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COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT JUDGES TO BE IN QUITAQUE APRIL 27

First judging in the Community Improvement Program is just a little over two weeks away!

The judges will be in Quitaque on Tuesday, April 27, it was announced this week.

Quitaque residents who are aiming for the Number One spot in the State of Texas, need to be busy from now on sprucing up and getting the community tip-top condition for the judges' visit.

Considerable work has already been done of course, the most noteworthy being the old building in the center of town having been torn down and the lot cleaned up.

Other improvements that are not as apparent are the new incinerators that were built for several places of business. These of course are in the alleys and are

constructed of cinder blocks. There are other improvements underway.

Just as is happening to much of the state, Quitaque is in the midst of a drought and yards are mostly still dead. The weathermen do not make any predictions of moisture in the next few days so it appears that if the town and community is to be green for the judges, hydrants and sprinklers must be turned on now. There's just about time left to get our places green by the 27th.

Whatever needs to be done to pretty up the place—now is the time to get cracking! Let's take a giant step—to No. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wilson of Quitaque attended the National AAU Tournament in Council Bluffs, Iowa, last week. They drove up on Wednesday. They saw Sherry Stark crowned Queen of the Tournament. The Wilsons returned by Abilene, Kansas, and took a tour through the Eisenhower Museum. They returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Daisy Bedwell was taken to the Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday night of last week. She was suffering with a lung congestion and it caused some heart reaction. Joe Bedwell and Mr. and Mrs. Nook Bedwell visited her Sunday, and they report she is doing fine.

Mrs. J. A. Watson entered the hospital in Lockney Monday.

Mrs. Hubert Dudley is in the hospital suffering with pneumonia.

Mrs. Roy Hunter and Mrs. Bill Farley of Turkey were visitors in Lockney Monday. They visited Mrs. Mary Carlile and Mrs. Virginia Dudley in the hospital and Mrs. Nora Hunter and other local relatives and friends in the convalescent home.

TURKEY FHA CHAPTER HAS REGULAR MEETING

Turkey FHA Chapter held its regular meeting April 5 and discussed the incoming officers for 1971-72. The newly appointed officers are: Perry Fuston, president; Marilyn Maxwell, first vice president; Darlene Hale, second vice president; Jana Driskill, third vice president; Charmaine Fuston, fourth vice president; Elaine King, fifth vice president; Vicki Hal, secretary; Karen Eudy, treasurer; Laura Lane, historian; Doris Carlile, parliamentarian; Dianna Johnston, assistant fourth vice president and pianist.

Mrs. Eudy showed some slides about home economic careers and it was very worthwhile to view. The meeting was then adjourned.

TURKEY FFA BOYS APPLYING FOR AWARDS

The Turkey FFA has three boys applying for the Lone Star Farmer Degree. The three boys are Rex Adamson, Neil Guest and Ike Ferguson.

Curtis Scrivner is applying for an award for beef production. Bruce Ferguson is applying for pork production.

Tom Christian To Appear On Hot Line To Austin Program

Monday, April 12, Hot Line to Austin, broadcast at 7:30 p.m. on KVII-TV Channel 7, Amarillo, will feature Guest State Representative Tom Christian of Claude.

Guest moderators will be G. W. Estlack, publisher of Donley County Leader; Troy Martin, editor and publisher of Canyon News; and Cecil O. Waggoner, publisher of Claude News.

TURKEY ELECTION RESULTS

Water Commissioner
Ken Carey, 69 votes

School Trustee
Melton Cotton, 75 votes
Jan Turner, 87 votes

County Trustee at Large
Roy Gresham, 65 votes

Mrs. Dean Johnson and Leslie spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week visiting in Wellington. They visited Agatha's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Wright, her sister, Mrs. Bill Moseley, and grandmother, Mrs. Lenore Jackson. They also visited Dean's sister, Mrs. Jerol Morris.

Mrs. Wayne Whittington and Dee drove to Wellington Sunday to visit the Willie Gragsons. They met Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phelps and children there also and enjoyed a nice visit with both families.

Bobby Cochran Receives Award In Vietnam

Bobby Cochran, who is serving in the Army in Vietnam was awarded the Army Commendation Medal with "V" Device. The General Orders read as follows:

Date of Service: 3 November
Theater: Republic of Vietnam
Authority: By direction of the Secretary of the Army under the provisions of AR 672-5-1.

Reason: for heroism in the Republic of Vietnam on 3 November 1970. Private Cochran distinguished himself while serving as a rifleman in Company E, 2nd Battalion (Airborne), 506th Infantry, during combat operations near Fire Support Base Rakkasan, Republic of Vietnam. While walking the lead position during a reconnaissance patrol, Private Cochran detected evidence of enemy presence and diverted the element from a possible ambush. After guiding them onto higher ground, Private Cochran halted his team and directed them to take cover while he moved forward to make a further reconnaissance of the area. While moving forward, the enemy commenced firing from the ambush position. As a result of his actions, the reconnaissance team averted an ambush, thereby greatly reducing the extent of friendly casualties once contact was initiated. Private Cochran's personal bravery and devotion to duty were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit and the United States Army.

Merrell Funeral Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. W. W. Merrell, 73, were held at 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, April 7 in the First Baptist Church at Flomot, of which she was a member. The Rev. Leo Cole pastor, officiated. He was assisted by Dr. Neil Record, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lockney. Burial was in the Edgim Cemetery by Quitaque Funeral Home.

Mrs. Merrell died Monday at 12:30 p.m. at the family home 9 miles southwest of Quitaque. She had been in failing health for the past several months.

Johnnie Virginia Merrell was born June 23, 1898 in Haskell County, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McGowan.

She was married to Warren Merrell on December 7, 1913 at her home in Flomot. Mr. and Mrs. Merrell had lived in their present family home for 47 years.

She is survived by her husband; three daughters Mrs. J. P. Tavol, of South Plains, Mrs. Jane Pigg of Kress, and Mrs. Betty Ruth Douglas of Springdale, Va.; three sons, Bob of Lockney, and Jake and Truman of Quitaque; two sisters, Mrs. Claude Loudermilk of Silverton, and Mrs. Dyke McMurray of Dumas; one brother, Richard McGowan of Springlake 15 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Warren Lee Merrell, Jerry Merrell, Mark Merrell, David Pigg, J. Ronald Taylor and Joe Taylor, grandsons of Mrs. Merrell.

Mrs. John Chesshir, James Chesshir of Cross Plains, and Mrs. Haskell Chesshir of Nashville, Tennessee, visited with friends in Turkey Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Observe 50th Anniversary

In honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Walker, their daughter and granddaughters were hostesses for a reception Sunday, April 4, from 3:00 until 5:00 p.m. in the family home.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Norma Hefner, the daughter, Mrs. De Alva Holmes, a member of Mr. and Mrs. Walker's wedding party, Laura, Landa and April Louise Hefner.

Melody Miller registered the guests, using a table which was Mrs. Walker's mothers on her wedding day, 75 years ago, on April 12.

The refreshment table was laid with a cutwork cloth over gold, using crystal and gold appointments. The beautiful anniversary cake, candelabra with gold tapers and fresh flowers were the focal point.

Mrs. Kenneth Miller, Jack Barnhill and J. R. Adamson, Jr. alternated in serving. Mrs. B. D. Williams directed the guests to the den, where friends congratulated the honored couple and met relatives and out-of-town friends.

Mrs. Paul Meacham showed the guests the lovely array of gifts, among which was a hand-painted picture of their home.

The couple received telephone calls from Waco, Abilene, Silver City, New Mexico, and Fortuna, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker were born and reared in Comanche County, Mrs. Walker being the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Todd of Comanche. Mr. Walker is a veteran of World War I, having served in France and then in Germany in the army of occupation.

The couple were married February 19, 1921, by Dr. Forrest Maddox, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Comanche.

They came to Turkey in May 1925, and Mr. Walker was editor and publisher of the Turkey En-

Turkey Track Team Wins District 4-B Title

Turkey won the District 4-B track title by a huge 80-point margin over runnerup Estelline at Memphis last Friday. Turkey piled up 162 points for first place; Estelline garnered 88 points; Quitaque came in third with 63 points; and Hedley ran last with 52 points.

Individually, Turkey and Quitaque winners were as follows:

440 Relay — 1. Turkey — team members, Dennis Irby, Neil Guest, Dan Davis and Sam McKay.
880 Run — Carlton Oglesby, Quitaque; 2. Tim Holland, Turkey.
120 High Hurdles — 1. Davis, Turkey; 3. Joe Lane, Turkey.
100 Dash — 2. Dan Davis, Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helms left here Saturday, March 27, for Farmington, New Mexico to visit her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Bales. They returned by Albuquerque, New Mexico and visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson, returning home Thursday, April 1. They report a very good time.

Mrs. Helms visited her mother, Mrs. J. B. Johnson, in Lockney Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gibson of Amarillo visited with relatives and friends over the weekend. Mr. Gibson also preached at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Williams visited in Lubbock with the Terry Doc Williams and the Forest Johnsons over the weekend.

440 Dash — 3. Dennis Irby, Turkey; 3. Neil Guest, Turkey.
330 Intermediates — Curtis Polley, Turkey; 2. Ray Mullin, Turkey; 220 Dash — 2. Irby, Turkey; 3. Price, Quitaque.
1 Mile Run — 1. Ray Mullin, Turkey.
1 Mile Relay — 1. Quitaque, David Johnston, Carlton Oglesby, Alvin Ivory, Larry Price; 2. Turkey, Neil Guest, Tim Holland, Ike Ferguson and Curtis Polley.
Pole Vault — 1. Polley and 2. Ray Mullin, both of Turkey.
High Jump — 1. Davis, Turkey, 6-3.
Shot Put — 2. David Johnston, Quitaque.
Discus — 1. Ferguson, Turkey; 3. Mullin, Turkey.

Turkey Junior High also won the district junior title, scoring 74 1/2 points; Hedley was second with 35; Quitaque was third with 26; and Estelline won 4th with 11 1/2.

Turkey Junior individual winners were as follows:

High Jump — Brent Guest, 3rd.
Long Jump — Danny Stewart, 1st. Scotty Setliff, 3rd.
Shot — Jimmy Vivens
Pole Vault — Russell Yates, 1st. Smitty Lane, 2nd., Randy Green, 3rd.
50 Yard Dash — Jimmy Vivens, 1st; Mitchell Vivens, 2nd; Brent Guest, 3rd.
440 Relay — Turkey, 1st. (Jimmy Vivens, Mitchell Vivens, Brent Guest, Danny Stewart).
980 Dash — Norman Mullin 4th.
Scott Eudy 5th.
60 Yd. High Hurdles — Jimmy Vivens, 1st. Russell Yates, 2nd.
100 Yard Dash — Danny Stewart, 2nd. Brent Guest, 3rd. Scotty Setliff, 4th.
440 Dash — Brian Wheeler, 1st. Randy Green, 3rd. Joe Lynn McKay (Best time — pulled muscle in pre-lims).

100 Yard Lows — Russell Yates, 1st; Randy Green, 2nd; Robert Grazson, 4th.
880 Yard Relay — Turkey, 1st. (Russell Yates, Brian Wheeler, Mitchell Vivens, Danny Stewart)

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson met Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson Sunday in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Euman Lyles and Mrs. Denver Powell attended a meeting of the Motley Arts and Crafts Club in Matador Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hawkins and son, Ryan, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hawkins, over the weekend.

Leslie Mullin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bunky Mullin of Lubbock, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mullin, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burl Calvert and Lavern Barnhill visited the Ted Barnhills Sunday in Amarillo.

Jay Eudy, Tink Lane, Doyle Proctor, Hubert Price of Turkey and David Brown of Slaton were at Texas A&M this week attending a swine meeting.

JARRELL RICE RECEIVES APPOINTMENT

Jarrell Rice was sworn in as Postmaster at Quitaque on Friday, April 2, 1971. This was to become effective Saturday, April 3. He has been serving as Acting Postmaster since July 31, 1964.

Postal Service Officer B. W. Waak of Wichita Falls, conducted the swearing in ceremony.

Visitors in the Lee Seymour home over the weekend and last week were Mr. and Mrs. Buck Seymour and Steve, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Arterburn, Keith and Donald, of Acuff, and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Boatright of Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Richmond and Mrs. Elmer Richmond visited the Lonnie Richmonds and Herman Smiths in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Richmond stayed with the Smiths for a visit. The E. D. Richmonds came back by way of Hereford and visited the T. P. Richmonds and son, Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lynn Garner and family of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Garner, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Riddell, Rusty and Kristi moved from Cee Vee into Turkey last week.

Miss Jan Guest of Fort Worth is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Guest and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mullin this week.

Mrs. Law of California is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mullin. Monday she also visited Mrs. Grace Cunningham of Tulsa.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolf Wooten and family of Houston are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hill.

NEW BABY
Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Polley are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Sunday, April 4, at 6:02 p.m. in Lockney General Hospital. The young man weighed 5 lbs. 7 ozs. and has been named Lance Edward. He has four sisters.

The mother is the former Dorothy Fullbright.



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LONNIE D. RICHMOND

Lonnie D. Richmond of Amarillo, is the new supervisor of employee relations for Pioneer Natural Gas Company.

Lonnie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Richmond of Turkey and the grandson of Mrs. Elmer Richmond also of Turkey.

Lonnie started working for Pioneer in Lubbock in 1965 following graduation from Turkey High School. In addition to holding a full-time job with Pioneer, and achieving several promotions, he was also attending classes at Texas Tech during his off hours.

Finally at mid-term, December of 1970, Lonnie finished his BBA in industrial management, and as of January 1 was transferred to Administration, made supervisor of employee relations and received a location change to Amarillo, where he, his wife, Linda Gayle, and their son, Ty Lynn now reside.

Following a two-month on-the-job training period, he officially began his full-time duties on March 1.

These duties, according to the company's personnel director, are basically to travel the system explaining and interpreting the company's personnel policies, and to assist and counsel employees where and when needed.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Parker and son of Midland. Their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Eudy, Laura and Karen of Turkey joined them for lunch Sunday.

QHS Netters Win Doubles

(By Eddie Owens)

Scooter King and Scotty Stark brought home the doubles tennis championship from the district tournament last week. This was the first time in several years for a Quitaque team to win in several years for Turkey has dominated district, region and state in boys doubles for the past several years.

The Quitaque team won over Setliff and Green of Turkey, 6-3,

6-4 in the first round, then won over Estelline 6-2, 6-3 to advance to the Regional Tournament to be held April 23-24.

Max Ham and L. W. Hamilton represented QHS in the singles division Max drew tough Louis Rich-burz of Lakeview in the first round and lost. L. W. won over his opponent Turkey in the first round, won over Estelline in the

semifinal round, then lost to Rich-burg in the finals.

Stark and King entered the Amarillo Relays tournament last Friday and advanced to the quarter-finals there before losing to Spearman, 6-1, 6-4.

The four boys did a fine job of representing QHS at Estelline and at Amarillo and everyone is proud of them.

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Mrs. Donnie Brunson went to who was in St. Anthony's Hospital Oklahoma City Tuesday of last there. She was quite ill. Donnie, week to be at the bedside of her Debbie, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger mother, Mrs. Bessie Wormington, Brunson joined Mrs. Brunson on

SPOTLIGHTING THE TURKEY SENIORS



JANICE BOLTON

Janice Bolton is the Senior president this year. She was class favorite her Junior year, and class cutie this year. She is parliamentarian of FHA this year. She was also a member of FHA last year. She is also on the annual staff, candidate for Best All - Around Girl. She enjoys music and dislikes plastic people. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fox Bolton. She enjoys concerts by heavy groups. She was also a candidate for Miss THS. She is 5'4" tall, has blond hair and hazel eyes. She was Halloween Queen of her class in her Junior year. She was chosen most photogenic of her class by Marquise Studio.

Thursday night They returned home Saturday night.

Roger Brunson is home on 30-day leave. He came in March 26, and will report back to Norfolk, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Wynn honored his father, F. N. Wynn, on his 75th birthday anniversary Sunday. Others present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Cruce and children and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wynn and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McDonald and daughter of Memphis spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace McDonald, and also visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Reed.



CONNIE CHAVIRA

Connie Chavira is the 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chavira of Turkey. She has been living in Turkey for six years, coming here from Old Mexico. Connie was a candidate for Most Beautiful during her Freshman and Sophomore years. She was elected Most Beautiful during her Junior year. She was a candidate for FHA Sweetheart during her Junior and Senior years. She was a member of the Pep Squad for two years and an FHA member. She likes friendly people, dancing and her visits to Mexico. She dislikes unfriendly people.



DAN DAVIS

Dan Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mullin, has played football four years, basketball three years and has won the high jump at the District track meet for two years. He has attended the Regional track meet for three years.

Dan is 5'10" in height, weighs 145 pounds. He was elected Mr. THS for 1970-71. His favorite rock group is The Beatles. His favorite food is steak. He was chosen Class Goodlooker for 1969-70. He also likes hard rock music and dislikes mean people.



TIM HOLLAND

Tim Holland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Holland, plans to attend college at Texas Tech in Lubbock. He was vice president of the FFA his Junior year, and has been a member of FFA for four years. He played football three years. He was class president his Freshman year. He had had four years of track.

Tim stands 5'10" tall and weighs 135 pounds. He likes all outdoor sports.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brunson drove to Denver City Saturday and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Logan and family. They brought Mrs. Brunson's father, H. O. Logan, home after he had spent a visit there. They spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Maupin and daughter in Petersburg. Mary Brunson had spent the weekend with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hamilton and children, Janice and Ray Don of Clarendon visited in the Leroy Hamilton home Sunday afternoon.



ROD HILL

Rod Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hill of Turkey, was chosen Class Favorite his Junior year, Most Handsome his Senior year, vice president his Senior year. His favorite group is The Beatles. His favorite food is steak.

Rod stands 5'11" tall. He likes friendly people and dislikes unfriendly people.



BOBBY HAMNER

Bobby Hamner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hamner, stands 5'8" tall, has blue eyes. His favorite song is "Snow Blind Friend" by Steppenwolf. He has taken ag for four years and was Star Greenhand his Freshman year. He plans to work a couple of years, then go into soil and water conservation.

Mr. and Mrs. George Setliff of Turkey visited Mrs. N. V. Hamilton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon McKay accompanied Mrs. Gwen Martin of Flo-mot to Amarillo Monday afternoon to attend the funeral services for Lon's sister, Mrs. Ada Smith, 86, who passed away Saturday about 7:00 o'clock in a convalescent home there. Mrs. Ruby Folley of Wellington, Colorado attended the funeral but Mrs. Mollie Chambers and Cecil McKay of California were unable to get plane reservations out in time to attend the services.

Jimmy Davidson and boys drove to Olton Saturday to visit the H. R. Curtis' and help brand calves.



DENNIS IRBY

Dennis Irby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Irby. He has four years of football, four years track, has been on the Student Council for three years, and was Class Favorite for 1970-71.

His favorite movie was "Thunder Road," and his favorite group is Jethro Tull. He plans to attend Texas Tech University.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Eudy and grandson, Mike Graddel of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. Ethel Eudy, in Turkey, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamilton and boys in Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Blankenship spent the weekend with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pigg, in Lubbock.

Mrs. Lawrence Bedwell and Mrs.

Birt Lane visited their mother, Mrs. W. E. Morrison, Thursday of last week.

Mrs. O. E. Chandler, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Richard Dallage, and her two granddaughters attended the Shriners Circus in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Foster of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Anderson and baby joined them for lunch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Barefield of Hereford spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Barefield and Joey, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor and Anna Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harmon accompanied by their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Langdon and children, drove to Dallas to spend the weekend with the Delmar Davis.

GROUND BROKEN FOR NEW DONLEY COUNTY HOSPITAL

The seven members of the Donley County Hospital Board turned ground in unison in an impressive groundbreaking ceremony at the new hospital site Sunday afternoon. They were pictured in the Clarendon newspaper, the Donley County News, a copy of which Mrs. John Garner sent a copy to Mrs. Tom Barbee.

Earnest Wayne Barbee was one of the seven pictured. He is vice president of the Board.

The construction company planned to move in and begin work Monday.

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Limit Raised On Real Estate Loans

Farmers Home Administration credit can now be available to farmers whose real estate debt may total as much as \$100,000, according to James V. Smith, Administrator of this credit agency of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The new limit is authorized in recent legislation. It changes a 10-year-old maximum of \$60,000 that has been outmoded by increases in land values and farm sizes.

Although the average FHA loan of \$24,000 is far below the limit, the legislation has the effect of fixing \$100,000 as—

*The maximum amount FHA alone may lend to a farmer on real estate to buy, enlarge or improve a farm, or

*The maximum amount of real

estate financing for one farmer that FHA may share with other lenders.

Mr. Smith said the legislation is expected to have wide effect in drawing more private capital into credit-scarce rural areas—an objective sought the past two years as FHA has stressed its participation in family farm financing with other lenders.

The agency can subordinate its mortgages to private individuals, banks and other commercial lenders, or Federal Land Banks when the other lenders' loans are for authorized FHA loan purposes.

The administrator said the new \$100,000 total debt limit will help many young farmers and others, who could not get sufficient credit from any one lender, to finance their needs from combinations of lenders including FHA.

The new act also makes Vietnam veterans eligible for priority con-

sideration of loan applications. It abolishes a requirement that applicants enjoying veteran's preference must have a farm background, but requires training or experience in farming.

The Farmers Home Administration conducts farm, rural housing and community facility loan programs through a nationwide system of more than 1,700 rural offices.

Mrs. Walter Taylor returned home from the hospital in Amarillo Saturday after being there a few weeks.

Pete Rice, Bob Ham and Lee Vardy of Turkey drove to Austin Friday afternoon to attend the Jack Hightower Governor For a Day activities Saturday. Senator Hightower was sworn in at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, and the men returned home that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner of Silverton and Mrs. Mary Turner and daughter of Lockney were Sunday visitors in the Roy Hunter home Sunday.

sonage of the First Baptist Church Friday evening, April 2, 1971, at 6:00 o'clock. The Rev. Freddie Martin, pastor, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Arthur Patrick and the late Jack Fleming. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Monk. Both parents are residents of Quitaque.

The bride attended school at Silverton until the seventh grade. The couple are both Juniors in Quitaque High School.

Miss Kay Fleming was maid of honor for her sister. Stanley Price served as best man.

Given in marriage by Arthur Patrick, the bride wore a white floor-length gown of peau de soie featuring a portrait neckline with long tapered sleeves and a full-length train. Her shoulder-length veil of illusion was attached to a tiara of flowers. She carried a white Bible topped by a single white carnation. Mrs. Doyle Tiffin gave her the Bible. For something old, the bride wore a pearl brooch belonging to the groom's grandmother, Mrs. C. P. Richmond, which had been in the family for 40 years. She wore a blue garter given to her by Mrs. Lynn Cox for something new and blue, and she carried a handkerchief that the bridegroom's mother had carried at her own wedding.

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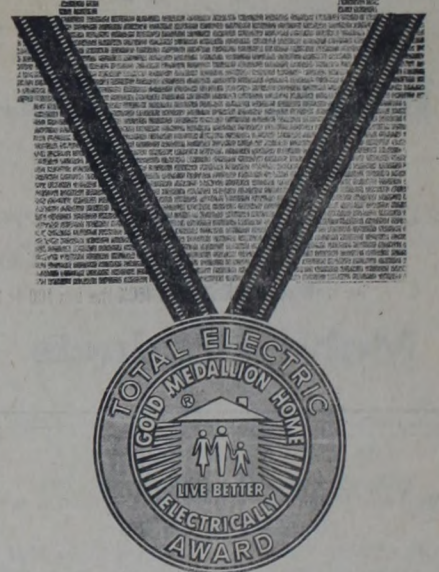
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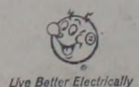
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Jim Stroup

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I would like to thank everyone who remembered me with cards and with your prayers while I was in the hospital and when I am home. May God bless you in every way.
Gordon Hedrick

CARD OF THANKS!

We want to thank everyone who remembered us with words of comfort, cards, flowers, food and your prayers during the loss of our mother. May God bless each of you.
The family of Martha Melton

Flomot News
Mrs. Edna Floyd
409-3333

The families of the Clarton family, Calvin Franks, Wayne Hunter, Dan Kingston, L. E. Shorter, Chis Shorter, L. D. Bilberry and Rev. and Mrs. Leo Cole went to

the L. B. Turner home Thursday evening. Wayne Hunter brought his guitar, while others brought song books, and after an hour or more of singing and prayers, the women guests served refreshments of punch and cookies. Mrs. Turner has just recently returned home after a long stay in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Rogers and sons, Randy and Richard visited over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Spray.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kingston over the weekend were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kingston and baby daughter Renee of Garland; and Mr. and Mrs. Hobby Kingston and son David and daughter, Lucy of Dallas. Other guests were Mr. Kingston's sister, Mrs. Wendell Moore and sons Mike and Mark of Lubbock, and Mrs. Kingston's brother, Robert Pritchett of Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Tibbetts of Snyder visited at the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Turner last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gilbert and Gary of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Gilbert during the spring vacation from Tech. They spent Monday with them, then drove to Dallas and Texas for visit with friends, then returned Saturday to visit Mrs. Gilbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Degan.

Kathy Gilbert and friend Neil Blanton from Tech visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Gilbert during the spring vacation. They spent part of the time at Dallas visiting at Neil's home.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Floyd last Wednesday were Mrs. Lizzie Gourdon and sons Wayne and Johnny of Matador. Wayne has just returned from Vietnam after a two year tour of duty. Wayne visited many friends while he was here. The following day he was back in Flomot for the day with the Ronald Claus. Johnny has been working in the Flomot area for a long time. Both have gradu-

ated from Flomot High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blanchard and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Blanchard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Morris.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Lee of Plainview visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee Friday afternoon. They picked up their granddaughter, Teresa and drove on to Midland to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rains, over the weekend. Rev. Lee is former pastor of the Flomot Baptist Church.

Mrs. Bill Dean Washington and daughter spent the day Saturday shopping in Plainview.

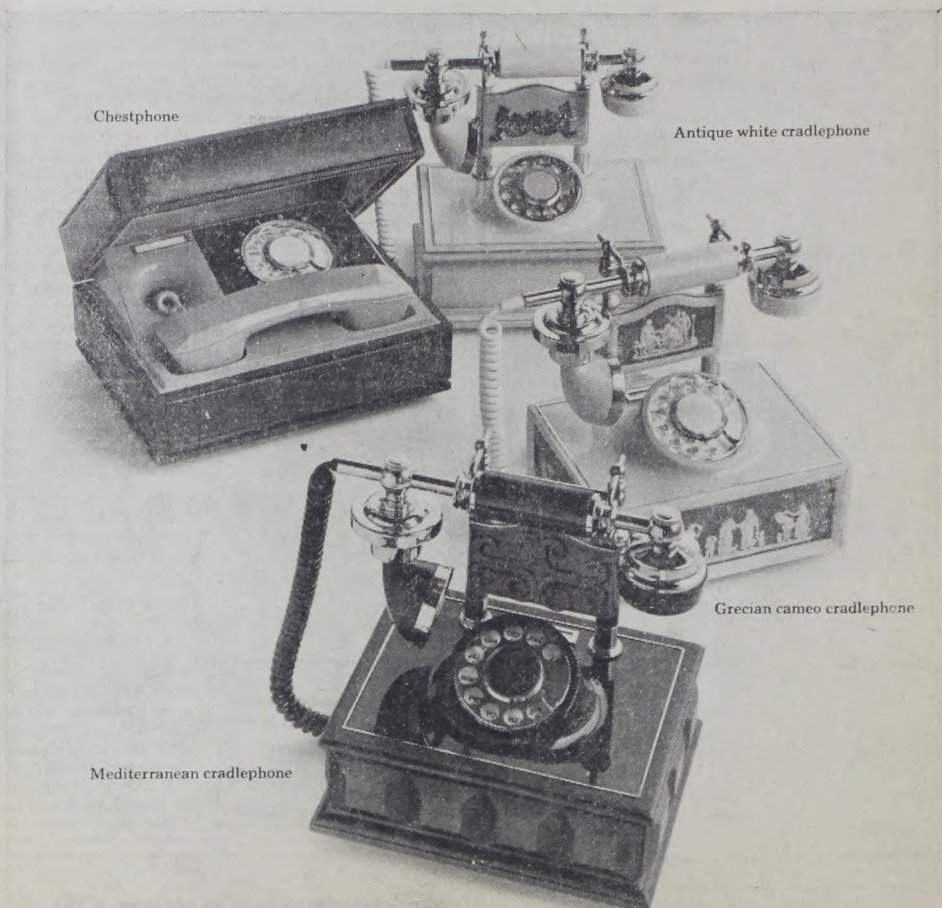
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nall from Hereford visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Pyron over the weekend.

Jimmy Ross was in Austin over there visited with his father's good friend, Senator Jack Hightower, friend, Senator Jack Hightower, during his tenure as Governor for the day.

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