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## City, School Elections Set Saturday, April 7

The Valley School and City of Quitaque elections will be held Saturday, April 7, at the Quitaque City Hall and the polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

There are three incumbents

### Thomas W. Tippet Is Candidate For Hall County Sheriff

Thomas W. Tippet of Memphis has authorized the Tribune to announce his candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Hall County.

Mr. Tippet says, "If elected I would devote full time to the job, and would appreciate your vote and influence."

He is married to the former Sonia Greshan and they have three children, Cliff, who is a junior at Texas Tech, Tracy Ann, a sophomore at West Texas State University, and Steve, a third grader in Memphis Elementary School.

Mr. Tippet has lived in Hall County all his life. He served two years in the U. S. Army at which time he served as a Military Police. "I believe in sound, efficient law enforcement," he added.

At the present time he is engaged in farming and ranching.

### Valley School Personalities Chosen Last Week

The Valley High School personalities were chosen last week.

They include Lori Clay, Miss VHS; other nominees were Sarah Hewett, Cynthia Fulbright, Olga Ortiz.

J. Dale Butler, Mr. VHS; other nominees were Criss Morrison, Chuck Martin, Kirk Saul.

Kay Donna Hancock, Friendliest Girl; others nominated were Karen Ramsey, Robin Myers, Delma Martinez.

Daniel Ortiz, Friendliest Boy; others were Tim Clardy, Revis

### Quitaque School Homecoming Set

This is the year set for the Quitaque School Homecoming. Everyone is asked to start now making plans to attend Saturday, August 4.

If anyone knows of someone who would like to attend, please mail the address to Jim Saul, Route 1, Quitaque, Texas 79255, or to Mrs. Truman Merrell, Star Route, Quitaque, Texas 79255.

for school board who have submitted their names for re-election. They are Deloy Myers, Ronald Lynn Mullin and Mack Seymour.

The candidates for City officers are also incumbents. Jake Merrell is up for re-election as mayor. There are also two councilmen who have consented to submit their names for re-election. They are Joe Bedwell and A. B. Ramsey.

Judge for the election will be Bud Bailey. Clerks will be Mrs. Jimmy (Fay) Pointer and Mrs. Manuel (Maria) Cruz.

### Primary Elections To Be Held May 5

Some of you have asked when the Primary elections will be held. They are held on the first Saturday in May, which falls on May 5, 1984.

### 10 YEARS AGO March 28, 1974

Jayne Eudy won the Hall County Spelling Bee. Runner-up was Jeff Crump. Rickey Fuston was the winner of the Junior bee with Amon Chavira as runner-up.

Farley, Robert Patrick.

Karen Ramsey, Most Beautiful; others entered were Robin Myers, Devona Smith, Sandi Lipscomb.

Billy Shannon, Most Handsome; others nominated Criss Morrison, Steve Price and Lane Myers.

Sherri Hendrix, Girl Most Likely To Succeed; others, Kaylene Green, Laurie Harp, Olga Ortiz.

Darren Edwards, Boy Most Likely To Succeed; others, Ray Don Taylor, Chuck Martin, Kirk Saul.

Lori Clay and J. Dale Butler, Best All Around.

Class favorites are Mary Dowd and Daniel Ortiz, seniors; Robin Myers, Tim Clardy and Criss Morrison, juniors; Kay Donna Hancock and Roy Beavers, sophomores; Delma Martinez and Matt Barrett, freshmen.

### JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL

#### TOURNAMENT IS SUCCESS

We, the class of '85, would like to thank all those who participated in and came to the Volleyball Tournament last weekend. It was a big success, and we owe it all to you; especially those who contributed to the concession stand. Thanks again, from the Class of '85.



Mrs. Aerina Bockari of Sierra Leone, Africa is shown talking to Mrs. M. T. Blume in the chapel of Turkey UMC. Other members of the UMW are in the background. Photo courtesy of Faye Armstrong

### Missionaries From Africa Speak At Turkey Church

David and Lerina Bockari of Koidu Town, Sierra Leone in West Africa, spoke at the Turkey United Methodist Church Monday night. A pot-luck supper was served in the fellowship hall of the church and then Rev. Bockari showed slides of Sierra Leone and told about their work there. He is pastor of a 400-member church and is also a District Superintendent.

Mrs. Bockari talked to the United Methodist Women in the afternoon at their regular meeting held in the church chapel. She said she is the principal of a school for 700 girls from the first through the seventh grade. They have only 18 teachers, so they each have a large group to teach.

They were selected to come to the United States by the Board of Global Ministries of the United Methodist Church to spend 7 1/2 months in the Northwest Texas Conference. They have been in five districts and have two more to go. They will also be at the various camps held at Ceta Canyon and Butman, and will be at the Schools of Missions for the United Methodist Women this summer at South Plains College in Levelland.

They were guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Armstrong for the night and went on to Plainview Tuesday morning to speak at a meeting there. They said they liked Texas very much (but not all the weather) as the people were so very friendly. They speak English, as it is the official language.

### Bob Wills Queen Pageant To Be Held April 14

The Bob Wills Queen Pageant has been announced for April 14 this year. Any girl between the ages of 14 and 19 is eligible to enter this contest.

If interested, contact Cindy Lane at 423-1359 after 5:00 p.m.

### FORMER RESIDENT IN ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL

It was reported to the Valley Tribune early this week that Mrs. J. T. Rogers, sr. had been admitted to intensive care at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock early Monday of this week. She was dismissed Tuesday afternoon and was returned to her home in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rogers, jr. of Plainview were at her bedside.

### Formby To Speak At Chamber Banquet

Another outstanding program has been lined up for the 1984 Quitaque Chamber of Commerce Banquet, which will be held on April 19 at the Quitaque Community Center.

Marshall Formby, a prominent attorney from Plainview, will be

the principal speaker for the evening.

Mr. Formby is well-known throughout this area and across the state. He is a partner in the law firm of LaFont, Tunnell, Formby and Hamilton, and is a long-time associate of Graddy Tunnell. He is a former State Senator, and he served five years on the Texas Highway Commission in Austin, three of these years being in the capacity of chairman.

He is a former member of the Texas Tech Board of Regents, and back in the sixties he was a candidate for Governor of the State of Texas. He has held almost every office in Rotary International.

Formby is a native of Dickens County, and likes to refer to McAdoo as the place where he grew up. He still serves as chairman of the board at nearby Citizens National Bank in Crosbyton.

Retirement years have not dimmed Formby's wit and sense of humor, nor his knowledge of world affairs, and he still accepts a few selected speaking engagements.

Quitaque is indeed fortunate to have this outstanding man as speaker for the 1984 Chamber of Commerce Banquet, and you are urged to get your tickets now for this important occasion. Tickets are available from Chamber members and at the First National Bank.

### REMINDER

Don't forget the Mop and Broom Sale in Turkey Saturday, sponsored by Turkey Lions Club.

### Easter Parade Planned For Children

The Bob Wills Queen Committee will be sponsoring an Easter Parade for all children kindergarten age and older before the Queen Contest Saturday, April 14.

The time for the Easter Parade will be 7:30 p.m. at the Bob Wills Center in Turkey.

If interested, please contact Ginger Mullin, 423-1140, or Jo Lacy, 423-1122.

### Valley FFA Wins First Place In Mechanics In Amarillo

Members of the Valley Future Farmers of America won the Greenbelt District Ag Mechanics which was held March 22, 1984 at TSTI in Amarillo.

Team members were Darren Edwards, Troy Taylor, Lee J. Browning and J. Dale Butler.

Each team member must do electric wiring, welding, small gas engines and tool identification. All members' scores are then added together for the team score. The Valley team placed ahead of Childress and Hedley.

The contest is sponsored by the Greenbelt Electric Coop and the Gate City Electric Coop.



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### Bike-a-Thon For St. Jude's Set For April 14

Riders for the Saturday, April 14, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Wheels for Life Bike-A-Thon are asking Turkey-Quitaque citizens to back their efforts by pledging a contribution for each mile they ride.

"The money our riders earn will help continue St. Jude's life-saving study of childhood cancer that has become so important to children all over the world," said Bike-a-Thon chairman, Melvin Clinton.

"We'll be showing that we care about children by helping this cause," Clinton said. "Please support your rider with as generous a pledge as you can, and then help them get the funds to us as soon as the ride is over."

"Each rider will be given a lap card when they register at the parks on April 14," Clinton said. "Every time they ride through the check point, we'll initial the card. At the end of the ride, we'll check it and sign it to show that the rider earned what the sponsor pledged." Riders will then return to the sponsors to collect the pledge.

We'll also be giving them a hospital bracelet saying 'I'm riding for Terry' to wear during the ride. I'm sure most of them will still be wearing them while they make their collections." Terry is a St. Jude patient who represents all victims of the illnesses under study at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

The ride starts at the park at 9:30 a.m. and the group will meet at Valley School for refreshments.

"If you have not been asked to sponsor a rider, please call 423-1060, and we'll get one to call you," Clinton said. Riders can still obtain sponsor/registration forms from Mr. Smith at Valley School.

### RELATIVES ATTEND HEDRICK SERVICES

Among the relatives and friends who attended the services for W. L. Hedrick were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams and Randy, Mrs. Gladys Williams, Ernestine Gary, Gordon and Jewel Hedrick, and Mary Garner, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hedrick, Canyon; Mrs. Blanche McKinnon, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hedrick, Hondo; Mr. and Mrs. Dink Hedrick, San Antonio; Mrs. Elbert Hedrick, Uvalde; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hedrick, Estelline.

There were many more, but we were not able to get other names as Mrs. Hedrick returned to her home right after the services.

### RELATIVES AND FRIENDS ATTEND COTTEN SERVICES

Among relatives and friends who attended services for Mick Cotten were Mr. and Mrs. Derrel Fuston and girls, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Randall Robbins, Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Shelburne and boys, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Chandler, Kaufman; Mr.

and Mrs. Gary Chandler, Forney; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Chandler and Lanie, Mrs. Judy Warner, Kaufman; Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Hobulac and Chad, Melvin; Mrs. Betty Hawkins and Sheri, Forney; Mrs. Jean Greenslade, Kaufman; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cruse and Shanon, Justin; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Don Cruse, Mr. Zane Cruse, Fort Worth;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cruse, Flomot; Derinda Cruse, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cruse and family, Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse and family, Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. James Gwen, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clifton and family, Matador; Mrs. Violeta Hutton, Mineral Wells; Mrs. Evelyn Hutton, Abilene;

Also, Mrs. Olga Gafford, Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. Birt Lane, Mrs. Lois Bedwell and Mrs. Bernice Gregg, all of

Plainview; Mrs. Gwendolene Peacock, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Turner and Mr. Frank Morgan, all of Odessa; Gene Shelburne, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Shelburne, jr., Houston; Jim Shelburne, Amarillo; Howard and Donnie Rogers, Flomot;

Also, O. L. Cunningham, Tulia, Mrs. Louise Barton, Matador; F. D. Barnhill, jr., Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Adamson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wingate, all of Odessa; Bob Lane, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Weatherly, Memphis; Mrs. Josephine Cagle, Quitaque; Floyd Hardin, Matador; Guy and Bob Young, Tulia; Andy Daniels, Miss Tops Gilreath, Memphis;

Also, Wilburn Leeper, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter, Quitaque; Mrs. Delta Lee, Tulia; Mrs. Ron Loe and Justin, Canyon; David Lane, Memphis; Mitchie Fuston,

Clarendon; Delor Carroll, Roswell, New Mexico; Mrs. Gene Baxter, Rye, Colorado.

Mrs. Floye McCracken drove to Silverton Sunday and had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Francis. Other guests were Jim Shelbourne of Amarillo, Katy Francis and a friend, Wayne Henderson of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Barry Francis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Grundy visited Mrs. Fannie Mae Lokey in Lubbock over the weekend. They also visited Barbara Pigg and son, Jon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hamilton of Flomot and Butch Hamilton were guests for lunch Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamilton.



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Last week, the Valley eighth grade class elected officers. Winning the election were Saul, president; Christie G...

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over the weekend.  
sited Barbara Pigg  
rs. L. W. Hamilton  
and Butch Hamilton  
for lunch Sunday  
Mrs. Leroy Hamil-



Dorcas Vivens is shown with her deaf and mute son, Buddy, as she is teaching him at a day care center in Amarillo where she works. Mrs. Vivens is a former Turkey resident. Buddy is a second grade student at Lamar

Elementary. This picture appeared among others in a recent Sunday issue of Amarillo Globe-News, with an article stressing the need for day care centers for the handicapped. Mrs. Vivens is currently serving on a committee working on this need.

### Eighth Grade Elects Officers

Last week, the Valley eighth grade class elected officers. Winning the election were Scott Saul, president; Christie Grag-

son, vice-president; Sandy Price, second vice-president, and Cari Morrison, reporter.

On Wednesday of last week, the class sold popcorn balls, cookies, brownies, cupcakes and caramel apples. The class made \$62.80 from the sale of these products and the profit will be

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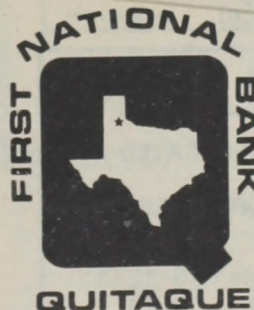


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Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins of Canyon and Mrs. Ollie McMinn of Silverton visited Mrs. Lottie Owens in Quitaque Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bailey spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Wassom and children and Mrs. Janet Turner and girls.

Joey Barefield, who is attending West Texas State University, spent the weekend in Quitaque visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Barefield.

Mrs. Bill Farley and Mrs. Virginia Dudley drove to Portales, New Mexico last Monday. Mrs. Farley visited with her daughter, Lanita Garnett, and Mrs. Dudley visited cousins, Lena Mae Goff and Rinky Hodges, whom she had seen only once or twice previously. She reported a good visit and said they set up a reunion of the Clark family to be held this summer. The ladies returned to Turkey on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Green and Kaylene had a large group of relatives as guests for Sunday dinner in their home. They included her mother, Mrs. Robert Chambliss, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hale and Mrs. Charles Cain and Aaron of Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Bearden, Tracy and Kyle and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Waters, Bradley and Kayla of Tokio; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Phipps and Whitney of Welch; Kendra

Hale of Lubbock, and their son, James Green, of Canyon. Several of the group came earlier in the weekend to play in the volleyball tournament at the Valley School.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest (Dink) Hedrick of Sabinal and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hedrick of Hondo spent Thursday night of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter. They attended the funeral services in Turkey Friday for their brother, Lawrence Hedrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hedrick of Canyon stopped by for a visit with her parents, the Carters, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whittington spent last week visiting in Arizona. They visited Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Brummett in Phoenix and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Lord and Samantha in Pinetop.



**OBITUARIES**

**MILTON EUGENE COTTEN**  
 Funeral services for Milton E. Cotten, 66, of Turkey were held Thursday, March 29, 1984 at the Turkey Church of Christ with Ellmore Johnson, minister of the Quaker Avenue Church of Christ in Lubbock, and G. W. Shelburne, minister of the Main Street Church of Christ in Houston, officiating. Burial followed in Dreamland Cemetery under direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors of Turkey. He passed away Monday night, March 26, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a short illness.

He was born in Turkey on December 10, 1917, a son of the late Less B. and Elizabeth Lane Cotten. He was married to Vernell Cruse on July 8, 1945 in Childress. He served in the European Theatre in World War II and was awarded the EAME

Campaign Medal, with three bronze stars, a purple heart and the good conduct medal. Since the war he was engaged in farming and ranching and was active up until his death. He was a member of the Turkey Church of Christ and was ordained a deacon.

Mick, as he was called, is survived by his wife, Vernell; three daughters, Mrs. Carroll Fuston of Houston, Mrs. Glenna Robbins of Tulsa and Mrs. Juana Shelburne of Odessa; a sister, Mrs. Duncan Chandler of Dallas, and eight grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were Brett Cruse of Bryan; Darrell and Danny Cruse, Flomot; Paul Don Cruse, Carrolton; Shannon Cruse of Justin; Tommy Lee Cruse, Robert Gragson; James Cruse, Fort Worth; Jerry Chandler and Johnny Chandler, both of Kaufman, and David Driskill of Amarillo.

Honorary pallbearers were E. J. and Jess Browning, Melvin Clinton, Doc Conner, Lynn Davis, Tom Eudy, Rickey Fuston, Buster Hanna, Jack House, Clyde Johnson, Jack and J. W. Lacy, Otho Stubbs, Turkey; Leonard Lusk, Memphis; J. T. Mullin, Hubert Price, E. D. Richmond, David Setliff, Johnny Peery, Eugene Ferguson, Harold Thrasher and Virgil Blakney, all of Turkey.

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**WILLIAM L. HEDRICK**

Funeral services for William Lawrence Hedrick, 81, of Hondo were held Friday, March 30, 1984, at 11:00 a.m. in Dreamland Cemetery at Turkey with the Rev. W. L. Armstrong, pastor of Turkey United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial followed under direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors of Turkey.

Mr. Hedrick died early Wednesday morning, March 28, at Methodist Hospital in San Antonio

after a lengthy illness. He was born on June 2, 1902, in West Virginia, a son of the late William and Edna Hedrick. He was married to Norma Mae Todd in April 1928 and she passed away on January 24, 1962. He was married to Annie Lois Jones in 1964.

He was manager of Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Yard in Turkey for about 45 years before retiring about five years ago and moving to Hondo where he made his home until the time of his

death. He was a member of Turkey United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Annie Lois of Hondo; a daughter, Mrs. Gloria Williams of Amarillo; three step-daughters, Mrs. Joslyn Knowles of Dallas, Mrs. Jemay Trabue of Mesquite and Mrs. Geraldine Sanders of El Paso; a step-son, John Lance Jones, Amarillo; a sister, Mrs. Blanche McKinnon of Houston, and six grandchildren. Pallbearers were Johnny

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 Services were scheduled for Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Turkey.  
 A complete obituary will appear in next week's issue of the Tribune.  
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 Bonnie F. Willis, 82, died Sunday in Wellington. Services were held Tuesday at 10:00 at the First Baptist Church there.  
 She was a supervisor in the Turkey, Lakeview and Estelline schools in the late 1940's, according to her friends here. She served on a Texas Association of School Curriculum Development Board and was a member of Delta Kappa Gamma and Retired Teachers Association.  
 She is survived by a brother, W. M. Willis of Wellington; two sisters, Jean West of Wellington and Floy Frost of Nocona; a niece and a nephew.  
 Mrs. Jay Eudy of Plainview and Jill Roberts of Levelland visited with Mrs. Willis Sunday.  
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Mrs. Jay Eudy of Plainview and Jill Roberts of Levelland visited with Mrs. M. T. ... Sunday.

Mary Martin of Altus, Oklahoma visited friends in Turkey Tuesday.

**Arthur Barrett Buried In Rest Haven Monday**

Services for Arthur Caradine Barrett, 88, of Quitaque were conducted at 3:30 p.m. Monday, April 2, 1984, at the First Baptist Church in Quitaque with Dr. Rick Johnson, interim pastor, officiating, and Elgin Conner, minister of the Quitaque Church of Christ, assisting.

Burial was in Rest Haven Cemetery at Quitaque under the direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Lockney.

Mr. Barrett died at 3:32 a.m. Sunday at Lockney General Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Born May 16, 1895 in Courtney, Oklahoma, he married Vergie Robbins November 30, 1913, at Courtney. He moved to Briscoe County in 1923. He was a retired farmer.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Quitaque.

Mr. Barrett was preceded in death by three sons, Lawrence, Clarence, and on March 23, 1984, by Glynn Dale Barrett. He was also preceded in death by a daughter, Sybil Francis Seaney.

Survivors include his wife, Vergie; two daughters, Mrs. Clovis (Sue) Hill of Amarillo and Mrs. Millard L. (Jo) McNabb of Seminole; two brothers, Pascal of Austin and Grose of California; two sisters, Frances Garrett of Hobbs, New Mexico and Bertha Gray of Roswell, New Mexico; 14 grandchildren: Charles Barrett of Quitaque, David Seaney of Balko, Oklahoma, Gary Barrett of Stamford, Susie Wynn of Booker, Cheri Mooring of Amarillo, Dana Trombley of Austin, Jana Holmes of Amarillo, Wiggins of Austin, Jim Seaney of Hereford, Dee Ann Kelly of Amarillo, Sandi McNabb of Seminole, Danny Barrett and Judy

Barrett, both of Quitaque, Terri Hill of Amarillo; and seventeen great-grandchildren, Neal Barrett of Hereford, Matt Barrett of Quitaque, D. D. Seaney of Balko, Oklahoma, Cathey, Maralee and Christopher Barrett of Stamford, Kimberly, Toby and Traci Wynn of Booker, Tyson Mooring of Amarillo, James Trombley of Austin, Dan, Will, Chase, Linda, Sharon and Tim Seaney of Hereford, and Micah Kelly of Amarillo.

Pallbearers were Amos Persons, Bruce Price, James Brunson, Glenn Ramsey, Dale Ramsey and Larry Price.

Out-of-town family members attending the Arthur Barrett service were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Barrett and Christopher of Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seaney and Tim of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Graham of Plainview; Patti Wiggins of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Millard McNabb and Sandi, Seminole; Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Hill and Terri, Mrs. Trannie Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mooring and Tyson, Micah Kelly, all of Amarillo; David Seaney and D. D. of Balko, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Seaney of Follett, and Neal Barrett of Hereford.

Out-of-town friends attending included Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Persons, Pampa; Earl Cantwell, Silverton; Mrs. Earnest Wayne Barbee, Clarendon; Jane Pigg, Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Flippin, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Ramsey, Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Clinton and Karen, Turkey; Ronda Leeper, Amarillo; Wayne Hunter, Flomot; Mrs. Charles Gowin and Mrs. Hayden Boggs, Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy L. Garrison, Silverton.

**INVITATION FOR BIDS**

The City of Turkey will receive bids for water collection, storage and distribution facilities improvements until 10:00 a.m., Standard Time, on the 17th day of April, 1984, at Suite 200, 415 West 8th, P. O. Box 9257, Amarillo, Texas 79105, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bids are invited upon the several items and quantities of work as follows:

Item 1: Installation of approximately 11,000 feet of 8-inch PVC pipe from well fields to ground storage tank, including a reservoir bypass.

Item 2: Refurbishment of a 250,000 gallon concrete reservoir, including application of an epoxy/fiberglass lining and exterior painting.

Item 3: Installation of approximately 6,100 feet of 4- and 6-inch PVC replacement distribution mains, along with three fire hydrants, 61 replacement service connections, and approximately 350 feet of 2-inch PVC secondary distribution lines.

Contract documents, including drawings and technical specifications, are on file at the office of the City Secretary at City Hall, Turkey, Texas.

Copies of the contract documents may be obtained by depositing \$35.00 with the City of Turkey for each set of documents so obtained. Each such deposit will be refunded if the drawings and contract documents are returned in good condition within 10 days after bid opening.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the City of Turkey, negotiable U. S. Government bonds (at par value) or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and an acceptable surety in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid shall be submitted with each bid.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum

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salaries and wages as set forth in the contract documents must be paid on this project, and that the contractor must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or national origin.

The City of Turkey reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the City of Turkey for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days from the date of the opening of bids for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the qualifications of bidders, prior to awarding of the contract.

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Dues are \$60.00 a year, \$33.00 for six months, \$6.00 a month by draft only.

**VALLEY TRANSLATOR SYSTEM**

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Clay of Hereford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Reagan, in Quitaque over the weekend. Sunday they accompanied them to services at the First United Methodist Church. Randy's sister, Donetta Wallace of Turkey, also attended church with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill King of Colorado Spring, Colorado came Wednesday of last week to visit her father, Buddy Morris, in the hospital at Lockney. They came on to Quitaque to visit her mother, Mrs. Morris. They all drove back and forth to visit Buddy. On Friday night, the King's son, Ray Don King of Weatherford, Texas, joined them and spent Friday night, Saturday and Saturday night. Sunday, he and his father drove to Stamford to visit the John Kings. Ray Don returned to his home from there. Bill King stayed with the John Kings until they come to Quitaque sometime this week.

Mrs. Buddy Morris and Mrs. King drove to Dimmitt Sunday afternoon and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Corky Morris, returning to Quitaque late Monday evening. The Kings plan to return home later in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter met their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Carter and Melanie of Lubbock, in Plainview Sunday and brought Melanie home with them to spend this week.

"Though modesty is a virtue, bashfulness is a vice."  
— Benjamin Franklin



In 1910 President William H. Taft became the first president to open the baseball season by throwing out the first pitch.

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## The Superintendent's Corner

by Wilburn Leeper

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The appointed board idea may not be all bad but it is difficult to see why such a change is necessary. According to the committee's report, the duties and responsibilities of the two boards in question are very

similar and the required response to the people of Texas should remain the same.

The elected board of today was created by the Texas Constitution and is made up of 27 members, each elected to represent his or her Congressional district. This system has served at the pleasure of the people since 1949 and still follows its original purpose; that being giving direction to education. The board, which is responsible for all rules necessary to carry out the decisions of the legislature, appoints a Commissioner of Education. The Commissioner, in turn, supervises the administration of the board rules through the State Department of Education. The individual school districts of the state receive direction from the State Department of Education.

Either the elected or the appointed board could serve

education well in Texas. It just seems so unnecessary to replace an elected body that is doing fine with an appointed one which is untried. The question the Legislature must ask itself is, "Is this change good for the boys and girls of Texas?" Eventually the voters of Texas may have to voice an opinion through the constitutional amendment process.

Representative Foster Whaley of Pampa is recovering from surgery and a two-week stay in the hospital. He is hoping to be able and ready to go when the Legislature meets.

Karen Ramsey has recently received the "BEST ACTRESS" award for her performance in the Zone One Act Play. There was no doubt that she was the best actress from all the schools represented. She played the part of an old lady and carried the characterization off beautifully. Congratulations, Karen.

The absenteeism at Valley School has been running quite high since the Christmas break. Students and teachers alike have been affected by the flu bug which has been going around for some time. There have been over 30 students absent several days during this time and as many as five teachers out with the illness. Perhaps with the coming of spring things will get better.

What is a NONLISTENER? According to a recent article, a nonlistener is one "Who is too busy preparing what he wants to say next to listen to what is being said to him now. He is primarily concerned with doing most of the talking. He is constantly inter-

rupting the speaker's sentences and must always have the last word. He is usually perceived as a social bore and a know-it-all and is typically disliked or "tolerated" by most people. Sounds like a lot of us would benefit if we could just change our ways.

**FORMER STUDENTS**—Two of our former students are now living and working in Dallas. Sherice Price, a 1978 Valley graduate, is an accountant for Authur and Anderson. Pepper Jones was a 1976 graduate of Valley and is also an accountant employed by Fox and Company. Both Sherice and Pepper are graduates of Texas Tech University and are developing fine careers with leading firms. We are very proud of them.

Visitors in the James Kimbell home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Randy Clay of Hereford, Mrs. Mary Wallace and Donetta of Turkey. They enjoyed lunch Sunday. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. David Setliff and Craig of Turkey.

In a beehive, only 1½ ounces of wax are used to build a comb that will hold 4 pounds of honey.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to Action of the Democratic Primary

For Judge, 100th Judicial District:

**JOHN T. FORBIS**  
Childress, Texas

For State Senator, 30th District of Texas:

**BILL SARPALIUS**  
[Re-election]  
Canyon, Texas

For Sheriff, Hall County, Texas:

**CHARLES G. BLACK**  
Memphis, Texas

**ELMER NEEL**  
Memphis, Texas

**ALBERT BLANKS**  
[Re-election]  
Memphis, Texas

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Memphis, Texas

For Sheriff, Briscoe County, Texas:

**BRUCE TIFFIN**  
Silverton, Texas

**JACK CHANDLER**  
Quitaque, Texas

**DICK ROEHR**  
[Re-election]  
Silverton, Texas

For Briscoe County Tax Assessor-Collector:

**FAIRY McWILLIAMS**  
[Re-election]  
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**POLLY JARRETT**  
Silverton, Texas

For Tax Assessor-Collector, Hall County, Texas:

**PATSY JARRELL**  
Memphis, Texas

**JO CARMEN**  
[Re-election]  
Memphis, Texas

For United States Representative, 13th Congressional District of Texas:

**JACK HIGHTOWER**  
[Re-election]  
Vernon, Texas

### VITAMIN C TABLETS LINKED TO PROBLEMS

People who munch on chewable vitamin C tablets to ward off the common cold could be damaging their teeth, says a Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service nutritionist.

The ascorbic acid in vitamin C has long been associated with dental erosion, says Mary K. Sweeten. Vitamin C syrup which clings to the teeth is not recommended for this reason.

Until recently, vitamin C tablets were not thought to be related to dental erosion. But the marketing of chewable vitamin C tablets containing mega-dose levels may present dental health problems, says the specialist.

A recent American Dental Association report indicated that the acidic level of three 500-milligram chewable vitamin C tablets, when dissolved in distilled water, is about equal to that of stomach acid. While saliva has a certain buffering effect, it can provide only limited protection when there is daily direct contact between ascorbic acid and teeth.

If you are using chewable vitamin C tablets regularly, check with a dentist for any signs of a dental problem, advises Sweeten.

### WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Lillian White accompanied Mrs. Cora Gragson to Amarillo on Saturday of last week and on Sunday, Lillian entered High Plains Hospital where she underwent eye surgery on Monday. She spent the week visiting Mrs. Polly Graham in Amarillo, then went back Monday for a check-up with her doctor. She got a good report and returned home Monday afternoon. Mrs. Graham and her sister, Mrs. Margaret Yarborough, brought her home. The ladies spent the night and until afternoon Tuesday in the home of Mrs. White, returning to their respective homes Tuesday evening. Mrs. White reports she can see better than she has been able to do in several years.

Buddy Morris was moved from Lockney General Hospital to Lockney Care Center Tuesday of last week. He continues to receive care there with possibly some improvement, it is reported to the Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarrell Rice attended market at Dallas over the weekend. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Eudy at DeSota. Nadine Rice, who attends WTSU at Canyon, joined Angie Eudy at Lubbock, where Angie attends Texas Tech, and the girls flew down Friday to spend the weekend with Angie's parents. The girls went to the airport Sunday to emplane for Lubbock and they couldn't get a flight out; they went the second time and were asked to wait, and the third time they flew to Lubbock but couldn't land due to the fog. They had to go back to Dallas. They missed classes at Tech and WT Monday before getting a flight out. Jarrell and Jean returned home Monday night.

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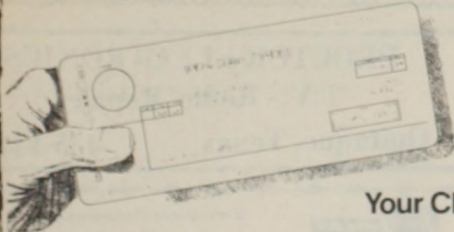
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the food, the flowers and the  
beautiful music. A special thanks  
to Dr. Rick Johnson and Bro.  
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inspiration. Also, a very special  
thanks to our dear friend, Bill  
Griffin. We have treasured your  
friendship throughout Pa's life-  
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and family  
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and family

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you for your cards, calls, flowers,  
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ours. Everyone has given of  
themselves over and over again  
during each hour of need. He was  
always so amazed at that and  
thankful for it. Each of you was  
special to him and to us. Thank  
you again for everything.

God bless each of you in  
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Vernell Cotten  
Carroll and Derrel Fuston  
and girls  
Glenna and Randy Robbins  
and girls  
Juana and Curtis Shelburne  
and boys

## WITH THE SICK

Cindy Lane was a patient at  
Hall County Hospital in Memphis  
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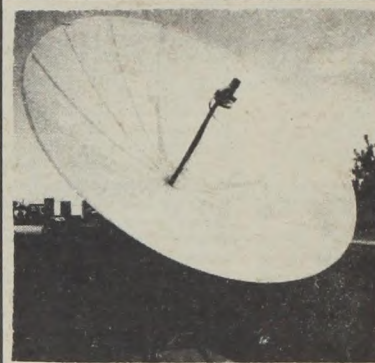
J. R. Jones continues to  
receive treatment at Central  
Plains Hospital in Plainview.

Dow Aplin remains a patient  
at Hall County Hospital in  
Memphis, where he is receiving  
treatment.

Mrs. Henry Finney and her  
daughter, Mrs. Henrietta Kaiser,  
both of Plainview, visited Mr.

and Mrs. Leon McCracken in  
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Mrs. Estelle Davidson and  
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