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THIS BAG of 125 gram of crack cocaine was taken from a car on Highway 70, just north of Clarendon. Officers acted from a tip received by the Panhandle Task Force.

Three Crack Carriers Busted North of Clarendon

On Tuesday evening, January 17, law enforcement officers stopped a Blue 1995 Taurus about two miles north of Clarendon on Highway 70, and seized about 125 grams of crack cocaine. They arrested the three people in the vehicle.

Officers arrested Curtis Lee Wine, described as a Black male, 22 years old; Thalamus Pshard Malone, described as a Black male, aged 17; and Jamie Ruth Shook, described as a white female of 19.

Wine and Malone are reportedly from Pampa. Shook is from LeFors. The trio has been charged with conspiracy to distribute crack and are being held on \$5,000 bond.

Officers involved in the arrest included Deputy Charles Blackburn, Deputy Ian McMurtrie, Deputy Doug Maxwell, Warden Gary Hunt, Panhandle Drug Taskforce Agent David Lee Lane, and David Welk, Canine Officer with the Pampa Police Department.

In other law enforcement activity, the Sheriff's Department arrested John D. "Scott" Dusek, a student at Clarendon College, for running over about 10 mailboxes and more than 70 reflective marker poles alongside the Highway 70 South. The incident occurred late Thursday, January 19, or the early hours of Friday, January 20. Dusek's vehicle sustained damage. Dusek had reportedly been involved in an alcohol-related incident near Lake Greenbelt earlier this year. Dusek is reportedly from Eden, a community near San Angelo. He was charged with criminal mischief.

Fletcher Graduates

Diplomas were awarded to more than 3,300 Texas A&M University graduates during commencement ceremonies December 16-17.

The degrees were presented at three separate ceremonies. Featured speakers at the ceremonies were U.S. Rep. Charles W. Stenholm, Marsha Martin, chairman of

the Farm Credit Administration Board; and Royce West, Texas state senator. Among those receiving degrees was: Cody Lee Fletcher graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree and majoring in Animal Science.

Texas A&M University also has named its honor students for the 1994 fall semester, recognizing several thousand students for outstanding academic performance.

The Dean's List Honor Roll recognizes students who have maintained at least a 3.75 grade point ratio (GRP) out of a possible 4.0 during the most recent grading period.

A second designation, "Distinguished Student," recognized students who earned a 3.25 to 3.75 GPR. Cody was among those recognized.

Dinner Planned

The 5th Sunday Singing and dinner will be held at The Martin Baptist Church, January 29, 1995.

Local Property Taxes Due Now

Approximately 69% of the current year's local taxes were paid by the end of December. Taxes not paid on or before January 31 will incur penalty and interest of 7% if paid in February. The amount increases each month thereafter until the tax is paid. This notice is a reminder to those who have not paid their 1994 taxes. In an effort to cut office costs, second notices will not be mailed to individual taxpayers during January. Delinquent notices will be mailed in February to those who still owe 1994 taxes at that time. Accounts not paid by July 1 will incur and additional 15% collection penalty.

Who's Who Recipients At WTAMU Named

The 1995 edition of *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges* will include the names of 43 West Texas A&M University students who were selected as outstanding campus leaders.

"We're very proud of these students who were selected," Dr. Don Albrecht, dean of Student Services, said. "These students are strong in their academics, community service and campus leadership."

For consideration, nominees had to be full-time students with at least 60 hours of college credit (junior standing) and a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale. Additional criteria included demonstrated record of participation and leadership in academic and extracurricular activities, service to the University and potential for future achievement.

1995 Who's Who Selection from this area were: Vickie L. Liles from Hedley, who is a senior, majoring in English and Bradley Layne Williams of Clarendon, who is a junior, majoring in pre-veterinarian medicine.

Chili Supper Planned

PTA is having a homemade chili or frito pie supper on Friday, January 27, 1995 from 5:00-7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Tickets purchased before Friday will be \$3.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children 12 and under. The tickets will be fifty cents more at the door. Please go support the PTA and the Broncos.

Jr. Livestock Meeting Scheduled

There will be a Junior Livestock Association Meeting Thursday, January 26, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. at the Clarendon High Agriculture Building. They need parents of FFA and 4-H Livestock participants to attend this meeting to set the date for next year's stock show and discuss the results of this year's show. They will also elect officers for this year.

Gospel Concert Scheduled

First Baptist Church would like to invite everyone to come and hear the "Aten's" share the Gospel through music. Sunday, January 29th, at 1:30 p.m.

Tammy and Sherman not only minister in the U.S., but also around the world in Bolivia, Mexico, Romania, Canada, and Wales. They minister through revival efforts, marriage seminars, concerts, prayer retreats, and conventions.

The Aten's and their children, Joshua and Brooke, make their home in Floydada, Texas.

Trees And Shrubs Available

The Donley County Soil and Water Conservation District is selling various types of trees and shrubs. The following trees are available in five inch pots: Flame Leaf Sumac, Burr Oak, Texas Cedar Elm, Lace Bark Elm, Silver Maple, Desert Willow, Texas Umbrella Tree, Mexican Plum, Skunk Bush Sumac, Russian Olive, Weeping Willow, Green Ash, Shademaker Honeylocust, American Sycamore, Cottonless Cottonwood, Globe Willow, Western Soapberry, Modesto Ash.

Please go by the Donley County Natural Resources Conservation Service, formally Soil Conservation Service, to place your order or call Dana at 874-3576 if you have any questions.

Recertify Now for Commodities

Panhandle Community Services has announced that it is time once again to recertify for another year for commodities in Donley County. You may do this any day, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m., in the offices of Panhandle Community Services located at 416 S. Kearney just south of the Post Office.

You will need to bring proof of income for the household. This will include employment, Social Security or SSI benefits, AFDC, unemployment, pensions, etc. The award letter received from the Social Security office works well, or if you have your checks directly deposited, a copy of that deposit slip will work.

They Cannot Accept Verbal Verification. Their rules state that they must have a copy of income proof on file for each family that they serve.

If it has been a while since you've received commodities, we will also need social security numbers for each member of the household.

If anyone will be picking up for you, **They must have a note from you on file state that they have your permission to do so. Otherwise, no one but the individual named on the application will be allowed to pick commodities up for your household.**

Remember also that if you take care of this prior to commodity day, which will be **Thursday, February 16, 1995, Beginning at 8:30 a.m.**, you will pass right on through the fast line. If you have not already recertified by then, you will have to wait in another line to take care of this before you will be allowed to receive the commodities.

Robbie Hill and Carlene Hollar will be in Hedley at the Senior Citizens Building on Friday, January 27, 1995, at 10:00 a.m. to assist Hedley residents in the recertification process.

Ford Chosen As Finalist

Chandra Ford, a freshman at Clarendon High School, received word this week that her book, *The Key To Fantasia*, placed among the top 100 finalists in her age category in the 1994 National Written and Illustrated By... Awards Contest for Students. The book was chosen from 7,500 entries which were selected from more than 250,000 students' original books by teachers and librarians across our nation and Canada. Landmark Editions, Inc., of Kansas

City, Missouri, sponsored the contest.

Chandra wrote and illustrated the book as a project for Helen Estack's seventh grade English class. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ford of Clarendon.

BBQ Dinner Scheduled

Ticket are on sale for a BBQ dinner, February 12th, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Lions Club. Adults \$5.00 and until 12 \$3.00. This is sponsored by Senior Parents Class of '97.

Ambulance Report

1-16-95 Bruno Schuertner, transported to HPHB, medical
1-16-95 Billy Sims, transported to V.A., medical
1-16-95 Eutice Land, transported to CCH, medical
1-18-95 Rachel Adams, transported to Hall County Hospital, medical
1-19-95 H.H. Rodgers, transported to St. Anthony's, medical
1-21-95 Monica Rivera, transported to NWTW, medical

Little Dribblers Sign-up Set

"Sign-up" for the Clarendon Dribblers 1995 season will be Wednesday and Thursday, January 25 & 26, 1995 from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the Clarendon Church of Christ Family Life Center. The registration fee is \$15.00 and the concession fee is \$3.00. They encourage all boys and girls in the 3rd through 6th grades to sign up. They appreciate all of the parents support and input at their annual organizational meeting held earlier this month.

Community Meeting Set

Would you like to see Clarendon become a better and safer place to live? Come to the Community meeting January 30, 1995 at 6:00 p.m. at St. Stephen Baptist Church, 405 N. Jefferson. Their purpose is to better our community and would like all to attend.

Licensing Day Set

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Department of Agriculture will be holding a Private Applicators Licensing Day Friday, Jan. 27, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Clarendon College RFO classroom. A TDA Private Applicators License must be obtained to purchase state limited or restricted use chemicals. Participants need to RSVP by Jan. 25, by calling the Extension office at 874-2141.

Free Seeds Available For Volunteer Projects

The America The Beautiful Fund has \$2,000,000 worth of free vegetable, flower and herb seeds available for volunteers all over America to grow food for the needy, improved neighborhoods, start new environmental education programs, and create new parks and community gardens by planting these seeds in their community. Volunteer groups can apply for a grant of 100 or 800 free seed packets, or up to 500 pounds of bulk seeds, for a school, church, library, senior center, hospital or civic group project in their community.

The most outstanding projects will be chosen for National Recognition Awards as models of how to beautify and nourish America and create a greener planet.



BRET AND LESLIE WHITE accept a plaque from Art Dean of Evergreen Feed.

White's Feed & Seed Recognized by Evergreen Mills

White's Feed & Seed of Clarendon, Texas, was honored recently as a member of the Evergreen Elite, a group of the company's top dealers, for the dealership's sales increase over the previous year.

Art Dean, President and General Manager of Evergreen Mills, Inc., presented the award to Bret and Leslie White of White's Feed & Seed.

Evergreen Mills, Inc., with headquarters in Ada, Oklahoma, and its affiliated feed companies, Blue Seal, Inc., in the Northeast, and Kent Foods, Inc., in the Midwest, have pioneered the development of several revolutionary products, feeding concepts, and programs that have improved the efficiency of independent livestock producers. Together they comprise one of the largest feed manufacturers in the United States.

WTAMU Dean's And Presidents Lists Announced

Two hundred and four West Texas A&M University students were named to the President's List and 804 students earned mention on the Deans' List for the 1994 fall semester.

Students earning President's List recognition achieved a semester grade point average (GPA) of 3.850 (of a possible 4.0) or better with a minimum class load of 12 undergraduate hours. Those students making the President's List were: Andrea R. Hall, she is a senior and is majoring in Math and Deena C. Robinson, she also is a senior and is majoring in Nursing.

Students on the Dean's List achieved GPA's of a least 3.250 with a minimum of 12 undergraduate hours. Student making the Dean's List were: Cheryl A. Bennett, she is a senior and is majoring in Reading; Melinda R. Choate, she is a junior and is majoring in Criminal Justice Administration; Jana D. White, she is a junior and is majoring in Reading; Bradley L. Williams, he is a junior and is majoring in Pre-Vet Medicine and Phillip C. Williams, he is a freshman and is majoring in Pre-Law.

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Senior Citizens News

Birthdays go out to Jake Roberts on January 15, Flosie Reynolds on January 19, Mary Jane Smith, Anita Shelton and Jake Smith on January 19, Lynette McQueen, Jean Chamberlain, and Joane Leathers on January 21, Ruth Perkins on January 22, Dorothy White on January 25, and Alene Eads on January 29.

Everyone at the Center is glad that Fred Riley is back to work after a long illness. They want to

welcome Cora Hamilton to their staff as their new dishwasher. They want to welcome two new volunteers, Millie Dishong and Kathy Cornwell, to their home delivery routes. The center wants to welcome Mrs. Gladys Sawyer, H.L. Riley, Irene Jones's sister, Mattie Chamberlain and Elizabeth Brady from Claude, Pauline Hardin, Doyle Littlefield, Dock and Francis Ford, Zell Sarfield's brother, Joe Spann, Lockie Pitts, Polly Sarich, Edna Dishman, John and Maxine McCrary, and Oneta Sanders.

Their January Birthday/Anniversary Supper is scheduled for Tuesday, January 31, at 6:00 p.m.

Jean Baten and a troupe of fashion conscience ladies will put on a stylish show for your entertainment. They will recognize December and January birthdays and anniversaries.

There is still room on the center van for the trip to Amarillo to see the Lipissaner Stallions. The show will be at the Civic Center January 27, at 8:00 p.m. Interested seniors can call the center for more information.

They want to remind everyone of the opportunity to exercise at the center at 10:45 a.m. and that they serve lunch from 11:30 till 1:00 p.m. The suggested donation for seniors 65 years and older is \$2.00, for under 60 years old is \$3.50. They will be serving Chicken and dressing for lunch Friday, January 27.

Pathfinder Club Meeting Held

At 3 pm Jan. 13, 1995 the Pathfinder Club met at the conference room at Burton Memorial Library. Jeanice Weatherly, President opened the meeting with reading of the CLUB Collect. Roll call was answered with "who you would most like to be." the variety of answers had us imagining ourselves a champion skier, ice skaters, ruling Solomon's court, going with Eleanor Roosevelt to United Nations, and last but not least performing as Dolly Parton.

Mary Lynn Bills, former Librarian had agreed last summer to do our program and returned from retirement to do just that. Accompanying herself on the auto-harp she sang two folk songs, "Song Man" and "Lost River." She began a History of Burton Memorial Library by reminding us it all began

B.S.*

*Bob's Scribbles

January is a good time to clean up and plan for spring and summer flowers, and it is also when many of the garden catalog arrive.

All of us in Clarendon need to shop at home as much as possible, so at first it may seem contrary to encourage folks to order catalogs from "way off somewhere". Yet the fact is, our local resources are very limited at this time. The local SCS Office is taking order right now for trees and shrubs. We can buy seeds and bedding plants from White's Feed and Seed, The Grocery Store, Perry's, B&R Thriftway and perhaps another vendor or two. Trees and shrubs are available from the Donley County Soil Conservation District. The only local nursery (Felicity Greenhouse) is just getting started and is primarily wholesale. L&M Seeds (Jack Moreman) sells grass seed, but also carries some good wildflowers.

Amarillo's plant sellers offer a variety of materials, but some of these—particularly the building supply stores—seem to sell plants more suited to Houston than Clarendon. Some of the nurseries have helpful clerks; some do not.

Inevitably, Clarendon folks will have to mail-order at least a few plants. But those plants may be an asset to the entire community.

The newspaper's cantankerous old editor discovered a new catalog this winter that he's really tickled with. Amos Pettingill of White Flower Farm, puts out a 140+ page catalog that has an enormous amount of information in it. Pettingill has his druthers on some subjects, but the book is very well written and is enjoyable to read. Naturally, a few of the plants are unsuited to the hot, dry Southwest, but a great many will do well here. Pettingill dislikes hybrid flowers that look like fluorescent plastic, an understandable prejudice. However, some bright colors that would be a bit too much in the subdued light of Connecticut may look fine in the brilliant sunlight of the Southwest. (Georgia O'Keefe and other northeastern artists migrated to New Mexico largely because of the brilliant light conditions in our Southwest.)

Order a copy of White's catalog. It is a wonderful source of information. White Flower Farms, P.O. Box 50, Litchfield, Connecticut 06759-0050. Their phone number is (203) 496-9600; FAX is (203) 496-1418.

Another good source of information is Mellinger's catalog. It has a wide variety goodies, from Alpine dwarf plants to seeds for tropical giants. Most Donley County folks will concentrate on trees, shrubs and perennials, with a few annual thrown in. One of the nicest things about Mellinger's plant descriptions is their recommendation of Ph conditions. Anyone who tries to grow azaleas or other acid-loving plants in Clarendon is facing an uphill fight. Knowing that a plant likes a higher Ph and warm, dry climate makes success more probable. Address: Mellinger's, 2310 W. South Range Road, North Lima, OH 44452-9731. Phone: (216) 549-9861. FAX: (216) 549-3716.

Five of six years ago, Bobbie Floyd introduced me to Dutch Gardens. I bought Lynne some daffodil bulbs soon after. They are more beautiful each year. Daffodils and hyacinths do well here as do several other kinds of bulbs. Dutch Gardens, P.O. Box 200, Adelphia, NJ 07710. (908) 780-2713; FAX (908) 780-7720.

with Pathfinder sponsorship. A book tea to begin the collection and a fifty dollar donation opened the library two days a week in space donated by the city hall. Gabie Betts Burton the first librarian labored for 24 years with meager salary. The library is not endowed but is supported by tax dollars from city and county. Mrs. Bills named each librarian telling of how the book collection grew under each. She told of the two J. Frank Dobie grants awarded in 1982 and 92, giving us a large, unique Southwest collection. As part of the Texas State Library System we have received many benefits and the intercommunication we have with the Panhandle Regional Library Association is invaluable. She told of the most generous onymous donation making it possible with the raising of matching funds for us to buy the present building from the

Saye family. How fortunate we were to have the guidance of concerned advisory boards. She especially brought to mind all that Lawrence Neece had done as a board member and Librarian and as a concerned citizen to make the library a success. She told of Hubert Stocking and Pauline Riley leaving money with the interest to be used for maintenance of library. We were delighted to see some of the new children's books and to have the use of the spacious meeting room. She concluded her program by reminding us of our good fortune in having the knowledgeable and gracious Mary Green as our present librarian.

The President, Jeanice Weatherly called for the nominating committee report. It was presented by Tena Powell. President, Janice Weatherly
Vice President, Jo Shaller
Secretary, Lucy Saye
Treasurer, Sue Dunagin
Parliamentarian, Murel Butts
Historian, Dorothy White
Polly Sarich moved to accept the nominations by acclamation, Nita Manning seconded, motion carried. Hostess, Edna Dishman and Anita Mooring served finger

sandwiches, bar cookies, fruit cake and brownies from crystal appointment on a sunshine yellow clothed table with sunflower center piece. Nuts and coffee or hot cider was enjoyed by twelve members and guest Mary Lynn Bills. Those present were: Murel Butts, Nita Manning Naomi Green, Tena Powell, Polly Sarich, Lucy Saye, Mary Jane Smith, Jeanice Weatherly, Dorothy White and previously mentioned hostesses.

T.C. Saye, Reporting

Weather

Day	Hi.	Lo	Pre.
Mon. 16	69	37	
Tue. 17	66	22	
Wed. 18	56	22	
Thr. 19	51	24	
Fri. 20	55	26	
Sat. 21	61	27	
Sun. 22	43	30	.15
Total for Mo.			.43
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Obituaries

Mrs. Elizabeth Ann "Betsy" Ellerbrook

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Ann "Betsy" Ellerbrook, age 52 of Clarendon were held at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, January 23, 1995 in the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon with Rev. Terry Tamplen, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements by Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc.

Mrs. Ellerbrook died at 7:45 a.m. on Sunday, January 22, 1995 in Medical Center Nursing Home in Clarendon following a lengthy illness. She was born February 12, 1942 in Clarendon and had been a resident of Donley County most of her life. She had been a teacher most of her life and had taught at White Deer, Lakeview, Memphis and Clarendon. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon.

Survivors include two sons, Louis Ellerbrook of Clarendon, Lowell Ellerbrook of Clarendon; one sister, Evelyn Shaw of McLean; and one brother, Will Chamberlain of Clarendon.

Casket bearers were Ted Shaller, Wondell Luttrell, Dale Robinson, Terry Bailey, Ronnie Longan, Jimmy Thompson, Chan Bilbrey and Steve Sell.

The family requests that memorials be to Shriners Scottish Rite Crippled Children's Home or to the Crown of Texas Hospice.

Barry Dale Hudson

Memorial graveside services for Barry Dale Hudson, age 48, of Amarillo, were held at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 21, 1995 at Citizens Cemetery with Rev. Terry Tamplen, Pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon, officiating. Cremation was held Thursday, January 19 at Memorial Park Crematory in Amarillo. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc. of Clarendon.

Mr. Hudson died at 1:55 p.m. on Wednesday, January 18, 1995 at Heritage Convalescent Center in Amarillo following a lengthy illness. He was born November 25, 1946 in Childress, Texas and had lived in Clarendon most of his early life. He had been a resident of the Amarillo area for the past 20 years and had been an apartment manager. He married Rebecca

Ward on July 2, 1969 at Memphis. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon.

Survivors include two daughters, Emelda Hudson of Goodwell, Oklahoma, Amy Hudson of Canyon; two sisters, Bette Meason of Amarillo, Becky McAnear of Clarendon; and his former wife, Becky Hudson of Canyon.

The family request that memorials be to the Texas Plains Girl Scout Council of Amarillo.

James Leslie Abbott

Funeral services for James Leslie Abbott, age 54, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 18, 1995 in Robertson Chapel of Memories with Tommy Breznik of Borger, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc.

Mr. Abbott died at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, January 13, 1995 in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. He was born July 7, 1940 in Butler County, Missouri and had lived in Amarillo before moving to Clarendon in 1992. He married Lavonne Brimage on July 7, 1987 at Amarillo. He was a truck driver for Baldwins Transportation and a member of the American Quarter Horse Association and the Oakdale Pentecostal Church in Amarillo.

Survivors include his wife, Lavonne Abbott of Clarendon; three daughters, Mary Ann Abbott of Amarillo, Leitha Shelley of Clarendon, Twila Crawford of Clarendon; one son, James L. Abbott Jr. of Amarillo; two brothers, Bill Abbott of Lancaster, California, Mont Abbott of Newburn, Tennessee; five sisters, Barbara Abbott of Poplar Bluff, Missouri, Viola Henderson of Stockton, California, Mae Campbell of Lancaster, California, Ann Hayse of Greensfield, Tennessee, Fern Berry of Lake Village, Arkansas; and six grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one sister.

Family members served as casket bearers.

The family requests that memorials be to the American Heart Association.

Check It Out

by Mary Beth Nelson

While visiting Burton Memorial Library last week, I was pleased to find new sources concerning several dramatic issues

facing many families today. Many are experiencing encouragement from various support groups that fit their particular situation. Newspapers, television, and magazines also supply informative statistics and ideas for coping. However, these new books which I recently examined provided interest to readers and reveal different approaches to these social concerns.

For example, information relating to the confusing disease, Alzheimers, are usually written from the caregiver's viewpoint. In *Living In The Labyrinth: A Personal Journey Through The Maze of Alzheimers*, author, Diane Friel MCGowin, and Alzheimers victim, herself, tells her story which focuses on the patient's perspective. It isn't a "feel sorry for me" chronicle, but one of hope and encouragement for getting on with one's own life. She states in her introduction, "It is a factual account of an average American family with nothing more than life's typical problems until it experienced the confusion, anxiety, and heartbreak of an unknown affliction." Mrs. McGowin's condition is currently stabilized, and she is active in a local Alzheimers Association.

Even though correct morals, discipline, and common sense are best guidelines for raising children, David Elkind, Ph.D. and best selling author of *The Hurried Child*, has contributed many ideas to assist parents in helping children confront social issues of the 90's in *Parenting Your teenager*.

Another book written from the patient's point of view is *Prostrate Cancer: Making Survival Decisions* by Sylvan Meyer, patient, and his urologist, Seymour Nash. Latest treatments, techniques, findings, and a lot of encouragement are among the informative interests in this book.

Are you graduating soon from college? Are you planning a career change? Are you going to need to write an impressive resume to obtain that desirable job? Explanations of various styles, approaches, and how to put a resume together to accommodate today's work environment are found in *Resumes That Knock 'Em Dead* by Martin Yate. Mr. Yate includes everything from writing the basic resume to the final product and cover letter.

Kiplinger's 12 Steps To A Worry Free Retirement by Daniel Kehrler is not a book about living in retirement, but planning for retirement goals, this book is for those who are still young enough to do

something about it.

The daily increase of single parent homes in our society is becoming more evident. Melinda Blau, award winning journalist, in her book, *Families Apart: Ten Keys To Successful Co-Parenting*, suggests workable solutions in accepting change, respect, communication, and healing. USA Today comments, "This is an optimistic book with a lot of tough homework."

Need more positive assistance with your major concern? Why not check it out?

Hedley Senior Citizens Menu
Jan. 26-Feb. 1

Thursday: Steak & Gravy, Au gratin Potatoes, Green Beans, Pears & Cottage Cheese, Pumpkin Pie, Roll, Milk, Tea, Coffee

Friday: Spaghetti & Meat Sauce, Toss Salad, Baked Apples, Garlic Toast, Milk, Tea, Coffee

Monday: Chicken Strips & Gravy, Tator Tots, English Peas, Fruit Salad, Spice Cake, Roll, Milk, Tea, Coffee

Tuesday: Chili, Beans, French Fries, Macaroni Salad, Banana Pudding, Corn Muffin, Milk, Tea, Coffee

Wednesday: Steak & Gravy, Au gratin Potatoes, Buttered Carrots, Apple Rings, Spice Cake, Wheat Roll, Milk, Tea, Coffee



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Thanks!

Thanks to all of the people who helped to make the Donley County Jr. Livestock Show a success. A big **THANK YOU** goes to those who thought enough of Donley County's future to invest into our youth by making a donation or buying an animal.

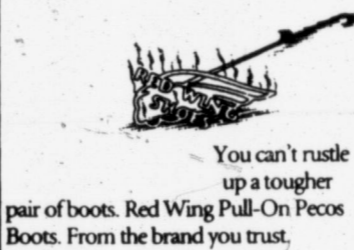
I'd like to thank the parents & friends that took the time to set up, clean up, and take down before and after the show.

There's a lot of time invested into putting a stock show together and I appreciate those of you who took that time to help. Thanks again!

Sincerely,

**Jimmy Jackson, President
Donley Co. Jr. Livestock Assoc.**

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Dear Editor:

"Our Castle To Be"

We have in Clarendon a wonderful resource that we have let deteriorate. We need to refurbish it to a level that shows our pride. Each of us has an interest in this, because any of us may need this facility unexpectedly.

The Medical Center has been neglected. When I say this, I am not throwing rocks at other people. I am as guilty as anyone. I had not paid any attention to the Medical Center until my wife required more care than we could provide at home.

When I visited the Medical Center I was shocked. The equipment is the same that was placed there when the facility opened more than twenty years ago. The

beds are old, manually-operated units. The building needs painting, both inside and out. The grounds were cluttered with trash.

I arranged to get the grounds picked up. The city and county are cooperating to haul off some of the old junk that had accumulated in the back. But this hardly starts on what needs to be done.

We need to take a careful, detailed look at the entire facility. What equipment do up-to-date care centers use? How are they administered? What do we need to do to get this one up to the level it should be? The Medical Center is a community resource. Sooner or later almost every family will have a loved one in it. And we can afford to put it into top shape.

For every dime that goes into the Medical Center from local taxes, it receives several dollars of Federal and States funds. Those are dollars coming into Donley County from outside. Those dollars not only help our loved ones,

but they create jobs here in Clarendon. We need people to run for the Hospital Board who are aggressive go-getters, people with "business smarts", but more than that, people with imagination and ambition to improve the situation.

Gene Alderson is an old friend, and this is not intended as a reflection on him. As I said, it is we, as a community, who have failed. That includes me.

We need an advisor at the Medical Center that is familiar with how the health-care system works. One who know where to go for grants. One who knows how to apply for grants. That means one who has a track record of going and getting money for institutions like this one. We are going to have to go out and look for that type of expertise. And when we find the right person, we are going to have to pay him what he is worth. Some old tightwads may grumble and complain, but any other course is penny wise and dollar foolish. A real professional will save thousands of dollars per year and bring in tens of thousands of dollars, and very likely hundreds of thousands of dollars.

An advisor and the board cannot do it alone. Each of us has to care, to help and to be responsible.

We can have a Medical Center that the community is proud of, a College that is a credit to our area, a public school that is the envy of other towns. We can. But we have to want it. We have to

work at it. And we have to pull together.

We have to recruit the best people we can find and the support and cooperate with them when we get them here. We have to sacrifice some of our time to volunteer to help.

We have to be willing to take time off from our businesses and jobs to serve on these boards. And serving on a board is not just an honor. It means hard work. If you are not successful in your business or at your job, don't run. If you are not willing to go to workshops, don't run. If you are not willing to study hard to see what other towns and regions are doing, don't run. If you are not willing to listen to ideas from anyone and everyone, don't run. But if you are willing to work, learn and listen, what a blessing you can be to our community!

Let's pull together. We can make the Medical Center a showplace for community pride. But more important, we can make it a place where we are content to place our loved ones when we can no longer care for them ourselves.

Signed
Wayne Riggs

see, who it belonged to. Called the sheriff's office and reported it. I called Deyhies vets clinic to see if they had cut the tail off a little dog. Nothing, the dog had a collar on, but no tag. It looked like it could be someone's pet.

If someone out there, sit the little dog out, it was cruel. Would be better to have a dog put to sleep, than to sit it out in a strange place. If someone sit it out, I'm letting you know its dead. It grieved itself to death. I just laid down and wouldn't eat and finally died. If someone sit it out, I have one question, would you sit your child in the middle of the road? A little animal that has been raised in one place, take it out of its surroundings, it doesn't know what to do. I'm sorry about the dog, but I did what I could.

Nell Derr
Howardwick, Texas

The Clarendon News welcomes letters to the editor. Letters are an important forum for airing opinions. But the paper is not responsible for their content. Letters express the opinions of the writers. The newspaper does not necessarily agree or disagree with any letter, nor does it vouch for the accuracy of any statement in any letter.

The Lions Tale

by Gene Alderson

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting at noon on Tuesday, January 17, 1995 at the Lions Hall. Nineteen Lions, four guests and Lion Sweetheart Dee Williams enjoyed a delicious steak dinner before the meeting was called to order by Vice-President Johnson. Following the regular opening ceremony Lion-tamer Henson introduced the guests including Keith Hodo, General Manager of Channel 11 in Clarendon and Pat Robertson with Robertson Funeral Directors. They were the guests of Lion Delbert Robertson. The first order of business was the installment of two new members by Lion Allen Estlack. The club was pleased to welcome Lynn Floyd of Clarendon Motor Co. and Dan Dronzek with The Hitchin' Post. Sponsoring Lion was Wilbert Bernabe. A bingo report was given by Lion Henson and then Program Chairman Smith called on Lion Bernabe to introduce the program. John McDougald, District Scout Executive of the Golden Spread Council of the Boy Scouts of America, gave members information in regard to the new explorer post which the club is sponsoring for boys and girls age 14 to 21. He closed his presentation by presenting the Post Charter to Vice-President Johnson and the meeting was adjourned.



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		(\$)	(%)
1	Cash and balances due from depository institutions	776	0.01
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9	Commuter liability to the bank on acceptances outstanding	0	0.00
10	Intangible assets	0	0.00
11	Other assets	264	0.00
12	Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)	17,099	0.19
13	Liabilities	15,568	0.18
14	Deposits	12,836	0.15
15	Other liabilities	2,732	0.03
16	Other borrowed money	0	0.00
17	Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0	0.00
18	Subordinated notes and debentures	0	0.00
19	Other liabilities	15,559	0.18
20	Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 19)	15,559	0.18
21	Capital	1,540	0.02
22	Common stock (par value)	15,000	0.17
23	Surplus	15,000	0.17
24	Total equity (sum of items 21 through 23)	30,000	0.35
25	Total assets and liabilities (sum of items 12 and 24)	47,099	0.54

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Homemakers Club Meeting Held

The Donley County Extension Homemakers club started the new year off right with the January 11, 1995 meeting in the home of Evelyn Mann. Nine members, 3 guest and the Home Economics Agent, Jeanene Sinclair were present. Jo Shaller was the program speaker with her Cowboy Poetry. It was wonderful and everyone enjoyed it. During the meeting the need for sewing machines for the 4-H Sewing Classes was discussed. If anyone has a machine they are not using and would like to donate it to the 4-H Club, please Contact Jeanene at the Home Economics Agents office.

Ruby Jewell Hardin and Betty Hester were judges recently at the District Show in Amarillo at Caprock High School. The young representatives for Donley County in the Food Show were Lisle and Trevor Rowlands and Emily Simpson.

The next meeting will be the first Wednesday in February in Lea Tyler's home.

Club Meeting Held

The Martin Quilting Club met January 19th with Ann Bunyan, one quilt was finished. A surprise Birthday party for Flossie Reynolds on her 80th Birthday. A beautiful birthday cake was baked by Ann Bunyan, a card shower was also given. A delicious meal was enjoyed at noon. Twelve members were present: Pauline Koontz, Eunice Leeper, Mary Lee Noble, Verdie Tipton, Tiny Alderson, Marie McCracken, Lorene McAnear, Gay Cole, Hazel Edens, Flossie Reynolds, Carol Hill, and host Ann Bunyan.

80th Birthday Celebrated

Steve and Dorothy Reynolds hosted the Birthday party on Saturday, January 21st for Flossie Reynolds, in her home for her 80th birthday. Cake and punch was served. Those present were:

Pauline Koontz of Clarendon, Otha Eddleman, Claude, Wayne Reynolds, Olita Moffett, Marie McCracken of Clarendon, Lorene McAnear, Jerry Koontz of Clarendon, L.A. and Rosa Lee Watson of Clarendon, Wesley and Vera Webb of White Deer, Martie Webb of Amarillo, U.G. and Evelee Swinney of Clarendon and Lavonia Sloan of Clarendon.

Writers Seminar To Be Held

The Amarillo, Texas, Chapter of Inspirational Writers Alive! A non-denominational, non-profit, writer group will present Inspirational Writers Seminar, Saturday, April 8, 1995, 8:00 a.m.-5:00, at the Holiday Inn, 1911 I-40 East, Amarillo, (806)372-8741.

The key speaker will be Sara Park McLaughlin, a lecturer at Texas Tech University, Lubbock, and a self-syndicated columnist for the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal and the Amarillo Globe News. She will speak on "How to Succeed as a Christian Writer". McLaughlin is a graduate of Texas Tech and of West Texas A&M University with degrees in English. She has written two books in addition to her bi-weekly newspaper columns. In 1993 one of her columns won the \$1,000 Award of Outstanding

Merit from the Amy Foundation in Lansing, Michigan. Registrants will have eight morning workshops and four afternoon workshops to choose from.

Leaders are Marcia Preston of Edmond, Oklahoma, Editor and Publisher of Byline Magazine and past editor of Persimmon Hill published by the National Cowboy Hall of Fame, free-lance writer, teacher and experienced writer's conferences speaker.

Madge Harrah of Albuquerque, novelist and playwright who studies with the late Rod Serling (Twilight Zone) and has won twelve national and international awards for her plays, novels won the Golden Spur Award for best juvenile fiction.

Cost, which includes luncheon is \$50 for IWA! members and \$55 for non-members until March 25. After that date and at the door \$65 each.

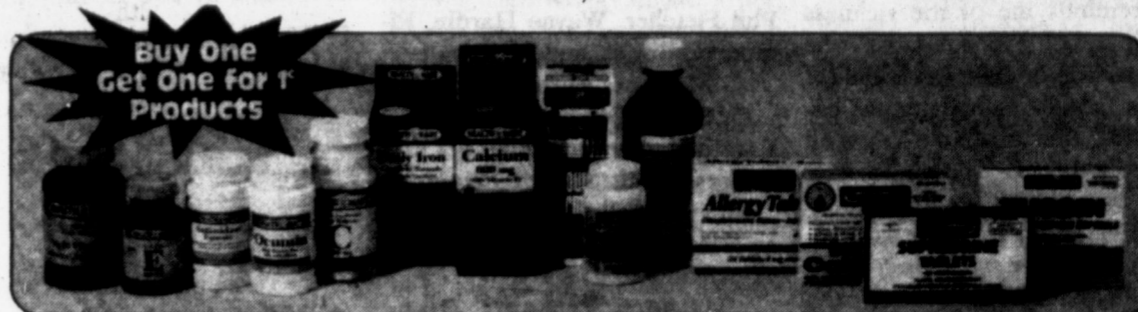
Register early to save money and get in on the contest. If you intend to spend the night, when you make your reservation at the Holiday Inn, mention you are with the Inspirational Writers Seminar and receive a reduced rate. Everyone interested in writing is welcome.

For further information or to receive a brochure, please call Helen Luecke, (806)376-9671 or Doris Crandall (806)355-0533.

Clarendon School Menu January 30-February 3 Breakfast	
Monday:	Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk
Tuesday:	Pancakes, Juice, Milk
Wednesday:	Eggs, Rolls, Juice, Milk
Thursday:	Pancakes, Juice, Milk
Friday:	Cinnamon Roll, Juice, Milk
Lunch	
Monday:	Corndogs, French Fries, Blackeyed Peas, Cookie, Milk
Tuesday:	Taco's (meat & cheese), Rice, Salad, Fruit, Milk
Wednesday:	Turkey Pot Pie (Turkey & Vegetables), Hot Rolls, Cream Potatoes, Fruit, Brownie, Milk
Thursday:	Lasagna, Hot Rolls, Corn, Salad, Fruit, Milk
Friday:	Sloppy Joes, Tator Tots, Salad, Fruit Cobbler, Milk

Senior Citizens Menu Jan. 26-Feb. 1	
Thursday:	Chicken Fried Steak, Cream Potatoes, Harvard Beets, Coleslaw, Apricot Cobbler, Wheat Roll, Coffee, Tea, Milk
Friday:	Chicken & Dressing, Green Beans, Corn, Jello w/Mixed Fruit, Banana Pudding, Bread, Coffee, Tea, Milk
Monday:	Turkey Fritter, Macaroni & Tomatoes, Spinach, Orange Sunrise, Gingerbread, Dinner Roll, Coffee, Tea, Milk
Tuesday:	Beef Stew w/Potatoes, Tomatoes, Carrots, Celery, Onions, Pickled Beets, Tropical Apples, Cornbread, Coffee, Tea, Milk
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Prince of Wales Cake

Three-quarters cup butter. Two cups light brown sugar. Two eggs. One cup buttermilk. One and one-half teaspoon soda. One teaspoon vanilla. Three cups flour. One teaspoon baking powder. One-quarter teaspoon salt. One-half teaspoon cloves. One teaspoon nutmeg. Two teaspoons cinnamon.

Sift and measure flour. Add baking powder, spices and salt and sift again. Cream butter, add sugar gradually and beat until light and fluffy. Add unbeaten eggs one at a time. Dissolve soda in milk, add vanilla and add alternately with dry ingredients, starting with the dry and ending with dry. Pour into two nine-inch [prepared] cake tins and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 25 or 30 minutes. Spread seven-minute icing between the layers and sprinkle one cup of chopped nuts and raisins between and on top of icing.

Who was the Prince of Wales in 1910, anyway? If you would like to share a favorite recipe (and a short story), please mail the information to: Lynne Williams, Box 807, Clarendon, TX 79226.

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Clarendon School Board Minutes

January 12, 1995

The Board of Trustees of Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District met in regular session at 7:00 p.m. in the Administration Building.

Member Present: President Johnny Floyd, Vice-President Dan Hall, Secretary Lynne Williams, Phil Fletcher, Wayne Hardin, Elmonette Bivens, and Joe Lemley.

Members Absent: None. School Officials Present: Phil Barefield, Superintendent, Larry Jeffers, High School Principal, Donnie Carroll, Junior High Principal, and Mike Word, Elementary Principal.

Others Present: Diane Chamberlain. Dan Hall opened with a prayer.

The Academic Excellence Indicator System District Report for 1993-94 was presented at a public hearing.

Minutes of the December 8, 1994 regular meeting were read. Motion by Dan Hall, seconded by Phil Fletcher to approve minutes. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

The financial statement for the month of December was approved board action.

Bills incurred by the Clarendon Public School and the Business Office were presented. Motion by Wayne Hardin seconded by Dan

Hall that bills be allowed and ordered paid. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0 with Phil Fletcher abstaining on Harlan's Flowers.

Open Forum: No presentations.

Motion by Wayne Hardin, seconded by Elmonette Bivens to approve the Academic Excellence Indicator System Annual Report for 1993-94. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

Motion by Wayne Hardin, seconded by Joe Lemley to approve the budgetary amendments as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Description, Amount, Total. Lists items like 'Travis & Carol Taylor' and 'Bob Ballard'.

Three bids were received on the Lelia Lake School Property: (1) Travis & Carol Taylor \$1,200.00; (2) Bob Ballard \$2,500.00; (3) Keith Floyd \$650.99. Motion by Phil Fletcher, seconded by Dan Hall to accept the bid from Bob Ballard at \$2,500.00, furnish a special warranty deed, and required certified funds. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

Four bids were received on a school van: (1) Chamberlain Motor Company, 1995 Chevrolet \$22,806.00; (2) Culberson-Stowers, Inc, 1995 Chevrolet \$22,016.65; (3) Plains Chevrolet, 1995 Chevrolet \$24,662.76; (4) West Texas Ford, 1995 Ford \$20,678.00. Motion by Phil Fletcher, seconded by Elmonette Bivens to purchase the van

from Chamberlain Motor Company for \$22,806.00 (based on bid price, quality of service, access to service, and other services provided to the school at no cost). Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

Motion by Wayne Hardin, seconded by Dan Hall to accept food and non-food items on a line item bases from Ben E. Keith, US Food Service and San Jacinto Foods for the second semester of the 1994-95 school year. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

Motion by Elmonette Bivens, seconded by Dan Hall to appoint the following textbook committee for the 1995-96 school year: Phil Barefield, Superintendent, Donnie Carroll, District Textbook Coordinator and Junior High Principal, Larry Jeffers, High School Principal, Mike Word, Elementary Principal, Linda Carroll, Kristi Hughes, Joe Sexton, Sheri Richardson, Byron Bass, Carrol Duncan, Leslie White, Tashia Duncan, Regina Wootten, and Joburta Helms. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

Motion by Wayne Hardin, seconded by Joe Lemley to approve the Gifted and Talented Program Plan as presented. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

Motion by Elmonette Bivens, seconded by Dan Hall to employ Sandy Anderberg as a part-time teacher assistant. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

Motion by Lynne Williams, seconded by Wayne Hardin to approve employing BGR Architects/Engineers for school renovation and construction project. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

The Texas Education Agency has notified Mr. Barefield that a grant has been approved for communication technology up grades for Clarendon CISD connecting school with TENET network for teachers, students, and administrators. Plans will be formulated to recommend what configuration would be of maximum benefits. Enrollment Report: Elementary 228, Junior High 123, High School 164, Total 515.

Administrative Reports: Mr. Carroll: Odyssey of the Mind will compete on March 4th in regional competition at Amarillo. Teachers have kept academic deficiencies low for this school year through extra work and emotional support. UIL is approaching and teams will be selected soon. Attendance is good. Basketball night was held for those having perfect attendance.

Mr. Jeffers: Student Council has received a Sweepstakes Award and will lead discussion groups on how rural schools can achieve such awards. A ZAP (zero's aren't permitted) program will be implemented to insure that high school students will do homework to improve student performance. Plans for making word processing mandatory for all high school students were presented. French will be offered next year.

Mr. Word: Several students are scheduled for an art seminar. 129 student with perfect attendance, 43 all As and 63 AB honor roll. The faculty is meeting with students interested in UIL. The language therapy program is going well. Three student teachers will be assigned from WTA&M in the Spring.

Mr. Barefield: An old piano

at the Lelia Lake school was sold for \$50.00. School board training is offered in Shamrock on January 19th. The Panhandle Area Association of School Board will offer training on January 26th.

Motion by Wayne Hardin, seconded by Dan Hall to approve the elementary campus improvement plan. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

President Floyd read prescribed statement with Code Section 51074 declaring board going into executive session. He requested all visitors to leave the board room at this time. It is now 10:25 p.m. to discuss personnel. It is now 12:35 a.m. on January 13, 1995 and we are at the end of our executive session.

Motion by Phil Fletcher, seconded by Lynne Williams to extend the contract of employment to Phil Barefield, Superintendent, for one year commencing on July 1, 1995 and ending June 30, 1997, provided said administrator qualifies as prescribed by Current Texas School laws and policies of the Clarendon Public Schools. Annual salary will be \$58,000 for the 1995-96 school year. Motion carried unanimously 6-0-0.

Motion carried Phil Fletcher to adjourn subject to call of president or until the next regular meeting of February 9, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. in the Administration Building. Motion carried unanimously.

Clarendon College Minutes

December 8, 1994

The Board of Regents of Clarendon College met in regular session on Thursday, December 8, 1994 at 11:45 a.m. in the V.I.P. room of the Bairfield Activity Center at Clarendon College.

Members Present: Chairman-Bright Newhouse; Vice-President, Dr. R.L. Gilkey; Secretary-Treasurer, Delbert W. Robertson; and Members: Kade Matthews, Douglas Lowe, Michael Butts, Susie Shields, and Jiggs Mann.

Members Absent: W.R. Christal.

College Officials Present: Dr. Jerry Stockton, President; Dr. Kelvin Sharp, Dean of Instruction; Tex Selvidge, Dean of Students and Darlene Spicer.

Others Present: Dr. Jim Howard, Instructor.

Board action that minutes of regular meeting of November 10,

1994 and Emergency meeting on November 22, 1994 be approved.

Board action that the financial statement for the month of November 1994 be approved as stated.

Bills incurred by Clarendon College were presented. Motion was made by Jiggs Mann with a second by R.L. Gilkey that bills be allowed and order paid in the amounts of General Fund \$43,528.30; State Appropriation Fund \$26,064.95; Carl Perkins Federal Fund \$3,034.07; and Bills in Since Listing G/F \$26,604.08 and S/A \$16,668.33. Motion carried 7 in favor and 1 (Mike Butts) abstained on Mike's Pharmacy bill. 7-0-0.

Motion by R.L. Gilkey with a second by Mike Butts to appoint Vickie Moore as Director of Nursing. Motion carried unanimously. 8-0-0.

Motion by R.L. Gilkey with a second by Doug Lowe to approve the Donley Appraisal District Contract for Assessment and Collection Services as presented and to approve authorization for Bright Newhouse, Chairman to sign the original contract. Motion carried unanimously. 8-0-0.

Motion by Susie Shields with a second by Doug Lowe to approve Christmas Holiday Schedule for the business office and maintenance staff employees as presented by Dr. Stockton. Motion carried unanimously. 8-0-0.

Motion by R.L. Gilkey with a second by Jiggs Mann to approve opening of new student Service Bank account at Donley County State Bank. Motion carried unanimously. 8-0-0.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:50 p.m. subject to call of the chairman or until the next regular meeting on January 12th, 1995 at 11:45 a.m. in the V.I.P. Room of the Bairfield Activity Center at Clarendon College.

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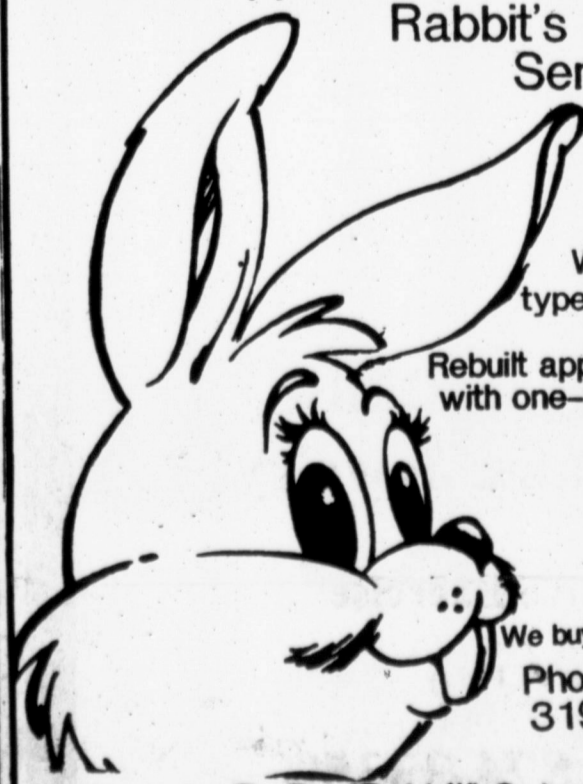
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Donley County Hospital District is seeking financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Transportation under the Section 16 grant program. Grant funds will be used to purchase a lift equipped van for recreational and medical transportation of elderly and disabled residents of Medical Center Nursing Home in Clarendon, Texas and the surrounding area. Copies of the grant proposal are available for inspection by the public at the administrator's office in Medical Center Nursing Home on Highway 70 North in Clarendon, Texas.

If requested in writing by February 16, 1995, a public hearing will be held by Donley County

Hospital District, Box 1007, Clarendon, Texas 79226 on February 24, 1994 at 7:30 p.m. to accept comments on the proposed initiation of elderly and disabled transportation services within the Donley County Hospital District. Written comments on the proposed project may be submitted to Box 1007, Clarendon, Texas, 79226 prior to February 17, 1995.

Gene Alderson
Applicant's Authorized Representative
4-2tc

NOTICE FOR DEPOSITORY
Pursuant to Article 116.023, VERNONS TEXAS LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE, and upon an order issued by COMMISSIONERS COURT at a regular session on January 9, 1995, the County of Donley is hereby accepting applications for a County Depository. Said application must state the amount of Banks paid CAPITAL STOCK and PERMANENT SURPLUS, as well as FINANCIAL CONDITION and other proposals for a County Depository. A CERTIFIED CHECK in the amount of one-half of one percent of County's deposits or \$5,000.00, must accompany bid or application. Applications will be accepted at the County Judges Office until 10:00 o'clock a.m., February 13, 1995. If Bank is not accepted as Depository, check will immediately returned. The Bank accepted, check will be returned as soon as bond or securities and contract are executed and approved.

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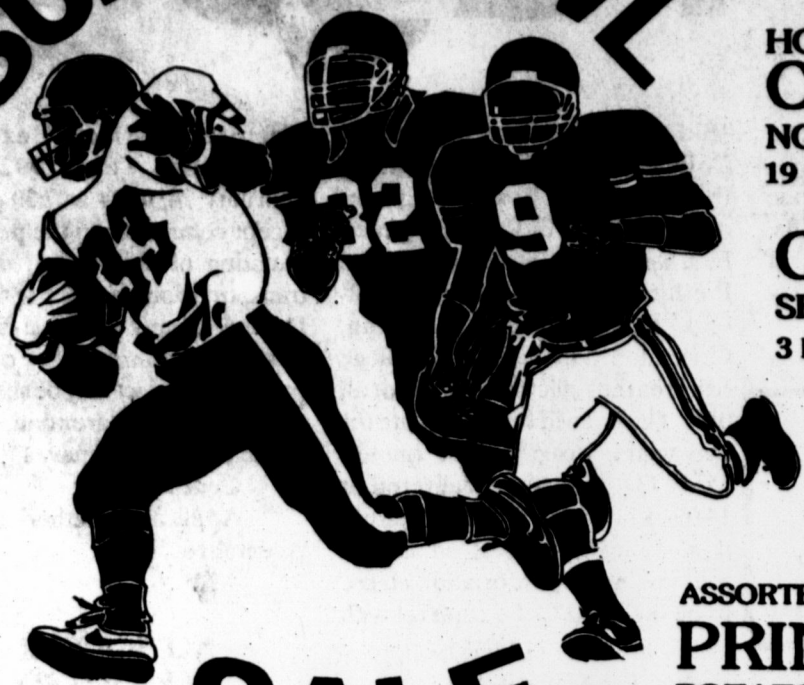
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