## Centennial Countdown - Donley County - First 100

#### Christmas in Brice Flats

BY PAULINE DOUGHERTY

I can still see the old farm house sitting back from the dirt road all framed in cotton and corn patches, the big tall windmill blowing softly in the cold winter breeze. It had a rain water cistern at the corner with a big zinc bucket

and a rope pulley to draw the water up and down and the old gourd dipper we had hanging by the well to drink from. Warm smoke poured out of the roof from that old pot bellied stove inside, where we used cow chips and

brush for fuel. A big welcome was written all over the place.

Christmas was a wonderful and exciting time of the year for us. A few days before the big day, my Dad and oldest brother would take the old wagon out to the 'brakes' and cut a large mesquite for

large star out of a piece of tin our Christmas tree. We for the shining star on top. would meet them a mile away at the corner gate and drive back home all excited

Christmas was approaching and Santa Claus was very near. The night was filled with enchantment and ablaze with the Christmas spirit of old. The longest night of the year was the night before Christmas. We hung our

ep the night away, but it seemed years before morning...but finally, it came! We jumped out of bed straight to the toys, all nestled underneath the tree. Our black stockings were bursting at the seams..with the queens of the party peeping out the

tops. They were Villa's (my sister) and my dolls with the long blonde curis and flirty asking for kisses. Further down the old sox were apples, oranges, bananas, nuts, mixed candies and those black 'toe' nuts.

Then came the old fashioned Christmas dinner my Mother had been preparing

Christmas times were

simpler than the glamourous

ones of later days, but far richer. We had the pleasure of living amidst those old colorful scenes.

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# The Clarendon Press

over the thoughts of decorat-

ing the tree. On Christmas

Eve we all sat on the floor

around the tree. We made

decorations from ginger

bread cookies, crepe paper

Volume X

**Dedicated To Fair And Impartial Representation** 

Thursday, Dec. 10, 1981

Nimber 50



Clarendon's Volunteer Fire Department beat it's best record in responding to the fire in Henson's last Tuesday. No damage was done, thanks to the quick reacton of Redell Henson and our dependable Fire Department.

# Outdoor decoration lights theft is a misdemeanor

"Last year, I had 50 bulbs stolen from my outside decorations," complained one very irate citizen. "I don't put any up anymore because they just get stolen, and who can afford to replace them anymore?" said another. "It's just malicious vandalisim, explained a lady, "Last year strings of stolen lights were found on the school grounds simply smashed."

That is what holiday time means to idle hands and small minds. But if you are out of things to do and wonder if it might not be fun to swipe a string of lights or take every other bulb out of someones outside decorations, remember this:IT IS THEFT! Sheriff J. Thompson advises us all that any theft up to \$200 is a MISDE-MEANOR and may receive a mighty stiff fine, even jail!

If you are arrested for stealing only \$5 or \$20 worth of bulbs or ANY outside decorations from a person or businesses property, Judge Billy Christal has said that "the fine for theft of less than \$20 is \$200," and if it is necessary, time may be necessary, the jail can and WILL handle both adults and JUVENILES!

If you steal an expensive decoration or several strands of lights that total from \$20.01 up to \$200, the fine could be and is likely to be \$1000 fine and 6 months in jail or BOTH!!

"If it is necessary," adds Judge Christal, " time will be spent in jail."

The sheriff's department personnel will be on the look-out for such thefts and

Total for Year

Judge Christal has stated any age." that he will come down at any time to see to the setting of the fine for these offenders, "regardless of their age, our decorations. Let the lights be jail has facilities to handle

offenders of either sex and

Do NOT be foolish this year and steal even 50c worth of someone elses Christmas for everyone's enjoyment and pleasure.

Remember this: theft of up to \$20 is fineable by \$200! Theft over \$20 and up to \$200 is fineable by \$1000 dollars AND 6 months in jail! Think twice before you unscrew

# Search for Mrs. Santa still underway

Last year, we revealed a little lady who could easily have been Mrs. Santa. She was sweet, grandmotherly, kind, and had a real talent for baking and making her grandchildren and other little ones happy.

That is what Mrs. Santa should be like. That is who we are looking for again this year. Who is Mrs. Santa? Could she be your grandmother? The lady next door? Your favorite teacher from years past? Could she be someone you work with?

Let us get our writing tools, use our creative ability and write a letter telling us who would make the 1981 Mrs. Santa.

Submit your letters to THE CLARENDON PRESS no later than Thursday. Give us your name and number and the phone number of how we can reach Mrs. Santa. We need to know how to contact both YOU and your Mrs.

We only have one letter in our office to date. What can this mean? Is there no love for Santa out there? Is there no eagerness to honor your favorite lady? Get going, you little elves and sprites and WRITE a letter today!

#### Senior Citizens to hold dance

Live music will bounce from the walls of the Lion's Club Hall on December 15, Tuesday night at 8 until 11 p.m. Come and enjoy this Christmas dance with the Senior Citizens.



REV. TROY LOVELADY and family preaching at revival.

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Compiled by Tommie Saye-Cooperative Observer for National Weather Service,

Clarendon.				
DAY	DATE	HIGH	LOW	PER
	.1	57	36	
Tuesday	2	49	26	
Wednesday	3	58	33	
Thursday	4	62	27	
Friday	5	56	28	
Saturday	6	61	35	
Sunday	7	73	35	
Monday Tuesday	8	77	31	
Total for Month	.00			

#### College Fine Arts Christmas program

Arts Department will bring its Christmas gift to the community with a program entitled "Candlelight Christmas Story". The prprogram will be presented on Sunday, December 13, at 3:00 p.m., in the college

theatre. Instructors Leslie Schnaufer and Jennifer Scoggin combined their efforts to write the pageant. The College Choir will sing carols entitled "Christmas Hymn", "Christmas", "Lo, How a Rose Ere Blooming", "Carol of the Bells", "The

Drummer Boy", and other traditional carols, Jan Cole of Clarendon will sing "O Holy Night". The drama department

will present a readers theatre version of the Nativity story. The Art Department, under the direction of James Ivey Edwards, will display art objects in the foyer prior to the performance.

We urge all the community to join the Clarendon College Fine Arts Department on Sunday, December 13, at 3:00 p.m., for this celebration of the birth of our Lord.

# Three from Clarendon arrested in seven county drug bust

In a cooperative effort be dealers in the area." between the District Attorney's office, the State Clarendon, don't be fooled. narcotics officials and the Read the Sheriffs Report Donley County Sheriff's weekly and see how many office, 40 individuals were are arrested for possession. arrested in a 7 county area this week.

The area covered extended from Clarendon to Wichita Falls, north to Shamrock. Three of those arrested were from Clarendon.

The arrests were made on delivery of narcotic substances, NOT on possession alone. The three from Clarendon were arrested as dealers in narcotic substances as well.

"Now is the time to stand up and say something about dope dealers," says Donley County Sheriff Thompson, "help the law enforcement agencies, support the arrests and don't complain about busting the kids."

The cry has been heard by many, "Get the dealers, leave the kids alone for simple possession!" That is exactly what has been done in this big bust.

Doug Wright from the that "David McCoy, the DA, have been ordered. is thrilled with the results of this work."

"We've known about this for a long time, but drug dealers are hard to catch. The State Narcotic Boys came in 8 months ago and got dealers to sell to them. They've done an outstanding job!" Sheriff Thompson had nothing but praise for the tremendous work done by the State Narcotic Agency.

Those arrested were not all juveniles, many were adults up to age 30. This is not always a problem of the young, but it is helped along by the adults of the community as well as the juveniles involved. Apathy is a big problem with the Donley County drug

problem. "This won't by no means stop it," says Doug Wright, "but it'll set a good example for other dealers and would

#### Revival at United Pentecostal

#### Church

Gibsland, LA will be preaching a three day revival at United Pentecostal Church corner of Montgomery and Faker. Services will be held Friday, December 11, Sat. 12 and Sun. 13. Services will begin at 7:00 Friday and Saturday nights and at 6:00 on Sunday night. There will be good gospel singing by the Lovelady Family. So

#### Calendar of **Events**

spiritual uplifting.

ping night

come expecting to get a

SUN. DEC.13, 3 p.m. "Candlelight Christmas Story" presented at CJC. MON. DEC.14, 7 p.m. Artist Studio Club met at CJC. SAT. DEC 12 trap Shoot 51/2 miles W. of town. FRI. DEC.11, 6-10 Clarendon Christmas Spirit late shopsubstances.

Sheriff Thompson plans to Drugs are a problem in erack down on users and dealers. The District Attorneys office has stated that they will prosecute to They get it from somewhere, the limit on drug offenses. they buy it from someone, and three of our residents

The investigation is continuing, "This is only the beginning of the crack said Thompson.

down", said Wright. Sheriff Thompson hopes the community will support his office in these arrests. You are protecting your young and the community.

"The jail is full now, but we will find room for any more of this type offender,"

# Donations needed for **Community Center**

Through the donations of the Outdoor Entertainment Association and the Beta Sigma Phi Sororities, a dream of many Clarendon residents is now becoming a reality. The Clarendon OEA has donated \$5000 and many hours of HARD labor and the sororities have contributied an additional \$4,250 toward completion of the Commun-

were sellers of these

ity Center. To this date, 601/2 yards of concrete have been run, the restrooms have been plumb-District Attorney's office said ed and heaters and doors

Work is progressing nicely; However, our funds have been DEPLETED and we need YOUR donations

If you have not been out to see what has been done, we invite you to do so. We are proud of this building and we think you will be too. But, we do need your donations to get the job finished.

We still need one good commode, one lavatory and plumbing fixtures for the restrooms.

The most important donation we can use, however, is TIME. No one showed up last Work Day Saturday, so we just dug ditches. We need someone to clean cinder blocks.

A WORK DAY is scheduled for Saturday at 9 a.m. Cinder blocks will be cleaned and, if enough show up to help, walls will be erected. All the help you can give will be appreciated.

#### Hot drinks Rev. Troy Lovelady of

## at Salems II

This Friday, December 11, the Alpha Upsilon Epsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will be at Salem's II serving hot chocolate, coffee, spiced tea, cookies, candy and other homemade goodies for all the late night shoppers. Members of the Sorority

will be at Salem's II from 6 until 9. So, if you need a break from the hustle and bustle of Christmas shopping, come by and treat yourself to a very refreshing break. Proceeds will go to the Community Center.

Shop

Clarendon first

Thanks to all of those who have donated both money and time. We appreciate all you have done toward this

goal. The common Community Center will benifit ALL of us, so let's ALL of us help with it.

# First Bank & Trust of Clarendon New **Bank Name**

Emmett O. Simmons, President of The Farmers State Bank and Trust Company of Clarendon, Clarendon, Texas, has announced that the official corporate name of the bank will change to First Bank & Trust of Clarendon effective January 1, 1982. The action took place at a meeting of the stockholders on November 30, 1981 and has been approved by the Texas Department of Banking. There has been no change in the bank management or ownership. Established in 1912, the bank is a member of the Federal Reserve System and Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. The name change came about

update the name and shorten it from the present eleven word title.

The bank address, account and other identification numbers will remain unchanged. It will not be necessary for bank customers to order new checks or refrain from using the counter checks bearing the present bank name. Checks bearing the new bank name may be ordered when the present supply is exhausted. All checks, drafts, deposit slips, credit cards, loan documents and other instruments bearing the name "The Farmers State Bank and Trust Company of Clarendon, Clarendon, Texas" will remain valid after January 1, 1982.

# Water rates go up!

Bill Weatherly, City Manager, announced that effective as of January 1, the city water and sewer charges will go up. The City Aldermen met and have decided that with the deficit so much in the red, the increases must be made.

primarily from a desire to

Water will be increased \$1 per 1000 minimum, it will only go up from \$8 to \$9 as of January 1.

This new charge is \$9 for the first 5000 gallons used, this is your minimum water useage. The rate for the next 5000 gallons is 80c and then 70c per 1000 after that.

Sewer charges will increase from \$2 to \$4. trash will remain the same. This means that your minimum city bill will be increased from \$14 to

The city water revenue was \$159,052.33 while the expenses for the year were \$173,538.86. This makes a deficit of \$14,486.53.

These rates are effective as of January 1, 1982.

#### Chamber of Commerce news

Wil-Mart Convenience Store is the Chamber's newest member. Mr. Jack

Daniel is the manager. The Chamber has contacted Santa Claus and he will be in Clarendon on Saturday, Dec. 19th. So all you parents bring the kiddies downtown on that day and while you're there shop with our local merchants.

December 19th is also the day that the Plaques will be awarded for the best decorated business. We have three judges who will be around from time to time.

At the last Chamber meeting Bronnie McNabb was elected President for 1982. Mike Butts was elected 1st Vice President and Jerry Chambliss was elected 2nd

Congratulations to our new officers.

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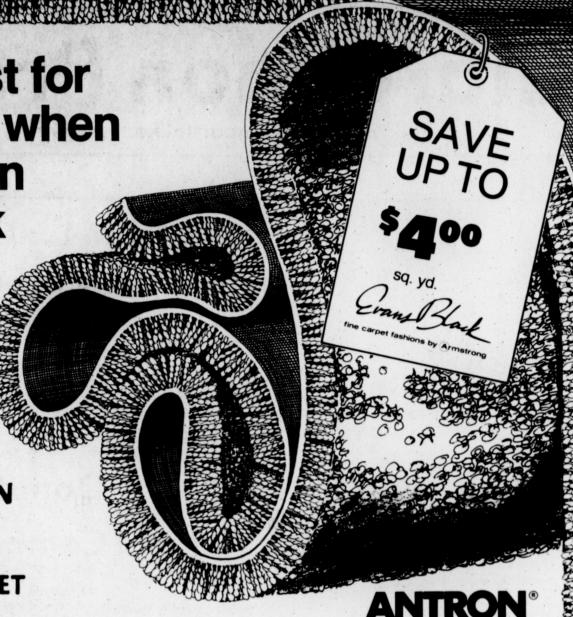
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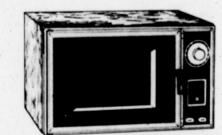
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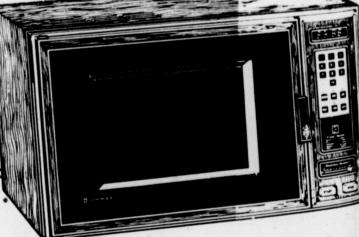






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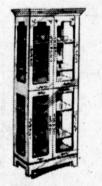
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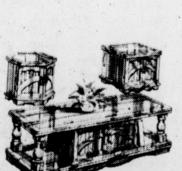


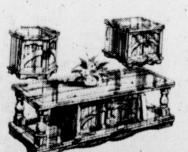
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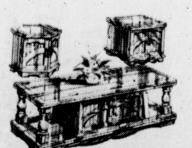


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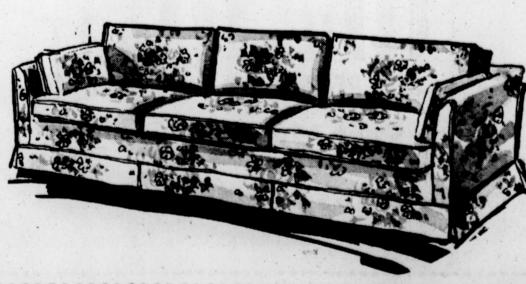


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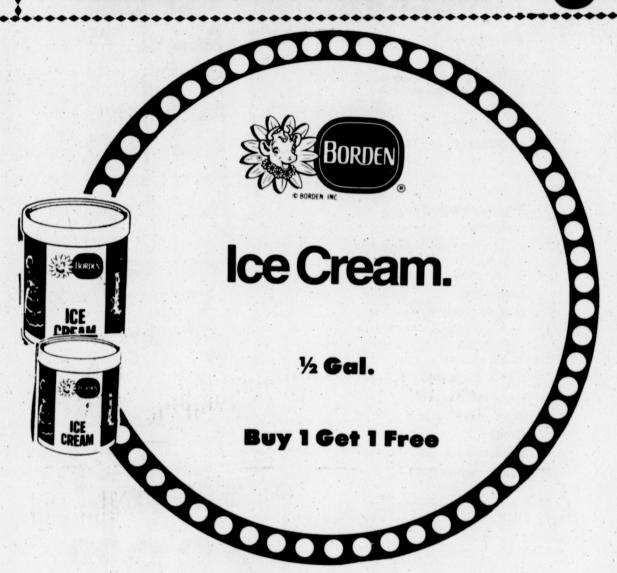
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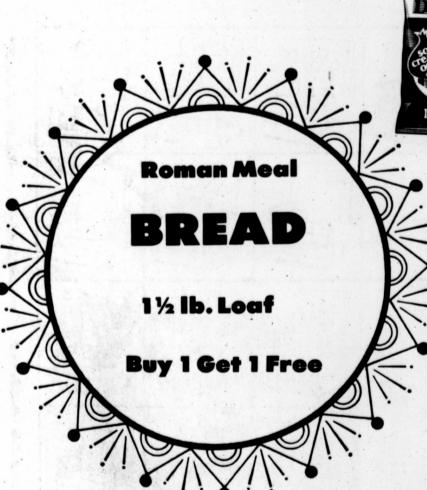
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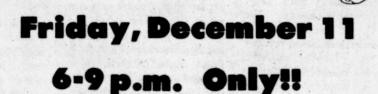
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#### Unusal Gift ideas

If you wish to purchase something out of the ordinary for Christmas, you might stop by the Rebekkah Lodge, take the door into Guys and Dolls Beauty Salon and keep going straight back. There will be bake sales, and specialty items on sale Friday, December 11 during our Clarendon Christmas Spirit late shopping night.

These are some of the possibilities you will find inside: McVicker's Kirby vacuum cleaners will be on hand; S & K Hobby shop might be there: May Pearl Fabrics could have some items set up; The Busy Needle from Hedley may arrive; Marjory Rowe with her Avon will be there; the FTA will be selling some tion of cosmetics or a prod interesting items and the you sell from your home.

Salem's II will be the

throne-site for Santa this

year to have your picture

made sitting on his knee or

kissing his cheek. Pictures will be taken by the Young

Homemakers Club at \$3 a

photo. All proceedes will go

toward the Clarendon

Community Center building

Santa will arrive in town Friday evening at somewhere around 7 p.m. on the

fire truck. He will be available for pictures and you can give him your "want list" or letters until 9 p.m. He will

give Mrs. Claus a warm hug and kiss and red rose at 8

In addition to Santa, Salem

Il will also be the place to

Cummins. She has donated

one of her finer pieces, Dolores Crump has donated a complimentary frame to go

with it and the delightful piece of art work will be on display after Wednesday at the store. You may purchase a ticket on the painting for \$1. The winning ticket will be selected the evening of Clarendon's Christmas Spirit late shopping night. Perhaps Mrs. Santa could draw the

Proceedes from the paint-

winning ticket?

Christmas

Spirit late

shopping

night Friday

Clarendon's Christmas

Spirit late shopping night will be kicked off with the great Clarendon High Band

giving us a concert at 6:30

P.M., Ron Boley said. At 7 p.m. the Clarendon Square

Dance Club will give an

exhibition under the capable

talent of Jerry Chambliss who will be calling. The

square will perform on the street between Bain's Fountain and Stavenhagen's

Christmas spirit music will be broadcast over the loudspeakers, courtesy of the

Clarendon Chamber of Commerce. The Calvary Baptist Church choir will

sing under the direction of Dan Hall after the Square Dancers finish. The First

Baptist Church choir, under

the direction of Terry Scoggins will also sing

Christmas carols for

enjoyment.

Furniture.

fund project.

Santa's ready to be

photoed at Salem's II

FHA may appear on the scene, the Hedley FHA might arrive as well. Pecans from the Xi Lambda Xi sorority will be available.

If there are any more individuals who have a special talent such as knitted or corcheted items, afgahans or baby booties, decorations, jewelery, etc., who would like to set up inside out of the cold air, contact Katie Dvorak before Friday morn- Art on ing at 874-2438.

There will be a small fee of \$2 per individual, but the rest of your income will be pure profit.

This is a grand opportunity for someone to sell hot coffee or chocolate; to set up a bake Once again, the sale or perhaps a demonstra-tion of cosmetics or a product

ing will also be donated to

the Clarendon Community Center building project. If

you are penny wise, why not purchase \$10 of tickets or

more, make the check out for the Community Center and feel good about contribuiting

to a worthy cause for Uncle

Sam? And you could have a

Children's Library

Once again, the star Memorial Library will b decorated with the charm. the beauty, the delightful array of children's art that only our youngsters can create.

The Donley County Day Care Center children will to see. The kindergarten children may be doing a mural to fill those window

Hopefully, the merchants will be able to decorate their windows without the children

Treasure hunt draw delightful pictures and will put them up in the library windows for all of us

When you purchase an item from participating stores, you will receive a ticket with a number on the end. On Friday evening, bring your sack full of these accumulated tickets and look in the stores for the posted signs with a number on it. If any of your stube match the number, take it to the personnel in the store

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> MRS. JOHN HERMESMEYER nee Helen McLoury

The bride attended and graduated from Dumas High

Debbie Walker of Dumas were the servers at the School.

Morris, son of Mrs. Helen

Miss Peters signed in

Mr. Roy Davis of Dumas

served as lecturer. Mrs. R.H.

Moser was the organist and

the vocalist Miss Donate

Mrs. Frank Hermesmeyer

of Wall, Mrs. Frank Dullian

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Britten of Amarillo and Miss

GUESS

WHO'S

OVER THE

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**AT40** 

Davis, all of Dumas.

McLaury.

guests.

reception.

graduated from Sam Houston State University. He is employed by Diamond Shamrock Corporation, at Sunray.

The couple will live in Dumas.

# late Friday

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The groom attended and

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County.

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upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be glady and promptly corrected upon being brought to the atten-

# Pathfinder Club met

Club, 1926 Book Club and Les Beaux Arts Club jointly opened the Christmas season with a tea at the Patching Club House.

The Club House was festively decorated with greenry, holly and many beautiful Christmas appointments. the dining room was the focal point of decor. The table was laid with a magnificant white Christmas Cloth hand designed by Mrs. W.C. Thornberry. It was complimented by a white and silver lame revolving Christmas tree encircled with miniature colorful packages.

Appointments were silver and chrystal. The table was flanked by the silver and chrystal epergnes filled with holy and red tapers. A small lighted green tree greeted the guests as they entered the dining room. Hostesses in the dining area were Mrs. Heckle Stark, Redell Henson and Miss Betty Veach.

The following members of the 1926 Book Club and Pathfinder Club contributed delicious delicacies to the tea table; Mrs. Beryl Clinton, Bernie Green, Harold Phelps, Bairfields, Heckle Stark, Redell Henson, H.A. Green, and Miss Betty Veach.

Mrs. Dick Delaney introduced the guest artist of the day, Mrs. Mattie Ruth Dean Nowlin of Plainview. Mrs. Nowlin gave a delightful program on hats; showing approximately fifty hats, each with history. The history of each hat was recounted in a clever manner as Mrs. Nowlin modeled each creation. Mrs. Nowlin has a collection of one hundred designer hats spanning many years and each purchased for a special occasion.

Mrs. Nowlin has performed throughout this area and has contributed her talents to many fund raising projects.

Mrs. Mattie Ruth Dean Nowlin grew up in Clarendon and cherishes the fact she has been permitted to return for many functions throughout the years. She feels there

could be no better place than Clarendon in which to grow up. She has many fond memories of Clarendon-one being allowed to sing in the choir of the First Methodist Church at age 14. She has never forgotten all her wonderful friends of childhood and college. Mr. Lee Nowlin whom Mattie Ruth Dean married as a teenager, works behind scene, driving and unloading and loading all properties. Mrs. Nowlin uses in her performances. Mr. Nowlin is an outstanding attorney in Plainview. Mrs. Paul Bivens and Mrs. Sandy

Thornberry supervised the drawing and delivery of door prizes to four lucky guests. Mrs. Harold Phelps, General Chairman for this

to help defray operating expenses of the Club House. **Elementary Christmas** show Thursday

"The Runaway Snowman" a one act musical, Music and Lyrics by Jill Gallina, direct-

ed by Thelma Shields, will be presented by grades 1-4 in the High School auditorium Friday, December 11, 1981 at 1:30 p.m. The public is invited.

The children always give such a wonderful performance and can be depended

upon to give us a delightful sang Happy Birthday to her, which was her birthday treat. We ended our trip at Olace and Billie Hicks for some wonderful food. We exchanged gifts and played games.

occasion, was responsible for correlating the duties of the various clubs.

This being a regularly scheduled meeting of the Les

Beaux Arts Club, the hostes-

ses of the day were Mrs.

D.G. Bray, Forrest Sawyer, Bronnie McNabb, Grady

Henson, and Harold Phelps. Hostesses were responsible for all decorating, tea table

refreshments, serving, and

supervising the project

Approximately 70 Club

members and guests were

registered by Mrs. Sandy

Thornberry. Proceeds from

this refreshing afternoon of

entertainment will go to the

Patching Club House Board

through to completion.

held

noon Lion's

Jesi

guest

We want to thank Jack Leeper for leading us in our singing. And also our thanks to John Judd for driving us

#### LVNA went a-caroling

The LVN Association went by the homes of the elderly. Friday night December 4 and sang Christmas carols to them. It was such a delight to see the reaction we got from them. Some of them came out and stood with us in the cold until we got through

I think they enjoyed it as much as we did. We also caught Robbie Hill out and afternoons entertainment.

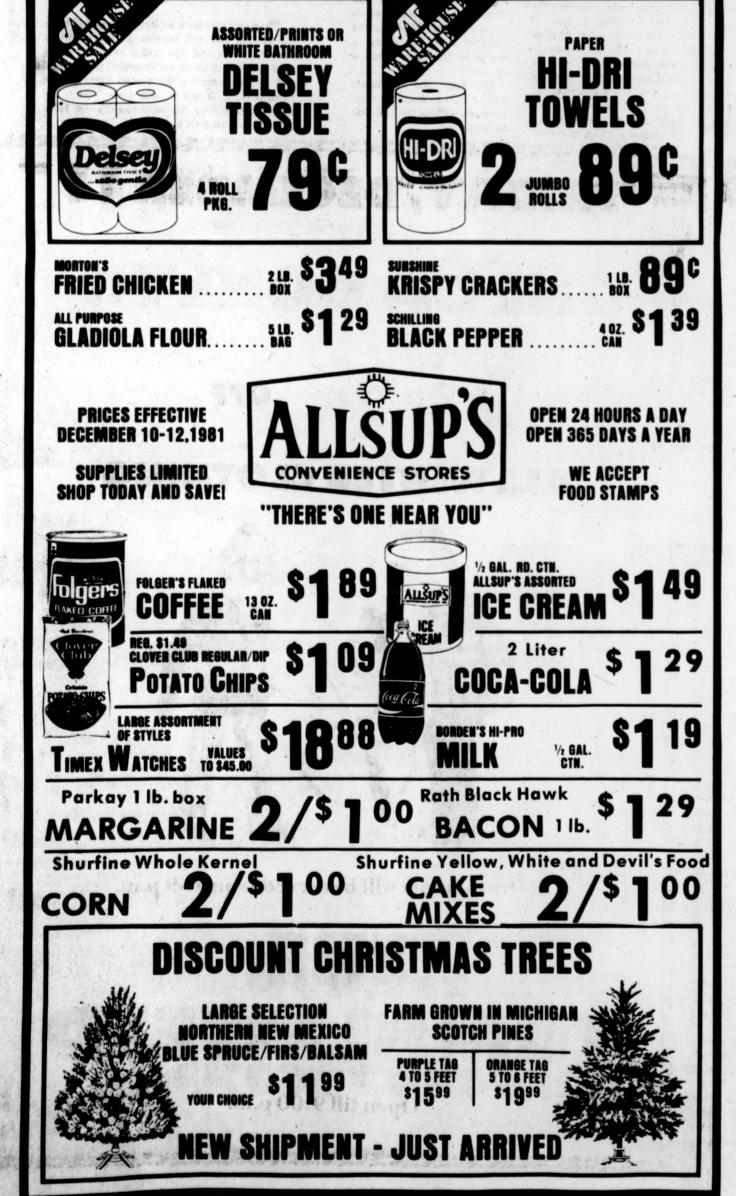
Come fill the auditorium with your family and neighbors. Bring one of your elderly neighbors who can't get out easily on their own to see this delightful program.

#### Fun After 50 met

The Fun After Fifty Club met Saturday, December 5 for their regular meeting. The Christmas theme was carried out. Mrs. Argo decorated the tables with holly and candles and a meeting will be January 2. lovely Christmas dinner was

served at the noon hour. A sing-a-long of Christmas carols was the program.

It was decided that the meetings will began at 10:30 in the future. The next





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BY GENE ALDERSON

The Clarendon Lions Club held it's regular meeting at noon on Tuesday at the Lion's Hall. There were 27 members, Lion Sweetheart Jesi Adams, and three guests present. Greg Brister of Lefors was the guest of his father, Lion Brister, Follow-ing the regular opening ceremony, Boss Lion McCombs mentioned a customary Christmas donation of \$2.50 per member to the Girlstown Coat and Shoe Fund. A motion passed that the club make this donation.

For our program, Clarendon College Coaches Mondragon and Adams filled us in on the basketball program at the

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### Roundball Round-Up

BY SPENCER HAYES

The Clarendon Broncos opened their basketball season last Thursday by stumbling out of the blocks in losing to Gruver; but the Broncos recovered in whipping Canadian and Panhandle to gain a consolation trophy at the Spearman Invitational Tournament.

seventh in Class AA in two pre-season polls, but the Broncs did little to live up to that rating against Gruver. Going into their first game, Ron Home's hoopsters had worked out only four times, and they looked like it. Clarendon hit only 29% from the floor, had seventeen fouls in losing to the Greyhounds, 53-39. Brad Thompson, Clarendon's only all-District returnee, tossed in eleven points and had nine rebounds while Hosea Hearn added nine more Bobby Weatherton nabbed seven rebounds.

The following morning,

## Lady

# **Bulldogs** take first

BY BOBBI DEMBOWSKI

Altus, OK-The Clarendon College Bulldogs took first place in the 1981 Western Oklahoma Lady Pioneer Classic, held last Friday and Saturday right in Altus, OK.

The Bulldogs defeated Frank Phillips 71-50 in the first round at play. "We came out flat the first half against Frank Phillips," said Coach Mondragon. "but the second half I felt the girls make a great adjustment." With a great defensive effort the Bulldogs held Frank Phillips to 14 points in the second half.

Lisa Freeman led the Bulldogs with 20 points. While Sharon Jackson and Cassondra Crumpton added 18 and 16 points respectively.

We felt we had a goal to accomplish Saturday night,' commented Coach Mondragron, "we have always taken second place. I felt the players rose to the occasion.

The lady Bulldogs edged by Western Oklahoma 67 to 65. Clarendon's Kathy Rodolph hit for two points with eight seconds on the clock, Western failed to return the two points.

Cassandra Crumpton led all scores with 19 points, Sharon Jackson added 12, while Lisa Freeman and Alayne Gilmore had 12 and 10 points.

"We controlled the whole game and we're really proud that we were able to win the tournament." Coach Mondragon added.

Clarendon was picked the field and they allowed Canadian sixteen points from the charity stripe. Nevertheless a strong fourth quarter, led by Hill advanced the Broncs into play off with bi-district football opponent Panhandle. The first half showed little improvement on the part of the Broncos, although 

the Brones did not play much room a different ball club, scoring nineteen points in the third quarter and 15 in better, but it was enough to get by Canadian, 48-44. Thompson and Hearn each the fourth, as they scalded dumped in 12 points and Panhandle 54-47. Thompson John Braxton and Bryan Hill led the outburst, scoring seventeen of his 25 points in controlled the boards as Clarendon took an exciting the second half. Hearn added nine of his eleven in the final The Bronco cagers could half. Thompson also led the still manage only 29% from team in rebounding with

fifteen boards while Braxton brought down 12. Althoug Clarendon's first three games were not superb outings, Holmes is optimistic. He realizes the potential of his team but he added, "We have a long way to go." However, the Broncs did show improvement in just

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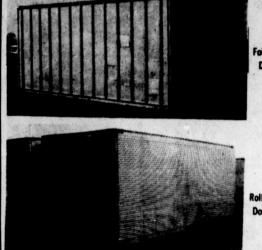
Kay Henson will bring her Indian tourquoise and silver jewelery as well as several fine pieces of gold jewelery to the Clarendon Christmas Spirit late shopping night Friday, December 11. She will be in the Rebekkah Hall.

Gerald Fat

# Reunion

Eight brothers and sisters of the Fitzgerald family met with a sister in Littlefield for their annual Christmas party. The ones there included: Lora McDaniel of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fitzgerald from Escondido, CA: Leta Mulder of South Plains, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McGaugh.

We had lots to get and a grand time was had by all on the way home Pete, Unice, and Lora visited a sister Mary Cobb who was unable to be with the family.



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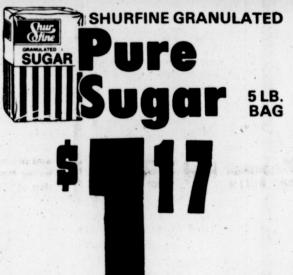
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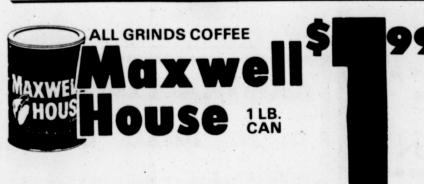
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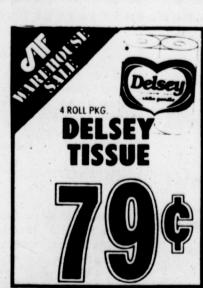
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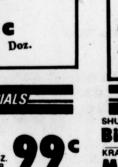


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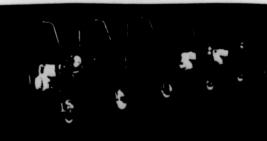
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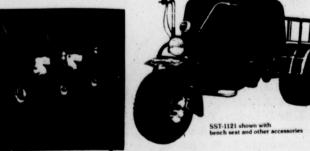
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### Chamberlain News

By MRS. HAWLEY HARRISON

**Chamberlain Community** Center held their regular meeting Friday anight December 4th. Hosts and hostesses were Molly Dickson, C.T. Bates and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Corder. Everyone enjoyed the good food

Mrs. Ruby Blackman re-

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CHRISTMAS

turned home from an Amarillo hospital Wednesday, and didn't have to have surgery. We are so glad to know she is home. She and Roy spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Bill and Susi Blackman and

Wayne Lowe spent Friday and Saturday night with his mother Mrs. Genoah Lowe.

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Mrs. Gladys Blackburn and Tommy attended a tea at

Patching Club House. David and Betty Lane and John and Joy Naylor attended a birthday supper for **Dennis Harrison Saturday** night, Loretta and Anna were hostesses for the party.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blackburn visited Lloyd and Marie Risley and children Sunday and attended Teresa's music recital.

**Bud and Carmen Wright** visited W.R. and Loretta Chaney Saturday night. Corline Hollar visited Mrs.

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Mrs. Genoah Lowe visited Richard Cannon Friday. Mrs. Lilac Lowe Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Olace Hicks afternoon and she had revisited Dennis and Loretta ceived roses from Doug and Harrison and Anna Sunday Martha Lowe of Fort Worth.

#### Press, Thursday, Dec. 10, 1981 Obituary

MAGGIE MAE LEWIS

Funeral services for Mrs. Maggie Mae Lewis, age 101, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, December 7, 1981 in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Paul Heil, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with the arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Irving., Mrs. Carmon Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick

Shelton Saturday afternoon.

Jiggs and Evelyn Mann

isited Mr. and Mrs. Richard

Dingler Saturday night. Mr. Heard Reeves of

Wichita Falls brough his

mother Mrs. Alma Reeves to

spend some time with Mark

and Vivian Allen Monday

Mrs. Pauline Koontz and

Mrs. Barbara Helms and

Marci shopped in Amarillo

Mrs. Bradis Ballew and

Ruth and Nell Corbin visited

Mrs. Clara Mae Carter

Mrs. Mary Cannon and

Lisa of Navasota spent the

weekend in Austin visiting

with Billand Martha Dolman

and Rachael, Mrs. June

Chase of Odessa, Debbie and

Aaron Mooris, Jocob and

Joshua, and Paula and Ed

We were sorry to learn of

the death of Mrs. Maggie

Mae Lewis. Our sympathy

goes to the loved ones and

friends in their loss.

Sunday afternoon.

Byrd and girls.

Monday.

Mrs. Lewis died at 9:45 p.m. on Saturday, December 1981 in Medical Center Nursing Home in Clarendon. She was born April 28, 1880 at Stephenville, Erath County. She married Ernest Luther Lewis on July 24, 1898 at Dublin. They moved to Lelia Lake in 1907 and then to Clarendon in 1944. Mr. Lewis died in 1951. Mrs. Lewis was a member of the First Baptist Church in Clarendon.

### **EMS** Activity Report

12-3-Gertrude Rhoades, 89 of Clarendon from Medical Center Nursing Home, Clarendon to Gilkey Clinic, Clarendon and return to Medical Center Nursing Home. Medical.

12-5-Patsy Parsley, 42 of Ft. Worth, no transport from Wil-Mart, Clarendon. Medical.

220 responses handled in

1981 to date.

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Lone Star Gas Company, in accordance with Section 43(a) of Article 1446c V.A.T.C.S., hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of rates including a cost of service adjust-

City of Hedley, Texas

December 31, 1981 The rate schedule is expected to furnish a 7.66 percent increase in the Company's revenues from residential and commercial customers in the City of Hedley, Texas

A Statement of Intent has been filed with the City of Hedley and is available for inspection at the Company's business office located at 315-A South Kearney, Clarendon,

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Alta Lane of Pampa, Mrs. Anna Lee Reeves of Canyon, Mrs. Jewel Pauline Robert-son of Amarillo, Mrs. Elvira Louise Howard of Anton;

twelve grandchildren;

numerous great grandchild-

ren; and numerous great great grandchildren.

Casket bearers were

Richard Howard, Reggie

Reeves, Jack Lewis, Wayne

Lewis, Weldon Lovelady,

Honorary bearers were Bill

Phillips, Gordon Moore, and

here Dec.

A representative of State

Comptroller Bob Bullock will

be in Clarendon on Dec-

ember 16, 1981, to assist

area taxpayers and answer

According to Claudia

Stravato, manager of the

Comptroller's Amarillo Of-

fice, J.D. Caproni, Enforce-

ment Officer will meet with

Donley county taxpayers at

the County Court House in

Clarendon from 11:00-1:00

Questions about taxes, the

filing of tax returns or assis-

tance on returns can be

answered quickly and effic-

iently in these face-to-face

Taxpayers who are not

able to meet with the Comp-

troller's representative on

December 16, 1981, can still

get their tax questions

answered quickly by calling,

from anywhere in Texas tollfree 1-800-252-5555.

4-H Food

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show held

District I 4-H Food Show

was held Sat., December

5, at Austin Junior High in

Competing in the Junior

Division were Twana

Garland, nutritious snacks

and desserts; Christina

Leathers, breads and

cereals; Susan Mann, side

dish; and D'Liss Robinson.

main dish. Each of these

girls won a red ribbon in an

entry class with approximat-

The 4-H'ers were judged

on ability to prepare the

food, along with knowledge

of nutrition, meal planning,

food buying and meal

Monday, December 14 the

Artist Studio will meet at

Clarendon College with

James Ivey Edwards at 7

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**UNITED METHODIST** 

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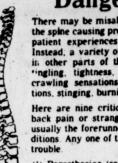
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FIRST GRADE BROWNIE TROOP120 listening to tape recorded Girl Scout songs. Jondel Moffett leader.

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BY ROGINA GRAY
In Troop 111 we made holiday gifts for our dads.
Then we had refreshments

and they were provided by Bridget Bland and Treva Benny. We have also been very busy selling Girl Scout calendars.

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May your Christmas
be filled with LOVE,
Lanny, Jondel, Brendan,
and Lana Moffett

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ATTENTION

To the person or persons who took my china

cabinet on Saturday, December 5, 1981. If

you would kindly return it to farm house

where you got it. We will not press charges.

As this china cabinet has no value to anyone

It was my mother's and she has been dead

I ask God for you to see it in your heart to

for 3 years and it's all I had of hers.

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Troop 33

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ing time from 8:30 until 4:30.

This Saturday, December
12th will be WORK DAY for
Scouts and Dads of Troop 33
on the house we are demolishing across the street from the Church of Christ. Meet-

## **Bronchette Basketball**

BY SCOTT NEWLAND

Without a doubt, the Clarendon Bronchettes are exciting. In a game at Pampa and in three games at the Spearman Tournament last

Mrs. O.N. Patterson

week, the Bronchettes never failed to provide exciting entertainment to all fans.

On Tuesday, the Bronchettes out-scored the Pampa Harvesterettes by 27 points in a game that Pampa was definitely out-classed. A balanced scoring attack and good ball control simply was too much for the Harvesterettes to overcome. Fans got a good look at Bronchette depth as all reserves had extended playing time.

In the first game of the Spearman Tournament the Bronchettes continued to awe their fans by blowing out Gruver by the score of 70-30. The Bronchettes took a nineteen to three lead after the first period and were never headed thereafter. Vanessa Calloway and Angelia Gardner led all scorers with 18 and 17 points, respectively.

The win over Gruver placed the Bronchettes the Bronchettes against a highly rated foe in the Phillips Blackhawkettes. Phillips was the pre-season favorite to

Although Davis fouled out in the late minutes of the fourth quarter, her defense proved to be essential in stopping a strong Phillips offensive attack that aided in the

Bronchette victory.

ECOND GRADE BROWNIE TROOP 29. Back row, L. to R.: Leshel Calloway, Kim

McAfee, Toni Breitling, Regina Watson, Cindy Hermesmeyer, Taylor-Ann

Harbert, Kelly Edwards, and Rence Erdmann. Front row, L. to R.: Kim Hodges, Jodi Kidd, Lani Douthit, Crystal Riley, Pattye Floyd, Tamara Martin, Christina

Nixon and Suzzette Henson. Not pictured, Christy White. Leaders: Teresa

The Clarendon Press, Thursday, Dec. 10, 1981

The game was tied at 43 at the end of regulation time and an excited crowd led the way into the ovrtime period. Phillips had a one-point lead in overtime with less than a minute remaining, when Angelia Gardner made a clean steal of a Phillips pass, and drove the length of the floor for a picture-perfect, game winning layup.

win the 1-AA district, and

the game was viewed as a

preview of the bi-district

championship game. As

many said, the game turned

out to be just as predicted, a highly emotional, tough contest with the game won in

an overtime period. Kelli

Hardin had 23 points in the

contest and Vanessa Callo-

way and Angelia Gardner

added 12 points each. But

not only offense won the

game, but outstanding

defense from Lynda Weatherton and Lana Davis.

While the crowd went wild, the Bronchettes set up to play defense. Phillips had a chance to win the game with a shot with ten seconds left, but it fell short and the Bronchettes rebounded and ran out the clock for a tremendous victory.

On Saturday, an emotion drained Bronchette team faced a well-balanced Follet basketball squad. The Bronchettes fell behind in the first half, and spent all the third quarter in taking a four point lead. But perhaps the championship has played the night before, for when it came time to put Follet away in the fourth quarter, they could not do it. The end of the game found Follet five point winners and champions of the tournament. The Bronchettes, finished with a second place finish, but even more important, the confidence that a win over Phillips provided that may help more in the long run.

This week the Bronchettes play Quanah here on Tuesday night, and Thursday travel to the tough Sanford-Fritch tournament for a semi-revenge situation that could give the Bronchettes momentum going into the holidays and preparig for district play.

# McAnear ranch wins

Exhibitors from 21 states led 185 head of Shorthorn and Polled Shorthorn cattle, most of whom had previous championships to their credit, into the ring to vie for the coveted national breed honors at the 1981 National Shorthorn Show. The show was held at the North American International Livestock Exposition in Louisville, KY. Judging the classes was a three-man composite team consisting of F.A. Heckendorf, Castle Rock, CO; Dr. Robert Taylor, Ft. Collins, CO; and Roger Worthington, Peoria, IL.

The 7M Polled Shorthorn ranch owned by James and Pat McAnear won first place with their junior bull calf 7M Explosion Pirate.

# Hedley JP report

November, 1981 Report. 38 cases filed. Dept. of Public Safety-32. Parks & Wildlife Dept.-3. Other-3. Total-38. 33 Cases paid in Nov.

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Law Enforcement Officers
Fund-\$33. Total-\$1,052.

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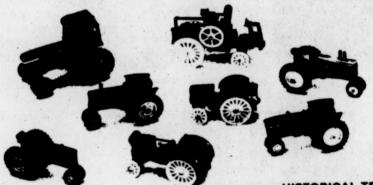
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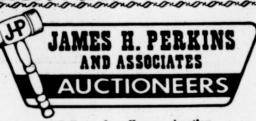
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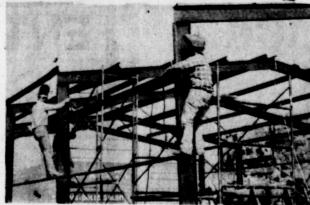


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We are looking forward to a very special evening, see you then!

We want to extend our congratulations to our Christina Leathers for her 2nd place red ribbon at the District I Food Show held in Amarillo last weekend.

For a special treat Christina agreed to share her prize winning ricipe for Belgiam Waffles. You may serve this with the pretty Christmas red cherry topping if you wish or any fruit topping.

Here goes-Belgian Waffles 11/2 cup flour 2 TBS granulated sugar. 2 tsp baking powder 1/2 tsp soda

1/4 tsp salt 3 egg yolks beaten 3/4 cup sour cream 3/4 cup buttermilk 1/4 cup melted and cooled

keep at it. See you next week. Remember my phone number is 2595. Laura Har-

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with topping:

1/2 cup sugar

a little water

cherries, drained

1 TBS lemon juice

Makes 10 waffles-Serve

2 cups (1 lb. can) pitted sour

1 tsp corn starch dissolved in

Combine cherries, lemon

juice, sugar in saucepan and

bring to boil. Put in dissolved

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ing if desired). Cook over low

heat until thickened. Trans-

lucent. Serve atop waffles.

After the food show the

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#### **Hedley Lioness**

#### party success

Thursday evening, December 3, members of the Hedley Lioness Club met in the Lions Den in Hedley for their annual husband-wife Christmas Party.

After saying the pledge of allegience and Sue Weatherly spoke the invocation, husbands took the lead in the line to the delicious ham, yams, salads, breads, dessert dishes, corn, and casseroles available.

After we ate and ate, and Betty Williams 25 cups of coffee were gallantly consumed, the beautiful table decorations were cleared from the tables and the "rocks" were shook out.

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... plastic just doesn't make it! You'll also need a 1/4inch dowel or stick 3 inches long, a large bead (bigger
than the spool's hole), a strong 4-inch rubber band, and
two small neile

Turn the spool on end and drive the two nails into the wood on opposite sides of its central hole . . . leaving enough of each nail exposed to hold the rubber band. Wrap the band around the nails, thread it through the cylinder and then through the bead, and slip the dowel through the protruding rubber loop. Then simply wind the rubber-band motor, place the toy on a smooth surface, and watch it go!

Another plaything, the "come back" can, may be easily constructed if you simply tie a rubber band through holes punched about an inch or two apart in the center of the bottom and lid of a tin can (a plastic-topped coffee can will work just fine). Then knot a short length of string to the middle of the elastic and fasten a fishing sinker, a small stone, or some other weight to the cord. The toy will "boomerang" back to its original position whenever it's rolled!

And, to make Grandma's old-time finger trap, cut a 6" X 12" piece of heavy paper and make two 8"-long lengthwise slits, about 2" apart, down the middle. Then, starting at the slitted end, roll the paper into a tube with an inside diameter of approximately one-half inch, glue the joint, let it dry ... and tell someone that you want him or her to help you with a "magic trick". Ask your assistant to stick both index fingers into the tube. Then ask him or her to pull them out. And, finally, listen to your victim howl when that proves all but impossible!

Here's just one more ... the hummer button. All you need is string, large buttons, and two 3-inch lengths of rounded wood for the handles. Make holes 1 inch from each handle end. Thread the holes in the handles and the buttons with string so the buttons are in the middle ... between the two handles. Twist the string tightly, and—when the handles are pulled apart—the buttons will spin and hum.

# Proposed national conservation program

The U. S. Department of Agriculture announces a proposed national conservation program to deal with the serious resource conservation problems ahead for American agriculture.

Four points highlight the program, according to Jim Donaho, District Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service (SCS), at Clarendon are:

-- Setting soil and water conservation priorities;
-- Strengthening the role of

local and state governments in conservation planning; ——Increasing budget coordination and cooperation between USDA agencies;

-- Targeting more USDA conservation assistance to critical problems and areas.

This program is the proposed response to the Congress required by the Soil and water Resources Con-

servation Act of 1977 (RCA), reports Donaho. It is based on a extensive appraisal of the condition of the nation's soil and water resources and an analysis of future trends.

Highest national priority in the proposed conservation program is reducing soil erosion to maintain the long-term productivity of agricultural land. Second priority is reducing flood damages in upstream areas. Other priority activities are conserving water and improving water supply and quality, community-related conservation, improving fish and wildlife habitat, and increasing the use of organic waste.

The program is the USDA response to the Soil and Water Resource Conservation Act of 1977 (RCA). SCS and Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service offices throughout the state have a supply of the leaflet that summarizes the program and that contains a pre-addressed, postage-paid response form.

The offices also have a reference copy of the full report of the program and draft environmental impact statement.

Details of the new program are presented in the RCA Revised Draft Program Report and Environmental Impact statement available for reference use at SCS and Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service offices throughout the state. The two USDA offices also have leaflets that summarize the program and that contain the postage-paid, preaddressed response form.

Comments on the proposed new program are encouraged. They must be mailed to George C. Marks, SCS State Conservationist, P.O. Box 648, Temple, Texas 76503 before January 15, 1982.

# Retail Food

### **Prices**

USDA has preported the components of retail food prices as follows: labor, 31% farm value, 31% packaging, 8%; transportation, 6%; profit, 4%; fuel and power, 4%; other, 16%. The 1981 preliminary total marketing bill is reported at \$197 billion up 10.3% from 1980 and 23.2% from 1979. Thus, the food marketing bill is 69% of total cost (for domestic farm foods purchased for consumption both at home and away from home--1981 estimate).

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The G. D. Searle Company has recently announced that the Food and Drug Administration has approved its request to market aspartame...a new artificial sweetener that is "sweet news" for the many Americans who rely on such products. Aspartame is about 200 times sweeter than sugar. Compared to sugar, aspartame has essentially no calories (sugar contains about 16 calories per teaspoonful). Best of all, "sweetness tests" at several universities have revealed that foods and beverages sweetened with aspartame has about the same sweetness characteristics as those sweetened with sugar. SWEET NEWS!







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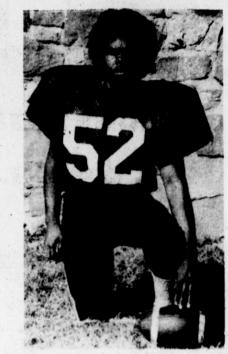


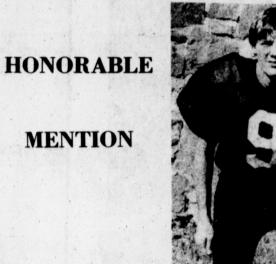
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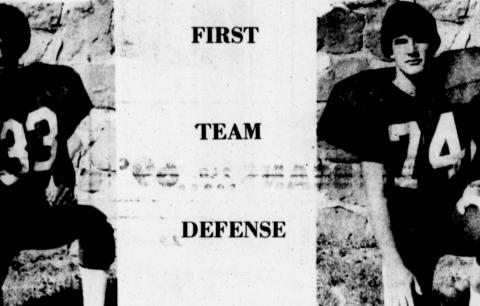






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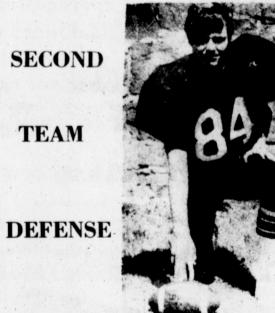












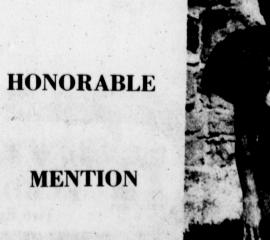








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