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THIS WEEK

- 3 More than 250 are fed during the annual community Thanksgiving meal.
- 4 The Chamber of Commerce gives away a \$500 gift basket for shopping at home.
- 6 The Lady Broncos beat the girls from Lockney.
- 8 And Donley County moves closer to a new JP office in Hedley.

All this and much more as The Enterprise reports in this week's amazing edition!

CC to stage 'Charlie Brown' this Friday

Charlie Brown, Snoopy, Linus, Lucy and all their friends are hitting the stage this Friday night as the Clarendon College Theatre Department presents "A Charlie Brown Christmas."

"A Charlie Brown Christmas" brings the beloved television special to life, complete with Charlie's tree, Lucy's psychiatrist booth and Linus' blanket.

The show focuses on Charlie Brown, who complains about the overwhelming materialism he sees among everyone during the Christmas season - so Lucy suggests that he become director of the school Christmas pageant. Charlie Brown accepts, but this proves to be a frustrating endeavor. When an attempt to restore the proper holiday spirit with a forlorn little Christmas fir tree fails, he needs Linus' help to discover the real meaning of Christmas.

Show time is 7 p.m. in the Harned Sisters Auditorium in Clarendon, and admission \$5 for adults, children 17 and under are free, and anyone with a Clarendon College ID is also free.

CC rodeo team sets fundraiser Dec. 9

The Clarendon College Rodeo program is hosting a National Finals Rodeo watch party and prime rib dinner on December 9 at the Bairfield Activity Center.

The catered meal will be served at 7 p.m. followed by the viewing. Other highlights of the night are the \$1,000 cash drawing, Rodeo Fantasy Game, and silent auction.

Tickets are \$100 each and include a meal for two people and one entry into the \$1,000 cash giveaway drawing.

Tickets can be purchased from any rodeo team member or by calling Bret Franks at (806) 440 1366.

Santa Letters due to paper Monday

The Clarendon Enterprise is getting ready to make its annual North Pole run, and Letters to Santa must be turned in by next Monday, December 4, in order to make that printing.

Letters can be mailed to the Enterprise, PO Box 1110, Clarendon, TX 79226, or delivered personally to the office at 105 S. Kearney Street (after hours drop box available). Letters can also be emailed to news@clarendononline.com.



Area Champions

Coach Clint Conkin presents the Area Championship trophy to his Clarendon Broncos following last Friday's come-from-behind win over Bovina at Kimbrough Memorial Stadium in Canyon. The Broncos will play for the Regional Championship against Hamlin this Friday at 7 p.m. at Frenship ISD at Wolfforth. See page six for game coverage.

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Challenges emerge for two county positions

Two competitive races have emerged in the 2018 general election in Donley County with more than a week to go before the filing deadline.

Precinct 3&4 Justice of the Peace Denise Bertrand has announced her intention to run for re-election and Pat White has filed paperwork to also run for that office, according to Donley County Clerk Fay Vargas.

In Precinct 2, Commissioner Daniel Ford is running for re-election and is being challenged by Donley County Chief Deputy Randy Bond.

Vargas also said the following county officials have filed for re-election but do have any opposition as of Monday afternoon: County Judge John Howard, Treasurer Wanda Smith, and Precinct 4 Commissioner Dan Sawyer. Vargas said Precinct 1&2 Justice of the Peace Pam Mason intends to file, and Vargas herself said she is currently "on the fence" whether or not to run for county clerk again.

Filing for county positions ends Monday, December 11, in the County Clerk's office of the Donley County Courthouse Annex.

Clarendon VFD unveils new multi-purpose fire truck

As dry conditions continue to heighten the threat of wildfires, the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department has commissioned a new truck that will help protect the lives and property of folks in Donley County.

Fire Chief Jeremy Powell says the 10-ton Oshkosh M985 is being tested and is about ready to go into service.

"This is a one-of-a-kind rig," Powell said. "It will be a big asset to get water where we couldn't get it before."

The 10-ton, eight-wheel drive

2006 truck with four-wheel steering is a former military vehicle that the CVFD obtained with a grant from the Texas Forest Service.

"We applied on April 28, 2016, and received the truck in February 2017," Powell said.

The truck serves as a tanker, carrying 3,200 gallons, but it also can be used to fight fires as well and doesn't have to stay on improved roads, which sets it apart from the department's semi-truck tanker.

"This is a multi-purpose truck we can use in town or in the county, and it has extreme off-road

capabilities," Powell said.

Volunteer firemen have spent numerous man-hours preparing the vehicle - painting the truck and installing the tank, pump, lights, and communications system. Powell said the department has spent about \$30,000 of donated funds to equip the truck, including \$23,000 for the tank, which was manufactured by Plasmac of Wellington. Signs Plus of Clarendon prepared the signage for the truck.

"We tested the pump two weeks ago, and we're just putting the finishing touches on the truck now."



The Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department's Oshkosh M985 was obtained through a grant and outfitted by donated time and funds.

ENTERPRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLACK



Christmas visit

Madison Green smiles while visiting with Santa Claus during the fourth annual Donley County Courthouse Lighting Celebration last Saturday evening.

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CC rodeo ranks high in region

Clarendon College Rodeo had a strong fall semester in the Southwest Region - the men's team currently sitting in 4th place and the women's team is 16th.

At the first rodeo in Portales, the men's team finished 3rd when Tegan Smith won 3rd in the Saddle Bronc Riding, and 2nd in the Bull riding and was the reserve all-around cowboy. Brayden Roberson was 3rd in the bareback riding and Kyle Hash was 9th in the Steer Wrestling.

At the second rodeo in Vernon the men's team placed 4th and the women's team finished 11th as Tegan Smith won 2nd in the Saddle Bronc Riding, Colton Kelly won 2nd in the Bull Riding, Garrett Heinert won 6th in the Bull Riding and Kyle Hash finished 4th in the Steer Wrestling. Bucki Shepherd finished 9th in the breakaway roping and Lana Bell was

10th in the Goat tying.

At the Frank Phillips College Rodeo held in Perryton the Clarendon College Men's team came in 4th place when Brayden Roberson finished 8th in the Bareback Riding, Tegan Smith won the Saddle Bronc Riding, won 2nd in the Bull Riding and was the All-Around Champion Cowboy. Casey McCleskey added points to the team finishing 5th in the Team Roping. Rilee Didway made the short round and finished 9th in the Barrel racing for the women's team.

At the fourth Rodeo in Lubbock at Texas Tech, the men's team finished 7th. Robert Haley, coming off an injury that held him out of competition for the first three rodeo's, finished 3rd in the Saddle Bronc Riding. Brayden Roberson ended up 5th in the bareback riding, Trey Engel won 2nd and Garrett Heinert was fourth in the Bull Riding.

The last rodeo of this semester was held in Alpine TX at Sul Ross. Tegan Smith won 2nd in the saddle Bronc riding, Mitchell Phillips was 8th in the Bareback Riding, Casey McCleskey split 2-3rd in the Team Roping with partner Brandon Muniz from ENMU and Colton Kelly won the Bull Riding. This placed the Men's team 4th at the rodeo and currently 4th in the regional standings after their first half of the year.

The Southwest Region is the most competitive Region in the nation with 17 Colleges and Universities competing at each rodeo.

The Clarendon College rodeo teams will compete next at the San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo Collegiate Challenge on February 11 and then at the next 5 regional rodeos of the spring semester in Odessa, Snyder, Brownwood, Big Spring, and Stephenville.

Adults - \$5
Clarendon College ID or Children 17 & Under - FREE

A CHARLIE BROWN Christmas **LIVE! ON STAGE**

Friday, December 1 @ 7pm | Harned Sisters Auditorium

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An agency in need of constraint

By Thaya Brook Knight, Cato Institute

While most of us were recovering from all the turkey and pie last Friday, a showdown was brewing at the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau.

And while the CFPB might not yet be a household name, perhaps it should: The agency's director is far too powerful, and the tussle over who should possess that power.

The question of who rightfully leads the agency is a complex one, full of technical arguments and arcane legal concepts. But the real story is that the position of director (or acting director) is just too powerful.

The agency's short history demonstrates how much damage one person can do in control of the CFPB.

The story began earlier this month when Richard Cordray announced he would resign as director before December. President Trump announced his intent to name Office of Management and Budget Director Mick Mulvaney as acting director until a new one could be confirmed by the Senate.

However, just hours before resigning Friday night, Cordray tried to handpick his own successor, naming longtime staffer Leandra English to the position of deputy director, with the intention that she'd become acting director on his departure.

It's a question of which statute takes precedence - the Federal Vacancy Reform Act, which suggests Trump's nominee should now run the agency, or Dodd-Frank, which suggests the position should fall to Cordray's choice - and isn't an easy one to answer.

The CFPB was created under Dodd-Frank as an independent agency, and that law does not allow the president to fire the director simply because of a policy disagreement.

It's this combination of independence and sole directorship that makes the agency so unusual - and makes the position of director so important.

As director, Cordray has followed a policy driven by ideological zeal. And the agency's short history demonstrates how much damage one person can do in control of the CFPB.

The agency was given wide-ranging authority over consumer financial matters. But Cordray wasn't content to stay within even those broad bounds, seeking to trespass in the areas of school accreditations and auto sales as well.

He has charged forward with a rule limiting short-term loans without due consideration of the harm it will cause to vulnerable Americans.

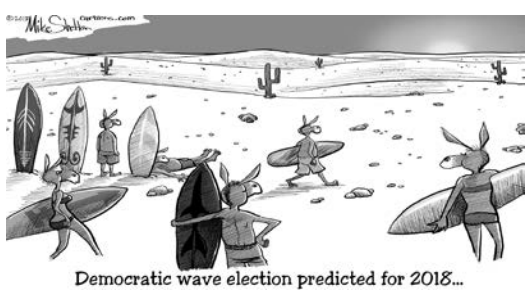
Meanwhile, under his leadership, the agency failed to uncover the widespread fraud at Wells Fargo, relying instead on the LA Times to break the story.

For those who support his vision, the fact that he wielded enormous power was a great boon. But the flip side is that Mulvaney, as acting director, will wield the same power, but to forward a very different vision.

Cordray may have had the best intentions in pursuing his left-wing policies, but good government requires that we acknowledge human frailty by limiting any one person's ability to inflict damage.

As it stands the CFPB's structure enshrines just the opposite, rendering it accountable to no one and making its directorship far too sweet a prize.

Thaya Brook Knight is associate director of financial regulation studies at the Cato Institute's Center for Monetary and Financial Alternatives.



Ups and downs we've seen in 2017

Let us consider bits and pieces of the year to date, sadly remembering that at its beginning, much of the country's tapestry was intact.

Then, humankind got a hold of it. Much is now in shreds.

Struck by implosions and explosions around the globe, it's a wonder our planet isn't woe-stricken by a worrisome wobble.

The word "harassment" has been in heavy use, and in ways that would make Popeye blush. Tough talk abounds.

Squabbles continue concerning athletes' conduct during the playing of the National Anthem at NFL games. Team owners, meanwhile, may unravel to the point that their teams' inflated value sinks way below the air pressure of those footballs Tom Brady messed with.

Owners are stewing about remuneration for Commissioner Roger Goodell, and whether his contract should be extended by a half-dozen years to 2024. Dallas Cowboys owner Jerry Jones is screaming about paying Goodell's proposed \$50 million annually, \$5 million more than this year.

We used to think ourselves - at certain junctures - to be "between rocks and hard places."

Compared to the sharp-edged

looming controversies we all face, abiding between stones and hard places may soon seem softer than the Pillsbury doughboy who always giggles on the TV commercials after a good rib-poking.

Folks toasting a new year will hoist glasses in a shaky manner at New Year's Eve parties, and sure-fire investments seem destined for the paint industry, where there's bound to be a shortage of black paint in the flurry of fresh paint for both pots and kettles....

On the business front, there hasn't been so much jockeying for position since the last photo finish at the Kentucky Derby. "Little box" stores and malls are pulling out all the stops (and a few of the "go's") trying to compete with the "big boxes, and all are going head-to-head with online commerce.

We've just experienced our first "black Friday" preliminary, this year springing to life with "can't miss" sales a full week ahead of the long-established fateful Friday after Thanksgiving.

If they keep juggling the date signaling the beginning of serious Christmas shopping, they'll meet themselves coming back. Folks will be saddled with trying to determine "best buy" times during "50 shades of black Fridays"...



the idle american by don newbury

Can it be? Amazon is offering to leave packages inside our locked doors, and Fed-Ex is paying drivers \$18.50 an hour and 53 cents per mile for using their own vehicles during delivery crunch time, and an ingenious card-carrier at a major intersection "will work for cash."

To cross eyes even further, Sears will no longer sell Whirlpool products, but the latter will continue to manufacture Kenmore products, the brand name favored by Sears.

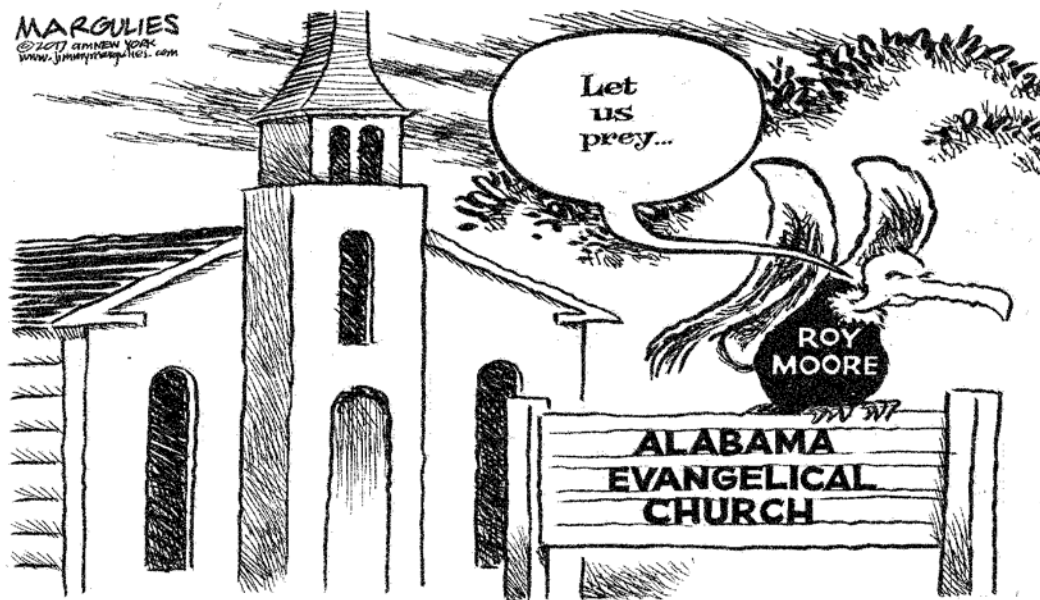
That's the condition my 105-year-old Uncle Mort finds himself in as the holiday season begins. "I miss the good old days when conversations were about outcomes of football games rather than lawsuits or player fines," he moaned.

He believes Americans will continue to clamor for organic foods, no matter the cost.

They may stop short, he claims, of buying a certain brand of turkey, purchase of which provides a written history of the bird from the egg to the processing plant.

"We are past saturation points, and now face daunting tasks of accepting less information. Currently, on every front I can think of, we've got way too much of it," Mort concluded....

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The Lone Star girl with a trumpet

Kelley Fletcher of Suphur Springs is a tall girl who plays trumpet. In junior high school, she liked the sound the band director produced when he played his trumpet.

"I picked up that trumpet and played a note and it came out immediately and the band director Mr. Wood told me I'd be great on trumpet. Forty-two years later I'm still torturing people who hear me play."

Kelley says she is still trying to become a good trumpet player. "I think most trumpet players will say they are always becoming, because you never feel like you master the instrument."

In high school she made it to state playing a trumpet she got at a pawnshop. As a reward, her father gave her a professional instrument.

"He came in the house one day and he had bought me a Bach Stradivarius, one of the pro-line trumpets. To have one of those that I could call my own

was real exciting." She has some idols. Harry James tops the list.

"He's such a heart player. When I hear him play I feel something. He puts a lot of emotion in his playing and he's a master musician."

Kelley has played professionally thirty-one years and taught band on high school and college levels for twenty-eight of those years. Now she has her own band. Last July she got to perform at home with a full orchestra on the Sulphur Springs Square.

"I was blessed with the opportunity to actually have an arrangement written for me with orchestra. It was a medley of Harry James tunes. It had a big ending, then a bigger ending and it was so exciting and all the people on the



stories of texas by tumbleweed smith

square were very kind and applauded. I was on cloud nine because hearing a full orchestra behind me with strings and everything was a thrill."

I met Kelley at the First Baptist Church in Sulphur Springs. When I started asking people about where to find the female trumpet player they all pointed me in the right direction. When I first saw her in a hallway she was holding her trumpet, which gave me the feeling it's never far away from her.

Kelley has a wonderful sense of humor and is always making jokes about her height. She's over six feet tall. When she was performing in the square with the orchestra the audience gave her a standing ovation. I complimented her on that.

"Well they didn't have chairs," said Kelley.



Giving thanks

Nicole Beames, Misty Walker, and Mary Ruth Tipton enjoy the meal at the Community Thanksgiving at the school cafeteria last Thursday. Organizers report that more than 250 people were fed during the meal with more than 150 coming through the serving line and about another 100 getting meals delivered to their homes.

ENTRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLACK

Obituaries

Philly

James Ray "Jim" Philley, 78, of Clarendon died Saturday, November 25, 2017, in Amarillo.

Memorial services were held Wednesday, November 29, 2017, in the First Baptist Church in Clarendon with Rev. Lance Wood, officiating.

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

Jim was born July 15, 1939, in Phoenix, Arizona to Stephen Oran and Madelon Davis Philley.



Philley

He married Joyce Marie Hall on December 30, 1986, in San Jon, New Mexico. Jim grew up at Clarendon and was a longtime resident. He was a truck driver prior to his retirement. He volunteered at Donley County Senior Citizens and the Bread of Life ministry. He helped anyone in need. He was a man after God's own heart and was a member of the First Baptist Church in Clarendon where he taught Sunday School.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, John Philley; and a sister in law, Dee Philley.

Survivors include his wife Joyce Philley of Clarendon; 4 sons, Lane Philley and wife Sandra of Canyon, Kent Philley and wife Janie of Amarillo, Slade Philley and wife Dayna of San Jon, New Mexico and, Ricky Mills and wife Paula of Allen; 2 daughters, Janis Walker and Karen Maddox and husband Herman all of Vernon; a brother, Bob Philley of Amarillo; 2 sisters, Glenda Castillo of Birmingham, Alabama and Kay Dye of Howardwick; his aunt, Ethel Luker of Amarillo; and 23 grandchildren and great grandchildren.

The family request memorials be sent to the Donley County Senior Citizens, PO Drawer B, Clarendon, TX 79226.

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Send your Christmas wishes to Santa Claus on the Enterprise Express this year.

Just mail your letter to "Santa Letters," c/o The Clarendon Enterprise, PO Box 1110, Clarendon, Texas 79226, or drop it off at the office at 105 S. Kearney St. by 5 p.m. on Monday, December 4.

Letters may also be e-mailed to Santa at ads@clarendonlive.com.

Santa Letters will be published in the December 21 edition of the Enterprise.



Hoops stars

The Borger Elk's Club held its annual Hoop Shoot Contest on November 18, at Frank Phillip's College Activity Center. Hayden Alston (left) of Hedley won the 12/13 year old boy's division and Collin Alston (right) of Hedley won the 10/11 year old boy's division. They both will compete again on December 16 in Borger.

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| 10. Sacs where fungi develop | 39. Cambodia currency |
| 14. First letter of the Hebrew alphabet | 40. A person from a Balkan republic |
| 15. Unexplored waters | 41. More simple |
| 17. Berkeley athletes | 43. Bleats |
| 19. Norse giantess | 45. "The other white meat" |
| 20. Crater on the moon | 46. ___ student: learns healing |
| 21. Resembles velvet | 47. 04492, town in Maine |
| 22. Pearl Jam's debut album | 49. Paddle |
| 23. Hair-like structure | 50. Airline once owned by Howard Hughes |
| 24. Turfs | 53. Big 10 athlete |
| 26. Put in advance | 57. Inflammation of the intestine |
| 29. First son of Lot | 58. Key's comedic partner |
| 31. Native American language | 59. Chamomile and black are two |
| 32. Furry family member | 60. Distress signal |
| 34. Vedic God of fire | 61. Assn. for translators |
| 35. Genie | |

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| 1. Measures engine speed (abbr.) | 30. S-shaped lining |
| 2. Wings | 31. "___ death do us part |
| 3. Founded a phone company | 33. Bar bill |
| 4. Upon | 35. Placed over a vowel to indicate sound |
| 5. Superhigh frequency | 36. Steve Martin was one |
| 6. Colorless liquid | 37. Low paid educator (abbr.) |
| 7. Hostleries | 39. One who rampages |
| 8. ___ fi (slang) | 42. Backbones |
| 9. One who accompanies | 43. "Friday Night Lights" director |
| 10. Where rockers play | 44. Anno Domini |
| 11. "___ the Man" Musial | 46. One-time Yankees sensation Kevin |
| 12. Waxy cover on some birds' beaks | 47. Fermented grape juice |
| 13. Software that monitors for malicious activity (abbr.) | 48. Peruvian province |
| 16. Becomes less intense | 49. Former Braves outfielder Nixon |
| 18. Lyric poems | 50. Entertainment award |
| 22. Touchdown | 51. Feeling good |
| 23. From end to end | 52. Greek god of war |
| 24. ___ Claus | 53. Famed NYC museum |
| 25. Jedi Master Kenobi | 54. Of the ears |
| 27. Fencing swords | 55. Select |
| 28. Famed child psychiatrist | 56. Friend to the carrot |
| 29. Gossip | |

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Community Calendar

November 30 - December 2
Broncos & Lady Broncos • Miami Tournament

November 30 - December 2
JV Broncos • Claude Tournament

November 30 - December 2
Owls & Lady Owls • Miami Tournament

December 2 & 3
Saints' Roost Museum Christmas Party • Donley County Activity Center • 6:30 p.m.

December 2 & 3
Whistle Stop Trade Days

December 5
Owls & Lady Owls • Miami • Home • 6:00 p.m.

December 5
Lady Broncos • Vega • Away • 4:00 p.m.

January 6 & 7
Whistle Stop Trade Days



Chuck and the gang

The cast of "A Charlie Brown Christmas" pose during a dress rehearsal Monday at the Clarendon College Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center. The troupe will be performing the holiday classic this Friday at 7 p.m. Admission is \$5 for adults. Children and anyone with a Clarendon College ID will be admitted free.

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the lion's tale
by scarlet estlack

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular Tuesday noon meeting November 28, 2017, with Boss Lion Robert Riza wielding the gavel.

We had 20 members and one guest present this week. John Henderson was guest of the Boss Lion.

Lion Brian Fuller reported on the college where the women's basketball team is 11-0 starting this week, and registration is on-going for the fall mini and spring semesters.

Lion Mike Norrell reported on the public school where basketball is underway, the elementary school is having a book fair, and the Broncos are playing for the regional championship this Friday.

Lion John Howard reported on the county and the prosecutorial prowess of Lion Landon Lambert.

The Boss Lion expressed our thanks to Frank and Dee Dee Hommel for being our caterers for many years and wished them well on their new adventures in Belize.

Menus

December 4 - 8

Donley County Senior Citizens
Mon: Cheeseburger on a bun, French fries, tomato, lettuce, & pickles, oatmeal raisin cookies, iced tea/2% milk.

Tue: Beef stew, cornbread, garden salad, apple cobbler, iced tea/2% milk.

Wed: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, spinach, gingerbread, iced tea/2% milk.

Thu: Meat sauce spaghetti, tossed salad, Italian mix vegetables, garlic toast sliced peaches, iced tea/2% milk.

Fri: Chicken tenders, ranch style beans, broccoli, wheat roll, fruit salad, iced tea/2% milk.

Hedley Senior Citizens
Mon: Shepard's pie, stewed okra, coleslaw, wheat roll, butterscotch pudding, iced tea/2% milk.
Tue: Jambalaya, carrots, black-eyed peas, cornbread, lazy cake, iced tea/2% milk.
Wed: BBQ beef w/sauce, smothered potatoes, pinto beans, wheat roll, apricots, iced tea/2% milk.
Thu: Sloppy Joe on a bun, country potato salad, carrots & zucchini, creamy fruit square, iced tea/2% milk.
Fri: Macaroni, beef, tomato, lima beans, wheat roll, fruit & oatmeal bar, iced tea/2% milk.

Clarendon ISD
Breakfast
Mon: Waffles, ham, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Tue: Cinnamon roll, sausage, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Wed: Breakfast pizza, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Thu: Sausage, egg, & cheese sandwich, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Fri: Biscuit & gravy, scrambled eggs, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Lunch
Mon: Country fried steak, gravy, mashed, potatoes, okra, roll, strawberry cup, milk.
Tue: Enchiladas, salsa, refried beans, lettuce & tomato, rosy applesauce, milk.
Wed: Chicken tenders, Texas toast triangle, broccoli, sweet potato fries, mixed fruit, milk.
Thu: Pizza, salad, carrots, apple slices, milk.
Fri: BBQ on a bun, coleslaw, green beans, orange smiles, milk.

Hedley ISD
Breakfast
Mon: Cheesy toast, scrambled eggs, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Tue: Pizza hash browns, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Wed: Waffles, sausage, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Thu: Cinnamon toast, oatmeal, sausage, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Fri: Donut holes, bacon, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Lunch
Mon: Chili dog, tater tots, carrot sticks, apple/pineapple fluff, milk.
Tues: Nacho Grande, refried beans, salsa, toss salad, lime sherbet, milk.
Wed: Chicken sandwich, potato wedges, lettuce garnish, mandarin oranges, milk.
Thu: Salisbury steak, carrot coins, mashed potatoes, gravy, roll, jello, milk.
Fri: Ham & cheese melt, multigrain chips, fresh veggie cup, brownie, milk.

Thankful for many things this year

I spent last week counting my blessings and repeating, "Thank you." My thank you list ranged from our country and our state to my family with the two new great-grandchildren, the beautiful weather, my ability to host the meal, and many other blessings.

As we finished the turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, sweet potatoes, and pumpkin pie, Ole Jim pushed back and thanked the Lord for putting all these good cooks in his family.

This was one of those meals when every dish was perfect, nothing burned or caught fire and the dinner rolls were hot and on time. Thank you, sweet Jesus, for the memorable day.

I have a granddaughter who lives in the Houston area and works as a server for Cracker Barrel, a popular restaurant that serves home style food and that was open Thanksgiving. She is single and had no family coming from out of town, so naturally she worked that day. She began her shift at 10 a.m. and got home the next morning at 1:30 a.m. and brought home \$50 in tips.

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It was not her fault there was

a three hour wait in line or they ran out of freshly baked bread – ovens can only hold so much and they were working overtime.

She may not have had a dazzling smile because the table she finished serving had just called her names. She is a good server and normally enjoys her job, but please don't treat the servers in this fashion, those tips were less than \$1.00 a ticket which means many people did not tip at all.

She informed her boss she would resign before working another Thanksgiving for Cracker Barrel. (He, by the way, was home.) If you choose to go out for a holiday meal, plan in advance and show that server you appreciate her by leaving a generous tip.

Museum party tickets available

Tickets are still available for the Saints' Roost Museum's annual Christmas Party on Saturday, December 2, at the Donley County Activity Center.

The cost is \$50 per couple and includes dinner, live music, dancing, and a chance to win up to \$5,000 in cash. Tickets are available at the Museum, Every Nook & Cranny, or the Donley County State Bank.

Sheriff's Report

November 13, 2017
1:12 a.m. – EMS assist 800 block East 4th Street
11:11 a.m. – Loose livestock HWY 203 & Co Rd 28
11:50 a.m. – EMS assist Clarendon Family Medical Center
7:37 p.m. – Units paged fire – 900 block West 6th Street
7:56 p.m. – See caller 600 block West 4th Street
9:33 p.m. – Welfare check 300 block Anderson

November 14, 2017
8:57 a.m. – Units paged vehicle accident North 70
11:48 p.m. – Residential alarm 200 block Palacio Drive
3:36 p.m. – EMS assist 3900 block FM 1754

November 15, 2017
1:23 a.m. – EMS assist Medical Center Nursing Home
11:02 a.m. – Out @ Couthouse
1:44 p.m. – Units paged grassfire – 4500 block Co Rd 13
7:08 p.m. – EMS assist 300 block North Jefferson
8:24 p.m. – See caller 200 block South McClelland

November 16, 2017
4:54 a.m. – EMS assist 400 block West 2nd Street
7:55 a.m. – EMS assist 300 block South Jefferson
2:17 p.m. – Out @ Annex
7:32 p.m. – To jail with one in custody
11:05 p.m. – EMS assist HWY 287 & Fm 3257

November 17, 2017
2:49 p.m. – See caller 800 block West 4th
4:20 p.m. – Units paged vehicle accident Lelia Lake
9:12 p.m. – EMS assist 200 block East 3rd - Hedley



And the winner is...

Paulette Kidd, shown here with Chamber Manager Bob Weiss, was the lucky winner of the "Shop Around Saturday" gift basket sponsored by the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce. The basket was worth almost \$500 in items donated by local merchants.

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Decking the house and office with Christmas decorations

Last Friday, over our school's Thanksgiving break, I helped my Mom and sister put up our Christmas tree and decorate the house. It's a time where we all chip and help change the house from fall decorations to Christmas. While we were working, we tuned our TV to the Christmas channel where they play Christmas songs.

The next day, we shopping for Small Business Saturday, which is a day where you support all your local businesses. Later that day, I helped my Dad decorate the Enterprise. We put lights on the front of the awning and set up a Christmas tree in our window.

Then Sunday afternoon, before the sun went down, me and my Dad set up all the Christmas lights on the front of our house. I still need to put the lights on my treehouse, and we still need to put up one small tree at the house, but I'm ready for Christmas to come and I hope it doesn't take too long.

I enjoy decorating for Christmas, but I don't like fluffing the trees because it itches.



the cub reporter
by benjamin estlack

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He was named the 2003 Man of the Year by the Chamber of Commerce, and in 2005 he was one of group of people responsible for improving the fields where the Lady Broncos and Broncos play softball and baseball.
The Whistle-Stop and the community salute Stan Shelton for his service to our youth. Thank you, sir!
Don't miss Whistle-Stop Trade Days: Dec. 2 & 3

Lady Bronco JV slams Lockney, 71-24

The Lady Bronco junior varsity earned a huge win on the road last week defeating Lockney 71-24. A great start aided the ladies in their win as they turned up the heat on both sides of the ball right from the tip. They were able to put up 19 points to only three for their opponent to take a dominating lead. They increased their lead to 30 points right before the break. "Our press got us going early,"

coach Kasey Bell said. "And we were able to capitalize." The second half belonged to the Lady Broncos as well and they were able to stop anything Lockney tried. They were solid on both ends of the court and held the momentum throughout the game. "We had a lot of looks in the lane and were able to knock down shots and make layups," Bell said. Darcie Hunsaker had a huge

game inside and led the ladies with 18 points and Ashlynn Newsome had 15. Jade Benson also finished in double figures with 10 points. MaKayla Brown put in nine, Raynee Newsome and Kaylin Hicks each added six, Kailee Osburn put in three, and McKay Shelp and Sophie Bilbrey each helped with two. The Lady Broncos will travel to Vega December 5.

Colts bring home wins over Wheeler

Both Clarendon Junior High Colt teams defeated Wheeler on the road last Monday night. The seventh grade won big at 54-14, and the eighth grade won a nail biter at 32-31. The seventh graders stormed out of the gate and posted a huge 36-4 lead at the break. Solid offense was key for the Colts and defensively they were able to shut down everything Wheeler tried. Sylvester Ballard was on fire and finished with 29 points that included one three-pointer and shooting 100 percent from the free throw line.

Anthony Martin put in nine points and Bud Woods finished with eight. Davin Mays and Cody Bond each helped with four, and Bradin Balogh added two points. The eighth grade game remained fairly close at the end of each quarter. After playing to an eight all tie in the first, Wheeler held a three-point lead at the break. Clarendon closed the gap to two after the third, but made up some ground in the final quarter. "I was proud of both groups," coach Blake Nichols said. "The seventh grade jumped on them

early and never let them back in the game. The eighth grade was behind as much as seven points and came back to win by one. I was proud of the fight they showed when they got behind." Josiah Howard had a big night offensively and put in 18 points. Koyt Tucek was strong underneath and added six. Cutter Goodpasture put in four, and Brock Hatley and Jodee Pigg each had two. The Colts will play Panhandle on the road on Monday, December 4, beginning at 5:00 p.m.

Lady Colts split wins with the Mustangs

The seventh grade Lady Colts did a great job against Wheeler at home last week and posted a 31-16 win. MaKenna Shadle led the ladies on the scoreboard with 17 points. Clarendon took off and did a great job offensively in the first half of play outscoring the Lady Mustangs 18-6.



8th grader Kaylee Bruce shoots a jumper for the Lady Colts during last weeks game against Wheeler. COURTESY PHOTO

They continued to play solid offense throughout the game. Defensively, the ladies were strong and aggressive. Wheeler could only manage single digits through three quarters before finishing with only 16 points.

"I am very proud of our 7th grade Lady Colts," Carrie Hicks said. "They played well against Wheeler. They executed their offense and their defense was solid." Aliyah Weatheron and Finley Cunningham each put in six points and Kate Word added two. The eighth grade did not fair as well and despite playing hard were defeated 18-40. Wheeler's point guard gave a good offensive attack and an outside shooter hindered the Lady Colts. Too many fouls hurt the Lady Colts giving the momentum to Wheeler.

We definitely know what we need to work on for the next game for both teams." Kaylee Bruce had eight and Emeri Robinson put in six points. Kyler Robinson and Madison Smith both helped with two. The Lady Colts will play Panhandle at home Monday, December 4, at 5:00 p.m.

CISD trustees cast appraisal board votes

The Clarendon ISD Board of Trustees cast the district's votes for appraisal board members in Donley and Briscoe counties when it met in regular session November 13, 2017. Trustees approved a motion to cast 89 votes for Kyle Fuston to the Briscoe County Appraisal District Board of Directors 2018-2019 term. The board then voted unanimously to cast 535 votes each for Edwin Campbell, Steve Carter, and Wilma Lindley to the Donley County Appraisal District Board of

Directors 2018-2019 term. Two motions were approved to accept Gary Roye's bids on tax delinquent properties at Howardwick as presented by the Donley County Appraisal District. The board also voted to approve an amendment to the district's Agreement for Limitation on Appraised Value with Salt Fork Wind LLC, as presented. The board acknowledged the Campus and District Improvement Plans and District Student

Performance Objectives for 2017-2018 as presented. The board met behind closed doors for 14 minutes to discuss personnel but took no action when it returned to open session. Administrative reports were presented by Athletic Director Clint Conkin, Elementary Principal Mike Word, CJH Principal John Taylor, CHS Principal Larry Jeffers, Federal Programs Director Leslie Norrell, and Superintendent Mike Norrell.

College regents take action on appraisal votes

The Clarendon College Board of Regents met in regular session November 16 to consider casting the college district's votes for two appraisal boards. For the Donley County Appraisal Board, the regents split the college's 545 votes with Lon Adams and Edwin Campbell each receiving 181 and Jacob Fangman receiving 183. The board also agreed to cast all of the district's 122 votes for the Gray County Appraisal District for Jeff Haley. In other college business, the board approved moving its December meeting to the 14th. Regents also ratified the reassignment of Brad Vanden Boogaard from dean to Vice President of Student Affairs. In his president's report, Dr. Robert Riza discussed work being done in Austin by the state formula funding committee, of which he is a member; a recent visit to CC by State Sen. Kel Seliger; plans for college administrators to attend an accreditation conference in Dallas; and the drama department's upcoming "Charlie Brown Christmas" performance.

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The 2017 Area Champion Clarendon Broncos

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Broncos beat Bovina for Area title

By Sandy Anderberg

Six turnovers plagued the Broncos in their Area match up with Bovina last Friday in Canyon at Kimbrough Memorial Stadium, but they were able to put them behind them and outlast the Mustangs to get the 26-20 win.

The victory put the Broncos one step closer to the state game as they will take on Hamlin Friday night, December 1, at Wolforth Frenship beginning at 7:00 pm.

The first half of play proved to be somewhat disastrous for the Broncos as they had three turnovers and could not find the end zone. Bovina was able to put 20 points on the board while holding the Broncos scoreless until Daquawne Oliver found the end zone from one yard out with thirty seconds left in the half.

"I thought our kids played their tails off Friday afternoon," first year head coach Clint Conkin said. "We

got behind early at 20-0 on some turnovers on our part, but these guys never quit fighting. We finally settled in right before half cutting into the lead 20-6."

The second half was night and day for the Broncos as they flipped the switch to turn on their offense to put points on the board and played solid defense to hold the Mustangs scoreless. Early in the third quarter, quarterback Noab Elam hit Andy Davis from 13 yards out to give the Broncos their second touchdown in the game. Oliver scrambled for the two-point bonus. Elam was able to find Dalton Benson for an 11-yard pass and score early in the fourth quarter for the Broncos' third TD.

"We came out in the second half and played like I knew we could," Conkin said. "Our defense has played great all season, and they played awesome Friday afternoon. We had guys flying around making tackles."

According to Conkin, Colt Wood and Preston Elam both had big interceptions in the game on the defensive side, and Wood had a fumble recovery.

"Our defense played solid all afternoon," Conkin said. "I am very proud of these guys."

The Bronco defense never gave up in the final quarter of play. After Ryan McCleskey scored the last Bronco touchdown on a 30-yard run, the Mustangs got the ball back about the five-minute mark.

They had some success driving the ball, but when it mattered most, the Bronco defense got busy. A penalty put Bovina on our five-yard line, but they were penalized and Davis got a big quarterback sack. That put them back on the 24-yard line where the Broncos held and got the ball back with enough time to earn a first down before the buzzer.

The Broncos rushed for 250 yards to only three for Bovina. The

Broncos passed for 105 yards to give them 355 total yards to 222 for the Mustangs. Clarendon posted 17 first downs to 12 for Bovina but committed six turnovers to only three for their opponent.

Offensively, Oliver had 26 carries for 134 total yards and one score and one conversion. McCleskey had 14 carries for 82 yards and on TD. Benson had two carries for 14 yards, and Damarjae Cortez had five carries for three yards. Preston Elam had three carries for five yards, and Noab Elam carried twice for 12 yards. N. Elam was 10 of 18 passing for 105 yards and two touchdowns. P. Elam caught two passes for 31 yards, and Nathan Shadle caught one for nine yards. Benson had two catches for 22 yards and one TD, and Wood had two catches for 25 yards.

"I am very proud of these guys," Conkin said. "They are a fun team to coach."

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Lady Broncos beat Lockney on the road

By Sandy Anderberg

The Lady Broncos put together four good quarters of basketball to get a good win over Lockney last Tuesday night. They defeated the Lady Longhorns, 63-45.

The ladies played hard initially but trailed Lockney by four after the first quarter. Things started rolling for the Lady Broncos in the second period.

"After a slow start the Lady Broncos found their rhythm at the end of the first quarter," head coach Corey Conkin said. "Hannah Hommel was amazing inside the paint getting 12 of her 16 points inside. And there was no turning back when Mattee Johnson knocked down three of her five three-pointers of the game."

The final quarters of the game definitely belonged to the maroon and white as they turned up the heat offensively. Defensively, the ladies failed to cover one of players who was hot with the three ball but settled in to play aggressively.

"After our defense made some major adjustments, we looked much better," Conkin said. "We left one of their shooters open in the first half and she had four three-pointers. (But) she was held scoreless in the second half by the tough defense of Shaelyn Owiti and Mattee Johnson."

The ladies finished strong with both Hommel and Johnson in double figures. Johnson put in 29, and Hommel finished with 16. Emily Johnson had five, Owiti and Kira Weatherton put in four each, Carlee Johnson had three, and Brandalyn Ellis added two.

"Overall, we played good on the road and got the W, which is always nice going into the holiday weekend," Conkin said.

The Lady Broncos will participate in the Miami Tournament on November 30 and December 1-2 and will travel to Vega on December 5.

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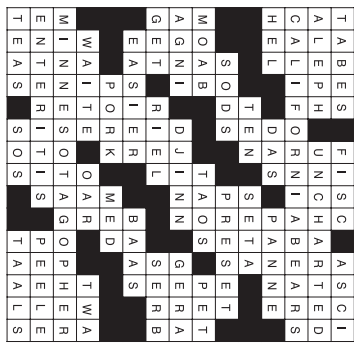
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County surveying for new JP office

Donley County continues to work toward a new facility for its Justice of the Peace office in Hedley following the November 13 session of the Commissioners' Court. County Judge John Howard said the county has ordered a survey of the Main Street property where the current JP office is located. That survey will determine if there is enough room to build a new structure

adjacent to the current office. The county is trying to save the expense of relocating the justice of the peace twice – once before construction and again after construction, the judge said. Work on a new facility is not expected before the end of 2017, Howard said. In other county news, commissioners cast the county's

votes for members of the Donley County Appraisal Board, giving 500 votes each to Lon Adams, Steve Carter, and Jacob Fangman and 170 votes to Wilma Lindley. The court also approved \$500 for the Christmas Lighting Committee and voted in favor of an agreement to provide psychiatric services at the jail for \$600 per month.



The Broncos take the field for last week's game in Canyon against Bovina. ENTERPRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLACK



Clarendon's Dalton Benson pushes through for a touchdown for the Broncos last Friday afternoon against Bovina. ENTERPRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLACK

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December Days!
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December Days!

I really like the hustle and bustle of December days. Clothing and food drives are in full swing. Bells are ringing, choirs are singing and orchestras are stringing together festive holiday tunes. People are making gifts and shopping for presents. Families are decorating their homes with candles, greens, fruits and flowers. They are baking special treats and sharing meals with family and friends. What is your family doing this month?

We're gathering gifts for kids!

Star, here's another stack of donated gifts – a sweater, some candles and gift certificates!

Wow! You're doing a great job of collecting presents for people in our community!

1. _____ with family, friends to celebrate holiday traditions
2. _____ stockings, then waiting for Santa to come
3. _____ events and selling items to raise money
4. _____ coats, hats and gloves to keep others warm
5. _____ gifts for friends and family
6. _____ and decorating cookies
7. _____ holiday books together
8. _____ latkes for Hanukkah
9. _____ candles on the Kinara (a special candleholder) for Kwanzaa
10. _____ stories and teaching their holiday traditions
11. _____ joyous songs
12. _____ the elderly or ill to bring small gifts and cheer
13. _____ their homes with lights, greens, flowers, fruits
14. _____ family, friends and neighbors good health and happy holidays
15. _____ socks, candy and notes to send to soldiers and sailors serving far away

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