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Post Enduro Race Upcoming In Turkey

by George Colvin
 The Post Enduro Motorcycle Race national competition will be held in and around Turkey this weekend on Saturday, September 30 and Sunday October 1, 1996. Racing will begin at 2 p.m. on Saturday and last until 6 p.m. On Sunday racing will start at 8 a.m. and continue until approximately 3 p.m.

Some competitors will probably start arriving by the time this edition of the *Valley Tribune* hits the news stand and mail boxes. Entries will be from all over the United States and Canada. It is expected to be more than double the number of entries that were here earlier this year. Turkey is very fortunate to have this competition held here.

As in the past, some of the Turkey streets in the northwest part of town will be blocked off, when the races begin flag men will be stationed at these locations. These streets are first and second from Main north, Bell and Childress Streets from First to Fourth, Third and Fourth Streets north, Denver Street West from Fifth, and Fifth Street north. The rest of the Saturday competition will be in open non-residential area.

Sunday the race will start and end around the Fire Station where the headquarters will be located. Second Street north across Trailway to the county road going west to the first north and south county road and will follow it then until they head into the ranch country. The county road from Bell Ranch to Turkey starting at 8 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and again at 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. will be the race track.

If an emergency exists and you need to get into the area involved, contact the flag men so all can be on the lookout for you. We certainly don't want an accident to happen and someone badly hurt. The race is being picked up by the wire service and Turkey certainly doesn't need bad publicity.

I'm sure this will be an inconvenience to a few of us. However, let's treat our visitors like we would like to be treated if we were to go visit their city or home town. If the weather is nice, go out and watch some of the races. Visit with some of the visitors, let them know we enjoy them choosing our town for their national meet.

A map of the race sites is on the inside of the paper.

Sanders Named Interim Pastor for First Baptist Church

Terry Sanders, of Plainview has been hired by the First Baptist Church as their interim pastor. Terry is Director of Denominational Services at Wayland University.

Terry graduated from Hardin Simmons in Abilene and Southwestern Baptist Seminary in Fort. Worth.

Valley Homecoming
 Game
 Friday
 October 6, 1995
 with Vega

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Sep. 20	—	53	71
Sep. 21	.38	44	71
Sep. 22	—	40	45
Sep. 23	—	42	58
Sep. 24	—	43	73
Sep. 25	.70	49	58
Sep. 26	.50	49	68

Lee And Friends To Appear Here

Dennis Lee, a ventriloquist that will entertain both young and old alike, along with a multitude of his friends will present a program at Valley School on Monday, October 2nd at 1 p.m.

He will also appear at the First Baptist Church in Quitaque at 7 p.m. that same day. Dennis Lee and "Nanna Puddin" productions were at the church a year ago during the fall revival. He and his friends performed to a packed church of children and adults. He kept everyone rolling with laughter.

This will be a very entertaining and enjoyable time and the entire area are asked to come and participate. There will also be a free hot dog supper for all school age children beginning at 5:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Quitaque.

Come on out, don't miss this wonderful time with family and friends.

4—H Pet Show Scheduled

by Ronda Alexander
 The Briscoe County 4-H program will again be celebrating National 4-H Week with their annual Pet Show on Tuesday, October 3 at the Showbarn in Silverton. The Pet Show is open to any youth in Briscoe County who is interested in participating. 4-H membership is not required. However, this is the perfect opportunity to learn more about 4-H and what it has to offer.

Registration will begin at 5 p.m. and the Pet Show will begin at 5:30 p.m. The entry fee per class will be twenty-five cents. Ribbons will be presented to the winners in each class and special awards will be presented to all participants.

The classes for this year's Pet Show will be: Master-Pet Look Alike, Best Trick, Best Costume, Cutest Pet, Most Unusual, Happiest Face, Saddest Face, Bushiest Tail, Shortest Legs, Most Obedient and Showmanship.

All interested youth and parents are welcome to attend. For more information, Please call the Briscoe County Office of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at 806/823-2131, ext. 11. Extension program serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

Everyone: spectators, grandparents and friends, are asked to come out and watch this fun-filled event.

Calendar Of Events

- September 28**
 Triple L Club
 Jr. H Paducah T 5 p.m.
- September 29**
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 End of First 6 weeks
 Post Enduro Race @ Turkey
 1937 Quitaque Class Reunion
- October 30**
 Post Enduro Race @ Turkey
 1937 Quitaque Class Reunion
- October 1**
 Attend Church of Choice
- October 2**
 Beginning of Second 6 weeks
 Quitaque Lions Club
 Ventriloquist @ Valley School
 Ventriloquist @ Quitaque Baptist Church
- October 3**
 Flomot Do Gooders Club
 Quitaque Masonic Lodge
 Turkey Fire Department
 Briscoe County Hist. Society
 Quitaque Chamber of Commerce
 Briscoe County 4-H Pet Show
 Circus @ Memphis
- October 5**
 Quitaque Senior Citizens
 Robbie Hill @ Turkey
 Jr. H. Shamrock H 5 p.m.

Women's Auxiliary Sponsors Stand

by Ann Coker
 The National Post Enduro Motorcycle Races will again be held this week-end in Turkey. Approximately 400 riders and their families are expected to be in Turkey for this Enduro.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Turkey Fire Department will be sponsoring a concession stand at the Fire Station this week-end while the Enduro races are being conducted.

The ladies will open on Saturday, September 30, at 1 p.m. and will remain open until 9 p.m.

On Sunday, October 1, the Auxiliary will begin serving at 6 a.m. and close about mid-afternoon at the conclusion of the races.

The ladies will be selling Breakfast Burritos, Bar-B-Q on a bun, hot dogs, sandwiches and drinks.

They encourage everyone to come and eat with them on Saturday or Sunday even if you aren't a motorcycle rider!

All proceeds will be donated to the Turkey Fire Department.

Memphis Chamber Brings Circus

The Memphis Chamber of Commerce is bringing the Culpepper and Merriweather Circus to Memphis on Tuesday, October 3 for shows at 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Known throughout the industry as "America's most highly acclaimed," Culpepper and Merriweather Circus came by that title after being featured on television in a documentary produced by the *National Geographic Explorer* series. The Circus has also been featured on TV's *Entertainment Tonight*.

Advance tickets may be purchased in Turkey at the Memphis State Bank Turkey Branch. For additional ticket outlet locations or for more information please contact the Memphis Chamber of Commerce at 806/259-3144.

Catastrophic Insurance Closing Dates

Sales closing dates for crop insurance are much earlier than last year for fall planted crops and certain perennials. According to the Briscoe County CFSA Office.

"Last year, sales closing dates were extended to accommodate producers because the crop insurance law was changed during the growing season. This year's sales closing dates are the standard 'old dates' The sales closing dates for crops in this area are: September 30, 1995—wheat and oats, March 15, 1996—sorghum, soybeans, corn, cotton and peanuts.

In most cases, crops insured last year are automatically insured this year. Producers planting insurable crops that were not planted last year need to obtain at least the catastrophic level of insurance by the sales closing date to be eligible for many USDA farm programs and loans.

Catastrophic coverage may be obtained at the local Consolidated Farm Service Agency office or from a crop insurance agent. Only crop insurance agents can sell coverage in excess of the catastrophic level of protection.

Producers wanting to change their insurance provider or contract need to make the change before the applicable crop's sales closing date.

Fall Foliage Tour At Quitaque Saturday October 21, 1995

A new activity to be featured in the Fall Foliage Fest, October 21, 1995 will be a giant Flea Market/Craft Show, which will be located on Main Street in Quitaque between Jack's Garage and the First National Bank.

With space available for over 50 booths, each 15x15, this area will contain a variety of merchandise. Crafts, garage sale items and home grown produce are being requested.

The seller is asked to bring a table and chair or they may sell from the back of their pick-up or truck.

Call 806/455-1700 or 806/455-1456 today and make a reservation for a booth space.

New Item Added To Fall Foliage Fest

A good many junked vehicles have been removed, drive around and see how much better it looks in town. I can survive the personal attacks on my motives because, first they are unfounded misrepresentations with no basis in fact at all and because I believe this to be for the benefit of the community.

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Reunion of Quitaque 1937 Graduating Class

The graduating class of 1937 from Quitaque High School will have a reunion Friday and Saturday September 29 and 30. Registration will begin at 4 p.m. in the Quitaque Church of Christ Fellowship Hall.

Classmates are driving from California, Colorado, Oklahoma and other points in Texas to participate in the event. Friends of the class are encouraged to come and get in on the visiting. All are welcome.

If you wish to go on a tour of the Trailway Saturday with the group, please call Johnnie Morrison.

Briscoe County Celebrates National 4—H Week

by Ronda Alexander
 The Briscoe County 4-H program will be celebrating October 1-7 as National 4-H Week. 4-H programs throughout the United States will host a variety of activities to make the public aware of what 4-H is all about. One highlight locally promoting National 4-H Week will be the annual 4-H sponsored Pet Show.

In Briscoe County, youth age 9 or in the third grade through age 19 are eligible to participate in the 4-H program. In addition to the knowledge and skills learned with individual projects, 4-H members participate in leadership and citizenship skills.

The Briscoe County 4-H program has two 4-H clubs: Valley 4-H and Silverton 4-H. Both clubs meet monthly and provide numerous opportunities for youth to become involved in a variety of activities. The Valley 4-H Club's next meeting will be on Tuesday, October 10 at 3:45 p.m. at the Valley School Cafeterium. The program for the meeting will be the 4-H Food and Nutrition Project. The Silverton 4-H Club will meet on Tuesday, October 10 at 7:00 p.m. at the Showbarn.

This first meeting of the year has been rescheduled due to other conflicts. The program will include officer elections, and yearly club program planning.

All interested youth and parents are welcomed to attend. For more information, please call the Briscoe County Office of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at 806/823-2131, ext. 11. Extension program serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

NOTICE—NOTICE—NOTICE
 Due to lack of interest the Craft Fair slated for the first week-end of October in Turkey has been cancelled.

THEN and NOW!

Junk Vehicles Hot Issue

by Jerry Beck
 During the past two weeks the tension has been high and debates heavy over the Junk Vehicle Ordinance in Quitaque. Once again the rumors are flying. Part of this is due to not understanding the law.

First, a junk vehicle is a public nuisance if it is located in a place where it is visible from a public place or public right of way (this includes alleys).

Next: A city, town or county within this state may adopt procedures for abatement and removal of a junked vehicle or part of a junked vehicle as a public nuisance, from private property, public property, or public right-of-way. A notice to abate has been given and hand delivered in accordance with law.

The third point in law is that a person authorized by the city, town, or county to administer the procedures may enter private property for the purposes specified in the procedures to examine a vehicle or vehicle part; obtain information as to the identity of the vehicle; and remove or cause the removal of a vehicle that constitutes a nuisance.

This ordinance has been researched and procedures set up by an attorney in accordance with state law. The city manager, city council, nor myself dreamed up any of this procedure. It is the Law, and has been enforced in other cities for years.

Another rumor is that I am enforcing this ordinance for personal gain. People, I don't want your junk cars, don't care what you do with them and am not making anything except grey hair and ulcers from this.

Until the court orders removal of the vehicle, you can sell it, give it away, whatever you wish, it's your vehicle! I don't care who gets it! A person does not have to be a salvage dealer or have a wrecker license to buy a car from its owner.

If and when the court orders its removal, then a licensed wrecker must remove the vehicle to a licensed scrap yard. Until that time it is entirely at the discretion of the owner how or to whom he lets have his vehicle in order to comply with the law.

I agreed to assist with this ordinance because, first, Quitaque is a relatively clean town compared to some other small towns, I am proud of that fact.

Second, it is the law, and the city council and city manager went to great labor and expense to insure that the ordinance was within legal guidelines and administered fairly. We have had very few owners complain, and have invited them to discuss the alternatives. Most have understood and been satisfied with the fact that the ordinance is being enforced fairly.

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Happy Anniversary

October 2
 Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ramsey
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hammock
October 3
 Mr. and Mrs. Brent Brown
October 5
 Mr. and Mrs. Harold Toothman

Homecoming Mums
 See A Senior
 From
 Friday, September 15
 To
 Tuesday, October 3

Caprock Public Library News

by Arlene Hinkle
 New books at Caprock Public Library include: *The Other Side Of Love* by Jacqueline Briskin. The Olympics in 1936 are wreathed in war clouds as the Kingsmith family meet to cheer on two of their own. Kathe is competing for Nazi Germany and Wyatt is representing the U.S. A love story with all the urgency of war and the inner struggles of a family torn by race.
Vertical Run by Joseph Garber. Dave is a successful New York executive and someone wants him dead...dead by lunchtime. But...Dave is an ex-soldier and he has no intention of dying alone.
 For juveniles: *Free Stuff For Kids*. A great book that has hundreds of free and up-to-a-dollar things that kids can send for by mail.
 Chain Letter by Ann Martin. While Kristy is in the hospital recovering from an appendectomy, she receives a chain letter for telling secrets by fellow club members who are having fun vacations!

 We wholly conquer only what we assimilate.
 —Andre Gide

Effects Of Cold Weather On Cotton

By: Rebel Royall
 With the type of weather we have been having for the last week, we are all worried about what is happening to the cotton crop. I got the following update from Kater Hake-Extension Agronomist in Lubbock, Thursday evening.

It reads: I would like to update you on the impact of cold temperatures on cotton. No hard and fast rules can be given because of the high variability in temperature reached in different parts of the plant and stages of boll development. When it gets near freezing, slight temperature difference compared to 45 to 55, or 15 to 25.

Leaves are much more vulnerable to injury than bolls due to their greater surface to mass ratio and the sensitivity of photosynthesis to stress. When temperatures drop below 55, the leaf is injured by chilling and it takes 3 days for full recovery. Below 45 degrees, the leaf starts to be permanently injured. Below 40, permanent injury to the leaves is expected. If the leaves turn purple-red-yellow (no green leaf) then they have been permanently injured and are starting to senesce. When this occurs we expect approximately 50 heat units of dry weight transfer from the senescing leaves and stems, maybe a weeks worth.

Stems have a smaller surface to mass ratio than leaves but more than bolls. Camage to stems, is largely below freezing when ice nucleation tears apart the stem and makes barkly cotton very likely. I suspect that phloem injury in the branches will also occur below 40 degrees, restricting sugar movement to the bolls.

Due to the mass of a boll, injury occurs below freezing. Although bolls may only mature for 50 additional heat units when leaves senesce, if they do not freeze and kill the separation zone they can open and produce low mike cotton. Temperatures at or near freezing can blister the boll epidermis and stimulate boll opening, but colder temperatures risk freezing the bolls shut that have not started to form an abscission zone. Since bolls seem to be more mature than NACB predicts (NACB of 5 generally shows some seed coat color and no jelly), I expect micronaire damage to occur starting at NACB of 5 and above, with the potential for bolls freezing shut at NACB of 7 or larger, if temperatures drop below freezing.

On The QT

Estelle Davidson drove to Tullia last Friday to accompany her daughter and husband, Lavada and Stewart McCracken to Andrews for visit with their son, Ronnie McCracken and family for the weekend. After an enjoyable weekend, they returned to their homes on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Owens of Lamesa recently took her grandmother, Faye Dudley on a trip to see the sights of New Mexico. They traveled to Red River, Taos and Santa Fe. Faye reported a good time.

Ernestine Payne joined her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Womack of Amarillo for a trip to Red River. They left on Thursday and arrived back home Sunday. Ernestine reported a very enjoyable time but the lights of Quitaque looked good too when she came off the caprock.

Cap Rock Telephone Hosts Meeting With Area Schools

Cap Rock Telephone Cooperative hosted a meeting involving area school districts that it currently serves or will serve by 1996, regarding a new technology referred to as Interactive Video. This technology enables schools from different locations to share resources via a telecommunications link provided by the telephone cooperative. Currently, several districts within the state are taking advantage of this new technology and providing classes to students that otherwise would not be possible. The Texas legislature has appropriated grant money that will be available to school districts that prepare a plan for the use of these funds and apply for available grant money.

Cap Rock Telephone envisions this technology as a Rural Development issue that would maintain and enhance the current schools in their service area. With the funding available, this is an excellent time to get the area schools involved in working together toward a common goal.

School districts attending the meeting were Jayton-Girard, Motley County, Paducah, Patton Springs and Spur. All districts present displayed a great deal of interest. Cap Rock would hope to include the school districts of Guthrie and Turkey-Quitaque as the planning process continues.

Barrett-Graham Cousin's Reunion

by Lottie Everhart
 The Barrett and Graham Cousins Reunion was held at the Community Building in Quitaque, Texas on September 2 and 3, 1995.

E. G. Barrett married Marguerette Nellie (Graham) Barrett in 1898. They came to Quitaque, Texas in 1921. E. G. Barrett served as Deputy Sheriff in Quitaque for a number of years before his death in the 1930's. Prior to their marriage, E. G. Barrett had three children: Emma Barrett, Lydia Barrett, and Arthur Barrett, and Marguerette had two children: James Francis Graham and Ira Lewis Graham. To this union the following eight children were born: Tilden, Bertha, Luther, Frances, Bryant, Paschal, Groce, and Loyd. Groce Barrett, the only living child, who resides in Stockton, California, could not attend. All of these children have lived in Quitaque at some time.

There were a total of 43 cousins who attended from the states of California, Kansas, Arkansas, New Mexico and Texas. This was the first reunion for the Barrett and Graham cousins.

Joe Gray and Hurmon Graham were very much appreciated for organizing this reunion with the help of Betty Gray and Lottie Everhart. Everyone had a wonderful time. Also attending were Snow Grundy, Jack Chandler, Opal Hamilton,

Carl Woods, Duke Woods and many other friends from Quitaque. Snow Grundy provided the group with beautiful piano music and Bobby Graham gave square dance lessons and provided great square dance music.

Everyone enjoyed the Saturday meal, catered by Roy Pigg's Sportsman Cafe, the food served by Don Brummet and crew at the Caprock Cafe, and all the desserts and snacks provided by others.

Accommodations were provided for overnight lodging by the Rails to Trails Lodge, the Hotel Turkey, the Quail Lodge, RV Parks and the Caprock Canyon State Park. Everyone remembered the old Rhoderick Hotel in Quitaque and were amazed at the beautiful rooms and decor after renovations made by Lee and Pearl Tapp of this old historical landmark to the City of Quitaque, the restoration of the old Blakenship Filling Station which is now Karol's Kountry Korner, and all other efforts to restore the buildings, parks, etc., in this "Little Queen City of the Valley".

The town of Quitaque was chosen because a large number of these cousins were born in Quitaque. It was decided that the families would have other reunions every two years. It is hoped that in the future more cousins of this Barrett and Graham family can be located and attend this reunion.

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Weather Report
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The Valley Tribune, Quitaque, Texas, Thursday, Sept. 28, 1995

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By: *Earlyne Jansson*

Overheard

A Frustrated Father said it "Today's Dad has cable T.V., a satellite dish, a VCR, a fax machine, three telephones, a computer and his kids tell him he's out of touch!"

Birthdays Celebrated

A birthday luncheon with all the trimmings was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay, Sunday, Sept. 17 to honor Mrs. Carolyn Ewing of Matador and Mrs. Tina Carson of Turkey.

Those enjoying the celebration besides the honorees were Mrs. Margaret Lane and Pat Carson of Turkey; Mrs. Lillie Tanner of Tullia; Lori and Kevin Kleibrink and Kyler and Julie Clay of Lubbock and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clay, Kelsey and Tanner, Mrs. Kathy Shorter, League Clay and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin

Weather Report

The rain and cool weather continues to the dissatisfaction of the cotton farmers. As Dirk West said, "We over-did our prayers for rain" and "Where did autumn go?"

From Tuesday, Sept. 19 through Monday, Sept. 25, Whiteflat residents reported from two to three inches of rainfall. Tommie Cruise's official rain gauge in Flomot registered 1.06 inches of rain

Morris Degan of Medicine Mound and grandson, Shawn Fisher of Chillicothe visited his mother, Mrs. Leona Degan, Thursday.

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey of Canyon, John and Julie Kemp of Amarillo and Mrs. Jackie Davis, Michael and Warren of Fritch. The families visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Starkey, Jackie and Tonya Sunday. Marvin, who returned home Thursday from M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston is under Hospice Care.

Mr. A.D. Moseley visited from Thursday until Sunday in Dimmitt with Mr. and Mrs. Coy Dunn. Visitors in her home, Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Vick Arnold of Tullia.

Mrs. Morris Stephens visited Friday and Saturday in Amarillo with her sister and husband, Annie and Buck Black. Friday, she met friends, Heike and Japp DeWinter of Nordloran, Holland at the Tri State Fair to visit and attend the rodeo. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stephens, Sunday were Herb and Dorothy Mayfield of Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited during the week in Floydada with Mrs. Bessie Martin.

Clois Shorter accompanied his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter to Lubbock, Friday for his Dad a medical check-up following his hip surgery. He received a good report.

Mrs. Kathryn Martin of Whiteflat and Art Green visited in Roaring Springs, Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Joie Martin in Matador with his brother and wife, Luther and Edna Ruth Green.

Weekend visitors of Mrs. C.W. Starkey were L. T. Starkey of Ralls and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cypert of Lockney. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Carson of Turkey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Clay, Kelsey and Tanner joined Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Kleibrink and Kyler and Julie Clay in Lubbock, Sunday and enjoyed the many attractions at the South Plains Fair.

Max Washington of Anton visited his mother, Mrs. Edith Washington, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter and his father, H.G. Hunter of Quitaque were guests in the home of Anita and Brad Carter in Lubbock, Saturday night for a pot luck supper celebrating the birthday of Brad Carter. Brad and friends entertained the guests with musical renditions following the supper.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Starkey and children were Mrs. Edna Benton and Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Baker of Wellington. Mr. and Mrs. Junior Payne of Flomot visited them Sunday.

Christi Shorter, student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, visited from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter presented a religious service at the Lockney Care Center, Friday morning. The Rev. and Mrs. J.E. Lee of Plainview are on the sick list. Mrs. Emma Thomas has moved from Lockney to a Retirement Home in Lubbock.

93rd Birthday Celebrated

Mrs. Juddie Stephens of Lockney Care Center celebrated her 93rd birthday with a family luncheon at Janie's Dining Room in Lockney, Wednesday, Sept. 20. She was presented a beautifully decorated cake and gifts.

Sharing the happy occasion with her were son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens of Flomot, daughter, Mrs. Elva Brandon and granddaughter, Mrs. Masrilyn Watson of Friona and niece, Mrs. Nola Anderson of Tullia.

Max and Gayle Washington of Anton announce with pleasure the recent marriage of their son, Lt. Todd E. Washington to Patti Jacobkind of Atlanta, Georgia.

The bride is the daughter of Ronnie and Barnett Jacobkind of Atlanta. She is employed with Smith Barney Investment Company of Seattle.

Lt. Washington is a 1982 graduate of Fritch and is a 1986 graduate of the University of Texas at Austin. He is a member of the U.S. Navy serving on the nuclear missile submarine USS Alaska. He is the grandson of Edith Washington and the late Gordie E. Washington of Flomot.

Lt. and Mrs. Washington are making their home in Poulabo, Wash.



BARBARA SCROGGINS

Assisted Living Homes Available In Tullia

By *Chris Russell*

Choosing a health care facility is never easy. As a result another alternative has been added to the list of choices. Unlimited Care has been operating two assisted living homes in Tullia.

Disabled and elderly individuals can now live in a long term care facility that is a home setting. "Leaving one's own home due to health or aging reasons is a traumatic experience. We strive to keep their bedroom and the home as near their previous home atmosphere as possible," says Barbara Scroggins, director of Unlimited Care.

Although the emphasis is on long term care, residents are not required to leave when they develop a terminal illness. The only time it is necessary for them to be away from their home is when they are admitted to a hospital.

Scroggins decided to come to Tullia because of the availability of physicians and Swesher Memorial Hospital.

Her father became terminally ill with cancer while she was in the process of establishing Unlimited Care. "He lived for 11 months. It helped me realize the need for assisted living facilities."

Although "Unlimited Care" is primarily set up for long term residence, terminal cases are not refused.

The residents families are very supportive, Scroggins says. They feel more comfortable visiting in the home environment. They visit more often and stay longer. Scroggins believes her biggest lesson was learning how the residents feel when they are unable to do for themselves the things they had done before.

Memories, Music, Mesquite Smoke

Step back to the frontier west at the Saints' Roost Museum in Clarendon, Texas on September 30. That's where some of the Texas' best chuckwagon cooks will gather to compete in the Colonel Charles Goodnight Chuckwagon Cookoff and Camp Gathering.

Sixteen authentic chuckwagons from ranches from Dalhart to Fort Worth will be serving supper at 6 p.m. followed by a cowboy concert. The featured entertainers will be Red Steagall, Andy Wilkinson and the Keen Ridge Riders.

Steagall is famous for both his western music and cowboy poetry. He will even be competing in the cookoff itself.

For more information call Helen Parker at 806/874-3546.

Another big lesson was the support residents show for each other. "Although they are encouraged to be as capable as they used to be, they support each other and find a lot of humor in doing so"

The live-in -staff along with the residents become one big family.

In the near future there will be a second anniversary celebration. As part of the proceedings there will be a dedication of the home in memory of Hazel Ellis, a former resident, and in honor of Scroggins' father, O.E. (Babe) Chandler of Quitaque.

Barbara (Chandler) Scroggins graduated in 1969. Her mother, Louise Chandler resides in Quitaque.

Post City Offers Real Cowboys, Music, Real Trade Deals

When visitors stop for a break in "Post City" Texas, chances are they will be shopping with "real" cowboys, complete with spurs, muddy boots and beat-up hats.

On Old Mill Trade Days weekend, September 29 - 30 and October 1, thousands of people will pass through the gates at Post Mill park, and beautiful downtown Main Street, looking for bargains and unique trade deals.

On Saturday visitors may relax at the Tower Theater by Don Caldwell's Cowboy Night musical, with tickets available from Post Chamber of Commerce.

For more information about this weekend and other exciting events happening in Post, call the Chamber of Commerce, 806-495-3461.

Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum News

Due to public request, the Museum has installed a costume exhibit, "Lace, Lingerie, and Leg-of-Mutton Sleeves." The Texas Panhandle of the 1890s will open September 29 of this year, and will include several items worn by early Panhandle residents.

"Women in the Texas Panhandle had access to current fashions. However, there are few pieces remaining from the late 19th century because there were relatively few women living here at that time. We feel very fortunate that the Society's collection includes some of these pieces, which will be included in the exhibit," stated Susan Denney, assistant curator of history at the PPHM.

The exhibit will be installed in the textile gallery on the second floor of the Museum. It will replace the "Finished in Beauty: The Evolution of Navajo Weaving" exhibit, which had to be removed in July due to a heavy rain and resulting water leak.

Free Trees Available From The National Arbor Foundation

Ten free trees will be given to each person who joins The National Arbor Day Foundation during September 1995.

The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's Trees for America campaign.

The ten trees are the American Redbud, White Pine, Sugar Maple, White Flowering Dogwood, Pin Oak, Red Maple, Birch, Silver Maple, Red Oak, and Colorado Blue Spruce.

"These trees were selected to provide benefits every season of the year: lovely spring flowers, cool summer shade, spectacular autumn colors, and winter berries and nesting sites for songbirds," John Rosenow, the Foundation's president, said.

The trees will be shipped post-paid at the right time for planting between October 15 and December 10 with enclosed planting instructions. The six to twelve trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge.

Members also receive a subscription to the Foundation's colorful bimonthly publication, Arbor Day, an Arbor Day Foundation wall calendar, and The Tree Book with information about tree planting and care.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive the free trees, send a \$10 membership contribution to Ten Trees, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE 68410, by September 30, 1995.



Home Remedies.

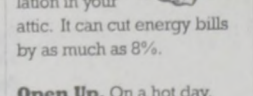
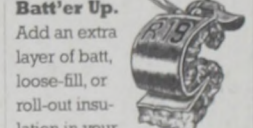
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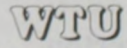
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4-H Bake Show Results

By: Ronda Alexander
This year there were seven entries in the Briscoe County 4-H Bake Show. The Pear Bread prepared by Lindsey Jennings placed first in the whole-wheat flour division and advanced to the District 1-4-H Bake Show which was held in conjunction with the Tri-State Fair.

The purpose of the Bake Show is to promote the use of flour, especially whole-wheat flour. Entries eligible to advance to the District contest must be prepared with 1/3 whole-wheat flour and be a quick bread, prepared from scratch.

Placing second was the Apple Bread made by Christina Stephen, the 3rd place entry was the Spicy Zucchini Bread prepared by Shannon Weaver and Katy Hester prepared the 4th place entry of Oatmeal Zucchini Bread. In the non-whole-wheat flour division, Briana Sperry's Pumpkin Bread placed 1st, Molly Brooks' Pumpkin Bread placed 2nd and the Hobo Bread prepared by Scarlett Sperry placed 3rd.

EDITORIAL: Proposition 3 Needed, TAFE Emphasizes

by Rick Perry
It is time to bring more of the factories and jobs that make finished products out of Texas raw agricultural products -- back to Texas.

With the passage of Proposition 3 in November, -- Texas Agricultural Fund Authority will be allowed to make use of \$200 million dollars of existing bonding authority, providing more capital for expansion, production, and marketing of Texas agricultural products.

This proposition means jobs for Texans, without creating any new taxes or bonding authority.

It is worded thus: "The proposition -- SJR 51 -- allows use of existing bond authority of the farm and ranch finance program to include financial assistance for the expansion, development and diversification of production, processing, marketing and export of Texas agricultural products."

For these reasons, you are encouraged to vote yes on Proposition 3, in November.

WTAMU To Celebrate Homecoming 1995

West Texas A&M University will celebrate Homecoming 1995 Oct. 6-8. From Friday-night's lighting of the flames to Sunday's Inauguration of WTAMU President Russell Long, WTAMU students, staff, faculty, alumni and friends are invited to celebrate WTAMU's "Passing the Eternal Flame-Homecoming 1995."

"WTAMU will honor graduates of the past and our leader for the future at this year's homecoming," Jimmy Lackey, executive director of the Alumni Association and chair of the homecoming committee, said. "It's an exciting time at the University. We would like to invite all WTAMU graduates and former students to participate in the weekend's activities."

The Class of 1945 will be honored throughout the weekend and during a special reception at 5:30 p.m. Friday.

The west entrance gateway torches will be lit at 9 p.m. Friday. Last year, WTAMU's Student Senate initiated the lighting of the flames for the first time since homecoming 1975.

The homecoming parade at 11 a.m. Saturday will feature Long as parade marshal.

Saturday will also include the Buffs vs. Tarleton State University in a football game at 7 p.m.

Long's presidential inauguration at 1 p.m. Sunday will conclude the weekend's activities.

For more information about homecoming, contact the WTAMU Alumni Association at 806-656-231.

If you give to a thief he cannot steal from you, and he is then no longer a thief.
—William Saroyan

Man is not the sum of what he has but the totality of what he does not yet have, of what he might have.
—Jean Paul Sartre

To be patient is sometimes better than to have much wealth.
—Talmud

Wee Care Soon To Be At Turkey

A program that will give parents a day out for their children will begin Thursday, October 5, 1995 at the Turkey United Methodist Church.

Wee Care is a full day of structured activities including crafts, games, songs, learning activities and even time for just plain fun. Hours will be from 8:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. Children from the age of six weeks through pre-school may be enrolled.

Children must bring a lunch of "finger foods." This is to include a drink.

For more information contact Sue Hall at 806/423-1249 or Vivian Smith at 806/423-1414.

Carrie Ball Surprised On Her Birthday

Carrie Ball had a big surprise waiting for her on her birthday, September 23. Unknown to Carrie her sisters and brothers from Dallas and Memphis, Texas had planned a surprise.

A sister-in-law took Carrie shopping in Childress. When they

arrived back at Mrs. Ruth McKays home in Turkey, everyone started singing Happy Birthday—Surprise and what a happy one for Carrie.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Bockley, Dallas; Tracey Conday and children, Jasmine and Joshua, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brewer, Memphis; Shara Conady and son Matt, Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Hearn and children, Ashley and

Carlton and Mr. and Mrs. David McKay and children, Amber, Andrew and Michael.

Lunch was prepared by Mrs. Lanita Brewer and Sharon Hearn. A wonderful time was had by all but the happiest person was Mrs. Carrie McKay Ball.

Carter Joins U.S. Army

Jessica Carter has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Enlistment Program at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, Amarillo, Texas.

The Delayed Enlistment Program gives young men or women the opportunity to delay enlistment into the Army for up to one year before reporting to basic military training.

The enlistment gives the new soldier the option to learn new skill, travel and become eligible to receive as much as \$30,000 toward a college education. After completion of basic training, soldiers receive advanced individual training in their career specialty.

Carter will report to Fort Jackson, S.C., May 29, 1996, for military basic training.

She is the daughter of Edward L. Carter of Coal Hill, Ark. & Theresa L. Clinton of Turkey, Texas.

It is better to ask some of the questions than to know all of the answers.
—James Thurber

WTAMU Sponsor Education X-travaganza

Students interested in attending college can talk with personnel representing more than 75 colleges and universities from 5-8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 3 in the Amarillo Civic Center. The Education X-travaganza is sponsored by West Texas A&M University, Amarillo College and Amarillo Technical College.

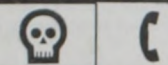
"This is a great opportunity for students to talk with colleges and find information out about them," Lila Vars, director of Admissions, said.

Recruiters will provide information about academic programs, tuition and fees, housing and scholarships at their respective institutions. Students will be able to obtain college catalogs and brochures. There will also be financial aid officers who will be able to assist students with their questions and filling out their financial aid applications.

Confirmations have been received from many Texas universities, as well as universities in Arizona, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

The X-travaganza is open to the public free of charge. Parents are encouraged to attend with their student.

For more information or to ask about specific schools attending, contact Lois Shuman at 1-800-99-WTAMU or 806-656-2020.


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-Psalm 67:6

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And frosty nights allow us to behold
The leaves arrayed in flaming red and gold
Before their brilliant colors turn to brown,
And then, detached by wind come drifting down;
Till every branch is stripped completely bare,
And pungent smoke of bonfires fills the air.
It's harvest time in every farmer's field,
When crops that feed our nation with their yield
Are gathered from the ground and off the vine,
According to the heavenly design.
Whatever House of Worship you attend,
The lessons there will help you comprehend
This season that the love of God has planned,
When autumn's blazing colors paint the land*



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Evening Service 5:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY:
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Turkey, Texas
Pastor: Melvin Clinton
Weekly Schedule of Meetings
SUNDAY:
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.
Singing.....5:00 p.m.
Training Union.....6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.
MONDAY:
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Missionary Society.....4:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY:
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WEDNESDAY:
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SUNDAY:
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Church School.....10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship
1st & 3rd Sundays.....6:00 p.m.
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SUNDAY:
Sunday School.....11:00 a.m.
Mass.....12:00 p.m.
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Things Seen Or Heard

By: Ann Coker

Enjoyed visiting with Myra and Bennie Brown one day last week. They were visiting in the home of their son and family, Brent, De-Lane, Cole and Catlyn Brown. Myra reported they would stay until they wore out their welcome and then they would return to Amarillo.

Myra reported that their granddaughter, Lee Ann, daughter of Donna, was the Football girl for Tascosa High School. She attends all their games and has to keep up with plays called, etc. She loves her job.

Quite a celebration occurred in the home of Virginia Degan. Her family helped her to celebrate her birthday. Those attending the celebration were daughter, Betty Schneider, granddaughter and family Lisa and Mark McKnight and children; grandson, Mike Prather, all from Amarillo. Also attending were Jinna Turner and Totsy Bain from Turkey.

Gary Johnson from Paragould, Arkansas arrived at the home of his mother, Clema Johnson, last Sunday night. He will visit for a few days.

Beth Mills traveled to Dalhart one day last week. She is a new employee at the Dalhart Prison. While there she rented an apartment. She will be moving to Dalhart soon. Best of luck, Beth.

Danny House, a student at Levelland College, recently experienced some bad luck. His pick-up was broken into and his billfold and check book were stolen. Believe it or not, several days later a girl from the college returned his billfold (minus his money) and she reported she found it on the side of the road when she had a flat. His money was gone, but his driver's license, etc. were still in the billfold.

Danny is the son of Don and Pat House of Turkey.

Visiting in the home of Willie and Jim Majors last Saturday were Vaughn, Nina (Huckeby) and Gary Morehead from Pixley, California. Joining the group for lunch and

visiting were Lorene and Arville Setliff. Nina is a former classmate of Willie's and Lorene's. Lots of good 'Remember Whens' occurred on this day.

Cloe Johnson and Rita Guest were visitors to Childress last Monday. Mrs. Johnson had a doctor's appointment.

Sue and Lowell Proctor, Gail and Dolan Hanna, and Donna and William Proctor all journeyed to Lake Ivie recently for some fishing. They pulled their boats and camping trailers. They enjoyed the trip and the visiting but weren't too fond of the fishing. To keep a fish out of Lake Ivie it must be at least 18' long!

Traveling to Post last Saturday night were Arlie Williams, Jim and Willie Majors to attend the wedding of Jim and Arlie's nephew, Micheal Majors. Micheal is the son of Neal and Marie Majors of Lorenzo. Joining the Turkey group at Post for the wedding were Bridgett and Richie Williams and the David Majors family of Idalou.

Following the wedding the group stopped at a Club where Jody Nix was playing for a dance and visited with Jody for a while before returning home.

I have heard that there is a Day School in Matador for little tots. I understand that there is a car pool in Turkey that goes to Matador two days a week to take these little students. Some of them that are going are Luke Shannon, Chancy Price, Peyton Price and several others.

Lavon Gafford of Memphis is in Houston. He had an appointment at M.D. Anderson last week. He will remain in Houston for a time taking chemo treatments. He is staying in the home of his grandson.

Janice Wheeler talked to Lavon last Sunday night and she reported that Lavon was in good spirits. Lavon's wife, Thelma, will probably stay with Lavon for a few days and then she will return home.

Jeff Blythe of Abilene Christian University visited with his grandparents, Louis and Oleta Randell Friday night. Saturday the three went to Amarillo to visit Ronnie and Jo Ann Blythe and Kendall and Heather Blythe. They were joined there by Courtney Blythe, also of A. C. U.

Louis and Oleta Randell were in Childress Wednesday. While there they visited with some of the Turkey people in the Childress Health Care Center.

Turkey Lions

The Turkey Lions Club met last Monday night at the Senior Citizens Room in the Bob Wills Center. Fifteen members of the Lions Club were present.

Boss Lion Keith Green presided over the meeting. Melvin Clinton gave the prayer. Lion Buddy Colvin led the Pledge to the Flag. The program was on the Tuesday Blood Drive and was presented by Lion Keith Green.

Lion Barry Long was in charge of the Blood Drive.

On October 12, Thursday, the Lions will be having their mop and broom sale at the Turkey Automotive. The sale will continue all day. If you need anything in this line, please stop and support your local Lions Club.

The next Lions Club Meeting will be Monday night, October 9.



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I shall not want.*

-Psalm 23



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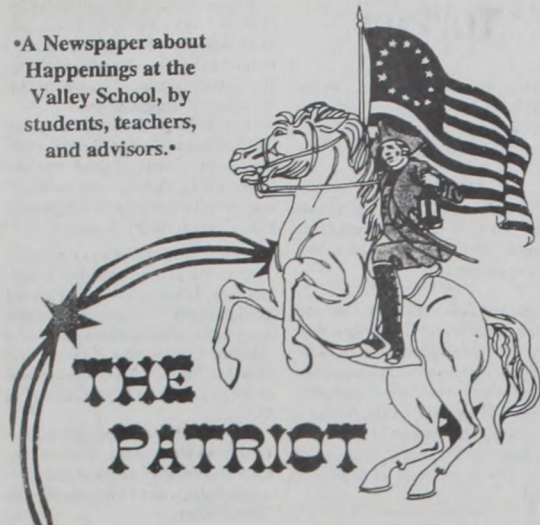
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Worship Service.....11:00 a.m.
Church Training.....5:30 p.m.
Worship.....6:30 p.m.
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Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY:
Missions Program.....5:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting.....6:00 p.m.

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Weekly Schedule of Meetings
SUNDAY:
Public Meeting.....10:00 a.m.
Watchtower Society.....11:00 a.m.
FRIDAY:
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.

A Newspaper about Happenings at the Valley School, by students, teachers, and advisors.



Patriots Shut Out Aspermont 14-0

By: Chris Burch

The Valley Patriots get their first win of the season against the Aspermont Hornets last Friday.

The Patriots got off to a quick start when J.R. Reyna took the opening kick off and returned it for a touchdown but, a clipping penalty brought the ball back to the Patriot 25 yard line. After exchanging the ball on a few punts the Patriots got the ball moving and drove 80 yards before turning the ball over on downs.

After a good defensive series the Patriots offense was on the move again when Shawn Stephens scored from 1 yard out. The extra point failed and Valley went in at half leading 6-0.

The third quarter saw the Patriots extend their lead to 12-0 when Shawn Stephens went 38 yards for the T.D. The 2 point conversion was added by Brian Moore to make the score 14-0.

The fourth quarter saw the defenses dominate and end the game with a score of 14-0.

We had a very good game defensively. Our leading tacklers were Brian Moore and Steve Lopez. This was a good game for us. It gave us a lot of confidence.

Stats

	Valley	Aspermont
First Downs	16	7
Penetrations	4	3
Rushing Yds.	185	122
Passing Yds.	12	0
Total Yds.	197	122
Turnovers	3	5

Patriots JH Edged By Hornets

The Valley JH played Aspermont last Thursday and lost a hard fought game by a score of 14-6. Chris Price scored the Patriots TD on a 75 yard kickoff return.

The JH boys travel to Paducah this Thursday. The 8th grade will play at 4:30 and the 7th grade game will begin immediately after.

The 7th grade scrimmaged Aspermont's 7th grade with 10 plays on offense and 10 plays on defense. The Patriots held the Hornets to no score. When the Patriots got the ball they scored once on a 53 yard run by Rowdy Mullin.

Homecoming Game Ball Can Be Yours

By supporting the Valley Student Council you can have an opportunity to be the proud owner of the Homecoming Football.

For further information, please contact a member of the student council or: Walt Henson, Melody Farley, Shawn Stephens, Jessica Carter, Amy Stark or Brianna Sperry.



WALT HENSON

Henson Elected Student Council President

Walter A. (Walt) Henson is the son of Rusty and Janice Henson of Quitaque, Texas. He has one brother Wes. A sophomore at Valley High School, he is currently serving his second year as a member and President of the Valley High School Student Council. Walt has attended Valley School for 11 years, with History being his favorite school subject. His favorite sport is basketball and he enjoys working on his car in his spare time. Walt states that his parents are the people he looks up to and admires. If he could make one thing different about the world we live in he would insure world peace among the people.

2003 Class News

This is the class of 2003 with Sara, Leigh, Ann, and Natalie. So far this has been a really good year with our new teacher Mrs. Davidson.

In Science we are working on a contract to see how good we are in science. We've had to skip at least two days of our computer time, because the computers keep on doing things we've never seen before.

There is one really neat thing we have all learned how to do. It is interesting, it is the CD Rom.

See Ya'll Next time!
From the class of 2003!

Sara, Leigh Ann, and Natalie

Student Council News

The Valley Student Council met in regular session on September 11, 1995 at Valley School. The group established committees to help promote school and community spirit and pride.

Council members were assigned to serve in the following committees: Fund raising, faculty appreciation, student appreciation and community service. Anyone having a suggestion for the group should contact President Walt Henson.

Attending the meeting were Walt Henson, Jake Justus, Amy Stark, Jessica Carter, Melody Farley, David Valdez, P Jay Merrell, Cara Powell, Mandy Pigg, Jamie Wellman, Shawn Stephens, Micah Stark, Vance Lemons and Sponsor Judy Barrett.

Fund raising activities for October include: October 6 - Bake Sale and Oct. 13 - Spaghetti Supper.

School Menu

- Monday**
Pizza
L.B. French Fries
Cookies w/ Fruit
- Tuesday**
Fried Chicken
Cream Gravy
Green Beans
Honey
Biscuit
- Wednesday**
B.B.Q. Kibasa
Fried Okra
New Potatoes
Corn Bread
- Thursday**
H.B. Steak
French Fries
Veg. Salad
Fruit Jello
Hot Rolls
- Friday**
Chicken Fajita
Salad - Sour Cream
Cheese - Chips
Fruit

A man who is master of patience is master of everything else.
—Lord Halifax

HOMECOMING MUMS

See A Senior From
Friday, September 15
To
Tuesday, October 3

Leaders Recognized At District Luncheon

By: Ronda Alexander

Briscoe County 4-H Leaders Bena Hester and John Wyatt were recently honored at the District 1-4-H Distinguished Leader Luncheon in Amarillo. These leaders were honored because of their dedication and support to the Briscoe County 4-H program. The Luncheon was held in conjunction with the District 1-4-H Fall Leaders Meeting and 4-H Council Meeting.

John Wyatt has served as a leader for the Silverton 4-H Club for the past 7 years. His activities have included serving as: club manager, assistant club manager, swine project leader and food and nutrition project leader. Bena Hester has also served as a 4-H leader for the Silverton club for the past 9 years. She has been involved in many aspects of the 4-H program including: food and nutrition project leader, clothing and textiles project leader, share-the-fun coach, President of the Briscoe County Adult Leaders Association and District Delegate.

Both leaders received a special engraved 4-H clover as a token of our appreciation for the hard work and dedication to the Briscoe County 4-H program.

Also attending the luncheon and meetings were Katy Hester; District 4-H Council Delegates: Shannon Weaver and Molly Brooks; and Ronda Alexander, County Extension Agent.

Mexican Supper Served Homecoming Night

The Junior Class voted to have a Mexican Stack supper to be served Homecoming night. The supper will be served from 5:30 till 7:30.

Another fund raising project will be family pictures taken the first week in November.

For more information on these two events, contact a Junior Class member.



SLOW DOWN

Valley Jr. High 1995 Football Schedule

September 14	Claude	5:30	Here
September 21	Aspermont	4:00	Here
September 28	Paducah	5:00	There
October 5	Shamrock	5:00	Here
October 12	Motley Co.*	5:00	There
October 19	Kress*	5:00	There
October 26	Spur*	5:00	Here
November 2	Petersburg*	5:00	There

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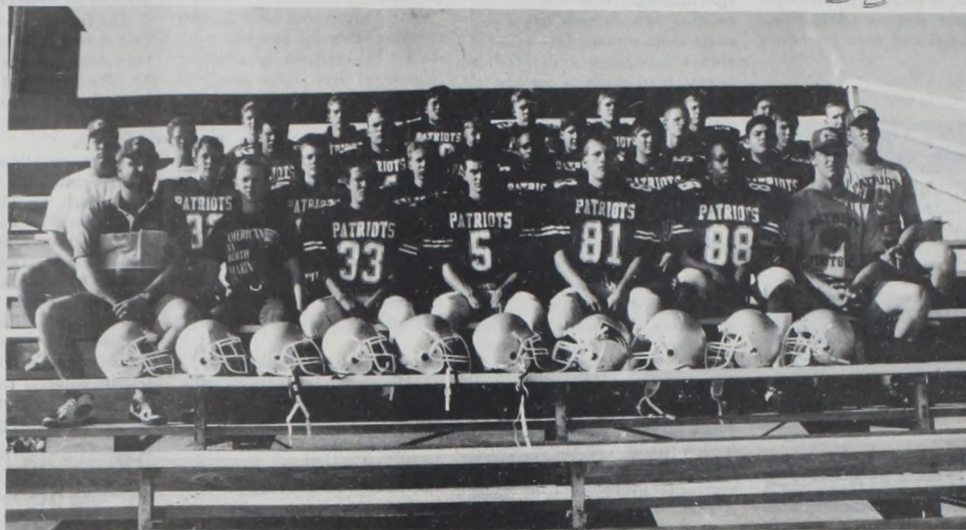
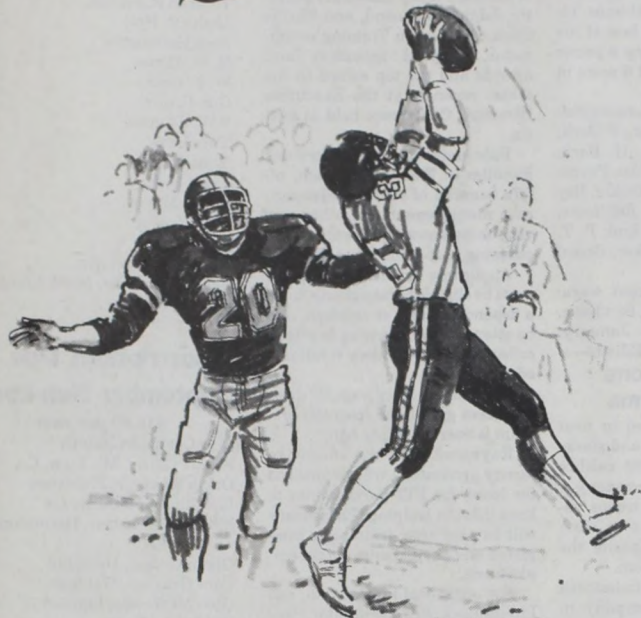
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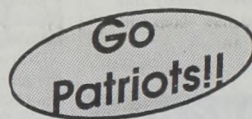
BACK ROW: l-r Matt Abram, Walt Henson, David Valdez, Jeremy Taylor, Jake Justice, Shawn Stevens, Garrett Clayton, Adam Seymour; **SECOND ROW:** Wes Henson, J.R. Reyna, Joe Werner, Jeremy Hughes, Jason Payne, Jason Pucket, Cody Yates; **THIRD ROW:** Coach Burch, Jonathan Curry, Vance Lemons, Russell Ramsey, Brian Moore, Micheal Lane, Micheal Silva, Coach Saul; **FOURTH ROW:** Coach Jeffcoat, John Lowe, Nicholas Castillo, P.J. Merrell, Kevin Carter, Andrea Gaddis, Coach Hirst

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Nitrate Accumulation In Forages

By: Rebel Royal

Nitrate poisoning in cattle has been recognized for many years. Several species of cultivated forages in addition to several common broadleaved and grassy "weeds" will accumulate nitrates. Livestock are always consuming some level of nitrate from drinking water and forages. Nitrate consumption becomes a problem when the quantity consumed overrides the capacity of the ruminal microbes to completely convert the nitrates into ammonia and microbial protein.

Forage sorghum, grain sorghum, sudangrass and pearl millet are common forage crops that accumulate nitrates at high levels. Johnson-grass, pigweed, Russian thistle, sunflowers and kochia are other weedy species that accumulate nitrates and may be present in and around pastures and fields.

Nitrates are usually higher in young growth. Highest are in the bottom one-third of the stalk. Nitrates are low in the leaves of plants and seeds contain very little if any nitrate.

During the growing season, plants will continually absorb nitrate from the soil except under extreme drought conditions. Nitrates accumulate in the plant during periods of slow growth because conversion of nitrate to amino acids is also slowed. Dry weather, cloudy overcast days, low temperatures, and disease, frost or physical damage, individually or in combination with one another can lead to nitrate accumulation. Dry, hot weather will increase plant nitrate levels but levels will increase further when the extended dry period is followed by rain and/or wet, overcast weather. Following a period of nitrate accumulation, it will require 4-8 days of good environmental conditions before plant nitrates are metabolized to low levels.

Nitrogen fertilization increases the quantity of nitrogen available to the plant and can increase nitrate levels. Poor availability of other soil nutrients such as sulfur, phosphorus, and potassium can also retard plant growth and perturb nitrate utilization by the plant.

Nitrate concentrations will not decrease in forages harvested for hay. However, ensiling forages will decrease the nitrate concentrations by 40-60% as a result of microbial activity.

Even though a forage may contain high nitrate levels, the nitrates in the hay harvest. Recall that most of the nitrate accumulates in the bottom of the stalk. So, a great deal of nitrate can be left in the field if the plant is cut 10-12 inches above the ground.

Any forages that have a questionable nitrate concentration should be analyzed by a testing laboratory. Hay bales are best sampled using a core sampler. Samples should be taken from several bales to characterize the nitrate levels in the entire stack. Samples of standing forage should be taken by cutting the whole plant at the same height the plant would be cut during haying. Again be certain that the entire field is sampled and that the samples are representative of the leaf and stem mixture in the forage.

Steps to reduce toxicity:

1. Be certain cattle are full prior to exposing the cattle to nitrate-containing forages. This will prevent initial high levels of nitrate intake and also dilutes the nitrates in the rumen. This is especially of concern when nitrate containing forages are used on wheat pasture during snowstorms and other periods when wheat forage is limited.

2. Adapt cattle to nitrates. Ruminant microbes can adapt to high nitrate feeds. Feeding small quantities of nitrate containing forages promotes adaptation. When grazing nitrate-containing forages, limit grazing for the first 6 to 8 days, increasing grazing time from 1-2 hours to full time grazing by day 6 to 8, will allow the cattle to adapt. Also, grain feeding provides additional energy to the microbes and promotes the conversion of nitrates to nontoxic compounds. When feeding hay, either slowly increase amounts fed daily, or dilute the hay with nontoxic hay and gradually increase the proportion of the nitrate-containing hay.

3. Dilute high nitrate feeds with low nitrate feeds. This is probably the most effective way to utilize forages with high nitrate concentrations.

4. In grazing situations, release the cattle when risk of high nitrate levels are low. For instance, do not graze immediately following weather conditions that stimulate nitrate accumulation.

5. Stock lightly when grazing so that cattle can select the low-nitrate portions of the plants. Also, do not force cattle to consume stalks, even in the winter when the forage is dormant.

6. Be sure adequate amounts of drinking water are available.

7. Use a direct-fed microbial product that contains propionibacteria. A commercially available product, Bovipro, is a propionibacteria product that can be administered by oral gel or top-dressed on feed.

Yesteryear

Taken from The Turkey Enterprise, Thursday, September 25, 1941
Turkey Whip Lubbock In First Game

The Terrible Turkes scored their first victory of the season by pushing out the Lubbock Cowhands, 14-13. The Turks had the best of the game throughout, scoring 8 points in the first quarter and 6 more in the fourth.

The starting lineup consisted of: Jack Barnhill, Co. Capt., F Back; Bill Orcutt, Co. Capt., H. Back; Arville Setliff, Q Back; Joe Payne, H. Back; Lewis Lyles, Tackle; Roy Gene Gilmore, Tackle; Bill Lane, Center; Olen Holland, End; P. T. Clark, End; Edwin Parker, Guard and E. L. Hill, Guard.

Subs. who saw action were: Harold Lane, Joe Miller, Birt Lane, Calvin Gilbert, Eddie January, Howard Colvin, Junior Elliott.---

Defense Guard Dons

New Khaki Uniforms

Completely uniformed in neat army cloth caps, shirts and slacks and equipped with .30 calibre Enfield rifles, the local company of Texas Defense Guard troops assembled Monday night at their winter drill ground opposite the Highway barn east of town.

Officers and non-commissioned officers drilled the company in posting an interior guard in preparation for elaborate and realistic drill in guarding public utilities here next Monday night.

Mayor J. W. Harcastle and a committee of civilians interested in the local defense training program will prepare a number of "fifth column attacks" on the various guard posts to be mounted next Monday night. These "attacks" will be prepared in secret, and will be used during the guard drill to test the ability of the local volunteer Defense troops to protect the community's vital utilities.---

Dr. H. Gilmore and Pauline and Mrs. W. G. Daugherty of Childress visited Keith Stegall Saturday.---

Capt. Cole Boswell returned Monday from Amarillo where he has been in the veteran's hospital the past month recovering from a focal infection.---

Faye Wellman was a Memphis Visitor Saturday.---

(NAPS)—Keep your chimney clean to keep your indoor air free of carbon monoxide, suggest the experts at the American Gas Association.

(NAPS)—The aging process is not inevitable nor is it always irreversible, says Dr. Neal Barnard in his new book, *Eat Right, Live Longer*, available at local bookstores.

Panhandle Community Service

Panhandle Community Services has been recognized for assisting low-income persons toward the goal of self-sufficiency. Executive Director Johnny Raymond, and Phyllis Cook, Families in Training coordinator, accepted incentive fund awards and the top award in the state recently at the Executive Director's Conference held in Austin.

Panhandle Community Services, Families in Training program offers benefits of rental assistance, case management and other services to low-income parents who are pursuing post-secondary education.

Applicants for the FIT program must be eligible for assistance, have a dependent child or children, and be attending or preparing to attend college or post-secondary vocational education.

The average entry wage for those who have graduated from the program is over \$9.00 per hour.

Raymond said the incentive money generated will be utilized for loans for FIT participants to keep them in training. These loans will be paid after training is completed and participants obtain employment.

For additional information, call Phyllis Cook, FIT coordinator, Panhandle Community Services, Amarillo.

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