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Arrow sculpture to be installed Friday

The Quanah Parker Trail will officially come through Clarendon Friday when an arrow sculpture is installed at the Saints' Roost Museum.

The local marker is one of three coming to the Panhandle this week, courtesy of sculptor and artist Charles A. Smith of New Home, Texas. The Tri-County Tourism Gathering hosted by the Texas Panhandle Tourism Marketing Council (PTMC).

The first arrow will be installed in Panhandle on US Highway 60 at the east end of the Carson County Law Enforcement Center at approximately 9:30 a.m. The second arrow will be installed in Clarendon at the Saint's Roost Museum at 11:30 a.m., and the third arrow will be installed in Goodnight at the Charles Goodnight House and Visitor's Center at 2:00 p.m.

For more information, contact Holle Humphries, facilitator for the Quanah Parker Trail project, or Barbara Brannon, executive director, Texas Plains Trail Region, at 806.252.6554 or info@TexasPlainsTrail.com.

Mulkey block party to be held May 25

The Mulkey Block Party will be held Memorial Day Weekend on Saturday, May 25, with lots of family fun, music, and food in store.

"Insufficient Funds" of Amarillo will set the mood for the evening, playing music from 6 to 9 p.m. Howardwick musicians and singers Steve Hall and Jesse Lincycumb will open for "Insufficient Funds" at 5 p.m. Folks will be encouraged to bring their lawn chairs to sit and enjoy the music and the celebration.

To sign up for booth space or for more information about the Block Party, call Chandra Eggemeyer at 806-874-2421.

City Hall reminds about water rules

The City of Clarendon is reminding everyone that Stage 4 Drought Contingencies are still in place and all outdoor-watering restrictions still in force.

Watering is limited to the hours of 6 a.m. to 10 a.m. and 8 p.m. to midnight on all days. Residences with odd street addresses may water on Wednesdays and Saturdays, and residences with even street addresses may water on Thursdays and Sundays. Commercial accounts may water on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Trash To Treasures sign-up ends May 24

Mark your calendars for the eighth annual Trash To Treasures garage sale event to be held Saturday, June 1, 2013.

Sign-ups are underway at THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE, and registration is \$20 and comes with local and area advertising, a place on the official map, and the exclusive Trash To Treasures Garage Sale Kit.



Boy of summer

The end of school is drawing near, and Donley County kids are taking to the baseball diamonds to enjoy the warm weather and friendly competition. Shown here, Eli Ritchie hits the ball on Hedley's T-ball team.

PHOTO BY K. O'DELL

Shelton wins gold at state track meet

By Sandy Anderberg, Clarendon Enterprise

Clarendon High School senior Audrey Shelton's track career could have not had a better ending as she sprinted to a gold medal at the State Track Meet in Austin last week.

She not only won the gold in the 3200-meter run, she also annihilated the old record in that event. Shelton ran the race in 11:31.84, beating her personal best by 37 seconds according to coach Alton Gaines.

Shelton did not stop at one medal. She also went on to a third place finish in the 1600-meter with a time of 5:21.63 to add the bronze to her collection. Shelton bested the field by almost fifteen seconds in the 3200 and was a little over a second off the pace in the 1600.

She ran the 1600 on Saturday

and knew it would be a tougher finish for her, so her strategy was to stay up with the pack. While at CHS, Shelton has posted many accomplishments in both cross country and track.

Fellow senior Jentry Shadle also participated in the state meet in the 100-meter hurdles finishing eighth with a time of 16.94.

"Wow, what a race," Gaines said. "I am very proud of the girls. You have to understand that you are competing against the top eight athletes in your event in the state of Texas. That is big time. I'm so very proud of what these two young ladies accomplished their senior year. This is what you work so hard for in track or any other sport. Thank you for letting us be a part of it."

Hicks wins re-election

HISD voters oust two incumbents

By Roger Estlack, Clarendon Enterprise

Clarendon Mayor Larry Hicks narrowly won re-election Saturday, beating Alderman Tommy Hill by a 20-vote margin, 244-224; and two longtime incumbents on the Hedley school board were defeated.

A total of 468 voters cast ballots in the city election, representing a 43 percent turnout.

Sandy Skelton was the top vote getter among candidates for two positions on the Board of Aldermen with 329 votes. Alderman Debbie Roberts was elected to a full term with 231 votes, and also running were former alderman Janice Knorpp, 187, and Trevor Leeper, 99.

Challenger Aaron Harper led all candidates with 108 votes in the six person race for two seats on the Hedley ISD Board of Trustees, and former trustee Lana Ritchie was also elected with 82 votes. Longtime trustees James E. Potts and Bonnie

Brown lost their positions with 53 and 52 votes each, and also running were Kevin Smith, 29, and Michelle McCann, 9.

HISD had a total of 170 voters, representing a 41.1 percent turnout.

In Howardwick, Mike Rowland was elected mayor with 57 votes over David Cafferatta with 29. Jim Cockerham and Gail Leathers were elected to two-year terms on the Board of Aldermen with 69 and 54 votes each, defeating William R. Jordan, 41. Gene Rogers and Cory Longan were elected to one-year terms on the board with 61 and 52 votes, defeating H.L. "Buster" Baird, 34, and Sandy Sanders, 18.

Howardwick had a 38.6 percent turnout with 86 people casting ballots.

Challenger Chuck Robertson was the top vote getter in the race for three positions on the Clarendon ISD Board of Trustees with 455 votes, and incumbents Jim Shelton and Robin Ellis were re-elected with 444 and 376 votes respectively. Also running was Linda Rowland, 153.

Voter turnout for Clarendon ISD was 26.5 percent with 522 people voting.

City sales tax income up 23%

Clarendon sales tax collections stormed ahead last month, according to information released by State Comptroller Susan Combs.

The city's May allocation of \$42,456.79 reflected a 23.43 percent increase from last year.

Clarendon's sales tax collection is now up 20.64 percent for the calendar year-to-date with a total of \$158,766.95.

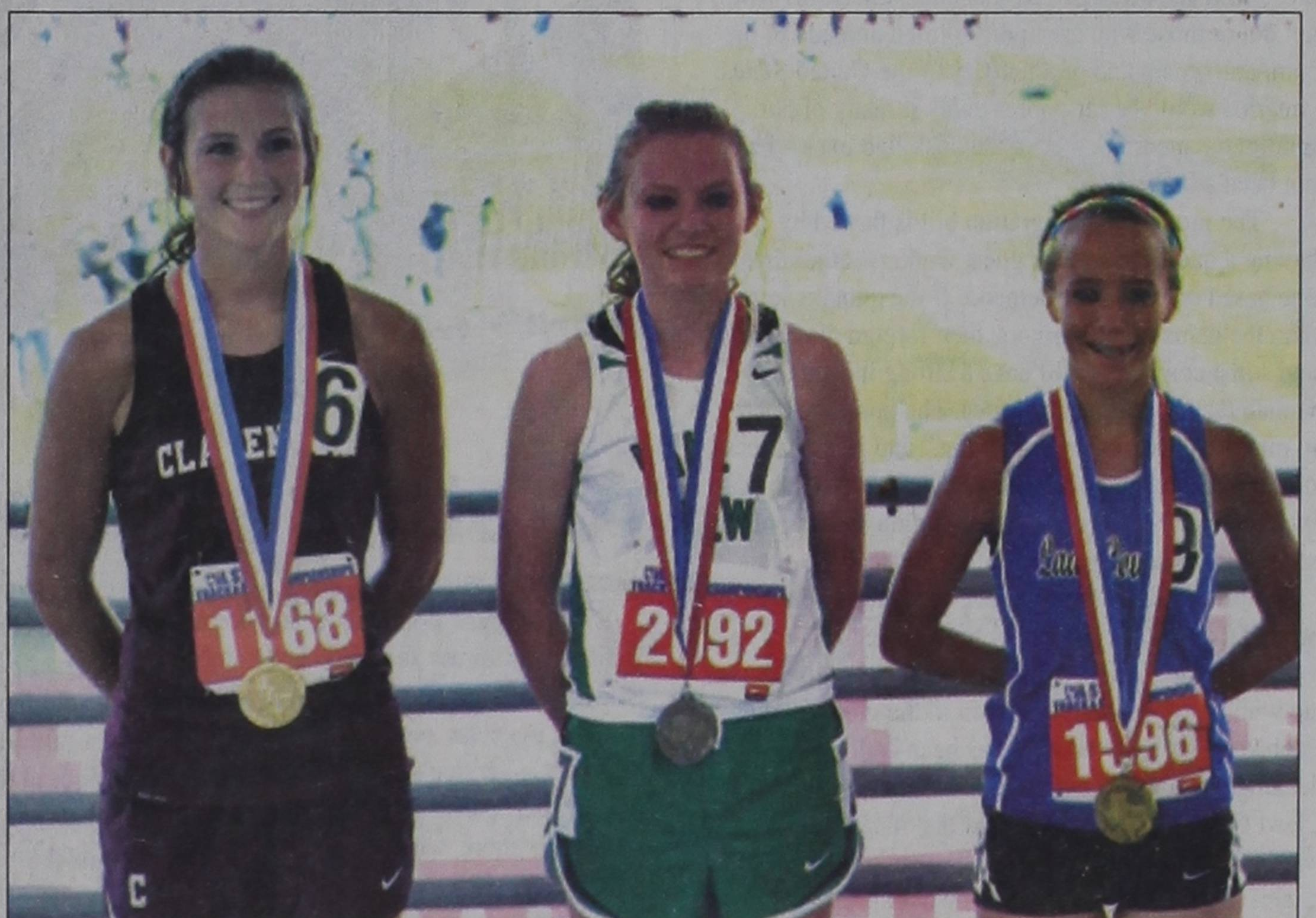
Hedley has also performed well this calendar year and saw an 8.27 percent increase for the month with \$749.66 in revenue. That city is up 35.12 percent for the year with \$3,166.88.

Howardwick is lagging with a 5.31 percent drop for the month at \$1,301.42 and is down 5.47 percent for the year at \$6,040.60.

Statewide, Combs said today that state sales tax revenue in April was \$2.15 billion, up 3.9 percent compared to April 2012.

"Sales tax collections were up in a range of sectors from construction and manufacturing to restaurants," Combs said.

The sales tax figures represent monthly sales made in March as well as January, February and March sales by businesses that report tax quarterly.



Clarendon High School senior Audrey Shelton (left) smiles with her medal along side the second and third place finishers in the 3200 at the state track meet last week.

COURTESY PHOTO / MELANIE SHELTON

Howard, Brady top students for CHS Class of 2013

Clarendon High School has named its top students for this year. Lydia Howard is this year's valedictorian, and Maritta Brady is the salutatorian.

Howard, with a GPA of 98.7, is the daughter of Gwynne and Bruce Howard and the granddaughter of Jim and Sammie Howard and Ila Gale.

She has sought academic excellence throughout her high school career, receiving multiple Honor C awards in science, math,

English, and social studies. She was recognized in the Amarillo Globe-News Academic Spotlight for science and English and received the United States Achievement Academy All-American Scholar Award as well as the Science Award. She has been actively involved in UIL, earning three consecutive trips to state in science and a state championship in chemistry and headline writing. She has also qualified for the Clarendon Science Hall of Fame.

Howard has been a dedicated



Howard



Brady

athlete over the past four years, competing in basketball, cross country, track and tennis. She is

president of the local chapter of National Honor Society and her senior class. She has been actively involved in various community service projects including reading to the elementary students, organizing bake sales, singing for the elderly, and hosting honor banquets for the community's senior citizens, veterans, and school board members.

Howard hobbies outside of school include studying her Bible, singing, playing the piano, reading writing, cooking, making cards,

playing with her nephews and niece, watching Korean dramas, jumping on the trampoline, and spending time with her wonderful family.

Howard has been accepted into the Amarillo College Presidential Honors Program where she plans to begin her studies in Elementary Education. Her goals in life are to share the truth of Christ with others, be a loving wife and mother, and help children grow up to be successful.

This year's salutatorian is **See 'Top Students' on page 8.**

guest commentary

A welcome mat for prosperity

By Richard W. Rahn

How many new immigrants should the United States allow each year? How many guest workers? These are not easy questions, which is why there is as much fierce debate within the two parties as between them.

A little history and a few facts are useful in thinking through the problem. The United States did not even have an immigration law until 1875. There were no quotas or passports — people just got on a boat and came here. As a result, America became rich with the highest wages in the world. The system worked fine given that the United States was trying to increase the population (at least, of European origin) and had not yet created a welfare state.

The two main reasons given for restricting current immigration are the myths that immigrants take away American jobs and that immigrants are more likely to go on welfare, thus putting an additional burden on the taxpayers. Rather than taking away American jobs, good economists understand that immigrants who work create wealth in America, which in turn creates more and higher paying jobs for everyone.

To explain the economics of this adequately would take more space than this entire commentary, but the truth of the assertion can be seen in the fact that high-wage countries with many immigrants such as Switzerland, Australia and Canada tend to have much higher labor force participation rates and lower unemployment rates than low-wage countries. It has been well documented that there are not enough Americans who are willing to do labor-intensive agricultural work to meet the needs of, in particular, fruit, vegetable and nut producers. At the other end of the wage scale, the United States has a substantial shortage of people trained in computer science and many of the other physical and medical sciences to meet the demands of employers. If employers cannot bring such needed workers into the United States, they will move their operations to other countries or concede the business to their foreign competitors, either of which will depress U.S. employment.

Do immigrants utilize Medicare, food stamps and other health and welfare programs more than native-born Americans? A recent study by Leighton Ku and Brian Bruen of George Washington University, which is consistent with similar studies, shows that immigrants consistently utilize welfare benefits less than their native-born counterparts. A recent static analysis by the Heritage Foundation concluded that immigrants could be more costly. However, the study assumed that immigrants will fail to move up the economic ladder, and did not account for restrictions in the proposed "Gang of Eight" bill and the benefits of immigration, so the analysis is not relevant for the current debate. What is clear is that immigrants who are working, self-supporting and paying taxes are a net benefit. Laws need to be changed or enforced to make sure that people who are not U.S. citizens do not receive welfare and free medical services (other than in emergencies), including "Obamacare."

Polls show most Americans are in favor of immigrants who come here to work, particularly those who are willing to do jobs that Americans will not do, or those who are highly skilled and add to the competitiveness and productivity of the United States. America would be far poorer today if many of our immigrant ancestors — even the unskilled ones — had not been admitted.

The proposed immigration bill is flawed by having a quota system for guest workers rather than one based on employer demand. If the quota is lower than the demand for workers, then foreign workers and some employers will have a strong incentive to violate the law (as they now do). The push has been to make "our borders more secure," and it is true that more needs to be done. But it also true that other than by creating a Soviet-style "Iron Curtain" and a police state, our borders can never be totally secure.

Fortunately, Helen Kriebel, a businesswoman who faced the problem of not being able to hire sufficient U.S. workers for one of her operations, came up with a very practical solution to the guest worker problem. Her basic concept has been endorsed by leading economists and political leaders, including Newt Gingrich. She understood that many foreign workers do not want to live permanently in the United States or become citizens. They would prefer to be legal and to be able to go home and come back again without difficulty. Under the Kriebel proposal, a database that matches workers and employers would be created, which would be open to all who need work permits, including those who are already in the country illegally. Employers would have to show that the need is not being met by U.S. workers. An applicant would have to go through a security check, and then be issued a secure photo I.D. (once a job is secured) as a legal worker. This would not be amnesty for those who are in the U.S. illegally, but would enable them to start the process for a green card and possibly, eventual citizenship on an equal basis with those who are applying to come to the United States for the first time.

The beauty of the Kriebel proposal is that it is humane without giving an unfair advantage to existing illegal immigrants. It will add to U.S. prosperity — while greatly reducing the incentives for people to come here illegally.

Richard W. Rahn is a senior fellow at the Cato Institute and chairman of the Institute for Global Economic Growth.

People have spoken, time to cooperate

The people (at least some of them) of Donley County have spoken. Local democracy still works, and that's a good thing, a really good thing. Now it's time for the newly elected and reelected officials to go to work. We've got a lot of important challenges and opportunities to address.

However, as they get started on their respective boards, I would like to remind our local politicians that possessing a sharp tongue does not necessarily mean that they possess a keen mind. Some of the boards still have members on them who are known to possess sharp tongues, much to the detriment of the citizens of Donley County. They need to understand that identifying a good scapegoat is not nearly as effective as implementing real solutions to our challenges and issues.

Our aldermen and school board members need to find ways to work together to identify and positively address the issues facing them. Too many of these people seem to think that sabotage is much more effective than constructive dialogue. Our community can no longer tolerate either criticism or sabotage. They need to find ways to create synergy in order to more effectively serve their constituents. Hopefully they will realize that an agreeable person is not a person who agrees with them, but a person who they can work with to create positive results from differing points of view. I've no doubt that they can work together even if they don't agree with each other, and learn to treat each other respectfully in the process.

Hopefully, the newly constituted boards and councils will understand that having self control is better than having

control over others. There have been enough petty disagreements that resulted in divisive factions between our politicians. Some of our board members seem have the extraordinary power to channel their imaginations into ever soaring levels of suspicion and paranoia. This type of behavior must stop. If not, we the people must vote them out of office.

The candidates, who stepped up to the plate and ran for office, regardless of the outcome, deserve our respect and thanks. We the people had excellent people to select from. Let's give them a fair chance to successfully represent our interests. Let's support them as they work together and support each other while conducting our business.

Of all the elections held, perhaps the most vital was the election of the Clarendon board of aldermen and mayor. In the recent past very little deliberation and focused attention has been placed on Clarendon's economic needs, particularly the development of new business. Little attention has been paid to this critical area because of gridlock on the board, primarily caused by friction between the members. If not for the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation, very little would have been accomplished.

The addition of Sandy Skelton, who has significant experience, could change the dynamics of the board and



the quick, the dead, & fred
by fred gray

result in a new focus on improving Clarendon's economic future. There are several gun manufacturers that have been courted by the State of Texas. Clarendon is strategically located in the gun friendly Texas Panhandle, and is in a good position to offer an attractive economic package to one or more of these manufacturers. We have a well educated workforce available to provide the needed manpower for this type of manufacturing.

Additionally, Donley County has something very valuable that very few areas of the US can offer — good, clean air. Our air may be frisky, but cleaner air cannot be found in the United States. We also have a suitable supply of clean water for long-term growth. Donley County also provides a good, safe environment in which to raise children, with good schools and a low crime rate. We can do a much better job of capitalizing on our strengths.

Donley County, Clarendon, Hedley ISD, Clarendon ISD, and Howardwick surely have challenges ahead, but these challenges can result in exciting new opportunities for growth and advancement. Clarendon College, our local banks, an excellent newspaper, and the innovative entrepreneurial spirit of the business people of Donley County provide us with a fairly strong economic base.

If the newly elected politicians fulfill their potential, then we should all benefit from this new group of community leaders. They were elected to address and implement solutions to our challenges and opportunities. We should expect that they will do this; and, we should do all we can to support their efforts.



Another group for IRS scrutiny

By Dr. Daniel S. Brown, Jr.

In a press conference last week, White House press secretary Jay Carney fielded insistent questions from a variety of news agencies regarding the Internal Revenue Service's alleged actions toward tea party organizations. There should be more where that came from because the IRS has cast its net wide enough to catch a pro-Israel group in its haul of organizations that appear not to align with the executive branch's policy preferences.

By now everyone knows that Sen. Mitch McConnell has called out the Internal Revenue Service for its "huggish practices" involving intensive scrutiny and extended delays of decisions in cases where an organization included the words "tea party," "patriot," or "9-12" in its application for federal tax-exempt status. Apparently at McConnell's request, the matter is now being investigated by the IRS Inspector General. The House Ways and Means Committee initiated its own investigation into the agency's policies and practices.

Michigan Rep. Mike Rogers said publicly on Sunday that the IRS had "agents who were engaged in intimidation of political groups."

He added, furthermore, "I don't care if you're a conservative, a liberal, a Democrat or a Republican, this should send a chill up your spine. It needs to have a full investigation."

Indeed there will be an investigation. To grant Rogers his "full investigation," however, will require Congress to look well beyond the tax enforcement agency's policies related to tea party organizations. Consider:

In a move that is astounding because it so obviously chills political speech in the United States, the IRS has delayed and may deny the awarding of tax-exempt status to Z STREET because its mission and goals contradict President Obama's Middle East policy.

When the nonprofit, educational Z STREET, a self-described Zionist organization, applied for tax-exempt status in 2009, the IRS demanded in writing to know "Does your organization support the existence of the land of Israel?" Where the president "strongly supports" the two-state solution, Z STREET was founded to support the state of Israel as currently recognized by the international community.

Court documents filed by Z STREET verify that the IRS maintains

a special policy for organizations that are connected with Israel. The IRS informed the nonprofit organization that its application had been forwarded to "a special unit in the D.C. office to determine whether the organization's activities contradict the Administration's public policies."

Z STREET should be praised for pushing back. The small organization has taken up the cause of defending itself and other organizations that may find themselves at odds with particular political beliefs of a future administration. Z STREET's initial hearing is scheduled for July 2 in federal district court in Washington, D.C.

What is lamentable is that any nonprofit educational or charitable organization would find itself pressured by the federal government to prove that its charitable, religious, or educational goals are not incongruent with the foreign or domestic policy agenda of a sitting president.

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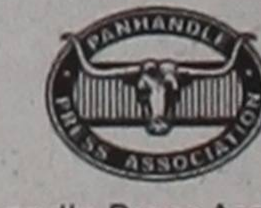
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Thornberry introduces bill requiring oversight of Administration's counterterrorism efforts

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Congressman Mac Thornberry, the Vice Chairman of the House Armed Services Committee, introduced a bill today that would, for the first time, require prompt notification to the Congressional defense committees of any overseas lethal or capture operation outside of Afghanistan— including those conducted with Unmanned Aerial Vehicles, commonly referred to as "drones."

"As we work to keep Americans safe from evolving threats, we must ensure that every action is consistent with our civil liberties and freedoms. This balance can only be achieved by proper oversight and accountability, and it is Congress's job to provide both," said Rep. Thornberry (R-Clarendon). "This bill can help us meet that responsibility."

The "Oversight of Sensitive Military Operations Act" would require the Congressional defense committees be notified of targeted

lethal operations by the U.S. military overseas. It would also require a report outlining all legal and policy considerations relating to the use of force by the U.S. military against terrorists overseas, and the process used to approve potential targets. Finally, it would codify in-depth quarterly updates to the defense committees on counterterrorism operations by the U.S. military.

As more and more has been written about and reported on the use and oversight of armed drones in counterterrorism operations, demands for information within Congress and among the public have grown. There has been bipartisan support in the House and Senate for more Congressional oversight of such operations to ensure they are carried out in ways that are consistent with the United States Constitution and American values.

"Congress is directly accountable to the American people. We cannot outsource our

responsibility to the courts or anyone else," said Thornberry. "The American people need to know that their elected officials will hold President Obama and his Administration, or any administration, accountable for their actions. This bill is an important step in formalizing that accountability process."

Thornberry introduced his bipartisan bill along with 28 other co-sponsors, including Reps. McKeon (R-CA), Forbes (R-VA), Miller (R-FL), Wilson (R-SC), LoBiondo (R-NJ), Bishop (R-UT), Turner (R-OH), Kline (R-MN), Rogers (R-AL), Franks (R-AZ), Shuster (R-PA), Conaway (R-TX), Lamborn (R-CO), Wittman (R-VA), Hunter (R-CA), Coffman (R-CO), Rigell (R-VA), Gibson (R-NY), Hartzler (R-MO), Heck (R-NV), Scott (R-GA), Nugent (R-FL), Noem (R-SD), Bridenstine (R-OK), Wenstrup (R-OH), Smith (D-WA), Langevin (D-RI), Hanabusa (D-HI).

State launches 'Click it or Ticket' operation

AUSTIN — Texans wear their belt buckles with a certain Lone Star pride, but it's the buckles in their vehicles that could save their lives. More functional than fashionable, life-saving seat belts first debuted 45 years ago when Lyndon B. Johnson's National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act and The Highway Safety Act went into effect mandating that all automobiles have seat belts as a standard feature.

To honor President Johnson's pioneering dedication to safety, the Texas Department of Transportation today launched its 12th annual Click It or Ticket campaign at the LBJ Library in Austin with a car show demonstrating the progression of seat belts through the ages.

"The cost of not wearing seat belts is far greater than a ticket or fine," said Phil Wilson, TxDOT executive director. "Simply put, a seat belt could save your life. Public awareness is working, but we still see some teenagers, pickup truck passengers and rural Texans who aren't buckling up."

Taking a cue from LBJ's leadership, Texas has made seat belt safety a major priority and is proud to be one of the most buckled up states in the union. When the Click It or Ticket campaign began in 2002, only 76 percent of Texans buckled up. Today, 94 percent are wearing seat belts.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration estimates the Click It or Ticket campaign has saved nearly 3,700 lives and prevented more than 50,000 serious injuries since its launch. The increase in seat belt usage also has saved an estimated \$10 billion in wages and productivity losses, medical expenses, insurance premiums, taxes and other costs.

Despite an increase in seat belt compliance, there is more work to be done with the lives of Texans at stake. Initial TxDOT data from 2012 indicates traffic-related fatalities in Texas are up by 11 percent. In 2012, there were 3,400 fatalities due to traffic crashes across the state.

Data also shows that only 82

percent of pickup passengers are buckled when riding compared to more than 91 percent of passengers riding in cars. Pickups also are more likely than passenger cars to roll over or eject unrestrained occupants in a crash.

As part of the Click It or Ticket initiative, law enforcement officials across the state will be looking for and ticketing unbuckled drivers and passengers in an effort to raise safety awareness and prevent fatalities. By Texas law, all occupants of a vehicle, including back seat passengers, must wear a seat belt. Each unbuckled occupant faces a ticket and fines up to \$200, plus court costs. Last year, more than 21,200 seat belt citations were issued during the Click It or Ticket campaign.

This year's campaign enforcement period dates are May 20-June 2.

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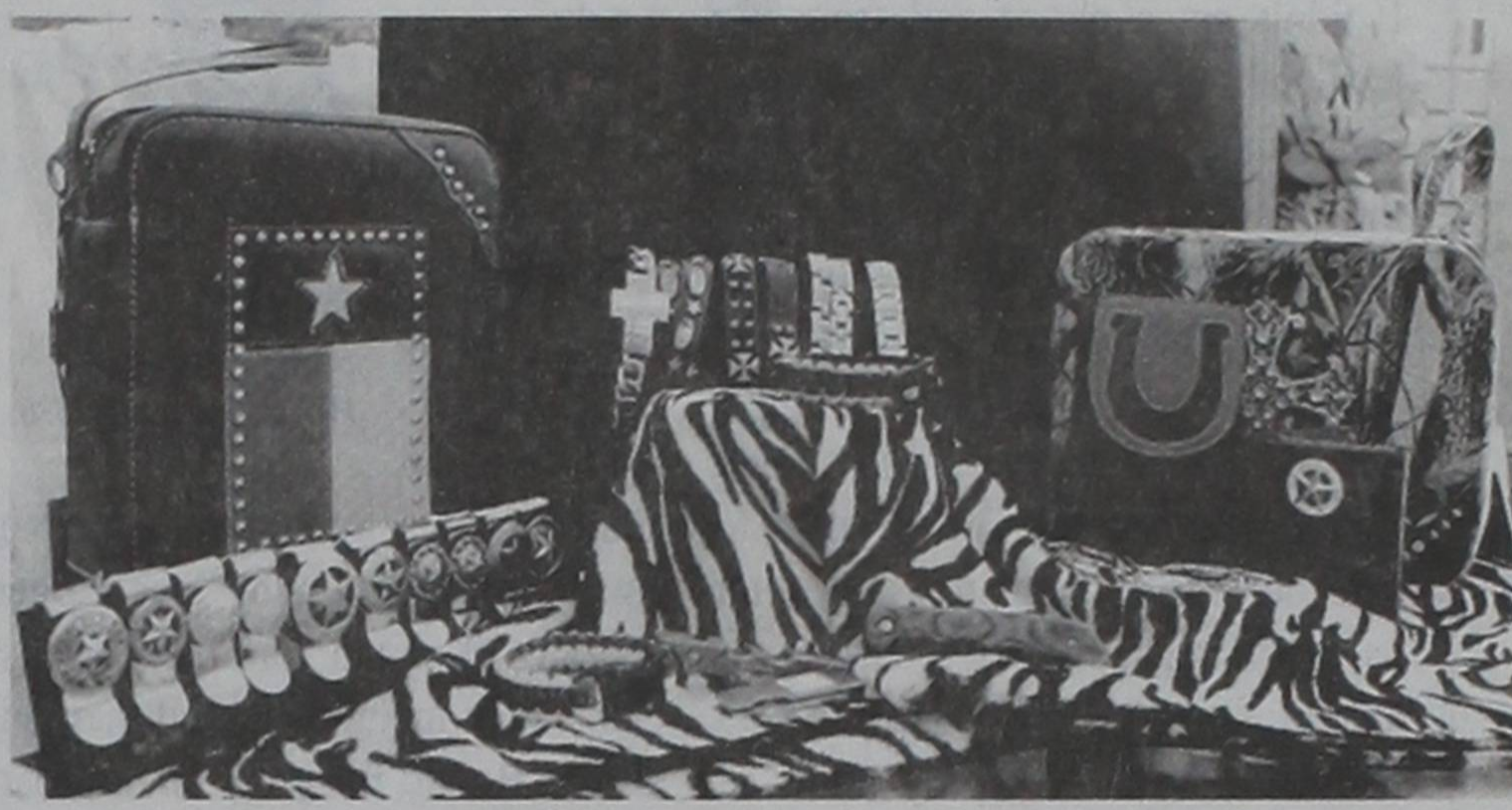
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May 30
Memorial Day

Clarendon CISD Graduation • TBA

June 1
Hedley ISD Graduation • 10 a.m. • Hedley Gym

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June 14
Flag Day

June 16
Father's Day

July 4, 5 & 6
Saints' Roots Celebration • Details TBA

July 4
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Ranch Rodeo • COEA Arena • 7:30 p.m.

★ Menus

May 20 - May 24

Donley County Senior Citizens

Mon: Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, Italian vegetables, broccoli, garlic toast, apricot halves, iced tea/2% milk.
Tue: Salmon patty, baby lima beans, cole slaw, cornbread, tropical fruit, iced tea/2% milk.

Wed: Chicken tenders/gravy, garlic mashed potatoes, turnip greens, wheat roll, apple cobbler, iced tea/2% milk.
Thu: iced tea/2% milk.

Fri: Chopped BBQ/sauce, whole wheat bun, pinto beans, Grandma's potato salad, mandarin oranges, iced tea/2% milk.

Hedley Senior Citizens

Mon: Beef stroganoff/noodles, whole wheat roll, mixed vegetables, winter fruit cup, iced tea/2% milk.
Tue: Chicken salad sandwich, lettuce, tomato, onion, macaroni salad, watermelon, iced tea/2% milk.

Wed: Country fried beef patty, cream gravy, yellow corn, turnip greens, wheat roll, apricots, iced tea/2% milk.

Thu: Ham & beans, spinach, seasoned corn, orange pineapple cup, country apple crisp, corn bread, iced tea/2% milk.

Fri: Pork chop & gravy, potato wedges, black eyed peas, wheat rolls, baked apples, iced tea/2% milk.

Clarendon ISD

Breakfast
Mon: Cereal, toast, fruit, milk.
Tue: Sausage, biscuit, gravy, fruit, milk.

Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk.
Thu: Egg, toast, fruit, milk.
Fri: Cinnamon roll, juice, milk.

Lunch
Mon: Grilled cheese sandwich, vegetable soup, baby carrots, fruit cup, milk.
Tue: Stromboli, potato rounds, veggie cup, fresh fruit, milk.

Wed: Baked ham, mac & cheese salad, green beans, apple slices, crispy cereal treat, milk.
Thu: BBQ rib sandwich, corn chips, refried beans, garden salad, salsa, hot cinnamon apples, milk.

Fri: Beef and bean burrito, corn, baby carrots, peaches, milk.

Hedley ISD

Mon: Corn dog, baked beans, tomato & cucumber cup, apple-pineapple d'lite, milk.

Tue: Nachos Grande, refried beans, garden salad, orange smiles, chocolate chip cookies, milk.

Wed: Chicken sandwich, oven fries, fresh veggie cup, fruity gelatin, milk.
Thu: Beefy macaroni, garden salad, baby carrots, fresh grapes, breadsticks, milk.

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Warning: Don't fall victim to fake casting calls

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Dreaming of a chance to make it big as an actor, singer or model? Be very careful when responding to casting calls. Scammers are using phony audition notices to fool aspiring performers into paying to try out for parts that don't exist.

How the Scam Works: You see a Facebook page or stumble on to a website promoting an upcoming casting call. The show's producers

are looking for contestants/actors for a brand new TV show. You think this is your big chance! You email your photos and resume to the email address on the website. The "producer" responds right away. He/she invites you to complete an online application and/or attend an audition... for a fee.

Here's the catch. The show may not exist and your audition tapes will go nowhere. At best, you are out a small amount of cash. At worst, you gave personal information to scammer, who can use that to open bank accounts and credit cards in your name.

Some producers may have stars in their own eyes, but no contract or money to actually put a show on the air or on the big screen. Others may

be out-and-out scam artists.

There are many variations: they frequently pose as reality shows, but they also use game shows, scripted shows and movies. Sometimes they claim to be launching a brand new show and are looking for an initial cast. Other times, scammers offer fake auditions for existing shows or movies. They charge a premium, but the directors will never see your audition.

Scammers also frequently use legitimate sources to shore up their

scam. They find details online about a show to make their casting calls sound real. Sometimes, they just steal old casting notices and edit the dates.

How to Spot a Scam: Keep an eye out for the following warning signs. Some quick research will help you figure out a real opportunity from a scam. The business/manager asks for money: As the spokesperson for NBC put it: "Red flag, guys. It's not a real casting call. We're paid to find you!" Also, don't trust a "manager" who charges you an upfront fee. They should only be paid commission based on a percentage of the work they book you.

Don't trust a casting call's claims that it is associated with a network or trusted organization: It's

easy for a scammer to assert they are affiliated with a network, production company or even BBB. Be sure to check BBB.org to see if the business really has the rating/accreditation they claim.

Check out the production company's website and staff: Brand new shows might not have a website yet, but be sure to visit the production company's website to see if the show is mentioned.

Also, do a search for the producers to make sure they are experienced professionals. Search for the name of the casting website: If it's a scam, chances are there's a warning about it online. Do a quick search and read comments from other aspiring actors.

Be safe out there.

H-wick achieves high voting percentage

Well, Election Day is over, and Ole Jim won a place on the Board of Aldermen. I tried to remain neutral and must have succeeded because I didn't get a phone call from my boss telling me he had to delete something. As Ole Jim goes through the next two years of helping run our little community, I will continue to strive for that neutrality always with the good of our community in mind.

As we entered City Hall Saturday to cast our vote, waiting to take our voting card info and point us in the right direction were Lois Wood, Gwen Holliday and Debra Hubbard. With a steady flow of voters they were busy all day. I am always so proud of our community on Election Day. Compare the turnout here against a larger community

and we have a higher percentage of voters than most places. So how did we do?

The new Mayor and Board of Aldermen are Mayor Mike Rowland, Aldermen Gail Leathers and Jim Cockerham (two year terms) and Gene Rogers and Cori Longan (one year terms). Gene is an incumbent, and they will all join Robert Brewster on the board as he continues to serve out his term.

This was such a clean race, everyone ran with one thought in mind - to serve our community. So



'wick picks
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Upcoming events in Hedley

May 18 is "Cemetery Clean Up Day" at Rowe Cemetery, and the Hedley Lions Club will furnish dinner. We need mostly weed eaters that day. Contact Jean Taylor for any information.

If anyone wants to donate to the Rowe Cemetery, send to Hedley City Hall, PO Box 185, Hedley, TX 79237.

On May 19, the Hedley Senior Citizens will have a Fried Chicken fund raiser dinner with all the fixins'. Plates will be \$8 and children age five 5 and under eat for \$5. Everyone invited. Come on by and see us. We serve coffee in the mornings.

On May 26, the Hedley Methodist Church will host a dinner for the Hedley eighth grade class to send them on to high school. Eighth grade students and their parents are

invited.

Recipe: Okra Patties - 1 pound okra, chopped fine, ½ cup onion, chopped fine, 1 teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, ½ cup water, 1 egg, ½ cup flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, ½ cup cornmeal, Bacon grease (for frying) or oil (for frying). Combine okra, onion, salt, pepper, water, and egg and mix well. Mix flour, baking powder, and cornmeal and add to okra mixture, mixing well. Heat oil to med-high, drop okra by heaping tablespoons into hot oil and cook until brown on both sides.



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Two-Man team wins scramble

By Sandy Anderberg

The two-man team of Alex Palomeque and Michael Thompson won the weekly nine-hole scramble on Friday night at the Clarendon Country Club at five under par.

Three other teams competed and came in at three under par.

Kevin Wood took the top spot in the Wednesday men's game with a gross score of 76, and George Leathers won second low gross with a 79. Redell Johnston won low net with a 71, and Carroll Duncan won second low net with a 72.

On Saturday, Mike Santos won low gross with an even par 72, and Kolton Wood won second low gross

with a 79. Kevin Wood won low net with a score of 69, and Bo Morrison and Gene Rogers tied for second low net at 73.

Sherol Johnston shot the lowest score Thursday to win low gross with an 88, and Gayle Rogers won low net with a 69. On Saturday, Gail Leathers won low gross with an 84, and the low net winner was Gayle Rogers with a 70.

There will be an 18-hole scramble on Memorial Day on Monday, May 27, and entries are being taken in the Pro Shop. The nine-hole scrambles begin at 6:00 p.m. each Friday with entries being accepted until 5:00 p.m. that evening.

Coors Rodeo set for June 7 and 8

AMARILLO - June 7 and 8 should find you in the Amarillo National Center at the Tri-State Fairgrounds if you are interested in rodeo and a good time. That is when the cowboys and cowgirls from area ranches will go head to head in ranch versus ranch competitions.

In addition to the rodeo your ticket also gets you into the "Rockin' Rodeo Roadhouse." "The Roadhouse" will be the site of the rodeo before and after party and will play host to dancing, dining and a great time," said Tod Mayfield, President, Coors Cowboy Club. Tickets for the event will include the rodeo, food plus brew prior to the rodeo, shopping, dancing and

celebrating. Formed in 2000 the Coors Cowboy Club serves as an ambassador for Amarillo and assists numerous national and local events that happen in Amarillo.

"The Coors Cowboy Club, is about promoting Amarillo the "cowboy way" and helping your neighbor," according to Mayfield. "The events we have planned emphasize the everyday work of the cowboy way of life both past and present."

Tickets may be purchased through Panhandle Tickets or the Tri-State Fair office. For more information and the daily schedule refer to www.coorsranchrodeo.com or call 806-376-7767.

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Big winners

Lowe's Family Center manager Buddy James presents the \$1,000 Lowe's Cool Summer Cash prize to Laura Hommel's class on Thursday, May 19. Pictured is Buddy James, Johnny Jaramillo, Laura Hommel, Shelby O'Keefe, Porshe Henderson, Laura Howard, and Terri Seale.

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Oh, hail!

Large hail fell on the Ashtola community last Thursday evening, slowing traffic on US 287 for a time. Aerial view of the aftermath of a hail storm that hit Ashtola last Thursday taken by Finch Ranch Helicopter Service Chief Pilot Andy Wheatly. This was photo was taken 24 hours after the hail storm.

COURTESY PHOTO / JEREMY POWELL

Deadline for rural energy program nears

USDA Rural Development has announced that an amendment to the Notice of Funding Availability for the Rural Energy for America Program was published May 8, 2013 in the Federal Register. The Notice extends the application period from April 30, 2013, to May 31, 2013, for renewable energy systems and energy efficiency improvement projects grants and grant and loan combination applications, and for renewable energy system feasibility study applications. The Guaranteed Loan only application deadline is not being modified and will remain as July 15, 2013.

The notice also clarifies the regulatory requirement that an applicant is not eligible for an award

if the System for Award Management (SAM) and Dun and Bradstreet Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) requirements are not met. All applications wishing to compete for funding consideration must have a DUNS number which is registered and current in the SAM system as of the deadline noted above.

The Notice of Funding Availability for the Rural Energy for America Program published May 8, 2013 in the Federal Register can be found at: <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2013-05-08/pdf/2013-10941.pdf>. As indicated in the notice, the Agency intends to publish a separate notice to amend the funding available under REAP.

Rural small businesses and

agriculture producers who have interest in renewable energy or energy efficiency projects are encouraged to take this opportunity to submit applications for Fiscal Year 2013 if they have not already done so. If an application has already been submitted for funding consideration, the extension affords an opportunity to enhance or modify the proposal up to the newly published deadline. Please note however, that the application date will be changed accordingly based on the new submission date.

Visit http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/TX_Energy.html for information or call the Texas State Office Business and Cooperative Programs staff at 254-742-9780.

Groundwater district offers water saving tips

According to the Panhandle Ground Water Conservation District, single-family residential indoor water use in the United States is an average of 69 gallons per person per day.

It doesn't take much to realize that that figure can be substantially reduced, mostly with just a change of habits, though serious conservers will want to consider replacing some fixtures and appliances.

Most residential water use is, not surprisingly, in the bathroom.

Toilets made before 1980 use five to seven gallons per flush (gpf). In the 80s, 3.5 gpf was the standard, and since 1992 new toilets sold in Texas must use no more than 1.6 gpf. And while earlier "low-flow" models often took repeated flushes - thereby negating the advantage - newer models (some as low as .8 gpf) have addressed that issue and work well.

If you have an older model, put a plastic bottle or bag filled with water in the tank to displace water, thereby saving 0.5 to 1.5 gpf. (Do not use a brick as they can crumble and damage the fixture.) Make sure the tank does not leak (you can test it with a few drops of food coloring) and don't use the bowl for a trash can.

Do you prefer a bath to a shower? A 5-minute shower uses only 10-25 gallons. A full bathtub, however, can require up to 70 gallons of water. Pre-1980 showerheads use five to eight gallons per minute. Since 1994, showerheads must use a maximum of 2.5 gallons per minute, and newer models - like the newer toilets - work much better than older models.

Save water by taking shorter showers and take showers instead of baths. Save even more by replacing your showerhead with an efficient model.

In the kitchen and laundry room, installing faucet aerators on sinks is a simple, cost-effective way to save water. The faucet's efficiency can double without sacrificing performance. Aerators are inexpensive and do not require special adapters.

Run the dishwasher with a full load to save water, energy, detergent, and money and use the machine's short wash cycle when dishes are only lightly soiled. High-efficiency dishwashers use a maximum of seven gallons per load, some as little as 4.5 gallons. Replacing an older model with a water-efficient model could cut dishwasher water use in

half.

When doing laundry, match the load setting with the amount of laundry to be washed and use the shortest wash cycle for lightly soiled loads. High-efficiency washers use 35 to 55 percent less water and 50 percent less energy. They also require less detergent, rinse more thoroughly, are less abrasive on clothes, and can fit larger capacity loads in the same size drum.

General water-saving tips:

- Leaks should be stopped as soon as they are noticed. In any event, place a bowl or cup under dripping faucets. Use the captured water to water plants or pets.
- When waiting for the water to get hot in a shower or a faucet, place a receptacle to capture the cold water to use in other places.
- Fill a basin or the sink with soapy water instead of letting the water run when washing dishes by hand. Soak pans rather than scrubbing them while the water is running.
- Rinse produce in a pan of cold water instead of letting the water run.
- Transfer frozen foods to the refrigerator to defrost the night before you need them instead of letting water run over them.

Memorial Day service at Rowe Cemetery

The Adamson-Lane, Post 287 of the American Legion, Hedley, Texas will hold it's Annual Memorial Day Services at the Rowe Cemetery, Monday morning May 27, 2013, at 9:30.

The Post members will place American Flags on the graves of 231 Veterans buried in the Rowe Cemetery. The flags will remain there through Monday in honor of those departed comrades that have served this country.

The program will be conducted by members of the American Legion, the Memorial Day address will be entitled, "Preserving the Memory of the Fallen."

The program will include the ceremony honoring the missing in action and the prisoner of war, still unaccounted for.

The Post Adjutant will read the roll call of the 231 Veterans buried in the Rowe Cemetery.

The program will be concluded with the laying of the memorial wreath and the play of Taps.

Retired teachers to meet Monday

The bi-monthly meeting of the Donley County Retired School Personnel Association will meet Monday, May 20, 2013, at 6:00 p.m. in the Church of Christ Family Life Center.

The program for the night will be presented by Janna Kiehl from the Amarillo Better Business Bureau. Ms. Kiehl will be informing the group on how we can better protect ourselves from scams, unsolicited callers and other related issues.

Following her presentation, officers for the 2013-2014 year will be installed. All members are urged to attend and bring a visitor. Any interested persons in the community are also welcomed to attend.

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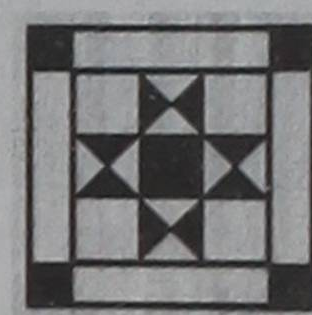
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Drugs in the News

OTC Overactive Bladder Drug for Women

The U.S Food and Drug Administration recently approved the first over-the-counter (OTC) treatment for overactive bladder (OAB) in women. Oxytrol for Women is a patch reapplied to the skin every four days and according to its manufacturer will be available in the Fall of 2013. Oxytrol for Women contains the medication oxybutynin. Oxybutynin has been available as a prescription medication for years and will remain available as a prescription only product for use in men. Oxybutynin treats OAB by relaxing hyperactive muscles in the bladder. The most common side effects noted during OTC treatment are mild and included skin irritation at the patch site, dry mouth and constipation. OAB is characterized by an increase in both urgency and frequency of urination. It affects over 20 million American women, most between the ages of 45 to 60 years old. Many women who may have waited several years to seek treatment for OAB may now have an alternative treatment. Individuals treating overactive bladder with OTC products should contact their physician for additional information and guidance.



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Adams recieves Youth Livestock scholarship

Austin James Adams, a graduating senior from Hedley High School, has been awarded a four year \$5,000 Youth Livestock Scholarship sponsored by the State Fair of Texas. The \$1,250 a year scholarship is renewable by maintaining a 3.0 GPA.

Since 1992, the State Fair of Texas Scholarship Program has awarded scholarships to academically talented students who graduate from high schools in the Dallas State Fair Park area. In 1993, the State Fair of Texas Scholarship Program expanded its youth support by awarding scholarships to academically talented students who participated in the State Fair of Texas Youth Livestock Shows. The 2013 - 2014 Youth Livestock Show will be held this fall during the 127th State Fair of Texas, September 27 to October 20, at Fair Park in Dallas, Texas.

The State Fair of Texas is

awarding 248 scholarships for the 2013 - 2014 school year. This includes 54 new and 109 renewed Youth Livestock Scholarships and 43 new and 42 renewed recently renamed Pete Schenkel Scholarships (for students from the Fair Park area high schools).

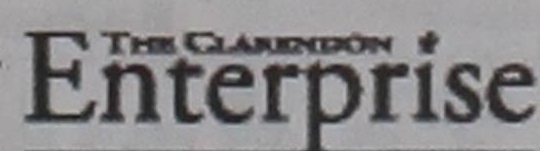
Adams participated in the State Fair of Texas Youth Livestock Show in during 2004-05, and from 2007-12. He was in the Youth Market Barrow Shows and won numerous places including second place twice. In high school he has been an active member of FFA, 4-H Club, National Honor Society, Football, and Tennis. He has held numerous offices in those clubs and received many awards and honors during his high school career and has been very active in community service.

Adams plans to attend Clarendon College and major in animal science. He is the son of Lon and Nicki Adams of Hedley.

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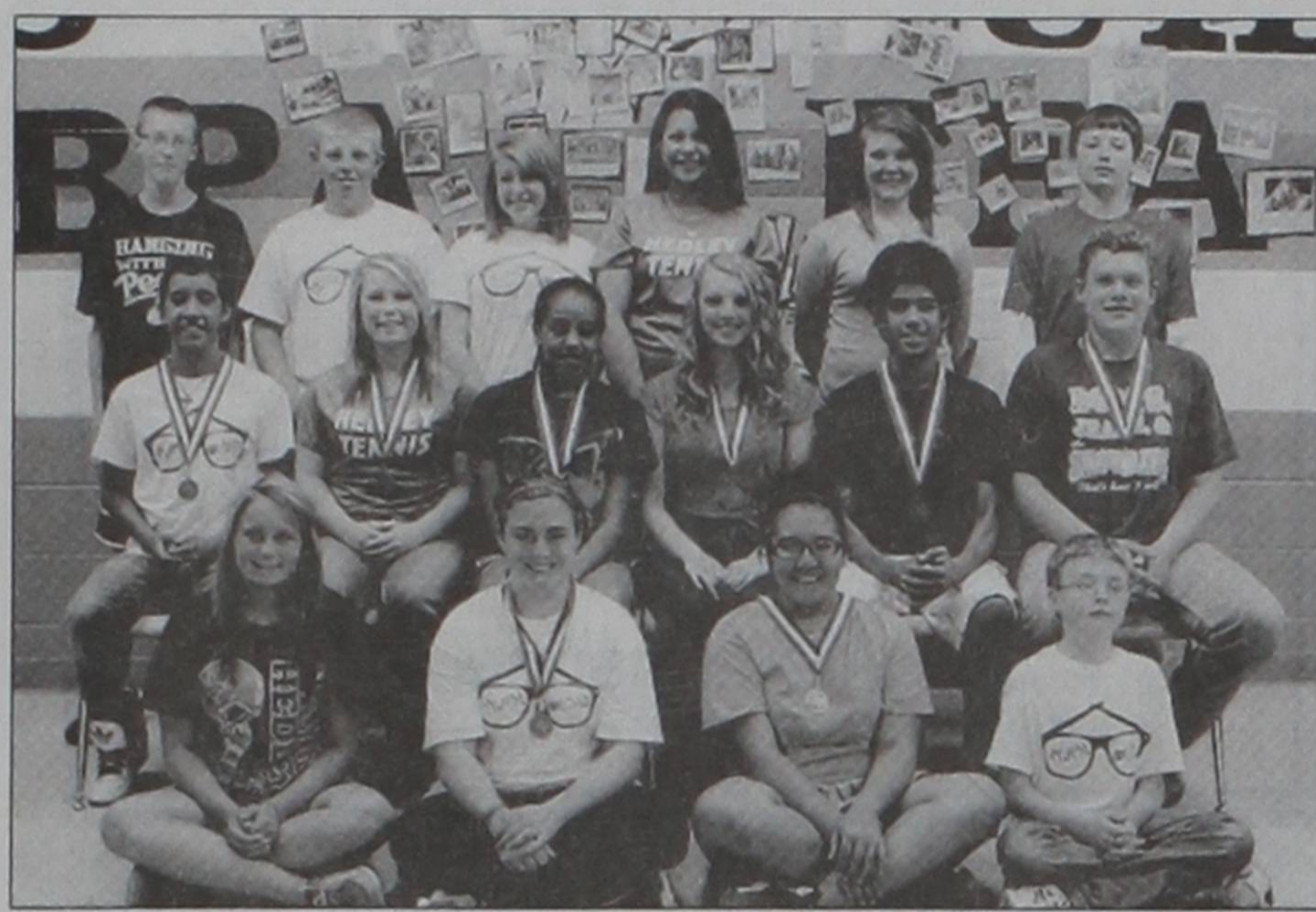
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Hedley Junior High Tennis team: (back) Tristen Harper-boys singles, Casey McCleskey and Kyla O'Dell-mixed doubles, Madison Shelp and Cheyenne Smith-girls doubles, Zerek Mestas-boys singles (middle) Frank Ramirez and Blayne Layton-mixed doubles, Shaelynn Owitti and Kenlee Lambert-girls singles, Kenrick Addington and Caylor Monroe-boys doubles, (front) Briley Chadwick, Kallie Lindsey-girls singles, Crystal Ramirez-girls singles, and Nathaniel McCoy-boys singles.

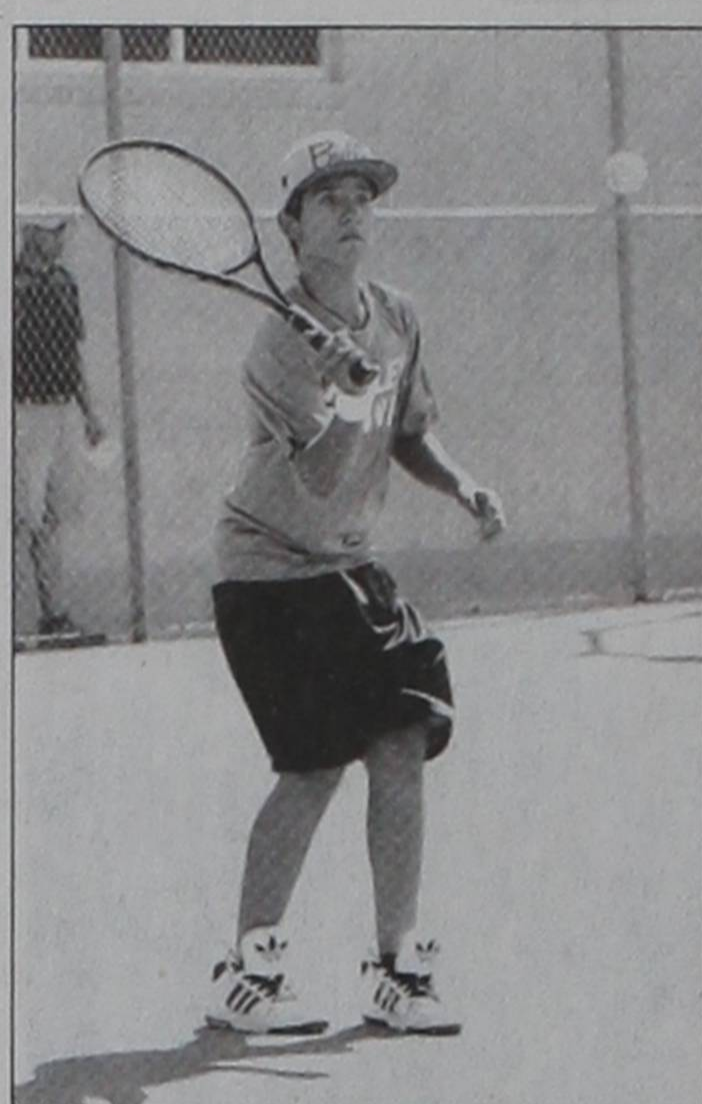
Hedley JH competes district tennis meet

Hedley Junior High tennis competed in their district meet last week.

Hedley made a very good showing at the meet earning several medals. Earning gold were the girls duo of Kenlee Lambert and Shaelynn Owitti. Kallie Lindsey brought home the gold in girls singles, and Crystal Ramirez earned a bronze medal in girls singles as well.

The mixed doubles team of Frank Ramirez and Blayne Layton received a silver medal; and so did the boys doubles team of Caylor Monroe and Kenrick Addington. Zerek Mestas got consolation.

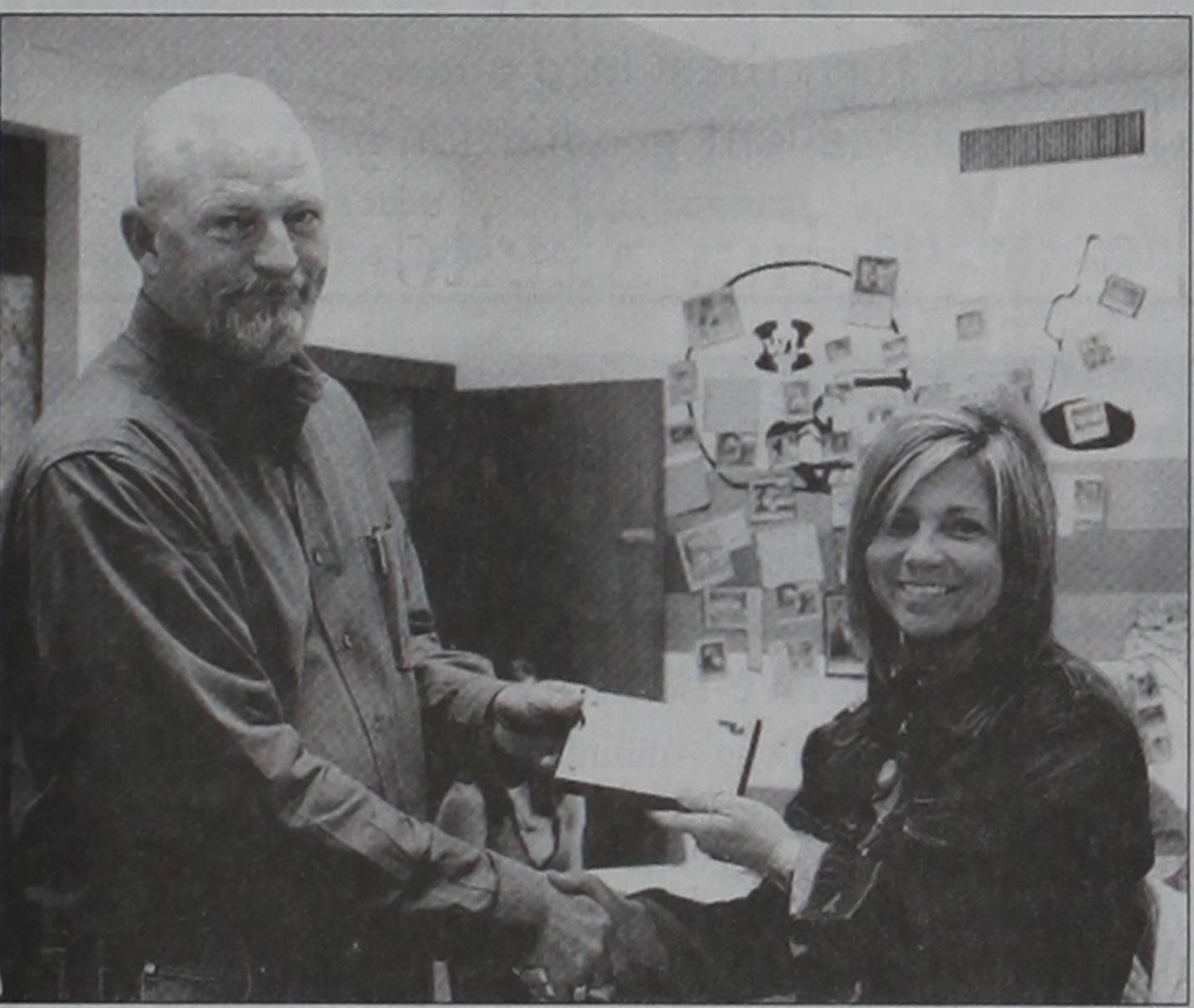
"I think that for never having practice outside of school and us having only one tennis meet this year, the kids did a great job and competed very hard," said tennis coach Garrett Bains.



Hedley's Frank Ramirez returns the ball during his mix doubles game at the district tennis meet last week. Frank Ramirez was mix doubles with Blayne Layton and the team received silver medal at the competition.



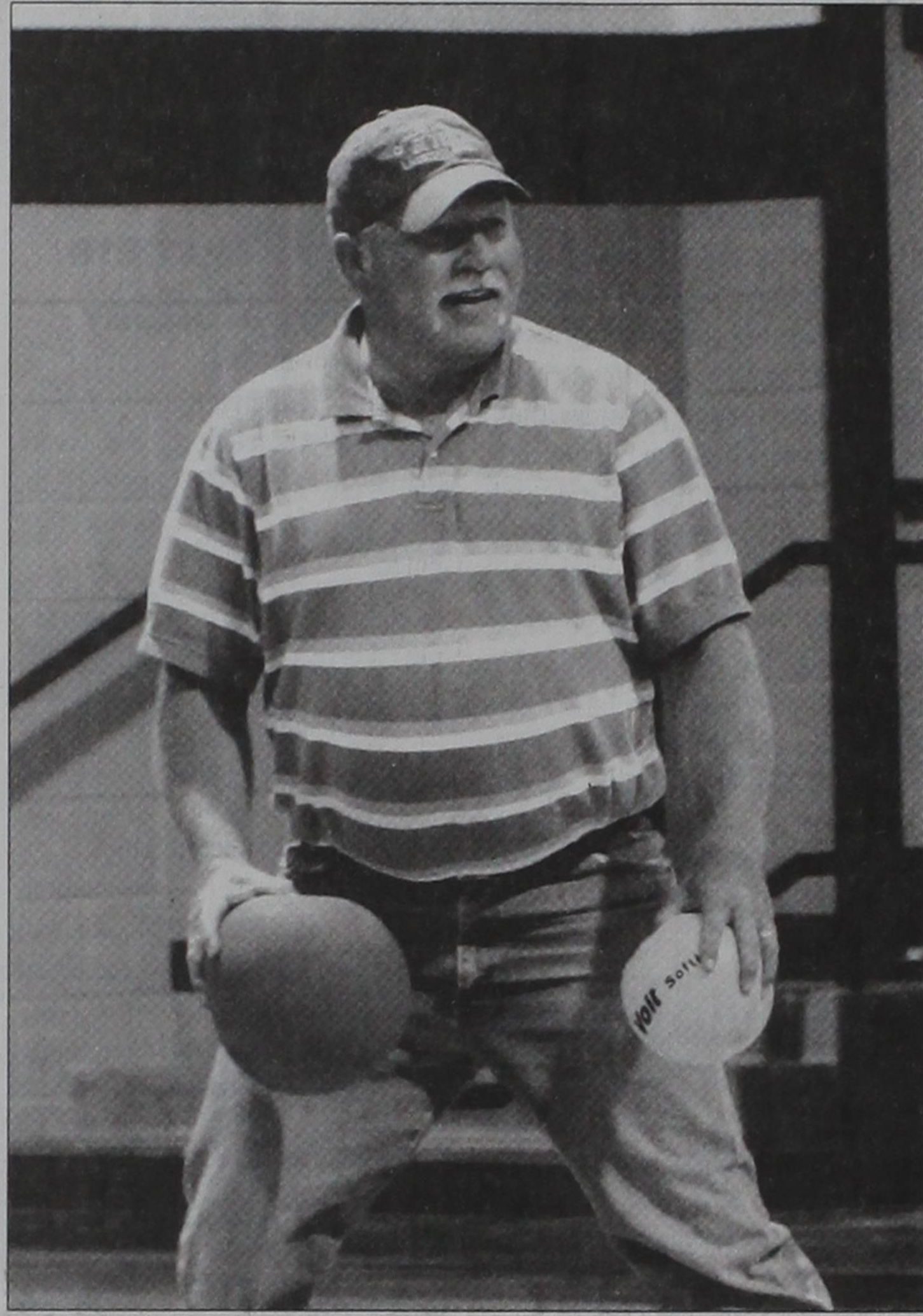
Kari Lindsey receives a plaque for 5 years of service to Hedley School from Superintendent Bill Sanders. COURTESY PHOTO / HHS YEARBOOK



Ten years of service to Hedley ISD, Patrice Wood gets a plaque from Superintendent Bill Sanders. COURTESY PHOTO / HHS YEARBOOK



Diane Conatser received her 5 year pin from Hedley Superintendent Bill Sanders recently at the Hedley ISD teacher appreciation banquet hosted by Hedley School Board. COURTESY PHOTO / HEDLEY YEARBOOK



Sheriff Butch Blackburn participates in "Dare to Dodge" Saturday. COURTESY PHOTO / TANYA BURTON



Silver Bullet Fitness Club team members Greg Wooten and Brenna Buker participate in the "Dare to Dodge" fundraiser for Kortney Burton Saturday.



Today, Hedley senior Andy Munoz signed a National Letter of intent to play Soccer at Wala Wala University in College Place, Washington. Pictured is Coach Garrett Bains, Coach Darrell Wallace, Skyler Conatser, Mirjke Tiddens, Host parent Johnny Conaster, Andy Munoz, Andy's mother Doris Munoz, and Host parent Diane Conatser.

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He said some church members were like sneakers. He said before the church service would be over, some would be sneaking out to go to do things they wanted to do like: shopping, fishing, golfing, etc. They wanted the best of both worlds. On one hand they want to be holy and worship God, on the other hand, they feel that Sunday is the only day they can be entertained and they take advantage of it.

He said some of the members were like high heels. These folks, he told me, thought they were a little better than other folks. They have their own little click and talk amongst themselves. If it was to come a good rain they would drown for their noses are so far in the air!

Some members are flip-flops, he told me. On any given issue or doctrine, they change their minds so much that you never know where they are. Instead of standing with the Bible every time, they kind of follow the crowd or whatever is popular.

Of course there are the folks you would call "running shoes." They run to tell the latest gossip or information that would be best left unsaid. These are the folks that after running a person down, they end their conversation with, "Bless his heart."

Then there are the folks you would call "slippers." Every time a volunteer is needed, they "slip" away or suddenly remember they need to be somewhere else.

You also have the "house shoes." These are folks that have retired from their jobs and are now retired from the church and stay home. When they retired, they retired from everything, including their service to God.

Sadly there are the "combat boots" that seem to be in every church. They make up a small group but try to force their way on the rest of the crowd. If there is a disagreement, you will find this bunch in the middle and not helping to make peace.

Finally, and fortunately, the old minister told me about one shoe that we should all want and desperately need in the church. He said a few folks were "work boots." He said they were rugged, and never failed. These shoes were always ready to be laced up and volunteered for most anything. They weren't very shiny and didn't call attention to themselves and you really don't notice them, yet, you couldn't get by without them.

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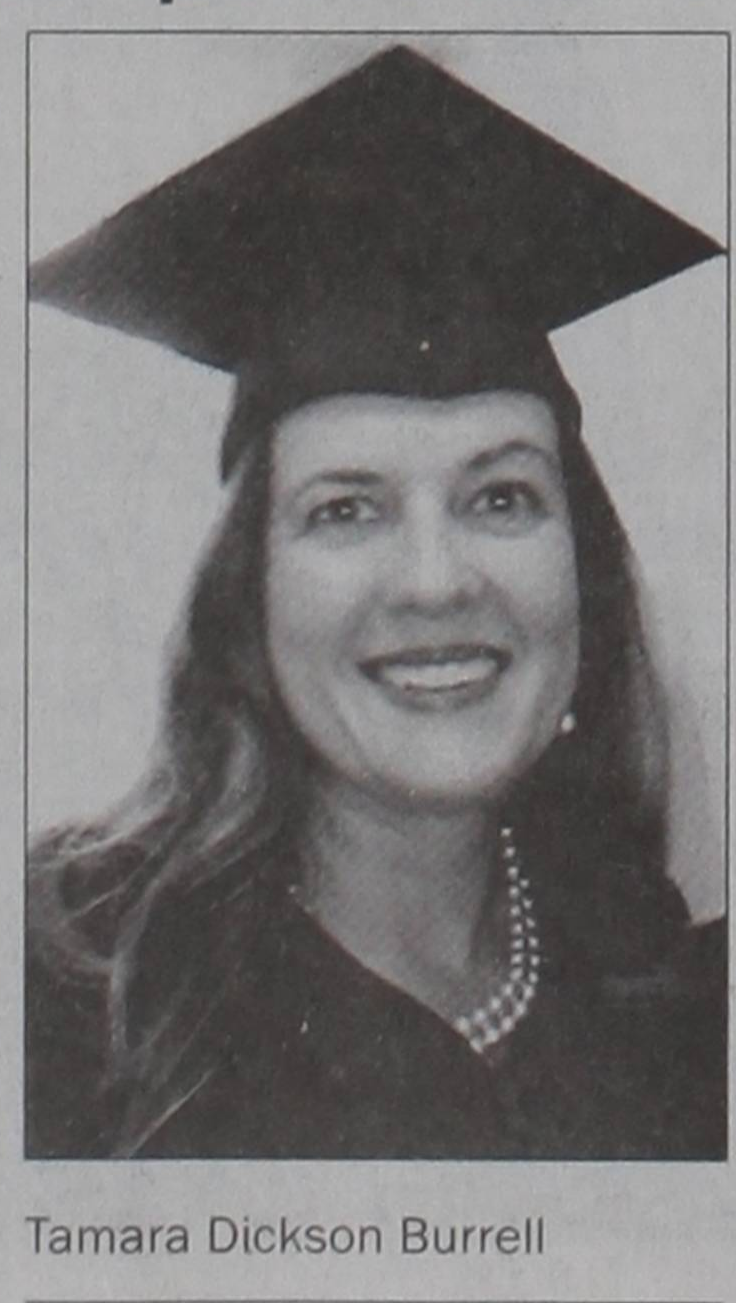
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Dicksons' daughter completes master's

Tamara Dickson Burrell, youngest daughter of Eunice and John Dickson of Hedley, graduated on May 3, 2013, with her Master of Science in Organization Development (MSOD) from the McColl School of Business at Queens University of Charlotte.

Burrell also completed a developmental coaching certificate during her coursework and finished her degree with a 4.0 GPA. She plans to carry on with her current career but has promised her mother and her husband that she will not accept any volunteer assignments for at least six months.

The Dicksons celebrate with their daughter and son-in-law in this milestone accomplishment.



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State run

Clarendon senior Jentry Shadle runs the 100-meter hurdles at the state track meet in Austin last Saturday. She finished eighth, capping off a great senior season.

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CHS announces early physicals for May 22

Clarendon ISD Athletic Director Gary Jack has announced May 22, 2013, as the date for early physicals at the Clarendon Medical Center.

The Medical Center will charge \$10 for the physical and this will be the only time they will give this price to prepare for the next school year and athletic season. They will begin taking students at the clinic at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 22.

"This will be a great time to get this taken care of," Jack said. "All students that will be going into the 7th, 9th, and 11th grades for the next school year are required to have a physical to participate in any UIL athletic events. We will be passing out paper work this week to be filled out before you go to the clinic. I would like to encourage each of you to take advantage of this physical day."

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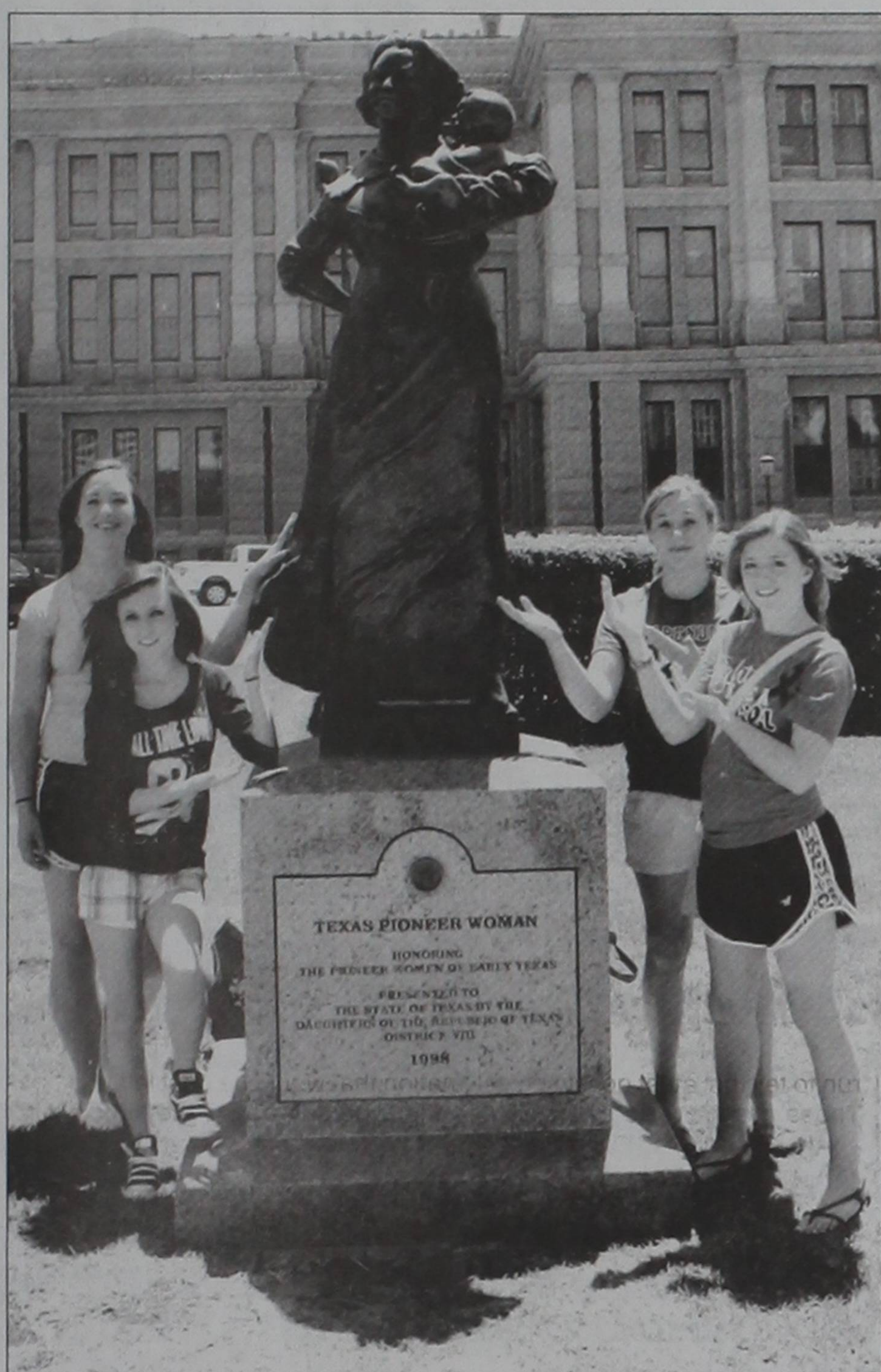


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Clarendon High School students Emberli Holland, Maritta Brady, Marie Urfels, and Samantha Sanderson traveled to Austin for the National History Day competition.

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Three CISD students compete in Austin

Three Clarendon High School students competed in the Texas state competition for National History Day in Austin on May 3 and 4.

Texas History Day, a part of the National History Day program, is a yearlong education program that culminates in an annual state-level history fair for students in grades six through twelve. It provides an opportunity for students to demonstrate their interest in, and knowledge of, history through creative and original papers, performances, documentaries, individual interpretive web sites, or three-dimensional exhibits.

Senior Maritta Brady placed fifth with her individual documentary,

Parting the Bamboo Curtain. Senior Samantha Sanderson placed fifth with her individual performance, A Pen Made of Gunpowder: Mercy Otis Warren and the American Revolution. Junior Emberli Holland received the Regional Director's Award for her individual exhibit, From Illuminated Manuscript to Printing Press.

While in Austin, the students toured the State Capitol, the Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum, and the Blanton Art Museum. They were accompanied by foreign exchange student Marie Urfels, Principal and Mrs. Larry Jeffers, and sponsors Lyndal Gillen and Larry Goetze.

Clarendon CISD to provide meals for kids

The Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District is participating in the Summer Food Service Program.

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as follows: Clarendon CISD School Cafeteria, 922 West Fifth Street; Lunch 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.; June 3 - June 28, Monday through Friday.

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Three Broncos earn all-district honors

Clarendon seniors Adam Topper, Dusty Rice, and Trevor Cobb have been named to the 2013 All-District Baseball Team with first team honors.

The trio has been instrumental in the Broncos' success on the diamond in the last four years and they will be missed.

Cole Ward and Chance McAnear were named to the Second All-District Team and Diego Santos, Cody Wood, and Caleb Cobb received honorable mentions.

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May 6, 2013

2:01 a.m. – Units paged to vehicle rollover 287 & 2362
 10:14 a.m. – Units @ Hedley School
 11:29 a.m. – EMS transfer to Community Care Center
 5:01 p.m. – EMS assist 600 Borger
 7:30 p.m. – Loose livestock – FM 2362

May 7, 2013

9:15 a.m. – See caller @ College
 9:17 a.m. – EMS assist @ Clinic
 10:00 a.m. – Out @ Courthouse
 2:47 p.m. – Minor accident – South Kearney
 7:41 p.m. – EMS assist Community Care Center

May 8, 2013

5:03 a.m. – Units paged for fire – 4800 block HWY 287

7:46 a.m. – Units paged – 2 vehicle accident 287 & 2362

2:38 a.m. – Out @ Annex

3:11 a.m. – Welfare check – Front Street

3:21 p.m. – EMS assist Donley County Sheriff Office

5:57 p.m. – EMS assist 200 block East 2nd

East 2nd

May 10, 2013

1:59 p.m. – See caller 300 block Rosenfield

2:01 p.m. – EMS assist – Community Care Center

2:22 p.m. – Reporting suspicious accident 3rd & Taylor

2:56 p.m. – To jail with one in custody

4:04 p.m. – Units paged – vehicle accident 3rd & Taylor

6:55 p.m. – Illegal hunting – 12600 block Co Rd R – Hunting from road

May 11, 2013

12:37 a.m. – EMS assist 300 block Rosenfield

6:29 a.m. – Units paged – motorcycle accident 705 & Co Rd X

East 2nd

Obituaries

Whitmore

Joan Ray Whitmore (Joani) went home to be with her Lord Wednesday, April 24, 2013. She passed away at her home in Harrison with her husband of 56 years by her side. She was born at home in Hedley, Texas, the daughter of Ray and Oleta (Mann) Moreman on October 6, 1932.

Joan was the paramount example of a Proverbs 31 woman; always gracious, willing to serve others, and lovingly devoted to her husband and family.

Joan earned a Bachelor's and Master's degree in Music from North Texas State University. She was a pioneer in the area of music therapy and used her education to help special needs children in the community develop a love for music. She brought music with her wherever she went. She filled her home with it, she played at nursing homes, and taught piano lessons most of her life.

Joan was loved by her husband and adored by her children. She laughed easily, loved unreservedly, and she left this world a better place. For years, the Episcopal Church rang with the sound of her organ music on Sunday mornings. Her love and desire for music to be in our community got her involved with the Northwest Arkansas Concert Association and the Apollo Music Club. Joan was passionate about her community and loyal to her country. She was involved with the

Republican Woman's Club.

She was married to Clifford Sims Whitmore, DVM, on September 2, 1957, in Clarendon, Texas. They became residents of Boone County Arkansas in 1958.

Joan is survived by her husband, Clifford Sims Whitmore, of Harrison. Her son, Clifford Sims Whitmore, II and wife Linda of Franklin, Tennessee and their two daughters, Katherine and Jennifer Whitmore. Her daughter, Julia Lynn (Whitmore) Davies and husband John of Fredericksburg, Texas and their son Jacob Davies and their daughter Jamey Davies. Her son, Mark Cameron Whitmore and wife Lisa of Harrison, Arkansas and their daughters Cameron and Megan Whitmore and their son Walker Whitmore.

Joan had two brothers, Jack Moreman and wife Fredie Jo of Clarendon, Texas and David Moreman and wife Evie of Front Royal, Virginia.

Cliff and Joan are members at Cross Roads Community Church. Joan was loved by her husband and adored by her children. She laughed easily, loved unreservedly, and she left this world a better place.

Murphy

Roger Allen Murphy, 66, died Saturday, May 11, 2013, in Clarendon.

The Memorial service was held

on Wednesday, May 15, 2013, in the Robertson Funeral Directors Saints Roost Chapel in Clarendon with Rev. Calvin Burrow, officiating.

Arrangements are under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Roger was born June 18, 1946, in Childress, Texas to John and Mary Richardson Murphy. He had lived in Childress prior to moving to Howardwick about 30 years ago. He married Penny Tuttle on March 2, 1991, at Howardwick. Roger had farmed most of his life after completing his duties with the Army and serving his country in the Vietnam War. He was proud to be a part of the Army Airborne during the war. Roger was a member of the Clarendon VFW Post #7782 and he was a member of the NRA. He loved guns and he loved shooting them.

He was preceded in death by his father, John Murphy; and a sister, Vonna.

He is survived by his wife, Penny Murphy of Howardwick; his mother, Mary Crow of Clarendon; 2 sons, Justin Johnson and wife Kimberly of McLean, James Glen Black and wife Glenda of Carlsbad, NM; a daughter, Jamie Murphy of Howardwick; a sister Mary; and 3 grandchildren. The family request memorials be sent to Community Care Center, PO Box 1007, Clarendon, Texas 79226.

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of Clarendon Independent School District has ordered an election to be held on June 1, 2013, for the purpose of conducting a tax rate ratification (rollback) election. Specifically, the following proposition will be on the ballot:

PROPOSITION

FOR

-) APPROVING THE AD VALOREM TAX
) RATE OF \$1.17 PER \$100 VALUATION IN
) CLARENDON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL
) DISTRICT FOR THE CURRENT YEAR, A
) RATE THAT IS \$0.13 HIGHER PER \$100
) VALUATION THAN THE SCHOOL
) DISTRICT ROLLBACK TAX RATE

AGAINST

Voting on election day will take place at the polling place listed below, which will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on June 1, 2013.

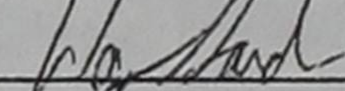
Election Day Polling Place: Clarendon ISD Administration Building
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Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at Clarendon ISD, Administrative Offices, 416 S. Allen, Clarendon, Texas 79226, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. beginning on Wednesday, May 15, 2013, and ending Tuesday, May 28, 2013. Early voting by personal appearance will not take place on Saturdays, Sundays, and legal state holidays.

Applications for ballots by mail shall be mailed to: Clarendon ISD
 Attn: Mary White
 Early Voting Clerk
 PO Box 610
 Clarendon, Texas 79226

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on Friday, May 24, 2013.

Issued this 30th day of April, 2013.

By: 
 Clarendon ISD Board of Trustees

AVISO DE ELECCIONES PARA RATIFICAR IMPUESTOS

A los votantes registrados del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Clarendon:

Mediante el presente aviso se comunica que el Consejo de administración del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Clarendon ha ordenado la convocatoria de elecciones para el día 1 de junio de 2013, con el fin de ratificar la tasa impositiva conocida como rollback. Específicamente, la siguiente proposición aparecerá en la boleta:

PROPOSICIÓN

A FAVOR

-) APROBAR LA TASA IMPOSITIVA AD
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) QUE LA TASA IMPOSITIVA ANTERIOR
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EN CONTRA

La votación el día de las elecciones tendrá lugar en el centro electoral indicado a continuación, el cual estará abierto desde las 7:00 de la mañana hasta las 7:00 de la tarde el 1 de junio de 2013.

Centro electoral el día de las elecciones: Clarendon ISD Administration Building
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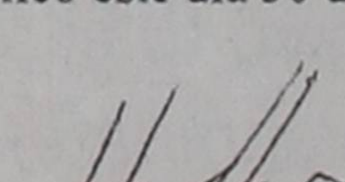
La votación adelantada en persona tendrá lugar diariamente en la Oficina de Administración del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Clarendon, ubicada en 416 S. Allen, Clarendon, Texas 79226, desde las 8:30 de la mañana hasta las 4:30 de la tarde, a partir del miércoles 15 de mayo de 2013 y finalizando el martes 28 de mayo de 2013. La votación adelantada en persona no tendrá lugar los sábados, domingos y días feriados legales estatales.

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Hecho público este día 30 de abril de 2013.

Por: 
 Consejo de administración del
 Distrito escolar independiente de Clarendon

Top students: Brady is salutatorian

Continued from page one

Maritta Brady with a GPA of 95.7. Maritta is the daughter of Kenneth and Christina Brady, sister of Dominique Brady, John Brady, and Chris Brewer, and the granddaughter of Gloria Jaramillo and Ramon Sanchez.

Throughout her high school career, Brady has received many honors. She has received the Honor C in Pre-AP Algebra II and AP Economics. She is also a member of the local National Honor Society, inducted in her junior year. Brady has been a member of the Honor Roll for four years.

Brady has been involved in UIL academic competitions all four years of her high school career. In her freshman year, Brady participated in computer applications and spelling, and she helped her team advanced to the state competition. In her sophomore year, she also competed in spelling and computer applications.

She placed 1st in district in spelling and second in regionals, advancing her to the state competition. As a junior, she advanced to the regional competition in spelling and computer applications. As a senior, she placed second at the district meet in spelling and computer applications. At the regional contest, she placed third in spelling and first in computer applications with a perfect score. She advanced to the state meet in both events.

Brady has been a member of the local Junior Historians Chapter for three years, earning the position of Vice-President in her senior year. In her sophomore year, she did a senior group exhibit board with her sister over Ping-Pong Diplomacy, where they advanced to the state meet. They ended up placing sixth in the state. In her junior year, she created a state-qualifying senior individual documentary over Dorothea Dix

and, in her senior year, she also did a senior individual documentary regarding Richard Nixon's foreign policy in China, placing fifth in the state.

As a National Honor Society service project, Brady has been reading to the first graders the first Tuesday of every month. She has also participated in the cleaning of the Saints' Roost Museum.

Brady's hobbies include graphic design, computers, video games of all kinds, reading, researching, shopping, hanging out with friends and family, and listening to music.

Beginning in the fall of 2013, Brady will be attending Texas Tech University Honors College, where she will begin the Communication Design program. She dreams of becoming a graphic designer after graduating from college.

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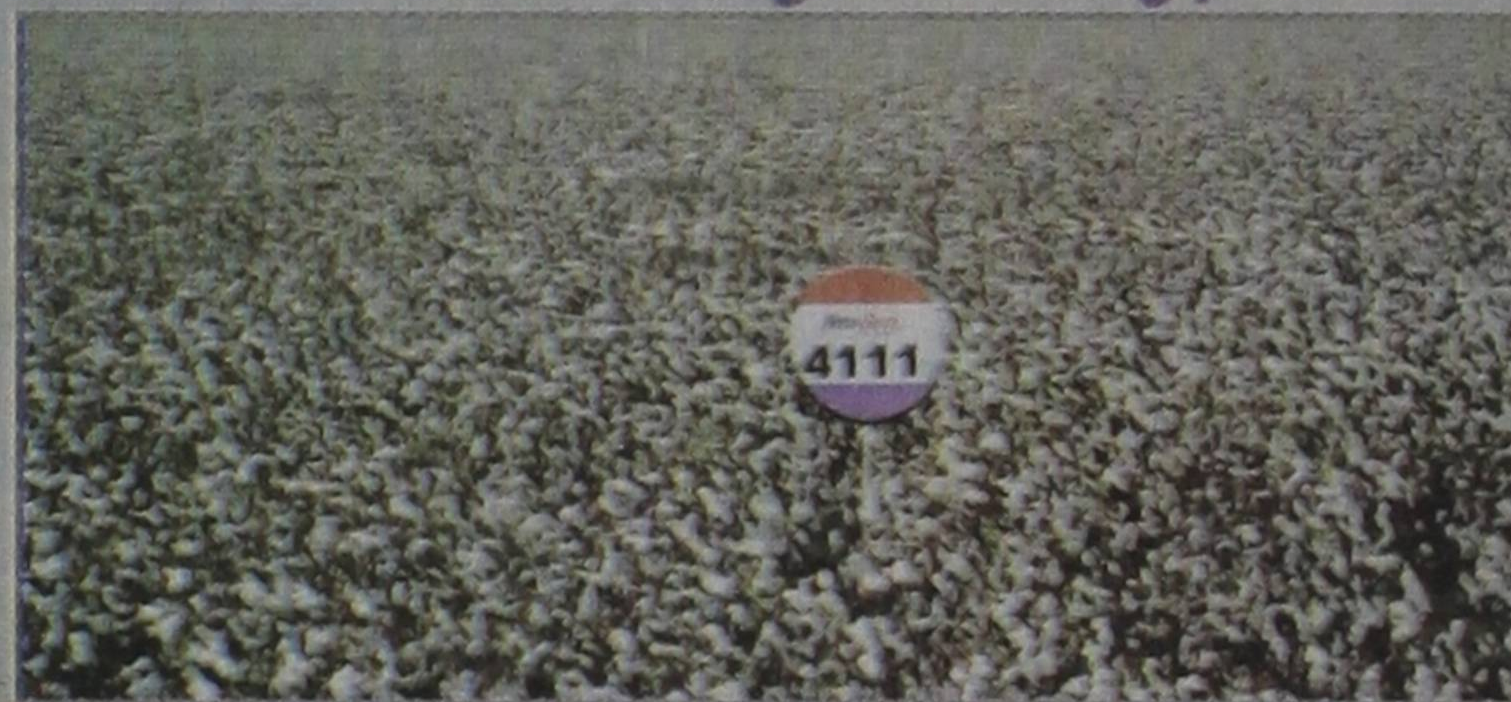
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