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## Calendar of Events

**January 20**  
 Memphis JH 5 pm H  
 Panhandle Com. Ser @  
 Turkey

**January 21**  
 Nazareth T 4 pm  
 Student Holiday  
 Teacher Work Day

**January 22**  
 Motley JH (8th) Tournament  
 Patton Springs JH (7th)  
 Tournament

**January 23**  
 Briscoe County Stock Show

**January 23**  
 Worship at Church of Choice

**January 24**  
 Quitaque Firemen  
 JH at Silvertown 4 pm

**January 25**  
 Turkey Lion Club  
 Patton Springs Tourney-T 4

**January 26**  
 Lakeview JH Tournament

**January 27**  
 Triple L Club  
 Lakeview JH Tournament

## Farmers Union To Meet

Delegates and guests from across the state will meet in Fort Worth, Friday, Jan. 28, and Saturday, Jan. 29, to celebrate the 90th annual state convention.

The Farmers Union has grave concerns about the recent passage of North American Free Trade Agreement and the long range affects it will have on the family farm system of agriculture in the nation.

Some of the speakers will be Honorable Mike Moncrief, State Senator, Bob Bullock, Lt. Governor, Pete Geren, member of Congress; George Ellis, FmHA, and the Honorable Pete Laney, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Lee Swenson, president of National Farmers Union will speak at the banquet Saturday night.

## THEN & NOW!

by Eunice McFall

Abundance is a great sounding word meaning according to Webster, great plenty or more than enough. Do you have abundance in your life in material things, friends, happiness, love, food and education? Perhaps you think that you do not have anything in abundance! Just stop and look around you! Look on the TV at all the starving peoples that we see on the news programs. Look at the earthquake victims who were left with nothing but the clothing that they happened to be sleeping in!

Many people of the world look to America as the land of abundance. We do have lots of things in abundance here but how do we use our abundance? Do we share our abundance or do we hoard up supplies just because we think that one day we "might" need the items? Do we share our friends or are we the sort of person that can only have one friend at a time? Think of the all the joy that we are missing if we only have one friend at a time!

Do we share our happiness with others when something wonderful has happened to us? Do we pass the great feeling of love along when someone has done something special for us? Do we in turn do something special for someone else? This chain reaction could really make this a great world to live in. If everyone would do this one thing—everyone would be so busy doing something special for someone else that we would not have time to get into trouble and do cruel things to each other.

How about the food that you consume each day and probably fuss because you weigh more than you wish you did? Did you ever consider sharing that over abundance with your neighbors who are less fortunate than you and might enjoy eating something that was cooked by someone else?

Now to the abundance of education we have available here in the United States. Do you share the knowledge that you have? Do you help someone learn the lessons that you have gained through the years with the school of "hard knocks"? Do you help that school child to learn the lessons in books that will serve him well all of his life? Abundance can be in the form of educating someone to be able to help themselves even though this is sometimes a painful process. There are so many areas of abundance in our world that need sharing with the many needy people in our world.

The wonderful thing about abundance is not in the having of it but in the giving of it. Now how many things can you say that the pleasure is in the giving of it? Let us therefore take joy in our abundance and help our fellow man to gain a bit of abundance for themselves! You see it is not what we have, but what we enjoy, that constitutes our abundance. Lets try to find one "abundance" that we can share with someone this next week!

## Clinic May Soon Open In Turkey

The Turkey Medical Clinic has been receiving a new face lift. Cleaning and needed repairs are being done in hopes the Clinic will be reopened soon.

Dr. Robert Watson of Hall County Rural Health Clinic is pleased to announce the employment of Ray A. Malphurs, PA-C. Mr. Malphurs is being employed as a Physician's Assistant with the formal approval of the Texas Board of Medical Examiners, to assist in the Rural Health Clinic.

Mr. Malphurs is a 1985 graduate of the University of Texas Health Science Center-Dallas Physician Assistant Program. The PA program entails 27 months of training, and includes one year of didactics and 15 months of clinical training.

A Love Fund has been set up at the First National Bank in Quitaque for the Bubba Clardy Family.

Malphurs trained at Parkland Memorial Hospital, Dallas; the Dallas Veterans Administrative Hospital and Children's Medical Center in Dallas.

Malphurs has had training in all aspects of family practice. He has delivered over 120 babies and is well versed in pediatrics. He also received training in orthopedics, minor surgery, Geriatrics, OB/GYN and Preventive medicine. His experience as a Registered Respiratory Therapist contribute to his knowledge of most respiratory problems.

Malphurs will assist Dr. Watson and the Clinic by increasing access to quality and affordable medical care to the community.

If all goes well, Mr. Malphurs will reopen the Turkey Clinic and will be in Turkey a few days each week. Mr. Malphurs will be the administrator for the Hall and Donley County Rural Health Clinics.

## Briscoe County Livestock Show

January 21 & 22, 1994

Friday, January 21, 1994

All Livestock must be weighed and in place 12 noon-6 p.m.

Saturday, January 22, 1994

8:30 a.m.

Immediately following sheep

Immediately following steers

Immediately following beef heifers

Immediately following dairy heifers

Immediately following prospect swine

4:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

Sheep Show

Steer Show

Beef Heifer Show

Dairy Heifer Show

Prospect Swine Show

Market Swine Show

Pee Wee Showmanship

Brisket Dinner

Awards Presentations

Premium Sale

## Notice

Valley teachers will be having a workday on Friday, January 21, 1994. Students will have a holiday on this date.

## Two Charged With Capital Murder

Courtesy Briscoe County News  
 Two people have been charged with capital murder in connection with the shooting death of a former Quitaque man and his girlfriend in Dallas.

Charles R. (Bubba) Clardy, jr., 21, and Laticia Brown, 19, were shot late Thursday or early Friday (Christmas Eve) in their northeast Dallas apartment, police said. Clardy was a life-long Quitaque resident before moving to Dallas two years ago, a family member said.

Their bodies were not discovered until late Sunday when Clardy's co-worker came to the apartment complex to find out why Clardy had not reported for work, police said.

The couple's 11 month old daughter, Camesha LaShell Clardy, was missing when police arrived on the scene, according to a Dallas Police Department report.

Zeola Taylor of Quitaque, a relative of Clardy's said Police told Clardy's family that Camesha was taken by the two suspects, who surrendered to police on Monday.

Mrs. Taylor said the girl is in the custody of Children's Protective Services in Dallas.

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## Steven A. Carriker Senate's Only Farmer Files For Re-election

Thirtieth District State Senator Steven A. Carriker has filed in the Democratic Primary for re-election to the office he has served in since 1988.

At the age of 43, Senator Carriker is among the youngest members of the Texas Senate and the only member of the Senate to make his living as a farmer. He is a graduate of the University of Texas and his wife Kathy, a Texas Tech graduate, is a public school teacher. They have three children: Jake, a student at Southwest Texas University and Karen and Stephanie who attend elementary school in Roby.

Senator Carriker has been active in health care issues and was responsible for the 1989 law that has helped create over 170 rural health clinics in communities that had lost or were in danger of losing their health care facilities entirely. His work in health care has earned him awards from the Texas Association of Community Health Centers, the Joint Conference on Aging, and a special resolution honoring him by the Texas Silver-Haired Legislature.

Senator Carriker has passed six bills reducing taxes and protecting taxpayer rights. Among those are bills reducing the oil severance tax, abating property taxes, and protecting retirees from illegitimate income taxes levied by other states.

Senator Carriker has also just completed a four year term on the Texas Sunset Commission where his work resulted in the abolition or consolidation of ten agencies and a savings to taxpayers of 54 million dollars.

"I am proud of the confidence the people of the Thirtieth District have placed in me and am glad to have the opportunity to continue to represent them," Senator Carriker said.

(Pub. Adv. pd by Carriker Campaign Fund)

## Raye Bailey Files For County Clerk

To the Citizens of Hall County:

The Valley Tribune has been authorized by Raye Bailey to announce her candidacy to the office of District-County Clerk of Hall County, subject to the actions of the Democratic Primary Election on March 8, 1994.

"I would like to take this opportunity to announce my candidacy and ask for your support and vote for the office of District-County Clerk of Hall County."

"I feel that my 17 years experience as an employee of a local bank, employee of the Farmers Home Administration, and several years of owning and operating a restaurant, that I have the experience to perform the duties of the office, as well as the knowledge of the needs and desires of the residents of Hall County.

## Amarillo Globe-News Six-Man Super Team

The fifth annual Globe-News Six-Man Super Team was announced last week. Three members of the 1993 Valley Patriot football squad were named to this elite team.

Juniors Donnie Calvert and Josh Scoggins were selected to the defensive team and Joe David Valdez was placed on the offensive team.

Valley Coach Clifton Gilmore was chosen as Coach of the Year for the Super Team.

Valdez rushed for 1,264 yards and 17 touchdowns at the running back position and threw for 918 yards and 17 touchdowns while starting as quarterback for the Patriots.

Calvert played linebacker and made 105 tackles, recovered three fumbles and intercepted one pass.

Scoggins, who made the Super Team last year as a sophomore, had 89 tackles, 17 for losses totaling 85 yards. He also recovered three fumbles.

Coach Gilmore led the Patriots to a District 2A title and finished the year with a 10-2 overall record. Gilmore had to make several adjustments in his starting lineup due to injuries, all the while keeping the Patriots on the winning track.

Congratulations to these young men and to Coach Gilmore for a job well-done.

## Ranger, Native Quitaque Dog, Saves Five Lives

by Zeida Leeper

A Leopard Catahoula is a ranging dog of various colors. It is also the state dog of Louisiana and ranges in all sizes. One such Catahoula began his life in Quitaque at the Sid McFall residence with seven brothers and sisters. He was one of the smallest of the litter. He was a "freebie" to a girl who took him to East Texas and she named him Ranger. She soon decided she couldn't keep him, so he again moved on. This time to a man who owned a dairy farm. His children had recently lost a pet, so he decided Ranger might fill the bill.

Even though Ranger was supposed to be "just a pet," he took to the fields and dairy quickly. One morning three weeks later, the dairy man went out to begin his morning chores and he noticed all the orphan calves were at the gate in a row. He thought this was a bit unusual, but he soon found something even more unusual. Ranger had gathered all the little orphans up in a row and if one tried to wander off, Ranger just raised his lips and very quietly growled—no loud barking or snapping needed. The calf filed back in line—this from a three-month old puppy. Needless to say, Ranger soon "graduated" to the big barn with the "big" dogs.

As soon as Ranger would finish his morning chores, he would go to the house yard and play with the kids like a little puppy.

One night after Ranger had everybody bedded down in the yard, barn and house, he was doing his *Hank, the Cowdog* sniffin', snufflin' and checkin' things out before he went to his nest. As he came into the yard, he noticed something quite different and frightening. He'd never really seen fire before, but he knew instantly something was wrong. He set up a howl, and when this did not rouse anyone, he literally took the door of the house off its hinges. He ran inside and found the dairy man and his wife, woke them up and helped them get one child out of the house.

He immediately went back inside and helped bring out another child. He made three trips into that inferno. He was looking for his playmate, the baby of the family. He showed the dairy man where one child, who had crawled under the a bed was, but he could not find the baby. The firemen told the family that no one could still possibly be alive in the inferno. So Ranger was chained to a pole which he nearly took out of the ground. He was burned and had all his hair singed off his body, but still fought to go back inside.

Because he was so insistent, he helped save five lives. The fire chief assured the onlookers that had Ranger not awakened the family when he did, they would have all died in the fire.

What began as a free "pig-in-a-poke" became worth far more than his weight in gold. I wonder if there is any amount of money that could buy this little six-month-old hero?

## Notice

If you live in the Quitaque-Turkey area and are interested in having bottled water delivered to your home, call Joy Turner at 432-1174. If she is not home, please leave your name and how much bottled water you would need delivered, on the answering machine.

I am seeking the office of District-County Clerk of Hall County. I have begun to visit with the voters of Hall County personally and hope to be able to visit with each and every voter in the county before election time, to ask for your support and vote in my endeavor to become your District-County Clerk.

Your support will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely, Raye Bailey  
 (Pub. Adv. pd by Raye Bailey)



Raye Bailey  
 "I am a native and life-long resident of Hall County. My parents were Mr. and Mrs. H.S. Maddox. I am married to Ed Bailey who is principal of Memphis High School, and we have an eleven year old son, Bubba. I have paid my filing fee, authorized the newspaper to publish my announcement that

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### ON THE QT ON THE QT

Kay and Deloy Myers, Jane Hamilton, Natalie and Lane Myers were guests recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Race of Lockney. In the afternoon the group drove to Plainview to enjoy a movie.

LaVern Benton attended the wedding of her daughter, Janice Taylor to Maurice Clement in Snyder, Texas. Following the reception a barbecue and dance was enjoyed by the couple and their 100 guests. From San Angelo, the couple caught a plane to Malibu and Hawaii for a ten day honeymoon. Upon returning to Texas, the couple will make their home in Grape Creek, Texas, near San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Delos Johnson recently moved to Quitaque from Arlington. They have purchased the Elgin Connors home.

Delos will be working with the Quitaque Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson want to be a part of the community and are eager to help in any way they can.

The Johnsons have two grown sons; Ted, who lives at Lubbock and Eugene, who is in the Arlington area.

### Extension Offers Computer Class

The Briscoe County Agricultural Extension Office will be offering a two day computer workshop in Silvertown on February 7 & 8.

A mobile computer lab owned by Texas A&M will be used for the course.

There will be a registration fee for the two days. The registration fee covers computer lease payments and teaching materials for the course. Couples are encouraged to attend and will be charged only one registration fee if they share one computer. Registration will be limited to 14 participants on a first come first serve basis.

Curriculum for the course will be QUICKEN 7 taught on a beginning level. It is an inexpensive, easy to use bank account record keeping program widely used by producers and businessmen.

To register for the course or if you have more questions about the course, please contact Scott Strawn at 823-2131.

### Happy Birthdays

- January 20**  
Lon McKay, David McKay, Jonathon Steve Farley
- January 21**  
Tom Ross
- January 22**  
Warren Lee Merrell, Belle Davis
- January 23**  
Dickie Cloyd, Redell Irby, Mike House, Samantha Lane Stark
- January 24**  
Marshall Eudy, Jay Pierce, Rona Robison, Betty Price, Billy Merrell, Mitchell Farley
- January 25**  
Colleen Stone
- January 26**  
Jeffery Butler, Aaron Adamson, Todd Mills, B. J. Robison
- January 27**  
Clara Ruth Davidson, Douglas Payne, Brandon Stewart, Mark Zanardi, Wanda Calvert
- Happy Anniversaries**
- January 20**  
Mr. and Mrs. Odie Reagan
- January 23**  
Mr. and Mrs. Keith Lane
- January 25**  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Greene

## OBITUARY OBITUARY

### Mary Clay

Services for Mary Clay, 92, of Flomot were at 10 a.m. Tuesday, January 18, 1994, in the First United Methodist Church, Turkey, with the Rev. Les Hall, pastor, and Stewart Smith, minister of the Turkey Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in the Dreamland Cemetery under direction of Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Clay died at 10:55 a.m. Sunday, January 16, 1994, in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

She was born on August 14, 1901, in Montague County and married Henry Clay in Belcher in 1915. He died in 1945. Two sons, Jackie and Bill, also preceded her in death.

Survivors include five sons, League, Joe and Ronald, all of Flomot, Mark of Rockwall and Bobby of Ringling, Oklahoma; a daughter, Margaret Lane of Turkey; a sister, Bessie Johns of El Paso; 17 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and 11 great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Hubert Price, Otis Mullins, Butch Hughes, Jimmy Davidson, Buster Chadwick and Billy Shannon.

### Joe Arnold

Services for Joe E. Arnold, 82, of Midland were held Tuesday, January 18, 1994, in the First Baptist Church, Tulia, with the Rev. Charles Davenport, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery, directed by Wallace Funeral Home.

Arnold died Saturday, January 15, 1994, in Manor Park Nursing Home in Midland.

He was born on March 9, 1911, in Turkey and was married to Wilma Roden on September 17, 1933, in Hollis, Oklahoma. He moved in 1936 from Turkey to Tulia where he was owner and operator of Arnold Motor Co. and later worked for Young and Ellis. He was a 25-year member of the Tulia Volunteer Fire Department and a member of Tulia Masonic Lodge 733. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife; a daughter, Pat Knox of Midland; a son, Jim Arnold of Midland; a sister, Ruby Shannon of Antton; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Mr. Arnold was the uncle of Janice Wheeler and Lorene Setliff. He was the brother-in-law of Dot Arnold-all of Turkey.

Pallbearers were Randall Benefield, Jayde Arnold, Bud Richardson, Roger Arnold, Orville Setliff and Richard Davis.

### Area-Wide Phone Books Delivered

The Plainview Area-Wide Phone book delivery has just been completed by the Briscoe County 4-H.

If you missed or would like extra copies, these may be picked up from J&K Insurance in Lockney, City Hall in Quitaque and the Courthouse in Silvertown.

### Two Charged

(Cont. from page 1)

Mrs. Taylor said police told Clardy's family that the suspects probably knew Ms. Brown and Clardy because there was no sign of forced entry at the apartment.

Clardy, who was born in Lockney, grew up in Quitaque and was graduated from Valley High School in 1991. Mrs. Taylor said he moved to Dallas soon after his graduation.

"Bubba," as Clardy was known by friends and family, was remembered as a gifted athlete by one of his former coaches at Valley High School.

"He played football and was a good running back, but track was really his sport," said Rick Price, an assistant football coach at Valley from 1986 through 1990, "he went to the state track meet in the 200 (meters) and was on the sprint relay team that went to state.

"He was a good athlete, and a nice, quiet kid, too. He was a yes-sir, no-sir kind of kid. You really had to work on him to get him to say much else."

Clardy had been working at a restaurant across the street from his apartment, which was in the 8300 block of Park Lane, police said. Ms. Brown worked at a Pizza Hut nearby.

The murders were discovered when a neighbor and a co-worker looked through the apartment window and saw Clardy's body lying on the floor in a pool of blood, according to a story in *The Dallas Morning News*.

Ms. Brown's body was found in a closet, the story said.

Ms. Brown, a Dallas native, was several months' pregnant when she died, according to Mrs. Taylor and the police report. Ms. Brown and Clardy had planned to marry in March, when the baby was due, Mrs. Taylor said.

Charged in the deaths were Johnny Aaron Sanders, 22 and Conquista Desheon Ellison, 19, both of Dallas. They turned themselves in to the Dallas Police Department on Monday. The police report said. They could face a maximum sentence of death or life in prison if convicted of capital murder.

### Processing Of FmHA Loans

Texas farmers applying for assistance from Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) will experience a breath of fresh air this year," George Ellis, FmHA Texas State Director, said today.

"I have today taken action to delegate the full loan approval authority allowed under the Federal regulations to FmHA County Offices in Texas," Ellis said.

This action means that FmHA Supervisors at the County level will be able to exercise loan approval authority up to the full County limit without prior reviews being required at other locations or even by FmHA officials at the same location.

"As this new year begins, I feel this will be a real help to our farm customers, and I intend to pursue this type of change in the future, wherever I can," said Ellis.

FmHA County Supervisors were previously subject to a complicated system of reviews and re-reviews of loan applications in order to approve an FmHA loan. This system was instituted several years ago in order to insure fewer mistakes and more uniformity from County to County.

"I still intend to hold FmHA Supervisors to the same high standards as in the past, however, I am also dedicated to streamlining the process so that our farm customers will have funds available to them at the time they are needed," said Ellis.

Farmers Home Administration, as an Equal Opportunity Lender, makes loans or grants to individuals or groups and guarantees to approved lenders without regard to race, color, religion, sex national origin, familial status and handicap.

### Turkey Community Calendars Arrive

Last Monday, the Turkey Community Birthday Calendars, sponsored by the Valley FFA Organization, arrived.

You may pick up your calendar at the Turkey Branch of Memphis State Bank in Turkey at your convenience.

**Look Who's New**



### Chambray Smith

Savannah and Isaac Smith are quite proud to announce the birth of their new baby sister, Chambray JoBeth Smith. The proud parents are Vivian and Stuart Smith.

Miss Chambray was born on January 3, 1994, at 3:55 p.m. The little girl weighed 7 lbs. 10 ozs. and was 20 inches long. She was born in Lubbock.

Great Grandparents are Leonard and Vaudene Lusk of Lubbock and Odell Hayes of Houston

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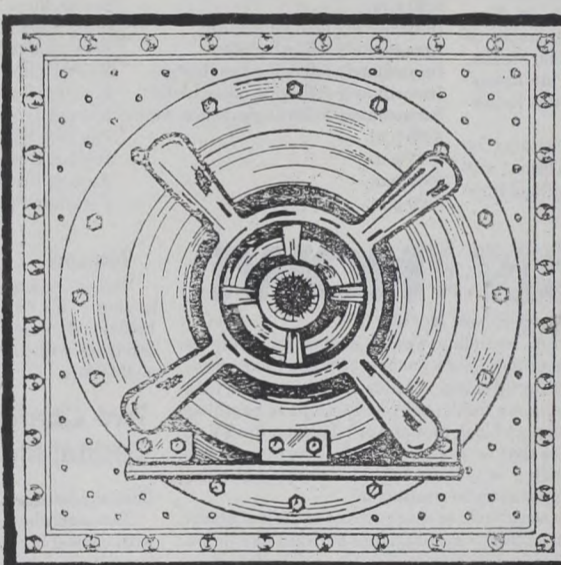
The Hebrew calendar, according to tradition, was supposed to have started with the Creation, at a moment 3,760 years and three months before the beginning of the Christian era. To find the year in the Hebrew calendar, add 3,760 to the date in the Gregorian calendar.

The Chinese calendar begins with 2367 B.C., the year in which the Emperor Huang-Ti supposedly invented it. This calendar designates years in cycles of 60 and an appropriate animal name is assigned to each year.

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# FLOMOT NEWS

by Earlyne Jameson

**OVERHEARD:**  
A rubdown can do wonders for most any kind of fix. Aladdin had his magic lamp -- I have my jar of Vicks!

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Nichols of Olton visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens, Saturday.

Heather Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner attended the 4-H Teen Leader retreat at the Brownwood 4-H Center January 14-16. Others attending the activities were Michael Clawson, Motley County agent; Mrs. Bob Davis, 4-H Leader, and Kyle Marrs and Dustin Davis, all of Matador.

Lon and Mary Hughes of Sublette, KS visited Sunday with his brother and family, Butch and Janice Hughes and Rickey.

Carolyn and Arnold Johnson and her mother, Mrs. James May of Quitaque visited last weekend in Vernon with the Johnson's daughter and husband, Lucretia and Brock Dockery. Also visiting was her sister Kayla Johnson of Floydada.

Ruth and Orville Lee visited from Friday until Sunday in Kerrville with daughter and family, Teresa and Robert McGraw, Kellan and Kacey.

Mrs. A.D. Moseley visited from Tuesday until Sunday in Lamesa with daughter and husband, Wanda and James Davis and with granddaughter and husband, Julie and Shawn Halladay. Mrs. Davis and

Mrs. Moseley attended the funeral services of Herschel Moseley, 86, (brother of the late A.D. Moseley) held Wednesday, January 12, at Van, Texas (near Tyler.)

Art Green visited in Silverton Wednesday with his son and family Mr. and Mrs. Steve Green and daughters.

Mrs. Max Bush of Muleshoe visited from Monday until Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Viola Calvert and other relatives. George Calvert of Quitaque accompanied his mother, Mrs. Calvert to Matador Sunday afternoon, to attend the graveside services of Mrs. Toase Day.

Visiting during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin and attending the surprise birthday luncheon and party at the Senior Citizens building in Matador honoring Mary Ellen Barton and France Barton were Dr. and Mrs. David Martin of Levelland, Marilee Pilcher of Fritch and Lindsay Martin of Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Kie Gilbert were in Plainview during the week to be with her aunt, Mrs. Lois Marler of Floydada, a patient in Methodist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers, Donnie Rogers and her sister Mrs. Merl Nall of Amarillo visited from Monday until Thursday in Carthage, MO, with the women's brother Dale Davidson, who is seriously ill.

Presenting worship services at the Lockney Care Center, Friday morning were the Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Lee of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond and Wayne Hunter. Mr. Hunter visited in Floydada, Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Speer. Mr. Speer is recuperating from recent surgery at Methodist Hospital in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bynum and children of Lubbock and Christi Shorter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter returned home recently from a vacation trip to Florida where they enjoyed the many tourist attractions and entertainment including Disney World.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bond of Tulsa, OK, visited last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond. They were in Lockney Monday morning for Mr. Bond a medical check-up.

## Stock Reduction

The Board of Directors of Rolling Plains PCA has reduced the stock requirement for borrowing from the Association effective January 1, 1994. The stock purchase requirement, which has been 10% for a number of years, now will be reduced to 5%. This means that the borrowers required investment in the Association will be just 50% of what it has been in the past, and the PCA will return some \$3,000,000 to 730 borrowers in 19 counties of the Rolling Plains.

Rolling Plains PCA serves it borrowing members from six branch offices and a central office. Its Board of Directors is elected by the member-borrowers, and its staff of 24 employees were all raised on farms, ranches or in farming communities of the Rolling Plains.

As of the close of business December 31, 1993, the Association will enjoy a net profit after taxes of \$980,000 with a loan volume of \$57,000,000 and total capital accounts of \$17,050,000. The entity has been selected as a Tier I PCA for the sixth consecutive year based on safety, soundness and financial strength.

The Association was originally chartered as Stamford PCA on January 10, 1934. In 1965 Stamford PCA merged with Memphis PCA to form Rolling Plains PCA. The Association celebrates its 60th anniversary this month.

## Producers Invited To Attend Research Meeting

The Texas State Support Committee (TSSC) is inviting Texas cotton producers to attend a meeting January 20, 1994 in Lubbock. The meeting will focus on reviewing the TSSC research projects supported in 1993.

The TSSC is made up of cotton producers from each of the nine regional cotton producing organiza-

tions in Texas. Their objective is to study, develop and evaluate innovative research affecting the state's cotton industry. Funding for this research comes from the research and promotion program, supported by all cotton producers.

Each of the researchers who conducted projects in 1993 will provide a brief report on the results

of their project. Cotton growers are encouraged to attend and learn about some of the latest developments in practical research, and to see first hand how their dollars are being used to improve cotton production in the future.

The meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m. in the auditorium of the Texas Agricultural Extension and Research Center in Lubbock.

### Grade School Honor Roll

**1st Grade**  
A's  
Paige Hughes  
J.P. Myers  
Zack Ramsey  
Christine Walls  
Chelsea Wheeler  
Matt Whittington  
A & B's  
Veronica Barrios  
Monica Lopez  
Cody Payne  
Derik Roys  
Cody Varnell  
Jose Pogos  
Veronica Mendoza

**2nd Grade**  
A's  
Chase Maynard  
Megan Jeffcoat  
Jessica Wellman  
Dakota Smith  
Katherine Pigg  
A & B's  
Connie Reid  
Cliff Yearly  
Dylan Gaddis  
Adam Ortiz

**3rd Grade**  
A's  
Natalie Wheeler  
A & B's  
Ava Jo Sargent  
Amanda Roys  
J.C. Pigg  
Leigh Ann Neilson  
Randa McBe  
Sara Fierro

**4th Grade**  
A's  
Emily Woods  
Tate Bennett  
Christopher Taylor  
Wes Henson  
Misay Jeffcoat  
Amber Stark  
Magan Whittington  
A & B's  
Danny Hinojosa  
Jana Merrell  
Lydia Valdez  
Candy Wheeler

**5th Grade**  
A's  
Mary Pigg  
Brandon Stewart  
A & B's  
Brenda Ortiz  
Vance Chandler  
Brandon Gilmore  
Kim Wood

Vance Farley  
Gaby Fierro  
Justin Davis  
Jamie Pigg  
Cory Vanell  
Rowdy Mullin  
Christopher McBe

### Junior High Honor Roll

**6th Grade**  
A's  
Morgan Brady  
Jamie Taylor  
Jessa Yearly  
A & B's  
Teal Bennett  
Laurie Cruz  
Elena Fierro  
Paige Neilson  
Ben Pigg  
B. J. Price  
Mindy Proctor  
Chris Price  
Nathan Wheeler  
Kristin Ramsey

**7th Grade**  
A & B's  
Rosalie Mendoza  
Amy Stark

**8th Grade**  
A's  
Walt Henson  
Jeremy Taylor  
A & B's  
Melody Farley  
Hilary Flowers  
Schrise Hendrix  
Alex Hinojosa  
P. Jay Merrell  
Jessica Ortiz  
Mandy Pigg  
Russell Ramsey  
Katrina Stewart

### High School Honor Roll

**9th Grade**  
A's & B's  
Brian Moore  
George Pigg  
Cara Powell  
Brandi Price  
Leah Rogers  
Brianna Sperry  
Shawn Stephens

**10th Grade**  
A's & B's  
Jessica Carter  
Tracy Guest

**11th Grade**  
A's  
Chris Abram  
Amy Payne  
A & B's  
Mandy Adams  
Amanda Billegas  
Kelly Fierro  
Brandi Gaddis

**12th Grade**  
A's & B's  
Joni Hancock  
Angie Painter  
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## Restructuring Of Farm Debts

Farmers with loans from the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) may be able to put flood-damaged land under conservation easements in exchange for a reduction in their debt," George Ellis, FmHA State Director, said today.

Use of the easements is not limited to flood area, but it may be particularly helpful in such areas.

"Eligible lands may include wetlands, marginal farmland, highly erodible land, woodland, wildlife areas, and several others," Ellis said. "In certain areas, there may be instances where farmland was damaged so severely by the recent flooding that restoring it may cost more than its agricultural value.

"In those cases, a conservation easement may be a solution. Under this program, a voluntary easement can be placed on a portion of the land in return for a reduction in the amount owed to FmHA."

Ellis said the easements are for 50 years or more and can help rebuild soil conditions as well as encourage development of wildlife habitat.

"Not only can FmHA farm borrowers take marginal acreage out of production in this way, they also can materially reduce their farm operating costs," Ellis said.

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104 YEARS OLD - Ava M. Hawkins, a resident of Lockney Care Center, was recognized on her 104th birthday last week. Bessie Jackson holds her cake, while Gussie Jenkins looks on. Mrs. Hawkins was born December 31, 1889 in Snyder, Texas. Her son, Oliver Ware lives in Quitaque.

Photo courtesy Floyd County Hesperian

### No License Given to Be a Parent

by Ronda Alexander

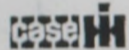
Becoming a parent is one of the few things left that can be done without having to take a test or to get a license. However, it is one of the most important responsibilities one can have during their life. The New Jersey Home Economics Association defines parenting as "taking the responsibility for the care and well-being of a child and working toward the goal of helping that child reach their full emotional, intellectual, social and physical potential."

Parenting is more than simply becoming a mother or father, biologically. It involves many

skills for which most of us are not well prepared. There are also many disagreements between parenting professionals about the "right way" of parenting, making it hard to decide exactly what we should be doing.

The 1991-1994 Long Range Extension Program (LREP) has designated "Parenting as an issue in Briscoe County which needs to be addressed by the Briscoe County Extension Service. For

1994, the focus of the Briscoe County Home Economics programs will be on parenting. If you would like more information about the programming efforts which will be conducted, please feel free to call me.



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*"Behold, I have given him for... a leader and commander to the people."*

-Isaiah 55:4

One of the notable features of our free society is the requirement that at regular intervals the chosen powers that be shall begin a new chapter in our lives. The people have spoken; having made the choice of whether to retain the incumbents in office or replace them with new leaders. As always, in either case the winners will be faced with the enormous task of guiding us safely through the next few years. Let us wish them well, whether we voted for them or not; for they will need all the help they can get. Remember that they will best serve us if we give them our cooperation, so let them know your wishes and your concerns. Above all, ask God to grant them the wisdom and strength of character they will need for the job they must confront, of helping us to preserve the very system of freedom by which we elected them.

## Turkey News Turkey News

### Things Seen or Heard

Those visiting in the home of Stuart and Vivian Smith and children, Savannah, Isaac and new daughter Chambray were Vivian's sister, Elizabeth Denn of Dallas and Vivian's mother, Verlen Ketchersid also of Dallas.

Verlen spent a week with the Smiths following the birth of Chambray.

Also visiting the Smiths after Chambray's arrival were grandparents, Dub and Jo Beth Smith and great-grandparents, Leonard and Vaudene Lusk, and Chambray's cousins, Jonathon and Lauribeth House, all of Lubbock.

Recently I made a mistake. Bea Mullin gave me a list of her visitors during the holidays. I left off one couple. The Jess Mullins' grandson and wife, Darren and Lisa Edwards were also visiting and celebrating the Holidays with Bea and Jess Mullin. Darren is the son of Margie Edwards and, they live in Euless, Texas. Sorry Darren and Lisa!

Really enjoyed visiting with Jack and Rae Logan last weekend. The Logans live in Muleshoe. They were in Turkey visiting with Rae's mother, Ella Colvin and her brother and wife, George and Veta Colvin.

Jack and Rae, if ya'll are looking for a place to retire, I highly recommend Turkey! We'd love to have you.

Sue Proctor and Virginia Degan made a trip to Amarillo, last week for Mrs. Degan's doctor appointment. On their return home they stopped in Tulia where they were met by Betty House and Rita Guest. Virginia returned home with Mrs. House and Mrs. Guest while Mrs. Proctor remained in Tulia to bowl with her bowling team.

While Betty and Rita were waiting in Tulia for Sue and Virginia, they enjoyed visiting with an ex-Turkey resident, Lavern (Lacy) Mullin.

Karen and Wes McDougall of Amarillo were here last weekend. They were here to help Karen's mother, Dot Arnold, celebrate her birthday. Also Karen's sons, Roger and Lance Denton and Sherrod Arnold.

In a long-distance phone call the other day to Olga Mohan at Lake Whitney, Arloween Williams reported that Olga told her that Madeline (Coleman) Mohan had recently suffered a stroke and a heart attack.

Olga Mohan and Mrs Ray (Madeline) Mohan are sister-in-laws. Madeline lives with her daughter Sue, in Grants, New Mexico.

Louis and Oleta Randell visited in Clovis, NM, Wednesday night with Cliff and Helen Masters. Helen is a niece of Oleta.

Ann (Elsan) Pierce of McLean visited in Turkey Saturday with Louis and Oleta Randell.

Louis and Oleta Randell were in Childress Friday.

Thelma Farley visited her sister Esther Butler in Amarillo. Esther is doing fine. They shopped some and had a real good visit.

Quitaque and Turkey Lions were in Childress Tuesday for a zone meeting. There for lunch were Melvin Clinton, Buddy Colvin, Jake Merrell, Rusty Henson, Fish Wilson, Jimmy Ross, and Sam Ross.

The first hat factory in the United States was established in 1780 by Zadoc Benedict, a craftworker, in Danbury, Connecticut.

## Calibration and Pesticide Clinic

Wylie Manufacturing will be conducting Texas Department of Agricultural approved pesticide applicator continuing education seminars. These seminars will emphasize sprayer calibration, sprayer safety, and sprayer applications. The TDA will also feature a one hour session on laws and regulations which will give each individual a total of five hours recertification credits. The course is aimed at private applicators; so when attending, each individual is asked to bring a license or a certificate number, in order to receive the proper credit, upon completion of the course. Lunch will be provided.

The calibration clinics will take place on January 17, 1994 at 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Koko Palace, 5101 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas and on February 8, 1994 at 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, 6500 Amarillo Blvd., Amarillo, Texas

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Weekly Schedule of Meetings  
SUNDAY:  
Church School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY:  
Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Quitaque, Texas  
Delos Johnson, Minister -  
Weekly Schedule of Meetings  
SUNDAY:  
Morning Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 5:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY:  
Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Flomot, Texas  
Pastor: Nathan Mulden  
Weekly Schedule of Meetings  
SUNDAY:  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training ..... 5:30 p.m.  
Worship ..... 6:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY:  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Quitaque, Texas Interim  
Pastor: Dr. Glyndle Feagin  
Weekly Schedule of Meetings  
SUNDAY:  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 5:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY:  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.

### JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

First & Jago  
Quitaque, Texas  
Weekly Schedule of Meetings  
SUNDAY:  
Public Meeting ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Watchtower Society ..... 11:00 a.m.  
FRIDAY:  
Congregation Study ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Ministry School ..... 8:30 p.m.  
Service Meeting ..... 9:15 p.m.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

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SUNDAY:  
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**August**

Quitaque hosts fifteenth Homecoming Festivities with class reunions, barbecue lunch, hamburger supper and business meetings with coronation of queen and recognition of ex-students and residents.

Turkey First Baptist Church hold revival. Valley School will begin on August 17, 1993. Flomot firemen battle grass fires in several areas. Zona Lane celebrated her 95th birthday.

Briscoe County celebrates its 101 birthday with arts and crafts booths around courthouse, rodeo, barbecue, and parade. Briscoe County Appraisal District Board of Directors meet to discuss values for 1993.

Jon Davidson, Valley Principal received the Ten Year Service Award at the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas annual awards program.

The Rev. Steve Ulrey family are to move to Wellington. 270 students enrolled in Valley School. The 20 edition of the Quitaque Birthday Calendar is now being compiled.

June Johnson and Kyle Ashley recite vows in Jamacia.

**September**

Turkey City Council considers improvements to city water system. Elgin Conner, Mayor of Quitaque and family relocate in Lampasas.

Connie Smith of Silverton received her Paramedic Degree. Patriot football season begins with scrimmage against Groom. Shirley Landry assumes management of the former Beth's Beauty Shop in Turkey.

Valley to host homecoming activities during the week of September 13. Hall County celebrates with Old Settlers Reunion and Hall County Picnic for the 103 year.

Commissioners and County Judges visit Catepillar Plant in Decatur, Illinois. Quail Lodge opens under new management. Vinita and Gus Hrnir of Amarillo have recently purchased the Quitaque Quail Lodge from Patty and Willis Winters.

On September 25, 1993 the Bob Wills Stamp will go on sale in Turkey, Texas. A chuck wagon supper will kick off the festivities. Dr. Townsend of Canyon will be Master of Ceremonies for the following program. Bob Wills music will be played throughout the evening. At 9:30 p.m. the stamp will be available to purchase. This will be in conjunction with its release in Nashville, Tennessee on the Grand Old Opry. These will be the only two sites in the nation that have first issue of the stamp.

Lockney Fair to open on September 16 with carnival rides, exhibits, competitions and something for everyone to enjoy. Vernie and Tommy Beck of Turkey are opening Beck's Cafe on October 1, 1993 in the Old Line Shack Restaurant building.

Fall Foliage Tour set for October 23 at Quitaque. Dan Longbine has returned to his post as Post Master of the Turkey Post Office. He had been serving in the Silverton Post Office as Officer in Charge. Rita Guest has served as Officer in Charge in Turkey for the Post Office.

Area homemakers attend WIFE Convention in Lubbock. Marjorie Bell elected as president of the Hall County Picnic Association.

**October**

We The Women host style show presented by Lacy Dry Goods in Turkey.

Glenna Rummel has taken over the office of Post Master in Quitaque. Clara Ruth Davidson former Officer in Charge will remain to help Mrs. Rummel as Postal Clerk along with Gelene Proctor.

Turkey Lions sponsor pancake supper on October 11. Joe Rada and J. Savage (Josh) Gibson of Southern Living Magazine arrived in Quitaque to do story on the Caprock Canyons Trailway.

Red Ribbon Day celebrated in Quitaque City Park by students and area residents. Vera Pinkerton weds Grady Hammock at the Turkey Church of Christ.

Coy Franks gins first bale of cotton at Flomot Gin. Mike House of Turkey ginned the first bale at the ADM Paymaster gin in Quitaque.

Tish Hinojosa makes a music video in Turkey. They began the taping at the Ham Barber Shop then going to Lacy Dry Goods and finally ending up at the Turkey Hotel to finish the video. Valley wins over Chillicothe 59-28.

Flomot Baptist have revival October 24-29 with Bryan Donahoo as preacher. New business in Turkey, B&L Tractor Parts owned by Billy and Lacy Shannon. It is located just across the street from the Lacy Dry Goods Store.

WTU holds open house for the customers of Quitaque and Turkey. "Our customers are also our friends and neighbors, and we're proud to be a part of the Quitaque and Turkey communities," said Keith Edwards, WTU Area Manager.

Charlie Bailey celebrates her 80th birthday with many guests at her party. Many visitors in Quitaque for the fall Foliage Tour and the Tour of Homes. A beautiful scene was in store down town for the visitors.

We The Women ladies had decorated the town with all the trappings of fall from pumpkins to feed shocks. Chamber of Commerce reported serving about 144 for lunch.

Billy Shannon, Billy Neal Shannon and Jimmy Woods, area farmers helped out the less fortunate this week by sending 34 boxes of sweet potatoes to the Methodist Waco Home for Children.

Turkey has Halloween Carnival for the children, and a queen and prince contest. Trisha Dawn Pernell and Guy Timothy McWilliams exchange wedding vows at First Baptist Church in Floydada.

Lisa Renee` Dudley is wed to Jimmy Lee Kanetzky at College Station, Texas. Hotel Turkey site of recording by Cowboy Poet Dennis Gaines.

**November**

Panhandle County Treasurers assembled at the Quitaque Quail Lodge for their quarterly meeting with Janice Hill and Lanelle Dovel, Briscoe and Swisher County Treasurers serving as hostess.

Fall revival to be at the Quitaque Methodist Church with Dr. Tom Thomson of First United Methodist Church of Abilene, Texas doing the preaching. Two J's host open house at Turkey.

Valley Patriots defeat Smyer 61-42. Amy Maupin and Bucky Wood announced their engagement.

Turkey Bank sponsors barbecue for approximately 250 patrons Friday night in the Turkey City Park.

Three Valley youths injured in one-vehicle accident. Adam Seymour, Jarret Pigg and Michael Lane were three fortunate young men to have survived the accident on a curve outside of Turkey on the morning of Friday, November 19, 1993.

Twenty one enter Briscoe County 4-H Food Show. Lady Patriots open basketball season with game against Claude.

Turkey, Quitaque area voters split on the Amendment votes. Only 51 voters cast their vote in Quitaque with 61 voting in Turkey. Valley FFA enters Area 1 Leadership Contest held at Clarendon College. The Quiz Team placed 3rd. Members of the team were Shawn Stephens, Brandi Price, George Pigg and Briana Sperry.

Six-Man Bi-District play-off at McLean on November 12, 1993. K96 will be broadcasting the game live. The Patriots won 64-19 over the Higgins Coyotes.

Valley FFA Dairy Foods Team competes November 11 in Kansas City, MO during the 66th National FFA Convention. They received a Silver Team Award Plaque and placed ninth in the team competition.

Tina Clay Carson also received the American FFA Degree at the convention which is the highest honor presented by the FFA. Stacey Noel Rothwell and Robert Edwin Kollman engagement announced.

Santos Cavazos honored on his 77th birthday at the Catholic Center with a dinner and birthday cake by his family and friends. Turkey Proud will again host the annual Thanksgiving Dinner on November 21.

Garvin Speed appointed new Hall County Sheriff after resignation of Kenny Schull. **December**

Caprock Country Christmas has beautiful day in Quitaque. Businesses host open house and present door prizes, Santa arrives in a wagon to visit with local children, children take buggy rides, clubs have items for sale, and arts and craft show has many patrons.

Josh Scoggins, Bubba Powell, Joe David Valdez and Donnie Calvert chosen as all district players. Flomot holds holiday celebration at the Community Center for area residents.

Piano students of Mrs. Ross Herrington are presented in recital on December 8, 1993. Valley School holiday begins December 22.

Area peanut crop about complete. Forty-three active farmers produced about 86 hundred tons of peanuts on 45 hundred acres. The Quitaque Chamber of Commerce was host for the Panhandle Tourism Marketing Council meeting on December 9, 1993.

First aoudad hunt for this winter scheduled Wednesday, December 15, 1993. Trout arrive for Lake Theo on December 30, 1993. New policies regarding solid waste and water policy guidelines adopted by Quitaque City Council on December 13, 1993.

Quitaque Lions club and the Quitaque Masonic Lodge sponsored a Christmas Lighting Contest for businesses and residents. The Trent McKay home is first place winner with Karol's Kountry Korner coming in first in the business section.

George Colvin sworn in as Mayor of Turkey, Texas. Colvin replaces Steve Farley who resigned to become Hall County Deputy Sheriff.

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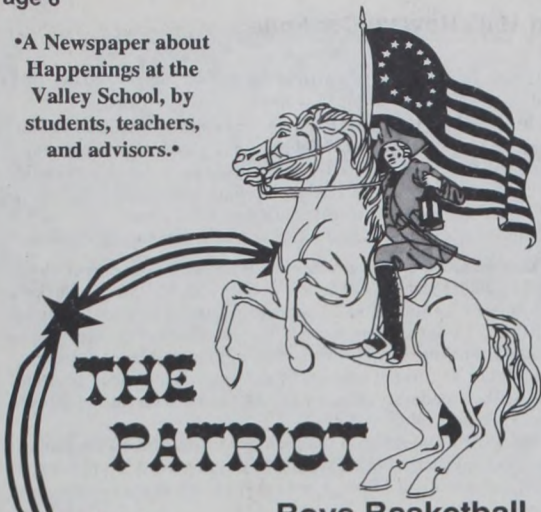
*"Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might."*  
-Ecclesiastes 9:10



When planning your activities for the year ahead, be sure to allow some time for helping your House of Worship; and this means more than just attending the services and putting something in the collection plate. The aid of the congregation will always be needed, and this can come in many forms. Like many others, you may not be up to any physical labor, but perhaps you could offer to type the bulletin, play the organ if you can, bake some cookies on occasion, or do something that is within the limits of your ability. You might at least volunteer to baby sit in the nursery, for someone must do it. In fact, this is an excellent opportunity for teenagers to assume some responsibility. Remember that your House of Worship has done much for you, and that it will give you a good feeling to be able to do something for it in return.

- CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
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Minister: Stuart Smith  
Weekly Schedule Meetings  
SUNDAY:  
Morning Service .....10:30 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 5:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY:  
Evening Service.....8:00 p.m.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Turkey, Texas  
Pastor: Melvin Clinton  
Weekly Schedule of Meetings  
SUNDAY:  
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.  
Singing.....5:00 p.m.  
Training Union.....6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.  
MONDAY:  
Women's  
Missionary Society.....4:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY:  
Prayer Meeting.....8:00 p.m.
- MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Turkey, Texas  
Pastor: Samuel Holloway,  
Plainview, Texas  
Weekly Schedule of Meetings  
Pastoral Days.....1st & 3rd Sundays  
MONDAY:  
Mission.....4:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY:  
Prayer Meeting.....8:00 p.m.
- UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Turkey, Texas  
Pastor Carlton Thomson  
Weekly Schedule of Meetings  
SUNDAY:  
Morning Worship.....9:30 a.m.  
Church School.....10:30 a.m.  
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1st & 3rd Sundays.....6:00 p.m.  
MONDAYS (1st & 3rd):  
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- ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Turkey, Texas  
Sister Joyce Blum, F.S.P.A.  
SUNDAY:  
Sunday School.....11:00 a.m.  
Mass.....12:00 p.m.
- Fairmont Missionary Baptist Church**  
Fairmont  
Pastor W. J. Richey  
SUNDAY:  
Worship.....11:00 a.m.

•A Newspaper about Happenings at the Valley School, by students, teachers, and advisors. •



**Valley Girls Basketball**

by Coach Jeffcoat  
**Lady Patriots**

On January 14, the Valley Varsity Girls played Nazareth, with the final score Valley 40-Nazareth 57.

The leading scorers were Angie Pointer-15; Brandi Gaddis-11; and the leading rebounders were Robin Williams-8 and Julie Cruz-7.

**Valley Girls J.V. Tournament**

On January 14, the first tournament game between the Valley J.V. and Silverton J.V. resulted with the final score of Valley-28 and Silverton-24. Leading scorers for Valley were Lori Chandler-11; the rebounders were Cara Powell-8 and Lori Chandler-5.

The second tournament game was played between Valley J.V.-21 and Quanah J.V.-49. The leading scorer was Lori Chandler-6, with Rebounder, Cara Powell-9.

The tournament game on January 15, was lost to Claude J.V.-49 vs Valley J.V.-32. Leading scorer was Cara Powell-19 and Rebounders were Cara Powell-14 and Crystal Price-8.

The first sewing machine in the U.S. with an eye-pointed needle was patented by Elias Howe on September 10, 1846.

**Boys Basketball**

by Kirk Saul

Last Friday night, the Varsity played the Nazareth Swifts. The Swifts, who entered the game ranked 4th in State by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches, beat the Patriots by the score of 70-88. The Patriots gave a very spirited performance, trailing by only 3 points with 2:03 left in the third quarter. Leading scorers for Valley were Josh Scroggins (32 points), Joe Valdez (16 points), and Bubba Powell (11 points).

The J.V. took 2nd place in the Valley J.V. Tournament over the weekend. In the J.V.'s first game, the Patriots used a balanced scoring attack to beat the Miami J.V. by the score of 47-26. Scoring for Valley were: Shawn Stephens (9 points), Brian Moore (8 points), Andre Gaddis (8 points), Matt Abram (6 points), Rene Martinea (6 points), Will Sperry (4 points), Jason Payne (4 points), and Michael Cruz (2 points).

In the second game, the Valley J.V. defeated the Floydada Freshman by the score of 38-31. Leading scorers for Valley were Brian Moore (11 points), Shawn Stephens (8 points), and Michael Cruz (8 points).

In the finals Valley J.V. was defeated by the Childress J.V. by the score of 36-60. Leading scorers for Valley were Michael Cruz (8 points), Matt Abram (8 points) and Shawn Stephens (7 points).

**School Menu**

- Monday**  
Chicken Ring  
Corn  
Macaroni with Cheese  
Honey and Biscuit
- Tuesday**  
Corn Dog  
French Fries  
Pickle  
Fruit with Cookies
- Wednesday**  
Hamburger Steak  
Salad  
Baked Beans  
Biscuits
- Thursday**  
Chicken Raviola  
Mixed Vegetables  
Fruit Jello  
Hot Roll
- Friday**  
Barbecue on Bun  
Onion Rings  
Pickles  
Fruit

**4th Grade News**

Hey, it is us again the fourth grade reporters. We haven't been doing much this week.

In Social Studies we have been studying all kinds of things. We have just taken a test in Social Studies. It was pretty easy and everyone did pretty good. In English we have been doing Write to Write on Mondays Tuesdays, and Wednesdays. On Thursdays and Fridays we have been doing things in our English books. During Math and Reading time we have been doing a newspaper thing with the fifth graders. It is really fun. Thanks for reading fourth grade news.

Missy, Magan and Emily

**Night Classes For Spring Semester**

Wayland Baptist University is offering 36 night classes in 20 academic areas during the spring semester, which begins January 26.

Classes are offered in academic areas including accounting, biological sciences, business administration, computer systems, computer science, criminal justice, education, english, finance and history.

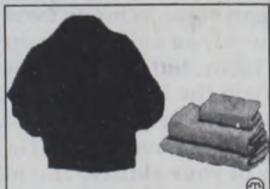
Other areas are management, marketing, music, office technology, physical education and recreation, psychology, reading, religious education, religion, sociology.

Most evening classes are scheduled from 6:20 p. m. until 9:30 p. m., and further information can be found at the Registrar's Office, 296-4758.

**Reasons & Remedies**

**Linting**

(NAPS)—This information is part of a series provided by Whirlpool Corporation, makers of home appliances.



Even the cleanest laundry can drag up some "dirt" requiring special care. That's the rub behind dealing with lint—the short fibers and yarns loosened in the laundering process.

Here are some tips on preventing it:

- Sort your loads carefully. Separate lint givers, such as towels, flannels and sweaters from lint takers.
- Use enough detergent to help hold loose lint in the water until it can be flushed away.
- Don't overload the washer. This causes excess abrasion of fabrics, which increases linting and piling.
- Use a dryer. The tumbling action shakes lint loose and lets it collect in the lint screen.
- Avoid over drying to prevent excess buildup or static electricity on synthetic fabrics. Static electricity on fabrics attracts lint.
- Empty pockets to prevent a tissue from shedding lint throughout the wash load. Turn pockets inside out.
- Turn garments made of lint-taking fabrics inside out before washing.

For more information, call Whirlpool toll free, 24 hours a day, seven days a week at 1-800-253-1301.

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**Cooking Corner**

**FAMOUS HOLIDAY FUDGE**  
(Makes about 2 pounds)

- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 2/3 cup undiluted Evaporated Milk
- 1 1/2 cups granulated sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2 cups (4 ounces) miniature marshmallows
- 1 1/2 cups (9 ounces) Semi-Sweet Chocolate Morsels
- 1/2 cup chopped pecans or walnuts
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Combine butter, evaporated milk, sugar and salt in medium, heavy saucepan. Bring to a boil over medium heat, stirring constantly. Boil for 4 to 5 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat.

Stir in marshmallows, morsels, nuts and vanilla. Stir vigorously for 1 minute or until marshmallows are melted. Pour into foil lined 8 x 8-inch baking pan; chill until firm. Cut into 1 1/2 x 1 1/2-inch squares.

**Milk Chocolate Fudge:** Substitute 2 cups (11 1/2-ounce package) Milk Chocolate Morsels for Semi-Sweet Morsels.

**Butterscotch Fudge:** Substitute 2 cups (12-ounce package) Butterscotch Flavored Morsels for Semi-Sweet Morsels.

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DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE	VG	VB	JVG	JVB
Nov. 16	Claude	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Nov. 20	Memphis	1:00	There	X	X	X	X
Nov. 23	Motley Co.	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Nov. 30	Kress	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Dec. 2-4	Missi Tournament		There	X	X		
Dec. 7	Kress	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Dec. 10	Paducah	6:30	There	X	X		
Dec. 11	Motley Tournament		There	X	X	X	X
Dec. 14	Memphis	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Dec. 16-18	Lakeview Tournament		There	X	X	X	X
Dec. 17	Motley Co.	6:30	Here	X	X	X	X
Dec. 21	Paducah		Here	X	X	X	X
Dec. 29-31	Groom Tournament		There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 4	Groom	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 6-8	Silverton Tournament		Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 13-15	Valley Tournament		Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 14	Nazareth	6:30	Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 18	Shamrock	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 21	Nazareth	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 25	Patton Springs	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 28	Lakeview	6:30	There	X	X	X	X
Feb. 1	Silverton	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Feb. 4	Patton Springs	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Feb. 8	Lakeview	6:30	Here	X	X	X	X
Feb. 11	Silverton	4:00	There	X	X	X	X



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 Bids will be accepted starting on January 20, 1994 and be opened and read February 14, 1994 at 5:00 p.m. at the City Hall in Quitaque, Texas. The City of Quitaque reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. 31 3tc

Notice is hereby given that the City of Quitaque, Texas, will be accepting sealed bids for a 1975 Dodge Van originally bought for use as an ambulance.  
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Cars, vans, trucks, and buses can be converted to run on natural gas by replacing their existing fueling system, and federal tax incentives are now available to offset the cost of converting. Deductions range from \$2,000 for a passenger car to \$50,000 for trucks over 26,000 pounds or buses that carry 20 or more pas-



sengers, A.G.A. says. Companies building natural gas refueling facilities also are eligible for a deduction of up to \$100,000. A.G.A. estimates that a passenger sedan conversion costs about \$2,500.

In addition, all three U.S. automobile manufacturers plan to produce natural gas cars and trucks in 1994, according to the association. Including the factory-built natural gas vehicles and the converted vehicles, A.G.A. expects about four million natural gas vehicles on the road by the turn of the century.

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