, 1992.

He is the grandson of Joe and Elzora Gallington of Silverton.

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Jeremiah 23

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21 I have not sent these prophets, yet they rain: I have not spoken to them, yet they prophesied.

22 But if they had stood in my counsel, and had caused my people to hear my words, then they should have turned them from their evil way, and from the evil of their doings.

The Lord is offended that these prophets did not speak from His mouth, and that they prophesied when He had not spoken to them. His contention is that, if they had stood in His counsel and caused the people to hear His words, they would have turned.

Clearly it is important to conversion that we hear God's Words. No wonder He was so particular that the prophets spoke and wrote from His mouth!

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Wednesday 7:00

Lady Owls Defeat Tulia in Tourney

Silverton's Lady Owls lost their first two games in the Plainview Queens Classic and went on to defeat Tulia on Saturday to finish with a flourish. Dedra Johnston was named to the All-Tournament Team along with Jon Alair and Courtney Sims, both of Canyon; Bandi Bayer and Missy Frazier, both of Levelland; Brandi Bates, Plainview; Andrea Burrows, Randall; Rosielita Smith and Phylesha Whaley, both of Slaton, and Pam Spencer, Lubbock Monterey.

Canyon Post Valree Valdez was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

Canyon's Lady Eagles, who many believe will win another state championship for Coach Joe Lombard this year, were awesome as they defeated Silverton, Lubbock Monterey and Levelland to win the tournament. Both Canyon and Levelland entered the tournament as undefeated teams.

In the first round the Lady Eagles outrebounded the over-matched Lady Owls 55-25 and forced 34 turnovers. Canyon led 35-13 at intermission then outscored Silverton, shooting just 19 percent in the second half, 34-5 in the third period.

Scoring for the Lady Owls were Molly Bomar, 12; Lacy Brunson, Dedra Johnston and Shannon Weaver, three points each; Lori Brannon, two points. Dedra and Shannon hit one three pointer each.

In the tournament's second



Molly Bomar takes a shot for the Lady Owls as they hosted the Lazbuddie Lady Longhorns last week. Lori Brannon and other Owls are ready to put the ball back in play, if necessary. The Lady Owls have lost only to Randall and Canyon so far this season.

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round, the Lady Owls found breaking out of Randall's press to be something they could handle. They finished with a 45-38 loss,

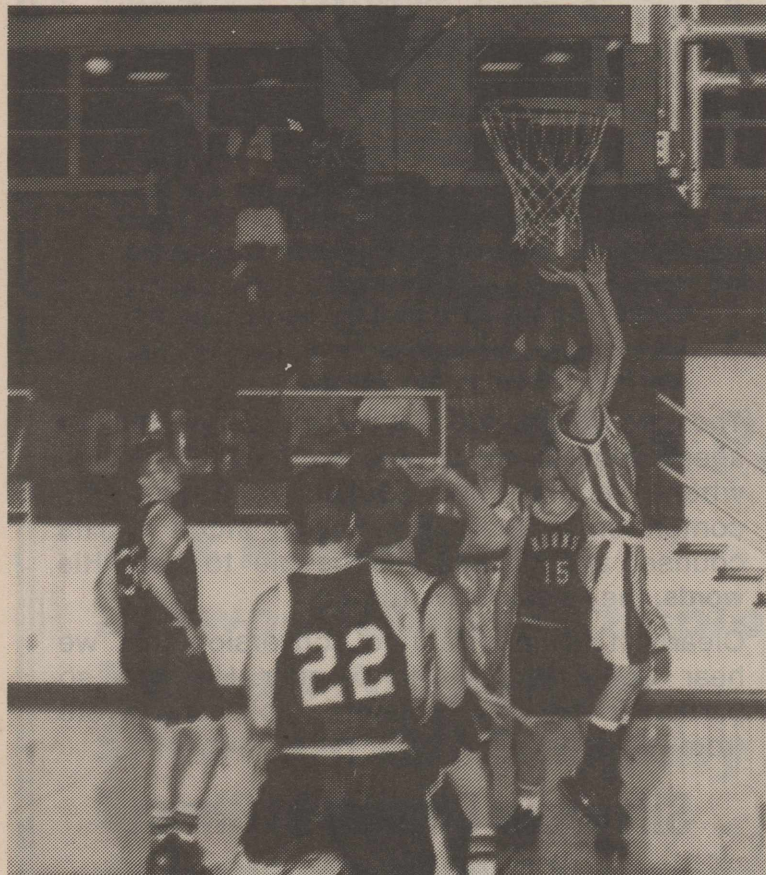
after giving a good account of themselves throughout the game. Dedra Johnston led the scoring with four three pointers and 14 points. Lacy Brunson scored eight points and pulled down 14 rebounds. Molly Bomar and Lori Brannon caged six points each, and Michelle Warren added four.

In the final game with Tulia, Lacy Brunson scored 19 points and got 11 rebounds while Dedra Johnston added 14 points, two of which were three pointers, to lead the Lady Owls. Michelle Warren added 11 points and as many boards. Lori Brannon got four assists, and Brunson and Johnston scooped up steals.

The Lady Owls outscored the Lady Hornets in each quarter of the game, leading 15-11 at the first stop, and holding a 34-24 lead at the intermission. At the end of three quarters, the Lady Owls were ahead 45-34, and went on to finish 60-42.

Also scoring for the Lady Owls were Molly Bomar, five; Lori Brannon, five; Shannon Weaver, five; Dara Ramsey, three; Kenzie Burson, three.

The tournament was very good experience for the Lady Owls and will make them a better team down the road.



Trey Wyatt puts the ball in the basket for the varsity Owls as they played Lazbuddie here last week. The Owls were idle throughout the weekend while the Lady Owls were in the Queens Classic.

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Lady Owls Win, Owls Lose Games With Lazbuddie Last Week

Silverton's High School teams played a four-game series of games with Lazbuddie here Tuesday night of last week, resulting in two wins and two losses. The Junior Varsity Lady Owls led off the action with a 30-24 victory. The locals trailed 6-7 at the end of the first quarter, but had to come from behind to lead 16-13 by the midway stop. They had moved into a 24-19 lead by the end of three quarters and went on to post the 30-24 victory.

Misty Wilkinson led the offense with 13 points. Adding to the score were Molly Brooks, nine; Dara Ramsey, six; Destiny Ivory, two points.

The Junior Varsity Owls dropped their game 38-58 after having led early in the game. They held a 10-6 advantage at the first stop and were ahead 18-17 at the intermission. They had fallen behind 29-35 by the end of three quarters.

Jay Arnold led the offense with 10 points. Jared Francis was right on his heels with nine. Also scoring were Jeremy Holt, seven; Will Hester and Donny Burson, four points each; Junior Castillo and Chris Justice, two points each. Every player on the team scored.

The Lady Owls rolled to a 67-26 victory behind the scoring of Dedra Johnston, 16; Lori Brannon, 13, and Lacy Brunson, 11. Dedra rang up five three pointers, while Lori got three.

Also scoring were Molly Bomar, eight; Kenzie Burson, seven; Shannon Weaver, six (two three pointers); Michelle Warren, four; Shauna Kingery, two points. Every player on the team scored.

The Lady Owls had built a 21-5 lead at the end of the first quarter and went on to lead 36-8 at the midway stop. They extended their lead to 48-12 before the end of the third period and finished ahead 67-26.

Jack Cherry had the hot hand for the Owls, dropping 22 points into the buckets. Brandon Sarchet canned three three pointers to ring up nine points. Trey Wyatt added seven; Jared Holt, five; Arnold Garza, four; Jon Ivory, two points.

The Owls trailed 4-15 at the end of the first period and were behind 17-36 at the intermission. They were on the short end of the 28-52 third-quarter score, and after closing the gap in the fourth period finished with a 49-78 deficit.

Junior High Owls Win, Lady Owls Lose at Groom Monday Night

Silverton's Junior High teams traveled to Groom Monday afternoon for a four-game series with the Tigers. The Lady Owls dropped their games, while the Owls won.

The Seventh Grade Lady Owls led off the action, looking much better than they did in their first game at Motley. They trailed 6-8 at the end of the first quarter and were behind 12-18 at the midway stop. By the end of the third



Charlie Bomar shoots as Jordan Sarchet positions himself beneath the basket for the rebound, if there is one, as the Junior High Owls played Lazbuddie on Monday night of last week. The Owls have won all their games so far this season.

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Dara Johnston goes up for a shot as Tyra Younger gets ready to rebound, if necessary. The Junior High Lady Owls dropped this game to a tough Lady Longhorn team at Lazbuddie last week.

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quarter, they were behind 18-29, and went on to lose 26-34.

Diana Garza caged the first three baskets of the game and made 10 points to lead the offensive effort. Catherine Reyna tossed six points in the baskets while Brooke Garvin and Taylor Griffin put four points each on the board. Vicki VanHorn added a pair of points.

The Seventh Grade Owls have a "rock'em, sock'em" team that just keeps rolling along. Their potent offense was led at Groom by Adrian Ramirez whose hot hand pumped 18 points into the baskets. Isaiah Ivory also scored in double figures, with 16 to his credit. Adding to the score were Vance Chandler, eight; Martin Younger and Daniel Castillo, four points each, and Clint Ivory, two points.

The Owls held an 18-7 lead at the end of the first period and controlled the game 30-9 at the intermission. They built a 38-22 lead before the end of the third quarter and coasted home to a 52-32 finish.

The Eighth Grade Lady Owls played to a 5-12 first-quarter deficit in their game but had closed the gap to 20-24 by halftime Monday night. They fell into a 28-36 deficit before the end of the third quarter and went on to lose 34-53.

Dara Johnston led the offense with three three pointers and 13 points. Adding to the score were Sara Kirchoffner, seven; Julie Weaver, six; D. D. White and Ana Pena, four points each.

The Eighth Grade Owls had the closest game they've played this season when they went onto the court with Groom. They led most of the game, but in the fourth quarter fell a point behind. With

less than a minute left on the clock and their top scorer, Nathan Francis, on the bench with five fouls, Vince Cruz took charge and scored two field goals and a free throw to ice the victory. Groom is a perennial playoff team and is always a tough competitor.

Francis led the offense by scoring 14 points, while Cruz added seven. Paul Segura put up four points. Daniel Reagan and Jordan Sarchet caged two points each. This was fewer points than the Owls usually score, but the game required a large defensive effort as well.

The Owls held a 6-4 lead at the end of the first quarter and were ahead 14-10 at halftime. They had fallen into an 18-18 tie by the end of three periods, and finished with a 29-25 lead.

The Junior High teams will have their first home games of the season Monday when they host the teams from Lazbuddie.

Silverton School Activities

Thursday-Saturday, Nov. 30-Dec. 2--Miami Tournament

Monday, Dec. 4--Lazbuddie Junior High, here, 4:00; Book Fair

Tuesday, Dec. 5--Motley County, here, 4:00; 5th Grade Say It Straight 9-3; Book Fair

Wednesday, Dec. 6--4th & 5th Grade G/T Trip; True Colors 4th & 5th; Book Fair

Thursday, Dec. 7--Public Information Meeting on Love, Sex & Dating for Parents & Faculty, Auditorium

Thursday-Saturday, Dec. 7-8--Valley Tournament, Boys; JV Girls Tournament

Saturday, Dec. 9--State FFA Leadership

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HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Nov. 7	OPEN (Scrim)		
Nov. 10	OPEN (Scrim)		
Nov. 14	KRESS	T	4:00
Nov. 17	VALLEY	T	4:00
Nov. 21	LAZBUDDIE	H	4:00
Nov. 23-25	QUEENS' CLASSIC, Plainview		TBA
Nov. 28	HAPPY	T	4:00
Nov. 30-Dec. 2	MIAMI TOURNAMENT		TBA
Dec. 5	MOTLEY COUNTY	H	4:00
Dec. 7-9	VALLEY TOURNAMENT (Boys)		TBA
Dec. 12	KRESS	H	4:00
Dec. 15	McLEAN	H	4:00
Dec. 19	HAPPY	H	4:00
Dec. 28	PATTON SPRINGS	T	2:00
Dec. 29	OPEN		
Jan. 2	VALLEY	H	4:00
Jan. 4-6	HOOT-OUT		TBA
Jan. 9	MOTLEY COUNTY	T	4:00
Jan. 11-13	LAZBUDDIE JV TOURNAMENT		TBA
Jan. 12	McLEAN	T	6:30
Jan. 16	PATTON SPRINGS	H	4:00
Jan. 19	COTTON CENTER	T	4:00
Jan. 23	HEDLEY*	H	5:00
Jan. 26	LAKEVIEW*	H	6:30
Jan. 30	SAMNORWOOD*	T	5:00
Feb. 2	HEDLEY*	T	5:00
Feb. 6	LAKEVIEW*	T	6:30
Feb. 9	SAMNORWOOD*	H	5:00



JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Nov. 13	MOTLEY COUNTY	T	4:00
Nov. 20	LAZBUDDIE	T	4:00
Nov. 27	GROOM	T	4:00
Dec. 4	LAZBUDDIE	H	4:00
Dec. 11	VALLEY	H	4:00
Dec. 18	LAKEVIEW	H	5:00
Jan. 8	HEDLEY	T	4:00
Jan. 11, 13	LOCKNEY TOURNAMENT		TBA
Jan. 15	GROOM	H	4:00
Jan. 20	KRESS TOURNAMENT		TBA
Jan. 22	LAKEVIEW	T	5:00
Jan. 29	VALLEY	T	4:00

GAME TIMES: 7th Girls, 4:00 p.m.
8th Girls, 6:00 p.m.

7th Boys, 5:00 p.m.
8th Boys, 7:00 p.m.

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HOOT-OUT TEAMS: Silvertown, Valley, McLean, Kress, Motley County, Hedley, Patton Springs, Trinity Fellowship

GAME TIMES: Junior Varsity Girls, 4:00 p.m.
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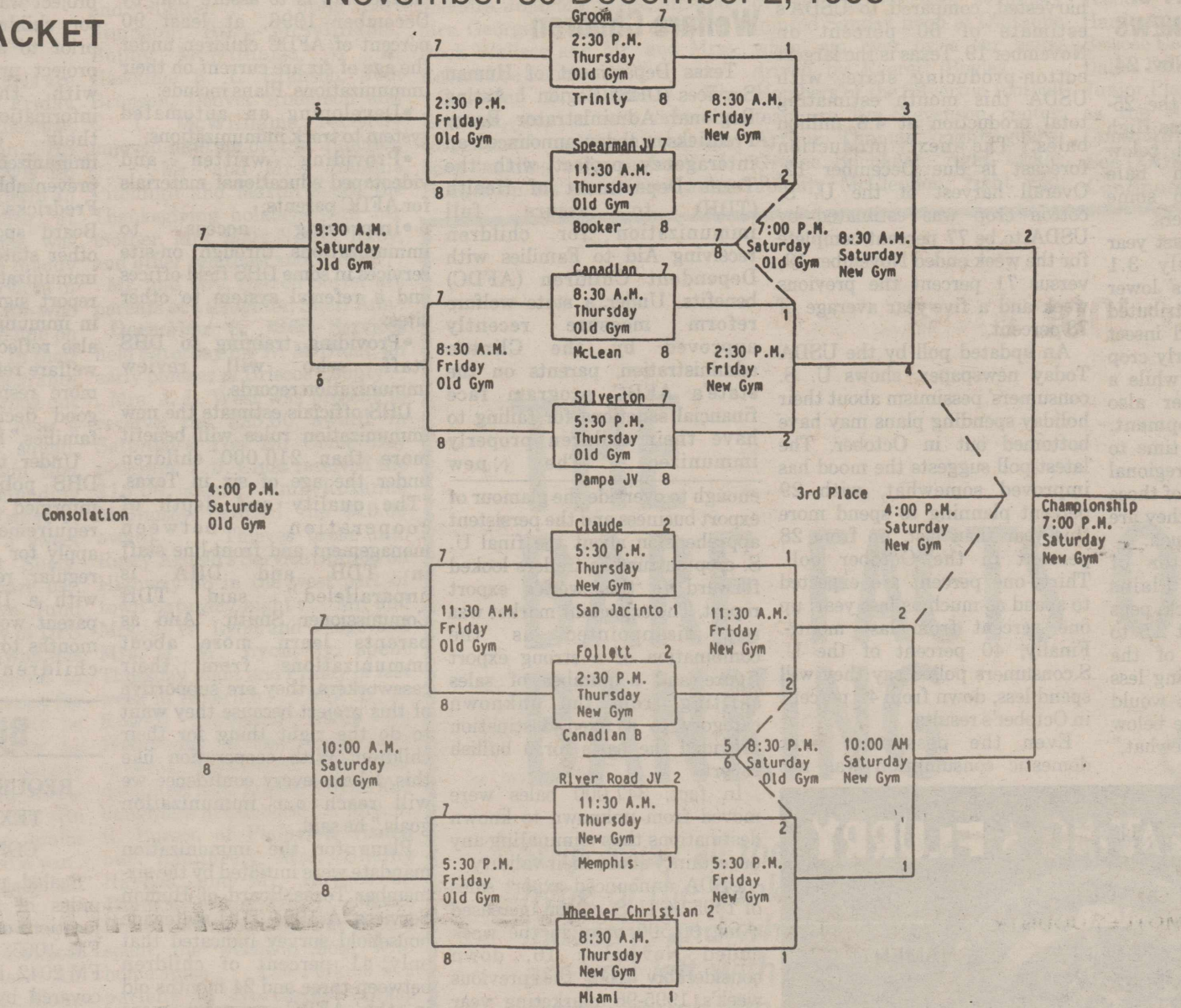
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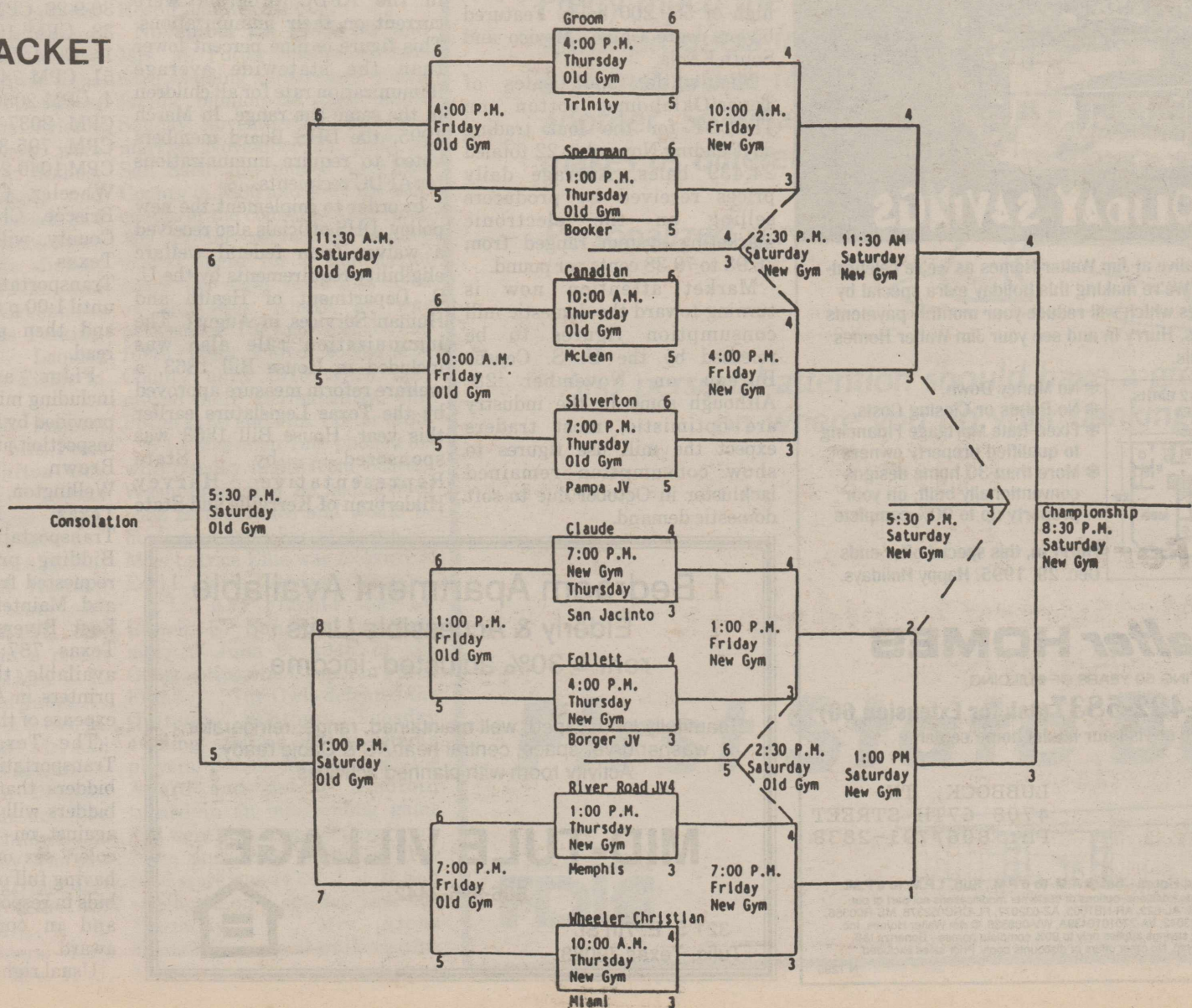
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TELCOT Report

A WEEKLY SUMMARY OF COTTON MARKETING NEWS

For The Week Ending Nov. 24

Cotton production in the 25-county region on the Texas High Plains is likely to fall below USDA's 2.75 million bale estimate, according to some regional traders and growers.

The 25-county region last year produced approximately 3.1 million bales. West Texas' lower yields this year can be attributed to weather problems and insect pressure. Some of the early crop needed to be replanted, while a cold snap in September also threatened boll development. "The bolls did not have time to grow and mature," a regional cotton trader said. "Some of those bolls are pretty small so they are not turning out quite as much."

Shawn Wade, director of communications for Plains Cotton Growers in Lubbock, pegs West Texas production at 2.5 to 2.6 million bales. "All of the people I talk to are making less than they thought, so I would expect we are going to be below the USDA estimate somewhat," he said.

One trade source estimated on November 24 that 90 percent of the High Plains crop was harvested, compared to USDA's estimate of 60 percent on November 19. Texas is the largest cotton-producing state, with USDA this month estimating total production at 4.8 million bales. The next production forecast is due December 12. Overall harvest of the U. S. cotton crop was estimated by USDA to be 77 percent complete for the week ended November 19, versus 71 percent the previous week and a five-year average of 78 percent.

An updated poll by the USDA Today newspaper, shows U. S. consumers' pessimism about their holiday spending plans may have bottomed out in October. The latest poll suggests the mood has improved somewhat, with 29 percent planning to spend more this year than last, up from 28 percent in the October poll. Thirty-one percent are expected to spend as much as last year, up one percent from last month. Finally, 40 percent of the U. S. consumers polled say they will spend less, down from 42 percent in October's results.

Even the pessimism over domestic consumption was not

Agencies to Boost Immunization of Welfare Children

Texas Department of Human Services (DHS) Region I Acting Regional Administrator Barry Fredrickson today announced an interagency project with the Texas Department of Health (TDH) to assure full immunization for children receiving Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) benefits. Under a state welfare reform measure recently approved by the Clinton administration, parents on the state's AFDC program face financial sanctions for failing to have their children properly immunized. The new

enough to override the glamour of export business and the persistent apprehension about the final U. S. crop outturn as traders looked forward to this week's export report. The expectant market was not disappointed as the combination of a strong export figure and a number of sales shifting from the unknown category to a fixed destination provided the basis for a bullish report.

In fact, 347,000 bales were moved from unknown to known destinations thus eliminating any uncertainty about their validity.

USDA announced export sales of 1995-96 U. S. cotton increased a net 95,500 bales in the week ended November 16, down considerably from the previous week's 1995-96 marketing year high of 569,200 bales. Featured buyers were China, Mexico and South Korea.

Meanwhile, spot sales of Texas/Oklahoma cotton on TELCOT for the four trading days ending November 22 totaled 24,439 bales. Average daily prices received by producers selling on the electronic marketing system ranged from 76.93 to 79.38 cents per pound.

Market attention now is turning toward the domestic mill consumption figures to be released by the U. S. Census Bureau on November 28. Although some in the industry are optimistic, most traders expect the mill use figures to show consumption remained lackluster in October due to soft domestic demand.

immunization requirement became effective on October 1.

The goal of the interagency partnership is to assure that by December 1996, at least 90 percent of AFDC children under the age of six are current on their immunizations. Plans include:

- Developing an automated system to track immunizations;
- Providing written and videotaped educational materials for AFDC parents;
- Improving access to immunizations through on-site services in some DHS field offices and a referral system to other sites;
- Providing training to DHS staff who will review immunization records.

DHS officials estimate the new immunization rules will benefit more than 210,000 children under the age of six in Texas. "The quality and depth of cooperation between management and front-line staff in TDH and DHA is unparalleled," said TDH Commissioner Smith. "And as parents learn more about immunizations from their caseworkers, they are supportive of this project because they want to do the right thing for their children. With cooperation like this, I have every confidence we will reach our immunization goals," he said.

Plans for the immunization mandate were initiated by the six-member Texas Board of Human Services. A 1994 TDH statewide household survey indicated that only 41 percent of children between three and 24 months old in the AFDC program were current on their immunizations. This figure is nine percent lower than the statewide average immunization rate for all children in the same age range. In March 1995, the DHS Board members voted to require immunizations for AFDC recipients.

In order to implement the new policy, DHS officials also received a waiver from federal welfare eligibility requirements by the U. S. Department of Health and Human Services in August. The immunization rule also was included in House Bill 1863, a welfare reform measure approved by the Texas Legislature earlier this year. House Bill 1863 was sponsored by State Representative Harvey Hilderbran of Kerrville and State

Senator Judith Zaffirini of Laredo.

"The motivation behind this project was reinforcing the need for children to be immunized prior to attending school. This project provides AFDC parents with the education and information necessary to have their children properly immunized to protect them from preventable childhood diseases," Fredrickson said. "The TDHS Board spoke with officials in other states who are mandating immunizations and those states report significant improvements in immunization rates. This rule also reflects Texas' approach to welfare reform by giving parents more responsibility for making good decisions for their own families," he said.

Under the terms of the new DHS policy, parents will be informed of the immunization requirement when they first apply for AFDC or during their regular recertification meeting with a DHS caseworker. The parent would then be given six months to present proof of their children's immunizations.

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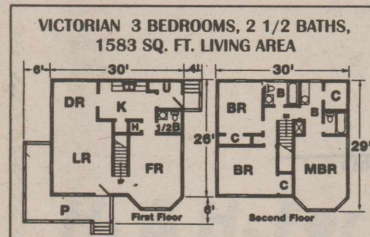
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Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

**SILVERTON
CHURCH OF CHRIST**
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
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.

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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.
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WEDNESDAY:
Worship Service 7:30 p.m.

Happiness During Holiday Time Comes From Within



The holiday season is upon us, and it's time to get out the ornaments, lights, candles or whatever. It's also time to review your attitude and your supply of patience toward other people, as well as the status of your relationships with friends and relatives.

If you have had a misunderstanding with someone dear to you, now is the time to apologize, even if you're sure that you were not at fault. Do whatever you can to make amends, and you will be happier for it. Also, try to be more polite towards strangers, and remember to put the needy on your gift list. Lastly, take the time to attend your House of Worship.

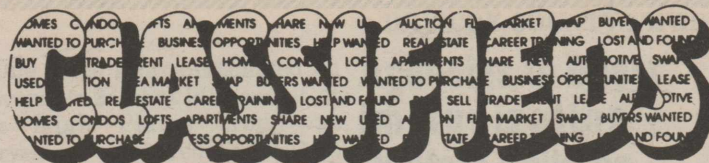
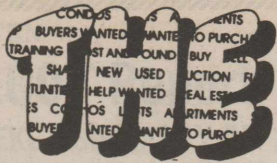
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Thank you so much for your friendship.
Love,
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