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## CC celebrates centennial

The Athens of the Panhandle will turn 100 years old on Saturday, and everyone is encouraged to come out and celebrate the event.

It was on September 5, 1898, that Clarendon College & University Training School was opened by the Methodist Church. Now, a century later, Clarendon College is no longer affiliated with the church, but it remains proud of its title as the first college in the Texas Panhandle.

The centennial festivities start Saturday

morning, September 5, at 9 a.m. with registration at the Bairfield Activity Center, and the CC Student Ambassadors will conduct campus tours at 10:30 a.m., 2 p.m., and 4 p.m.

At 11 a.m. a once-in-a-lifetime photo will be taken in the Bulldog Gym. All alumni who are present can pose for one large photo. The photos will be available for purchase later that day during the banquet.

At 11:30 a.m., the CC Ex-Students Association will sponsor an all-you-can-eat Barbe-

cue Luncheon at the Bairfield Center. Tickets are \$7 per plate, and all proceeds go to the Ex-Students Association for scholarships and other efforts for the benefit of the college.

At 3 p.m., a historical reenactment will take place on the college track. When Clarendon College opened in 1898, a foot race was held to determine who the first student would be. Saturday, *The Clarendon Enterprise* will sponsor a recreation of that contest with \$100 going to the student winner.

The celebration continues Saturday night with the Centennial Banquet at 6:30 in the Bairfield Center. Tickets are \$10 and will be sold at the door, but since this event is limited, everyone is encouraged to purchase tickets in advance. Highlights of the banquet will be two featured alumni, including 101-year-old Minnie F. Halbert, and a keynote address by U.S. Representative William McClellan Thornberry.

Following the banquet, a dedication ceremony will be held. **See College on page two.**

## TPW awards \$93k grant to Greenbelt

AUSTIN - Greenbelt Municipal Water Authority is one of twenty Texas entities that will receive grants to help underwrite the cost of providing basic public recreation facilities thanks to action taken by the Texas Parks and Wildlife (TPW) Commission.

Greenbelt will receive \$93,500 to go toward improvements at Sandy Beach on the northeast side of Lake Greenbelt.

"We're very excited about this news," said René Betts with Greenbelt Water. "We've applied a couple of times for this particular grant and have been turned down. We look forward to providing enhanced recreational facilities at Lake Greenbelt."

The money will be used at Sandy Beach Park for things such as picnic tables with grills, playground facilities, a volleyball court, RV campsites, floating docks, a swimming area, gazebo, and other improvements.

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## Texas Tech to gather data at JA Reunion

LUBBOCK - Representatives of the Southwest Collection at Texas Tech University will be attending the JA Ranch Reunion Saturday, Sept. 5, in Clarendon to collect information on the JA Ranch.

The reunion will begin at 10 a.m. in the Clarendon Community Building.

Southwest Collection Field Representative David Marshall will attend the reunion and set up a table to visit with reunion attendees. People with photographs, memorabilia, and stories related to the ranch are invited to visit with him during the day.

Also attending will be Preston Lewis, director of development for the Southwest Collection. In July, more than 170 boxes of JA Ranch materi-

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### Local Weather Report

Day	Date	High	Low	Prec
Mon	24	98°	67°	-
Tue	25	98°	67°	-
Wed	26	98°	69°	-
Thurs	27	97°	72°	-
Fri	28	98°	70°	0.06"
Sat	29	95°	54°	-
Sun	30	96°	55°	-

Total Precipitation For August **1.29"**  
Total Precipitation For Year **10.34"**



## Clarendon College's Golden Lady

### Minnie Ferebee Halbert reflects on her life and times as a member of the Class of 1916

By Valerie Avery

**O**ne hundred one-year-old Minnie F. Halbert's flawlessly painted red fingernails are just as sharp and as perfect as her memory. One must look beyond her weathered hands and the sleek metal, four-pronged walker she uses to assist her to reach her treasure trove of recollections of times on "the hill" or Clarendon College.

She is believed to be the oldest living alumna of the college as it celebrates its 100th birthday.

"I loved to go to school. I loved every course I took, and I felt as if I benefited," she said during a recent college alumni reunion in April.

Speaking in a spectacular red suit with black trim, Halbert remembered with fondness the people of the Class of 1916 and how they came away from Clarendon College better for their time spent in Donley County.

She bragged of the many "illustrious sons and daughters" the 100-year-old college produced, including Kenneth Pope who became a bishop in the Methodist Church. But none struck her fancy as much as a young man in the college's preparatory division - a boy affectionately nicknamed "Peg."

"He had one arm, one leg, and one eye. Everyone called him Peg. Everybody loved Peg. He didn't have an artificial limb. I thought, how courageous it was for him to be there among the other young men. Everyone admired him.

"During the time [Peg] attended school, Nan Davidson spearheaded a campaign to provide him with an artificial leg. He was so proud of that artificial leg. How proud the student body was of Peg! He wasn't bitter. It didn't intimidate him one bit. And no one shunned him; he was one of us."

Halbert said, "There wasn't any argument" as to where she would attend college in the early 1900s, citing Clarendon's great reputation. In her family of four sisters, all but one attended college in Clarendon. In fact her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.M. Ferebee, moved here from Foard County so their children could go to school.

College life was different in those early days, and the faculty kept a close eye on the behavior of the students inside - and outside - the classroom.

"The school used to be so regimented. Their rules and regulations were rules and regulations and you'd better respect them," she said.



Halbert said the girls in the dormitories weren't even allowed to have "parlor dates" without being chaperoned. She wasn't as closely regulated since she lived at home with her parents, she said. But the girls from out of town were "certainly looked after carefully. They had to be back in the dormitory by a certain time - I believe it was four or five o'clock in the afternoon."

Of her time spent at Clarendon College, Halbert has two favorite remembrances - her favorite professor Dr. S.E. Burkhead, who taught Bible and English, and her friends.

"My fondest memory is my association with Dr. Burkhead. He was such a good influence. He was so interested in everybody and all of his students. He took a personal interest in them and their needs and interests. He had a lot of wit and humor and was just as bald-headed as he could be," she said.

"When we came back from Christmas break, I remember him saying that it was 'Time to get back to plain living and high thinking.' And you'd better do some high thinking. He was very influential with the students.

"And then the friends that I made while in

### My heart still belongs to Clarendon College.

Minnie F. Halbert, Class of 1916

school here. Some of them lasted through the years. There was a group of us - six of us girls - that ran around together all the time, and now I'm the only one."

Halbert enjoyed the languages, English literature, and psychology, which she said opened up a new way of thought to her. Reciting poetry and reading Shakespeare gave the students a good foundation, she said, and the social life at that time was centered on the college and its academics.

Halbert was a member of the Orthonian Society, which was the sister organization of the men's Adkissonian Literary Society. The two clubs worked hand and hand, and their activities focused on helping the college.

"Anything that was connected with the college, we took part in," she said. "Especially if it was beneficial to the college.

"The big social event was always the banquets. The Adkissonians would host a banquet [for us] with a program and an after dinner speaker. That was held in the spring," she said.

She remembered performing in a German three-act play and attending banquets with her girlfriends. She also attended piano recitals and competed in speech contests. Football games against schools in Goodnight and Plainview were also highlights of college life.

The college has changed since the days the students were required to march to the Methodist church (boys on one side, girls on the other) for services, resplendent in navy blue suits and mortarboards and white blouses. And anyone who didn't attend church and Sunday school had to "have a mighty good excuse," she said.



In 1968, Clarendon College moved from its original campus on Fifth Street to its current location. Halbert admires the college's modern campus.

"I think it's marvelous, and I knew the Harned sisters real well. But my heart still belongs to the original Methodist Clarendon College. We had plans - some good, some bad. But it takes all of it to make a life. I've seen a lot of changes," said Halbert, who began attending college reunions in 1938.

Clarendon College originated as a Methodist school, and its move away from that affiliation in 1927 didn't sit well with Halbert.

"I was just real angry when I found out that [the Methodist Church] closed Clarendon College. I resented McMurry College from the very beginning because they took the place of Clarendon. Now, I think McMurry is a very good school and I'm glad we have it, but my heart still belongs to Clarendon."

For someone who cares about her alma mater, it displeases her to know that some take their education for granted or don't appreciate its benefits.

"There's some who go to school because they have to. Their parents send them. And there's some who don't ever take much interest in school.

"I just loved going to school. I love books and we always had something to read. We had magazines, always had church and Sunday school. The world wasn't as close then. Our life was centered in that community and that church."

Having lived during two centuries, Halbert is worried about what will come in the next century.

"I wonder sometimes what this generation is leaving for the rest of the world. Our forefathers really laid a firm foundation and build a nation from scratch. And sometimes I wonder if we are leaving something that is worthwhile. I think Longfellow wrote this poem. It closes with this idea or this thought: 'Yes, call it holy ground, the soil where first they trod. They left unstained what here they found, freedom to worship God.'

"It takes a lot of faith and a lot of courage and a lot of determination; a lot of everything to build a nation. Are we using the same kind of brick and stone and mortar to build a nation as our forefathers built? Something that will be as enduring? Are we staying with our foundation - bricks and stones - or are we drifting?"

"Maybe that's a pessimistic piece, but when I think of the changes I've lived through, I wonder. I guess people are a lot younger than I am. I wonder if we depend more on scientific development than we do on what God created. Some things that we were horrified about are accepted today as a matter of course. 'Trust in the Lord with all your might and lean not on your own understanding.' Maybe that's what we need to do. But maybe my understanding isn't the right understanding either."

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### TIME LINE

1870 - Rev. L.H. Carhart establishes his Christian Colony between the Salt Fork of the Red River and Carroll Creek under the banner of "Christianity, Education, and Temperance." Cowboys refer to the town as "Saints' Roost."

1887 - Fort Worth & Denver City railroad misses Clarendon by five miles. People move the town south to its present site. Stations spring up, and Clarendon becomes just another Wild West town.

Late 1880s - Local sentiment grows for church school to be located here. Methodist officials oppose sponsoring a college because of presence of saloons in town. A.M. Beville and Frank Kendall launch prohibitionist newspaper *The Advance* and began working to make the city dry.

November 1887 - Citizens from Clarendon and surrounding area petition the Clarendon District Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South to attend a college.

April 2, 1888 - Twenty-one local businessmen pledge \$4,655 to the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. Four acres of land are donated to the conference, and citizens agree to build a two-story brick building. The conference approves the project and appoints Rev. J.W. Addison as the first president of Clarendon College.

September 5, 1888 - Clarendon College & University Training School opens as the first institution of higher learning in the Panhandle with 24 students (all grade school age) and three teachers. Classes are held in the Methodist Church while work is being completed on a three-story administration building situated on a ten-acre campus.

1888 - Rev. W.B. McKeown succeeds Rev. Addison as president. Enrollment grows to 171 students. First administration building is completed.

1889 - Frank B. St. John becomes president.

1891 - Girls dormitory added to campus. Rev. J. Sam Barcus becomes president.

1892 - Organized athletic teams are formed for tennis, croquet, baseball, and basketball. In July, Clarendon votes to prohibit alcohol. Saloons are given until Sept. 1 to close.

February 21, 1893 - CC Bulldogs defeat Goodnight College Bulldogs in the first organized football game in the Panhandle.

1893 - Boys dormitory constructed. Rev. G.S. Hardy becomes president.

1894 - First class graduates from Clarendon College.

1896 - Rev. J.R. Moss becomes president.

1897 - CC enrollment surpasses 300. Dr. George S. Stover is named president and launches \$100,000 campaign for construction of new administration building.

May 6, 1898 - Cornerstone is laid for second administration building.

1916 - Three-story brick girls' dormitory constructed.

1918 - Three-story brick boys' dormitory constructed.

December 9, 1918 - Dr. Stover given credit for making CC the first "standard" junior college in the state.

1920 - Northwest Texas Conference approves \$200,000 for CC's "Campaign for Education" - a plan to expand the college and elevate it to a degree-conferring institution.

1923 - Primary and Intermediate Departments are discontinued.

November 1924 - Northwest Texas Conference approves Clarendon's request to be raised to a senior institution providing that \$20,000 of indebtedness is paid off, funds are secured for a new gymnasium, and promises are made toward a \$100,000 endowment.

February 26, 1925 - Citizens Senior College Commission presents a final purchase price of \$21,437 to clear the school's debt.

September 1926 - CC begins transition to a senior college by adding a third year of study.

July 1928 - Dr. R.E.L. Morgan succeeds Dr. Stover as president.

September 14, 1928 - Clarendon College opens as a senior college. Rumors begin to spread that the Methodist conference plans to move the college to a larger town.

November 1928 - President (Senator) George Stover leads a Clarendon delegation to a conference meeting to protest any attempt to purchase the school. Conference appoints a commission to investigate and accept bids from other towns.

March 1, 1927 - Locating Commission recommends that Clarendon College be moved to Amarillo.

March 1927 - Clarendon Independent School District proposes a bond election to purchase the college property for use as a municipal junior college.

April 28, 1927 - CC Board of Trustees accepts CISD's offer to purchase the college property for \$42,000. Amount citizens raised to clear indebtedness three years earlier is subtracted from the total because honor demands it. Final purchase price: \$20,563. Bond issue later passes 343-2.

May 26, 1927 - CC presents 19 Bachelor of Arts degrees to graduating seniors. Dr. Morgan resigns. Dean Stuart H. Condon is named acting president for the summer session.

August 1927 - Home more seniors graduates at the end of the summer session, bringing the total of Bachelor degrees conferred by Clarendon College to 28.

September 1927 - Clarendon Municipal Junior College opens and assumes the mantle of "The Athens of the Panhandle." CISD Superintendent H.T. Burton also serves as College President.

c. 1930 - Clarendon High School begins holding classes on the college campus.

November 11, 1938 - First reunion of CC ex-students is held with 267 alumni present and every class since 1900 represented.

June 9, 1941 - Tornado strikes the college campus. Ornamental masonry gracing the top of the Administration Building and auditorium balcony are destroyed, but the building is saved. Dormitories are beyond repair.

January 1946 - Former girls' dormitory is remodeled for a new building to house classrooms for Home Economics, Band, and Agriculture classes.

1953 - H.W. Thrall becomes Superintendent/President.

1955 - W.W. Pinkerton becomes Superintendent/President.

1958 - J.R. Cox becomes Superintendent/President.

1959 - CISD build a new facility for elementary, junior high, and high school on the college campus. Kenneth Vaughan becomes School Superintendent/College President.

December 20, 1962 - School district votes to expand the college district to the limits of the school district.

March 1963 - Leavelle and the Board of Regents election of the district was illegal. Separate board of regents created for the college district.

October 1964 - CC Ex-Students Association is created.

January 28, 1964 - With lawsuits still plaguing the college, citizens in the original college district vote 535-319 to raise their taxes to help the school open.

December 2, 1965 - An election is held by the order of the Donley County Commissioners Court to expand the college district to the entire area of the county. Final vote: 670 in favor. New campus.

January 13, 1966 - The Donley County Leases announces that Clarendon College is the recipient of a "substantial endowment from the estate of Elta Harned in partial memory of her sister Ida Harned." In March a check is received in the amount of \$336,341.55 enabling the college to build a new campus.

1968 - Clarendon College moves from its historic campus to its modern campus - 30 acres at the intersection of US Highway 287 and Bugbee Avenue - with an Administration Building (containing classrooms and a library), men's housing complex, a fine arts center, and a gymnasium. Kenneth Vaughan leaves school district and assumes president's duties full time.

1970 - Knorrp Hall is built as a women's dormitory.

1973 - Vocational courses are added to the college's class offerings - ranch operations, auto mechanics, cosmetology, vocational nursing, and electrical work.

1978 - Clarendon College Pampa Center opens with 196 students the first year.

1985 - Modern campus is expanded with the addition of 52 acres adjacent to the west side of the campus.

September 1989 - Dr. Jerry Stockton is named president upon the resignation of Kenneth Vaughan.

1991 - Bairfield Activity Center opens as a 14,000 square-foot student union building to house game rooms, a VIP room, a banquet hall, financial aid office, a bookstore, and counselor's offices.

1993 - Courson Ranch Operations Building is completed.

1994 - New residence hall is completed capable of housing 16 students in coed facilities.

May 1995 - Dr. Scott Elliott is named president upon the retirement of Dr. Stockton.

March 7, 1995 - Lady Bulldogs win the National Championship at the NSCAA Tournament.

July 4, 1995 - Board of Regents approves plans to launch a baseball team.

August 1, 1995 - Dr. Raymond Hastings becomes Interim President after the resignation of Dr. Elliott.

Sept. 5-6, 1998 - Clarendon College celebrates its 100th Anniversary.

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emony for the Centennial Monument will be held on the east lawn of the Bairfield Center.

The celebration concludes Sunday, September 6, with another historical reenactment. As church school, the students traditionally marched to church services. At 9:30 Sunday morning, everyone is encouraged to gather at the main building of Clarendon High School (the college's

original campus) to recreate the procession down Fifth Street to special services at the Methodist Church. To insure historical accuracy, girls will stay on one side of the street and boys on the other.

For more information regarding Clarendon College's Centennial Celebration call (806) 874-3571 or 1-800-687-9737.

## Kinikin to play for JA reunion this Saturday

Looking for a way to spend your Labor Day weekend? Come on out to the JA Ranch Reunion on Saturday, September 5, and enjoy a fun-filled day right here in Clarendon.

The day will start off at 10:00 a.m. with a family playday. Come watch all the little ones enjoy their own playday with a little help in some events from parents.

There will be a barbecue lunch served at noon with all the fixins for \$5.00 a plate. A pair of handmade spurs by Joe Barela will be given away at the barbecue. Tickets are \$1.00 a piece or a book of 12 for \$10.00. If you have not bought your ticket yet, it is not too late.

Plenty of storytelling, guitar pickin', and fiddlin' will be done in the afternoon including entertainment by local people.

The annual JA Cattle Sortin' and Doctorin' will start at 6:00 p.m. with

15 teams entered. The top team in each event will receive hobbles sets, and the high point team will receive a handmade buckle set also by Joe Barela.

A Top Horse Award donated by Ninia Bivens will be given to this year's Top Horse. A panel of judges will select this year's winner.

Awards will be given at a dance which begins at 9:00. Entertainment will be provided by Harvey Kinikin. Harvey has a huge following, and they hope everyone will come and enjoy his music and scoot a boot!

So come out and enjoy a fun filled day at the Clarendon City Arena and Building. They hope to see everyone there!



Kinikin



## Texas Tech: *Continued from page one.*

als were donated to the Southwest Collection by the ranch.

"The early history of the JA Ranch is fairly well known, but the Southwest Collection is interested in documenting the 20th century history of the storied Panhandle ranch," Lewis said.

"The reunion will be a good opportunity for the Southwest Collection to secure additional information on the

JA and to provide a much more complete record of the JA for historians," he said.

The Southwest Collection is a major archive devoted to preserving the social, cultural, and economic history of the Southwest.

The Southwest Collection has one of the foremost collections of ranch records in the world.

## Greenbelt: *Continued from page one.*

At its final public meeting of fiscal year '98, held August 27, TPW approved the distribution of more than \$6.2 million from the Texas Recreation and Parks account (TRPA), a matching-grants program with revenue generated from a portion of the state sales tax on sporting goods.

The 20 projects approved for funding were among a total of 44 proposals submitted to TPW by cities,

counties, and municipal utility districts requesting \$13.4 million to offset funding for local parks.

The TRPA was authorized by lawmakers in 1993 to assist local governments with purchasing park land and developing out door recreation facilities. The priority projects selected by TPW staff were based on a competitive scoring system taking into account site visits and project analyses.

## Local Circle of Friends hosting membership party Sept. 12

The Clarendon Circle of Friends will host a "Fiesta" membership party for the Don Sybil Harrington Cancer Center on September 12, 1998, at 7 p.m. at the Clarendon Country Club.

The cost of the membership is \$25 per couple and \$15 per individual. New member support is welcome and appreciated.

The evening will feature music by Tommy Henson from Pampa. Carol

Hinton will cater the food. Door Prizes will be drawn during the evening. Please respond by September 8 by calling 874-5102.

The purpose of the Circle of Friends is to provide financial assistance to cancer patients and their families in times of crisis and to support educational and research programs directed toward improving the patient's quality of life.

## DPS advises drivers to be safe Labor Day weekend

The Department of Public Safety has found that many people use safety belts incorrectly and expose themselves to greater injuries.

Lap belts should be worn across the hips and the shoulder strap worn over the shoulder. The DPS has found that numerous motorists wear the shoulder strap under the shoulder

which diminishes the effectiveness of the shoulder strap.

In cars with separate lap and shoulder straps, motorists need to use both to reduce the risk of being ejected through a door jarred open.

Infant/child safety seat must be secured snug and preferably in the back seat, especially if the vehicle has

dual air bags.

Trooper Snider adds that drivers of pickups with children under the age of 12 in the bed area have a maximum speed limit of 35 miles per hour.

"Remember, these passengers have little or no means of securing themselves and become human projectiles with hard braking or in

collisions.

"Whether we travel by car, truck, boat, or even horseback we need to have a travel plan, have the vehicle in proper working order and have ourselves physically and mentally prepared for peak performance needed for holiday travel," concluded Trooper Snider.

## War against terrorism requires strong resolve

A lot of folks thought that when the Soviet Union collapsed, we could relax our defense efforts a while and not worry as much about those who might want to hurt us. The events of the past few weeks remind us that we can't afford to relax at all — in fact, in some ways, the world is more dangerous than ever.



Issue Update with Mac Thornberry

One of the reasons we have to have a strong

defense is terrorism. There are a number of groups around the world which have essentially declared war against the United States. They look for ways to attack us here at home and around the world. They want to cause the maximum amount of terror and damage. They don't distinguish between military and civilian targets. They just try to kill Americans and all that America stands for.

Many of these groups are willing to sacrifice their own lives to hurt us. They are actively seeking ever more dangerous weapons — including weapons of mass destructions, like chemical, bio-

logical, and nuclear weapons. If they continue to gain strength, many more Americans will die in the months and years to come. We must hit back, and we must hit back hard.

The war against terrorism will not be won in a month or a year. It will require a constant effort to gather information about terrorists, to prevent their attacks where possible, and to retaliate against them when necessary.

But the war against terrorism will be a fact of life for some time to come and is one of the reasons we must make sure that our military and intelligence capability is the best in the world.

## VFW Post presents several local citizens with awards

By William Holden

The members of Donley County Post 7782 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States of America and its Ladies Auxiliary recently honored the following citizens with Patriotic Citizen Award: "Sam Hill" Pit BBQ, James Owens Boot Shop, the Sells, The Grocery Store, Calvary Baptist Church, the Doerings, the Halls, the Hills, all of Clarendon; Monroe's Peach Ranch of Hedley; the Harveys, the Glendays, the Browns, the Roths,

the Douthits, Countryside Deli, and the Brights, all of Howardwick.

This award is presented to homes and businesses that display our Nation's flag throughout the year. If you qualify or know of someone who does, please contact a Post or Auxiliary member or call Bill Holden at 874-3813 and they will guarantee that person is recognized.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars offers several

programs to the community; however, we are always short on help. If you are interested in the many benefits of the VFW or would like to join the VFW, please call a member or stop by the Post Home for an application.

The officers and men of the VFW and its Ladies Auxiliary appreciate all recipients of their honor to America and its Veterans by flying our nations flag.

## Public hearing notice rural health public hearing set for Borger

The center for rural health initiatives, the state office of rural health, is holding a public hearing at Golden Plains Community Hospital, 200 South McGee in Borger at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 15, to receive public testimony on rural health care issues.

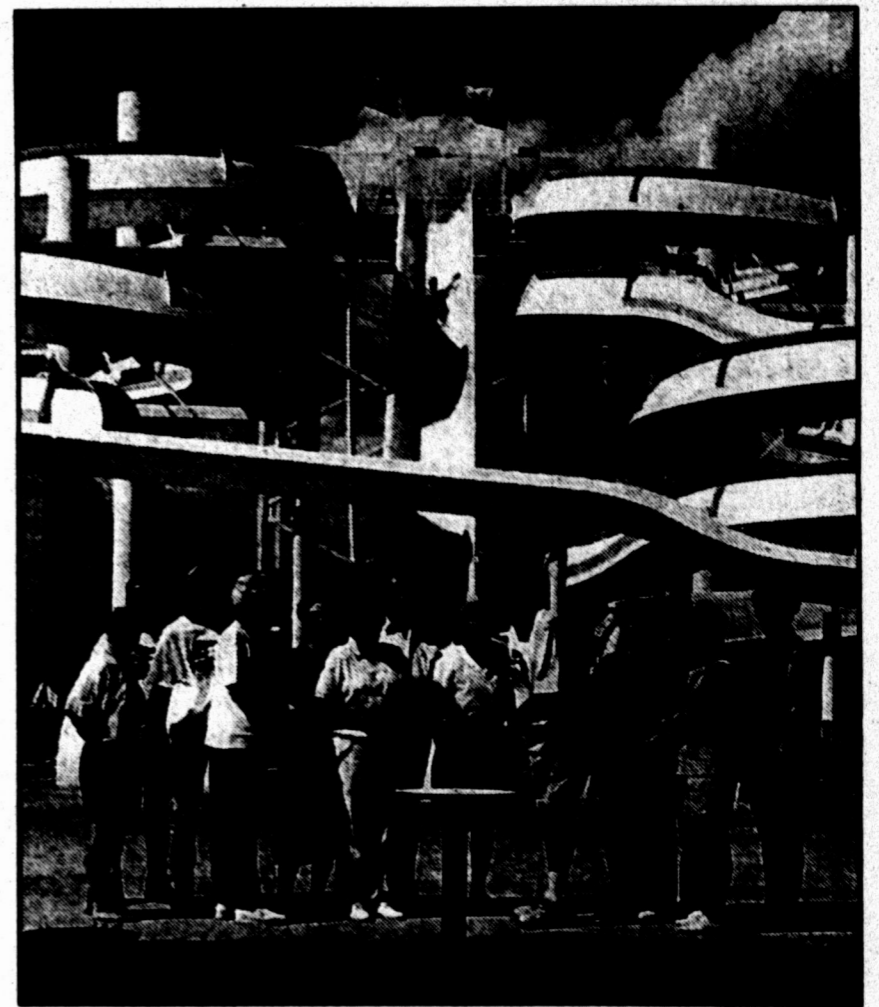
Rural health care providers, community leaders, and other interested parties will have an opportunity to share their needs, concerns, and ideas with the state agency that advocates for health care for rural Texans. The center is especially interested in receiving verbal and written testimony on the following subjects:

- Experience in recruiting and retraining health professionals;
- Hospital, rural health clinic, and other health facility needs;

- How other agencies can better meet rural health care needs;
- Experience with how managed care has or may affect the rural health system.

The testimony will be used to form recommendations to the Texas legislature regarding health care policy in rural Texas. The hearing is open to the public. Persons wishing to present comments at the public hearing may do so by completing a registration form which will be available at the hearing site.

For more information or to request interpretation or other services for disabled individuals who would like to testify, contact the center for rural health initiatives at (512)479-8891.



## The Thunder Rolls

Thunder Junction held a ribbon cutting ceremony on Friday, August 28, 1998. Those attending were Kirsten Bertrand, George Jaramillo, Wilbur Garrison, Darrell Whitaker, Joann McAfee, Tessie Robinson, Dot Moffit, Chauncey Hommel, Ann Hommel, A.J. Moffit, Gail Tuttle, Don Myers, Chamber of Commerce Executive Secretary Linda Williams, Linda Gray, and Charlie Stanhope (sliding down slide).

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*O Clarendon, heart of the West,  
The mem'ry of whose deeds are blest,  
Forever shall our hearts be thrilled;  
With life long joys by thee instilled,  
And friendships formed within thy fold  
Shall never wane, shall ne'er grow cold,  
But they shall last as long as life remains,  
Within the land where freedom reigns.*

*O, Clarendon, our College dear,  
Our love for thee grows year by year,  
Our hearts bear thee throughout the land,  
O Clarendon, forever stand!*

Clarendon College Official Song  
Words by Hubert L. Stone, CC Class of '14



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**SATURDAY,  
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9 a.m.

Centennial Registration

10:30 a.m. \ 2 p.m. \ 4 p.m.

Campus Tours  
with Student Ambassadors

11 a.m.

Centennial Alumni  
Group Photo

11:30 a.m.

Alumni BBQ

3 p.m.

Re-enact Foot Race To Be  
CC's First Student

6:30 p.m.

Centennial Banquet

Dedication of  
Centennial Monument

**SUNDAY,  
SEPTEMBER 6, 1998**

9:30 a.m.

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# Local student wins Bus Safety Contest

AUSTIN — Kasandra Lurane Ballard, a student with the Clarendon ISD, was honored recently in Austin by Texas First Lady Laura Bush and State Representative Clyde Alexander, Chairman of the House Committee on Transportation, as the first place winner in Division IV of the 1998 State School Bus Safety Poster Contest.

Kasandra Lurane Ballard will have a replica of her winning entry displayed in the State Capitol Extension during National School Bus Safety Week, October 18-24, 1998.

The first, second, and third place winners in the four divisions were presented with a certificate, a savings bond, given a special tour of the State Capitol, and were treated to a traditional Texas "barbecue lunch. The original posters are being judged in a national school bus safety poster contest.

Sponsors of the contest are the Texas Association for Pupil Transportation, the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS), the Texas Department of Transportation, the Texas Education Agency, the Texas House of Representatives Committee on Transportation, the Texas Parent-Teacher Association, and the Texas Engineering Extension Service (Texas A&M University System). The savings bonds were courtesy of Compliance Consortium (Gary Baird, President). The luncheon was given by Pinacle Employee Testing (Dr. Harvey Graves, President).

Kasandra Lurane Ballard is the daughter of Brenita Ballard of Clarendon.

According to Debbi Goertz, Program Administrator for School Bus Transportation for the Texas DPS, school buses are the safest form of highway transportation. Fewer than one percent of Texas roadway accidents involved a school bus.

During the 1997 calendar year, more than 1,500 school bus drivers



Carl Kirst (TAPT) displays the winning bus safety poster with local student Kasandra Ballard, Texas First Lady Laura Bush, and Rep. Clyde Alexander.

and passengers suffered injuries when school buses were directly or indirectly involved in an accident. Most accidents occurred when students were loading or unloading a bus.

"School bus accidents can be avoided," Mrs. Goertz said. "Now that school has started, drivers should be more attentive and watch out for children entering or exiting a bus."

## Mitchell-McCleskey announce engagement

Jim and Anita Mitchell of Hedley proudly announce the engagement of their daughter, Pam Mitchell to Elwyn McCleskey of Clarendon. Elwyn is the son of Linda McCleskey Crump and the late Elgie McCleskey of Clarendon.

The couple plan to exchange wedding vows on September 27, 1998, at the Hedley Methodist Church.

Ms. Mitchell graduated from Memphis High School in May of 1998. Mr. McCleskey graduated from Clarendon High School in May of 1998.



## State historical group recognizes Lyndal Gillen

The Texas State Historical Association recognized Lyndal Gillen, a social studies teacher at Clarendon High School, for her outstanding role in the Texas History Day Program.

For the past several years, Lyndal has motivated students to excel in the local and state history day programs. In addition, she has been active in promoting local history and has begun a Junior Historians Club at Clarendon High School. She and her students have been very active in their support of the Saints' Roost Museum and have devoted many hours to its upkeep.

In the process, she has come to be recognized as one of the top history teachers in the state of Texas and has taken Junior Historians to state competition year after year.

Ms. Gillen received a certificate of commendation from the Texas State Historical Association during the opening assembly of school this year. Clarendon High School is very proud of Mrs. Gillen and of what she had added to our understanding of Texas and local history.

## Obituaries

**Ruby M. McNeal**  
Services for Ruby M. McNeal of Denver, Colorado, age 86, were held at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 26, 1998, at Morrison Memorial Chapel in Dumas with Rev. Jerry Steward, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Stratford, officiating. Graveside services were held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 26, 1998, in Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon with the Rev. Truman Ledbetter, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Clarendon, officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Morrison Funeral Directors of Dumas.

Mrs. McNeal died on Saturday, August 22, 1998, at the Christian Living Center in Denver, Colorado. She was born December 25, 1911, in Lipan, Texas. She was a long-time resident of Stratford until moving to Littleton, Colorado, in 1993. She married Ray McNeal in November 1964 in Dalhart. She was a beautician and an amateur artist. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Stratford.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Ray McNeal.

Survivors include one son, Mike Neal of Abilene; one daughter, Rita Trimble of Littleton, Colorado; seven grandchildren; and ten great grandchildren.



Junior Historians recently elected their 1998-99 officers. They are (back) Larmie Cruz - Historian; Noel Devin - President; Kajal Patel - Reporter; Angela Papa - Secretary; (front) Mark Howard - Treasurer; Derek Shields - Vice President. The officers were elected on August 8, 1998. Photo courtesy of Clarendon High School.

## Local visitors

Geanne Gandy Forsythe and Gilda Gandy Taylor from Tahoka visited Friday with their cousin, Viola Graham.

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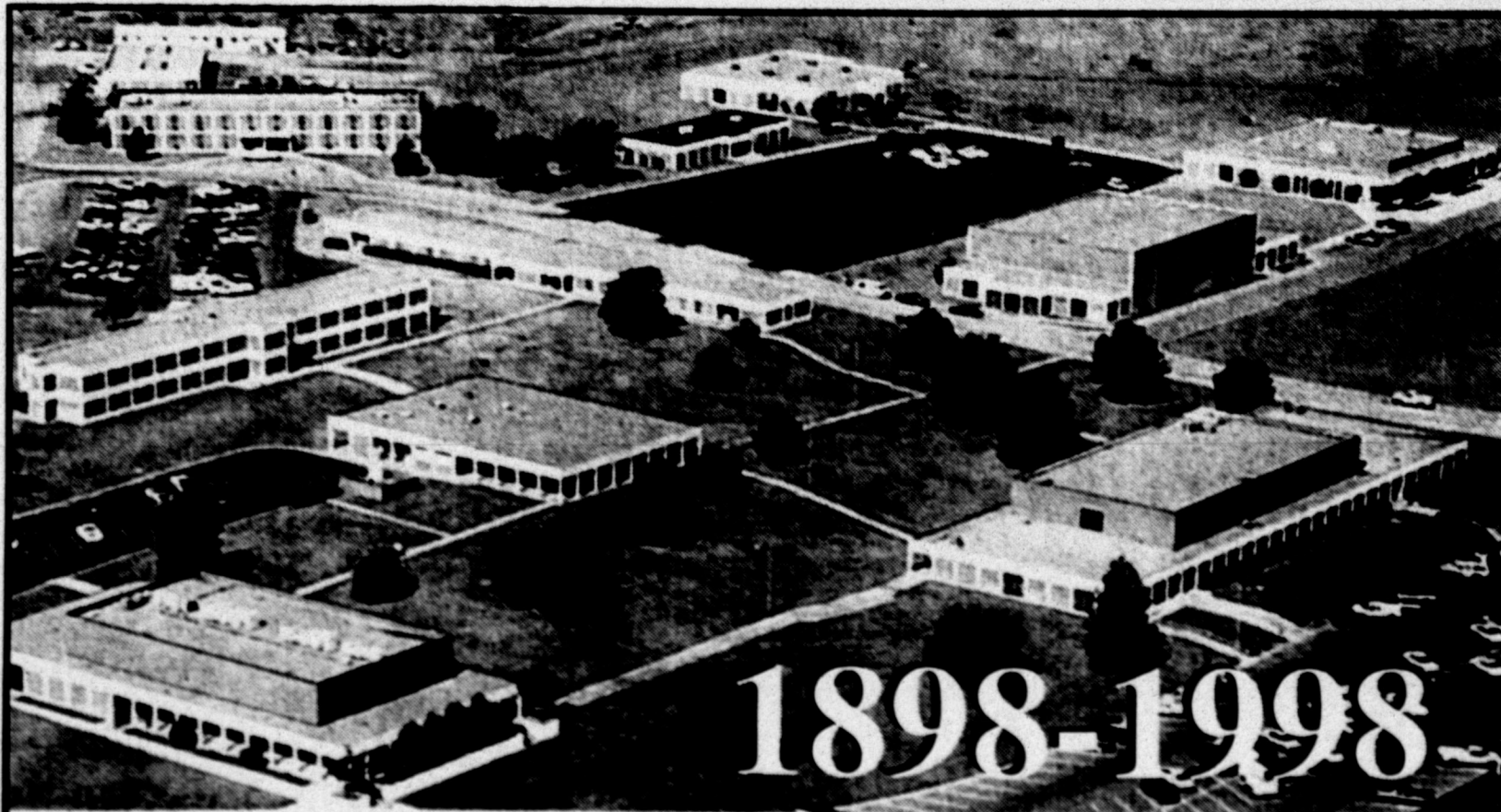
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## Book features stories from local cowboys

"The Last of the Old-Time Cowboys," A new book about long-ago ranch life in Texas and eastern New Mexico, has just been released.

Author Patrick Dearen of Midland based the nonfiction book on his interviews with 76 men who punched cattle before 1932. Clarendon-area cowhands include Tom Blasingame, Frank Derrick, Frank Yeary, Fish Wilson, J. R. Stroup, and Jones Taylor.

"Up until the mid-1930s," said Dearen, "cowboys plied their trade no

differently than in the 1800s. They used horses, not pickups or helicopters. They still drove cattle and faced stampedes and horse wrecks, and often stayed in the saddle through fierce storms. They were every bit the equal of their counterparts of the nineteenth century."

Dearen's book includes tales of weather folklore, range survival, stampedes, and cowboy humor.

"I've tried to capture the essence of these last-of-a-breed men through their stories, which they first spun 70

or 80 years ago around some long-forgotten campfire," noted Dearen.

Dearen, a Spur Award finalist in 1995, is the author of eight other books, including "Crossing Rio Pecos," "A Cowboy of the Pecos" and "The Illegal Man," a novel about the illegal alien situation.

"The Last of the Old-Time Cowboys" is available for \$20.95 postpaid from Dearen, 5115-A West Illinois, Midland, Texas, 79703.

## Good Eatin'

Clarendon Kindergarten student Tanner Haire dives into a chunk of watermelon last Tuesday, August 25, during Meet the Broncos Night at the high school.

Enterprise Photo



## 'Challenge, Commitment, Change' theme of TCFA Convention

The cattle industry is changing and the commitment from cattlemen to accept the challenge is unwavering. That's why the Texas Cattle Feeders Association (TCFA) chose "Challenge, Commitment and Change" as the theme of its 1998 Annual Convention, Oct. 25-27 at the Radisson Plaza in Fort Worth.

The Opening General Session on Monday, Oct. 26, will feature TCFA President Bob Sims, who will share his thoughts on the events of the past year. Then, the Hon. Kay Granger, congresswoman from Fort Worth, will update cattle feeders on the political climate as the nation enters the home

stretch of campaign season. Following Rep. Granger, cattle feeders will learn some insights on how successful businesses will survive and thrive in the new consumer marketplace from Don Taylor with the West Texas A&M University Small Business Development Center.

The Afternoon General Session will feature Clark Willingham, TCFA past president and current president of the National Cattlemen's Beef Association, who will look at the industry's future.

Then, Mark Mayfield will take a humorous look at staying balanced in an unbalanced world.

On Tuesday, Oct. 28, cattle feeders will hear an update on meeting the challenge of consumer expectations from Dr. Jeff Savell, leader of the Meat Science Section of Texas A&M University. And finally, Harry Balzar with NPD Group will put it all together for cattle feeders as he discusses eating patterns in America and how the consumer is changing.

For more information on the TCFA "Challenge, Commitment and Change" 1998 Annual Convention, contact TCFA at 5501 West 1-40, Amarillo, TX 79106, e-mail a message to [info@tcfa.org](mailto:info@tcfa.org) or call (806) 358-3681.

## Checkoff, SYSCO train distributors on merchandising beef

One hundred marketing associates (MAs) of SYSCO, North America's largest foodservice marketer and distributor, improved their capability to sell beef thanks to recently completed training seminars conducted in cooperation with the \$1 per head beef checkoff.

The seminar preceded SYSCO's rollout of several new beef products that the corporation developed with the help of checkoff funding through the National Cattlemen's Beef Association.

The Texas training was conducted by the Texas Beef Council (TBC), which administers the check-off program in Texas, SYSCO and Texas A&M University. TBC and SYSCO shared costs to conduct four training seminars in July for the corporation's front-line sales staff in Texas.

The objective of the training was to provide the MAs with positive information about beef that they can pass on to their clients in order to increase understanding and sales of beef products.

"Lack of proper training is an industry-wide problem in foodservice," said Bob Lorino, SYSCO's beef department manager with headquarters in Houston. "TBC and SYSCO developed this training to provide our MAs with the basic education so they're better prepared to sell beef."

The four seminars focused on U.S. beef cattle production and the efficiencies that generate high quality, consistently tender beef products. Speakers from Texas A&M University, SYSCO and TBC discussed live animal production, carcass grading and inspection, beef fabrication to produce boxed beef, value-added products, menu ideas, and nutrition.

"The focus of the seminar was on the cuts from the chuck and the round," said Linda Bebee, TBC's vice president for domestic marketing. "These cuts have fallen 23 and 20 percent, respectively, in value over the last five years. However, they make up 66 percent of the beef carcass by weight. The checkoff program will work through companies like SYSCO to generate increased marketing opportunities and raise the value of these cuts."

Particular emphasis was paid to merchandising cuts like shoulder clod, inside round, tri-tips, and beef rib. Each of these cuts is underutilized in hotels, restaurants and institutions, yet each also offers excellent value at low cost to the foodservice operator.

"We went through the whole nine yards in the training," Lorino said. "There is an unbelievable need for any company to better educate its professional sales staff on the products they are going to sell. And in today's restaurant business environment, it is critical that the sales staff be educated. That's why we conducted these trainings."

SYSCO operates 71 distribution

facilities in the contiguous United States, Alaska, and Canada. The corporation provides products and services to approximately 270,000 restaurants, hotels, schools, hospitals, retirement homes, and other foodservice operations.

"Partnerships with influential

companies like SYSCO compound the impact of our beef checkoff dollars," said Richard Wortham, TBC executive vice president. "Through them, we increase beef's share of menus in restaurants, hotels and institutions, which make up more than half of each food dollar spent by Americans."

## Donley County 4-H club to meet September 8th

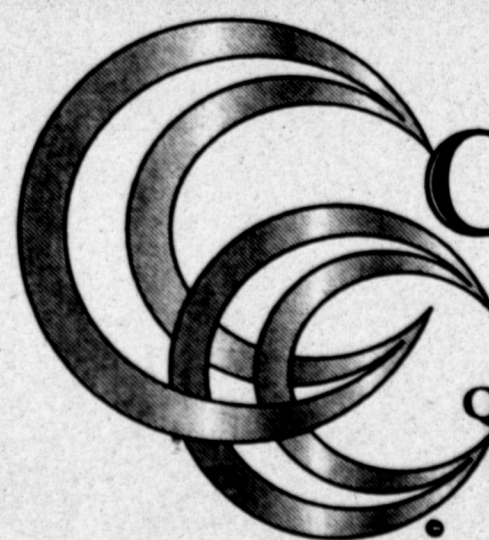
By Sue Church, County FCS Agent

The Donley County 4-H Club will hold its first meeting Tuesday, September 8th, at the Church of Christ Family Life Center starting at 7:00 p.m. The program for the evening will be Mary Jane Bridges, a local caterer, who will give a food preparation presentation. Come ready to sample the dishes she prepares for the group.

Since it is the first meeting of the 4-H year, members are encouraged to

enroll for the 1998-99 4-H year. We have had a 13% increase in membership during the current year and are looking ahead to exceeding that goal next year. There is no fee charged to become a member.

4-H is a program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Extension programs serve people of all ages. Remember—"4-H is more than you ever imagined!"



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## Ambulance Authority to co-sponsor EMT-B classes

Associated Ambulance Authority and the Fritch EMS Education Group will be sponsoring an Emergency Care Attendant (ECA) and Emergency Medical Technician Basic (EMT-B) class.

The class will start on September 22, 1998. The Classes will be on Tuesdays and Thursday nights from 06:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. and will be held at the Clarendon Fire Department Training Room located on the second floor of the City Hall.

The class will be a total of two hundred and two hours (202) for the EMT-B. The EMT-B will also be required forty-eight (48) hours of hospital internship and ten (10) hours of ambulance internship consisting of five (5) ambulance runs.

The ECA will be required to have one hundred and forty-four class hours. The students will also be required to learn and be tested on twelve (12) basic and advanced skills: Bandaging, splinting, traction splinting, mechanical aids to breathing, patient assessment, spinal immobilization of seated patients, spinal immobilization of supine patient, epinephrine auto injector, bronchodilator administration-small volume nebulizer, bronchodilator administration-hand held metered dose inhaler, cardiac arrest management/AED and pneumatic anti-shock garment.

At the end of this program, the student will have completed the requirements to sit for the Texas Department of Health credentialing exam to obtain certification as an EMT-Basic. Upon passing the state written exam, the student will obtain Texas certification as an EMT-Basic. The student must complete all course requirements and successfully pass the course before being allowed to sit for the state credentialing exam by the course coordinator. At the successful completion of the program the course coordinator will issue a course completion certificate to the student allowing the student to take the state written exam. Students desiring to take the Department of Health ECA written exam will be required to complete only the classroom portion of the course. They will be exempt from all internship participation and requirements.

With the passing of the State written exam the EMT-B and ECA will be required to keep up continuing education at their level of certification. The EMT-B will be required to have eighty (80) hours of continuing education every four years to maintain their certification. The ECA will be required to have forty (40) hours of continuing education in their four years of certification.

The instructors for the class will be Joe Poole, Lucy Poole, Phillip Vargas, Paul Taylor, and Jamie Berry. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the office at (806) 874-3139 between the hours of 8:00 am to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.



A.J. Moffit turns on the valves to the waterslides at Thunder Junction which connected the park to the city water main on Tuesday, August 25, 1998.

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### The Lion's Tale

By Allen Estlack  
The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular Tuesday noon meeting on September 1, 1998, with 15 members and three guests present.

Our guests were Betty McCutchen, guest of Lion Jimmy Garland, and Jim Shadle, guest of Lion Jerry Woodard.

Boss Lion Jim Blackerby reminded everyone that our annual Lions Pancake Supper will be held at the Lions Hall on October 9. Tickets will be available soon.

Our program was presented by Donley County Treasurer Becky Jackson.

### Remember VJ Day

VJ Day is celebrated September 3, for the surrender of Japanese forces ending World War II. Because some thought this wording offensive, the Clinton administration renamed VJ Day to "The End of the Pacific War" in 1995.

Compliments of Donley County Post 7782, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

### VFW Breakfast

Saturday  
Sept. 5  
7 to 9 am  
Public invited

## Cub Scouts gain new members, more expected

The Clarendon Cub Scout Pack #437 held its Back-To-School Night on Monday, August 24, at the Clarendon Elementary School. Fourteen new Tiger Cubs and Cub Scouts joined the Pack that night and several more are expected to join the next few days.

Cubmaster Tom L. Roach, III, wants all boys in the first through fifth grades to know that they are wanted to be a part of the Cub Scout Pack and

that the leaders would like to have their parents involved as well. They hope to get all the new cubs signed up in the next week so they can participate in the upcoming Rain-Gutter Regatta. This will be lots of fun, and, of course, we are planning a great year.

Pack #437 will have their first annual Rain-Gutter Regatta on Saturday, September 18, at 10:00 a.m. in the City Park Pavilion. This is a race of home built sailboats down a stretch

of water filled rain-gutters, sailing by Cub Scout wind power. Medals for all dens and a Grand Prize Trophy will be awarded after the race.

Also, our September Pack Meeting will be held Monday, September 21, in Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church of Clarendon at 7:00 p.m. They are planning to kick off a great year with a fun-filled pack meeting. It is important that all cubs and parents attend.

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### Extension Service Update

by Leon J. Church, CEA-AG and Sue P. Church, CEA-FCS

The first meeting of the Donley County 4-H Club will be at the Church of Christ Family Life Center on Tuesday, September 8th, at 7:00 p.m.

The program will be Mary Jane Bridges, caterer, who will put on a food preparation presentation. Also, this will be the meeting when 4-Her's will sign up for the program and specific projects.

The Early Birds FCE Club is inviting the public to attend a program presented by Trina Gahagan on the use of rubber stamps. The program, "Stampin' It Up," will begin at 1:30 p.m. at the Panhandle Community Services Building with a business meeting to follow.

4-Her's wishing to show market swine during 1998-99 show season need to contact Leon Church so that validation tags can be ordered. Orders

must be placed by September 18th, so place your order today.

Dr. Dennis Fisher, professor of ag economics and an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will be in Clarendon on September 15th, to present two programs to the general public. The first, "Customer Relations," will be at 7:00 a.m. at the Clarendon College Cafeteria; cost is \$3.00. The luncheon meeting, "What Drive's Your Economy? Tourism," will be held at the Lion's Club Building during the Lion's regular weekly meeting. Individuals who are not Lion's Club members will be charged \$5.00 for the cost of the meal.

Soybean Field Day will be September 15th at the Bushland Experiment Station from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Lunch will be provided by the Texas Soybean Producers.

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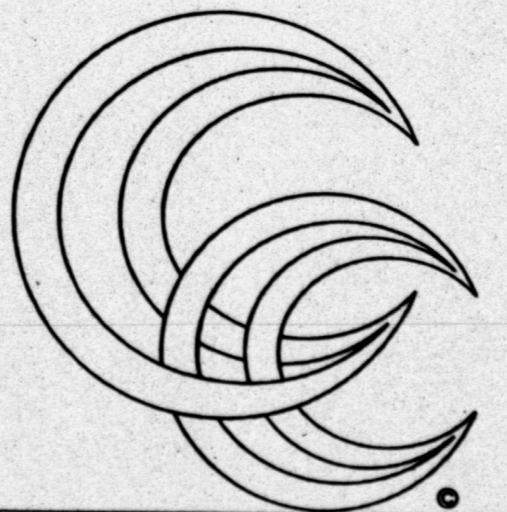
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# Broncos to open season at Claude Friday night

One of the fun aspects of football is that the defense is allowed to score. A Wheeler fumble, caused by Dee Thompson and Zack Butts, gave Cael Shields the opportunity to run the ball in for the only touchdown of the scrimmage last Friday evening. Nathan Floyd's PAT was also right down the middle.

"Overall I was pleased with the scrimmage. I was glad that we had the last quarter. It gave us a chance to reestablish ourselves," said Bronco head football coach, Mark Howard. "Early on I felt Wheeler really dominated us defensively because we didn't have much offense."

"Probably the most improvement came on defense. I think maybe at first our kids were a little bit hesitant because of Wheeler's reputation. And from hearing and knowing from scrimmages in the past that they are a physical football team. But I don't think we backed down from that. I think we kind of grew up. Towards the end of the scrimmage, we started being a lot more physical ourselves. The kids had two or three pretty good hits, and kids were starting to do some things they hadn't done the week before."

When asked what still needs the most work Coach Howard stated, "I think our execution and timing on our option game. It's not like any other offense. There is a lot of synchronization involved. And because of that, it is a finesse type scheme. Getting the kids familiar with it won't come overnight."

Clarendon will open its regular season Friday, September 4, at 7:30 PM in Claude. The Bronco JV team

will open on Thursday, September 3, at 5 PM in Bronco Stadium.

"I expect Claude to be similar to Wheeler as far as what they do scheme wise. Defensively they do about the same thing. Offensively they will be real multiple. They try to get outside a lot; they don't have a lot of inside running game. The option part of their game has been very effective against people they have played. So, we're going to have to do our job containing that."

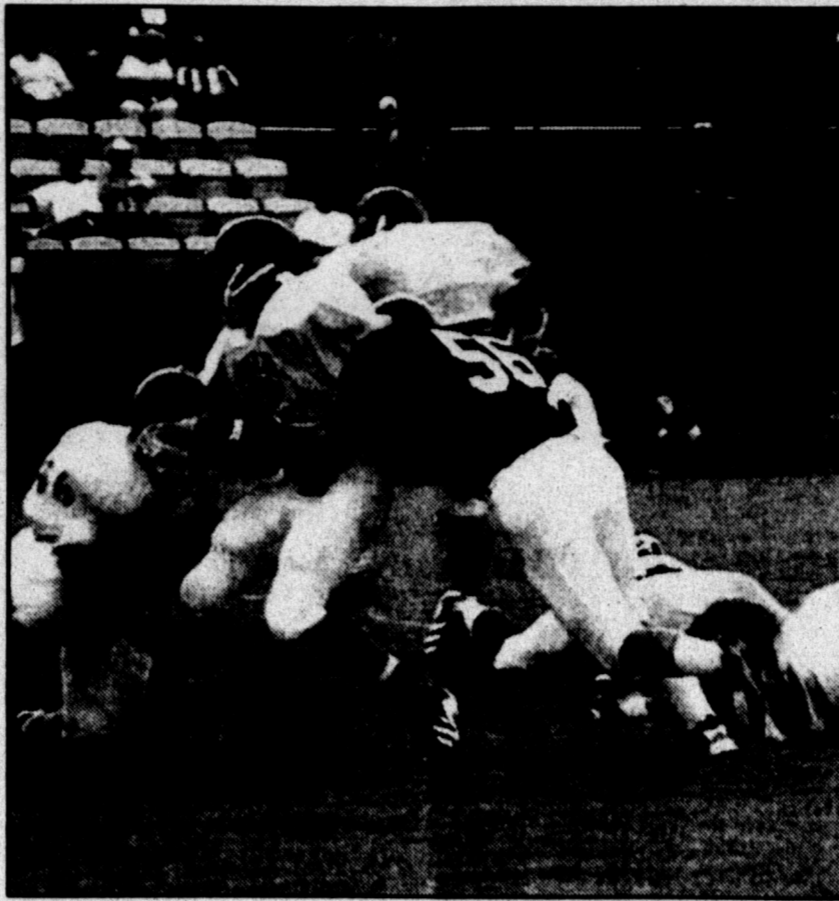
"I really feel that we'll be able to handle Claude if we make as much improvement from last week to this week like we did between the two scrimmages. We win on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday during the week. If we don't win then, then we struggle on Friday."

*Editor's Note: In last week's Enterprise, Coach Howard was quoted as saying that "in the past, Clarendon has been a run blocking team and we are now a pass blocking team," which was incorrect. We are now a run blocking team, and we used to be a pass blocking team. The Clarendon Enterprise regrets this error.*

## Boosters taking orders for yard signs

The Bronco Boosters are taking orders for yard signs for the Broncos and Colts.

If you want to order a sign, please call 874-3498 after 6:00 p.m. The cost of the signs will be \$20.00.



Nathan Floyd brings down a Wheeler Mustang during the Broncos' scrimmage last Thursday. The Broncos will take on Claude this Friday in the first game of the season.

Enterprise Photo

## Turvaville to travel with International Bands of America

Bryan Turvaville, a member of the Clarendon High School Marching Bands will be traveling and performing in a European Tour in 1999, organized by the International Bands of America. The tour, which begins in July, includes a Concert and Marching band. Bryan has been selected and is registered to play in the concert band. He will be playing the euphonium (baritone).

The bands toured in Belgium, France, and the Netherlands this past summer and may or may not tour the same countries next year. The bands do perform at least six concerts with a possible audience of over 30,000. In addition, Bryan and his fellow performers will have the opportunity to work with several collegiate Band Directors who will tour with the International Bands of America. The tour will also include many sightseeing and educational activities that will allow performers to experience the culture of the host countries.

Bryan has been in band since the seventh grade and has been selected to All region Band each year and played in the Symphonic Band his sophomore year. Bryan has participated in JV Football 2 years, FTA 2 years, FFA 1 year, Spanish Club 2 years, track 1 year, power lifting 1 year, and Junior Historians 1 year where he earned special recognition and an award for his presentation at regional competition. Bryan has also been nominated for *Who's Who among High School Students* 2 years in a row.

To help defray the cost of the tour,



Bryan Turvaville

which will be approximately \$4,000.00. Bryan has worked on a farm this summer and has approximately one third of his trip paid. He will also be looking for part time work during this school year. If you are interested in helping Bryan achieve his goal of representing the Clarendon area and the USA overseas during the summer of 1999, please call 806-874-3394. Sponsorship donations can be made by contacting Bryan, his parents, or Band Booster Officers (Julie Hartman, Pres., Debbie Roberts, Vice Pres., Rhonda Newhouse, Tres., Carol Holden, Sec.) to obtain the form to make a direct donation.

For additional information, please contact International Band of America at 1-800-472-7501 or Bryan Turvaville at 806-874-3394.

Clarendon Band Boosters proudly supports Bryan in this endeavor. He is an outstanding band student and will be an excellent representative for Clarendon Independent School District.

## Money 2000+ Tip of the Week: savings and investments

By Sue Church, County FCS Agent

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### Clarendon Menus Sept. 7-11

**Clarendon Schools**  
**Breakfast**  
 Mon: No school  
 Tues: Cereal, toast, juice, milk  
 Wed: Eggs, toast, juice, milk  
 Thur: Pancakes, juice, milk  
 Fri: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk  
**Lunch**  
 Mon: No school  
 Tues: Corndogs, black-eyed peas, French fries, cookie, milk  
 Wed: Frito pie with meat & cheese, salad, fruit, graham crackers, milk  
 Thur: Sliced turkey with gravy, hot roll, creamed potatoes, green beans, cake, milk  
 Fri: Sub sandwiches (ham and cheese), lettuce, tomato, pickles, onion, potato chips, fresh fruit, milk  
**Donley County Senior Citizens**  
 Mon: Oven fried chicken, hominy casserole, green beans, nite cap salad, chocolate pudding with topping, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
 Tues: Cheeseburger, tator tots, pea salad, cherry cobbler with ice cream, hamburger bun, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
 Wed: Chicken fajitas, Spanish rice, pinto beans, tossed salad, peaches, flour tortilla, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
 Thur: Sweet and sour pork chops, au gratin potatoes, fried okra, purple plums, bread pudding with lemon sauce, dinner roll, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
 Fri: Barbecue chicken, baked beans, onion rings, potato salad, apricots, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

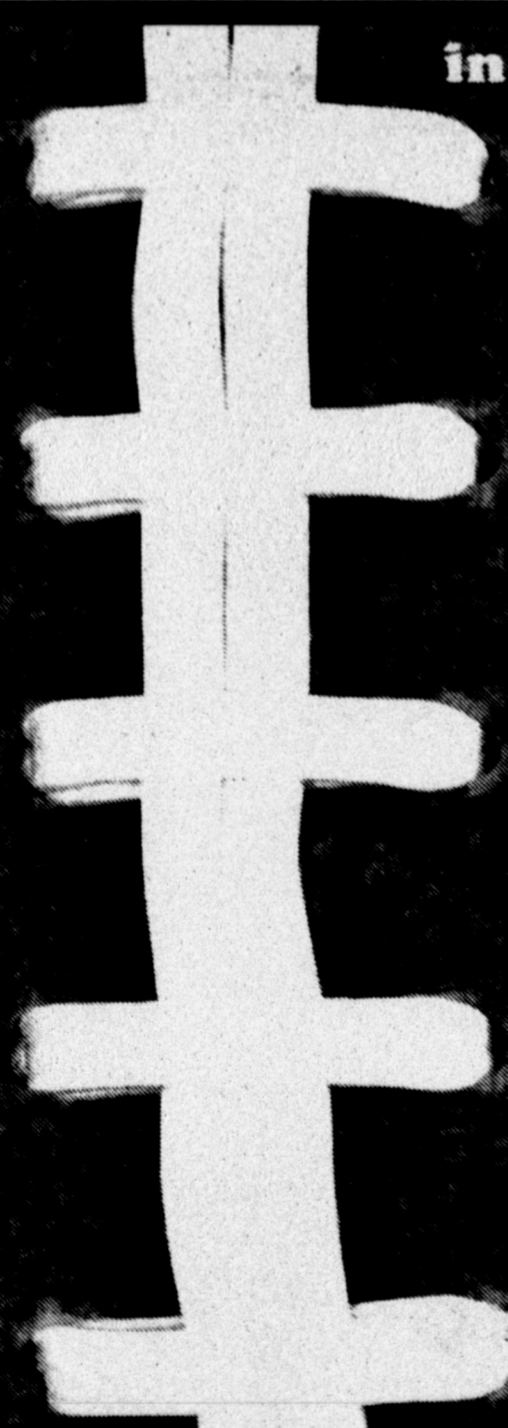
### Hedley Menus Sept. 7-11

**Hedley Schools**  
**Breakfast**  
 Mon: No School  
 Tues: Sausage and egg burrito, cereal, graham crackers, milk, juice  
 Wed: French toast sticks with syrup, cereal, graham crackers, milk, juice  
 Thur: Egg and toast, sausage patties, cereal, graham crackers, milk, juice  
 Fri: Cinnamon rolls, cereal, milk, juice, graham crackers  
**Lunch**  
 Mon: No School  
 Tues: Chicken fajitas, chili beans, Spanish rice, salad, fruit bar, apple cobbler, milk, combread  
 Wed: Pizza, corn, green salad, fruit, cookies, milk  
 Thur: Fish sticks, mashed potatoes, peas, salad, fruit bar, chocolate cake, rolls, milk  
 Fri: Meat and bean burrito with chili sauce, corn on the cob, Peach cobbler, corn bread, salad, fruit, milk  
**Hedley Senior Citizens**  
 Mon: Closed for holiday  
 Tues: Oven fried chicken, French fries, buttered squash, cucumber-onion salad, sliced peaches, roll, milk, tea, coffee  
 Wed: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, cantaloupe, pumpkin pie, roll, milk, tea, coffee  
 Thur: Beef enchiladas, Spanish rice, refried beans, tossed salad, apricot cobbler, chips or crackers, milk, tea, coffee  
 Fri: Meat sauce and spaghetti, steamed cabbage, cantaloupe, butterscotch pudding, garlic toast, milk, tea, coffee

# Football '98

## Broncos vs. Claude

in Claude, Sept. 4, 7:30 pm



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#10	Colt Floyd	Soph.	QB/FS
#12	Chris Linquist	Jr.	QB/FS
#14	Zack Butts	Jr.	WR/SS
#20	Carey Thornberry	Jr.	WR/C
#22	Wes Ritchie	Sr.	TB/LB
#25	Chris Johnsen	Soph.	WB/SS
#32	Ben Wilson	Jr.	FB/LB
#33	Dee Thompson	Soph.	TB/C
#40	Garrett Bains	Jr.	FB/DE
#50	D.J. Edwards	Sr.	G/DE
#52	Brandon Word	Jr.	G/DT
#60	Nathan Floyd	Soph.	G/DE
#64	Blake Osburn	Sr.	T/DE
#65	Nickless Devin	Soph.	C/LB
#72	Parker Kerlee	Sr.	T/DT
#73	Mark Howard	Sr.	G/LB
#75	Sean Beach	Sr.	T/DT
#77	Hunter Spier	Jr.	C/DT
#78	David Sanchez	Sr.	T/LB
#80	Aaron Jeffers	Jr.	TE/DE
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## Fisher to speak on customer relations, tourism

By Sue Church, County FCS Agent  
Dr. Dennis Fisher, professor of agricultural economics and an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will be the featured speaker at two meetings on Tuesday, September 15, for interested business owners and citizens of the community.

With the holidays fast approaching, Dr. Fisher will address the topic of customer relations at 7:00 a.m. in the Clarendon College cafeteria. He will focus on how we as business own-

ers and a community at large can provide better service to our clientele. Cost for the meeting will be \$3.00 which will cover the buffet breakfast.

At noon, Dr. Fisher will speak at the regular Lion's Club lunch meeting on the topic of "What Drives Your Economy? Tourism."

Developing tourism is one of the goals which Clarendon's Economic Development Corporation has established for our community. Cost for the luncheon meeting will be \$5.00 for

individuals not members of the Clarendon Lion's Club.

To reserve a space at either the breakfast or luncheon, please call Linda Williams, Executive Secretary of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce at 874-2421 by September 9.

Sponsors of these programs are the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation, Clarendon Chamber of Commerce, and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service-Donley County. August 31, 1998

## Spaces available in CC vocational programs

Need a good paying job? Clarendon College has just a few more openings in its Vocational Nursing and Computer Maintenance Technology programs. Last day to register for either of these exciting career programs is September 4. Call 874-3571 for more information.

Both programs prepare students to enter career fields where jobs are plentiful and pay is better than average. Both provide the base for future careers well after 2000.

The Licensed Vocational Nursing program has sites in Clarendon and Shamrock. A year of study prepares students to take the Texas State Vocational Nursing licensing examination. Graduates work in hospitals, clinics, and other health care facilities and are in constant demand.

### Tabs still being collected by students

The fourth grade class of Mrs. Hankins' has begun the new school year collecting over 10,000 tabs since the first day of school.

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The Clarendon College LVN program has been completely revised over the past year, and requirements may differ from what prospective students expected in the past. Students may contact Program Director Vickie Moore and Shamrock instructor Ethel Perez to learn more about changes in program requirements.

Computer Maintenance Technology requires two years of study, but

graduates can prepare for licensure exams with Microsoft systems and others. Lee Rippetoe, who heads the program, notes that computer maintenance technicians are now in high demand. Many businesses and government agencies have purchased the equipment but have not been able to hire someone to keep their equipment running. "It's a good career for both women and men," Rippetoe says.

## LOOKING BACK

### 15 Years Ago

*The Clarendon Press,*  
September 1, 1983

- Hedley schools opened with an enrollment of 111 students - an increase of 11 students from the previous school term.
- Local winners in the 7th Annual Gray County 4-H Youth Rodeo were Jimmy Uptergrove (ribbon roping) and Brad Shadle (steer riding).

### 25 Years Ago

*The Donley County Leader,*  
September 6, 1973

- A course in Feedlot Operations is being offered for the first time this semester at Clarendon College and is being favorably received by feedlot managers.
- Clyde Slavin, County Attorney for Donley County, resigned from office for personal reasons.

### 50 Years Ago

*The Donley County Leader,*  
September 2, 1948

- Perry Campbell, whose farm is located eight miles south of town, brought in the first bale of cotton for the year. E.B. Bryson, who farms about a half-mile northeast of town, was a close second with his bale being ginned about 30 minutes later than Campbell's was.

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## Meeting The Students

Nelson Christie of Clarendon visits with new and returning students of Clarendon College.

A great many local people turned out last Thursday night to meet and greet the students during an Ice Cream Social sponsored by local churches.



Enterprise Photo

## Catholic Church to hold celebration September 13

St. Mary's Catholic Church, the oldest Catholic Church in the Panhandle, is holding their first annual St. Mary's Day celebration on Sept. 13, 1998, from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The celebration will be an old fashioned Sunday afternoon, featuring ham:burgers cooked outside, games for all ages, raffles, a country store with

homemade baked goods and craft items, and lots of just plain fun for the whole family.

The church would like to invite everyone to come out and enjoy the afternoon with them. The proceeds will go to build a Parish Hall. For tickets and information, please call 874-2846.

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# CRP extends forage available during drought

TEMPLE — Many livestock producers are taking advantage of a USDA program that allows for emergency grazing of Conservation Reserve (CRP) lands during the 1998 drought. The program allows for CRP participants to graze their fields or lease them to a neighbor for a limited time period, provided they obtain a grazing plan from the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS).

Approved counties experienced a loss of available grazing as the dry conditions continued during the spring. The grazing period extends through the summer and expires in November. The cost to the producer for grazing the CRP land is 25 percent of the annual rental payment multiplied by the number of acres grazed.

CRP acreages in Donley County generally consist of small fields interspersed with larger acreage's grazed range or pastureland. This arrangement works well in counties where most of the CRP units already have fences and adequate water, so the ex-

penses associated with grazing them are minimal.

The USDA-NRCS is currently working with people to assist with stocking rate recommendations, grazing schedules, and other aspects of grazing management. Most of the people who take advantage of this program are owner/operators who are utilizing the grazing opportunity with their own livestock.

However, some of the participants are leasing acreage to other producers. The nature of the leases vary. Some are leasing to their neighbors at cost and others are charging for the grazing on a per-head per-month basis.

This has been a good program all the way around for livestock producers. In addition to providing low-cost emergency forage, grazing the CRP is giving ranchers an opportunity to rest their rangeland pastures. Allowing desirable range grasses enough time to recover their vigor and develop seed is critical for future productivity. Controlled grazing is also beneficial for the CRP fields. Most of the grasses

established under CRP are well adapted to grazing. A grazing cycle or two will remove thatch, increase tillering, and even allow for additional seedling development over the long-term. The fact is, grazing older CRP field will increase plant vigor and rejuvenate the established stand that may be a little decadent from lack of grazing, burning, etc.

USDA-NRCS employees have been kept busy this year helping producers realize the benefits of CRP grazing and how to avoid the pitfalls of overgrazing. These grazing plans may include a recommended number of livestock to graze in a given field over a prescribed period. The rain that has been received has resulted in good growth in many fields. USDA is now focusing on assisting producers to maintain adequate grazing heights on their important forage grasses. The amount of forage available has been increased by pulling livestock for a time and allowing CRP fields to recover before another grazing cycle.

Grazing plans are being written to address the Emergency Grazing

Provisions. At least 25 percent of the grass in a CRP field must be maintained for wildlife cover. The recommended procedure is to fence off 25 percent of the field which will remain ungrazed. As an alternative, the entire field may be grazed if the stocking rate is reduced by 25 percent and/or the minimum stubble height is increased proportionately to leave the required cover.

For more information on USDA programs that allow emergency haying or grazing of CRP lands, please contact your local USDA-NRCS office at 874-3561.

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## Senior Health Briefs

### Aging gets a bad rap

HOUSTON -- America's population is aging at an unprecedented pace. Every eight seconds, another baby boomer turns 50, and by the year 2011, the number of Americans over the age of 65 will double. What do these senior-citizens-in-the-making have to look forward to?

"Plenty," said Dr. Robert Luchi, director of the Huffington Center on Aging at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "We can enjoy tremendous growth as we age. It's not physical growth, but it's growth of the spirit and learning to accept these changes can help us enjoy life as we grow older."

The key is to focus on living instead of aging.

"The people who mature and who appreciate the fact that the process of forming ourselves is a lifetime effort are the ones who grow old successfully," he said.

And moving up in years does not always mean a move to the rocking chair. In fact, nearly 90 percent of people ages 65 through 74 have no disability that prevents them from leading a full life.

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## Pregnant women added to list of high-risk flu victims

HOUSTON — Pregnant women have been added to the list of high-risk people for whom a flu shot is recommended this year.

"Research has shown that pregnant women are more likely to develop complications from influenza, such as pneumonia, than are young adults in the same age group," said Dr. W. Paul Glezen, an epidemiologist at the Influenza Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston and an attending physician at Houston's Ben Taub General Hospital. "The risk is 4.5 times greater in the last three months of pregnancy."

The vaccine is recommended for women who will be in the second or third trimester of pregnancy during flu season, which typically runs from November through March in the

United States.

Others at risk for possibly fatal complications of the flu are the following:

- People who are 65 years of age or older
- People with heart disease
- People with diabetes, kidney failure, AIDS, cancer or other chronic diseases that have required regular medical visits or hospitalization during the past year
- People with chronic lung disease, including asthma and bronchitis
- Children and teenagers on long-term aspirin therapy, which could put them at risk for Reye's syndrome after getting the flu.

Because flu season sometimes occurs in early fall, Glezen

recommends that people at high risk of flu complications get their flu shots as soon as possible. The vaccine is usually available by Sept. 1.

This year's vaccine provides protection against the three strains of flu virus expected to dominate the 1998-99 season: A/Beijing (H1N1), A/Sydney (H3N2) and B/Harbin. The vaccine is about 85 percent effective in helping people avoid influenza, which kills thousands of people every year, most of them elderly.

"People shouldn't worry about getting the flu from a flu shot," Glezen said. "That's not possible, because the vaccine isn't made from a live virus."

Flu shots significantly lower the risk of hospitalization for influenza and pneumonia in people 65 or older, he said. "But healthy adults and

children can also benefit from the vaccine by sparing themselves the misery of flu symptoms."

Flu shots are also recommended for health-care workers and others likely to have contact with the high-risk groups.

Influenza often strikes suddenly. Symptoms include fever, muscle pain, fatigue, a sore throat, and a dry, hacking cough.

Adults can take aspirin or aspirin substitutes to reduce their fever and pain. Acetaminophen is recommended for treatment of these symptoms in children. Bed rest and liquids are also recommended for flu patients. Two drugs available by prescription only, amantadine, and rimantadine, can help reduce the severity of illness caused by type-A flu strains if taken within 48 hours after symptoms develop.

## Clarendon Aldermen hold regular meeting

The Clarendon Board of Aldermen met in regular session August 25, 1998, at 7 p.m. in the Board Room of City Hall.

Jim Roberts reported on the trash trucks and the highway construction crew cleaning out the drainage ditch for fill materials.

Jean Stavenhagen represented the Donley County Historical Commission in the request of a letter of support for a grant to preserve the Courthouse. The board approved the motion. Mac Stavenhagen abstained.

Willard Skelton asked the city for funds from the Motel Bed Tax for advertisement of the Chuckwagon Cookoff for the Saints' Roost Museum. This item was tabled until the next meeting.

The upcoming audit was discussed, but the item was

tabled until more information could be gathered.

Buster Gray's request to close Barcus and Burkhead streets between Kearney and Gorst was also tabled.

Trey Chamberlain and Linda Williams spoke to the Aldermen as representatives of the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation. The CEDC requested the authority to use a tax freeze to bargain with as an incentive for businesses to come to Clarendon.

They propose freezing the taxes for a new business for up to a maximum of five years and then allowing only 50% of the capitol improvements to be taxed for up to three years. Alderman James Owens moved, seconded by B.J. Land, to approve the proposal. Motion carried. Mac Stavenhagen abstained since he serves on CEDC board.

## Baylor studies first laser to correct farsightedness

HOUSTON — The holmium YAG laser, which uses laser light to heat the cornea of the eye, is the first device of its kind designed to correct farsightedness.

The laser was used for the first time by physicians from the Alkek Eye Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston and is currently being studied to evaluate effectiveness and safety.

"The technique involves gently heating the peripheral cornea to steepen the curvature of the center of the cornea," said Dr. Douglas Koch, professor of ophthalmology at Baylor and director of the holmium study at the Alkek Eye Center. "By changing the shape of the cornea, we're able to correct farsightedness up to about +2.5, which covers the majority of farsighted patients."

The laser might also benefit people over the age of 40, whose vision undergoes age-related changes, requiring them to use reading glasses.

"In these patients who have good distance vision, we can treat one eye with the laser to induce some nearsightedness and turn the distance eye into an eye for read-

ing," he said.

For many individuals, this approach can reduce their dependency on or eliminate the need for reading glasses. But Koch advises that not all patients can adjust to different focusing power in each eye. Patients considering the treatment first wear a contact lens for a trial period to ensure they can manage the change in vision.

Initial results in the holmium clinical trial have been positive.

"It's a very gentle treatment, and we have yet to see any patients who've lost any significant vision," said Koch. "We've been able to correct low amounts of farsightedness with very little discomfort."

As with any laser vision treatment, the goal is to reduce dependency on corrective lenses. Due to age-related vision changes, nearly all patients will require corrective lenses at some point in their lives.

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## Sharp calls unclaimed property auction a huge success

USTIN — State Comptroller John Sharp today announced that the 1998 Unclaimed Property Auction brought \$592,925 - nearly \$68,000 more than originally expected - with the sale of a record-breaking 185,000 items.

"We knew that Saturday's auction had generated a lot of interest when we received four times the number of requests for advance copies of the catalog than we had received for previous sales," Sharp said. "But, we knew we hit the big time when the debut of the electronic version of the catalog logged more than 470,000 searches. This set a high bar for future auctions."

The auction of 185,000 unclaimed items from abandoned safe

deposit boxes was expected to generate \$525,000.

More than 1,400 people from throughout the country, of whom 800 were registered to bid at the auction, competed to buy the forgotten items. This is about twice the number of bidders who participated in previous unclaimed property auctions. The competition between bidders meant that some items sold for well above their estimated value.

"For example, a 1902 five dollar bill issued by the Runge National Bank in Karnes County sold at the auction for \$1,600 - about four times more than the suggested price range," Sharp said.

If the owners of the auctioned

items ever turn up, they will receive the proceeds from the sale of their property. Meanwhile, like other unclaimed money and other valuables that are turned over to the state under the Unclaimed Property law, revenue from the auction will be used to pay for state programs and services.

At Saturday's auction, a Shirley Temple doll in a Texas Ranger costume, a souvenir of the 1936 Texas Centennial, was purchased by a New York man for \$800. An autograph book containing unauthenticated signatures believed to be those of former President Franklin D. Roosevelt, former First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt, and other public figures from the World War II era sold for \$1,200. A

ladies' 2.88 carat diamond ring which was appraised at \$8,500 sold for \$6,800. The fish brooch on the cover of the auction catalog sold for \$1,550.

The winning bids for all of the auction items can be found on the Comptroller's Window on State Government Internet site at <http://www.windowstate.tx.us>.

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Mary Lee and Lacy Noble (back row left) celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary at the Donley County Senior Citizens Birthday/Anniversary Supper last Tuesday night. Celebrating August birthdays were (seated) Allene Leathers, Mildred Housden, Leona Musgrove, (standing) Alvin Hicks, Melville Mills, and Al Musgrove.

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### Clarendon

#### First United Methodist Church

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Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 8:30 and 10:50 a.m.

#### First Baptist Church

300 Bugbee • 874-3833  
Pastor: Truman Ledbetter  
Music & Youth Director: Geary Martin  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:55 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

#### Church of Christ

300 S. Carhart • 874-2495  
Minister: Mike Sultier  
Youth Minister: Bruce Baird  
Sunday Bible Class: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

#### Calvary Baptist Church

HWY 287 • 874-3156  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

#### First Christian Church

120 E. 3rd • 874-3212  
Pastor: Everett Stevens  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:45 a.m.

#### St. John The Baptist Episcopal Church

874-2231  
Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.  
St. Mary's Catholic Church  
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Fr. Jose E. Gomez  
Sunday Mass: 9:00 a.m.

#### True Church of God in Christ

300 N. Jefferson • Pastor: Roy Williams  
Sunday School: 10:00-11:15  
Sunday Service: 11:15 a.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

#### Martin Baptist Church

874-2025 • Pastor: Bryan Knowles  
Music Director: Winfred McQueen  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service: 6:00 p.m.  
Food & Fellowship: 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

### Church of Nazarene

209 S. Holly • 874-2321

Pastor: Grady Roundtree  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:30 p.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

### First Assembly of God

501 McClelland • 874-2195  
Pastor: Jerry Pollard  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:50 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

### First Presbyterian Church

874-9269 • Pastor: Smiley Johnson

Every Sunday: 11:00 a.m.

### Jesus Name Apostolic Church

Corner of Montgomery & Foker

Sunday Services: 3:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

### St. Stephens Baptist Church

300 N. Jefferson • Pastor: Melvin Brooks

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 11:15 a.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.  
(weather permitting)

### Hedley

#### First Baptist Church

874-5980 • Pastor: Bruce Howard  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

#### Church of Christ

Minister: Bright Newhouse  
Sunday Bible Class: 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

#### United Methodist Church

Pastor: Ervin Emmert  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.

### Howardwick

#### First Baptist Church

874-3326 • Pastor: Jim Powell  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

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#### Brice Deliverance Tabernacle

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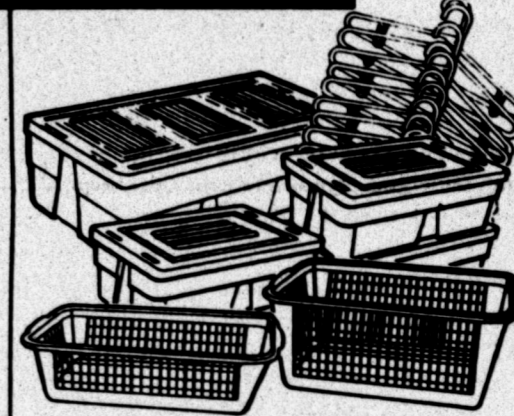
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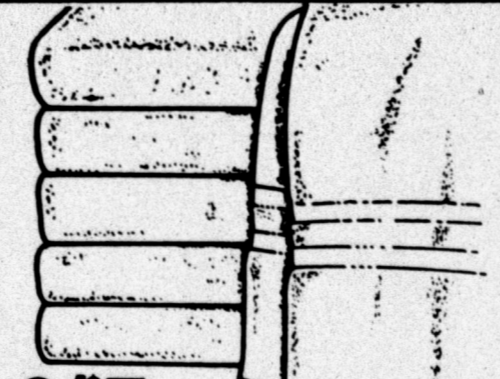
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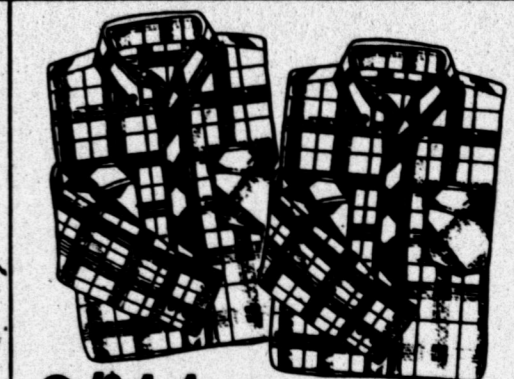
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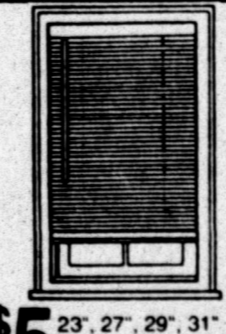
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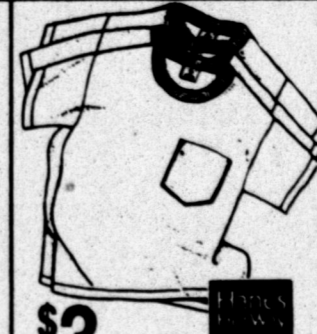
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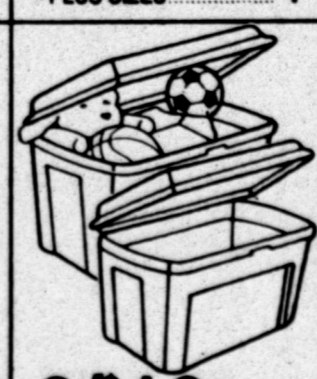
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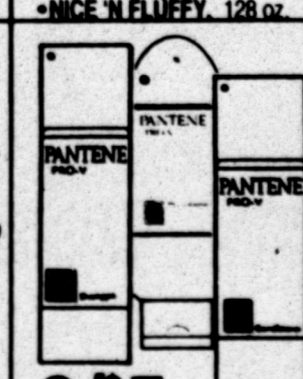
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# TPWD says: Panhandle residents are able aid hummingbirds during migration through this area

**CANYON** — Panhandle communities serve as islands of habitat for migrating hummingbirds according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD).

"In most years, species of wildflowers that are attractive to hummingbirds are in short supply in the Panhandle, especially during the late summer-fall migrational period," said Jim Ray, Migratory Bird/Wetlands Biologist for the High and Rolling Plains. "Migrating hummingbirds, therefore, rely on various ornamental and native flowers found in our residential areas."

The hummingbird migration is underway and the birds have been visiting Panhandle neighborhoods since mid-June. "All four of the Panhandle's common migrant species — black-chinned, broad-tailed, calliope and rufous — have been observed," said Ray. "Only one species, the black-chinned hummingbird, is known to nest in the Panhandle. The others are fairly common during the fall migration, which will peak in September and continue into November."

Kevin Mote, TPWD's Nongame/T&E Biologist for the Panhandle, and a native from within the range of the ruby-throated hummingbird in Oklahoma, is impressed by the number of different hummingbird species in the Panhandle. "Where I come from, you could expect to see 10-15 ruby-throats at a hummingbird feeder, but not the diversity of species that you can see

in a single day in the Panhandle."

Ray and Mote agree that hummingbirds can be best attracted to Panhandle yards by a combination of artificial feeders and flowering plants. Ray said that enthusiasts should initially strive for plants with red or orange tubular flowers but will quickly notice that the birds will utilize flowers of various colors and shapes. "Hummingbirds especially love the red species and varieties of columbines, salvias, and penstemons," Ray said. "However, if I were to prescribe just four species of plants for hummingbirds in the Panhandle, it would be coral or red varieties of trumpet honeysuckle (a perennial), cardinal climber (*Ipomoea x multifida*, an annual vine), Scarlet sage (acts as an annual in the Panhandle), and red varieties of Autumn sage (*Salvia greggii*, a perennial.) Potentially, depending on the timing and severity of frosts, these plants collectively provide attractive blooms for the entire hummingbird season, which, when considering breeding birds and migrants, lasts from late March through November. "In addition," Mote added, "flowering plants and other vegetation complement feeders, by providing habitat for small insects and spiders, which complete the dietary needs of hummingbirds."

As for hummingbird feeders, sugar water should be provided at a ratio of four parts water and one part sugar. "Always boil the mixture for one-and-a-half to two minutes to pre-

vent fermentation, and change every three (in hot weather) to five (in cool weather) days," Ray said. "Do not use red food coloring in hummingbird feeders, as it is known to cause the birds health problems. Most commercial feeders have enough red on them to attract the birds. If you want more red, simply purchase varieties of feeders that are solid red."

Although it may take a while for hummingbirds to find your plants and feeders, examples of instant success are becoming common in the Panhandle. "Last year," Ray said, "the first year of trying at my residence in Canyon, I had hummingbirds in my yard on at least 45 days!" Mote, in Canyon, and Ray's parents in Dalhart, also had first year success.

Ray cautions that there are drawbacks to becoming a hummingbird enthusiast. "Be careful when considering to try to attract hummingbirds to your yard," Ray cautioned with a grin. "It can be very, very addicting. This could be reflected in Your Pocketbook, as your obsession with purchasing hummingbird plants, feeders, and sugar grows."

"In addition," said Ray, "there are some behavioral peculiarities that may develop. For example, when the phone rings at my house this time of year, it's not uncommon to hear my wife say, 'just a minute, I'm sure I'll find him somewhere on the window circuit,' or, 'he's window surfing.' This

is due to my continuous trek from window to window to glance for hummingbirds at nearby feeders and plants."

Managing for hummingbirds is also contagious, and is catching on throughout the Panhandle. "The efforts of my son and I were influenced by an enthusiast in Amarillo, and we have influenced a number of people in Canyon," said Monty Schoenhals, a hummingbird enthusiast in Canyon. "The more people that we introduce to hummingbirds and their habitat management, the more we affect habitat on a landscape scale."

There is a growing number of Texans taking interest in managing for backyard wildlife, like hummingbirds. Kelly Bender, Coordinator for TPWD's Texas Wildscapes Program, says it best: "When you see a hummingbird drink from a feeder you hung, or a colorful songbird feed in a fruit tree you planted, these are exciting wildlife experiences. People experience a direct connection between personal action and the benefits of conservation."

For more information on hummingbirds or backyard habitat management, please contact the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, at P.O. Box 659, Canyon, Texas, 79015, or the Wildlife Diversity Program, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, Texas 78744.

## Parents urged to visit school libraries

**AUSTIN** — The Library Development Division of the Texas State Library and Archives Commission encourages parents to get involved with their school library this fall by attending library open houses and visiting with school librarians.

"It's important for the library to be the hub of the school," said Library Development Director Jeanette Larson. "Student academic success can be directly related to the quality of the school library."

In its last session, the Legislature directed the State Library to develop guidelines for schools to enhance their library programs. "These guidelines are now in place," Larson said, "and we urge parents to visit the school library and ask about the qualities of a good library. Voice your support for library programs to your school boards, principals, and superintendents." (See attached Guidelines Summary and "Calling All Parents" flyer for detailed information.)

- Among the qualities needed for a viable library-learning atmosphere are:
- a flexible schedule for access so that learning takes place continuously and when needed;
  - collaboration between classroom teachers and library staff;
  - new books and other print material on a wide variety of topics that encourage and support reading and learning;
  - up-to-date technologies supporting Internet access, automated circulation and catalogs, multimedia production capabilities, and access to an area for group instruction in technology;
  - a teacher-librarian who teaches the information process, understands the uses of technology, selects and uses a wide variety of materials, and works in partnership with the classroom teachers to exploit ma-

terials, information, and information technology.

Facts assembled by the Texas Library Association show that

- the total average expenditures for school libraries, including staffing and facilities, is \$82 per student, or 50% of the \$164 per student spent for guidance counseling services;
  - school libraries spent less than \$11 per pupil for books in 1994-95, and with the average hardcover book currently costing about \$35.00, that's less than one book per three pupils;
  - school libraries account for only 1.7% of total school district expenditures;
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5 Pattern  
6 Gambling game  
7 Bakery come-on  
8 "the Walnut"  
9 Apropos rhyme for "pedals"  
10 Injury  
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21 "Newhart" setting  
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28 Getting the devil out of there?  
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31 She-bear

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## LEGAL NOTICES

### REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 6.004 km for rehabilitation of existing roadway on US 287 from Red River Bridge to Mountain Creek Bridge covered by STP 98 (301) R and from NCL of Hedley, south to SCL of Hedley covered by CD 42-7-48 in Hall and Donley counties, will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, 200 E. Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas, until 1:00 p.m., Sept. 4, 1998, and then publicly opened and read. It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that the sealed proposal arrives at the above location and is in the hands of the letting official, by the specified deadline regardless of the method chosen by the bidder for delivery. This contract is subject to all appropriate Federal laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. The Texas Department hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex, or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award. Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Daniel E. Brown, Area Engineer, Childress, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder. Usual right reserved. 25-D-92075 25-76-0042-09-095 34-3tc

## SERVICES

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**RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION DISTRICT 10**  
**Rule 38 Docket No. 10-0220037 DATE OF ISSUANCE:**  
 August 6, 1998  
**NOTICE OF APPLICATION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the GRUY PETRO MGMT Co., PO Box 140907, IRVING, TX 75014-0907, has made application for a density exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 38 (16 Tex. Admin. Code Section 3.38) Applicant seeks exception to the density of the subject field requirement for the amended permit for Well No. 6, Lewis Lease, 640 Acres, Sec. 63, Blk. E, D, & P RR CO Survey, A-417, Panhandle West Field(s), Donley County, being 5 miles from southwest of McLean, Texas. The location of this well is as follows: 400' from the north line and 330' from the west line of lease. 400' from the north line and 330' from the west line of survey. Field rules for the Panhandle West field are 330'x660, 640 acres. This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 3000 feet. PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF Rule 38 (h)(3), this application may be granted administratively if no protest to the application is received. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protest must be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative J.D. Hightsmith, Regulatory Consultant, at (512) 380-0613. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission at (512) 463-6748. IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICANT, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE BY September 17, 1998, at 5:00 p.m. If no protest is received within such time, the requested permit may be granted administratively. THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION. 33-4tc

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### CLARENDON

- ♦ 505 S. Collinson, brick, 3 bedroom, one bath, central heat & air, one car garage, fenced backyard, nice trees. Excellent location. \$55,000.00
- ♦ Commercial building on Hwy. 287. \$30,000
- ♦ Wood frame, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, remodeled inside with 2 room, 3/4 bath apartment for rental. Both nice and clean. 608 W. Third. \$30,000.

### GREENBELT LAKE

- ♦ Lake front lot approx. 60'x600', fenced, closed in gazebo with attached kitchen and bath. Very attractive. Close to boat ramp. \$85,000-\$27,500.
- ♦ Two lots on Carroll Creek, 1,830 sq. ft. home. See to appreciate. Three bedroom, two bath, fireplace, central heat and air, new carpet, wet bar, 10x60 porch, 14x20 basement, boat dock on Carroll Creek, winches, lights. 30x40 barn (storage). Owner will carry with down payment.
- ♦ Two lots on Carroll Creek, retainer wall, fancy boat dock with barbecue cooker and redwood picnic table.
- ♦ Lease Lot 50. Two bedroom, two bath, one car, central heat and air, furnished including pool table, fenced, new septic tank. Beautiful view of lake. Close to boat ramp. \$55,500. Reduced to \$53,500. Owner will carry.

**Jimmy Garland**  
 Real Estate  
 874-3757  
 944-5458 Home  
 (800) 530-4396

## REAL ESTATE

**FOR SALE:** 2 acres with septic, fence, and shed at Greenbelt Lake. \$3,500. (903) 447-5050. 33-4tp

**HOUSE FOR SALE:** 318 S. Koogle, one block from school. Three bedroom, two baths, double garage, new roof, fenced yard. 874-3521 or 874-3676. 1-ctfc

## FOR SALE

### CLARENDON - HOUSE

Exceptionally nice 3 bedroom, 1-3/4 bath, living, kitchen/dining, utility, carpeted basement, attached covered and screened patio, attached garage, central heat & air, fenced backyard, timed sprinklers front & back on 7 lots with best unobstructed view in Clarendon at 1516 W. 5th St. for \$67,500.00. \*\*\*\*\*

Nice 3 bedroom, 1-3/4 bath, brick, central heat & air, fireplace, concrete cellar and patio in fenced backyard, 3-car port at 703 S. Carhart for Reduced \$55,000.00. \*\*\*\*\*

Ready to move in, 3 bedroom, 1-1/2 bath, living, dining/den, kitchen, utility, storm doors & windows, unattached 1-car garage/shop, concrete cellar, 3 year old siding and roof on 6 lots, fenced at 702 S. Gorst. \$45,000.00. \*\*\*\*\*

Improved two bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen/dining, living, stucco, central heat and air plus 2-car port and shop. Additional efficiency apartment over concrete cellar on 3 lots at 415 E. Burkhead for \$35,000.00. \*\*\*\*\*

Quality built three bedroom, 2 bath, living, dining, kitchen, utility, den, fireplace, attached 2-car garage, central heat & air, fenced backyard at 318 S. Koogle for \$80,000.00. \*\*\*\*\*

Priced to sell and ready to move in, 2 bedroom plus 3rd bedroom or den, living, like new kitchen with built-ins, full bath, utility with shower, stucco, 2 car port, storage/shop, new plumbing & electric, storm doors and windows at 304 E. 6th for \$20,000.00.

### GREENBELT - HOUSE

Very attractive and well kept two bedroom, 1-3/4 bath, living/kitchen/dining/den, attached 2 car garage with storage room and shop area, central heat & air, water well, custom double pane windows, like new septic system on 6 lots at 480 Pampa St. for \$45,000.00 \*\*\*\*\*

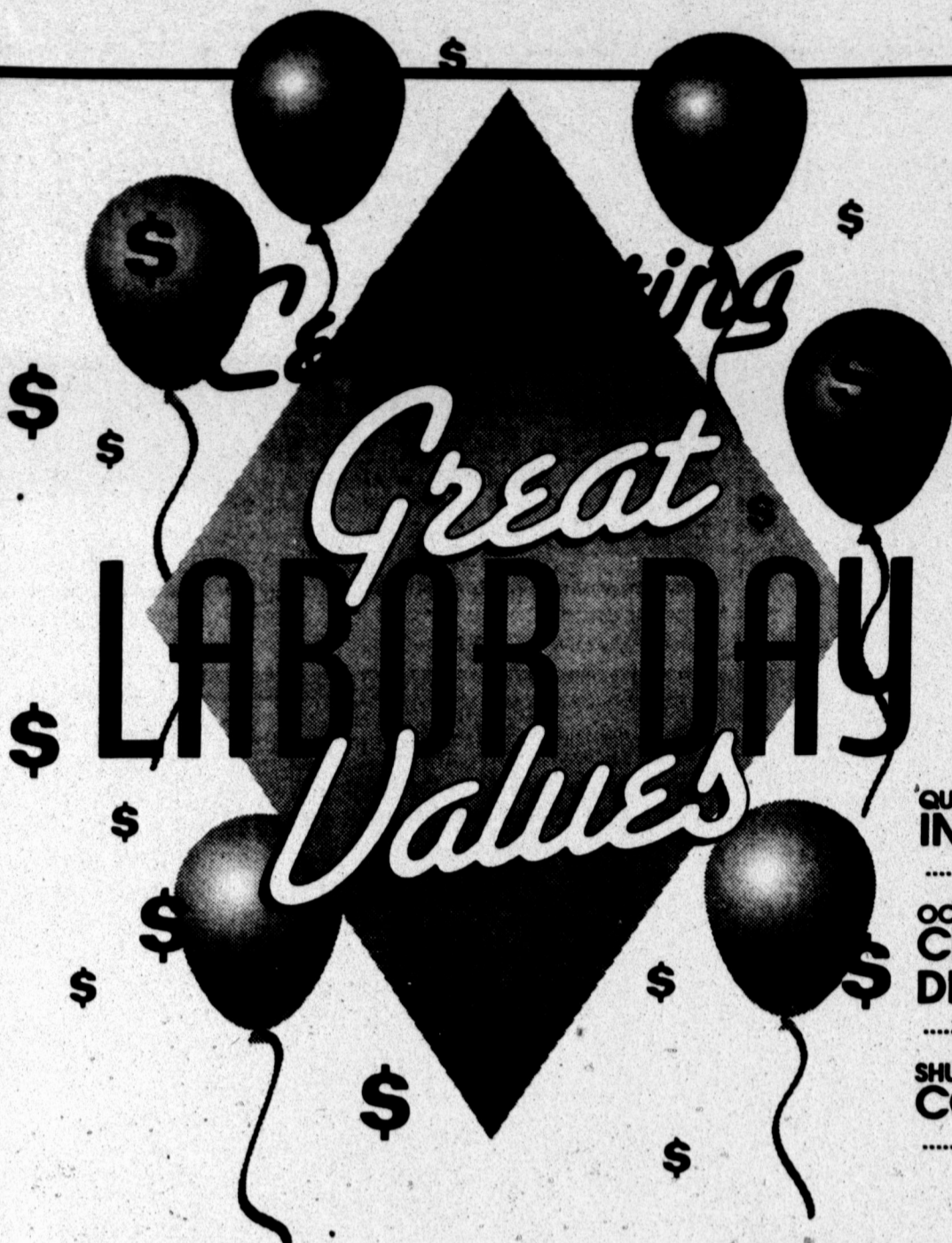
Two bedroom, 1-3/4 bath, kitchen/dining/living/large cellar/basement finished for third bedroom, central heat & air, add on 2-car garage & storage, concrete covered patio, 1-car port with storage building, sat. TV dish, and fenced yard at 24 Janny Drive for \$35,000.00.

### LELIA LAKE - HOUSE & ACREAGE

2 ACRE +/- beautifully landscaped and decorated, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths (full, 3/4, & 1/2), large kitchen/dining, den with fireplace, living, sun room with bricked grill, double garage, 2 car port, brick, shakes, central heat & air, dust stopper doors & windows, well, fenced yard, shop & storage buildings, dog kennel with 6 runs, numerous shade & fruit trees - and more - must see to appreciate. Owner relocating; price reduced to \$110,000.00.

**Joe T. Lovell**  
 Real Estate

Phil Fletcher - 874-3511  
 Joe Lovell - 874-9318



## Assorted Coca-Cola

Dr Pepper and Sprite

**2 / \$4.00**

16.9 OZ 6 PACKS



QUAKER INSTANT OATMEAL **\$2.49**  
..... ASSORTED FLAVOR

OCEAN SPRAY CRANBERRY DRINKS **\$2.49**  
..... 1/2 GALLON

SHURFINE COFFEE **\$5.69**  
..... 39 OZ CAN

MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING **\$1.99**  
..... QUART JAR

LAYS ASSORTED POTATOE CHIPS **89¢**  
..... REG. \$1.59 VALUE

LUZZIANNE FAMILY TEA BAGS **99¢**  
..... 24 CNT PKG

AUNT JEMIMA WAFFLE SYRUP **\$1.99**  
..... 24 OZ BOTTLE

PACE PICANTE SAUCE **\$1.79**  
..... 16 OZ JAR

KRAFT LIQUID SALAD DRESSINGS **\$1.99**  
ASS'T FLAVORS..... 16 OZ BOTTLE

KRAFT MACARONI & CHEESE DINNERS **3 / \$2.00**  
..... 7 1/4 OZ PKGS

RANCH STYLE BEANS **2 / 89¢**  
..... #300 CAN

PETER PAN Peanut Butter **\$1.79**  
SMOOTH OR CRUNCHY  
18 OZ JAR



QUAKER OATMEAL **99¢**  
..... 18 OZ BOX

VAN CAMPS PORK & BEANS **3 / \$1.00**  
..... #300 CANS

SPAM LUNCHEON MEAT **\$1.79**  
..... 12 OZ CAN

POST RAISIN BRAN **\$2.00**  
..... 20 OZ BOX

### Meats & Dairy

PLAINS COTTAGE CHEESE **\$1.89**  
..... 24 OZ TUB

KRAFT SLICED AMERICAN CHEESE **\$1.89**  
INDV. WRAPPED..... 12 OZ PKG

PHILADELPHIA CREAM CHEESE **\$1.19**  
..... 8 OZ BOX

PREFERRED TRIM BONELESS BEEF ARM ROAST **\$1.49**  
..... LB

CHUCK ROAST **\$1.39**  
..... LB

CUBED STEW MEAT **\$1.89**  
..... LB

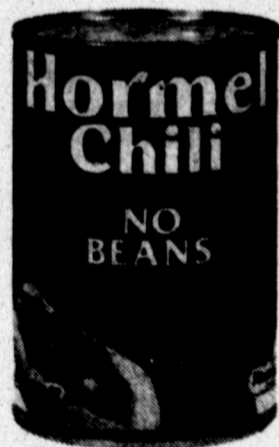
GROUND CHUCK **\$1.39**  
..... LB

GROUND ROUND **\$1.59**  
..... LB

HILLSHIRE SMOKED SAUSAGE **\$1.79**  
..... 1 LB PKG

TOP SIRLOIN STEAK **\$2.49**  
..... LB

HORMEL Chili **99¢**  
NO BEANS  
19 OZ JAR



### Fresh Produce

CALIFORNIA GARDEN FRESH BROCCOLI **69¢**  
..... LB

CALIFLOWER SNOW WHITE CAULIFLOWER **99¢**  
..... HEAD

CELLO PACK MUSHROOMS **99¢**  
..... PKG

COLORADO ELBERTA PEACHES **79¢**  
..... LB

WASHINGTON RED DELICIOUS

APPLES

**59¢**  
LB



COLORADO WHITE RUSSET POTATOES **\$1.39**  
..... 10 LB BAG

### Household Goods

KLEENEX FACIAL TISSUES **99¢**  
..... 175 SHEET BOX

COTTONELLE BATH TISSUE DOUBLE ROLL **\$1.99**  
..... 4 ROLL PKG

SHURFINE CHARCOAL BRIQUETS **\$1.99**  
..... 10 LB BAG

PINE-SOL CLEANER DISINFECTANT **\$1.69**  
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SHURFINE PAPER TOWELS **59¢**  
..... ROLL

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