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## Mrs. Reid Is Seeking Re-Election

Mildred J. Reid authorized this newspaper to announce this week that she is a candidate for re-election as Treasurer of Briscoe County, subject to action by the Democratic Primary next May. She made the following statement:

"I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Briscoe County.

"It has been my pleasure to serve the people of Briscoe County in the past, and I will make every effort to be of service in the future.

"I thank you for your loyal cooperation and solicit your support and influence in my behalf."

## Services For Mrs. Veda Lane Held

Mrs. Veda Mae Lane, 87, died in Spearman Wednesday, January 11.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday, January 14, in the Turkey Church of Christ with Jack Hutton, minister, and Earl Cantwell, minister of the Rock Creek Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery at Turkey by Seigler Funeral Home.

Mrs. Lane had lived in the Turkey community about 70 years. She married Gerald Cleveland Lane July 11, 1910, in Wolf Flat. He died in January 1929. She was a member of the Church of Christ. Mrs. Lane made her home with her son, Dean, in later years, to assist him in raising his twins, Gerald and Gelene, who had lost their mother in early childhood.

Survivors include two sons, Dean and Tink, both of Turkey; a daughter, Mrs. Olga Gafford of Spearman; two brothers, Travis Bellah of Houston and Ivan Bellah of Normangee; 13 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren. Grandsons were the pallbearers.

## JACK HUTTON RETURNS TO TURKEY TO MINISTER CHURCH OF CHRIST

A pounding for Evelyn and Jack Hutton was held in the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall last Wednesday night.

A large crowd attended. A film was shown of Africa where the Huttons lived the past five years. Refreshments of cookies, cakes, sandwiches, coffee and punch were served. Mr. and Mrs. Hutton received many useful gifts, money and food.

The people of the community welcome the Huttons back home.

## LOCAL LADIES ATTEND GOLDEN WEDDING OF RELATIVES

Mrs. Lillian White, Mrs. Yolanda Roberson, and Miss Minnie Mae Roberson drove to Amarillo on Sunday, January 8, to attend the Golden Wedding Anniversary reception honoring the ladies' uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Roberson. The affair was held in the Pioneer Flame Room.

Smith Pope of Amarillo spoke at the Church of Christ at both services Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutton were at Littlefield Sunday, where he spoke at both services of the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Rubie Barton accidentally cut a deep gash in her left leg when shutting the pickup door Saturday. Several stitches were needed to close the wound in her leg.



The second photograph shows a number of the men, women and youth who helped as they took time out to eat on Thursday when the ladies prepared the meal and served it in the field.



Above is not part of the "Tractorcade to Washington" but it is the tractors in progress to the Truman Merrell farm to plow his land while he was in the hospital following a heart attack.

## Friends Plow Land for Truman Merrells

by Gladys Stroup  
It is wonderful to live where love is given each day to help our fellow man. This is the true way of life.

This was demonstrated in a great way recently when friends and neighbors gathered at the Truman Merrell fields while he was in the Central Plains Hospital in Plainview following a heart attack.

At least twelve tractors were in the fields beginning Wednesday

afternoon, December 28, and continuing until noon Friday, December 30. On Thursday the men were served lunch in the field by neighbor women. The food was furnished by friends of the Merrells. (Ed. note: As one young man of the community stated to your editor recently, it is great to live in a small community where everyone is your friend "and family" at all times of need. It isn't that way in the Metropolitan areas).

## Turkey Implement Ownership Change Announced This Week

The International Harvester Dealership located in Turkey on North Main, known as Turkey Implement, has been invoicing its stock this week in the process of changing hands. The new owners are Billie Fuston, Jan Turner and Billie's son, Danny. All three were born and reared in the community, so need no introduction. Billie Fuston is manager of the Paymaster Gin and Jan Turner is manager of Turner Farms.

The new manager of Turkey Implement will be Danny Fuston who has recently moved his family back to Turkey from Odessa where he was manager of a Woolco Store. Danny is a graduate of Turkey High School and of Texas Tech University where he was in advanced Army training and entered the service after graduation as a second lieutenant and served for two years. He married the former Ann Mosley, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilmore of Turkey and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Mosley of Amarillo. The couple have three sons, Paul, age 8; Mike, age 6, and Jason, age 4.

The business will be operating as in the past with Peery Lane as parts manager, and the three

## THE STEVE JENNINGS HAVE A NEW DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jennings of Plainview (she is the former Vanessa Robison of Quitaque) are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Shanna Charice, born Friday, January 6, at 1:20 a. m. in a Hale Center hospital. She weighed 6 lbs. 8 ozs., and measured 20 inches.

She has a sister 21 months of age. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jennings of Tulia are grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith of Turkey are great-grandparents.

Mrs. Patricia Killman of Midland spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Meacham.

## Farm and Ranch Progress Night Set At Quitaque

The annual Farm and Ranch Progress Night will be held Tuesday night, January 24, 1978 at 7:00 in the Community Building at Quitaque, according to an announcement by Briscoe County Extension Agent Earnest C. Kiker.

Among the topics to be discussed will be: "Pesticide Laws and Regulations," discussed by a representative from the Texas Department of Agriculture. The new Farm Program will be discussed by Marvin Sartin, Area Economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service (TAES). Dr. Zoel Daugherty, Area Agronomist with

TAES, will discuss Weed Control in Briscoe County. He will be followed by Dr. John McNeil, Area Beef Specialist with TAES, talking about Feeding Livestock. Dr. James Supak, Area Agronomist - Cotton, will then discuss the New Cotton Varieties. Closing the program will be Marvin Sartin, Area Economist, discussing the ways of reducing cost.

The program will be very informative. It should last approximately two and one half hours with time allotted for all your questions.

## Valley High Teams Take Three Wins

Alamo Catholic High came to Valley Tuesday night for three basketball games and Valley won all three games.

The Valley JV girls took on the Alamo JV girls and won 41-9 and all players on the squad saw action in this one. Leading the scoring parade was Jenny Turner who tossed in 16 points. Lana Fuston tossed in nine points;

Clay, six, and Debra Clinton, two. Mary McNary, eight; Jenny Also seeing action but not getting on the scoreboard were Dana Ramsey, Jac Reed and Marcia Taylor.

The varsity girls were up next and Valley took a 52-29 win over the visitors with Sherice Price with 19 points and Paula Lipscomb with 15. Lisa Herring chipped in with seven points; Laura Fuston and Peggy Shannon, four each, and Joanie Turner, three.

The Varsity boys of Valley took a 59-26 win over Alamo. Scoring for Valley was Chandler 19, Dowd 16, Davidson 13, Ferguson, six, and Douglas, five.

## New Pastor Coming To Turkey Methodist Church

Bishop Alsie H. Carleton, at the conclusion of the cabinet meeting 1978, announced 12 changes in pastoral appointments effective January 16. These changes are throughout the Northwest Texas Conference.

The Turkey United Methodist Church's pastor, Rev. James Willborn, wife, Carlene, and children, Kella, Barney and Quent, are being moved to Kress to serve the United Methodist Church in the Kress Community and the Trinity United Methodist Church at Tulia. The Willborns have made their home here in the Turkey community for the past 2 1/2 years.

These changes were occasioned by the retirement of Dr. Jordan Grooms from the Hereford United Methodist Church and the death of Rev. Ralph Odom of the Fairmont United Methodist Church in Abilene.

Another former Turkey pastor, Rev. James Boswell, is being moved in this change-up. He has been serving the Wellington Church and has been moved to serve the Friona United Methodist Church.

A new minister, Elroy Wisian, a seminar student from Wilmore, Kentucky, will be coming to serve the Turkey United Methodist Church. Rev. Wisian was raised in the Earth-Springlake area. His parents now make their home at Stinnett. The new pastor's wife is the former Donna Dunman, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Charles Dunman of the Agape United Methodist Church in Lubbock. The couple has a 1 1/2-year-old daughter, Carlan.

## Junior High Tournament Scheduled At Lakeview This Weekend

A Junior High basketball tournament is scheduled to be held at Lakeview this weekend and is due to start at 9:30 today (Thursday) provided the weather permits.

Boys and girls teams from Lakeview, Memphis, Estelline, Clarendon, Valley, Quail, Memphis and Hedley are scheduled to participate.

The Valley teams are matched with Quail in the first round

## A Request To The Public

During some recent emergencies, the Quitaque Fire Department and Ambulance Service have had problems with spectators obstructing the way for emergency vehicles. You are requested to YIELD to these vehicles and to take care not to get in the way of the firemen or EMT'S as they seek to perform this service.

Deputy Sheriff Johnny Butler has stated that citations will be issued to those who do not cooperate.

## Plans Being Made For Bloodmobile

Arrangements are being made to get the Coffee Bloodmobile in Quitaque sometime during the month of March. Previous plans were to have it here in January, but the Quitaque Lions Club, sponsors of the Bloodmobile, decided March would be a better time.

Lion members will be contacting you soon, asking for pledges to give a pint of blood. It is necessary for the blood bank to receive at least 25 pints of blood for the Bloodmobile to come to Quitaque, and more blood donations pledged would be better. There is a severe shortage of blood, and this is one way many of you can help someone else.

## TEAMS WIN VALLEY JV TOURNAMENT TITLES

The Valley girls and the Childress B boys won the championship trophies in the Junior Varsity Tournament held here last weekend.

The Valley girls won over Nazareth in the championship finals held Saturday night in a close game, the final score being 22-20.

The Childress B boys took a 2-point, 46-44, win over Silverton to take the boys championship trophy in a good game.

The Silverton girls took third place in their division, winning over Childress B in that game. Lockney defeated Clarendon for the consolation trophy Saturday afternoon.

The Clarendon boys won third place and the Lockney boys won over the Childress Freshman team 40-30 to take the consolation trophy home with them.

The Valley girls took a 62-17 win over the Childress Freshmen in the first round of play with Jenny Turner popping the nets for 22 points for scoring honors. Mary McNary hit the baskets for 14 points, Jenny Clay tallied 12 points, Lana Fuston, Marcia Taylor and Debra Clinton each canned four points and Jac Reed rounded out the scoring with two points.

The Valley girls took a 31-12 win over Childress B in second round action to win their way into the championship finals. Jenny Turner scored 14 and Jenny Clay eight points in that one. In the game for the championship Jenny Clay led the way with 10 points; Marcia Taylor, five; Mary McNary, four; Lana Fuston, two, and Reed, one.

The Valley boys lost to the Childress B team, 52-10, in the first round of play and were ousted from the tournament in their second round game, losing 25-26 to the Childress Freshmen. McNary scored three points in the first game, Setliff and Pinkerton scored two points each, and Rice, Cotton and Lacy scored one point each. In the second game Cotton scored eight points; Setliff, six; McNary, three, and Rice and Pinkerton, two each.

Monday night of this week the Junior High teams drove up to Silverton for three games.

The Valley girls took a 34-12 win over the Silverton girls in the first game of the evening. Angela Eudy and Enequina Reyna



MR. AND MRS. LEON LANE  
LEON LANES TO OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lane are honoring them on their 50th wedding Anniversary, Sunday, January 29, from 2:30 until 4:30 at the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall in Turkey.

Everyone is invited. No gifts, please.

## SERVICES TOMORROW FOR MRS. GLADYS WILEY

Funeral services for Mrs. Gladys I. Wiley, 71, will be at 10:00 a.m. Friday at the First Baptist Church in Quitaque, with the pastor, Rev. Frank Roberson, and Rev. Bill Curry, pastor of the Baptist Church at Lakeview, officiating.

Burial will be in Dickens Cemetery at Dickens, with arrangements under the direction of the Quitaque Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wiley died at 4:00 a.m. Wednesday in the Hall County Hospital in Memphis following a lengthy illness.

The Oklahoma native married R. M. (Toad) Wiley October 11, 1921, and he died in 1950. They lived in Briscoe County 13 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Quitaque.

Survivors include a son, Bill, of Cuyahoga, Ohio; three daughters, Mrs. Bill Day of Grand Prairie, Mrs. H. I. Hoagland of Amarillo and Mrs. Jack (Phyllis) Cheatham of Quitaque; a brother, John Imel of Tulsa, Oklahoma; two sisters, Mrs. Chester Weatherly of Memphis and Mrs. W. E. Wellman of Turkey; 16 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers are to be Glenn Ramsey, L. B. Monk, Duke Woods, Grady Tyler, Joe Edd Smith and James Brunson.

Birt Lane of Plainview was a dinner guest in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lane, on Saturday and remained to attend the funeral service for Mrs. Veda Lane in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rod Hill, who have been assisting his father, E. L. Hill, in dirt work have moved to Wellington this week where he will be employed by the Mill Iron Ranch.

Mrs. Chlorene Melton spent the weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McFall, in Silverton.

scored 12 points each; Nadine Rice, four, and Mary Peery, Delane Proctor and Lisa Payne, two points each.

In the 7th Grade boys game the Valley boys lost a tough 28-29 game to the Owls. Jerry McNary scored 13 points for Valley; Brett Cheatham hit six points; John Morgan, three; Robert Helms, Stacy Price and Randy Fuston, two points each.

The Silverton 8th Grade boys won over the Valley boys 26-17. Tommy Morris and Richey Fuston scored four points each; Ken Crump, three, and Kevin Hendrix, Brent Brown and Kirby Chandler, two points each.



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**Green Curtis Family Reunion Held Sunday**

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Green Curtis held a reunion in the Quitaque Community Center Sunday, January 15. All five of the children were present. They were H. R. Curtis of Olton, Sophie Cook of Gainesville; Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Shackelford, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Orcutt, Memphis, and Mrs. Estelle Davidson of Quitaque.

There were several nieces and nephews and their families present. They were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Spies and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shackelford and family, Fred Davidson and children, Bonnie and Steve, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shackelford, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Don Ferrell and family and a friend, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Orcutt and family, plus a friend, Memphis, Texas; Mr. and Mrs.

Dike Fogelstrom of Carnegie, Oklahoma; Mrs. Sal Couch, Esteline; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Davidson, Jimmy Don and Jon David, and Leslie Pigg, Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Woods visited in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lane visited Mrs. P. T. Clark last Friday in the Heritage Home in Plainview. They also visited with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Birt Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cruse visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pinkerton and Mrs. Ollie Yeager in Plainview.

Mrs. Jewel Hadaway visited Turkey people in the Memphis rest home last week.

Mrs. Bernice Morgan visited in Childress with her sister, Mrs. Ethel Hulsey, recently.

**MRS. IDA FAULKNER HONORED ON 87th BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Ida Faulkner of Turkey celebrated her 87th birthday Sunday, January 15, in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farley, where she resides.

Her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren began arriving early Saturday, January 14. Those attending this special occasion were Mr. and Mrs. John M. Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Henchcliff, Lanna and Brian of Gallup, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Kuehn Faulkner and Bryan of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. James E. Faulkner, Jimmy, John, Jane and a friend, Tony of Colorado, Springs, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whittington, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phelps, Kember and Shon of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Dee Whittington and Cody, Mr. and Mrs. Gery Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Garnett, all of Lubbock; Mrs. Willie Gregson and Laura of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. James Farley, Joulie and Scott of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Billie Farley, Wesley, Suzie and Cal of Ox Bow Ranch.

Saturday night a Mexican Food supper was served and Sunday the birthday dinner with turkey, dressing and all the trimmings was enjoyed.

Mrs. Ida Faulkner has been making her home here at Turkey for many years. She and her husband, the late J. E. Faulkner, moved to Turkey in 1928 to open a dry goods business and which they later changed to a variety store. Mrs. Faulkner operated this business until 1945, after her husband had passed away. Mrs. Faulkner states that she appreciated the many calls, visits and cards from her friends on the occasion of her 87th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Crabb and granddaughter, Angie Lynn Clark, of Silverton visited Mrs. W. W. Cain Saturday.

Mrs. Lockwood McCracken and Mrs. Estelle Davidson drove to Lockney and brought Letha Mae Jacobs to her home in Quitaque Saturday. She has spent several days in the Lockney General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Curry of Plainview spent the weekend with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Bill Curry, in Quitaque. They attended church services at Lakeview where the Rev. Curry is pastor.

The Bill Currys received a telephone call from the Danny Currys, who recently moved to Powell, Texas. They reported Danny had enrolled in Southwestern Seminary at Fort Worth, and his wife, Alisia, has a teaching job at Kearns, Texas, where she will teach special education. Danny is pastor of the First Baptist Church in Powell. This is eight miles east of Corsicana, Texas, if some of you don't know the location of Powell.

**QUITAQUE BAPTIST WOMEN MEET**

The WMS of the First Baptist Church in Quitaque met Monday, January 16, for Bible study. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. N. B. Herrington. Mrs. A. E. Gragson led the Call to Prayer for the missionaries who have birthdays on that date.

Mrs. Al Ramsey led the Bible study, entitled "Growing in Power and Persistence."

Those present were Mrs. R. J. Harmon, Mrs. Leon McCracken, Mrs. Lillian White, Mrs. N. B. Herrington, Mrs. Al Ramsey, Mrs. A. E. Gragson and Miss Gladys Stroup.

Mrs. Gragson dismissed with prayer.

Jewell Hadaway and June Montgomery visited last Friday with Mrs. Willie Driskill, Mrs. Quay Bowman, Mrs. Eunice Christian, Mrs. Ruby Glover, Mrs. Nona Currie and Johnny Montgomery in the Convalescent Center at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wilson of Quitaque boarded the same

children, Chad and Karen, returned to their home in Salt Lake, Utah, Saturday, after spending a ten-day visit at Grapevine with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Baisden and in Turkey with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Baisden.

Robert returned home from the hospital Friday after spending a few days there last week.

flight at Amarillo Airport Saturday that Mrs. Marsene Patterson and children were taking for their trip home to Utah. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were on their way to attend a rodeo in Denver, Colorado.

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Total Savings	20,939,087	27,469,595	6,530,508	31%
Mortgage Loans	20,405,333	27,352,067	6,946,734	34%
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Spence Wesson, 68, brother of Mrs. Maylae Hendrix of Quitaque, died Saturday, January 14, in Nashville, Arkansas. Funeral services were held there Monday at 1:00 p.m. in the Church of Christ. Interment was in the

cemetery at Center Point, Arkansas. Mr. Wesson had visited in Quitaque and several people here had met him.

Mrs. Buster Chadwick, who has been working all fall at the Mem-

phis Compress of Turkey, stepped out the door Monday afternoon and a rock turned under her foot causing her to fall. Her mother, Mrs. Guy Smith, took her to Dr. Maxwell where he x-rayed her foot and found two hairline fractures. She will go back later in the week, after the swelling has diminished, and he will put it in a cast, she reports.

Mrs. Bud Bailey visited her mother, Mrs. T. J. Reeves, in Plainview one day last week. Mrs. Reeves had returned home from a visit with another daughter, Mrs. Irene Purcell, at Kopperi, Texas. Mrs. Reeves had visited Mrs. Purcell for three weeks.

Mrs. Geneva Bowman of Chantelview, Texas, is visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barbee. Mrs. Bowman came with the Dean Mullins Christmas. Rod and Rick Mullin, students at Texas Tech at Lubbock, spent the weekend visiting their grandparents, the Barbees, too.

Joey Barefield and Danny Mayfield went back to Clarendon JC Sunday to begin another semester of school.

Nook Bedwell of Springdale, Arkansas had a heart attack December 28, and was in the hospital there for several days. His brother and wife, the Joe Bedwells, report he is improving. He is at home.

Weldon Griffin went back to Highland Hospital on Tuesday of last week where he is undergoing therapy. Weldon was injured on a hunting trip in December and spent several days in the hospital then. His wife reports he is recovering remarkably well.

VALLEY MENUS

January 23-27  
MONDAY  
Oven-Fried Chicken, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Biscuit, Butter, Honey, Orange Juice, 1/2 Pint Milk

TUESDAY  
Burritos, Taco Sauce, Pinto Beans, Coleslaw, Fruit Gelatin with Topping, 1/2 Pint Milk

WEDNESDAY  
Country Fried Steak, Gravy, Seasoned Corn, Spinach, Hot Rolls, Butter, Peaches, 1/2 Pint Milk

THURSDAY  
Fish Sticks, Tartar Sauce, Sweet Pea Salad, Whole Tomatoes, Cornbread, Sweet Rice, 1/2 Pint Milk

FRIDAY  
Cheesburger on Homemade Bun, Tossed Salad, Pickles, Mixed Fruit, 1/2 Pint Milk

NAMED TO HONOR ROLL

More than 4,000 students at Texas Tech University qualified for the deans' honor rolls in the six colleges during the fall semester.

Among them were two from Quitaque, Cherri N. Brown and Kimberly J. Ham.

To qualify for a dean's honor roll a student must have a grade point average of 3.0 or more on a 4.0 scale and must have taken as many as 12 semester hours of work.

Texas Tech University has an enrollment of more than 22,000 students in six colleges: Agricultural Sciences, Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Engineering and Home Economics. There also are a Graduate School and a School of Law.

Mrs. Naomi Gilbert and Mrs. Laura McKay visited last Thursday with Mrs. Ruby Glover, Mrs. Vera Fuston, Mrs. Eunice Christian and

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the First National Bank of Quitaque. In the state of Texas, at the close of business on Dec. 30, 1977 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter number 11706 National Bank Reg. No. 11

ASSETS		Thousands
Cash and due from banks		2,514
U. S. Treasury securities		499
Obligations of other U. S. Gov't. agencies and corps.		1,100
Obligations of state and political subdivisions		2,191
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		None
Federal Reserve stock and Corporate stock		6
Trading account securities		None
Federal Funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	7,366	None
Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	None	7,366
Less: Reserve for possible loan losses		None
Loans, Net		7,366
Direct Lease financing		16
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		None
Real estate owned other than bank premises		None
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies		None
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		None
Other assets		None
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b>13,692</b>

LIABILITIES		
Demand deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps.		5,072
Time and savings deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps.		6,614
Deposits of United States Government		7
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		306
Deposits of foreign govts. and official institutions		None
Deposits of commercial banks		175
Certified and officers' checks		178
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>		<b>12,352</b>
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Total demand deposits	5,534	None
Total time and saving deposits	6,818	None
Total deposits in foreign offices		None
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		None
Liabilities for borrowed money		None
Mortgage indebtedness		None
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding		None
Other liabilities		None
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES</b>		<b>None</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)</b>		<b>12,352</b>
Subordinated notes and debentures		None

EQUITY CAPITAL		
Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding None (par value)		None
Common stock a. No. shares authorized 500		
b. No. shares outstanding 500 (par value)		50
Surplus		150
Undivided profits		596
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves		544
<b>TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL</b>		<b>1,340</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL</b>		<b>13,692</b>

MEMORANDA		
Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:		
Cash and due from banks		1,443
Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreement to resell		None
Total loans		7,336
Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices		625
Total Deposits		11,240
Fed. funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		108
Liabilities for borrowed money		None
Standby letters of credit outstanding as of report date		13,009
Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices:		None
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000. or more		421
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more		204

I, Bob J. Ham, Vice-President of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Bob J. Ham  
January 16, 1978

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

O. R. Stark, Jr. Directors  
J. T. Persons  
Orlin Stark

several others in the hospital in Memphis.

Tanya Lowery of Childress spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lowery.

Del Ray Browning spent Sunday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutton were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mick Cotten Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutton attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ellis in Tulla Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutton are in Turkey after spending five years in Africa. He will be working with the Church of Christ, and are living in the dwelling at the Church of Christ.

Mr. Hutton spoke at both services Sunday.

TRADING MODERATE IN COTTON MARKET

Trading was again moderate this week as growers continue to accept bids on about 25 percent of their offerings. Prices were generally steady with mixed lots containing mostly 32 and shorter staple cotton selling for 43.00 to 44.00 cents per pound. Lots predominating in 33 and longer staples brought 46.00 to 47.00 cents. Growers continued to receive 62.00 to 67.00 dollars per ton for cottonseed at most gin points.

About 31,000 samples were classed at Memphis this week, bringing the season's total to 291,000. The office closed on January 6 last year with a total of 203,000 classed.

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Mr. Hutton spoke at both services Sunday.

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We would like to thank the people for your kindness shown us during the death of our loved one, C. V. Meacham.  
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**DRY CLEANING:** We are still collecting clothing for LUSK DRY CLEANERS. Leave them at our home, 207 Jones, in Quitauque, by noon Wednesday. Elgin Conner, ph. 455-1429. 32-4tc

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Subject to Action of the Republican Primary FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 66th DISTRICT OF TEXAS:  
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Mrs. Iola Nelson of Friona accompanied a friend to Quitauque to visit Mrs. C. T. Rucker while the lady friend visited in Quanah. Mrs. Nelson came Friday and left Wednesday to return to her home.

Mrs. Gleena Elmore will have surgery Wednesday at St. Paul's Hospital in Dallas. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mullin, left Tuesday to be with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pierce spent Saturday and Sunday with their son, Robert Pierce and family, in Vernon.

Deputy Sheriff Johnny Butler spent from Sunday until Friday last week in Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. Johnny has a disability from a back injury and surgery, and he stooped over helping the firemen in Quitauque at a fire and couldn't straighten up. His doctor told him he had had the flu and it had settled in his back. He kept him in the hospital for therapy last week, his wife reports.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gragson drove to Wellington Thursday evening of last week and were guests for dinner with their son and family, the Willie Gragsons. Evelyn Gragson had been ill with the flu but they report she was better. She is back in Nurses School in Amarillo following the holidays.

**QUITAQUE METHODIST WOMEN BEGIN BIBLE STUDY**  
The UMW of the Quitauque First United Methodist Church met Monday, January 16, in the home of Mrs. Bill Woods. Mrs. Edna Taylor began the introductory study of "The Women of the Bible." The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Edna Taylor on January 30, at 7 o'clock continuing the Bible study.

Plans are being made for a Sweetheart Banquet for February 7, with Mrs. Carlton Thomas to present the program. At this meeting, pledges will be made for 1978. Everyone is urged to be present at this meeting.

Mrs. Woods served refreshments to six members and one visitor, Mrs. Iola Nelson of Friona.

Danny Barrett celebrated his eighteenth birthday anniversary Friday evening with a few friends to help him celebrate. Gary Clinton and Perry Jouett of Turkey spent the night with him. His grandmother, Mrs. D. C. Duck, and his cousin, Dennis Farley, visited him and enjoyed the party.

**THE VALLEY TRIBUNE** THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 1978  
too.  
Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Barrett, Danny and Judy, drove to Lubbock to spend the day and celebrate the Barrett's wedding anniversary and Danny's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Chadwick and Stachia and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Woods of Plainview drove to Lubbock Saturday night to see the Harlem Globetrotters. They returned to Plainview and the Chadwicks spent the night with the Woods. The next morning they went to Sambos for breakfast, then attended services at the Eleventh and Amarillo Church of Christ. The Chadwicks returned home Sunday evening.

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