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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1991

Dalton Woods Returns To Caprock Jamboree

Dalton Woods, the saxophone player, from Tahoka, Tx. will be returning to the Caprock Jamboree for the November 2nd show. Dalton captures the audience every time he is here. This time he will also be bringing his band members for the

first time. They have played together for a number of years in and around the Lubbock area. So make your plans to attend the show.

Other musicians that we are sure you will enjoy will include; Benny Cox, Tommy Stewart, The Country Sounds and The Hesters. So make your plans now to attend and get ready for an-

other three hours of "great country entertainment," beginning at 7 p.m.

Be sure and come early, beginning at 6 p.m., and eat supper with the Silverton Boy Scouts, Troop 262. They will be serving barbecue on the bun, chips, tea or coffee and a dessert. This is a recently reorganized troop. They need all kinds of camping equipment and many other supplies to be able to have the kind of troop necessary. So, even if you don't eat supper with them, I'm sure they would gladly accept any kind of donation.

Don't forget, Saturday, November 2nd to attend the Caprock Jamboree!

Ambulance Service Reveals Caprock Christmas Plans

The Quitaque Ambulance Service is busy working on preparation for their part in the Caprock Country Christmas. They have spent the past month doing some painting and clean up at the ambulance bays in preparation for their open house. EMT's will be there all day to show interested persons the inside of the both ambulances and answer any questions. They will also be giving away two door prizes as well as Emergency phone number stickers.

At one point during the day the EMT's will be presenting a "Living Nativity Scene." During which there will be a reading of

"The Christmas Story." The program will be presented in front of Texas Horse Pads, the time is still pending.

EMT's along with others who have volunteered to work, will have a refreshment stand in the commercial building to raise money for their organization.

If anyone would like to volunteer goodies for the booth or time to work please call Judy Barrett at 455-1189.

The meeting day for Valley Extension Homemakers will be the third Tuesday of each month not the second Wednesday.

THEN & NOW!

by Eunice McFall

Fall has arrived - Well really today, it seems that winter has reared its ugly head before the crops are gathered and in storage. Farmers are going early and late trying to harvest all the crops before the weather ruins them.

A lady brought the following article to me and asked if we could print it as a reminder to our farmers to be careful, especially this time of year when the pace is so hectic. The article was taken from a Progressive Farmer Magazine.

Dear Farmers:

We're writing this letter because sometimes you get so busy you may not hear our words. This is the most hectic time of the year for us. It's also one of the most dangerous.

That's what this letter is all about. We're asking you to be careful. We all know farmers who were killed or injured because they side-stepped safety procedures. We don't want our families to be on that casualty list this fall - or ever.

With so much to do, it's tempting, we know, to finish those last few rows even though you're so tired you can't see straight. Or you may want to try to unclog a machine quickly without turning it off.

When you do something you know is risky - even once - then it's easier to do it a second time. And then a third. With each time, our families chance of losing you grows greater.

We want you around to enjoy this beautiful land God has given us, to rejoice in our families good times, and to support one another during the bad ones. Don't let some fleeting, careless moment tear you from us.

We're asking you to remember this letter every day when you head out to the fields. If you start to do something you know is unsafe, think about what our lives would be like without you. Think about the future with us that you'll miss if your life is cut short. Are the extra minutes you'll save worth the price we might all pay?

We want to share many more autumn harvests and spring plantings with you. So don't take it lightly when we tell you to please be careful - we need you. We're counting on you to remember what's most important in life.

Your Families

CALENDAR

Calendar of Events
October 31, 1991

Jayton JV H 7:00

Halloween

November 1, 1991

Chillicothe H 7:30

November 3, 1991

Attend Worship Services

November 4, 1991

Quitaque Lions Club

Quitaque City Council

November 5, 1991

Turkey Fire Department

Booster Club, Briscoe County

Hist. Society

Masonic Lodge

Quitaque Chamber of Com-

merce

November 7, 1991

Quitaque Senior Citizens

Samnorwood H 6:30

Turkey Halloween Carnival Well Attended

The Turkey Fire Department, Women's Auxiliary, American Cancer Society, Valley Booster Club, Turkey proud committee and Baptist youth group joined together last Saturday to sponsor this years Halloween Carnival in Turkey.

All the booths, games and other attractions were successful and funds were raised for these organizations to help benefit the community.

The Hall County reserve association and their spouses came over from Memphis and assisted with the jailhouse and the Haunted House. Many local and nonlocal people showed up to contribute their services for this worthy benefit and to enjoy a night of fun.

Lock-In For Jr. High Students

The First United Methodist Church of Turkey is hosting a Lock In for all Valley Junior High School students Friday, November 1, after the football game. This is our last home game of the season and a special opportunity to get together for some fun. All 6th, 7th, and 8th graders are invited. The Jr. UMYF sponsors, Cindy Lane, Julie Ulrey and Steve Ulrey are the adult sponsors of the event.

This is strictly a night of good fun, including games, food, music, and movies, offered in a Christian atmosphere. Every Junior High student who wishes to take part. Activity will be limited to the church basement. There will be no coming and going after everyone has gathered. A light breakfast will be enjoyed Saturday morning and youth will be ready to go home at 8 a.m.

Youth who wish to participate should meet at the church immediately after the game with their sleeping bag and \$2. Those with questions may call Cindy at 423-1359 or Julie at 455-1179.

Valley School Features "Rapunzel", Panel During Red Ribbon Week

The Red Ribbon Celebration at Valley School wrapped up its activities on Monday, October 28 with a rock concert in the gymnasium by the band Rapunzel. They stressed to students that in order to reach your goals in life, you must stay drug and alcohol free. Along with the concert, the band visited students in the classroom, signed autographs and asked that students stick together as friends and say "no" to drugs and alcohol use. Rapunzel will correspond with each student personally and gave a toll free number for students to call for information or to discuss a problem.

The poster contest for grades kindergarten through sixth

"Barn Raising," 1991 Style In Quitaque

Saturday, October 26, 1991 around 30 people showed up at Farley's Flowers and Variety Store to help them move to their new store about 1/2 block east.

Ladies packed boxes, and unloaded boxes while men took the shelving apart and moved it to the new store - some was so long

Clarendon Trade Days

The City of Clarendon, the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce, and interested individuals will host a "Trades Days" on the 'First Saturday' in November - 1st, 2nd, and third.

Located at Hwy. 287 and 70 south, we welcome a broad display of merchandise and merchandisers. Pets, small farm animals and fowl, antiques, collectables, knives, garage sale items, small equipment, food, crafts, etc.

There will be between 30-50 booths rented with 400 to 600 visitors buying merchandise.

Booth space is 10x24 and there is no charge to any non-profit organizations. To reserve space call Clarendon Chamber of Commerce (800)749-5915, (806)874-3935 or (806)874-2883.

Quitaque Fire Dept. Plans Open House

The Quitaque Volunteer Fire Department will hold a drawing December 14 at their Open House during Caprock Country Christmas to give away either a 16 cu. ft. upright deep freeze, a 15.8 cu. ft. chest type deep freeze, or a compact disk shelf system am/fm stereo with dual cassette and turn table. The winner will have a choice of the three.

grade had many excellent entries. The winners in the category K-2 were Christopher Taylor, 1st; Natalie Wheeler, 2nd; and Olivia Green, 3rd. In grades 3-6, Vance Lemons took 1st; Gabby Fierro, 2nd; and Jamie Taylor, 3rd. A big thank-you to the businesses and sponsors who donated money for the contest. They were C&L Food, Lacy Dry Goods, Karol's Kountry Korner, Sportsman Restaurant, Cecilia Johnson and Merrell Food.

On Friday, October 25, a panel of local and county officials informed the Valley junior high and high school students about the law concerning alcohol and drug use for minors. Speaking regarding the law and its en-

forcement was Sharon Pigg, county attorney for Briscoe County; Benny Ball, probation officer for Briscoe and Motley Counties; and Dale Ramsey, Quitaque Justice of the Peace. Also present were Jerry Beck, deputy sheriff for Briscoe County; Nathan Mulder, commissioner for the supervision and corrections department; and Byron Young, Turkey Justice of the Peace and the Reverend Steve Ulrey, representing the local ministers. Jack Vinson, Program Director for the Adolescent and Adult Chemical Unit at Cedar Creek Hospital in Amarillo spoke to students concerning the disease of addiction.

Various classes performed skits, songs and cheers at lunch each day. Teachers were heard teaching drug education lessons and leading discussions in the classroom all reinforcing the importance of living a drug-free life. Students and faculty alike are to be commended for the hard work and effort put into making Red Ribbon Week a success.

that it was taken down the middle of main street by eight men as it could not be turned in a smaller area. Some children ran moving trucks of boxes from the old store to the new.

At noon some others had lunch prepared at the Methodist Church for the moving crew. This was enjoyed by the hungry people.

By nightfall, not all of the goods and furnishings were in the new store, but the majority was in the new store.

Debbie and Angie continued to put the store's supplies in its new place.

This is how "barn raising" the modern way is done in Quitaque, Texas in 1991.

Ulrey Appointed To PRPC Committee

The Reverend Steve Ulrey has been appointed to the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission's (PRPC) Texas Review and Comment System (TRACS) Committee. This appointment, three-year term, was made by the PRPC Board of Directors at their October 24, 1991 meeting.

This committee is charged with the responsibility of reviewing and commenting on various applications for federal and state funds submitted from the Panhandle.

Persons are appointed to this committee of twelve persons from the twenty-nine counties of the Panhandle. This area is well represented by having Reverend Ulrey, Quitaque and John Bowman, from Silverton on this committee.

A love fund has been set up at The Turkey Branch of the Memphis State Bank for Manuel Silva Jr.

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Scholarship Available

High School students who are U.S. citizens and who are interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by December 14, 1991 from Educational Communications Scholarship Foundations, 721 N. McKinley Road, P.O. Box 5002, Lake Forest, IL 60045-5002.

To receive an application, students should send a note stating their name, address, city, state, zip code, approximate grade point average and year of graduation.

All requests for applications will be fulfilled on or about January 15, 1992. One hundred winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involvement in extra-curricular activities and need for financial aid.

Lions Plan Hamburger Supper

The Turkey and Quitaque Lions Club will be hosting a hamburger supper before the Valley football game Friday, November 1. This is a project the clubs have done together for several years and they always have a good time putting out a good meal for Valley fans and visitors.

Serving will begin at 6 p.m. in the school cafeteria and continue until 7:30. This is the last Valley home game and a great opportunity for everyone to enjoy Lion Burgers and Valley Football!

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Greenbelt FFA Leader Contests At Clarendon

FFA Leadership Contests for the Greenbelt District were held Saturday (October 26th) at Clarendon College. The first and second place teams will compete in the Area I FFA Leadership Contests at Clarendon College beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday, November 2nd.

Results of the Greenbelt District FFA Contests are: Senior Chapter Conducting, first Guthrie, second Spur, third Valley; Senior Farm Skill, first Valley, second Paducah, third Claude, fourth Spur; Radio Broadcast, first Claude, second Clarendon, third Valley; fourth Spur; Extemporaneous Preparation, first Paducah, second Motley County, third Clarendon, fourth Spur; FFA Creed, first Guthrie, second Valley, third Hedley, fourth Lakeview; Junior Chapter Conducting, first Guthrie, second Paducah, third Spur, fourth Childress, fifth Wellington; Junior Farm Skill, first Valley, second Spur, third Claude, fourth Clarendon; and FFA Quiz, first Silvertown, second Hedley, third Spur, fourth Memphis, fifth Clarendon.

Go Valley

Happy Anniversary
 October 31 - Mr. & Mrs. Dennis Farley
 November 1 - Mr. & Mrs. L. B. Monk

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OBITUARIES

RUTH WARE

TURKEY (Special) - Graveside services for Ruth Ware, 78, of Turkey were at 2 p.m. Saturday, October 26, 1991 in Dreamland Cemetery with the Rev. Steve Ulrey, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating.
 Cremation and services were under direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.
 She died at 11:15 a.m. Wednesday, October 23, 1991 in the Borger Nursing Center in Borger after a lengthy illness.
 She was born in Turkey. She had worked as a beautician. She was a member of First United Methodist Church.
 Survivors include a daughter, Loyce Purcell of Borger; a sister, Robbie Summers of Pampa; five grandchildren; and eight great grandchildren.

Happy Birthday

October 31: J. R. Reyna, Karla Helms, Lacy Washington
 November 1: Kelly Jo Patrick, Randa Jan McBee
 November 2: Larry Price, Grady Tyler, Patricia Maupin, Charlie Barnett
 November 3: Ward Rogers, Jim Mayfield, Norline Mora, Craig Setliff
 November 4: Edith Washington
 November 5: Burl Pierce, Nadine Davis, Dale Smith, Robert Cochran
 November 6: Carl Wayne Woods, Bennie Brown, Peggy Brannon, Cody Gene Rich
 November 7: Ciana Hill, Claudia Hawkins, Lyn Payne, Rex Yeary

Social Security News

By Mary Jane Shanes
FARMERS SHOULD REPORT HARVEST WAGES
 Farmers and anyone who works in farm jobs during the harvest season should be aware of the special rules that affect reporting of farm wages.
 Farm workers get Social Security credit for their cash wages, regardless of how many days they work or how much they earn, if their employer pays \$2,500 for agricultural labor. However, there are two instances when the farmhand must earn at least \$150 in order to be covered:
 • If the employer spends less than \$2,500 for agricultural labor, the worker is still covered as long as he or she was paid at least \$150 during the reporting year.
 • When a farmhand is a seasonal worker, commutes to work from home, is paid on a piece-rate basis, and was employed as an agricultural worker for less than 13 weeks during the preceding calendar year, the employer must report his or her wages only if the employer pays him or her at least \$150 during the year, regardless of the total amount of wages the employer pays.

Nuevo Study Club

Nuevo Study Club met in the home of Nadine Baisden on October 24th. The president, Mrs. Baisden, opened the meeting with a poem. During business, a letter was read from Vernon State Hospital itemizing the needs of the patients for Christmas gifts. The club sends gifts each year there as one of their projects.
 After interesting roll calls, Ella Colvin presented the program, "The Prickly Pear."
 Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mmes: Bain, Colvin, Degan, Green and Meacham.
 Next meeting will be on November 14th in the home of Mrs. Walker with Loise Meacham as leader of the program.

Turkey Senior Citizens News

Turkey Senior Citizens met in the Senior Citizens Room on October 22 with 17 present. Two new members joined, Allen and Winnie Green.
 R. C. Green opened the meeting. Happy birthday was sung to R. C. Green. Buck Lancaster offered thanks for the meal which was enjoyed by all.
 Games and visiting were enjoyed by the group.
 Next meeting will be on November 12. Come on all you Senior Citizens and join in the fun.

Yesterday Revisited

by Lee Nelson
 I returned last spring to my home place. I wanted to see the farm, to get the feel of my childhood one more time.
 All that stands are two cisterns. The house was between them so I knew where it used to be. The cellar, where we went when the wind storms hit west Texas, had caved in. I wondered how many rattlesnakes might be in that big hole.
 Barbed wire enclosed the farm like a box, weeds and wild grasses

grew everywhere covering the path from the road to the house, and from the house to the barn. When I walked that trail to the barn as a child, it seemed far away and uphill. Today it was close and only a mound.
 Standing on this flat plain one can see into eternity. From north, east and south, nothing obstructs the view. To the west, looms the Caprock escarpment, a mystery of my childhood, dark against the cloudless blue sky. I remember when I was a child, people talked about the Caprock, travelers who had gone west the 100 miles or so. It just sat there, and I never thought I would travel far enough to be there.

This is a land of wind, sun and sand, with little water. As I gazed across the empty landscape, in funnels of wind and sand arose from nowhere to whirl madly across the countryside and I remembered the whirlwinds, sometimes three or four at a time, sometimes none at all. The funnels whirled madly and then gradually disintegrated. Here on this land, we survived the stock market crash, the dust bowl, and World War II.
 I saw what used to be Buffalo Flat Schoolhouse; just a pile of bricks where it fell, two miles from the homeplace. I thought about the harsh winters when we walked to school. Sometimes the weather was so bad we were the only children at

school that day, but our parents always said we must go.

I remembered drawing water with a rope and bucket from the cisterns and boiling clothes in a black wash pot. I remembered going to the barn and milking cows. I remembered picking cotton to earn money for clothes and school supplies.

Despite the harshness of this land, there is a distinct beauty, and I appreciated that beauty. The sky is bluer than anyplace I have ever seen. With the flat land, the sky stretches across and tucks itself in around the edges of the earth like a dome. The blue sky against the dark red soil is a contrast in color.

Mama and Papa came to this country before it was cultivated. Papa dug mesquite trees out by the roots with a pick and axe. I thought of the hard work we'd done on this farm. Now, its new owners live close by and graze cattle on the wild grasses.

The town is named Turkey because before cultivation, wild turkeys roamed the area. The cowboys named their camp Turkey Roost, but when the post office came, the name was shortened. Wild turkeys disappeared when the countryside was settled. Now I have been told that because the land has returned to its natural habitat, droves of wild turkeys once again roam the countryside.

I walked a short distance watching lest there be a snake. I bent over and picked a bouquet of wildflowers to take with me, knowing they would not last, yet I wanted something to hold onto from my homeplace. As my husband and I drove away, I kept my eyes straight ahead, feeling as if I looked back, something from the past would come alive.

Maybe someday I will return. I think of the possibilities brimming over for this beautiful empty countryside.

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At the Close of Business, September 30, 1991

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Cash \$ 2,919,328.61	Capital Stock \$ 50,000.00
U. S. Bonds 9,595,644.02	Surplus 150,000.00
Municipal Bonds 1,033,722.05	Undivided Profits & Reserves .. 1,871,037.39
Federal Funds Sold 2,300,000.00	DEPOSITS 24,796,436.43
TOTAL CASH ASSETS \$15,848,694.68	Other Liabilities 539,235.74
Net Loans and Discounts..... 9,574,559.37	TOTAL \$27,406,709.56
Banking House 225,308.31	
Furniture and Fixtures 11,395.93	
Other Real Estate Owned..... 529,074.00	
Other Securities 24,400.00	
Other Assets 1,193,277.27	
TOTAL \$27,406,709.56	

MEMBER FDIC

Flomot News

by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

I have no economic radar to penetrate the future, but we can TRY to make it what we will it to be by exercising our freedom of voting on the 13 state amendments, Tuesday, November 5!

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter returned home, Tuesday, Oct. 22 from a weeks trip that included visiting in Austin with daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Steven (Susan) Smith, Wednesday and again, Saturday and Sunday of last week. They enjoyed attending the "Hoop-It-Up" street basketball game in Austin, Sunday.

They visited in Hockley, Thursday and Friday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tom (Melva) Shelton and in Denton, Monday with their son, Dr. Randall Hunter before returning home.

Members of the Flomot Baptist Church attending the Baptist Caprock Associational annual meeting held at the First Baptist Church in Floydada, Thursday October 24 were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond, Mrs. L. E. Shorter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter and pastor, the Rev. Nathen Mulder of South Plains.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee, Sunday were their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Joey Lee, Robert, Ernie and Jason of Clarendon; Mrs. Teresa Roberts and Kellan and friend, Bob McGraw of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee, Joshua and Brandon of Flomot and her mother, Mrs. S. W. Skinner of Quitaque.

Mrs. Lillie Tanner of Tulia visited from Thursday until Monday with daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin. She visited overnight Saturday in Matador with daughter and family, Mrs. Carolyn Ewing.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donnie Rogers visited in Kalgary, Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan and children, Shay and Dane and daughter, Shawna, student at South Plains College in Levelland. They celebrated Mr. Degan's birthday.

Mrs. A. D. Moseley visited from Friday until Sunday in Lamesa with daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James (Wanda) Davis and granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Shawna Holladay.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goldston of Lubbock visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jeff Sperry.

M. C. Jones has been in Lubbock for cardiac tests and treatment.

Ronnie and Richard Rogers of Lubbock visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donnie Rogers.

Mrs. Lanelle Byers Chandler of Lubbock visited Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson, Sunday. She, also visited the Coy Franks family.

Mrs. Clois Shorter and daughters, Christi and Keri visited in Lubbock, Saturday with her other daughter, Cindy Shorter and roommate, Libby Thomas, students at Texas Tech. Other visitors were Libby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas of Mesquite.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin met their daughter, Marilee Pilcher of Fritch in Childress, Friday night for dinner and attended the Fritch and Childress High School football game.

Truman "Tubb" Merrell, Jake Merrell and D. M. "Ikie" Gilbert enjoyed fishing from Friday until Sunday at the Miller Lake near Munday. They returned home with some "good catches."

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shorter and Clois Shorter and daughter, Keri visited in Amarillo, Sunday with Russell and Rickey Rhodes. They attended a City League football game in which Russell played. His team won 22-0.

Mrs. Truman (Melba Jo) Merrell was a patient at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock from October 25-29 for medical treatment. She is reported to be improving.

Those presenting a religious service at the Lockney Care Center in Lockney, Friday morning were Bro. and Mrs. J. E. Lee of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond, Mrs. L. E. Shorter and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter.

Local residents attending the musical program at the First Baptist Church in Matador, Sunday night were Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin and their houseguest, Mrs. Lillie Tanner of Tulia; Mrs. Clois Shorter, one of the featured singers, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnney Turner, Heather and Cobey and her mother, Mrs. Joe Luckenbach of Silvertown attended the Motley County School Junior football game in Knox City, Thursday night in which Cobey played. The family attended the Halloween Carnival in Matador, Saturday night.

Mrs. Ray Martin of Roaring Springs, Mrs. Kathryn Martin of Whiteflat and Art Green attended the musical and church services at the First Baptist Church in Matador, Sunday night.

WEATHER REPORT
Winter that has been standing with packed luggage outside the door of Motley County made its uninvited entrance Tuesday morning, October 29 in Flomot and Whiteflat carrying a 30 degree temperature. Light rain and drizzle preceding the cold snap, Sunday registered .50 of moisture.

Farmers grow uneasy regarding the departure of summer weather until crops are gathered.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Janet House of Turkey, and Hal House of Amarillo are proud to announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Candice Michelle House to Jeffery Todd Carnes of Gardendale, Texas. Todd is the son of Cheryl Beeson of Midland and Bobby Carnes of Longview.

The couple plan to wed, Saturday, November 16, 1991 at 3 p.m. at the Church of Christ in Turkey. The public is invited.



If all the continents were placed in the Pacific Ocean, there would still be room for another the size of Asia, the largest continent.

Clean Refrigerator Coils Are Efficient Coils

Surprisingly, one of the leading causes of refrigerator service calls is also one of the easiest to prevent, say appliance specialists from Whirlpool Corporation: dirty condenser coils.



Even in the cleanest kitchens, normal household dirt—dust, lint, pet hair—builds up on condenser coils and adheres with cooking grease and other moisture (just think of the mess that greeted you last time you moved the range or refrigerator!) This insulates the coils, trapping heat and literally preventing your refrigerator from refrigerating.

To clean coils located on the back of a refrigerator, simply pull the unit away from the wall and vacuum them.

This process becomes trickier when the coils are underneath the refrigerator, as in most new models. Remove the louvered base grille, then gently clean the coils with something long and flat—a yardstick works well, a pastry brush is even better, and some appliance stores and service shops offer special brushes made just for this purpose. Remove the debris with a vacuum cleaner.

Taking a few minutes to clean your condenser coils just six times a year can go a long way toward avoiding service calls, saving energy, even prolonging the life of your refrigerator.

FANCY THAT!



Everything old is new again. One of the tastiest trends in food these days is the comeback of the American diner, that nostalgic-filled roadside eatery specializing in hearty blueplate specials and a fun family atmosphere. New stainless steel diners are coming to towns across America!



Many families are enjoying delicious diner fare at home thanks to microwave magic and the new line of Libby's Diner single-serving microwaveable entrees. You can order from a tempting menu of macaroni and beef, lasagna, chili, beef stew, pasta spirals and chicken, ravioli and spaghetti and meatballs. These "All American" diner entrees are as close as your microwave. It's a great place to eat!

On The QT

Wanda Harrison had surgery Thursday, Oct. 22, 1991 at Childress, Texas. She returned to her home in Quitaque Monday.

Leon McCracken was conveyed to his home in Quitaque from Plainview Friday October 25, 1991.

Did You Know?

Retreading is recycling. Environmentalists agree that our dwindling natural resources need to be conserved now. Retreading is one industry that prides itself on the efficient recycling of worn tires and retreading saves America oil, since tires are mainly made of petroleum based raw materials. When you buy a retread you help significantly reduce the waste and misuse of millions of worn tires, helping make a better world for the future. For a free brochure on the benefits of retreaded tires, send a stamped, self-addressed business-size envelope to: Tire Retread Information Bureau, 900 Weldon Grove, Pacific Grove, CA 93950.

Turkey Talk
by Shannon Wiginton

Paulette Lipscomb visited her parents, Ralph and Juanita Meacham in Midland over the weekend. While there she also visited her daughters and families, Bruce and Mitchie Patrick and Sandi and Rickey Fuston.

Manuel Silva Jr. is a patient at University Medical Center in Lubbock following major surgery Monday, Oct. 28, 1991. He remains in ICU at press time.

Lewis and Mozelle Eudy visited in Amarillo Sunday with Mickey Bostick and Thelma Roberts and other family members.

TWO SHOES of CHILDRESS

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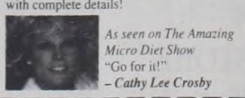
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Valley Patriot SPORTS NEWS



JV Patriots Defeat Silverton Owls Valley Rushes Past Vernon Northside, 58-12

Valley racked up 425 yards rushing, and Clay Edwards rushed for five touchdowns, leading the Patriots to a 58-12 victory over the Vernon Northside Indians in District 2-A six-man action Friday night.

The game was called with 3:23 left in the third quarter because of the 45-point rule.

Valley evened its record at 4-4 overall and 2-1 in district, and Northside fell to 3-4-1- and 1-2.

Edwards scored on runs of 9, 21, 19, 15 and 15 yards, and was the leading rusher in the contest.

Valley running back Bradley Price opened the scoring for the Patriots in the first quarter with a 15-yard touchdown run. After the point-after attempt failed, Valley led 6-0.

Northside's first score came late in the first quarter when Phillip Gryseels rambled 60 yards for a touchdown. The PAT failed, and the Indians trailed 19-6. Gryseels also scored Northside's only other touchdown on an 80-yard kickoff return.

by Coach Browning
Valley JV Defeats Silverton 20 to 14.

If you weren't at the game last Thursday night you missed an excellent played game by both teams. Both teams played hard and the hitting was tremendous by both sides and the game wasn't decided until we recovered their onside kick with less than 30 seconds left in the game. I think everyone at the game got their money's worth.

On offense we were able to keep them off balance by mixing both the run and pass effectively. Things

"Meet The Teacher"



Barbara Fourier is the fourth grade teacher for Valley School. She graduated from McLean High School and attended college at Clarendon Junior College, WTSU, Texas Tech University and Southwestern Oklahoma State University.

Miss Fourier's goals for the 1991-92 school year is for it to be a successful, productive year. Also she wants to help students to learn to enrich their lives through education.

"My impression of Valley School is that of a very supportive, caring school, a wonderful environment in which to teach," said Miss Fourier.

Among Barbara's many hobbies are sewing, crafts, sports, cooking and reading.

Valley School Menu

- MONDAY
 - Pizza
 - Long Branch French Fries
 - Cinnamon Rolls
- TUESDAY
 - Fried Chicken
 - Cream Gravy
 - Green Beans
 - Fruit Salad
 - Biscuits
- WEDNESDAY
 - Braised Beef Tips
 - Mixed Vegetables
 - Cream Potatoes
 - Fruit Jello
 - Hot Rolls
- THURSDAY
 - HB Steak
 - Brown gravy
 - French Fries
 - Green Salad
 - Chocolate Cake\
 - Biscuit
- FRIDAY
 - Meat and Cheese Tacos
 - Beans
 - Lettuce and Tomatoes
 - Fruit

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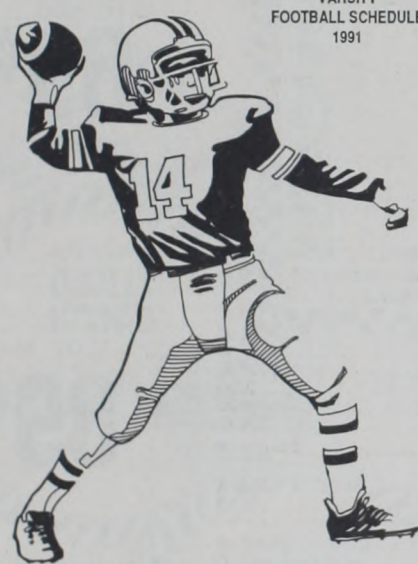
looked bleak early in the game when our starting tailback was injured, but Alphonse Clardy stepped in and rushed for 136 yards on 12 carries and one touchdown. Our line, Bubba Powell, Danny Ulrey, Clay Merrell, opened up holes and they ran good routes when we passed the ball. Ricky Hughes threw 2 touchdown passes, one to Powell and one to Merrell. We did a good job of executing our plays and I am proud of the way the kids pulled together to get the job done.

Defensively we intercepted one pass and forced 6 fumbles recovering 4 of them. We had one bad defensive stunt called and they broke a play for a 69 yard touchdown. Other than that we limited them to less than 100 yards for the rest of the game. The entire team gave 100 percent on every play and we always had several kids on the tackle. It was an outstanding team effort.

This week we play Chillicothe at Chillicothe, Thursday, October 31.

VALLEY PATRIOT FOOTBALL '91

VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1991



VALLEY PATRIOTS VS CHILLICOTHE EAGLES
Here 7:30 p.m.



HEAD COACH: Cliff Gilmore
ASST. COACHES: Sam Browning, Darren Janssen
SUPERINTENDENT: Jerry Smith
PRINCIPAL: Jerry Maupin
MASCOT: PATRIOTS
COLORS: Red, White, Blue
MANAGERS: Jeremy Taylor, Walt Henson, Michael Lane
CHEERLEADERS: Katy Browning, Audra House, Julie Clay, Traca Lemons, Joni Hancock, Mandi Adams
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DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
September 6	Jayton	Valley	8:00
September 13	Lazbuddie	Lazbuddie	7:30
September 20	Higgins**	Valley	7:30
September 27	Miami	Miami	7:30
October 4	McLean	McLean	7:30
October 11	Harrold*	Valley	7:30
October 18	Guthrie*	Guthrie	7:30
October 25	Vernon Northside*	Northside	7:30
November 1	Chillicothe*	Valley	7:30
November 8	Patton Springs*	Patton Springs	7:30

VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL JR. VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1991

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
September 5	Silverton JV	Valley	6:30
September 12	Chillicothe JV	Valley	5:30
September 19	Miami JV	Valley	6:30
September 26	Lazbuddie JV	Lazbuddie	6:30
October 3	McLean JV	Samnorwood	6:30
October 10	Lazbuddie JV	Valley	6:30
October 17	Samnorwood Varsity	Samnorwood	6:30
October 24	Silverton JV	Silverton	6:30
October 31	Chillicothe JV	Chillicothe	7:00
November 7	Samnorwood Varsity	Valley	6:30

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* Denotes Dist. Games
** Denotes Homecoming

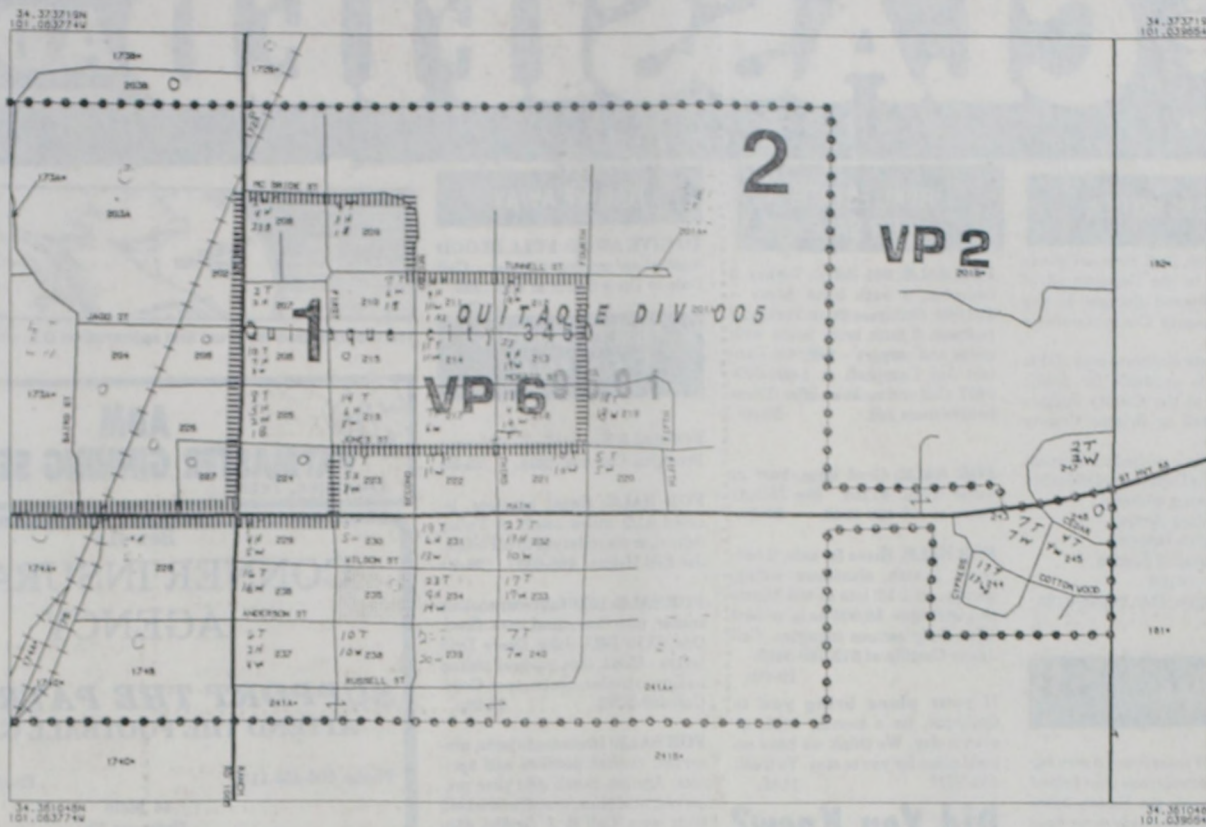
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PROPOSED REDISTRICTING PLAN - QUITAQUE VOTING PRECINCTS



- Legend
- Incorporated Place
- Corporate Corridor
- Census Tract or Block Number
- Block Number (With Asterisk)
- Fishhook
- Crews-of-Vessels
- Note: An international boundary depicts a county boundary. The symbol is a dashed line.
- Interstate, U.S., or State Hi
- Secondary Road
- City Street, Other Road, or Dirt Road
- Jeep Trail, Walkway, or Stair
- Railroad
- Ferry Crossing
- Pipeline or Power Transmission
- Ridge, Fence, Canyon, or Other Physical Feature
- Nonvisible Boundary or Other Feature Not Elsewhere Classified
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- Intermittent Stream, or Shore of Intermittent Water Body
- Large River, Lake, or Other Water Body
- Military Installation
- Park (National, State, or Loc
- Mountain Peak
- Inset Area
- * State or County; or their equiv.

First Grade News

by Miss Johnson

Our trip to Floydada was a success from start to finish. We arrived at the pumpkin patch ready for pumpkins to be made into Jack-O-Lanterns. Each first grader and kindergartener was able to select the pumpkin of their choice. We were also given small pumpkins at the Travis Jones' farm. Next, we met Betty Marcus at the Chamber of Commerce for a walking tour of the downtown businesses. We then went to the park with our sack lunches and played a short time at their playground. We stopped at the elementary where we visited with two classes and exchanged Halloween pictures. We hope to have made friends that we can continue to write. Mrs. Lemmons will take our letters each week to Floydada and we hope to encourage writing skills.

The International Institute of Literacy Writing has given several suggestions to increase your child's reading, writing, and speaking. It suggests that you provide a wealth of books on a variety of levels and provide a variety of writing supplies. Take time to talk to your child about their day and also discuss your day with them. We have started doing maps of our activities.

Hope your Halloween was fun!

DO use products that help sluggish nails grow, such as "Nail Growth Treatment Fluid," one of the eight great Cover Girl Salon Solutions that meet all your nail needs. It gives undernourished nails the TLC they need to get growing. Just place a drop on each nail bed and massage slowly into nails and cuticles.

DON'T use your nails as tools. Dial the phone with a pencil, ring doorbells with knuckles. Wear gloves to protect nails from household chemicals and cold temperatures.

DON'T forget to moisturize daily with a good multi-use moisturizer such as Cover Girl Salon Solutions "Total Care Nail, Cuticle and Hand Creme." It has Keratin, Vitamin E and other nutrients that keep hands and nails healthy and beautiful.

Penguins cannot fly but are excellent swimmers.

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DO file 'em gently. Use a fresh emery board, and file completely dry nails gently in one direction—never with a back-and-forth "sawing" motion.

To get Brazil nuts out of their shells unbroken, freeze them until the shells crack.

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Kerri Jeane
to
Eric Eugene Scoggins

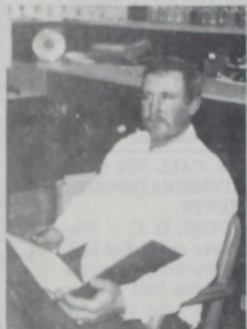
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Chairman
Zone 5

CAPROCK SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT #126

1991 ANNUAL REPORT

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

September 1, 1990 - August 31, 1991

Beginning Balance.....	\$ 4,690.24
INCOME	
Technical Assistance.....	\$ 6,113.81
Matching Funds.....	3,399.93
Trees.....	2,149.39
Irrigation.....	1,721.30
Fertilizer.....	20.30
Donations.....	1,486.03
Miscellaneous.....	339.48
Total.....	\$15,230.24
EXPENSES	
Technical Assistance.....	\$ 5,328.78
Bookkeeping.....	221.60
Trees.....	1,424.87
Irrigation.....	1,364.19
Postage.....	73.00
Office Supplies.....	102.60
Miscellaneous.....	5,393.38
Total.....	\$13,908.42
Ending Balance.....	\$ 6,012.06
C.D. Account.....	\$ 5,438.44



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BENA HESTER
SWCD Technical Assistant & Clerk



MATTHEW KAST
SCS - District Conservationist



JIMMY MYERS
SCS - Soil Conservation Technician



DONALD GIBBONS
SCS - Soil Conservationist

1991 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- *1,655 Windbreak Trees Sold
- *67 Fruit Trees Sold
- *11,391 ft. Drip Irrigation Line Sold
- *59,262 ft. of Terraces Installed
- *10,179 cu. yds. of Diversion Terraces Installed
- *21,043 ft. of Irrigation Pipeline Installed
- *120 Windstrip Cropping Systems on 10,000 acres Installed
- *17 News Articles published
- *18 meetings held with 311 people attending
- *1 New Great Plains Conservation Program Contract on 9500 ac.
- *29 New Cooperators on 23,914 acres
- *300 individuals assisted
- *2 Water Storage Facilities Installed
- *Proper Grazing by livestock certified on 85,000 acres



Under the Great Plains Conservation Program, water storage tanks were installed on the State Ranch (above) operated by L. N. Johnson and on the Burson Cattle Co. Ranch (below).



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A complete duplicate copy of this submittal is available for public inspection at the County Judge's office located in Briscoe County Courthouse.

The public is invited to comment directly to the Department of Justice at the following address:
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 Department of Justice
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 Washington, D.C. 20035-6128

THANK YOU

Jack and I want to say a very big Thank You to everyone who helped us with moving the Variety Store this weekend. We would never have been able to do it without you.

Thanks also to the ladies who prepared the meal Saturday and to those who provided the food. Thank You again and we do appreciate the support in our new venture.

Jack and Debbie Wellman and family 22 1tc

Thanks to everyone for the cards, food, flowers, prayers and visits while Wanda was hospitalized and since she has returned home. Johnny and Wanda Harrison 22 1tc

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Did You Know?

These facts about anxiety may help ease the concerns of millions:
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 •Some studies suggest it occurs in one in four working Americans.
 •Researchers now believe anxiety may have a physical cause.

FARMERS CALL ON CONGRESS FOR IMMEDIATE POLICY IMPROVEMENTS

WASHINGTON, D. C. : Congress must make unfinished agricultural issues a priority during the closing days of the 1991 session, according to the more than 150 family farmers from throughout the country who were in Washington this week.

Improving federal dairy policies headed the list of concerns expressed by the fly-in delegation. Congress is now considering legislation which would implement a program to boost the prices paid to dairy farmers by keeping milk supplies in line with demand.

Farmers Union members support management approach known as a "two-tier" under which farmers could receive a fair price for their milk. However, the group told congressional leaders that the policy must contain support prices that offer farmers a reasonable return on investment.

The farmers also blasted the Bush Administration for driving a wedge between dairy farmers, producers of other commodities, and consumers.

"The Administration has stated that a supply-management dairy program would drive up retail prices, impact federal nutrition programs, and harm beef producers. These arguments are simply untrue," said Joe Rankin, President of Texas Farmers Union.

Second on the farmers' lobbying agenda was a call for disaster assistance for producers whose crops were lost to weather disasters this year. Farmers Union says weather conditions in parts of the country ranged from drought to floods to tornadoes this year, and were so extreme that crops in parts of some states were wiped out completely. The group says a well-funded disaster program and a commitment by Congress to improve the Federal Crop Insurance Program are critical to areas that suffered crop losses.

Other issues supported by the Farmers Union members included wetlands regulations, grazing fees on federal lands, health care costs and availability, concentration in the marketing and processing sectors of agriculture, and adequate funding levels for the Green Thumb older workers' program. "On behalf of family farmers and ranchers here in Texas I express my sincere appreciation to the Texas Farmers Union members who took the time to come to Washington this week," said Texas Farmers Union President, Joe Rankin. "When Members of Congress consider farm policies, there are no better people for them to hear from than real, working farmers."

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SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

For the November 5, 1991, Election

John Hannah, Jr., Secretary of State

This November, Texas will have the opportunity to vote on 13 proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution. To help you make informed decisions on these propositions we present the following summaries of the proposed amendments. Below you will find the proposition as it will appear on the ballot followed by a brief description of the effect the proposition will have if it is passed.

- Proposition 1:** "The constitutional amendment allowing home rule cities with a population of 5,000 or less to amend their charters by popular vote."
 Summary: A home-rule city is a city that is able to govern itself, generally through the actions of a city council or commission. To become a home-rule city, a city must have a population of at least 5,000. It must hold an election to become a home-rule city, and the measure must pass by a majority vote. Once a city becomes a home-rule city, it may adopt a charter, and this charter may be amended through an election every two years. However, under current law, if the population of a home-rule city falls below 5,000, the city is no longer allowed to amend its charter. If passed, this amendment would allow home-rule cities whose populations have fallen below 5,000 to continue to amend their charters through elections.
- Proposition 2:** "The constitutional amendment mandating the repayment to the Department of Transportation of money expended to assist the Texas Turnpike Authority in the construction, maintenance, and operation of turnpikes, toll roads, and toll bridges."
 Summary: If passed, this amendment will allow the legislature to authorize the Texas Department of Transportation to spend money on turnpikes, toll roads, or toll bridges in Texas Turnpike Authority. The Department of Transportation may use any available money that it has for this purpose. However, if the Department of Transportation uses money from the state highway fund, this money must be replaced by money collected by the Texas Turnpike Authority from tolls and turnpike revenue. Currently, the state is not allowed to use any public money to build or maintain toll roads or turnpikes.
- Proposition 3:** "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to further implement and enhance the administration of the veterans' housing assistance and land programs and to expand the investment authority of the Veterans' Land Board."
 Summary: If passed, this amendment would ease the restrictions on how the Veterans' Land Board can invest money from the Veterans' Land Fund and the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund. The board may invest any money that is not to be used for the payment of principal and interest on bonds, the purchase of lands, or the payment of expenses. In addition, the board is no longer limited to investing this money in bonds or securities of the federal government.
- Proposition 4:** "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$1.1 billion in general obligation bonds for acquisition, construction, or upgrading new prisons or other punishment facilities to confine criminals, mental health and mental retardation institutions, and youth correction institutions, for major repair or renovation of existing facilities of the institutions, and for the acquisition, major repair or renovation of other facilities for use as state prisons or other punishment facilities."
 Summary: If passed, this amendment will allow the state to issue up to \$1.1 billion in general obligation bonds. The money from selling these bonds will be used to acquire, construct, or upgrade new prisons and other punishment facilities, mental health and mental retardation institutions, and youth correction institutions. This money will also be used to repair and renovate existing facilities. The bonds and interest on the bonds will be paid from the first money coming into the state treasury that is not set aside by the state commission for other purposes.
 Note: A general obligation bond is a bond that is repaid from the State's general revenue fund. Most of the money in this fund comes from state taxes and fees.
- Proposition 5:** "The constitutional amendment authorizing the exemption for ad valorem taxes of certain property in an enterprise zone."
 Summary: This amendment deals with property owned by an individual or organization that does business in an enterprise zone. If passed, this amendment would allow a county, a junior college district, or a municipality to exempt certain personal property from ad valorem taxation. To be exempt from taxation, the following conditions must be met: (1) the property must be acquired or brought into the state in an enterprise zone to be forwarded outside the state; (2) the property must be inventoried, valued, appraised, maintained, maintained, processed, or fabricated in the enterprise zone; (3) the property must be transported outside the state within 175 days after being acquired or brought into the enterprise zone; and (4) the person who acquired or brought the property into an enterprise zone is an individual business.
- Proposition 6:** "The constitutional amendment authorizing the voters of this state to consider state debt questions in the form of ballot propositions that state clearly describe the amounts, purposes, and sources of payment of the debt only after approval of the propositions by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature."
 Summary: This amendment deals with the way that voters will vote on legislative action that would create a debt for the State. Currently, all propositions that create state debt must be approved by two-thirds of each house of the legislature and by a majority of voters during a constitutional amendment election. When these propositions are passed, they actually become part of the state constitution.
 If passed, this proposition would still require propositions that create debt to be approved by a two-thirds vote of the legislature and a majority of the voters. However, when these propositions are passed, they will not become part of the state constitution. Instead, they will be enacted by statute. In addition, when the proposition is placed on the ballot, it must clearly describe the purpose of the debt, the amount of the debt, and how the debt will be repaid. The amount of the debt to be proposed may not be exceeded or exceeded unless the proposition also states that the debt can be exceeded or renewed.
- Proposition 7:** "The constitutional amendment to allow the board of trustees of a statewide public retirement system to invest the funds of the system in a manner that the board considers prudent."
 Summary: If passed, this amendment will change the way in which the board of trustees of each statewide public retirement system can invest the system's funds. Currently, a board can only invest in securities, bonds, and other investments (stocks, bonds, etc.). However, if this amendment passes, a board may invest in retirement funds in any way that it thinks is prudent.
- Proposition 8:** "The constitutional amendment authorizing the voters of this state to consider state debt questions in the form of ballot propositions that state clearly describe the amounts, purposes, and sources of payment of the debt only after approval of the propositions by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature."
 Summary: This amendment deals with the way that voters will vote on legislative action that would create a debt for the State. Currently, all propositions that create state debt must be approved by two-thirds of each house of the legislature and by a majority of voters during a constitutional amendment election. When these propositions are passed, they actually become part of the state constitution.
 If passed, this proposition would still require propositions that create debt to be approved by a two-thirds vote of the legislature and a majority of the voters. However, when these propositions are passed, they will not become part of the state constitution. Instead, they will be enacted by statute. In addition, when the proposition is placed on the ballot, it must clearly describe the purpose of the debt, the amount of the debt, and how the debt will be repaid. The amount of the debt to be proposed may not be exceeded or exceeded unless the proposition also states that the debt can be exceeded or renewed.
- Proposition 9:** "The constitutional amendment authorizing the commissioner of the General Land Office to issue patents for certain public free school land held in good faith under color of title for at least 50 years."
 Summary: This amendment deals with lands that are technically owned by the state of Texas. In some cases, people have purchased or acquired this land from someone other than the State. While the State still technically owns this land, some people who purchased or acquired the land did not know that the land was owned by the state. From the time that these people purchased or acquired this land, they have believed that they are the legal owners.
 If passed, this amendment will allow the Land Commissioner to give the legal title for this land (called public free school land) to certain people. A person is entitled to receive a legal title to this land if: (1) the land is surveyed public free school land; (2) the person could not gain the land's title under previous law; (3) when the person acquired the land, he or she did not know that the land was legally owned by the state and has believed that he or she has owned the land since January 1, 1941; (4) the person has a recorded deed on file in the county courthouse and has claimed the land for at least 50 years as of January 1, 1991; and (5) all taxes on the land, including any interest and penalties for late tax payments, have been paid for at least 50 years.
 Note: Public free school land is owned by the State. Any revenue that this land generates (through sale, rent, etc.) is placed in the Permanent School Fund.
- Proposition 10:** "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxes certain property of a nonprofit corporation that supplies water or provides wastewater services."
 Summary: This amendment deals with property owned by a nonprofit corporation that supplies water or provides wastewater services. If passed, this amendment will allow the legislature to exempt property that is owned by these corporations from ad valorem taxes. In order for this property to be exempted, the nonprofit corporation must meet the following conditions: (1) the corporation's bylaws must say that, if the corporation stops operating, any leftover assets must be transferred to an organization that provides water supply, wastewater service, or both; (2) the leftover assets must be property that can be used for water supply and wastewater services.
 Note: An ad valorem tax is a tax imposed on the value of property.
- Proposition 11:** "The constitutional amendment authorizing a state lottery."
 Summary: If passed, this amendment will allow the State to operate lotteries. The State would also be able to contract with other organizations that would operate lotteries on the State's behalf.
- Proposition 12:** "The constitutional amendment to increase from 20 percent to 50 percent the percentage of Texas water development bonds previously authorized by Texas voters that may be issued for economically distressed areas."
 Summary: This amendment deals with reallocating a percentage of the \$500 million of Texas water development bonds that were approved by Texas voters in 1989. These bonds were to be used to fund water supply, water quality, and flood control projects. Currently, the board is limited to issuing 20% of the \$500 million (or \$100 million) of these bonds to provide water and wastewater facilities to economically distressed areas of the state. If passed, this amendment will allow the board to issue up to 50% of the \$500 million (or \$250 million) of these bonds for this purpose.
- Proposition 13:** "The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds not to exceed \$300,000,000 to continue existing programs to provide educational loans to students, with repayment of such loans applied toward retirement of the bonds."
 Summary: If passed, this amendment will allow the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to issue up to \$300 million in general obligation bonds. The money from selling these bonds will be used to finance educational loans to students. In the past, all bonds in this program have been retired through repayments from student borrowers, not the taxpayer.

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