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QUITAQUE, TX 79255

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1991



Quitaque City Council Hires Public Works Director

On November 26th, the City Council of Quitaque met in a special called meeting for the purpose of hiring a new Public Works Director. Mr. Farrell Edwards of Anton, Texas was offered and accepted the new position.

Edwards and his wife, Doris have lived in Anton 19 years. He is a master electrician and has owned and operated F. & D. Electrical Service for the past 5

Farrell and Doris will be moving to Quitaque by January 1, 1992. He will probably be in and out of Quitaque prior to that time as he begins to familiarize himself with the City's opera-

We welcome them to our community and look forward to

Lions Club **Pancake Feed** December 5

The Quitaque Lions Club will be holding a pancake supper Thursday, December 5 at the Community Center. Serving will begin at 5:30 p.m. and go until 8 Plates will include all the pancakes you can eat and choice of bacon or sausage. Tickets are on sale now and can be purchased from any Lion.

Do you recall the old song Count Your Blessings? counted your blessings lately? Sure I realize not everything is as you would have it be--that would cause us to be self-satisfied and a very obnoxious people--But stop and think about the many blessings we have to be thankful for. At the top of the list we should put Thanksgiving Day. We should be thankful that we live in a country that acknowledges the fact of a God to be thankful to. Not all nations have this privilege. Yes, we should give thanks for our freedom to express our thankfulness publicly as a nation. For a whole nation as diverse as ours to have a day set aside just to say "Thank You God" for your bounty is very special in the world that we live in today.

Yes, we all have problems, some that seem to have no answers but when we really take the problem, piece by piece, we usually can at least handle it, even if we don't know the solution to the whole problem. I read once where the more problems you have the more you are living. Some days we feel that we are living life to the fullest then because of the problems to solve--So guess we should also be thankful for our problems and the God given ability to either handle the problem or solve it!

The farmers have had a rough year with the early freezing rain that took so many of their high hopes for a bumper crop away. But still they can be thankdful for the crops they can harvest, their families, their homes, the beauty of nature, the love of friends, music, happy times, abundant food, and the ability to show our families and friends that we care about them and share their joy, sad times, and love.

So this Thanksgiving lets all say a litle extra prayer of Thanks giving for the Blessings we have counted in our own lives. Yep it is time to "Count Your Blessings" again!

Valley Send Off

THE VALLEY CHEER-LEADERS WOULD LIKE TO INVITE ALL PATRIOT FANS TO COME OUT TO THE VALLEY GYM AT 4 P.M. FOR SEND-OFF FOR THE VALLEY VS. SAND'S GAME. THEN PROCEED TO TUR-KEY FOLLOWING THE BOYS THROUGH TOWN.

Patriot Caravan To Travel To Jayton

Valley Booster Club requests all Patriot fans going to Jayton, Friday, November 29, 1991 for the quarter-final play-off game to meet at Allsups in Turkey at 5 p.m. to form a "Patriot Caravan." See you at Allsups!!

Remember to bring noise makers, Spirit Rags (red, white or blue) and your hand signs! Come support your team!

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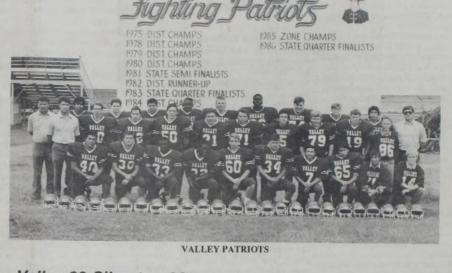
Plans for musical entertainment for December 14, 1991 at the Caprock Country Christmas are moving forward each day

Shanna Van Winkle, a fiddle player from Lubbock who has appeared at the Briscoe County Jamboree will make an appearance that Saturday.

Local artists, "Country Sounds" will also delight the townspeople with their easy listening music. Members of this band are Bennie Brown of Quitaque, Cliff and Joy Stodghill, John Francis and Jimmy Burson of Silverton.

If plans permit, Patsy Herrington will entertain with her lovely piano playing during the

The musical entertainment is to be held in the Community Center building.



Valley 30-Silverton 26 Valley Patriots-Regional Champs

by Cliff Gilmore
The Valley Patriots took on their cross-county rivals Friday at Silverton and came away with a Regional Championship. Valley will face Sands at Jayton Friday the 29th of November for the Quarter-finals.

Valley started out fast as they took the opening kick off and drove down to the Silverton 1 yd line. But Clay Edwards was stopped on a 4th down play and Silverton took over.

On their first, Brian West took a hand off and was hit hard by Tommy Pinkerton and forced a safety. Silverton had to kick into the wind and Valley had good field position. Valley took the ball down field and Edwards took it over on a 9 yd run. Bradley Price added the extra point and Valley lead 10-0.

Silverton could not move the ball and went for a first on 4th and one but a hard hit by Price stopped West short of the first down. Valley moved down field and scored on a 4 yard run by Josh Scoggins. Price's kick was good and Valley lead 18-0. The teams exchanged possessions and after a 57 yd punt by Brian Martin Valley was on their own one yd line. On the first play Silverton forced a fumble.

Three plays later Silverton vas on the board. The kick was blocked by Chad Calvert and Valley's lead was cut to 12. Silverton forced another turnover as Valley went back to kick but a high snap forced Jason Smith to throw and was flagged for grounding the ball and Silverton had the ball on Valley's 7 yd line. Brian Martin went over for the score and with West's kick

Valley's lead was cut to 4. But Valley came back and Price went over from the one. The kick was wide but Valley had a 10 point lead at the half. Silverton was the only team to score in the 3rd quarter. On a 37 yd run by Ivory, to pull Silverton to within four.

To start the fourth quarter, Price went over from the 9 and Valley was up again by 10. Valley Defense held and the Owls were only able to score with 0:00 on the clock. Final score Valley 30 Silverton 26.

We did a good job on the offensive line. We just moved the ball at will. House, Pinkerton, Powell did a great job. On defense, we held them to nothing. Price, Pointer, Calvert, Powell , Pinkerton and Smith are really playing as a group.

Hall County Commissioners Have Regular Meeting

The Commissioners Court of Hall County met in regular session Monday Morning, November 18, 1991.

The Commissioners covered the canvassing of the Constitional Amendment election results. They agreed that all was in order with the election and that certification could be mailed to the Secretary of State.

The Commissioners voted to cast 374 votes for Sammy Watson, 748 votes for Tom Cope, 200 votes for Jerry Lowe and 174 votes for U. F. Coker for members of the Hall County Appraisal District Board

The Commissioners authorized the paying of monthly bills with the exception of a small bill from Turkey Automotive. The Commissioners accepted all reports as presented.

Attending the session were County Judge Kenneth Dale, County Commissioners Jerry Smith, Bobby Barbee, Troy Phillips and U. F. Coker, and Dean Cochran, County Clerk.

Christmas Lighting Day For Quitaque

The lighting of the Christmas lights on Quitaque's Main Street is planned for Monday night, December 2. Work continues in preparing the entire length of Main Street in a magnificent display of Christmas adornment.

The Sidewalk Museum windows are receiving a fresh dressing for the season. The store fronts are being outlined in lights. The pole decorations will be in place and the whole town will be dressed in holiday style.

Lighting will take place as the day ends and by complete nightfall all of Main Street should be lit. Residents are invited to come out and see the results of all the work that has been going on. Spread the word, "the Queen City is dressed in regal finery for Christmas!'

Displays Planned By Christmas Plans Texas Parks And Wildlife

Texas Parks and Wildlife will be helping out with the Caprock Country Christmas once again this year on Saturday December

Rusty Sargent, park superintendent of Caprock Canyons State Park has been in contact with Ft. Griffin State Park superintendent, Lester Galbreath. They will be bringing the longhorns once again for public view Also at 2 p.m. Mr. Galbreath will present a talk on Cattle Branding. He is also planning to display an antique spur collection

Randy Bell of Copper Breaks Park will be in attendance with information about his state park

A video of the railroad tunnel will be available for the public to view also.

Mr. Sam Angulo from the Lubbock Lake Landmark State Park will present information on the new state park there.

The parks exhibit will be displayed at the City Hall as in the

Holiday Festival Dec. 8 At Flomot

A Holiday Festival will be held at the Community Center in Flomot, Sunday, December 8. The festive occasion will begin at 5:00 p.m. with a covered dish

Following the supper, good entertainment including the 3M Company musical group will be on the program.

Everyone throughout the area is extended a cordial invitation

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Happy Birthday

November 28: Ronald Clay, Ruth Hooks, Walter Taylor, Iona Lane, November 29: Ronee Mullin, Bob

Ham, Allen Brummett, Mandy Pigg, Johnny Turner November 30: Wade Cagle, Johnny

Poulson, Gordie Washington December 1: Dennis Irby, Leticia

Ortiz, Wes Henson December 2: Bob McWilliams, Earl Patrick, Alana Powell, Jack Barnhill
December 3: Ida Farley, Eddie
House, Harold Thrasher, Mary
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December 4: Todd Washington, Kylor Morgan, Izell Proctor December 5: Lance Barclay, Lori Clay, April Stephens, Melissa Maupin, Gene Fuston, Linda Adam-

Happy Anniversary

November 30--Mr. and Mrs. John December 2--Mr. and Mrs. Joe

December 3--Mr. and Mrs. Wilson

December 4--Mr. and Mrs. Gerald

CALENDAR

November 28 Thanksgiving Day School Holiday November 29 Valley-Sand at Jayton 7:30

6 man-quarter finals School Holiday December 1 Attend Church of Your Choice December 2 Quitaque Lions

Quitaque City Council December 3 Turkey Fire Department Quitaque Chamber of

Commerce Quitaque Masonic Lodge Briscoe Co. His. Soc Lockney H 4 p.m December 5 Quitaque Senior Citizens Childress JV Tourn.

Fire Department **Undergoes Major Change**

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by Jerry Beck

The Quitaque Volunteer Fire Department has undergone some major changes over the past few weeks. We have done a lot of remodeling and renova-tions to our firehall. We are all very proud of the way it is looking and have plans for many more improvements in the weeks

We will have an open-house during Caprock Country Christmas, but we welcome you to come by any time and look around

I am at the firehall everyday except Wednesday, from 8:30 until 5 p.m. Come by and visit and see for yourself what your fire department is doing. greatly appreciate all the help, time and money donated toward the renovations of this project.

Our attendance has nearly doubled, but we are still falling below what the state has mandated for our town. We encourage anyone who is interested to attend our meetings. We are not asking for a committment to start with, just come and dedde for yourself if you would like to

We meet the second and the fourth Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m. If you are a little late come anyway. We would welcome and truly appreciate your participation. If you have trouble remembering, contact any fireman and we will call and remind you before the meeting.



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Landfill Proposals Upset Cities

"This has the net effect of

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for the operation of your

landfills," Ramirez said, "be-

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Marr Jr., Muleshoe city man-

ager, asked for a show of hands

from those who favor the pro-

Not one hand was raised.

Michael D. Graeber, a repre-

sentative of the state health

department's bureau of solid

waste management, told the

group to note specific comments

and complaints on the proposals

and forward those to the depart-

Four more public hearings on

the proposed amendments will

be held across the state before

the changes go to a state Depart-

ment of Health board review on

Experts are estimating that

The EPA document requires

installation of monitoring sys-

tems for ground water and meth-

ane gas. And it mandates storm

water controls and steps to keep

regulated hazardous waste out

Landfill owners and opera-

tors also will have to verify that

they have the necessary funds to

cover landfill closing costs, post-

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Among those city officials

attending this meeting was

Mayor Elgin Conner of Quitaque.

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Jan. 25.

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Area Administrators Seek Explanation from State

Lubbock Avalanche-Journal

A gathering of city officials from across the region gave a general thumbs-down on Friday to the state Department of Health's proposed rules on managing solid waste.

The meeting--which included a crowd of about 60 municipal representatives at Mahon Library-marked the first state public hearing on the proposed rule amendments

Municipal officials repeatedly voiced frustration with the department's revisions and pelted hearing organizers with questions about the rules.

The amendments were published Nov. 12 in the Texas Register--just 10 days before Friday's hearing.

Tom Adams, Seminole city administrator, claimed that the state's proposals allow less time for landfill reform than the timetable set by the Environmental Protection Agency for implementing its regulations.

The state's proposal will be the enforcement tool for the EPA.

"It (the difference) is just not reasonable," Adams said. Lee Ramirez, solid waste

superintendent for the city of Lubbock, called for the state health department to withdraw the amendments until there is time for adequate review and comment on the proposals.

After the meeting, Ramirez said some of the state proposals are more strigent than the EPA regulations and that others are less restricitive.

Turkey News

Therma Farley went to Amarillo Friday November 15 to visit her two sisters, Eather Butler and Odie Lane. She came home Monday. She had a good visit and found her sisters doing better

Marjorie Bain and Virginia Degan attended funeral services for Margaret Harper, Tuesday in the Presbyterian Church at Canyon.

Before the services they enjoyed visiting with Margaret's niece, Evelyn Milan who had been a student of Mrs. Bain's when she and Mrs. Degan taught at Circle Back, a two teacher school in Bailey County

Marjorie had been a long time friend of Margaret's. She remembers the efforts Margaret made to make her dream come true in raising money for the Panhandle Heritage Foundation that was established in 1961.

While visiting with Evelyn, Virginia and Marjorie remembered the fun they had together, such as the time when the high school boys picked up Marjorie's Austin Car and placed it over the fence so that the teachers could not go home for the

On the QT

Estelle Davidson spent Sunday by the bedside of her sister, Sophia Cook who had bypass surgery, Sunday. Jimmy Davidson spent Sunday with his mother and aunt at Sunday night. Estelle returned home Monday after spending the night in Tulia with her daughter, Lavada McCracken.

Melba Jo Merrell is in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock receiving treat-

Mable Wilson returned to her home last week after a recent fall and the resulting hip surgery at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Floye McCracken and Estelle Davidson drove to Tulia Saturday morning to join Stewart and Lavada McCracken on a trip to Muleshoe to visit the Richard Edwards family for lunch. They were joined there by the Ronnie McCracken family of Lubbock, Mrs. Myrtle Carter Peggy Burnham and A. J. of



SUBSCRIPTIONS SUBSCRIPTIONS Sam Browning

Rusty Henson Ginger Morgan Jerry Morgan Rick Mullin John Pigg Jan Turner

Cotton Report

USDA raised the production estimate for the High Plains by 20,000 bales to 3.05 million bales in their November 12 estimate. General opinion is that the estimate fails to eflect accurately the severity of the October 28 freeze. Instead of receiving a light frost or two before the hard freeze, area temperatures plummeted below the freezing mark

and stayed there for several days.

The freeze apparently damaged many bolls before they were fully mature. Boll numbers had promised a good size crop, however the full extent of the damage will not be known until producers can get back in the fields. The majority of the bolls in question were in cotton fields planted late and already pushing the limits of available time before

From what we understand from discussions with people from across the area the majority of this year's crop was ready for the freeze. Unfortunately the southern portion of the High Plains had a good bit of late planted cotton that really needed another week or ten days of warm weather in order to put the final touches on the bolls they were car

'Indications at this time seem to be that many of these bolls were permanently harmed by the freeze and simply will not open up and produce any lint at all," Notes Donald Johnson, PCG Ececutive Vice President. "Taking this into account many of the people ventue, in a concess shout the eventual size. ing a guess about the eventual size of this year's crop are staying in the 2.6-2.8 million bale range. Most estimates are on the low end of that

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Lions Club

Con't from page 1 Proceeds from the supper will go to support the Lions activity fund. Current projects include sponsoring Santa for the Caprock Country Christmas and Santa's visit with community children. Throughout the year Lions Club serves the community in many ways.

Everyone is encouraged to come out and enjoy the pancake supper, have a good time, and support community activities. Mark your calendar: December 5, 5:30-8:00 p.m., at the Community Center

Go Valley

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Happy **Thanksgiving**



Long ago on a brisk clear day in a sheltered, wooded clearing, a harvest feast, a humble meal of wild turkey and Indian corn, was shared by native and newcomer.

With this act of sharing of the harvest of a bountiful land, began the tradition of a feast of Thanksgiving, a tradition carried on through the years.

Today, in observation of this commemorative day of Thanksgiving, we shall be gathered together again in thanks for the blessings of a land bestowed upon a people and shared by a people, as it once was and is now.

We will be closed Thursday, November 27th, in observance of Thanksgiving. The Officers, Directors and Staff wish all of you an enjoyable Thanksgiving Day.





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by Coach Janssen
Patriot JV and Varsity Girls
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November 19, 1991.

The JV girls team lost 24-49.
Scoring for Valley were Tennille
Morrison, 13; Amy Payne, 6; Joni
Hancock, 2; Kelly Fierro, 2; and Lori

The girls played extremely hard against a much bigger team. I was pleased with their effort."

Other members of the JV team were Krissy Pigg, Traca Lemons, Sandy Lowe, Mandy Adams, and Santi Hernandez.

The Varsity girls defeated Clar endon girls 52-32. The girls gave 100% effort. Foul problems prevented higher scoring for the Patriots. I was impressed with the way

Leading scorer was sophomo Angie Pointer, 18 points; junior Katy

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Browning, 11; freshman Brandi Gaddis, 9; senior, April Brittian, 6; junior, Julie Clay, 2; junior, Kacy Fuston, 2; sophomore, Amanda

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	Silverton	0	14	6	6	26
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Third Grade News

by Mary Elizabeth Pigg Hello, it's me again in from the "third grade. Have I ever told you ur pen pals in Cinninnati, Ohio? Maybe not. Well, everybody has a pen pal. For example, I have Christie Roddy. Anyway we got them in last Monday.

We also got in the "Hank The Cowdog's" fan club. We got two stickers, two book markers, one poster and one Hank's times. Troll book club is having a writing con-test. It's called the Real Me. It is due the 27th.

I told you about the contest, well we did not win. We made Indian designs. There was nine people who made the Ahonor roll. We also have Weekly Readers. Well, got to go.

Valley School Menu

MENU FOR SCHOOL Chicken Fried Steak Cream Gravy Broccoli with Cheese Honey and Biscuit December 3 Beef and Cheese Enchilida Fried Okra Spanish Rice Cookie with Fruit December 4 Bacon Wrapped Steaks Green Beans Scalloped Potatoes Hot Rolls December 5 Taco Rolls with Cheese Sauce Salad Corn Brownie BBQ on Bun Onion Rings

Scores Split At Matador

Valley Junior High Girl's teams played Motley County on Novem-ber 18, 1991 at Matador. The girls B team lost 12-43.

Scoring for the Patriots were Sara Bell, 8 points; Crystal Price, 2; and Lori Chandler, 2. Other team

Other team players were Jessica members were Alma Fierro, Letty
Ortiz, Amanda Fuston, Holly GafRobin Williams. ford and Michelle Ramos

The Patriots A team of girls defeated Motley County 17-15. scoring for Valley were Brandi Price, 6; Tracy Guest, 5; Cara Powell, 4; and Briana Sperry, 2.

"The girls played great defense,



Teacher Spotlight Zelda Leeper, wife of Wilburn Leeper, who graduated from Plainview High School in Plainview, Texas teaches English to the sixth, seventh and eighth grades at Valley Schools and reading and

science for the sixth. Mrs. Leeper attended Wayland Baptist University, Clarendon Jr. College, Panhandle State University where she earned a BS in Education. She also attended West Texas State University for a Master's Degree in English.

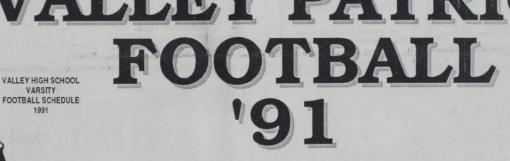
Zelda and Wilburn have two children. Ronda who is married to Randy Purcell and living at Kileen, Texas and attending CTU. Scott and his wife Karen reside in Dallas. Scott is a lab supervisor at Lancaster Midway Park Hospital.

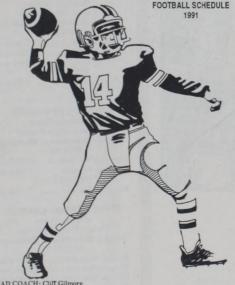
She enjoys reading sewing, and needlework.

Zelda's goal for the 1991-92 school year is to teach to the best of her ability and hope each student learns <u>everything</u> she presents to

"Valley is the best small school in Texas," reports Mrs. Leeper.

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HEAD COACH: Cliff Gilmore
ASST. COACHES: Sam Browning, Darren Janssen
SUPERINTENDEAT: Jerry Smith
PRINCIPAL: Jerry Maupin
MASCOT: PATRIOTS
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VALLEY PATRIOTS VS. SAND MUSTANGS

QUARTER FINAL PLAYOFFS FRIDAY NOVEMBER 29 7:30 P.M. AT JAYTON

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VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL JR. VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE OPPONENT 1991 TIME 6:30 Silverton JV Valley Chillicothe JV 5:30 Miami JV Lazbuddle Samnorwood Lazbuddie JV 6:30 McLean JV Lazbuddie JV Valley 6:30 Samnorwood Varsity Silverton JV 6:30 Silverton Chillicothe JV Chillicothe Samnorwood Varsity Valley

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Michelle Ramos, daughter of Ramiro and Maria Ramos of Quitaque, attended a "Life Management Skills Retreat" on November 6-8 at the Ceta Canyon Methodist Camp

A trained staff of migrant counselors under the direction of the Texas Migrant Interstate Program, students in the area schools by emphasizing decision-making leadership potential and improvement of self-esteem through a series of activities and events. The retreat experience can make a valuable contribution to helping a migrant student succeed in school

Michelle is an eighth grade student at Valley Schools this year. Michelle and her family moved to Quitaque from Batesville during the summer months. She says the hardest thing about moving was making new friends and having to attend a new school.

Michelle was given the opportunity to make many new friends while attending the retreat. She says she will probably remember her new



MICHELLE RAMOS

friends the most and the respect she felt while at the retreat. "The counselors were real nice to me," says Michelle.

"The thing I learned most from the retreat was not to drop out of school and that we do have a fu-Janice Wheeler, migrant

Program and Records Facilitator for the Valley Schools, made arrange-ments for Michelle to attend and provided her transportation.

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Flomot News by Earlyne Jameson

OVERHEARD

At this time of Thanksgiving, throw wide the doors of our hearts and let in the sunshine of good will

HONORED ON 91st BIRTHDAY Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn martin honored her mother, Mrs. Lennie Gilbert onher 91st birthday with a party at the Care Center in Lockney, Sunday afternoon, November 24. She was presented gifts, cards, and a beautifully decorated birthday cake encircled by pink flowers with the inscription, "Happy Birthday

Others attending the happy oc-casion were Mrs. Bessie Martin of Floydada, Mrs. Bob Lane of Lockney, D.M. Gilbert of Flomot and friends at the Care Center.

Mr. and Mrs. neal (Kathy) Blanton, Loren and Christopher of Graham visited Saturday and Sunday with her parents,Mr. and Mrs. D. M. "Ikie" Gilbert.

Mrs. Lou Burleson of Floydada and Mary Ellen Barton and Mrs. Wadey Clay were in Lubbock Monday morning, November 25 to be with Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada, who had surgery at the Methodist Hospital.

Mrs. Joe Degan and Mrs. Howard Rogers met Mrs. Stanley Degan and daughter, Shay of Kalgary and Shawna Degan, student at South Plains College in Levelland, in Matador Friday night to attend the Motley County vs Crosbyton var-sity girls' basketball game. Shay is ember of the Crosbyton team.

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Leon Cloyd Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnney Turner,
Heather and Cobey visited in
Silverton Sunday with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luckenbach and
attended the United Methodist Church Centennial observance at the Sunday morning service.

The Rev. and Mrs. J.E. Lee of

Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond and Wayne Hunter presented a church devotional and music at the Care Center in Floydada, Friday morning. They joined Mrs. Emma Thomas and Mrs. Bea Bilberry of Lockney for lunch. Earl Lewis of Quitaque, father of

Mrs. Billy Shannon, returned home from Lubbock, Friday, where he was a patient the past week in the Methodist Hospital.

Methodist Hospital.

Local residents attending the Hall County hanksgiving program at the Bob Wills Center in Turkey Sunday afternoon were Mmes. Joe Ike Clay, Viola Calvert and Herb Martin and League Clay and Wayne Hunter. The 3M Company gave a professional entertaining musical performance. performance

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green of Matador visited Friday with his brother, Art Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were in Floydada, Thursday for medical treatment and visited Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin and Mrs. Leon Cloyd enjoyed en-tertainment in Lubbock, Saturday, and celebrated the birthday of Mr.

Viola Stinson visited in Paducah Monday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones.

Mrs. Carolyn Ewing of Matador, Mrs. Herb Martin and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay accompanied their mother, Mrs. Lillie Tanner of Tulia to

Amarillo, Tuesday for a medical checkup. Shereceived a goodreport. Mrs. Richard Rhodes of South Lake visited during the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shorter. She accompanied home Mrs. Shorter who helped the Rhodes family move the past week from Amarillo to South Lake.

Mrs. Tom Ross and Mrs. Doyle Calvert were in Olton, Tuesday and



LITAKA CLARDY JEREMY TAYLOR JAMIE TAYLOR

American Smoke-Out Observed At Valley

The American Cancer Society's Great American Smoke out was observed by students at Valley School last week. November 21st marked the 15th annual celebration to encourage smokers to take a day off from smoking. Valley stuents were busy adopting smokers for a day and entering poster and essay contests, along with various other activities throughout the week. Students adopted an estimated 60 persons community wide and encouraged them to give up smoking for a day.

Each person was given an adop-

tion kit with tips for quitting smoking, buttons, stickers, smokeless matches, etc. Fourth and fifth grade students entered a poster contest. Jamie Taylor, 4th grade, and fifth grader Latika Clardy were the

In the sixth grade, Jeremy Taylor won the essay contest entitled "Creative Ways to Stop Smoking." The three winners were presented t-shirts by Mrs. Delene Tyler with the logo "Kiss Me I Don't Smoke."

Their teachers are Barbara Fourier, Dianna Gilmore and Cliff Gilmore. The 4th grade class was presented a balloon bouquet by Mrs. Tyler as part of President Bush's "America 2000" education strategy. The goal is for every school in America to be free of drugs and violence by the year 2000. Students in K-6 were given stick-

ers, book markers and a book entitled Growning Up Drug Free-A

Parent's Guide to Prevention. They were asked to take these home to share with parents. This handbook helps families learn about drugs, including the drugs, most children use first--alcohol and tobacco. It gives important information on child development at four key stages of growth and suggested activities to reinforce drug prevention messages at home. Please ask your child about this if you have not already received this booklet.

A Creative Way To Stop Smoking

by Jeremy Taylor

You can stop smoking but it takes a little work. One way is to always wear a rubber band around your wrist. Make sure that it is not so tight that it cuts off your blood circulation. Each time you want to smoke, pull back the rubber band and pop yourself. After awhile you will get tired of getting popped and you will quit smoking.

Another way is to dip the butts of the cigarette in something you don't like, like vinegar. Each time you put it in your mouth you will spit it back out and finally you will quit smoking. It takes a little time but

Andrew Johnson was the only ex-President to be elected to the United States Senate.

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Quitaque, Texas Pastor: Steve Ulrey Weekly Schedule of Meetings SUNDAY:

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CHURCH OF CHRIST Quitaque, Texas Minister: Elgin Conner Weekly Schedule of Meetings SUNDAY:

Morning Worship......10:30 a.m. **Evening Worship** ..6:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY: ...7:00 p.m. Bible Study...

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Flomot, Texas Pastor: Nathan Mulden Weekly Schedule of Meetings

SUNDAY: Sunday School..... ..10:00 a.m Church Training......5:30 p.m. Worship..... WEDNESDAY: ..6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting.... ..7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Quitaque, Texas Pastor: Rob Lackey

Weekly Schedule of Meetings SUNDAY: Sunday School.........9:45 a.m. Morning Worship.......10:45 a.m.5:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting......7:00 p.m.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES Quitaque, Texas Weekly Schedule of Meetings SUNDAY:

Congregation Study......7:30 p.m.

Ministry School......8:30 p.m. Service Meeting......9:15 p.m.

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SUNDAY: Worship.. .10:30 a.m.

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Those who are parents of young children must now confront the tasks involved in getting them ready for the new school year which is approaching. In addition to clothes, eye examinations and a refresher course in discipline, unfortunately one more preparation is needed in today's world. In light of all the recent horror stories about kidnapping and other dreadful crimes perpetrated against children, be sure yours are safe. You must caution them to beware of strangers who might offer them a ride or some candy, and encourage them to tell you of any unusual occurrence. However, your children should be taught common sense and discretion without the trauma of unnecessary fear. Your house of worship can help guide you in this, along with its Sunday school, which can balance your warning with the faith in God that they will need right now; as well as all the rest of their lives

> 'The most important thing that parents can teach their children is how to get along without them." -Frank Clark

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Need To Identify Property States Sheriff's Department

by Jerry D. Beck

Over the years we have seen a rise in the number of thefts and burglaries not just in the Panhandle, bur right here in our communities. Some of us have been victims ourselves, and certainly we know someone who

There are a number of reasons for this, one being the economy. There doesn't seem to be any real hope for an improvement any time soon so we can expect to see more crime until it

There are few things more irritating than to have your possessions taken from you.

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I am at the firehall in Quitaque every day except Wednesday, and will be very happy to help you with this. I can also be reached through City Hall, or the Sheriff's office.

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this won't happen though, I just hope I never have to tell you it's your

How Much Is Too Much?

by Jerry Beck

How much is too much? Well, it

depends on what you're talking

about. If we were talking abut money, or happiness, there is no

such thing as too much.
Unfortunately there are things

in this life that aren't good for us, and any at all is too much. There are

things that the law says aren't good

for us, and getting caught with them, (any amount) is too much. What is

to much for one may not be too much for someone else. Which brings me

to my point.

Tve recently had adults, even

here don't drink too much. Well, some do! How much is too much?

try to tell them this, you are fanatic

because you are the law, or the

preacher, or because you never had

a drink in your life. Can't you listen

just because they are your friend, or your child's friend? Could it be that

they see things that you have

not see these things, but what kind of friend would I be if I let this happen to one of our kids? When do

e of them becomes an alcoholic?

Maybe when one of them dies! I'm

not going to do that! Neither are our

Some of you think we are fanatics. Some think we are too hard on

these kids. There again, how much is too hard? We care about our kids,

and what they become. We know

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you which crowd your children associate with. I wish I never had to

catch another child, take them to the judge, or tell another parent their child broke the law. I know

pared to the alternative. Ask your children how many of their friends drink. This should tell

I could look the other way and

parents, tell me that the kids arou

I have three of my own, and as a friend I would expect you to tell me when the times comes. I don't think dren do with their lives.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Turkey, Texas Pastor: Melvin Clinton

Weekly Schedule of Meetings

SUNDAY: Sunday School.. Morning Worship......11:00 a.m. ..5:00 p.m. Evening Worship....... MONDAY: ...6:00 p.m.

Missionary Society.......4:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting8:00 p.m.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Turkey, Texas Pastor: Samuel Holloway, Plainview, Texas Weekly Schedule of Meetings

Pastoral Days......1st & 3rd Sundays MONDAY:

.4:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting....8:00 p.m.

> UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Turkey, Texas Pastor: Steve Ulrey Weekly Schedule of Meetings SUNDAY:

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship..... MONDAYS (1st & 3rd):

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Many households are quite diversified these days in the lifestyles and interests of the members, as well as in the biological sense because of stepchildren and half-brothers and sisters living under one roof. Indeed, many families find it hard to remember the last time they all had dinner together. Some of this is unavoidable, as in the case of a father who must travel on business or a mother involved in committee work for a worthy cause. However, the family members should make an effort to be together whenever possible, to discuss problems or just to have some kind of fun that spans the generation gap. Moreover, they should attend their House of Worship regularly, for this will help to cement the bonds. The family circle should be an unbroken one; a center of love and a haven of refuge from the outside world.



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Thank you from the depth of my heart. May God bless each one of

Manuel Anthony Silva and family

Social Security

by Mary Jane Shanes The critically ill man lay dying.

His only request was to be reunited with his long-lost son. How could his son be located?

One way was to contact the Social Security Administration (SSA). Although the Agency cannot dis-close any information to the searchers, if the son was working or receiving Social Security benefits, SSA will forward a letter to the son's last known employer or address. If the son was working at the last job listed in SSA records or had left a forwarding address, the letter might be deliverable. The rest would be up to

Each year about 25,000 people ask Social Security to help locate a "missing person." The reasons for their requests vary widely: a serious illness or death in the family; the availability of certain money, such as an inheritance; or a desire to locate lost children or parents.

When SSA began in the 1930s, these requests began to filter in. By 1945, the Agency recognized that the volume of letters and the significance of Social Security records as a vital and only link in locating an individual, required a written policy, and the first instructions were formulated and issued: letters would be forward only for humanitarian or monetary concerns that could affect the missing individual.

The basic policy and procecures

outlined in 1945 remain in effect today. No information is given to the requester. The individual's right to confidentiality is the first and foremost considration. Aletter that meets SSA's criteria is sent to the Social Security number holder's last known address or to the last employer who reported earnings for the missing person. If the missing person is a Social Security beneficiary, SSA will mail the letter directly. In either case, it is up to the missing person to respond. Social Security takes no further responsibility in the proces

In cases that involve monetary consideration, SSA charges \$3.00 to cover the cost of searching its rec-Humanitarian cases are handled free of charge.

Over the years, various news

articles have directed readers to ocial Security if they want to locate long lost friends or former sweethearts. Such requests are not approved.

If you have an urgent and com-

pelling need to locate someone, the procedure to followis: Prepare your correspondence to the missing individual, and place it in an unsealed envelope bearing the name and Social Security number (or, if you don't now the Social Security number, include the missing person's and parents' name). Prepare a letter to SSA that explains the circumstances that require you to locate the missing person. Place both letters and the unsealed, unstamped envelope in a second envelope and address it to: Social Security Ad-ministration, Office of Central Records Operations, 300 North Greene Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201.



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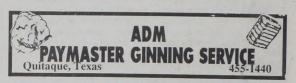
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