



# Happy New Year

Voice of the Caprock Canyons

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### Filing Deadline January 2 For Place On Ballot

With the filing deadline only five days away now, candidates are reminded that in order to be on the ballot for the March 12 primary, they must have filed with the County Democratic chairman, or County Republican chairman by January 2.

The following candidates have filed for places on the Hall County ballot:

Steve Farley and Jarrett Wilde for election, Hall County Sheriff.

Tax assessor/collector, Carolyn Foster, election, and Pat Floyd, re-election.

Constable, Sammy Watson.

County Attorney, John Deaver II, re-election, and Stuart Messer, election.

County Commissioners, Precinct I - Larry Maddox, re-election;

Precinct 3 - Don Ferrel, and Buddy Logsdon, election.

Orville Setliff is Democratic chairman of Hall County. Kevin

Fisher is the chairman of the Republican party.

In Briscoe County, Democratic Chairman Renda Burson reports that only five candidates have filed. They are:

L. B. Garvin, Jr. for re-election to commissioner, precinct 3; Aaron Younger, re-election to commissioner, precinct 1; Richard (Dick) Roehr, re-election to County Sheriff, and Steve Miller and Jerry D. Beck, both seeking election to the sheriff's position.

John Francis, Briscoe county's Republican chairman, said Wednesday that one person was in the process of getting filed for the Republican ballot.

**Valley Gym Closed**  
Dec 21-Dec. 26.

### Be Traditional But Be Safe This New Year's Holiday

Happy New Year!! This is the traditional phrase that will sound all across our country as we bid farewell to the old and usher in a new year. However, safety officials fear that many "traditional" celebrations during this period will once again spawn many drunk driving fatalities on Texas roads.

This doesn't have to happen and there are some ways we can prevent ourselves from becoming a victim according to Trooper L. B. Snider, Public Information Officer for the Texas Department of Public Safety. "Planning is the key to a safe holiday. For instance, if you are hosting a party, inform all guests that they will not be allowed to drive in an intoxicated condition. Take up their car keys as they come in and keep a watchful eye throughout the event. Be prepared to take your guest home or make other arrangements for their safe return," Snider suggested.

"When you think about it, there is really no excuse for drinking and driving, especially during this holiday. Troopers will be on the look-out for impaired drivers and if we catch you, you have more to lose than ever before under new DWI laws in Texas," Snider concluded.

Plan to survive this holiday by not drinking and driving, also take advantage of your best defense against drunk drivers—a safety belt.

**Valley School Business Offices Closed**  
January 1 & 2

### Caprock Canyons State Park Will Close For Hunts

The Caprock Canyons State Park will be closed to the public and January 2, 1996 at 10:00 p.m. until January 5, 1996 at 2:00 p.m. Reason for the closing of the park is so that the annual aoudad hunt can take place.

The Park will also be closed at 10:00 p.m. on January 9, 1996 until January 12, 1996 at 2:00 p.m. for the last aoudad hunt this season.

Closing of the park for the two hunts is for the safety of the general public. Please help Park personnel by obeying the rules and do not try to enter the park on these days.



Rick Fuston, of Turkey receives the Hall-Childress Soil and Water Conservation farmer award from board member James Fuston.

### Fuston Awarded Farmer Of Year

Rick Fuston was awarded the Hall-Childress Soil and Water Conservation District's conservation farmer of the year during the SWCD's annual awards banquet held in Memphis. Rick is a Turkey, Texas farmer who raises cotton, peanuts, rye and sweet potatoes. Fuston's conservation practices include wind stripcropping and cover crops to protect the land from wind erosion, terracing, and waterways to control water erosion. Fuston has also worked diligently to conserve irrigation water.

Hay show winners were also announced during the banquet. The Hall-Childress SWCD sponsors a hay show which consists of four categories open to area producers to submit hay samples for summer annuals, small grains, grass, and legumes hays which were judged on protein content and physical appearance and quality. The winners were Jay Inman, small grains; Bruce Inman, legumes; Sarah Snow, summer annuals; and Jimi Vivens, grass.

### The Winds Of Change

by Ronda Alexander

As often as the wind blows in West Texas, so does the amount of change that each of us go through in our lives. Change is happening all of the time, whether we are expecting it or not, change comes along anyway.

I will be experiencing many changes as I open a new chapter in my own book of life. I have recently accepted the position of County Extension Agent for Family Consumer Sciences programs in Swisher County. My employment there will begin on January 15, 1996. I have enjoyed the opportunity that I have had to work with the people in Briscoe County. You are all a great group of people.

As with any change that happens in your life, there are many things to look forward to as well as many others that you will miss. There will be many things that I will miss and many people that I will miss. I appreciate the support that each of you have given to me during my employment here in Briscoe County.

As we all look into the new year, there will be many changes before each of us. We must look towards these changes with optimism, but we must also be sure to keep in mind our memories of where we have been.

### Notes From Briscoe County Clinic

We would like to apologize for any inconvenience the Clinic Schedule has caused. Due to the illness of Joe Foust P.A. and R. L. Gilkey M. D. we have no alternative but to close the Clinic for several days.

Our hope is to reopen the Clinic as quickly as possible. To avoid this problem in the future, High Plains has implemented a coverage system that will go into effect in 1996.

We appreciate your patience in this matter. To avoid any inconvenience, please call ahead for an appointment.

Sincerely,  
Briscoe County Clinic/High Plains Baptist Hospital

**Week's Weather**

DATE	PREC	HI	LO
Dec 20	---	43	21
Dec 21	---	38	28
Dec 22	---	34	19
Dec 23	---	40	19
Dec 24	---	51	25
Dec 25	---	58	27
Dec 26	---	63	27

### Calendar Of Events

- December 28**  
Triple L Club  
Groom Tournament
- December 31**  
New Year's Eve
- January 1**  
First Day of 1996  
Quitaque Lions Club
- January 2**  
Turkey Fire Department  
Quitaque Masonic Lodge  
Quitaque Chamber of Commerce
- January 3**  
School Starts
- January 4**  
Quitaque Senior Citizens  
Robbie Hill @ Turkey

Valley School Begins  
Wednesday  
January 3, 1996

## THEN and NOW!

by Eunice McFall

It is now time to dust off the old paper and pencil and put on our thinking cap and set down some new rules and regulations for ourselves for the upcoming new year. Yep, it is that time once again. For the life of me I can not figure where the year of 1995 has gone but gone it has in a hurry. If we wish for our lives to improve in the New Year of 1996 we must begin the process with ourselves. The world will never improve any more than the people who live in it improve. And we can not improve if we do not get busy and try to do whatever is best not only for us and our families but is right and good for our neighbors down the street, the adjoining countries to the north and south or to our allies across the water. Improving our lives can not help but improve the rest of the world a little bit, even if it is just in our own little circle.

When we do a kindness for someone, it makes them feel like returning the kindness either to us or to someone else. Just think every little hello, every little kindness, every compliment, every little improvement we make can be sent out to millions if we will only take the time to be nice to each and everyone we meet each day. Not only do we feel better but each life we touch will feel better and in response will make each person they meet feel better too, just like the domino effect.

If we want our lives to become better, we are the only ones who can do anything about it. We can not depend on any other person to give us happiness, health, good habits, or thankfulness. We alone can change our habits whether they are good or bad ones. Only you can take good care of your health. The same goes for you wealth, only you can make it grow or let it slip through your hands—after all true happiness can never depend on "things". If we try to go that route, we soon find that we begin to want more and more "things" to make us happy and then only for a short while are we content with the "things" before we begin to look around for something else to once again bring that happy glow to our eyes. But if we depend on "ourselves" for our happiness we can find many ways of entertainment that will truly bring us joy.

So as we sit with pen in hand to do our "New Year's Resolutions" let us not try to put down so many things that it will be impossible to keep the resolutions but let us put down some common, ordinary resolutions that we can keep—smiling at our neighbor when we meet, not scowling, giving a friendly pat on the back for a good job well done and just generally trying all the year to be in a better mood for our fellow man.

Happy New Year To You And Yours  
May It Be A Wonderful One!

A very special lady is having a birthday on December 31, 1995. Ava Hawkins will have her 106 birthday that day. If you can find the time, drop a card her way to wish her a happy birthday.



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**OBITUARY**

**Billie Shugart**

Billie Gene Brummett Shugart of Taft California died December 24, 1995, at the age of 70 years. She was preceded in death by her husband, Tom, and her daughter, Rebecca.

Billie Gene was born in Gasoline, Texas to Will and Velma Brummett. She attended grade school in Gasoline and high school in Quitaque.

She is survived by two daughters, Joslyn and Kathy, three grandchildren, Shane, Eric and Billy Joe, all of California; three brothers, Allen Brummett, Maxwell Brummett, Derl Brummett and five sisters, Juanita, Marie, Joy, Sharon and Delores.

Interment will be at 2 p.m., Thursday, December 28, 1995 at Westside Cemetery in Taft, California.

**Turkey News**

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Eudy, Marshall, Gracie and Parker of Austin had lunch with Lewis and Mozelle Eudy Sunday while celebrating Christmas.

Byron Young spent Christmas visiting in Colleyville with Gary Young and family. He also visited his sister, Vera Guest in Arlington.

**Star Of Bethlehem**

by Mozelle Eudy  
 I had heard on TV that we could see the Star of Bethlehem at dark by looking south and west underneath the moon. Lewis and I drove west of town and waited.

It was the brightest and most beautiful star we had ever seen simply radiant! It made a perfect ending of the Christmas Day.

We came home and called lots of friends and family to enjoy the beauty. This was the first time in forty years that the star had been seen and will be forty years before it will be seen again.

**Philip Hancock Home Destroyed By Fire**

Courtesy; Memphis Democrat  
 The rural home of Philip and Danna Hancock, located in the Deep Lake area just northwest of the Oxbow bridge was destroyed by fire on Wednesday night, Dec. 13, at about midnight.

According to family members, the fire started from a butane gas leak and gave Philip and his wife only time to grab their two children and flee the home.

The family lost everything except a few keepsakes they had in drawers they grabbed. Also, firemen, after the blaze, were able to find Danna's wedding ring.

Memphis firemen rolled to the scene but the 20 miles delayed them.

Area citizens have responded to the tragedy in many ways, and Philip, Danna, Jacob and Colleen will have a Christmas this year even though the presents were lost in the fire.

In a thank you message, the family extended appreciation to those who have assisted. Donations to help this young couple may be made at local banks or First United Methodist Church in Memphis.

They are presently making their home with Philip's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hancock.

A wise lover values not so much the gift of the lover as the love of the giver.  
 —Thomas A. Kempis

**Look Who's New**

**Brianna Michelle Callaway**

Brian and Twyla Gallaway of Bovina are proud to announce the arrival of Brianna Michelle. She was born December 17, 1995 in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed 7 lbs. 8 oz. and was 20 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Phil and Linda Lemons of Quitaque and Martha and Donnie Callaway of Plainview. Great-grandparents are W.T. and Lavern Cooper of Lockney.

**Greeting Cards Needed**

Ed McMahon has a project that he would like for all our readers to help out on.

By recycling used greeting cards, the abused and neglected children of a children's home near Las Vegas can earn a little pocket money.

By sending the Fronts of attractive greeting cards to St. Jude's Ranch for Children, 100 St. Jude's St., Boulder City, NV 89005, the children can recycle them.

For additional information about St. Jude's Ranch for Children, readers can write to the Rev. Herbert A. Ward Jr.

**On the QT**

Visitors with Kay Beavers over the weekend were her grandchildren, Courtney and Chloe. Also, she had three of her sons visiting and one called to wish her a merry Christmas. She reported a very nice time.

Ruby King and Joyce Price went to Dallas to visit with Jane Hawkins and family over the holidays.

While there Joyce went to Ft. Worth to visit with her daughters as well as friends.

David, Wanda and Daron Purcell of Palestine visited with brother and sister and families in Quitaque over the Christmas holiday.

It is very foolish to insist on being the only one who is right.  
 —La Rochefoucauld

**Forest Service Offers Low-Cost Seedlings**

'Tis the season to plant your windbreaks, wildlife plantings and tree crops, so grab your seedling list, check it twice, and contact the Texas Forest Service's Indian Mound Nursery.

The nursery offers a variety of low-cost pine and hardwood seedlings to private landowners planning reforestation projects. (These seedlings aren't intended for landscaping or ornamental use.)

"We have plenty," Joan Landrum, nursery office manager, says of this year's million-plus crop.

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For more information, contact the nursery: call (409) 858-4202; fax (409) 858-4303; or write, Indian Mound Nursery, P.O. Box 617, Alto, Texas 75925-0617.

**Defensive Driving Course Offered**

WTAMU will present a six-hour defensive-driving course from 6-9 p.m. Monday, January 8 and Tuesday, January 9. Preregistration is required and a fee will be charged.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roye Pigg

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Eudy

**December 29**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lane

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Jordan

**December 30**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Rex Fuston

Mr. and Mrs. Michie Maupin

**December 31**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Brian Martin

**January 3**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wayne Taylor

**Happy Birthday**

**December 28**  
 Amanda Mullin, Kathy Fuston, Leticia Galvan

**December 29**  
 Jana Rogers, Barbara Saul, Chris Abram, Peggy Irby

**December 30**  
 Ty Baracley, Billy Don Hughes, Hollie McKay, Santiago Martinez, Neil Guest

**December 31**  
 Ava Hawkins, Dianne Washington, Tiffany Woods, Koree Price

**January 1**  
 Johnnie Morrison, Rick Mullin

**January 2**  
 Connie Franks, Elizabeth Monk, Landon Trey Price, Connie Howard

**January 3**  
 Chambray Smith, Frank Lane, Jan Lane, Shawn Edwards

**January 4**  
 Jennifer Longbine

**Lighting Contest Winners Announced**

by Jimmy Davidson

Quitaque Lions announced the winners in Commercial and Residential Christmas Lighting Contest. Out of town judges awarded Karol's Kountry Korner, First Place and Farley's Flowers & Variety, Second Place in the Commercial Division.

In the Residential Division, First Place went to the home of Trent and Wanda McKay and Second Place went to the home of Finies and Henrietta Scoggins.

The judges were very complimentary of the entire town and gave the First National Bank honorable mention in the Commercial Division. They also stated that there were fourteen homes that could have been considered for awards.

The Lions Club will award cash prizes to the four winners. The club appreciated everyone for their participation in lighting our little city for this Christmas season. It is simply great the pride that is shown in our town.

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 The art of pleasing consists in being pleased.  
 —William Hazlitt

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Stephen L. Rohde & J. Michael Criswell announce the opening of an office in Silvertown beginning January 2, 1996. The Silvertown office will be open and a lawyer will be present every Thursday from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. and at other times by appointment. The principal office of the law firm is located in Tulia, Texas.

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JAN. 4-6  
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Nov. 16-Childress, here	4:00
Nov. 20-Spur, there	4:00
Nov. 27-Lorenzo, here	4:00
Dec. 4-Petersburg, there	4:00
Dec. 11-Silverton, there	4:00
Dec. 18-Motley Co., here	4:00
Jan. 8-Spur, here	4:00
Jan. 15-Lorenzo, there	4:00
Jan. 20-Motley Co. Tournament	TBA
Jan. 22-Petersburg, here	4:00
Jan. 29-Silverton, here	4:00
Feb. 3-Valley Tournament	TBA
Feb. 5-Motley Co., there	4:00

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Nov. 14-Patton Girls, there	6:00
Nov. 17-Silverton, there	4:00
Nov. 21-Happy, there	4:00
Nov. 28-Lakeview, there	6:30
Dec. 1-Open	
Dec. 5-Paducah, there	4:00
Dec. 7-Valley Tournament	TBA
Dec. 12-Memphis, there	4:00
Dec. 15-Patton, here	6:30
Dec. 18-Motley Co. JV Tourn.	TBA
Dec. 19-Lakeview, here	6:30
Dec. 28-29-Groom Tournament	TBA
Jan. 2-Silverton, there	4:00
Jan. 4-6-Silverton Tourn.	TBA
Jan. 9-Spur, here	4:00
Jan. 12-Lorenzo, there	6:30
Jan. 13-Valley JV Tourn.	TBA
Jan. 16-Petersburg, here	4:00
Jan. 19-Vernon Northside, here	5:30
Jan. 23-Motley Co., there	4:00
Jan. 25-Spur, there	4:00
Jan. 30-Lorenzo, here	4:00
Feb. 2-Petersburg, there	4:00
Feb. 9-Motley Co., here	4:00
4:00-JV Girls; 5:00 JV Boys;	
6:30-Var. Girls; 7:30-Var. Boys	

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# Yesteryear

Taken from *The Quitaque Post* Thursday, December 29, 1938

## Former School Mates Enjoy Gatherings

Miss Willie Mae Grundy was hostess at her home Saturday night at a Christmas Eve gathering of former school mates of Quitaque schools—and the husbands and wives they have acquired from near and far.

Tables were arranged for games but these soon dissolved into "gab fests" and these old friends having much to say to each other, the atmosphere was sparkling with repartee.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Grundy of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hopkins, Jr., of Roy, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stroup of Bristol, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Alton Johnston, Miss Rosemary Price of Hobbs, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hedgecock of Tucumcari, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Winston Savage of Pampa, Miss Mary Ollie Persons of Amarillo, Miss Allie Mae Tipps of Clarksville, Rucker and Kelly Tipps of Wichita Falls, Miss Lois Hall of Lubbock, Roy Burgess, Miss Bernice Grundy, Miss Dede Brittain of Plainview and Virgil Gregg of Hedley.

Aside from the report of these gatherings but pertinent to those who know these young people is the fact that the little city of Quitaque has reason to be proud of this representative group of her natives. Nearly every one of these young men and women have acquired a higher education, some of them through sheer determination and perseverance and are fairly launched on careers that will be a source of pride to all of us who can say "we knew them when." Quitaque has reason to boast of her younger generation.

## Mrs. Sue Burton Died Friday Morning

The Grim Reaper after hovering for more than a month, over the patient spirit of one of the town's best loved characters, claimed his own in the early morning hours last Friday morning, and took the ready and willing soul of Mother Burton to be united with loved ones who have gone before.

Allan B. Dorsey of Cheyenne, Wyo., spent Christmas with his brother R. E. Dorsey and family.

## Bottom Line Farming Course Offered

Clarendon College will offer the "Bottom Line Farming" curriculum on financial management in agriculture in Clarendon and Wellington during the month of January. The Clarendon class will be taught at the college and will be a day class. The class will start on January 3, 1996 at 8:00 A.M. and go until 5:00 P.M. on that day. The balance of the 36 hour course will be on January 4, 5, 8 and 9 from 7:30 A.M. until 3:30 P.M., with all days having a one hour lunch break.

Registration for these Clarendon College Continuing Education classes will be held the first class meeting for each class. Spouses are encouraged to attend. This class meets the requirements for financial training of the C.F.S.A. (formerly FmHA) if you have any questions please contact Dr. Donald L. Williams at 806-874-2313, Clarendon College, or your local CFSA office.

The same course will be taught in Wellington at the high school. This course, however, will be taught in the evenings and Saturdays. The Wellington class will start on January 4, 1996 at 6:00 P.M. and finish at 10:00 P.M. Other 6-10 classes will be held on January 5, 8, 9 and 10. On January 6 and January 13 (Saturdays), the class will start at 8:00 A.M. and conclude at 5:00 P.M.

## Caprock Public Library News

by *Arlene Hinkle*  
New books at Caprock Public Library include: *Home Station* by Jeanne Williams. Ms. Williams' latest novel is set in Bountiful, Kansas, which has a train depot and a few houses, but it is on the proposed line to Texas and the town begins to boom. A historical romance with all the peculiarities of small town life.

*Showdown at Drowning Creek* by Jake Logan. This is a western adventure with plenty of action.

For juveniles: Two audio books; *The Story of Peter Pan* told by Glynis Johns and *Hank the Cowdog and the Middle Pasture* told by John Erickson.

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## FLOMOT NEWS

Mrs. A. D. Moseley visited from Saturday until Tuesday and celebrated the holidays with her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. James Davis in Lamesa. Other guests were Jill Davis of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Shawn Holladay and Katie of Lamesa and Jim Davis of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin were in Lubbock Tuesday and again Thursday to be with her brother-in-law Bob Lane of Lockney, a patient in Methodist Hospital following surgery Tuesday.

## Cotton Marketing Workshops

The new federal farm bill appears to be heading toward more flexibility for farmers to respond to the market as they decide what crops to plant, says an agricultural economist and management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. But that means farmers must become more skilled in using available marketing tools, he says.

Each workshop will begin at 9 a.m. and end at 5 p.m. There will be a registration fee. Spouses are encouraged to attend; each husband and wife will pay only one fee. Registration should be made in advance with local county extension agents.

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-Psalm 8

*However breathtaking they may be, the accomplishments of man only serve to remind us of the greatness of God, who created heaven and earth, and gave us the dominion we now enjoy. The sense of awe brought back to earth by our astronauts inspires us anew with reverence for God's majesty. That awe is at the very heart of worship- we invite you to come together in praising the mighty works of the Lord at Sunday services in the church of your choice.*

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**Weekly Schedule of Meetings SUNDAY:**  
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.  
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Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.  
**MONDAY:**  
Women's Missionary Society.....4:00 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
Prayer Meeting.....8:00 p.m.
- MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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**MONDAY:**  
Mission.....4:00 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
Prayer Meeting.....8:00 p.m.
- UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Turkey, Texas  
Pastor: Les Hall  
**Weekly Schedule of Meetings SUNDAY:**  
Morning Worship.....9:30 a.m.  
Church School.....10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship  
1st & 3rd Sundays.....6:00 p.m.  
**MONDAYS (1st & 3rd):**  
United Methodist Women.....4:00 p.m.
- ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Turkey, Texas  
Sister Joyce Blum, F.S.P.A.  
**SUNDAY:**  
Sunday School.....11:00 a.m.  
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**NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF AMOS D. PERSONS, DECEASED**  
Administration of the Estate of Amos D. Persons, Deceased, has been commenced by the issuance of original Letters of Testamentary to Wreathel L. Persons on the 20th day of December, 1995, by the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas, acting in Cause No. 1346, styled Estate of Amos D. Persons, Deceased, in which Court the matter is pending.  
All persons having claims against the Estate are hereby notified to present them within the time prescribed by law. The address to which claims may be presented is:  
Lex S. Herrington  
c/o Carr, Fouts, Hunt & Wolfe, L.L.P.  
P.O. Box 2585  
Lubbock, Texas 79408-2585  
Attorney for Executrix  
Dated the 22nd day of December, 1995.  
Lex S. Herrington 28 1tp

**NOTICE**

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**BID NOTICE**

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The family of Telia Gilmore wishes to thank everyone for the cards, food, flowers, prayers and memorials, and to thank the ladies for the delicious meal they prepared for us during our time of sorrow.  
Judy and Cleo Jordan  
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Hall County  
Carolyn Foster
- Commissioner Precinct #1 Re-election**  
Briscoe County  
Aaron Younger
- Sheriff Election**  
Hall County  
Steve Farley
- County Attorney Election**  
Hall County  
Stuart Messer
- Sheriff Election**  
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