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Valley Girls Still Floydada Tournament Champions

The Valley High girls successfully defended their championship of the Floydada Tournament, once again defeating the host Whirlettes 47-46 in the finals last Saturday night. The Valley boys lost to Post in the consolation finals, 67-63, after giving Lubbock Christian High a run for the money in the first round before losing 57-54.

The Valley girls actually won their game in the first quarter of play for they came out hitting on all cylinders, scoring 12 points before the Whirlettes made a single point; in fact, the Whirlettes only had the ball on their end of the court three times and were sopped by the fighting Patriots. In fact, the Floydada crew did not score a field goal during the first five and one-half minutes of play. By that time the Patriots led 14-2, then pushed the lead to 18-2. From that point to the final buzzer it was sort of downhill for the Valley girls, for Eva Cheatham was in foul trouble before the first period was over and had to sit out all the second period and fouled out with about five minutes left in the game.

Due to church Christmas parties scheduled for December 19, the 4-H Adult Leaders' Association Meeting scheduled for 7:30 p.m. will begin at 6:00 p.m. This is an important meeting, because plans for the County Livestock Show January 4 will be finalized. The meeting will still be in the Pioneer Room at the First State Bank in Silverton. By starting promptly at 6:00 p.m. it will be finished in time for those wishing to attend church parties to do so.

The Valley girls won over Lubbock Christian High 76-49 in the first round of play. Michelle Lipscomb led the scoring parade in the game with 26 points. Valley defeated Lockney 60-44 in the second round, sparked by Janna Turner with 27. Janna Turner scored 19 points against Floydada, Eva Cheatham 13, Sherice Price 9 and Michelle Lipscomb 6.

Left here early Sunday morning, November 24th, and rode to Richardson with Tad Persons. He had been here Saturday night for the program at the Masonic Lodge, where his Dad received his fifty-year Masonic pin. Tad lives in Richardson, not too far from S. T.'s, so he took me right to S. T.'s door. We had a nice day and pleasant trip together.

I remained at S. T.'s until Tuesday morning at which time Esther took me to Tyler where Barney met us, and we had lunch together at the Holiday Inn. From there to Barney's home for the night, then early the next morning, the 27th, Barney and I drove to Shreveport, Louisiana, to visit my sister, who is in a rest home there. We also visited with other relatives there. Then we drove about 45 miles east of there to Castor, Louisiana, and had a short visit with relatives, and from there we drove back to Barney's home, arriving there just at dark.

The next day Emily Margaret had, beside myself, her mother and husband, and their three children and families, with their two grandchildren, for a wonderful Thanksgiving (turkey) dinner, and did we eat! The next morning, Friday, we all went back to Richardson and spent that night. The next morning, Saturday, we all met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Taylor, jr., for a Bogan get-together, and you talk about a delegation! They were there. Almost 25 people, including Mrs. Taylor's mother. If you could see some of the pictures taken there you would have some idea of what a good time we had there. Incidentally, four of the group there were great-grandchildren of mine. I am proud of each one of them. Many, many thanks.

Rogers Service Will Be Sunday Afternoon Tulia Employment Office Serves Swisher, Briscoe Co.

Funeral services for John T. Rogers, 81, will be conducted Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Quitaque. Arrangements are being made with the Quitaque Funeral Home.

Mr. Rogers died about 3:00 p.m. Tuesday at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview.

Mr. Rogers, born in Rogers, Arkansas, had been a resident of Briscoe County since 1908.

He married Thetis Swinney in 1922 at Bridle Bit.

He was a retired farmer and a member of the First Baptist Church, Masonic Lodge 1248 and the Eastern Star.

Survivors include the widow; one son, J. T. Rogers, jr., of Plainview; two daughters, Mrs. Coleen Taylor of Quitaque and Mrs. Cleota Burns of Norwalk, California; 11 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mrs. Steve Jennings, the former Vanessa Robison, was in the Valley Tribune office Monday afternoon in the interest of helping the unemployed, the underemployed and those on the Welfare Program to find jobs.

The employers contact the employment agency and, as you know, they have certain standards to meet to qualify for the program, so they have the final say in employing a person. The person hired must meet these standards.

Anyone is permitted an interview, and will receive courteous help in any way possible in trying to find employment for those interested. We thought you may not be aware that the Tulia office serves both counties.

If interested, go to the basement of the Swisher County Courthouse to the Employment Commission office. This is a separate part from the Commission, but they have representatives there to help you.

Services Conducted For Ashby Askew

Services for Ashby Askew, 81, of Muleshoe, were held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, December 14, in Northside Church of Christ in Muleshoe with L. F. McCormick and Van McCormick, ministers, officiating. Burial was in Muleshoe Cemetery under direction of the Singleton-Elis Funeral Home.

Askew died at 5 p.m. Wednesday, December 11, at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Big Spring.

Born in McCaskill, Arkansas, Askew had been a Bailey County resident 30 years, moving there from Turkey.

Askew was a veteran of World War I and was a retired farmer and a member of the Church of Christ in Muleshoe. He married the former Ethel Brewer November 21, 1920 in Turkey.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Travis of Albuquerque, New Mexico and Lynn of Dallas; six sisters, Mrs. Leona Stephens of Blythe, California, Pearl Askew and Mrs. Ethel Clary, both of Globe, Arizona, Mrs. Mary Stevenson of Lubbock; Mrs. Snow Stokes of Mountain View, California and Mrs. Esther Magley of Muleshoe; three brothers, Arthur of Muleshoe, Noah of Springdale, Arkansas and Pete of Globe, Arizona; 10 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Therna Farley, who is a sister to Mrs. Askew, went to Muleshoe for the funeral.

to the Taylors for such a wonderful meal, and good time together. I remained at S. T.'s until Thursday morning, the 5th. I caught a bus for Childress, where Mary Ollie met me and I arrived home about 3:30 p.m. I enjoyed all of the trip, and was truly glad to get home. I still believe in the old saying "there is no place like home." I love Quitaque. Merry Christmas to everyone!

(Mr. Bogan said all his children were present for the reunion but the youngest, Lit Bogan, and his family, and one granddaughter, the oldest daughter of Mrs. Jerald Gaddy and her husband, Clarence Taylor is a half-brother to the first Mrs. Sid Bogan (Mabel). His father, Clarence Taylor, sr. put up the first gin at Gasoline.)

Johnnie Powell and Miss Lardone Vermillion of Shamrock spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. David Blume, Julie and Christopher of Amarillo, visited over the weekend with relatives and friends.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Lila Ramsey reported that a skunk came into their back yard and attacked their dog and then made his escape toward the Paymaster Gin. Since the skunk was hostile and made his appearance in daylight, Lila fears it is rabid and everyone might be very careful and on the watch for the animal.

Jack Hutton To Be In Turkey Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutton will be in Turkey Sunday and Jack, who is on leave from his missionary post in Malawi, Africa, will speak and show slides concerning his work in Africa at both the morning and evening services at the Turkey Church of Christ.

Mr. Hutton is a former minister of the Turkey Church of Christ.

Everyone is invited to attend the services.

A. E. Gragon entered Central Plains Hospital in Plainview and underwent surgery there Monday. He came through the surgery in good condition, according to report. His wife has been with him since Sunday. Several from Quitaque went over for the surgery.

On Tuesday of last week, Minnie Mae Roberson, accompanied by Mrs. Edna Taylor and Mrs. Mabel Wilson, drove to Plainview to do some Christmas shopping. As the ladies got out of the car, Mrs. Taylor slammed the door on her thumb on her left hand. She was taken to Dr. Weidenbach immediately, where he determined it was broken. He set the thumb and the wound required four stitches to close. Needless to say, Mrs. Taylor didn't get much shopping done. She was in the doctors office most of the afternoon.

Carl Lee Crumley of Amarillo spent last Saturday and Sunday in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Coker.

Mr. and Mrs. Michie Maupin drove to Estelline Sunday to visit Berene's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Smith went to Silverton Sunday to visit their children, the J. W. Lacy family, and on Monday drove to Childress on business.

Mayfields Honored On Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mayfield were honored on their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday, December 15, with a reception held in the Bank Community Room. The children of the Mayfields were hosts for the occasion.

Guests were greeted by the honorees and their children. They were registered by Mrs. Gene Mayfield, a daughter-in-law.

Refreshments of cake squares and frosted golden punch were served by two granddaughters, Karen Mayfield and Mrs. Rhon Stewart and a girlfriend of a grandson. The serving table was laid with a gold cloth with a gold net overlay. It was centered with an arrangement featuring a golden candle, which was lighted, surrounded with fresh golden daisies and frosted pine burrs around which wedding bells were nestled in greenery.

The registration table featured an arrangement of a gold cross with wedding bells at its base, sent to the Mayfields by Charlie Wolf, a former resident of Quitaque who was a neighbor of the Mayfields. Mrs. Wendell Farley added gold mums to make a very attractive arrangement.

The couple received many beautiful and useful gifts. The children installed a clothes dryer in the Mayfield home. Mr. Mayfield gave his wife a Lazy Boy recliner. Other gifts included a cannister set, sheet set, blanket, four 50th anniversary plates, cake plates, including a footed cake plate, a gold rimmed fruit bowl given by Mrs. D. C. Duck, a good friend, two books, entitled "Harvest of Gold" and "Apples of Gold" and many other items too numerous to mention. Everything was in gold to match the occasion.

Visitors from out of town included the children: Mr. and Mrs. Graves Mayfield and daughter, Karen, of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mayfield, Steve and Stan of Canyon and their married daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Stewart c Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mayfield, Ty and Todd of Sonora; and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Richmond, Sandy and Mandy of Anson.

Also attending were two sisters of Mr. Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith of Portales, New Mexico and Mrs. Dexter Ward of Lubbock; a nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alger Farley of Shallowater; and a longtime neighbor and friend, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Boggs of Tulia.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Mobile Blood Bank of the Coffee Memorial Center in Amarillo will be in Quitaque Monday, December 23, located on Merrell Food parking lot, from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. Anyone who gives a pint of blood is insured for one year if you are hospitalized and need blood. This is something new and something of great benefit. If you are interested, see Bill Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gregg of Amarillo spent from Friday until Sunday morning with the Buddy Morris'.

Marvin Reynolds Buried Sunday

Funeral services for Marvin Reynolds, 68, were conducted at the First Baptist Church in Silverton at 3:00 p.m. Sunday with the Rev. Larry Wilson, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Silverton Cemetery, with arrangements under the direction of the Silverton Funeral Home.

Mr. Reynolds died on Thursday of last week at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia.

Born June 23, 1906 at Quail, he married Miss Marguerite Sumner on January 24, 1931. He had lived in Briscoe County for 40 years. He was a self employed painter and had been employed at the Briscoe County courthouse prior to his illness. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Silverton.

He is survived by his widow; three daughters, Mrs. Freddie Hamilton of Dimmitt, Mrs. Billy Ray Ford of Silverton and Mrs. Dianne Sperry of Tulia; two sons, W. W. Reynolds of Electra and Jerry Reynolds of Hitchcock; a sister, Mrs. G. W. Sumner of Wichita Falls; two brothers, M. L. Reynolds of Norman, Oklahoma and E. A. Reynolds of El Paso; and eight grandchildren.

VALLEY JUNIOR BOYS WIN CHAMPIONSHIP AT TULIA

The Valley Junior High boys took the championship of the Tulia Tournament last weekend, winning over Tulia in the finals. We did not receive any scores on this tournament.

The Junior High girls played Slaton in the first round of play and lost, and then lost to Dimmitt in the second round of play.

Mrs. Lois Harris of Amarillo called Mrs. Leona Morris Monday morning and said her sister, Mrs. C. P. Richmond, who suffered a heart attack recently, is doing as well as can be expected. Her brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carter of Dallas, flew up Sunday and they and Mrs. Harris drove to Tulia to visit Mrs. Richmond. The Carters flew back to Dallas Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Walters of Muleshoe visited Mrs. Delilah McFall Tuesday at noon. Mrs. McFall had known Mr. Walters several years and had not seen him in four years. She had never met his wife. They enjoyed the get-together.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jameson are the proud parents of a baby son, Bradley Dain, who was born Wednesday, December 4 in Central Plains Hospital, Plainview. He weighed 7 lbs. and 13 ozs. and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones of Turkey and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jameson of Matador. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jameson of Matador. Mrs. L. A. Jones of Turkey, Mrs. H. L. Gillmore of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Clark of Flomot are great-great-grandparents of the new arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. James May attended the wedding of his nephew, David May, in the Martin Baptist Church in Clarendon Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. He and his wife will live in Canyon where he is attending college.



BRENDA WINTERS
LECK FUSTON
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Miss Brown, Burson Win College Honors

In an Awards ceremony at the Harned Fine Arts Center in Clarendon, Lynita Brown of Groom and John Burson of Silverton were named "Mr. and Miss Clarendon College."

Miss Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Groom, is a sophomore majoring in general education.

Burson, a sophomore history major, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Burson of Silverton.

Other awards were presented to Brenda Winters, Pampa freshman named "Most Beautiful," Leck Fuston, freshman from Turkey named "Most Handsome" and Ann Vincent of Lefors and Archie Hughes, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, "Most Athletic."

Rhonda Brittenum of Kansas City, Missouri and Frank Griffin of Gruver were cited for having "Most School Spirit."

"Sophomore Class Favorites" for the year are Beth Rutledge of Canadian and John Burson.

"Freshman Class Favorites" are Marie Wieberg of Groom and Leck Fuston.

Fuston is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Fuston of Turkey. In addition to the other honors he received, he was named "Most Western" by the Clarendon College students. Leck is a freshman at Clarendon College majoring in Veterinary Medicine and is active in the Sportsman Club of the college.

Year End Singing To Be Held At Tell

A YEAR END SINGING is to be held at Tell, Texas, in the First Methodist Church, Tuesday, December 31, beginning at 7:00 o'clock in the evening through 12:00 midnight. Everyone is invited.



We Wish Happy Holidays For All
Our Friends And Customers

CHRISTMAS WEEKEND SPECIALS

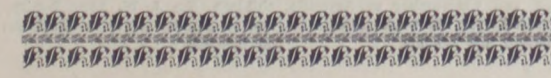
Double Stamps Friday Through Tuesday

We Will Be Closed Wed. and Thurs.

CRISCO SHORTENING	3 lb.	\$1.89
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR	5 lb.	89c
CARNATION MILK	Tall 3 for	79c
HUNTS FRUIT COCKTAIL	300 can	39c
DEL MONTE SLICED PEACHES	303 can	39c
Del Monte Pineapple Chunks	no. 2	49c
Ocean Spray Cranberry Sauce	300 can	43c
BAKERS CHOCOLATE CHIPS	12 oz.	65c
BAKERS COCONUT	3 1/2 oz.	35c
DROMEDARY PITTED DATES	1 lb.	69c
Del Monte Cut Green Beans	303 can 3 for	99c
Del Monte Corn wk or cs	303 can 3 for	89c
Reynolds Aluminum Foil	Reg.	33c
SARA LEE MINCE PIES	32 oz.	\$1.39
GRADE A MED. EGGS	doz.	77c
BLUEBONNET OLEO	1 lb.	65c
Cloverlake Whipping Cream	1/2pt.	45c
CLOVERLAKE EGG NOG	qt.	89c
NORBEST TURKEY HENS	lb.	57c
NORBEST TURKEY TOMS	lb.	55c
CHUCK ROAST	lb.	79c
T-BONE STEAK	lb.	\$1.45
GROUND BEEF	lb.	85c
LONGHORN BACON SLAB	lb.	\$1.09
DELICIOUS APPLES	3 lbs.	89c
NAVEL ORANGES	5 lb.	89c
CRANBERRIES	lb.	39c
SWEET POTATOES	3 lb.	59c
CELERY	each	19c
YELLOW ONIONS	lb.	7c
LETTUCE	lb.	19c
RUSSET POTATOES	5 lb.	69c
PECANS	lb.	75c
WALNUTS	lb.	45c

COUCH FOOD

Turkey, Texas



DEAR SANTA,
How is it up at the North Pole. I hope it is well. I wish you would bring me a race track, a big one, and a minibicycle and a Seadiver, and an EVEL KNEIVEL set.
David Landry

DEAR SANTA,
My name is Kelly Jo Patrick. I am five years old. I say that I have been real good. Mother, Daddy, Joe Edd, Jeanelle, Jana, Joe Kirk and Jeane say I have been kinda good. I want a robot from you.
Merry Christmas.
Oh, yes, be sure and go see my granny. She likes toys.
Kelly Jo Patrick
Quitaque, Texas

DEAR SANTA,
I have been a good boy. Please bring me some nice toys for Christmas.
Billy Robison

DEAR SANTA CLAUS,
Is it cold in the North Pole? I wrote this letter because I wanted to see how you are feeling. Because I don't want it to be like The Year Without Santa Claus. I'll have a black Christmas without. Have I been good this year? I hope so.
by Randy Fuston

Mrs. D. J. Anderson drove to Clarendon, to Howardwick, and spent the weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Foster and Shannon of Hereford, in their mobile home. She reports a very good weekend visit.

Mrs. Grady L. Tyler spent the weekend with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Simmons, in Sweetwater.

Mrs. Paul Sublett and Becky visited relatives and friends in

Shamrock over the weekend.

Bonnie Davidson of Amarillo spent from Friday until Monday with her grandmother, Mrs. Estelle Davidson. Mrs. Davidson took her home Monday and visited her son, Fred Davidson, and his family until Thursday. She returned to Tulia and visited her daughter and family, the S. B. McCrackens, overnight, returning home Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lusk of Memphis visited Mrs. Yolán Roberson and Minnie Mae Roberson Sunday afternoon for a short time. They were enroute to Tulia to attend a Singing.

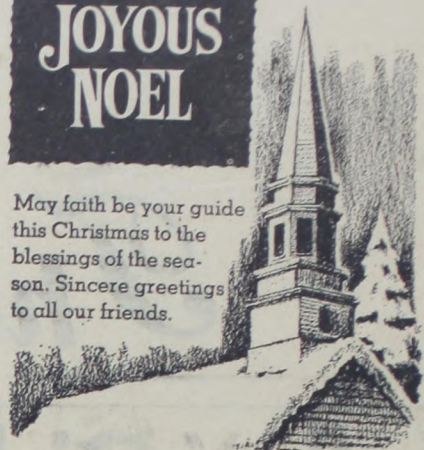
Mrs. Olive Owens and Mrs. Bill Ebbs of Plainview spent Monday at Mrs. Owens' home in Quitaque. Mrs. Owens attended to business while here. The Gaston Owens visited Mrs. Owens, the Ebbs, and Eddie Sunday in Plainview.



RUNT, FLORENE, JAN COBB

JOYOUS NOEL

May faith be your guide this Christmas to the blessings of the season. Sincere greetings to all our friends.



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May the Holy Infant bless you and yours with peace & lasting joy!

Paulette Shop
Ralph and Juanita
Meacham

Christmas JOY



We'd like to join in on the chorus of good wishes to you during this holiday season!

Setliff Mill
and Elevator
Turkey

Tex Watson talks about The Cost of Natural Gas

It's logical that Pioneer customers should ask why they are paying more for the energy they use in their homes. We are eager to have them understand why.

There is a lot of natural gas in West Texas, but we still must buy the gas in competition with other gas users across the country. To assure the people of West Texas that they will have the gas they need, now and in the future, we must pay the going price for new gas. Not only gas for our homes is involved, but most people's jobs depend on gas to run business and industry.

The gas is available, but we must pay the going price to get it. That price is reflected on your gas bill as a "cost of gas adjustment." I'm sure you don't like it. Neither do I. But I'm sure you agree that we must have the gas to run the homes and businesses of West Texas.

All energy will cost more in the future, but be assured that the Natural Energy Home will still be the way to go.



Earl Nightingale, internationally known lecturer and broadcast personality



K. Bert (Tex) Watson, president of Pioneer Natural Gas Company, is a native of West Texas, a chemical engineer and lawyer by training and in his 20th year with your gas company.