

By Mary Ann Sarchet

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Leah Brooke Garvin is among 663 students who have enrolled as freshmen at Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford for the 2001 fall semester. A total of 153 students attended the fourth freshman orientation session at SWOSU on June

Members of the Rock Creek Church of Christ gathered in the backyard at the home of John and Maebelle Francis for a cookout recently. Those attending not only enjoyed the food but also good fellowship and a beautiful evening in

We had a note from Troy and Marge Jones a few days ago: "We continue to look forward to receiving the Briscoe County News weekly. There are many more names of people we don't know, than those who we knew, and who continue to live there. Now, we have grown old. Marge is 71, Troy is 77. Both ailing but hanging on. Life is good. We are comfortable and have each other! Praise God! Call or come by."

Wasn't it exciting to watch Mark Brooks make his run at the United States Open golf championship over the weekend? There were lots of ups and downs in the tournament, but in the long run of it there were a few less for Mark than there were for some of the other golfers. And just when he was beginning to pack up his gear to head home to Fort Worth from Tulsa, putts tinue Saturday and Sunday, beginwere missed by other golfers that ning at 7:00 p.m. all three nights. put him in a tie with a South African golfer for the championship.

The U.S. Open plays off its tied scores by going another 18 holes the following day, so the tournament didn't conclude until Monday, and Mark had a very bad golfing day and lost by two strokes.

Mark Brooks is the grandson of the late W. H. and Madge Brooks. I think "Notts" Brooks worked at Fogerson Lumber Yard, in addition to farming.

Mark's parents are Hal and Paula Brooks. His father was pastor of the Richland Hills Baptist Church in Fort Worth for a number of years.

Wayne Henderson has been employed as the head football coach at Rochester, and will be moving soon. He won't be able to take his dog with him, so he has been looking forward to an adoptive home for it.

Jodi Card has been employed as a coach at Clarendon College, and also will be moving soon.

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Silverton High School's cheerleaders went to camp June 4-5, and received a Superior Trophy. They are (left to right) Lori Griffin, Jenny Young, Bryn Mayfield, Chelsey Cherry, Kurby Garvin, Amanda Estes and Kassie Strange. Jenny and Lori were named All Stars and are eligible to go to London. Lori also won the Jump Off.

Assembly of God To Have Revival

Church would like to invite everyone to come to our revival beginning at 7:00 p.m. Friday, June 22, said Jimmy Greene, pastor.

The revival meeting will con-

Doc Shoeman from Borger will be the speaker. He's bringing with

Kyle Fuston is New City Bank Lighthouse Assembly of God Branch President

Mike Liner, President and CEO of City Bank Texas, announced the promotion of Kyle Fuston as

him a couple who are singers and musicians.

'Come and join us in the singing and the word at 601 Broadway in Silverton," Pastor Greene said.

Rock Salt Youth Group to Host Three-on-Three Basketball Tourney

hosting a Three-on-Three Basketball Tournament beginning at 4:00 p.m. Saturday, June 23, in the Silverton School PE Gym.

There are four age divisions: Pro Adult, Adult, High School and Junior High.

All teams are asked to make a donation to Rock Salt to be used for the Youth Evangelism Trip to San Antonio July 13-15. If your

Rock Salt Youth Group will be team is unable to make a donation, you are welcome to play anyway.

> Please complete a registration card indicating your team name and your members, and turn it in to Nathan Barnes, Rick Beesiner or any Rock Salt Youth Group member as soon as possible.

Be sure to circle which division you want to play in.

REGISTRATION CARD **Rock Salt Fundraiser Basketball Tournament** June 23 3-on-3 4:00 p.m. PE Gym

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Team Members:

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Kyle Fuston

Branch President of City Bank in Silverton, Texas.

'We are fortunate to have Kyle as an important part of our banking family," said Liner. "We look forward to having him serve on our Senior Loan Committee, and I am certain that he will serve the Silverton community well."

Mr. Fuston joined the bank in 1996 and has served as Vice President since January of 2000. He has experience in agricultural, consumer and commercial lending and the State level! will be directly responsible for the day-to-day operations of the bank in Silverton. Originally from Turkey, Texas, he and his wife, Amy, who is from Silverton, have three daughters.

He is active in many local activities such as the Silverton Little Dribblers and Silverton T-Ball. He is president of the Silverton swimming pool.

'Camp Creative' Is One-Day Event

by Cory Payne County Extension Agent-FCS

Another great event coming up is the 2001 "Camp Creative" which is a one-day workshop sponsored by the Extension Service for 4-H'ers in the Sixth Grade and Older, in which you may register for one of three activities: (1) Housing & Interior Design, (2) Clothing & Textiles, or (3) Food & Nutrition.

Each activity includes tours, computer fun, lunch at Sakura's Japanese Steakhouse and a handson take-home project. The cost of the workship is \$20, and it will be held at the Saint Stephen United Methodist Church in Amarillo on July 31 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

If you are interested in attending "Camp Creative," you may pick up a registration form from the Briscoe county Extension Office. Registration forms and fees are due at the Extension Office by July 2.

4-H Record Book Workshop and **Deadline Set**

by Cory Payne County Extension Agent-FCS

It is 4-H Record Book time! Record Books are a great tool for recording your accomplishments and triumphs during the year. It helps you keep track of what you do and helps you review what you have learned in your project. Keeping records also is a great way to develop your skills in communication, organize your time, document events and actions, evaluate your own efforts, set goals, solve problems, and keep track of money. Your Record Book can give you the opporrunity to be recognized on the County, District and even

If you are interested in completing a 4-H Record Book, please contact the Extension Office for a Report Form or download it from the 4-H web site: http://texas4h.tamu.edu. A County Record Book Training Workshop was set for 4:30 p.m. June 20. Your completed Record Book is due at the Extension office on July 13, by 4:00 p.m.

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CARDS OF THANKS

I am reminded once again how blessed I am to live among such wonderful, Christian friends and such a caring community.

My heartfelt thanks to the churches and Sunday School Classes for the prayers and cards, my wonderful friends for every word of encouragement, every prayer said on my behalf, the phone calls, flowers, gifts, visits and the delicious food brought to our home.

A special thank you to Lana, Donna, Mary Lane, Gail, J. D. and Vernell for making that early morning trip to Lubbock to be with Dana, Kami and Nina during my surgery. We will forever be grate-

May God bless each of you as He has so richly blessed me. **Dorothy Martin**

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WEDNESDAY:

ible Study......7:00 p.m.
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TUESDAY

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Baptist Women........9:30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY:
Library Opens......6:30 p.m.
Bible Study/Prayer......7:00 p.m.

TeamKID.....7:00 p.m.
THURSDAY
Ladies Prayer Group.....9:00 a,m,
Weigh Down Workshop.....7:00 p.m.

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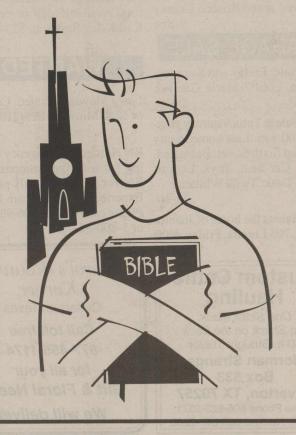
Being Satisfied

It seems that so many people in this world are dissatisfied with their lives and have difficulty understanding why things are not better for them. They may not be content with their chosen occupation, where they live or with their family life. These unhappy people are not being fulfilled in this world, and it is difficult for them to understand why they are involved in such troublesome situations. In life, everyone has difficulties and problems to contend with, and if we put our hopes and dreams only on things of this world, we will never be completely satisfied. Things are constantly changing in our lives, and the only thing that remains firm and steadfast in this world is God's love for us. God wants us to be the best that we can be, and

to be satisfied and fulfilled in our daily routine. And though this is much easier said than done, the Bible tells us that we should come to the Lord, those who are carrying heavy loads, and He will give us rest.

For He satisfieth the longing soul, and filleth the hungry soul with goodness.

K.J.V Psalm 107:9



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Obituary

CHARLEY FREEMAN TATE

Funeral services for Charley Freeman Tate, 82, were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Silverton. Officiating were the Rev. Edwin Norris and the Rev. Dick Roehr. Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements made by Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mr. Tate died Wednesday, June 13, in Graham.

Mr. Tate was born February 3, 1919 in Twitty, Texas. He was a farmer at Quitaque for many years Happy Anniversaryand retired from the Texas Department of Transportation.

He served in the U. S. Navy during World War II and was a memer of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the First Baptist Church in Silverton.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Jackie, on February 11, 2001.

He also was preceded in death by four brothers, Otis Tate, B. A. Tate, Tommy Tate and Lloyd Cecil Tate, and by a sister, Eula Faye

Survivors are a daughter, Jackie Carol Crawford and her husband, Richard, of Graham; a granddaughter, Tonya Gerhardt of Graham; two sisters, Ola Mae Huntley of Shamrock and Irene Mitchell of North Carolina; two brothers, Bill Tate of Jacksonville, Texas and Floyd Tate of Shamrock; severalnieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Darrell Reynolds, Terry Deckard, Mike Long, Kit Long, Monte Long, Tucker Long, Robert Huntley, Dwayne Myers and Billy Earl Penny Carpenter.

Honorary pallbearers were Roy Mack Walker, Clifton Stodghill, Charlie Parker, Kenneth Stokes and Bernice Stokes.

Happy Birthday-

June 21--Clay Greeson, Kassie Strange, Matthew Drew

June 22--Joshua Maciel, Stormy Brannon, Faye Rampley, Candy Kate Carpenter

June 23--Carolyn Shelton, Robert Bell, Susan Netro

June 24--Taylor Griffin, Jan Hutsell, Fern Holt, Maria Garcia, Elaine Forbes

June 25--Paul Segura, Jeff Sternberger, Raymond Sheely

June 26--Rusty Whitfill, **Tommy Davis**

June 27--Delois Baker, Janinne Brooks, Chad Turner, Mike Grady, Gerry James

June 22--Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Stephens

June 23--Mr. and Mrs. Dana Martin

June 25--Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sweet, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowrey, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith

June 26--Mr. and Mrs. Rhett Montague, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McWaters, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Asebedo

June 27--Mr. and Mrs. Doug

New Arrival

Ryder and Candy Kate Carpenter are proud to announce the arrival of their new baby brother, Cash Lee. He was born at 12:46 p.m. Thursday, June 14, 2001 at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock. He weighed six pounds and fifteen ounces, and was 18 1/2 inches long on arrival.

The proud parents are Kent and

Mosquito Relief

Large mosquito populations are expected this summer thanks to abundant rainfall; however, mosquitos shouldn't mean the end of of dust-collecting clutter, and use summer fun.

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Public Library Has New Tapes

Loyd Stephens has delivered some tapes to the Silverton Public Library, located in the basement of the Briscoe County Courthouse in Silverton, from the Marty Stouffer Productions, LTD of Aspen, Colo-

These tapes are very informative views about fish, birds, reptiles and animals. Most are 90 minutes in length.

The library is happy to have received these 1994 documented

America has sent a book with a glossary and five video tapes for the public use on various aspects of stuttering to the Silverton Pub-

The topics are Stuttering and Your Child: a Video For Parents; Stuttering and the Preschool Child: Therapy in Action; The School-Age Child Who Stutters; Do You Stutter: Straight Talk for Teens; If You Stutter: Advice For Adults.

These are to be found in the health and medical division of the library.

The three-masted sailing ships that brought tea from China to England were often called Tea

In 1866, Alfred Nobel invented dynamite. To make up for its potential for harm, he established the Nobel Peace Prize in 1901.

Tips For Cleaner Air in Your Home

Provided by Cory Payne County Extension Agent, FCS

Enjoying clean air in your home takes more than light cleaning. For best results, start cleaning from the top and work down. Dust-free ceiling fan blades are important for good air quality. Change air filters in central air conditioning and heating systems once a month. To combat dust mites, vacuum upholstery fabric, pillows and carpets often. Changing bedding once a week will reduce dust mites as well. For added air quality, dispose blinds or window shades instead of curtains.

For outdoor activity, use appropriate repellants and wear protective clothing. Citrolella candles provide relief in enclosed spaces, like screened-in patios. The OFF repellants are the most effective, but other brands work, too.

When you get bitten, you may reduce the risk of infection by keeping your hands off the mosquito bites.



The Stuttering Foundation of Loyd Stephens (center) is pictured with library workers Jackie Mercer (left) and Diana Ivory (right) and the wildlife tapes he delivered to the Silverton Public Library recently. Briscoe County News Photo

> Barbed wire, which marked the end of the so-called "Cowboy on Spring Street in New York City Era," was invented in 1873.

The first U.S. pizzeria opened

The Heimlich maneuver was in-Henry Heimlich in 1974.

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John 14:23

Jesus replied, If anyone loves me, he will obey my teaching. My Father will love him, and we will come to him, and make our home with him. He who does not love me will not obey my teaching. These words you hear are not my own; they belong to the Father who sent me.

Rock Creek Church of Christ

LOOKING BACK

through the files of the **Briscoe County News**

average of 95.649, Holly Nance ended May 26 at Southwestern is graduating as the valedictorian of the Eighth Grade Class. Brandi Brunson is salutatorian with an new Eastern Star Worthy Matron. average grade of 93.694 Kenzie Burson and Marshall to rest . . . Mrs. Fred Mercert was McCammon scored highest in their division and earned trophy belt buckles at the PTA-sponsored the Branding Iron Theater in Can-Little Wrangler Rodeo and Fun Night . . . Andrew Francis and Molly Sarchet were recipients of trophy belt buckles for being the Junior All-Around Cowboy and Cowgirl of the PTA Little Wrangler Rodeo ... Lindsey Weaks submitted the Soil Conservation poster that was judged best in the Region to Lubbock Sunday . . . Mrs. Alvin .. Stacie Chappell is on the Dean's List for the spring semester at South Plains College in Levelland

May 21, 1981--Leonard Morgan, who has been at the Three Maples honored with a bridal Way School about five years, will be the Silverton School Principal next year . . . Council votes to dig new city wells . . . Eber Gill, junior student in Silverton High School, has been selected to attend the 21st Annual Texas Energy Science Symposium at The University of Texas . . . Brenda Boling and Kim Fitzgerald won a trip to the Texas 4-H Roundup in College Station by winning first place with their illustrated talk . . . Cynthia Edwards won second place and a trip to the 4-H Roundup with her illustrated talk . . . Keeley Burson and Tara Nance won first place at the District II contests in Lubbock with their illustrated talk on companion animals . . . Mrs. Mildred Brooks and Bud Mouser exchanged vows in the parlor of the First Baptist Church in Silverton recently

June 3, 1971--Walter Arnold placed second in the Eighth Annual Memorial Day Steer Roping Sunday at Cobb-Wheeler-Mote Arena at Tulia . . . Susie Parker is new Worthy Advisor of Silverton Rainbow Girls . . . Alvin May is valedictorian with a grade average of 93.70, and Lanis Davis is salutatorian with a grade of 92.56 . . . Mr. and Mrs. Max Garrison are parents of a son, Cody Bill . . . On Memorial Day, approximately 175 descendants of William Moten Vaughan gathered in Silverton to honor his memory and to attend an unveiling of a marker commemorating his service in the Texas Rangers and as a Confederate Soldier . . . Ian Lanham was listed on the Dean's Honor Roll at Texas Tech University for the spring semester...Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Frances Ann Edwards and Stanley William Gamble.

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Jarnagin was listed on the Dean's Wednesday . . . Miss Anna Lee

May 23, 1991--With a two-year honor roll for the semester which (Oklahoma) State College at Weatherford . . . LaVerne Long is "Uncle Johnny" Arnold is laid one of about 100 persons from all parts of the Panhandle who met in yon Sunday afternoon to plan an outdoor theater to be constructed in Palo Duro Canyon . . . LaGuan Thompson, a recent local high school graduate, entered Jessie Lee's Hair Designing Institute in Lubbock Monday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Thompson, took her Redin left for Denton Monday where she will attend Texas Women's University this summer . Annette Adams to marry Ronald Vaughan . . . Miss Reba shower in the home of Mrs. Johnnie Lanham

May 24, 1951--Senior Class Trip this year will be a week spent in Colorado, with half of their time spent in Colorado Springs and the balance in Denver . . . Keith Dee Montague, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin D. Montague, died Saturday, May 19, at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. The twin sister, Carol Ann, is reported doing fine . . . The Senior Class and guests were honored with a dance given by the class mothers, Mrs. Tom Bomar and Mrs. E. A. Bellinger. It was held at Bomar's . New red velvet curtain received for auditorium just in time for the graduatin exercises . . . John D. Baird underwent surgery at the local hospital last Thursday

January 24, 1946--Arnold Brown came home Tuesday with his discharge from the Army. He has been in the service nearly two years and saw plenty of action with an infantry division in Germany. First State Bank in Silverton open for business . . . The First Baptist Church enjoyed a basket lunch Sunday in celebration of the consolidation of the two Baptist churches . . . Jack Montague weds Miss Wanda Bell . . . J. W. Lyon, jr. seeks re-election as County Judge . . . Guests in the W. A. Holt home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dock Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kitchens and children . . . Gene Arnold went to Canyon Monday to make arrangements for entering school there next semester . . . Miss Bonnie Dell Chappell, who is attending Wayland College, was home over the weekend . . . J. R. Foust of Amarillo transacted business here Saturday morning ... Joe Lec, Patsy and Mary Tom Bomar June 15, 1961--Richard visited Billy Shives in Tulia

South and East Texas.

June 12, 1941--T. T. Crass received very painful arm injuries Monday evening when a welding tank exploded. Crass was just making ready to weld when the tank blew up, badly bruising his hand and arm and tearing a deep, jagged flesh wound . . . Tornado does heavy damage to Silverton Co-op Elevator and the Gabe Garrison home. Alton Steele, R. B. Byrd and many other farmers sustained damage to outbuildings . . . Mrs. Dave Ziegler and son returned Tuesday from a two-week visit in San Angelo with her mother, Mrs. R.

Anderson is on a vacation trip to C. Harris, who has been ill... Nash Silverton Wednesday . . . Lamesa, attending their annual roin Dimmitt spent several days this week with home folks . . . Miss visited friends here this week . . . parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagwell

> March 13, 1930--Mesdames Johnson, Garrison, Stodghill, Dillard, Shaw and Olive of the North route visited the schools at ter rate on yards . . .

Blasengame and Warner Reid Gladys Faye Johnson spent Sunspent several days this week in day with Cleo Garrison . . . Lions Club entertainment was broght by deo and picnic . . . Larkin and Misses Christine and Jonnie Willard Vardell who are employed Bundy, Geraldine Biffle and Wanda King, with Mrs. O. T. Bundy at the piano. Miss Jonnie Roberta McMurtry of Plainview also gave an artistic dance and the club dining room was wafted into Mr. and Mrs. Ray McEntire spent a cabaret atmosphere. Ned Baird the weekend in Dimmitt with her opened the program with a piano solo, and Tom Nichols cleared the deck with a humorous talk in preparation for the real entertainment from the girls . . . Floral Club petitions City Council for low wa-





Aaron Brent Mullin

Mullin Graduates From High School at Graham

Aaron Brent Mullin, son of Brent and Laura Mullin of Graham, Texas, and grandson of Fred and Vivone Arnold of Silverton was graduated from Graham High School May 26, 2001. The ceremony took place at Newton Field. The family and friends joined in a celebration at the home of his grandparents, Ottis and Rita clinical trials are, or to search for Mullin in Graham.

Aaron was active in soccer, baseball and football, as well as music. His musical abilities included piano, saxophone and choir. He was a soloist for the Oak Street Baptist Youth Choir and traveled many states on tour. He was named All-District Linebacker for the Graham Steers.

His plans are to play college football.

Cancer Trials Save Lives

(NAPSA)-Researchers are discovering new ways to win the war on cancer. They do so through new treatments or new ways to Cotton Plants clinical trials, research studies of prevent the disease.

only way to translate the extraor- of cotton in the South Plains area. dinary breakthroughs made in laboratories around the country cost to area cotton growers could into new, more effective preventives and treatments for patients.

Patient enrollment in clinical many people have significant misreceive. Very strict guidelines safeguard people who enroll in cliniteers in a treatment trial will, at the cation Foundation. very least, receive the best stanthe public as well as receive exceptional medical support.

Virtually every insurance comparticipating in a clinical trial and patients can choose to leave a trial at any time.

a cancer clinical trial to participate in, visit the Cancer Research Foundation of America at www. preventcancer.org.

Free Things To Send For

(NAPSA)-An ingenious new treatment may provide relief for the 20 million Americans who suffer from back pain each year. The treatment is a foam-filled vest,

Growers Urged To Destroy

Recent storms destroyed or se-Cancer clinical trials are the verely damaged thousands of acres The loss was devastating, but the be compounded if growers do, not take care to destroy any remaining plants in these fields.

The Southern High Plains/Catrials remains low, however, as prock zone recently joined the boll weevil eradication effort in Texas, conceptions about the care they'll and the program will be in full swing beginning about September 1. Cultural controls are an imporcal trials and placebos are never tant part of the eradication effort, used in cancer treatment trials, said Charles Allen, program direconly in prevention trials. Voluntor for the Texas Boll Weevil Eradi-

One of the most important of dard of care currently available to these controls is the elimination of a food source and a place for boll weevils to reproduce, Allen said, and the damaged cotton remaining pany covers the routine costs of in storm-affected fields can be a good place for weevils to find both.

"This will allow needless increases in the boll weevil popula-For more information on what tion and needlessly increased costs to growers in the eradication program," he said.

Allen urged growers to destroy cotton in fields that will not be brought to harvest as soon as possible. He also said growers should be careful to destroy any cotton remaining in a field that will be replanted in another crop.

Weevils will find the cotton left in these fields and use it for feeding and reproduction," he said.

These fields will require treatment when the program begins eradication activities in the fall, he

Growers who destroy the cotton treatments begin will not have to pay an assessment, Allen said. in them when fall eradication activities begin will be assessed.

coupled with a weight-lifting belt, which is known as the Orthotrac Pneumatic Vest. The jacket is lined with vertically positioned bicycle inner tubes. When inflated, these tubes relieve the pressure that would otherwise compress the spine. For more information, call Orthofix at 800-535-4492.

There are several ways to help maintain GI health, including eating yogurt with live active cultures. An increasingly popular option is to take a probiotic supplement such as Probiotica, a new daily supplement from the makers of Imodium®. This lemon-flavored chewable tablet provides the body with Lactobacillus reuteri, healthful bacteria that have been found to occur naturally in the gas-5357 for a free brochure or visit (TTY); www.fsis. usda.gov.

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January	.65	1.94
February	.60	.87
March	.93	3.23
April	1.49	1.12
May	3.11	5.26
June	3.78	.93
Totals	10.56	13.35

Making Your Mark With Your Favorite Music

(NAPSA)-Music lovers will relate to the joy of driving in the convertible, the summer sun at their backs, the wind in their hair, and a new catchy tune on the radio. Then there's the frustration of humming the song for days, switching from station to station in the vain hope that a deejay will identify it, and still having absolutely no idea who sings it. Now, with the help of the eMarker, a keychain-sized gadget, music lovers can simply click on a song to name that tune.

A great gift for dads, grads, or any music lover, the device reveals the secrets of your favorite radio station by storing the broadcast date and time information about a song and makes that information available when you upload it into your in their fields before fall diapause computer. The eMarker and the service at www.emarker.com retrieve the user's "emarks" and dis-Fields that still have cotton plants play the artist and song title information. This allows consumers to listen to a short clip to make sure it's the right song and even lets the user buy the CD online.

The device is compatible with Windows 98, Windows ME, Windows 2000 and Macintosh OS 8.6 people. or higher platforms, giving virtually every computer owner the abil-

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Snodgrass Is **Graduate of Lubbock Coronado**

Shawn Michael Snodgrass, son of Rik and Kerri Snodgrass of Tulia and grandson of Fred and Vivone Arnold of Silverton, was graduated from Coronado High School in Lubbock on May 26, 2001.

The graduation exercises took place at the new Spirit Arena on the campus of Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Attending the ceremony were his parents, grandparents, his sister, Erin Snodgrass, sister and brother-in-law, Zane and Tay Henderson of Silverton.

He plans to attend Spartan School in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Lone Star Ballet Returning to Turkey Monday, June 25

Monday, June 25, Neil Hess is bringing his Lone Star Ballet dancers to Turkey for a show at the Gem Theatre. Thene of the show will be "Tribute to Our Western Heritage," and will include cowboys and cowgirls, Indians and Spanish dancers. Showtime is 7:30 p.m.

Admission is \$10 for adults and \$5 for ages 12 and under.

Tickets are now on sale and can be bought at City Hall in Turkey or by calling 423-1273 or 455-1321. You don't want to miss this show with its very talented young

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Quality Loss Program (QLP) earlier this month USDA has put the qualify for the initial, yield- and the Quality Loss Program. based, part of the CDP.

Growers who may already could also be eligible for addiational assistance under the QLP.

Sign-up dates for the Quality Loss Program have not been announced. County offices in the Texas High Plains region are not ing until the week of June 25.

With the FSA training schedmost counties until July. Sign-up dates, application forms and additional program procedures will be released by FSA at a later date. Producers will be required to sign up for the Quality Loss Program separately from the Crop Disas-

The Quality Loss Program will provide assistance to growers of eligible crops that can demtheir 2000 crop commodity compared to a long-term average quality/price produced in the apply for the program based on the smallest unit of the commodity for which they can produce records.

Cotton growers will be able to 916,800 acres lost. apply for assistance on a bale-bybale basis by providing production evidence showing the average loan value for each bale. Each bale's loan value would then be compared to the county average loan value used to compute quality adjustments for the CDP program.

This comparison will then determine whether or not a qualifying 20 percent quality reduction has occurred. If the 20 percent threshold is met, then the bale would be assigned to one of five Ouality Loss Levels based on the actual loss in value relative to the county average.

of loss will then be calculated as the difference between 100 percent of the Crop Disaster Pro-

The wait is almost over for pound for cotton) and a percent of growers wondering how the sec- the affected CDP payment rate based on the assigned quality loss level for each level.

The final QLP payment rate equals 65 percent of the different With the publication of the bedtween the full CDP price and the notice detailing rules for the applicable percentage of the CDP payment rate.

A combined \$80,000 "per perwheels in motion to deliver what son" payment limitation is applicould be a significant amount of cable for all benefits provided assistance to growers who did not through the Crop Disaster Program

Final figures on the 200 crop inhave received some assistance dicate the Texas High Plains prounder the CDP for yield losses duced only 2,302,800 bales from some 2,837,100 harvested acres in the 25-county region served by Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

The news comes at a time when a significant portion of the High scheduled to receive their train- Plains' 2001 cotton crop struggles to survive. Already hail, high wind and drought have visited the area ule as it now stands, sign-up for and together could take as much as the QLP is not likely to begin in one million acres out of production for the second straight year.

The May 30 hail storm that crossed the area could account for up to 350,000 acres of loss. Another 700,000-800,000 acres of dryland cotton, planted into dry dirt, is still waiting for a rainfall to germinate

Forecasts at this time do not indicate rainfall will be on its way for at least another week. That puts the onstrate a minimum 20 percent calendar very near the date after decline in the quality/price of which the acreage can be turned over to crop insurance companies for drought-related losses.

For the 2000 growing season county. Growers will be able to abandonment totaled 1,038,500 acres in 2000. Harvest acreage was 235,700 acres lower than 1999. Dryland acres accounted for the blk of the abandonment in 2000 with

> Overall the High Plains averaged 390 pounds of lint per acre. Irrigated cotton produced just under a bale to the acre coming in at 476 pounds, 119 pounds less than the 1999 weighted average yield. Dryland yields dropped dramatically to 182 pounds per harvested acre, 125 pounds less than in 1999.

> Calculating the average yield per planted acre, the High Plains averaged 285 pounds of lint per acre of production.

The results from the Plains Cotton Growers/Texas Agricultural Extension Service (TAEX) Payment rates for each level AgriPartners Grid Trapping Project are available on the PCG website and on DTN

The maps reflect trap catches of gram payment rate (59 cents per weevils emerging from overwinter-

ing habitat across the Texas High Plains and will help growers identify areas where boll weevils could present early season problems as the DTN: Cotton Segment. the crop reaches the third-grown square stage in mid- to late-June. Results can be found on the PCG website

www.plainscotton.org Maps and text versions of the results can be fond on DTN and in

Women's Protective Services of Lubbock is sponsoring a Tractor Raffle August 18 at the Lubbock

Memorial Civic Center and time is running out to get your chance to win a John Deere tractor. Ticket sales are projected to end August 1. Call 806-748-5292 to find out where tickets are being sold in your area.

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most of the week and fought off all attempts to plunge drastically lower despite a sizable amount of bearish fundamental news that flooded the market. However, the technicals supply situation has not corrected seized control on Friday causing the market to tumble lower.

USDA's monthly supply/demand report was termed bearish by traders as the department lowered 2000-2001 U. S. cotton use by 100,000 bales to 5.6 million. Projected carryover for the 2001-02 season rose 300,000 bales, placing the figure at 6.6 million bales. World ending stocks also saw an increase, ris- so much of the growing season ing from 37.12 million bales to ahead, there still is plenty of un-38.36 million for 2001-02 as pro-

The market trended sideways duction jumped 500,000 bales to fell 200,000 bales to 92.80 mil-

> "The world-wide cotton overitself either through crop problems or planting reductions," a trader said. "World stocks are increasing more than one million bales which is the wrong direction to get supply and demand in balance; cotton supply needs to go down and demand up," he con-

According to one analyst, with

certainty regarding both domestic passed through West Texas. and world cotton production esti-

"The four largest cotton producing countries in the world are in the situation but are not overly conearly stages of the crop so these cerned yet as the scenario is not production numbers are not set in stone," she said. "Weather could change things dramatically at any time," she added.

ditions in the U.S. are very good in general. The mid-South' and Southeast are in excellent shape week. "A lot of farmers in the Delta and Southeast say the crop is looking so good, it's scary," a trader

In this week's crop progress report, USDA rated the U.S. crop at 55 percent good to excellent with 18 percent squaring and 95 percent planted. Texas saw a steep decline in its condition rating which fell to 84 points from 97 the week prior as USDA accounted for damage from a large hail storm that

Meanwhile, West Texas dryland farmers still are waiting for rain. Traders are keeping an eye on the unusual. Producers in the area also are not surprised by the current weather conditions.

"Some years we get a crop and For the moment, growing con- some years we don't, but we go through this every year," a West Texas producer said.

Some West Texas farmers have 93.50 million and domestic use from repeated storms this past dry planted their crops to meet insurance planting requirements. One crop watcher said producers would have to wait around for 15 days before they could claim crop failure if no rain arraives to get the crop out of the ground.

U. S. cotton production estimates still vary widely. Some analysts say USDA's 18.8 million bales is too high with producers skimping on pesticides and irrigation to keep costs down. Others contend that the weather is good enough to lift yields despite farmers' limited resources.

Traders also are monitoring the progress of the Chinese cotton crop. Recent rain may have brought within a range of 31.85 to 35.55 some relief to drought conditions cents per pound compared to there, but they expect no real improvement to cotton quality or previous week.

quantity.

In other news, USDA's weekly export sales report was considered positive, but the market was more focused on production. U. S. export shipments during the week ended June 4 rose slightly to 151,500 running bales, approximately 15,400 bales more than the weekly average needed to be exported in the last seven weeks to reach USDA's upwardly revised yearly estimate of 6.2 million bales. Net export sales of 66,100 bales were 11 percent above the previous week, but 32 percent below the four-week average. Featured buyers of U.S. cotton for the week included India, Turkey and Thailand.

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On the spot cotton scene, sales were slightly lower for the week ended June 15. Online trading of Texas/Oklahoma/Kansas cotton totaled 10,879 bales, a reduction from the previous week's sales of 17,219 bales. However, the average daily prices received by producers utilizing the Internet trading system were considerably higher. Online trading occurred 31.89 to 33.09 cents per pound the

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