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Voice of the Caprock Canyons

The Valley Tribune

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Annual Quitaque Community Thanksgiving November 24

The annual Community Thanksgiving Service for Quitaque will be held in the First Baptist Church on Sunday evening, November 24th at 5 p.m. for the worship service. This community service is a cooperative effort by the pastors of churches in Quitaque. All area residents are encouraged to attend. Delos Johnson of the Quitaque Church of Christ will be bringing the message, "How Do You Say Thank You To God?"

Love Fund And Shower For Edwards Family

The First National Bank of Quitaque and the Turkey Branch of Memphis State Bank have started love funds for the Clay Edwards family which lost their home to fire last Tuesday evening. You may contribute at either establishment to help this young family in their time of need. Sunday, November 24, 1996 there will be a community shower for the Edwards family at the Bank Community Room in Quitaque. The shower will be from 2 to 4 p.m. Items needed by the family are towels, sheets and pillow cases, blankets, pillows, can opener, coffee pot, mixer, dish towels, pot holders, cookware, glasses, dishes, toaster, bath rugs, blender, bedspread or comforter, used bed, dresser, iron, ironing board, silverware, canisters, nick-nacks, pitcher, dishrack, TV-VCR, couch and chairs and dining table and chairs. Clothing sizes are: Shawn, size 6 with shoe size 12; Torrie, size 4 with a shoe size 7 1/2; Claudia, size 3, shoe size 8, pants, long; Clay, size XL shirt, pants 32-38 and shoe size 9.

Caprock Country Christmas Scheduled For December 7th

Quitaque local merchants, We The Women, the Lions Club, the Senior Citizens and The Chamber of Commerce are teaming up to provide a full day's worth of activities for Quitaque's annual Caprock Country Christmas. Some new things and some old familiar items will be available for those who attend the day's events on December 7th. Santa Claus has been contacted by the Chamber and he has agreed to come to Quitaque and will be at the Community Center. Also Odis Reagan and Sid McFall will provide wagon rides to the children for twenty-five cents. However, there will be more going on than just things for the children at the Community Center. Cowboy poets, Christmas piano music, and western music are tentatively scheduled through the day and Christmas candy and cookies will be available for sale for those too busy to make their own holiday treats. We The Women have moved their tour of homes from the Fall Festival to Caprock Country Christmas. Included on this year's tour are the homes of Joe Edd and Janelle Smith, Trent and Wanda McKay and Greg and Susan Ramsey. Tickets for the tour and for a chance to win a quilt may be purchased from

The Thanksgiving meal will be served at 6 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the Baptist Church following the worship service. The meal will be furnished by the ladies of the Church of Christ, First United Methodist and First Baptist Church of Quitaque. Please come out and join your neighbors at this Thanksgiving Service.

Lions To Host Pancake Supper

The Quitaque Lions will be having a pancake supper on Monday, November 25 at the Quitaque Community Center. Serving time will start at 6 p.m. and they will serve until 7:30.

The Lions have asked all the Quitaque EMTs and local fire fighters to come to the supper a short time before 7 p.m. The Lions want to show their appreciation to this dedicated group of people by having them as their guests for the pancake supper. Tickets will be available for the general public from any Lion member or at the door Monday night.

The meal will consist of pancakes, bacon, sausage and coffee. The Lions Club has also taken on the job hanging the lights of Christmas in the town this year. They plan to have the lights ready to turn on Sunday evening after the Community Thanksgiving at the First Baptist Church. Be sure to be downtown about 7 p.m. to see all the Christmas lights for the first time this year.

At their meeting Monday night the PDG of District 2T1 was on hand to present Lion Jimmy Davidson with a lifetime membership in the Texas Lions Camp.

We the Women members. Tours will leave from the WTU building. The Lions Club is busy making preparations for holiday decorations and the Senior Citizens is planning a stew and cornbread lunch. Many of our local merchants will be having open house during the day giving you the opportunity to buy locally and keep your money in Quitaque. Be sure and check next weeks paper for times of the different events.

Quitaque Chamber Of Commerce To Sponsor Cookie Walk December 7

The Quitaque Chamber of Commerce hopes to start a Christmas tradition with an annual Cookie Walk at Caprock Country Christmas on December 7, 1996. Vinita Hrcncir (455-1261) will be calling some of you for cookie donations. The Cookie Walk will be at the Community Center on Saturday, December 7 at 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. A large assortment of homemade cookies will

Quitaque Post office Closed November 28 For Thanksgiving

Turkey City Council Meet Last Thursday

The City Council of the City of Turkey met in regular session November 14, 1996 at 7 p.m. Members present were Rick Mullin, Ray Whitaker, Barry Long and Louis Randell; Mayor George Colvin; City Secretary Theresa Clinton, Deputy Steve Farley, Larry and Bonnie Denton and Gary Johnson.

Larry Denton presented his views on how to solve the problem area in the park during the Bob Wills Celebration.

The financial statement was presented and approved.

Ray Whitaker made the motion to raise the base rate on Ambulance Runs to \$125.00 and to charge \$3.00 per loaded mile. The motion carried.

Bids on the city property advertised for sale were opened and accepted or rejected by the council.

Turkey City Hall Closed November 28 & 29 For Thanksgiving

Tribune To Print Holiday Recipes Do you have a favorite holiday recipe?

The Valley Tribune is going to try something new this year.

In response to suggestions, the Tribune will be printing a special section of YOUR favorite holiday recipes in the Christmas edition.

This section will have advertising on front and back pages, with inside pages containing recipes you like best from local cooks (or a favorite relative or friend).

In order to produce this section, recipes should be mailed or brought by the Tribune office, Box 478, Quitaque, Texas, by December 13, 1996.

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Quitaque Chamber Of Commerce To Sponsor Cookie Walk December 7

be available for you to select and purchase.

Proceeds will go to the the Quitaque Chamber of Commerce. You are encouraged to help the Chamber with your donations and with your purchases of cookies.

Help the Chamber get a traditional Cookie Walk started for the Caprock Country Christmas. Stock up for the holidays as many of the cookies can be frozen and used during the holidays. Come early for a great selection.

Address any comments or questions to Vinita at the above number.

Turkey Proud Committee Will Host Turkey Dinner Sunday, November 24

The Turkey Proud Committee of Turkey will be having a turkey dinner with all the trimmings on Sunday, November 24, 1996 at the Bob Wills Center in Turkey. Serving will start at 11:30 a.m. The group will continue to serve lunch until all patrons have been served.

Plates will be quite reasonable. The proceeds will be used for Christmas decorations.

The Committee will provide the turkeys and dressing.

Members of the local Church of Christ will contribute fruit and vegetable salads.



Caprock Partners Foundation Organized

The recent formation of the new Caprock Partners Foundation could turn out to be a very good thing for this area.

The new non-profit foundation became official a few days ago when officers and directors were elected and by-laws and articles of incorporation were adopted.

There are nine directors of the new organization. Elected to three-year terms were Jimmy Davidson, Randy Stark and Eunice McFall. Two-year directors are Bill Smith, Maria Cruz and Jimmy Burson, and those serving one-year terms are O. R. Stark, Weldon Griffin and Wilburn Leeper.

Officers for the Caprock Partners Foundation are: O. R. Stark, President; Wilburn Leeper, Vice President; Vinita Hrcncir, Secretary; and Jimmy Davidson, Treasurer.

The organization of Caprock Partners Foundation came into being after a number of meetings and countless hours of work. The first public meeting was held last December when about fifteen people gathered at the Quitaque Community Center to learn ways that local people could form a support organization that would directly benefit Caprock Canyons State Park and Caprock Canyons Trailway.

It was learned that some communities were forming non-profit foundations that entered into partnerships with their local state park, and some very beneficial things were being reported from them.

A few weeks later a group meeting was held with members of the Partners in Palo Duro Canyon Foundation which had been organized about two years ago. Their help over these last several months has been invaluable in getting the local Caprock Partners Foundation where it is today.

The Valley Tribune will go to press EARLY next week. Copy and Ad Deadline Monday, 4 p.m.

The local United Methodist Church will be furnishing desserts. The First Baptist Church will bring vegetable dishes for the lunch.

Come on out and support this group who contribute so much to the town of Turkey and Hall County.

Varsity Cheerleaders To Have Bake Sale

The Varsity Cheerleaders of Valley High School will be having a Holiday Bake Sale at the Merrell Food Store on Saturday, November 23, 1996.

The sale will start at 9 and continue until all the pies and breads are sold.

If you want a special dessert for your holiday, call on one of the cheerleaders and they will try to get it baked for you.

Calendar of Events

- November 21**
PAC Meeting @ Valley School
- November 22**
Basketball @ Kress @ 4 p.m.
Varsity & JV Boys & Girls
- November 23**
Varsity Cheerleaders Bake Sale
- November 24**
Attend Church of Choice
Quitaque Community Thanksgiving @ 5 p.m.
Turkey Dinner @ Bob Wills Center @ Noon
- November 25**
Quitaque Firemen
Turkey Lions Club
Motley Co T 4 p.m. 8g & 7g boys and girls
- November 26**
Quitaque Lions Pancake Supper
Turkey Senior Citizens
Lakeview Basketball H 6 p.m.
Varsity
- November 28**
Thanksgiving

at the local state park. Gifts that are bestowed in this manner can not be moved from park to park.

Another benefit of the Caprock Partners Foundation will be its enlistment and utilization of volunteer help and resources. Senior citizens and others who are not otherwise involved in community activities could find a source of real service in this area.

In the near future an organized effort will be made to enroll wide community support for the new Foundation.

Caprock Country Christmas December 7

THEN & NOW!

by Eunice McFall

I read an article this past week about the art of listening. It made me wonder how often we really listen to others. So often it seems today that we have so many thoughts floating through our minds so fast that it is hard to concentrate on someone else when they are speaking. I really believe that the ability to listen and comprehend someone else's thoughts is an art. I do know that when you are speaking to someone and they are really listening to you (not just pretending to listen) that you want to return to talk with that person again because you feel that what you say is really important to them and you are special to them.

How do we listen and comprehend the voices of our children? Do we really listen to their thoughts and hopes and dreams or do we just listen with half an ear and do not really comprehend the meaning of what they are trying to tell us? How do you think this would make you feel if someone you were telling your most personal thoughts too just got that far away look on their face and you could tell that they were thinking of something else (maybe what they wanted to eat for supper!). I think that if nothing else you would feel disgusted and vow never to tell that person any more of your inmost thoughts.

Do we listen to older folks when they begin to tell the same story that we have heard perhaps 10 times before? Sure you know how it is going to end but the telling of the story is what is important to the person telling it. They are trying to leave you with a bit of history that no one else can tell you. The older one gets the more we live in the past and the times when we were quite active and of course it was a totally different era to what everyone is coping with today but when we really sit back and listen to the older generation, we are the ones to profit from their stories. If nothing else, it will help us to be more compassionate to them as we learn why they are the person they are today.

Everyone is a mixture of all the experiences that they have faced in their lifetime and no two people are exactly the same. Not only are we separate people, we have lived in different places, different times, seen different happenings and met different people. This all makes us each and everyone a very unique person. So the next time that someone wants to tell you something--LISTEN--you just might learn something. After all how much time do we waste in a day? We might as well sit back, listen and enjoy what time we do have!

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November 26
Jason Browning, Tommy Wilson, Kenneth Helms
November 27
Trent McKay, Michelle Patrick, Brenda Seymour

November 28
Ronald Clay, Ruth Hooks, Walter Taylor, Larry Tyler, Tracy Guest

Happy Anniversary

November 21
Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Woods
Mr. and Mrs. Don Howard
November 23
Mr. and Mrs. Eric Scoggins
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers
November 24
Mr. and Mrs. David Wooten
Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin
November 26
Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Proctor
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ham
Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Davis
Mr. and Mrs. Steve Farley
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Obituaries

Rubie Amburn Barton

Rubie Amburn Barton, 91, of Amarillo, died Sunday, November 17. Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 20, in Memorial Park Funeral Chapel with Dr. Howard Batson of First Baptist Church officiating.
Entombment was in Memorial Park Cemetery East Mausoleum.
Born in Wellington, Rubie Barton was a former resident of Flomot, moving from Turkey to Amarillo in 1991.

She was a retired U.S. Postal Service employee, a mail carrier on the Flomot and Matador rural routes before retirement. She was a member of Turkey First Baptist Church.

A son, Ted Amburn, preceded her in death in 1995.

Survivors include four sons, Tommy Jones and Bobby Jones of Amarillo; Jerry Jones of Big Springs, and Tex Jones, Shreveport, La; two daughters, Helen Patrick of Gardendale and Barbara Rosser of Midland; 25 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren, and 4 great-great-grandchildren.

Get Acquainted

Supper Wednesday

by Deborah Wellman
Quitaque Emergency Services, including Emergency Medical Services and Volunteer Fire Department, hosted a Get-Acquainted Supper, Wednesday, November 6.

The supper was to introduce the new Physician Assistant at the Briscoe County Clinic, Mr. Ken Chambellan and the new RN, Mrs. Delane Smith to all of the QES personnel.

The meal was held at the Sportsman Cafe and attended by Jerry and Sandra Barclay, Maria Cruz, Dedra Payne, Rod Hinkle, Matt Barrett, Albert Castillo, Dennis Farley, Dale Ramsey, Bennie Reagan, Rollie Castillo, James Cathey, Anthony Siemore, Tracy Gaddis, Jack and Deborah Wellman and the honorees: Mr. Ken Chambellan P.A., Delane Smith RN, her husband, Bill and daughter Ashley.

Campaign "Classic Christmas For Kids" Announced

With the Holidays rapidly approaching Classic Cable has announced their efforts to make a child smile this Christmas. From now until December 15, 1996 customers can install or upgrade their existing cable service for only \$9.95 plus the donation of a new toy valued at \$10 or more. These toys will then be donated to a local charity for distribution to the less fortunate children in the communities.

Jennifer Tremblay, Public Relations Representative for the company explained, "This program was done on a small scale last holiday season and was a huge success. We were able to collect and donate a large number of toys in the communities. This year we are doing the campaign company wide in hopes to assist local charities in all the communities we provide service."

These efforts not only provide gifts for the less fortunate but also give customers the opportunity to receive the great value of cable television in their home at a reduced rate. Customers wishing to take advantage of this offer are encouraged to call 1-800-999-8876. If organizations are needing toys for distribution they can call Ms. Tremblay at 913-434-7620 Ext. 320.

Classic Cable strives to play an important role in the communities they provide with service and this campaign was designed with that in mind.



Helen Farley

Graveside services for Helen F. Wylie Farley, 84, of Lubbock were at 2 p.m. Monday, November 18, 1996 at Dickens Cemetery with the Rev. C. L. Atkinson of Afton officiating.

Burial was under the direction of Campbell Funeral Home.

She died Saturday, November 16, 1996, in Lubbock.

She was born January 20, 1912, in Spring town. She married Tom Pace Farley on October 22, 1932, in Hollis, Oklahoma. He preceded her in death January 29, 1991. She had lived in Lubbock for the past 40 years, coming there from Dickens County.

She was a homemaker and a nurse's aide. She was a member of First Christian Church.

Survivors include a son, Gerald Farley of Midland; a daughter, Lurlene Shobert of Spur; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. She is also survived by a nephew, Winfred House, brother-in-law Bill Farley and sister-in-law, Dollie Irby.

Classified Ads Get Results

Immunization Clinics For November

Immunization Clinics offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases are scheduled for November. Protection is 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 be based on family income, size, and the ability to pay.

Immunization will be available at Tulia on November 20 and November 27 from 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and from 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Texas Department of Health Clinic at 219 S. E. 2nd Street.

Immunization will be available in Clarendon on November 19 at the Texas Department of Health Clinic at the Medical Center on Highway 70 North on October 15 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

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On QT

A group of local ladies were in Amarillo to bowl on Saturday and again on Sunday. Bowling at the Amarillo Bowling Tournament were Louise Chandler, Ann Chadwick, Delores Pigg, Joyce Price and Sue Proctor. They bowled against ladies from Kansas. A good time was reported by the ladies for the weekend.

Barbara Saul was taken to the Methodist Hospital in Plainview last Saturday evening. At press time she was still hospitalized.

Sid and Eunice McFall visited with their son and family, Bruce, Ann and Nesa of Matador Saturday. Sunday Roy Shepperd of Matador visited with the McFalls.



Report From Quitaque Senior Citizens

by Dorothy May
The Quitaque Senior Citizens met Thursday, November 14, 1996 to enjoy a day of visiting and an early Thanksgiving dinner. Forty four friends and members came to join in the celebration.

After much visiting, President Price called everyone to attention and Sid McFall gave thanks for the food.

The group appreciated and enjoyed the beautiful floral arrangement that Pinkey Stockton brought for a centerpiece.

The Christmas meal will be on Thursday, December 12, 1996. The good cooks will be busy cooking good eats for their hungry friends.

For the Caprock Country Christmas on December 7, 1996 the group will serve stew, cornbread and desserts. The desserts may be bought by the piece or as a whole pie or cake.

The next business meeting will be December 5, 1996.



Trout do most of their surface feeding in the upstream third of a pool.

FUTURE OPENINGS

LIVE HOGS	DEC.	5830
K.C. WHEAT	DEC.	4194
LIVE CATTLE	DEC.	6820
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by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

Mark Twain: Cauliflower is nothing but cabbage with a college education.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Celebrating the birthday of Mrs. Edith Washington Sunday, Nov. 3, in her home were Max and Gayle Washington of Anton, Travis and Linda Kendall and Seab and Diane Washington, Flomot.

Others bringing gifts and refreshments on November 4, were local residents Viola Calvert, Leona Degan, and Mary Jo Calvert.

WEATHER REPORT

Gusting winds in Flomot Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Tommie Cruse, NWSV, officially recorded 0.19 of moisture with light hail November 16. East of Flomot 0.30 with light hail was reported.

T.W. Jennings, southwest of Whiteflat, reported a hail and wind storm with 0.50 inch of rain Saturday the 16th. Others in the area reported 0.15 to 0.30, strong winds and light hail. A 25° temperature was registered by area residents Sunday morning.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Wayne Clay was surprised with a birthday party Friday morning, Nov. 15 in her home. Friends brought gifts, cards, and goodies.

Attending the happy occasion were Trula Martin, B. Rogers, Leona Degan, Edith Washington, Annie B. Cloyd, Alma Shorter, Christine Gilbert, Erma Washington, Connie Franks, and Kathy Shorter.

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Mrs. Kathryn Martin of Whiteflat and Art Green attended to business in Plainview Wednesday, and visited his daughter Mrs. Alta Mae Rice and family before returning home.

Mrs. Leona Degan visited in Plainview Tuesday with her sister Mrs. Mildred Chandler. She visited in Medicine Mound Sunday, with son Mr. and Mrs. Morris Degan and family.

Scott Blount of Paducah and Heather Turner, students at Tech, joined her family Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner and Cobey in Matador Friday night to visit. They attended the Motley County School boys basketball game in which Cobey played, before returning to Lubbock.

Guests of Mrs. Sylvia Lee Martin Saturday were Brad Turner and daughter of Lubbock, and Mrs. Nova Turner of Matador. Visitors in her home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Martin and Seth of Lubbock, J.D. Nance of Silverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Martin of Quitaque.

League Clay of Flomot and son Coley of Clovis, NM, visited recently in Timberon, NM, with Mrs. Bessie Johns.

Mrs. Clois Shorter visited overnight Friday in Lubbock. She and daughters Keri of Lubbock and Christi Milam of Petersburg attended the Holiday Happening at the Civic Center Saturday. Mr. Shorter joined Mrs. Shorter Saturday night and they enjoyed the Lady Raiders basketball game at the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum and the West Texas Opry at the Municipal Auditorium before returning home.

Rickey Hughes of Amarillo visited the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Hughes.

Mrs. Annie B. Cloyd visited in Memphis Sunday, with son Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Cloyd and Jason.

Mrs. Judy Heiskell of Dalhart, and children Lance and Christie Heiskell of Lubbock visited the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee joined Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones of Carlsbad, NM in Lubbock Sunday to visit and enjoy entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey were in Amarillo Wednesday for Mr. S. Shorter's medical checkup. She received a good report. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Starkey and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Reid in Amarillo, and enroute home, visited in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey.

Do Gooders Club

A traditional autumn scene greeted the Do Gooders Club Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 12, at the Community Center in Flomot.

When Mrs. Jimmie Hunter surprised everyone by arriving on time, the club members gave her a standing ovation. Mrs. Hunter jokingly calls herself, "the late Mrs. Hunter" because of her habit of being tardy.

Hostesses Mmes. Wayne Clay and Mary Jo Calvert conducted games, including Pilgrim's Choice, which Mrs. Hunter won.

Sumptuous Thanksgiving-type refreshments were served from a

beautiful Thanksgiving inspired table.

Mrs. B. Rogers presided at the brief business meeting. The Bazaar was reported a success, and the club voted to buy tablecloths for the Center.

Members attending in addition to those above-mentioned were Mmes. Barbara Payne, Nada Starkey, Christine Gilbert, Erma Washington, Melva Jo Shelton, Judy True, Alma Shorter, Edith Washington, Annie B. Cloyd and Trula Martin. Guests were Mrs. Sylvia Lee Martin, Mrs. Tommie Cruse, her mother, Mrs. Dona Browning of Rising Star, and granddaughter, Danielle Gwinn of Whiteflat.

Terrific Turkey Tips

by Emily M. Thoms

Thanksgiving is on the way and turkey lovers can look forward to mounds of gravy, mashed potatoes, and of course the featured attraction. Following a few simple turkey tips will ensure a succulent turkey for the holidays.

In order to make this a less traumatic event, there are some steps to follow. First, decide how many people will be served, this will help determine what size bird is needed.

"One pound of meat should be ample for one person unless you want leftovers," advises Dr. Sarah Birkhold, Extension poultry specialist. "Then, estimate one and half pounds person."

Knowing how much to buy alleviates some anxiety for harried shoppers facing cases crammed with frozen turkeys.

There is no doubt that the freezer section in local grocery stores will be overflowing with turkeys for Thanksgiving. Turkey lovers can watch for reduced prices as the holiday approaches, she says.

Tenderness? Birkhold dismisses the myth that hen turkeys provide the most tender meat.

"It doesn't matter, tom or hen, tenderness is all the same," says Birkhold.

For those people who are going to battle the frozen food section looking for the perfect gobbler, make sure that the turkey is purchased no less than three days before Thanksgiving. This should leave enough time for thawing.

"It will take a 12 to 15 pound frozen turkey two and a half to three days to defrost. Estimate 24 hours to defrost five pounds of turkey. All defrosting should be done in the refrigerator, never at room temperature," says Birkhold.

If frozen turkey does not cause a mouth-watering sensation, Birkhold suggests trying a fresh turkey. Fresh turkey should be purchased one or two days before Thanksgiving. As insurance for a savory bird, place an order with the butcher in advance.

Another option is the self-basting turkey. This option is less time-consuming since the bird is already spiced, set with oils and ready for the oven.

An unbasted bird requires the watchful eye of the chef, constantly checking to see if the uncovered turkey has shriveled to a crisp.

In order to avoid dryness, cook the turkey uncovered while basting with natural juices continually. When 15 minutes of cooking time remain, cover the bird with either the pan lid or a tin foil tent. These tips will help it remain tasty and tender.

Once the bird is selected, cooks should make sure they remove the neck and giblets from both neck and body cavities, then thoroughly rinse the inside and outside.

The oven should be pre-heated at 325° for an unstuffed or stuffed turkey.

Cooking time for an 8 to 12 pound unstuffed turkey is about

TURKEY

News Of The Turkey Senior Citizens

The Turkey Senior Citizens met for their regular meeting November 12th. President Louis Randell called the meeting to order. G. P. Driskill led the prayer for the meal.

Margie Pinkerton took everyone's blood pressure. A delicious meal, which was the Thanksgiving dinner, was served to 27 members and 3 guests.

Guests were Viola Calvert, Tommie Jo Cruse, both of Flomot and Dona Browning of Rising Star.

The next meeting will be December 3rd. Everyone is encouraged to attend. Lets keep the big crowd up so we can enjoy each others company.

two and three-quarters of an hour to three hours.

A stuffed turkey of the same size will take approximately three to three and one-half hours. Time may vary depending on the oven.

Birkhold suggests a meat thermometer should be used in addition to the pop-up thermometer found on the turkey.

"This adds to the margin of safety and will determine the temperature at two points on the bird," Birkhold said.

"The turkey is done when the inner thigh reaches 185°, juices run clear, and the joints on the bird move freely," Birkhold says.

A tip to keep the bird savory is to allow it to "rest" 15 to 20 minutes. This will prevent the juices from escaping and to allow them to settle into the meat.

The turkey has been cooked, carved, and served. Now the chore of what to do with leftovers awaits.

"After dinner, leftovers must be refrigerated promptly. By food safety guidelines, you have about two hours to serve and refrigerate the turkey," says Birkhold.

Leftovers can provide satisfying snacks, but be sure to reheat the turkey to 165°. Gravies should be brought to boiling when reheated.

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Things Seen and Heard

Susie Rapp, a former Estelline resident now living in Ruidoso, NM, was a visitor in town last week, in the home of Lorene Setliff. Joining them were Rita Guest and Jeanette Case of Matador.

Estelle and Tink Lane returned home last Monday. They had been visiting in Rignling, OK with Kay and Bobby Clay. The Lanes reported the Clays were harvesting their pecan crop... which was quite short this year.

While in Memphis Tuesday, we stopped at the Line Shack Cafe for a cup of coffee before our dental appointments. We enjoyed visiting with Nita Puckett, and Lavon Gafford. Lavon had recently returned from Houston where he said he received a good report. Lavon looked quite good, and said he felt good.

Pleasantly surprised the other day when Deanna (Cooper) Seitz walked over to my car in town last Monday. Deanna and husband Wendell of Los Alamos, NM, were spending a few days out at the Cooper farm. Joining the Seitzs were Deanna's brother and sister Freddy Cooper of Lubbock, and Lucille Tupin of Amarillo.

Lewis and Mozelle Eudy have returned to their home in Turkey. They had spent several weeks visiting in Austin with their son Ronnie and wife Kay Eudy. Also enjoyed their grandchildren, Angie and Ron and their families.

Clifton and Joy Stodghill of Silverton visited Louis and Oleta Randell Friday afternoon.

Louis and Oleta Randell were in Plainview Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Johnson of Turkey are going to Mineral Wells, Texas to spend the winter. Their daughter Voleta Miller lives there.

TAFCE Club News

by Oleta Randell
The Turkey TAFCE Club met November 18th for their regular monthly meeting which was called to order at 6:30 by President Vernell Cotten. Pledge to the flag was led by Joyce Guest after which she brought a very inspirational reading on "I Am An American."

Minutes of the last meeting and roll call was given by Oleta Randell. Joyce Guest gave the treasurer's report.

Mary Kelly of Matador gave a very good motivational talk on

"Changes In Our Lives." The members really enjoyed this talk.

The club voted to give a donation to the Senior Citizens and also to give a donation to the Fire Department to help buy gifts for the children of Turkey at Christmas.

Delicious refreshments were served by Joyce Guest and Lillian Mullin.

The next meeting will be the Christmas program on December 16th. Everyone is to bring a gift and the club will have "Christmas With The Wright Family."

Herringtons Tour Nashville

Ross and Patsy Herrington recently were treated to a marvelous trip to Nashville, Tennessee. They were hosted by their daughter Lisa and son-in-law, Bud Wellborn of Austin who planned and made arrangements for the trip this summer.

One of the highlights while there was a visit one night to see the Grand Ole Opry. Stars appearing that weekend included Grandpa Jones, The Isaacs, The Osborne Brothers, Jeanne Pruitt, Vince Gill, Porter Wagner, Rickie Skaggs, George Hamilton IV, Stone Wall Jackson, Jeane Shepherd, The Whites, Johnnie Russell and Gene Watson.

The next day they visited the country Music Hall of Fame and Museum with more than 3,000 items related to the histories of country music greats from Hank Williams, Elvis Presley (they even saw his gold Cadillac), Bob Wills to Garth Brooks. They took a trolley tour down Music Row and saw many country stars live and work.

They rented a car and with Bud driving, drove the beautiful fall foliage tour to historic nearby Franklin with its quaint shops and restored 19th century buildings. Shopkeepers and children were all dressed in Halloween attire. On the way back to Nashville, they visited Belle Meade Plantation.

The Herringtons and Welborns spent two nights at an enchanting bed and breakfast and also visited and had breakfast at the gorgeous Opryland Hotel. They especially enjoyed Nashville at night with its cascade of lights and the "Nashville Sound" everywhere.

They returned home Sunday and were met at the airport in Austin by daughter, Kim Eudy (who had kept grandson, Blake Wellborn) and also Marshall, Gracie and Parker Eudy.

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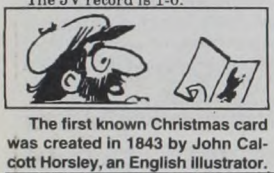
Varsity Basketball Results

The Patriots opened the 1996-97 season with a 52-33 victory over Patton Springs last Tuesday night. Andre Gaddis led the patriots in scoring with 19 points. Nick Ortiz added 9 and Matt Abram tossed in 8. Score by quarters was: 1st quarter--Valley 8 Patton Springs 7, 2nd quarter--Valley 17 Patton Springs 12, 3rd quarter--Valley 30 Patton Springs 21 and 4th quarter--Valley 52 Patton Springs 33.

On Saturday, Valley played Clarendon. Score by quarters was: 1st quarter--Valley 12 Clarendon 13, 2nd quarter--Valley 26 Clarendon 33, 3rd quarter--Valley 32 Clarendon 50, 4th quarter--Valley 35 Clarendon 74. Jeremy Taylor led the Patriots in scoring with 8, followed by Andre Gaddis with 7 and Jason Payne with 6. The Varsity record is 1-1.

JV Basketball Results

The Valley J.V. played Clarendon on Saturday. Score by quarters was: 1st quarter--Valley 7 Clarendon 14, 2nd quarter--Valley 18 Clarendon 23, 3rd quarter--Valley 35 Clarendon 37, 4th quarter--Valley 46 Clarendon 43. Valley was led in scoring by Cory Chandler with 14 points. Morgan Payne added 12 and Hector Mendoza scored 7. The JV record is 1-0.



The first known Christmas card was created in 1843 by John Calcott Horsley, an English illustrator.

School Holiday For Thanksgiving

Valley School will let students out at 2:40 on Tuesday for the Thanksgiving holiday. A Pep Rally will start at 2:45 and buses will run at 3 p.m.

Students will have a holiday for Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Classes will start at the usual time on Monday, December 2, 1996.

School Menu

- Monday**
Hot Pockets French Fries
Corn Dessert
Milk
- Tuesday**
Ham & Cheese on a Bun
Salad Pickles
Chips Fruit
Milk

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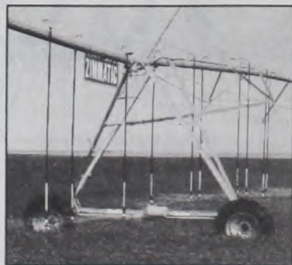
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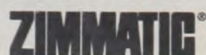
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- Tenth Grade All A's**
None
- A & B**
Jonathan Curry, Rosalia Mendoza
- Eleventh Grade All A's**
Bethany Alexander, Jeremy Taylor
- A & B**
Melody Farley, Walt Henson, Miguel Mendoza, Rosario Mendoza, P Jay Merrell, Jessica Ortiz, Mandy Pigg, Russell Ramsey
- Twelfth Grade All A's**
George Pigg, Cara Powell, Brandi Price, Shawn Stephens
- A & B**
Andre Gaddis, Jason Payne, Briana Sperry
- Second Six Weeks**
Mrs. Hill's First Grade
All A's
Mary Kate Davidson, Cole Brown
- A & B**
Danny Carnes, Savannah Smith, Anarili Valdes, Armando Mendoza, Bryce Reagan
- Mrs. Ham's Second Grade*
All A's
Brittany Peck, Amber Ortiz, Maddie Ramsey, Bryant Ortiz, Cathy Fierro, Jamie Butler, Macy Davidson, Molly Davidson, Kenny Greene
- A & B**
Alysa Leal, Ana Karen Mendoza
- Third Grade*
All A's
Larrisa Payne, Randy Farley, Jennifer Carnes, Elisa Cagle
- A & B**
Robert Webster, Alicia Roys, Ana Rosa Pozas, Kevin Ortiz, Chance Maynard, Letha Greene, Cody Barrett
- Mrs. Proctor's Fourth Grade*
All A's
Zack Ramsey, Cody Payne, Juan Mendoza
- A & B**
Christine Walls, Chelsea Wheeler, Cody Varnell, Matt Whittington, Enequina Valdez, Isabel Valdez, Guadalupe Mendoza, Paige Hughes
- Mrs. Davidson's Fifth Grade*
All A's
Megan Jeffcoat, Chase Maynard, Katherine Pigg, Connie Reid, Cliff Yeary
- A & B**
Amy Alexander, Rodney Fuston, Olivia Greene, Juan Regalado
- Sixth Grade*
All A's
Natalie Wheeler
- A & B**
Krystle Clinton, Sara Fierro, Mindy Leal, Randa McBee, Leigh Ann Nielsen, Justin Pigg, Sammie Dee Ross, Justin Wilks
- Seventh Grade*
All A's
Hannah Boedeker, Missy Jeffcoat, Christopher Taylor
- A & B**
Tate Bennett, Wes Henson, Jana Merrell, Amber Stark, Lydia Valdez, Magan Whittington, Emily Woods
- Eighth Grade*
All A's
None
- A & B**
Vance Farley, Gaby Fierro, Christopher McBee, Jamie Pigg, Mary E. Pigg, Brandon Stewart, Kim Woods
- Ninth Grade*

The following was submitted by Zelda Leeper who is Mary Elizabeth's teacher.

Aunt Wilma

by Mary Elizabeth Pigg
I can still remember the old, dusty smell of Aunt Wilma's house on the day she died. My father had told me that she was going to die, and that we should be happy. I didn't understand him then like I understand him now. I had seen Aunt Wilma's pain and realized how different she was becoming as the cancer grew. Dad considered Aunt Wilma not only as an aunt but also a mother. His eyes showed it everytime he was around her. I remember staying at her house; those hot July afternoons when she bought us candy; Sunday lunch at her house; and caramel popcorn balls on Halloween. She was not only generous, but she was a lady. Everytime she walked her head was held high, and in church, she always had a fashionable dress on. Aunt Wilma was respected because of her hard work and her ability to do anything. Never once in my life did I hear "I can't" from that woman.
Aunt Wilma's death was on a Tuesday at 2:00. I remember my face turning cold and pale when Katherine told me. Everything felt empty without her. At the funeral services, I wasn't very emotional because I had cried the night before. Everyone kept saying that they were sorry. I could never understand them saying that, they didn't do anything. I still miss Aunt Wilma, but I've had to learn to live with it.
This was one of the most memorable times in my life. It's when I found out that heroines can die.

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Briscoe County Has Eleven Qualify For State 4-H Competition

by Calley Payne, CEA-FCS
Briscoe county was well represented at the Panhandle District Roundup held at Randall High School November 2. Katie Hester and Tyler Young competed in the Natural Resources contest with a method demonstration called "Give Water a Helping Hand." They received second place and will advance to state competition in June.
There were four Briscoe County entries in the Share-the-Fun contests. Winning first place in the Share-the-Fun drama contest with their re-enactment of Ray Stevens' popular song "Along Came Jones," were Donny Burson, Briana Sperry, Trey Ziegler, Hollie McKay, Coy McKay, Miles Comer, Joe Warner, Will Hester and Teal Bennett. They will also advance to state competition in June.
Two groups entered the Share-the-Fun dance contest. Christine Walls, Paige Hughes, J. C. Pigg, Chelsea Wheeler, Katherine Pigg, Enequina Valdez, Matthew Reyna and Melissa Leal received first place in the junior division with their dance to "All That Jazz."
Receiving third place with a dance in the senior division were Molly Brooks, Terri Chitwood, Kenzie Burson, Lindsey Jennings, and Kenda Woods.
Scarlett Sperry competed in the Share-the-Fun vocal/musical category singing "I Try to Think About Elvis."
Briscoe County is very proud of all of these young people. Those advancing will be strong competitors this summer at Texas State 4-H Roundup in College Station.

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1996-97 Valley Patriot Basketball Schedule

DATE	Opponent	Time	Site	VG	VB	JVG	JVB
Nov. 12	Patton Springs	6:30	There	X	X		
Nov. 15	Kress	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Nov. 19	Happy	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Nov. 22	Kress	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Nov. 26	Lakeview	6:00	Here	X	X		
Dec. 3	Sannorwood	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Dec. 5-7	Valley Tour.	TBA	Here	X	X		
Dec. 10	Memphis	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Dec. 12-14	Memphis Tourn.	TBA	There	X	X		
Dec. 17	Silverton	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Dec. 20	Ralls	6:30	There	X	X		
Dec. 21	Motley Co. JV Tour.	TBA	There			X	X
Dec. 27-28	Crosbyton Tour.	TBA	There	X	X		
Jan. 3	Patton Springs	4:00	Here	X	X		
Jan. 7	Motley Co.	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 10	Paducah	6:30	There	X	X		
Jan. 11	Valley JV Tour.	TBA	Here			X	X
Jan. 17	Crowell	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 21	Chillicothe	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 24	Motley Co.	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Jan. 28	Paducah	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X
Feb. 4	Crowell	4:00	There	X	X	X	X
Feb. 7	Chillicothe	4:00	Here	X	X	X	X



1996 -1997 Valley Jr. High Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	8G	8B	7G	7B
Nov. 14	Childress	There	4:00	X	X	X	X
Nov. 18	Silverton	Here	4:00	X	X	X	X
Nov. 25	Motley Co.	There	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 2	Paducah	Here	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 9	Lakeview	There	5:00	X	X		
Dec. 16	Crowell	Here	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 6	Motley Co.	Here	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 13	Paducah	There	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 18	Motley Co. Tourn.	There	TBA	X	X		
Jan. 20	Silverton	There	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 27	Crowell	There	4:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 1	Valley Tourn.	Here	TBA	X	X		
Feb. 3	Lakeview	Here	5:00	X	X		
Feb. 3	Floydada	Here	4:00		X		X



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VHS Cheerleaders, Janet, Katrina, Kristin, Monica, Jessica, Mandy, Jamie 23 1tp

I would like to thank Clara Ruth & Jimmy Davidson, Sammie & Delos Johnson, Debbie Wellman, Dennis Farley and Sandra Barclay for care, help and concern during my emergency.

Ruby Mae Woods 23 1tp

We want to say thank you to all the local churches who furnished food at the November 10 benefit at Turkey.

VHS Cheerleaders, Mandy, Jessica, Kristin, Jamie, Monica, Janet, Katrina 23 1tp

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by Arlene Hinkle
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Yesteryear

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A day of Public Thanksgiving is of great antiquity. It probably had its origin in the sentiment expressed by the adage "he is ungrateful who expresses his thanks when all witnesses have departed." Ingratitude is one of the worst vices and fortunately for America there are few of its citizens whose hearts are ungrateful.

The devout Pilgrim fathers avoided the implication of the adage quoted by establishing a day of public Thanks giving; a day when the autumnal season is at its height and the harvest of all of our people have been gathered; a day when we realize the fruits of honest toil, faithful endeavor, and sublime devotion to the task at hand.

Divine providence has looked with special favor on us during the past year, notwithstanding the sorrows caused by the scourge of war. There is none among us so rich but that he owes something to society. Let him be thankful that he has the opportunity to acknowledge the debt and pay a portion of it. There is none among us so poor but that he has something to be thankful for. This is a time when every citizen can give public expression of thanks to God for manifold privileges which we have enjoyed.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Coke Stevenson, governor of the State of Texas do hereby proclaim Thursday, November 25, 1943 as

Thanksgiving Day

and a legal holiday in Texas, and I invite the citizens of Texas to observe this holiday in such a manner as will show our appreciation for the bountiful blessings which are ours. I especially urge that the United States and Texas flags be displayed in public places and on public buildings to signify our gratefulness for the privilege of living in this land of freedom and opportunity.---

Mrs. Calvin Young and daughter visited in Childress Friday.---

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Mrs. P. L. Vardy of Estelline spent the week end here in the home of her son Lee Vardy and family. Dr. Vardy came over and visited Monday and the Mrs. accompanied him home.---

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Wilma P. Hodges, Deceased, were issued on November 7, 1996, in Cause No. 1364, pending in the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas, to: John B. Pigg.

The residence of the Independent Executor is Quitaque, Briscoe county, Texas; the post office address is: c/o: William P. Smith Attorney at Law P.O. Box 59 Quitaque, Texas 79255-0000

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