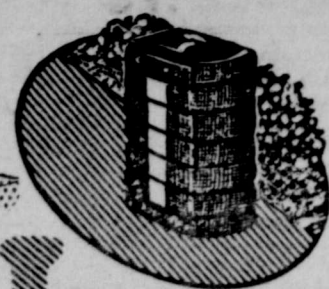




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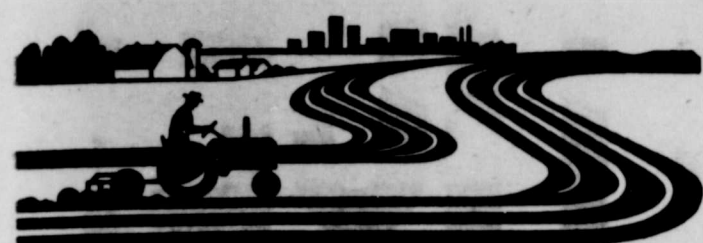
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SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH

James H. Priddy



From Father to Son

"Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above and cometh down from the Father." James 1-17

What other gifts are better or more perfect than God's gifts of soil, water and plants to his children? Gifts that meet all of men's physical needs and leaves unblemished God's law of free moral choice for man and the achievement of abundant life through diligent labor for God and his fellow men.

To give study through nature of God's laws concerning His land, His water and His plants makes one sigh as to God's divinity and wisdom.

The crowning achievement of all is when we layeth to heart these things which are His and let

God be full partner in helping us to unselfishly produce our daily bread, then we become subdued by the violet rays of God's love as it warms the inner most recesses of our hearts and lives.

Only until then, can the sons of earthly fathers born and unborn have the assurance of the needed physical things to pursue an abundant life through labor for God.

This week has been proclaimed as "Soul Stewardship Week" through out the nation and the local churches have joined with the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District in meditating upon these things that we might "layeth our land to heart."

Soil temperature May 25, 6:30 a. m. at five inches—58 degrees fahrenheit.

DONATIONS TO RED CROSS

Among the generous donations that have been received by the Red Cross, was a check for \$5.00 that was sent in through the Red Cross office at Childress requesting it go to Silverton by a lady who is ill and almost blind.

Another donation from the V. A. Hospital, Northport, L. L. N. Y. came from Miss Erin Gamble for \$10.00. With this check she pinned a note, "With regrets for the terrible disaster and the hope that it will be well." She also added that she was born and reared in Loydada.

JUNIOR CAMP TO BE HELD IN JUNE—24 THROUGH 28

Reservations have been made for June 24th, through June 28th, to hold the Texas Farmers Union camp at Turner Falls, Oklahoma. Names of Juniors attending from the Silverton local will be sent in by June 5th.

Ten juniors attended last year from Silverton and the local plans to have more this year since Texas Farmers Union will have the camp reserved.

Reporter.

Bill Gilkeyson, of Sundown, visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gilkeyson, briefly recently. He was checking on the recent tornado to his old home town.

36 Applications For Help Received by Red Cross Here

The American Red Cross Disaster Headquarters has received 36 applications for assistance, according to an announcement made today by Ted Higgins, director.

Mr. Higgins stated that he believed that the majority of families who suffered disaster losses from the May 15th tornado and who need Red Cross assistance have applied. All of those who have not applied and feel they will need Red Cross help are urged to register at the disaster headquarters in Silverton by Saturday noon, June 1, 1957.

Aid given is in the form of a grant, he said, and those receiving help do not repay the Red Cross. Red Cross personnel will give individual consideration to each applicant, and their recommendations will be passed upon by an advisory board of local citizens who are familiar with local conditions, Mr. Higgins concluded.

Storm Aid From Molley County and Malador

Some \$1,177.25 was delivered by J. C. (Doc) Burleson, Motley County rancher and J. R. Whitworth, First State Bank of Matador Thursday afternoon to the Silverton Disaster Fund. Mr. Burleson is turning over the funds to Perry Whitmore of the First State Bank stated:

"This small token of money cannot replace the lives lost or remove the pain suffered, but perhaps it will help lighten the load from those having to start over."

Mr. Whitmore in accepting the money replied: "We accept this gift with the deepest of gratitude, being fully aware that many of your people were unable to plant a crop last year. The generosity and unselfish spirit of the Motley County and Matador people overwhelms us." Mr. Whitmore related some of the instances where the fund, now swelled to better than \$40,000 is being used to aid those in distress.

Mr. Burleson will be remembered by many of this area as being the son of the late W. E. Burleson and having spent his boyhood nine miles south of Rock Creek. Mr. Burleson is now ranching in Motley County.

Mr. Burleson and Whitworth were accompanied to Silverton by Mrs. Whitworth.

VFW Rodeo Set For June 20-22 Has Been Cancelled for Year

The VFW Rodeo scheduled for Silverton June 20, 21, 22, has been cancelled by the committee in charge of arrangements. Due to the arena and bleachers being destroyed during the tornado, they will be unable to put on their show this year.

They hope to rebuild their grounds in time for their annual rodeo next year, Farris Martin said.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wilson took her mother, Mrs. W. T. Haley, to her home in Plainview Sunday evening and spent the night there with her. Mrs. Haley had been here with relatives for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Pitts and family, of Amarillo, were recent Sunday dinner guests of his uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hill.

Former Pastor of Local Presbyterian Church Passes

Friends have learned of the recent death of Rev. John A. Thorns, 84, at Sylvan Grove, Kansas. Rev. Thorns was pastor of the Silverton Presbyterian Church in the late thirties and he and his family lived in the manse for several years. He was active in Boy Scout work and took a great interest in all activities of the young people. Rev. Thorns has enjoyed good health all his life and was an active minister until his last illness; he was sick only ten days and missed his regular preaching service only one Sunday before his death.

The Thorns have been at Sylvan Grove for a good many years. Mrs. Thorns, 84, plans now to go to live with her son and family, Rev. and Mrs. John C. Thorns at Howarden, Iowa.

Silverton Young Men Candidates For Degrees at Tech

A total of 145 students in Texas Tech's School of Agriculture will be among more than 800 candidates for degrees during the institution's Spring commencement at 8 p. m. Monday, June 3, in Jones Stadium.

William E. Autrey, Jr., animal husbandry; Teddy Jack Mayfield, agricultural education; Gene Miriam Hardin, accounting.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL FOR FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH STRATS JUNE THREE

Registration and preparation activities for the Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church will be held Saturday afternoon, June 1, 1957 at 4 o'clock. Faculty members and all interested students are urged to attend this meeting.

Beginning Monday morning, June 3, Bible School will be conducted from 8 to 11 o'clock each morning for one week.

The commencement program will be held Friday night, June 7 at 8 o'clock in the church auditorium.

General officers for Bible School include:

Rev. G. A. Elrod, Supervisor. Mrs. Conrad Alexander, Principal. Mrs. Milton Dudley, Secretary. Mrs. J. R. Steele, Song Leader. Sam Brown, Pianist. Mrs. Carrol Garrison, W. M. S. Assistant.

Department Superintendents include: Mrs. E. A. Birdwell, 3 year nursery; Mrs. Buck Hardin, Beginner; Mrs. Billy Ellis, Primary; Mrs. Norman Strange, junior; and Mrs. Floyd Williams, Intermediate.

NOTICE

Beginning May 31, 1957, the Postoffice will be closed at 4:30 p. m. daily, by order of the Postoffice Department.

E. C. Fowler, Postmaster.

Mrs. O. T. Bundy returned home early last week after a few days visit with her daughter and family, Mrs. Clarence Mast, in Midland.

Recent visitors with Mrs. W. A. Rowell include Mrs. Lorene Voyles and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Voyles, of Big Spring; and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rowell and family, of Guymon, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyke McMurtry, of Dumas, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bingham and other relatives here. Other recent visitors with the Bingham include Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Scott, of Memphis; Mrs. Lola Standifer, of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Standifer, of Plainview.

Social Security Field Representative to be Here June Sixth

Curtis M. Watts field representative of the Amarillo Social Security office will be in Silverton on June 6, 1957. Mr. Watts can be contacted at the Court House from 9:45 a. m. to 12:00 p. m.

Mr. Watts can furnish any assistance or information which would be available in the Amarillo office. If you wish to file a claim for Social Security benefits, apply for an account number card, change or name or an employer identification number or merely seek information about Social Security you should contact the representative.

Work on Re-Building Destroyed Homes Under-way Here

Several home owners are already making head-way on rebuilding their homes, some are doing repair jobs. J. K. Bean is making progress on rebuilding his home. Walter Brannon, who's new home was under construction when the tornado struck, is busy on finishing up his home.

Glenn Lindsey and Raymond Grewe have had crews on their home for several days repairing the damage which was very heavy on each of them. Rebuilding has started on Carman Rhode's home this week. Fleming and Tomlin have considerable work done on their office building, and a cleanup crew is busy in that part of town.

Several home owners have been delayed until an adjustment could be made on their property—however, it is thought that most of them will build back on their same location.

A large crew of carpenters from Amarillo came down last Saturday and donated their days labor on rebuilding Silverton. This was quite a big donation and was appreciated by Silverton.

Disaster Fund Total Wednesday Morning Was \$61,000.00

A check with the First State Bank Wednesday morning revealed that the bank had received \$61,000 for the disaster fund, for the relief of storm victims of Silverton.

Donations are also being received at the Red Cross Headquarters in Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Layman, of Fort Worth, spent Sunday and Sunday night here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris. They reported much trouble in getting here on account of the high waters and washed out roads. Mr. and Mrs. Morris returned to Fort Worth with Lee and Lila and Mrs. Morris plans to take treatment from a doctor while there. They will visit two other daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Elsa Heaton and children and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ellis visited Mrs. Luke Thompson and LaGuan in Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo, on Sunday. Mr. Thompson was also a visitor. All are thought to be recuperating satisfactorily from injuries they sustained in the recent tornado.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney and Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Seaney and children at Masterson Sunday afternoon.

Tax Education In Silverton High School

Plainview, May 29—Tax education has become a very common high school subject along with the three R's according to D. L. King, administrative officer of the Plainview office. Silverton should be proud of the fine Tax Education Program being carried out at the Silverton High School. M. G. Moreland superintendent and Mrs. O. C. Rampley, teacher of the high school tax training program, are to be congratulated on the very fine job they are doing with the 18 students enrolled in the tax course.

There are approximately 1000 teachers in 182 schools teaching 3,6000 high school students in the North Texas district of Internal Revenue Service who are participating in this program. On a nationwide basis there are 41,000 teachers presenting the course to approximately 3,000,000 students, including 15,000 teachers presenting the farm course to 500,000 students. Students and teachers alike find the course interesting and profitable to them in preparing the students' own tax return and in helping dad to prepare his tax return, according to Mr. King, administrative officer. The Tax Education Program gives practical illustration to many of the other things learned in the regular high school courses. The course demonstrates the growth of Joe Johnson from his high school days through the young family man to the mature corporation executive and it teaches the high school students to solve Joe's tax problems at all stages in life.

METHODIST MEN HOLD MEETING TUESDAY MORNING

Methodist Men held their regular meeting on Tuesday morning with eleven present. Bro. Phillips of Wolforth was the speaker. His talk on Fears was very thought provoking and was well received by the men. Those who were not there surely were the losers by not having heard this message. We meet on the second and fourth Tuesday mornings at 6:30. James Priddy and Rupert Hughes were the cooks and did a good job.

INFANT SON OF MR. AND MRS. REX HOLT DIED MAY 23

Rev. G. A. Elrod officiated at graveside services for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holt on Thursday, May 22, at 2:30 p. m. He was born on May 22 and died on the 23. He is survived by his parents, a sister, Karen, a brother, David; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holt and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack visited their grand daughter, LeAnne Womack, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Sewell, in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Case and Mrs. Watkins, of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McClain, of Abilene, were recent Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Grimland and family. The ladies are aunts to Mrs. Grimland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Brown and baby have recently moved to Borger.

Mesdames R. L. Hill and Robert Ledbetter attended a training school for local W. S. C. S. officers in Plainview on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. W. K. Grimland and Mrs. Jesse Grimland were in Lockney last Saturday for medical attention. Mr. and Mrs. Watts and son, of Vigo Park, attended the Assembly of God Church here Sunday evening. Mrs. Watts brought the evening message at the church.

Suggestions That Will Help Boost Late Planted Cotton

In discussing the cotton situation for this year County Agent Robert Ledbetter puts it this way:

A small amount of cotton was planted last week just prior to Friday's rains. Many more will be planting below the Cap Rock early this week, but plantings on the Plains have again been delayed. This to everyone's knowledge, is a late date for maximum cotton maturity. Here are some things that will help get cotton off to a faster start that is recommended by the Texas Experiment Stations. Plant shallow in the tops of the beds where the ground is warm. A solid sweep might be better than a lister point. Lister points should have extensions to prevent too deep penetration and a wider weed killing area. The ten inch rubber press wheel that firms the seed in the opening trench is a must. Cover the seed no deeper than two inches. The large press wheels that are run over the cotton a few days after planting have given a reduction in the amount of cotton that emerges over non-pressed cotton in Lubbock Experiment Test. The use of these type press wheels should be carefully watched.

Plant an early maturing cotton. Some of the better early cottons are Paymaster 101, Blightmaster, Gregg, Western Stormproof and Paymaster 54. Some of the late cottons such as Empire and Acala's should be avoided.

A word about hybrid grain sorghum. Hybrid seed are large and uniform and it takes less seed of these to weigh a pound than the standard varieties. It was brought to County Agent Ledbetter's attention that the commonly used planter's holes might be reamed slightly to insure enough seed drop for a proper stand. One man told Saturday that he planted hybrid with his old plates that used to plant 3-4 pounds of standard varieties per acre and he only planted two pounds of hybrid seed. This rate is possibly too little for dryland plantings. Under these conditions hybrid seeding rates should probably exceed standard varieties to get the same amount of seed in the ground. Four pounds for dryland rates and about 7 or 8 pounds for irrigated rates—should suit most farmers.

Storm Victims Condition Reported To Be Improving

All the storm victims that are being hospitalized are reported to be improving. Mrs. Luke Thompson and daughter, LaGuan, are slowly improving. They are in Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Parker Rampley are all doing nicely in Tulia Hospital. It is said the four may be released this week end.

The colored family of eleven who are in Lockney Hospital are improving satisfactorily. Six have been released.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marcus and children, of Lubbock, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mack Walker. Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Hair, of Quail called in the afternoon. Mrs. O'Hair is an aunt to Mesdames Marcus and Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock and their daughter, Mrs. George Garrison, of Clarendon, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanus, of Lubbock, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hill and Susy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Minyard were in Plainview on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Minyard went for medical attention.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—Drive-way material; also sand and gravel \$2.00 yard. Jim Cline. 22-10tp

FOR SALE—Two bedroom home. 75 foot lot on pavement. John Garner, Phone 3641 Silverton. 22-2tp

FOR SALE—Aera Motor, tower and wheel. Bob McDaniel CA4-7945 Rt. 2 Plainview, Texas. 22-2tp

FOR SALE—60 barrel wooden over-head water tank. J. W. McCracken, phone 3831 or 4201. 22-2tp

FOR RENT—Mills Apartments. See Verlin Towe. 22-tfc

FOR SALE—Stormmaster cotton seed, chemical delinted. F. E. Hutsell, phone 3966. 21-2tc Phone 2121. 41-tfc

FOR SALE—Two bedroom house to be moved. Wayne (Bud) Vaughan, Silverton, Texas. 21-3tp

FOR SALE—Tomatoes and Pepper plants. See Percy Reid or Phone 3256. 21-2tp

FOR SALE—Fresh butchered beef in half or whole quantities—grain fed. Silverton Frozen Food Locker. 19-tfc

AUTOMOTIVE Supplies: Champion plugs, Firestone and Pennsylvania Tires, Exide Batteries, priced to sell. See Jennings Farm Supply. 19-tfc

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DECORATED CAKES, Cookies and cup cakes for any occasion. Mrs. Carver Monroe, Phone 4411 Bean. 18-5tp

OPTICAL & JEWELRY REPAIR I make Optical & Jewelry Repairs in shop at my residence in Silverton. W. A. Sedgwick. 13-tfc

We have several good used Washers and Refrigerators for sale. Fogerson Lumber & Supply Company. 8-tfc

FOR SALE—A good push type lawn mower. Mrs. Carl Crow. 22-tfc

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our neighbors and friends for their assistance in cleaning up the debris on our farm after the storm. Also for food furnished. Hollie and Kathleen Francis and boys.

THANK YOU

We wish to say thank you to all our neighbors and friends who come to our aid in anyway during the storm, through word or deed. Mrs. T. L. Anderson. Anna Lee Anderson.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks to each of you for your kind thoughts and deeds toward mother and dad. Everyone has been so wonderful to them during this time of trouble. God bless you all. W. L. and Charlotte Perry.

THANKS TO ALL

We wish to thank all our neighbors and friends for coming to our aid after the storm and helping clean-up and repair our property. Your help was very much appreciated. May God bless each of you. ED VAUGHAN.

Eual Vaughan, Dwain Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn, and Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Vaughan.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank everyone who helped in anyway with the work of the canteen—Those that donated food, and those that worked with me, which made my job as chairman much easier. Thanks, with love and affection. Bonnie May.

Miss Carol Elkins is spending a visit with Miss Janice Dohnell in Las Vegas, New Mexico.

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THANKS

We wish to thank everyone who aided us in anyway after the storm. Your thoughtfulness was very much appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer May and family

CARD OF THANKS

With deepest gratitude we extend this word of thanks for the many kind acts of sympathy, expressed by thoughtful friends. Your kindnesses have meant much to us. The Family of J. D. Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith were in Plainview on Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation for the many flowers and for your prayers in our time of sorrow.

MR. AND MRS. REX HOLT, Karen and David; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens.

CARD OF THANKS

Since my records of bridal shower was destroyed in the tornado and I do not have list of names to thank each for their lovely gift, I am taking this means of thanking each of you.

Vicki May.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Blocker, Lubbock, former Silverton residents, visited Mr. and Mrs. Brown Womack and other friends here Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. George Long and Nick were in Lubbock on Thursday last week for Nicky's routine check-up.

Dr. Lynn McCarty
OPTOMETRIST
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212 North Maxwell

NOTICE!

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Notice to Farmers

Because of the tornado we have lost our bookings on cotton seed orders. If farmers will come in we will try to furnish seed as the original orders, if it is at all possible.

WE HAVE MADE ARRANGEMENTS WITH BOB HILL AT THE CO-OP to handle the seed orders for us. The seed will be stored in their warehouse. See either me or Bob Hill.

WE HAVE SOME OF ALL VARIETIES OF GOOD SEED SALVAGED FROM THE STORM AT A REDUCED PRICE. THANKS,

Shelley Tomlin

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Mrs. E. D. Wilmeth at graduation exercises at Canyon, Sunday afternoon, was a son, Dwain, was a the graduating class.

Mrs. Jack Paige, of Fort last week for a visit parents, Mr. and Mrs. and Gwenlyn. L. E. hbook, spent Thursday with his parents. They ally to attend the local graduation exercises; as a member of the class.

Vaughan and Mr. and McGavock, of Tulia, Mrs. Price Bradley, of re Sunday afternoon Grandma Vaughan, s. W. A. Stephens and Rex Holt.

Mrs. C. M. Devenport, of Mexico, and Mr. T. D. of Hagerman, New ve been recent guests s's sister, Mrs. W. H.

Mrs. J. B. Adams, of were guests of Mr. and Womack on Tuesday of last week.

Smith, who has been ill e, was in Tulia on Sat- a check-up. Sammy his father to Tulia.

Mrs. S. R. Turner, Mr. r. Arnold Turner and fami- and Mrs. Orville Turner attended the gradu- es at W. T. S. C. Can- afternoon. Miss Janice ighter of Mr. and Mrs. mer, and Gene Hodges, a cousin to Mrs. Arn- were members of the class.

T. Northcutt returned afternoon from a two with her daughter and and Mrs. Dave Kellum, at and David Michael. e home with her grand- a visit. They flew into and Mr. Northcutt met

ly and son, Mark, of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lloydada, were Sunday h Mr. and Mrs. Dean

Mrs. Eugene Ridelhuber en, of Lubbock, were tors with Mr. and Mrs. enson.

Mrs. Red Wylie and of Tulsa, Oklahoma, week end with her aunt, rs. Glenn Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Babb, of Weatherford, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tunnell and Dona, of Plainview, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Strange and Donald D. Weast Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Malone, Mrs. L. C. Hyatt and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ingram, of Tulia, have been recent visitors here with the ladies brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Norris.

Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Norris and children, of Vallejo, California, are spending a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Norris, other relatives and friends in this area.



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Corn, White Swan, No. 303 can	7 for	\$1.00

Gum Wrigley's Carton 59c

Tea, White Swan, 1/4 Pound	4 for	\$1.00
Cut Asparagus, White Swan, No. 1 can	5 for	\$1.00
Green Lima Beans, No. 303 can	5 for	\$1.00
Luncheon Peas No. 303 can	5 for	\$1.00
Tomato Juice No. 2 can	8 for	\$1.00

Tide Giant Size 66c

Instant Coffee, White Swan, 2oz jar	2 for	89c
Crushed Pineapple, White Swan, No. 2 can	2 for	49c
Orange Juice, 46 oz can	3 for	95c
Hominy, White Swan, No. 300 can	3 for	25c

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Grundy's Grocery
Silverton, Texas. Specials For Friday and Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gilkeyson who have recently moved to the Carroll and Don Garrison farm near Hereford, came last Friday to visit his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson, and to take home their son, Travis, who had remained here with his grandparents to finish out the school term.

Rev. Elvin Norris, a senior student at Howard Payne College, Brownwood, and Mr. Leland Norris, of Munahans, have been recent visitors here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Norris, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tracy, of Amarillo, were Sunday dinner guests of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tye, of Pampa, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and family.

James May, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer May, has joined the Marines and left for Paris Island, North Carolina, on Monday where he will be in training.

Rev. and Mrs. James P. Patterson were in Lubbock on Monday. Mrs. Patterson went for a medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Ellis, of Amarillo; Rev. and Mrs. Travis Ellis, of Electra; Mrs. Mary Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ellis, Kathy and Doug and Mr. and Mrs. George Martin attended the graduation exercises at W. T. S. C. Canyon, last Sunday afternoon. Billy Ellis was a member of the graduation class, receiving the degree of master of education. Mr. and Mrs. Silas Ellis are parents of Mr. Billy Ellis and of Rev. Travis Ellis. The Silas Ellis family are former Silverton folks having lived here for many years with their children.

Rev. James P. Patterson and Mr. M. G. Moreland are attending the annual Northwest Texas District Methodist Church Conference in Amarillo this week.

Linda Puckett, age 9, who was injured here in the recent tornado, was reported as recuperating satisfactorily early this week in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Pat Puckett, age 11, who was injured at the same time, has been dismissed from the Lockney Hospital and is staying with his grandparents in Lockney.

Mesdames Mary E. Woolery, of Hereford, and V. R. Gardner, of Tulsa, have been recent visitors here with their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier.

George Seaney and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brannon were in Lubbock on Tuesday.

JUNE 11, DEADLINE FOR ACCEPTING APPLICATION FOR RURAL CARRIER

An examination for Rural Carrier for the post office at Silverton, Texas, will be open for acceptance of applications until June 11, 1955, the Commission has announced.

Applicants for this examination must actually reside within the delivery of the above mentioned post office and must have so resided for one year next preceding the closing date for acceptance of applications. They must have reached their 18th birthday on the closing date. There is no maximum age limit. However, persons who have passed the age of 70 may be considered only for temporary renewable appointments of one year.

Complete information about the examination requirements and instructions for filing applications may be obtained at the post office for which this examination is being announced. Application forms must be filed with the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C. and must be received or postmarked not later than the closing date.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lemons and children, of Los Alamos, New Mexico, have been recent visitors here with his mother, Mrs. Fred Lemons. Joe and his mother visited her mother, Mrs. Alice Johnson, a patient in the Underwood Clinic in Amarillo last Friday. Her condition is thought to be slowly improving.

Mrs. E. E. Tomlin, Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Tomlin and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle (Spud) Tiffin and Bruce were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tomlin at Friona. Mrs. E. E. Tomlin is the mother of the Messrs. Tomlin and grandmother of Mrs. Tiffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins and daughters, of Amarillo, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn, from Friday until Sunday morning when they went to Plainview to spend the day with his mother. Mr. Watkins worked on Saturday as a volunteer carpenter helping repair damage done by the recent tornado.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Morris and son, of Big Spring, were Sunday visitors here with his father, Mr. Frank Morris, and Mrs. Morris. Mr. Latham, of Vigo Park, was also a Sunday visitor in the Frank Morris home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schnable, of Roswell, N. M., visited her mother, Mrs. J. B. Lanham, and other relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Nettleton and children, of Lubbock, spent the week end in Silverton. Mr. Nettleton conducted services at the local Presbyterian church in the absence of his father, Rev. N. D. Nettleton.

Kathy and Joe Bailey, Jr., of Kelton, spent last week with their aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd May, Van and Alvin. Mr. and Mrs. Pinckard and children, of Amarillo, were Sunday guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd May.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sedgwick, Lisa and Gena Ellen were Sunday dinner guests of his grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin May, Sherry, and Thurman have recently moved into their new home just south of the Assembly of God Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill May and son, of Happy, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. May, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bates, of Tulsa, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. E. May Sunday afternoon. They were neighbors in the Kaffir community near Happy several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Andrews and grandson and Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, of Aiken, and Mr. Milton Teague, of Floydada, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Smith is an aunt to Mrs. Andrews and Mr. Teague.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitfield and Bud, whose home was destroyed in the recent tornado have moved into the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin May.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Bingham and sons, whose home was destroyed in the recent tornado, have moved into the home just south of the Silverton hotel, owned by Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis.

Mrs. D. F. Wulfman, Miss Annette Wulfman and Clayton Dale Elkins, of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. John Wulfman, of Chicago, have been recent visitors with Mrs. Eunice Elkins, Carol and June. Mrs. D. F. Wulfman is the mother of John Wulfman, Mrs. Elkins and Annette Wulfman.

Mrs. Cora Donnell, Silverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Deane Donnell and children, of Canyon, went to Las Vegas, New Mexico, on Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell, Janice and Karen, former Silverton residents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Stevenson, of Canyon, visited Mrs. Minnie Stevenson one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Babb, students of Oklahoma Southwestern State College, Weatherford, Oklahoma, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tunnell, other relatives and friends here from Sunday night until Tuesday.

Pvt. Carrol Welch left for Colorado Springs, Colorado, last Thursday after having spent a leave here with his wife and baby, Donna Jean, and his mother, Mrs. Mabel Welch, and other relatives and friends.

Mesdames T. C. Bomar and Grady Wimberly attended the W. T. S. C. graduation exercises in Canyon Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Bomar also visited Mr. and Mrs. Noah Amason. Mrs. Wimberly visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wimberly.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Merrell and son, of Oklahoma City, spent the week end with Mrs. Merrell's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Larson and son, of Burkburnett, spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Jay Jones.

Miss Evelyn Jones left Monday for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where she will be employed during the summer.

Ronald Anderson, of San Antonio, visited from Monday until Saturday with his mother and sister, Mrs. T. L. Anderson and Miss Anna Lee Anderson.

Mrs. R. L. Campbell and Roberta and Buddy, of Hereford, visited Mrs. T. L. Anderson and Miss Anna Lee Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Esker Smith and family, of Amarillo, visited her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson, Saturday afternoon. They were enroute to Plainview to spend the week end with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Francis and children, former Silverton folks.

Floyd Busby, of Iowa Park, was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson. He is a former Silverton resident.

Mrs. M. G. Moreland and Mr. W. E. Jarvis, of Pampa, left Friday afternoon for Whitehouse where their brother, Charles Jarvis is seriously ill.

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Mrs. Ray Savage and Ricky, of Mineral Wells, have been here for several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Chitty, and Norman and other relatives. Ray planned to come for them on the week end but was unable to get here on account of the rains and high water down state.

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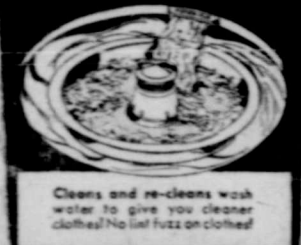
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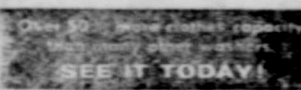
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