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Smith Withdraws From Sheriff's Race

Sheriff Vinson Smith issued the following statement to the people of Briscoe County today. "After much thought and consideration with regard to my family, I will not be a candidate for re-election as Sheriff. I had promised my family after the last time I was elected I would not run again.

"I want to thank the fine people of Briscoe County for their support through the years, and I wish to express my appreciation to the Commissioners, the Judges and Attorneys I have served with. No Sheriff could have had more loyal support than I had, both from the County Officials and from the people themselves.

"And, of course, we are especially proud of the kids we have rubbed elbows with and guided along the way during our Sheriffing years. There are many sacrifices that must be made by a family who has a member in law enforcement, and with these thoughts in mind, I feel that it is time for me to withdraw from the race. Of course, I will be around till my term expires January 1, 1977.

"As I have said, it's been a pleasure to serve you, the people of Briscoe County—The greatest folks on earth, just plain old people.

"Thanks a million for everything and we will be seeing you farther down the road. Sincerely, Vinson Smith."

Family Histories Need To Be Turned In Soon

The Briscoe County Historical Survey Committee wants to urge you to complete your family history as soon as possible.

Several histories have been turned in and many are working on them now. The committee is asking that you limit your history to approximately five typewritten pages and two photographs. They are particularly interested in pictures which have a direct bearing on early county history and landmarks.

You or your family may purchase a Memorial page in this book as a tribute to your family. It will be your page and may contain anything you wish to put on it. A full page costs \$100.00, a half page is \$60.00, and a fourth page is \$40.00. If you are interested in placing a page in the Memorial section, please contact Mrs. Joe Brannon.

These books are being sold at the pre-publication price of \$22.50 per copy. They will sell for \$27.50 after publication. If you wish to save money by buying your book now, please contact Mrs. Edwin Dickerson, Mrs. Fred Mercer, or Mrs. O. R. Stark, jr.

Time is growing short, and the Committee wishes to go to press with the book as soon as possible. Please finish your family history and turn it in to any of the Committee members, one of those already mentioned, or Mrs. Wayne McMurtry, Mrs. O. C. Rampley, Mrs. E. A. Birdwell, Mrs. Jarus Flowers, Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Mrs. Stanley Fogerson.

It was because of your tremendous response to the Briscoe County Commemorative Coin that publication of this beautiful book was made possible. Your cooperation is appreciated and your work in completing your history. The Committee believes you will be proud of each page when it is finished.

They want to give you as much time as possible, but they do need to get it to the publisher soon. They suggest you get together with family members and write your story pertaining to the early history and settlers of this county.



BETTY LEMONS

To Seek Hall County Office

Betty Lemons announced this week that she is a candidate for the office of Hall County and District Clerk, subject to the action of the 1976 May Primary for the Democratic Party.

In making this announcement, she submits the following statement:

"I have been a resident of Hall County all my life and attended Memphis Public Schools. I am married to Buck Lemons who is engaged in farming. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lemons of the Brice Community. My parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Evans of Memphis. We have three children, Stacy, who is in the 6th grade, Denise, a fourth grade student, and Audrea, who is five years old.

"I am a member of the First Baptist Church. I lived in Turkey from 1970 to 1972 while my husband was employed with Hall County Electric Co-op.

"I have been employed in different business in Memphis over the past 13 years. I have worked for The First National Bank, Memphis, First State Bank, Memphis and I am presently employed with Dunbar & Dunbar Insurance and Abstracts where I have worked closely with the County Clerk's office for the past three years.

"If elected to the office of County and District Clerk, I will do my best to fulfill the duties of this office to the best of my abilities.

"I will be visiting with all citizens of Hall County that I possibly can within the next few months.

"I will appreciate your support and vote in the May 1, 1976 primary."

BETTY RUTH WOOD SURPRISED ON BIRTHDAY

Friends and family of Mrs. Betty Ruth Wood surprised her Sunday when they all arrived at her home in Plainview for a family gathering and her birthday celebration. Cheryl Merrell baked a small wedding cake for them also.

Those present were the honoree and her husband, and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor, Katie, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor, Rise and Gregg, Lena, Anna and Bobby Cook, all of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Welch, Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Cappy Wise, Kim Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Meade, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Ikie Gilbert, Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eddleman, Estelline; Mr. and Mrs. Truman Merrell, Cheryl, Jayne and Don, Jake Merrell, Jim and Gladys Stroup and Janice Cobb, Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Merrell, Lockney, and Barney Martin joined the group in the afternoon for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Lane and daughter, Michelle, of Plainview were visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ferguson on Monday night. They were enroute to San Antonio where Ike will attend two weeks in school for his company, Southwestern Bell.

Valley High Teams Wind Up First Half Of District Play

The Valley High School basketball wound up the first half of the district round robin schedule here Tuesday night with the local teams taking wins over the Estelline High teams.

The two wins left the Valley girls undefeated in district competition and firmly in command of chances to repeat as district champions since none of the teams in the district appear to have enough to unseat them.

The Valley boys are all alone in second place in district competition, having lost only to Quail a week ago at Quail. The Patriots had been tied with Hedley until Tuesday when Quail finally won over Hedley in a game that took three overtime periods to settle. The game was played at Quail. The Patriots defeated Hedley at Hedley two weeks ago. So, there are three teams in the district that are capable of winning the title. The Patriots last four games will be at home and this will be to their advantage. But, there will be a district tournament for the boys so the round robin part of the schedule does not actually mean an awful lot, except for the fact that if a team can remain undefeated through the round robin they must be beaten twice during the district tournament.

The Valley girls won over Estelline 67-40 here Tuesday night in a better game than the score might indicate. The Bearettes trailed by only one point, 13-14, at the end of the first period and although they could not match the Patriots in scoring, Coach Gano Wilson's team, especially on the forward end, were very quick and

Honored at Golden Wedding Reception

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tunnell of Turkey were honored Sunday, January 18 in the home with a Golden Wedding Reception and open house.

Married January 19, 1926 in a double ceremony with Curtis' sister, Edna, Mr. and Mrs. Hyde McGowan, presently of Shreveport, Louisiana. The ceremony was performed here at Turkey by the Justice of Peace, Pete Moore.

Mrs. Tunnell, a native of Turkey, the former Davie Gibson, lost her parents as a small child and was reared in Quitaque by her mother's sister and her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Woods.

Curtis Tunnell grew up in Quitaque where the two attended the Quitaque Schools. After graduation, Davie attended college at Wayland before their marriage.

The Tunnells came to Turkey as a young bride and groom to make their home. Through the years, Mr. Tunnell has been associated with Cicero Smith Lumber Company and later Higginbotham Bartlett. He now serves as Turkey's Justice of the Peace and has served in that capacity the past 13 years.

The couple have three children. Their daughter, LaBelle, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dale Tunnell of Austin, where Curtis Dale is a Texas State Archaeologist.

On Monday night, January 19, the couple's anniversary date, their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ratcliff, arrived for a visit with her parents.

were hustlers and played well. Coach David Sanders let all of his squad see action in the game. Mitchie Lipscomb scored 19, Sherice Price 17, Joanie Turner 12, Janna Turner 11 and Jena Mullin 8. Debra Parsley saw action at forward and guard.

The Valley boys won 70-54 in a game that was never much of a contest. The Bears had good height but couldn't score very well and Coach Hulsey played reserves much of the game. Pepper Jones hit for 17 points to lead the Valley shooters. Kenny Chandler notched 12, Ernie Lucero 9, Joey Barefield 8, Scotty Setliff 7, Brian Wheeler and Danny Mayfield 6 each, Kenneth Helms 3 and Jeff Crump 2.

The Patriots title hopes could have suffered a severe jolt Monday afternoon during workouts when Ron Eudy hurt an ankle. The only thing known for sure at this time is that the ankle is not broken but just how severe the injury is will not be known for two or three more days. The ankle is sprained deep but it is not known at this time whether there is any ligament damage. The Patriots do not have a game Friday night and Tuesday night the team will go to Samnorwood. On Friday night of next week the Patriots will host the Quails from Quail High and Ron will be sorely needed for that one.

The Valley girls will be playing in the Tournament of Champions at Mangum, Oklahoma this weekend. The Patriots will play Mangum at 7:40 on Thursday (today). If the Patriots win they will play at 9:00 Friday. If they lose they will play at 6:20 Friday.

Eight teams are entered in the event and all have made it to the state tournaments and some of the teams are defending champions in their classes. Valley is the only Texas team in the tournament and the only Class B team in the tournament. Basketball fans are assured of seeing some very fine basketball. Each team in the meet will play three games. Coach Sanders says that Mangum is only about 130 miles away and hopes that Valley fans will go along and root for the Patriots.

UMW HAS PRAYER, SELF-DENIAL PROGRAM

The UMW of the Turkey First United Methodist Church held their annual "Call to Prayer and Self-Denial" program Monday, January 19 in the Church Chapel with eleven members present.

Mrs. Roy Patterson was leader of the program on special mission needs for support of victims of oppressed societies and systems and a healing ministries and service for the aged.

Mrs. John Adamson gave the scripture reading from John 1:7 and Ephesians 3:7-9. The group sang "Amazing Grace" and the leader led the group in two litanies with the members responding. Others participating in the program were Mmes. Emmett Baisden, Gilbert Wedge, R. C. Green, G. O. Coker and Aubrey Turner. The program was concluded with a special offering for mission projects in the United States and abroad.

Mrs. Bert Degan, the president, conducted the business meeting that followed the program and led the group in the closing prayer.

Mrs. Jonnie Franz has been a patient for the past two weeks in the Leisure Lodge Nursing Home, 1200 N. W. 7th in Childress. Her sister, Mrs. Curtis Tunnell, reports Mrs. Franz has improved and will probably remain the rest of this month before returning to her home.

NOTICE!

All persons interested in the Gasoline Community Building and the 1976 Homecoming, please meet at the Gasoline Community Building Sunday, January 25, at 2:30 p.m.

Junior High Teams Defeat Estelline

The Valley Junior High boys and girls took wins over Estelline Tuesday afternoon. The boys outscored Estelline 49-45, and the girls won with a 43-33 margin.

The Junior High teams are playing in the McAdoo Tournament this week.

NEW CABINET SHOP ESTABLISHED IN TURKEY

Willie Hawkins, jr. has returned to Turkey from Mesquite and has been self-employed doing carpenter work in the community.

He has established a cabinet shop in the Roy Russell building, formerly occupied by General Telephone Company, located on Third Street just behind Coker & Eudy Seeds.

Mr. Hawkins' family is presently living in Estelline, where his wife has been busy assisting her mother in the care of her father. Their children are attending school in Estelline. They are interested in renting a house here and residing in Turkey with plans to build a home in the future.

Guests in the Denver Powell home last Sunday were Mrs. Gene Payne and daughters, Brenda and Carole; Johnny Powell, all of Shamrock, and Mrs. Powell's sister, Mrs. Audra Foster, of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Peery and children of Bowie spent the past weekend in Turkey with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Peery and girls and his grandmother, Mrs. Lillie Peery. Mrs. Bill Peery of Childress came to Turkey Sunday to visit with the Peery families.

Mrs. Ruth House returned home Sunday, after having been in the Highland Hospital in Lubbock for the past two weeks.

Little Miss Amy Stephens of Matador spent last Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Shine Stephens, and on Sunday Roy and Joanie came to Turkey for a visit and to return their daughter home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hawkins of Mesquite announce the arrival of a new son that weighed 7 lbs. and 9 ozs. The parents have named him Casey Layne. The couple have a 5-year-old called Ryan.

Grandparents of the new baby are Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hawkins of Turkey and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sherman of McAllen.

Jerry Weatherly of Haskell and Bobby Rainer of Weinert visited in the E. L. Hill home over the weekend and spent the extra time hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baker have moved to Turkey from Canyon this week and are making arrangements to have Lane's Restaurant in operation by the first of February. Announcement will be made at a later date.

Mrs. James Fuston has returned home after an extended stay in Dallas to be with her brother, Norman Noble, who is seriously ill. Mrs. Fuston reported that her brother has shown some improvement.

J. T. Mullin and his son, Rod, were in Florida over the weekend to attend the Super Bowl football game.



MIKE FUSTON

Youth Shows Grand, Reserve Champion Steers

History repeated itself Thursday, January 8, at the Sand Hills Hereford Steer Show in Ector County Coliseum.

For the second time in the show's 43-year history, one boy showed the grand champion and reserve grand champion Hereford at the largest Hereford Steer Show in the nation.

Mike Fuston, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Denny Fuston of Panhandle and grandson of Mrs. Alice Fuston and Mr. and Mrs. Jack House of Turkey, showed both the champion and reserve, a feat performed only once more than 2 years ago.

Bobby Sale, now a Martin County rancher and a director in the Sand Hills Association, pulled off the double win in 1955.

The chance of anyone showing the grand and reserve champion in a major livestock show are almost nonexistent and those on hand for the big Hereford Steer Show in the coliseum could remember it happening only one other time in Texas and that was in Dallas during the State Fair of Texas several years ago.

The owner of the grand champion and reserve champion steers could hardly get used to the idea and at the end of the judging probably didn't even realize what he had done.

As a result of the double win, young Fuston, a member of the Carson County 4-H Club, will probably cry all the way to the bank in Panhandle.

The Odessa Championship Club guaranteed Fuston would receive at least \$3,000.00 for the 1,150 pound grand champion steer and at least \$1,500 for his reserve champion steer of the same weight. And just in case Fuston can't add very well, that is a total of \$4,500 for the two animals.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Meacham and Mrs. James Lipscomb and girls were in Lubbock recently to help Mrs. W. H. Bell celebrate her 87th birthday on January 12. The birthday dinner was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raldo Meacham with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lynn Christian and family, joining the group for the happy occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Browning, William Mullin, Jess Mullin, Horace Elmer Mullin, jr. were all in San Antonio over the weekend to attend the funeral service for their aunt, Mrs. Alpha McDonald, who reached the age of 97 years.

Bill Boling Enters Sheriff's Race

Bill Boling has authorized the local newspaper to make the following announcement.

"To the People of Briscoe County, I have decided to place my name in the Democratic Primary as a candidate for the office of Briscoe County Sheriff.

"I have served as Briscoe County Commissioner, Precinct 3, for the past three years and am on the last year of this term. I have lived in Briscoe County most of my life. I fully understand the duties and responsibilities of this office.

"If elected I will fulfill the duties of the office to the best of my ability. I will try to contact each voter before the election. In the meantime I would like your consideration and support," Boling said.

Boling is the son of Mrs. Marie Boling of Silverton and the late A. A. Boling. He is the grandson of Briscoe County pioneers, the late Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Gregg, who made their home in Quitaque and Silverton for many years.

Boling warned prospective voters of the re-registration that is now going on. "You need to be sure to get by the Tax Office and complete your re-registration before March 1, 1976 if you want to be eligible to vote in the Primaries this year," he reminded.

Mrs. W. W. Cain reported to the Tribune that her son-in-law, Scotty Steward of Fort Worth, suffered a stroke last Friday night. He was taken to the Veteran's Hospital in Dallas and she says he has suffered three more strokes since he has been in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter visited her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Broxson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Broxson, in Pampa Monday afternoon. Willie Broxson had eye surgery December 12, and has recuperated in good condition.

Word was received here by relatives that Randy Bedwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bedwell of Plainview, had been in a serious automobile accident early Saturday morning, when he failed to negotiate a curve on 24th Street in Plainview. At the latest report, he was still in the intensive care unit in a Lubbock hospital. He is related to the Joe Bedwells, Nook Bedwells and John Kings. His parents have the Village Shop on Fifth Street in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Corky Morris of Dimmitt stopped by for a short visit with his parents, the Buddy Morris', Sunday evening. They were returning home from a visit with her sister and family in Guthrie, Texas.

Mrs. Mary Pittman spent Sunday and Monday at home with her mother, Mrs. C. T. Rucker. The James Barefields spent the weekend in Lubbock with the Richard Pittmans.

Guests of Mrs. Lillian White over the weekend were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Faulkner of Causey, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Graham of Amarillo, and those stopping for a short visit were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Middleton of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Alexander of Florence, Colorado. The Middletons and Alexanders visited the Orin Starks and other friends, also. They are former residents of Quitaque.

Minnie Mae Roberson attended the Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary of the Curtis Tunnells in Turkey Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Prof. (Jo) Patrick spent from Friday until Sunday in the Swisher County Hospital. She is back on the job at Farmer's Gin.

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Mrs. Allen Clary Honored at Shower

Mrs. Allen Clary was honored for a surprise pink and blue baby shower held Saturday, January 17, from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. in the Bank Community Room. She received many nice and useful gifts, including a high chair, baby book

and a corsage made of pink, blue and yellow baby socks, all gifts of the hostesses. Other gifts included a hand-crocheted wrap made by Allen's mother, sleepers, gown sets, diapers, diaper bags, blankets, diaper stacker, an electric dish warmer, a zipper quilt, etc.
 Susan Taylor and Barbara Reagan served refreshments of assorted cookies, punch, mints and nuts

from a table laid with a yellow cloth covered with an arrangement of ivy and a giraffe.
 Hostesses were Nancy Price, Becky Hamilton, Elois Price, Elaine Harmon, Jessie Eagan, Jo Patrick, Evelyn Whittington, Johnnie Morrison, Ruth Eramson, Stephanie Woods, Delene Tyler, Ann Marie Ham, Mary Pigg and Velma Price.
 Mrs. Buster Chadwick and Stacia were in Plainview Monday for a medical checkup.

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Adamson - Golden Wedding Held

Miss Linda Sue Golden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl (Pete) Golden of Brownfield, and John Rodney Adamson III, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Adamson, jr. of Turkey were united in marriage Saturday, November 29, 1975 at 7:00 o'clock in the evening in the First Baptist Church in Brownfield. The Rev. Pat Cummins officiated the double ring ceremony.

The couple stood before an altar which was centered with an arched candelabrum flanked with candle trees holding pillow can-

dles and fresh greenery. The aisles were lighted with hurricane lamps entwined with magnolia and bows of satin.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a classical wedding gown of white silk peau-d'ange with accents of rosepoint Venice lace. The molded bodice featured a high wedding band neckline of Venice lace, rosepoint and pearl accents. Full lantern sleeves were gathered to deep cuffs of Venice lace with accents of ruffled lace at the wrists. A

full circular skirt fell from the lace encircled crescent waistline. It also carried accents of rosepoint lace flowerlets applied and centered with pearls.

She wore a Camelot headpiece covered with rosepoint lace. Three bouffant tiers of imported silk illusion formed her veil and it fell beyond the train of her gown and was also edged in lace. She carried a cascading bouquet of stephanotis and baby's breath.

Janie Bennett of Ruidoso, New Mexico served her sister as matron of honor. Beth Hawkins of Brownfield was her sister's bridesmaid.

J. R. Adamson, jr. of Turkey was his son's best man, and Rex



MRS. ROD ADAMSON

Adamson of Lubbock was his brother's groomsman.

Ushers were Ted Bennett of Ruidoso, New Mexico and Rod Setliff of Turkey.

Miss Tressa Ann Hawkins and Jay Scott Hawkins of Brownfield, niece and nephew of the bride, were candlelighters.

J. W. Hawkins of Brownfield sang "The Twelfth of Never" and "Wedding Prayer," accompanied at the instrument by Jane Beyo of Ruidoso.

The bride's attendants wore rust-colored dresses with chiffon of the same color as overdrape. Ecru lace draped the bodice of the dresses. They carried bouquets of fall flowers.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony. The bride's table was laid with a white floor-length lace cloth. The three-tiered cake centered the table. It was decorated with confectionary roses, azaleas and stephanotis in shades of rust, apricot and shrimp. Centering the punch and coffee table was a mass arrangement of fall flowers and brass candelabra.

After a wedding trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico the couple is at home in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

She chose a pink traveling outfit from Hemphill-Wells.

She is employed with Ruidoso State Bank, and he is employed with Roswell Savings and Loan at Ruidoso.

The bride attended Wellman High School and West Texas State University. The groom attended Turkey Schools and Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Finney received word in the early morning hours Wednesday of last week that her nephew, Rex Cowan, 26, of Houston had suffered a cerebral hemorrhage and died suddenly. Mrs. Ronald Kaiser of Plainview came for her parents and took them to Lubbock where they emplaned for Houston. They returned home Friday.

Funeral services were held Thursday at 10:00 o'clock a.m. in the Howard Glendale Funeral Home Chapel. He is survived by his wife and two small sons; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Co-

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Obligations of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	650,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	2,118,000.00
Other securities (including \$ None cooperative stock)	6,000.00
Trading account securities	None
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,243,000.00
Loans	4,570,000.00
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	None
Real estate owned other than bank premises	None
Investments in subsidiaries not consolidated	None
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	None
Other assets (including \$ None direct lease financing)	25,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	11,257,000.00

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	4,644,000.00
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,079,000.00
Deposits of United States Government	21,000.00
Deposits of States and Political Subdivisions	359,000.00
Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	None
Deposits of commercial banks	None
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	76,000.00
TOTAL DEPOSITS	10,179,000.00
(a) Total demand deposits	4,967,000.00
(b) Total time and savings deposits	5,212,000.00
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	None
Liabilities for borrowed money	None
Mortgage indebtedness	None
Acceptance executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	None
Other liabilities	None
TOTAL LIABILITIES	10,179,000.00
MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES	None

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	
Reserves for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	None
Other reserves on loans	None
Reserves on securities	None
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	None
Capital notes and debentures	None
% Due	\$
% Due	\$
Equity capital-total	1,079,000.00
Preferred stock-total par value	None
No. shares outstanding	None
Common Stock-total par value	50,000.00
No. shares authorized	500
No. shares outstanding	500
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	541,000.00
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	338,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1,079,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	11,258,000.00

MEMORANDA	
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	9,000.00
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	5,000.00
Interest collected not earned on installment loans included in total capital accounts	10,000.00

REPORT OF CONDITION, CONSOLIDATING DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES, OF THE First National Bank

Of Quitaque, Texas
IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DEC. 31, 1975 PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER TITLE 12, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 161.

I, Bob J. Ham, Vice-President, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Bob J. Ham
January 14, 1976

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition. We declare that it has been examined by us, to the best of our knowledge and belief it true and correct, and that it has been or will be published in the manner prescribed by Title 12, U.S.C. 161, within twenty days from the date of the call for report of condition, or as otherwise prescribed by the Comptroller of the Currency.

O. R. Stark, Jr. Directors
J. T. Persons
Orlin Stark

wan and a grandmother. He was a member of the Church of Christ, and the minister of the Church of Christ where he attended services officiated at the funeral.

Mrs. Estelle Davidson drove to Memphis Thursday and visited in the home of a sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Orcutt. She met two other sisters there, Mrs. Sophie Cook of Gainesville and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Shackelford of Amarillo. Mrs. Davidson remained until Saturday.

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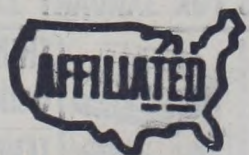
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GALLON \$1.61

Shurfresh 12 oz.
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CARD OF THANKS
Words cannot express what we feel in our hearts for all the wonderful acts of kindness that our friends and relatives have shown us during my surgery and convalescence. My doctors are giving me very encouraging reports and with God's help, I will be well again soon. We appreciate so much all the cards, telephone calls, visits, flowers, gifts, food and, especially, to thank Bro. Parsley and Bro. Postelle for being with me and my family through all of this. Continue to pray for us and may God richly bless you all.
Joyce Boyles and family

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
Subject to Action of the Democratic Primary

FOR SHERIFF, BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS:
J. L. WILLIAMS
Silverton, Texas
BILL BOLING
Silverton, Texas

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS:
MYRTLE HELM
Memphis, Texas
JO CARMEN
Memphis, Texas
(Incumbent)
PHYLLIS DUNN
Memphis, Texas
BETTY LEMONS
Memphis, Texas

FOR COUNTY JUDGE, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS:
LESTER H. CAMPBELL
Memphis, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Arville Setliff, Rod and Scott spent the weekend in Lubbock visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Setliff and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Chadwick and Stachia and Vance Robison of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Chandler of Lubbock were visitors in the Guy Smith home in Turkey Sunday.

Mrs. Foy Lane was taken to Plainview Monday by her husband, John, where she remains a patient in Central Plains Hospital for tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Rickman had as their guests this past weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Pryor and children of Canyon.

Mrs. Fannie Mae Lokey of Lub-

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bock, her sister, Snow Grundy, Quitaque, and Mrs. Gladys Bedwell of Sunray visited Mrs. J. E. Chandler Sunday last week.

The Tribune received a renewal subscription and a note from the B. K. Hamiltons of Granbury. They send regards to their friends in this area, wishing each one a happy and healthy New Year.

Mary Brunson and her friend, Lisa Hall, of Amarillo spent the weekend with Mary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brunson.

Mrs. Addie Carroll had her family home for New Year's holidays. Those present were Addie B. Womack and children, Big Spring; Harold Carroll and family, Stanton; Clayton Carroll and family, Donald Carroll and family, and Don and Linda Johnson, all of Tulia; Richard of Roswell, New Mexico and his children from

Plainview, Jimmie Ruth and Caludie Matney of Whiteflat; Christina Montgomery and family, Irving. The Charles Barretts visited the visitors and also Dalsie Monk, while they were all here. Mrs. Carroll has had a bad case of the flu the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Deloy Myers and children and Mr. and Mrs. Monte Stephens spent a few days the week after Christmas visiting their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thompson and family in Hugerton, Kansas. They report Mrs. Thompson is recuperating in good condition following recent surgery at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Montgomery of Lubbock spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, last weekend.



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NEVER BE LONELY
A partially disabled sister, living alone in her twilight years, was asked how she was able to live in solitude and yet remain so cheerful. "What do you do through the long hours of seclusion each day to avoid loneliness?" "Well, first I spend some time singing and praising God. Then I open my Bible and let God speak to me. Following this I talk with him in prayer." "But what do you do when you've finished singing, reading and praying?" Smiling softly she replied, "Well, I just sit and let the Lord love me!"
She had discovered "the peace of God, which passes all understanding" Phil 4:7. By meditating upon the love of God she had found deep comfort and companionship. Her family may have been guilty of neglect. Friends may have forgotten her. Neighbors may have been too preoccupied with their own lives to even notice her. But she knew the Lord's promise, "I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee." "What a fellowship . . . leaning on the everlasting arms." We need never be lonely!
The Bible says: "I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee" Hebrews 13:5
Have a nice day.

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SHURFRESH MILK gal jug. \$1.65
Gallon Ctn. --- \$1.59 1/2 gal. --- 85¢
TENDERCRUST BREAD 1 1/2 lb. loaf 41¢
Shurfine Frozen Cut Corn 10 oz. 3 FOR \$1.00
Vanish Toilet Bowl Cleaner 34 oz. 69¢

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