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Saints Roost Celebration to begin July 1st

Clarendon is getting ready for its annual July 4th celebration. Things got under way, with a pre-celebration Western Dance June 25 with The Diamond Back Band playing on the rodeo slab.

There will be three performance of

the rodeo starting July 1 with a kid show at 6 p.m., with calf riding, steer riding, barrel racing and pole bending. The regular rodeo will start at 8 p.m. July 1, 2 and 4th. There will be a western dance each night starting at 9 p.m. Freddie Cordell from Childress will be the stock contractor again this year. Bucking Chute sponsors for this year are: First Bank and Trust, Chamberlain Motor Co., Greene Dry Goods, Simmons Insurance, Mikes Pharmacy, Knorpp Insurance, Whites Feed and Seed, Bivens Pharmacy and Dairy Queen. A few arena parking spaces are available by contacting James Owens.

The Turtle Race will start at 4 p.m. on Saturday, July 2. It will be held on Kearney Street between Henson's and Stavenhagen's. There will be three races run, the winners will be presented with a \$50 saving bond from Henson's.

If you want to enter the turtle race, you must go to Henson's for a number. You cannot be issued one over the telephone. There is always between two and three hundred turtles entered each year. Remember after the race, you must pick up your turtle, do not leave them on the street.

Sunday there will be a membership drive at Saints' Roost Museum. There will be tours through the museum, live music and a chuck wagon feed from a real chuck wagon. If you have not had the opportunity to visit the museum lately, don't miss this chance to see it . . . remember also, that the only way the museum is being built is through donation. Buy a membership or make a donation.

Starting Monday, July 4th there will be a craft fair on the courthouse lawn, and the old settlers reunion will start at 10:30. Chairs will be set up under the trees, so you may visit with friends until the Al Morrah Shrine Club is ready to serve that delicious BBQ which they have become famous for. At 11 a.m. the serving lines will form, tickets are \$4 and if you don't have yours already, you can purchase them at the BBQ.

At the crafts fair, individuals and organizations will be selling cakes, ice cream, and etc. There will be many booths of arts and crafts. If you are interested in reserving a booth, you may call the County Agents Office.

The parade will start at 2 p.m. and the fiddlers contest will start at 3 p.m. with cash prizes.

ASilver tray donated by J&W Lumber & Supply will go the winner. Sponsors for this years contest are: First Bank and Trust, Deyhle Veterinary Clinic, Frank Derrick, Donley County State Bank, B&R Thriftway and Alderson Chevrolet.

The open air dance each night after the rodeo will start at 9 p.m. Bands are Wildside Band, July 1; The Campbells, July 2; July 4th Slow Motion.

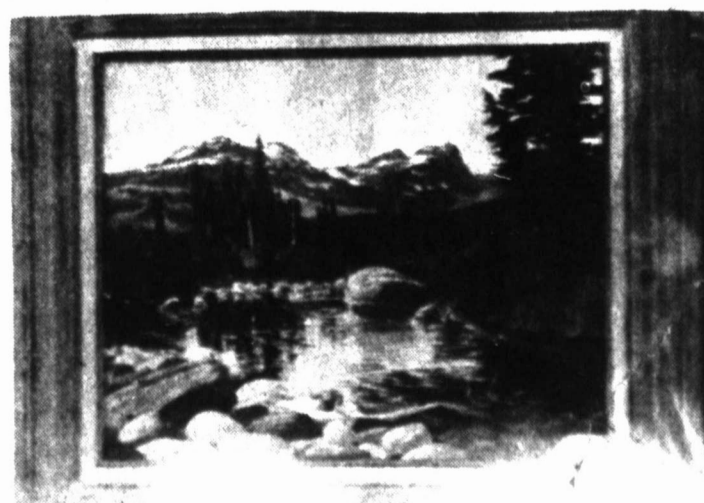
Clarendon was established in 1878 and as far as it can be determined, there has been some kind of July 4th celebration each year since that time. This probably could be the oldest celebration in the Texas Panhandle.

NHS taking donation on painting

The Clarendon High School National Honor Society will be taking donations at the July 4th Celebration for a landscape painting by James Edwards.

All proceeds will go the James Scott Edwards National Honor Society Scholarship Fund.

The purpose will be: To award a scholarship to a graduating senior of Clarendon High School from each graduating class, starting with the graduating Class of 1988, who best exemplifies the criteria of the scholarship in every way. The scholarship will be funded from invested monies that were donated by the people of this community in Scott's memory, and funds that will be raised by the local chapter of the National Honor Society.



PICTURE PAINTED BY JAMES IVY EDWARDS

Library story hour starts July 5th

Children of Donley County residents who have completed kindergarten through sixth grade are reminded that the Summer Storyhour will begin Tuesday, July 5 from 10:30 to 11:30 at the Burton Memorial Library. Puppet shows, films, and story time will entertain the children during the hour. This year's story hour will be held each Tuesday in July from 10:30 to 11:30. Children will need to bring library cards in order to check out books. If your child does not have a library card, please stop by before Tuesday, July 5.

Notice

The Senior Citizens Center will be close on Monday, July 4, 1988. Enjoy the St. Roost Celebration. We will be open on Tuesday, July 5th.



SUZETTE HENSON, Miss Donley County Pageant promoter



AUDRA HOGGARD Miss Congeniality of the Miss Donley County Pageant

Elevator has been installed in the old courthouse

When the historic old Donley Countyhouse was built, it was spacious and there was plenty of room. But almost a century later, the beautiful old building was no longer adequate for the county needs.

A new annex building was built next door, and most of the offices moved into it. The old courthouse is now used by Donley County Agent, the Extension offices and Community Action facilities on the first floor, the second floor is used as a courtroom.

The courtroom has been restored as much as possible, and remodeled. Donley County Judge Billie Christal and Cleo Russell did an outstanding job of restoring the judges bench, new carpet and curtains were installed and the courtroom has a complete face lift.

The law states that all public buildings must have handicap entrances, so the Commissioners Court applied for and received a grant for \$142,307.71, they put \$18,322.00-and for a total of \$160,629.71 they remodelled the basement and installed the elevator.

The pipes in the basement were

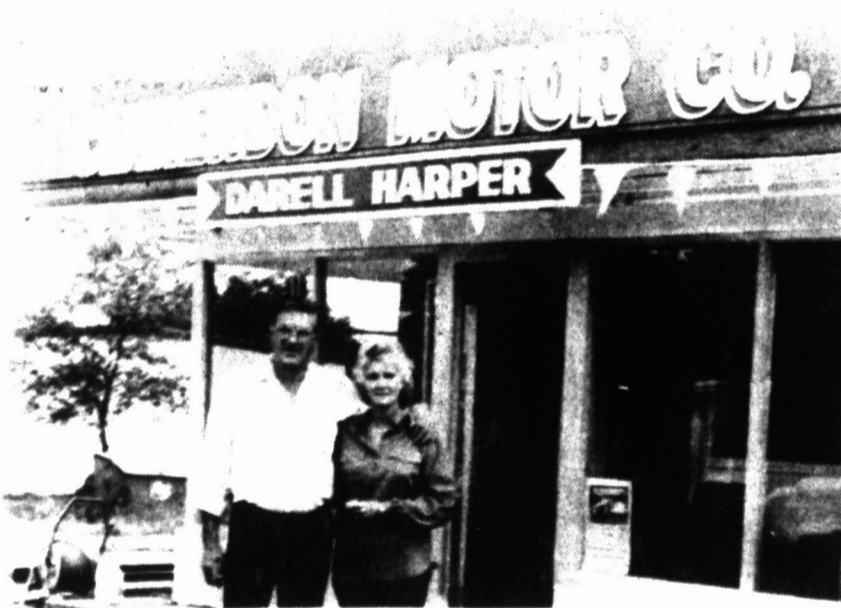
wrapped with asbestos, and the law stated, all asbestos must be removed, as it is considered a hazard to ones health and could cause cancer.

The contractor rewrapped the pipes, dug out the dirt floor basement, poured concrete floor, reinforced the foundations and installed an elevator which goes from the basement to the courtroom, installed new handicap bathrooms and a ramp leading into the courtroom.

Thursday, the Commissioners Will Chamberlain, Steve Reynolds, Dude Cornell and Buford Holland, along with Judge Billie Christal, the contractor, and representative from the Panhandle Planning Commission inspected the completed job.

The Courtroom has no air conditioning, and is used very little during the summer, but citizens of Donley County have a courtroom that they can all be proud of.

Judge Christal stated there probably would be an open house some time later in the year, but if anyone would like a tour of the completed facilities, he would be more than happy to show them.



Clarendon Motor Co. - new business

Clarendon Motor Company is owned and operated by Darrell and Ann Harper. Clarendon Motor Co. is located on Highway 287 East. Darrell has 30 years experience in the automobile business. he has worked in all phases including selling, buying, parts manager, service department as well as a mechanic.

They sell mostly used cars, but Darrell can get you almost any make or model new car you might be interested in.

He has a bank financing plan,

which can be suited to almost any individuals needs.

Darrell stated, "we have a good selection of cars and pickups, and we strive to keep a wide selection range to help you find just the right vehicle you need. If you are looking for a special car or pickup, let us know what you need and we will do our best to get it for you."

Clarendon Motor Company also takes cars on consignment. If you have a vehicle you want to sell, take it by their lot and talk to Darrell, he will do his best to sell it for you.

Over the past 30 years Darrell has sold cars in almost every region of the country and extends an invitation to all his old customers to come by and visit with him.

Clarendon Motor Company is open six days a week, if you happen to come by and they are closed, Darrell said he would be more than happy to come down if you will call him. The office number is 874-5066 and his home phone is 874-3687.

NOTICE

The Clarendon Firebelles will meet at 2:00 pm Sunday, July 3rd to decorate the trucks.

City to start paving project

The City of Clarendon has contracted to have the following streets repaired:

Carhart Street from Hwy. 287 to Burkhead.

Goodnight Street between Montgomery and Fifth Streets.

Sixth Street between Kearney and Carhart Streets.

Kearney Street between Fourth and Sixth Streets.

Fourth Street between Koogle and Jefferson Streets.

Bugbee Street between Fifth Street and First Baptist Church north end.

Collinson Street between Fifth and Eighth Streets.

Preparing the surface for these repairs creates a lot of dust in the air and cars parked in close proximity to the hot asphalt may be splattered, so those residents on the streets indicated, should move their vehicles as far from the road work as possible.

Do you want curbing or gutter work done?

A curb and gutter contractor will be in Clarendon the week of July 4, 1988 to do some work for residents of Clarendon who would like to pay to have curb and gutter done on their block. The cost to each property owner will be \$6.00 per foot in most cases.

The City will need an agreement signed by all the property owners on a block who wish to pay for curb and gutter brought to City Hall as soon as possible so that arrangements can be made.

Payment for the contractor will be payable in advance and held at City Hall until the work is satisfactorily completed.

Copy for next weeks paper due Friday

The Clarendon Press will be closed Monday July 4th. Therefore, copy which goes into next weeks paper, should be in the office by Friday. The copy and ads for the paper are typed and made-up on Monday. This is the reason for a Monday noon deadline. Articles brought into the Press has to be made ready to make up the paper on Tuesday.

It is impossible to make the paper up in one day, without having to work most of the night. When you bring your copy into the Press on Tuesday, you stand a chance of not getting it in that weeks paper.

Since Monday is a holiday, this leaves only one day to type, proof read and get the paper ready for makeup on Tuesday. The paper is printed in Childress. They have assigned us a time of 7 a.m. Wednesday morning to get the paper printed. Which mean, the paper must leave Clarendon by 6 a.m. Wednesday morning.

It is important that all copy, both news and advertisements be brought into the paper by Friday, and by 10 a.m. on Tuesday.

Ashtola-Martin reunion

Ashtola Ex-Students, teachers, and anyone who has lived, or is now living in this community are invited to attend the annual Ashtola Ex-Students and Community Reunion. The date and place of the reunion is September 3, 1988, in the Ashtola Community Center.

4-H sponsoring craft fair

Once again the Donley County 4-H Clubs are sponsoring the Country Craft Fair, held on the courthouse lawn on July 4, 1988.

Booth space is available for \$10.00 per space, and the 4-H'ers will receive all the proceeds from the rentals.

Class of 78 to have memorial service

The Class of 1978 of Clarendon would be honored at your presence at the Calvary Baptist Church Sunday, July 3, 1988. They will have a Memorial Service for a treasured friend and class mate Lisa Gene Woods Jobe. Sunday School service will start at 10:00 a.m. and Memorial will be at 11:00 a.m.

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Total for year		10.67		

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Moffitt-Mounsey vows exchanged

Wedding vows were exchanged by Mary Lynne Moffitt and Greg Mounsey of Elk City, Oklahoma, in Travis Baptist Church, Memphis, Texas on Saturday, May 28, 1988 at 2:00 p.m. in the afternoon. The Reverend Jerry Moore, Pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Groom officiated.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moffitt of Memphis. The parents of the groom are Sherry Mounsey of Dallas and Barrie Mounsey of Booker, Texas.

The church was decorated with a brass fan candelabra flanked by two brass heart-shaped candelabras each accented with large satin bows of the bride's chosen colors of teal and pink. The wedding pews were marked with large satin bows alternating with teal and pink to compliment the brides colors.

The wedding music was presented by Jim Stewart who sang "If" and "The Lord's Prayer", accompanied by Betty Stewart. The wedding march was played by Eleanor West.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her gown of shimmering white bridal satin was floor length with a fitted dropped waist bodice. The skirt floated into a chapel train and was accented by a large cascading satin bow attached at the lace and pearl accented waist. The sleeves were puffed across the top and tapered to a length just below the elbow. The scooped neckline, waistline and sleeves were accented with delicate lace and seed pearls. The lower edge of the skirt was richly enhanced by lace and seed pearls. Lace motifs accented with pearls also were scattered on the sleeves and skirt. Her head piece was an open weave hat with a turned brim on one

side and accented with white silk roses and pearls. The brim was edged by lace and pearls matching the neckline. The crown of the hat was trimmed with illusion and delicate white silk roses. She carried a cascade bouquet of pink and white silk roses, teal flowers and accented with pearls, lace and ribbons of pink and teal. The bouquet sat atop a white Bible that was carried by her mother in her wedding. The Bible was marked by an antique heart and cross marker which was a gift from the groom's mother.

The wedding gown was designed and made by the bride's mother.

She carried out the tradition of something old, her mother's white Bible and a white linen handkerchief belonging to her maternal great-grandmother and great aunt, Mildred Hoggard; something new, her wedding gown; something borrowed, a pearl necklace and earrings belonging to her mother; and something blue, her garter. Pennies with the bride and groom's year of birth were carried in her shoes.

Sherry Maddox of Amarillo was maid of honor and Diane Cupp of Logan, Oklahoma was bridesmaid.

The attendants' tea length dresses of teal satin were of the same design as the bride's gown with scooped neckline, fitted bodice, dropped waist, short sleeves and accented with a cascading large bow attached at the back waistline. They carried bouquets of pink and white silk roses accented with lace and ribbons of teal, pink and white.

Lindsey Taylor of Amarillo, daughter of Donna Taylor served as flower girl. Her dress was teal satin, trimmed with self piping at the front waistline and tied with a large bow at



MR. AND MRS. GREG MOUNSEY

the back waistline, a large lace edged round collar and puffed lace trimmed sleeves. She carried a lace trimmed basket of silk rose petals and wore a halo of baby's breath and pink roses

with a bow of pink and teal cascading from the back.

Jason Floyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Floyd of Canadian and cousin of the bride served as ring bearer. He wore a black tuxedo with a teal cummerbund and tie. He carried a white heart-shaped lace trimmed satin pillow and wore a pink silk rose boutonniere.

The candles were lighted by Andy Moffitt, brother of the bride and Kevin Mounsey, brother of the groom. They also served as ushers.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with a jacket length coat and tails, white tie and cummerbund. The other men in the wedding party and the fathers wore black tuxedos with teal ties and cummerbunds. The boutonnières were pink silk roses, the groom's being accented with teal baby's breath.

Shelly Foster of Memphis and Cassie Floyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Floyd and cousin of the bride registered the guests.

Mrs. Moffitt, mother of the bride wore a street length dress of ice blue and silver brocade with silver accessories. Sherry Mounsey, mother of the groom wore a street length dress

of gray chiffon with black patent accessories. Each wore a corsage of the bride's chosen colors.

After the ceremony, a reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church.

The bride's table was covered with a floor length cloth and overlaid with a white lace cloth. The traditional wedding cake of white was accented by a silk flow arrangement of pink and white silk roses, teal and pink ribbons. The cake was made and beautifully decorated by Alice Kay Roder. A crystal punch bowl, crystal candelabras with pink votive candles and the bride's bouquet as center piece completed the table setting. Along with the wedding cake, pink bell-shaped mints, mixed nuts and punch were served at the Bride's table by Leigh Ann Eller, Tonya Moore and Danna Davidson.

The groom's table was covered by a floor length cloth overlaid with a white cloth with gray embroidery handcut work. The cloth was made by the groom's paternal grandmother, Mrs. Naomi Mounsey. The bride's chosen colors were carried out in the center piece of silk flowers and pink candles. The chocolate cake, mixed nuts and sausage balls were served by Shelly Foster of Memphis.

Members of the house party were Mmes. Alice Kay Roden, Betty Yarbrough, Orvilla Evans and Brenda Graham.

For their wedding trip to the Dallas

area, the bride chose a dress of blue chambrey accented with tiny white flowers and white scolloping at the sleeves and ruffled hemline. The dress was complimented by white accessories and a corsage of pink and white silk roses.

The couple will make their home in Elk City, Oklahoma. The bride is a 1985 graduate of Memphis High School, attended Clarendon College and Southwestern State at Weatherford, Oklahoma. The groom graduated from Booker High School and attended Ranger Junior College in Ranger, Texas and is employed with Unit Drilling and Exploration in Elk City, Oklahoma.

Sherry Mounsey and Barrie Mounsey honored the couple with a rehearsal dinner on Friday, May 27th at Zebbies in Memphis.

The bride, bridal attendants, mothers and grandmothers were honored with a luncheon Saturday morning, May 28th hosted by Shirley and Shelly Foster, Willie Mae and Sherry Maddox and Donna Taylor.

Special guests at the wedding were the bride's grandmothers, Mrs. Altha Floyd of Clarendon, Mrs. Loyce Moffitt of Amarillo, "adopted" grandmother Mrs. Olas Murdock of Memphis; the groom's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sell of Booker, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Marion T. "Bus" Mounsey of Darrouzett, Texas.

BUREAU IN ANGELO TEXA



SHANNON MYERS AND JENIFER DAVIS

Two youths attend Farm Bureau Citizenship seminar

High school students from Hall and Donley counties were among some 400 junior and senior high school students attending the Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar here June 13-17.

Shannon Myers of Memphis; and Jenifer Davis, Clarendon represented their county at the training school, which was held on the campus of Angelo State University.

The TFB has sponsored 26 such seminars since 1962. More than

9,500 students have completed the training course which is designed to give them a better understanding of their American heritage and the capitalistic free enterprise system.

Speakers this year included Dr. Calvin Kent, director of Baylor University's Center for Private Enterprise; Dr. Wayne Matthews, family life specialist from Oklahoma State University; Basilio Bachor, Polish immigrant; Steve Pratt, Washington, D.C., National Center for Constitutional Studies; and Jack Jackson, free enterprise lecturer from Ft. Worth.

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City Minutes

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Clarendon met on June 21, 1988, in the Board room, City all at 7 p.m.

Members present: Mayor David Davidson, Aldermen James Thomas, Paul Bivens, Lynn Floyd, Benny Osburn, and Bobbie Kidd.

Others present: City Secretary Donna Edwards, Gary McKay, Dick Bode, Pete Mendez, and Harvey Chapa.

Minutes of the May 24, 1988, meeting were read, and upon a motion by Alderman Benny Osburn, seconded by Alderman Lynn Floyd, said minutes were approved. Motion carried.

There being no other bids presented for removing and installing a new metal roof to City Hall/Fire Department, motion was made by Alderman Bobbie Kidd, second by Alderman Benny Osburn, to accept the bid from Luttrell Welding in the amount of \$8,279.70.

Upon a motion by Alderman James Thomas, seconded by Alderman Benny Osburn, the Board awarded the bid for the TDCA grant project for sewer improvements to the low bidder, H.B. Jordan and Company in the amount of \$30,098.32.

Dick Bode of Pampa Insurance Agency presented a proposal for the City insurance with 90% co-insurance and which represented a savings of over \$3,000 with the same coverage currently held. Motion was made by Alderman Bobbie Kidd, seconded by Alderman Benny Osburn, to accept the proposal. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Alderman Benny Osburn, seconded by Alderman James Thomas, to request Dick Bode to submit a bid on Public Official Liability Insurance. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Alderman James Thomas, seconded by Alderman Benny Osburn, to approve sending four firemen to Fire School at a cost of \$375.00 each.

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man James Thomas to approve the bills for the month of May 1988. Motion carried.

There being no further business at this time, motion was made by Alderman Benny Osburn, seconded by Alderman James Thomas, to adjourn. Motion carried.

The following veto dated June 22, followed the action taken by the board of Aldermen at the June 21, 1988 meeting.

I hereby veto the action taken Tuesday, June 21, 1988 by the city Aldermen concerning the acceptance of a bid by Dick Bode representing Pampa Insurance Agency, Inc. for a city insurance policy due to the following objections.

- 1. The insurance to be purchased should include a workers compensation package.
2. Any purchase over \$5,000.00 should be advertised before acceptance of any bid.

David Davidson Mayor of Clarendon

Look Who's New

WESLEY KEITH CHRISTOPHER

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Christopher announce the birth of their first child, Wesley Keith born June 23, 1988. The young man weighed 8 lbs. 8 ozs.

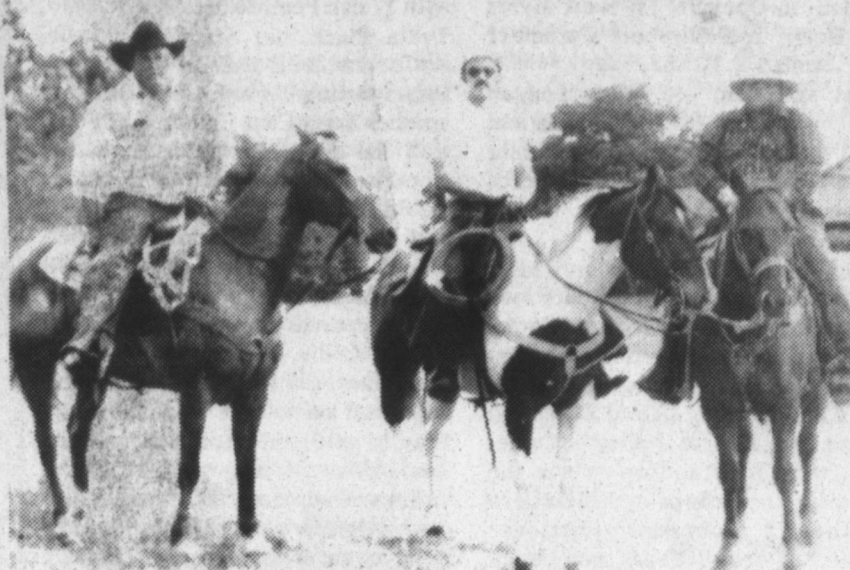
Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Larry Christopher of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Meaker of La Fayette, II. and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Branum of Amarillo.

Great grandparents are Ernestine Christopher of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Morris of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Janessen of Brownsville, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Taler of Amarillo.

WALTON MATTHEW LINDSEY

Justin Joe David Lindsey is proud to announce the arrival of his new baby brother, Walton Matthew Lindsey born May 26 in Childress. He weighed 6 lbs. 13 1/2 oz.

Their mother is DeJon Lindsey. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lindsey of Wellington. Great grandparents are Judge and Mrs. Zook Thomas of Wellington and the former Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsey Sr. of Hedley.



LONG TRAILRIDERS [l to r] Buster Gray, Jim Formway and Wayne Reynolds.

3 Clarendon men made Memorial Trailride

The Panhandle Heritage Memorial Trailride was sponsored by The Randall County Sheriff's Posse, Canyon. The Club was organized more than twenty-five years ago as a non-profit family-oriented, horseback civic club.

The trailride serves as a beacon of hope for all those courageous young people who are battling their way back after having survived head injury. The Panhandle Chapter of The Texas Head Injury Foundation has worked tirelessly to bring to this area a greater awareness of the need for specially trained personnel and specially designed equipment to meet the specific needs of the head-injury victims and their families.

To ride in the trailride, you either must donate \$135. to Head Injury Foundation or have someone sponsor you.

Three Clarendon men made the Longride this year, they were Buster Gray, Jim Formway and Wayne Reynolds. This is the original ride from Palo Duro Canyons to Caprock Canyons State Park - some 70 miles in length - overnight camp at Coon Creek after a 40 mile first day.

The trail is fought with problems of rattlesnakes and quicksand, but for the tough-minded purists it's the only way to go to Quitaque. It is truly a demanding trailride. If you are interested in riding next year, contact Trailride, Box 905, Canyon, 79015.

Three youths will go to AAU meet

Three Clarendon high school students participated in the A.A.U. Regional track meet held at River Road last Saturday. Each student placed high enough in their event to qualify for the Amateur Athletic

Union State track meet which is to be held July 15 and 16 in San Antonio, Texas. Representing this area in San Antonio will be Andrea Edwards in the 3000 meter run, Michael Moore, Discus; and Brook Grisham in the pole vault.

A car wash will be held Saturday at Taylor Food Mart with all proceeds going toward funding their trip. So come and show your support.

Martin Quilting Club

On June 23, 1988 The Martin Quilting Club met at Barbara Helms home to quilt a quilt for Amanda Ward, her first quilt.

The club adjourned until September. Members present were: Frankie McAnear, Melba Risley, Mary Lee Noble, Ann Bunyan, Verdine Tipton, Hazel Edens, Pauline Kooztz, Flossie Reynolds, Dixie Ward.

Hostesses were Barbara Helms, Dixie Ward, guests were Amy Kooztz, Amanda Ward, Joshua Ward, Justin Helms and Roy Lee Helms.

VanZandt to celebrate 80th birthday

The family of Mary Hazel Van Zandt will host an 80th birthday celebration for her Sunday, July 3 from 2 p.m.-4:30 p.m. at her home at 316 West Fifth, this is the house just west of First United Methodist Church. They would ask that you bring no gifts. All her friends are invited.

DONLEY COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS

Caring People...A Lamp to the Community

Thank you Lord for this good rain and all these lovely apricots, plums and peaches.

Thanks to Bill and Nita Meador, Woody Argo and Eddie Floyd for the clean up work across the street. We hope to have that project complete before the 4th.

Thanks to Bud and Pearl Hermes-meyer for doing a great job as host and hostess for the month of June for the Dance Club. We had a good group enjoying exercising to music last Monday night. The 3rd Tuesday Dance at the Community Building on June 21st was a good one - It was warm but that didn't keep us from having a good time. Melvin and the Offbeats made some real good music.

Carmen did thirty-seven blood pressures on Tuesday, June 21st. Next clinic will be on Tuesday, July 5th. Come on by and let Carmen check yours.

Had three tables busy at Game night on Thursday, June 23rd. Sure could use some more.

Friday, June 24th we had a good Musical Jam Session. There were thirty-one here listening to music by Hugh and Nova Neuhaus, Lucille Swain, Bill Meador, Melvin Srygley, Jerry Chambliss, Cecil and Alyce Munden, Forrest and Maxine Denton, Creed Smith, Dee Williams, Fred Fortenberry and Me (Jean). We had a good time - come down and join us on Friday nights.

The Center will be closed on Monday, July 4, 1988 for our annual St. Roust Celebration. Enjoy the weekend of festivities and come back

to the Center on Tuesday, July 5th for lunch.

Calendar of Events

June 30-July 6

- Thursday Exercise 11 a.m., Game night 6 p.m.
Friday Exercise 11 a.m., Musical Jam Session 7 p.m.
Monday Holiday Happy 4th of July: Tuesday Exercise 11 a.m., Wednesday Exercise 11 a.m., Arts & Crafts 1 p.m.
Blood Pressure Clinic 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Menu

- Thursday Roast beef with natural gravy, cream potatoes, brussel sprouts, cabbage, carrot and pineapple salad, rice pudding with raisins, dinner roll, milk, tea, coffee.
Friday Chicken and dressing, giblet gravy/cranberry sauce, candied sweet potatoes, green beans, red jello with whipped topping, banana pudding, bread, milk, tea, coffee.
Monday Closed Holiday
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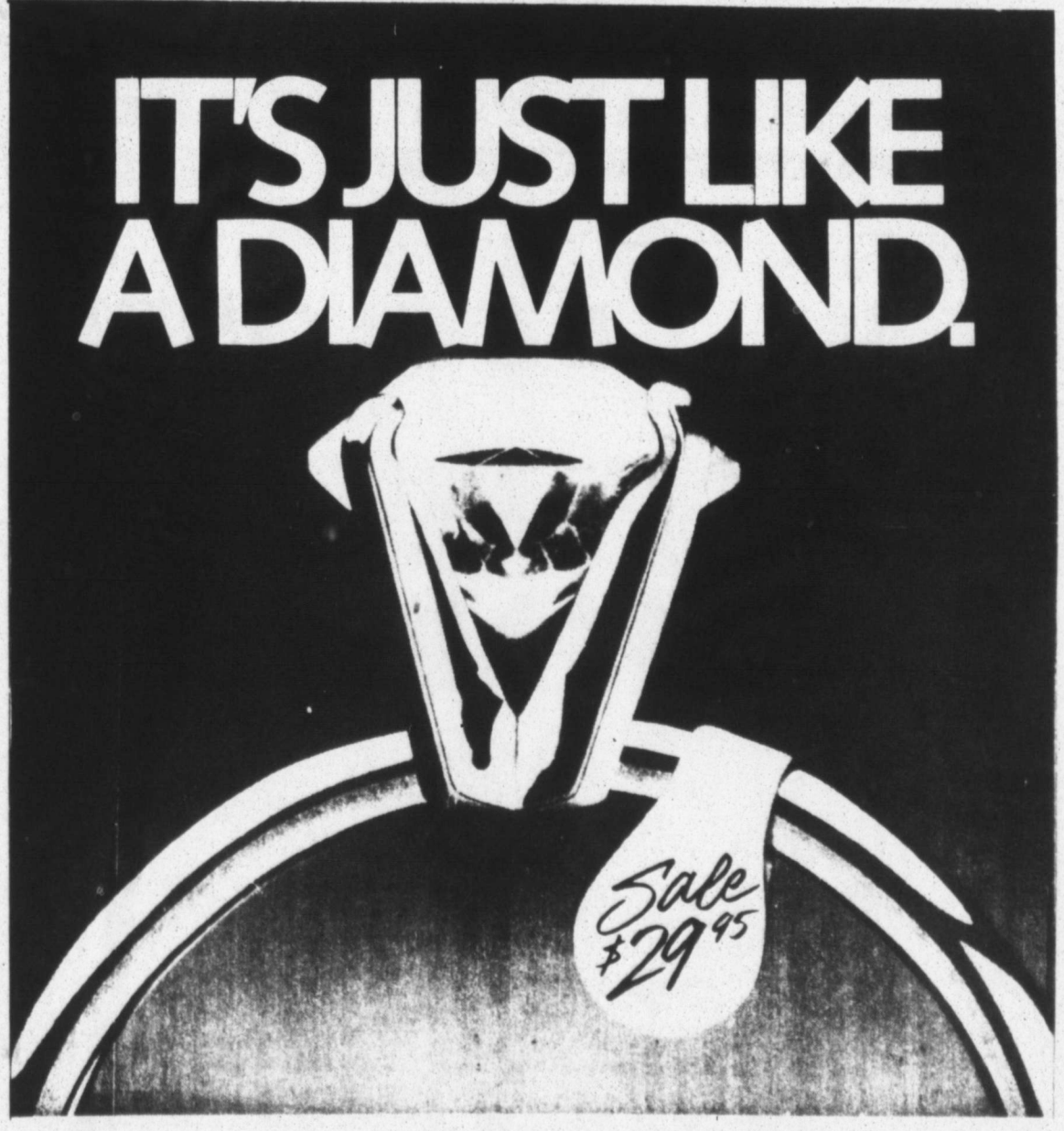
On June 23, 1988 The Martin Quilting Club met at Barbara Helms home to quilt a quilt for Amanda Ward, her first quilt.

The club adjourned until September. Members present were: Frankie McAnear, Melba Risley, Mary Lee Noble, Ann Bunyan, Verdine Tipton, Hazel Edens, Pauline Kooztz, Flossie Reynolds, Dixie Ward.

Hostesses were Barbara Helms, Dixie Ward, guests were Amy Kooztz, Amanda Ward, Joshua Ward, Justin Helms and Roy Lee Helms.

VanZandt to celebrate 80th birthday

The family of Mary Hazel Van Zandt will host an 80th birthday celebration for her Sunday, July 3 from 2 p.m.-4:30 p.m. at her home at 316 West Fifth, this is the house just west of First United Methodist Church. They would ask that you bring no gifts. All her friends are invited.



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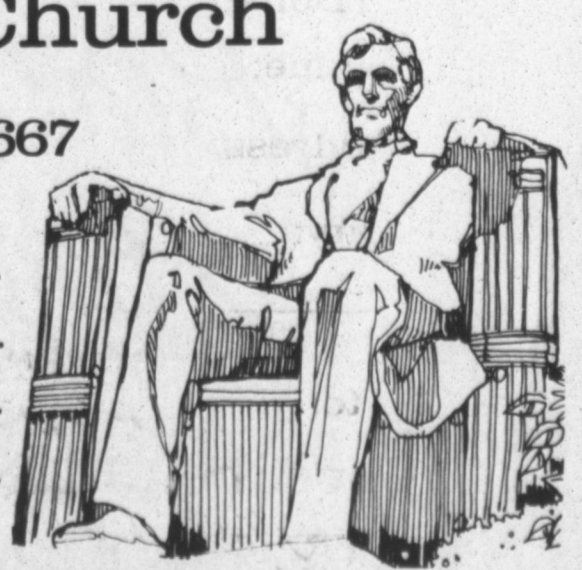
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K-9 Korp Fun Match held at City Park

BY JUDY McCULLY

Sunday, June 19, 1988 The Donley county 4-H K-9 Korp hosted their second annual Fun Match at the City Park. Once again the show was a huge success. First, we would like to thank the local merchants who helped us out by donating to our drawing. Whites Feed & Seed, B&R 1nritway, Alderson Chevrolet, Henson's, The Nook, The Grocery Store, Greene's Dry Goods, Dovens Pharmacy, and Texas Saddlery. Thanks to you folks, our drawing was a great success, money wise. These funds will be used to help defray the cost of hosting the 1988 Texas State 4-H Dog Show, August 20, 1988. Donley County is very proud to be the host county this year, even though we are holding the show in Amarillo, Donley

County will still get a lot of publicity from it. Also a special thank you to the wonderful people who came down and judged for us. Judi Lindsey, Annette Brooks and Jan Phillips of Canyon, and Mike Stroud and Dr. Gertry Nash of Amarillo. Thanks for a job well done! We really do appreciate the help you give us. Thanks again to the Amarillo Obedience Training Club for the use of their equipment.

Now for the results of the show! The judging began at 10 a.m. with the Junior Showmanship competition. In the Sub-junior Class, 1st went to Logan Mays and Daisy; 2nd to Stephanie Floyd and Boomer. Novice Jr. 1st Steven Davis and Morgan, 2nd Mandy Floyd and

Molly, 3rd Amber Dunham and Freckles, and 4th Jodi Dunham and Golden. In Open Jr. 1st Scott Myers and Buffy, 2nd Elizabeth Carpenter and Sinbad's Kesha; 2nd Jennifer Davis and Ben, 3rd Misty Longan and Lowboy and 4th Nikki Kalka and LuLu from Dumas. The Best Junior Handler Award went to Rebecca Carpenter and her Afgan Hound from Amarillo.

On to the breed rings; Misty Longan and her Samoyed Roller took Best of Breed, and went on to win the Working Group. Her Long-haired Dashchund Lowboy went BOB, Lydia Black and her long-haired Daschund placed 2nd. Debbie Tolbert's Collie, Beau went BOB and on to win the Herding Group. Elizabeth McAnear's Labrador Retriever Puppy J.J. went BOB and won Puppy Sporting Group. Scott Myers and Buffy, Golden Retriever went BOB and won the Sporting Group. Steven Davis and Morgan, Miniature Schnauzer went BOB and on to win the Terrier Group. Scott Myers Min. Schnauzer, Joe, won the Puppy Terrier Group. Mandy Floyd won

BOB with Crocker Spanial Patches, and 2nd in Puppy Herding group with Welsh Pembroke Corgi, Roscoe. Lydia Black, her Standard Poodle, Rudi went BOB and on to Win the Non-Sporting Group. Jodi Dunham and her Long-Coat Chihuahua, Fonzi won 3rd in the Puppy class. In the Non-Purebred under 25 pounds Debbie Tolbert and Chico won 1st and in the Non-Purebred over 25 pounds Logan Mays and Daisy won 1st. Chico went on to take Best Non-Purebred. Jennifer Davis and her Border Collie Benjamin Ringo won their class, the Miscellaneous Group and went on to take Best in Show. Way to go Jennifer and Ben! All the local kids did a good job in the various obedience classes they entered. However, the High in Trial Award went to Larry Reat of Lubbock and his Border Collie Babe. Beautiful job of obedience. Congratulations Larry and Babe! The High Scoring 4-Her went to Scott Myers. Good job Scott. Thanks to everyone who entered our match and all who helped work the rings and concession. See you again next year!



SIX LOCAL YOUTHS participated in an electricity camp sponsored by Southwestern Public Service for 4-H members. [l to r] Shannon Myers, Misty Longan, Carrie Simpson, Michelle Chambliss, Amber Dunham, Jodi Dunham and Bob Skinner, SPS marketing representative.

What do blood pressure numbers mean

Have you ever wondered what those numbers mean when you have your blood pressure checked--120 over 78, 136 over 95?

Are these good numbers or bad numbers?

And just why should you have your blood pressure checked in the first place?

"It is important to know your blood pressure because high blood pressure, or hypertension, is a risk factor for several serious health conditions, such as congestive heart failure, arteriosclerosis, heart attacks, strokes, kidney failure or eye damage," said Dr. John Hubanks of Sayre, Okla.

Arterial blood pressure is simply the force that the heart exerts against the arteries as it pumps blood throughout the body. This is what the blood pressure screener is measuring when he or she wraps the blood pressure cuff around your arm, pumps it up with air and listens through a stethoscope placed over an artery that has been compressed by the air-filled cuff.

As the blood pressure screener lets the air out of the blood pressure cuff, he or she listens for special sounds called Korotkoff Sounds. When the screener hears the first two distinct Korotkoff Sounds, they read the blood pressure meter, called a manometer. This first reading is the systolic pressure and it indicates the pressure of the blood against the walls of the arteries as the heart contracts.

After hearing the systolic pressure, the screener continues to listen to the Korotkoff Sounds until they

disappear. When the final distinct sound is heard, the manometer is again read and the resulting number is the diastolic pressure. This indicates the force of the blood against the arterial wall as the heart is resting between beats.

Normal blood pressure, with a great deal of individual variation, runs about 120 for the systolic reading and 80 for the diastolic reading. A measurement of 140 and above for the systolic pressure, or 90 and above for the diastolic pressure, is considered too high. But don't panic if you get one high reading.

Your blood pressure changes several times during the day and it requires several measurements to get an accurate indication of your blood pressure. However, if your blood pressure consistently remains above 140 systolic, or 90 diastolic, do not hesitate to see your physician.

Now that you know what blood pressure is, and what the numbers mean, you should make a habit of

getting your blood pressure checked at least once every six months.

And it's a good idea to make some lifestyle changes that will help your blood pressure stay within normal limits, such as increasing your exercise, decreasing your salt intake, stop smoking and, if obese, loose weight.

DPS Report

Capt. Bob Russell, District Supervisor of the Amarillo Highway Patrol District comprising of 31 counties said, "For the month of April, our troopers investigated 4 fatal accidents, 66 personal injury accidents, and 92 property damage accidents. There were 4 persons killed and 103 persons injured in these accidents.

For the month of May, there were 2 fatal accidents, 68 personal injuries, and 99 property damage accidents. Two persons were killed and 107 injured in these accidents.

Sgt. Mike Thomson of Clarendon stated, "In Donley county, troopers investigated no fatal accidents and only 10 property damage accidents. In May there were no fatal accidents, 7 personal injury, and 4 property damage accidents and 9 persons were injured in these accidents.

Are you at risk for a car accident

Night drivers face the most risk. In both rural and urban areas, the death rates per mile driven are at least three times lower in the daytime.

Train-car fatalities were up 20% in 1986, in spite of the fact that grade-crossings are better marked than ever before. Many of those killed in grade-crossing accidents simply disregarded warnings, trying to beat the train. But a freight train with 150 cars traveling at 50 mph takes more than one mile to stop; a car can stop in a fraction of that.

Don't risk your life--remember these rules every time you drive across railroad tracks:

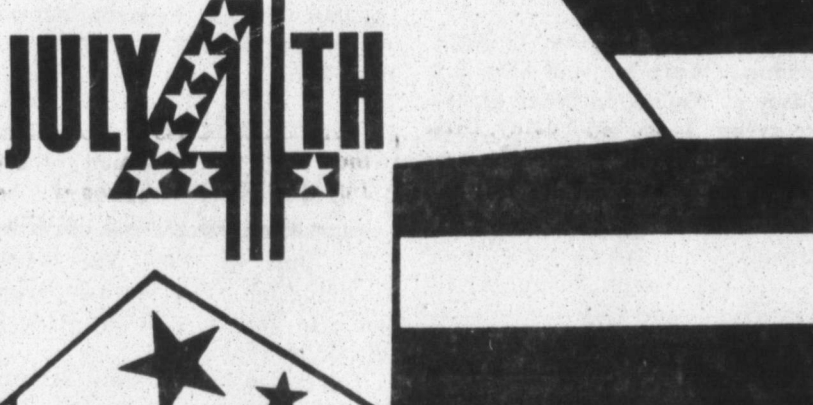
Expect a train on any track at any time. Stop and look both ways before crossing any track. Obey grade-crossings signals. Don't ignore flashing lights or try to drive around gates.

Don't race across the tracks as soon as a train has passed. There might be another train on parallel tracks.

A survey of more than 500,000 U.S. school children shows that 25% of children as young as fourth grade believe that their peers are drinking wine coolers, 35% feel peer pressure to do so and 50% of fourth graders do not think of alcohol as a drug. By the sixth grade 46% believe their peers have tried wine coolers or other alcohol.



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Frank Hommel - 90 - saves wife from fire

The American College Dictionary describes the word Hero as 'a man of distinguished valor' That is exactly what Frank Hommel became on the morning of April 26, 1988.

Frank and his wife Gladys lived in a large two story home on highway 287. The lovely old home was one of the most beautiful homes in Clarendon.

Frank woke early that morning, went down stairs, while his wife was still asleep.

All of sudden there was an explosion in the front hall, flames and smoke quickly engulfed the hall, stairs and kitchen. His only thought was to get up stairs and wake his wife. Although the banister rail was burning, he put his hand on the rail, to find his way upstairs. He began calling his wives name, Gladys, Gladys, his frantic voice yelled.

Gladys was still asleep, but was awoken by his call. It sounded so distressed, she thought something had happen to him. When she turned over to get up, she saw the flames, and could see Frank at the top of the stairs. He seemed to be in a state of shock and was exhausted, rushing over to him, she helped him into the bedroom. He said, "Gladys we are trapped up here, and I said, no Frank we are not, lets get out on to the balcony." Gladys then help Frank out of the smoke filled house into the fresh air.

Frank thought of trying to slide down the porch post, but Gladys

knew he was too weak for that, so they waited for help. Buddy Ford came by on his way to work, seeing the smoke tried to get into the house, but the doors were locked. He rushed to Mary's Country Kitchen and called the fire department.

John Judd came by, seeing the Hommel's on the balcony, rushed home to get a ladder. By the time he got back, the fire department was on hand, they quickly rescued the Hommel's, and quickly put out the fire and secured the home.

Lucky Ms. Hommel was not burned or hurt, but Mr. Hommel had burns on the top of his head and his hand, where he had held on to the rail, getting up stairs. The flames seemed to be high, as his clothing or any other part of his body was burned.

Frank spent 10 days in the hospital, and is still recuperating, but is up and about, doing better ever day.

The amazing part of this hero story is that Frank Hommel is 90-years old and his wife Gladys is 82.

This the case where the hero saves his wife, then she in turn, becomes a heroine and saves her husband.

The Hommels have three children, two resides in Donley County, Frankie Henson and Chauncey Hommel. third, Lois Marie Moore lives in San Antonio. This was a terrifying experience, and Gladys and Frank are lucky to be alive.

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO NOMINATE BY PETITION

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) is accepting nominations for County Committee elections for Donley, Armstrong, and Gray counties. This notice is issued to inform eligible voters of the right to nominate candidates by petition. Copies of the petition and instructions on its completion can be obtained from your local FmHA office.

Persons nominated should have an interest in a farm as an owner, tenant, or sharecropper within the county or area in which activities of the county or area committee are carried out. They must be citizens of the United States or aliens lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence, and be well qualified for committee work. Spouses of those persons who meet the eligibility criteria are also eligible for nomination for election to the county committee. Nominations must be received in Donley County FmHA office no later than September 30. FmHA committee elections are open to all eligible voters without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age political affiliation, marital status, sex, and/or handicap.

County received much needed rain

While the national networks ran stories about a widespread drought, Donley County got several good rains. They were badly needed, but varied greatly from place to place.

Naomi Green reported that the Ashtola area received about 2.70 inches of rain. Clarendon officially reported 1.92 inches. According to Suzy Shields, Lelia Lake measured 1.80 inches, while M. Weatherly's rain gauges indicated 1.30 to 3 inches in Hedley. Neighboring counties reported similarly wet data.

The rain was badly needed. Although most of the cotton crop had not suffered yet, soil moisture was running low. Hay grazer and other forages will benefit as well.

There were no reports of the rain's effect on boll weevils. David Lowrie, a popular insect scout in the area, found weevils in virtually every trap early this season. Weevils that emerge early are not a threat to cotton, since they will die before the cotton puts on the squares (buds) that the weevils must have for reproduction. But late weevils can start a population boom that could require heavy spraying or even destroy a crop. Wet weather may retard emergence or speed it up.

Livestock owners have no mixed feelings about the rains. Local pastures were dry and needed moisture. The precipitation started grass and forage growing quickly, but most stockmen hope for more.

Despite relatively high lamb and wool prices, sheep sold low in central Texas markets. Ranchers there were running out of grazing. Cattle prices varied widely by location.

Many producers recalled the severe droughts of the early fifties, a period now know to younger folk primarily through Elmer Kelton's highly regarded book *The Time It Never Rained*.

Some climatologists believe that droughts may follow a cycle of roughly thirty years in West Texas.

Precipitation records generally have been above the historic norm from the Sixties through the Eighties. But fossil evidence, tree rings

Class of 1963 reunion

The C.H.S. Class of 1963 will have their 25th Class reunion Saturday, July 2, 1988. Registration will be in the High School Cafeteria starting at 9:00 a.m. We would like to invite all classmates, teachers, parents, and friends to come and join us.

and early historical records suggest that the Southwestern United States was damper an eon ago. Weather scientists, farmers and ranchers alike wonder about long-term and short-term weather cycles. (Tune in 2188 A.D. for a more definitive report.)

One shower does not break a drought. But almost every rain is welcome. And this one was badly needed.

DID YOU KNOW ?

Here are some facts about safe diving that may help you prevent a diving accident:



Always check for submerged obstacles before you dive.

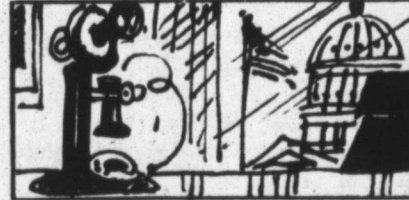
• Safe diving means checking water depth first, and steering up during your dive.

• An estimated 500 people may seriously injure themselves in diving accidents this year, as a result of diving into shallow areas of lakes, ponds, streams, swimming pools and other bodies of water, report experts at the National Spa and Pool Institute (NSPI).

• In up to half of all accidents, the diver has had "a couple of drinks," usually beer. A recent study found that even half a drink can noticeably impair a diver's judgment and control.

• Always check that there are no submerged obstacles in your dive path. If you're not certain what the conditions are, don't dive.

• As part of its "Operation Water Watch" NSPI is offering a free brochure on diving safety. It's called, "Knowing How To Dive" and it's available by writing to: NSPI, Dept. O.W.W., 2111 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia 22314.



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Cancer Answers

by Guy R. Newell, M. D.

Q Besides fiber, are there other foods that might protect people against cancer?

A Here are some other foods that may help reduce your chances of developing cancer:

Deep yellow fruits and vegetables: Studies show that vitamin A may reduce the risk of cancer of the skin, mouth and lungs. You can find vitamin A in fruits and vegetables such as carrots, peaches, sweet potatoes, spinach and turnip greens.

Citrus fruits and other foods high in vitamin C:

Vitamin C may protect against cancer of the esophagus and stomach. You can get it by eating oranges, grapefruit, lemons, broccoli, cantaloupe, red and green peppers, strawberries and tomatoes.

Cruciferous vegetables: These are vegetables in the cabbage family like cauliflower, broccoli, Brussels sprouts, and all types of cabbages. Certain substances in these vegetables may protect against cancer of the colon and stomach.

A diet that will help lower your risk for cancer will also help you fight heart disease. Both are light on fatty foods, and heavy on fresh fruits and vegetables.

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Watt's Happening in Hedley

by Peggy Watt

Note the head at the top of this column. Helen's nice enough to let me write the Hedley News while Nina is on vacation. I must say it feels good to be back. I've missed visiting with everyone in the Hedley phone directory during the last year.

The biggest and certainly the most welcome news this day is the much needed rain that's been falling. So far we've had about 5 1/2 inches at our house during the last 48 hours. However much we get, we are most grateful for it. The dry was beginning to get critical at our ranch. I've noticed several people hauling water during the last week or so. Guy has started keeping rolls of quarters in his pickup to feed the water meter in town.

Allen and Heidi Cronister, Laramie and Brooke of Pampa visited for awhile last week. We've known Allen for several years as he tends to the booster which Diamond Shamrock has in our pasture but this was our first meeting with his family. Laramie and Brooke are about eight and five. Laramie has hair that's about as red as our Kid Keith's.

Don and ErmaLee Young visited with her parents, Woodroe and OraPearl Farris last week. Fred and I got to visit with them for awhile Sunday evening. Don and ErmaLee are able to come more often now that Don is retired. She helped OraPearl fix the apricots and pick squash.

Arthell and Velva Gibson of Pampa visited her father, Walter Johnson recently. They were enroute home from vacationing in Oklahoma and Missouri. They brought Walter several messages from friends in Oklahoma. I saw Nookie Wiggins driving a brand new pickup a few days ago. Pretty...

Betty Hix of Amarillo and her granddaughter attended morning worship service at the Methodist church Sunday. They were with Betty's sister, Helen Lamberson. Speaking of Helen Lamberson, she and

J.T. have a brand new granddaughter in Houston. She's the daughter of J.T., Jr. and Colleen Lamberson's daughter, Lisa.

Eric Lewis of Cananah has been visiting his Hedley grandparents, Red and Dean Hill. Dean took him home during the later part of the week. Eric is the son of the Hill's daughter and son-in-law. Neva and Max Lewis. Eric's sister, Karah was here earlier in the summer.

Grace Burkhalter of Dell City, Okla. spent several days recently with her parents, Roy and Juanita Brown. Helen Crump, Karen and Kim of Memphis joined Roy, Jr. and Sue Brown at their parents home during her visit.

Su-San spent a few days with us and Mother while she had some time off from her job. She was one of the fortunate nurses at Northwest Texas Hospital who didn't lose their job during the recent layoff there. She went to Anson with the Ivys while she was home.

Mrs. Judy Neeley of Farmers Branch visited her uncle and aunt, Red and Dean Hill last week. Judy and her husband, John Wayne, own a farm north of Hedley.

Woodroe and OraPearl Farris attended Texas in the amphitheater in Palo Duro Canyon last week. OraPearl said it was better than it was last year. I don't know how that could be. We saw it last year and it was absolutely fabulous. We're looking forward to attending again later this summer.

I saw Matt and Kendra Martin today. They were at their granddad, Blackie Johnson's house enjoying a watermelon. I tried to get Guy and Su-San to stop and join them, but they wouldn't. Raymond and Nora Hopper had their grand daughter at church with them Sunday morning. I didn't get her name, but did here her say she was from Utah.

Miss Rebekah Foss of Denver, Colo. brought her mother, Laura Ann for a visit with Rebekah's grandparents, Earl and Sharon Wheatly. I don't know if Russell came or not. Sharon only told me that Rebekah was coming.

S.J. and Gail Johnson, Dorothy Brinson and I attended the Installation of Officers at the Clarendon Easter Star Chapter Thursday, June 23. Gail sang a song which she wrote especially for the occasion.

Weldon's brother Jack recently attended the class reunion of Weldon's and Jack's school in Vernon. They took their mother, Mrs. Petty to visit her daughter in Iowa Park.

Woodroe and OraPearl Farris was in Wellington Monday on business. OraPearl told me they got into some heavy rain as they came home. The wind blew hard at our house during one of the thunderstorms Monday afternoon. The roof on our barn was almost blown away and some trees lost their limbs. All the stock tanks caught water though, so we can stop hauling water for awhile.

This will be the last paper before the Fourth of July. I hope everyone has a safe and happy holiday. We tend to forget how lucky we are to be living where we can celebrate in any way we want. There's nobody anywhere who is prouder to be American than I am. I can't sing any of the patriotic songs without getting a lump in my throat nor see the flag of our country pass without shedding tears. As we celebrate may each of us remember all those who have worked and fought to keep this the greatest country on earth.

Happy Fourth of July!!!!

The Clothes Closet will be open Saturday July 2nd

The Clothes Closet at the First Baptist Church in Hedley will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, July 2.

This is for the entire community and everyone is welcome to exchange clothes or if you need clothes please feel free to come by and get what you need.

If you know of anyone who needs clothes please let them know. Betty Hoggatt or one of the ladies at the church will be there to help you this Saturday.

Doorposts

Deuteronomy 6:7-9

COMMITMENT
By MACK GARRISON

The auditorium was packed to capacity. Family and friends alike had come to see the joining of a man and woman in Holy matrimony, the most sacred of unions.

A musky husk masked the crowd as the wedding march began to play. The groom fidgeted in his stance as he nervously turned to see his future wife slowly making her way down the seemingly-infinite aisle. Golden



The onion was worshipped in ancient Egypt and regarded by the Romans as a God who guarded the kitchen and guided the healing of battle wounds and skin diseases.

roses preceded her steps, and a long, lacy white train of silk and fine linen succeeded them. Her gown was studded in pearls and never-ending furrows of lace. A soft white veil covered her face. She was perfect in every way. Love shone from both sets of eyes as they met. A day that would last a lifetime of memories. A day to begin all days.

She made her way slowly into the court. His eyes caught hers as she took her seat. She wore a plain blue dress that seemed to choke her at every joint. Her face was pale and lifeless. Her smile was gone, no radiant halo hung over her. She sighed heavily as she clutched a manila folder of legal documents.

He cleared his throat hard and shuffled his feet. He adjusted his collar and straightened his tie. He tried very hard not to look emotional. The years had taken their toll. His face had a chiseled look. Deep wrinkles replaced dark tanned skin. His eyes were tired and reddened. He laid his briefcase across his lap and gripped it tightly, hands shaking.

Papers were signed and documents changed hands and then it was final. Fifteen years and two children later, it was all over. Divorce.

A tragic scene, to be sure, but all too real. Divorce is an alarming occurrence that's repeated again and again in this country today. Whatever the reason for divorce, it is always tragic.

So much of the time divorce occurs from faded emotion, broken promises, and a disenchantment with one's mate. At times it occurs because of tragedy or even violence. But even at a time of pain of divorce, divorce of a friend, parent, loved ones, or even one's own, we know that comfort can be found in God.

We humans tend too much of the time to confuse emotion with true

love. Emotion is a passing thing, but true love brings forth commitment. The picture of marriage as found in God's Word, the Bible, is a beautiful illustration of our relationship to Jesus Christ.

How many times have you seen someone make a decision for Jesus and even take a stand alongside Him only to fade away when the emotion is gone. Walking with Jesus requires commitment.

It is sure that we will all break a vow, to God and to each other, but one thing is sure: God will never break His promises to us. His promises are true.

Jesus said in John 15:13, "Greater love hath no man than this that a man lay down his life for his friends." This is the commitment that God has toward us. In John 10:29-30, Jesus says these words: "My Father which gave them me a greater than all and no man is able to pluck them out of my Father's hand. I and my Father are one."

May our walk with Jesus show commitment. Like a faithful Marriage. Jesus and His bride. He died for us. He rose for us. And He's coming again for us.

Commitment. It's a hard act to follow!

Pointers On Pets

Food For Thought

Here are a few dog tales that could prove interesting to the estimated 39 percent of American households with dogs.



There are about 42 million dogs in America.

- The longest-lived dog was a black Labrador named "Adjutant" who lived for more than 27 years.

- To keep Fido's coat clean and silky, a variety of combs are available, including one battery-operated model.

- The smallest breed is the Chihuahua which, full-grown, can weigh as little as one pound.

- As any dog owner knows, it doesn't make any difference how nutritious a product is if Fido turns "paws down".

- But now it's possible to give your dog a good tasting, good looking food that's high in quality and nutrition as well as being extremely palatable. The first tender, beefy strips in a rich, savory sauce, it's called Grand Gourmet® Dinner for Dogs and is made by the Friskies PetCare Division of Carnation Company.

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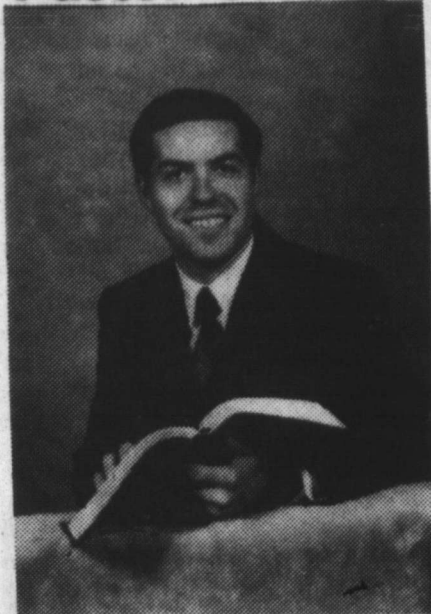
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From the Desk of Pastor Colburn



by Lee Greenwood

If tomorrow all the things were gone I'd worked for all my life, And I had to start again with just my children and my wife. I'd thank my lucky stars to be livin' here today, 'Cause the flag still stands for freedom and they can't take that away.

And I'm proud to be an American where at least I know I'm free. And I won't forget the men who died, who gave that right to me. And I'd gladly stand up next to you and defend her still today. 'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land God bless the USA.

From the lakes of Minnesota, to the hills of Tennessee, Across the plains of Texas, from sea to shining sea, From Detroit down to Houston and New York to LA Well, there's pride in ev'ry American heart, and it's time to stand and say

That I'm proud to be an American where at least I know I'm free, and I won't forget the men who died, who gave that right to me. And I'd gladly stand up next to you, and defend her still today. 'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land God bless the USA.

GTE News

Jimmy Shields, Operations Manager for GTE Southwest Incorporated in Kilgore, Texas, has been promoted to the post of Western Division General Manager, effective May 29, according to an announcement by Harry Elam, Vice-President of Field Operations.

Shields will have the Managers of Hobbs, Carlsbad, Brownfield and the Memphis Operations Centers reporting directly to him. The Western Division of GTE Southwest encompasses 64 cities in the Panhandle of Texas and the Southeastern tip of New Mexico. Shields will be headquartered in Hobbs, New Mexico.

A native of Nocona, Texas, Shields is a 1976 graduate of Stephen F. Austin University with a degree in Business Management.

Shields began his career with GTE Southwest Incorporated as a Communications Specialist in Bryan, Texas. He has held various management positions including Phone Mart Manager in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, General Services Supervisor in Customer Service in San Angelo, Texas, Service Project Coordinator in San Angelo, Texas, Operations Manager in Carlsbad, New Mexico, and prior to this appointment he was Operations Manager in Kilgore, Texas. The Kilgore Operations services over 48,000 customer lines and provides service to 18 cities.

Shields, his wife Mary and their two children, Matthew and Amy, plan to reside in Hobb, New Mexico.

Shields, an active community and civic leader, has held various leadership positions including member of the Kilgore Rotary, Director with the Carlsbad Rotary, and Director of Rotary International Services in Carlsbad, New Mexico.

He has held the position of Chamber Director in Carlsbad, New Mexico and Kilgore. During his term as Director in the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce, he was Membership Chairperson. Shields has worked closely with Industrial Development in both cities. In Carlsbad, Shields was Secretary Treasurer of Carlsbad's Department of Economic Development and was a Board Member of the Carlsbad Mainstreet Project. In Kilgore, Shields was a Director of the Kilgore Industrial Foundation, the Rusk Industrial Foundation and a member of the Texas Association of Business.

Active in United Way, Shields was a member of the Board, Campaign

Chairman, and Vice-President of the United Way of South Eddy County while stationed in Carlsbad. In Kilgore, Texas, he was on the Executive Committee and was Vice-Chairman of the Business Division. He also held a Board position with the Rusk County Emergency Com-

munication District. He was a member of the Rocky Mountain, and New Mexico, Arizona and Colorado Telephone Associations.

His hobbies include golf, water sports, and snow skiing and is an active member of the Catholic Church.

Obituaries

MRS. MARANDA BLANCHE GRAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Maranda Blanche Gray, age 94, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 26, 1988 in Robertson Chapel of Memories with Rev. Terry Tamplen, Pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon, officiating. Graveside services and interment were at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, June 27, 1988 in Terrance Cemetery in Post, Texas with Rev. Bill Hodges, Pastor of the Church of the Nazarene in Clarendon, officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Gray died at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 25, 1988 in Medical Center Nursing Home in Clarendon following a lengthy illness. She was born June 2, 1894 in Craborchard, Illinois. She had lived in Clarendon since 1954 moving here from Roaring Springs. She was a homemaker and a member of the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon and the Missionary Society.

Survivors include one daughter; Kathleen O. Yankee of Clarendon; one sister, Edith Higginbotham of Mabank; two brothers, Homer Bones of Clarendon, Leigh K. Bones of Portland, Oregon; one step daughter, Cleo Farr of Amarillo; two grandchildren; four great grandchildren; and five step grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a son, David Oden in World War II in 1944.

MRS. FRANCIS WILSON SMITH

Funeral services for Mrs. Francis Wilson Smith, age 87, were held

at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 29, 1988 in Robertson Chapel of Memories with Rev. Virgil Kidwell, Baptist Minister from Borger, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Smith died at 7:30 a.m. on Monday, June 27, 1988 in Dumas Nursing Center following a lengthy illness. She was born June 13, 1901 in Murphy, Texas and was married to William Paul Smith in September 1922 in Donley County. He died in 1954. She moved from Murphy to Donley County and lived here for 68 years before moving to Dumas in 1979. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church in Clarendon.

Survivors include two daughters, Barbara Nelson of Wichita, Kansas, Janie Tyra of Dumas; three sons, Bob Harold Smith of Fritch, Mike Smith of Clarendon, Jimmie Paul Smith of Amarillo; twelve grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; and one great great grandchild. She was preceded in death by one son, Joe Earl Smith in 1986.

Casket bearers were Gerald Noble, Odell LaGrone, Colvern Davis, Wendell Davis, Norris Spurgeon, and Clyde Putman.

The family requests that memorials be to Make A Wish Foundation in Amarillo.



NOTICE

Kelly Medical Office will close on June 30, 1988. Patient records are on file at Dr. Ronald Berry's Office in Memphis, 259-3516, effective June 28, 1988. Other physicians in the area include: Dr. Dora Crandall Stubbs, Turkey, Texas 423-1294; Dr. P. Kumar, Wellington, TX 447-2849; Dr. C. Holcomb, Wellington, TX 447-2541; Dr. Robert Clark, III, Memphis, TX 259-3021; Dr. Robert E. Clark, Memphis, TX 259-3021. Please select a physician as soon as possible because you really don't know when you might need one.

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Firebelles

Three members of the Clarendon Firebelles attended the annual convention of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshalls' Association of Texas (SFFMA) and Texas Firemen's Auxiliary (TFA). Annette Osburn, Wanda Smith, and Tammy Taylor attended the convention in Beaumont, Texas, June 11-14. Transportation was furnished Chamberlain Motor Company who loaned the Firebelles at 1988 Pontiac Bonneville SE to drive. Lodging and registration costs were provided by the Firebelles Auxiliary.

SFFMA meetings attended by the group included the Memorial Service honoring all deceased firemen of the 1988 fiscal year, BBQ & dance, second business session at which a U.S. Congressman was the key note speaker, and the East Texas Night on the River hosted by the Beaumont Fire Dept. who served Cajun foods. One afternoon was spent watching the SFFMA Parade in which there were over 36 fire trucks from Beaumont and the surrounding area ranging from the 19 century to ultra-modern equipment.

TFA meetings attended included the annual luncheon, workshops on color analysis, crafts and "rap session" with the state officers, and the business session. At the business session, a change was made to the by-law to include membership to daughters of deceased and retired firemen, elections of officers were held, delegate reports were given, and a memorial service for deceased auxiliary members was presented. Annette was our voting delegate for this meeting.

Because of conflict in meeting times, the Firebelles were unable to attend the remainder of the SFFMA meetings. The key-note speakers for the missed meetings were representatives from the Midland Fire Dept. who was to speak on the rescue of the child from the well and from the Round Rock Fire Dept. who was to speak about the hazardous materials train derailment earlier this year.

The five posters from Clarendon that won in District Competition were on display, however, none of them on the state level this year.

Sight-seeing adventures for the Firebelles included a scenic route from Tyler to Nacogdoches, an Indian mound and the Stephen F. Austin University at Nacogdoches. Beaumonts historical district (the convention was held at the Julie Moore Auditorium which is a historical building), the SFFMA Fire Museum, the Beaumont Fair Grounds, the Neches River (including the park, Coast Guard Fire Boat and Gulf Coast Fire Boat which pumps 8500 gallons of water per minute), and lots of beautiful country between Clarendon and Beaumont.

While staying in Beaumont, the group was housed at the Holiday Inn Plaza which has a three-story waterfall in the atrium. Their room was on the top floor and overlooked the atrium.

Texas Firemen Auxiliary meeting

At the Texas Firemen's Auxiliary annual business meeting held on June 14, 1988, in Beaumont, Tammy

Taylor was elected as Parliamentarian of the TFA for a two-year term.

Ms. Taylor was nominated by Annette Osburn, delegate for the Clarendon Firebelles, and was the only candidate.

Ms. Taylor's duties as Parliamentarian will include supervising elections, timing of delegate reports, and advising the TFA regarding proper parliamentary procedure. She will be required to attend four Executive Board Meetings throughout each year and as many District Auxiliary meetings as possible.

She is the only member of the TFA Executive Board from the Texas Panhandle.

Associated Ambulance Authority

Memorials to the Ambulance Equipment Fund for the month of June.

6-17-88 Hall County Hospital and Home Health Care Employees in memory of Theda Hardin.

6-22-88 Medical Center Nursing Home Employees and Staff in memory of Hollis Banister.

6-24-88 Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Norton in memory of Hollis Banister.

6-28-88 Mrs. Thelma Behrens in memory of Hollis Banister.

The Associated Ambulance and all EMS personnel would like to thank all of you for your support. Thank you for the donations which have just recently went toward purchasing new radios for all EMS personnel.

Also, we have restocked our Ambulances with supplies and some much needed equipment. We recently had both ambulances checked by state inspectors and both ambulances were well stocked and up to date on supplies and equipment. Both Ambulances met state requirements. Without our community support we couldn't have made it. Thank you.

What Would Jesus Do?

When a minister in a mid-western city tries to live life as Jesus would live it if He were on earth today, the forces of evil stand in his way. The churchman must fight crime, drugs, greed and dishonesty in high places. With a few loyal followers, he puts his faith in prayer. But his good friends become endangered. Even his wife turns against him.

The inspiring story of a minister's struggle is told in a new novel, "The Day Jesus Came To Our Town," by Richard Fehr. The book probes the reasons for the minister's stand. Is he courageous? Why is the man in the street so violently opposed? Today's conditions are examined. How far have we gone down the road of moral decay? How can we fight selfishness, lying, vandalism? Is it too late? The book has been praised by churchmen all over the country. Bishop William R. Cannon calls it, "A story of beauty and inspiration." From James T. Draper, Jr., past president, Southern Baptist Convention, "I recommend this novel to you." It's in most book stores now.

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JOHN SARICH

Eastern Star Installation of officers held June 23rd

By POLLY SARICH

Clarendon Chapter #6 Order of the Eastern Star Open Installation of Officers was held Thursday, June 23rd, 1988 at the Masonic Lodge

Rachel Butler entertained everyone with a piano prelude to set the festive mood of the installation.

A presentation of a wooden cross and an arrangement of roses was placed in front of the podium by Jeffrey and Suzette Henson, followed by an Emblem Presentation by the star Points.

The Lord's Prayer was given in unison, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and the National Anthem.

Installing Officer Tena Powell introduced the Installing Marshal, Polly Sarich, Ass't. Installing Officer Derelle Stark, Inst. Chaplain, Opal Ramsey, Inst. Sec. Wanda Jeffrey and Inst. Organist, Tammy Taylor. Judge Christal gave the Obligation.

Officers Installed by Polly Sarich were: Worthy Matron, Frankie Henson; Worthy Patron, Redell Henson; Associate Matron, Ruth Hancock; Associate Patron, John Sarich; Sec. Leila Whitehead; Treas. Polly Sarich; Conductress, Carol Grady; Asso. Conductress, Margaret Pettit; Chaplain, Lawrence Whitehead; Organist, Rachael Butler; Ruth, Nita Foust; Esther, Mary Neal Risley; Martha, Ethelyn Grady; Electa, Emma Shannon; Sentinel, Billy Powell.

A Social Hour and reception was enjoyed in the dining room. The tables were decorated with streamers and candles and a very festive time was enjoyed by all. It was a fun meeting. Our wish for everyone this year is:

May roses bloom in splendor
For you along the way,
May all the days be without care
May life for you be fair, and,
May God enfold you with His love.

BACK TO BASICS COOKING

Capture the "flavor" of sun-drenched beaches and azure seas with "Lite Polynesian Turkey." To create the fresh, light taste so characteristic of the tropics, marinate the turkey overnight in a spritely combination of Kikkoman Lite Soy Sauce, zesty lime, hot pepper and garlic. And, we've "lightened" the sodium by using lite soy sauce. It has all the flavor enhancing qualities of all-purpose brewed soy sauce, but with 40% less salt. For added South Seas flavor, serve with tropical fruits and rice topped with toasted coconut.

LITE POLYNESIAN TURKEY

- 1/2 turkey breast, (about 4 lbs.), boned
- 2 tablespoons Kikkoman Lite Soy Sauce
- 1/4 teaspoon grated lime peel
- 2 tablespoons lime juice
- 1 tablespoon vegetable oil
- 1 teaspoon Tabasco pepper sauce
- 1 clove garlic, pressed

Remove and discard the excess fat and tendon from the turkey breast fillet. Place turkey in large plastic bag, spreading meat to flatten. Combine lite soy sauce, lime peel and juice, oil, pepper sauce and garlic; pour over turkey. Press air out of bag and tie top securely. Refrigerate 8 hours or overnight; turn bag over occasionally. Reserving marinade, remove turkey and roll lengthwise, jelly-roll fashion. Tie roll with string; place skin side up, in shallow baking pan. Bake in 325°F. oven 1 hour 45 minutes, or until meat thermometer inserted into thickest part registers 170°, brushing twice with reserved marinade. Remove turkey to serving platter; keep warm. Add enough water to remaining marinade to measure 1/2 cup. Pour into baking pan and combine with pan drippings. Bring to boil; boil 1 minute. Remove strings from turkey and cut roll into 1-inch thick slices; serve with hot pan gravy. Makes 3 to 4 servings.

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Ashtola-Martin news

By Naomi Green

Edith Spivey flew to Dallas and went with David and Della Spivey to Lebanon, Missouri for the 50th wedding anniversary of her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stafford.

Sunday Becky Lane and Edith Spivey took David to Amarillo to catch a plane to go to camp near Austin.

Claudette Spivey of Falls has come to spend the week with her grandparents the Claude Spiveys and visit also with the Lane family.

Larry Gray came last Monday and had lunch with Ismanell and Vance Gray. He took Ismanell to Floydada where she got with Charline Brown and her sister Joyce Jackson from Lubbock. The three of them went to Bowie to visit two aunts Jewel and Loram Moore. Vance went to Floydada and brought Ismanell home Thursday.

Margaret Nelson who has a home in Torrance, Calif. and also in Amarillo came to spend several days with her sister Pearl Hermesmeier last week.

Beth Watts and "Hoss" and Charlotte Payne of Amarillo came Sunday afternoon to visit Horace and Naomi Green.

Billy Jack and Frankie Green of Umbarger and Clint and Kyle Hester of Amarillo visited with the Horice Greens enroute to Altus, Oklahoma and the lake there.

Aline Partain's sister Dorothy Thorton of Grants, N.M. spent Saturday night with the Partain's. She was enroute home from a week's visit with her mother, Minni Taylor in Oklahoma.

Rudy, Rhonda, Ricky and Roddy Partain of Panhandle spent last Monday with the Robert Partains.

Robert and Alene Partain were in Amarillo this Monday and visited Roberta Threadway, Jamie, Kenie and Roberts sister and her husband Betty and Bernie Smith.

Wayne Reynolds came in for the weekend and visited with Steve and dortha and Flossie Reynolds.

Skeet and Eileen Brown met Kay and Harold Green of Stinnett in Groom Sunday and they had lunch together.

We have had two inches and seventy one hundredths. H. A. says that even the Kill-dees are bogging

down in the fields. We had a hard shower and some wind about noon Sunday and it washed the Knee High sweet corn over but did not really do much damage to other crops. They had three inches in Foard County with all of it soaking in - no run off to try out the new terraces.

Rose Lee Watson visited her father, C. I. Casteel at The family Hospital in Amarillo Monday. Mr. Casteel was hoping to be released to go back to Country Club Manor Tuesday.

Dane and Edna Perdue were in Amarillo Saturday afternoon to visit with Katherine Scott Tyler and Jarod. Steve Scott left a week ago Sunday to go to Germany for assignment with the airborne artillery.

Lions Tale

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting at noon on Tuesday at the Lions Hall. Thirty members and guests were present.

Following the regular opening ceremony Lion Henson introduced a number of regular guests and also Jeff Askam from Lewisville, Texas who is a salesman for Slatoflex Corp. Boss Lion Shelton called on Program Chairman Smith who introduced Sgt. Mike Thompson of the Texas Department of Public Safety District Office in Clarendon. Sgt. Thompson's district is composed of six counties which are served by eleven troopers. Sgt. Thompson told us a little about his job.

Boss Lion Shelton then presented a slate of officers and directors which were recommended for our new Lions year by the Board of Directors. They were elected unanimously. Larry Hicks is the new president; Todd Knorpp 1st Vice-Pres.; Wilbert Bernabe 2nd Vice-Pres.; Randy Walker 3rd Vice-Pres.; Jim Sharrar Sec./Treas.; A.R. Henson Lion-tamer; Darrell Leffew Tailtwister; Donald Smith Program Chairman; Gene Alderson Reporter; Jessie Adams Sweetheart; 2 yr. directors-JEM Simmons and Buddy James; 1 yr. directors-W.W. Lovelady and Jim Shelton.

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At first, as many as 20 to 25 pieces of 2 mg gum may be chewed in a 24 hour period. The gum should be chewed for about 10 to 20 minutes, in order to allow the nicotine to be released from its slow-release base. Placing the gum between the teeth and the upper cheek after it has been chewed is an excellent way to insure the absorption of additional nicotine into the bloodstream.

While many nicotine gum therapy programs run for about 3 months, heavy smokers sometimes require 6 months or more of treatment. Nicotine gum, when used alone or in conjunction with other programs (e.g., psychological treatment), has been found to produce good results in those who want to quit smoking.

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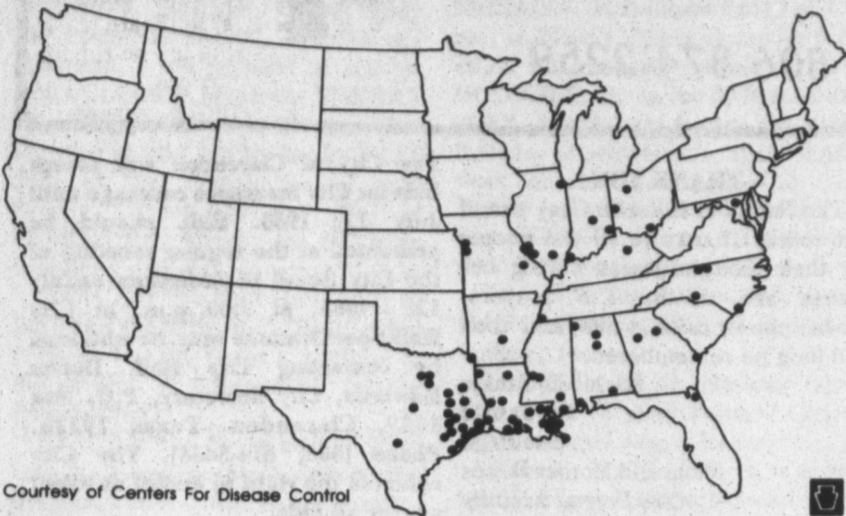
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Mosquitoes... they're one of the constants of summer. Unfortunately, they can be more than just an annoyance, they can carry disease. For Americans, the risk of contracting a disease from an infected mosquito is increasing, due to a new insect invader — the Asian tiger mosquito.

"The Asian tiger mosquito is dangerous because it can transmit a variety of diseases to humans," says Dr. Roger Grothaus, medical entomologist who heads up the OFF! Biting Insect Research Team in Racine, Wis. "This new mosquito makes protecting yourself from insect bites more important than ever this summer."

So named for the black and white stripes on its body, the mosquito apparently slipped through customs in a shipment of used imported tires in 1985. Since then it has established itself in 17 states in the South and Midwest.

According to Grothaus, the insect has the potential to spread throughout the United States several of Asia's worst diseases, including Dengue fever and La Crosse encephalitis.

Dengue fever causes severe joint problems and even arthritis. La Crosse encephalitis attacks children under 16 and can cause retardation and occasionally death.

To make matters worse, the Asian tiger mosquito is an aggressive biter and seeks meals throughout the day, rather than just at dawn and dusk as other mosquitoes do.

"A measure of precaution against mosquito bites is always a good idea," says Grothaus. He offers the



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STATEMENT OF INTENT TO CHANGE RATES

GTE Southwest Incorporated, in accordance with the Rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of rates in Texas, effective July 6, 1988. This proceeding has been previously docketed by the Commission as Docket No. 5610.

The proposed changes in rates will affect approximately 970,500 of the Company's Texas customers who represent all classes of customers subscribing to the Company's local exchange and foreign exchange services within the State of Texas, as well as all entities subscribing to the Company's billing and collection services within the state. The proposed changes in rates are designed to increase the Company's intrastate revenues by \$81,407,000, or approximately 11.8 percent annually.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223, (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

A complete set of revised rate schedules has been filed with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and is available for public inspection in each of the Company's Business Offices in the State of Texas. A summary of the Company's rate filing has also been sent to the Mayor's office of each affected Municipality.

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FRYING IS NOT THE ANSWER

More than 500,000 cases of skin cancer are diagnosed each year, making it the most common form of cancer, reports the American Cancer Society. Studies show that severe sunburns in early years of life may be a major cause of later development of the most serious type of skin cancer, melanoma. Avoid the sun between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., when the ultraviolet rays are strongest, and apply a sun-screen product with a high protective factor—at least #15—when in the sun.

FALSE ADVERTISING

The use of smokeless tobacco, including snuff and chewing tobacco, is increasing at an alarming rate in this nation, especially among teens. Tobacco advertising continually promotes products with images of independence, glamour, success and maturity. The fact is, cancer and other oral conditions related to the use of smokeless tobacco, are dangerous, ugly, and can be seriously disfiguring.

- following tips to outdoor lovers:
- Wear light-colored clothing. Generally, it attracts mosquitoes less than dark clothing.
 - Leave as little exposed skin as possible.
 - Avoid wearing perfume and other scents, which may attract mosquitoes.
 - Use a DEET-containing insect repellent such as OFF! or Deep Woods OFF! on clothing and skin.

Susan B. Anthony, the great feminist of the 19th century, was fined \$100 in 1872 for attempting to vote in the presidential election.

Happy Birthday
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Enjoy our July 4th Celebration with all the excitement of a parade, BBQ, Country Craft Fair and Rodeo.
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PARADE TIME

It will soon be the Fourth of July and that means PARADE TIME!!!

This year the parade will be held on Monday July 4th. Line up time will be 1:00 p.m. at the City Park. The parade will begin at 2:00 p.m.

We will be celebrating our Annual Saints Roost Celebration on July 1st, 2nd, and 4th. There will be a Rodeo each night with Outdoor Dancing.

On the 4th the Old Settlers Reunion starts at 10:30 a.m. followed by the Shriner's Barbecue at 11:00 a.m. It is the Best in the West. The parade at 2:00 p.m. and the Fiddlers Contest at 3:00 p.m. There is a Country Craft Fair all day on the 4th as well as an Art Show.

All riding clubs, floats and organizations in the Tri-State Area are invited to participate in the parade and celebration activities. We hope that you will join us.

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AL MORRAH SHRINE CLUB Board of Directors meet on the 1st Tuesday of each month at the First Bank and Trust Hospitality Room 7:30 p.m. The club meets every 3rd Monday, at 7:30 p.m. in the Clarendon Masonic Lodge.
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CLARENDON LODGE #700AF/AM Stated Meeting: 2nd Monday each month 8:00 p.m.
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Sue Page
Viola and Homer Bones
Cleo Farr and family

THANK YOU
I would like to take this time to say thank you to everyone who gave me your business at the Conoco Station. Due to the bad gas I was receiving I had no choice but to close. If anyone has had any problems with the gas please contact Tarrant Oil Box 429 Athens, TX. 214-675-3616. I am not responsible. Thank you.
Darrell Thomas

THANK YOU
We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our friends for the cards, phone calls, visits, flowers, food, offers of help but most of all your prayers during Jerry's illness. We really appreciate each act of kindness and love shown to our family. We would like to give a special thanks to Bob Cole and Jess Chandler. We love you and God bless each of you.
Jerry and Kathy May
Dawn, Kami & Jason

The City of Clarendon will accept bids for City Insurance coverage until July 12, 1988. Bids should be presented at the regular meeting of the City Board of Aldermen on July 12, 1988, at 7:00 p.m. in City Hall. Specifications may be obtained by contacting City Hall, Donna Edwards, City Secretary, P.O. Box 1089, Clarendon, Texas 79226. Phone (806) 874-3438. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any/or all bids.

ORDER OF ELECTION
An election is hereby ordered to be held on August 13, 1988, for the purpose of:
Voting "For" or "Against" adopting the City Manager form of government.
Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each week day at City Hall between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. beginning on July 25, 1988, and ending on August 9, 1988.
Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Donna Edwards, P.O. Box 1089, Clarendon, Texas, 79226
Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on August 5, 1988.
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**NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DONLEY**

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 100th Judicial District Court of Donley County, on the 2 day of June by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CITY OF CLARENDON, ET AL VS. MORROW, EARL B. Cause #4339 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 1:30 O'CLOCK P.M. on the 5TH DAY OF JULY, 1988 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the EAST door of the Courthouse of said Donley County, in the City of CLARENDON Texas, the following described property, to wit:

TRACT 1: The East Half [E/2] of Lot 4 and the West Half [W/2] of Lot 5, Block 7 of the Grant's Addition to the Town of Clarendon, Donley County, Texas

TRACT 2: The South Half [S/2] of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 189 of the Original Town of Clarendon, Donley County, Texas

TRACT 3: All of Block 190 of the Original Town of Clarendon, Donley County, Texas

TRACT 4: All of that certain tract of land, situated in Donley County, Texas more fully described as follows:

BEGINNING at the Northeast corner of Block 4 of Miller's Sub-division of Block 16, McLean's Addition to the Original Town of Clarendon, Donley County, Texas

THENCE West along the North boundary line of said Block 4, a distance of 365 feet and continuing West along the North boundary line of Block 5 of North Miller's Sub-division of Block 16, McLean's Addition to the Original Town of Clarendon, an additional distance of 85 feet [being a total of 450 feet] to a point for the Northwest corner of this tract;

THENCE South parallel with the East boundary line of Block 5, a distance of 240 feet to a point for the Southwest corner of this tract;

THENCE East parallel with the North boundary line of said Block 5 and parallel with the North boundary line of said Block 4, a distance of 450 feet to the point in the East boundary line of said Block 4 for the Southeast corner of this tract;

THENCE North along the East boundary line of said Block 4, a distance of 240 feet to the place of BEGINNING

Levied on the 2 day of June as the property of EARL & SHARYN MORROW BY VIRTUE OF FOUR WARRANTY DEEDS IN VOL. 1398, PG306 VOL. 171, PG. 218, VOL. 164, PG. 497, VOL. 169, PG. 143, to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$2,060.40 with interest from the 7TH DAY OF MARCH, 1988 at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CITY OF CLARENDON, DONLEY COUNTY, CLARENDON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, DONLEY COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, CLARENDON JUNIOR COLLEGE DISTRICT.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 2 day of June.

William J. Thompson
Sheriff Donley County, Texas 24-33c

**NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DONLEY**

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 100th Judicial District Court of Donley County, on the 2 day of June by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CITY OF CLARENDON, ET AL VS. MORROW, JOE Cause #4442 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 1:30 O'CLOCK P.M. on the 5TH DAY OF JULY, 1988 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the EAST door of the Courthouse of said Donley County, in the City of CLARENDON Texas, the following described property, to wit:

TRACT 1: All of Block 539, of the Original Town of Clarendon, Donley County, Texas.

TRACT 2: All of fractional Block 540, of the Original Town of Clarendon, Donley County, Texas.

TRACT 3: The North one-half [N/2] of Lots 1 through 3 and All of Lots 4 through 6, Block 189, of the Original Town of Clarendon, Donley County, Texas.

Levied on the 2 day of June as the property of JOE MORROW to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$559.24 with interest from the 7TH DAY OF MARCH, 1988 at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CITY OF CLARENDON, CLARENDON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, DONLEY COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, CLARENDON JUNIOR COLLEGE DISTRICT.

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William J. Thompson
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**NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DONLEY**

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 100th Judicial District Court of Donley County, on the 2 day of June by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CITY OF CLARENDON, ET AL VS. FORD, W.M. [BUDDY] Cause #4403 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 1:30 O'CLOCK P.M. on the 5TH DAY OF JULY, 1988 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the EAST door of the Courthouse of said Donley County, in the City of CLARENDON Texas, the following described property, to wit:

TRACT 1: Lot 172, Peyton Place, Sherwood Shores IX, Donley County, Texas.

Levied on the 2 day of June as the property of W.M. & MARY FORD BY VIRTUE OF FOUR WARRANTY DEEDS IN VOL. 142, PG. 61, Vol. 130, PG. 346, Vol. 121, PG. 373, VOL. 129, PG. 65 to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$259.77 with interest from the 7TH DAY OF MARCH, 1988 at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of DONLEY COUNTY, CLARENDON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, DONLEY COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, CLARENDON JUNIOR COLLEGE DISTRICT.

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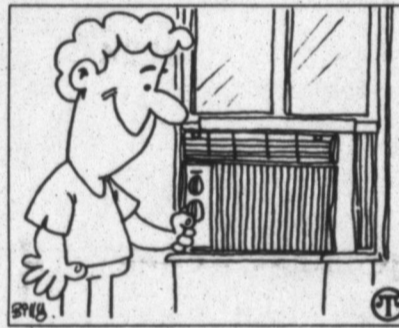
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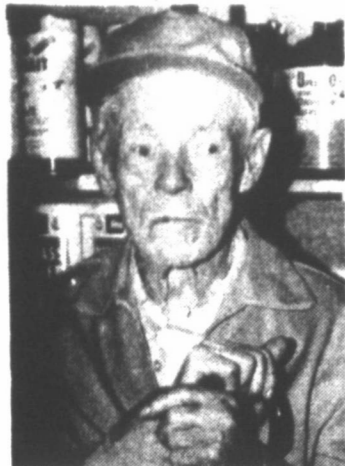
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The first boy child born in new Clarendon was named Clarendon M. Hilderbrand. He was born July 21, 1887, at the present site of Clarendon, and was named for the city by his parents. His father owned a traveling restaurant which followed the gangs of railroad workers as they laid track across the Panhandle. Mr. Hilderbrand died at 89, and was buried at Citizens Cemetery.

Mrs. O.C. Watson was the first girl baby born in new Clarendon. She was born August 1, 1888, as Leslie Antrobus. Her family were active in

the hotel and hardware business in Clarendon. Her husband, O.C. Watson came to Clarendon in 1911. Mrs. Watson loved to paint, and her oil painting of "Rebecca at the Well", she said was her crowning achievement of her art career.

Most folks in Clarendon are proud of the library. And justly so. But summer is a good time to exercise that pride by actively using the library.

In the last several weeks, the UPS delivered several boxes of new books to the library. Browse through these and you are almost guaranteed at least one happy discovery.

One new book that will appeal to nature lovers in particular--and aficionados of Texas literature in general -- is Fredrick R. Gehlbach's *Mountain Islands and Desert Seas* (College Station: Texas A&M University Press, 1981). (Explanation of the title later.)

End notes on the book indicate that old Doc Gehlbach has been studying the border-region of our southwest for nigh on thirty years. In that time, he has pretty well fallen in love with the region, and his affection is contagious -- especially if one ever

enjoyed a summer-afternoon shower in the Davis Mountains or a crystal clear night in the sandhills. And a great many residents of Donley County share enough experiences in (and love for) *The Great Outdoors* to enjoy the book.

Now old cogens that have studied something or another for considerable while, tend to get a bit opinionated about their subject, whether they are professors, ex-professors or just plain writers. Now, hopefully we do so in a pleasant way -- and knowledgeably. Gehlbach manages both. While there are quite a few good biologists and while writers are a dime a dozen, biologists that can write are *rara avis* --rare as evolutionists at fundamentalist schools. Gehlbach appears to be both an effective communicator and a competent scientist.

The book's title is derived from the fact that the pleasant forests that

grow at higher altitudes on Southwestern mountains are separated by desert lowlands, much like island environments are isolated by intervening seas. Perhaps the transition from low, creosote-bush flats to peaks of Ponderosa pines is one of the most delightful phenomena in our quadrant of the nation. As one looks closer at successive habitats at increasing altitudes (and increasing precipitation levels) patterns emerge that seem similar for each mountain range. Yet each is unique. Even the desert floors are neither sterile nor uniform.

The hardest chapter to write--in any book--is the first one. If there is a weakness in *Mountain Islands and Desert Seas*, it is the first chapter. Endure it if you can; skip it if you must.

Gehlbach's book is worth reading. It will probably become a classic. But it is enjoyable anyway. Call number

in the Clarendon Library is T/508.78/GEH, but the book will be on the new books shelf for some time -- when it's not checked out.

Book Sale

The annual Used Book Sale and Silent Auction sponsored by the Friends of the Library was very successful. We are very grateful to all those who donated books and silent auction items. The money that was raised will be used to improve the library and to help with various programs.

Due to the number of books which were donated, there are still many books left at the library for sale. We will continue to sell these books during regular library hours. This will allow the public more time to look through the titles and make selections please feel free to come by the library for a book bargain!

Craft Hour At Library

A special Craft hour for children who are ages 8 and older will be held each Thursday in July beginning July 7 at the Burton Memorial Library. Craft hour will last from 1 to 2 p.m. T-shirt painting, mosaic bean art, and wood-bit magnets are the projects children will be completing. A schedule of activities and a list of supplies children will need are available at the Library. Children must pre-register for these activities at the library and pick up a supply lists.

TDPS Estimates 36 persons will die In Traffic Mishaps

The Texas Department of Public Safety has estimated that 36 persons will die as the result of traffic mishaps in the state during the 78-hour Fourth of July weekend.

"There is a greater potential for accidents during the summer months because of the increases in the number of vehicles and miles driven on Texas roadways," DPS Director Leo Gossett said. "We appreciate the recognition of this potential by the careful Texas drivers who observe the laws. Our troopers and local officers hopefully will be getting the attention of careless motorists through enforcement of these statutes."

The DPS counting program for traffic fatalities begins at 6 p.m. on Friday, July 1 and ends at midnight on Monday, July 4th.

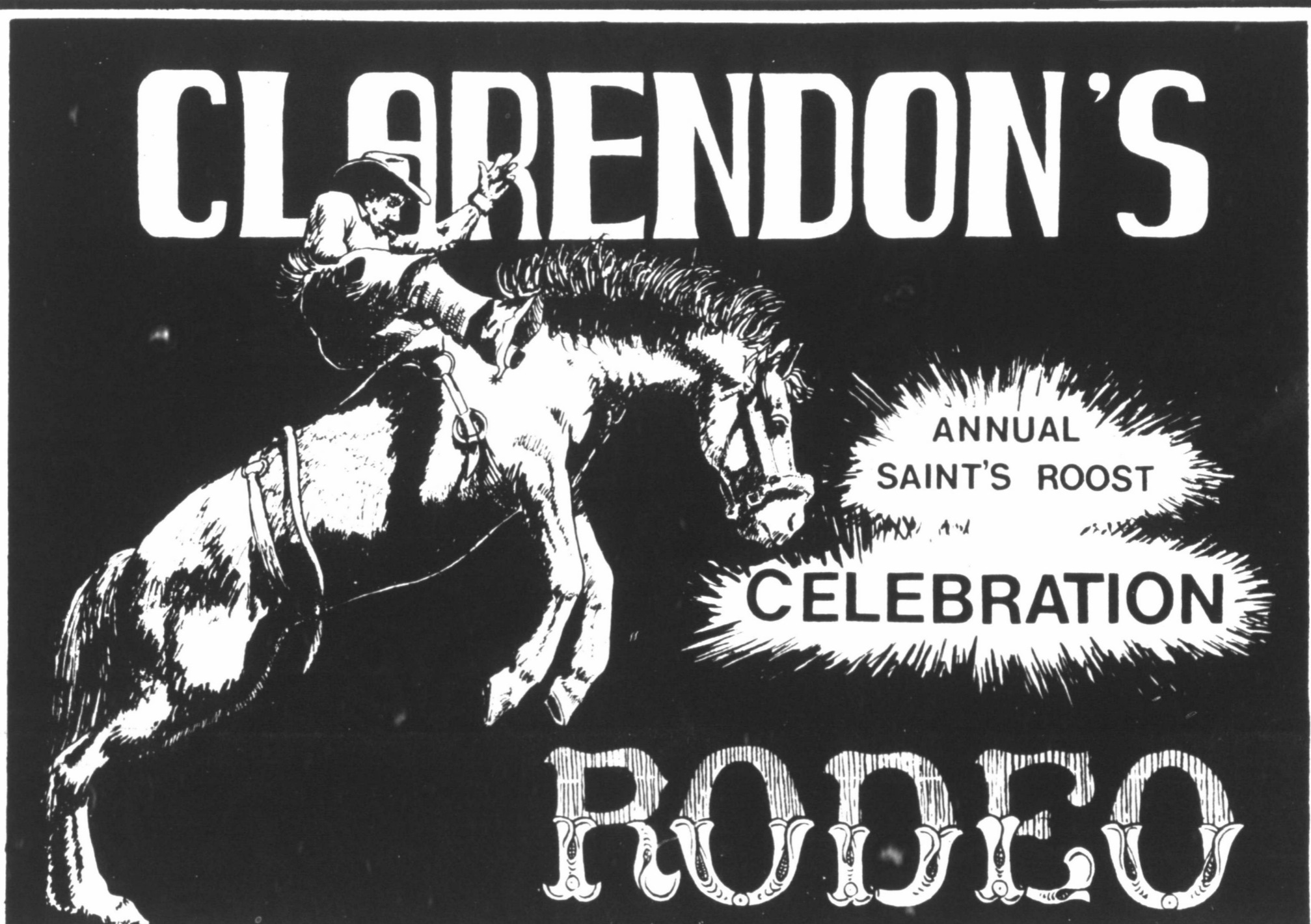
During the 1987 July 4th period, also 78 hours in length, 37 traffic deaths occurred. Three additional fatalities were reported later from critical injuries suffered during the holiday program. A total of 58 percent of the fatalities occurred in accidents where speed for driving while intoxicated was listed as a contributing factor.

"Our agency is cooperating with Texas Coalition for Safety Belts program, supporting the goal of a 'deathless day' during the 101 Driving Days of Summer," Colonel Gossett pointed out. "The last deathless day on Texas roadways occurred January 5, 1977."

Along with the usual duties, the DPS will be working in Operation CARE (Combined Accident Reduction Effort) with the Louisiana State Police, Arkansas State Police, Oklahoma Highway Patrol and the New Mexico State Police to reduce drunk-driving and speeding along interstate highways during the July 4th period.

"Available troopers in Texas and these four states will be increasing their cooperation to reduce fatal accidents as part of the Operation CARE program," according to DPS Lt. Charles Dorbandt of DPS Austin Headquarters, who also serves as the CARE regional president with Texas and the four neighboring states.

"The CARE program is designed to increase the smoothness and safety of the traffic flows on the interstate highways in U.S.," Lt. Dorbandt said. "We'll be working with the state troopers in the four contiguous states to minimize dangerous driving practices on these roadways through enforcement. However, we will also provide assistance to the motoring public."



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OLD SETTLERS REUNION 10:30 to 12:00 a.m.
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FIDDLERS CONTEST - 3:00 p.m. (Cash Purse)
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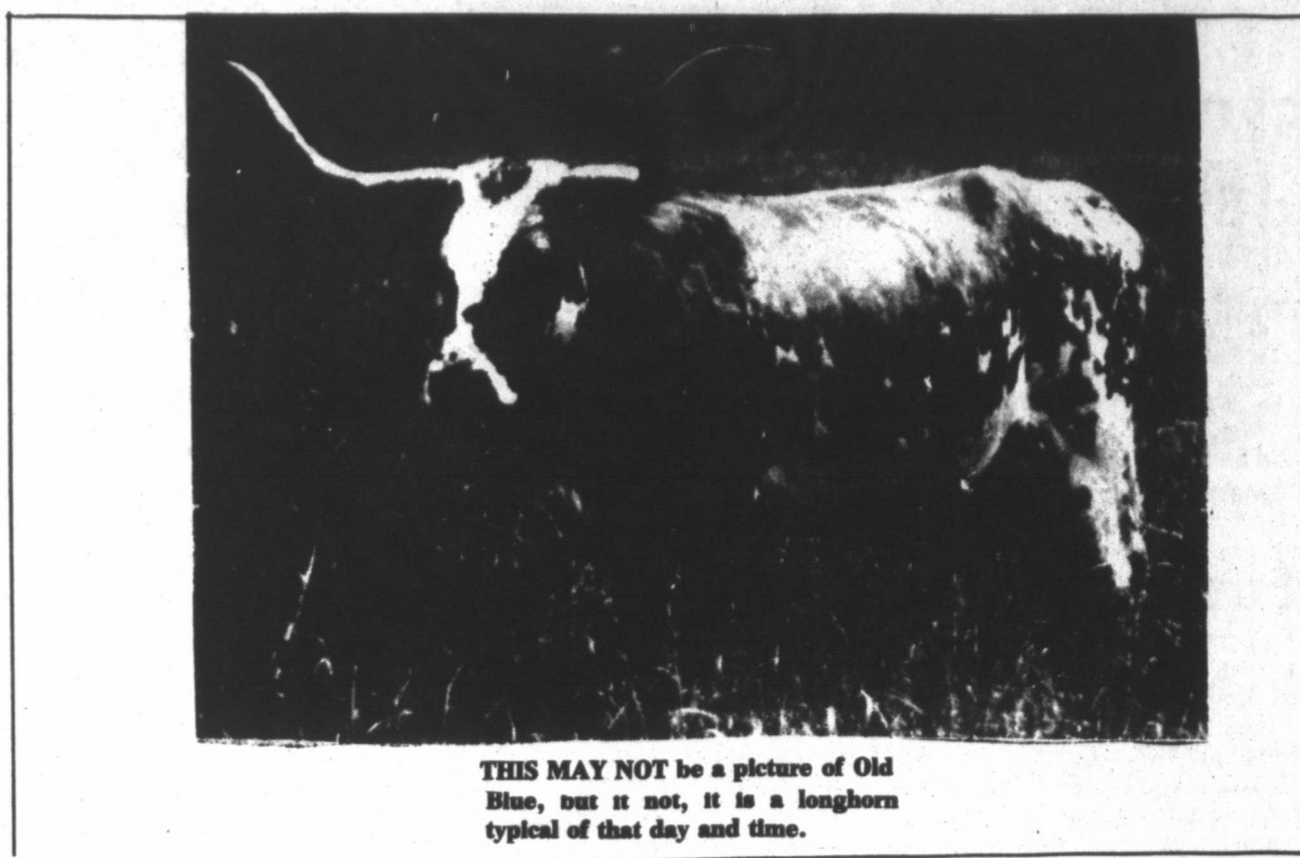
VA to provide valor inscriptions on new grave markers

Dr. Stephen L. Lemons, Director of the VA Regional Office, Waco, stated "The Veterans Administration will now provide inscriptions for certain military awards on future government-furnished headstones and markers." The new policy, effective May 1, adds four valor awards and the Purple Heart to inscription information provided at no charge.

These awards are in addition to the words Medal of Honor and a facsimile of the medal which have been inscribed to denote the nation's highest military honor for many years. "This is a significant change to the headstone inscription policy and is very deserving," said Lemons.

The additional valor awards that will be inscribed at government expense are: Distinguished Service Cross, Navy Cross, Air Force Cross and Silver Star. Valor awards, or decorations, are given for extraordinary heroism or gallantry in combat. The Purple Heart is awarded for death or wounds suffered as a result of combat. Space limitations may require the use of abbreviations for the inscriptions.

Headstones or grave markers are provided by the VA without charge for the gravesites of veterans interred in any private, state veterans or national cemetery. In VA-operated national cemeteries and state veterans cemeteries, they also mark the graves of veterans' eligible dependents. The VA operates 112 national cemeteries in 38 states and Puerto Rico, and last year furnished approximately 254,000 headstones and grave markers.



THIS MAY NOT be a picture of Old Blue, but it not, it is a longhorn typical of that day and time.

Old Blue - A Leader

One of the necessary things in order to handle cattle on a cattle drive with the least amount of trouble is a good leader for the cattle to follow. The J. A. Ranch had one leader, an old blue Texas steer, that made himself famous. Tunney Kents father gave this account of him:

"In the early days, cattle were very wild and when they started on the trail, after the first two or three days, there would be a few steers that would take the lead and keep it the rest of the way. There was an old blue steer that always did this, so taking advantage of this fact, we would rope 'Old Blue' and one of us boys would lead him in front of the herd and the rest would follow. I led him all the way from the J.A. Ranch to Dodge City, Kansas once, and some of the other boys did the same thing later. When we got ready to start back to the ranch, we would

turn 'Old Blue' loose and he would come back to the ranch with the cow horses. The fellow who led 'Old Blue' had to swim all the rivers first, and this was a dangerous business when

the rivers were swollen.

Old Blue came in handy, too, in penning cattle. He was used for many purposes and finally died of old age.

Ten Cent Cotton in 1932

Ten-cent cotton is the unexpected gift Providence has brought Donley County and the South, stated an editorial taken from the Clarendon News in Sept. 1932.

The article did not say who wrote this editorial but it was headed, County's Opportunity For A Quick Recovery' The Editorial

Paved highways in Donley County is the extra-generous offer the highway department is making with the inconsequential requirements that the 100-foot right-of-way be furnished, to give us the roads and to bring about the spending of around half million dollars for grading, drainage structures and all-weather surfacing.

If Donley farmers raise twenty thousand bales of cotton, the raise in price will bring them around \$400,000 more money even if the staple brings them only nine cents a pound.

Nearly eighty percent of the half million dollars for paved highways in Donley will be left in the county, using the type paving that is contemplated.

The two items above give Donley a possibility of eight hundred thousand dollars added income in the next twelve months, much of it in the next six months, if we will only avail ourselves of the opportunity. This means a per capita of eighty dollars for every man, woman and child in Donley County. Donley farmers owe less money for the production of this crop of cotton than has ever happened before, therefore they are going to have a fair surplus to spend for necessities, which means more and better business for everybody in the county.

Why not our Commissioners Court quickly accept the gilt-edge offer of the highway department, spend twenty-five or thirty thousand dollars in a manner that will require little or no increase in taxes, give Donley County paved highways on Nos. 5 and 66, and assure the distribution of \$400,000 or better among our citizenship. It will mean a saving in operating cost of every automobile and truck in the county, it will mean the employment of Donley workmen and teams, it will mean the increase in all lines of business and the bringing of hundreds of new citizens to the county, it will mean a happier citizenship. It will mean the return of better times. It will mean

Progress.

Now is the time to seize opportunity by the forelock and with the welcome increase in price of cotton and the added momentum of employment and business through highway construction, Donley County will be among the first to recover from the low ebb of business and finance and begin a new era of profitable operation of the farms, the ranch, the shop, the bank and the store.

Will our Commissioner's Court adjourn politics and bring highways and good business to Donley County by a prompt acceptance of the wonderful offer from the highway department, which has already been accepted by many counties of less resources, less populations and less promise than our?

Thirty-thousand dollars for a hole in the ground, useless as it might be would be worth spending if it brought back over twelve times that sum. When it brings paved highways it is the best stroke of business that a Donley County Commissioner's Court ever wrote on the minute book.

Ten-cent cotton is leading the way. Let Donley provide the clincher that will bring us paved highways and added distribution of many to make complete recovery from our ill a reality.

30 cent cotton 1915

Either the cotton is too high or the land is too cheap, stated the Clarendon News, Jan. 19, 1915. For one acre of land would usually produce from 1/4 to 1/2 bale of cotton annually - worth from \$35 to \$75. One crop would frequently more than pay for the land. They would sell you the land for \$12 to \$20 per acre on long time payments and at a low rate of interest. If you were interested in securing a home for yourself and your family where there were no boll weevils and where the climate was fine and the water good, you were advised to contact a Mr. W.A. SoRelle, General Agent for the Spearman Lands, Co. in Seagraves. For descriptive literature, giving prices of land, terms, etc.

Times have really changed since this was written in The Clarendon News in 1915.

The Lions Tale

by GENE ALDERSON

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting at noon on Tuesday at the Lions Hall. Thirty members and guests were present.

Following the regular opening ceremony Lion Henson introduced James H. Estes of Abilene, editor of the West Texas Utilities Employees Magazine, who was the guest of Lion Chambliss. Other regular guests were present. Boss Lion Shelton made several announcements and Program Chairman Smith introduced Polly Sarich who brought the program. She asked the members to stand and sing "The Grand Old Flag" and then she presented a reading entitled "Our Flag" to which the members responded with a standing ovation. Polly was accompanied by her husband, John. Meeting adjourned.

Instead of building their own nests, female European cuckoos lay their eggs in other birds' nests. According to *Ranger Rick* magazine, the female cuckoo usually lays her eggs in the nest of birds with eggs that look like hers. The other birds are often tricked into raising the cuckoo babies just as they would their own.

After Charles Lindburgh made history with the first solo flight across the Atlantic, he came home by ship.

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John Swanson - a Swedish immigrant

By JEANICE WEATHERLY

John Swanson, an English speaking Swedish immigrant, arrived in Donley County in the first decade of this century and settled on a small acreage where he spent the remaining years of his life.

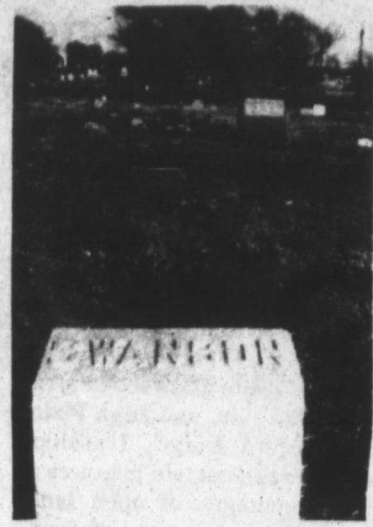
His arrival went, for the most part, unnoticed. Records show the purchase of some acreage-50 to be exact by John Swanson from G. H. Capehart, a bachelor, on May 29, 1907. This parcel of land lay north of the Salt Fork of Red River and some two miles northwest of the present Greenbelt Lake Dam and was on Carroll Creek.

Swanson constructed for himself a half-dugout using the rock that lay about. One room was ample space for a man with few belongings and it was built against a small hill on the west side of the creek. Sharing the hillside shelter and a common wall was a cow shed and stock pen on the north side of the house. The stock pen was fenced with lightning rods thrust horizontally into the earth of the hillside.

John Swanson may have been the first truck farmer in the Panhandle of Texas on a commercial basis. With a horse and hand plow he broke, planted and cultivated the land.

Few persons raised gardens for fresh vegetables at that time and his produce was most welcomed. Green onions, radishes, tomatoes, lettuce, corn, asparagus and cabbage were some of the offerings from Swanson's truck farm.

One of his customers spoke fluent Swedish and there was usually time to visit in Swedish with Mrs. Mitch Bell, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Nelson, immigrated from



Sweden in the U.S. after 1865. Mrs. Bell's sister, Mrs. C. D. Murphy and Mrs. Hary Wetherly, enjoyed hearing the spoken Swedish which they understood but did not speak. John Swanson was obliging enough to do his produce transactions in his native tongue at their homes too.

Mrs. Sam Lowe, long-time Clarendon resident, recalls the novelty of lettuce which was available from Swanson and considered a luxury. Another of Swanson's customers was Mrs. L. C. Beverly, mother of Mrs. Walter Taylor. Mrs. Beverly almost always had a piece of cake or some pie or cookies to offer Swanson when he came to her house, according to Mrs. Taylor. He accepted the refreshments and in return brought the first green onions or the earliest radishes of the season to Minnie Beverly, (Mrs. Taylor.)

Not all of John Swanson's customers were housewives. Walter Clifford purchased produce for his grocery store from him. He described Swanson as a large, muscular, healthy appearing man.

John Swanson had in the due course of time earned a place for himself in the community as a hard working, respected and respectable man. He was pleasant and yet remained somehow aloof. He pursued the solitary life, seemingly by choice and his meticulous self-counsel earned him the name of 'hermit'. Idle speculation by irresponsible

persons started a rumor about John's hidden wealth. Never was there any evidence to support the rumors, but they persisted.

John Swanson's life was ended about the middle of Sept. in 1928, more than 21 years after his arrival in Clarendon. It was believed by some persons who knew him that he was murdered probably because of the rumor which had circulated for years about his hermit's cache.

Swanson's body was found near his house and the best determinations by authorities was that death had come two to four days prior to the discovery on Sept. 20, and that his age was about 70 years.

Dated Sept. 16, the coroner's report contained the known information and a notation which in effect said it was concluded from the inquest that John Swanson did not die of violence from himself or others, but perhaps accidentally fell and struck his head upon a rock.

In a rare confidence Swanson had expressed his desire to be buried on his own land, to someone who remembered the request. He was laid to rest on the high east bank of Carroll Creek opposite the modest dwelling that served as his home for most of a quarter-century. Almost 40 years later he actually was buried in Citizens Cemetery.

According to law, since John Swanson died leaving no will, county officials made an inventory of his possessions. The list included six chickens, three head of stock and an old buggy land two old plows, considered worthless. He possessed one suit of clothes, a pair of boots and a saddle. Assets were a certificate of stock in Sears Roebuck and Company, valued at 20 dollars. The inventory also included the 50 acres of land and a Waltham watch valued at 5 dollars, total worldly goods of John Swanson was valued at \$522.60. Swanson and the other Old Clarendon cemetery bodies were reburied in Citizens Cemetery when Greenbelt Lake was built.

July 4th most celebrated holiday

The 4th of July is one of the most highly celebrated of all holidays throughout the United States, and rightly so. This occasion should be remembered and should be celebrated because of the rights and the freedoms that each of us possesses.

We are also reminded this time each year that far too many will not have much to celebrate about in this great State of Texas. Major Vernon Cawthorn, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, states, "at least 50% of all traffic deaths are alcohol related and during this holiday many people will celebrate this holiday by consuming alcoholic beverages, but we urge those that drink to plan their celebrations and to always have a sober driver behind the wheel of their automobiles, if the automobiles must be used. For everyone to remember, if you drink, don't drive--if you drive, don't drink. Become a responsible person, if you are going to drink, help us protect yourself as well as the other people on our states' streets and highways."

Fewer than 28% of all accidents occur in rural areas, but more than 60% of all fatal car crashes happen on country roads. The higher death rate may be due to the faster speeds and sometimes poor road conditions that drivers find on country roads.

Major Cawthorn said, "Remember to obey all traffic laws and to use that little piece of insurance that is laying right beside you, buckle that safety

belt. It cost no money and only takes about two seconds to insure yourself. So, let us all have a happy and enjoyable holiday."

Do you know where your beans came from

Texas will eat hundreds of thousands of pounds of beans this holiday. Whether they call the "red beans" or "frijoles" or "pinto beans"; whether they eat them with barbecue or with fajitas or with hot dogs most Texans will eat the little things with obvious gusto. Unfortunately, much of what they pay for this eminently Texan food will go to growers in Colorado.

But a number of Texans are out to change that. According to the Texas Department of Agriculture, Gary George, a Perryton farmer expects to sell almost a half-million pounds of pintos this year, making between \$300 and \$500 per acre more than what he would have made on traditional crops. And the TDA thinks that there is room for many more growers, estimating that it would take some 50,000 acres to fill Texas' appetite for pinto beans.

According to the Texas Gazette, the official publication of the Texas Department of Agriculture, Texans'

love of beans provides this area with a big opportunity. The paper quotes Commission Hightower: "The simple frijole is a new cash crop for Texas farmers which can pump an additional \$66 million a year into the state's economy and create nearly 1,400 jobs."

Clarendon farmers may one day hear the pleasant sound of money dropping in the till as a result of growing the musical fruit. In the mean time, Texans, enjoy your beans.

A Homeowner's Dream: Scientists have developed a miracle strain of grass that could someday make lawn mowers obsolete. *International Wildlife* magazine reports that the new grass grows only two to eight inches a year. This new grass comes up in early spring and is greener than most other varieties. It also gives off substances that keep weeds from invading its territory.

Outstanding College Student

Outstanding College Students of America is pleased to announce Alicia A. Jones has been selected as a new member because of outstanding merit and accomplishment as an American college student. Alicia is the grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jones of Howardwick and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jones, Jr. of Burke, VA. She recently graduated from the University of Virginia with a BA Degree in Computer Science.

Males are involved in more car accidents than females. 63% of the drivers in all accidents are male. The riskiest age group for drivers is 20 to 24 years old. Although people this age number fewer than 11% of licensed drivers, they're involved in more than 18% of accidents.

Drivers of smaller passenger cars face a bigger risk. The Insurance Institute of Highway Safety estimates that the vehicle death rate (number of accidents compared with number of cars on the road) in small cars is twice that of larger vehicles.

health hints

Diabetes Facts and Figures

Many people may be pleased to know about the progress being made against diabetes, a leading cause of death in the U.S. killing 300,000 people each year.

There are two types of diabetes: non-insulin dependent and insulin dependent. The first type can usually be controlled with diet and exercise.

Those with the second type need regular doses of insulin. A new kind of insulin, called Humulin, has been developed. It's a natural human insulin created through recombinant DNA.



The first fire fighting organization in America was started in Philadelphia.



Is this Bird worth \$23,005?

Baylor Biologist Fredrick Gebhardt has calculated that each hook-billed kite in the Santa Ana National Wildlife Refuge attracts birthwatchers to spend some \$23,330 per bird. In only ten months such tourists spent \$168,330 in the McAllen area. While that was only a small portion of the \$950 that the average bird-watcher spent in his average 3,350 mile round-trip, it still amounted to more than \$130 per birthwatching head. That amount is not chicken feed when added to the local economy.

While relatively few Clarendon residents are birthwatchers, the figures from McAllen raise some intriguing possibilities. Clarendon may not have hook-billed kites, but it does have a large and unexploited bird population. Few other sites could offer birders a chance to see bald eagles and whistling swans the same winter. And compared to most areas, Panhandle winters offer a great many pleasant days for idyllic observations.

This past winter both rare birds were present at the same time in Donley County (although in slightly different areas). If word of such possibilities were properly disseminated, it could mean substantial new business for virtually every local merchant.

Donley County is in a unique and fortuitous position for attracting birthwatcher dollars. Texas forms the boundary between the Eastern and Western regions of the United States, and birds from both sections are common. And Donley County has unusual diversity even in a state with the abundance of Texas.

Migrating birds follow relatively well-defined paths on their annual migrations—almost like avian highways. And several hundred types of birds follow a long-established path through West Texas to Mexico, and even beyond to South America.

Many of those routes -- from all over North America -- converge like raindrops running down the walls of a funnel. Donley County is situated in the converging area.

And there is a second reason for our diversity. Within the thirty-mile width of the county are a wide variety of habitats. There are wooded areas on the eastern side, and High Plains on the Western fringe. Transition zones in between contain mixtures of various percentages of open land, brush and trees. Mixtures of farmland and pasture increase foraging

possibilities. And lakes like Greenbelt, Lelia Lake and Johnson Lake draw migrating waterbirds like a magnet draws iron filings. If the Chamber of Commerce hired a biologist to design a region to attract maximum variety, he could hardly improve on what exists.

Clarendon may be able to make more than \$23,005 per eagle or sawn from bird-oriented tourism. Or it may be able to extract less. But a few dollars invested in publicizing local avian resources should reap high returns.

Controlling asthma attacks triggered by allergies

When you have an allergy attack, is it hard for you to breathe? Do you have a tight feeling in the chest and wheeze? If so, chances are you might have more than an allergy, says the Texas Medical Association.

Asthma is a chronic illness marked by periodic attacks of wheezing and difficult breathing. Allergies trigger most asthma attacks. Pollen, cat or dog skin particles, mites in house dust, cigarette smoke, and some foodstuff may cause allergic reactions.

If you have asthma, there are things you can do to help control attacks. First of all, identify the allergen or irritant that triggers the attack.

When do you have asthma attacks? If you have attacks mainly once a year, you may be allergic to pollen grains.

Do attacks occur more often on certain days of the week than on others? If so, this might suggest exposure to allergens at places you may be on certain days of each week, such as work or recreational areas.

Is your asthma worse in only one room of the house? If so, the culprit may be mites in house dust or hair or feathers from a pet.

A drug, food, or drink also may be the cause.

To test your ideas of what may be causing your asthma attacks, keep records of how often the attacks occur, how severe they are, and whether they occur while exposed to the suspected irritant. Your doctor also can give you allergy tests to help identify the irritant.

Once the allergen is identified, the best treatment is to avoid it. In addition to this, your doctor may prescribe medication or recommend some other form of treatment.

For more information, the American Academy of Allergy and Immunology has a toll free hotline--800-822-2762.

The Texas Medical Association is a professional organization with more than 28,000 physician and medical student members. It is located in Austin and has 116 component county medical societies around the state.

BUTTERMILK SCONES

- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 3 tablespoons unsalted butter, softened
- 1/4 cup currants
- 2/3 cup buttermilk

1. Preheat the oven to 425°F.
2. Sift together the flour, sugar, salt, and baking powder. Work in the butter until the mixture is coarse and pebbly. Mix in the currants. Add the buttermilk and work into a soft dough.

3. On a floured board roll out the dough to a 1/2-inch thickness, and cut into triangles, diamond shapes, or 2-inch squares. Bake on a greased baking sheet pan for 12 to 15 minutes, until browned. Serve with butter, marmalade, or jam.

4th of July

Celebration is upon us again.

We hope you enjoy all the entertainment while visiting with us.

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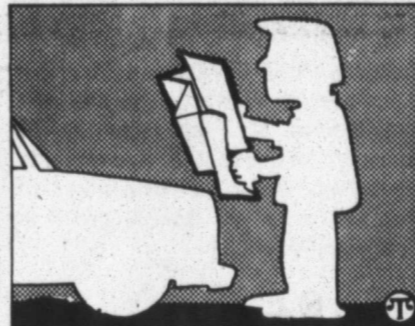
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Get Ready For Vacation Driving

How do drivers keep their cool come warmer weather? Hotter temperatures and greater use can be tough on vehicles not prepared for challenges of the road and weather.



Shell Motorist Club (SMC) recommends drivers go through the following five-step checklist to get ready for vacation driving:

- **Replace fluids.** That includes radiator coolant, oil, brake, power steering and windshield washer fluid.
- **Replace hoses and belts.**
- **Wash underneath your vehicle.** Also touch up scratches to avoid developing rust spots.
- **Assemble an emergency road kit.** Include flares, jumper cables, extra cans of oil and coolant, small tool kit.
- **Use trip routing services.**

Before planning a trip, use your automobile club's trip routing services to provide maps, outline the best route to take and highlight points of interest along the way. Joining an automobile club is a good idea because you'll be reimbursed for towing and road service calls.

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Changes in the Presidency

Today when the President of the United States travels, it is an event that calls for weeks of careful planning by a large number of staff members who must see to everything from communications to security. Scores of staff must travel with the president and separate airplanes are necessary to carry all the press who follow the chief executive's every move.

Just seeing to the communications needs of the president and those traveling with him is a major undertaking. Scores of direct lines to the White House must be in place so the president can continue to be in touch with all areas of the government, civilian and military, as well as with other world capitals.

Huge crowds turn out to greet the president. Local police, as well as the U.S. Secret Service, must be prepared for all those who want to see their elected leader.

Contrast that scene with the spring of 1791 when George Washington set out on a two-month tour of the Southern states. While Washington was traveling through North and South Carolina and Georgia, he was completely out of touch with his government. There were no telephones or telegraph lines to carry immediate messages. The postal service was slow and uncertain, and even if that were not the case, no one knew in advance where the president would be staying or for how long.

Mindful of this, Washington made provisions for decisions to be made while he was traveling. The federal government was much simpler in those days, and so it was only mildly surprising that the two months were so quiet that no decisions were called for in his absence.

Thomas Jefferson was worried about Washington's safety on his trip—but not out of fear that the "Father of Our Country" would be attacked. In fact, Washington traveled without a guard of any kind. Jefferson's safety warnings were about the terrible conditions of the roads and highways Washington would have to travel.

No advance men traveled ahead of Washington's party to pave the way and see to arrangements. Instead, the small party simply sought a tavern or inn where Washington could buy a hot meal and the use of a bed for the night. Innkeepers were stunned to learn that their guest would be the world-famous George Washington.

When the tour was completed and Washington was back in what was then the capital, Philadelphia, he calculated he had traveled 1,887 miles. With some humor he noted that his horses had lost weight but he had gained a few pounds. What he had truly gained, however, was an accurate, first-hand survey of current public opinion. *lil*

In Memory of Harold Eugene Bryan

Fifty years ago school and our class began a long road to adulthood. Even then Gene stands out in our memories as the confident one. We feared, but he was confident; He was our class favorite, even when in school we had just begun

We wish to return to those long gone years; we wish to have Gene talk to us.

We have been too busy to tell Gene that we think of him tenderly. His lovely voice that filled the auditorium with solos. The Coronet that he practiced so diligently. It was not his many accomplishments we feel. That causes this empty spot, since God called him home. It is because he was "Gene" an inspiration to his class. He always gave his all to all his endeavors. Oh, class of the past - Gene's love is not gone.

Elizabeth Sephen's class
Second grade 1939

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Buffalos no longer roam the Plains

Long before Preacher Carhart set about to make his dream of establishing a prohibition community come true, others were already settling in the northern part of the Panhandle. Renegades, buffalo hunters, Indians, Comancheros, Mexican sheep herders, and Anglo-Americans vied for control of the open range with its abundant yield of grass and game for the taking.

Comancheros and Comanches made rendezvous along the river or in the canyons where they traded beads, tobacco, coffee, calico, muskets and whiskey for buffalo robes, stolen horses, and gaunt longhorns driven by night from the Cross Timbers country. But hostile winds blew strong as the fury of the red man's better resentment of the white man's encroachment on his territory was pitted against the determination of the newcomer to claim the country for his own. Trampling the lush forage under foot and scattering game in all directions, the white man came so the Indians fought furiously to hold their ground and keep the invaders from killing their buffalo.

By the time cattle and sheep men began locating on the Texas plains, the buffalo hunters had thinned the herds considerably. The hides were sold and their bones left bleaching in the sun. The buffalos and Indians were being pushed aside to make way for the white man with his cattle

and the Mexican with his sheep.

True, the buffalo had roamed the plains in droves, trailing north in the summer and south in the winter, filling their bellies to bursting with the verdant forage as they came and went. Their range was so vast that the grass made a new growth during their absence and therefore suffered little damage. Buffalo hunters and later cattle drovers followed the trails of these shaggy brutes of the prairie land and Comancheros and Anglos settled along the paths made by their cloven hooves by a succession of travelers; first, the buffalo hunters, and the buffalos, the Comancheros and settlers. All made their marks along the trails.

As early as 1873 running down and slaughtering the buffalo amounted to an exciting and lucrative sport. At that time the poor beasts were plentiful. In fact, some old-timers tell about buffalo passing in great droves on their migration north in the spring of the year. Many old bulls would be so weak they would die along the stream and around the water holes. Now and then, they died in such numbers they contaminated the water holes and made the fish unfit to eat.

For the next twenty years as the shaggy beasts fled for their lives, the ruthless killers followed in hot pursuit until by 1880 buffalo hunting was a bygone pastime and those herds

that once roamed the prairies at will were almost extinct. The big buffalo kill was between 1874 and 1878.

A Jesuit priest, Father Nicholas Point told of the use the red man made of the buffalo. "Not only was its flesh eaten and its hide turned into robes and leather for shelter and clothing, but the horns became spoons and bowls, the tails whips and the hair clothes; the bladders receptacles for fluids and the bones cutting instruments."

Robbed of this course of supply for his needs, the Indians was left desolate, straving, bitter with resentment and hatred for the white man who had not only driven him from his homeland, but destroyed his means of livelihood.

Wright Moorar, who headed a hunting party for his firm, with his marksmen had strayed far beyond the usual boundaries of their hunting grounds, even crossed No Man's Land (a neutral strip) to the head waters of the Palo Duro Creek. On returning from an expedition after several months absence from Dodge, Moorar circulated such a glowing report of the new found hunting ground that a group of merchants decided to set up a trading post along the Texas frontier. Furthermore, a special freight rate was offered to hunters delivering hides to the proposed collection sites.

Plans materialized and by spring,

transportation of men and equipment was arranged. These men of stern character, adventurers bent on an exciting mission. So, they went to hunt and slaughter the buffalo. Sportsmen, they were, rather than pioneers; mercenaries, rather than homesteaders or ranchers hoping to put down roots and settle a new land.

Emanuel Dubbs, leaving his wife in Kansas in 1874, joined the buffalo hunting party headed by A.C. Myers and Charles Rath, attaching his hunting equipment to theirs. Dubbs' outfit consisted of three men besides himself, their trained hunting horses, one four-mule team, and six yoke of oxen and 100 supply wagons. They set up camp at Adobe Walls.

After helping to establish the encampment, the Dubbs contingent pulled away from the main party and moved south for a month's buffalo hunt. A camp was made at the location of the present day Lelia Lake. Within three weeks, the four hunters had more than 1,000 dried and drying buffalo hides. Hides, at

the time, would bring \$2.50 to \$3.50 a piece. Loading all they could carry on their wagons and leaving the rest in piles so they could return for them, they started on the way back to Adobe Walls.

However, Indians had stalked their trail and stole their horses from their camp at the mouth of Barton Creek where it empties into Sadler, just ten miles from where Old Clarendon was located four years later (1878).

Custer's Last Stand

One of the most memorable stories in American history books is the tale of Custer's defeat at the battle of Little Bighorn more than 100 years ago.

Lieutenant Colonel George Armstrong Custer, leading a military force of more than 200 men, attacked a camp of Sioux Indians led by Chiefs Sitting Bull and Crazy Horse, near Little Bighorn River, Montana, on June 25, 1876. Custer and all his

men were killed in the battle, which took only 2 hours.

One horse, named Comanche, is reported to have been the only survivor among Custer's forces. **ll**

Fuel shortage: More than a third of the world still relies on wood for cooking and home heating. According to *International Wildlife* magazine, when wood demand outstrips the growth of new trees the results can be disastrous. In some parts of the world, the search for wood has resulted in the leveling of whole forests. Silent victims of this deforestation are birds and other wildlife whose survival depends on trees.

Light news: Researchers have learned that each of the thousand or so firefly species has its own distinctive light pattern. According to *National Wildlife* magazine, the insect's special glow is usually used to attract a mate.

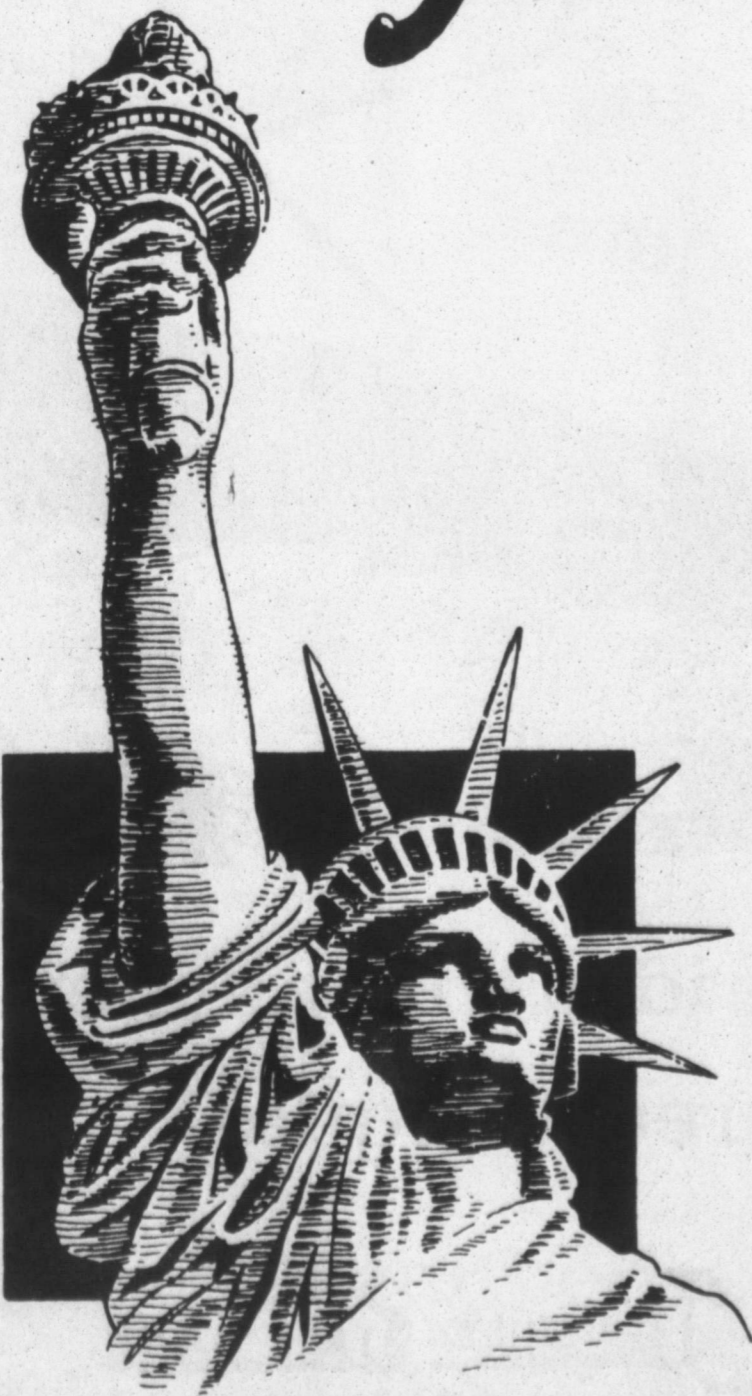
Happy Birthday America



Let's all celebrate Independence Day together July 4th.

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Happy Birthday AMERICA



Since 1775, brave men and women, both members of the Armed Services and civilians, have pledged and sacrificed their lives so that we can live in a free nation. As we enter our third century, it is only fitting that we honor the millions of Americans who have fought for this country. We must remember to be grateful for the valiant efforts of the Continental Army under the command of George Washington who endured the winter at Valley Forge. That same army, along with the new Navy and Marine Corps, defended the young nation of the United States of America against the British, winning independence in 1781. Since that time, Americans have pledged their allegiance to this country and their lives for the preservation of freedom so that this nation could forever endure.

Mike's Pharmacy



THE ODOMETER IS CROWDING with passenger loading for a ride home from a P.C.S. Recreation Center.

Fund raiser for Panhandle Community Services

Pressed by a need to update and replace many of the passenger vans in area wide service, Panhandle Community Services has launched a

drive to raise funds for new vans. The present fleet of P.C.S. vans, all in the 10 to 11 year age bracket, is in daily use transporting elderly and handicapped residents to the panhandle from their homes to the medical facilities in Amarillo.

P.C.S. Executive Director, Johnny Raymond, says "These vans we now have are getting to the place where they will be expensive to maintain and causing us problems with downtime for repairs. The federal and state governments have a program that allows P.C.S. to buy a new vehicle for this program by raising 20% of the cost and the governments' matching funds of 80% will put a new van in service."

"I know times are tough in the panhandle now", Raymond continued. "The number of people coming to Panhandle Community Services requesting help under all of our programs is increasing in all 26 counties....I hope folks here will help us on this fund raiser anyway because, to many of the people we transport, our van is their lifeline to treatment. This is why it is so important to have new, reliable equipment."

To promote the 1988 van campaign, P.C.S. is sponsoring "The first annual P.C.S. ball - A Night at the Ritz" August 20th.

"A Night at the Ritz" will be a ballroom dance with an eight piece band, a floor show and a dress code, requiring dresses for the ladies and coats and ties for the gentlemen.

"We want to give everyone in the panhandle a really great night on the town, an annual event we expect to grow in popularity every year," said William Paine, producer of the event for P.C.S. "I feel this is also a bargain for the contributor to P.C.S.' van fund drive...the tickets will be 25 dollars per couple and with 27 thousand square feet in the civic center exhibit hall, we'll have plenty of room for all who want to come and enjoy the dance. The theme, 'A Night at the Ritz' pretty well says what to expect. We want to recreate the elegance of the night club of the

fifties." Tickets are on sale now and orders can be placed by calling 353-9644. Several ticket locations will be set up throughout the 26 county territory and will be announced later.

A souvenir program will be printed with advertising space available and listings of sponsors and patrons of the ball and the 1988 van project.

Businesses and residents throughout the panhandle will be contacted by telephone to be sure as many folks as possible are aware of the P.C.S. ball and the van fund drive.

You're invited...Let's dance August 20, 1988 at the Civic Center Exhibit Hall 8 p.m.-12 Midnight. Dress code is semi-formal and a cash bar will be available.

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"Providence has showered on this land blessings without number, and has chosen you as the guardians of Freedom, to preserve it for the benefit of the human race. May He enable you to guard and defend to the end of time the great charge He has committed to your keeping."

Andrew Jackson



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Dairy Products meet different dietary needs

No matter what kind of diet you're on, there is no need to deny yourself the taste of dairy foods or the calcium and vitamins they contain.

"With the variety of dairy products now on the market, practically every special dietary need can be met," said Dr. Mary Kinney Sweeten, a nutrition specialist with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service.

For people counting calories or trying to reduce their fat intake, she said low-fat or non-fat dairy products are the obvious answer.

"Some people don't like non-fat milk, but there are plenty of other low-fat choices ranging from 1/2% to 2% milkfat that may be more acceptable in taste and yet still cut calories," she said.

"Low-fat yogurts, cheeses and ice milk will also significantly cut fat intake if eaten in place of whole milk products," she said.

Until recently, people on low-sodium diets had to avoid cheeses due to their salt content.

"However, a whole array of low-fat processed cheeses from Swiss to

Monterey Jack, are now on supermarket shelves. They're also lower in fat and have about half the calories of regular cheeses," she said.

For individuals who have trouble drinking milk because they can't digest lactose, Sweeten said there are several alternatives. Drinking a small amount at one time may help the problem in some cases. Most lactose intolerant people can also eat cheeses or yogurt since they contain little or no lactose.

"Fortunately, low-lactose commercial milk products are also available in most supermarkets. Some are low-fat as well as low in lactose content," she said.

"People on low-cholesterol diets will, of course, need to follow their physician's instructions," said Sweeten.

In general, however, experts with the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute's Cholesterol Education Program advise a balanced diet with reduction of total fats, saturated fats and cholesterol.

"Dairy products can fit into the recommendation to reduce cholesterol intake to below 300 milligrams a day," said the nutritionist.

For example, of 450 food products containing cholesterol which were examined by the Food and Drug Administration, almost one-fourth had less than 20 milligrams of cholesterol in a serving. Among these foods were skim and low-fat milk as well as some cheeses and yogurts made from skim and low-fat milk, she said.

Longer reentitlement period for disabled

A recent change in the law has extended the period during which benefits may be automatically reinstated for Social Security disability beneficiaries who return to work but are unable to keep working because of their disability, according to Jim Talbot, Social Security manager in Amarillo, Texas. The reentitlement period increased from 15 to 36 months, as of January 1, 1988.

"This should be a tremendous help to disabled beneficiaries who want to attempt work but are fearful of losing their benefits if their impairment forces them to stop working," Jim said. "Under this rule, they will be able to receive a benefit check for any month during the reentitlement period that they are unable to perform substantial gainful work."

Social Security disability benefits are paid to people who have a physical or mental disability which is expected to keep them from engaging in any substantial gainful activity for at least a year or to result in death. Benefits start with the 6th full month after the onset of disability.

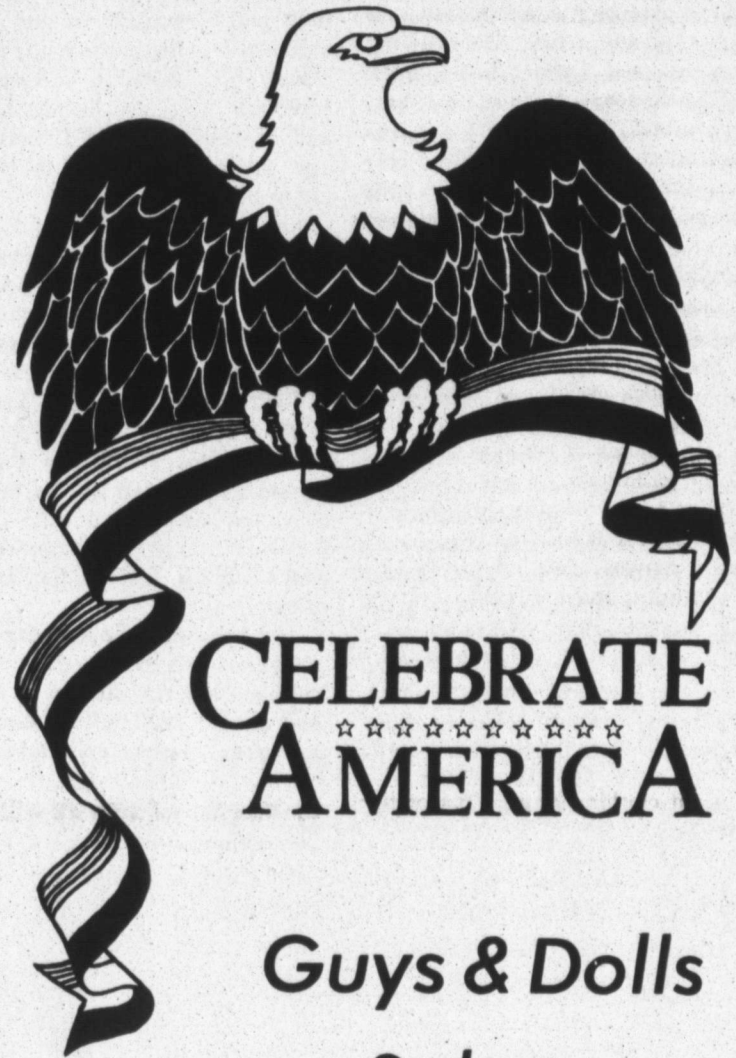
To help disabled Social Security beneficiaries who wish to return to work, the law provides a trial work period of up to 9 months (not necessarily consecutive) during which they continue to receive disability benefits regardless of the amount of their earnings. Social Security may find that a beneficiary is no longer disabled in the first month he or she engages in substantial gainful activity after the trial period. If so, the beneficiary receives benefits for that month and the following 2 months.

"A person who must stop working during the automatic reentitlement period because of his or her disability may resume receiving benefits without filing a new application. All the person has to do is let us know and benefits can start right up again," Jim said. "Also, as under the old law, Medicare may continue for at least 39 months after the trial work

period."

The automatic reentitlement rule is just one of a number of Social Security provisions designed to make it easier for disabled beneficiaries to return to work. The change is included in the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1987, enacted December 22, 1987.

Jim said that people who have questions about their rights under the new law should call the Social Security office. The telephone number is (806) 376-2241.



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Veterans Home Improvement loan office new location

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro said veterans in the Panhandle considering taking advantage of the state's increased maximum home improvement loan policy should be aware that the Veterans Loan Board has moved its Lubbock office.

The new office, located at 804 Broadway, Suite 103, will be offering to eligible Texas veterans up to \$17,500 at 10.5 percent interest over a 15 year period to make home improvements. The minimum loan amount for a Home Improvement Program Loan is \$4,000 and if the loan is under \$7,500 the maximum term is 10 years.

No downpayment is required and all loans are FHA insured. A small charge is added to each loan to cover FHA insurance.

"This program is designed for the thousands of Texas veterans who have been frozen out of limited conventional home improvement money by high interest rates," said Mauro, who serves as chairman of the Texas Veterans Land Board.

Mauro said the Texas veterans

programs create jobs in the private sector by increasing the availability of affordable capital to consumers. The programs use local lenders, builders, and contractors, generating economic activity across the state.

The Texas Veterans Land Board programs are not associated with the federal veterans programs, Mauro said.

"There are Texas veterans who don't realize we offer state benefits unassociated with the VA," he said. "You can combine our loans with a VA or conventional loan, but you don't have to."

Texas veterans are now eligible for up to \$57,500 in loan benefits through the state, including \$20,000 for land purchases, \$20,000 for the purchase of a house and \$17,500 for home improvements.

Texas veterans can get a list of approved contractors, loan applications or more information on the Texas Veterans Home Improvement Program by calling the Texas Veterans Land Board loan production office in Lubbock at (806) 744-8449 or 1-800-252-VETS.

Helping heart attack victims

Heart attacks can happen without much warning, and they happen anywhere, any time. Do you know how to help someone who is having a heart attack? The Texas Medical Association says that you can help save a life if you recognize the signs an attack and take action immediately.

Severe chest pain usually is the first sign. The pain often is described as pressure beneath the breast bone. It can become severe, and can move into the neck and jaw area and the left shoulder or arm. Any kind of exertion makes it worse. The pain will be continuous, but may subside.

Other early warning signals of a heart attack that accompany the pain include nausea, sweating, difficulty in breathing, and dizziness.

The first step to helping a victim is to call an ambulance immediately. Then, make the person as comfortable as possible, which is usually sitting, with the legs up and bent at the knees. Loosen ties, collars and any tight clothing around his or her upper body.

Another way you can help is

simply by being prepared for all types of emergencies. Know what the emergency number is in your area. Know where the closest hospital is. Learn CPR. If the victim loses consciousness, and has no pulse or stops breathing—you may not have time to wait for medical help to start CPR.

Knowing all of these things also will help you remain calm and reassure the victim.

The Texas Medical Association is a professional organization with more than 28,000 physician and medical student members. It is located in Austin, and has 116 component county medical societies around the state.

America's 155 national forests now contain more than 340,000 miles of roads, eight times more than the interstate highway system. According to *National Wildlife* magazine, if the roads currently planned are built, the forest road network will contain enough mileage to reach to the moon and back.



Cancer Answers

by Guy R. Newell, M. D.

Q Does smoking low-tar cigarettes reduce the risk of lung cancer?

A The switch to low-tar filter cigarettes is a good first step for anyone who is determined to quit smoking. However, it is no substitute for quitting altogether.

The problem with low-tar cigarettes is that the nicotine content is lower too and that is what smokers crave. In order to get as much nicotine as before, you may end up smoking more cigarettes, smoking more of each cigarette, or inhaling more deeply. In that case, you have defeated your purpose.

Even if you smoke the same as before, there is no guarantee that you will reduce your risk of lung cancer. We now know that just breathing other people's smoke increases a nonsmoker's risk for this disease.

And, remember that all brands of cigarettes and all levels of smoking increase your risk of heart disease.

There are no ifs, ands or buts about it—all kinds of tobacco increase your risk of cancer!

Q How often should a woman have a mammogram?

A If you have no family history of breast cancer, you should have your first mammogram (an X-ray of the breasts) between the ages of 35 and 40. This gives your doctor a picture of the breasts in a healthy state that can be compared to future mammograms.

Between the ages of 40 and 49, you should have a mammogram every one to two years, depending on the findings in the first mammogram. After the age of 50, you should have a mammogram every year because 75 percent of all breast cancers are found in women in this age group.

A mammogram can pick up a cancer as small as one-fifth of an inch—much too small to feel. However, a mammogram should not replace physical examination of the breasts by a woman and her doctor. A small percentage of lumps can only be felt and will not show up on a mammogram because of their position or because of dense breast tissue.

Q Is there a connection between dietary fat and cancer as there is with heart disease and fat?

A Recent studies seem to indicate that too much fat in your diet (both animal and plant) may increase the risk for developing cancer of the colon, breast, endometrium and prostate.

Cutting down on fat is one of the easiest cancer prevention actions you can take. Start by thinking about substitutes. Replace whole milk with skim. Use reduced-fat margarine instead of butter. Spray your pans with vegetable spray instead of frying in butter or oil.

Look for the products marked "light" in the grocery store. Light mayonnaise, light cream cheese and light sour cream all have about half the fat of their regular counterparts.

Most people think of chicken as a low-fat substitute for red meat, but it is only low in fat if you remove the skin and fat, and don't fry it in butter or oil. You can

actually eliminate about two-thirds of the calories in a whole chicken just by removing the skin and fat before cooking it.

A high-fat diet is as much a habit as anything else. To look and feel better, it is a habit that we all should break.

Dr. Newell is chairman of the Department of Cancer Prevention and Control at The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute in Houston.

If you have any questions about cancer, call the Cancer Information Service at the UT M. D. Anderson Hospital: 1-800-4-CANCER toll-free in Texas or 792-3245 in the Houston area.

Davis' Birthday Still Celebrated

Although he was deprived of his rights of citizenship for more than 100 years, Jefferson Davis' birthday is still celebrated in several Southern states the first Monday in June.

Born June 3, 1808, in Todd County, KY, Davis served as Secretary of War in the cabinet and as a U.S. Senator from Mississippi before becoming the only president of the Confederate States of America. After the Civil War, he was put in prison for two years for his "disloyalty" to the United States, but was never brought to trial.

President Carter restored Davis' citizenship posthumously, on Octo-

ber 17, 1978, when he signed an amnesty bill. Carter stated, "Our nation needs to clear away the guilts and enmities and recriminations of the past, to finally set at rest the divisions that threatened to destroy our nation and to discredit the great principles on which it was founded." This bill, he said, "officially completes the long process of reconciliation that has reunited our people following the tragic conflict between the states."

Davis died on December 6, 1889, in New Orleans. **ll**



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Summer Highway work poses safety hazards

The highways of Texas will be more crazy than lazy and hazy this summer. Summer is construction season, and soon increasing numbers of the familiar concrete barriers and orange traffic cones will provoke driver dismay all over the state.

But the temporary lower speed limits around work zones aren't a sinister plot to tie you up in traffic, and slowing down to the posted speed is not the mark of a wimp. Just

look at the facts.

In the past three years, 58,291 accidents occurred in construction areas on Texas streets and roads. Of those accidents, 386 resulted in deaths.

"Construction and maintenance workers and managers want good traffic flow through construction areas, since that means fewer headaches and complaints," says Roger Welsch, the state highway depart-

ment's deputy director for design and construction.

"But reduced speeds must be posted for many reasons: narrowed lanes, increased congestion, construction equipment, decreased stopping distance, and the danger posed by rubbernecking drivers," he explains.

Remember the last time you stopped by the side of the road? Recall the buffeting of the wind as cars and trucks zoomed past. Consider the damage a vehicle could do to you if the driver made just a slight miscalculation. Now imagine yourself in a highway worker's safety vest, working all day by the edge of the road, intent upon your task, while autos zip by at high speed.

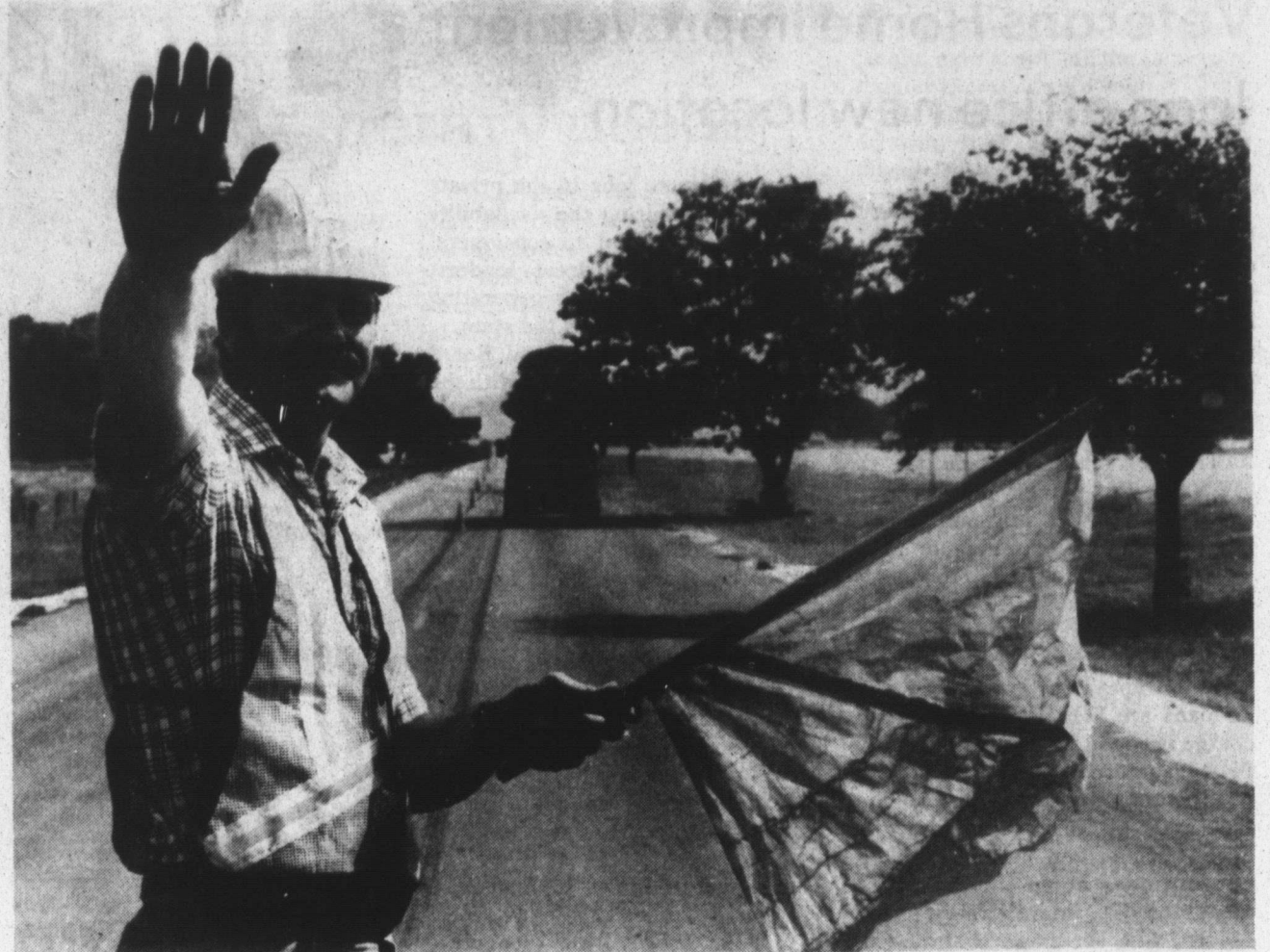
Slowing down and staying extra alert in these zones is a courtesy toward the men and women who do the risky work of improving highways. In this work environment, they can do little to protect themselves from reckless motorists; they must depend on the public to drive safely.

"Maintaining our roadways is of utmost importance," Welsch said. "The highway department is still catching up from years of low funding, when construction and repairs had to be deferred." At any one time this summer, 15,000 miles of state roadway will be undergoing work ranging from resurfacing to complete reconstruction. City and county road departments will also be active.

Though road work is a nuisance, think what would happen if the work were curtailed. Soon potholes, congestion, crumbling pavement, worn-out bridges, and other problems would slow you down everywhere.

So when you see "Reduced Speed Ahead" or "Slow" signs brandished by construction workers, drive friendly.

They're just doing it for their health -- and yours.



Maintenance technician Parker Stewart asks motorists to stop and wait before directing them through a work area.

Good Old Texas Hospitality

There's just no substitute for good old Texas hospitality. With summer upon us, Texans from every corner of the state prepare to roll out the welcome mat for old-timers, newcomers, and visitors alike. The latest Texas Events Calendar, just released by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, spotlights over 900 ways Texans celebrate the season.

Spanning the months of June, July, and August, the Summer Calendar offers everything from

major international events to down-home country fun. Visitors vie for novel titles at the World Championship Corn-cob-throwing Contest in Holland, the Championship Watermelon Seed Spit-off in Luling, the Ugliest Pickup Contest in Decatur, and the "Miss Vacant Lot of the World and Surrounding Counties" contest in Victoria.

In summer, Texans take to the outdoors with picnic-style festivities. An astonishing variety of outdoor concerts and musical dramas are

planned throughout the state. And fun-seekers will delight in the Crazy Water Festival in Mineral Wells, the Aqua Boom Festival in Kingsland, and the zany Great Mosquito Festival in Clute.

Packed with art shows, air shows and rodeos, barbecue and chili cookoffs, ice cream crank-offs, and dozens of fireworks displays, the Texas Events Calendar tells the where and when of it all. Individual free copies of the summer fun listing can be picked up at any of the 12 Texas Tourist Bureaus, or by writing Texas Events Calendar, P.O. Box 5964, Austin, Texas 78763.

Miranda Rights 22 Years Later

Ernesto Miranda was an unknown, 23-year-old criminal before becoming a "celebrity" after the widely publicized U.S. Supreme Court case of "Miranda vs. Arizona." In the 22 years since the case was tried, police procedures routinely require the reading of a prisoner's constitutional rights, or the "Miranda rights," before questioning.

On June 13, 1966, the Court decided 5-4 that the Fifth Amendment of the Constitution "required warnings before valid statements could be taken by police." The decision has been described as "providing basic legal protections to persons who might otherwise not be aware of their rights."

Miranda was retried after the Court decision, convicted and sent back to prison. After his parole came reports that Miranda sold autographed copies of the cards police carry to inform suspects of their "Miranda rights."

Miranda was stabbed to death in a card game dispute in Phoenix, AZ, in 1976. **ll**

Manage lawn to cut water bill

When the weather turns dry, don't just turn on your lawn sprinkler and then gripe about your high water bill.

By watering, fertilizing and mowing your lawn properly, you can reduce your water bill as much as 40 percent, said a turfgrass specialist.

"Conservation by the homeowner provides the only solution to high water bills and excessive water demands during our hot and usually dry Texas summers," said Dr. Richard Duple with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service.

In small cities where industrial demand for water is low, lawn watering may account for as much as half of all the water used during summer months. Even in larger cities, lawns get 30 to 40 percent of all the water supplied by municipalities.

"Most Texas lawns use about 2 inches of water per week during the summer, and most of this usually comes from irrigation," Duple said. "However, as little as 1 inch of water per week can keep lawns alive and green."

Exactly what can a homeowner do to reduce the summer water bill?

"First, water your lawn only when grass starts to show signs of drought stress," said Duple. "Look for discoloration and wilting. If leaves roll up in the late afternoon and

footprints remain after walking across the lawn, then water within 24 hours.

"Once you've decided that your lawn needs watering, do it right," said the specialist. "Most homeowners don't water their lawns properly. They either water too often, causing the grass to develop shallow roots and making it a prime target for insects, diseases and temperature extremes, or they water too infrequently and apply too much water at one time, resulting in a lot of runoff."

"When watering, soak the soil to a depth of 4 to 6 inches," Duple said. In heavy clay soils, watering for 15- to 20-minute periods may be necessary to prevent excessive runoff.

"Cutting back on lawn fertilization can also reduce watering," said Duple. Applying fertilizer in the spring and fall will generally keep your lawn healthy. Fertilizing during the summer, especially with nitrogen fertilizer, will green up your lawn, but it will also increase grass growth and water use.

"Mowing less often and cutting your grass at taller heights also will help keep your lawn in better shape during hot, dry weather," said the specialists. "St. Augustinegrass lawns do well when mowed at a 3-inch height, and bermudagrass lawns can be cut at a 2-inch height."

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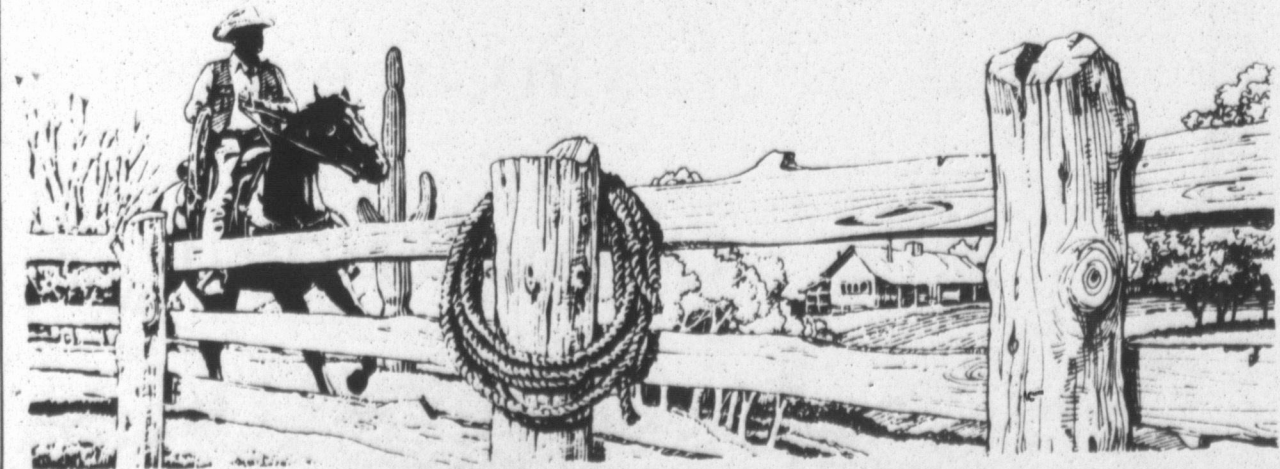
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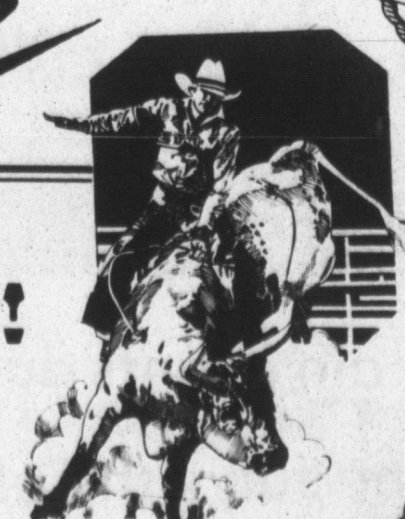


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Lelia Lake flourishing little city in Donley County

Taken from Clarendon News 1926 east of Clarendon. Some forty years ago the country where Lelia Lake now stands was a vast rolling plain

with no inhabitants but the wild buffalo which used Lelia as their water trough. In January 1887 Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Myers came to make this their home. They located some four miles east of where Lelia Lake now is. Mr. Myers still resides on the homestead.

About 1890 the little town was founded and named by Mr. Montgomery, townsite agent for the Ft. Worth and Denver Railroad, named in honor of Miss Lelia Fain, sister-in-law of Judge G. A. Brown who lived there with his family. At that time Judge Brown was county judge and afterward became district judge and his home was on a ranch one half mile west of Lelia. In 1890 Mr. and Mrs. d. L. McClelland moved there and he was manager of the Brown ranch and now Mrs. McClelland resides in Clarendon.

The lake south of R. R. Tracks covered the headquarters of the old Brown Ranch.

The section house was built in 1887.

Jim Kilfail and family, Dr. Pitt, George Latimer and family, J. L. Reid and family, J.O. King and family and Mr. Shoff located in and near Lelia Lake in 1890 and 1891.

Miss Minnie Powell taught the 1st term of school in a small house located about 500 yards due east of the present school building, with about twelve pupils.

J. L. Reid was a pioneer teacher, who with his wife, still resides on their same old homestead. They gave a part of the present school ground and the school was moved to present location. Mrs. J. A. Thompson also taught in the early days and now lives with her husband, one mile north of town.

The first Sunday School was organized in the home of J. O. King one mile west of Lelia. There the members assembled each Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, had their lesson, offered prayer and sang songs. After S.S. they visited for a while as their homes were so far distant from one another they rarely visited.

In the winter of 1902 and 1903, Mrs. W. B. Sims, who now resides with her husband in Clarendon, organized an orchestra composed of Eda Brown Leathers, Eva Sims Draffin, Myrtle Leathers Christal, Mattie Millsop Phillips, Kate Reid Herwig, Della Reid Campbell, Arthur Sims and Will King. They indeed added much to the amusement of the young people of that day. Two of the noted annual social events of this time were the gathering in the home of J. R. Leathers on Christmas night and one in the home of J.O. King, New Years night.

Many of the advantages the young people of today are allowed to enjoy are largely due to the privations of those pioneers mentioned and the following: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. McGee, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gerner and others.

Rev. A. H. Thornton of Goodnight organized the First Baptist Church on September 6, 1903, with nine charter members. Rev. Laney organized the Methodist Church with between fifteen and twenty people. Mr. Phil Jackson was first postmaster. Lela to the north of Lelia being so near alike caused confusion with the mail so Lake was added and we have Lelia Lake.

And now since the fire of August 27 last, which destroyed six business houses, we boast of four groceries, barber shop, tailor shop, drug store, real estate office, meat market, blacksmith, two cafes, three garages, five filling stations, a lumber yard, two cotton gins, an elevator and a rooming house, and four churches.

We have an Independent School District with a modern two story brick building, which includes eight class rooms, a studio, an auditorium with seating capacity of some five hundred. Four grades, four high

school and two fine art teachers compose the faculty. Our science building is a separate building from the main building.

Lelia Lake became famous for its watermelon production. One peak year, seven freight cars were loaded in one day. And, at one time, more grain was shipped by rail from Lelia Lake than from any other place northwest of Wichita Falls on the Ft. Worth & Denver line.

The land around Lelia Lake was mostly subirrigated and very fertile, which attracted many farmers to the area.

Clarendon Masonic Lodge 700 organized 1890

If one could pigeonhole the Clarendon Masonic Lodge No. 700 AF&AM, one could say it is a worthy combination of social and civic endeavors and a sponsor of many fine achievements. The Lodge was Organized July 9, 1890, and the charter was granted by the Grand Lodge of Texas Dec. 11, 1890.

Brother J. N. Browning, a person of commanding appearance - six feet two inches tall with black hair, moustache, and hat was the first Worshipful Master of the Clarendon Lodge. He had been a member and past Master of the Fort Griffin Lodge.

The first Mason to be initiated into The larendon Lodge was George F. Morgan, raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason. His past outstanding Masonic Record was one full of worthy achievements. Mr. Morgan came to Clarendon as depot agent with the Ft. Worth & Denver Railroad, but later entered the mercantile business. He was elected county treasurer and served as county and district clerk, and later was appointed county judge. He held each office four years, as he had no opponents for the second terms.

Brother George Morgan served in every office of the Clarendon Lodge. For ten years, he was DDGM, assisting in the organization of nineteen Masonic lodges in the Texas Panhandle, among them Claude, McLean, and Memphis. Many of his visits to the subordinate lodges were made on horseback. He served on thirteen Grand Lodge committees, many grand Lodge elective offices, and was elected the Most Worshipful Orme.

The Clarendon Lodge celebrated its golden anniversary of fifty years activity in July, 1940, and its 75th

Haskle Stark was Worshipful Master of the Clarendon Lodge when special honor was accorded Bro. George F. Morgan in Dec. 1937. And though the years, various members

have been honored for their outstanding activities in Masonic work. During the 50th observance meeting with brother Van Kennedy as Worshipful Master, a 50-year pin was presented to P.A. Buntin, a Mason for 71 years. Mr. Buntin was the only charter member still living in 1940.

Special recognition was given Bro. Charlie e. Bairfield, Past Grand Patron, Grand Chapter of Texas O.E.S. The Clarendon Lodge appreciates the many members who, through the years, have served as Worshipful Masters or other officers in the Lodge since its organization. The Clarendon Lodge No. 700 can be justifiably proud of its heritage. Upon the principles of brotherly love believe, and truth, the Mason of Donley County have enjoyed more than 75 years of fraternal achievement.

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Forrest Sawyer among first boy scouts in Clarendon

Forrest Sawyer, Clarendon farmer and rancher was a member of Clarendons first Scout troop organized in 1914 by W. J. Stubblefield. To the best of Forrest's memory the troop had 14 members and all lived in the city of clarendon except Sawyer who was a farm boy. They had no uniforms, the four-cornered hat and a pin was all they had. The Methodist Church was the meeting place for the

Alexander the Great made his soldiers keep clean-shaven so the enemy couldn't grab them by their beards.

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GEORGE WASHINGTON

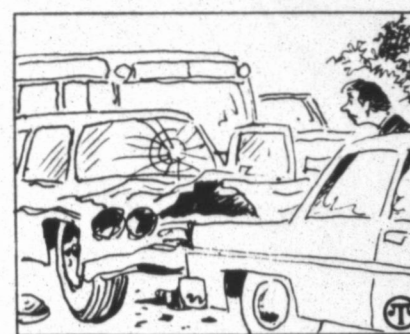
The Nook & Eddie Floyd Shop

FACTS & FALLACIES

When it comes to auto safety, knowing the difference between fact and fallacy could steer you in the right direction.



Fact or fallacy? You don't need a safety belt when you're traveling at low speeds or going on a short trip. That's a fallacy. More than 80 percent of all accidents occur at speeds less than 40 mph. Fatalities involving non-belted occupants of cars have been recorded at speeds as low as 12 mph. In addition, three out of four accidents causing death occur within 25 miles of home.



Fact or fallacy? You have a better chance of being saved if you're thrown clear of the car in an accident. Another fallacy. The fact is that your chances of being killed are almost 25 times greater if you're thrown from the car. A safety belt can keep you from plunging through the windshield; being thrown out the door and hurtled through the air; scraping along the ground; and being crushed by your own car. Safety experts at MONY Financial Services report that over 9,000 lives can be saved every year if Americans regularly wear their safety belts.



Female lions do over 90 percent of the hunting for their pride.



Cattle branding was practiced 4,000 years ago. Old tomb paintings show Egyptians branding their cattle.



A kangaroo cannot jump if its tail is lifted off the ground. It needs its tail for pushing off.



THIS PICTURE was found in the Press files, since the small boy in the middle is carrying a flag, we assume that this might be a July 4th celebration. If anyone knows what this picture is, or anyone in the picture, we would appreciate knowing.

4th of July

Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship	10:40 a.m.
Children's Worship	10:40 a.m.
Evening Study	6:00 p.m.
Youth	6:00 p.m.

First Christian Church
Minister Wilbert Bernabe

THEN and NOW!



By the 1800s, the neighborhood pharmacy was an important source of health information.

Self-medication probably began during prehistoric times when man discovered that aches and pains disappeared after eating certain plants.

The oldest known pharmaceutical record is a clay tablet nearly 4000 years old from the Sumerian civilization in the Middle East, which lists about a dozen drug remedies.

Today, you can walk into any of about 750,000 stores and find a host of useful over-the-counter (OTC) remedies, manufactured to the highest standards and clearly labeled for safe and proper use. More than ever, people are taking responsibility for their own health care by using nonprescription medications for minor health problems. These medications help many people live more active lives.

Experts estimate that Americans currently save \$10.5 billion over the costs they would pay in alternative health care if no OTCs were available—in terms of time lost from work, doctor visits, prescription drugs, insurance services and in travel costs.

A recent Gallup poll found that



Today's nonprescription medicines save a lot of money for consumers in terms of time lost from work and doctor visits.

people are practicing self-medication responsibly. Compared with just five years ago, 75 percent of Americans today read medicine labels more carefully and 72 percent take medicines more carefully.

The trend toward self-care and self-medication also has led to the appearance of home diagnostic tests—home pregnancy tests, blood glucose monitoring and a screening test for colon cancer, to name a few. These tests have helped alert many people to health conditions that need attention.

Pointers For Parents

Protect Your Family From Traffic Accidents

Here's important information on how you can protect yourself and your family from being injured in a traffic accident.

Fasten your safety belt. Safety experts estimate that 8-10,000 lives could be saved annually if all automobile drivers and passengers wore safety belts.

Wear your safety belt properly. According to the U.S. Department of Transportation, the correct position is over the shoulder, across the chest and low on the lap under the abdomen. If you wear your belt improperly such as under your arms, behind your back, or across your stomach, the likelihood of serious injury increases dramatically.

Get rid of slack. Look in your owners' manual for detailed instructions on the amount of slack considered safe for your car. Pull the belt out at least five inches and let go.

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July 4th

Davis Body Shop

Gina Spier crowned first Donley County queen 1981

On Friday, June 26, 1981, the first Saint's Roost Queen and her court were crowned at the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center at Clarendon College. There were approximately 200 people in attendance for this first annual pageant.

The Saint's Roost Queen for 1981 was Miss Gina Spier. Gina is the 16 year old daughter of Bill and Darlene Spier. It was calculated that she received over \$1,000.00 in prizes.

The 1st Attendant was Miss Renee Cosper. Renee is the 18 year old daughter of Sherman and Barbara Cosper.

Second Attendant was LaDonna Hewett. LaDonna is the 16 year old daughter of Bob and Barbara Hewett.

It was calculated that Renee and LaDonna received approximately \$100.00 each in prizes. After scores

were tabulated the five finalists were Gina, Renee, LaDonna, Donna Johnston and Jamie McAnear.

The 15 contestants were judged in five categories, interview, entry form completion, dance routine and self-introduction, western wear modeling and evening wear modeling.

Miss Congeniality for the 1981 Saint's Roost Pageant was Shea Green. She was selected by the other 14 contestants as the most patient, helpful and friendly during the 5 days of rehearsal. Shea was the recipient of approximately \$100.00 in gifts.

The 15 contestants were Pam Jack, Shea Green, Dondra Holland, Sala Leffew, Kim Wilson, Angela Klinert, Renee Cosper, Gina Spier, Tandra Phillips, Jamie McAnear, Donna Johnston, Shalane Chamberlain, Stella Robinson, LaDonna Hewett and Missy Morrow.



CLARENDON'S FIRST SAINTS' Roost Queen Gina Spier and her

court, 1st Attendant on queens right Renee Cosper, 2nd Attendant on

queens left Donna Hewett. Other two attendants l to r bottom row are

Donna Johnston and Jamie McAnear.



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GREAT MOMENTS IN AMERICAN HISTORY

Pennsylvania celebrates three milestone anniversaries this year—the 125th anniversary of the



Calico Pasta Salad

- 1 can (20 oz.) Dole Pineapple Chunks
- 4 cups cooked small shell pasta
- 3 cups cooked shredded chicken
- 1 red or green bell pepper, seeded, sliced
- 1-1/2 cups sliced celery
- 1/2 cup sliced green onion
- 1/2 cup sliced ripe olives
- 1 clove garlic, pressed
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 1/2 cup dairy sour cream
- 1/3 cup white vinegar
- 1 tablespoon Dijon mustard
- 1 teaspoon basil, crumbled
- 1 teaspoon marjoram, crumbled

Drain pineapple, reserve 2 tablespoons juice. Add pineapple, pasta, chicken and vegetables to large bowl. For dressing, combine reserved juice with remaining ingredients. Pour dressing over salad. Toss well. Cover, refrigerate 1 hour or overnight, for flavors to develop. Add salt if desired. Serves 6.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

FRIGHTENING STATISTICS

Recent studies show that lung cancer has surpassed breast cancer as the leading cancer killer among women. Learn from the American Cancer Society what you can do to reduce your risk of lung cancer.

Battle of Gettysburg, the 175th anniversary of the Battle of Lake Erie, and the 40th anniversary of Independence National Historical Park.

The Battle of Gettysburg was the turning point of the Civil War. Throughout 1988, Gettysburg will be the center of a national celebration that includes the largest battle reenactment ever held in North America and the opening of the Gettysburg Museum of the Civil War. The commemoration culminates

November 19, the 125th anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. Many events take place at scenic Gettysburg National Military Park.

Philadelphia's Independence National Historical Park celebrates with the re-opening of the Second Bank of the United States Portrait Gallery. Founded in 1948, "America's most historic square mile" includes Independence Hall, the Liberty Bell, and 50 other historic sites.

Throughout the summer, visitors to Erie can witness the rebuilding of the United States Brig Niagara. The Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission project culminates September 10, when the ship will be the centerpiece of a day of festivities. It was on that date in 1813 that the NIAGARA, bearing Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry's proud banner "Don't Give Up the Ship," helped turn around the War of 1812.

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July 4th in Clarendon.

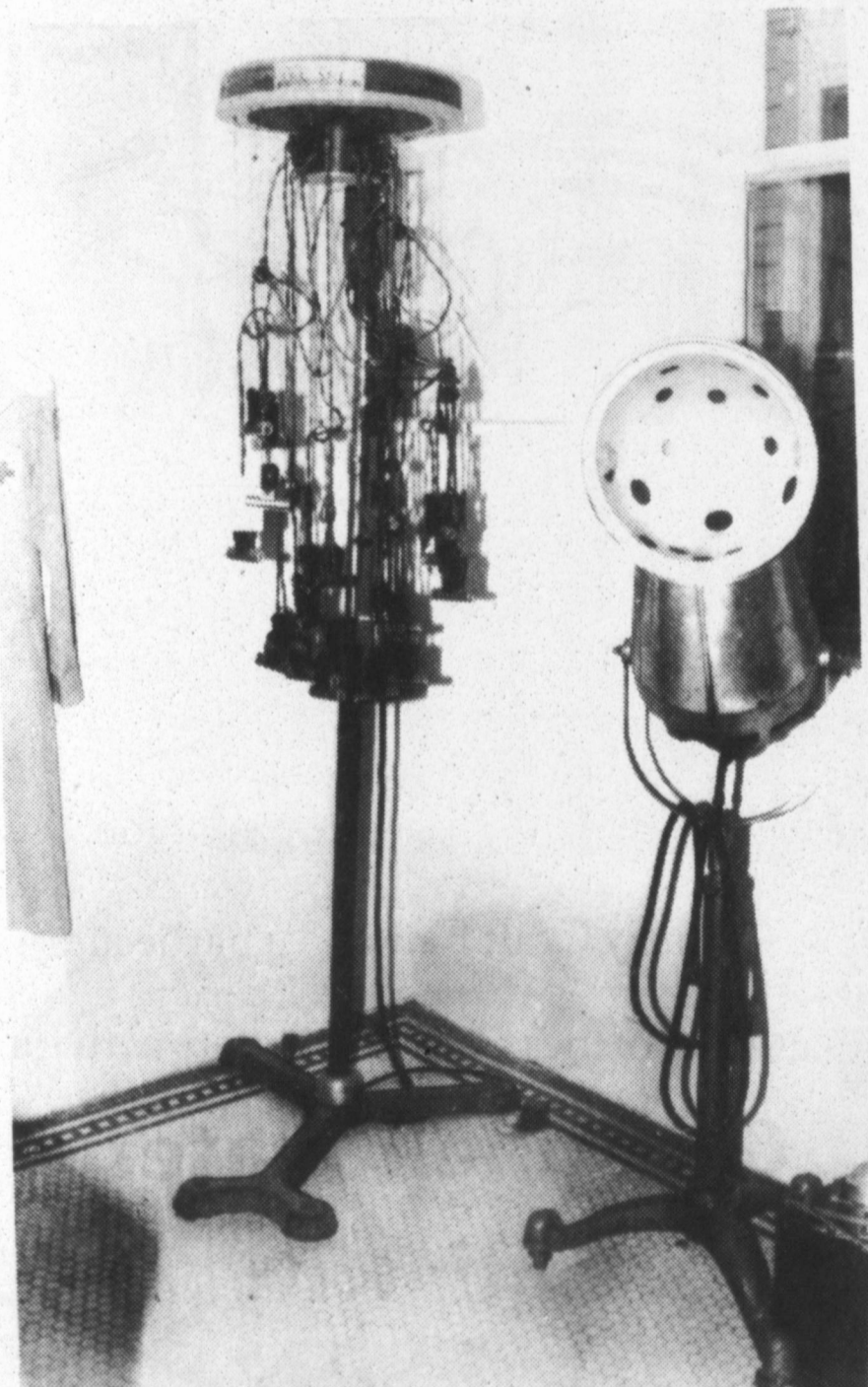
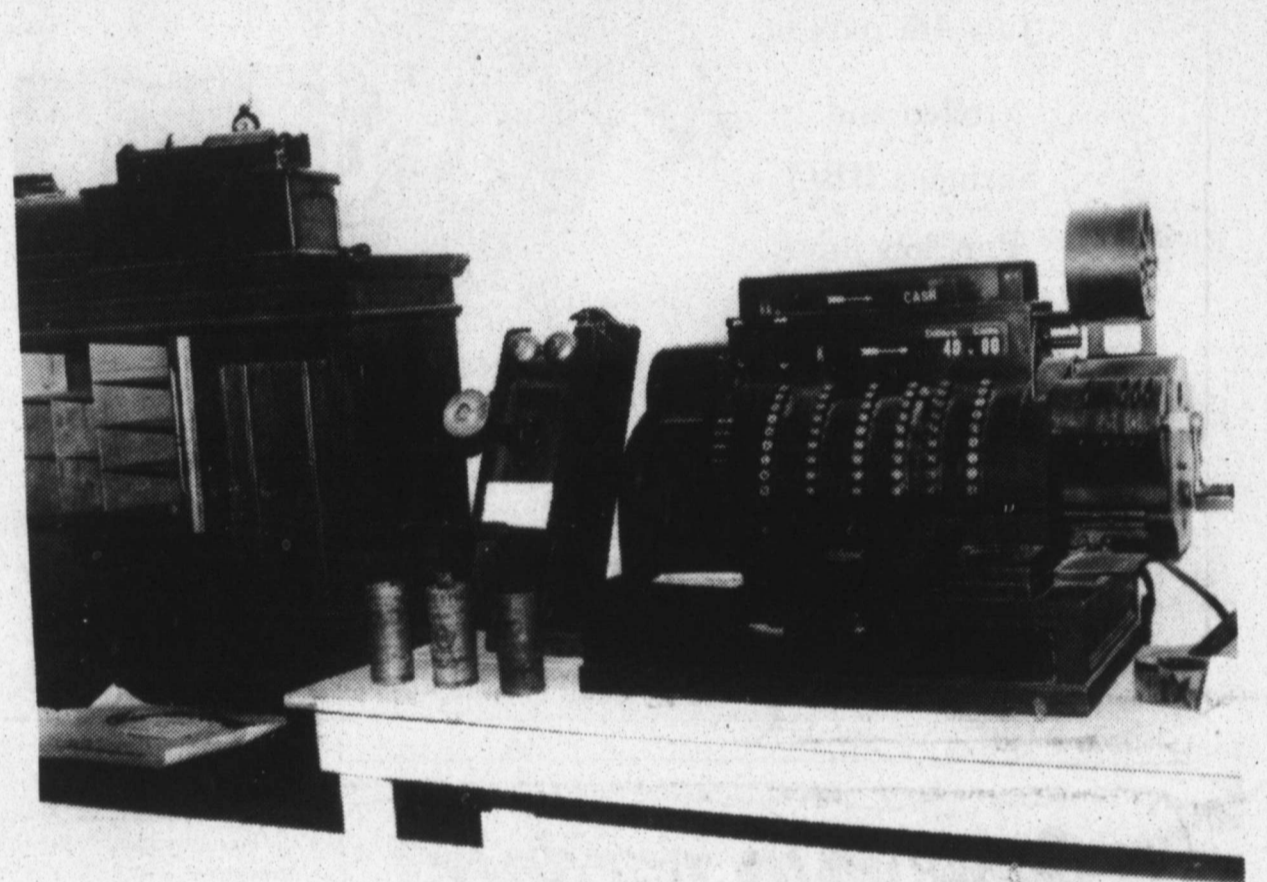
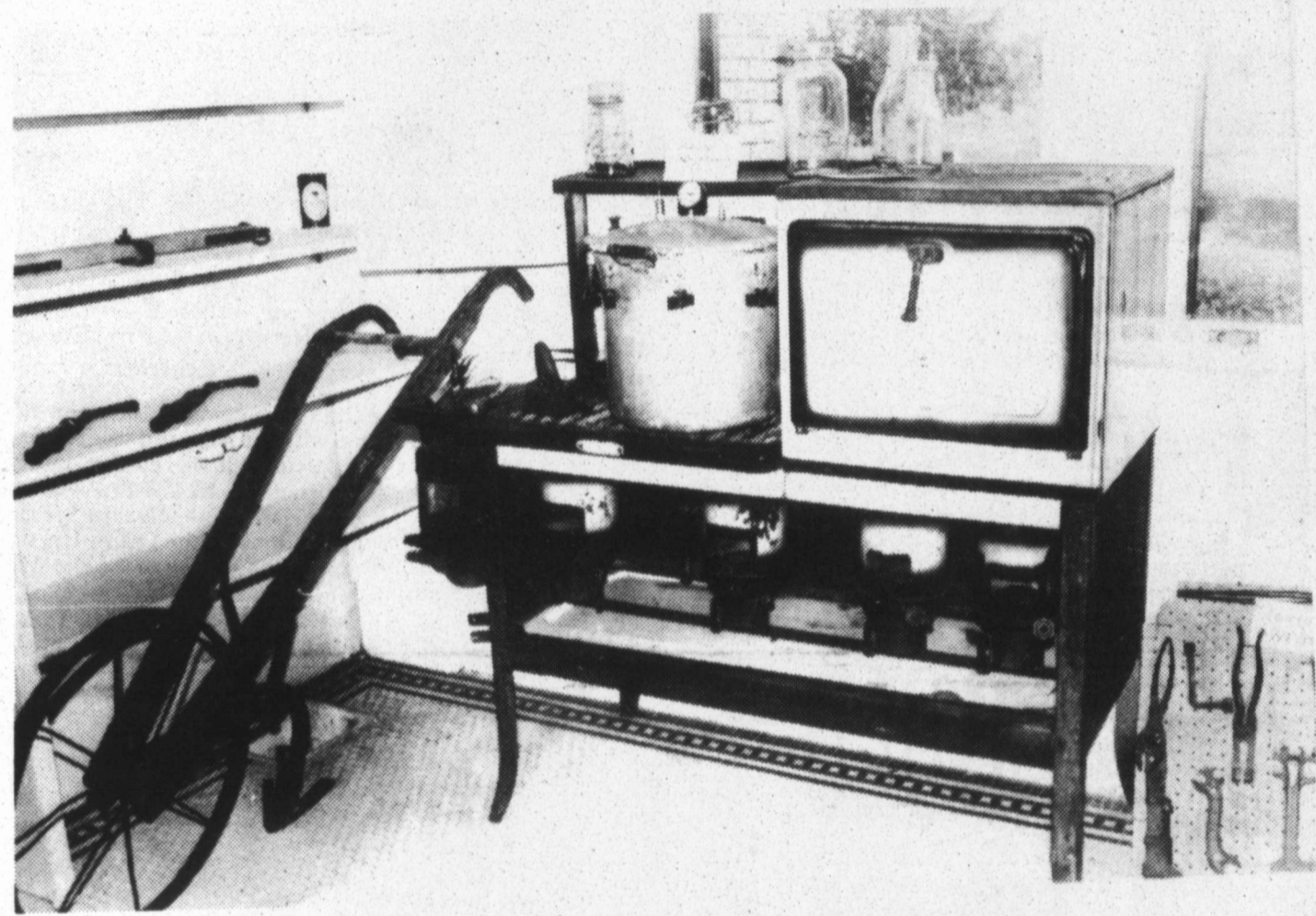
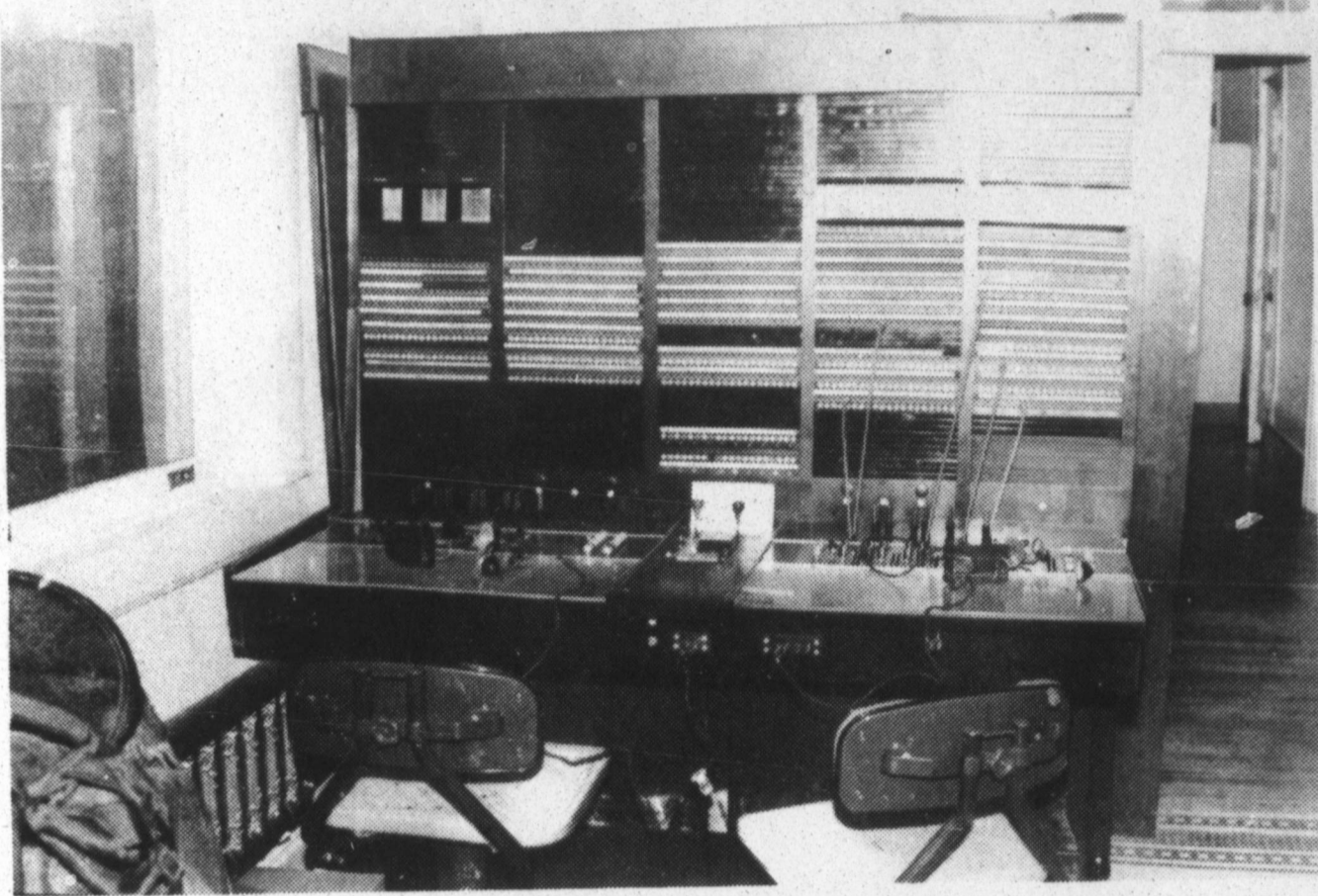
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