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Spinal Screening @ School
Quitauque Lions
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Turkey FCE Club
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Turkey Fire Department
Robbie Hill @ Turkey
January 19
BCAA Supper

Briscoe County Republicans Meet

Briscoe County Republicans will have a county wide meeting in the School Cafeteria on Saturday, January 21, at 7 p.m. The purpose is to reorganize the county party and make plans for holding republican primaries. This is a positive step to more conservative government in state and national offices. Those conservative people need grass root support. Please attend and lend your support. Briscoe Republicans need to take positive steps to move ahead as the general election showed us the conservative trend in November.

THEN and NOW!

by Eunice McFall
Have you been having some disappointing times in your life lately? It seems there have been quite a few coming my way. How do we handle disappointment when it hits us? Do we just sit down and cry? Do we wonder "Why Me"? Do we just give up and never try to do anything difficult again? Do we decide that fate is against us so why should we stick out our neck? Probably we have reacted at one time or another, all of the above ways when we have been disappointed. In reading this week in "Bits and Pieces" I came across the following:
Despite our best efforts and intentions, all of us are bound to be disappointed in the course of our careers (and lives). This is especially true for people who are receptive to new ideas and like to try new things. The more original the idea, and the greater the possible gain, the more chance there may be for failure and disappointment.
Of course, we hope most of our results will be positive. But we still have to learn to live with the bad as well as the good. We can't afford to become unduly discouraged when a new person doesn't work out, a job misses schedule, an order is lost, or our boss turns down a good suggestion.
How do you react to disappointment?
Do you, for example, try to find out the reasons so it won't happen again? Or waste time trying desperately to find someone or something to pin the blame on?
Do you take the disappointment in stride and bounce back as quickly as you can? Or let it unnerve you?
Do you turn your attention to the next problem without fretting and worrying about the failure?
Do you help other people land on their feet when they stumble? Or make life even rougher by jumping all over them?
Do you have the courage to accept occasional disappointment as the price of progress? Or does it discourage you?
It's only common sense to steer clear of failure. But the person hasn't been born who is clever enough to succeed at everything he or she tries.
Realistic people accept an occasional disappointment as part of the job and make the best of it.
You see most people would learn from their mistakes if they weren't so busy denying they made them!
So it looks like if we get disappointed we just have to pick ourselves up off the ground and try again with a smile on our face!

Quitauque—Turkey Post Offices Closed
January 16, 1995
In Observance Of Martin Luther King Day
(Mail as usual Saturday, January 14)

Briscoe County Stock Show Coming Soon

The Briscoe County Stock Show is upcoming on January 26, 27, 28. Monday, January 23, 1995 at 5 p.m. has been set for the date and time to set up for the show.
Judges for the 1995 show are to be for cattle, Dr. David Lust, Animal Science Professor at WTA&M and for Swine and Lambs, Jim Tucker, Vo Ag Teacher at Wellman.
A few new rules have been added to the show. All cattle will have to be dehorned and no beef heifers can be older than 24 months of age.
On Thursday, January 26 from 3 to 5 p.m. weigh steers and check in beef and dairy heifers, at 7 p.m. Cattle show: steers, dairy heifers and beef heifers.
Friday, January 27 from 12 until 6 p.m. is weigh in time for hogs and sheep.
On Saturday, January 28, 1995 at 8:30 a.m. the Sheep show will begin to be followed by the Swine show and then the Pee Wee Showmanship.
At 5 p.m. the Buyers Brisket Supper will be held. At 6:30 p.m. the Awards and Auction will begin.
Monday January 30, has been set aside for clean up which will start at 5 p.m.

BCAA To Sponsor Supper January 19

The BCAA is sponsoring a county wide potluck supper on January 19, 1995. The Briscoe County Activities Association will furnish the meat, bread and drinks. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish. Please come and enjoy fellowship and fun with your neighbors and find out what plans BCAA has for 1995. The supper is free of charge and will be held on January 19, 1995 at 7 p.m. in the Silverton School Cafeteria.

Stories By Lawana Cruse Are Published

by Ann Coker
For a number of years Lawana Cruse has written stories that she had read to her own children, Debra and Robert Gragson, and Lee, Brett and Melody Cruse. She has also read them to her grandchildren. Lawana received a most extraordinary and appreciated Christmas gift this past Christmas. Her daughter, Melody Hysinger, compiled all her mother's beloved stories into a book entitled *A Collection of Children's Stories*. The book contains ten of Melody's favorite stories that were especially dear to her. There are some illustrations in the book done by Bill Dillard, a friend and neighbor of Melody's.
I enjoyed the privilege of perhaps buying one of the first books. After reading these great stories, I know I must have two more, one for my grand-daughter, Makenzie and one for my grandsons, Zach and Josh. This book is indeed a treasure.

Air Quality "Regulations Mean Changes For Texas Motorists

Residents of Briscoe County must now go through some extra steps before the Texas Department of Transportation is allowed to issue motor vehicle registration to them. This action is required by a new federal law that regulates air quality in Texas.
The additional steps, required by the federal Clean Air Act, are aimed at reducing pollution from gasoline-fueled vehicles built since 1968.
The federal government has identified several metropolitan areas where the level of air pollution is serious: Dallas/Fort Worth, Houston, Beaumont/Port Arthur and El Paso. Vehicle emissions testing will be required in counties that fall within those four areas.
Even though an emissions test will not be required in Briscoe County, motorists will still have to prove that is where they actually live and are not trying to dodge the law.

Let The Changes Begin January 23

by Rhonda Alexander
January 23, mark this day as the day to begin your new and healthy lifestyle. The first series in the *Lifestyles Choices* program will be held on Monday, January 23rd from 5-6 p.m. at the Pioneer Bank Room in Silverton.
The *Lifestyles Choices* program is designed to help each of us become more healthy through



Hall County officials sworn in for new terms are (from left) Commissioner U. F. Coker, and Justice of the Peace Byron Young.

Nine Hall County Officials Take '95 Oath Of Office

by Ann Coker
January 2, 1995 the Commissioners Courtroom was a very busy place. The occasion was the swearing in ceremony for county and precinct officials whose terms began the first of the year.
The courtroom was filled to capacity as family and friends of the nine officials gathered to witness the official act of administering the oaths of office.
Appointed County Attorney, John Deaver II, who has served out a portion of retired County Attorney John Chamberlain's term, administered the oath to re-elected Hall County Judge Kenneth Dale, who in turn, read the oath to the other officials, each in turn.

Lions Sponsor Pancake Supper

The Turkey and Quitauque Lions will sponsor a pancake supper at the Valley School on January 13, 1995 when the Patriots play Lorenzo in basketball. The supper will begin at 5 p.m. and close at 7 p.m. Come out and support the local Lions as they cook pancakes to raise money to continue the many useful projects that they do for our towns.

Turkey's F.C.E. Club To Meet In January

The Turkey F. C. E. Club will meet on January 16th, at 6:30 p.m. in the Senior Citizens Room at the Bob Wills Center. Hostesses for this meeting will be Vernell Cotten, Betty Driskill and Marjorie Bell. Inspirational Moments will be given by Oleta Randell. Virginia Degan will call the roll which is to be answered by "My Favorite Wood."
The program will be given by John Christopher White of Silverton. John is a wood carver and you will be inspired by his work. It is some of the best I have seen anywhere.
You shouldn't miss this meeting and do bring a guest, that means you may bring your husbands as they too will greatly enjoy this program. The club is very honored to have John White doing this program.

Valley FFA Jackpot Entries Are Due

The second annual Valley FFA Swine Jackpot is going to be held January 14, 1995. Students wishing to enter the Valley FFA Swine

Jackpot need to contact their FFA advisor by January 10, 1995. The entry fee for the show is \$15.00 per head for swine.

It Happened in 1994...

April
A huge sink hole appeared in the James Richburg cotton field four miles south of Lesley and is creating quite a stir and bringing much concern to the land owner.
Quitauque Chamber of Commerce has their annual banquet.
Several Astronomy Clubs from surrounding areas will be meeting at the Caprock Canyon State Park on April 8, 1994.
Caprock Bicycle Club is formed on March 29, 1994 with eight members present. Wilburn Leeper elected president.
A major long distance fiber cable was cut near Hedley on April 5. Long distance service was out for 13 area towns for about 13 hours.
Valley School has annual Awards Banquet.
Weather Station installed at Turkey at the Valley Peanut Growers Association.
Dallas TV to film the Bob Wills Celebration at Turkey.
May
Barn at the Morris Stephens ranch destroyed by fire.
Turkey-Quitauque Lions win best all around float at Bob Wills Parade.
Caprock Jamboree at Silverton celebrates fifth anniversary.
Jerry Chambliss of Clarendon has been named as the new area manager for West Texas Utilities at Quitauque-Turkey.
Brandi Price places among the top 20 high individuals in the Poultry Judging contest held at Tarleton State University.
Sandy Lowe placed among the top 20 individuals in the Dairy Products Judging competition at Tarleton State University.
Ricky Turpin of New Braunfels won first place at the Bob Wills Fiddle Contest.
Lewis Eudy received his 50 year certificate and pin from the Masonic Lodge on Sunday, May 1.
George Colvin elected mayor of Turkey while Vicki Lindsey and Louis Randell were named to the City Council.
Jimmy Davidson elected Mayor of Quitauque.
Jarret Pigg enters hospital.
Quitauque Chamber of Commerce and the Bike Club will sponsor the "Quitauque Quest."
Don and Louise Brummett purchase Caprock Canyons Cafe.
Jeremy Taylor, Valedictorian and Walt Henson, Salutatorian of Valley eighth grade class.
Joni Hancock, valedictorian, Jason Eric Powell, Salutatorian of Valley Senior class of 1994.
Three teachers retire from Valley School, Ann Chadwick, Betty Nan Tiffin, and Bettie Green.
Memorial Services held in Turkey on May 29, 1994 to honor those whose lives were lost defending their country.

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OBITUARY

Randell Hunter

Services for Dr. Randell Hunter, 32, of Quitaque, were at 2:30 p.m. Friday, January 6, 1995 in the Flomot Baptist Church with the Rev. Nathan Mulder, pastor, officiating. The Rev. John Hall, pastor of First Baptist Church in Quitaque assisted.

Burial was in the Flomot Cemetery under the direction of Myers-Long Funeral Directors of Quitaque. Randell was born July 18, 1962 in Matador and graduated from Motley County High School in 1980. He graduated cum laude from West Texas State University in Canyon in 1984 and graduated magna cum laude from Texas Chiropractic College in Pasadena in 1988. He was a Wrangler Professional Rodeo Sports chiropractor and was certified as chiropractor for the Volley Ball Association Professional Tour. He was a member of Flomot Baptist Church.

Hunter was a certified chiropractic sports physician and practiced in Quitaque and Floydada.

Survivors include his parents, Wayne and Jimmie Hunter of Flomot; his grandfather, H. G. Hunter of Quitaque; a brother, David Hunter of Midland; and two sisters, Anita Hunter Carter of Lubbock and Susan Marie Smith of Austin.

Pall bearers were Derrel Johnson, Billy Joe Roys, Louis Shorter, Johnny Roys, Stacy Price and Glen Calvert.

Honorary pall bearers were Gary Stevenson, Simplicio Ortiz and Mark Roys.

The family suggests memorials to the Caprock Public Library in Quitaque, the Motley County Public Library in Matador or the Flomot First Baptist Church Building Fund.

Yesteryear

Taken from The Quitaque Post, Thursday, January 1, 1959

Movies Move To Town

The Mid-Way Drive-Inn will close Saturday night, following the show, for the winter. Bad weather predictions for the next month or so has moved the show back to town.

In Quitaque a full schedule is planned at the Queen Theatre. The Gem Theatre in Turkey will feature an extra bonus of a late preview on Saturday night of the show that will be shown there as a Sunday Matinee and Monday night. The late show is planned to start around 10:00.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roberson spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Roberson and Minnie Mae Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brunson and Peggy spent Christmas with Mrs. J. R. Lusk and family of Eastland.

Christmas visitors in the Murry Morrison home were: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hickey, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Young, Joe Alvin and Earnestine of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Eddleman and family and Richard Eddleman of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Brynt Eddleman and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Eddleman and Thelma Joyce of Silvertown. Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Henderson, and Randell Eddleman of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Marshall and baby of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Reg Cushmanberry and Layne, Mr. W. C. Eddleman and Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wilson of Pampa visited relatives and friends through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hedrick of Hale Center spent Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter and Melvin.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McKinsie and family of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hamilton and children of Richmond, VA, visited through the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Van Meter of Lowell, Arizona spent the Christmas holidays in the home of his mother, Mrs. A. F. Van Meter Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Duvall and daughter of Auker spent Christmas Eve in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ramsey Jr.

David C. Bogan

David C. Bogan, 48 a former Borger, Texas, resident, died Sunday, January 1, 1995 in Lake Forest, Illinois.

Graveside services have been rescheduled for 1 p.m. Thursday, January 12, 1995 in Westlawn Memorial Park at Borger with the Rev. Jeff Burress, pastor of Wesley United Methodist Church in Borger officiating. Arrangements were by Minton/Chatwell Funeral Directors of Borger.

Mr. Bogan was born in Borger and had lived in Lake Forest for 18 years. He graduated from Texas Tech in 1969 and from the University of Chicago Law School in 1972. He worked in advertising trademark and copyright law at the law firm of Davis, Mannix & McGrath in Chicago.

He was a member of First Presbyterian Church, where he sang in the sanctuary choir.

Survivors include his wife, Brenda Chambers Bogan; a son, Charles Colberson Bogan of the home; his father, Chuck Bogan of Borger; three sisters, Linda Mooter of Dallas, Sandra Sebren of Houston and Donna Bogan of Alice, Texas.

The family suggests memorials be to the Charles Bogan Fund, % Davis, Mannix & McGrath, 125 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 1700, Chicago, Ill. 60606.

David was the nephew of Ann Coker of Turkey.

Charity Steward

Charity Cain Steward died on January 2, 1995 in a Fort Worth Hospital.

Services were held on Wednesday, January 4, 1995 in Fort Worth at the Brown, Gauseware, Owens and Brumley Funeral Home Chapel at 11 a.m.

Burial was the same day in Resthaven Cemetery at Quitaque, Texas.

Ila E. Turner

Ila E. Turner, 85, died Monday, January 9, 1995 in Amarillo.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, January 11, 1995 in the First United Methodist Church in Turkey with the Rev. Steve Ulrey, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Wellington, and the Rev. Les Hall, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery by Myers-Long Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Turner was born in Coryell County. She was a homemaker and a retired clerk for the U. S. Postal Service. She was a member of First United Methodist Church. Her husband, Aubrey Turner, preceded her in death in June.

Survivors include a son, Don Turner of Turkey; a daughter, Sara Turner of Amarillo; a sister, Nadine Baisden of Turkey; three grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Pall bearers were nephews, Billy Joe Turner, Jim Baisden, Paul Hollingsworth, Everette Hollingsworth, Charles D. Hollingsworth and Charles E. Hollingsworth.

Turkey F.C.E. Club Has Christmas Party

F.C.E. Club Christmas party was held December 19, 1994. Marjorie Bell called the meeting to order. *Inspirational Moments* was given by Ginger Morgan. Virginia Degan gave the roll call which was answered by each member giving their Christmas wish.

A short business meeting followed the roll call. The club voted to give the Turkey Fire Department a gift of one hundred dollars for the Christmas that they gave the children on Christmas Eve. Beverly Logsdon, Extension Agent, explained our district meeting which will be held in April. The Turkey Club will co-host this meeting with Childress. The meeting will be held in Childress.

The Christmas program was given by Mary Beth Adamson and Oleta Randell. Christmas stories were read and Christmas carols were sung by the club members. There was a lot of laughter and much fun when the members exchanged the Christmas gifts.

The hostesses for the Christmas party were Veta Colvin, Ying Lyles, Theresa Clinton, Ruth Fuston and Ginger Morgan. Lots of delicious Christmas goodies were served to the group. They all agreed, they ate too much. Many thanks to the hostesses for the delicious food and to all who served on the program. This all made the Christmas party so wonderful.

The next meeting will be January 16th, 6:30 p.m. in the Senior Citizens Room.

Men may be convinced, but they cannot be pleased against their will.

-Samuel Johnson

TURKEY NEWS - TURKEY NEWS

by Ann Coker

Those visiting in the Marjorie Bell home for the Christmas dinner were Linda, Jaclyn and Kirk, Shanlee and Hailey Bell all of Amarillo. Fish Wilson of Quitaque and P. W. Tripp of Turkey were also guests in the Bell home.

Recent visitors in the homes of Dot Arnold, Billy and Janice Wheeler and Arville and Loreen Setliff were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Arnold and Tyler, Mrs. Johnny Arnold and Mil Johnson all from Greeley, Colorado. Also visiting with the group were Bud and Alice Richardson and Wilma Arnold all of Tulia.

Gary and Sue Johnson recently returned Gary's mother, Clema Johnson, to her home. Clema had spent Christmas with the Gary Johnson family in Paragould, Arkansas.

Lisa McKnight and her three children of Amarillo spent several days last week visiting with Lisa's grandmother, Virginia Degan.

Spending Christmas in Hamlin with Tania and Allen Bolts and family were Tania's mother, Mary Laury of Turkey, Mary's mother, Christine Williams of Childress and Mary's brother, Jerry Williams of Ft. Worth.

Helping Arlie Williams celebrate her birthday last week-end were her daughter, Bridgette Johnson and Richie of Idalou and Arlie's son and wife, Harvey and Betty Williams of Clarendon. They all attended church services with Arlie Sunday morning. Also joining the group Sunday morning was Arlie's brother and wife, Jim and Willie Majors.

While Janice Wheeler and I were in Childress last Saturday we met Nita Puckett of Memphis and her mother, Foy Lane. They had met in Estelline and were spending the day together in Childress.

Rita Guest returned her granddaughter to Amarillo last Monday for a check-up on Tracy's knee following knee surgery during the Christmas holidays. Tracy received a good report.

Enjoyed visiting with Jack Case for a few minutes last Monday morning. Jack stated he and Jeanette have now moved from their home in Amarillo into their home in Matador. All they like, he said, was

a little "straightening up." Jack and Jeanette bought the former home of Jeanette's brother, John Barnhill.

Mary Jo Barnhill returned to her home last week after undergoing heart surgery in a Lubbock hospital. At last report she seemed to be recuperating fine.

Connie Gafford of Arlington and a friend were in town last Tuesday. They were in town to do some quail hunting.

I was quite pleased last week to receive a letter from a former Turkey resident, Coy Jane (Lacy) Young who now lives in Grayson, Georgia. Coy Jane sent a newspaper from Athens, Georgia with guess what? Yes, it had a write-up about the Turkey Thanksgiving dinner that was held the Sunday before Thanksgiving. That article has made the rounds! Coy Jane said her son, Fred, who lives in Athens brought the article to her. Mrs. Young said she really looks forward to receiving the Valley Tribune each week and then she passes it on to her sister, Norma Hess, who lives in Breckenridge.

Coy Jane also said that recently there was a letter to the editor in the Tribune that someone was wanting to locate some people from Anson County, North Carolina. One of her friends was from there so she passed the article on to him. The Tribune does make the rounds, too.

Mrs. Young was a friend of my sister-in-law, Evelyn (Coker) Mayfield and she said she thinks of Evelyn often and would love to see her again.

Following the funeral of my nephew, David Bogan, in Lake Forrest, Illinois last Friday, my brother, Chuck Bogan of Borger, suffered a heart attack. At present he is still hospitalized in Lake Forrest, and the burial of David, which is to be in Borger, has been delayed until Chuck is released from the hospital. Chuck seems to be doing fine and hopefully, the burial will be Thursday.


Visitors in the home of Stella Conner New Year's Eve were Elgin and Cathryn Conner, Lori and Karyn of Lampasas; Gina Conner of San Antonio; Patsy, Billy and Beth Lyles, Turkey; Mr. and Mrs. Delos Johnson of Quitaque and Jennifer Johnson of Arlington.

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Flomot News



Lane Martin Vows Exchanged

Robyn Michelle Lane and Brian Dana Martin exchanged wedding vows Saturday night, December 31, at the First United Methodist Church in Turkey with Steve Ulrey, minister of the Wellington United Methodist Church, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Frank and Cindy Lane of Turkey and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tink Lane of Turkey and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Padgett of Ft. Worth.

The groom is the son of Dana and Dorothy Martin, the grandson of Nina Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Vardell and the great grandson of Earl Cantwell, all of Silverton.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a white satin gown designed with a Victorian neckline and French pouf sleeves. It featured a princess style bodice and an elongated waistline encrusted with pearls and jewels. The full and flowing skirt went into a cathedral train with European lace cutouts studded with pearls and jewels. She wore a veil that came to a forehead point. It was attached to a ruffled pouf and accented with pearls and flowers. The bouquet was a cascade of white and burgandy flowers entwined with greenery. Something old was her maternal great grandmother's engagement ring which she wore, something new was her dress, something borrowed was diamond earrings from Samantha Stark, and something blue was her garter.

Samantha Stark of Tulia was Maid of Honor. Bridesmaids were Shadi Buchanan of Canyon, Tina Carson of Turkey, Kami Martin, sister of the groom of Silverton, Laurie Harp, sister of the bride of Amarillo and Chastity Price of Quitaque.

Three of the bridesmaids wore hunter green velvet and taffeta gowns and three wore burgandy velvet and taffeta gowns. The gowns were designed with scoop necklines with long sleeves and full skirts. Each carried a bouquet of either hunter green or burgandy dried flowers.

Macy Davidson and Molly Davidson, both of Turkey served as flower girls. They wore floral and burgandy velvet dresses. Marshall Syme, cousin to the groom of Red Oak and Zach Burson of Silverton served as ring bearers. Mary Kate Davidson of Turkey and Dusty Burson of Silverton served as miniature bride and groom.

Langdon Reagan of Canyon was best man. Groomsmen were Bryan Buchanan, Lee Ballard, and Casey Frizzell all of Canyon, Bradley Bruson of Portales, NM and Michael Lane, brother of the bride, of Turkey.

Ushers were Clay Wallace and Scott Wilder of Canyon, Bryan Breedlove of Amarillo and Brian West of Tulia. All the men were dressed in black tuxedos.

Julie Brunson of Portales, NM registered guests. Musical selections were by Robin Boedeker, pianist, and Daniel Jenkins, vocalist.

A reception was held in the church fellowship hall. Members of the house party were Sherry Gandy of Ringling, OK, Emily Maxwell of Idabel, OK, Sasha Lane of Booker, Jonda Lane of Greeley, CO, and Tammy Clay of Dallas, all cousins of the bride and Natalie Myers of Canyon.

After a wedding trip to Red River, NM the couple will reside in Canyon.

The bride is a 1991 graduate of Valley High School. She is a senior at West Texas A&M University in Canyon where she will graduate in May. She is a member of Kappa Delta Pi honor fraternity and Student Council for Exceptional Children.

The groom is a 1992 graduate of Silverton High School. He attends WTAMU and works for Backyard Adventures, Inc. in Canyon.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the grooms parents at the Quitaque Community Center. It was catered by Betty Nan Tiffin and Sandy Tomlin.

A lingerie shower was given in the home of Ginger Mullin, hosted by Shadi Buchanan on December 31.

A recipe shower was given by the employees of the financial aid office of WTA&M in the home of Betty Knowles in Canyon on December 6.

A miscellaneous shower was given in the home of Ginger Mullin of Turkey on December 3 and also a shower in the home of Marsha Brunson in Silverton on December 10.

A party was hosted by the brides maids and groomsmen in Turkey after the wedding.

OVERHEARD

Fragnance lingers on the hands of those who hand out roses.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. B. Rogers is a patient in the Mangold Hospital in Lockney where she was admitted Friday. With her during her hospitalization is her husband, Howard, and son and daughter, Donnie Ray Rogers and Donna Degan of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Aleda Elaine visited during the holidays in Dallas with his brother, James Ross and in Lubbock with daughter and family Elisa and Stan Wigley. Their son Tommy Ross of San Antonio met them in Lubbock to visit.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Breck Dockery and Brittany of Vernon, Kayla Johnson of Floydada and Mrs. James May and Mr. and Mrs. William Rucker of Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morris, Dodie and Rabeca visited during the holidays in Spur with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martin. Other visitors were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Edwards of Afton.

Visitors in the home of Erma and Bill D. Washington are her sister Mrs. Jimmie Ballinger of Fortuna, CA, brother Richard Nall of Wellington, and Aaron, Brent, and Laura Ballinger of Amarillo. Jimmie, Erma, and Richard visited in Wichita Falls Monday, Jan. 2, with their cousin, Lewis Lyles, a patient in Wichita General Hospital following surgery. They continued to Dallas and visited Rickey Nall and in Houston with Eugene and Opal Piercy and Erma B. Ridge before returning to Flomot Wednesday night.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. C. W. Starkey and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cypert of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Monk of Pahrump, NEV are visiting his mother, Mrs. Lucille Monk. During the holidays they visited in Tulia with Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pope and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cannon and families.

Mrs. Judy Rhodes of Southlake and Louis Shorter of Arlington visited Friday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shorter and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and daughter, Keri, a student at Texas Tech who is visiting during mid-semester holidays.

At newstime, Ray Cruse is a patient in the Methodist Hospital where he was admitted Friday for tests and treatment. Going to Lub-

On The QT

The Lon McKay Family celebrated Christmas at the home of Clyde and Renee Dudley. Those in attendance were Juanita Lane, Turkey; Bud and Jo McKay, Brian, Drenda, Tara and Loren Owens, Corkey and Doris Davis, all of Amarillo; Ray and Gay Speery, Steve and Kendra Speery, Idalou; Doug, Susan, Matt, Sarah and Lindsey Kirk of Denver, CO; Lon McKay, Melvin, Devorah, Chad and Jake Justus, Jeremy Hughes, Trent, Wanda, Coy and Hollie McKay, Clyde, Renee and Eric Dudley, Eldon, Gwen, Chuck and Lori Martin, all of Quitaque; Darrell Cervinka, Stephenville; Kim Patterson and Blake and Jake Petrie, all of Lubbock. Everyone reported a wonderful time.

Ruth Brunson is in the Methodist Hospital at Lubbock.

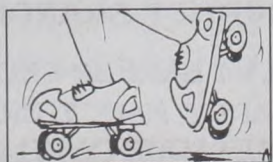
Justin Gibson of Amarillo, grandson of Vinita and Guss Hrcnr, spent last week at the Quail Lodge while he was out of school for the holidays. He was joined by his friend, Caleb Hazelwood also of Amarillo for the last four days.

Eloise Price was hospitalized Tuesday in Childress with pneumonia.

Roy Shepperd of Matador visited in the Sid McFall home on Sunday afternoon. He was also a guest for a birthday supper on Monday honoring Sid.

Politeness is a liberating constraint. It makes it possible to say everything that rudeness couldn't.

—Sigismund von Radecki



Roller skates were invented about 1760 by a Belgian musician, Joseph Merlin.

bock Monday to be with him and his wife Tommie Jo, were daughter and son-in-law, Darla and James Gwinn of Whiteflat.

Mrs. C. L. Smith of Silverton, Mrs. Glen D. Tiffin and Mrs. A. D. Moseley attended a Jehovah's Witnesses circuit assembly meeting held Saturday and Sunday at the Civic Center in Amarillo. Attendance ranged around 800 and talks were geared toward helping Christians cope with the pressures of daily life.

Marilee Pilcher of Borger and Dr. David Martin of Floydada visited during the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Mandrell and Jeff Braselton of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert and Glen Calvert, Friday.

Mrs. Morris Stephens is teaching classes during the week at the Maximum Prison in Childress. She visited Mrs. Edna Waybourn in Childress Thursday. Mrs. Stephens attended to business in Crosbyton Saturday.

Mrs. Kathryn Martin of Whiteflat and Art Green visited in Roaring Springs Sunday with Mrs. Josie Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arneel, Alyssa, and Michael moved into their new home located east of Flomot Friday, Dec. 23. They visited during the holidays in Arlington with his mother Mrs. Lupe Barry and in Floydada with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Babe Jones. Other visitors in the Jones home were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jones, Bryce and Travis of Paducah, and Mrs. Sherri White, Michael and Justin of Floydada.

DO GOODERS NEWS

The freezing rain and cold weather in Flomot Tuesday afternoon January 3 did not reflect the sunshine mood of those attending the first 1995 Do Gooders' Club

meeting held at the Community Center. Cheerful decorations that welcomed the new season were balloons with streamers, birds and miniature bells.

Mrs. B. Rogers presided at the business meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Christeen Gilbert, who was ill. First on the agenda was the election of officers for 1995. Those chosen to serve were Mrs. Alma Shorter, president; Mrs. B. Rogers, vice-president; Mrs. Annie B. Cloyd, secretary and treasurer, (Mrs. Bernice Bond resigned after serving as this officer for 11 years); Mrs. Trula Martin, reporter, and Mrs. Mary Jo Calver, program chairman. In other business, they discussed getting another heater for the Community

Center. They drew Secret Pal names for 1995.

Mesdames Waydie Clay and Annie B. Cloyd had pretty platter presentations of relishes, fresh vegetables, chips, dips, cakes and cookies with hot fruit punch and coffee. The self-service table was laid with a white cloth and centered with a pale green cage housing two parakeets and a red cardinal bird perched atop. An adept arrangement around the cage was colorful birds with tinkling bells nestled in greenery.

Those attending were Mesdames Jimmie Hunter, Trula Martin, Leona Degan, Annie B. Cloyd, Mary Jo Calvert, Alma Shorter, Bernice Bond, B. Rogers, Waydie Clay, Judy True and Nada Starkey.

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1994-95 VALLEY PATRIOTS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE	VG	VB	JVG	JVB
Nov. 22	Kress	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Nov. 29	Kress	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Dec. 2	Lakeview	6:30	Here	X	X	X	X
Dec. 6	Packard	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Dec. 8,9,10	Valley Tour.	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Dec. 13	Memphis	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Dec. 16	Paton Springs	6:30	There	X	X	X	X
Dec. 17	Motley Co. JV Tour.		There	X	X	X	X
Dec. 20	Packard	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Dec. 25, 30, 31	Groom Tour.		There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 3	Silverton Tour.	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 5, 6, 7	Silverton Tour.		There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 10	Spur	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 13	Lorenzo	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 14	Valley JV Tour.		Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 17	Petersburg	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 20	Vernon Northside	5:00	There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 24	Motley Co.	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 27	Spur	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 31	Lorenzo	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Feb. 3	Petersburg	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
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Feb. 10	Motley Co.	4:00		X	X	X	X



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



Lady Patriots Basketball

by Coach Jeffcoat
January 3
 Valley vs Silverton
 FINAL SCORE: Valley 37
 Silverton 39
 TOP SCORERS: Robin Williams 11,
 Brandi Gaddis 9
 TOP REBOUNDERS: Cara Powell 11,
 Robin Williams 9, Ten-
 nille Morrison 8
 RECORD: 11-4
January 5-6-7
 Silverton Tournament
 Girls finished second
 FIRST GAME: Valley vs Smyer
 FINAL SCORE: Valley 65-Smyer 48
 TOP SCORERS: Brandi Gaddis 20,
 Julie Cruz 16,
 Cara Powell 11
 TOP REBOUNDERS: Cara Powell 7,
 Tennille Morrison 6
 RECORD 12-4
 SECOND GAME Valley vs Hedley
 FINAL SCORE: Valley 70
 Hedley 47
 TOP SCORERS: Brandi Gaddis 16,
 Julie Cruz 13, Cara Powell
 11, Briana Sperry 10
 TOP REBOUNDERS: Robin Williams
 15, Cara Powell 9
 RECORD 13-4
 CHAMPIONSHIP GAME:
 Silverton vs Valley
 (overtime)
 FINAL SCORE: Valley 61
 Silverton 62
 TOP SCORERS: Brandi Gaddis 21,
 Julie Cruz 14,
 Cara Powell 11
 TOP REBOUNDERS: Robin Williams
 8, Cara Powell 7
 RECORD 13-5
 NEXT GAME JANUARY 10 @
 SPUR (DISTRICT GAME)

Fifth Grade News

by Missy, Magan & Emily
 Hi, its us again the fifth grade reporters. We haven't been writing the news lately because we have been on Christmas vacation. We are back now so we can write the fifth grade news. Everyone seemed to have had a nice Christmas. It has been hard on everyone this past week, coming back from vacation and everything. In History we are still learning all of our states and capitals. In Science we have just started a new chapter. In Reading we have just finished the story "Who Won the Contest." It was a very interesting story. In English we are still doing Writing to Write we have also started a new chapter. Math is really fun because we are working on division. In Health we are writing down what we eat everyday and putting it in what food group it goes under.

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JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Bulldogs Top Super Centex Six-Man Team

Courtesy of Tribune-Herald
 by Mickey Humphrey
 As a successful football coach and teacher at Valley High School, Clifton Gilmore became accustomed to the slow, peaceful pace in the Texas Panhandle. He had a good job, a family and security. Then his bubble burst. A year ago, the University Interscholastic League lowered its average daily membership (ADM) requirement for six-man football teams. Suddenly, Gilmore was faced with the biggest decision of his coaching career. Because of Valley's ADM, Gilmore was faced with either building an 11-man football program—in which he had virtually no background—or moving on to another six-man school. After spending countless hours building the Valley program from scratch into a playoff contender, he didn't want to leave, but when he made the decision to knock, opportunity answered. What may have been fate moved Gilmore to inquire by phone about a coaching vacancy. Before he even found out where Milford was, he tossed his name in the hat. Once the job was offered, Gilmore accepted and never looked back. By the end of the season his decision to relocate looked like the stuff of genius. In leading Milford to a 13-1 record and the state six-man championship game for the third time in school history, Gilmore has been named the Coach of the Year on the Tribune-Herald's 1994 Super Centex Six-Man football team. Among his peers also in the running were Morgan's J. P. Pinnell, who has rebuilt the program and almost led the Eagles to the playoffs, Covington's Henry Strauch and Jonesboro's Larry Pruitt.

"Fate brought us together," said Gilmore. "I can't explain it. If Valley hadn't been forced to go to 11-man, I probably still couldn't find Milford on the map. "I wanted to stay, but I thought that would've been selfish. I'd worked hard on developing a philosophy for six-man football. It wasn't for me to learn 11-man at the kids' expense." Although Gilmore didn't know Milford from a geographic standpoint, he knew of the Bulldogs by reputation. Winning state titles in 1979 and 1980, the Bulldogs had one of the top six-man programs in the state. With 15 returning lettermen, including all six starters, from a team that won 10 games the year before, Gilmore found himself coming into an ideal situation. Louis Essary anchored a line that averaged just under 250 pounds which allowed the bulldogs to play tough, physical football, going with a tight formation instead of the free-wheeling deep back formations that attract many fans to the six-man game. Gilmore was also smart enough to get the ball in Norman Singleton's hands as often as possible. At 6-3, 205, the speedy Singleton was a dominate force on both sides of the ball. Singleton has been selected as the Six-Man Player of the year over Waco Christian Fellowship's Ray Austin. Singleton finished with 2,603 all-purpose yards and 33 touchdowns. He had 2,123 yards rushing and 25 TDs. He also led the bulldogs with 109 tackles.

- Valley Honor Roll**
- Third Six Weeks**
- Miss Johnson's First Grade**
 All A
 Randy Farley, Michael Clark, Cody Barrett, Larrisa Payne, Jennifer Carnes, Lauren Sargent
- A's & B's**
 Rhiane Gaddis, Alicia Roys, Jonathan Farley, Erica Gujosa, Chance Maynard, Ana Rosa Pozos
- Mrs. Ham's Second Grade**
 All A's
 Paige Hughes, Cody Payne, Zack Ramsey, Chelsea Wheeler, Matt Whittington, Christine Walls
- A's & B's**
 Jose Poza, Cody Varnell
- Mrs. Pigg's Third Grade**
 All A's
 Megan Jeffcoat, Katherine Pigg, Kenton Satterwhite
- A's & B's**
 Chase Maynard, Colt Smith, Dakota Smith, Cliff Yeary
- Mrs. Proctor's Fourth Grade**
 All A's
 Ava Jo Sargent
- A's & B's**
 Galen Smith, J. C. Pigg (Justin), Natalie Wheeler, Leigh Ann Nielsen, Sara Fierro, Randa McBee
- Mrs. Davidson's Fifth Grade**
 All A's
 Tate Bennett, Missy Jeffcoat, Jana Merrell, Amber Stark, Christopher Taylor, Magan Whittington, Emily Woods
- A's & B's**
 Levi Curry, Wes Henson, Danny Hinojosa, Rosalinda Lopez, Ana Mora, Lydia Valdez
- Junior High Honor Roll**
- Sixth Grade**
 All A's
 Vance Chandler, Vance Farley
- A's & B's**
 Candace Benenati, Gaby Fierro, Christopher McBee, Jamie Pigg, Kim Woods, Mary E. Pigg, Brandon Stewart, Cory Varnell
- Seventh Grade**
 All A
 Morgan Brady, Jamie Taylor, Jess Yeary
- A's & B's**
 Elena Fierro, Paige Nielsen, Ben Pigg, Chris Price, Kristen Ramsey, Nathan Wheeler
- Eighth Grade**
 All A
 Amy Stark
- A's & B's**
 Rosalia Mendoza
- High School Honor Roll**
- Ninth Grade**
 All A
 Jeremy Taylor
- A's & B's**
 Walt Henson, P Jay Merrell, Jessica Ortiz, Mandy Pigg, Micah Stark, Katrina Stewart

 I call it politeness if he who could command, persuades.
 —Friedrich Nietzsche



Reagans To Celebrate 50 Years Of Marriage

Odis and Jessie Reagan will be celebrating 50 years of marriage on January 20, 1995. Hosting a celebration of the event will be the couple's children, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Boggs, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Price and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Jouett. The celebration will be on Sunday, January 15, 1995 at the Quitaque Bank Room at 2 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend but the couple request that you bring no gifts. Your love and presence is gift enough. Odis and the former Jessie Campbell were married on January 20, 1945 in Hollis Oklahoma. For the first ten years of their married life they lived in Morse, Texas. For the past 40 years they have lived at Quitaque, having moved here in 1955. Odis was born in Briscoe county and Jessie in Oklahoma. During this time Odis has been a farmer and rancher in the Quitaque area. Jessie is a receptionist for Myers-Long Funeral Directors. She also was an Avon representative for 22 years. The Reagans attend the First United Methodist Church in Quitaque. The couple had four children, Elaine Boggs of Plainview, Elois Price of Quitaque, Eva Jouett of Childress and the late Ernest Reagan. They also have 16 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren.

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Spinal screening for Valley School school children has been scheduled to begin on Monday, January 16, 1995.

Children will be screened for two types of spinal deformities: Scoliosis and kyphosis. Scoliosis is a condition in which the spine is twisted, causing misalignment of the upper body or lower back. This condition can worsen and lead to much pain, as well as complications of the heart and lungs. Kyphosis is an exaggerated rounding of the spine. Progression of these two conditions can often be arrested if detected early.

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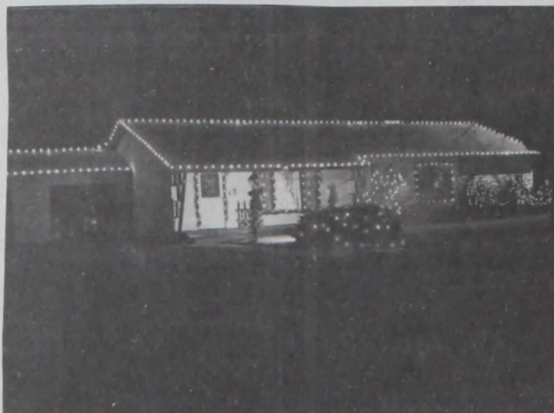
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Murry Morrison home - Second Place winner in lighting contest. (Photo - Wilburn Leeper)



First National Bank won second place in the business Christmas lighting contest. (Photo - Wilburn Leeper)

Jay Eudy Named Ag Man of Year

by Ann Coker

Jay Eudy has numerous plaques, certificates, and awards honoring his 35 years of service to agricultural education. But strange as it may seem, he takes greatest delight in a trophy he keeps tucked away in the attic of his Austin home.

It's a chicken...a stuffed White Leghorn mounted on a board, its feathers ruffled, its beak cracked, a Band-Aid on its head, and one wing propped up on a tiny crutch fashioned from a mesquite limb. It isn't attractive, and it smells bad.

But Eudy will not part with his chicken. It is symbolic of his successful fight to preserve agricultural education at the high school level.

Indeed, many credit Jay Eudy, the former Texas director of agricultural science and technology, with saving vo-ag and FFA in Texas and helping give it new life in many other states.

Forty-six states now use all or part of the ag science curriculum that was developed under Eudy's direction.

Eudy, who is a product of vo-ag himself, was born in Turkey, Texas. After graduation from Texas Tech and a stint in the U.S. Army, he came back to Turkey, and taught ag for 20 years at Turkey and Valley. He served five years as an area supervisor and ten years as a state director.

Since his retirement in 1993, he has served as acting administrator for the National Council for Vocational Agriculture.

He was named by *Progressive Farmer* as 1995 Man of the Year in Service to Agriculture for his vision, leadership, and tenacity in redirecting the focus of high school agricultural education nationwide.

Eudy is married to the former Barbara Blume, another Turkey native.

A preoccupied mind is never a free mind, whether it is preoccupied with the sublime or with the trivial.
—J. Krishnamurti

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