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Ray Price signing Tara Smith's guitar while his piano player, Moses looks on in the background.

# **Ray Price Will Present Concert At Turkey**

by Lawana Cruse

Ray Price and the Cherokee Cowboys are coming to Turkey October 25, 1997 for a concert at the old Turkey High School auditorium-gym. They are doing this as a benefit for the Gem Theatre.

Ray Noble Price was horn in Cherokee County, Texas in 1926 and as a boy worked on the family farm. He developed an interest in music at an early age but he studied veterinary medicine at North Texas Agriculture College at Abilene. He joined the Marines and was shipped out to serve in the Pacific in WWII. In 1946, he resumed his studies playing music on the side but soon his studies took a back seat to his music.

Faithful fans have been listening to his smooth voice since 1949. He once shared a house in Nashville with his best friend, Hank Williams. In 1956, his first number one hit, Crazy Arms climbed onto the charts and stayed there 45 weeks. Other top songs of his are City Lights, My Shoes Keep Walking Back To You, Heartaches By The Number, Burning Memories, Night Life, For The Good Times, and my favorite Soft Rain.

## Good Gal Award

The members of the Turkey Roost Museum would like to nominate Sue Proctor for the Good Gal Award. Sue has been mowing the grass around the linia whi someday be the Turkey Roost Museum. After several weeks of wondering who was keeping the grass mowed we found out who the good Samaritan was but we were not surprised. Sue, in her quiet way, is always doing something good for someone.

long time friend and former Cherokee Cowboy, Willie Nelson reunited to record the album San Antonio Rose, a reprise of the great 1962 album of Bob Wills songs performed by Price. Ray has been Billboard magazine's Top Male Vocalist of the Year eight times. In October 1996, he was inducted into the Country Music Hall of Fame, an honor long overdue this legendary entertainer who truly put the Class in Classic Country. The Cherokee Cowboys are still one of the finest bands performing today. Some of the former members are Willie Nelson, Roger Miller, Johnny Paycheck, Johnny Bush, Wade Ray and

In 1980, Ray Price and his

Buddy Emmons. There will be two performances and the South Plains College Playboys will be the opening act at both performances

Tickets will go on sale August 10. Send check or money order to Turkey Heitage Foundation, Box 74, Turkey, Texas 79261. The first performance will be at 2 p.m. with the cost being \$15.00. The 7 p.m. performance on October 24 will cost \$20.00. Tickets will be limited to 1,000

each performance so if you want a seat get your tickets early.

# Viewing The Groom Cross

by Ann Coker

Reading Program Winners Announced

Librarian Arlene Hikle announced Tuesday, August 5, 1997 that Callie Helms, daughter of Carla and Kenneth Helms had read 206 books during the reading program for children from kindergarten age through the second grade in the Caprock Public Library Summer Reading program.

Alyssa Pointer, daughter of Michelle and Johnnie Pointer, read 71 books in the pre-school division.

Katie Hamilton, of Amarillo, who is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamilton read 40 books in the third grade and up group. Fifteen children were entered in the reading program.

## **Property Tax** Vote, Part 1

provided by Pammy Millican, CEA-Ag

An election on August ninth could reduce property taxes for thousands of Texans, but there's a chance it could also put Texas schools in jeopardy. Extension economist Dr. Judith Stallman says the school property tax rate has doubled in the last ten years

The proposed constitutional amendment would lower school taxes for homeowners by offering more of an exemption. It would increase the homestead exemption from five-thousand to 15-thousand dollars.

To figure out how much of a break that is, you take your school district's tax rate and multiply by 100. So if your tax rate is a dollar-50, then you would save 150 dollars annually.

Obviously school districts will lose money. That's where the state comes in guaranteeing to make up the difference. But Stallman says that's only for the biennium. After that, it's unclear if the money will be there.

She says homeowners benefit now, but may not in the long run if other forms of taxation are relied on for education funding. Also, this savings only applies to homeowners. It is of no advantage to landlords and renters.

Stallman suggests talking with your school officials as well as your state legislators before you decide what's best for you and your community

## FM 689 Project Approved By TXDOT

The Texas Department of Transportation has announced the completion of environmental studies for the construction of a new location farm-to-market highway to be built in northeast Floyd County. The new farm-to-market highway will be designated FM689 and will generally follow the routes of the existing County Roads 60 and 30

# Saturday, Time to Vote

Saturday, August 8, 1997 is the date set for the election on the amendments to the Texas Constitution. Voting in Quitaque will be at the CommunityCenter for both

precincts Voting at Turkey will be at the Bob Wills Center.

## **Property Tax** Vote, Part 2

provided by Pammy Millican, CEA-Ag

Older Texans could get the biggest tax break under a proposed constitutional amendment. Current Texas law allows homeowners who are 65 or older to freeze their school property tax so they are no longer effected

by tax increases. But the law does not allow for that tax freeze to be transferred if the person moves. That person would have to pay the full taxes on the new home the first year, then they would be frozen at that rate. Extension economist Dr. Judith Stallman says that would change if the property tax constitutional amendment is approved on August ninth. It would work more on a percentage basis.

So if you were paying 60 percent of the school taxes on your house, you would pay 60 percent of the taxes on your new house. Stallman says the proposed law would offer more of an incentive to move to a smaller home. But again, as with the proposed homestead exemption increase, the school districts could stand to lose in the long run if the state cannot make up for the shortfall.

Right now, only ten percent of the Texas population is 65 and older. But that number will go up significantly as the baby boomer population grows older.



Librarian Arlene Hinkle is presenting Callie Helms and Alyssa Pointer, who together read 277 books this summer, their T-shirts and certificates for reading the most books in their catagories this summer in the reading program at the Caprock Public Library. **Lions News** 

Tuesday evening the Lions in Turkey and Quitaque spon-sored a blood drive for the Coffee Memorial Center in Amar-illo. The turn out in both towns was quite favorable and very much appreciated by the sponsors and the Coffee Memorial Center.

Monday, at the evening meeting of the Quitaque Lions Club, Lion Wilburn Leeper resigned his position as Boss Lion. Delos Johnson was moved from the office of Vice President to assume the posi-tion of Boss Lion for the remainder of the year

**School Bells Ring** Valley School Students will begin school on August 13, 1997. Classes will begin at 8:10 a.m. and buses will run

## the same times as last year. Valley School Board To Meet August 18th

The Turkey-Quitaque School Board of Trustees will hold its regular board meeting at 8 p.m. on August 18, 1997 at Valley School. A budget hearing on the 1997-1998 hearing on the 1997-1998 some extre hours. If you school budget will be on the any questions please call!! agenda



## by Eunice McFall

School Bells will be ringing in the state of Texas next week for school children of all ages. It seems that the summer has literally flown by. I can't believe that it is already the month of August. It is an exciting time for those young ones who will be crossing the doorway of the school for the first time to go to class. Perhaps they have been looking forward to it for days, months or even a year ( and believe me that is a long time for a five year old!).

They are excited, happy, sad, and scared all at once. Excited to be included in the school, maybe even ride a school bus with the big kids! Happy to start out on this new stretch of life to see what it holds for them. Sad because they will have to leave mom and dad at home with the younger brothers and sisters. Scared because they do not know what is expected of them in this new field that they are entering. All they know is what someone has told them. If they have been teased by older siblings or friends, they can have a very distorted unhappy view of starting to school. After all it is a big world for a five year old to enter a school with over a hundred students and all those teachers that they do not know. Why even if they know them--this is a new setting and they may look quite formidable to their young eyes. We need to give them all the postive feedback that we can so that they will come home from that first day of school so full of pep and excitement about learning that they are eager for morning to arrive so they can do it all over again. Of course when you have gone to school a year or so, a new school year is getting to be a common occurrance but still when there has been a drastic change in their lives such as, going into high school, becoming a junior high student, or even having to go to a new school because of a move can be quite traumatic. Then children need all the love and encouragement that they can get more than ever. The change may seem small and uneventful to us as adults but the smaller you are the bigger loom the giants that have to be faced all by yourself without the help of mom or dad. So if at all possible let's help make this start of a new school year a happy and successful one for all the children that we know and love. give them all the love and encouragement that they need to Let's overcome those BIG changes in their lives whether they are 5 or 18. Give your child a hug today and tell them that you love them!

THURSDAY, AUGUST 7, 1997

**Calendar of Events** August 7

> Quitaque Senior Citizens **Business Meeting** August 9

Election Day Turkey Baptist Car Wash August 10 Attend Church of choice August 11 Turkey Lions Club Valley Board of Trustees Quitaque City Council Quitaque Firemen Teacher Workday August 12 Drivers Testing @ Silverton Teacher Work Day August 13 Quitaque EMS Valley School Starts

August 14 Quitaque Senior Citizens Lunch Turkey City Council Matador Masonic Lodge Briscoe County Roping

## **Multi-County Stocker Cattle Grazing Seminar**

by Pammy Millican, CEA-

Ag A Stocker Cattle Grazing Seminar will be held on Tuesday, August 26, 1997, with registration from 8 a.m.--8:30 a.m. in the Pioneer Room at the First State Bank, Silverton, Texas.

Topics of discussion will be Profitability and Marketing Stratigies, General Pest Control, and Managing Stocker Cattle to improve performance and Profitablilty.

Anyone interested is welcome to attend the Seminar.

We do need everyone planning to attend, to please RSVP to the Briscoe County Extension Office at (806) 823-2131 by Thursday, August 21, 1997, to determine if there is enough interest to have the Seminar.

One CEU in IPM will be available for those who need some extre hours. If you have

Thanks a lot Sue. We really do appreciate you.

## Good Guy Award

Sid McFall has nominated Wade Cagle and Barbara Leal for the good guy award this week in Quitaque.

Saturday, as he left town his walking cane fell off the back of his pickup without his knowledge. Barbara Leal and Wade Cagle saw it fall, picked it up and returned it to Sid Monday when they saw him.

He feels they were certainly good samaritans and he appreciates their help thoughtfulness.

Eight miles west of Groom we were able to see the Groom Cross. The Cross is located just south of I40.

We turned off of I40 and followed the signs to the cross. The time was well spent.

The Cross is on a brick floor and is very, very tall (190 feet tall). It is quite visible for miles around.

Also on the brick floor are three life-size statues of Jesus carrying his cross. The first one is a statue of a soldier mounting the cross on the shoulder of The second is of Jesus Jesus. crawling--carrying the cross. The last statue is of Jesus nailed to the cross. There were many visitors there but all very quiet. It was quite an experience.

Near the cross is a small house which displays the "Exact Replica of the Shroud." This building is not complete but you are able to see the Shroud from the window.

Approval of environmental documentation marks the beginning of a more advanced phase of planning for the construction of a farm-to-market highway that will serve the area's farm, ranch, and tourist industries. Based on previous planning, coordination with Floyd County officials, and environmental studies, work will begin soon on detailed construction plans Within the next few months, Floyd County will begin the process of purchasing right-of-way and adjusting utilities. Construction is tentatively scheduled to begin in January of 2000, and should last 18 to 24 months.

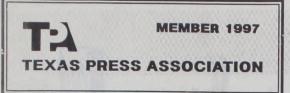
Further information may be obtained from Mike Craig, at 806-293-5484, or Penny Mason, 806-748-4337.

## **Booster Club To Hold First Meeting**

Are you ready for some football? The Valley Patriot Booster Club will have its first meeting for the '97 - '98 school year on Tuesday, August 12 at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria at Valley School. Officers will be elected and plans for the year will be discussed. Valley Booster Club is for anyone wishing to promote and encourage activities at Valley School.

The Booster Club's main fund raising endeavor is the concession stand at the Valley Varsity Basketball Tournament in De cember. Proceeds from Booster Club projects help fund the All Awards Banquet in May as well as various other needs. In the past, the Booster Club has purchased a washer and dryer for the Athletic Department and an ice machine. Come be a part of Partiot Pride.

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August 8 Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Leeper August 10 Mr. and Mrs. Max Meyer August 12 Mr. and Mrs. Rex Yeary August 13 . and Mrs. Bryan Buchanan August 14 and Mrs. Albert Castillo Mr. and Mrs. Russell Yates



WIID S MEW Victoria Valdez

Victoria Leigh Valdez was born on July 31, 1997 at 4:37 p.m. She weighed 7 pounds and 2 ounces and was 19 and 1/2 inches long. Mother Amy Valdez and baby Victoria are visiting with Amy's mom in Lubbock. Both are doing fine. Grandfather is David Valdez of

Quitaque. Great-great grandmom is Virginia Dudley of Turkey.

The word "deacon" comes from the Greek diakonos, mean ing "servant.

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Turner August 9 Paige Nielsen, Ann McFall August 10 Ying Lyles, Harold Wheeler, Chey-enne Ballard

August 11 Jean Helms, Hattie Lois Carter, Jayme Green, Barry Wheeler

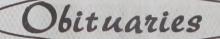
August 12 Laura Lynn Davidson, Ashley Adamson, Mary Jo Barnhill, Oneal Davis, Bill Smith Danny Maynard

August 13 Danny England, Margie Pinkerton, Jason Cloyd, Pearl Tapp, Annetta Helms, Cary Kendell

August 14 Ryann Wellman, Richard Wellman, Bill Farley, Stephanie England, John Luke Shannon







## **Ruby Ray**

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at Quitaque Cem-etery for Ruby Ray, 94, of Kerrville with Mr. Delos Johnson officiating. Services were under the direction of Kerrville Funeral Home. She died Tuesday evening at her

residence Mrs. Ray was born March 7, 1903 Mrs. Ray was born March 7, 1903 in Rusk, Texas to the late George Eli and Lilie Perry Holleyman Brunson. She had been a resident of Kerrville since 1979. During World War II she worked as an assembler for Douglas Aircraft in Los Angeles, California. Following the war she worked for May Department Stores for many years. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

She and Charles Ray were married on May 8, 1949 in Los Angeles. He preceded her in death in 1988. Surviviors include a son, Charles Ray Jr. of Kerrville; three sisters, Wanda Jordan and husband Jack of Kerrville, Winnie Hamilton of Fort

Worth and Betty James of College Station; a brother, James Brunson and wife, Ruth of Quitaque and numerous nieces and nephews.

## **Donell Polley**

Memorial services for Donell Polley, 37, of Amarillo were at 11 a.m. Saturday, August 2, 1997 in Liberty Church with the Rev. Jay Roberson, pastor, officiating, Arrangements were by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors. Mr. Polley was found Wednes-day, July 23, 1997. Mr. Polley was born in Mata-dor and had been a longtime resi-dent of Amarillo. He attended secondary school in Amarillo and

dent of Amarillo. He attended secondary school in Amarillo and graduated from high school in Oklahoma City. He returned to Amarillo in 1980 and worked as a carpenter. He was a member of Liberty Church.

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he was a member of Liberty Church. He and Terry Lynn Roark were married in 1987. Survivors include his wife; a son, Cory Don of the home; his mother and stepfather, Kathy and Hollis Watson; his father, Lonzo Polley of Childress; three broth-ers, Brian Marcus Watson of Amarillo, and Lance Polley and Michael Tyrrel Polley both of Childress; two sisters, Tash Polley and Jacqueline D'Ann Hampton, both of Childress; and grandpar-ents, Robert and Carrie Vivens of Amarillo and Z.P. Polley of Turkey.

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Don Howard Services for Don Howard, 54, of Howardwick were held Thursday, July 31, 1997 at 10:30 a.m. in Clarendon at the Robertson Funeral Directors Chapel of Memories with the Rev. Les Hall, pastor of first

United Methodist Church in Panhandle, officiating. Burial was at 2:30 p.m. in Happy

29, 1997.

He was born in Gainesville and

arried in 1981 in Las Vegas, New Mexico

Turkey for three years before mov-ing to Howardwick. While there he was an active member of the Turkey Lions Club and a member of First United Methodist Church.

Amarillo; a son, Dean Howard of Fort Worth; his mother, Freida Howard of Nocona; a sister, Nancy Hollingsworth of Hereford; and nine grandchildren

the Happy Cemetery Association.

## Faye Timmons

Mr. Bill Mayes from Childress offi-

Burial was under direction of Johnson Funeral Home of Childress in the Northfield Cemetery.

of Christ and a lifetime member of the Church of Christ. She had lived in Northfield Texas until moving to Childress in 1986.

She was preceded in death by her husband Pete Timmons in 1982 ; a son Reese in 1983; a son Don in 1991 and a son Eddie in 1992. Survivors include two daughters,

against polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, mumps and HIB (haemophilus influenzae type b). The Texas Department of Health is charging money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount of money charged will

Immunization Clinics For August

Immunization Clinics offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases are scheduled for August. Protection is

be based on family income, size, and the ability to pay. Immunization will be available in Memphis at the Bronze Room On Square on August 12 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Immunization will be available in Clarendon on August 19 at the Texas Department of Health Clinic at the Medical Center on Highway 70 North from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Preparing First **Timers For School** 

The Valley Tribune, Quitaque, Texas, Thursday, August 7, 1997

A child's first day at school can be an A+ if parents do a little homework of their own. "A parent's at-titude about school plays an impor-tant part in how the child reacts," said Dr. Lou Ann Todd Mock, a psychologist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

"If your child has been in day care, make clear that this change is a real accomplishment and that now the child is grown-up enough to go to 'real' school," she said.

Mock's other suggestions are visit the school during the summer; begin the appropriate bedtime and wake-up schedule a week or two in advance; figure out the best morn-ing routine and let the child select the first-day clothes and lay them out in advance

Margie Cook of Childress, Marie Cruse of Turkey and a son, Wayne Timmons of Holly, MI; 17 grandchildren and several great grand children

Pallbearers were Paul Don Cru Greg Timmons, Randy Cook, Eddie Cook, Shannon Cruse, Zane Cruse Aaron Timmons and Brian Timmon



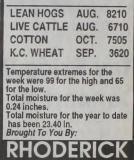
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Valley ISD **Classes Begin** August 13 FUTURE

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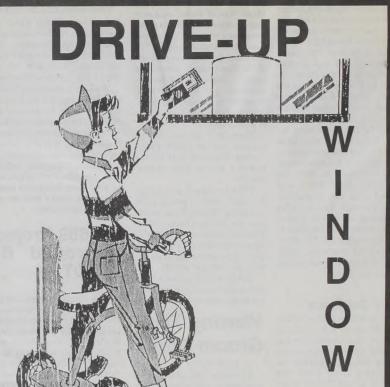


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attended schools in Dimmitt and Springlake-Earth. He farmed in Deaf Smith County for many years. He was active in the Hereford Young Farmers and was a past president of the Deaf Smith County Farm Bu-

He and Connie Lyn Magness were

Mr. Howard was a resident of

Survivors inlude his wife; a daughter, Darlene Howard of

The family suggests memorial to

Services were held for Faye Timmons, 87, of Childress Texas at 2 p.m. in the Childress Church of Christ on Friday, August 1, 1997 with Mr. Doyle Wells from LA. and

Mrs. Timmons was a homemaker, a member of the Childress Church



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# Hall County Rural Health Clinic We've Moved and You're and You're Invited To Our Open House

The Hall County Rural Health Clinic is pleased to announce our new location - in your community hospital. We are now located in the Hall County Hospital at 1800 N. Boykin, Suite A.

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1800 N. Boykin, Suite A • Memphis • 259-2565 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday (closed from noon to 1 p.m.) TURKEY TALK THINGS SEEN OR HEARD

by Ann Coker Is anyone else having trouble seeing the TV stations in Amarillo? Our TV is quite poor for these stations but wonderfully clear on Primestar

I heard that a former resident of Turkey, Porter Buchannan, was in town last Monday. Porter, who now lives in Oklahoma, wants to retire in Turkey. He was looking for a house to buy in town. We hope he finds one.

Visiting with Bob and Janice Russell last week were Henry and Faye Young. They now live in Arkansas and enjoyed visiting in Turkey and Quitaque.

Danny, Laura, Katrina and Brandon Stewart returned home Saturday from a week's vacation in South Fork, Colorado. They reported they really enjoyed the cool weather and wore coats most of the time. The fishing wasn't too rewarding.

Ronald and Kay Eudy visited Lewis and Mozelle over the week-end and attended the Eudy Family Reunion at Hotel Turkey

Guests at Hotel Turkey recently were 8 people from Italy. They also registered guests from Iowa, Cali-fornia, Indiana and North Carolina

and of course Texas Byron Young and Mary Beth Adamson visited Virgil Blakney last week. Mr. Blakney was a patient in a Lubbock Hospital. Those from Turkey who attended

the McKay family reunion last Sunday were Bob and Janice Russell; Danny, Laura, Brandon and Katrina Stewart and Kenneth and Nelda McDowell.

We have really been enjoying the produce that has been brought to us from the gardens of our friends. These delicious vegetables came from the gardens of Rita Guest, the Brian Wheelers, and Bob Russells.

I drove to Memphis last Wednesday to renew my driver's license. I presented the card I had received in the mail, my driver's license, social security card and proof of insurance to the Driver's License lady. I filled out a short questionaire, had the eye test, finger-printed, had my picture made and wrote out my check. I was through in five minutes. I really appreciated how well trained the lady was.

LastSaturday we drove to Borger to visit with my brother, Chuck Bogan. He has not enjoyed good health for sometime. He is in his home, with someone with him around the clock.

Sue Hall and daughter, Rebecca of Panhandle, former Turkey residents visited in the Daniel Jenkins home last week and attended church services at the Methodist Church Sunday morning.

Gail Hulen, Lori and Matthew Powell from Mineral Wells and Eileen Dumont from Paducah

Eileen Dumont from Paducah spent one day last week with Oneal and Nadine Davis. Langdon and Genell Withers of Mansfield, Texas and Pat Bailey, Anna and Clay of Hurst visited with Louis and Oleta Randell Wednesday. Louis and Oleta Randell were in Amarillo Tuesday.

**Turkey Baptist** 

Sponsor Car Wash

The Baptist Youth of Turkey will be sponsoring a car wash this Saturday, August 9th. It will be held at the Baptist Church from 8 a.m 'til ?

If you would like for someone to pick up your vehicle and deliver it, call the Baptist parsonage at 423-1060 and they will be happy to accomodate you.

# Sun Safety

provided by Calley Payne, CEA-FSC

Skin cancer is the most common type of cancer. The most deadly type of skin cancer, melanoma is increasing five percent each year. Controlling the incidence of skin cancer requires reducing sun expo-sure especially before age 18. Avoiding blistering sunburns is particularly important.

However, a 1992 statewide survey of middle school students conducted by the University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center reported that 85 percent of Children spend a lot of time in the sun, and only 5 percent said they use sunscreen regularly.

How can parents reduce sun exposure and prevent sunburns for their children? First limit the amount of time children are exposed to the sun between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. or avoid sun exposure if your shadow is shorter than you are tall. Realize that cloudy days require precautions because 80 per-cent of the sun's rays come through light clouds. Protect children's skin even when under an umbrella; the sun's rays can reflect off sand and concrete. Next, apply sunscreen with at least SPF 15. Apply sun-screen 30 minutes before going outside, and reapply at least every two hours especially if swimming or perspiring. Provide children what a hat that shades their face, tops of ears, and back of neck. Children under 6 months of age should be kept out of the sun if possible.

Teach children by being a good example. Practice preventive sun protection habits yourself as well as for your children. Making preventive sun protection a habit during childhood may carry over into adolescence--a time when peer pres-sure to increase tanning increases substantially.

## **Defensive Driving Course** Available at WTAMU

The WTAMU continuing Education Center will offer a course in defensive driving from 9 a.m. -noon and 1-4 p.m. Saturday, August 9. Preregistration is required.

The course is approved by the Texas Department of Public Safety. The course can also be used for dismissal of traffic citations if approved by the judge.

For more information, to register, or cost of course call 806/ 656-2037. The Valley Tribune, Quitaque, Texas, Thursday, August 7, 1997 riding after leaving Quitaque.

# **RAAM Winners Announced**

In the single riders in the RAAM race last week Wolfgang Fasching, 29, from Goritz, Austria was the first to arrive in Quitaque at the halfway point and was also the first to finish in Georgia. Second to arrive in Quitaque was Danny Chew, 36, of Pittsburg, PA who also came in second in Georgia at the finish of the race. Rob Kish, 43, of Orange, Florida was the third place finisher in the Race Across America

In the Women's Division Seana Hogan, 37, of San Jose, California was the first lady to cross the finish line. This win makes her the only person hav-ing won five of the RAAM races.

## **Economic Injury Disaster Loans**

Businesses depending on farmers and ranchers in Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Collingsworth, Donley, Gray, Hall and Wheeler counties can now apply for low interest Economic Injury Disaster Loans from the U. S. Small Business Administation (SBA).

These loans are available to help businesses meet normal operating expenses that cannot be met due to the effects of a disaster. Excessive rain which occurred April 2 through April 30, 1997 caused many farmers and ranchers to ex perience reduced incomes which may have had an adverse economic effect on businesses depending upon these producers. Farmers and ranchers are not eligible for this loan program but may be eligible for disaster assistance through other Federal agencies.

To obtain an application or receive additional information. interested business owners may call the SBA toll free-at 1-800-366-6303 or TDD817-267-4688 for the hearing impaired. The deadline for filling an application is March 2, 1998.

Due to the excessive rain, many producers experienced crop losses and were not able to purchase goods and services at normal levels. Businesses that are dependent upon these producers may have experienced decreased sales, reduced gross profit margins, increased accounts receivable or difficulty in moving inventories at normal levels. To the extent these problems have caused the business difficulty in meeting its normal obligations, these loans may be of assistance.

The loan can help a business meet installments on long-term debt, accounts payable and overhead expenses that would have been met had the disaster not occurred. Refinancing of

Muffy Ritz, 40, of Ketchum, Idaho was the second place record holders of 5 days, 6 hours

and 4 minutes, were the first team to finish. This team was composed of Joe Petersen, 38; Gareth Jones, 24; John Larson, Second place team was Team PacifiCare who were the 1993 champions. This team was made up of Michael Olstad, 49; Will Klein, 34; Jose Carlos Secco, 34

The Team Judy Flannery finished with only three ladies

long-term debt, however, is not eligible under this program. The loan is designed for those businesses with substantial disaster-related needs and is intended to supplement monies the business owner can provide from other sources.

Loans may be approved for up to \$1,500,000 for actual disaster-related financial needs of the business. Interest rates are four percent (4%) and terms may extend to thirty (30) years, depending upon the repayment ability of the individual applicant. Toquailfy, businesses must be small by SBA's size standard. Businesses which can meet their financial needs through other sources are not eligible.

An exciting show has been

in the Bairfield Activity Center on the Clarendon College Campus with a home town favorite, Don Hall doing his moving gospel and patriotic songs.

on the show this week. The great sound of *Country Six* from Olton, Texas will be doing country and gospel numbers. The Peco's Valley Yodelers will

Mexico. Gene Grassi, who is with this group, was named Yodeling Champion of the Western Division.

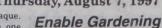
be performing Saturday night.

HIS MILLER Although brown hairy tarantu-la spiders look fierce, their bites are no more dangerous than bee stings

Due to a fall on her bicycle, one lady dislocated a shoulder and could not continue to ride. This team was Sally Edwards, 49; of Sacramento, CA; Lyn Brooks, 49, of Baltimore, MD; Rita Simpson, 49 of Boulder, CO and Valerie Gattis, 45 of Louisville. KY

In the daily news that was put out on the race, the following was stated: One of the most interesting Time Stations seen thus far in RAAM 97 is the midway Time Station in Quitaque, TX, where Wolfgang Fasching was greeted by horn-honking residents who were oblivious to the fact that it was after midnight. For these folks, RAAM had put their quaint little town in the spotlight, if only for a little while.

It is places like Stigler and Quitague that love for RAAM to pass through. Without their openness and readiness to help, RAAM Time Stations wouldn't have the charm they now have. RAAM owes a lot to these friendly people who roll out the red carpet for our cyling heroes



provided by Pammy Millican, CEA-Ag

With the dawn of summer, we all want a chance to get outside. for people with disabilities that dream can often be a nightmare. If you live your life in a wheelchair, joys such as gardening can become an impos-

sible chore.

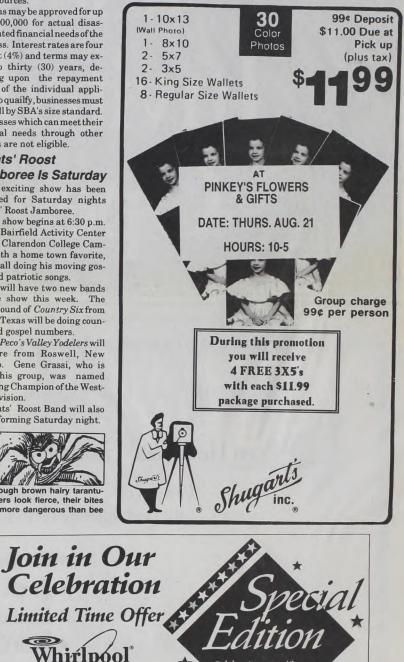
Extension master gardener Marvin Rogers is helping to change that with the Enable Garden. It's a project with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas De-partment of Agriculture and Moody

Gardens in Galveston. It is a program that allows people with handicaps the freedom to enjoy the outdoors and to become productive

members of society. The disable gardeners use vertical walls so they can reach the

plants. There are also specially-designed tools. For instance a wheelchair-bound person can use a long hollow pole to plant seeds.

Rogers says they've had people from around the world visit their garden. Many of those people are there to get ideas about starting their own enable garden.



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Black and White Paint Mare stolen from Southeast Arizona early AM on Thursday June 19th, 1997.

Josie is a therapeutic riding horse for handicapped children. She is VERY important to MANY people and is extremely valuable to to our riding program.

Josie is 20 yrs old, 14.2 hands. Her right eye is blue and she is branded on her left shoulder D and left hip / V

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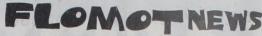
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Our horses have been carefully screened for suitability to work safely and effectively with our students. Those horses which pass the screening are then subjected to an ongoing training program to accustom them to activities unique to therapeutic riding such as riders being loaded from wheelchairs or riding in prone or

wheelchairs of riding in prohe of other positions because they are unable to sit erect. We need Your Help!! Josie, our best Therapy Horse has been stolen. She is a black and white Paint Mare stolen from Southeast Arizona early morning on Thursday June 19, 1997. Our local newsmedia have been very supportive of our efforts to find

her. However, we now believe she has been taken out of Arizona. You can help us in our efforts as well. All of our horses are special and Josie is our best. She has been a therapy horse since our program began in 1993. She likes children and the work she has been doing and the kids trust and love her.



**OVERHEARD** 

A friend emerged from heart surgery in excellent health and has since lost 20 pounds. He jokes that his wife is so jealous he may never get a square meal at his house again!

WEATHER REPORT The Barton community, located northeast of Whiteflat had a downpour of rain Tuesday, July 29, around 7 p.m. Wilson Barton re-ported a total of 3.90 inches with 3.25 falling within an hour with strong winds.

Mrs. Tommie Cruse, NWSV of Flomot, registered 1.45 inches of rain. Mary Ellen Barton, east of flo-mot, had 1.80 inches, but west of Flomot had nil in their rain gaug-es. Whiteflat residents reported from 0.20 to 2.00 inches on this date FAMILY REUNION Hosts of the Clarence and dove

Washington annual family reunion August 3 at the Community Center in Flomot were Mrs. Edith Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Seab Washington.

They had an entertaining talent show presented by family members snow presented by family memoers and adding to the enoyable day, good food and visiting. Over 50 reg-istered from Portales, NM, George-town, Big Spring, Tulia, Earth, Springlake, Whitharrel, Hereford, Perryton, Turkey and Flomot. CELEBRATES 11TH

Aleda Elaine Ross celebrated here 11th birthday Friday, August 1, with a slumber party, hot dog supper, and swimming at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross. Cake and party favors greeted the guests, whitney and Aven Straw and Cristalyn Sageser of Hale Center; Amanda Hurt of Matador, Angela Marvel, Roaring Springs, and Tommy Ross, Christine Davis and Meggie of Plainview.

Herb Martin returned home re-cently from Methodist Hospital in Plainview following surgery. He is reported to be recovering just fine. Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited last Sunday and Monday in

Borger with Marilee and Fred Coo-

# Matter of Fact

**Texas Agriculture Con** When it comes to food, the averag merican consumer certainly can do ot of consuming. The U.S. Censu Bureau reports that the average con imer ate 63 pounds of beef, 50 pound of pork or chicken and 15 pounds o fish last year. That same consumer also enjoyed 27 pounds of cheese, 238 egg and 200 pounds of flour and cereal products, washed down with 586 ounds of milk and topped off with 1

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B. J. and Weldon Griffin visited in Ponder this past weekend with their son, Russ and family. While there they drove to Denton to visit with Bernice Thurman, B. J.'s aunt. Paula Whitener of Paducah has

been a visitor in the home of her grandparents, Sid and Eunice McFall this past week. She re-turned to her home Wednesday.

Tuesday evening Quitaque received 1.2 inches of rain. The school reported just a light shower while Turkey received .24

## SCHOOL BREAKFAST & LUNCH PRICES FOR 1997-98 SCHOOL YEAR (Note: These are the first changes in Valley School lunch prices in the last five years.) **GRADES K-5 REGULAR BREAKFAST - .75 REDUCED PRICE -**.30 **REGULAR PRICE LUNCH - \$1.00 REDUCED PRICE -**.40 **GRADES 6-12 REGULAR PRICE BREAKFAST - .75 REDUCED PRICE -**.30

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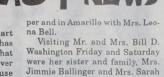
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Local residents attending the Barton family reunion Saturday at the Assembly of God camp were Mary Ellen Barton, Viola Stinson, M.C. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Wil-burn Martin burn Martin.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Sehon of Rope-sville, Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Mulder of South Plains, Mrs. Aleen Barnes of Vernon, Mrs. Twilla Barnes of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs Herb Martin and Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter of Flomot

Mrs. Leona Degan and her sis-ter Mrs. Mildred Chandler of Pla-inview attended the wedding of her Inview attended the wedding of her granddaughter, Shay Degan and Jimmie McDaniels at First Baptist Church in Sundown, August 2. Shay is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Degan of Kalgary. Kelsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clay, had a tonsilectomy Wednesday July 30, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs L. e. Shorter and

Mr. and Mrs. L. e. Shorter and his sister Mrs. Aileen BArnes of Vernon attended the funeral servic-es of their sister, Mrs. Delores Collier held in Ringling Oklahoma,

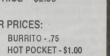
Monday, August 4. Julie Clay of Lubbock visited overnight Sunday with her par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay.

The first bridge across the Mississippi was built in 1856 at Davenport, Iowa.

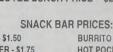
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## GARAGE SALE

FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m. 'til 6 p.m. at home of Korie Price across from the Turkey Church of Christ. Clothes, Toys and lots of miscella neous. 8 1tc

PORCH SALE: ELECTRIC PORCH SALE: ELECTRIC cook stove, infant car seats, child-rens clothes, furniture, toys, dishes and miscellaneous. Satur-day, August 9th ONLY. 9 a.m. to ? 803 Bell, Turkey 8 ltc

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Taken from The Quitaque Tribune, Thursday, August 15, 1963 SPECIAL NOTICE! Invitation to all Residents of

Briscoe County: A housewarming will be given for Dr. and Mrs. James N. Wurgler, on

the afternoon of Sunday, August 25 from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Their home is on Highway 86 in Silverton, the home formerly ocupied by Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McMurtry. Gifts will be selected in the stores in Silverton and Quitaque. Some of the ladies in both towns, Silverton and Quitaque, have asked to help as hostesses. If there are others who would like to help, call Mrs. Robert hoste N. Muckleroy, 3131 in Silverton. Everyone is urged to come. NOTICE

Mrs. Billy Wise is sorely in need of voluntary help in cataloging the books in the new Community Library. Supt. Mason stated that she could use the help of several women. The place where they are working is air conditioned. If you can spare some time to help out there it would be truly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and family returned to their home at Wichita Falls last week-end after spending several days visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith. Mr. C. L. Smith has been ill but is improving.

family returned Tuesday from a ten day vacation trip to Georgia. Wayne's grandmother, Mrs. H. W. White of Bremen, Ga., and his aunt, Mrs. Lillie Mae Jones of Atlanta, Ga. returned home with them to visit Mr. and Mrs. Pierce White, the Pete Whites and the Wayne Whites, and other rela-tives. Mrs. H. W. White, mother of Pierce, is 85 years young and stood the trip fine.

Mrs. John Wilkerson and Jan of Tulia and Mrs. Mildred Mckinley, Carolyn and Gayle of Pampa spent Monday night and Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Lela Overstreet, and their grandmother, Mrs. C. E. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Griffin, Cindy and Rusty of Tulsa, Okla. ar-rived last Saturday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods and Earl Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin and Johnny. They will be here all of this week, with Weldon returning home Sunday. The rest of his family plan to spend an other week here.

## Using Mulch To **Fend Off Insects**

vided by Pammy Millican, CEA-AG People are always looking for new

ways to keep insects out of their house and yard. The latest approach using cedar mulch. some folks line the outside walls of their home

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barrier around the yard to keepout fire ants, crickets and other creepy

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well. He says the cedar loses its resin after a few weeks of exposure to air and water. And he says even at its best, it's not much of a deter-

rent for most bugs because they can fly or hop over it.

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