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## BOB WILLS: KING OF WESTERN SWING

by Lawana Cruse

Way down in Turkey, Texas, in the early part of spring, we have a special day to honor "King of Western Swing". Bob Wills is who I'm speaking of, as everybody knows; He thrilled the world with his ah haa and his swinging do si do.

Now one way that we might describe the term 'western swing' is a jazzy sentimental song that makes the rafters ring. From Cotton fields and barber shops and old-time radio, Bob created that special sound that everyone loves so.

Bob's songs could either bring a tear or make you tap your toes, From *White Cross on Okinawa* to the *San Antonio Rose*. His band was just the greatest you could ever hope to hear; They played with all their heart and soul; Their love for it was clear.

From lean years to the very top, some years were pretty rough; But that great sound lives on and on: folks just can't get enough. So come enjoy the arts and crafts, old friends and western swing, For here in Turkey, Texas, Bob Wills is still the King.

### Calendar Of Events

- April 23**  
Bob Wills Autograph Party/Jam Session
- April 24**  
Texas Playboys Dance
- April 25**  
Bob Wills Day
- April 26**  
Attend Church of Choice
- April 27**  
Quitauque Firemen  
Regional Tennis @ Levelland
- April 28**  
Turkey Senior Citizens @ 6 p.m.  
Driver's License in Silverton  
TAAS 3-8 Math, Writing Exit  
Regional Tennis @ Levelland
- April 29**  
TAAS 3-8 Reading, Math Exit
- April 30**  
TAAS, Soc. Stud. & Reading



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## Cowboy Symposium Volunteers To Assist Turkey Hall of Fame

by Barry Doss  
 The prestigious Cowboy symposium of Glencove, New Mexico has sent over three of their most prominent volunteer staff people to assist the Turkey Heritage Foundation in getting their brand new Hall of Fame, to be located in the old Gem Theatre started up and going at full speed ahead.

In this case the symposium didn't have to send their staff very far, for these folks are already part time Turkey, Texas residents, themselves, who have been a part of the Cowboy Symposium for over nine years.

Glen Madren and sons, Larry Parks and Charles Paul are the lucky people and lucky for the Heritage Foundation they are very well qualified. Glen, himself, has received the prized Promotional Award from the State of Wyoming for his promotion of Western Swing; the Gold Valley News Award for his help in promotion of Western Swing in Arizona; an Appreciation Award for his work with the Prescott Western Swing group; plus his latest award from the Cowboy Symposium itself. The first time an award was ever given to anyone besides an entertainer.

### Contest For Old Time Fiddlers

A contest for fiddlers will begin at 12 noon at the Auditorium Center and Gym in the Bob Wills Center on Saturday during the annual Bob Wills Celebration.

Fiddlers of all ages and from all areas of the United States will be entering this event. Be sure to come out and hear the great music by some of the world's greatest fiddlers.

Larry and Charles are always on hand to help their dad with whatever they assign to him and in the many years that they have worked with the Cowboy Symposium, they have touched many bases and took on many jobs.

They love Western Swing, love working with people and have enjoyed the many friends they have made over the years and their primary goal to keep the wonderful music of Western Swing going on forever.

### Texas Playboys At Football Field

Former Texas Playboys will give a concert for anyone who cares to come out to the Football Field at 2:30 Saturday afternoon. Dr. Charles R. Townsend will be the Master of Ceremonies.

All former Texas Playboys in attendance will be entertaining from the bandstand for the afternoon.

Bring your lawn chair and join in the festivities with your friends and neighbors.

### Breakfast At Midnight In Turkey

At 11 p.m. Saturday evening, the Bob Wills Cafeteria will be the site for breakfast.

It should be pleasant to sit a spell after attending the dance and enjoy a midnight breakfast before heading home for the evening.

### Friday Night Dance

At 9 p.m. to 12 midnight the Former Texas Playboys will be playing for a dance on Friday night, April 24th at the Bob Wills Center. Come and enjoy an evening with some of the original Texas Playboys.

## Machine Cranks Up For Bob Wills

A steady hum of activity has been going on for the last week in the little town of Turkey. If you listen closely, you can hear road maintainers, saws lopping off branches, backhoes picking up dirt, trucks loading branches and other debris, lawn mowers going, and people cleaning their yards. There are all kinds of buzz and strategic planning sessions taking place. This giant machine has been cranking up, getting ready for the 27th year of Bob Wills Day.

Monday Don Turner was in charge of a group of people -- young, middle-aged, you name it. One young man, Larry, from Dallas, came down a week too early, so decided to "pitch in" before he rode his bike in Caprock Canyon and attends the celebration. Assignments were made to cover all parts of the town for trash pickup. Some people drove pickups, ran errands, some carted cold drinks around, others noted areas that needed special treatment. At one time, this place sounded like "buzz-saw, weed-eating city." But what a wonderful sound when it means citizens have enough pride to improve their town.

### Arts and Crafts

Early Saturday morning many artisans will be exhibiting their wares at the Bob Wills Center and under the large tents for everyone to view. There will be crafts which will please everyone. As they say "Something for everyone!"

### Lions To Sponsor Pancake Breakfast

Starting at 6 a.m. on Saturday, April 25, 1998 the Turkey/Quitauque Lions Clubs will be serving pancakes to one and all at the Bob Wills Cafeteria. This event will kick off the beginning of the 27th annual Bob Wills Day Celebration. Come out join the Lions and eat all the pancakes you desire.

### Bar-B-Q Lunch Served At 11

Starting at 11 a.m. a barbecue lunch will be served to the public at the Bob Wills Center. Come out and join your friends for a great barbecue lunch.

### Bob Wills Day Parade 10:00

Floats, riding clubs, antique tractors, antique cars, etc will begin gathering at the west edge of Turkey at 9 a.m. Saturday morning for the Bob Wills Day Parade.

For entry information call Dusty Hill at 806/423/1424.

At 10 a.m. the parade will begin its trek down main street in Turkey. If you can't enter the parade come on out and enjoy seeing the many floats and riding clubs entered.

### Autograph Party Jam Session

On Thursday evening, April 23, at 8 p.m. come to the old high school gym in Turkey to meet and listen to the former Texas Playboys. Music will continue until 11 p.m.

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## Good Guy Award

The Good Guy Award should go to all the volunteers who showed up to help with the clean up at Turkey for Bob Wills Day.

At one time, downtown Turkey reportedly looked like a chain-saw feed frenzy was going on.

Not only did the young, the old, and the in-between citizens show up to help but one traveler stopped at Allsup's, and joined in the clean up.

All these many volunteers are greatly appreciated. Turkey is looking great -- Let's keep it that way.

### McLean of Scotland Book Available

Mr. Duncan McLean of Orkney, Scotland has competed his book "Lone Star Swing, On the Trail for Bob Wills and his Texas Playboys."

McLean has been presented the prestigious Somerset Maugham Award in 1993. He is also a script writer for stage and television.

His new book will be available this year at Bob Wills Day. Come by and get his autograph on this brand new book about the life and times of Bob Wills.

## Twenty Seven Years of Western Swing Celebrated in Turkey This Weekend

Twenty seven years ago a new tradition was started in Turkey, Texas. The Bob Wills Foundation was organized and began to honor a "home town boy", Bob Wills. Saturday, April 29, 1971 was the first parade in downtown Turkey for the Bob Wills Day. This was the beginning of the event which is now known world wide. Crowds have been estimated as high as 16,000 in 1989. The crowds have come to the festival in rain, cold or high winds. They came with the intention of enjoying once again the western swing music of the King of Western Swing, Bob Wills.

A barbecue meal has been prepared at noon each year to serve the hordes who come to the celebration. In 1972 they not only had beef but had some buffalo barbecue to serve to 2,000 people. It was estimated that they served 5,000 in 1978. In 1993 the noon barbecue served 2,500 while only 700 were served at an evening meal.

Wills who was born in Limestone County, Texas on March 3, 1905 moved to Turkey in 1914 with his parents, John and Emmaline Foley Wills. At the age of 10 he played for his first dance and for the next forty years he spent many an evening playing for ranch dances.

Shortly after he reached his sixteenth year he attended barber school and came back to Turkey to work as a barber. In 1929 he left Turkey with a medicine show. He was later hired to play with the Light Crust Doughboys of Ft. Worth.

Bob traveled to Waco in 1933 to start another band and from there went to Oklahoma where his band became known as the Texas Playboys.

Jenny Lee and Billy Jack Wills and several members of the band attended the Turkey celebration in Bob Wills honor in 1971. By this time he was confined to a wheelchair.

The first April celebration only four entered the old fiddlers contest. State Representative Phil Catef Lefors, led the invocation and die J. Leary of Childress led

### Saturday Night Dance--7 p.m.

The Saturday night dance featuring Jody Nix and the Texas Cowboys will start at 7 p.m. Come on out and join the rest of the Bob Wills fans and have an interesting evening of Western Swing music.

## HONESTY ABOUNDS IN EARLY POST OFFICE AND BANKS

Back in the early days of the pan-handle and rolling plains of Texas, post offices might be no more than a cracker box and a tin cup. Mail only arrived once or twice a week by hack from the nearest rail point. It would be piled into the cracker box to be picked up by any patrons when they rode by. The tin cup was for all cash receipts.

The first post office designated for Turkey was on Turkey Creek, some distance from the present Hall County town of Turkey. Alfred P. Hall was named the first Postmaster. Uncle Johnny Gist succeeded him as postmaster and later Mrs. R. W. Officer, Mr. Gist's sister held the job.

A cracker box was set in the living room. It held both the incoming and outgoing mail. A cigar box held stamps and cowboys passing that way helped themselves, dropping money to pay for the stamps into the tin cup.

If the postmaster was not at home the cowboys just helped themselves. If they were hungry, they prepared a meal, washed the dishes and went on their way.

No need to worry about bookkeeping in the post office, the money and stamps always balanced. How about that for honesty!

Many a fruit jar buried in the back yard or an old trunk for the silver dollars was how many "banked" their money in the early days. Not that it was all that safe. In 1928, the Farmers and Merchants State Bank was started in Turkey, under the management of L. C. Edwards. Mr. Edwards was from Terrell, Oklahoma. His daughter, Miss Geraldine Edwards assisted him in the bank. She later became Mrs. Elmer Lacy. Later R. V. Payne headed the bank with cashier Frank Smith's help.

**Bob Wills Day  
 April 25, 1998  
 Turkey, Texas**

### Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration for the 1998-99 school year will be Friday, May 1, 1998, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Please bring birth certificate, shot record and social security number.

## THEN & NOW!

By Eunice McFall

Not only is Bob Wills Day Fast approaching but it is just about here! Many trailers and fans have already arrived in Turkey to begin enjoying the fun and festivities of the coming big day. Much hard work has been accomplished before hand so that all can come into town and see the beauty of the town and the grace of a small community that wants to put their best foot forward. There is no way to acknowledge all the many hands that have made it possible to have the Bob Wills Celebration on Saturday. All year long behind the scenes there is work going on to make this one day a year a success for Turkey, Texas.

Much of the work is taken for granted that it will get done, too. Many want to enjoy the celebration but do not lift a finger to make it happen. We really need to show our appreciation to those that work so hard without any recognition for their many hours of labor. If you see one of them on the street be sure to tell them that you really do appreciate all the things that they accomplish for Turkey and the Bob Wills Celebration.

This last week there have been many many hands busy trying to put the finishing touches on the celebration. Everyone is trying to catch up on their own personal business so that they can help make this 27th Bob Wills Celebration a success. If you have not put your "hand to the plow". It is time to give it some thought and give of your best to those that may need a bit of rest and help for the weekend.

I would like to say that the turnout for the Senior class on Sunday at the Bob Wills Center was great. The food was wonderful and the people of the area turned out to give the senior class a big boost with the project that they are trying to get off the ground. They deserve a big hand for all the hard work that they put into pulling off the feast. Of course their parents deserve some of the credit too!

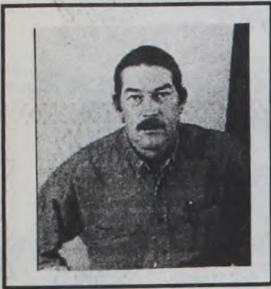
We, here at the paper would like to welcome Joyce Guest to the staff and hope that you will give your Turkey news to her so that Turkey Happenings can be put in place in the paper. If you have news, please let Joyce know by Monday evening so she can make the deadline. Welcome aboard Joyce. We are happy to have you with us!

## Welcome to Bob Wills Day



# WIDE OPEN

By Vince Taylor



"You will never live to see 21" that's what they used to tell me. They being my parents, friends, and enemies, and believe me it wasn't for a lack of trying that I've made it 20 years longer than they thought.

My dad always says I was a pretty good kid till I got my first car, and to tell the truth I don't remember ever getting into much trouble until then. It was not new by any means but better than I deserved.

After the two week break in period, meaning breaking mom and dad into the idea of letting me take it out on the town at night, several of my friends and I thought it would be a good night to have a party at the old bridge outside of town. Off we head, drinking and riding in my new car. Bad move huh? Well it didn't take long before I was nearly an expert at driving and drinking or so I was explaining to my friends about the time we left the road. Flying high in the air over a new five-strand barwire fence into the waiting arms of a lowly mesquite tree. Boy is dad going to be mad now. As I remember the last thing he said before me leaving the house was "Don't be drinking and driving that car around like a wild Indian, son, or I will know." He was going to know alright, how could he keep from it? Well, I figured the best thing for me to do is push the car out of the tree, drive back through the fence (jumped over it going in) no gate, no cutters. You ever see what a new fence does to a paint job? Not a pretty sight. When I get back in the road I notice the car is setting kind of funny (frame bent in 16 different places). The muffler and tailpipe bent up backwards under the car made it sound about as rough as it looked with its new scratches all the way over the top. I lived through it, and learned a lesson. Lesson number one, living life wide open can be hazardous to your wallet and your car.

## Museum Open For Turkey Visitors

The Bob Wills Museum will be open during the Bob Wills Celebration for the public to come and see all the many clippings, programs, personal items, books and pictures that have been collected and put on view here at the Bob Wills Museum in Turkey Texas.

His famous Western Swing music will play as you view the museum and take you back in years to a swinging time of life.

At the western edge of Turkey you can also view the monument erected to the legend of Bob Wills

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Our is still growing at "16"

## Yesteryear

Taken From The Quitaque Post Thursday, April 22, 1948

### This and That About One Thing and Another

Just give a fellow a pat on the back and there's no telling how far he'll go. Several weeks ago there was a writeup in the Post from the SCS office, naming Pierce White as the "outstanding farmer" in the county, and Pierce has been scheming ever since to keep that status. Now he has cows which give orange juice. That delicious "Green Spot" orange-ade for sale in milk bottles at your grocers, is a White Dairy product. Try a quart.

Son McCracken has a new car - not quite as modern as his well equipped motorcycle but as slick and smooth as a new one. It is a gift from his grandmother, a 1934 Studebaker, which has been run only 7,000 miles. The car had not been registered since 1940. Bought back in 1934, it was used for a few years, then blocked up and stored away, it simply sat encased in dust until Son and his dad towed it to town Wednesday for a cleaning and tune up. Only two long trips had been made in the car both to see the circus, to Amarillo in 1934 and to Wichita Falls in 1935.

Miss Minnie Mae Roberson moved this week into the rear apartment in the Womack building which Mr. Womack has just completed decorating.

Morris Wilson returned home this week from a two weeks visit in Mississippi, leaving Mrs. Wilson there for a longer visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Freeman and baby returned Sunday evening from a visit in Odessa. They were accompanied by Mrs. W. C. Everhart who visited here until Tuesday when she left for Lefors.

Mrs. H. B. Settle returned home last Thursday from Dallas where she attended the wedding of a niece, and visit with her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Youree at Odessa.

J. W. Mayfield who had been in the Plainview hospital for several weeks has been moved to the home of his son Buddy Mayfield at Lubbock, and his condition is reported as showing some improvement.

## OBITUARIES

### Texas Irene Miller

Texas Irene Miller, age 90, former Wellington resident, died Monday, April 13, 1998 in Claude.

Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, April 15, 1998 with the Rev. Derwin Comer, minister of music and youth of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, Wellington, under the direction of Adams Funeral Home.

Born July 13, 1907 to Alfred P. and Mae Haley Ann Watson, she married Bill Miller August 29, 1924 at Bonita. He preceded her in death in 1948. She was also preceded in death by one brother, Lucky Watson. She moved to Amarillo in 1960 and had resided there for the last 38 years. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include three sons, Eddie Miller, Wendol Miller and Donnie Miller, all of Amarillo; five daughters, Jewell Waters of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Laverne Benton of Quitaque; Odell Hunt of Memphis; Gene Mills and Byrel Locklear, both of Claude; one sister and a brother, Brendel Watson of Nocona; 23 grandchildren; many great grandchildren and several great great grandchildren.

### Navarre Bain

Service for Navarre Bain, 59, of Amarillo were at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 18, 1998 in the First United Methodist Church in Turkey with the Rev. Julius Early, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery under direction of Myers-Long Funeral Directors of Turkey.

Bain died Thursday, April 16, 1998 in Amarillo.

He was born October 20, 1938 in Lubbock. He graduated from Turkey High School. He was an owner operator in the trucking industry.

Survivors include a sister, Jinna Sue Turner of Lockney.

The family suggest memorials to the American Cancer Society, to First United Methodist Church in Turkey or to Crown of Texas Hospice, 100 S. Jefferson, Amarillo 79101.

### Bernice Thurman

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Bernice Thurman of Denton, Texas.

Mrs. Thurman died early Tuesday morning in Denton, Texas.

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Graveside services will be at 9:30 in Gainsville, Texas, Wednesday, April 22, 1998. A memorial service will follow at 11 a.m.

Arrangements are by George C. Carrol and Son Funeral Home.

Mrs. Thurman was an aunt of Billie Jeane Griffin.



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<p><b>Cat Litter</b> 7 LB. <b>2.99</b></p>	<p><b>Velveeta Dinners</b> 8-14 OZ. <b>1.99</b></p>	<p><b>Dinner Kits</b> 13-20 OZ. <b>2.11</b></p>
<p><b>FRESH Tomatoes</b> 4 PACK <b>89¢</b></p>	<p><b>FROZEN Sherbet</b> 12 OZ. <b>2.54</b></p>	<p><b>CHUCK ROAST</b> 1 LB. <b>1.19</b></p>
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\*A Newspaper about Happenings at the Valley School, by students, teachers, and advisors.\*



### School Menu

- Monday**  
Chicken Strips Potatoes  
Gravy Biscuits  
Honey Milk
- Tuesday**  
Corn Dog French Fries  
Pickles Fruit  
Milk
- Wednesday**  
Brisket Potato Salad  
Beans Hot Rolls  
Apricots Milk
- Thursday**  
Hamburger Steak  
Salad Corn  
Brown Gravy Hot Rolls  
Fruit Milk
- Friday**  
Barbecue on Bun Tomatoes  
Lettuce Chips  
Pickles Milk  
Orange

### District Tennis Results

**By Coach Saul**  
The doubles team of Jeremy Taylor and Coy McKay won 3rd Place at the District Tennis Meet in Abilene. To qualify for the District Meet, you had to win either first or second at the zone meet. Taylor/McKay defeated Gibson/Hale (Aspermont) in their first match by the score of 7-6, 9-7, 6-0. In the Championship Match, Halsell/Owenby (Crowell) defeated Taylor/McKay by the score of 6-4, 6-4. In the Playback Match for second place, Ellison/Kolb (Aspermont) defeated Taylor/McKay by the score of 6-0, 4-6, 6-4.

### Zone Tennis Results

**By Coach Saul**  
The Valley Tennis Team competed in the Zone Tournament at Vernon last Tuesday. Teams competing at zone were Chillicothe, Crowell, Paducah, Motley Co., and Valley. Results were:

**Boys Singles:**  
Alex Hinojosa (Valley) def Horn/Chillicothe 6-0, 6-0.  
Van Reenan (Crowell) def. Hinojosa (Valley) 6-1, 6-1.

**3rd Place Match:**  
Jones (Crowell) def. Hinojosa (Valley) 5-7, 6-3, 6-0.  
Maldonado (Paducah) def. Vance Chandler (Valley) 3-6, 6-2, 6-2.

**Girls Singles:**  
Kristi Leal (Valley) def. Risser (Motley Co.) 6-1, 6-0.  
Leal (Valley) def. E. Milligan (Chillicothe) 6-4, 6-4.  
Halsell (Crowell) def. Leal (Valley) 6-1, 6-2.

**3rd Place Match:**  
M. Milligan (Chillicothe) def. Leal (Valley) 3-6, 6-4, 6-4.  
M. Milligan (Chillicothe) def. Mindy Proctor (Valley) 6-2, 6-2.

**Boys Doubles:**  
Jeremy Taylor/Coy McKay (Valley) def. Berrera/Hammonds (Crowell) 7-6, 9-7, 6-0.  
Taylor/McKay (Valley) def. Green/Marvel (Motley Co.) 6-1, 6-4.

**Championship Match:**  
Halsell/Owenby (Crowell) def. Taylor/McKay (Valley) 7-6, 7-0, 2-6, 6-3.

Morgan Payne/Stephen Ortiz (Valley) def. Hinojosa/Smith (Paducah) 6-1, 6-0.  
Halsell/Owenby (Crowell) def. Payne/Ortiz (Valley) 7-5, 6-4.

**3rd Place Match:**  
Green/Marvel (Motley Co.) def. Payne/Ortiz (Valley) 7-6, 7-4, 7-5.

**Girls Doubles:**  
Canales/Timmons (Paducah) def. Mandy Pigg/Hollie McKay (Valley) 6-2, 6-3.  
Williams/McLaughlin (Chillicothe) def. Monica Ortiz/Jessica Ortis (Valley) 7-6, 8-6, 5-7, 6-4.

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### Valley Students Take Top Honors In UIL Contests

Four Valley High School students took top honors when they traveled to Munday March 31 and April 3, to compete in the UIL academic contests. Competing with students from ten area schools, the following students will advance to Regional competition held in Levelland April 23 and 24.

Jeremy Taylor placed 2nd in calculators, coached by Jackie Jenkins; Sam McClellan placed 1st in Biology, 3rd overall in Science, and was coached by Cagle Davis.

Jamie Taylor placed 2nd in Lincoln/Douglas debate; and Elena Fierro placed 3rd in the Lincoln/Douglas debate. Coached by JoAnn Reagan.

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### Senior Spotlight

Jamie Wellman

**Parents:** Jack and Deborah Wellman.

**Best Physical Characteristic:** Eyes.

**Style Of Dress:** Casual.

**Hobby:** Playing the piano.

**Pet Peeve:** People who smack their food and/or gum.

**Favorite Food:** Italian food.

**Best Subject:** Algebra II.

**Favorite Sport:** Track.

**Favorite Movie:** Titanic.

**Last Good Book Read:** The Firm.

**My Hero:** My mother.

**Always Fall For:** Stupid jokes.

**Someday I Want To:** To become an registered nurse.

**A Great Night Out:** Going to the movies and eating out.

**If I Were President:** I would do away with welfare.

**My Favorite Memory:** Mission trip to Beeville my sophomore year and Children's Home.

**My Worst Habit:** Biting my nails.

**Nickname:** Jumanji.

**My Most Valued Possession:** My family.

**If I Could Change Something:** I would change the way the media treated people.

**If I Could Do Anything I Wanted I Would:** Go to Texas Tech and get my degree in nursing.

**Best Advice:** You can accomplish anything as long as you set your mind to it.

**Worst Advice:** The first drink is always the worst, then after that they are all good.

**Greatest Fear:** Losing my family.

**What I Like Most In High School:** My friends.

**My Future Plans:** To go to college and become a registered nurse.

### New Year Begins For 1998-99 Pep Squad

by Amy Butler

On Monday, April 20, the Valley Pep Squad held a meeting to elect officers for the 1998-99 season. There are five officers;

President, Elena Fierro, vice president Kristen Ramsey, sec/treasurer, Amy Stark; reporter Amy Butler, yell leader, Paige Nielsen.

A total of twenty people have decided to participate in pep squad. A bright and spirited upcoming year is anticipated.



### Senior Spotlight

Alex Hinojosa

**Parents:** Tomas and Sarah Hinojosa.

**Best Physical Characteristic:** Eyes.

**Favorite Pastime:** Spending time with friends.

**Style Of Dress:** Casual.

**Hobby:** Roping.

**Pet Peeve:** People popping their fingers.

**Favorite Food:** Chicken fried steak.

**Best Subject:** Choir.

**Favorite Sport:** Football.

**Favorite Movie:** I Know What You Did Last Summer.

**Last Good Book Read:** MacBeth.

**My Hero:** My parents.

**Always Fall For:** Good-looking girls.

**Someday I Want To:** Own a big ranch.

**A Great Night Out:** Going to Plainview and watching a movie.

**If I Were President:** I wouldn't cheat on my wife.

**My Favorite Memory:** Winning the karate tournament in Amarillo when I was 5 years old.

**My Worst Habit:** Dipping snuff.

**Nickname:** Ajax.

**My Most Valued Possession:** My horse.

**If I Could Change Something:** I would have made better grades since my freshman year.

**If I Could Do Anything I Wanted I Would:** Become a pro football player.

**Best Advice:** Don't drink and drive.

**Worst Advice:** Just do it.

**Greatest Fear:** Losing a loved one.

**What I Like Most In High School:** Playing football.

**What Makes Me Mad:** Stuck-up people.

**My Future Plans:** Going to college and becoming a vet.

### Pep Squad Officers Elected at Valley

Valley Jr. High Pep Squad elected officers for the 1998-99 season, on April 16, 1998. New officers named were Scarlett Sperry, president; Mindy Leal, vice president; Sara Fierro, sec./ treasurer, Jessica Wellman, reporter.

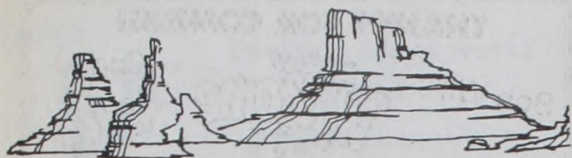
## Family Support Group for Alzheimer's and Other Related Diseases

**WHEN:** April 23  
**WHERE:** First United Methodist Church  
203 W. Kentucky  
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**TIME:** 6:00 P.M.

Speaker will be David Freed, PhD, Director of the Alzheimer's Disease Education Program, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.

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Nominations Set for Friday At Turkey's Hall Of Fame

by Barry Doss

Friday, April, 24th, 1998 at 10 o'clock, promises to be a big day for the Turkey, Texas Heritage Foundation. That's the day that the nominations are announced for their brand new All Arts Hall of Fame located in their not so new famed historical Gem Theatre in the downtown area.

Hopes are riding on the shoulders of that old structure. Hopes that this old community entertainment center will once again retake its place of glory in the pages of history to become the mecca for the people of the surrounding communities that it was before.

First of all nominations will be a blanket nomination of all those wonderful people who donated their time, energy and love to keep the Bob Wills name and Western Swing Music going for twenty seven long golden glorious years. They are the members of the Bob Wills Foundation of Turkey, Texas who originated this program and keep it work-

ing for all of us for our listening and dancing pleasure these many unforgettable years.

Secondly will be another blanket nomination of the induction of all Bob Wills Musicians, along with all members of the Johnny Lee Wills; Luke Wills and Billy Jack Wills bands.

Then we'll start the nominations for local groups of all the arts.

If you have a favorite star or neighbor you want to be nominated, then come out and go to bat for your choice for them. Study the categories and best of all join the Heritage Foundation and work on the committee yourself next time. After all it's for you and your town. So come out, join, and enjoy the best of your town!

Hall Of Honor Proposed for City of Turkey

by Larry Denton

Many overviews are being studied concerning the Heritage Hall of Honor in Turkey. How it will work, and what is its purpose is the question. It is the hope of Turkey Heritage Foundation to answer some of these questions.

Most folks have heard that the purpose of the Hall of Honor would be to honor folks who have made contributions to the preservation and promotion of country music. The Heritage Hall will also honor those folks who are interested in the preservation of Country Music -- swing music being the central interest. This of course reflects the heritage of this area.

Members of the Foundation realize this can be a problem. It is hard for folks to separate their interest in music over and against the character of persons who write, sing, and produce the music. There are endless questions as to who should be honored in and among those who enjoy the music, but the main purpose of the Heritage Hall is to preserve the music itself.

Artists who are chosen to be represented here will be encouraged by having their work made mention of or presented.

With this in mind, such standards would serve those in the future as well as the past. The Hall would also promote interest in the local working artists such as poets, fine arts, craftsmen, and writers.

We encourage all who are interested to write or call the Turkey Heritage Foundation, with suggestions or questions. We invite you to participate in the upcoming presentation of Hank Thompson, sponsored by the Foundation.



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Friday, April 24th

Dance - 9 P.M. to 12 midnight at the Bob Wills Center, former Texas Playboys will be featured. \$10.00 per person

Saturday, April 25th

Pancake Breakfast - 6:00 AM - ? Turkey/Quitaque Lions Club, all you can eat. Bob Wills Center Cafeteria.

Parade - Saturday morning 10:00 A.M. downtown main street Turkey

BBQ - Saturday 11:00 A.M. at the Bob Wills Center.

Old Fiddlers Contest - Saturday 12:00 Noon at the Auditorium Center and Gym. \$4.00

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Saturday Night Dance - 7:00 P.M. featuring Jody Nix and the Texas Cowboys. \$10.00 per person

Midnight Breakfast - 11:00 P.M. at the Bob Wills Cafeteria

Sunday, April 26th

Bob Wills Community Worship Service - 8:30 A.M. at the old football field

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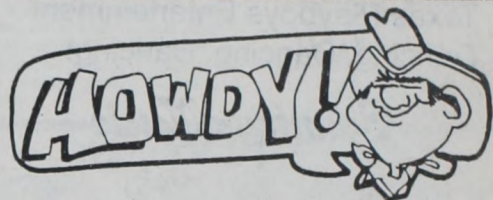
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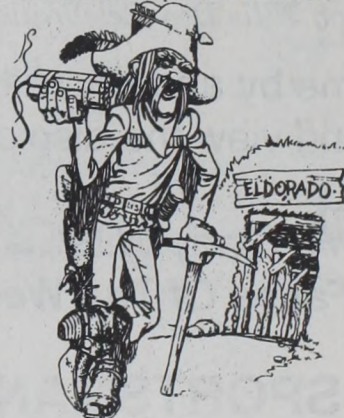
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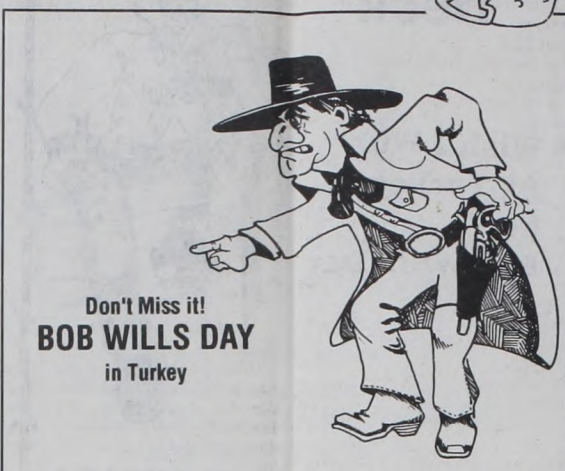
I saw the fiddle lying there so silent and so still  
And the card that pointed out, "This belonged to Bob Wills."  
Then I felt such a sadness, and a tear came to my eye.  
With Bob no longer with us, would his music have to die?

This music that the whole world loves is such a special thing.  
It sets your heart to singing; we call it Western Swing.  
His fiddle is now silent, and Bob has gone away  
But in my heart I know that western swing is here to stay

Last night I had a dream like I have never had before.  
I had a chance to get a glance inside of heaven's door  
The angels were all singing, and the music sounded grand.  
The golden harps and trumpets made you want to clap your hands.

Then all of a sudden, I heard a familiar tone: a fiddle playing,  
an "ahh haa" and "Take it away, Leon."  
Next morning when I woke feeling happy as could be,  
I knew that western swing would live throughout eternity

Bob plays a golden fiddle now up there in heaven's band.  
He's got them all a swinging, tapping toes and clapping hands.  
The music rings from cloud to cloud way up there in the sky  
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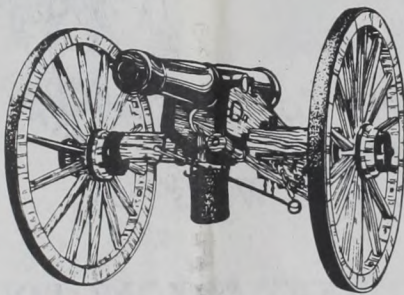
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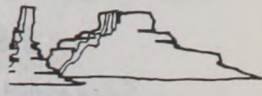
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### Kayla Meyer - Jon Pigg Vows Said In Childress March 14

Jon Earl Pigg and Kayla Jo Meyer were united in marriage on March 14, 1998, at 6:00 o'clock in the evening at First United Methodist Church in Childress. Dr. Jeff Smith, cousin of the bride, of Waco, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Edwin and JoAnn Meyer of Childress. She is the granddaughter of race Smith of Canadian, Texas, and the late Jim Smith and the late Bill and Selma Meyer. Pigg is the son of Barbara Scroggins of Amarillo and Mike Pigg of Silvertown. He is the grandson of Louise Chandler and John and Delores Pigg, all of Quitaque, and the late O.E. "Babe" Chandler.

Annginette Beisch of Lubbock served as maid of honor. Bridal attendants were D'Ann Bragg of Galveston; Jeni Meyer of El Paso, sister-in-law of the bride, Tasha Rochelle of Waco, and Calley Payne of Silvertown.

Mark Huffhines of Hale Center, served as best man. Groomsmen were Kirk Martin of Friendswood, Joe Ramirez of Silvertown, Denny Hill of Tullia, and Cody Gruhkey of Kress. Russell Meyer of El Paso and Jimmy Meyer of College Station, (brothers of the bride) served as ushers. Flower girls were Raven Jones of Tullia, (cousin of groom) Kristen Alewine of Ennis, (cousin of the bride) and Layne Smith of Waco, (cousin of the bride). Dakota Martin of Friendswood served as the ring bearer.

Kayla is a graduate of Texas Tech University with a bachelor of science degree in Agriculture Economics and a bachelor of business administration degree in General Business. She is employed with Windham School District and TDCJ in Plainview and Tullia. Jon is engaged in farming in the Turkey-Quitaque area.

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### Happy Anniversaries

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### FHA Members Attend State Conference



JAMIE TAYLOR

Representatives for the alley Chapter of Future Homemakers of America attended the 1998 State Leadership conference along with 4,000 members and advisors from Texas.

"FHA/HERO: Out of this World!" was the theme of the 1998 meeting held April 16-18.

Attending from alley were Jamie Taylor, state officer candidate; Amy Stark, Japanese Exchange representative and STAR event contestant; Elena Fierro, Mindy Proctor, and Kristie Leal, STAR award contestants; Tiffany Woods, voting delegate; and Kathy Taylor, FHA advisor.

Members were challenged to go beyond their boundaries by participating in FHA/HERO programs and projects that develop creative and critical thinking skills, family communication skills, practical knowledge and vocational preparation.

As state officer candidate, Jamie Taylor met with a nominating committee Friday morning, being interviewed and questioned about the officer duties. Friday evening, it was announced Jamie will be the State Vice-president of STAR events responsible for organizing the state contests next spring.

Two teams represented Valley at the STAR event contests this year.

Amy Stark competed in the Illustrated Talk contest, giving a speech about Japanese culture. Elena, Mindy, and Kristie competed in the Skills for Life contest. They had completed an FHA Project, Youth Exchanging with Seniors, and described how this project helped them develop organization and communication skills they could use during their lifetime. The competition was tough and neither team placed in the top six.

All Valley FHA members heard dynamic keynote speakers and enjoyed the two day conference. It was

great to watch Jamie on the stage and Amy on the stage, talking to the delegates about her experiences in Japan.



ELENA FIERRO



### Great-granddaughter Of Local Woman is Winner

Sarah Marie Bentley, daughter of Sherri Jenkins and Wayne Bentley, and granddaughter of Nyoka McGee, all of Odessa, and great-granddaughter of Lavern Benton, of Quitaque, won first place in a baby beauty contest in Odessa recently.



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# FLOMOT NEWS

by Earlyne Jameson  
OVERHEARD

Paul Harvey: "Golfers who are buried on Tuesday, Thursday or Sunday have very few friends attending their services."

## Attend Texas Cotton Ginners Convention

Roger Lee and son, Josh attended the 91st annual Texas Cotton Ginners Association convention held from Wednesday until Saturday at the Memorial Civic Center in Lubbock.

It was estimated 6000 ginners, growers and industry representatives saw almost 200 exhibits. Theme for the event was "Ginning Toward the Millennium". It was held in conjunction with 41st annual Plains Cotton Growers meeting.

## Leah Cruse Presented Chi Omega Sorority Award

Leah Cruse of Flomot, student at West Texas A&M University in Canyon, was presented the Chi Omega Outstanding Freshman Award at the Chi Omega Founders Day Luncheon, Saturday, April 4, 1998. She is vice president of the Sorority.

It was held at the Ambassador Hotel in Amarillo. Her mother, Mrs. Darrell (Brenda) Cruse of Flomot and her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Marihelen Wason of Matador attended the luncheon and presentation.

## Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. Mollie Burleson of Floydada was honored on her birthday, Thursday, April 16 with a luncheon and all the trimmings at the Stickland's Cafe in Lockney.

Those sharing the happy occasion were Mary Ellen Barton, Viola Stinson and Mrs. Ronald Clay of Flomot and Mrs. Marisue Potts, Mrs. Lou Burleson and neighborhood friends of Floydada.

## Has Surgery

Brittany, daughter of Lucretia and Breck Dockery of Vernon, had ureter surgery Wednesday, April 15 at United Regional Hospital in Wichita Falls. Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson were with the family from Tuesday until Thursday. Kala Johnson of Floydada



## Betsy Claire Welborn

Bud and Lisa (Herrington) Welborn are the proud parents of a baby girl, Betsy Claire, born Wednesday, April 8, and weighing 8 lbs. 7 oz. She has a brother, Blake Sterling, who is almost two.

Grandparents are Doris Mimms and Johnnie Welborn, Vernon; and Ross and Patsy Herrington, Quitaque. Also a great-grandmother, Nancy Condo of Pampa.

and Mrs. James May of Quitaque were with the family on Thursday. Brittany has returned home and is reported to be doing fine.

Mrs. Brenda Cruse and daughter, Leah, her mother, Mrs. Marihelen Wason of Matador and sister and daughter, Mrs. Charla Marricce and Shahala of Snyder enjoyed a pre-Easter visit and entertainment in Lubbock, Friday, April 10.

Luncheon guests, Sunday of Mrs. Tommie Jo Cruse were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nance of Silverton, Mrs. Dona Browning of Rising Star and Mrs. Sylvia Lee Martin of Flomot.

Larry Clay returned home Wednesday from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock and is having out patient medical treatment on his injured ankle. He visited in Panhandle, Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Metcalf and accompanied home his children, Kelsey, Tanner and Sarah who visited there the past week.

Paul Roberts of Lubbock visited Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers.

Art Green visited in Plainview, Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Alta Mae Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris visited during the week in Breckenridge with son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Morris and Lane.

Mrs. Chad (Cindy) Calvert of Lubbock visited overnight Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter were in Lubbock, Tuesday for medical appointments and had lunch with Anita and Brad Carter. They attended the Wild Flower presentation at the M. C. Library in Matador Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin visited in Floydada, Tuesday with Mrs. Bessie Martin.

Jack and Nada Starkey were in Amarillo, Monday, April 13 and again, Tuesday, April 21 for medical appointments. They visited Mrs. Clifton Reid and Christina and in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and Aleda Elaine were in Lubbock, Wednesday for Aleda a dental appointment, visiting the Ross family, Sunday were Elisa and Stan Wigley of Lubbock.

## Visitors in home

Patsy Herrington flew to Austin Thursday, April 9, to help welcome and care for her new granddaughter, Betsy Claire Welborn. She was joined Saturday evening by her husband, Ross. After Easter services, the family had Easter dinner at the home of Ron and Kim Eudy, Marshall, Gracie and Parker, Bud and Lisa, Blake and Betsy Welborn and Angela Eudy, and Gunner also enjoyed the dinner with them.

Ross and Patsy returned home Monday.

# Turkey Happenings

by Joyce Guest

Accolades have to go to Ann Coker - a retired teacher volunteer who has done a superb job of writing and submitting news for the town of Turkey for a number of years. It takes a special person to assume that responsibility for 52 weeks, year after year. THANKS, ANN!!!

Most of you know me, Joyce Guest (Alpha Joyce Mullin), from years ago. I was born and reared here by Horace and Lillian Mullin. After an absence of 45 years, I moved back in July of 1995 to be with my parents, and to live in a laid-back community. It only stays laid-back for a short period of time. It's not long until you find out that there are many, many jobs to do. Submitting the news is one that I've agreed to try - so get your news to me. Our news column will only be as good as what you let me know about. Continue to leave news at the City Hall, my house at 500 Lyles or call 1-806-423-1128. Thanks.

Mable Morse, Rita Guest, Betty House and Beth Mills are enjoying some bridge playing fishing and R&R at Betty's cabin in Llano. They left Friday for a few days.

Harvey Mullin of Gunbarrel was here for the funeral of Navarre Bain. He also enjoyed spending time with his parents Hoss and Lillian. Hoss had not felt well the last few days but recuperated enough to beat his sons, Dean and Harvey, playing "Hand and Foot." another day, another time, you guys.

The U. F. Cokers recently returned from a trip to Ruidoso where they visited with their daughter and family, Linda and Mark Hamilton and sons, Zach and Josh. They enjoyed watching their grandsons play soccer and baseball and seeing the Hamilton's new home.

While there they met the Ruidoso basketball coach who used to be at Lazbuddie. He definitely remembered one Valley football player, Kirk Saul, and asked about him. Coach Saul had certainly impressed him.

On their way home they stopped at Allsups in Elida for cokes and met Gerald and Beck Lane there. They were on their way home from visiting with their daughter, Oleta, and family. Gerald and Becky live in Clarendon.

Also inside Allsups they met Alvin Ivory, a former Quitaque resident. Alvin was driving a Walmart truck and lives in Amarillo. The five had a great reunion in Elida, N.M.

Dona Browning of Rising Star has been in town for a few days visiting with Foye Lane, Hoss and Lillian, Bea Mullin, Leo Bert (all of whom have been sick) and other relatives and friends. She's staying with her daughter, Tommie Cruse of Flomot.

Virginia Degan had several visitors in her home during the time of Navarre's memorial. Susie Dunlap, friend of Navarre's from Amarillo, visited. Other visitors were her niece, Tommie Lard, formerly of

Silverton but now of Grand Junction, Colorado, Chris and Joe Lyles family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Prather and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Mark McKnight and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Turner from Washington state, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Turner from Amarillo, Billy Joe and Jena Sue Turner and family from Lockney, Tim Parker and families from Canyon and a son, Kevin Turner from Dallas.

## Kim Coker Receives Honor

The Texas Ag Industries Association gave awards to a number of its members for outstanding accomplishments recently.

Kim Coker, President of Texas Liquid Fertilizer, was awarded the Harry P. Whitworth Political Activity Award. Mr. Coker lives in Brenham.

## On The QT

Vinita and Guss Hrncir returned home Sunday night from Rosenberg, Texas where they had attended the funeral of Guss' sister, Janie Jakubik.

Jimmy and Clara Ruth Davidson spent the weekend with their son and children, Jimmy Don, Jena and Willie Davidson at Sterling City.

Visitors in the home of Joe Edd and Janelle Smith for Easter were Carter, Jana, Megan and Barbee Trew from Lubbock; Joe Kirk, Angie and Dakota Smith of Shallowater; Jeana, Micah, Jordon and Tyler Simmons from Shallowater and Ike and Thelma Smith of Amarillo.

## Turkey Senior Citizens News

by Oleta Randell

At their last meeting the Turkey Senior Citizens had 21 members and two guests, Max and Nellie Temple of Oklahoma present. (See, I've been telling you local people that people come from out-of-state just to attend our meetings and eat some delicious food!)

Several of the members were absent, but we are hoping everyone can be at the next one which will be April 28th at 6 o'clock. Everyone is invited to join the group then for an evening of fun and fellowship. See you there.

## Hardwick Turns 100

Ruby Hardwick will turn 100 years old the 23rd of April. She now lives in Sacramento, California in a convalescent center. She lived in Turkey for many years.

She has two daughters that live in Sacramento.

If you would like to send her a card, she would love to receive it. Her address is Ruby Hardwick, 3161 El Camino Av. #46, Sacramento, CA 95821.



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# The Music Plays On

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In a scenic little town on the western plains of Texas, folks spend many hours preparing for the last Saturday in April.

It's Bob Wills Day in Turkey, Texas.

Six hundred residents, alongside neighbors from the nearby town of Quitaque, wash storefront windows, sweep streets and plant flowers to spruce up for the special event.

It's a small town, but arms open wide to welcome 5,000 to 10,000 guests each year.

People start to arrive about mid-April to find hookups for their vans and motor homes and visit with other fans. They come to hear the music of the Texas Playboys, four of whom played with the original group Bob Wills formed in the '30s.

One night during Dust Bowl times, so the story goes, Bob Wills was driving a friend home in his open roadster from a dance. The blowing dust was suffocating. "I'm leaving this country, and I'm gonna make it good," Wills supposedly said. True to his word, the musician left and made it good, becoming known in ensuing years as the King of Western Swing.

Wills was inducted into the Country Music Hall of Fame in Nashville, Tennessee, and into the National Cowboy Hall of Fame in Oklahoma City. He played his fiddle in 12 cowboy movies and with his Texas Playboys, made 500 recordings.

But Wills never forgot Turkey, Texas, nor did Turkey ever forget him. Wills returned to visit when he was in the area, sometimes giving concerts. And dancers in Turkey often put nickels in jukeboxes, also called nickelodeons, to play his records.

His parents were too poor to pay for music lessons, but his family exposed Wills to music from the start. His father and uncle were fiddlers, and they taught Wills to play traditional breakdown music.

For years, the family picked cotton to survive. It was a hard life. As Wills worked, he listened to black cotton pickers sing mournful blues songs they seemed to compose as they went. At night, they played blues and jazz on instruments while everyone in the cotton camps gathered to listen and take part.

"The Wills family settled in a fringe area that lay between farming lands and ranching lands," wrote Dr. Charles R. Townsend, in his book *San Antonio Rose: The Life and Music of Bob Wills*.

"It was one of the largest and most famous ranching areas in the world, where horses, cattle and cowboys were a way of life. That area and lifestyle would affect his (Bob Wills) own and deeply mark his musical career.

"Years later, the young man who played second fiddle took that basic frontier folk music, embellished it with jazz and popular music idioms, and gave Texas, the Southwest, and finally the world a new kind of music."

During last year's Bob Wills Day in Turkey, Townsend served as Master of Ceremonies.

"Bob Wills' music is making more money than ever," Townsend told the festival crowd. "More people listen to country western (music) than ever before. Garth Brooks, Reba McEntire and George Strait are some of the people who play his music."

"It is being played in Belgium, Scotland and England, and people from those countries visit Turkey on Bob Wills Day."

Turkey is a place where horses, cattle and bandy-legged cowboys are a part of life. Naturally, the festival reflects this Western style.

A Friday night dance starts the celebration, with music played by the Texas Playboys. Dancers wear cowboy boots, blue jeans, bandannas, denim dresses and cowboy hats.

Saturday morning there's a parade with horses, riding clubs, cowboys and musicians. They pay tribute to Bob Wills, his music, the Old West and today's ranching industry. It's a taste of both the past and the future.

A hearty catered lunch always features favorite regional dishes such as barbecued beef, pinto beans, potato salad, corn bread and iced tea.

After the meal, there's an Old Fiddler's Contest. But contestants needn't be old. Entrants represent a wide range of ages. They come from all over Texas, and other states, too. The most popular fiddling tune, judging from years past, is *Faded Love*.

The Texas Playboys perform a concert in late afternoon on the town's football field. The concert's free, and the people bring their own chairs. Children, middle-aged folks and seniors all tap their toes, scoot their boots in the grass and sing along as the band plays *San Antonio Rose*, *Faded Love*, *Ida Red* and other favorites.

Bob Wills Day began in 1972, and thousands of people come each year to Turkey to enjoy this festival. Why does his music go on and on? And, in a larger sense, why is a new generation of listeners embracing his country western style?

Maybe there's a longing in each of us for a bit of the Old West's drama. Maybe people keep coming back to Turkey because Bob Wills - though he died in 1975 - is still the King of Western Swing. And no one's music has replaced his.

After the last note is played, the festival over and the guests gone home, Turkey returns to a quiet town where life is simple, and folks say "Howdy" to you on the street, whether they know you or not.

Turkey welcomes guests year-round, but the last Saturday in April is the town's special day, when Bob Wills' music plays on and on.

## San Antonio Rose Voted Wills Most Famous Record

Bob Wills' most famous record was *San Antonio Rose*. In 1940, Wills made his first movie, *Take Me Back To Tulsa*. In 1968 he was installed in Country Western Hall of Fame in Nashville, Tennessee. In 1969 he suffered a massive stroke.

Early in 1974 Bob Wills suffered another stroke and could not attend the Bob Wills Celebration at Turkey, Texas held in honor of him.

Jack Bell and Gus Timmons carried the flags for the parade that year. Bill Mack, of WBAP fame announced the parade while Susie Parker of Silverton reigned as queen. Hoyle Nix and his band of Big Spring were the band for the dance that year.

Hall County was designated National Bicentennial Community by the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission in 1975. Miss Nesa Jackson, sponsored by KFLD in

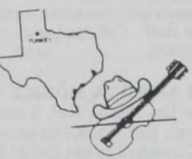
Floydada became queen. A former Miss Texas, Judy Mallett played fiddle, Miss Ford Country, Sandy Lankford, sang and Leon McAuliffe played in the afternoon. Joe Bob Barnhill also sang several numbers. Bob Wills died in May of 1975.

In 1975 Hall County proclaimed April as Bob Wills month. The annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet at Memphis was dedicated to him. This was the year that the arts and craft show was added to the agenda.

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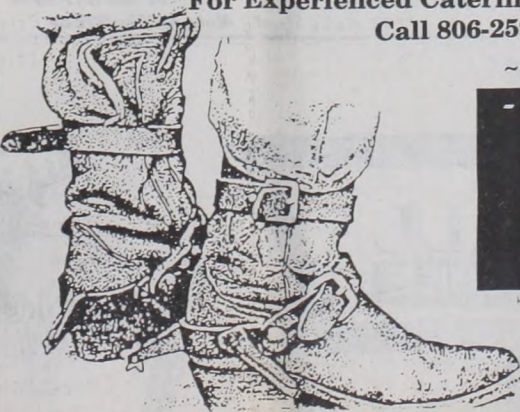
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Our love and thanks,  
The Barnhill Family 45 1tc

I would like to take this time to thank everyone for the food, cards, gifts and all the prayers during my surgery, each and everyone touched a place in my heart. I am truly blessed and proud to live in a community where people care.

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**FOR ELECTON**  
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Briscoe County Treasurer  
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pd. pol. adv.

**FOR RE-ELECTION**  
Hall County District - County Clerk  
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