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State Economy Recovering

Local Conditions Strong

State Comptroller Bob Bullock reports that the Texas economy is finally improving. "We're seeing another month of strong sales figures, and that's good news for Texas.'

Texas collected \$74,999,884.36 in April, a 13.07% improvement over last year. Sales were up 7.83% over the comparable year-to- date figures for last year.

Donley County performed well, but close to the state average. The county reported April sales 7.09% above April 1989, with YTD figures up 3.26% above last year. The City of Clarendon was up 6.96% and 3.41%. Hedley did not report any monthly collections for April 1990, off (-)6.77% for YTD figures. Howardwick appears to be thriving, up 8.35% for April and 8.09%

Area counties were generally bright, too. Armstorng (Claude) was up 18.46% and down(-).20%. Carson reported up 40.20 for month and 4.25% for the period. Childress was up 32.67% for the month, but only managed -1.48% for 1990-to-date.

Collingsworth (Wellington) was up 40.62% and 4.68%. Gray racked up 3.75% and -1.44%

Hall County gained overall, but from mixed results. The county averaged 13.33% for April but -4.21 YTD. Turkey seems live and thriving at 24.62% and 11.27%. Poor Memphis performed about as poorly as any community in the region, with a moribund -2.58% and -6.70%.

Hemphill (Canadian) was up and down, 13.4% for April, -2.92 YTD. reversed that pattern with -34.38 and (+)9.30.

Amarillo's two counties (Potter and Randall) reported 63.43/11.27% and 4.67/1.95% respectively.

Wheeler chalked up 9.99% and 2.92%.

Figures comparing 1989 and 1990 are encouraging, but in most area towns, the period 1987-1989 was depressed. While the improvement was welcome, continued growth is badly needed.

Clinic To Be Held July 9th

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1.Learn and perform breast self examination every month.

2. Have a physical examination of the breasts every year.

3. Have a mammogram according to the recommendations by

Age 35 to 40-One baseline mammogram

40 to 50-A mammogram every 1

to 2 years

Over 50-Yearly mammograms A clinic designed to meet the needs of low income women will be held in Clarendon on Monday, July 9, 1990, from 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m., in the Old Courthouse at 300 South Sully. Exams are done by appointment only. For more information about the clinic or to make an appointment, please call the Harrington Cancer Center at their toll free number, 1-800-274-4673. Locally, for more information, contact Robbie Hill at Panhandle Commu nity Serves (874-2573) or Cheryl Pickard at the Donley County Extension Office at 874-

Rehearsals Set

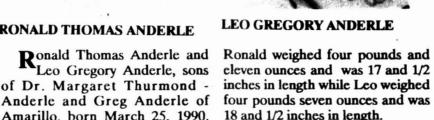
Rehearsals for the Miss Donley County Pageant have been set for June 14th and 15th at 7:00 p.m. at the Harned Sisters Auditorium. All ticket stubs and money must be turned in by the contestants at the June 14th rehearsal.

June 15 is dress rehearsal and all contestants must attend the rerehearsals.



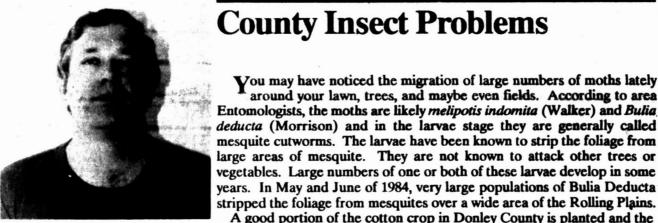
RONALD THOMAS ANDERLE

Leo Gregory Anderle, sons of Dr. Margaret Thurmond -Amarillo, born March 25, 1990. 18 and 1/2 inches in length.





Motley County was a statistical oddity. It averaged -6.51 and (+) 1.10, but and all proceeds go to the 4-H'ers. For further information, contact the Phoebe Ann Buntin, Cindy Shelton and Billie Terry. A grand total of the figures for Matador were (+)36.76 and -5.96 while Roaring Springs Donley County Extension Service Office at 806/874-2141. They are open \$2,578.00 was collected from the Donley County residents, and the conuntil 5:00 p.m. each day.



PATRICK W. ROBERTSON

EMS Member

concern throughout the rest of the growing season. Meet Patrick W. Robertson a Paramedic. Patrick received spring grasses. In dry years, they often move in heavy numbers. Rain this spring should have reduced thrips levels and provided hosts other than his certification training as an EMT cotton. Where heavy thrips movement is observed into cotton, control at Clarendon College and his cermeasures should be applied when there are five thrips or more per plant. tification training for a Paramedic Don't hesitate with treatments because after thrips have damaged small at PEMSS in Amarillo. His cerplants, con trol measures do not improve the situation. Rapidly growing

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REV. STEVE WOODARD & FAMILY

Missionaries to Visit Clarendon

Reverend Steve Woodward, a recently appointed Assemblies of God missionary to Mexico, will be speaking at First Assembly of God, corner 5th and Mc Clellend, on Sunday, June 17th at 11:00 p.m., according to Reverend J.W. Brown, pastor.

While this will be the Woodwards' first assignment as a full-time missionaries, Steve and his wife, Sheri, were both involved as young people with the Assemblies of God's Ambassadors in Mission (AIM) program. Sheri participated in short-term AIM outreaches in Honduras and Jamaica. Steve went to Mexico with AIM. Together, Steve and Sheri served as sponsors on an AIM mission to Germany. Steve's involvement with Royal Rangers, and Assemblies of God scout organization for boys, also took him to Australia and New Zealand. Most recently, Steve and Sheri worked on a missions construction project on Mexico.

For 10 and 1/2 years Steve was an associate pastor at First Assembly in hearsal to be eligible for the Amarillo, Texas. In this capacity, he was involved in Christian education, pageant. Contestants only will be children's and youth ministries, T.V. production, and a bus outreach. Sheri allowed in the auditorium during worked with the church's children and in the music program.

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Pageant To Be Held

Make your plans early this year to attend the Miss Donley County Pageant on Saturday, June 16 starting at 7:30 p.m. in the Harned Sisters Auditorium on the Clarendon College campus. The judges for the pageant this year will be Geoff Bynum from KVII Channel 7. Donna Cordova from KVII Channel 7, and Mary Hazelwood from Kimberly Quality Care. The entertainment will include Dan Hall from Clarendon, Amanda Godfrey from Memphis, Heather Wilson from Wellington, Anabeth Williamson from Amarillo, Jim Shadle from Clarendon and Londa Crump from Hedley.

Tickets are \$2.00 for adults and children under 12 free-They can be purchased in advance from any Miss Donley County contestant or at the

Cancer Drive Completed

The Donley County American Cancer Society residential drive for 1990 was a big success. Cinda Courtney, co-ordinator, wishes to thank all the people involved with this year's event.

A tremendous thank you goes to the residential neighborhood captains. Howardwick, headed by Margaret Wells, raised \$495.00. The communities of Naylor, represented by Irene Jones, and Martin, led by Linda Kay Bell, and Lelia Lake, represented by Susie Shields, collected a total of \$467.00. The Donley County 4-H Clubs are once again sponsoring booth space Mary Ruth White chaired the Hedley drive and raised \$382.00. Clarendons for rent on the Courthouse Lawn on July 4, 1990. Spaces are \$10.00, residential total was \$1,234.00. Neighborhood captains were Betty Boston, tributions are greatly appreciated!

Carol Grady, publicity chairman, and Barbara Cosper, treasurer, are to be commended for their hard work put into this year's campaign. Hopefully, the 1991 residential drive will be just as successful.

around your lawn, trees, and maybe even fields. According to area **Commodities** omologists, the moths are likely melipotis indomita (Walker) and Bulia To Be Given large areas of mesquite. They are not known to attack other trees or

Commodities will be given in Clarendon, June 21st from 9 a.m. til 5 p.m., in the Old Court House. They will also be taking appointments in conjunction with the Extension Office, for a breast screening clinic. The clinic will be held July 9th.

Commodities will be given in Hedley, June 22, from 1 - 3 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center.

Friendship Club to have Dinner

The Howardwick Friendship Club will meet Friday June 15th ,at 6:30. They will have their covered dish dinner at the Howardwick City Hall.





Report

Texas Parks & Wildlife department reports that fishing at Lake Greenbelt is fairly good. The water is clear, 72 degrees, 2 feet above normal and rising, 3 inches of rain fell midweek; black b ass are fairly good with several in the 2-3 pound range, a single 6 pounder landed; crappie are improving in 12-18 feet of water; white bass are fair to 15 fish per string to 1 pound each on minnows, drifting and trolling; catfish are improving to 8 pounds on shrimp and liver.

ley County Extension Office. **Blue Corn Finds Market Niche**

For more information on insect problems and control, contact the Don-

You may have noticed the migration of large numbers of moths lately

A good portion of the cotton crop in Donley County is planted and the

majority of it is already up and growing. There have been some cotton

disease problems that have caused many fields in the Hedley area to be

replanted. Now with cotton up and going insect problems are of major

Cotton producers can expect thrips to be moving in from wheat and

cotton plants are not as adversely affected by thrips as plants growing slowly

It may still be a little early to tell, but the dry, cold temperatures in

December of 1989 may have substantially reduced overwintering weevil

Cotton producers will also want to be on the lookout for two other moth

species that might be found in cotton. The white-lined sphinx hornworm

and the salt-marsh caterpillar have been found in cotton fields in counties

east of Donley County. Both of these species will feed on cotton and can

cause damage if they are in very abundant numbers. These two species

populations. This seems to be the case all around the state.

may also feed on other field crops and vegetables.

Boll Weevil trap numbers to date are much lighter than in previous years.

It seems everything comes in decorator colors, even corn -blue corn that is.

due to cool or dry conditions.

But blue corn is not some genetically engineered product designed to look pretty. Blue corn occurs naturally; the Spanish explorer Coronado found the Pueblo Indians planting it back in 1540.

The traditional blue corn tortilla is the backbone of the blue corn market, but processors have introduced many new products such as blue corn chips, muffins, pancake mixes and even blue corn flakes. The grain has a coarser, sweeter and nuttier taste than other types of

Arrowhead Mills in Hereford, Texas, has been processing and milling blue corn for five years.

"At first we thought blue corn would be a fad, but is had done quite well and we think it is here to stay," said Arrowhead Mills President Boyd Foster. "Blue corn makes up 8 to 10 percent of our

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sales and constitutes \$750,000 in revenue sales each year."

Agronomist Cloyce Coffman with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service said the niche market

"The quantity demanded at this point by consumers is very low in comparison to feeder corn because the market size itself is small," he

Coffman said farmers should have an outlet for their market before they plant. "It is important for producers to have a contract with a processor before planting, because blue corn is such a specialized product," he said. "Your average country elevator just won't accept blue corn like regular feeder

Arrowhead Mills processes about 1 million pounds of blue corn each year, and Foster said the firm's biggest selling product is the pancake mix.



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(Bride elect of Mark Luttrell)

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ASSOCIATION

Wedding Held

Robin Laurie Pittman and Mark Shannon Howard, both of Dallas, were united in marriage on May 26, 1990, at Park Cities Baptist Church in Dallas. Dr. James Pleitz, pastor, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Bill and Vivian Pittman of Austin. She is the grand-daughter of Mrs. Roberta Pittman of Clarendon.

The groom is the son of Richard and Sandra Howard of Dallas.

Matron of Honor was Jennifer Ward of Dallas. Serving as bridesmaids were Lynn Williamson of Dallas, Holly Howard of Dallas, and Suzanne Wendt of Tempe, Arizona.

Best man was Paul Howard of Dallas. Serving as groomsmen were Todd Pittman of Boston, Massachusetts, Russ Sullivan of Washington, D.C., and Barrett Davis of Dallas.

Ring bearer was Christopher Burns of Dallas, and the flower girl was Kristie Wood of Amarillo.

The bride is a graduate of Baylor University with a B.B.A. degree. She is presently employed in Dallas by Electronic Data Systems as a Corporate Trainer in the Professional Development area.

The groom is a graduate of Baylor University with a business degree. He is a graduate of S.M.U. Law School with a J.D., B.A. and M.B.A. degrees. He will join the firm of Kirkpatrick and Lockhart in Washington, D.C., as an attorney, after September 1.

The couple spent their honeymoon in Sante Fe, New Mexico.

Cancer Screening Clinic

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Woodard- Martinez Wed

The First Baptist Church of country blue. The groom wore Hedley was the site as double ring wedding vows were exchanged between Kelley Elizabeth The best man was Sheldon Duncan Woodard and Rickey Martinez at 3:00 Saturday, April 7th with Reverend Lewis Ellis, former pastor, officiating. A three - tiered brass candelabra and two floral ar- The three tiered ivory wedding rangements of mauve and country blue silk flowers formed the background. The unity candle on a brass stand, was accented with mauve celain wedding figurine surand country blue flowers. Pauline rounded by flowers. The cake and Estes of Wellington, organist, punch were served by Donda provided the music. The bride's sister Lee Ann Carmichael served as matron of honor. She wore a mauve lace over pink satin tea ivory lace cloth over pink. The length dress and carried a bouquet of country blue silk flowers. Ramona Woodard, niece of the bride served as the candle lighter. wedding date. Serving was the She wore a country blue lace over blue satin tea-length dress. The brides wedding gown was made of regal satin overlaid with ivory lace. The dropped waist was accented with a band of ivory satin and a big bow on the back. The hemline was high-low and tea-length. Her bouquet was a cascade of ivory silk roses accented with mauve and

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-A public service message from the Chamber of Com-

New Mexicans

Cared ...

in Donley County?

of Denton. he wore a black tuxedo with a mauve tie and cummerbund.

black tails with a black tie and cum-

merbund and a mauve boutonniere.

A reception followed the ceremony in the Fellowship Hall. cake was decorated with candles and mauve silk flowers on the top tier. On the second stood a por-Marsh of Canyon and Ramona Woodard of Clarendon. The brides table was covered with an groom's table held a coffee service, German chocolate cake and chocolate horseshoe embossed with the groom's sister. A 1982 graduate of Hedley High School, the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lowe of Pampa and the late Jack Woodard. She is currently Canyon. The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Martinez of Wellington High School. He is also son. International in Amarillo. Following a honey moon trip to Dallas the couple will reside in Amarillo.

Wedding Held

The family of Mark Lindsay would like to announce his marriage to Starlene Pike. They were married, Saturday, June 9, 1990 at 11 a.m. in the Assembly of God Church by Rev. J.W. Brown.

Notice C.H.S. '50's Exes

July 6th and 7th is the date for our second 5 year reunion to be held at the Camelot Inn in Amarillo, Texas. Our reservations have been slow coming in and we need to have a close head count by June 15th for food preparations, and also if you need a room for the night or nights.

Send reservations to Jo Anne Silbley Brown, Box 1161, Clarendon, TX 79226 as soon as possible. Camelot Inn - 806/373-3600

2500 I-40 East

Remember June 15th for July 6th

Tell all exes you know regardless of class year!!!

Dear Editor

We are finalizing plans for the High School Class of 1970 reunion. It will be held July 7, 1990 from 10:30 until 4:00 p.m. at the Community Center. The cost will be \$5.00 for children and \$10.00 for each adult.

We need you to R.S.V.P. and send your money by June 20, 1990, so we can get a count for the food.

We hope you can attend! See you there, Paulette Kidd **Box 1114** Clarendon, Texas 79226 (806)874-3731

Reunion To Be Held

The Clarendon High School graduating class of 1975 will hold their 15th year reunion on employed by Furr's Supermarket in Friday, July 6 at 7 p.m. at the Clarendon Country Club. The affair will be catered by Sam Hill's Wellington is a 1982 graduate of BBQ and the cost is \$5.00 per per-

a graduate of TSTI in Amarillo. He If you are planning to attend, is currently employed by Western please mail your money to Chris Matthews at P.O. Box 1170, Clarendon, TX 79226 as soon as possible or call Chris at 874-3225 or Denise Bertrand at 874-2846.



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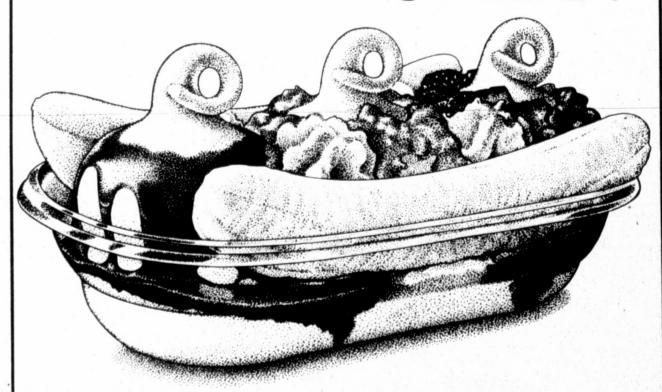


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ON SALE IN COUNTRY

Senior Citizen **News**

A big thanks goes to Shirley Pitts for installing "Air-Turbos" in our storage warehouse to help remove some of the summer hear and ventilation. Appreciated D.W. Swain's efforts in fixing my office lights, things seem a bit brighter now. Also, thanks to Jack Eden for donation of a sack of large print Reader's Digests for folks to enjoy reading.

Carmen Wright was very busy on Tuesday, June 5th, doing blood pressure checks. She will be back on Tuesday, June 19th from 9 a.m. til 1 p.m.

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The 1st Tuesday night dance was well attended, June 5th, with Melvin Srygley and the Off-Beats furnishing good music. Next dance will be June 19th, from 8 til 11 p.m. at the Community Bldg.

On Friday, June 9th, we bid farewell to Star Pike, who has been with the Center for 2 and a half years as a cook. To show our appreciation for all she has contributed to this Center, she was presented with a Money Tree and lots of best wishes and congratulations, due to she and Mark Lindsay exchanging wedding vows on Saturday, June 9th. We wish them both the very best.

As you all know we are supporting "Yesterday's Children" and it's efforts to develop the "Heritage Theme Park" off I-40 and Hwy 287 in the near future and they are sponsoring a public awareness event on Saturday, June 23, from 12:00 - 6 p.m. located at the Sam Houston Park on Western St., south of 6th St, in Amarillo. This event will hopefully educate the panhandle area about the plans for tourism and also introduce them to the many great artisans and craftsmen of the area. "Thunder on

Tourists in Clarendon?

Over 10,200 vehicles per day go through the center of Clarendon. Less than 1,000 of these are "locals". Is here a potential for tourism

-A public service message from the Chamber of Com-

The High Plains" is the big event and will kick off at 12:00 noon with Adobe Walls Dancer, scout troop from Borger, sponsored by the Hutchinson County Museum. Also featured will be the Plum Creek Brigade, a black powder group of Amarillo, captained by Mike Van-Deventner. Ed Day with National Parks Service, premier flint knapper of North America, will be demonstrating how to make arrowheads and telling the story of Alibates and the Plains Indians. Live entertainment: Clyde Logg Band, Cracker Jack Band, the Ballet Folklorico De Amarillo, strolling musicians and others. There will be local artists and craftsmen demonstrating and selling items, an auction of quilts and other donated craft items and food. Benefits will go to Yesterday's Children to provide seen money needed for preliminary plans for the proposed park to be built on I-40. We strongly urge everyone to plan to attend to get a deeper insight of the planning for the future needs of Senior Or-

ganizations. Many thanks to our ever-faithful Volunteers in the month of May: Alta Adkins, Jean Baten, Thelma Behrens, Marie Bell, Ann Bunyan, Helena Catoe, Kristy Christopher, Della and Elmo Fortenberry, Imogene Glass, Trina Judd, Marie McCracken, Kathy Lindsay, Star

Pike, Shirley and Dorothy Pitts, Verdie Tipton, Eda Wallin, Karen Wortham, Jimmy Simpson, Don Wooten, and Carmen Wright. MEMORIALS: Elenor Munden in memory of Forrest Munden; Lee Caskey, Leslie Salmon, Fannie and Corky Wilson in memory of Hugh Sanders; Fannie, Corky & Alice Wilson in memory of Eva Bingham; Newell Rice in memory of Cecil Wood; Corky & Fannie Wilson, Onita Thomas in memory of Flavil Hodge. FACILITY USE: Senior Citizens Dance Club.

Reminder: of the Free health Fair being held at the church of Christ Family Center, 300 S. Carhart St. Thursday, June 14th from 10:00 a.m. till 2:00 p.m., co-sponsored with Currie eye Institute. Hope to see you there.

Senior Citizen Menu

June 14 - June 20

Thursday: Meatloaf w/sweet and sour sauce, Au Gratin Potatoes, Peas and Carrots, Jello and Bananas, Cherry Turnovers, Dinner Roll, Coffee, Tea, Milk

Friday: Chicken and Dumplings, Broccoli, Peaches and Cottage Cheese, Peanut Butter Pie, Bread, Coffee, Tea, Milk

Monday: Fish, Turnip Greens, Carrots, Combination Fruit Cup, Brownies, Hushpuppies, Coffee, Tea, Milk

Tuesday: Oven Fried Chicken, Cream Potatoes w/Gravy, Corn on the Cob, Cantaloupe Salad, Ozark Apple Pudding, Dinner Roll, Coffee, Tea, Milk

Wednesday: Beef Toastadas w/Cheese, Pinto Beans, Tossed Salad, Mixed Fruit, Tortilla Chips, Coffee, Tea, Milk

Calendar of Events

Thursday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3 p.m., Free Health Fair - at church of **Christ Family Center**

Friday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3 p.m. Monday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3 p.m.,

Dance Practice 7-9 p.m. Tuesday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3 p.m., 3rd Tues. Nite Dance Comm. Bldg. 8-11 p.m., Blood Pressure Clinic 9 - 1 p.m.

Wedesday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3 noon Arts & Crafts 1 p.m. musicians, among many others.

Event To Be Held

Yesterday's Children is sponsering a public awareness event June 23, 1990. We are trying to let the people of the Panhandle Know about our plans for tourism and at the same time introduce them to the many great artisans and craftsmen of the area.

"Thunder on the High Plains" will be held at Sam Houston Park on Western, south of Sixth Street. We will kick off at 12:00 noon with the Adobe Wall Dancers, a scout troop from Borger, sponsered by the Hutchinson County Museum. Featured will be the Plum Creek Brigade, a black powder group of Amarillo, capatained by Mike Van-Deventer. Ed Day with the National Park Service, premier flint knapper of North America, will be demonstrating how to make arrowheads and telling the story of Alibtes National Monument and the Plains Indians. There will by live enertainment: Clyde Logg Band, IN CASE OF EMERGENCY Cracker Jack Band, The Ballet CALL 874-3533 p.m., Board of Directors Mt. 12 Folklorico de Amarillo, strolling

Local artists and craftsmen will demonstrate their skills and creations, which will be available for purchase. An auction of donated one-of-a-kind handicrafts will by held. A refreshment center will be set up for your convenience. Benefits will go to Yesterday's Children to provide seed money needed for preliminary plans for the proposed park to be built on I-40. Bring your blankets and lawn chairs and join us June 23, 12:00 to 6:00 at Sam Houston Park for "Thunder on the High Plains"

Dance Set

The Senior Citizens 3rd Tuesday dance will be June 19, 1990 at the Community Building on North Ayers Street from 1 p.m. to 11 p.m. There will be live music. The admission charge is \$2.00 per person. Come out and have fun!



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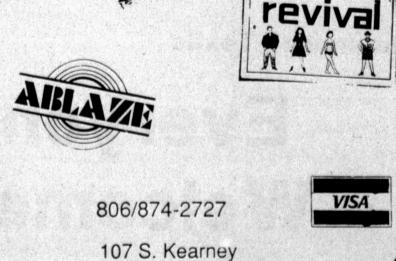
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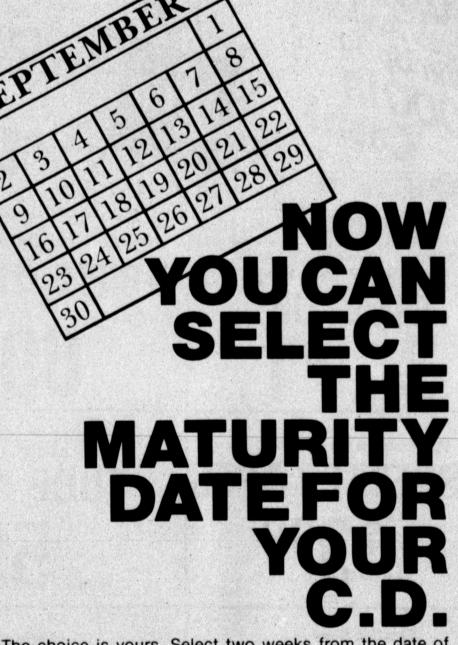








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MICHAEL STRICKLAND Local Grandson

by Eddie Strickland

Graduates

Eddie Strickland flew with the Strickland's only son, De Juan Strickland of Onida South Dakota to attend Michael's graduation-the only Strickland grandson. Dr. Michael De Juan Strickland

was graduated from the University

of Texas Medical School at San Antonio, Texas on Sunday, June 3, 1990 at 7:30 p.m.

Graduation exercises and program were in the auditorium of the Trinity Church. The main speaker for the graduation was a member of President George Bush's Cabinet.

Immediately afterwards, there was a beautiful outdoor reception in the moonlight among the flowers, fountains and trees while all shared in such great joy that no one of the doctors offered to serve any sick person that night even after they were urged to "lay down" their own lives for even one poor little suffering soul.

On Monday, De Juan and Eddie took Michael to lunch together with his sister, Karen Strickland, who is a teacher in Houston then immediately headed back to Amarillo for home here in Clarendon and in Onida, South Dakota.

Dr. Michael De Juan Strickland is not the first Dr. Strickland to practice in Clarendon. Mrs. Ruby Dell Estlack told me of two Strickland doctors, Drs. Gy and Mark Strickland, brothers who took care of her father in 1934.

Dr. Michael Strickland left immediately for Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania to the home of his cousins. Mr. and Mrs. James Russell, Jr., an

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attorney of law there. Michael and Russell grew up as very close knit cousins as they spent much time together in their Stricklands grandparents home.

Michael is to do his internship in

Local **Daughter Graduates**

Janet Elizabeth Risley of Clarendon was among 129 students receiving their Bachelor's degree in Lubbock Christian University's Spring Graduation ceremonies.

Janet graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Secondary Education. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Risley.

Janet was a member of the Alpha Chi National Honor Society, where she served as Vice-President. She was also a member of the National Dean's List and Who's Who. She was named Academic All-District in Track and was a member of Women's Track and the District XVI Champion Cross Country

Lubbock Christian University is a Liberal Arts institution dedicated to providing a quality education in a Christian atmosphere.

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George W. Bush will visit Clarendon on behalf of U.S. Congressional candidate Dick Waterfield. Bush will participate in a 2:30 p.m. reception for Dick and his wife Gail at the Clarendon Community Center on Thursday, June 21st. The reception will be hosted by T.M. and Genevieve Caldwell and Jenks and Tandy Boston. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited to attend. For more information call 874-2513 or 874-3792.

Local Chairman **Attends** Convention

Donley County Democratic Chairman Jean Taylor and delegate Dean Hill attended the State Democratic Convention in Fort Worth.

Upon entering the convention, we visited with the Texas Teachers Caucus. Then we picked up our credentials and it was on to the Labor Union Caucus and Texas Democratic Womens' Caucus. At all the meetings, we heard Ann

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Deople who are traveling stop about every 200 miles (about every 7th town). If Clarendon looks good and has something unique to offer we can stop many of the 10,000 vehicles per day that go passed the Kearney Street intersection. Each car that stops adds money to the local economy and that benefits every resi-

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Richards speak on the issues that concerned each group. After visiting as many booths and caucus' as possible, the 31st Senatorial District had our own. The meeting was opened by our State Committee Woman, Clarendon's own Brenda

Bill Sarpalius and Bryan Poff addressed the group and then we got down to our business.

At 6 o'clock, the convention opened with the keynote speaker, Senator Lloyd Bentsen. Those of us from our district were so proud when the Senator mentioned our own Congressman Bill Sarpalius by name twice in talking about our leaders in Congress. And of course, we were very proud when the fourth speaker and the only Congressman to speak was Bill Sarpalius. He spoke on the rural concerns, the total cutting of all funds for R.E.A. for rural telephone coops, more cuts for rural hospitals.

Bill also spoke about Lithuanian independence, how a tiny country who the communists in taking over killed 1/3 of the population and 380,000 at one time, was only asking to be recognized. And how every President since 1938 had refused to recognize the communists until

The next morning at the Convention, we had as our speaker, Ann Richards. Ann was introduced by an honors student. Ann spoke over 35 minutes of her hour speech on education. Ann pointed out that the honors student had received his education, a strong background from 13 computer languages to sports from the public education system. Miss Richards went on to talk about what we must do in Texas to have a bright future.

We were pleased to have met and talked to all the democratic candidates for state-wide offices.

Obituary

Gilbert Monroe Bryan

Funeral services for Gilbert Monroe Bryan, age 78, were held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, June 11, 1990 in the Church of Christ in Claude, Texas with Bob Setliff, Pastor and Doyle Wells, Pastor of the Church of Christ in Childress, Texas, officiating. Interment was at 4:00 p.m. in Municipal Cemetery in Hobart, Oklahoma with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Mr. Bryan died at his home in Claude on Tuesday, June 5, 1990 after a sudden illness. He was born October 1, 1911 in Braithwaithe, Oklahoma and was married to Elaine Prough on August 5, 1934 at Gotebo, Oklahoma. He had worked most of his life as a mechanic and worked for 35 years for Davis Brothers Chevrolet in Claude before his retirement. He was a former mayor of Claude and was one of the organizers of the drama "Texas" which is held in Palo Duro Canyon. He had lived in Clarendon for 10 years before moving to Claude in 1951. He was a member of the Church of Christ in

Survivors include his wife, Elaine Bryan of Claude; two daughters, Bonita Gayle Mayorga of San Antonio, Karen Virginia Goodin of St. Louis, Missouri; one son, James Bryan of Amarillo; three brothers, Alvin Bryan of Edmond, Oklahoma, Gid Bryan of Altus, Oklahoma, William Jennings Bryan of Hobart, Oklahoma; five granddaughters; and two great granddaughters.

Casket bearers were Gerald Ray, W.T. Sullivan, E.J. Britten, Paul Rutherford, Jim Hubbard, Cecil Hubbard, John Knierim, and Kenneth Banister.

The family requests that memorials be to High Plains Childrens Home in Amarillo.

V.F.W. Ladies Meet

The Ladies Auxiliary to the V.F.W. Post #7782 met Thursday night, June 7th, for the purpose of installing the officers for the coming year. Following a brief business meeting, Mrs. Betty Dykes, President for District 13 installed the following: President -Josie Burgess; Treasurer - Ann Bunyan; Secretary - Lola Bartel; Guard - Billie Taylor; Conductress Carmen Wright; Senior & Junior Vice Presidents - Ellie Wilkinson and Wanda Dromgoole; Trustees -Ilene Davidson, Mary Beth Nelson, and Nita Graham.

Other members present were Nova Neuhaus, Jean Baten, Pauline Cross, Irene Vinson, and Elinor McKee.



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The Lions Tale

by Gene Alderson

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting at noon on Tuesday, June 5th, at the Lions Hall with 27 preent. Following the regular opening ceremony, Boss Lion Todd Knorpp introduced our guests including Lynn Alderson, who was the guest of Lion Gene Alderson. Gene Welch & Kim Formway were the guests of Lion Linda Welch. A bingo report was given. Tickets for the fishing equipment that the club is giving away on July 4th were distributed. Meeting adjourned.

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1990 Chev. purchased by Wayne I. Riggs, Clarendon 1989 Chev. purchased by C.B. Medical

Museum **Meeting Held**

Halford, Childress

called meeting on Wednesday, June

The treasurer reported that \$5000 had been received from the City of Clarendon, which is most needed and appreciated. This is a result of the bed tax and will be used in a manner to promote tourism for Clarendon.

Plans for the annual Fourth of July free meal and open house at the museum were discussed and final-

The museum will be open a portion of each day, Wednesday, July 4th through Sunday, July 8th as follows: Wednesday, July 4 - 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Thursday, July 5 - 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Friday, July 6 - 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday, July 7 - 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.; Sunday, July 8-1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Sloppy Joes, homemade ice cream and cake will be served 7:00 p.m. at no charge.

Also, this year a \$50.00 Savings Bond will be given as a door prize. The drawing will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday and you do not have to be present to win.

Plans for various exhibits are being made and we will have more on that later. Everyone please plan to attend.

Center News

Residents of Medical Center The Saints' Roost Museum had our monthly meeting Board of Directors met in a Tuesday, June 5th, 1990 at 10:30 had our monthly meeting a.m. We all gathered in the dining

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Pursuant to the settlement, while not admitting liability, Southwestern Bell, the other local exchange telephone companies in Texas, and AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc. have agreed to pay refunds to those WATS/800 customers who paid overtime charges attributable to the rounding practices for intrastate WATS/800 services at any time between September, 1976, and February, 1987. The refunds will be based upon either the actual or estimated amount of overtime charges attributable to such rounding practices. An exact refund will be determined for customers able to produce copies of their WATS/800 service bills. For customers who do not have copies of their WATS/800 service bills to establish actual overtime charges paid, an average refund of \$4.53 to \$5.95 per WATS/800 service line per month will be applied. All claims will be subject to verification. The refunds will also include interest at the rate of 7.80% per annum.

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Those customers who think they may be entitled to a refund or who desire more information must call 1-800-782-3026, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, or write to WATS Refund Pool Administrator, One Bell Plaza, Room 670, P. O. Box 650376, Dallas. Texas 75265-0376, to request a WATS Refund Information Package. The WATS Refund Information Package will contain further information regarding the lawsuit and eligibility for a refund, a description of documentation required to support a customer's claim for refund, and a refund claim form to be filled out and submitted requesting a refund. REQUESTING A WATS REFUND INFORMATION PACKAGE DOES NOT OBLIGATE YOU IN ANY WAY.

All claims for a refund must be received by the Refund Pool Administrator by Friday, October 5, 1990, and all rejections of the settlement (that is, requests for exclusion from the class action lawsuit) must be received by the Court by Wednesday, September 5, 1990. Only those who respond by filing a claim or by filing a rejection of the settlement, as explained in the WATS Refund Information Package, will receive notice of future developments in this proceeding.

Persons who wish to obtain further information may also contact the Public Utility Commission, Public Information Division, at (512) 458-0257 or (512) 458-1221, teletypewriter for the deaf

room for our regular a.m. activity. Charlie Bairfield called our meeting to order and asked our Activity Director Vera Johnson to lead us in prayer. Then he asked our recording secretary to read our last minutes. The residents approved the minutes as being correct. Then Vera Johnson explained the June activities calender to us. The residents voted their approval. Jeannie Formway led us in planning our meal of the month. We decided to have ham or barbecue chicken, corn-on-the-cob or cream corn, green beans or red bean- tossed salad, and for dessert coconut or pumpkin pie. This meal will be served later in the month. Charlie then asked for the motion of adjournment. Peggy Hidran made the motion and Sybil Rattan seconded the motion. The meeting closed. Saturday evening from 6:00 p.m. to We all played some bingo games

and later we had our noon meal. The residents that were present were: Nora Leathers, Hollie Coleman, Edna Tina, Threecle Foster, Joy Robinson, Roy Blackman, Andy Robertson, Peggy Hudson, Sybil Rattan, Love Stanley, Lois Percival, Lucille Lutrell, Veda Mahoffey, Ernest Kent, and Charlie Bairfield. Jeannie Formway, Vera Johnson and Charlie Bairfield were directing the meeting.

Amarillo Livestock Auction Sales Every Tuesday This Week's Receipts: 4.000 Feeder Steers: Steady. Feeder Heifers: Steady to \$2 lower. Slau. Cows: Steady to \$1 lower. Slau. Bulls: Steady.

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200-300#- 105.00-115.00 300-400#- 91.00-98.00 400-500#- 94.50-95.00 500-600#- 80.25-89.00 600-700#- 78.25-82.75 Slaughter Cows: 46.00-56.00 Slaughter Bulls: 60.00-65.50 We would all like to give our thanks to Charlie for leading the meeting in a very businesslike way with the

Surprise **Dinner Held**

proper order.

The Clarendon News

Dreceding the regular stated meeting a "Surprise Spaghetti Dinner" was held in honor of District Deputy Grand Matron Mrs. Jerry Sheppard of Pampa Matron Mrs. Tena Powell, Clarendon Chapter No. 6, Dist. II, Sec. V, with 39 members attending and one Clarendon Chapter No. 6. guest Marianne Nelson, daughter of Mrs. Vivien Hunter.

preparation were - Carol Grady members during the past year and Grady and Rachael Butler, French Bread, Frankie Henson and Polly Sarich, Spaghetti Sauce and Polly

Monti, California, Livingston forward to.

Chapter No. 172, Pampa No. 65 and Top O' Texas No. 1064 and Clarendon Chapter No. 6.

During the meeting WM Polly Sarich and WP John Sarich presented DDGM Jerry Sheppard and DGM Tena Powell with gifts of cloth woven baskets. Both the DDGM and DGM spoke of the Fellowship of Eastern Star me:nbers and the joy generated among them. Then the WP John Sarich was honored with a gift of an engraved letter opener, and WM Polly Sarich was honored with a gift Chapter No. 65 and Deputy Grand of a beautiful beaded belt, compliments of the DGM, Tena Powell, Frankie Henson and members of

WM Polly and WP John spoke of the gratitude they have felt for the Those involved in the food attendance and work of all the and Pat McCombs, Salad, Ethelyn of the many remembrances and events they will always have to look back on.

Mrs. Ruth Hancock will be Wor-Sarich, Italian Tortoni for dessert. thy Matron and Mr. Billy Powell Chapters represented were: will be Worthy Patron for the 1990-Paducah #506, Hedley #413, El 91 year, which everyone is looking

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tification for an EMT was received in 1978 and his Paramedic in 1979. Patrick joined the Clarendon EMS Association. Patricl held the office of President for the year of 1989.

Patrick has had accreditation as a Texas Department of Health Instructor from 1980 to the present. He received the Chamber of Commerce Community Service Award in 1981. He was the Fireman of the Year in 1986. he is on the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department as an Assistant Chief.

Patrick grew up in Clarendon. His occupation is the Funeral Director in Clarendon. He has a son Charles Wayne "Chuck" age 5. Patrick hobbies are flying and

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The slate of nominees for Donley, Armstrong, Gray area committee are listed in the ballot below. the qualifications of persons voting are described in the "Voter Certification Statement." For further information regarding voting and voter eligibility, see the County Office listed above. FmHA elections are open to all eligible voters without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, political affiliation, marital status, sex, and /or handicap.

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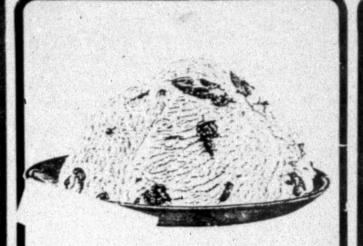
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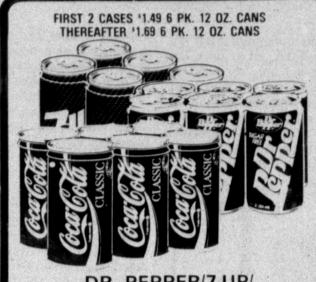
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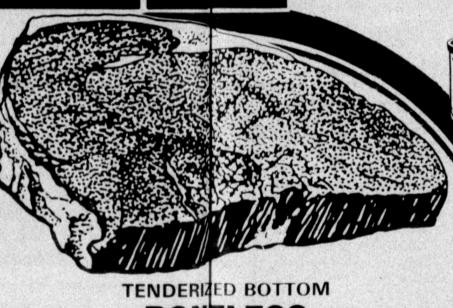
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I received the following letter from Bill Sarpalius.

Dear Mr. Russell:

Enclosed is a copy of correspondence received from the United States Postal Service in response to the request made in your behalf concerning modifications to the post office building in Clarendon.

We were pleased to note that the Clarendon post office is scheduled for improvements to make it accessible to the handicapped by June of

Thank you for bringing this matter to our attention. If we may be of chitectural Barriers Act is to conassistance in another matter, please sider, case-by-case, customer-recontact us. We are pleased to be of service to you.

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> Clarendon Postmaster Bob Mc-Combs reports that rural delivery service to curbside boxes is provided in Clarendon by four highway contract routes. It is possible your constituent may qualify for a delivery extension if he meets the required criteria. the principal criteria are that an average of one family should be served for each mile of travel added to the route, including and necessary retrace, and roads generally should be public, maintained in good condition and passable for vehicles throughout the year. Where necessary, adequate turnaround space must be provided for the carrier's vehicle. Extensions of service on private roads may be considered for two or more families, contingent upon the customer's written agreement to maintain the road to permit safe travel by the carrier. Extensions of service will not be made along private driveways.

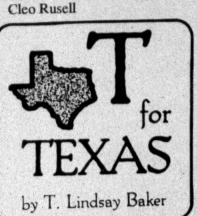
Should your constituent wish to apply for a delivery extension, we suggest he contact Mr. McCombs who will be pleaded to assist him in

completing the application. If I may be of further assistance, please let me know.

Sincerely, James V. Hitaffer Representative Office of Government Liaison

(Across The Street From City Hall!)

This is just more proof that if you get into politics, all at once the voters are not able to think for themselves and that you must never tell them the truth. The Post Office will make a big project out of this when all is needed is to remove that bagworm bush and cut the curb. That is about a 90 minute job.



The First **Hilton Hotel**

T. Lindsay Baker

When you live somewhere, you tend to take things for granted. The phenomenon is the same anywhere from Monahans to Nacogdoches or from London to Bombay.

Just because the old Mobley Hotel in Cisco, Tex., was the first hotel purchased by Conrad Hilton of the Hilton Hotel chain, this distinction didn't make it special to most people for decades. From a cheap hotel, the two-story red brick structure in time became a convalescent home and finally an empty hulk where Main Street crossed the Texas and Pacific Railway tracks in Cisco.

The Mobley wasn't shabby when Conrad Hilton Lought it back in 1919. A recently returned veteran from World War 1, he traveled to Cisco in Mid-May of that year to negotiate the purchase of a local bank, only to discover that the deal had fallen through. Disgusted, Hilton walked from the bank back to the railway station, hoping to return home to New Mexico that evening.

The nest train was not scheduled until the next day, however, so Hilton had to find a place to spend the night. Walking the short distance from the station over to the Mobley, he found its lobby filled with overflow workers from the nearby Ranger Oil Field, each one of them clamoring for an 8-hour time slot in one of the rooms, By the time that Hilton had worded his way up to the registration desk, the manager called out, "Full up for today."

The night's inconvenience proved to present a great opportunity for Hilton, for that evening he visited with the hotel owner about his amazing business. After Hilton expressed possible interest in buying the hotel, the owner replied, "Fifty thousand and you can have my bed tonight." After dickering the price cane down to \$40,000, and within a week Conrad Hilton had become a hotel owner.

Knowing that Cisco offered alternate eating establishments and realizing that his real money was to be made i renting spaces for sleeping, Conrad Hilton cancelled meal service and divided the dining room into twenty more tiny rooms, each with a bed and bureau, and he rented each of the additional rooms for three 8-hour shifts daily.

"If you were a worker in the oil boom," Don Shepard of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce explained to me, "you had a little box there on the wall for your linens. The oil field workers got clean linens twice a week. You'd take them to your room and then when you left you'd put them back on your box."

J.V. Heyser, 68-year-old justice of the peace at Cisco, told me that he remembered best the stone goldfish pond that still stands just east of the building. It was filled with water and had a little fountain that squirted water into the air to aerate the pond for the fish.

"We'd sit on the steps that they had around it, and we'd roll our papers there."

After the hotel stood derelict for several years, the City of Cisco with the assistance of the Hilton Foundation purchased the old Moblev Hotel in the mid - 1980's and undertook a complete restoration of the building. Retaining the original exterior, the city rebuilt the interior to serve as a community center.

Although the funds for the acquisition and restoration of the building came from the Hilton Foundation, not everyone in Cisco thought that the money was necessarily well spent. Justice of the Peace J.V.Heyser, who had folded boyhood newspapers beside the goldfish pond at the hotel, asserted to me, "I thought it was ridiculous to put \$1 1/2 million into it, but that't just my opinion."

Personally, I'm glad they did it.

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The Woodwards' involvement in missions projects as well as their contacts with missionaries through the First Assembly has culminated in their appointment in Mexico. Steve and Sheri will be coordinating discipleship training programs in Mexican churches. the Assemblies of God has designated the 1990s as the "Decade of Harvest". Training Mexican Christians to grow in the Lord and reach their world is an important part of meeting the evangelistic goals of the

Mexico is a land of great need. Most of its 88 million citizens live in poverty. Spiritually, the country is in darkness. While 97% of the people claim Roman Catholicism as their religion, much religious practice is purely traditional. The hearts of the mexican people need to be reached with the gospel.

The public is invited to hear Steve and Sheri on Sunday, June 17. The challenge to evangelize the world can only be met by the collective participation of Christians committed to doing what they can to equip missionaries for service.

From All of Us ...

Several Clarendon businesses contributed money to clean up and mow several vacant lots that are in highly traveled areas. This has improved the appearance of the whole town. The Chamber of Commerce would like to thank the following businesses: The Print Shoppe, The Grocery Store, Clarendon Auto Supply, Clarendon Office Supply, First Bank and Trust, Wanda's Hair Design, The Clarendon Press, James T. Shelton--Attorney at Law, Pat Walker Studio, C.E. Pierce. Area folks might also like to tell these firms "Thanks!".

> Gary Wormsbaker

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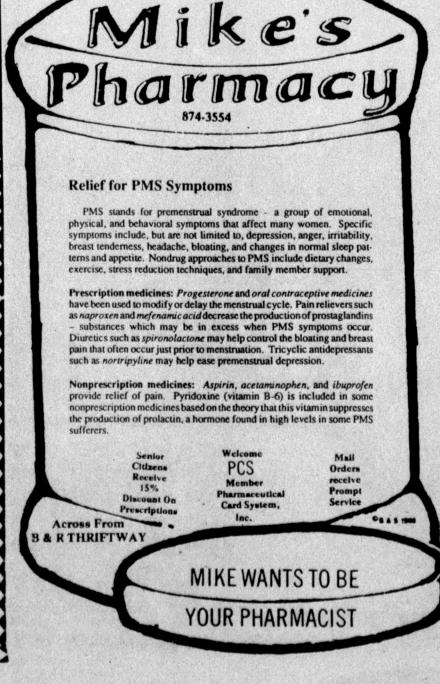
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The community was grieved at the passing of two of its own recently. Helen Wood Solomon passed away in Amarillo on May 31 following a lengthy illness. Helen grew up in Hedley, married Kenneth Solomon, also well known to Hedleyans, in 1967, and was a beautician. Helen always had a bright smile and a wonderful sense of humor. She will be missed.

Then, on Wednesday, June 6, Hedleyans were shocked at the passing of long-time resident W. B. "Nookie" Wiggins. Nookie was an active member of his church, served ably for several terms on the City Council, and supported the school and community in too many ways to enumerate. He, too, will be sorely

Full obituaries may be found elsewhere in this issue.

In other news, Hedleyans were delighted to learn that Methodist pastor Terry Tamplen has been reassigned as pastor of the Hedley and Clarendon United Methodist Churches. Bro. Tamplen is a great credit to his church and to the community, and we wish him well as he begins his third year with the two congregations. The Hedley congregation held a special supper meeting Monday evening to hear a full report of the recent Midland

sessions of the Northwest Texas United Methodist Conference.

Manford Snelson was injured last Wednesday morning in Childress when a tractor ran over his foot. Swelling in the ankle and foot had subsided somewhat by Sunday. We wish him a speedy and painless recovery.

Several area residents reported seeing funnel clouds in and around Lelia Lake last week. Fortunately, none seem to have done any damage. Keep your ears tuned to radio or television as the clouds, so common this time of year, continue

Angie Boliver, daughter of Jimmy and Sharon Boliver, celebrated her sixteenth birthday at home in Amarillo this Saturday with a party of friends and relatives. Among the guests were grandmothers Joyce Boliver of Hedley and Marie Johnson of Clarendon, and Pauline and Jon Leggitt of Hedley.

Pastor Rob Lackey and family are vacationing in Oklahoma City this week. Gracie Burkhalter rode with them to visit her daughter Rhonda, who has been quite ill late-

David Holt has reopened the garage at Highway 287 and Main Street. We wish him well in his new

Craig Kennedy, his wife Nancy, and six-month-old son Dustin, and Craig's sister Misty have been visiting home folks recently. Craig is

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Obituaries

W.B. Wiggins

W.B. "Nookie" Wiggins, 69, died Wednesday, June 6,

Services were at 2 p.m. on Friday, June 8 in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Rob Lackey, pastor, and the Rev. Bryan Knowles, a retired minister from Clarendon, officiating. Burial was in Rowe Cemetery by Spicer Funeral Home of Memphis.

Mr. Wiggins, born in Hall County, had lived in Hedley more than 60 years. He married Geraldine Land in 1940 at Hedley. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge for 48 years. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife: three sons, Bill Wiggins of Wheeler, Bobby Wiggins of Lakeview and Phillip Wiggins of Hedley; two

brothers, Jeff Wiggins and Owen Wiggins, both of Pasadena; and 10 grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Rowe Cemetery.

Helen Solomon

Funeral services for Helen Nell Solomon, 42, of Fritch, were held Sunday, June 3rd at 2:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Hedley with Rev. Rob Lackey officiating. Burial was in Rowe Cemetery in Hedley under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Solomon passed away May 31 at St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo.

She was born August 31, 1947 in Memphis, daughter of Joe and Flossie Hill Wood.

She was married to Kenneth Solomon February 28, 1967 in Claude. She was a beautician and at one time worked in Memphis at Dorothy Stargel's Beauty Shop.

She is survived by her husband Kenneth of the home in Fritch; one

daughter, Robin Lynn McPherson of Fritch; a son, Kenneth Lewis Solomon of Fritch; one granddaughter, Whitney Lynn; her mother, Mrs. Flossie Wood of Hedley; a brother Joe Wayne Wood of Panhandle; four sisters, Joy Stone of Childress, Kathy Bennett of Amarillo, Jane Wood of Hedley and Jean Stafford of Hedley.

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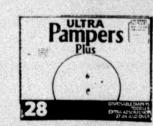
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The Johnsons had their reunion last week in the Hedley Lions Den. Everyone enjoyed The Clarendon News sitting in my usual window seat in first class, having my favorite

drink. I was returning home from

the Middle East after a very trying

week of top-dollar negotiations

with the Arabs; I was very tired.

Well, I guess I had fallen asleep but

it didn't seem much like a dream. I

normally don't sleep on my flights

home, it leaves me restless and ir-

ritable. My customary routine

would involve getting my notes

together and planning my strategies

on dealing with the oil companies.

But sleep I did. It was unusually

quiet on the plane that morning. I

had reserved most of the cabin to

try and get some work done; I was

a very wealthy and influential man.

that I was suddenly in the desert

standing in the hot sun. Many men

surrounded me with little whips

and quirts. The men were talking

in Arabic, but even though I speak

fluent Arabic, I couldn't under-

stand them. Up ahead was a giant

stone structure with a narrow gap between two pillars. Walls skirted it

on either side. I looked around for

my briefcase and was met with the

shock of my life! Someone brought

one of those whips across my lower

back, the pain was excruciating. I

turned and tried to yell at the man,

but when I did, the most horrible

noise came out of my mouth; It

shocked me so! I looked down at my

feet they were...they were...hooves!

I was a camel! I couldn't believe it!

Then the men began pushing me

toward the stone structure. I had no

choice but to go. The load on my

back was extremely heavy and the

I was led to the gap in the two

thirst was unbelievable.

I dreamed--if it was a dream--

lunch and visited in the afternoon. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Maxey Osburn and Brandi, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sharp, Kale and Kathy Brandon, Angie, Monica, and Jeremy Pierce, Sandra Wilkerson, Travis Johnson, Bud and Ann Johnson, Cindy Johnson, Greg Wilkerson, Kelly Wilkerson, Tomie, Carrie, Clay, and Cara Lee Johnson of Amarillo.

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Doorposts The Man That Became A

Camel

by Perry Mack Garrison

the men were arguing with the guard about something, they wanted me to go through the gap; I couldn't! The more I tried the worse it got. I was hanging up on something. Then one of the men started striking me with a rod, it was terrible. And the thirst! I could smell the water on the other side; I longed for it! I cried to the men: It's the load on my back! The load! Can't you see? It's too big! But they wouldn't listen. The pain and fear overtook me! I fell to my knees.

I awoke trembling. My clothes soaked with perspiration. Everything was as before: my feet were human, I had hands, and I could speak. I asked the flight attendant for a glass of water and gulped it down. I wanted to pray for the first time in years but couldn't remember how. I thought of the little New Testament church that my family and I used to attend. I thought of my teen-aged son whom I hadn't talked to in months. I thought of my wife. And I kept thinking--almost screaming--to myself: the load! Lighten the load! And then I remembered my Sunday-School days many years ago. I remembered a verse: "...How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the kingdom of God! For it is easier for a camel to go through the needle's eve, than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God. Luke 18:24,25"

I'm back here in my little New Testament church now. I'm so happy! My son is being baptized tonight! I was baptized six weeks ago. I gave my life, including money, to Jesus Christ and He helped me lighten the load. I feel like a new man! I'm sorry--I

being a visitor. I just can't stop talking about my Lord. And you know that verse I just quoted? Well just two verses down from that says: "...The things which are impossible with men are pos ible with God." Isn't that Great?!

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The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the first annual Saint's Roost Road Race on July 4th! There will be a 5K(3.1 miles) race for ages 15 and above, and a 1 mile run for 14 and under. The 1 mile and 5K will start at 9:20 a.m and 10:00 a.m. respectively. Both races will begin and end in front of the courthouse. Awards will be given to boys and girls separately in the following divisions. In the 1 mile, the age groups are: 10 and under; 11-14. The top 5 boy and girl finishers in each division will receive and award. In the 5K the age groups are: 15-19; 20-29; 30-39; 40 and over. The top 3 male and female finishers in each division will receive an award. The entry fee is \$5.00 and entry forms can be picked up at Greene Dry Goods from June 27th until race day!

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Review by the Appraisal Review Board: If you can't resolve your informally with the appraisal district staff, you may have your case heard by the appraisal review board.

The appraisal review board (ARB) is an independent board of citizens problems reviews appraisals and other concerns listed above. They have the power to order the appraisal district to make the necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing (called a notice a protest) before the deadline, the ARB will set your case for a hearing. You'll receive written notification of the time, date, and place of the hearing. The hearing will be informal. You and the appraisal district representative will be asked to present evidence about your case. The ARB will make its decision based on the evidence presented. You can get a copy of a protest form from the appraisal district office at the Donley County Courthouse Annex, P.O.Box 1220, Clarendon 79226; phone 806-874-2744.

Note: You shouldn't try to contact ARB members outside of the hearing. The law requires you to sign an affidavit saying that you haven't done so before the ARB hears your

Review by the District Court: After it decides your case, the ARB must send you a copy of its order by certified mail. If you're not satisfied with the decision you have the right to appeal to district

court. If you choose to go to court, you must start the process by filing a petition within 45 days of the date you receive the ARB's order. If the appraisal district has appraised you property at \$1,000,000 or more, you must file a notice of appeal with the chief appraiser within 15 days of the date you receive the ARB's order.

More information: You can get more information by contacting your appraisal district at the Donley County Courthouse Annex, P.O. Box 1220, Clarendon 79226; phone 806-874-2744. You can also get a pamphlet describing how to prepare a protest from the appraisal district. or from the State Property Tax Board, 4301 Westbank Dr. Bldg. B. Suite 100, Austin, TX 78746.

Deadline for filing protests with the ARB

(the deadline is postponed to the next business day if it falls on a weekend or holiday)

Usual deadline:

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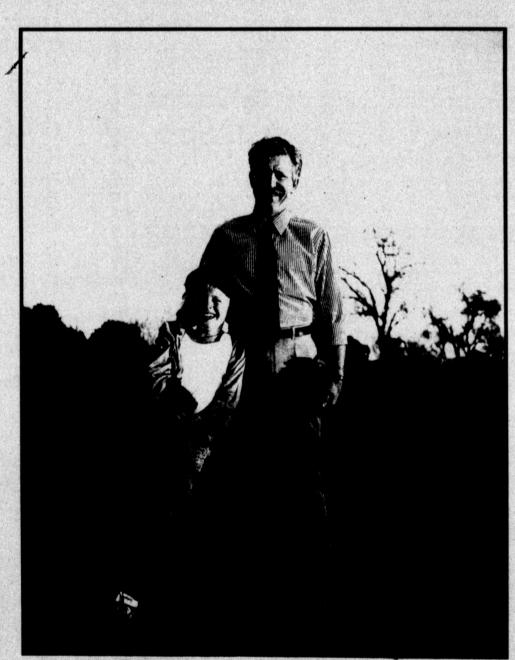
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The Patching Club House Fundraiser was a great success. The board of directors wishes to thank all those volunteers and club members for the past two weekends of hard work.

The Bake Sale items were works of art and the delicious food brought in during both weekends gave the workers the fuel we needed to complete the course.

Repairs made by the local carpenters greatly improved our clubhouse. Cleo Russell, the clothes racks are the finest in town and thanks to you, Alvin Hicks and Larry Hicks, our doors and lights operate as they should. Mike Mc-Anear worked high on the roof, repaired the kitchen table, trimmed trees, as did the other men and hauled it all away.

Special thanks to our very special friend, Zell Sorelle, for inspiring us to start workdays. So much more needs to be done and we sincerely appreciate your efforts toward renovation of the Patching Club

We would also like to thank everyone who brought garage sale items and helped with our gargage

Our heart felt thanks goes out to all of those who sent, flowers, cards, food, memorials and their love and prayers over the loss of our father or grandfather. We want to especially thank the nurses and staff at the Nursing home for all the love and tender care they gave our Dad during his stay with them. We will never forget it. He loved each and everyone of you. We can never really repay you, so we will just say thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

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