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## GOOD LUCK VALLEY PATRIOTS AT THE RALLS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT AND JR. HIGH AT MOTLEY CO.

### NOTICE

We the Women organization has started decorating Quitaque for Christmas. Any donation of old decorations or Christmas trees would be appreciated. Contact Delene Tyler or Arlene Hinkle if you have any decorations you would be willing to donate for this cause.

## CBS Interviews At Turkey

by j Guest

Just a note to let everyone know that CBS was here interviewing Suzy Johnson, our Mayor, and other townspeople about this area.

A more definitive time and date will be in the next paper so that TV viewing can be seen by all of us. Right now, the tentative time is the day before Thanksgiving.



Caprock Country  
Christmas  
December 5, 1998

### Calendar Of Events

**November 19 - 21**  
Ralls Basketball Tournament  
**November 19**  
Great American Smokeout  
Valley @ Ralls Basketball  
Tournament  
Valley School Board Meeting @  
7 p.m.  
**November 20**  
Quitaque Senior Citizens 5 p.m.  
**November 22**  
Attend Church of Choice  
Turkey Community Thanksgiv-  
ing Dinner @ Bob Wills  
Center @ Noon  
Quitaque Community Thanks-  
giving Dinner @ First  
Baptist Church @ 6 p.m.  
**November 23**  
FSA Producers Meeting @  
Turkey 8 a.m.  
Turkey Lions  
Quitaque Firemen  
Jr. Hi Basketball @ Motley Co.  
5 p.m.



NIFTY FIFTIES CAR CLUB IN TURKEY, TEXAS, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1998.

## Turkey In 1956 Or 1998

by j Guest

I had to continually remind myself that Saturday was still a 1998 day. When the Antique cars, most of which were in the 1956 era, cruised into town, then eventually filled both sides of the street in Turkey, the feeling of being back there in 1956 was so strong. Lots of pictures were being taken by Gary Johnson and others. Ladders were erected in various places for the best views. People in a nostalgic mood mosed around, looking at the cars they remembered so well.

The '50s and earlier were the days when people came to town in late afternoon to park their cars for good, nighttime viewing and visiting. Hundreds of people came to visit, shop, go to the movie, eat at the City Drug and other cafes and to, generally, have a good time.

It was exciting to talk to some of the enthusiastic members of the Nifty Fifties Club, a name that a Rock and Roll group out of Manchester, England, requested to use. Request granted. The Club is a family oriented club. These members are so consumed by a hobby or cause that makes them and everyone around them feel excitement.

### Christmas Time A'Coming!

Yes the season of Christmas is fast approaching. We here at the paper would like to once again in the Christmas edition of the paper to publish your most delicious recipes or perhaps just your favorite recipe, or maybe it was a favorite of your great Aunt Hattie!

Whatever, we would like for you to have your favorite recipes at the Valley Tribune office by December 11, 1998 so that we can have time to set the recipes in type for the paper that will come out on December 24, 1998.

The paper will have to be printed early on Christmas week also. All copy and ads must be in the Tribune office by no later than Monday, December 21, 1998 at noon if it is to be in that week's paper.

**News & Ad  
Deadline  
For Nov. 26, 1998  
Valley Tribune  
Noon  
Monday, Nov. 23**

Visited with some members: Richard Houston, George Dalton and others. One started his hobby after his son left for school, leaving a 1956 Chevy pickup. He refurbished it. He has since, refurbished nine antique cars which are shown at various times. He indicated that it is almost impossible now to get his nine autos in his barn without skinning the sides of them.

Members usually show their cars in small towns at the request of town leaders. Visits are also made to some of the elementary schools in Lubbock. They parade at the Buddy Holly Festival every year. Parades have occurred every weekend, and sometimes during the week, since April of last year.

Gary Johnson asked them to come to Turkey to recreate the way Turkey looked in the earlier years. He wanted to duplicate the photo his father, George Johnson, made in 1946. The town of Turkey was booming with about 1,000 - 1,200 people. The old photo hangs in the dining room of the Hotel Turkey.

For anyone who might be interested in contacting the Club could call Nifty Fifties Web Page: [www.angelfire.com/tx/nifty50s](http://www.angelfire.com/tx/nifty50s), E-Mail WebPage: [LoyDaniel@aol.com](mailto:LoyDaniel@aol.com).

## Community Thanksgiving Dinner

Don't forget the Community Thanksgiving Dinner, sponsored by the Turkey Proud Committee, at the Bob Wills Cafeteria in Turkey on Sunday, November 22nd, 1998.

The Church of Christ will be bringing salads, the Baptist Church, vegetables, and the Methodist Church, desserts.

Profits made from the dinner will go toward the town's Christmas decorations, gifts for Santa and other benevolent purposes.

## Quitaque Senior Citizens To Meet

Friday, November 20, 1998 the Quitaque Senior Citizens will be having their monthly pot luck supper at 5 p.m. Please note the new meeting time.

It is time to renew your membership for the organization. New members are always welcome to join in the fun.

At the turkey dinner Sunday the group was pleased to serve not only local people but ones from Amarillo, Plainview, Silvertown and Turkey.

## Quitaque Community Thanksgiving Planned Sunday

Citizens of Quitaque and the surrounding area are coming together Sunday evening at the First Baptist Church in Quitaque to celebrate Thanksgiving. This joyous occasion will begin at 6 p.m. with worship services in the sanctuary.

The message of the evening will be presented by Delos Johnson of the Quitaque Church of Christ. A community choir will present a selection of hymns during the service, as well as leading the congregation in singing. If you would like to be a part of this choir, please be at the First Baptist Church at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, November 22, 1998 to practice some hymns.

During the worship service an offering will be taken which will be used for helping those less fortunate during the coming year.

At 7:30 p.m. following the church worship service a community meal will be served to all who would like to attend.

Be sure to come out and enjoy this gathering of the community showing how thankful we are for the many blessing we have received.

## Turkey City Council Holds Meeting

The City Council of Turkey met on November 12, 1998 for their regular monthly meeting with Mayor Suzie Johnson; Councilmen Barry Long, Vicki Lindsey, Rick Mullin and Marie Cruse; City Manager, Jerry Landry and City Secretary, Theresa Clinton were present for the meeting. Also present for the meeting was Mary Baiza, Rural Community assistance coordinator, Gordon Maddox the City's auditor and Gary Johnson representing the Planning and Development Committee.

Gary gave a report on the web page and brought an example of what information was available concerning the City of Turkey. People may call up the City of Turkey at [www.wturkey.tx.dot.com](http://www.wturkey.tx.dot.com), starting Monday November 16, 1998. The web page will be updated periodically for addition, changes and calendar events.

Gordon Maddox presented the Council with fiscal year July 1, 1997 to June 30, 1998 audit.

Mary Baiza answered questions concerning grant proceeding and how to apply and receive grants.

The Council voted to purchase a '92 pickup from Don Turner for \$6,700.

After regular monthly bills were paid, the meeting was adjourned.

## Valley School Board to Hold Public Hearing

The Turkey-Quitaque I.S.D. Board of Trustees will hold a public hearing at its regular board meeting November 19, 1998 at 7:00 p.m. at the Valley school. This hearing will be on the 1997-98 Academic Excellence Indicator System report (A.E.I.S.).

The A.E.I.S. report, collected annually by the Texas Education Agency, provides detailed information on student performance, student demographics, attendance and other areas.

The public is welcomed and encouraged to attend.



1998 Valley FFA Dairy Foods Team members are from left: Micah Stark, Vance Lemons, Jes Yearly, Morgan Payne, Jeremy Taylor, and Advisor, Rick McKay.

## Valley FFA Team Cops National FFA Dairy Foods Award

Kansas City, Mo. - Members of the Valley FFA State Champion Dairy Foods team were recently awarded a gold emblem plaque at the National Judging Contest. Winners were announced at the Annual Awards Breakfast, sponsored by the Dairy Farmers of America. The National FFA Dairy Foods Judging Contest was held in conjunction with the 71st National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Mo. this years convention was attended by more than 46,000 members and guest.

Team members were: Micah Stark, Morgan Payne, Vance Lemons, Jess Yearly, and Jeremy Taylor. The team from Valley FFA placed 6th in the Nation. The top individual contestants were awarded medals for their accomplishments. Micah Stark, Morgan Payne, and Jeremy Taylor all received gold medals, and Vance Lemons received a silver medal.

The National Dairy Foods Event tests the student's knowledge and ability in the recognition, selection and management necessary for quality dairy foods. Participants must

complete a written exam on milk production and marketing, evaluate milk samples for flavor and quality, perform the California Mastitis Test, identify cheeses, evaluate milk sediment pads and milker parts for defects and distinguish real and artificial dairy products. Each of the teams participating in the event won their state contest in order for them to be eligible to compete in the National Contest.

The FFA is a national organization of 447,880 members preparing for leadership and careers in the science, business and technology of agriculture. The organization has 7,503 local chapters located throughout the United States, Puerto Rico, Guam and the Virgin Islands. FFA's mission is to make a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education. Local, state and national judging contest and award programs provide opportunities for students to apply knowledge and skills learned in the classroom.

## THEN & NOW!

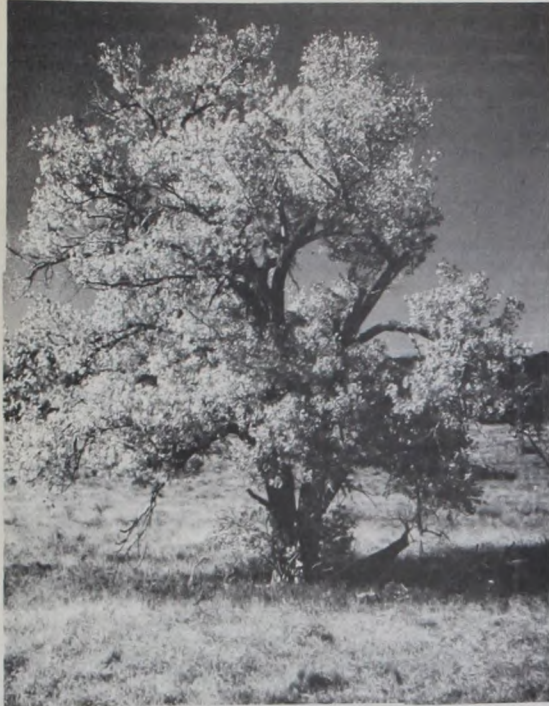
by Eunice McFall

At this time of the year it seems that most of our thoughts are on food. Food for Thanksgiving, food for Christmas Eve, food for Christmas Day, food to celebrate the coming of the New Year. Why just thinking of all the food could cause you to gain at least 10 pounds! Of course we all have our very favorites for each and every celebration. Many of them are rooted in our childhood celebrations but some we have acquired over the years as we planned celebrations of our own.

When we think of Thanksgiving, of course we seem to think of the big bird, Turkey. I suppose there are as many ways to fix a turkey as there are turkeys and people to eat them. They can be roasted, boiled, fried whole, baked or cut up and fried. They can be served alone or with dressing (or as I learned as a young wife, stuffing!), with or without giblet gravy. And there are many many different kinds of dressing recipes. It will depend on what part of America that you grew up in as to what flavors you like in your dressing. Some like nothing but the plain-jane dressing with a great sage taste. Others like to add oysters or pecans or even hot peppers to their dressing.

And certainly you don't want to not have some cranberries on the side, either the whole cranberry sauce or the smooth kind or perhaps your mom's favorite home made relish or sauce! In our part of the world, we usually think of some kind of wonderful dish with sweet potatoes or yams for a side dish also. Now there is a vegetable that is quite versatile. You can serve them candied, mashed with pecans, topped with marshmallows, make a cake or pie with them, or even soup! And last but not least there are all those wonderful pies that go along with Thanksgiving, pecan, pumpkin, apple, mince, etc.

As we plan our own feast for the holiday, perhaps we should give some thought to those who are not quite as fortunate as we are and invite them to share the bounty of our blessings with us. This is one of the many ways that we can show that we are truly thankful for all the many blessings that have come our way this past year. Give some older person a boost by including them in your celebration. Help some single parent have a happier holiday by asking them to join your family as you enjoy your turkey dinner. All it will take to make someone have a great day is to include them in your plans and make them welcome at your table for the day. You may be pleasantly surprised by the rewards you will reap from just being a good neighbor.



THE BEAUTIFUL COLORS OF FALL ARE OUT IN FULL SWING. PHOTO BY WILBURN LEEPER.

# OBITUARIES

## Nelva Morris

Graveside services for Nelva Morris, 70, of Flomot will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, November 19, in Flomot Memorial Park Cemetery. Rev. Nathan Mulder of South Plains will officiate.

Burial will be under direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Matador. Mrs. Morris died Monday, November 18, in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock.

Born August 23, 1928 in Boswell, Oklahoma, she married Wendell Morris September 14, 1947, in Matador. She was a homemaker and assistant postmaster at Flomot for several years. She was a member of Flomot Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Billy of Flomot and Tommy of Lockney; two daughters, Pam Lane of Plainview, and Cindy Green, Matador; a half-brother Wayne Snow of Boswell; a half sister Hazel Brizendeen of Killeen, and 10 grandchildren.

## J. W. Meacham

J. W. Meacham, 85, died November 3, 1998. Services were November 5, 1998 at First United Methodist Church of McLean with Rev. Thacker Haynes, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery in McLean.

Mr. Meacham was born November 30, 1913. Mr. Meacham was raised in Turkey. He married Dixie Nell on November 10, 1938. He was a Navy veteran of World War II. He was owner and manager of McLean Hardware from 1950-1992. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

His wife and one grandson preceded him in death.

Survivors include one son, Joel David Meacham of Tempe, Arizona; two daughters, Donna Vineyard, Glen Rose, Texas and Nancy Billingsley, Midland, Texas; six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

## Ophelia May Finney

Graveside services for Ophelia May Cowan Finney will be at 3 p.m. Thursday, November 19, 1998, at Resthaven Cemetery in Quitaque. J. D. Nance will officiate. Arrangements are by Myers-Long Funeral Directors, Quitaque.

Mrs. Finney, 92, was born December 8, 1905 in Lampasas County, Texas. She graduated from Robstown High School in 1922, and married H. B. Finney in 1927. She lived in the Gasoline community til 1988, and was a member of the Church of Christ for 77 years.

She died November 18, 1998, at Plainview. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1984, a son, R. J. Finney in 1958, and by seven brothers and sisters.

Survivors include a daughter, Henryetta Kaiser-Price of Plainview; one grandson and one granddaughter; four great-grandchildren and a brother L. O. Cowan of Kingwood.

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## FSA Producers Meeting Next Week

Billy Wayne Denison, CED for the Hall County Farm Service has set up two producers meetings early next week.

The first meeting will be held on Monday, November 23rd in Turkey at the Bob Wills Cafeteria. The meeting will begin at 8:00 a.m.

The second meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 24th in Memphis at the City Hall Auditorium. That meeting begins at 8:00 a.m. as well.

The Conservation Reserve Program, Production Flexibility Program changes, the emergency Livestock Assistance Program and other crop loss disaster assistance information, as well as information about the County Committee elections for area 2 that are currently underway will all be covered in this public meeting.

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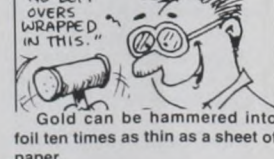
## Tab Drive Winding Down

by j. Guest  
 Amy Stark reported that the tab drive for chemo treatments was a terrific success. Bags of tabs have been brought in to the student council.

Due to the slowing down of the project, all shipments will be made to Amarillo in the next three weeks.

So if you are saving tabs, get them to the school, or here in Turkey, bring them to me, and I will be happy to deliver them for you. Just leave them on the porch if I'm not there - 500 Lyles.

Little children with cancer will be grateful to you for the efforts you have expended on their behalf.



## Quitaque Making Sure No One Is Hungry

by Delos Johnson  
 Quitaque churches will meet together for a Thanksgiving service followed by a Thanksgiving dinner Sunday evening, November 22nd. And, while we feast together we will also join together with an offering to make sure no one in Quitaque will go hungry through out the year.

In a small West Texas town an older lady stated, "I have never known of anyone in this town going hungry." She reminded me of the statement made by King David in one of his psalms, "I have been young, and now am old; Yet I have not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his descendants begging bread." (Psalm 37:25). The lady, like David, had been around a long time. I knew her well enough to know she could have been one reason no one in her community went hungry.

David's statement was a testimony to the fact God takes care of His people. But God also uses people - like you and me - to make sure other's needs are supplied.

We of the Quitaque community have a tradition which helps meet the needs of the needy. During our annual community Thanksgiving service an offering is collected for this specific purpose. The monies are placed in a fund and administered by representatives of the Quitaque churches. A report of last years activities of this fund will be given during the Thanksgiving service.

Please be prepared with a generous offering this year and together we will be prepared to meet the needs of the needy. Then together we can rejoice to know God has used us in a wonderful way.

## CRP Signup Doing Well At Half-Way Point

from USDA - Farm Service Agency

Landowners and producers are reminded that the 18th CRP signup period is being conducted now through December 11, 1998. Under this voluntary program, landowners enter into contracts with USDA to place erodible and other environmentally - sensitive cropland in conservation practices for 10 years. In exchange, landowners receive annual rental payments for the land and cost - share assistance for establishing those practices.

Landowners who are considering enrolling their eligible land into this program are encouraged to notify the Hall County FSA Office immediately to set-up an appointment. Billy Wayne Denison, County executive Director for the Hall County FSA, stated, "This may be the last CRP signup for regular CRP practices in Hall County. We are rapidly approaching the maximum acreage limitation allowed to be enrolled in CRP in Hall County. Briscoe and Donley Counties have already reached their limitation, and are conducting a CRP Signup 18 only for land their office administers, but is physically located in a neighboring county that has not reached its limit."

Landowners are also reminded that there is an ongoing, continuous CRP signup program available at any time during the year that applies to small acreages requiring installation of specialized practices. Please call or come by if you have any questions regarding CRP.

## Lockney Health and Rehab News

By Rebecca Rodriguez, A.D.

We would like to remind everyone about our "Christmas Auction". We will be having this on Sunday, November 22, 1998 at 2:00 p.m. at the Lockney Health & Rehabilitation Center lobby area. We have a variety of items to be auctioned off. Come do your Christmas shopping with us. We will be serving refreshments after the auction.

All proceeds will be for gifts and other items for the residents use throughout the year. We appreciate all the donations we have received and hope everyone can come to have a good time with us. It's for a good cause!!!

We would also like to invite all of our residents family members to come eat Thanksgiving lunch with us on Thursday, November 19, 1998 at 11:45 a.m. This is all for now... until next time.

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# Christmas In November

by Margie Pinkerton  
The Christmas in November benefit for the Turkey Roost Museum is rapidly approaching with lots of gifts to be given away.

The drawing will be November the 22nd following the Turkey Community Thanksgiving Dinner. So get your tickets! They are available from many of the downtown businesses and from many of the friends of the Museum project.

The Museum will be donating a \$50.00 savings bond. Area businesses donating gifts are Two J's, Lacy's Dry Goods, Turkey Automotive, Hotel Turkey, Turkey Drive Inn, CC's, Valley Farm Store, Pinkey's Flowers, United Supermarket of Childress, Mullin Motor and the ladies of the community are donating cakes, pies and candy. Several other donations have already been mentioned. If there are others who wish to donate gifts, call Margie Pinkerton at 423-1240.

Projects which we are focusing on at present are security windows. We have talked to Rick McKay concerning this project. We have asked Gary Johnson to head up the wooden windmill project. More dirt is to be moved in order to work on the north side of our building. Don Turner is to check on this to see what can be done to repair the area that is in disrepair.



The custom of egg rolling on the White House lawn was introduced by President Rutherford B. Hayes and First Lady Lucy Hayes in 1878.



GARY JOHNSON WITH HIS FIRST PLACE PHOTOS FROM THE SILVERTON ART SHOW AND THE POST ART SHOW.

## Johnson Places In Photography

by j Guest  
Gary Johnson recently received a first place blue ribbon and a third place in photography at the Silverton Texas Caprock Art Festival. There were about 130 entries in the combined Arts and Photography exhibits. The first place photo is entitled *He is Risen* illustrating three crosses at sunset. (I've seen it and it is "moving"). Third place is of the boots and fringed chaps of a working cowboy named Smith and was taken as he stood for a while at the Round Up Ranch. (It is unique).

At the Caprock Photography Fall Review held at the Algerita Art Gallery in Post, Texas, Gary won first place on a photo called *Dancing Leaves* and honorable mention for another photo of *Sleeping Squirrel*.

As a result of these awards, he has an automatic invitation to an Abilene show in March of '99. Three of his prints will hang at the Art and Garden Center in Lubbock in the month of January.

## On OT

Jimmy and Clara Ruth Davidson drove to Jacksonville Friday to a reunion with Jimmy's college roommates and friends.

Estelle Davidson went as far as Vernon to visit with Fred and Paula Davidson for the weekend.

Jimmy and Clara Ruth also visited with Cliff and Cheryl Cooper and Cassie and Clint at Murchison and Kay and Andy Sitgreaves, Kandy, Drew and Jeffery at Rusk while they were gone. Joy and Butch Baca were also visiting with the Sitgreaves and attending Drew's football game. The Davidsons returned to their respective homes Sunday evening.

Sunday guests in the home of Vinita and Guss Hrcncr were former Flomot residents, Johnnie McGann and daughter Virginia Sivley of Vernon. Kelley Aydelott of Vernon accompanied Virginia and Johnnie.

Joy Lacy spent Sunday with Vinita and Guss and attended the Quitaque Church of Christ with Vinita. She had made the trip down from Amarillo to visit the Hrcncrs and be on hand when the Vernon guests arrived.

After a visit to Lake Stamford recently, Ruby King was taken by Don and Cricket Price to Canyon to meet her brother-in-law and wife, Owayne and Joe King to go to Roswell for a three day visit with Hazel Winton, sister of Joe and sister-in-law of Ruby.



Most light planes are capable of taking off or landing in 90-degree crosswinds that are less than 20 percent of the airplane's power-off stall speed.

# METRO NEWS BUSINESS REVIEW

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## D&K MANUFACTURING

Anthony Kingery, Owner

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editors of this 1998 Thanksgiving Business Review and Reference Guide, wish to recommend D&K MANUFACTURING to all our readers. We take pleasure in commending the management for their part in forwarding the development and progress of our community.



Gary Johnson with prize winning photos



## Amy Hawkins

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Hawkins of Mesquite announce the arrival of a new baby girl, Amy Michelle. Amy weighed eight and one-half pounds and is welcomed by her two big brothers, Danner and Zackary.

Grandparents are Jane Hawkins of Terrell and James Hawkins of Dallas.

Great grandmother is Ruby King of Quitaque.

# Turkey Happenings

by j Guest

**Cripple Creek, Colorado Tour**  
Recently a group of seven people from this area joined a tour bus group in Amarillo for a trip to Cripple Creek, Colorado.

Janice and Bob Russell, Willie and Jim Majors, Gelene and Doyle Proctor, and Arly Williams enjoyed seeing all the beautiful scenery: hills, vales, colorful leaves of fall and just the majesty of Colorado. After arriving in Victor, right outside Cripple Creek, the bus took them to other points of interest. The tour was very enjoyable by all those who went, even though the weather was a little bit cool for some.

The group left on Friday and returned on Sunday.

Oleta Randell and Charlene Randell were in Memphis Wednesday for Charlene to keep a doctor's appointment.

Marie Cruse and Oleta Randell attended the Arts and Crafts Show at Silverton on Saturday. Then they went on to Tullia for some of that wonderful El Camino Cafe Mexican food. The weather was great.

Hoss and Lillian and I had hamburgers at Dean and Jean Mullin's home, then returned to Turkey for the Antique Show - and what a show it was.

**Happy Birthday For Foy**  
Foy Lane was treated to a birthday party by her '42 playing buddies: Virginia Degan, Margaret

Lane and Clema Johnson. They journeyed to Tullia for a sumptuous meal at El Camino Mexican restaurant.

The 'Icing on the Cake' came when she discovered that her two daughters, Gail and Nita, and her daughter-in-law Wanda Lane were there to help her celebrate. Happy Birthday, Foy, and many more!

After feasting, Foy and friends went on to Plainview for some shopping.

When I wrote about Mabel's trip to Canada, I forgot to mention that Dr. Richard Hall, formerly the doctor in Turkey was on board that tour bus. He is now living in Eden, Texas and is retired. Small world!

I had a letter from Mozelle Eudy in which she states that she and Lewis are both doing well. He looks forward to having the family visit with him - and they do just about every day. Mozelle stays there and eats with him when she can. She is enjoying herself - but DOES miss Turkey and all her friends. She said, "Hello."

She also had a visit from her sister, Vivian and niece, Darlene from Victoria, Texas. Vivian was celebrating her 88th birthday.

Bob and Janice Russell, Bonnie Hill and U. F. and Ann Coker attended the funeral services for Jewel Meacham in McLean last Thursday, November 5, 1998.

Ann was raised in McLean and saw many friends and relatives.

The pastor of the McLean Methodist Church is Rev. Thacker Haynes, a cousin of Ann's, was the officiate. She also enjoyed visiting with cousins, Sammy and Linda Haynes, and Johnny and Joyce Haynes. Sammy and Johnny Haynes were honorary pallbearers and Joyce Haynes played the organ.

## Nominees For Minister Of The Year Sought

Nominations for the 1998 Rural Minister of the Year award will be accepted until December 31 by the Minister Selection Committee of the Texas Conference of Churches.

Ministers may be nominated if they have served a church located in the country or in a community close to a larger town or city for at least two years. A nomination booklet must be filled out by a congregation member.

This year's theme is "the Pastor as Shepherd."

According to Dr. Carol M. Worthing, committee chair, specific examples of a minister's achievements must be included in the nomination book.

"Inform the Minister Selection Committee how the pastoral skills and other talents of the minister you are nominating have not only sustained but also enriched the lives of people in his or her church," Worthing said.

All nominees accepted by the selection committee will receive a certificate of recognition. The Texas Rural Minister of the Year will receive a plaque from *Progressive Farmer Magazine* during the closing session of the Assembly of Representatives of the Texas Conference of Churches in Austin on February 16.

This presentation will celebrate the 50th year of the *Minister of the Year* recognition that was originally part of the annual Town & Country Church Conference held at Texas A&M University.

The award is presented at the assembly as a way of recognizing the outstanding contributions being made by pastors in rural communities. TCC hosts judicatory leaders and laity from approximately 38 denominational groups from throughout Texas for the annual meeting.

For more information on the Rural Minister of the Year award or to obtain a nomination booklet, contact your local Texas Agricultural Extension Service Agent.

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- A's & B's**  
Sandybel Alanis, Jacy Proctor, Courtney Tribodeaux, Ryan Hinkle
- Second Grade**  
Mrs. Ham
- All A's  
Morgan Saul, Dalton Allen, Hailey Bell, Chancy Campbell, Mitchell Farley, Callie Helms, Jordan Jenkins, Brady Ramsey, Jennifer Wilks
- A's & B's**  
Angelica Cruz, Shawn Edwards, Cesar Mendoza, Leslie Payne, Francisco Pozos, Maria Valdez
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Mrs. Pigg
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Cole Brown, Danny Carnes, Mary K Davidson, Kayesha Wright
- A's & B's**  
Justin Rucker, Savannah Smith, Bryce Reagan
- Fourth Grade**  
Mrs. Proctor
- All A's  
Molly Davidson, Macy Davidson, Maddie Ramsey
- A's & B's**  
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- All A's  
Elisa Cagle, Randy Farley
- A's & B's**  
Cody Barrett, Jennifer Carnes, Sarah McClellan, Larrisa Payne, Kelby Phillips, Ana Rosa Pozos, Fernando Regalado, Alicia Roys, Rosa Lie Villarreal, Charlie Walden

**Jr. High Honor Roll Sixth Grade**

- All A's  
Matt Whittington Cody Payne, Zack Ramsey
- A's & B's**  
Monica Hernandez, Paige Hughes, Guadalupe Mendoza, Jaun Mendoza, Enedina Valdez, Christine Walls, Chelsea Wheeler.

**Seventh Grade**

- All A's  
Katherine Pigg
- A's & B's**  
Rodney Fuston, Chase Maynard, Colt Smith, Cliff Yeary

**Eighth Grade**

- All A's  
Cydni Walden, Natalie Wheeler.
- A's & B's**  
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- A's & B's**  
Hannah Boedeker, Wes Henson, Jesse McClellan, Amber Stark, Lydia Valdez, Emily Woods

**Tenth Grade**

- All A's  
Vance Farley, Brandon Stewart, Lacy Skinner
- A's & B's**  
Vance Chandler, Gaby Fierro, Christopher McBee, Jamie Pigg, Mary E. Pigg, Angela Salgado, Cory Varnell, Kim Woods

**Eleventh Grade**

- All A's  
Elena Fierro, Morgan Payne, Jamie Taylor, Jess Yeary
- A's & B's**  
Luke Boedeker, Manuelita Chavez, Kristi Leal, B.J Price, Mindy Proctor, Kristin Ramsey

**Twelfth Grade**

- All A's  
None
- A's & B's**  
Casey Fields, Elliot Fields, Roman Hernandez, Sam McClellan, Rosalia Mendoza

**Valley FFA Wins District FFA Leadership Award**

Valley FFA recently competed at the District Leadership Contest held at Clarendon College on November 7, 1998. There were 17 schools and approximately 200 FFA members from the Greenbelt District that competed in the contest. The top two teams from each contest qualifies for the Area 1 Leadership Contest, to be held on November 21, 1998 at Clarendon College. The winning team at the area contest will advance to the State Contest.

The Valley FFA team placing and members were:

1ST Place Jr. Chapter Conducting - Hannah Boedeker, Cheyenne Cansler, Levi Curry, Wes Henson, Tessa Kelly, Magan Whittington, and Emily Woods.

1ST Place Creed Speaker Hannah Boedeker.

2ND Place Jr. Skill Demonstration - Billie Roy Fuston, Luke Boedeker, Ben Pigg, and Brody Davis

3RD Place Sr. Chapter Conducting - Kristin Ramsey, Jess Yeary, Jamie Pigg, Vance Farley, Brandon Stewart, Cory Varnell, and Kimberly Woods

**School Menu**

**Monday**  
Turkey & Stuffing  
Turkey Gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
Green Beans  
Crescent Rolls  
Cranberry Sauce  
Desserts

**Tuesday**  
Meatball Hero's  
French Fries  
Salad  
Dessert

**Wednesday**  
Out for Thanksgiving

**Thursday**  
Out for Thanksgiving

**Friday**  
Out for Thanksgiving  
Have a wonderful holiday!  
Thanks, Kathy King



CANDACE WHEELER AND HER TWO SHOW LAMBS.

**Another Good Kid**

by J. Guest  
On Thursday before the October 17th weekend showing of Candace Wheeler's two sheep, she talked excitedly about that event. She said, "I'm going to get some pictures of the show and bring them back for you to put in the paper." I said, "Great, do it."

She loved animals, especially horses and sheep. After a couple of years of yearning for sheep, her dream was realized! She loved

**Windbreak Program For Briscoe County Producers Begins.**

Seedling applications for conservation windbreaks are now available to Briscoe County landowners through the Texas Forest Service West Texas Nursery or local Soil and Water Conservation District. Several varieties of evergreens and deciduous trees and shrubs are available.

Each year, West Texas Nursery provides adapted windbreak seedlings, at cost, to assist producers in incorporating conservation windbreaks into their farming and/or ranching operation.

**~ FLOMOT NEWS ~**

BY EARLYNE JAMESON

**OVERHEARD**

A young reporter was interviewing a sprightly senior who had reached his 99th birthday.

Closing his notebook at the end of the interview, the reporter said, "I hope I can come back next year and talk to you when you reach 100."

"Why not?" the old timer replied. "You look healthy enough to me."

**FUNERAL SERVICES FOR SISTER-IN-LAW**

Mrs. Sylvia Lee Martin received word that her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Ruth Gilmore Waters, 78, of Marina, California passed away November 11, 1998 in her home. Funeral and burial services were held in Riverside, California, Monday, November 16.

Her husband, Avon Waters, former resident of Flomot, preceded her in death, October 23, 1997.

Survivors include one son, Gary Waters of Marina Valley, California; two grandchildren; four great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

Mrs. Martin was unable to attend the services due to her health.

Joey and Brenda Lee of Clarendon and Mrs. Teresa Willey of Turkey visited during the weekend with their parents, Ruth and Orville Lee. Ruth was in Lubbock, Monday at St. Mary hospital to be with her niece, Mrs. Shannon Jones of Carlsbad, New Mexico and her husband, Earl Jones who had surgery.

Tom Ross attended the funeral services of his cousin, Ross Malone held Monday, November 16, at the First Baptist Church in Vernon. Mr. Malone died Friday at 11 p.m. in the General Hospital in Wichita Falls following a lengthy illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were luncheon guests in Floydada, Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. John Speer. They were in Plainview, Monday for dental appointments.

Mr. and Mrs. Seab Washington visited in Childress, Sunday with son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Todd Washington, Katie, Cam, Clay and Conner. They celebrated Cam's 9th birthday with decorated cake, gifts and games.

Roger Lee visited in Lubbock, Sunday with the Wendell Morris family, who were at the bedside of Mrs. Nelva Morris, a patient in ICU at Methodist Hospital.

Dickie Cloyd and son, Jason of Memphis visited his mother, Mrs. Annie B. Cloyd, Sunday. Mrs. Cloyd attended to business in Matador, Thursday and in Plainview, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter joined daughter, Mrs. Christi Milam of Petersburg and cousin, Mrs. Joely Ewing Beam of Springlake-Earth in Abernathy Friday night to attend the bi-district football game between Petersburg and Springlake-Earth. Springlake-Earth won the exciting game 26-20 after three overtimes!

L. T. Starkey of Ralls visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Bessie Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin attended the Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison town hall meeting in Matador, Thursday afternoon. They met Mrs. Leon Bell and friend, Lynn of Amarillo in Tulia, Saturday for lunch and to visit.

Mrs. Marian Ross and mother, Mrs. Eunice Grooms of Dallas visited Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shorter. They enjoyed touring the area including Caprock Canyons State Park.

Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson were in Lockney and Plainview, Wednesday for medical appointments and in Lubbock, Friday for cardiac appointments.

Stan, Dave and Phil Wigley of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross during the weekend.

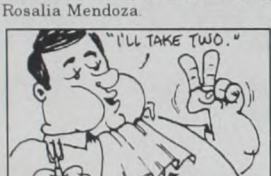
**TANNER CLAY CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY**

A fun filled afternoon was held Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clay when they celebrated the birthday of their son Tanner. He blew out his five candles on a Batman birthday cake and ooh and aah when opening his gifts. Refreshments of cake, ice cream and punch were served.

Special guests were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Metcalf of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay of Flomot.



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1998-1999 Jr. High Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time	Site	Guil. Bask.
Nov 23	Motley Co.	5:00	There	X X
Nov 30	Claude	4:00	Here	X X
Dec 7	Kress	5:00	There	X X
Dec 14	Memphis	5:00	Here	X X
Jan 4	Paducah	5:00	There	X X
Jan 11	Silverton	5:00	There	X X
Jan 18	Motley Co. Tourn.	TBA	There	X X
Jan 18	Lakeview	5:00	There	X X
Jan 25	Kress	5:00	Here	X X
Jan 30	Valley Tourn.	TBA	Here	X X
Feb 1	Memphis	5:00	There	X X
Feb 8	Paducah	5:00	Here	X X

1998-1999 VALLEY BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE	VALLEY BASK.
Nov 17	Motley Co.	4:00	There	X X X X
Nov 19-21	Ralls Tourn.	TBA	There	X X X X
Nov 24	Floydada	5:00	There	X X X X
Nov 28	Lakeview	6:30	There	X X X X
Dec 1	Ralls	4:00	Here	X X X X
Dec 3-5	Valley Tourn.	TBA	Here	X X X X
Dec 8	Silverton	4:00	Here	X X X X
Dec 11	TBA	TBA	TBA	X X X X
Dec 15	Motley Co.	8:00	Here	X X X X
Dec 18	Samonwood	4:00	There	X X X X
Dec 19	Motley Co. JV Tourn.	TBA	There	X X X X
Dec 21-25	Gym Closed Due To U.L. Rules			
Dec 28-30	Silverton Tourn.	TBA	There	X X X X
Jan 5	Samonwood	4:00	Here	X X X X
Jan 8	Crosbyton	6:30	There	X X X X
Jan 9	Valley JV Tourn.	TBA	Here	X X X X
Jan 12	*Claude	4:00	Here	X X X X
Jan 15	*Kress	4:00	There	X X X X
Jan 18	*Memphis	4:00	Here	X X X X
Jan 22	*Paducah	4:00	There	X X X X
Jan 28	Groom	4:00	Here	X X X X
Jan 29	*Claude	4:00	There	X X X X
Feb 2	*Kress	4:00	Here	X X X X
Feb 5	*Memphis	4:00	There	X X X X
Feb 9	*Paducah	4:00	Here	X X X X

**NOV. 19-21**  
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VB - VG  
THERE TIME: TBA

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### Yesteryear

Taken From The Quitaque Post Thursday, November 18, 1948  
**STUDENTS FROM QUITAQUE ON DEANS HONOR ROLL**

Denton, Texas—Wayne H. Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace G. Hunter, is among 524 junior and senior students who have been named to the dean's honor list at North Texas State College for the fall semester.

Hunter is a junior biology major at the college.  
 Olin Patrick, is also one of the junior-senior students who are named to the dean's honor list at North Texas State College for the fall semester.

Patrick, son of J. K. Patrick, of Quitaque, is a senior business major.

#### JILL JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Johnson have a daughter born early Sunday morning in Amarillo. Little Martha Jill weighed nine pounds and 2 ounces and is pretty as a picture, says her dad. Alton went up to Amarillo Wednesday afternoon and brought Mrs. Johnson and the little new one home with him, and they received a joyous, if somewhat boisterous welcome from brothers, Johnny, Felix and Jack.

#### LOTS OF FOLKS

##### ARE MOVING AROUND

Moving around this week are the Odell Setliffs who are getting settled in the house just east of the Gardiner home, formerly occupied by Supt. Cross and family. Also the Lewis Bedwells who are moving to the place owned by Orlin Stark, vacated recently by the Billy Scavalls who moved to Hollis. Mrs. Bedwell is trying to get her new home straight before the week end when she is expecting her aunt, Mrs. M. A. (Baldy) Holliman of Lampasas to arrive for a visit. The Hillmans are former Quitaque residents. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cagle have moved into one of Mrs. Moseley's apartments, and have sold the small house which they had moved in to town to Blue Stidham. Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Nall have bought the former A. L. Patterson home, which they have been occupying since it was bought several years ago by George Stewart of Turkey.

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 Thanks again,  
 Dale Ramsey 23 1tp

Thank you to everyone who helped make the Quitaque Senior Citizens' meal a great success Sunday.  
 You are certainly appreciated by us.  
 The Quitaque Senior Citizens  
 23 1tc

I would like to say thank you to all the ladies who cooked and did all the numerous things that have to be done to put on a Sunday lunch for the public. You did an outstanding job of cooking, serving and greeting our guests.  
 I would like especially to thank BJ for her early rising to help get the food prepared.  
 I also want to thank all the men for all the many errands that you ran for us and all the support that you gave to us.  
 Each and everyone of you are so very special and did a super job!  
 Thanks to one and all,  
 Eunice McFall

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The limit for Nitrate (as nitrogen) is set at 10 milligrams per liter of water. The amount of nitrate (as Nitrogen) in the water we supply was reported to be 13.10 milligrams per liter of water.

Adults and children over the age of 6 months need not be concerned about drinking from the tap. An excess of nitrate intake by an infant under the age of 6 months may reduce its available oxygen supply and possibly produce "blue baby" symptoms.

To obtain bottled water from the City of Quitaque, persons must come by the City Hall between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

\*\*\*Caution\*\*\*  
**DO NOT BOIL YOUR WATER**

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For more information contact Clyde Dudley, City Administrator or Maria Cruz, City Secretary at City Hall or call 455-1456. 38 1tc

### Happy Birthday

**November 19**  
 Taylor Jo Lange, Roni Williams  
**November 20**  
 John Whitener, Nada Starkey, Kay Skinner, Tony Hinojosa, Dustin Wilson, Colby Ryan Townsley, Laquinta Williams

**November 21**  
 Maurice Fuston, Kathy Green, Dusty Hill, Garrett Mills, Linda Morrison, Rene Martinez, Vinnie Kimbell, Whitney Browning, Chancy Dowd  
**November 22**  
 Denver Anderson, Glen De Pigg, Keith Lane, Christa Williams

**November 23**  
 Marjorie Bell, Gaby Fierro, Mary Davis, Renee Dudley, Wilburn Martin  
**November 24**  
 Verla Barrett, Jeremy Hughes, J. Kirk Garner, Natasha Kimbell, Michelle Ferguson, Linda Hamilton, Brenda Coker, Chris Lockhart, Therna Farley

**November 26**  
 Paige Mills, Kenneth Helms, Jason Browning

### Happy Anniversary

**November 19**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Denver Anderson  
**November 23**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Eric Scoggins  
 Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers

**November 24**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hamilton  
 Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin  
**November 26**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Proctor  
 Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Davis  
 Mr. and Mrs. Steve Farley  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ham

**November 24**  
 Drivers Testing @ Silverton  
 Varsity Basketball @ Floydada @ 5 p.m. B&G  
 JV Basketball @ Floydada B&G

**November 25-27**  
 School Thanksgiving Holiday  
**November 25**  
 Al Anon & AA @ Silverton 8 p.m.  
**November 28**  
 Thanksgiving

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