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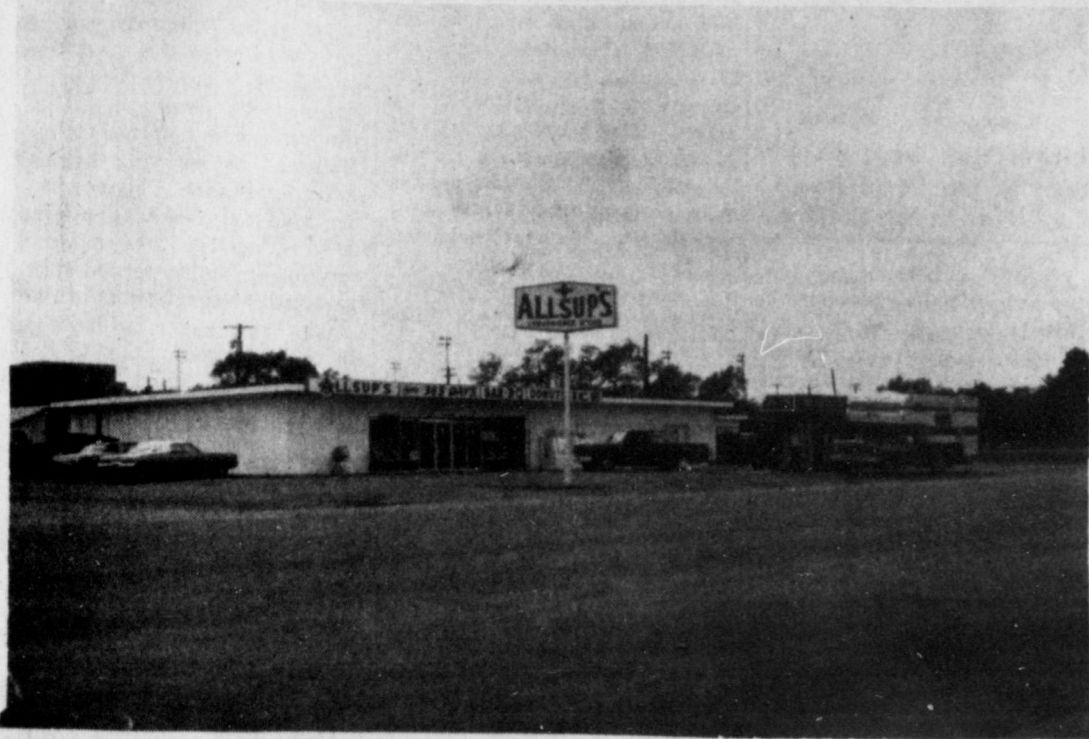
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A FINE PAPER FOR FINE PEOPLE



Allsup's Convenience Store Grand Opening Friday & Saturday

Allsup's Convenience Store will hold its Grand Opening in Clarendon Friday and Saturday, August 9-10 with lots of activity throughout the two day period.

Allsup's store is located in the former Super Save building on west highway 287. The building was completely remodeled throughout. All new fixtures, including numerous modern refrigeration units were installed inside to make it modern in every respect. A self-serve Bell gasoline pump was installed in the parking area near the highway.

The store features a full stock of groceries, frozen foods etc. and will remain open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Allsup's store here will be managed by Mrs. Becky Henry and her husband Chris will be the supervisor over this store along with stores at Panhandle and Borger. They will make their home here and headquarters for this district here. The assistant store manager is Mrs. Jan Jarrett.

The Henry's have been making their home at Hobbs, N. M. They have one daughter, Lei-Lani Denise, 1 year old. They have previously been with Allsup's Convenience Stores at Perryton, Dimmitt, Friona and Hobbs. He has been with the company the past 4 years. Becky stated that after looking over Borger, Panhandle and Clarendon, it was quite easy to choose Clarendon as their permanent home.

The Leader wishes to join other area citizens in welcoming the opening of this new store and Mr. and Mrs. Henry and daughter to Clarendon.

Read their double page Grand Opening announcement in this issue of the Leader for full particulars and their big event this week end.

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Top photo is an outside view of the new Allsup's Convenience Store which will be holding its Grand Opening this Friday and Saturday, August 9-10. Below is Chris and Becky Henry. Mrs. Henry is the local manager and Mr. Henry is supervisor over the store here and others at Panhandle and Borger. They will make their home here and Clarendon will be headquarters for this area. Staff Photo

Youth Revival At Calvary Baptist Now In Progress

A youth Revival is in progress at the Calvary Baptist Church beginning August 7th and continuing through August 11. Terry Sullivan of Dallas, Texas is the Evangelist.

Terry is one of the outstanding young men in the ministry. God has invested in Terry a very unusual gift in the ministry. He was with us in a Revival last year and was a great blessing to all who heard him.

Friday night, August 9th, The West Texas Youth Fellowship meeting will be at the local Calvary Baptist Church. Churches from all parts of West Texas will bring great groups of their young people for this service. Refreshments will be served by the Calvary Baptist Church at the close of this Friday night service.

The Revival will last only five days. You will not want to miss these services as Terry Sullivan who is a magician and ventriloquist uses these talents in the ministry. Make your plans now to be present.

Roy W. Sullivan, Pastor

Youth Paper Drive

Due to the weather the paper pickup by the young people of the Cooperative Youth Program was not made last Saturday. We are sorry for any inconvenience this has caused anyone saving papers for us.

We plan to pick them up this Saturday if the weather permits. Please set the papers out where we can see them from the street as usual. If it is raining Saturday morning we will wait until the rain is ended and will pick them up sometime Saturday when it appears that the rain has ended.

LOCALS ENJOY 3000 MILE CYCLE TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Rogers, son, Steve Jr. and daughter Cathy, Mr. and Mrs. Jim English, all from Steve's Automotive and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williamson of Borger returned home Friday night after a 3000 mile tour on four 750 Honda motorcycles. These cycles are built to carry two people along with lots of luggage space.

They reported a most wonderful trip thru the mid US which took them thru Nashville, Tenn. across to North Carolina and the coast and back through Georgia, Alabama, La. and East Texas.

They camped out along the way when weather permitted and they did report considerable rain thru the eastern states but said it did not hamper their travel. We figured the only way we could all enjoy a much needed vacation and see some of the country we had wanted to visit, was to close up shop and come back ready to go to work again.

LIGHT MOISTURE AND COOLER WEATHER BRING RELIEF FOR CROPS

Hopefully the dry spell is beginning to break up. Tommy Saye, official weather recorder, reported 12 inch of rain Friday night, August 2. Monday's report was .56 for a total of .68 to bring the year's total to 9.18 inches.

Compared to last year .99 was received in August and for the period of January through August we had received a total amount of 19.85 inches rainfall.

Hubert Rhoades at Ashtola reported .30 inch for Friday and .60 Monday for a total of .90 Mrs. Willard Knox reported .27 inch Friday and .60 Monday for a total of .87 inch. We understand rain was heavy in the Hedley area but an official total was not available at press time.

Did You Attend Church Sunday?

Pre-Registration At Clarendon College Is August 26 and 27

Clarendon College has announced the College's Pre-Registration dates for the Fall semester as August 26 and 27.

Students interested in attending Clarendon College may enroll from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on either date in the College Cafeteria.

Regular registration will be held on September 3, with classes starting September 4.

Applications for admission to Clarendon College are still being received and anyone interested in attending the Fall Semester who has not made application is encouraged to do so by contacting the Office of Admissions at the school.

G.E.D. Tests Slated At College Aug. 9

The G.E.D. Exam (High School Equivalency) will be given Fri., Aug. 9, 1974 at Clarendon College Clarendon, Texas. The tests will begin at 8:00 a.m. in room 102 in the College Administration Building. It will take approximately ten hours to complete the exam. Cost of the exam will be \$13.00, payable at the time of the examination.

Anyone interested in taking the tests should contact Beryl Clinton, Leonard Selvidge, or Floyd Gunn at the College before August 6, 1974. To contact by phone, call 874-3571 or you may contact the college by writing Box 968, Clarendon, TX 79226.

ELIGIBILITY FOR TAKING THE TEST

- The applicant must:
 - *Be a resident of Texas or a member of the armed forces stationed in Texas;
 - *Be at least 17 years of age and officially withdrawn from school for one calendar year (If a 17 year old enters the military service, this requirement is waived with parental consent but the certificate of high school equivalency will not be issued until one year from the withdrawal date.); or
 - *Be at least 18 years old; and officially withdrawn from school.

BAND RUMMAGE SALE SET FOR SATURDAY

Band Boosters organization will hold a Rummage Sale in the old Hotel Building to the north end of Main Street this Saturday, August 10, beginning at 8:30 a.m. This will be the Boosters final sale and they hope to clear the building of all items they have there. You may find just what you need or have been looking for. Be sure and come by the sale.

Medical Center Hospital Notes

Patients as of Wednesday, August 7: Bessie Martin, Cora Smith, Rosie Childs, Maria Martinez, Anna Taylor, Robbie Hill, Fannie Wilson, Jackie Smith, Edna Smith, Harold Williamson of San Jose, Calif., John Quirk of Groom, Ike Rains of Hedley, James Orand of Pampa, Allene Holloway.

Dismissals: Alice Talley transferred to Amarillo; Shirley Maynard of Pampa, Sharon Britten and baby Larry of Groom, Laura Huffman, Jaynesse Fulham, Yvonne King, Teresa Harwell of Pampa, Clyde James, Barbara Fong of Amarillo, Gary Barnhill, Jess Woods.

HOUSEGUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Heckle Stark had as houseguests Tuesday and Wednesday last Mrs. Stark's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Craig of Artesia, California. While the Craigs were here the four attended "Texas" and the barbecue at the Amphitheatre in Palo Duro Canyon.



Mr. Claude Thomas, Keith Floyd, Gary Thomas, Chris Ford and Terry Putman completed the Ordeal for the Order of the Arrow at Camp M.K. Brown last week.

Students To Register For Public School On August 15 - 16

Superintendent Jeff Walker completed the Public School Calendar for the coming school year with registration set for August 15th and 16th.

Football boys will report for practice August 12th and Teacher Inservice days will be August 12-19.

August 15, Thursday, Seniors will register from 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock and Juniors will register from 1 to 4 p.m. that same day.

Friday, August 16, Sophomores will register from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and Freshmen from 1 to 4 p.m. Grades 1-8 will also register Friday, August 16, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Kindergarten students will register from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. reporting at Mr. Cain's office.

Youngsters enrolling in Kindergarten must have their Birth Certificates and Record of Immunizations, reminds Superintendent Walker. If the youngster attended Kindergarten here last year and will be enrolling in the first grade here you need not bring the certificate or record. However, if the child did not attend Kindergarten here but is enrolling in first grade here you will need the Birth Certificate and the Immunization Record.

VACATION IN CANADA

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Little returned home Thursday, today, after vacationing in Canada. They made the trip by plane and while away visited Mrs. Little's son, Mike Mears.

Clarendon College Sports Program Is Expanded This Year

Clarendon College will enter the 1974-75 year with two new athletic programs at the school.

The college will be participating in men's varsity golf after an absence of one year. The golf schedule will include participation in all conference competitions as well as some institutional tournaments. The team will be coached by Lyndon White, golf pro at Clarendon Country Club and anyone interested in trying out for a golf scholarship should contact Mr. White.

Girls' basketball will be on a full schedule basis this year at Clarendon after playing a limited schedule last year. Under the direction of Miss Susan Addy, the team will feature several outstanding players from the West Texas area. The girl's program is a non-scholarship program.

Sale Fast On Stadium Seats For The Season

E. H. Monroe, Booster Club president, reports that the reserved stadium seats are going fast and that anyone who hasn't yet reserved his seats for the 1974-75 football season should do so this week.

Monroe says that the new aluminum reserved section will be installed soon, providing fans with new "splinter-proof" seating.

For your reserved seat, call Joan Noonkester at 2477. After August 12, call before 8:30 a.m. or after 5:00 p.m.

Davis Body Shop Opens For Business

Johnny Davis' brand new Auto Body Shop is now open for business in a completely rebuilt and remodeled building on Highway 70 South. It is located west of the curve at the top of the hill.

Johnny will specialize in all types of body work, painting and replacing auto glass for any type vehicle.

Johnny has been a resident of Donley County 27 years and has been foreman of the body shop at Chamberlain Motor Co. the past 14 years. I feel that I have the experience and knowledge to handle or figure any job, he stated.

Johnny and his wife Alice have two children, Larry 13 and Lana 9. Alice is a native of Clarendon and was raised here.

Johnny is inviting his many friends and customers to visit him at his new business location.

Social Security News

A representative of the Amarillo Social Security Office will be at the Courthouse in Clarendon Thursday, August 8, 1974, from 9:15 a.m. to 12:00 o'clock noon to help you on any matters relating to Social Security, Supplemental Security Income, or Medicare.

You may also receive information from the Amarillo office by calling 806-376-2241. The Amarillo office is open at 317 East Third Street from 8:30 a.m. to 4:45 Monday through Friday except for national holidays.

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Scouts Receive Order Of Arrow At Camp

Seven Scouts and two adults attended the fall Order of the Arrow meeting at Camp M. K. Brown Friday night and Saturday. There were 150 Order of the Arrow members present and of this number 64 were Ordeal candidates and 11 were Brotherhood candidates.

Our congratulations to Mr. Claude Thomas, Keith Floyd, Gary Thomas, Chris Ford, and Terry Putman for completing the Ordeal for the Order of the Arrow membership. Mr. Saye also added that he was real proud of Wade Porter, Donny Garman and Butch Blackburn for completing the Brotherhood rank in the Order of the Arrow.

A "thanks" to Mr. Charles Blackburn, an O. A. member, who went and furnished a car car for transportation.

Office Supplies at The Leader

New HS Students To Report At Office Of Principal Aug. 8 & 9

Mr. Gunnels would like for all high school students who are new in Clarendon and who will enroll in Clarendon High School for the first time to come by the Principal's office, Thursday, August 8, 1974, during the morning or anytime Friday, August 9, 1974.

Bring your health records and last year's report cards. This is necessary so we can have your transcript when school begins. Dress code for this school year will remain as it has in the past.

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Miss Camille Mann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Mann, and Mac Thornberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Thornberry, were sent to the Youth Seminar at Waco by the Donley County Farm Bureau. Each gave a splendid report on the Seminar and expressed their appreciation for the opportunity given them. Staff Photo



CHS CHEERLEADERS were pictured in formation while attending Cheerleaders School on the campus of SMU, Dallas, last week. Front L to R: Kim Radney, Mona Robinson, Jan Barbee; Center L to R: Brenda Ritchie and Tresa Jack; Top, Debbie Robertson. The group made the trip by plane and during their attendance at school, the girls learned new yells, routines, drills, ideas for Pep Rallies, football games, and building school spirit. They also had a lot of fun. They brought the following ribbons home: Outstanding, Excellent, and Superior.

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The Howardwick Party Line

By Sharon Mills

The news from City Hall is the City has bought the lot next to City Hall on which they will build a garage to house the present fire truck and maybe a future one. Carrell Rippeotte was commended for his work on putting out the last fire and other good things he has done for us. Visitors at the meeting were Ed Castner, our City Judge, Lynn Cherry and Don Richards. Lynn and Gennie Cherry have been on vacation this past week enjoying some leisure time. The Cherrys have had Vice-General Chairman, Jack Holmberg and wife, Ruth, visiting them from Topeka, Kansas. Jack and Lynn caught some good Channel Cat, and by the end of the week the fish were getting larger or at least according to their stories. Other fish stories as we heard them: Morris and Ed Castner caught 23 Catfish Thursday and Thursday night. They weighed in at one to four and a half pounds. Thelma and Jim Corgill also did some fishing. Their catch included one 3 1/2 pound and one 4 pound and several 1 1/2 to 2 pounds Cats.

Will Corgill and Henry Bland caught fish on the trout line. I haven't heard how big or how many were caught. Maybe they will tell the next time. The Canteen has reported that the fishing has really been good. Mooring Place reports Dan Tankersley caught 13 six and four pound bass, and George Fowler of Amarillo caught a four pound bass.

There was a fair "turn-out" for the Community Sing Saturday evening. It is for everyone. The Baptist Church is kind enough to lend their building to the community. Other than Howardwick residents attending were Mrs. Karen Bennett, Denise and Aaron, Mrs. Steve Reynolds, Dorothy Sullivan, Mrs. L. A. Watson. Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Watson sang several songs with Mrs. Reynolds at the piano. We did appreciate their coming so much. We want them to know they will always be welcomed.

Dottie and James Gray of Amarillo visited their parents, the Vernon Berrys, over the week end. Mrs. Bernice Smith, now of Amarillo, but formerly of Howardwick also visited the Berrys for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Collins had

as their visitors, Dorothy and Clark Rickman of Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. Will Corgill went to Childress Saturday on business. While there they visited Will's uncle, Henry Corgill. Visiting in the Douthits' home were their daughter and son-in-law, Becky and Gary Isbell of Edmond, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hendrick are expecting their daughter, Jessie, to come this week to get in another visit before the schools of Wichita Falls start again. Lois and John McVickers have another house full. Their daughter-in-law, Beverly with her children: Cheri, Monte and Misti of Tucson, Arizona are here to get in a last minute pre-school visit. Grandchildren, Kim Kyle and Kelley of Amarillo will be here for a week while their parents, Dawn and John Gay will be elsewhere on a job. Do you suppose the grandchildren will be able to settle down after a while with the grandparents. Any spilling?

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boling went to Albuquerque and also to Santa Fe where they attended the horse races. One came back a little richer and one poorer. They also visited Jack's mother, Mrs. W. H. Boling, and sister, Mary, of Belen, N. Mex. for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Corgill's daughter, Mrs. Martha Matlock and husband, Don, and their daughter, Deloris Denny and a friend were here for a short visit.

The Melville Mills had for their week end guest Ruth's brother, William Wallace, of Yorktown, Ind. Her sister and brother-in-law, Dorothy and Wiley Ferdig of Amarillo also came down for Sunday supper and home-made ice cream. All of them had some catching up on family to do.

We extend our sympathies to Mrs. H. Z. Wilson, whose mother, Mrs. Love, died July 31. Their home is in Amarillo and they are week enders here. Mrs. Love made her home with the Wilsons. Mrs. Bill Littlefield's brother, W. J. Franklin, of Texas City died last Thursday evening. The Littlefields drove to Irving where their son Don Adams joined them for the rest of the trip.

We hope Fannie Wilson is now home and is feeling much better. Corley and Alice Wilson's sister, Alice's mother, Mrs. Stevens is in the hospital at Memphis, and Fannie has been in the Medical Center Hospital. Did you realize a smile or kind word from you could make somebody's day Happy?

HAVE YOU CONSIDERED AMARILLO COLLEGE FOR THIS FALL?

- LOW COST
- OUTSTANDING TEACHERS
- FINANCIAL AIDS
- SMALL CLASSES
- CAREER PROGRAMS

ACADEMIC-TECHNICAL-VOCATIONAL-BIOMEDICAL

- TRANSFERABLE CREDIT
- CAMPUS ACTIVITIES
- AND MORE—

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WHERE THE STUDENT COMES FIRST

Will be talking to you next week. If you don't call me, I may call you. Sharon

Lelia Lake News

Mrs. Mary Castner

Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Choate made a business trip to Dumas Thursday.

Mrs. Madge Hankins of Pampa and Mrs. Jess Tyler of Abilene visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Altman visited in Quail Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Shack Messer. Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Knox and Mark of Amarillo visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten.

Mrs. Vivian Knox and Mrs. Ann Stepp and girls shopped in Amarillo a couple of days last week.

Mrs. J. L. Butler visited in Amarillo Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Carrie Ballew.

Mrs. Danny Nation and Tresha of Stratford and Miss Celina Nation of Childress visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Altman.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Floyd had business in Amarillo Monday. Danny Burnett and friend, Art Royal, of Lubbock spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Mace.

Mrs. Hester Shields and sister, Mrs. Velma Heathrington of Tulsa, left Monday morning for Tulsa, Oklahoma to visit the Art Johnsons.

Mrs. Gary Shields of Hedley visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shields and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hightower of Wellington, Mrs. Christine Stotts of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McQueen and Mike of Pineole, California visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Poole.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Partain of Lubbock spent the week end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mooring.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers made a business trip to Wellington Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shack Messer visited Sunday evening with her uncle Mr. and Mrs. Nolie Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Nelson Jr. have been in Childress most of last week to be with his mother who is in the Childress hospital quite ill. We are glad to hear Mrs. Nelson is some better this week.

Miss Jessie Cook of Clarendon visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Altman visited in Hedley Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Boots Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Willingham and grandson, enroute to their home in Lubbock, visited Tuesday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Poole.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dishman and grandson, Stacy, spent the week end in Red River, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jones and granddaughter of Mt. Vernon, Missouri, enroute to Gallup, New Mexico, visited over the week end with her grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mooring.

Janie Sue Noble and Mrs. Carolyn Brooks and boys of Amarillo visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Noble.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Altman and granddaughter, Regina, visited Saturday night in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Smith of Plainview visited Thursday with her father, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Scoggins of Penrose, Colorado visited Saturday till Monday morning with his sister, Mrs. L. R. Foster.

Mrs. L. E. Smith and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fennell Smith of Robert Lee, visited Friday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Altman visited in Hedley Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watts and children.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Floyd visited in Claude Saturday with his sister, Mrs. Marion Maddox, and on to Panhandle to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rasco of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Altman and girls attended the performance of "Texas" Tuesday night. Mrs. Leon Foster visited Wednesday with Mrs. L. R. Foster

and Mrs. Jackie Edwards. Tina and Tracie Shields of Amarillo spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shields.

Ashtola News

By Ruby Dell Estlack

Catherine Woods of Eldorado, Texas spent Tuesday night with her grandmother, Mrs. T. B. Odom.

Mary Belle DeBord attended the Bray Reunion Sunday. The reunion was held on the Connie DeBord place. Attendance was good. The group voted to make the reunion an annual affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Doerrie of Booker, Mrs. Dutch Doerrie and Benny of Albuquerque, Mrs. Cecil Payne, Lisa Payne and Melody Morman, Mrs. Katherine Green, Mrs. Larry Green and Jason were guests in the Horace Green home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown, Eddie and Todd attended the Farm Bureau Barbecue at Lelia Lake Center Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown, Eddie and Todd attended the Rodeo at Pampa Thursday night.

Ben, Morri, and Margaret Green of Amarillo are spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Green.

Mrs. Anne Green came down Friday evening and attended the Farm Bureau Chicken Barbecue with her family. She took the children home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Bible and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bible of Pampa visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Bible.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Bible made a business trip to Wellington Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Green and Ellen went to Canyon to see Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green and on to Amarillo and picked up Margaret who is spending this week with her grandparents.

Burk DeBord attended the DeBord Family Reunion at Thompson Park in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fate Finley and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Finley of Clarksville, Texas, also Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Holly of Artesia, N. M., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley and all attended the Finley Family Reunion at the Community Center in Claude Sunday, August 4. There were 36 present.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades thru the week end have been her sisters, Mrs. Ruth Thornton of Phoenix, Arizona, and Mary Rush of Portales, N. M., and brothers: Billy Ray Graham and Pat of Garland and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Graham of Sunray. All attended the Graham reunion at Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lane visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Roehr and family at Silverton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Roehr and family of Silverton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Chet Roehr Sunday.

Jeff and Todd Hall of Amarillo accompanied Wanda Neathery and family to their home in Shreveport, Louisiana Saturday morning. They were accompanied as far as Dallas by Mrs. Ella Beggs. All had been visiting Mrs. Ollie Nelson, Eudora Joyner, and other relatives.

Mrs. Skeet Brown, Gary and Eddie took Todd home and spent Sunday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Gresham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lockwood of Amarillo and Cheryl Hundley of Claude visited Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown, Gary and Eddie Saturday night.

We will have our 42 party at the Community Center Saturday, August 10 at 8 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley and Mr. and Mrs. John Butler of Claude will be hosts. Bring a covered dish.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahaffey and Hugh went to Pampa Wednesday morning where they visited her mother, Mrs. Grace Hester, and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gill and Charles. They returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Porter Skellytown and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Porter of Ft. Sill, Okla. were week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Clay and family.

Blue, black and green inks are used in printing a U. S. one dollar bill.



These fellows along with several others were responsible for the delicious food served at the Farm Bureau Barbeque Friday evening at Lelia Lake Center. Staff pic.



My Pen-Friend A. A. Montpert of 2458 Chislehurst Drive in Los Angeles, Calif., Zip 90027 sends me the following good little thoughts. They came just when we needed them.

"No man ever graduates from the School of Life. He is a student to the end. And in that last breath, he may still learn."

"Love is not just to be declared, or uttered, but shall be revealed by deeds. Love is a demonstration, not a declaration."

"The safest rule to remember when dealing with faiths, or with men is; by their deeds so shall ye know them."

"If you sow the seeds of love and truth, you will reap happiness."

"Within each man is locked the possibilities of individual greatness."

"We are here as instruments

Why Attend Church Regularly?

By: Weldon Elves, Pastor
First United Methodist Church

Titus 2:14 - Christ "... gave himself for us to redeem us from all iniquity and to purify for himself a peculiar people of his own, zealous for good works."

According to the latest inclusive membership count from the 1974 Yearbook of American and Canadian Churches, there are 131.4 million persons who are church members in the United States. This represents 62.4% of the U. S. Population and an increase of about 35,000 persons over the last report. While membership and financial support of churches was increasing, Sunday School enrollments and worship attendance were continuing to drift downward in most churches. Christian communions whose membership is increasing while their attendance at Sunday School and worship services are decreasing need to look closely at their situation for somewhere the necessity of Church gathered is being neglected. Briefly may I give you four reasons I see why the faithful disciple must attend church regularly?

First: our belief in God and our need to worship him requires it. I cannot accept as totally correct the statement made by some who never attend church - or perhaps do only on special occasions - that they can, implying that they do, worship God through nature rather than in the community of faith gathered together. While nothing we do is more important than our worship of God and giving him priority in our lives, so that we can worship him through the beauty of his creation, evidence heavily supports that except for a few rare persons only those who worship him regularly in the Congregation feel his presence in nature.

Second: the Church of God's people, and we must be a part of this company of Christian, requires it. While the Christian is to live in the world witnessing

to the truth of Jesus Christ, he is not to be a part of the world. Rather, he is to be a part of a community of faith bound together by love, forgiveness, prayer, worship, study, and witness. These qualities of Christian discipline led Paul to say to Titus that God had purified "unto himself a peculiar people, zealous to good works" (Titus 1:14b).

Third: the necessity of partaking of spiritual food that we may be strong spiritually even as we need physical food for a strong body requires that we come together. There are several ways we receive this food that we cannot possibly receive it otherwise. We receive it through personal witness of our fellow Christians as we sing hymns, share experiences, bear scripture read and preaching, and as we pray together. One supreme way we receive the needed spiritual food is communing at the Lord's Table where we receive His grace through the broken bread and the cup of sacrifice.

Fourth, and finally: we should attend church regularly because Jesus attended church regularly, commanding his disciples to do the same, and because the Bible requires it of all true and faithful disciples! Luke 4:16 says Jesus "came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, and he went to the synagogue, as his custom was, on the Sabbath day."

"As his custom was, on the Sabbath day" means more than attending occasionally like on special days and holidays. It means weekly attendance. Then, there is Paul's admonition in Hebrews 10:25 that we "not neglect to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day coming."

Surely you have heard it said, and it is very true, that to stay away from Church is to vote to close the church. Grace and peace. THINK ON THIS: Christ is in the center, the focal point toward which all he lines of perspective move. —Eternity

Lincoln was assassinated at Ford's theatre while attending a play entitled "Our American Cousin."

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The Tom Pounds family of Memphis entertained with a wide variety of musical selections during the Farm Bureau Barbeque Friday night at Lelia Lake Center. Mr. and Mrs. Pounds are pictured with four daughters: Loree, Audrey, Bonnie and Linda. The little miss to the front is a niece. Staff Photo

Fun After Fifty Club Learns Of Program

Forty members and guests of the Fun After Fifty Club (Senior Citizens) met at Lions Club Hall for an outstanding and informative program concerning Senior Citizens activities and the regular games and noon luncheon.

Games of 42 and dominoes were played until 11 a.m. when Rev. Owen McGarity gave the opening prayer. A memorial tribute was paid Mrs. H. T. Burton, recently deceased, by Paul Hancock reading a poem "Those Of Yesterday."

Mr. Mike McQueen former director of the Amarillo Senior Citizens Center and presently Panhandle Regional Planning Director for the Aging; Rev. Howard Romaine, Project Director of Senior Opportunities Services sponsored by Texas Panhandle CAA of Amarillo, Marilyn Easterly, Field IR specialist, Senior Opportunities Services, sponsored by Texas Panhandle CAA; Tillie Tiawian, Field Worker for the same of Amarillo; and Dean Beryl Clinton of Clarendon College were present.

Mrs. Nina Dale, president, held a short business session

followed by reports from Mrs. Florence Hester. A letter was read from Johnston Cleaners, Clarendon, informing club members of a special courtesy. The cleaner will call for and deliver their dry cleaning without additional charge. A letter from Mrs. Ruby Bromley of Mrs. Bromley's Dining Room stated that she would teach a cooking class in her home if there was a desire for same.

Dean Beryl Clinton opened his remarks with the statement, "Your worth does not deteriorate with Age," and discussed potential classes for Senior Citizens if as many as ten members desire a particular class, to be brought to them at a designated place, possibly Lions Hall, at a nominal fee of \$5. He distributed brochures for consideration.

Mr. McQueen's work covers 25 counties where he works with local communities in planning programs, etc. taking into consideration desires of the community. He explained that there is technical assistance, information, and funds available to help the local organizations achieve their goals on a "local basis." He told of accomplishments thru local initiative in other towns as Fritch and Am-

arillo. Mr. McQueen endorsed Dean Clinton's interest in the continuing education classes for local Senior Citizens thru Clarendon College. Senior Citizens were praised for their storehouse of invaluable abilities.

Clarendon's Senior Citizens were offered free recreational bus excursions, a driver furnished, (local escorts needed to accompany them), a day's visit to the Amarillo Senior Citizen Center, to Fritch Center, or the place of their choice in the area. Two buses of 19 capacity each will be available out of Amarillo for this recreation.

"Meals on Wheels", a state and national program for Senior Citizens, was mentioned by Dean Clinton. A survey showed that 3/4 of the attendance ate their meals alone. In the near future an office will be set up in Clarendon to assist Senior Citizens with their questions and problems.

Mrs. Lois Hutchins was presented the prize for her original arts and crafts display. A covered dish luncheon was served and Rev. Oglesby gave the closing prayer.

Recreational bus excursions for Clarendon Senior Citizens? An Information Service Office? A Center for Clarendon? Meals on Wheels? College Classes? Yes, even in Clarendon! There is a vital need.

There is also a need for at least 50 or more inactive Senior Citizens to attend their "Fun After Fifty Club" on the first Saturday of each month. If you are over 50, be young, stay young and active, and join in the fun! September's meeting will include the same mentioned representatives who will again present their possible enrichment of Clarendon's Senior Citizens.

ASHTOLA CENTER

We will meet at the Ashtola Community Center Saturday night, August 10, at 8 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley and Mr. and Mrs. John Butler of Claude will be hosts. Bring a covered dish. Everwone is invited.

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Large Group Attend Farm Bureau B-B-Q

The largest group to attend the annual Farm Bureau Barbecue in the past several years was on hand, Friday night, August 2, to enjoy the good food and fine program at the Lelia Lake Community Center. President Lee Shaller reported he was pleased to see so many out this year, and regretted the fact that State Farm Bureau President Woodson had plane difficulty making the meeting but was glad that he was able to be present.

An outstanding program was presented. Out-of-town representatives present included Mr. Woodson of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Shalwopka of Dalhart, Steve Cochran, Area Field Man and Mrs. Cochran of Asperment, and Jerry Knight of the Hedley area, Donley County Insurance representative.

In addition to hearing from these Farm Bureau representatives, the two young people, Camille Mann and Mac Thornberry, who attended the Youth Seminar in Waco gave their reports. These young people brought back splendid reports.

Mack Thornberry expressed his appreciation for the privilege of attending the Seminar. He told of the many ways in which the greatness of our American Way of Life was emphasized and the threat of Communism within our country. He told of the trip by chartered bus from the time he and Camille boarded the bus here and the many activities planned at Waco in the way of recreation and the good food served. He also referred to the outstanding speakers on the program.

Camille Mann went into some detail about each speaker, the enthusiasm with which their remarks were received and the factual material given. In a clever manner she related the experiences of one of the speakers who told of his ordeals as a prisoner of the Communists and how his time was spent in trying to maintain his sanity. His faith in God and prayer enabled him to do this. In conclusion she expressed her appreciation for the trip, the sharing of experiences with other young people, and the realization, more than ever before, that today's problems are going to be handled by these same young people; America is the greatest country on earth and through the help and grace of God this great country will survive.

While the crowd assembled, the Tom Pounds family of Memphis entertained. Mr. and Mrs. Pounds and four of their daughters also entertained throughout the evening and presented music and singing using the electric organ, guitars, and drums.

The people who prepared the food did a fine job, as they usually do. Barbecued chicken with all of the trimmings were enjoyed by all present.

Our club was represented Saturday night at the Sweetheart Jamboree at Canyon. Our club Sweetheart, Wilma Lindley, was there.

Y-Knot Twirlers

Y-Knot Twirlers met for their regular dance night. Audrey Brown did his usual fine calling.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH PICNIC HELD

Members of the First Christian Church held their annual Church picnic Wednesday, July 21, 1974. The gathering was held in the yard of the James Tucker home at 720 Carhart at 6:30 p.m.

Week's Activities At Medical Center Home

Entertainment was provided Saturday evening for the patients of Medical Center Nursing Home by Roy Smith, his wife, and daughter. Friday evening several ladies from Martin Baptist Church came and sang religious songs. Mrs. L. A. Watson, Mrs. Steve Reynolds, Mrs. Jane Hall, Mrs. Clarence Moss, and Miss Anna Gay Leeper did a fine job. Patients joined in several songs with the ladies.

Wednesday a group of Young People from the First Baptist Church went from room to room singing religious songs. We thank you very much and welcome you back at any time.

Monday, August 5, we played Bingo. Winners were Lema Mulkey, one game; Sally Robertson, one game; and Irene Gray four games.

We have two new patients with us. They are Hattie Hartzog and Francis Pollard. We are very proud to have these ladies with us. George McKee has gone to visit his son in California. He will be away two weeks. Mrs. Roy Blackman visited Blanche Smith. Mary Miller's brother, Jo Miller visited her. Mrs. Floyd had two daughters from Lakeview to visit her. Mrs. Musgrove's visitors were Wanda Dromgoole and Ina Hinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Banister had as visitors Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Banister, Mary Banister, ay, Todd and Kristi, Ruth Perzog's visitors were Jo Ann Ball-el Todd and Kristi Ruth Perkins and Billy Martin.

Mrs. Rhoades had as visitors Mr. and Mrs. Loren Rhoades of Amarillo and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades. Mrs. Adkins had as visitors Pat Jordan and Mrs. Roberta Pittman. Sally Robertson went home for the week end. Cora Hall was out-of-town. Geraldine Rumpy visited Mrs. Rumpy and Mrs. Folly had three daughters to visit her.

Putman Reunion Held At Ashtola Center

Those attending the annual Putman Family Reunion at Ashtola Community Center had a most enjoyable day Sunday. A bountiful lunch at the noon hour was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Visiting and picture taking highlighted the day.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Merchant and son, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Merchant and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Kim Hatch, all of Amarillo; Mrs. Ola Mae Shaw and children of Coden, Alabama; Mrs. Brenda Usrey and children of Logan, N. M.; Mrs. Trula Jean Shultz and children of Morse, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Auldridge and son of Electra, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holsenbeck and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Frankfather and girls of Kermit, Texas.

Also Acie Putman of Panhandle, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Putman of Corpus Christi, Texas; Charles Holsenbeck, Kim and Tammy of Carrollton, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Reeves of Dumas, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ayers of Lelia Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Graham Brinson of Hedley.

From Clarendon were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackman, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Trout, Wanda and Pat, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Ashcraft and Shane, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Spier, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Spier, Gina and Bridgett, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spier, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Lois Putman, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Putman, Guy Putman, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Putman, Donnie, Julie, and Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Mayburn Trout, Kathy Kidd and Debbie King.

In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Broadstreet, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Aduddell of Claude, Texas; and Mrs. Joyce Cagle, Rod and Jeff of Agate, Colo., visited with the family.

The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

The mobile home industry, with its low-cost alternative to conventional home - buying, exercises a growing appeal for many Texas families. As evidence, there are approximately 100,000 mobile homes in our State now, and sales are increasing by 25,000 units each year.

Recently, we organized a new Labor Division within the Attorney General's Office which will have responsibility for enforcing consumer laws related to mobile homes, as well as labor-related statutes. This division represents the Texas Department of Labor and Standards, the agency with regulatory power over mobile homes in the state.

Our Labor Division attorneys just settled the first case arising out of the 400 complaints they have received regarding mobile homes. They have found that many dissatisfactions arise not only from misunderstandings about mobile home construction, but about terms of the sales contract, regarding the mobile home, moving the home, locating the home, and mobile home park restrictions.

Some mobile home complaints could be prevented if consumers took time to investigate all these things before buying their mobile home.

Any sales contract should include a description of the mobile home furnishings, appliances, and any other items to be included in the purchase. Mobile home purchasers should understand the contract and the method of financing and are urged to sign the "placement certificate" only after the mobile home is delivered and set up.

One area of concern is "tie-down" of mobile homes, since, in 1973, the Legislature amended the Mobile Home Standards Act to require these restraints to prevent mobile homes from being blown or knocked over. Under the new law, all mobile homes purchased after March 20, 1974, must have approved tie-down systems if they are less than 300 feet from another structure. Mobile homes in coastal counties must meet more stringent requirements for tie-downs because of the danger of hurricanes and resulting high winds.

The Labor Division warns that some persons are selling tie-down systems that do not meet standards. It is important to get all claims about such systems in writing, to check with the Performance Certification Board of the Texas Department of Labor and Standards to make sure such claims are valid, and not to pay a fee for installation of the system until it passes inspection.

Mobile home purchasers should keep in mind that local zoning ordinances may determine where within a city they can locate their home. If a purchaser plans to buy a city lot for his mobile home, it is absolutely necessary to check on this in advance.

To move a mobile home over Texas roads, the home must be registered with the Texas Highway Department through a county tax collector. A fee is charged based on the weight of the mobile home. Moving a home out of state will require checking with each state's highway department, since each state may have different regulations.

If a mobile home is to be located in a mobile home park, there is the possibility of special park rules as to how the home may be used. It is important to understand exactly what will be provided for the monthly rental or lease fee, and what other charges, if any, can be expected - and to get it all in writing.

Some parks have special requirements about children and pets, over-night guests, parties, curfews, additional storage, repairmen, deliveries, mailboxes, garbage pick-up, and other things. Knowing about them in advance can prevent problems later.

If you have questions about mobile homes, contact the Department of Labor and Standards, the Attorney General's Labor Division, or your local Better Business Bureau.



Chow lines were long as evidenced in this picture as Barbequed Chicken and all the trimmings were served at the Farm Bureau Barbeque Friday night. Staff Photo

Evangelistic Crusade In Miami Aug. 11-15

Members of the First Christian, and First United Methodist Churches of Miami will be conducting an Evangelistic Crusade August 11-15 in the High School Auditorium with services beginning at 8 p.m. daily.

Rev. Joe Wortham, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, Hugoton, Kansas will lead the singing and Rev. Jack Gray of Dallas will be the evangelist. A community prayer service will be held on the Courthouse lawn Wednesday, August 7, at 7:30 p.m. with Tommy Hobby of Canadian leading the singing.

Other activities include a Men's Breakfast at 6:30 a.m. Monday thru Friday at the First Baptist Church; Women's morning worship at 10 a.m. at the First Christian Church; a Puppet story time for children grades 1-6 at 10 a.m. at the First Baptist Church; a Bible Bowl for children grades 1-6 at 7:15 p.m. at the Baptist Church; and a Teen Time at 7:15 p.m. at the Methodist Church. Nurseries will be open at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. daily at the Baptist and Methodist churches.

Everyone in the Clarendon area is invited to participate.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Dorothea Ledbetter came for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson, and together they went to Colorado Springs, Colo. where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson, Jr. They were joined there by George Watson of Downey, California who came by plane to be with the family. The occasion was Mrs. O. C. Watson, Sr.'s birthday which was August 1. All of the children were present to help her celebrate. "Many Happy Returns of the Day" to Mrs. Watson.

Leader Classifieds Get Results

GRAHAM REUNION AT MEMPHIS SUNDAY

The Graham family reunion was held at Memphis Sunday. There were 52 present for the enjoyable occasion. All of the brothers and sisters were present.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades, of Clarendon, Mrs. Ruth Thornton of Phoenix, Arizona, Mary Rush of Portales, N. M., Billy Ray Graham and Pat of Garland, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Graham of Sunray.

VISITS ARIZONA

Mrs. W. J. David has returned home after spending nearly two months with her oldest daughter and family, T/Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Millan and family of Tucson, Arizona. Mrs. David reports a most enjoyable visit and a nice flight to Tucson. She returned home with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Casteel and family.

Mrs. David found the area very interesting, beautiful mountains with so many pines, especially Mt. Lemmon, the cool and rains there. It does get hot in this area but cooling begins this time of year with rains coming nearly every day. At times it is humid. Mrs. David reported she liked the climate which is "considered to be most healthful."

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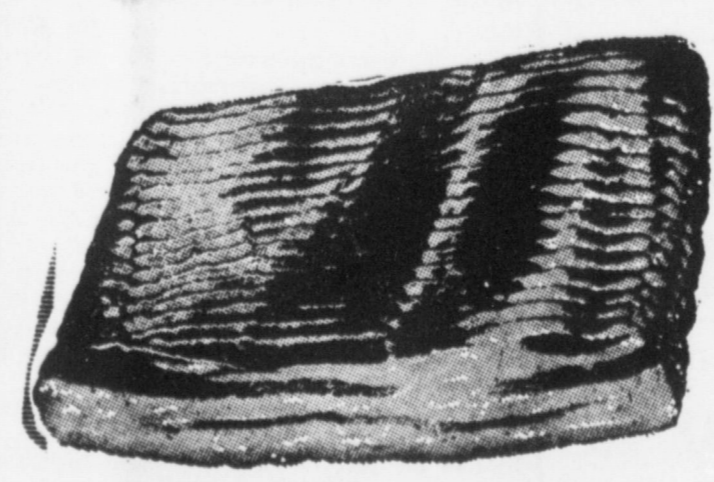
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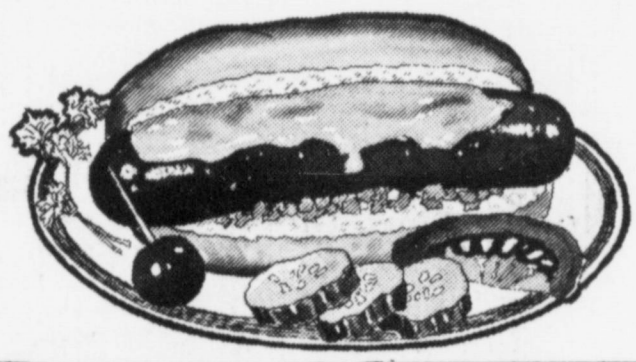
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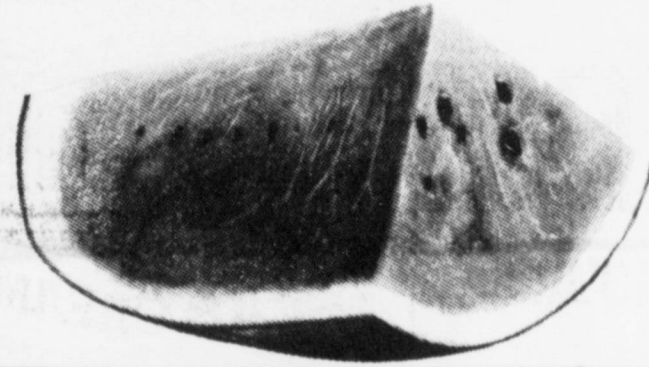


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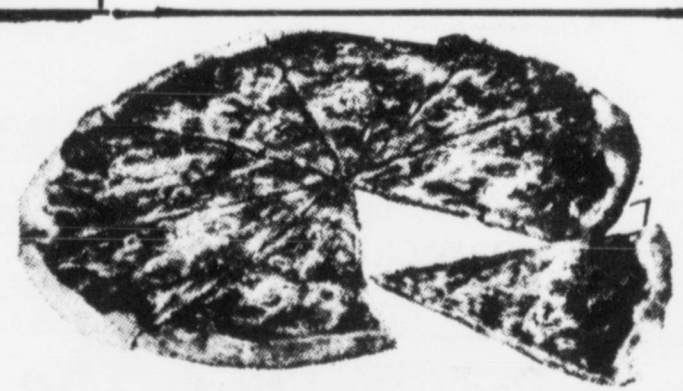
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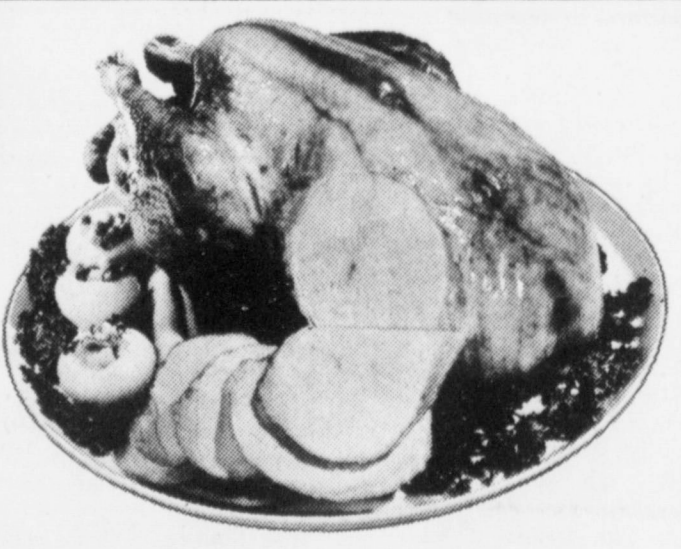
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Clarendon's Old-Timey Cowboys A Foundation Of Basic Honesty

Dr. James O. Brandon
Pastor First Baptist Church

Honesty is a land mark that cannot be removed without weakening the moral fiber of the personality. This is true whether it be in persons, cities and towns, stables or nations. Our heritage has been one of basic honesty.

In Old Clarendon during and before the turn of the century, contracts were signed by handshakes and were as binding before a lawyer. In fact, men died before they would break their word.

This was especially true with the old-timey cowboys. They were rough, rugged men. They demanded it. "They were rough, like the country they rode over," said one settler of Old Clarendon. Their word was as good as law and sometimes better. They did what they said. They were not two-faced. They were basically honest and men of high moral character. Women were safe in their company. The "code of the West" they called it. Anybody who broke that code was held personally accountable by the rest of his companions and usually dealt with accordingly.

The story was told, in Old Clarendon and is still repeated today by those who knew him, about a rough and rugged cowboy who was riding across the prairie early one morning when he looked up into the heavens and saw the figure of Christ. This experience caused him to stop his horse, fall on his knees upon the ground and pray. He gave his heart and life to Jesus Christ, turned around, came into Clarendon, went to the church, and openly confessed his faith in Jesus Christ. He was baptised and became one of Clarendon's most devoted

Christians.

People would keep their money in paper sacks in Rosenberg's old store and nobody ever lost a dollar. In those sacks, their money was as safe as if it was in a bank.

If you could pick one trait or characteristic that stood out most in these staunch pioneers, I'm told it was this simple honesty. This was basic in their life. A person was branded by what he said, and if he didn't live up to it; he was in trouble with his fellow men.

We would do well to learn from these our forefathers who worked hard, believed hard, and practiced what they believed. Basic honesty is the moral fiber of any community or nation. If you don't have it, you have big trouble. If you don't have it, nobody can trust anybody.

God talks about the necessity of basic honesty. In fact, you get it from God. He says that it begins in each individual's heart. No, it isn't that other fellow, Lord, standing in the need of prayer. It is me. It is too easy for us today to point at the other fellow, saying, "If that fellow would do so-and-so . . . or "If there weren't so many hypocrites in the church . . ."

We have so many ways of passing the buck, as we say here in the West, where personal responsibility to God and other men is concerned.

We sigh a little today for that time when a handshake was as binding as a signed contract, when a man was as good as his word.

Who removed these old landmarks? I don't think that we of this younger generation can blame our forefathers. They lived and died as they believed, and they did have faith in God. Somewhere along the way, you and I have let some things slip. We let them slip in negligence of our church attendance, in bringing up our children in the "nurture and admonition of the Lord," in failure to read our Bible and pray, in failure to be honest with ourself, and in failure to love our neighbor as ourselves.

I am indebted to Mrs. W. Taylor for her sharing her concept and insight into the life of the early cowboys of Old Clarendon.

Chamberlain News

Mrs. Hawley Harrison

We wish to express our sympathy to the family of Mrs. Willie D. Taylor in their loss.

Our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Basil Smith on the opening of their "Hardware Store". It will be much appreciated.

Mrs. Bradis Ballew and Mrs. Eleanor Martin were hostesses at Chamberlain Center Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Kooz attended the Bray Community Reunion Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Talley, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brogdon and Sherri were supper guests of Wanda and Dood Cornell Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann visited in Amarillo Sunday with Frances, Gervis, and Jennifer Kennard.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Duncan, Gary and Tonya in Greeley, Colo. the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. Larry Hicks and children are visiting in Clarendon enroute to their new home in Twin Falls, Idaho where Larry will be engaged in Evangelistic work.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dingler attended the Farm Bureau Chicken Barbecue at Lella Lake Community Center Friday night.

Camille Mann was one of the speakers at the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Allen of Goree, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allen this week end enroute home from their vacation in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackman attended the Putnam Reunion at Ashola Community Center Sunday. There was a crowd attending and lots of good food.

Dennis, Cliff, and Anna Harrison visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam McAnear, Connie and Stuart Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Talley of Lovington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tims, Pam and Jerry of Claude, Mr. and Mrs. Dood Cornell, Bill and Cara, Mr. and Mrs. Othel Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brogdon and Sherri, Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue, Mrs. Pauline Kooz, and Nadine Hastey were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Elliott.

Mrs. June Dolman of Odessa visited in Austin with Dr. and Mrs. Wilson E. Dolman III, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Guyton and Angela, and Debbie and Aaron Morris. Bill and Martha are in their new home now and everything is fine. But Debbie and Aaron will be moving to North Carolina in September.

Alford Ivey was in Pampa on business Saturday.

Hawley Harrison visited with Alford Ivey Sunday.

Hedley News

Mrs. Mabel Bridges

Mr. and Mrs. Tode Hill attended the XIT Reunion at Dalhart Saturday.

Rev. Terry and family were out-of-town over Sunday. They took their grandchildren to their home in Clovis and visited their daughter and others. Rev. Porter Arnold of Silvertown filled the pulpit at First Baptist Church Sunday in the absence of the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Stoveall, Toni, and Shanon of Amarillo spent the week end with their parents and grandparents, the Lon Harmons.

The Buford Wheeler family has moved from Clarendon to Hedley. They live at the Leeper place and have three children in school.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephens of Alamogordo, N. M. announce the arrival of Branon Clay, July 31, 1974. The young man weighed 7 lbs. 5 ozs. Hedley grandparents are Mrs. Othel Bollen and Mrs. Otis Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mithelman of Arlington spent the week end with her mother, Ella Kirkpatrick, and aunt, Myrtle Kirkpatrick.

Mrs. Kenneth Taylor, Debbie and Dewayne of Dublin are visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jap Shaw. Visitors in the Wayne Hansard home last week were Wanda Richards, Vione Beavers and

Social Security

By Travis C. Briggs

Q—I keep hearing about Supplemental Security Income. In simple terms, what is this program?

A—It is a federally-financed program that offers cash payments to supplement the income of certain needy individuals.

Q—Who can get cash payments under the Supplemental Security Income Law?

A—The individual must be either blind, disabled, or age 65 or older and in financial need.

Q—Are there any requirements for payments of Supplemental Security Income benefits besides being blind, disabled, or over 65?

A—Yes. There is an income test. A person must not have income or own property over certain amounts in order to qualify. The program is designed to offer assistance only to persons who are in need and strict guidelines are established to determine who can get these payments and how much.

Q—Where does the Government get the money to finance this Supplemental Security Income Program?

A—All funds come from general revenues of the U. S. Treasury.

Q—Are social security trust funds being used to make Supplemental Security Income payments?

A—No. Social Security trust funds are used only to pay social security claims and administrative costs of operating the social security program. All benefit payments and administrative costs to operate the Supplemental Security Income laws are paid out of general revenue funds.

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State Capitol Highlights and Sidelights

By BILL BOYKIN

When the Constitutional Convention collapsed in total failure, state legislators immediately began proposing new approaches to the long-thwarted revision effort.

A wide range of alternatives are available, and lawmakers are committed to try all of them. These suggestions already have been offered:

Creation of a brand new Constitutional Convention, with plain citizens rather than legislators occupying most of the delegate seats.

Submission to voters of the basic revision document drafted by the 1974 convention, without the controversial separate submission proposals (like right-to-work) which deadlocked this year's session.

An article-by-article revision, based largely on work of the convention.

Submission of the document originally prepared by the 37-member Constitutional Revision Commission as a guide to the convention.

If all else fails, consideration of a cleaned-up and slimmed-down version of the 1876 constitution stripped of outmoded provisions.

While the 1974 convention ran out the clock without accomplishing anything, hope remains lawmakers will have learned some lessons and that more than a year of research and expenditure of \$3.2 million will not be a total loss.

NO SPECIAL SESSION—Gov. Dolph Briscoe rejected requests for a special legislative session on state employee pay raises and supplementary school financial aid.

He said a special session at the tag end of an exhausting Constitutional Convention would not be practical, and the most pressing problems can be met by emergency action in the next



Attendance was good at the Farm Bureau Chicken Barbecue at Lelia Lake Center Friday night. A cross-section of the crowd listens to the good program. Staff Photo

regular legislative session.

Specifically, Briscoe committed himself to these emergency goals in 1975, which will cost approximately \$216 million in general revenue:

A 10 per cent cost of living pay raise for all state employees effective Feb. 1, 1975. (Legislative Budget Board has recommended \$285 million in pay and fringe benefit increases for state employees during the 1976-77 fiscal period.)

An increase of \$40 per student in average daily attendance for maintenance and operation of public schools, with distribution arranged to benefit "poor" districts most.

A 15 per cent increase in benefits of teachers who retired before March 31, 1969, and a 10 per cent increase for those who retired between that time and May 31, 1971.

A 10 per cent increase in retirement benefits for state employees who retire before August 31, 1974.

AUTO HEARING SET—The annual auto insurance rate hearing has been scheduled for October 1.

The State Board of Insurance will conduct the hearing for new rates to become effective December 1.

While the hearing is usually held in the summer, it was delayed this year to get maximum information on impact of the

gasoline shortage and slower speed limits which may bring rate reductions.

AG OPINIONS—Cities cannot purchase land for industrial site development by promissory notes to be paid out of revenues from the project, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

District clerks are liable for mysterious disappearance of child support money paid into registry of the court prior to deposit.

When judgment on which an execution sale is based is void, a purchaser obtains no title to property.

Requirements that counties, hospital districts and certain cities must adopt a uniform system of accounting and make quarterly reports of expenditures made for welfare programs are valid.

A contract to buy fuel for a county from the brother of a county commissioner is not necessarily void when the commissioner has no interest in fruits of the contract, direct or indirect.

BEEF OBSTACLES LIFTED—Obstacles to permits for Liberty Ship fishing reefs have been removed, according to Sen. A. R. Schwartz of Galveston.

Schwartz, of the Texas Coastal and Marine Council, said U. S. Department of Interior concern over placement of the ship

hulls at points selected by the council is now lifted. Interior feared the ship sits might interfere with offshore oil and gas exploration.

Several steps remain, however, before the ships can be obtained, scrapped and sunk. Proposed locations are southeast of Freeport, south southeast of Port O'Connor, south-southeast of Port Arkansas and about midway between Port Isabel and Port Mansfield.

ELECTION SET—A special primary election to name a Democratic nominee for State Board of Education in East Texas District 1 is slated for August 31, following a court ruling. (The date originally was set for September 7.)

The election will be held in Bowie, Camp, Cass, Cherokee, Delta, Fannin, Franklin, Harrison, Henderson, Hopkins, Hunt (partially), Lamar, Marion, Morris, Panola, Rains (partially), Red River, Rusk, San Augustine, Shelby, Titus, Upshur and Wood counties. Absentee voting will begin August 22 and last through August 27.

SHORT SNORTS
Hot, dry weather has cost the Texas agricultural economy two billion dollars this year, according to Agriculture Commissioner John White.

Midway Services Inc. withdrew its application for a controversial waste disposal site near Groesbeck.

Governor Briscoe asked Briscoe and Fisher counties be added to the list of counties designated disaster areas because of drought.

Another \$4.7 million in Criminal Justice grants have been approved for law enforcement and justice improvements.

Texas Society of Professional Engineers has come out in support of private ownership of offshore terminals.

An application has been filed for a new bank at Oak Ridge in Montgomery County.

The Governors Committee on Aging awarded a \$200,000 contract to Texas Farmers Union Community Development Association for administration of the Senior Texans Employment Program (STEP).

Texas State Securities Board has received nine applications for permits to sell \$4.3 million worth of securities in the state during the last two weeks.

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Keeping Records - What To Discard

Some people's desks are always neatly arranged with everything in its specified place. Others would need a shovel to see the desk top.

But whichever type you may be, you are probably saving some records you don't need and are keeping some records at home which should be more safely stored.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has reprinted a chapter from its 1973 Yearbook with advice on what records to keep and where to keep them. Copies of "Keeping Records—What To Discard" are available free only from Consumer Information, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

Where do you have your birth certificate? You should probably have it in a safe deposit box. While it can be replaced, it takes time and that could present problems if you need it in a hurry.

Safe deposit boxes are available at most banks for a small charge. You should keep all of your papers which would be difficult or impossible to replace there. These would include your birth certificates, marriage certificates, divorce papers, adoption papers, citizenship and service records, and any other government or court recorded document.

You should also keep one copy of your will in the safe deposit box and one at home where other people know how to find it. Stock certificates, government bonds, deeds to real estate, mortgage papers, title for the car, and other special papers should also be in the safe deposit box.

But don't use the safe deposit box as a catchall. You do not need to safeguard copies of insurance policies, cancelled checks, tax returns, education records, employment records, social security cards, bank books, guarantees, burial instructions, or old letters.

There is no need to save all your cancelled checks, only those necessary for tax purposes. If you need to find out whether a particular check has been cashed, you can get confirmation from the bank.

One last thing. There is one record most people don't have. That is a household inventory. This is very important in case of fire or burglary. It should list the item, date bought, purchase price, model and serial number, brand name, dealer's name, and a general description. It is also helpful to take pictures of your possessions as backup for the inventory.

KEEPING RECORDS—WHAT TO DISCARD (Free) is one of more than 200 publications listed in the CONSUMER INFORMATION INDEX. The Index, published quarterly by the Consumer Information Center of the General Services Administration, lists selected federal publications of consumer interest. Copies are available free from Consumer Information, Pueblo, Colorado 81009 and from Federal Information Center around the country.

Boaters Should Pay Attention To Weather
The very first step in planning a boating trip is to check the weather and weather forecast, according to a section on presailing procedures in the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's Texas Skippers course.

The information can come from:

Local Newspapers. Read the whole report, not just the summary. A good idea is to tear the report out of the paper and take it with you. Make sure it applies to the waters you're going to boat in.

The Telephone. The National Weather Service publishes Coastal Warning Facilities Charts for all coastal areas plus the Great Lakes. The location and phone numbers of all National Weather offices plus the location and times of AM and PM radio and television marine weather broadcasts are also listed. Finally, the first page of most local telephone directories lists the number to dial that will connect you to a recorded weather forecast that is periodically updated.

Special Radio Sources. Coast Guard stations broadcast weather on 2670 kHz. These broadcasts are preceded by an announcement on 2182 kHz. If you have a radiotelephone aboard, you can also call the marine operator for weather. The National Weather Service broadcasts continuous marine weather on the radio frequency 162.55 MHz (VHF/FM). Most of these broadcasts, however, are only made in coastal areas.

Special Warnings and Storm Signals. At many clubs and Coast Guard stations storm warnings are displayed by flag hoists or lights. Boat operators should know what the signals mean.

A single bright red pennant flying from a storm signal flag pole means winds of up to 38 miles per hour are expected over the local water area. With these winds there can be waves, rough water and white caps. The pennant is a "Small Craft Warning" and it means that you should stay ashore. If your boat is tied up or moored, check all mooring lines and double them if necessary. Close all ports, hatches and doors. Make sure your mooring cover is tightly fastened if you have one. At night, a small craft warning signal is a red light over a white light.

Two red pennants mean "Gale Warning," and boaters can expect winds up to 54 miles per hour. At night, this warning is a white light over a red light. Boat owners should get their boats out of the water if at all possible. If not, their boats should be moored with extra lines.

A red flag with a black square means "Storm Warning," and winds up to 72 miles per hour are expected. Boats should be out of the water and under shelter if possible. The night storm warning signal is two red lights.

Two red flags with black squares means "Hurricane Warnings." The safest possible shelter should be sought for both your boat and yourself. At night, the hurricane warning signal is three lights, a red on top, white in the middle and red on bottom.

Boat owners should remember that even if they start out with a forecast of fair weather, conditions can change rapidly. Line squalls, thunderstorms and the like are very unpredictable and therefore very dangerous to small craft.

Not all parents respond to the inquiry, and not all begin immunizations for their babies.

That's where the Community Service Aides come in. They take referrals from the Immunization Division and attempt to track down those who don't respond.

How well do they do their job? Last year an average of 56 Community Service Aides were employed and assigned to regional and field offices to promote immunizations in the pre-school group.

They received 175,075 new referrals during the year — about 3,100 per aide. The average aide visited 1,707 homes and made 638 telephone contacts during the year. Each aide determined that a total of 1,222 immunization starts and/or completions had been made.

Total figures show that aides were responsible for 18,989 children starting immunizations; 26,253 completing the initial series; and 23,168 others completing the one-year series for a total of 68,410 starts and/or completions.

What this activity has done, says state health officials, is to cut deeply into that reservoir of potential disease victims.

"They are reaching that segment of the population that nothing else reaches — pre-school children staying at home with momma. They seek out and then motivate those hard-to-reach people by informing them of disease consequences and where they can get immunization services," said one immunization director.

The Immunization Service Aides take pride in their work and receive a lot of personal gratification from it, report their supervisors on both the state and local levels.

It may have something to do with the background of the aides. In looking for new aides, the State Health Department attempts to find individuals from areas where they will be working, possibly in neighborhoods where they grew up.

The home town aides relate better to the people they contact and talk their own language.

When an aide is hired, a three to four day training course is given, followed in about six months with more training. They also receive on-the-job training from their supervisors or other experienced aides.

Aides show a lot of initiative in finding unimmunized children. Often they hear about them in conversations with contacts, who tell them of new people moving into a neighborhood. They institute record searches in health department clinics. Many aides visit offices of local registrars to check out new birth certificates, often making contacts before receiving referrals from the state office.

They also turn up immunized children whose parents hadn't responded to the mail questionnaire. In cases where parents have taken their children to private physicians, notification cards are left with the physicians so that immunization information can be reported.

Immunization aides are doing a good job for Texas as part

of a State Health Department effort to make the state a healthier place in which to live.

Clarendon College To Offer ROTC
Beginning this fall, ROTC will be offered on the Clarendon College Campus. A cross enrollment agreement has been reached with West Texas State University which provides for a curriculum identical to that offered and transferable among all senior ROTC schools, and Clarendon College ROTC cadets will receive transcripts for participation in the program from the Department of Military Science of WTSU.

Mr. Beryl D. Clinton, Dean of Clarendon College, has indicated that students electing to enroll in ROTC may substitute ROTC classes for required physical education and health classes. For those students wishing to enroll in the ROTC program, Maptain Eugene D. Colgan of the WTSU ROTC faculty will be present at Clarendon College during registration for the Fall Semester.

Students enrolled in the Clarendon College ROTC program are eligible to compete for scholarships the same as ROTC students at four year institutions. Scholarship students receive \$100 per month for approximately 10 months of each school year.

Courses to be offered at Clarendon College include military marksmanship drill, land navigation, and military history. These courses are open to students of either sex as well as to veterans at a cost of only \$6.00 per semester hour.

For further information, contact Captain Moore at (806) 656-3566, or write Professor of Military Science, West Texas State University, Canyon, TX 79016.

Social Security
by Travis C. Briggs
Q—As a ready reservist, am I eligible for Servicemen's Group Life Insurance (SGLI) issued by the Veterans Administration under a recent law?

A—Yes. Under the Veterans Insurance Act of 1974 (May 1974), servicemen on active duty and ready reservists are insured automatically under SGLI for \$20,000. However, they may elect \$5,000, \$10,000, \$15,000 coverage, or no coverage at all.

Q—My wife and I are buying a home with a GI loan from the Veterans Administration. Can we pay the loan off in advance?

A—Yes. You may partially or fully pay off your mortgage ahead of schedule without penalty — provided, payments are for not less than one monthly payment or \$100, whichever is less.

Q—I'm a 66-year-old World War II veteran with an honorable discharge. Am I eligible for pension from the Veterans Administration?

A—That depends, since VA pensions are based on need. If you're single and your income does not exceed \$2,600 a year, or \$3,800 a year if you have dependents, you could be eligible. Suggest you check with your local VA office or veterans service organization representative.

Accent On Health
J. E. Peavy, M.D.,
Commissioner of Health

All preventable diseases in Texas may never be wiped out, but the Texas State Department of Health — with cooperation of private physicians — is working toward that goal through a strong immunization campaign.

Last year a combined total of only 1805 cases were reported for diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, measles and rubella. There was no polio reported in 1973.

Because of the success of the compulsory school immunization program, more attention is directed toward the pre-schoolers in State Health Department activities. Statistics show that epidemics have repeatedly taken the heaviest toll among children from one to four years old.

A dramatic decline in disease incidence has been marked up in Texas for such diseases as diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, measles and rubella. Sharing in this success is a group of Community Service Aides who concentrate on infant immunizations.

When a baby is born in Texas, the Immunization Division gets a computer printout showing the baby's name, parents' names and home address from the Records and Statistics Section of the State Health Department.

Parents of newborns receive a card informing them of immunization schedules and recommending vaccination times. They are asked to return the card and indicate which immunizations have been started.

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Carrol Shalowpka of Dalhart, Texas, left, introduced State Farm Bureau President Woodson who addressed the group in regard to what the Farm Bureau has done and plans to do this year at the Farm Bureau B-B-Q Friday night. Staff pic.

Golden Achievement Award To Donley Co. Unit Cancer Society

The crusade Golden Achievement Award has been presented to the Donley County Unit of the American Cancer Society. The award is given in recognition of those counties which have reached an all time high and have raised 36c per capita or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wallace, Unit Presidents, would like to again commend Crusade Chairman, Mrs. Bill Greene, Jr., neighborhood captains throughout the county, and all volunteers who worked so long and hard for this award.

In other news from the society, Redell Henson was appointed Service Chairman for our local unit. Many vital ser-

vices are provided for Cancer patients by the society and he is anxious to help any patient in need of these services. A complete listing of items available has been posted at Tunnell's Pharmacy and in the Doctors offices.

Some new films are available for any group or organization wishing to have a program. Rev. Pettigrew Hamilton, our local Vice President and Education Chairman, would welcome the opportunity to provide them.

The local unit has received state recognition for our successful crusade last spring and we want to share that recognition with every family and business which contributed so generously. We should all be very proud that perhaps we as a community have provided funds which truly may help wipe out Cancer in our lifetime.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. E. A. Tipton and Mrs. Eddie Tipton and Kelli of Amarillo attended funeral services for Mrs. E. A. Tipton's brother-in-law, Lanham Curtis, at Poolville, Texas Monday.

Softball Scores

AUGUST 1
J & W Lumber 12 - Mooring 10
AUGUST 2
First Baptist 18 - Riggs 16
Chamberlain 14-J & W Lumber 16
AUGUST 5
Rained out
AUGUST 6
Riggs 13 - J & W Lumber 14
Standings with wins and losses respectively: Mooring 6-1; J & W Lumber 5-2; Clarendon College 3-3; Riggs 3-5; Chamberlains 2-4; and First Baptist 1-5.

Troop 33 Activities

On Tuesday night the Canoeing Merit Badge group is meeting under the direction of Jeff Campbell and Donnie Putman. Also, the Insect Life Merit Badge is meeting under the direction of Mr. Jerry Hawkins.

Coming up on August 17th a Swim Meet will be held at Pampa for all Scouts and Explorers of the Santa Fe District. All Scouts who wish to enter, please contact Mr. Saye so transportation may be set up.

Criminal Justice Grants Approved by Gov.

Governor Dolph Briscoe has approved two criminal justice grants totalling \$100,955 for improving law enforcement in the area served by the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, based in Amarillo.

Larger of the two grants, \$69,263, goes to Amarillo for fourth-year funding of the Potter-Randall Metro Intelligence Unit. The unit is made up of members from the Amarillo and Canyon police departments and sheriffs' offices of Potter, Randall and Deaf Smith counties.

The unit conducts investigations and surveillances pertaining to organized criminal activities and either assists in making arrests or provides information to an enforcement unit for arrest and prosecution.

The second grant, to Panhandle Planning Commission for \$31,692, provides continuation of the law enforcement academy. Two basic law enforcement training courses of six weeks each and a nine-week specialized training course will be offered to some 340 officers with 1974 funding.

The money comes from the Criminal Justice Division of the Governor's Office. CJD administers the state's block grant from the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration under the Control Act of 1973.

The local grants were among 60 totalling \$4.7 million which the governor approved.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Estlack attended the Farm Bureau Barbecue at Lelia Lake Community Center Friday evening.

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West Texas Drought Hurting Antelope

Little or no rainfall in West Texas during the winter and early spring has severely cut into the state's antelope herds.

Three areas of the state support pronghorn antelope herds: the Trans-Pecos, Permian Basin and the Panhandle.

Aerial and ground censuses of herds were curtailed to a large extent this year but counts thus far show antelope numbers to be down in all three West Texas localities.

According to Texas Parks and Wildlife Department regional wildlife director Jack Parsons of San Angelo, the majority of the state's herds are found in the sprawling Trans-Pecos and antelope numbers are down some 42 percent from last year.

"Even though we were limited on counting time this year," said Parsons, "the areas we did survey were covered thoroughly and drought has definitely hurt antelope over their entire range."

Last year, department crews counted 5,653 antelope in the Trans-Pecos; this year there are only some 3,282 pronghorns.

Counts are still incomplete in the Permian Basin and Panhandle but indications are just as pessimistic.

Wildlife biologist Dick DeArment in the Panhandle put that area's antelope numbers at 1,828 in 1973 and he expects the 1974 survey to be well below that figure.

"Both adults and fawn production have been affected by the drought," said DeArment. "Parts of the northeast Panhandle have had very low production with only a few areas remaining up to par."

Parsons, DeArment and other department biologists discount the effects of depredation by coyotes on the antelope.

"Antelope herds rise and fall according to the condition of habitat," said DeArment. "If there is insufficient moisture and forage, some of the animals will naturally weaken and be more susceptible to predators."

"Coyotes will take the weaker animals and leave the healthy ones."

Depredation of antelope herds by coyotes is a "normal" phenomenon and loss of habitat poses a much more serious threat to the prong-horned antelope in Texas.

Antelope season is Sept. 28-Oct. 6 in the Trans-Pecos and Permian Basin and Sept. 28-Oct. 1 in the Panhandle.

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department issues antelope permits to landowners based on counts of their herds. Landowners in turn lease trespass rights to hunters.

JOHNNY JUST LEAVES FOR AIR FORCE DUTY

Johnny Just left Friday afternoon, August 2, 1974, from Amarillo by plane for San Antonio. He reported at Lackland Air Force Base for Basic Training. After six weeks of training there Johnny will be attending Electronics School, location unknown at this time.

Johnny is a 1974 graduate of Clarendon High School. He has received all of his schooling here except for the first grade. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Just of Lelia Lake, Texas.

TOP O' TEXAS BEAUTY PAGEANT AT PAMPA

The Pampa Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the Top O' Texas Beauty Pageant at which time the Miss Top O' Texas Beauty Queen will be chosen. The pageant will be held Friday, August 9, at 8 p.m. in the M. K. Brown Auditorium. Thirty-four area girls will be competing including a representative from Hedley.

An added attraction this year will be the "Little Miss Parade" featuring girls 3 to 5 years of age with their escorts. Shelia Mayben of Claude, Miss Top O' Texas of 1973 will crown the new queen.

Tickets may be purchased from contestants or from the Pampa Chamber of Commerce.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hefner of Amarillo and Leslie and Denny Wheeler of Azle visited Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Quattlebaum Saturday.

Greenbelt Bowl Game At Childress Aug. 10

Tickets will go on sale for the annual Greenbelt Bowl Football Classic at Childress Monday, July 29 at the Rexall Drug in Childress and are presently on sale at the Chamber of Commerce there. The game is scheduled for August 10 at 8 p.m. in Fair Park Stadium.

Reserve seat tickets sell for \$3, general admission tickets \$2.50, and student tickets \$1.

Representing Clarendon in this year's classic will be Jimmy Floyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Floyd. Each player is allowed an entry as a candidate for Queen. Tersea Jack of Clarendon will be this year's queen contestant. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jack.

Players will arrive on Monday, prior to the game for a week of work outs. Queen candidates will arrive Friday, August 9, and after registration will be guests at an informal party and rehearsal at 1:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

Other activities include a picnic for players, queen contestants, and their parents at 6:30 p.m. at the Rotary Bowl in Fair Park. There will also be a parade at 4 p.m. Saturday, August 10.

Players will be divided to play on the East and West teams. There are 44 on this year's roster.



Wade Porter, Donny Garman, and Butch Blackburn completed the Brotherhood Rank in the Order of the Arrow at Camp M. K. Brown last week.

Community Action Plans Fall Classes

Classes offered through Community Action are being mapped out at the present time. If you are interested in attending a class under this program please contact Mrs. Robbie Hill of the CAC office, Phone 874-2473 or Mrs. Eureda Mays of PPH office at Phone 874-3613.

These two ladies need to know what classes you are interested in attending so as to complete plans for teachers and necessary materials.

This information is needed as soon as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tarver and daughter, Donna, of Quail visited friends in Clarendon Monday evening.

Clarendon Fire Dept. Expresses Thanks

The members of the Clarendon Fire Department would like to say "thank you" to everyone that attended the fund raising dance Saturday night and to those that have made other contributions to the fund.

Our special thanks are extended to the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association for their contribution and help in making the dance possible.

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