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Calendar Of Events

September 1
Quitauque Sr. Citizens
Tri County Workshop
JV-Motley Co. T 6:30

September 2
Groom T 8pm

September 3
Caprock Jamboree
Benefit Dance

September 4
Honor Your God Day

September 5
Labor Day
School Holiday
Quitauque Lions

September 6
Booster Club
Masonic Lodge
Chamber of Commerce
Briscoe Co. Hist. Society
Turkey Fire Department

September 8
Quitauque Sr. Citizens
Nuevo Study Club
Turkey City Council
TCDP Meeting @ Turkey
JV Kress T 6:30
Jr. H. Claude T 5:30

Benefit Dance At Turkey

A benefit dance is being held on Saturday, September 3, 1994 at Turkey in the Bob Wills Center.

All proceeds of the dance are to go to the Morgan family whose home was destroyed by fire recently.

The dance will begin at 9 p.m. and the final song will fade at 1 a.m.

Admission is \$5.00.

Music for the benefit dance is being furnished by the Three Quarters Band.

UPCOMING
FLOMOT
FLEA MARKET
AND
CRAFT SHOW
SEPTEMBER 10, 1994

THEN and NOW!

by Eunice McFall

Have you ever thrown a rock into a body of water and stood fascinated at all the ripples that your tiny rock caused in the large body of water? Influence has the same affect on others when we come in contact with them. We can either influence someone one for good or bad. Influence is the power to affect others or the power to produce effects because of wealth, position, ability, etc.

When we set out to use our knowledge to influence someone else, to sway their opinion of what is the right thing to do or the wrong thing to do, we wield a big club! Think twice before swinging that club. Your swaying influence may have repercussions that you have not thought of. Not only do we sway the one we are talking to but everyone which their lives touch may be swayed by the same ideas that you present to them, just like the rock in the pond—it continues to grow as it passes from one person to another.

Some times we want to be influential just so that we can make our ideas known. Maybe just to get our way in life. This is the time that we must really be cautious and not try to influence just because it is in our best interest to make the changes.

When we bring pressure to bear to get our own way, whether it is on the homefront, school room or out in the work place, we should give some thought to what the outcome will be when the influence we have set in motion comes full circle. Will we really like the results or will we regret having sent the rock whistling through the air to land in the water?

We can use our influence to mold, form or shape everyone around us. True most of us want to have our own way most of the time. Even if we feel that we are correct in demanding that something be done by our standards, it may not be the correct way for someone else to handle the project. We can perhaps be a better influence by just backing off and letting someone else try their way first. Then if it does not work out, we can try it our way. But not with a "I told you so attitude." This type of attitude will cause your friends to decide to not include you in their projects anymore.

When we rule by influence, we must be very careful that we are not being a bully by using our wealth, knowledge or power to cause people to do things only in the way that WE want them done.

It has been said that there is no power on earth that can neutralize the influence of a high, pure, simple and useful life. Now this is the type of influence that we should all strive to use in the lives that we lead every day. How can we make today a day to remember? Just by living it well. This will make it special to us and who knows what type of influence we will have on the person down the way?

Hall County Gears Up For Celebration

Celebration of the Hall Co. Picnic will begin with hamburgers, beans, and drinks being served in Turkey beginning at 11 am on Thursday, September 15, 1994. Hamburgers, beans and drinks will be served in Memphis on Friday, September 16, 1994, beginning at 11:00 am and hamburgers will be served again on Saturday.

Organizations or individuals interested in having food or craft booths should contact the Memphis Chamber of Commerce to reserve space.

The annual Art Show and Sale will be held on Saturday, in the lobby of the Memphis Hotel Bed and Breakfast. Featured will be oils, acrylics, water color, framed photos, ceramics and bronze. Persons interested in displaying or selling their works should bring their own easels or tables for displaying. To reserve space contact LaNora Wood at 259-2990 or Marjorie Bell in Turkey at 423-1263 or 423-1086.

The Hall County Parade will begin at 3 pm. To participate in the parade send your name, parade entry, information on entry and/or organization to Charlie Cox, Parade Chairman, Box 249, Memphis, Texas, 79245. The categories for the parade include: Civic Organizations, Commercial, School and Youth Groups, Bicycle Riders, Motorized Vehicles, Horseback Riders, and Miscellaneous. First, second and third place awards will be given in each category, with the winners being announced at the reviewing stand following the parade.

The Galeon (Los Pirapas Del Cumbia) from Lakeview will be playing at 5:00 on the Square.

There will be a "Meet the Artists" art show at Memphis Glass and Supply during the day on Saturday.

Dyers Barbecue of Amarillo will be catering the barbecue meal on the Square beginning at 6 pm. The menu consists of barbecue beef and polish sausage, beans, potato salad, cole slaw, pickles, peppers, onions, apricots, bread and ice tea.

The Brand New Opry will feature area musicians in the Amphitheatre of Memphis City Park beginning at 7:07 pm.

A street dance will be held on the Square, beginning at 8 pm. West Texas Express Band, featuring Dugg Collins will be performing during the evening.

Hall County Heritage Museum will be open 9-4 on Saturday. Registration on the courthouse lawn begins at 9:00am.

The Hall County Picnic Scrambler Golf Tournament will be at the Memphis Country Club on Sunday the 18th. There will be an entry fee.

Turkey-Quitauque ISD Board of Trustees will be meeting in regular session on Monday, September 12, 1994 at 8 p.m. at the Valley School.

The tax rate will be adopted at this time.

Valley School Board To Meet

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City Offices Will Close Labor Day

The City Hall in Turkey and Quitauque will be closed on Monday, September 5, 1994 to celebrate Labor Day. This is the last three day weekend of the summer.

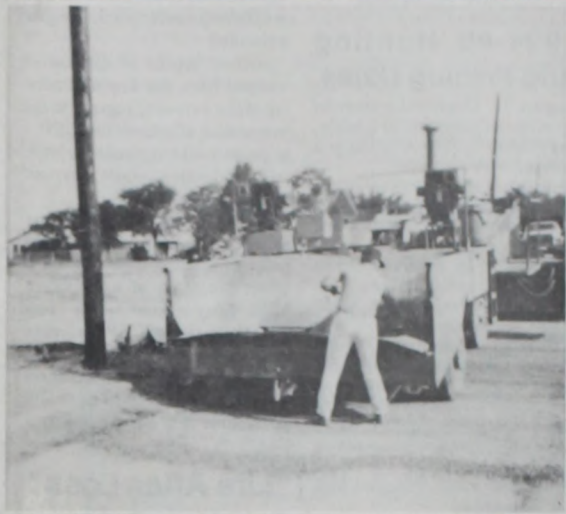
Please attend to your needs at these offices on Friday or earlier so you will not be inconvenienced by the office closures.

Heritage Program Honors Settlers

The Family Land Heritage Program sponsored by the Texas Department of Agriculture is designed to honor those farms and ranches which have been in continuous agricultural production at the hands of one family for 100 years or more. Since Briscoe County is now 102 years old, there are several farms and ranches which could be eligible for this recognition.

Mere ownership of the land for that period of times does not necessarily qualify the owners for the program. The farm and ranch must have been both owned and operated by the same family uninterrupted for at least a century. The families will be given a certificate in the name of the land and listed in the Family Land Heritage Program.

Any person who thinks their farm or ranch might qualify can pick up an application and more information in the office of the County Judge.



High Plains Pavers of Plainview are putting on the finishing touches to the new paving job in Quitauque.

Turkey Residents Warned of Nitrate In Water-Advised to Protect Infants

The Texas Natural Resource Commission has tested Turkey water samples, and found that Nitrate/Nitrite is 13.40 mg. This is a high enough level to cause concern among parents of very young infants.

The Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) sets drinking water standards and has determined that nitrate poses an acute health concern at certain levels of exposure. Nitrate is used in fertilizer and is found in sewage and wastes from human and/or farm animals and generally get into drinking water from those activities. Excessive levels of nitrate in drinking water have caused serious illness and sometimes death in infants under six months of age. The serious illness in infants is caused because nitrate is converted to Nitrite in the body. Nitrite interferes with the oxygen carrying capacity of the child's blood. This is an acute disease in that symptoms can develop rapidly in infants. In most cases, health deteriorates over a period of days.

Symptoms include shortness of breath and blueness of the skin. Clearly, expert medical advice should be sought immediately if these symptoms occur.

Letters have been sent out to notify Turkey residents of the results of the nitrate test, to encourage parents and other responsible parties to provide infants with an alternate source of drinking water. Local and State health authorities are the best source for information concerning alternate sources of drinking water for infants.

TNRCC has set the drinking water standard at 10 parts per million (ppm) for nitrate to protect against the risk of these adverse effects. It has also set a drinking water standard for nitrite at 1ppm. To allow for the fact that the toxicity of nitrate and nitrite are additive, TNRCC has also established a standard for the sum of nitrate and nitrite at 10 ppm. Drinking water that meets the TNRCC standard is associated with little to none of this risk and is considered safe with respect to nitrate.

JA Cowboy Reunion Upcoming

The J. A. Ranch Reunion will be held on Saturday, September 10, 1994 at the Community Center in Clarendon, Texas. Registration will begin at 9 a.m. with a barbeque dinner to be served at 12 noon. Families attending are asked to furnish a salad and/or a dessert.

Door prizes will be given during the day along with the winners of the hand made J. A. spurs and bracelet.

At 3 p.m. the roping will begin at the Clarendon Outdoor

Entertainment Association Arena. This will include Old Timers Steer Stopping, J. A. Employees and ex-employees Draw Pot, Ranch employees roping and a Ranch and ex-employees roping.

At 8 p.m. a dance will be at the Community Center with a country and western band. The dance which will last until 1 a.m. is open to the general public.

For any additional information call 806/835-2731, Snooks Sparks; 806/423-1111, Betty Farley or 806/874-2324, Ike O'Neal.

United States Post Office Closed

The Quitauque and Turkey Post Offices will not be open on Monday, September 5, 1994. They will be closed due to the Labor Day Holiday.

No mail will be put up on Monday. If you have business to attend to please try to schedule it on Friday so there will be no delay in your mail service.

Caprock Public Library News

September always gets off to a good start for it begins with a holiday. Labor Day-- founded by Peter J. Maguire, a carpenter by trade and also the founder of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners. It was first celebrated on September 5, 1882 and declared a national holiday in June 1894. It was established as a day for the laboring classes to celebrate with a street parade followed by a picnic or festival. A day to honor the toilers of the earth and a day to pay tribute to the genius of American Industry.

Shakespeare tells us what a laborer is: "I am a true laborer: (CONT. ON PAGE 2)

New Look In Quitauque

Quitauque has gotten quite a face lift. Monday morning the High Plains Pavers of Plainview rolled into town.

By 8:15 a.m. they were sweeping the streets in preparation to putting down a new coating of asphalt with clean gravel on top of the asphalt. By noon Tuesday all the paved streets in Quitauque had a new look—fresh and clean!

The hot dry weather is perfect for this paving project. The heat will help the asphalt to seal all the cracks in the base and therefore give a better base to our streets.

Most parking lots in town also received a fresh coat of asphalt and gravel.

Hats off to the City Fathers for the smooth roadways in Quitauque.

Caprock Jamboree Set, September 3

Saturday, September 3rd the Caprock Jamboree fans will begin their night of family entertainment by eating a mesquite grilled hamburger, with all the trimmings, prepared by the Silverton Boy Scout Troop 262 beginning a 6:00 pm.

Beginning at 7:00 pm, talent from all around the Panhandle will be "onstage" displaying their musical abilities to the delight and entertainment of the many fans. "Folks" travel from all around the state, while others plan their vacations just to come to the Caprock Jamboree in Silverton, Texas held every first Saturday of the month.

Many have asked the secret to the "success" of the Caprock Jamboree. The only possible answer has to be all the "Great Talent", "Wonderful Fans", "Hard Working Coordinators" and "Loyal Sponsors".

A \$50 prize is given to the group that the audience selects as the "Band of the Month" winner. The Band of the Month sponsor for the September Jamboree is the First State Bank in Silverton. The "singing, fiddling, County Judge", Jimmy Burson, was the "Band of the Month" winner for the August Jamboree.

Swisher Electric, Mid-Plains Telephone, Lighthouse Electric, Briscoe Implement, and First National Bank of Quitauque are some of the sponsors for the '94 Jamboree season.

If anyone would like to be on the show or know of someone that might like to perform on the Jamboree call (806)823-2524 or (806) 823-2356.

Memorial Tiles Still Available

The Briscoe County Historical Committee is once again taking orders for Memorial tiles for the Pioneer Memorial west of the Jail. It was decided at the last meeting of the Committee that the cost would be raised from \$50 to \$75 per plaque to cover the increased costs of engraving now that the memorial tiles are set in place.

Order forms and additional information are available in the office of the county Judge.

Time is the school in which we learn.
—Delmore Schwartz

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Happy Anniversaries

September 1
 Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Price
 Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson
 Mr. and Mrs. Keith Edwards

September 3
 Mr. and Mrs. Gary Clinton

September 8
 Mr. and Mrs. Barry Wheeler

Happy Birthdays

September 1
 Donnie Rogers, Khaki Scrivner

September 2
 Vivian Smith, Billy Mac Farley

September 3
 Alfred Martin, James Cathey, Angie Eudy

September 4
 Everett Shorter, Ernestine Payne
 J. P. Myers, Tanner Gearn, Pat Carnes, Bob Chaney

September 5
 Brent Brown, Cecilia B. Galen, Mary Dell Scoggins

September 6
 Kerri Scoggins, Kaylene Merrison, Jennifer Irby, Butch Hughes

September 7
 Eric Scoggins, Jamie Brn Fuston, Bill Dean Washington

September 8
 Aaron Cruz

1994-95 Influenza Vaccine Available

It's time for flu shots.
 In most areas, the 1994-95 influenza vaccine is now available, and it is recommended for people in the groups most at risk of developing life-threatening complications from flu, said Dr. W. Paul Glezen of the Influenza Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.
 Chief among the high-risk people are the elderly.
 Others at high risk for problems such as pneumonia are people with immune-system disorders and heart and lung disease, including asthma and chronic bronchitis, and people with diabetes chronic kidney disease and chronic anemia, including sickle cell disease.
 Influenza generally does not strike in force until December, but, Glezen said, getting the shots now will help protect people in the high-risk groups in the event of an early flu outbreak.



Actor Clark Gable—born William Clark Gable—worked in a tire factory and as a lumberjack before becoming an actor.

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CRP Is Topic At Farm Meets

Approximately 450 cotton producers and allied industry people gathered in Lubbock Thursday, August 25, to discuss the future of the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP).
 According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) the meeting, sponsored by the

Soil Conservation Service, was held at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.
 The program covered a variety of topics including a discussion by Representative Larry Combest on the perception of the program in Washington and speculation about the effort that will be required to get the program extended.

Other topics of discussion ranged from the overall make-up of the current program to the economics of converting CRP acreage to alternate uses or back to production when current contracts expire.
 The first round of CRP contract expirations was put on hold prior to the Lubbock meeting when Secretary of Agriculture Mike Epsy authorized a one year extension of CRP contracts expiring in 1995. The extension effectively delays the expiration of CRP contracts until after the development of the 1995 Farm Bill.

"Life After Loss" Seminar Set

The American Cancer Society and Crown of Texas Hospice will hold a **Life After Loss** Seminar during the month of September at the American Cancer Society Office, 3915 Bell in Amarillo. Sessions will be held on Tuesday nights, September 6, September 13, September 20 and September 27 from 5:30-6:30 p.m.

The American Cancer Society offers this four-week seminar and support group, without charge, to anyone who has experienced the death of a loved one within the past two years, regardless of the cause of the loved one's death. Dealing with the death of a loved one is one of life's most difficult and stressful experiences. Often people feel lonely and confused because friends and family expect them to be over the death, yet their grieving continues. People may feel angry, guilty, or depressed. Many people find it helps to meet with others who understand. That includes others who are dealing with the death of a loved one, and professional counselors experienced in helping people work through their grief.

In the safe and supportive atmosphere of a small group, Life After Loss offers the opportunity to talk about experiences and hear from others in similar circumstances. Participants can begin to understand the grief process, their emotions, and how to deal with them.
 The American Cancer Society offers Life After Loss as a community service, at no charge to participants. Sessions meet for one hour, once a week for four weeks. It is recommended that participants plan to attend all sessions to receive full benefit of the program.

Caprock Library

(CONT. FROM PAGE 1)
 I earn what I eat, get what I wear, owe no man hate, envy no man's happiness, glad of other men's good, content with my harm."
 New books for adults: *Basketmaking* by Kay Johnson. Rag basket, Doll Moses Basket, Willow flower basket, fruit basket, platter and bread basket are just some of the projects demonstrated in this craft book.
Mamista by Len Deighton. A tale of revolution and espionage set in South America and Washington D.C.
 New books for Juveniles: *Best Kids Cookie Book* by Sunset. Written just for kids, this is a great book for the young chef or for the busy mom who wants a simple recipe.

Yesteryear

Taken from *Turkey Enterprise* Thursday, August 21, 1941
Flomot High School Students To Enroll Friday, Aug. 29

Supt. H. A. Wallace of the Flomot Independent School District announced this week that the 1941-42 school year will begin Monday, Sept. 1.

Enrollment for all Flomot High School Students will take place Friday Morning, Aug. 29, Wallace stated.

Bro. L. W. Hayhurst To Hold 9-Day Meet At Wolf Flat Church

Bro. L. W. Hayhurst of Winters, Texas will preach during a 9-day meeting to be held from Friday, Aug. 22 through, Sunday, Aug. 31 at the Wolf Flat Church of Christ.

A cordial invitation to attend the services has been extended to the public by members of the congregation.

Turkey FFA Boys Camp Out Monday Night At Resort

Eight members of the Turkey Future Farmers chapter went to Roaring Springs pool Monday afternoon with their sponsor, B. B. Phillips, and stayed overnight.

The encampment, an annual summer activity of the FFA chapter, was attended by Fred Bockelman, John Shannon, Jr., Junior Young, Jack Barnhill, Lewis Lyles, Billy Lyles, Sonny Mullin and Otis Lee Mullin. Mr. Phillips was camp cook.^^^

Long John Burson and Johnny of Silverton were business visitors here Monday.^^^

Mrs. Jess Meacham spent several days this week in Childress with her father who is ill.^^^

Pat Mullin is spending this week with her grandmother, Mrs. J. F. Jago, at Quitaque.^^^

W. J. Lewis and Billy of Clarendon were business visitors here Monday.^^^



Former President Ronald Reagan appeared in more than 50 movies before entering politics.



Turkey Scouts of Yesteryear: Danny House, Jason Smith, Jodee Robison
 Sponsors: Mr. Polly, Steve McClain, Mr. Patterson

Alta Marie Garner of Nashville, Ark. spent last week end in the home of Dr. J. E. Garner.^^^

Mrs. Lonnie Longbine and Jimmy spent the week end in Lubbock with her sister, Mable Scott.^^^

Charles Russell, Jimmy Miller and Orin Stewart attended a 4-H Club encampment at Lake McCamie near McLean last week.^^^

Mrs. R. R. Eddleman attended the Merrell reunion at the home of W. W. Merrell at Quitaque Sunday.^^^

BENEFIT DANCE

Sat., Sept. 3, 1994

"Three Quarters Band"

Bob Wills Center
 Turkey, Texas
 \$5 admission 9 p.m. - 1 a.m.
 All Proceeds Go To The John Morgan Family

We will be

CLOSED

Monday, September 5

in observance of

LABOR DAY

On Labor Day September 5, 1994, we salute all the hard-working men and women of this great country of ours for their important part in making the good life even better for us. This winning team who make up our labor force—earning, learning and gaining dignity and pride in a job well done—generates assurance of an ever brighter future for America.

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 by Ann Baker
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by Ann Coker
 Shannon and Lisa Cruse and children visited in Justin, Texas last week with Shannon's mother, Marie Cruse. For their 5th wedding celebration, Shannon and Lisa left their children with Grandmother Marie while they visited "Six Flags Over Texas".

I know of two new members on the Turkey Volunteer Fire Department. They are Roger Denton and Shannon Cruse. These volunteers do a great job.

Dorothy Butler reported the other day that Lillie Mae Gatlin (Mrs. Olen Gatlin), a former Turkey resident, now of Muleshoe, had 3 by-passes during open heart surgery. The surgery was performed August 15, in Methodist hospital in Lubbock. She has been in the hospital several weeks. Her room is 863-South-if any of her friends wish to send her a card.

The daughter of Melvin and Guyrette Clinton, Debra and husband, Mark, and daughter, Miranda Zanardi have recently moved to Amarillo.

Truman Young of Tres Ritos, New Mexico, has been in Turkey to take care of some business and visited with his sisters, Vera Guest and Mozelle Eudy and brother, Bryon Young. He has returned to Tres Ritos.

Karen and Walt Rice and children of Clarendon visited with Karen's parents, Melvin and Guyrette Clinton last week-end. The couple also worked at the Bob Wills Center at the dinner for the Morgans.

Mable Morse recently returned from quite an interesting bus tour of the southwest and northwest parts of the states and into Canada.

The twenty-one people who were all from Texas, especially the Sweetwater area, met the bus from the Magic Travel Tours of Ballinger in Lubbock on August 13th.

From Lubbock they traveled to and enjoyed the historic sights in Albuquerque, Salt Lake City, Utah, and Nevada.

They traveled 120 miles around the Great Salt Lake in Utah and Tootsie reported the land surrounding the lake was quite desolate.

From Utah they traveled to northern Oregon and viewed the Crater Lake. Then on to Spokane and Seattle, Washington, where the gigantic trees and scenery were breathtaking. While in Seattle, they enjoyed lunch on the Space Needle which was erected in the 60's for the World Fair.

Leaving Seattle, the tour group traveled by ferry to Vancouver Island and enjoyed the beautiful gardens in Victoria.

They returned to Idaho and enjoyed a cruise on the beautiful Couer d'Alene Lake.

Then on to Casper and Cheyenne, Wyoming, and to Colorado Springs. In Colorado Springs they were treated to breakfast at the famous Broadmoor Hotel and were entertained by a great western band during lunch at the famous Flying W Ranch.

Mrs. Morse rode the bus back to Tula where she was met by her sister-in-law, Betty House and returned home with a lot of fond memories of a great trip.

Jackie Jenkins took her mother, Janet Montgomery of Memphis, to Oklahoma City last Monday. Mrs. Montgomery was to see an arthritis specialist in the city.



Turkey News

by Ann Coker
 Brent and Delane Brown have recently moved into the former home of Maxine (Jones) Mullin, southwest of town. The Hills are moving into their formerhome which was the Leon Lane home in town. Mrs. Audrey Hill is a new teacher at Valley and Mr. Hill is a crop consultant.

Word was received recently that James Royce Russell of Amarillo, formerly of Turkey, has started Chemo Therapy treatments as of last t Monday. He is the son of the deceased Jay and Addie Russell.

Visitors in the home of Jackie and Daniel Jenkins last Sunday were Jackie's parents, Jack and Janet Montgomery of Memphis; Daniel's parents, Duane and Donna Jenkins of Higgins; Jackie's sister and family, Stephanie, David and Zack and Lee Stone of Lubbock; Jackie's brother and family, Mat, Tanya and Jessica Montgomery and a nephew, Christian of Lakeview. They were all here for the christening of the Daniel Jenkin's baby, Kristin Faith Jenkins.

When Dot and Karen arrived in Trinidad, they visited the restaurant that Maxie had suggested. Karne asked the lady who approached them if she was Maxie's mother. When she said yes, Karen told her she was from Amarillo and her mother was from Turkey. The lady turned to Dot and asked if she knew Del Ray House? It turned out the lady was Jo Jimmy Bell, who was raised in Turkey and related to Del Ray. They all had a good visit.

Mamie McCoy was taken by ambulance last Saturday to the Quannah Hospital. She was placed in ICU.

Vacationing in Cripple Creek, Colorado, recently were Dot Arnold and her daughter, Karen McDougall of Amarillo. While the two were enjoying a delicious meal in a local restaurant, they became quite impressed by their waitress, Maxie. When Maxie discovered Karen was from Amarillo, she informed the two that she had attended school in Amarillo. When the two were preparing to leave, Maxie suggested they stop for coffee at a certain restaurant in Trinidad which her mother owned.

The Virginia Dudley home was the gathering place for her brothers and sisters to catch up on each one's families, grandchildren and great-grandchildren each one has now.

Virginia has just had two weddings in her grandchildren this month. Karla Price and Keith Price each getting married one week apart. These two being from the Joe Ed and Janice Price family of Amarillo. Janice is Virginia's daughter.

John and Maebelle Francis of Silverton and Louis and Oleta Randall entertained at the Nance Ranch, near Canyon on Saturday night.

Also on the program were some Line Dancers of Amarillo. In that group were two former Turkey ladies, Betty and Virginia Beeson. The Randells enjoyed talking to the ladies after several years of not seeing them.

Louis Randall was in Hedley Monday to play guitar at the Senior Citizens Center.



The roller skate was invented about 1760 by Joseph Merlin, a Belgian musician.

The city of Cleveland, Ohio is named for its surveyor, Moses Cleveland.



Melissa Kaylee Noble

Mike and Kathi Noble of Frisco announce the birth of a daughter, Melissa Kaylee.

She was born at Baylor/Richardson Medical Center in Richardson on August 12, 1994 at 5:43 p.m. She weighed seven pounds and 15 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Welcoming Melissa are her grandparents, Bernie and Fran Pysz of Plano and Bill and Pat Noble of Tula.

Great-grandmothers are Tina Tackling of St. Marteens, French West Indies; Katherine Pysz of New London, CT; Magalene Noble of Dumas and one great grandfather, C. C. Yates of Turkey.

Kodie Saul

Scott and Susan Saul are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Kodie Reagan Saul. Kodie was born Thursday, August 25, 1994, at 8:30 pm in the Lockney Hospital. The young lady weighed in at 7 pounds and 13 ounces and was 19 and 1/2 inches long.

Kodie was welcomed by her brothers, Colt, Galen and her sisters Tana and Tessa.

Grandparents are the Bobby Pinner of Lockney and the Jim Sauls of Quitaque.

Allen Cole Jackson

Austin Dale Moseley is proud to announce the birth of his baby brother, Allen Cole Jackson. Cole weighed 8 lbs and 12 ozs, 20 1/2 inches long. He was born at 1:04 pm at Mangold Memorial Hospital in Lockney, Tx. The proud parents are Troy Jackson and Brenda Moseley. Grandparents are Charlene Randall and the late Marvin Randall of Turkey. Paternal grandparents are Henry and Zola Jackson of Quitaque. Great grandmother is Goldie Hainey of Plainview, Tx.



The name *Dinosauria* ("terrible lizards") was given to these newly discovered giants in 1841.

Dinner For Morgans Huge Success

The dinner held last Sundy at the Bob Wills Center for the beaiff of the John Morgans can be summed up in two words—"Gigantic success."

John and Kristie Morgarand the two boys, Teal and Tate, let all their possessions when their one burned to the ground on the nit of August 18.

The community immediately saw the need to help a fellow neighbor. Led by a committee compod of Melvin and Guyrette Clinton, ren Yates, Les Hall, Marjorie Beand Gary and Teresa Clinton, thurkey churches, merchants at the Fire Department rallied behi the committee and went to work.

Each church was designd to furnish a specific kind of foone did desserts, one salads arne vegetables. Several ladies the community baked eleven biets and two large hams. All of theat was eaten.

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The crowd that gatherede Bob Wills Center at noon on ty was truly amazing. Seve- marked that it actually looke Bob Wills Day. People arrivt only from Turkey but cann Quitaque, Memphis, Matad- mot and several other tow- everyone who participated ie congratulated for a job well

The dinner brought ir \$2,000 for the Morgans am and Kristie were most appre.

Hall County Sheriff Files On 37 Cases in July

Courtesy of Memphis Democrat
 Hall County Sheriff Gavin Speed said this week that city, county and state law enforcement officers have brought charges against 37 individuals on either misdemeanor or felony offenses since July 7, 1994.

Misdemeanor charges of DWI have been brought against eight individuals according to records in the County Sheriff's Office. Twelve offenses of theft by check (misdemeanor in nature) have been processed by the Sheriff's Department.

One person has been arrested for unlawfully carrying a weapon, a gun, which is a misdemeanor.

Also filed have been three motions to revoke probation.

Charges of reckless conduct habve been filed against three suspects.

"We have had two terroristic threat charges filed," Sheriff Speed, said Wednesday.

The Sheriff's Department has filed two misdemeanor charges of possession of marijuana.

Felony offenses include one aggravated sexual assault, one unauthorized use of motor vehicle and four burglaries of habitation.

Children think not of what is past, nor what is to come, but enjoy the present time, which few of us do. —Jean de La Bruyere

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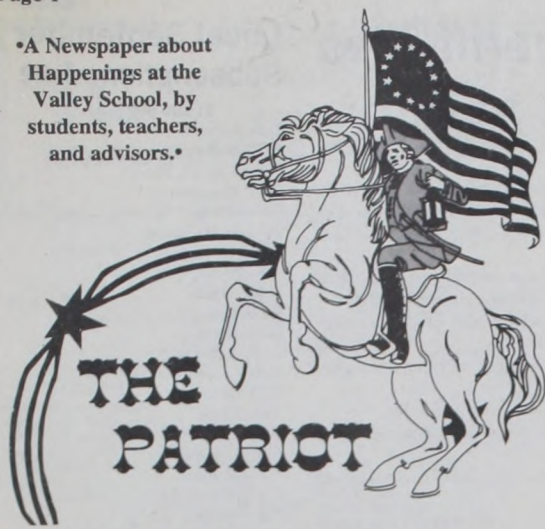
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A Newspaper about Happenings at the Valley School, by students, teachers, and advisors.



Booster Club News

by Cindy Lane
The Valley Booster Club met for the first time for the 1994-95 school year on Tuesday, August 30, 1994. Coach Satterwhite showed the tape of the Junior Varsity and Varsity scrimmage against Nazareth. He discussed the teams strength and weakness. He then turned the meeting over to Kay Calvert who was the president for the 1993-94 year. She presented the income and expense report for the last year. The club then discussed some expenses for the coming year and decided on some items that they would support. Mrs. Calvert then opened the floor for nominations for officers for the 1994-95 year. The group voted to keep the same officers as last year: President, Kay and George Calvert; Treasurer, Jana Payne and Reporter, Cindy Lane. The next meeting will be Tuesday, September 6, 1994 at 7 p.m. in the Valley Cafeterium. Everyone is encouraged to attend and show support to the boys, coaches and school.

School Menu

Monday
No School
Tuesday
Chicken Rings
Sweet Sour Sauce
Cream Potatoes
Mixed Vegetable
Biscuits
Wednesday
Hamburger Steak with Brown Gravy
French Fries
Jello Salad
Hot Rolls
Thursday
Brisket
Potato Salad
Green Beans
Honey
Hot Rolls
Friday
Mexican Stack
Beans, Sour sauce
Salad, Cheese
Fruit

Junior Class News

by Jessica Carter
The Junior Class will be selling chances on a homemade quilt to be given away. Chances are available from any Junior Class member. You need not be present to win. The quilt will be displayed at the bank in Quitaque and the bank at Turkey. The Junior Class will be serving a Mexican Stack supper before the Valley-Claude football game on September 9, 1994 from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Proceeds will go to fund the Junior and Senior banquet. Contact any Junior student for tickets to the Mexican Stack supper.

SLOW DOWN DRIVE CAREFULLY

Never undertake anything for which you wouldn't have the courage to ask the blessings of Heaven.

—G. C. Lichtenberg

FLOMOT NEWS

by Earlyne Jameson
OVERHEARD
Everything is nicer when shared with a friend.
ATTEND REUNION
Irving, Texas was the location for a Sisters Reunion August 25-28. Among the four daughters of R. H. and Rosie Tanner who attended were Mrs. Lucille Monk and Mrs. Bernice Bond of Flomot, Mrs. Lois Beasley of Hull, and Mrs. Marian Jackson of Irving. The reunion was planned and hosted by Mrs. Monk's daughter, Mrs. Rosella Cannon of Tulsa, Mrs. Beasley's daughter, Mrs. Zonna Craig of Hardin, and Mrs. Jackson's daughter, Mrs. Myra Lancaster of Irving. Others attending the enjoyable event were Clayton Bond of Flomot, Kristi and Emily Barton, and Ken Lancaster of Irving.

Mrs. Coleen Burns of Granbury visited from Tuesday until Thursday with her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris. She also visited at the Lockney Care Center with her mother, Mrs. Doris Morris. Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Barclay of Lockney visited last Sunday with son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay, Ty and Cody. Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Gilbert accompanied their son, Dr. Jerry Gilbert to the Lubbock Airport Tuesday for his return trip home to Jacksonville, Alabama after visiting here the past week.

Mrs. Marvin Starkey visited in Canyon Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey. Visiting last week with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and Julie were Mrs. Lillie Tanner of Tulsa, Mrs. Joy Barham of Hart, and Mrs. Carolyn Ewing of Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin were in Floydada Friday and Saturday to help their aunt, Mrs. Bessie Martin move to a new residence. Aaron Green of Matador visited the weekend with Josh and Brandon Lee and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee. They enjoyed entertainment in Plainview Saturday and celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Lee's mother, Mrs. Faye Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens were in Memphis Tuesday for him to have a medical checkup. They attended the Old Settlers Reunion in Roaring Springs during the weekend. They were in charge of the arrangements for the fiddler's contest.

Mrs. Kathryn Martin of Whiteflat and Art Green visited in Plainview Saturday with his daughter Mrs. Alta Mae Rice. Wayne Hunter visited Tuesday and Wednesday in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones. Reg and Verlyne Bridges of Idalou, Mission Service Coordinators, were the guest speakers at the Sunday morning services at the Flomot Baptist Church. Mrs. Kathy Shorter sang a solo, and concluding the inspirational services was a covered dish luncheon held in the Fellowship Hall.

Chuck Martin and friend, Kim Patterson of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Martin of Quitaque visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Martin Sunday. Mrs. Juddie Stephens of the Lockney Care Center is visiting her son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens.

Visiting over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay, League Clay and Mrs. Margaret Lane of Turkey were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Clay of Rockwall and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clay of Ringling, OK. Wayne Hunter joined the Rev. and Mrs. J.E. Lee of Plainview and Mrs. Emma Thomas of Lockney to present religious services at the Lockney Care Center Friday morning.

Dickie Cloyd and son Jason of Memphis visited his mother Mrs. Annie B. Cloyd Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shorter of Arlington visited Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and daughters Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were in Plainview Thursday for dental appointments.

Cindy, Christi and Keri, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and Julie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay, left for Lubbock Sunday, where they have enrolled for the fall semester at Texas Tech University.

Tips On How To "Be A Better Driver"
Top Five Driving Don'ts:
• driving under the influence of alcohol and drugs
• speeding
• running red traffic lights
• not concentrating on driving
• aggressive driving

Hedrick Searches History Of Boat

Courtesy Reagon Clamon of The Daily Tribune, Sargent, Texas
A mystery lies at the bottom of Caney Creek about three miles north of Sargent. A steambot, around a century old, lies dead on the creek's floor. What is still unknown and what has one man searching records around the country is where this boat came from and why it's here. Layne Hedrick, a graduate student from Texas A&M, has made that question the focus of his life this past year as part of his master's thesis in nautical archeology. (Layne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hedrick of Canyon and the grandson of Ralph and Hattie Lois Carter of Quitaque.) Hedrick was first introduced to the wreck last summer when he volunteered to join one of the many trips to the site by the Texas Historical Commission. He had been serving as an internist at the office of Barto Arnold, one of the principle investigators with the commission. He then joined the team studying the wreck as a junior researcher. Hedrick said the first thing that struck him and other researchers about the boat was its size. "It's so large," he said. "It's unusual for it to be there. The boat is 120 feet long and 25 feet wide. The river itself at this point is only 111 feet across. That tells you it couldn't even turn around."

Hedrick said the ship could only have traveled another half mile before it became stuck in a bend in the creek. The fact that the boat was in such a narrow channel suggests it was in an unfamiliar place. Hedrick has heard several local legends and rumors that might explain the mystery. "One we've heard more than once is that it was taking cotton and sugar cane to the confederate army during the civil war," he said. "It was being chased by a yankee gunboat in Matagorda Bay and turned up the first inlet it saw. The boat went as far as it could go and got lodged, then the crew jumped out and ran for their lives."

Another common story is that the boat was deliberately sunk in the creek by the confederates to block the passage of the union army. These stories have some ring of cause from what the researchers know, the ship was probably used near the end of the Civil War. His favorite story, however, is a less exciting one. "Two people who worked on the steamer got upset at the ship's owner so they got drunk and set the boat on fire and left it," he said. Hedrick said he hopes to get more clues from local residents at an open forum that was held in Bay City on July 16. Researchers and volunteers with the Texas Historical Commission will give a slide presentation about what they know so far, then ask the public for help. "We want to get as many local people here as possible," he said. "You never know what somebody's going to know or what somebody may be laying around the house."

Divig Into History
Underwater archaeologist try to retrieve sunken paddle wheeler
Courtesy Houston Chronicle by Steven ng
The luddy waters of Caney Creek are the color of strong coffee with a le thick cream. Five feet below surface, the creek is pitch-black and visibility is about an inch—not edly prime conditions for scuba dg.

Yet the Matagorda County site is drawing divers from across Texas and Louisiana. Their goal is to shed a little light on history. For hidden underwater and partially buried in mud is the hull of a side-wheel steambot that sank in the mid-1800s. "It is one of the mysteries of underwater archaeology," said Barto Arnold, state marine archaeologist with the Texas Historical Commission. Thus far, searches of the state's archives have not revealed the name of the boat, or even when or how it sank. "From the history of the area, we think it dates from the 1870s but it could have gone down during the Civil War or even earlier," Arnold said. The boat's location has long been known to local fishermen, who have seen its wheel hubs above the water during times of drought. Arnold believes that the boat was probably owned by the nearby Hawkins Plantation. "They actually owned their own steamboats to transport their cane to market," he said. Because ranching replaced cotton and sugar-cane production as Matagorda County's primary economic activity after the 1870s, Arnold and other historians believe that the boat must have dated from before that time. Caney Creek soon ceased to be a commercial waterway. But during the years when the creek (sometimes called Canebreak River) was a thoroughfare to the Gulf of Mexico, boats were used to transport cotton and cane to the sea, then on to major 19th century Texas ports such as Matagorda, Galveston and the long vanished Indianola. Steamboats that plied Texas rivers were not as ornate as the grand boats of the Mississippi River, said Andy Hall a steambot historian from Galveston. "The Texas boats were a lot smaller," he said. "In Texas they were mostly work boats. During the golden age of steamboats in Texas, Paddle wheelers were the best and fastest way to move people and freight, typically running at 10 to 12 knots on the flat, placid rivers and bays," he said. A trip from Houston to Galveston took eight to ten hours. A Texas riverboat had a short life. "They were basically floating tin-dboxes and often burned," Hall said. In addition, Texas rivers in the 19th century often were clogged with debris, and the boats' hulls were frequently punctured, causing them to sink. The exploration of the Caney Creek wreck is a joint effort of professional archaeologists and volunteer divers. George Rosenberry, who founded the Southwest Underwater Archaeological Society in 1992, said professional archaeologists were skeptical at first of allowing amateurs to dive on Texas wrecks. "They protected the wrecks from sport divers," he said. "They had all of those wrecks in their files, but no funding to explore them. Samples of the wood might lead to a solution to the mystery of the vessel's name. "They don't think it was built on the coast," Nowell said. "If they can pinpoint the kind of wood, they can probably pinpoint the shipyard where it was built."

"I looked at all of the wrecks, and I looked at all of the divers who weren't diving as much as they wanted to," he said. "There was such a need for just what we are doing."

The society has 60 members, and Arnold said they are proving to be a huge help to serious archaeologists. "We have no budget. We can now get wrecks mapped by volunteers, and recreational divers get a great opportunity for fun," he said. The Caney Creek team has made five expeditions to the site since April 1993. Because of the poor visibility, divers are mapping much of the boat by touch. "Your hands can create the same image in the brain as the eyes can," said Rosenberry, who lives in Lampasas. "It is like a blind man looking for an elephant," said marine archaeologist Laura Landry of Bayou Vista. The team is also using an underwater video camera with lights. The video images are murky, but marine archaeologist Tom Oertling of Galveston said that they are helpful. The boat's deckhouse is missing, but the wooden hull remains, lying at an angle between 3 feet and 15 feet below the water's surface. The hull of the 130 foot long, 37 foot wide vessel is remarkably intact, having been protected by mud on the creek's bottom. The decking also is intact, said volunteer diver Doug Nowell of San Angelo. "It is real thin, but in good shape." During the first survey, equipment used to detect magnetic metal revealed that the boat's machinery was still largely complete. The divers and archaeologists have found the boat's two boilers, engine, an auxiliary engine, the hubs of the paddle wheels and the pitman arm, a long metal rod that connected the steam engine and the paddle wheels. "They have also located a large deck hinge," said Jim Hauser, project archaeologist from Bayou Vista. On the most recent dive earlier this month, a major wooden cross-beam was brought to the surface, along with what was likely a hand-rail. Waterlogged for more than 100 years, the 7 foot 3 inch rail (about the size of a 2x4) weighed 15 pounds.

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Lighthouse Electric Cooperative is seeking a highly motivated and qualified person for the position of Part-Time Meter Reader. The position has responsibility for reading meters using modern computer meter reading equipment in the Hall County service area of the Cooperative. A good driving record and a valid Texas driving license, with the willingness and ability to pass a pre-employment physical, including drug screening, will be required. Salary will be commensurate with the qualifications and experience of the successful candidate. Lighthouse Electric Cooperative is an equal opportunity employer. Deadline for submitting applications is September 15, 1994. Applications may be picked up at the Cooperative headquarters in Floydada, the Hall County District office in Memphis, or contact:
 Tony Whitfill, Operations Manager
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PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF TURKEY TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The City of Turkey will hold a second public hearing at 7:00 p.m. on September 8, 1994, at City Hall in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant. Topics to be discussed will include the application for water system improvements for the City in the approximate amount of \$180,000.00 and the estimated amount of funds proposed for activities that will benefit low and moderate income persons. The application will be available for review at City Hall during regular business hours. The City of Turkey is accessible to the handicapped. 11 1tc

A social system that cannot be changed cannot be maintained.
 —Holbrook Jackson

"Boozin' and Cruzin" Do Not Mix

Texas Department of Public Safety, Trooper L. B. Snider Labor Day is the last long weekend of the summer. For 40 people on Texas highways in 1993, it was the last weekend of their lives. Trooper L. B. Snider of the Texas Department of Public Safety urges every motorist to be especially watchful during this holiday period. We want everyone to have a good time and to enjoy the holidays, but above all we want it to be an accident free weekend. To make your travel plans more enjoyable, Trooper Snider suggests relieving a little stress by planning ahead, leaving ample time for any unforeseeable problems that might occur, taking frequent breaks on long trips and by driving friendly. It's the Texas Way.

Labor Day is also associated with picnics and lakes, so this holiday season, take time to make sure that your vehicle and trailers are in good working condition. When driving on lake roads, be especially alert. These roads often have no shoulders, are winding and hilly. With reduced visibility and an increase in large recreational vehicles, our best defense is to stay alert, insure that all occupants are buckled up and slow down. This will allow more time to react, is a hazardous situation should occur.

Trooper Snider also reminds us that "boozin' and cruzin'" is not a safe mix. So whether you are driving your vehicles on the roadway or operating a boat on the lake, if you are going to drink, please use a designated driver.

On the QT

Alice and Wes Shivers have just returned from a 7 week vacation in New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, Utah and Nevada. They reported a great time, saw lots of beautiful country but was ready to get home again.

Lockwood McCracken's son, Leon McCracken, visited with his mother recently and accompanied her to the doctor. Dorothy Johnson also visited in the home of Lockwood.

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