

Thank You

The Jim Black Family thanks each and everyone for their gracious generosity and thoughtfulness for our sweet and loving wife, mother and grandmother, "Elsie Black."

We want to thank our generous friends and family for their kindness. We are thankful for the cards that were sent, the beautiful flowers, the donations made to the Hart Cemetery Fund, First Baptist Church, and Cal Farley's Boys Ranch and Girlstown, as well as donations made to universities and toward the distribution of Bibles in the name of Elsie Black.

Thank you for the delicious food and for the supplies brought to our home to feed our families. Thank you to the kind and caring friends who brought or sent food and to the ladies who served our families the wonderful meal at the Hart Golden Group building.

Our "Elsie" and memaw is our angel in heaven now and smiling with joy and happiness and very touched by her family and great friends. We feel truly blessed.

With sincere thanks  
Elsie Black Family

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• Neoma Williams recently attended the musical at Harrah Memorial Auditorium on the Wayland Baptist University campus in Plainview. The musical was the last in the four-part series of the 2013-14 Community Concert season.

• Visiting Don and Neoma Williams over the March 1 weekend were Rachel Wall of Grapevine, Behlen Wall of Lubbock, David and Teri Wall of Ponder and Patrick Verdin of Krum, who is a friend of Behlen's. They all attended the wedding of Austin Dudley and Amy Burriss. Austin lives in Morton, where he works for the Cochran County Sheriff's Dept. The wedding was in Muleshoe. Austin is the son of Rick Dudley of Lubbock and Sheila Dudley of Hart.

Also attending from out-of-town were Cindy Therwhanger of Houston, Tanner and Dustin Gilbreath of College Station, Elgin Brooks of Clovis, NM and Leoria Sisson of Sudan.

**Weather Whys: THE COLDEST DAY IN TEXAS**

**Q:** It's been very cold lately. What's the coldest it's ever been in Texas?

**A:** Texas is no stranger to below zero temperatures, says Brent McRoberts of Texas A&M University.

"There have been numerous times in the last 100 years when parts of the state have been below zero," he explains.

"But one day stands out among all others. On Feb. 8, 1933, the temperature was minus-23 degrees in Seminole to set the state's all-time low. It should be noted that the elevation of Seminole is over 3,200 feet, which is no doubt one reason the temperature that day was a record."

**Q:** What about surrounding states?

**A:** In Arkansas, the all-time low temperature is minus-29 degrees (set in 1905), while in Oklahoma the record low is minus-27 set in 1930.

"In Louisiana, the all-time low is minus-16 degrees set in 1899, and in New Mexico, it gets a lot colder than most people think," McRoberts adds.

"In 1950 in the town of Gavilan, the temperature reached minus-50 degrees. The elevation of Gavilan is 7,350 feet, which means the mountain air got mighty cold that day."

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Weather Whys is a service of the Department of Atmospheric Sciences at Texas A&M University

**Hospital District Adopts New Emergency Room Policy**

According to the Feb. 13, 2014, edition of the Castro County News, the Castro County Hospital Board of Directors adopted a new ER policy.

Linda Rasor, Hospital District CEO, told the Board that the ER has become a place for many patients to receive non-urgent, clinic continued to Page 5

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<p><b>The Pulse</b></p> <p><b>Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God.</b></p>	<p><b>Ed Harris Lumber Co.</b></p>	<p><b>King's Blacksmith</b></p> <p><b>Wilbur-Ellis</b></p>	<p><b>Central Plains Spraying</b></p> <p><b>Brown Crop Insurance Services, Inc.</b></p>