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# The Clarendon Enterprise

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# CC to break ground on new Merchants increase giveaway to \$500 Pampa campus

Groundbreaking for the new Clarendon College-Pampa Center \$2.6 million complex will be held at 1:30 p.m., Friday, December 11 at the building site, 1600 West Kentucky, Pampa. The public is invited.

program will be Dr. Raymond Hawkins, interim president of Clarendon College; Joe Kyle Reeve, Dean of CC-Pampa Center; and Don Lane, chairman of the Pampa Center Foundation.

**BGR** Architects-Engineers of Lubbock designed plans for a building just over 28,000 square feet to meet current needs. The complex will provide 14 classrooms, two science labs, and an electronics lab. The facility will be equipped to provide long distance learning. Provisions have been made for future expansion on the 12-acre site.

The ApTech branch of the college opened in June on Price Road in Pampa, a mile west of the proposed building site. High school graduates and those with a GED can complete the 14-course study offered in academics and industrial training in one year. They can then enter the work force as an entry-level machinist.

Pampa Center Foundation board members reached their final goal in October. Bids will be submitted in December, and plans are to begin construction after the first of the year, according to Don Lane, Foundation chairman.

### **CPR grazing extended**

Donley County has been approved to extend Emergency Grazing of CRP acreage until February 28, 1999

"Producers currently grazing CRP acreage may continue to graze

The jackpot is now \$500.

Jackpot doubles!

Since no one landed on the \$250 grand prize slot of Santa's Wheel last Thursday night, the Clarendon Merchants Association doubled the prize for this week.

Although the grand prize went unclaimed, Participating in the 30-minute three lucky people did win a total of \$130. Jan Altman and Naoma Span won \$40 each, and Kelly Bramer hit the \$50 slot.

It's just part of the fun to be had on Kearney

val of Lights and Late Night Shopping. Downtown business will be open until 8 p.m. again this Thursday for your shopping convenience.

Santa Claus himself will be there to meet the kids and hear their requests. Also, free wagon rides will be available for kids of all ages.

Chamberlain Motor Co. will continue their drive for Toys For Tots and will have their toy box set up next to the Burton Library. Every-

Street during the merchants' 7th annual Festi- one is encouraged to bring a new toy and drop it in the box. All the toys collected will go to children in Donley County.

> The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce will have their booth set up on main street and will have their commemorative Christmas ornaments on sale. During Late Night Shopping the price will be reduced to \$15 if the ornaments are purchased at the chamber booth.

Also, the chamber will be selling chances the holiday festivities this Thursday night.

on an autographed Dallas Cowboy football. Chances are only \$5 on this football signed by Troy Aikman, Roger Staubach, Jay Novacek, Randy White, and Drew Pearson

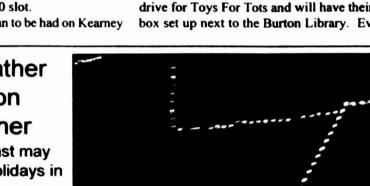
The chamber will also be accepting nominations from the community for Man of the Year, Woman of the Year, and the Saints' Roost Award.

Everyone is encouraged to participate in

# Lovely Weather For A Wagon **Ride Together**

Folks back east may celebrate their holidays in a sleigh, but we use a little different mode of transportation in West Texas.

Frank Hommel of the Bar H Dude Ranch provided these kids with a holiday wagon ride during last week's Late Night Shopping.





# Local resident honored at AQHA conference

AMARILLO — Clarendon resident Janice Knorpp, along with her nine female partners, received the AQHA Racing Council Mildred Vessels Special Achievement Award at a presentation on Saturday, November 14, at the Arlington Hilton in conjunction with the AOHA Racing Conference.

leading two-year old Quarter Horse Old Habits.

They purchased the Apollo (TB) gelding for \$18,500 as a yearling and this year raced him to win the Governor's Cup Futurity at Los Alamitos, set the fastest qualifying time to the All American Futurity (01) and finish second in the Labor Day

After Old Habits got rolling at Los Alamitos, he and the girls generated a great deal of interest from the media, including the Sprint January 18, "Range Resource Man-Award-winning article that appeared in the widely agement". These seminars are free of read Orange County Register. Within the indus- charge and are open to anyone intertry, the girls influenced other individuals to form ested. If you have questions or would partnerships to buy racehorses, including partnerships called The Boys and Las Ruidas.

Bull selection, management seminar set

By Leon Church, County Agent

The selection, purchase and management of the herd bull battery impacts the cow-calf enterprise in terms of genetic merit and economic performance. This is especially important when we consider that approximately four-fifths of the genetic make-up of the current calf crop is the result of the last three generations of sires used in the herd.

To address the importance of this phase of the cow-calf operation, The **Texas Agricultural Extension Service** in Donley County will be hosting a "Bull Selection and Management Seminar" in Clarendon on Monday, December 14. The program will be held in the Ranch and Feedlot Operations Building on the Clarendon College Campus beginning at 7:00 p.m.

This seminar is the second in a series of four that are addressing Beef Production Management. Future seminars will include: January 4, 1999 "Vaccinations & Immunology" and like further information, contact Leon Church at the Donley County Extension Office (806) 874-2141.

the same acreage for no additional cost but stocking rates may need to be reduced to avoid damaging the cover," said Steven Orr, County Executive Director. "Producers can graze new or additional acreage but they must come to the FSA Office and file a request and grazing plan prior to anv grazing.

Haying of CRP acreage is not authorized

People with questions concerning CRP grazing should contact the FSA Office at 874-3561 or come by

### **Hedley Aldermen** hold regular meeting

The Hedley Board of Aldermen met in regular session on December 3, 1998, at 7 p.m.

The board approved the contract with the Donley County Appraisal District for assessment and collection of property taxes for calendar year 1999-2000.

The board considered making a recommendation to the Donley County Commissioners Court concerning the appointment of a Constable for Precincts 3 & 4. Item was tabled until next meeting.

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NEWS THAT AFFECTS YOU!

### Local Weather Report Day Date High Low Prec

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In 1994, the AQHA Racing Council awarded its first Mildred Vessels Special Achievement Award. This award recognizes special achievement in Ouarter Horse racing during the past year and is voted on by the AQHA racing committee.

From their red nail polish to the red lips adorning their silks, blinkers, banners, bumper stickers, pencils and jewelry, the 10 women known as "The Girls" have reminded all of us just how much fun a day at the races can be. Especially when you own a racehorse, and especially when you own a racehorse with a bunch of friends.

Representing five states and years of family ties and newfound friendships, "The Girls" own classic at Ruidoso Downs in New Mexico.

So far, Old Habits has earned \$387,008. Not bad for a horse that originally cost the girls \$18,500 -that's \$1,850 for each 10-percent share.

The original partners - Sue Hukari and Bonnie Vessels of Bonsall, California, Janice Knorpp of Clarendon, and Mary Thead of Poway, California - purchased their first horse together in 1993. The syndicate then grew to include Connie Cobb of Tidewater, Oregon; Glori Ekker of Hanksville, Utah; Sharon Gordon of Orange, California; Melodie Knuchell of Los Alamitos, California; Cathy Monji of Long Beach, and Leslie Schwabacher of Daniel, Wyoming.

PGWCD to conduct annual winter water level measurements

Under Millie Vessels' leadership between 1974 and 1984, Los Alamitos Race Course in Drange County, California became the nation's leading American Quarter Horse racetrack in terms of RR construction attendance and handle

Vessels died in 1992 and left management and ownership of Vessels Stallion Farm a San Luis Rey Downs training center to her son Frank "Scoop" Vessels the third. Frank "Scoop" Vessels made the presentation to "The Girls." Presented to "The Girls" was a bronze of a racing American Quarter Horse by Texas artist Lisa Perry.

# will temporarily close Hedley road

CHILDRESS - On Wednesday, December 9, 1998, at approximately 8:00 a.m. construction began at the railroad grade crossings on State Highway 203 in Hedley.

Traffic will be detoured on to city streets, and the crossing will be closed until approximately 5:00 p.m. on Friday, December 11, 1998.

This construction will consist of removing the existing wooden crossings and replacing them with concrete. The concrete surface will be more durable and result in a smother ride. This construction, originally scheduled to begin on December 2, was postponed due to unforeseen circumstances

For more information regarding this project, contact Randy Butler, Childress District Railroad Coordinator at (940) 937-7171 or Barbara Seal, Public Information Officer at (940) 937-7145

### Special 4-H meeting planned for Dec. 14 By Sue Church, County FCS Agent

The December meeting of the Donley County 4-H Club will be held Monday, November 14, at 6:30 p.m at the Panhandle Community Services Building. A light supper will be served prior to the program entitled, "Operation Lifesaver," which will be presented by Paul Jones. The program will focus on railroad crossing safety.

Each member is encouraged to bring canned goods and other nonperishable items which can be donated to a local food pantry

For more information, contact either the Donley County Extension Office at 874-2141, Theresa Shelton at 874-3709, or Connie Powell at 874-5359. Hope to see you there!

### Saints' Roost Jamboree set for Saturday night By Patsy Hill

Saints' Roost Jamboree will start group comes from Blanchard, Okla-Arts Auditorium on the Clarendon College Campus.

farmers, and ranchers.

be on the show doing some of his audience beautiful gospel and patriotic songs.

Jesus First, a gospel group from Pampa, will be making their first appearance on the Jamboree.

at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday in the Fine homa, and will be doing country, gospel, and bluegrass.

Saints' Roost Band will be on the Clarendon's own Dan Hall will stage doing some great songs for our

> There is no admission charge, and door prizes will be awarded during the evening

There will be free refreshments Also making their debut on the in the lobby. Join us Saturday evening show will be the Kenner Family. This for lots of good music and fellowship.

### Santa Letter deadline approaching quickly

THE ENTERPRISE is getting ready to make our annual run to the North Pole to deliver letters to Santa Claus' Workshop

Bring us your letters by December 17 at 5 p.m., and we'll see the jolly old elf gets them

Once our North Pole Express Delivery leaves at 5 p.m. on Thursday, December 17, it can't come back, so have you have your letters here before then



### Santa and the winners

These lucky ladies were the winners during Late Night Shopping last week. Their spin of Santa's Wheel won them a total of \$140. Shown here are Kris Kringle of the Artic Circle, Kelly Bramer (\$50) and her son Eli Short, Naoma Span (\$40), and Jan Altman (\$40) Enterprise Digital Photo

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operator can then calculate the water are water level and depletion maps. The water level maps tell us where the Now that you are more familiar present water level is located. The

Winter water level measurements blue or yellow chalk for four to five efits that come from the gathering of the water table has risen or fallen in are gathered by using an E-line or a feet. This end is then inserted into the this data. The PGWCD will be able Continued on page two.

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### Girl Scouts donate Teddy Bears to EMS

Local Paramedic Phillip Vargas visited with several Girls Scouts last week and answered many questions from them ranging from what to do if an intruder is breaking into your home to what the Jaws of Life are.

Each girl donated a Teddy Bear to the Clarendon EMS to give to children involved in accidents. Enterprise Digital Phot



# Former Clarendon girl going to Washington conference

Deyhle of Canyon has been selected to attend The National Young Leaders Conference from January 26-31, 1999, in Washington, D.C.

Conference is a unique leadership development program for high school students who have demonstrated lead-Leia, who is formerly from Clarendon, will be among 350 outstanding National Scholars attending the conference from across America.

Leaders Conference is The Leaders of Tomorrow Meeting the Leaders of Today. Throughout the six-day conference. Leia will interact with key

### CJH Student Council collecting canned food for Christmas

The Clarendon Junior High Student Council held a canned food drive through November 20.

The sixth grade had 172 cans; the seventh grade, 130 cans; and the eighth grade, 137 cans.

The sixth grade will receive a reward for having the most cans, but the real winners are the people who will receive the 439 cans of food brought in by our junior high.

The student council will now ho

media, and the diplomatic corps.

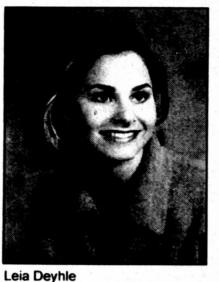
Highlights of the program include welcoming remarks from the floor of The National Young Leaders the United States House of Représentatives and a panel discussion with prominent journalists at the National Press Club. Scholars will visit foreign ership potential and scholastic merit. embassies and receive policy briefings from senior government officials. Leia may also meet with her Senators and Representative or an appointed member of their staff to discuss important in the 20 sessions of the National The theme of the National Young issues facing Canyon and the nation.

> To complement these special meetings and briefings, Leia will par- and Jamie Deyhle of Canyon and the skill-building activities. In one activ- Frances Deyhle of Clarendon.

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- Leia leaders and newsmakers from the ity, "If I Were President," students three branches of government, the role-play the President, members of the Cabinet and representatives from Capitol Hill who must respond to an international crisis. The National Young Leaders Conference culminates with the "Model Congress," in which Scholars assume the roles of United States Representatives by debating, amending and voting on proposed legislation.

Each year, only 7,000 outstanding youth nationwide may participate Young Leaders Conference.

Leia is the daughter of Dr. Charlie ticipate in a number of leadership granddaughter of Dr. Charles and





Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting December 8 with Boss Lion Jimmy Blackerby in charge. We had 14 members and no guests. Clayton Ferris provided our music.

We discussed the Christmas food baskets, which are coming along nicely. We are getting good help from the community. The local Toys for Tots project was talked about. There will be places to deposit canned goods for the baskets at all three banks and Duckwall's. Chamberlain Motor Co. is the main collection agent for the There being no further business,

### Howardwick Aldermen hold regular meeting

Howardwick City Hall.

Aldermen met in a special meeting on off at \$4,915 and a bid from November 23, 1998, at 10 a.m. in the Continental Master Fence of Amarillo for fencing at \$3,756.48.

**Clarendon Schools** 

Breakfast Mon: Cereal, toast, juice, milk Tues: Pancakes, juice, milk Wed: Eggs, toast, juice, milk Thur: Pancakes, juice, milk Fri: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk Lunch

milk

Tues: Ham and cheese sandwiches, potato chips, carrot sticks, fresh fruit, milk Wed: Turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, hot rolls, green beans, crearned potatoes, cran-

berry sauce, cake, milk Thur: Pigs in a blanket, baked beans, French

Fri: Sloppy Joes, tator tots, sliced pickles, fruit,

Mon: Meatloaf, chili beans, fried okra, tossed salad, apricot cobbler, bread, lowfat milk, tea, coffee

Tues: Chicken strips, mini baked potato, spinner roll, lowfat milk, tea, coffee

Wed: Beef stew with potatoes, tomatoes, carrots, celery, and onion, pickled beets, tropical apple crunch, cornbread, lowfat milk, tea, cof-

The Howardwick Board of Roll Offs of America for a metal roll-

The board accepted a bid from

### Clarendon Menus Dec. 14-18

Mon: Burritos with cheese, corn, salad, cookie,

fries, cookie, milk

milk

**Donley County Senior Citizens** 

ach, purple plums, chocolate chip cookies, din-

Thur: Turkey and dressing with gravy, yam patties, green beans, fruit salad, pumpkin pie with topping, bread, lowfat milk, tea, coffee Fri: Catfish, mini baked potato, carrots, coleslaw, pear half, combread, lowfat milk, tea, coffee

### Hedley Menus Dec. 14-18

**Hedley Schools** Breakfast Mon: Breakfast bar, milk, juice, cereal, graham crackers Tues: Biscuit and sausage, cereal, graham crackers, milk, juice Wed: Cinnamon toast, cereal, milk, juice, graham crackers Thur: Sausage gravy biscuit, cereal, graham crackers, milk, juice Fri: No School Lunch Mon: Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad/fruit, cookies, milk Tues: Turkey roast, broccoli and cheese, sweet potato patties, salad/fruit, white cake, rolls, milk

Wed: Fajita, pinto beans, chips and picante sauce, salad/fruit bar, cookies, milk Thur: Rib a Que's, oven fries, corn, salad/fruit,

rolls, milk Fri: No School

### **Hedley Senior Citizens**

Mon: Chicken and dumplings, steamed cabbage, pea salad, baked apple, com muffin, milk, tea, coffee

Tues: Baked ham, squash casserole, Harvard beets, pear-cottage cheese salad, prune cake, roll, milk, tea, coffee

Wed: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, English peas, tossed salad, banana pudding, roll, milk, tea, coffee

Thur: Chili and beans, French fries, cucumberonion salad, apricot cobbler, corn muffin, milk, tea, coffee

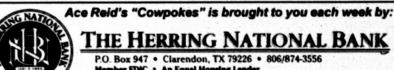
Fri: Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, green beans, corn, fruit salad, cookies, roll, milk, tea,

# ARE YOU A SERIOUS DALLAS COWBOY FAN??? Clarendon/Donley County Chamber of Commerce has in its possession an autographed **Dallas Cowboy Football** Signed by Roger Staubach, Troy Aikman, Jay

Novacek, Randy White, and Drew Pearson

The football will be raffled before and during the 1999 Chamber Banquet. The raffle tickets are \$5.00 each and can be purchased from any Chamber Board Member or by calling 874-2421 or 874-3358. The drawing will be held during the Chamber Banquet on January 30, 1999.





The Lion's Tale

a canned food drive for Christmas, and their goal is to collect at least 500 cans.

Mrs. Pam Osuna sponsored the student council in their drive.

Seventh Grade Student Council members Lydia Hartman, Terra Kidd, Toys for Tots project. We were Drew Sell, Zack Howard, Jeremy Howard, and Lacey Eads display the entertained by Lion Blackerby. food they have helped collect this holiday season.

Photo by Helen Estlack

the meeting was adjourned.

# **COW POKES**

**By Ace Reid** 

### Ground water: Continued from page one.

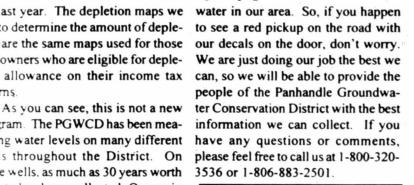
the last year. The depletion maps we water in our area. So, if you happen use to determine the amount of deple- to see a red pickup on the road with tion are the same maps used for those our decals on the door, don't worry. landowners who are eligible for deple- We are just doing our job the best we tion allowance on their income tax can, so we will be able to provide the returns

program. The PGWCD has been mea- information we can collect. If you suring water levels on many different have any questions or comments, wells throughout the District. On please feel free to call us at 1-800-320some wells, as much as 30 years worth of data has been collected. Our main goal is to be able to provide useful and accurate information to farmers, ranchers, or anyone who may have a question, or just be curious, about the

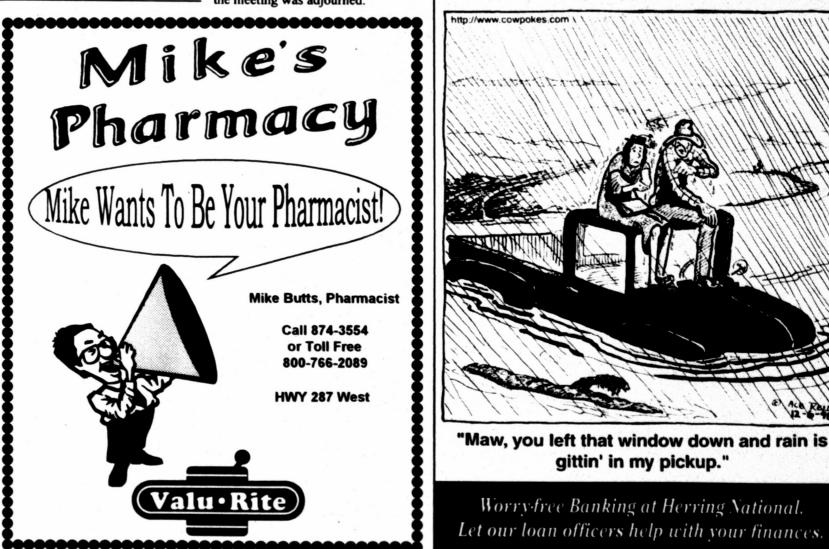
### Local store holds **Brighton party**

A "Brighton Party" was given at The Nook on Monday night, December 7. Approximately 75 people attended for fun and refreshments. Door prizes valued at \$500 were given away in Brighton merchandise.

Winners were Alicia Montgomery, Virginia Patten, Donna Knorpp, Emily McCary, Judy Zehr, Tammy Johnston, Cennet Rhode, Becky Austin, Summer Gentry, Heather Shields, Jamie Blades, and Kathy May.







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Cheryl Schlabs, Office Director

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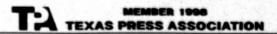
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### **Obituaries**

### **Jerry Bennett Price**

Funeral services for Jerry Bennett Price, age 64, were held at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, December 9, 1998, in Robertson Chapel of Memories with Dr. James Bell, Pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of pice in Amarillo. Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc.

Mr. Price died at 3:40 p.m. on Saturday, December 5, 1998, in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo following a sudden illness. He was born September 27, 1934, in Clarendon, and spent his early life here. He married Mary Louise McCord on September 21, 1956, at Clarendon. He had been a resident of San Diego, California, for 37 years before returning to Clarendon in 1994. He was employed by Neyenesch Printers in San Diego for 31 years before his retirement in 1994. He was a US Navy veteran and a member of St. John the Baptist Episcopal Church in Clarendon.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Louise McCord of Clarendon; one

Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc.

women's groups and organizations.

one son, Mitch Johnson of Dallas, her She was born January 4, 1907, in parents, L.L. and Mary Wallace of Clarendon; one sister, Doris White of Arkansas to Clarendon in 1928. She Clarendon; and one brother, Glenn married Ross Darby in 1925 at Wallace of Brady.

Casket bearers were Mark White, Terry Fowler, Tony Wallace, Lynn Mays, and Neal Johnston.

The family requests that memorials be to the Multiple Sclerosis Society or Olivia's Angels at BSA Hos-

### **Bradis Sybil Shaller**

Funeral services for Bradis Sybil Shaller, age 91, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 9, 1998, in Robertson Chapel of Memories in Clarendon with Dr. James Bell, Pastor of the First United Methodist Church, and Rev. Smiley Johnson, Pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc.

Mrs. Shaller died at 9:50 p.m. on Sunday, December 6, 1998, in Medical Center Nursing Home in Clarendon following a lengthy illness.

Sayre, Arkansas, and moved from Prescott, Arkansas. He preceded her in death on October 6, 1955. She married Donald Ballew on Mary 21, 1957, at Clarendon and her preceded her in death on April 20, 1986. She married Lee Shaller on July 8, 1990, at Clarendon. He preceded her in death on July 10, 1998. She was a homemaker and a member of the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon. She was preceded in death by three brothers.

Survivors include one son, Harold Darby of Fort Worth; two brothers, Leon Carter of Sherman and Chester Carter of Bells; one grandson, Craig Darby of Allen; and on great granddaughter, Tami Darby of Allen.

Casket bearers were Garth Carter. Jimmy Carter, Neel Carter, Mike Carter, Johnny Carter, and Trey Carter.

The family requests that memorials be to the Donley County Senior Citizens Association or to Citizens Cemetery Association in Clarendon.



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### **Alexander makes Lone** Star Honor Roll

Two Southwestern Oklahoma State University football players at Weatherford were recently named to the 1998 Lone Star Conference **Commissioner's Honor Roll.** 

Casey Alexander of Clarendon, Texas, and Lucas Aslin of Manhattan, Kansas, were named to the academic honor roll.

Alexander, a senior center, has a 3.32 grade point average and is majoring in education.

### Party to be held for retiring constable

The public is cordially invited to a retirement party for Constable Blackie Johnson on Sunday, December 13, 1998, from 2-3 p.m. in the Hedley school cafeteria.

### Clinic closing for holidays

The Donley County Rural Health Clinic will close at noon on December 24 and all day on December 25. They will also close at noon on December 31 and all day on January 1.

### FSA to hold open house

The Donley County FSA Office will host its annual Christmas Open House on December 10, 1998, from 9:00 a.m. to noon. Everyone is encouraged to come by and enjoy some refreshments and visiting.

### Grief workshop offered

BSA Hospice and Life Enrichment Program will be offering a Grief in the Holidays Workshop in Clarendon on Monday, December 14, 1998, at the Bairfield Activity Centerfrom 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. This workshop is free of charge to anyone who would like to attend. Please call 378-6777 to register.

### CJH taking nominations for G/T program

Clarendon Junior High is accepting nominations for the Clarendon Junior High Gifted and Talented Program from now until December 18.

If you are interested in nominating a student who might qualify and who has not been tested in the past two years, please contact the Clarendon Junior High School office for a nomination form.

### Completes basic training Marine Pvt. Kenneth A. Dishong,

son of Lynn A. Dishong of



### Mitch Ford and Dana Monroe

### Monroe-Ford to be wed

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Monroe of Hedley announce the engagement of their daughter Dana to Mitch Ford.

Dana is a graduate of Hedley High School, Clarendon College, and West Texas A&M University. She is employed as a teacher and coach at White Deer Jr. High.

Mitch is a graduate of White Deer High School and is a senior at Panhandle State University in Goodwell, Oklahoma, where he is a member of the PSU Aggies football team. Mitch is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robinson of White Deer.

The couple plan to marry on January 2, 1999, at the Memphis Hotel Bed and Breakfast at 6:00 p.m. Friends and relative of the couple are invited to attend.

### Students of the Week

for December 7, 1998 Sixth Grade - Tim Sears and Jessica Hernandez Seventh Grade - Terra Kidd and Drew Sell Eighth Grade - Ronna Edwards and Philip Vorheis



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Gene McFall presented the program, "The Witty World of Will Rogers," to area G/T members at the Region 16 Education Service Center. were Zack Butts, Catherine Chamber-Mr. McFall's presentation of Will Rogers is considered by the Will Rogers Memorial and the Rogers family as the most authentic interpretation of Will.

manner to demonstrate to students the Shields, Emily Simpson, Hunter Spier, importance and the accomplishments Brian Thompson, and Carey of the most widely known and most Thornberry.

It was hoped that students would

tage and the value of their own passions and talents after learning about Rogers' life.

Those G/T students attending lain, Nickless Devin, Noel Devin, Lindsay Green, David Hall, Jared Hartman, Carrie Helms, Tiffanie Hollan, Sam Holton, Kelly Lemley, Megan Roberts, Austin Sears, Nathan The performance was given in a Sears, Lindsey Shelton, Derek

### Immunization Clinic set in Clarendon

An Immunization Clinic offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases is sched- of keeping the clinic open. The uled in Clarendon on December 15, 9:00-12:00 and 1:00-4:00 at the Texas Department of Health located inside the Medical Center Nursing Home on Hwy. 70 north.

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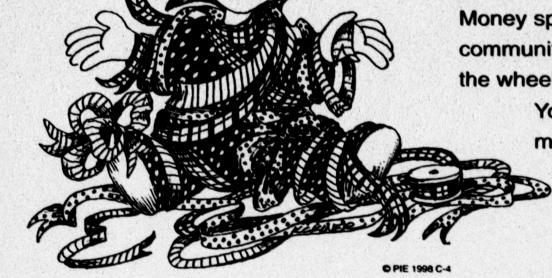
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# Broncos to play in Lockney Tournament this week

week at home against the Silverton Owls. The game fluctuated back an forth throughout the 32 minutes. Despite having a four point lead going into the fourth quarter, the Broncos fell to the Owls 60-64.

Derek Shields, 5; Josh Williams, 4; Junior Rodriguez, 3; and Dee Thompson, 2.

Silverton Owls again.

fought game, but this time the Broncos held off the Owl attack and came out on top 53-51.

Leading the scoring for the Bron-Scoring for the Broncos were cos were Nathan Sears, 14; Josh Wil-Travis Woodard, 19; Sam Holton, 14; liams, 14; Derek Shields, 8; Sam Nathan Sears, 7; D. J. Edwards, 6; Holton, 7; Travis Woodard, 5; Junior Rodriguez, 4; and Carey Thornberry with 3 points:

The win against Silverton must The Broncos traveled to the have taken a lot out of the Broncos as Floydada Classic III on Thursday for they looked flat against Hale Center down by two with ten seconds left in the start of their weekend tournament. on Friday afternoon. Clarendon held the game. Junior Rodriguez put the Tuesday, December 15, at 8 p.m..

ter when the Owls out scored them 16-The Broncos had another hard 6 to secure their 32-51 win.

> Travis Woodard, 10; Nathan Sears, 8; Junior Rodriguez, 4; Josh Williams, 4; Dee Thompson, 3; Sam Holton, 2; and Derek Shields, 1.

The Broncos' loss put them in the third place game on Saturday afternoon with Smyer. CHS rebounded from the day before and gave the Cats all they could handle.

The Broncos found themselves

The CHS Broncos opened their Clarendon was matched up against the the game close until the fourth quar- ball up with three seconds left to try to force the overtime. The fans watched as the ball rolled in and out Scoring for the Broncos were of the basket and as Smyer celebrated their 62-64 victory over the Broncos.

Scoring for the Broncos were Travis Woodard, 22; Carey Thornberry, 11; Sam Holton, 7; Junior Rodriguez, 6; Nathan Sears, 6; Derek Shields, 3; Khalil Abdullah, 3; Dee Thompson, 2; and Josh Williams, 2.

The Broncos will travel to the Lockney tournament Thursday through Saturday, December 10-12. Clarendon will play in Memphis on

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# **Coca-Cola Classic brings Bulldogs a win**

hosted the Coca-Cola Classic on Friday and Saturday evening.

The Bulldogs opened against the Amarillo Taco Villa team. The Taco Villa team is made up of ex-student athletes, including four All-Americans, who still like the thrill of basketball competition.

The more experienced Taco Villa team had enough fire to over take the Bulldogs in an exciting 87-79 ballgame.

Leading scorers for the Bulldogs were Nate Jones, 22; Danny Anaya, 14; and Charncy Ephriam, 13.

"We hadn't played in a couple of 11; and Jorge Vargas, 11.

The Clarendon College Bulldogs weeks, so we looked like it was the changed our lineup a little bit, and we struggled with that too. We just need to play some games. It was an excellent game. We cut the score to four with two minutes left, but couldn't get the ball in the hole," said Head Coach Joe Mondragon.

Saturday night brought the Panhandle State JV into the Doghouse to meet the Bulldogs. Clarendon was more in sync as they defeated Panhandle State JV 102-69.

30; Byron Dixon, 13; Tim Marshall,

"Everybody played well that first of the season again. We also night. Each player also got on the scoreboard. We could tell a difference in the way we executed just from playing the night before. That's why we need to play. It's kind of frustrating. We needed our shooting guard and small forward to step up and start scoring. And they did on Saturday night. If we can get that kind of scoring consistently, then we'll be okay," said Coach Mondragon.

The Bulldogs and Lady Bulldogs Leading scorers were Nate Jones, will play at home against Redlands College on Thursday, December 10, at 6 and 8 p.m.

### Hedley Owls host Allison for second home game of season

The Hedley Owls and Lady Owls a win. Hedley lost the game, 34-37. hosted their second home game of the season on December 1, 1998, against Lana Wallendorff with 10 points. Also the Allison Antelopes.

In the varsity girls' game, Allison led the game at halftime with a score of 15-20. Hedley then outscored the Lady Antelopes in the third and fourth quarters, 19-17. However, it was not enough for the Lady Owls to pull off

### **JV Lady Broncos** win three of four

The Clarendon JV Lady Broncos took on the Lady Owls from Silverton in their Tuesday night match up. The Lady Broncos ruled the court from the start of the game all the way to the end of their 49-23 victory.

"Besides the second quarter, we really dominated this game. We had good balance in our scoring, and great defensive and rebounding efforts," said Coach John Tom Morrow.

Leading scorers were Shannon Cooper with 16 points and Lindy Helms with 14 points.

The JV Lady Broncos traveled to Childress for their first tournament of

Leading scorer for the game was scoring were Ashley Hill, 7; Jymmie Deathrage, 4; Rachel Bennett, 3; Crystal Solis, 3; Lora Llewellynn, 3; Amber Solis, 2; and Susan Grecian, 2.

In the varsity boys' game, Hedley took quick control of the game with

the score being 27-16 at halftime. Hedley kept their 11-point lead throughout the rest of the game with a final score of 60-49.

Leading scorer for the game was Jeremy Wells with 15 points. Also scoring were Russell King, 11; Roger Wade, 11; Cody Graves, 9; Dustin Monroe, 7; and Creed Stephens, 7.

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the season on Thursday and Friday. Despite leading their first game

all the way into the fourth quarter, Clarendon lost to Quanah, 39-32.

Leading the scoring were Jamie Sawyer and Jamee Sparks with eight points each.

"We should have won this one. We tried to hold on to the lead in the fourth, rather than just playing hard and putting it away. We got cold shooting," said Coach Morrow.

The Lady Broncos played the late game on Thursday night and improved on their earlier play. Clarendon defeated the Memphis JV 37-26.

Leading Lady Broncos in scoring were Jamee Sparks with 10 points and Shannon Cooper with nine points.

"It's always good when you can hold a team to under 30 points. We had good balance in our scoring again," said Coach Morrow.

Clarendon's win put them in the consolation championship game. The Lady Broncos faced Quanah's ninth grade team, and made the game exciting waiting until the fourth quarter to surge and overtake Quanah, 37-36.

Leading scorers for the Lady Broncos were Jamee Sparks with 16 points and Jamie Sawyer and Elizabeth Simmons with eight points each.

"This wasn't a great game, but the team hung together and came out with a tough win," said Coach Morrow.

The Lady Bronco JV will host the Clarendon JV Tournament on Saturday, December 12. Game times are to be announced. Clarendon will travel to Memphis on Tuesday, December 15. Game time is 4 p.m.

### Lady Colts lose to HP

The 7th grade Lady Colts put up a good fight in their game against Highland Park on Monday night. The girls came from behind to take the lead in the fourth quarter but could not hold on as they lost, 23-21.

Scoring for the Lady Colts were Lacey Eades, 13; Equilla Weatherton, 4; Terra Kidd, 2; and an unnamed player from Highland Park, 2.

"The girls have improved greatly on the press. We need to work on blocking off the boards and rebounding. The Lady Colts gave a great effort overall," said Coach Kirby Hatley. The Lady Colts will play at home

on Monday, December 14, at 5 p.m. against Quanah.

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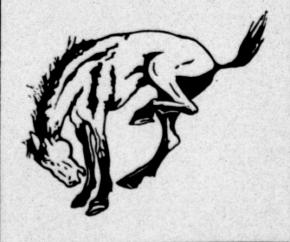
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### Hedley junior high girls beat Groom

Howard, 2; and Kasi Woodard, 1.

ters with a halftime score of 10-15.

Owls, 25-11, in the second half.

Bradley Conatser with 9 points. Also

scoring were Nick Clubb, 6; Lisle

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Rowland, 4; and Tommy Wells, 2.

Hedley lost the game, 21-39.

As for the junior high boys,

However, Groom outscored the

Leading scorer for the game was

The Hedley Junior High basket- Courtney Ellerbrook, 2; Rebekah ball teams hosted the Groom Tigers on November 30 for two ball games.

The junior high girls' game Hedley stayed close to Groom started off with a fairly close game. throughout the first and second quar-The score at the end of the first quarter was 15-8. However, the Lady Owls took control of the game and never gave Groom a chance to catch back up. The final score was 52-25.

Leading scorer for the game was Lauren Hill with 20 points. Also scoring were Evange Ramirez, 8; Hailey Bennett, 6; Brittney Bennett, 6; Lacey Wallendorff, 4; Treva Rowland, 3;

### **Colts swat Hornets**

The 8th grade Colts led the entire game Monday as they defeated the Highland Park Hornets 42-21.

Scoring for the Colts were Todd Hoeltzel, 11; Judge Smith, 10; James Williams, 8; Jacob Mondragon, 5; Bryan McFarland, Cameron Word, Taylor Shelton, and Chuck Robertson with 2 points each.

### JV White Team to host tournament

The JV white team played the that was good. The Broncos fell to Owls from Silverton on Tuesday the Bobcats 43-42.

night. The Broncos emerged victorious in their 64-20 thrashing of the Owls

Leading scorers for the Broncos were Ben Wilson, 18; Chris Linquist, 14; Jeremy Ray, 12; Aaron Jeffers, 10; G. J. Martindale, 4; and Nathan Floyd, Cody Watson, and Zack Butts with two points each.

The Broncos traveled to Childress on Thursday and Friday for their first tournament of the season.

The Broncos played Quanah in their early game on Thursday. The Broncos played well as they defeated the Indians 46-40 moving them into the winners bracket.

Scoring for the Broncos were Chris Linquist, 14; Jeremy Ray, 11; Ben Wilson, 8; G. J. Martindale, 4; Aaron Jeffers, 4; Cody Watson, 3; and Zack Butts, 2.

Thursday night's game put the Broncos with the host Childress JV team. The Broncos played tough, but lost the game in the final seconds on a Memphis on Tuesday, December 15 Childress Hail Mary three point shot at 5 p.m.

### JV Maroon Team stun Highland Park

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Clarendon's JV maroon team Mouser.

played Highland Park in their Monday night match up. The game was Highland Park's first for the year, and it showed as the Broncos beat the Hornets 69-21.

Scoring for the Broncos were Greg Leeper 26; Jared Lax, 17; Antonio Wilson, 16; Austin Sears, 8; and **Ricky Simpson**, 2.

Due to injuries and some other problems, we only had five players for the game. We tried to run mainly a zone type defense in order to keep ourselves out of foul trouble and to keep us fresh. I think Highland Park had a little trouble with the zone since it was their first game," said Coach Greg

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Leading the scoring for the Broncos were Ben Wilson, 14; Chris Linquist, 9; Aaron Jeffers, 6; Jeremy Ray, 6; G. J. Martindale, 3; Nathan Floyd, 2; and Zack Butts 2.

The Broncos played for third place on Friday against the Paducha Dragons. Clarendon played another solid game as they slayed the Dragons 46-31.

Leading scorers for the Broncos were Ben Wilson, 13; Jeremy Ray, 11; Chris Linquist, 9; Aaron Jeffers, 6; Cody Watson, 5; and G. J. Martindale,

"The Broncos played well and have an overall record of 6-1. We are hosting a tournament on Saturday, December 12. Other teams involved in the tournament are Panhandle, Memphis, and Claude. I just want to encourage everyone to come out and support your JV teams," said Coach Mike Ray.

The JV Broncos will also play in

'Offensively Greg Leeper had a good game, hitting five three point-We shot extremely well and got on the boards better than we have before. I was very pleased with the kids' play, especially since there were only five of them," he said.

The JV maroon will play Monday, December 14, in Highland Park following the 8th grade game.



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"The team played well and everyone contributed to the victory. We just need to keep working hard to be the best we can be," said Coach Mike Ray.

The Colts will play in Quanah on Monday, December 14 following the 7th grade game.

### 7th grade beats Hornets

The 7th grade Colts continued their winning ways Monday night against the Highland Park Hornets. The Colts defeated the Hornets 24-19.

Scoring for the Colts were Justin Johnson, 6; Steve Wilson, 6; Dusty Martindale, 4; Zack Howard, 4; Drew Sell, 2; and Chris Fobbs, 2.

The boys are getting better and better each time out. It's good to be able to put 12 different players on the floor and see the effort and hustle," said Coach Roger Hoeltzel.

The Colts will travel to Quanah on Monday, December 14. Game time is scheduled for 5 p.m.

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Lovingly submitted,

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### NOTICE OF BID

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County: Hardeman, etc. Highway: US0287 Length: 343.000 MI

Control Number: 6036-74-001 Project Number: RMC 603674001 DBE/HUB Goal: 0.0%

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cember 17, 1998 Est. Cost: 132.862.55 Mail or deliver bids to: Texas De-

partment of Transportation, Childress District, 1700 Ave F NW, Childress, TX 79201-0000, (940) 937-7152.

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# LEGAL NOTICES

THE CLARENDON-DONLEY County Court of Donley County, Texas, acting in Cause NO. 2730, to Robbie Hamner as Independent Administrator of the Estate.

> The residence of such Administrator is Clarendon, Texas. The post office address of the Administrator is c/o Richard L. Hanna, 500 S. Taylor, Lobby Box 222, Amarillo, Texas 79101.

> All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and the manner prescribed by law to the undersigned at the address shown above.

Dated this 1st of December, 1998. **Richard L. Hanna** 500 S. Taylor, Lobby Box 222 Amarillo, TX 79101 (806) 379-6683 ATTORNEY FOR INDEPENDENT **ADMINSTATOR** 50-1tc

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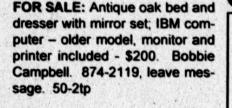
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Priced to sell and ready to move in, 2 bedroom plus 3rd bedroom or den, living, like new federa with sub-ins, all 1 oth, utility with shower, stucco, 2 car port, store of op, evaplumeins & electric, storm doors and windows at 304 E. oth for \$20,000.00.

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# Lady Broncos earn third at Floydada Classic

The Lady Broncos started their close, but the longer the game went week and the Floydada tournament against the Lady Owls of Silverton. On both occasions the Lady Broncos were victorious.

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started slow for the Lady Broncos. Senior Kim Alexander got the ball rolling for Clarendon in the second quarter as she scored nine of her total twelve points. The Lady Owls put up a good fight, but the Lady Broncos held on for the 37-34 win.

"It was a hard fought win. Defensively, we played well and made Silverton work hard for their shots. We had several mental mistakes on our part, and that made it a lot closer than it should have been," said Head Coach Steve Schmidt.

Leading scorers for Clarendon were Kim Alexander, 12 points; Gerri Butler, 7 points; and Kelley Lemley, 6 points.

The Lady Broncos learned from their mistakes on Tuesday night and showed no mercy to the Silverton Lady Owls in the opening game of the Floydada Classic on Thursday afternoon. The Lady Broncos clipped the Lady Owls 61-33.

Geri Butler led all scorers with 16 points. Freshman Kelley Lemley added 15 points to the Lady Bronco score.

"Our defensive effort is getting better each game. The first half was head coach.

on, the more our defensive intensity paid off. The whole team contributed for this win," said Coach Schmidt.

The Lady Broncos were in the Tuesday night's home game tough side of the winners bracket and drew the Hale Center Owlettes as their Friday afternoon opponent.

> Clarendon played with too much caution in the first quarter as they were out scored early 23-6. The Lady Broncos started doing the little things right in the second half and were able to cut the score to five in the third quarter.

> The Owlettes were able to clinch the 67-48 victory in the fourth quarter after an ankle injury to Kelley Lemley and making a host of free throws.

> Leading the scoring for the Lady Broncos were Geri Butler with 21 points and Kelley Lemley with 10 points.

> "We heard too many good things about Hale Center and came out playing like this was a great team. They do have a very good team, but we're actually not too far behind them. We had eight first quarter turnovers to give them an early 13-point lead. When we decided to play, we gave them a good scare, cutting the lead to five in the third quarter. In the fourth, we lost one player to an ankle injury and another to fouls. Hale Center hit their free throws to put it away. It was a good learning experience," said the

The Lady Broncos were ready to get another win in their game for third place on Saturday afternoon. Clarendon's intensity paid off as they defeated Floydada's Lady Winds 51-36 and improved their record to 4-3.

Each of the Lady Broncos was able to score in their victory over Floydada. Sophomore Geri Butler dominated the floor scoring 25 of her 30 points in the first half.

The kids played super team defense for three quarters to lead by as much as 28. In the fourth, we practiced a little zone defense and lost our intensity allowing Floydada to hit some three pointers to make the score look closer than it was," said Coach Schmidt.

"Geri Butler was in 'the shooting zone' the entire game. Much credit goes to her teammates for their unselfish play. Cat Chamberlain had an amazing hustle game with seven steals, four assists, and five points. We really feel were made a turning point as a team during their tournament."

The Lady Broncos will travel to the Abernathy tournament December 10-12 and to Memphis on Tuesday, December 15.



Sophmore Courtney Newhouse drives forward for the Lady Broncos during their match up with Silverton last week. The CHS girls won, 37-34. This week the Lady Broncos will travel to Abernathy to compete in tournament action there. Enterprise Photo.

# Lady Colts to play **Quanah Monday**

The 8th grade Lady Colts gave a great first half effort in their game against Highland Park. The Lady Colts led 18-12 going into the second half. Clarendon came out a little flat in the third quarter and ended up losing to the Hornets 28-35.

Scoring for the Lady Colts were May Butler, 12; Christine Holden, 4; Brandi Martindale, 3; Brandi Betts, 3; Lacey Anderberg, 2; and Mandy McKinney, 2.

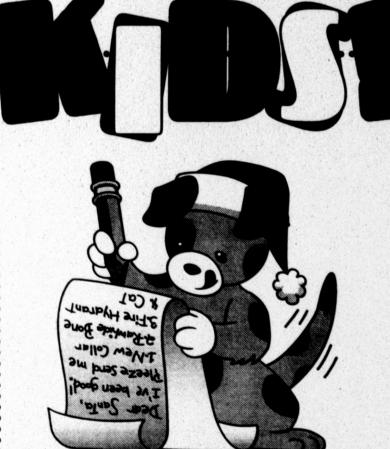
"We really looked tough in the first half, but we had a big let down in the second half. We have to stay focused on playing the entire game. We should have beat this team," said Coach Steve Schmidt.

The Lady Colts will look to improve their 2-1 record at home on Monday, December 14, following the 7th grade game.



These members of the Bronco football team were named for All District Honors. They are (back row) D.J. Edwards, 2nd team punter; Brandon Word, 1st team defensive tackle; Hunter Spier, honorable mention offensive line; Sam Holton, 2nd team tight end; Carey Thornberry, 2nd team punter; Colt Floyd, honorable mention quarter back; Cael Shields, honrable mention running back; Dee Thompson, honorable mention defensive back; and Parker Kerlee, honorable mention offensive line.

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