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NEWS at a glance

Early voting ends next Tuesday

Early balloting continues through April 30, for three local boards.

Citizens of the City of Clarendon can cast early ballots for three aldermen at City Hall. Those running are Tommy Hill, Janice Knorpp, Mac Stavenhagen (i), and Mark White (i). Billy Jack Land (i) is running as a write-in.

Howardick citizens will also select three aldermen and can choose from Vernon Byars (i), Sam Grider, Donald Hollady, or Bobby Murdock. Balloting is at the Howardick City Hall.

Citizens of Donley County can vote for three positions on the Clarendon College Board of Regents. Those running are Jimmy Blackerby, Mary Douglas, Sherol Johnston, Jack A. Moreman (i), and Bill Sansing (i). Early votes may be cast at the Administration Building.

The regular election day will be Saturday, May 4.

CC to hold Spring Concert Sunday

Clarendon College Jazz Band and Choir will host their annual Spring Concert on Sunday, April 28, at 2 p.m. in the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Auditorium.

Free and open to the public, this event will feature musical selections from CC students and faculty.

Fellowship Church sets Open House

The members of Community Fellowship Church will hold an open house and dedication of their new facility this Sunday, April 28.

The activities begin at 2:30 p.m. at the new church located at 12148 FM 2162 (JA Ranch Road). A reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall.

Girl Scout office plans open house

An open house is being held on Thursday, April 25, from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. at the new Girl Scout office located at 204 S. Kearney in Clarendon. Refreshments will be served.

The Chamber of Commerce will be present to do a ribbon cutting ceremony at 6:00 p.m., and some of the neighboring businesses will remain open for late night shopping. Everyone is invited to attend.

Deadline extended

The deadline for the Richard L. Gilkey Scholarship has been extended to May 3, 2002.

For more information about the \$2,000 scholarship, contact Hospital District Administrator Alan Graham at 874-5221.

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All this and much more in this week's springtime edition!

County restores deferred items to courthouse project

All deferred items have been added back into the Donley County Courthouse Restoration project thanks to numerous donations. Now officials say the county has an opportunity to begin putting items back in the job that were originally deleted from the contract.

The opportunity has been made possible by a challenge grant that will match new contributions dollar for dollar up to a total of \$50,000.

"We're extremely grateful for all the donations we've received thus far," Donley County Historical Commission Chair Jean Stavenhagen said. "With this challenge grant, any

new donations will be doubled. A \$100 donation will become \$200, and a \$1,000 donation will become \$2,000. Your money will go twice as far to finish the project and restore the Donley County Courthouse as the Jewel of the Plains."

If this new grant challenge is met, decorative metal roof ornaments and the replacement of deteriorating exterior stonework will be put back into the project.

Some of the formerly deferred items which have been reinstated thanks to successful fundraising include sanding and refinishing wood floors, carpet for offices, refinishing

stairs, restoring and refinishing doors and transoms, repairing the tile floor in the main corridor, painting, and metal doors in the basement.

Major funding for the restoration project was obtained in 2000 through the Texas Historical Commission (THC), but for the past six months, Donley County Commissioners have been struggling to find a way to fully fund the restoration the 1890 Donley County Courthouse after the lowest bid exceeded the estimate prepared by the architect by nearly \$1 million.

In order to bring the cost down, Commissioners reduced the scope of the project and then deferred other

work until April 15, 2002. Thanks to the generous contributions of individuals, businesses, and organizations, county commissioners met in a called session last Monday and added the deferred work back into the construction.

Those interested in supporting this historic restoration are asked to contact Jean Stavenhagen at (806) 874-3905. Donations of any size may be sent to the Donley County Courthouse Preservation Fund, PO Box 825, Clarendon, TX 79226.

In other courthouse project news, interior work on the Donley See 'Courthouse' on page 3.



Project manager Stephen Dodge, architect John Volz, and electrician Ben Cherry discuss lighting in the J.P. office.

A Life Too Short

By Carrie Helms, Clarendon Enterprise

The young couple waited anxiously for the arrival of their second child; and on October 1, 2001, Kyle and April Judd and their 3-year-old daughter McKayla welcomed a baby girl into their lives.

They took her home from the hospital expecting a happy, healthy baby; but within days, the newborn Maci Judd began having tremors.

"We saw a neurologist, and he began running tests," Mrs. Judd said, "and she was diagnosed on December 21 with Spinal Muscular Atrophy."

Spinal Muscular Atrophy (SMA) is a syndrome that causes the muscles to shrink and makes normal living almost impossible.

"There are four types of SMA, and she has the worst," Mrs. Judd said. "Maci will never be able to walk or to breathe without the aid of a ventilator."

Through a rare neuromuscular disorder, SMA is the number one genetic killer of children under the age of two. Only three out of 100,000 children are victims while one in 40 may carry the gene.

"The doctors say that children with this syndrome live to be about two, in reality only one," Mrs. Judd said, "but there are children out there that are five and six years old."

It is hard to imagine that breathing could be strenuous exercise; but for Maci, everything in life is a challenge.

"She takes flaxseed oil to help her gain weight because she burns so many calories just trying to breathe," Mrs. Judd said.

Maci's delicate condition leaves her highly sensitive to germs that may not affect other children.

"We have to be very careful and clean because a cold to her could be fatal," Mrs. Judd



Seven-month-old Maci Judd looks on as her mother April and 3-year-old sister McKayla care for her. Maci has been diagnosed with Spinal Muscular Atrophy. Enterprise Digital Photo

"We are lucky that her physical therapy and care can be done at home."

Maci's needs require 24-hour nursing care and a variety of medications.

"I don't even know where to begin on her medicines," Mrs. Judd said. "She has breathing treatments through her trachea and must have a ventilator and a back up vent at all times."

These ventilators, which can cost up to \$20,000 to buy or \$1,300 per month, have placed quite a strain on the family's finances.

"We could not leave the hospital until we had the back up ventilator," Mrs. Judd said. "The doctors were telling me we were going to have to sell our house and move into a long care facility in Temple if we did not get it."

The family's medical supplier, BritKare, and the Muscular Dystrophy Association in Amarillo have been able to pay for three months, but after that, the family has no other way to pay for the machines.

"We have applied to many different charitable organizations, and we are number 3,104 on a waiting list," Mrs. Judd said. "We have a special case worker at the hospital trying to locate funds for us, but so far we have found nothing."

This burden has taken its toll on the young family, financially and emotionally.

"This has turned our family upside down," Mrs. Judd said. "It's especially hard for McKayla because I don't think she understands all that is going on. She may possibly carry the gene, and it could affect her and possibly her children."

A fund has been set up at Herring National Bank for anyone who would like to donate to help the family in this time of need.

"We want to thank everyone who has been so kind to us," Mrs. Judd said. "If anyone can tell us how to get in touch with someone who can help us, please let us know."

THC marker to be erected at Jericho

The Texas Historical Commission (THC) has recently recognized the Jericho Cemetery in the northern part of Donley County as a significant part of Texas history by awarding it a Historic Texas Cemetery Medallion and an Official Texas Historical Marker.

The Jericho Cemetery has received these designations through an application process that documents the history and significance of the burial ground.

A dedication ceremony to commemorate the placing of the marker and the unveiling of the medallion will be held at 2:00 p.m. on April 27, at the Jericho Cemetery which is located 16 miles north of Clarendon on State Highway 70, and one mile west on Country Road B.

The ceremony will consist of the presentation of the flags, a reading of the Cemetery history, speakers from four pioneer families, and the official unveiling of the medallion.

"The designations are tools that will increase public awareness of these important cultural resources," said Larry Oaks, executive director of the THC. "Awareness and education are among the best ways to guarantee the preservation of a cemetery."

The distinctive medallion is a recognized symbol of preservation efforts and is placed at the entrance to the Jericho Cemetery. The historical marker helps provide an awareness of the fascinating history of Donley County. It is located by the side of Highway 70 near the road to the old Jericho community.

"It is important that as we look toward the future, we do not forget our past," said Jean Stavenhagen of the Donley County Historical Commission. "Preserving cemeteries will provide valuable historical information for those who follow."

The public is cordially invited to attend the dedication. Some seating will be provided, but everyone is encouraged to bring a chair.



2002 Turkey King Mutt Graham with runner-up Nancy Davis. Enterprise Digital Photo

Rain dampens Turkey Fest; Graham is new king

Mutt Graham was crowned as the new Turkey King last Saturday as the culmination of the second annual Donley County Turkey Strut Festival.

Graham was the quietest candidate of the Turkey election's short two-year history. Controversy never touched him, and, while others engaged in campaign shenanigans, Graham silently rose head and wings above the rest.

No one was more surprised by the result than the king himself.

"I didn't even know I was a candidate until a couple of days ago," His Highness said. "I thought I'd have to lie, cheat, or steal to really win."

Deposed king Roger Estlack crowned Graham and said Graham was the first honest candidate in turkey election history.

Graham's total vote tally was \$83.10, and he beat his nearest opponent, Nancy Davis, by a margin of

\$11.55.

Other also-rans were James Ivey Edwards with \$17.11, Larry Hicks with \$16.77, and Bright Newhouse with \$10.61. Other minor candidates never broke the ten-dollar mark. In all, \$244.39 was collected in the jars of the 12 candidates. The proceeds benefit the Donley County Tourism Council.

In other turkey news, the majority of the Strut Festival was simply a soggy mess as cold, drizzling rain canceled most of the outdoor activities.

The Turkey Cook-off was one event that did go on. The Chamber of Commerce team took the top price. They were followed by Doc Bryant's Muleskinners of Amarillo in second place and Ace No. 8 Bed & Breakfast in third.

Cherie Floyd won the \$300 shopping spree during the raffle, and Kathleen Yankie's name was drawn

for both the second and third place drawings - an antique turkey platter and a frozen turkey from B&R Thriftway.

Katie Millborn was the Grand Champion winner of the Kids Strut & Gobble Contest.

More than 100 kids entered the Coloring Contest. Winners were: Kindergarten - Zachary Cornell, first; Jacy Hill, second; and Audra Thomas, third. First Grade - Lydia Howard, first; Cole Ward, second; and Hailey Echols, third. Second Grade - Katie Millborn, first; Justine Moore, second; and Jordan Luna, third. Third Grade - Savannah Jo Thackeray, first; Kelsey Floyd, second; and Katterina Johnson, third.

In order to offset some of the losses of the festival, the wooden turkeys will keep moving around until early May. To place your order, contact Dee Dee Autry at 874-3889.

editor's
Commentary

WARNING: The following column is an editorial (i.e. an opinion, a point of view) and may contain ideas or positions with which some readers may freely disagree. It could be harmful to liberals, socialists, and other small mammals. Read at your own risk.

NPT This column has been rated NPT by the Enterprise Institute For Reader Preference. A series of humor is advised.



Another stupid amendment gets GOP support

Well, it looks like we can add President Bush to the long list of Republicans who want nothing more than to sully our Constitution with stupid amendments. Last Tuesday, the president came out in support of a so-called "Victims' Rights Amendment" - a feel-good idea which supporters say would level out the scales of justice. Those scales now too frequently dip in favor of the criminals.

While it's true that criminals frequently get off on technicalities, tampering with the Constitution is a big step that should not be taken lightly.

John Walsh is a proponent of the amendment. As you may recall, his son was kidnapped and murdered in 1981, and that led him to host *America's Most Wanted* and to crusade for victims' rights. He appeared on Fox News' *On The Record* to explain the amendment to host Greta Van Susteren.

"Well, it's very simple," Walsh said. "It's a two-page document."

Now, hold the phone right there. Only in Washington would a two-page Constitutional amendment be considered simple. Of the 27 amendments we already have, most are just a few paragraphs, and some are just one sentence. This beast goes on for two pages! What could it possibly say?

President Bush's website sums it up like this. The amendment would establish rights calling for "Reasonable and timely notice of any public proceeding involving the crime or the release or escape of the accused; Not be excluded from these public proceedings; Reasonably be heard at public release, plea, sentencing, reprieve, and pardon proceedings; and Decisions that duly consider the victim's: (1) safety; (2) interest in avoiding unreasonable delay; and (3) just and timely claims to restitution from the offender."

Like so many federal proposals, it certainly sounds good. But the problem with it is an overarching disorder that many Republicans (and a few Democrats) suffer from which compels them to pen an amendment to the Constitution. From balancing the federal budget to prohibiting burning the US flag, any time conservatives can't get satisfaction from the legislative process or the judiciary, they want to change the rules with the ultimate big stick policy.

Now they want to use the Constitutional amendment process to protect us from the Boogymen and to pacify the John Walshes of the world, who like Sarah Brady should be told to just get over it.

The Constitution was designed to outline how the federal government operates, spell out its duties, and - most importantly - limit the government's power over the people. Most proposed amendments today seek either to limit our freedom or to make policy. That grand document is supposed to protect us from the first and is not at all meant to do the second.

Despite supporters' comments to the contrary, the Victims' Rights Amendment might also have broad implications for our criminal justice system as well.

Writing for the Cato Institute in 1996, Dave Kopel and Elisabeth Semel said: "Having someone classified as a 'victim' before a trial begins undermines the presumption of innocence - the very foundation of our criminal justice system. Moreover, allowing appearances at trial by attorneys for officially designated 'victims' will inevitably prejudice the jury, which will 'know' that the judge has already decided who is the victim and who is the offender."

Our system is not perfect, but this proposal won't make it any better. It will only serve to make us all feel good - at least until an innocent man is sent to jail because of a tainted jury. The protections afforded to the accused are rights we all enjoy. America should not willingly give those rights up just because someone has been victimized by a crime.

Let Congress and state legislatures find other ways to tackle the objectives of this proposal. Amending the Constitution is overkill, is unnecessary, and could undermine our other rights.

For my part, I'm only interested in one amendment to the Constitution. It's an idea which isn't supported by either political party. It would read simply: "The Sixteenth Amendment is hereby repealed." If you don't know what No. 16 was, it created the Income Tax, and it's an example of what happens when we pass an amendment without thinking it through.

Meanwhile...

Friday is National Arbor Day. I don't usually make a big celebration out of this, but I want to share something with you from the National Arbor Day Foundation from one of their public service ads.

"Don't Top Trees! Never cut main branches back to stubs. Ugly, weakly attached limbs often grow back higher than the original branches. Many arborists say that topping is the worst thing you can do to a tree."

I'm no tree expert, but I personally think anyone who whacks the top off a tree ought to be taken out and shot. (I'd say "hung" but that's hard to do with the high branches gone.)

If you're going to top it, why not just go ahead and cut the thing down? Topped trees for years look like they've had a bad haircut and never again look the way God intended them to.

We need all the shade we can get in West Texas. And we certainly don't need topless trees. For information on how to properly prune a tree, visit www.arborday.org.

Mickey D says 'no' to all-American beef

I'm not one to boycott manufacturers or companies, but I'm done with McDonald's thanks to their latest decision. Mickey D's recently announced that it would begin importing beef from Australia and New Zealand as the U.S. supply for lean beef "just isn't there," according to company spokesman Walt Riker.

McDonald's is the largest single buyer of U.S. beef as well as Australian beef. In the past, the foreign beef has been used extensively in chains outside the United States. But now, all of that is going to change.

Forget about the supply aspect, McDonald's just wants to spend less money by purchasing cheaper overseas beef. On average, Aussie beef sells for five to 20 cents per pound cheaper than U.S. beef. McDonald's executives are also trying to say that Aussie beef is leaner as the cattle are grass fed instead of grain fed like most of our beef.

Grass fed beef may be leaner; but if you've ever eaten it, you know it has a few problems - it's tough, it doesn't taste as

on the Mark with Christi Ross

good as grain fed beef, and three, it has its own unique 'whang' of a taste. Most U.S. cattle are finished out on grain since it produces juicier and tastier beef.

Now, what would you rather have, a big, juicy, tasty burger or a tough, tasteless one? McDonald's is betting that you will prefer the latter.

And, in order to make their burgers tastier and much cheaper to produce, McDonald's is going to mix fat trimmings from packing plants in with the foreign beef. Mmmm! Now doesn't that sound good? So for Rotten Ronnie's (a.k.a. McDonald's) to save a few bucks, they are going to feed its customers Big Mac-heart attacks. Forget about good tasting food and food that is good for you. McDonald's is watching nothing but its bottom line.

So long Mickey D's, I'm done eating your burgers. From now on, I'll be sure to spend the extra money to eat good, home-raised, all-American beef. Instead of settling for fast food, I'll be sure to seek out Mom & Pop restaurants - the kind of places that know the value of buying good beef and serving only the best to their customers.

And don't think you will find me eating in a chicken joint. One thing worse than eating foreign beef is going out to eat a creature that enjoys eating its own excrement. The only good yard bird is a fried one, and that's only if Grandma cooks it!

Our beef producers need our support! They're about the only ones who don't get welfare - oops - I mean subsidies from the government. A majority of our beef is still produced by the little man and not by corporations or huge businesses.

Take your family out to eat steak tonight, or fire up the grill and cook your own T-bones. Let some other sucker enjoy McDonald's tasteless burgers while you feast on some good American beef.



Taxman cometh and taketh less in 2002

It is time for many Texans to breathe a sigh of relief - tax day has come and gone. This year on April 15, American taxpayers reaped the benefits of last year's historic tax cut legislation by keeping more money in their pockets.

Sweeping Tax Relief The law reduced tax rates across the board, enhanced retirement savings, repealed the death tax, and eliminated the marriage penalty. Basically, if you are a taxpayer - you got tax relief. Because we lowered the tax rates mid-year, Americans are getting larger-than-expected tax refunds this spring. The average check is expected to be nearly \$2,100 - a 12 percent increase over last year.

Before September 11, the American economy was already in a slump - after the terrorist attacks, it risked spiraling out of control. Fortunately, the tax relief kicked in just in the nick of time. Many people, including Federal Reserve Chairman, Alan Greenspan, believe if it weren't for the tax cuts, we would be in a deep recession. But instead, our economy is recovering.

One of the first benefits of the legislation was the tax rebate checks that began arriving in mailboxes across the country last August. Individual taxpayers received up to \$300 rebate checks while married

capitol Comment with Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison

couples received up to \$600. This rebate alone funneled more than \$40 billion back into the economy and supported consumer spending at a critical time.

But these tax cuts were not a one-time event. The tax rates are scheduled to continue dropping, child credits will increase, and retirement savings options will grow.

Making it Last However, when we passed the legislation, procedural rules in the Senate required that we put the tax cuts in place for only 10 years. Currently the law will expire on December 31, 2010, and the tax relief will be discontinued. Congress must act to make the tax relief permanent. Texans need a predictable and stable tax code in order to better plan for their futures and make good decisions about retirement savings.

I am particularly concerned with protecting the repeal of the marriage penalty and making sure the death tax is buried forever. Both taxes hurt Texas families.

The marriage penalty has long been an

unjust tax on married couples who pay an average of \$1,400 more if they file jointly than they would pay as individual filers. I have been a champion of correcting this inequity since I was elected to the Senate in 1993. In fact, Congress passed my proposal twice before - but then-President Clinton vetoed it both times. Our tax laws should encourage marriage - not penalize it. When the new tax cuts are fully phased in, 43 million married couples will experience a significant reduction in their taxes. Here in Texas, couples will save \$4.5 billion over the next 10 years.

The phase-out of the death tax is another provision that must be made permanent. Our tax code has long burdened families whose loved ones handed down a family business, ranch, or farm. Families were faced with taxes so steep that they often had to sell the properties to pay the IRS. Years of diligence, hard labor and savings were washed down the drain by this unfair tax. The new law allows more Americans to keep these businesses in the family where they belong.

I was proud to support the most significant tax relief of the last two decades. Now, I am committed to making sure it lasts.



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Courthouse: Plastering nearly complete in courtroom

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County Courthouse is coming along rapidly, Phoenix I project manager Stephen Dodge said at a construction conference last Friday.

Fifty percent of the trim work and 75 to 80 percent of the rough-in has been done on the first floor. Most of the trim has been finished on the second floor and is ready for plaster. Mechanical work continues in the basement and on the third floor.

Plastering is nearly complete on second floor rooms east of the courtroom, and the courtroom itself should get a third coat of plaster this week.

Paint and stain colors will be chosen soon. Architects with Volz & Associates were here Friday to gather paint chip samples. They will do a microscopic analysis to attempt to deduce the original colors used in the building.

Woodwork used in the courthouse has finally been positively

identified. It is a Colorado white pine trim with California redwood panels. Project officials agreed the California redwood is rarely found in Texas courthouses, and head carpentry subcontractor Richard Oberhaus believes the original builders were heavily influenced by their work in Colorado.

Architect John Volz says the Donley courthouse will be one of the most beautiful his firm as worked on because of the woodwork in the building.

Trenches for utilities are expected to be dug in the next two weeks, and AEP set new transformers for the building on Monday.

Subcontractors are currently working to resolve sizing problems with HVAC floor grilles and recessed electric fixtures on the first floor.

The Texas Historical Commission has disallowed the use of ceiling fans in the district courtroom since

they were not original. The architects believe the air-conditioning system should provide sufficient airflow.

One area where the project in danger of falling behind schedule is the masonry work as contractors continue to look for a replacement brick. Acme brick in Tulsa, Okla., was reported to be the only manufacturer interested in the job. That company purchased new forms to make the right size brick.

The color of the new bricks is close, but the bricks have a sheen to them. Volz is looking into a new European micro-abrasion technique that might age the brick slightly to remove the sheen.

Repairs on masonry behind the metal cornices is on hold awaiting a report from a structural engineer. Water damage of the last century has loosened some of the facing brick and contributed to the deterioration of the backing brick.



Local machine goes to Vegas

During the recent ConExpo 2002 show in Las Vegas, Thom Ackerman of Terex in Phoenix, Ariz., introduces the new Terex S17-E scrapper to Garry Smith of the Inland Group in British Columbia with help from Fred Casten of Terex in Windsor, Colo. The S17-E scrapper is produced locally by Clarendon Manufacturing & Distributing, Inc. and this photo was published in the April 6 edition of Construction Equipment Guide. More than 100,000 people attended the construction equipment exposition.

Photo courtesy Construction Equipment Guide.

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Day	Date	High	Low	Prec.
Mon	15	87°	54°	-
Tues	16	94°	61°	-
Wed	17	87°	51°	-
Thur	18	91°	53°	-
Fri	19	89°	60°	-
Sat	20	69°	48°	0.08"
Sun	21	55°	45°	0.04"
Total precipitation this month: 1.93"				
Total precipitation to date: 3.58"				
Total precipitation in April last year: 12.52"				
Total YTD total last year: 17.52"				

weekend forecast

	Friday, April 26 Sct. T-Storms 74°/52°
	Saturday, April 27 Partly Cloudy 62°/43°
	Sunday, April 28 Mostly Sunny 65°/42°

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The Lion's Tale

By Allen Estlack

Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting on April 23 with Boss Lion Jerry Woodward in charge. We had 15 members and two guests.

Our guests were Shea Pittman, guest of Lion Judy Burlin, and Judge Jack Hall, guest of the club who brought our program.

Girl Scouts will have an open house on Thursday night, April 25.

Four young ladies have qualified for the state literary contest, and also the range plant identification team will be going to state. Both the baseball and softball teams have advanced to the playoffs.

Judge Hall's main objective was to get people to just come look at the courthouse building. He said he would be glad to give anyone a tour of the building.

The museum will have a membership drive June 14 with an outdoor brisket dinner.

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

Looking Back

20 Years Ago

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Linda Kennedy and Tim Taylor have been named the valedictorian and salutatorian of the Hedley High School for 1982.

As expected, the Clarendon Girls Track Team added another trophy to their cluster of outstanding achievements, winning the regional championship.

50 Years Ago

THE DONLEY CO. LEADER, A II 24, 1952.

The outstanding farmer of the state of Texas in the Ft. Worth Press' annual Save the Soil and Save Texas conservation contest is Thomas C. D'Spain, who lives thirteen and one-half miles northeast of Clarendon. He and his family will receive \$500 and be honored at the state conservation awards banquet at Ft. Worth.

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- April 25**
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- April 26**
Arbor Day
- April 27**
Jericho Historical Marker dedication • 2 p.m.
- April 28**
CC Spring Concert • Harned Steters Auditorium • 2:30 p.m.
- Community Fellowship Church • Open House • 2:30 p.m.
- May 3**
CC Graduation
- May 4**
Local Election Day
- May 5**
Cinco de Mayo
- May 22**
Donley County Health Fair • Bairfield Activity Center
- May 24**
HHS Graduation
- May 31**
CHS Graduation
- July 4-6**
Saints' Rost Celebration
- September 28**
Col. Charles Goodnight Chuckwagon Cookoff • Saints' Rost Museum

Community Menus

April 29 - May 3

Clarendon Schools
 Breakfast
 Mon: French sticks, fruit, milk
 Tues: Breakfast sandwich, juice, milk
 Wed: Cereal, toast, fruit, milk
 Thur: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk
 Fri: No School
 Lunch
 Mon: Taco salad or PBJ sandwich, beans, pineapple, milk
 Tues: Enchiladas or hamburgers, beans, tossed salad, peaches, milk
 Wed: Goulash or pizza, hot rolls, mashed potatoes, green beans, cake, milk
 Thur: Ham and cheese rolls or PBJ sandwich, baked beans, French fries, fruit mix, milk
 Fri: No School

Hedley Schools
 Breakfast
 Mon: Breakfast bar, toast and jelly, dry cereal, fruit juice, milk
 Tues: Egg sausage bake with cheese, dry cereal, fruit juice, milk
 Wed: Biscuit and gravy, sausage patties, butter and jelly, cereal, juice, milk
 Thur: Breakfast burrito with salsa, cereal, fruit juice, milk
 Fri: Cinnamon rolls, cereal, peanut butter, fruit juice, milk
 Lunch
 Mon: Beef enchiladas, rice, beans, chips and salsa, salad, fruit, milk
 Tues: Lasagna, corn, tossed salad, canned peaches, hot rolls, milk
 Wed: Chicken strips, potatoes and gravy, green peas and carrots, rolls and honey, salad, fruit, milk
 Thur: Salisbury steak, green beans, potatoes and gravy, salad, fruit, rolls, milk
 Fri: Ham and cheese subs or Philly steak subs with lettuce, tomato, pickles, onions, and olives, mixed fruit, cookies, chips, milk

Donley County Senior Citizens
 Mon: Meatloaf, au gratin potatoes, green beans, peaches, pastries, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk
 Tues: Calfish, onion rings, turnip greens, potato salad, cookies, cornbread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk
 Wed: Pepper steak, mini baked potatoes, broccoli, garden salad, blueberry cobbler, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk
 Thur: Creamy chicken bake, corn, zucchini and tomatoes, orange pineapple delight, pumpkin brownies, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk
 Fri: Brisket, cheese grits, calico beans, okra salad, pear crisp, rolls, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Hedley Senior Citizens
 Mon: Baked ham, sweet potatoes, corn, fruit salad, brownies, roll, milk, tea, coffee
 Tues: Chicken salad, broccoli soup, lettuce, tomatoes, orange slices, cookies, sliced bread, milk, tea, coffee
 Wed: Calfish fillet, onion rings, broccoli soup, coleslaw, apricot halves, corn muffin, milk, tea, coffee
 Thur: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, black-eyed peas, fruit salad, pumpkin pie, roll, milk, tea, coffee
 Fri: Chicken and dumplings, steamed cabbage, pea salad, apple, corn muffin, milk, tea, coffee

Book Club being organized at Burton Library

The days are getting longer, and the remaining hours of school fewer. End of school activities will be coming up in the next few weeks, but as far as anyone told me, none of them were this past weekend.

Last weekend was the Turkey Strut, and the weather definitely did not cooperate. The craft fair got moved indoors, and a lot of people stayed home, probably afraid they'd melt in the rain. Still, the rain was nice to have.

The last time the Clarendon Boy Scout troop went on a campout, Easter Weekend, it rained. They were camping this past weekend, and it rained, too. Still, that's only a two-campout raining streak. I've known

troops that had rain eleven campouts out of twelve in one year. They were beginning to consider hiring themselves out as rainmakers when their rain streak ended, so I suppose our scouts have a way to go before they start hiring out.

This coming Monday, there's going to be a meeting to organize a Book Club here in Clarendon at 5 p.m. at the library downtown. Since no one involved has ever belonged to a book club before (as far as I know anyway), this meeting will be to decide when they want to meet and how the members want to run things. So far, the consensus is that everyone just wants to stay loose and informal and meet to talk about



around Town
By Gail Shelton
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books. Definitely nothing as involved as presenting "book reports." Sounds like fun to me. But then my "To Be Read" pile of books is trying to take over my bedroom.

Those attending this meeting might want to be aware that as of Monday this week, the bathroom in the library did have a door, though one without a doorknob. Surely by next Monday, they'll have managed to get the doorknob put on.

The high school FFA boys have

agreed to build a concrete retaining wall in the little patio area behind the library building so that it can actually be made into a usable patio. With the ground leveled, there should be quite a bit of space back there for children's story time or just sitting out in the breeze to read. With a little shade and a little breeze (not one of these 'knock you out of your socks' Panhandle winds), reading outside can be quite pleasant, even if you have to sit on your front porch pedestal because there's no bench.

If you see me sitting out on mine, and I don't wave back as you drive by, it's because I've just reached the good part. I'm sure you'll forgive me.

Lauderdale-Boltz receives award

The United State Achievement Academy announced today that Shauna Lauderdale-Boltz from Canyon, Texas, has been named a United States National Collegiate Award winner in nursing.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes fewer than ten percent of all American college students.

Shauna Boltz, who attends West Texas A&M University, was nominated for this national award by Dr. Heidi Taylor, the Director of Nursing at the university.

Shauna Boltz will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Collegiate Yearbook, which is published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly, United States Achievement Academy winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academy selects winners upon the exclusive recommendations by professors, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a professor or college official.

Shauna Boltz is the daughter of Jeanie Lauderdale and the late Phil Lauderdale from Lelia Lake, Texas; and her grandmother is Mary Castner of Clarendon.

Clarendon College taps Hannon as ambassador

Rebecca Hannon of Clarendon has been chosen to serve as a Student Ambassador for Clarendon College. As a member of this elite group, Hannon is one of only 15 outstanding students selected to assist the college in important and official duties.

Founded in 1995, the organization was created to ease new students' transition from high school to college and to assist in the recruiting of future students for Clarendon College.

"Our ambassadors provide new and future students with another support person," said Jackie Boyd, Student Ambassador adviser. "They are available to answer academic and student activity questions with first-hand experience."

Boyd added that the students selected as Ambassadors were chosen on their academic progress, extracurricular involvement, attitude and personality.

Hannon is the daughter of Joe and Sharon Hannon of Clarendon.

Apostolic Church will hold revival next week

Jesus Name Apostolic Church will be having a revival beginning Monday, April 29 through Thursday, May 2, 2002.

Rev. Justus Boggan from Mississippi will be ministering the Word. Everyone is invited to attend. Services begin at 7:30 nightly.

The church is located at the corner of Montgomery and Faker here in Clarendon. Come experience Pentecost.

Martin Quilt Club meets

The Martin Quilting Club met at the First Christian Church with Eva Lee Swinney as hostess.

Business of the day was quilting, visiting, and eating.

Those present were Ruth Lindley, Rosa Lee Watson, Jossie Burgess, Jo Shaller, Verdie Tipton, Barbara Helms, Gay Cole, Tiny Alderson, Ann Bunyan, Pearl Hermesmeier, and Eva Lee Swinney.

Follow these helpful tips to avoid frying your skin

With the warmer summer weather starting, some winter-weary souls are scheduling regular visits to a tanning salon. Many believe that the artificial sun will prepare their skin for tropical rays and protect them from the real thing.

But new reports show that the use of tanning beds increases the risk of two of the most common forms of skin cancer - which together make up the most common cancer in the U.S.

So what do you tell a teen-ager who wants to buy the \$18-a-month unlimited pass to the tanning salon so they will look "good" for prom? "Don't do it!" said Martin Weinstock, MD, PhD, a professor of dermatology at Brown University Medical School.

While the perception exists that tanning beds can protect a person from sunburn, the facts in Weinstock's article show something else. The study participants who used them were:

- 2.5 times more likely to develop squamous cell carcinoma that people who did not use them
- 1.5 times more likely to develop basal cell carcinoma compared to those who did not use the devices
- more likely to develop basal cell and squamous cell the younger they were when they began using these tanning devices.

So the way to avoid a burn is not to use a tanning bed but to follow the American Cancer Society motto:



family care Corner
By Dawn Watson
COUNTY FCS AGENT

"Slip, Slop, Slap!" That's an easy way to remember to:

- Slip on a shirt with sleeves.
- Slop on sunscreen (at least an SPF 15) and reapply every two hours
- Slap on a hat with a brim wide enough to shade your face, ears, and neck.

And while you're at it, wrap on sunglasses - 100% UV-blocking - to protect your eyelids from getting burned and your eyes from getting cataracts.

Fake it, don't bake it. If you would like a little more color in your skin, a safer alternative is to use one of the many self-tanning lotions on the market. According to the American Academy of Dermatology, (www.aad.org) self-tanning lotions containing DHA are safe and produce a color change that lasts approximately five to seven days.

Skin cancer is the most frequently diagnosed cancer in the United States. And, although many people think a tan makes you look healthy, your skin will stay healthier and younger looking if you avoid getting a tan. The Texas Cooperative Extension and the Texas Cancer Council remind you to take charge of your health - it makes good sense!



It's the fruitiest

Clarendon first grader Adam Topper shows off a pineapple from B&R Thriftway last week. The class visited the store and visited Mike's Pharmacy as part of their studies about food groups and drug safety.

Digital photo courtesy of Medina Grizzle

Traffic wreck results in free orange juice in Hedley

Shortly after 4:00 a.m. on Thursday, I was awakened to the sound of a loud motor and flashing red and green lights which lit up my apartment. My first thought was that the Martians have landed and a whole bunch of little green men will carry us all off and we'll never be seen again.

But I got up and went to my kitchen window to watch and maybe have time to hide under the bed or some place that they might not think to look.

I looked out the window, and sure enough there it was... on the road in front of the post office was an unidentified flying object.

I couldn't see very clearly through the branches of the lilac bush so I thought I'd go out onto the patio so I could watch and see better. I unlocked the back door and tiptoed to the patio gate and opened it and found myself face to face with a man. Not a little green man but a full sized human man. My heart nearly stopped. I shut the gate and ran back inside and locked the back door.

About the time I got the door locked, I realized the man was my neighbor Louise Farley's son, Matt.

When I looked out the window, I saw a pickup with flashing red and blue lights and realized it was Mike Wallendorf's constable car. About that time another vehicle came from the direction of Wellington, and some people got out and unloaded a gurney. They took someone and loaded them onto the UFO (a.k.a. LifeStar) and it flew away into the sky. The ambulance made a neat U-turn and drove off in the direction it came from. Mike turned toward his house.

I returned to bed feeling safe knowing that with Mike and Matt looking after my welfare no little green men would carry me off. Mike is about the size of a full-grown bull moose, and Matt is almost as big.

At approximately 10:00 a.m. Saturday, a National Carriers Transport loaded with orange juice was traveling north on Highway 287. It was foggy and drizzling rain. The right front tire of the truck ran off the



watt's Happening
By Peggy Watt
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edge of the highway. The driver over corrected the wheels, and the truck tipped onto its side.

The driver, William Wilson of Sugar City, Colorado, was transported by the Clarendon ambulance to an Amarillo hospital where he was treated for minor injuries and released.

A wrecker was called; and when it arrived, it was decided that another wrecker was needed to pull the truck upright. The orange juice was unloaded and given to anyone who wanted it. Finally the truck was pulled upright, and the highway was cleared at about 7:00 p.m.

Police units from Clarendon and Hedley kept traffic rolling for approximately nine hours.

According to DPT Trooper Chris Ward, it was wet and miserable for

everyone concerned.

Now, for more important things. Buford and Jerry Holland attended a track meet in Beaver, Oklahoma, one day last week. Their granddaughter, Whitney Holland, participated in the meet. Whitney is the daughter of Glyndol and Kathy Holland.

John and Kay Brown of May, Texas, and Roy and Sharon Brown of Amarillo spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Juanita Brown, and Grace.

Now that spring is here, the school is involved in lots of sporting events and UIL Academic contests.

Coach Terry Collins took Lacey Wallendorf to Lubbock for a golf tournament. They were accompanied by Lacy's mother, Lori, and Sarah Bolin.

Lyndon Messer's UIL Current Events team is going to the state contest. I'm not sure who is on the team, and school is out this afternoon. When I find out, I'll let you know and how they placed.

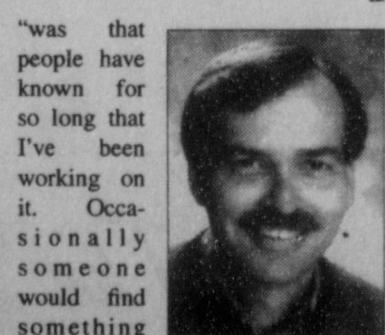
Panhandle-Plains Museum to present 'Houston' author Haley

On April 28, the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum (PPHM) will host a lecture and book signing by James L. Haley, author of several books of Texas history, including *Sam Houston*.

Working from hundreds of Houston's private papers never before consulted by scholars, historian James L. Haley says he found a truly larger than life man, flawed but honest, and engaged in a mighty struggle to conquer his personal demons.

Researching and writing *Sam Houston* took fifteen years.

"The greatest thing," says Haley,



Haley

"was that people have known for so long that I've been working on it. Occasionally someone would find something new and send it to me. One woman took it upon herself to go through old records of the Nacogdoches Genealogical Society

for any Houston stories."

She found a doozy, as one old pioneer recalled that Houston has a mortal fear of ticks, and one day when Houston was drunk, the man and his friends picked a whole capbox full of ticks and shook them into Houston's bedding just before he retired.

"It was the single most hilarious thing I ever saw about Sam Houston, and it wasn't in any of the history books, I can tell you," Haley admits.

While respectful to Houston's accomplishments, Haley does not shy away from Houston's alcoholism

or the depression that led to it.

"To me, the great mystery of Sam Houston isn't political, but human," Haley said. "How did he accomplish all that he did in spite of the problems he had? We can learn a lot about ourselves from him."

The lecture begins at 2:30 p.m. and is free with regular Museum admission.

Admission is free for Society members, WTAMU students, and WTAMU faculty and staff. Admission fees are \$4 for adults, \$3 for seniors 65+, \$1 for children age 3-13, and children under 3 are free.

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This publication will include local news and features from each of the communities it serves while providing a powerful new advertising vehicle for both classified and retail customers at very competitive rates.

To advertise in the WEST TEXAS COUNTRY TRADER, contact any of the participating community newspapers: ABERNATHY WEEKLY REVIEW, BORGER NEWS HERALD, CANYON NEWS, CASTRO COUNTY NEWS (Dimmitt), CLARENDON ENTERPRISE, CROSBY COUNTY REPORTER-EXAMINER (Crosbyton), EAGLE PRESS (Fritch), IDALOU BEACON, MORTON TRIBUNE, PLAINVIEW DAILY HERALD, and SUDAN

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Publisher Rollie Hyde of THE PLAINVIEW DAILY HERALD - one of the cooperating newspapers in this new publication - explained the attractiveness of this new product.

"The coverage of the WEST TEXAS COUNTRY TRADER will stretch about 140 miles north and south and almost that far east and west," Hyde said. "That is a tremendous amount of readership area - from north of Amarillo to south of Lubbock - for an advertiser to reach through a very cost-effective publication."

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resentatives.

"Any interested business in Donley County or adjacent counties can contact our staff," ENTERPRISE publisher Roger Estlack said. "All the local sales, design work, and billing is done through our office and by people local advertisers have come to trust."

Initially, more than 25,000 copies of the WEST TEXAS COUNTRY TRADER will be printed each Tuesday for distribution throughout the region as a part of the Enterprise and its associated newspapers. For information, call our office at 806/874-2259 and ask about the WEST TEXAS COUNTRY TRADER.

Clarendon Head Start taking applications

Clarendon Head Start will be taking applications for the 2002-2003 school year for enrollment consideration on May 1, 2002.

Children who will be 4 years of age on or before September 1 and meet the qualifications will be considered for enrollment.

Bring your child's birth certificate, income verification (check stubs or income tax return for the previous

year), immunization record, Social Security card, documentation of disability (if applicable), and proof of public assistance (Food Stamp card, AFDC benefits, Medicaid, WIC, SSI, or HUD).

Appointments must be made by calling the Elementary office at 874-3855. Appointments are set up for the afternoon of May 1. Call the same number for more information.

4-H members compete in county fashion show

The Donley County Fashion Show was held on Monday, April 15. The following club members competed: Lauryn Kellas, Danielle Ford, Leigh Ann Layton, Skyler Conatser, Dominique Mason, Kallie Verstuyft, Jacob Landrum, Haley Hartley, Danielle Smith, Elizabeth Hrbacek, Abby Patten, Treva Rowland, and Lisle Rowland.

First place winners in the Junior division were Lauryn Kellas - Casual Buying; Jacob Landrum - Specialty Construction; Skyler Conatser - Dressy Construction; Danielle Ford - Casual Construction; and Kallie Verstuyft - Active Daywear Construction.

First place winners in the Intermediate division were Abby Patten - Casual Construction; Danielle Smith - Specialty Construction; and Elizabeth Hrbacek - Dressy Construction.

First place winners in the Senior division were Treva Rowland - Formal Buying and Lisle Rowland - Formal Construction.

The project leader and project volunteer were Linda Rowland and Dianne Conatser. Judging the show were Jerri Shields and Judy White.



Donley County 4-Hers participated in the Donley County Fashion Show recently. Those participating were (front) Kallie Verstuyft, Dominique Mason, (middle) Lauryn Kellas, Amber Ford, Jacob Landrum, Skyler Conatser, Danielle Smith, FCS Agent Dawn Watson, (back) Abby Patten, Elizabeth Hrbacek, Treva Rowland, Lisle Rowland, and parent leader Linda Rowland. Photo courtesy of the Donley County Extension Office.

Grammy and Pop to entertain senior citizens

By Vida O'Neal

Grammy and Pop will be the entertainment for our Birthday/Anniversary Supper on April 30 at 6 p.m.

The Friday Fundraiser was won by Jeanette Stephens this week. She won a delicious chess pie donated by Bob Kidd. This week we have two beautiful carousel horse music box plates donated by Dollie Cole. The chances are \$1 and will be given away on Friday at noon.

We had nine in our aerobic class this past Wednesday. We will be going again this Wednesday for water aerobics. If you are interested, please call Pattye or Vida at 874-2665.

Also Wednesday after lunch, Sharon, Eva, Pattye, and Vida went to Amarillo for the Food Show. This was a fun trip for us, and we got to sample and learn of new products for meals.

We sent get well wishes out to Jean Baten, Mildred Housden, Thelma Rudder, and Wes Thomas.

Our condolences go to the family of Lois Height.

Reminders: April 29: Dance Club, 6 p.m. April 30: Birthday/Anniversary Supper, 6 p.m.

PCS to hold open house for Community Action Month

Panhandle Community Services will celebrate its legacy of helping people change their lives during an open house on May 3 at 416 S. Kearney Street in Clarendon.

The event is part of National Community Action Month, a nationwide occurrence held annually in May.

"Our open house will spotlight how Community Action changes lives, said Johnny Raymond, Executive Director. "We've helped a lot of Donley County residents, and we want our neighbors to get a first hand

look at our success."

The Community Action Partnership established National Community Action Month to recognize community Action Agencies' (CAAs) efforts to improve their communities. During May, CAAs throughout the country will host open houses, award ceremonies, and other special activities.

"National Community Action Month is a testament to Community Action's commitment to helping people help themselves," said Paul Dole, Community Action Partner-

ship president. "We're able to make America a better place to live because we care about people."

Panhandle Community Services is a non-profit service organization dedicated to helping persons achieve self-sufficiency.

PCS has 16 centers located throughout the Texas Panhandle and has a staff of more than 100 employees. PCS serves one of the largest geographic areas of all Texas Community Action Agencies and leverages funds from Federal, State, and private sources.

Chamber News

By Mark C. White

The Chamber of Commerce Board met April 15 at the Chamber office. Present were Jim Blackerby, Genella Eads, Mark White, Roy Monroe, Cherie Floyd, Greg Henry, Ruth Robinson, Terry Askeew, and Judy Burlin.

Plans were finalized for the Turkey Strut Mattress Race on April 17, and the Chamber voted to have a Turkey Strut Cook-off team.

The booth at the Business Connection in Amarillo was finalized.

The Chamber voted to donate \$100 to the Courthouse Restoration Fund.

Meetings were changed from the third Tuesday to the third Wednesday of each month at noon at the Chamber office.

The board voted to participate in the joint effort with the Outdoor Entertainment Association, the Saints' Roost Museum, the City of Clarendon, the Clarendon EDC, and the Donley County Tourism Council in a community billboard to be located on US 287 to announce activities for this summer and fall.

New members announced at the meeting included Janie's Beauty Shop, the Girl Scouts, and Joe & Ruth Robinson.

The Memorial Day Hospitality Booth on US 287 was discussed and tabled until the next meeting. The American Cancer Society's "Relay for Life" will also be discussed further at the next meeting.

Jackson attends seminar for county treasurers

Donley County Treasurer Becky Jackson attended the 30th annual County Treasurers' Continuing Education Seminar held recently in College Station at Texas A&M University.

"Texas is one of the few states that require county officials to earn continuing education credits during their time in office," Extension Coordinator John Gilmartin said. "County treasurers are required to have 20 hours of continuing education per year."

This year's seminar included topics such as callable securities, legislative session, payroll issues, state fines, fees and reports, the Fair Labor Standards Act, and HIPPA privacy regulations.

Obituaries

Butler

Funeral services for Allie Mae Butler, age 84, were held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, April 22, 2002, in the First Baptist Church of Claude with Rev. Delbert Serratt of Amarillo, and Rev. Gerald Aalbers, Pastor officiating. Burial was held in Claude Cemetery under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc., of Clarendon.

Mrs. Butler died Saturday, April 20, 2002, in Amarillo. She was born January 2, 1918, in Daylight, Tennessee, and had been a resident of Armstrong County most of her life. She was married Glenn Chester Butler on July 4, 1936. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church where she formerly was a Sunday School teacher for several years. She was a member of the Busy Bees Homemakers Club and was a recipient of their Homemaker of the Year award.

She was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Shana Butler, on January 31, 1974.

Survivors include her husband, Glenn C. Butler of Claude; one son and daughter-in-law, Chester and Shirley Butler of Claude; one brother, Jessie Cope of Fowler, Colorado; two grandchildren, Kyle Butler of Amarillo and Shelly Allen of Canyon; and two great grandchildren, Tiffany Allen and Tyler Allen, both of Canyon.

Casket bearers were David Butler, J.W. Butler, Wendell Sanders, Doug Cope, Nat McElroy, and Gerald Wood.

In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully request memorials be made to the Claude Volunteer Fire

Department or the Claude Emergency Medical Services.

Davis

Funeral services for Cagle Dean Davis, age 61, of Brice were held at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, April 19, 2002, at the Fairmont Baptist Church south of Quitaque with Rev. Arnold Smith officiating. Burial was held in Memorial Park Cemetery in Amarillo at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 20, 2002, under the direction of Myers-Long Funeral Directors of Quitaque.

Mr. Davis was born October 4, 1940, at Wellington. He passed away at his home on April 15, 2002, at the age of 61 years, 6 months, and 11 days. He married Marian Rhoades on July 25, 1964, at Panhandle. He graduated from Palo Duro High School and Texas Tech University. He had served in the US Army. He was a teacher and coach. He taught at Valley Schools, Estelline, Hereford, Canyon, Memphis, and Matador. He was the sponsor for the National Honor Society at Valley Schools.

Survivors include a daughter, Jennifer Pigg of Quitaque; a son, Steve Davis of Perryton; a brother, Lindley R. Davis of Burnet; his mother, Cozette Davis of Burnet; and by three grandsons, Jacob Pigg, Jayson Pigg, and John Cagle Pigg, all of Quitaque.

Memorials may be made to the Teachers Scholarship Fund at Valley School

Wallace

Sandra "Sandi" Keel Wallace of Brady went to be with her Lord on Thursday, April 18, 2002, in Brady at the age of 58 years and 8 days.

Services were held on Sunday, April 21, 2002, at 2:00 p.m. in the

First United Methodist Church of Brady and then again at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, April 22, 2002, in the First United Methodist Church of Clarendon with burial following in Citizens Cemetery. The Reverend Sheldon Johnson and Carol Stepp conducted the service in Brady, and Bright Newhouse conducted the service in Clarendon.

Sandi was born on April 10, 1944, to L.V. and Lena (Trent) Keel in Childress. She married Glenn Wallace on July 8, 1966, in Carey, Texas. She lived in Brady for the last 18 years, moving there from Clarendon in 1984. Sandi was an active member of the First United Methodist Church, the Brady Chamber of Commerce, the Child Welfare Board, and was a past member of the Clarendon Jaycees. She worked as a secretary for most of her life, working for different lawyers, the Clarendon CISD, the McCulloch County District Clerk, and the McCulloch County Probation Office. Sandi was active in fund-raising for the American Cancer Society and the American Heart Association. She loved playing bridge, gardening, reading, and she especially loved her husband, children, family, and friends.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Tony Wallace of Abilene; a daughter, Jill Mays and Husband, Jeff of Brady; three sisters: Brenda Higley and her husband Tom of Amarillo, Gail Campbell of Childress, and Rita Evans and her husband Larry of Childress; six grandchildren, Brian, Ashley, Jessica, Danielle, Maggie, and Will; and other family members and friends.

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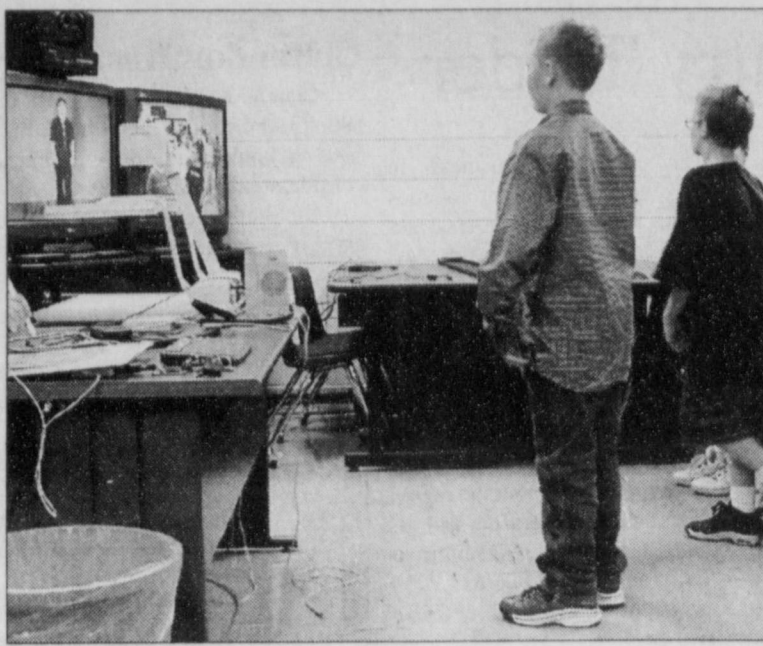
Fourth graders take lessons from New York

Students in Mrs. Hankins' 4th grade class at Clarendon Elementary got a very special treat on Wednesday, April 10. They participated in a videoconference live from New York City called "Tap, Rhythm, Patterns" from Arts4All, Ltd.

This was a trial project sponsored by the Region 16 Education Service Center. Only three classes in the entire state participated. The instructor was in New York City, and classes from Clarendon, Tulia, and Wellington participated simultaneously.

The students were taught basic tap dance steps and were able to practice and demonstrate them for the instructor (and other remote classes) during the videoconference.

Lisa Hopkins, the instructor, is a distinguished member of The New York City Dance Alliance and has danced off-broadway at The Atlantic Theater, The Town Hall, Merkin Concert Hall and Radio City Music Hall, and was featured company member of Manhattan Tap for two seasons. She is Artistic Director of



Fourth grade students learn to dance with lessons from a teacher in New York City.

"Tap Kids," a show that features 9 of America's best young tap dancers and will soon be touring the nation.

Hopkins' director/choreographer credits include the workshop of the new musical play "Talkies" at the Century Center in NYC, "Murder They Danced" at Toronto's Premiere Dance, and "1940's Radio Hour" at The Emelin Theater in New York. She has been billed as "one of New York's leading choreographers" for

work in The Gypsy Project.

"I really liked the tap-dancing, and I would really like to do it again," said student Brittany Sanchez. "It was really fun seeing a professional show us how to do the tap dancing."

Clarendon CISD officials were excited to have had this opportunity and say they are thrilled when our students can broaden their exposure to quality fine arts curriculum.

Walkers continue trek

The Walk Across Texas continues this week in Donley County with fourteen teams battling for first place. The teams have been walking for about three weeks.

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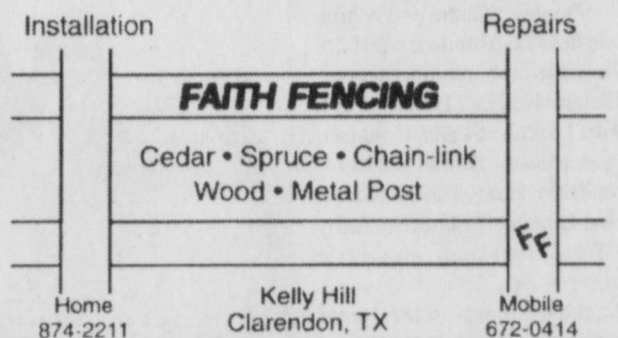
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Candidates for Clarendon City Aldermen

Tommy N. Hill



PO Box 1315,
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Position Sought:
Alderman
Incumbent: No
Age: 46

Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County

Appraisal District: Yes
Occupation: Hill Construction and Fletcher Rental Properties

Education: High School Diploma (Clarendon High School), 1 yr. Clarendon College.

Qualifications: Operated my own business for 20+ years. I know how to bid projects and stay within a budget. I can decipher proposed bids and make the distinction between inadequate and quality construction and materials used for the dollars spent.

Top three goals: 1. Listen to all the citizens' needs and wants with no personal agenda. 2. Get the best services possible for your tax dollars. 3. Promote new businesses and job opportunities.

Comments: I would like to see more of the 1.1 million back taxes collected. I will work to have more roads paved and maintain existing streets and curbs. There needs to be a city policy dealing with trash and debris around residences in the city.

Janice E. Knorpp

PO Drawer A, Clarendon, TX 79226
Position Sought: Alderman
Incumbent: No
Age: 53
Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? Yes

Occupation: Housewife
Education: High School Diploma - Clarendon Public Schools

Qualifications: I have no formal training for the position, but I am a concerned citizen that has the time and the desire to do what I can to assist the city in attaining future growth and prosperity.

Top three goals: 1. Improve city street conditions. 2. Promote growth. 3. Improve communication between City Hall and the citizens.

Comments: I would like to work with the citizens of Clarendon, and the citizens to work with the city to improve streets, reduce taxes, promote growth and a pleasant atmosphere in our wonderful town. If elected, I would like to send a questionnaire to all citizens to see how they would like their tax dollars spent.

B.J. Land



PO Box 2247,
Clarendon, TX
79226
Position Sought:
Alderman (Write-In)
Incumbent: Yes
Age: 75

Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? Yes

Occupation: Retired (electrician)
Education: Graduated Clarendon High School, 2 yrs. Clarendon College.

Qualifications: 55 year resident in city of Clarendon. Two terms as City Alderman. Successfully ran an electrical business for 35 years. Fire chief 13 years - member of the fire dept. 21 years.

Top three goals: 1. To achieve a fair and balanced city govt. 2. Eliminate wastefulness and inefficiency. 3. To maintain a strong and cooperative mayor and city council as we have had in the past.

Comments: No response

Mac J. Stavenhagen



PO Box 905,
Clarendon, TX
79226
Position Sought:
Alderman
Incumbent: Yes
Age: 68

Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County

Appraisal District? Yes
Occupation: Retired

Education: graduated Lelia Lake High School, completed three years college at WTSU.

Qualifications: 10 years as City of Clarendon Alderman, 22 years as owner of business in Clarendon, Texas.

Top three goals: 1. Repair and/or replace as many streets as possible in 2 years. 2. Tear out the center of 5th street and replace with brick. 3. Appoint a City Administrator.

Comments: It has been rewarding to have served as a City Alderman the past ten years. I have worked to keep our taxes as low as possible and to offer the needed services at a reasonable rate. If re-elected, I will strive to continue to serve honestly and faithfully for the next term.

Mark White



PO Box 1138,
Clarendon, TX
79226
Position Sought:
Alderman, City of Clarendon
Incumbent: Yes
Age: 39

Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? Yes

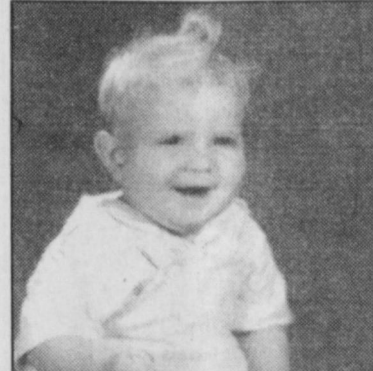
Occupation: Co-Owner of Wallace Monument Co.

Education: Clarendon High School, WTAMU

Qualifications: I am the owner-operator of a local business. This will help me in managing and making decisions regarding city business. Being an incumbent, I am familiar with the projects we are working on and will work hard to see them carried out.

Top three goals: 1. Street improvements. 2. Promotion of city for new businesses and economic growth. 3. Beautification project of City.

Comments: I have been a citizen of Clarendon all of my life. I have chosen to raise a family and operate a business here. We have a great city with a lot of potential. I want to continue to see the city grow and prosper.



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Tennis Regional qualifiers: Amina Abdullah, Uthala Abdullah, and Greg Wootten
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Abdullahs take 3rd at qualifier meet

Twins and doubles partners Amina and Uthala Abdullah took part in a qualifiers meet in Plainview that was hosted by Nazareth.

The Abdullahs opened up against Adams and Pickering from Trinity in Lubbock. They were defeated 3-8. In the next game, the double's team played Hill and Hill from Hedley and defeated them 8-3. They advanced to play in the consolation round against Kirk and Reddy from Floydada, defeating them 8-3 and claiming 3rd place.

This meet was a chance for the team to prepare for the Regional meet, which will be April 24th and 25th in Abilene. The Abdullahs'

record stands at 19-4, including two tournament championships.

"I feel like we're ready," said Coach Wade Callaway. "They've been working hard and playing well. We hope to have a strong showing."

They will play their first regional match at 1:30 April 24 on the ACU campus in Abilene.

District 6 2A champion Greg Wootten did not play in the practice meet as he is nursing a sore shoulder. Callaway feels he will be ready to play April 24. Wootten, whose record is 17-2 with 3 championships, will play his first match at 9:00 a.m.

We want to wish each of you the best of luck!

Lady Broncos claim 2nd place in district softball

By Sandy Anderberg

The Lady Bronco softball team is gearing up for post-season play. Their 2nd place District finish will catapult them straight to the Regional Quarterfinal game that will be played by May 11. The Lady Broncos earned their play off spot despite two losses to West Texas.

April 9 the Lady Broncos traveled to Stinnett to match up against the Lady Comanches. The Lady Broncos lost 1-12. Freshman Destiny Weatherston pitched, and senior Janey Adudell was the catcher.

The game was tight until the 4th inning.

"We were only down by 1 run in the bottom of the 3rd inning," said Coach Kathy Barton.

The Lady Broncos gave up 6 runs in the 4th inning to fall behind by 7 runs. The deficit was just too much to overcome.

"We had too many mental errors," Barton said.

April 16, the Lady Broncos hosted the Lady Comanches for their 2nd meeting. Despite playing a closer game, the Lady Broncos lost 4-6. Weatherston got the call to pitch, and Christine Holden was the catcher.

The game was tied in the bottom of the 2nd inning, but the Lady Broncos allowed too many runners on

base in the 3rd inning and fell behind. They attempted to come back, but they stranded too many runners on base. "We gave up too many runs in the 3rd," Barton said. "The girls played great. They did an awesome job, and they never gave up."

The junior varsity also played and defeated WT 17-4 in the 1st game and 9-2 in the second.

Saturday, April 20, the Lady Broncos played Aspermont at home and were defeated 3-14.

Aspermont is ranked 6th in the state in class 1A, but the Lady Broncos gave them a good game and played hard the 7 innings. According to Barton, their worst inning came in the 6th as they allowed Aspermont too many runs.

Weatherston started out pitching with Adudell catching. Barton made a pitching change in the 3rd inning with Weatherston and Adudell changing positions. Weatherston pitched again in the 7th to finish out the game.

"We played the best we have played all year. I was so proud of how well we kept our composure and played our best."

The Lady Broncos will continue with their regular season schedule and begin to prepare for their quarterfinal game. As of press time, their opponent was not known.

Broncos runners-up in district

By Sandy Anderberg

The Broncos showed up to at their field ready to play District foe West Texas last week. They had their bats going strong, and their defensive game was honed sharp. But despite their tough play and mental sharpness in the game, the Broncos fell to the Comanches 5-10.

The Broncos trailed by one run early on but came back in the bottom of the 1st inning to tie the score. They went down again by one run in the 3rd but jumped back on top in the bottom of the 6th.

The Broncos seemed to be in control of the game when WT began to slam hit after hit. They drove in 7 runs to go up 10-3. The Broncos had the last bat but could only put 2 runs on the board.

"The guys played really good defense," coach Danny Brittain said. "We hit the ball as good as we've hit it all year."

The Broncos stranded runners at crucial times in the game, according to Brittain.

"We left runners on the bases, and that hurt us. I do want to give the kids credit for their improved play. Despite losing the game, it's obvious that the kids have been working hard in practice. They executed some things well that they had been work-

ing on."

Friday the Broncos faced off against Kress. The Broncos handily defeated the Kangaroos 10-1.

Senior Jeremy Ray got the win and extended his record to 4-2 for the year. Ray had 10 strikeouts and only 2 walks. Fellow senior Cody Watson stepped in to pitch the last three innings and threw 5 strikeouts. Lee Stegall was perfect from the plate, and Bryan McFarland was 2 for 3. Jeremy Howard was 1 for 3. Todd Hoeltzel had the strong bat as he hit a 2-run home run and a 3-run home run.

The Broncos played hard and increased their season record to 11-6.

"Everyone played well, and we only had one error," Coach Danny Brittain said. "We had a good day hitting the ball."

The Broncos are looking to post-season play and anticipate facing Floydada in the opening round. A time and place has not been determined at this time.

Good luck, Broncos!

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Summer I session May 29 - July 2, 2002

Clarendon				
* Human A&P I	BIOL 2401	5-10 p.m.	TR	
Eng. Comp/Rhetoric I	ENGL 1301	8-11:55 a.m.	TR	
World Literature I	ENGL 2332	6-10 p.m.	TR	
US History To 1877	HIST 1301	8-11:55 a.m.	MW	
College Algebra	MATH 1314	6-10 p.m.	MW	
Intro to Sociology	SOCI 1301	1-4:55 p.m.	MW	
Public Speaking	SPCH 1315	6-10 p.m.	TR	
Interpersonal Speech	SPCH 1318	9 a.m. - 12:55 p.m.	MW	

Childress				
* Human A&P I	BIOL 2401	5-10 p.m.	TR	
General Psychology	PSYC 2301	6-10 p.m.	MW	
Finite Mathematics	MATH 1324	6-10:30 p.m.	MW	
Intro to Golf	PHED 1113	9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	T	

Wellington				
US History to 1877	HIST 1301	6-10 p.m.	MW	
College Algebra	MATH 1314	6-9:55 p.m.	MW	
General Psychology	PSYC 2301	6-10 p.m.	TR	
Human Growth & Dev.	PHSY 2314	6-10 p.m.	MW	

Memphis				
General Chem Lab I	CHEM 1111	5-6 p.m.	MW	
General Chem I	CHEM 1311	6-10 p.m.	MW	

Pampa				
* Human A&P I	BIOL 2401	5-10 p.m.	TR	
Intro to Mass Comm	COMM 1307	1-4:55 p.m.	TR	
Intro to Criminal Just.	CRJ 1301	1-4:55 p.m.	MW	
Eng Comp/Rhetoric I	ENGL 1301	8-11:55 a.m.	MW	
Eng Comp/Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	8-11:55 a.m.	MW	
Eng Comp/Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	6-10 p.m.	TR	
World Literature	ENGL 2332	8-11:55 a.m.	TR	
US & Texas Const	GOVT 2301	6-10 p.m.	MW	
US History to 1877	HIST 1301	6-10 p.m.	MW	
US History from 1877	HIST 1302	6-10 p.m.	TR	
Intro to Golf	PHED 1113	9 a.m. - 1 p.m.	R	
General Psychology	PSYC 2301	6-10 p.m.	TR	
Intro to Sociology	SOCI 1301	1-4:55 p.m.	MW	

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Elem Spanish I	SPAN 1411	8-11:55 p.m.	MW
Public Speaking	SPCH 1315	8-11:55 p.m.	MW
Public Speaking	SPCH 1315	6-10 p.m.	MW
Interpersonal Speech	SPCH 1318	5-9:15 p.m.	TR

Distance Learning

Intro to Computers	COSE 1401
Technical Writing	ENGL 2311

Summer II session July 8 - August 8, 2002

Clarendon				
* Human A&P II	BIOL 2402	5-10 p.m.	TR	
Intro to Criminal Just.	CRJ 1301	1-4:55 p.m.	MW	
Eng. Comp/Rhetoric I	ENGL 1301	6-10 p.m.	TR	
Eng. Comp/Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	8-11:55 a.m.	MW	
World Literature II	ENGL 2333	8-11:55 a.m.	TR	
US History from 1877	HIST 1302	8-11:55 a.m.	MW	
Social Issues	SOCI 1306	1-4:55 p.m.	MW	
Public Speaking	SPCH 1315	8-11:55 a.m.	MW	

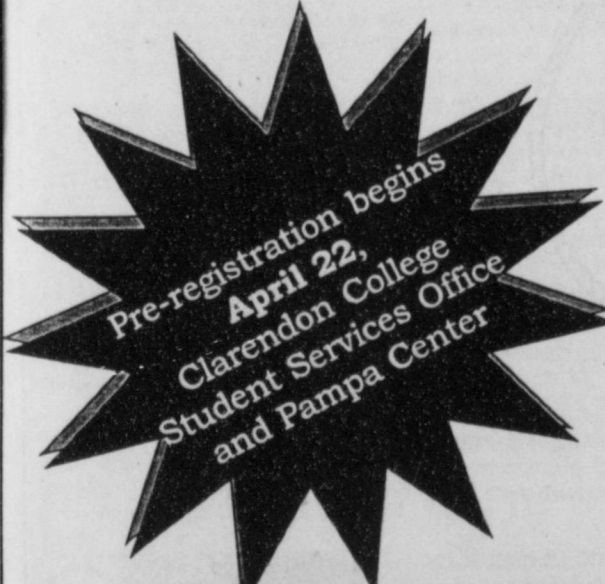
Childress				
* Human A&P II	BIOL 2402	5-10 p.m.	TR	
Business Calculus	MATH 1325	6-10 p.m.	MW	

Wellington				
Intro to CIS	COSC 1401	6-10 p.m.	MW	
US History from 1877	HIST 1302	6-10 p.m.	MW	
General Psychology	PSYC 2301	6-10 p.m.	TR	
Human Growth & Dev.	PSYC 2314	6-10 p.m.	MW	

Memphis				
General Chem Lab II	CHEM 1112	5-6 p.m.	MW	
General Chem II	CHEM 1312	6-10 p.m.	MW	

Pampa				
* Human A&P II	BIOL 2402	5-10 p.m.	TR	
General Psychology	PSYC 2301	1-4:55 p.m.	TR	
Human Growth & Dev.	PSYC 2314	8-11:55 a.m.	TR	
Public Speaking	SPCH 1315	6-10 p.m.	TR	

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Bulldogs scrambling to make playoffs

By Sandy Anderberg

With only three regular season games remaining, the Clarendon College Bulldogs are battling to fill the last spot in the play offs. As of now, the Bulldogs are tied with Frank Phillips for 4th place.

The Bulldogs faced conference leader New Mexico Junior College in Hobbs Friday and Saturday of last week. The Bulldogs managed to win one out of the four games played.

New Mexico took the first game 8-5. Jared Smith was the losing pitcher. Phillip Roberson was 2 for 5 with a home run and 2 RBI's. Chris Stephens was 2 for 4 and Michael Pelley hit 50% with a double. Tate Seideman hit a double and one RBI.

The Bulldogs rallied back in the 2nd game to defeat New Mexico 14-10. Stephens was the big hitter in the game as he was 3 for 5 with a Grand Slam and 6 RBI's. He also added 2 other home runs. Roberson was perfect from the plate with a double and a triple. Seideman was 3 for 4 with 2

RBI's and a double. Joel Flores was the winning pitcher, and Josh Adams got the save.

In the 3rd game of the series, the Bulldogs were defeated 2-5. Jonathan Hall was the losing pitcher. Roberson was 1 for 4 with a home run and one RBI, and Victor Rodriguez was 1 for 2.

The Bulldogs dropped the final game to New Mexico 6-17. Stephens slammed in one home run and 2 RBI's. Socrates Caba was 2 for 3 with a double and one RBI, and Adam Klestinec hit 50% from the plate with a home run and 2 RBI's. Simon Walshe was the losing pitcher.

"We pitched well 3 out of the 4 games," Coach Trent Petrie said. "We just didn't swing our bats well at all. We had a chance to split with them, but we just didn't get the job done."

Earlier in the week, the Bulldogs hosted Redlands College from El Reno, Oklahoma. Clarendon lost the 1st game 6-18. Jason Mann was the

losing pitcher. Klestinec hit 2 for 3, and Caba was 1 for 3 with a sacrifice fly and one RBI. Daniel Daly hit 2 for 3 with one home run and 2 RBI's. Nick Muscari hit 50% with a double and one RBI.

The Bulldogs got their revenge in the 2nd game as they defeated Redlands 12-10. Smith was the winning pitcher, and Hall got the save. Again it was Klestinec with a Grand Slam and 4 RBI's. Stephens was 2 for 3 with a home run, double, and 2 RBI's. Caba was 1 for 3 with a double and 2 RBI's. Seideman knocked in one RBI, and Ringo Galarza was 2 for 3.

The Bulldogs will travel to Big Spring Friday, April 26th to make up 2 1/2 games with Howard College. They will finish the rain-delayed game that will continue with the Bulldogs on top 6-2 in the 4th inning. Three wins for the Bulldogs against Howard and three losses for Frank Phillips will put CC in the playoffs. Both games will begin at noon.

Lady Broncs finish 4th in regional qualifiers meet

By Sandy Anderberg

Stacking up win after win, the Lady Broncs are ready to take on the other regional qualifiers later this week in Abilene.

The five Lady Broncs and one Bronco who have qualified for the regional meet have been working hard and participated in a qualifiers meet over the weekend in Elk City, Oklahoma.

Junior James Williams, who was a state qualifier last year, competed in the shot put and discus. Williams threw 53'4" in the shot put, and it was good enough for 2nd place. His throw of 151'9" in the discus put him in 2nd place, also.

On the women's side, freshman Angel Williams took 1st place in the 400-meter dash with a time of 60.55. Williams also placed 1st in the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 15.25.

Fellow freshman Destiny Weatheron triple jumped to a 3rd place finish with a distance of 33'8" and also was a finalist in the 100-meter dash. Sophomore Equilla Weatheron finished 2nd in the 100-meter with a time of 12.44. Senior April Bryley finished 4th in the 400-meter run with a time of 61.84. May Butler competed in the shot put and placed 6th with a distance of 35'.

Bryley, Williams, and the Weatheron girls teamed up for the 1600-

meter relay and finished 2nd with a time of 4:24.77.

Coach Joe Gifford was pleased with his team's overall effort.

"The kids did well at Elk City. I feel like they will all peak at the right time, and we'll have several state qualifiers."

The regional track meet will be held April 25 and 26 in Abilene on the ACU campus.

Good luck!

Addition: Omitted from the District track results in the April 18 issue of THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE was senior Brian Thompson. Thompson competed in the shot put and the discus. Our apologies to Brian for this oversight.



Members of the Major Boys Little Dribblers basketball team are (bottom) Zack Rattan, T.J. Brown, Derrick Shelton, (standing) Shadden Lanier, Stormie Garrison, Tanner Morris, and coaches Stan Shelton and Traci Morris.



Members of the Major Boys Little Dribblers basketball team are (bottom) Scott Fowler, Danzel Wilson, Dalton Askew, (standing) Trevor Leeper, Stephen Fowler, Devin Noble, and coaches Brian Leeper and Danny Askew.



Members of the Major Girls Little Dribblers basketball team are (bottom) Morgan Hysinger, Charlea Hoeltzel, Bailey Starnes, (standing) Kalli Sawyer, Ellen Nararjo, Anna Gaines, and Brandi Pace. Not pictured are Macy Shadle, Cortnee Thornberry, and coach Lance Thornberry.



Members of the Minor Boys Little Dribblers basketball team are (bottom) Dalton Layton, A.J. Horton, Eli Short, (standing) Hadley Jones, Ty Tubbs, Johnny Gaines, and coaches Alton Gaines and Joel Layton. They were assisted by Little Alton Gaines.



Members of the Major Girls Little Dribblers basketball team are (bottom) Trisha Hewett, Abbie Massingill, Sade Cobb, Jenci White, (standing) Leigh Ann Layton, Katie Blackburn, Janae White, Mydie Miller, and coach Randy White.



Members of Major Boys Little Dribblers basketball team are (bottom) Johnny Ballard, P.J. Ray, (standing) Jesus Hernandez, Michael Brooks, and coach Chris Johnsen. Not pictured are Keifer Burton, Billy Cenicerros, Ryan Robison, and Coach Ray.

Photo by Donna Bevington.

Thank You!

For contributing to the Donley County Courthouse Preservation Fund

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Total Funds Raised
As Of April 22, 2002:
\$135,464

If you would like to help with the restoration of the Donley County Courthouse, you may send your donation of any size to the Donley County Courthouse Preservation Fund, PO Box 825, Clarendon, TX 79226.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO DONLEY COUNTY TAXPAYERS
Deadline for rendering personal property has been extended until April 30, 2002. All personal property must be rendered each year even if there has been no change from the prior year. If you have had a change in vehicles, such as trading one in or selling one, it is very important to render. You should include cars, pickups, trucks, RV's, motorcycles, travel trailers, and airplanes. If you own a business, you should also render your business inventory held for resale and other business related equipment.
Forms for filing are available at the appraisal district office at 307 S. Sully or by calling 874-2744. The rendition must be signed, and you may, although it is not required, list an opinion of market value. If you give your opinion of value and if the appraisal district believes the value is higher, it must notify you in writing of the higher value and explain how you can protest that value to the appraisal review board.

Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc.
63rd Annual Membership Meeting
Monday, April 29, 2002
Wellington High School Auditorium
Wellington, Texas
1:30 p.m. - Registration
2:00 p.m. Call to Order
Registration
Business Session
Election of Two Directors
Drawing for Attendance Prizes
Refreshments

63rd Annual Membership Meeting

All members registering will receive a door prize and be registered for the attendance prize drawing.

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MEETINGS

Clarendon Lodge #700 AF&AM Stated meeting: Second Monday each month, 8:00 p.m. Refreshments served at 7:00 p.m. Practice sessions: Fourth Monday, 7:00 p.m.
Allen H. Estlack - W.M.
Larry Hicks - Secretary

Clarendon Order of the Eastern Star #6 Stated meetings: First Thursdays, 8:00 pm; Refreshments served at 7:00 pm
Margaret Ann Pettit - W.M.
Opal Ramsey - Secretary

Clarendon Lions Club Regular meeting each Tuesday at noon.
Jerry Woodard, Boss Lion
Monty Hysinger, Secretary

Clarendon Girl Scouts Unit leaders meeting: First Tuesday, 7 p.m., First United Methodist Church,
Denise Bertrand, Membership Specialist. 874-2846

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting each Monday at 7:00 p.m. & Saturday at 7:00 p.m. at 305 S. Kearney St.

Donley Co. Memorial Post #7782 of the VFW & Auxiliary Stated meeting: Second Tuesday at 6 p.m.
Dale Powers - Post Commander
Bill Holden - Adjunct Quartermaster
Post Home Phone No: 874-VETS
Bingo - Saturdays, 7:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Saints' Roost Museum
610 East Harrington
Hours
Saturday and Sunday
2:00 - 5:00 p.m.
874-2546

HIGH SPEED INTERNET is now available in Clarendon. Wireless service up to 50 times faster than dial-up. No phone line is needed. Contact the Enterprise for details. 874-2259. 2-tfc

REAL ESTATE

THREE BEDROOM, one bath, 2-car carport, large kitchen, dining, laundry, FP, covered brick patio, nice fenced backyard, great neighborhood. 1013W. 8th. \$55,000. 874-5375. 46-ctc

THREE BEDROOM, 2 bath house in good condition. 321 E. Browning. 806-874-3127. 15-4tp

FOR SALE: One bedroom house at 504 E. 4th. 874-2528, leave message. 18-1tp

FOR SALE: 100 ac. Farm land 4 miles south of Lelia Lake. Deer, quail, and dove hunting. Domestic well. 874-2528, leave message. 18-1tp

GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE: 602 Carhart. Saturday, 8 a.m. - ? 18-1tp

HUGE GARAGE SALE: 4th and Carhart. Friday, 8-5 and Saturday, 8-12 (half price). 18-1tp

FOR SALE

TRAILERS FOR SALE: 14 ft. with ramp. 10 ft. with ramp. 874-3757. 17-ctfc

FOR SALE: Sofa sleeper and three storage chests at 602 S. Collinson. Would like to sell before April 27. Call 874-2226 daytime or 874-2931 after 7:00 p.m. 18-1tc

GUNS FOR SALE: Marlin 30-30 rifle, Smith and Wesson 38 Special, Colt 22 Rifle. 874-3757. 18-ctfc

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FARM SUPPLIES

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FOR RENT

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601 Burkhead
2 bedroom
602 Collinson
2 Bedroom, Central H/A
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(home)

AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE BY OWNER: 1994 3/4 Ton Ford 4x4 extended cab pickup. 806-874-2694. 17-2tp

USED CAR FOR SALE: '88 Olds 98. New paint, excellent condition. \$1,750. 874-3506. 17-ctfc

HELP WANTED

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Clarendon Economic Development Corporation has an immediate opening for an Executive Director. This position will be responsible for performing the design, implementation and monitoring programs, which encourage economic development in the City of Clarendon consistent with the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation (CEDC) policy. In the accomplishment of this objective, the position will be required to: review and develop policies related to the underlying strength of the City's economy; develop and implement specific business retention, expansion and recruitment programs; identify the employment needs of the community and implement recruitment strategies; and job creation efforts that match these skills and needs of current residents; communicate the elements of the City's economic development strategy to diverse groups and build consensus as a facilitator of this strategy; establish and maintain contact with other City, County, and Statewide economic development organizations; and provide support to the City's tourism promotion. This position will represent the CEDC in meetings and public forums regarding economic development, and will make regular visits to business and industry. Education and Experience:

1. Possession of a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university in Business Administration, Public Administration, Economics, or a related field is required. A masters degree or higher is preferred.
2. A minimum of five years of progressively responsible employment experience dealing with economic development, including three years at a management level.
3. Experience in a governmental agency relative to economic development, or experience in the private sector working with governmental officials in areas related to local economic development, is preferred.

Position will close May 13, 2002, at 5 p.m. Send cover letter and resume to Clarendon EDC, PO Box 848, Clarendon, Texas 79226, 806-874-9787. Salary \$18,000. 17-2tc

HOUSEKEEPING: Two positions available, 24-32 hours a week. Starting wage \$7.00 with an increase within 30 days with prove of ability. Call Palo Duro Nursing Home, 226-5121. 18-2tc

CNA'S - Need 6/2 shift \$8.00, 1/10 and 10/6 shifts \$8.75. Call Palo Duro Nursing Home, 226-5121. 18-2tc

NEEDED FULL/PART TIME LVN - 12 hour shift; 6 p.m. to 6 a.m., \$13.00. Call Palo Duro Nursing Home, 226-5121. 18-2tc

CLARENDON CISD is accepting applications for custodial positions. Applications are available at the Administration Office, 416 S. Allen. Equal Opportunity Employer. 18-3tc

PHARMACY TECH or Pharmacy Tech Trainee. Immediate opening. Mike's Pharmacy. 17-ctfc

APPLICATIONS ARE BEING TAKEN for part-time clerk for Donley County Tax Assessor Collector-Motor Vehicle Office. Must have typing skills, computer experience, balance cash drawer, and the ability to meet and work with people. Applications may be obtained at the Courthouse and returned to the Motor Vehicle office by 5:00 p.m. on April 30, 2002. \$6.97/hr. An Equal Opportunity Employer. 17-2tc

SERVICES

ASSISTED LIVING HOME has nice apartment for elderly or disabled person or couple. Two large rooms plus private bath, private entrance. Decorate as home or will furnish. All meals, laundry, and physical assistance provided. Very pleasant. \$2,000 monthly for apartment. Single room - \$1,400 monthly. Medicaid (CBA) or private. 874-5000. State license #001006. Call Suzie to ask questions. 42-ctfc

CARPENTER WORK - Large or small jobs. Call Dickie Bennett at 874-2362. 33-ctfc

BYRON BURROW WILL DO YARDS - mowing and cleaning. Call 874-5100 or 874-0089. 17-3tc

COMMERCIAL ROTATILLING - Free estimates. Any size. 856-0075. 18-2tp

CUSTOM BAILING, swathing, and hauling. Large round bales, small square bales. Larry Bennett, 874-9404. 18-8tp

THANK YOU

We want to thank everyone who called, visited, sent cards, and most of all your prayers. Everything turned out okay with Ralph, God is still in control.
Ralph and Dorothy Grady
♦♦♦♦♦

I would like to thank the Donley County Sheriff's Department and the EMS personnel for the medical care I received on Friday evening, April 12. With special attention to the Emergency Medical Service, I survived a rough night. A sincere thanks for your professional care.
Cyrus Baxter
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Words cannot express my thanks to each of you for most of all your prayers, your calls, cards, food, and visits during my illness and hospital stay. May God bless each of you in a special way.
Jan Baten

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Clarendon Economic Development Corporation is considering expending funds for the Donley County Courthouse Restoration Fund Project. A public meeting will be held at 4:00 p.m., May 14, 2002, in the Board Room of The Clarendon Economic Development Corporation Office, located at 318 South Kearney Street, Clarendon, Texas. 17-4tc

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District is requesting proposals for Student Accident Insurance for the 2002-2003 school year. Proposals must be received in the Clarendon CISD Administration Office, PO Box 510, Clarendon, TX 79226, by 2:00 p.m. on Friday, May 17, 2002. Clarendon CISD retains the right to reject any and all bids. For more information, please call Clarendon CISD at 806-874-2062. 18-1tc

CLARENDON COLLEGE is accepting bids for the sale of 13 head of Longhorn Roping Steers. All in good condition. Bids will be accepted until 4:00 p.m. on Thursday May 2, 2002. Steers to be picked up on May 3, 2002. For more information contact Darryl Perryman, Clarendon College, (806) 874-3571 ext. 257. Mail bids to Clarendon College, President's Office, P.O. Box 968, Clarendon, TX 79226. Clarendon College reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 18-2tc

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE

The Donley County Sheriff's Department will take sealed bids on a 1989 Ford Mustang LX 50. Bids may be mailed to the Donley County Sheriff's Department, PO Box 910, Clarendon, TX 79226. Sealed bids must be turned into the Donley County Sheriff's Department by 10:00 a.m. on April 29, 2002. For more information, contact Sheriff Charles "Butch" Blackburn at the Donley County Sheriff's Office. Donley County Sheriff's Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids. 17-2tc

Ordinance 340

An ordinance prohibiting livestock within the corporate city limits of the City of Clarendon, revoking all prior ordinances in conflict herewith, defining a nuisance, and establishing penalties and remedies for violations.

Section 1: A) The term "livestock" means cattle, horses, mules, sheep, goats, buffaloes, and other domestic animals generally kept or raised on a farm. B) The term "person" means individual, corporation, firm, partnership, or any other entity.

Section 2: It shall be unlawful for any person to keep or maintain any livestock within the corporate city limits of the City of Clarendon, except as provided in this Ordinance.

Section 3: The keeping or causing to be kept of any livestock within the corporate limits of the City of Clarendon in violation of this Ordinance is hereby declared a nuisance.

Section 4: Any person desiring to keep livestock within the City limits must first obtain a license for the property where the livestock are to be kept and a permit for each head of livestock to be kept on the property. Prior to keeping any livestock within the City limits, a person shall make application to the City for a license and a permit pursuant to the terms, conditions, and requirements listed in the long form of this Ordinance on file at City Hall. The license fee for each property where the livestock are to be kept is \$20 per year, and the license must be renewed annually. The permit fee for each head of livestock to be kept on the property where a license has been granted is \$10 per year, and the permit must be renewed annually.

Section 5: Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance or failing to observe any provision hereof shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be fined a sum of not more than \$500, and each and every day or fraction of a day during which the Ordinance, or any part thereof, shall be violated, shall be deemed a separate offense and punished as such.

Section 6: A) The City shall designate an animal control supervisor or other person or position to oversee and enforce this Ordinance. If the City determines that any person is violating this Ordinance, the City will give written notice and demand to said person that the violation must be abated within ten (10) days from the date of the notice. If the person fails to abate the violation, the City may take up and impound any livestock in violation. B) The City shall within three (3) days after such livestock has been impounded post notice to the public and deliver notice to the person violating the Ordinance, giving a full description of such livestock and stating a day and place of sale of such livestock, which date of sale shall not be less than five (5) days from the date of posting notice, and the livestock shall be sold at public auction to the highest

bidder for cash. C) The City shall collect a fee for taking up and impounding any livestock a fee for feeding and caring for any livestock and a fee for selling livestock. After deducting the fees, the City shall return the balance of such sale, if any, to the owner of the livestock. The owner of any livestock impounded may reclaim the same from the City at any time before the sale by paying all fees and expenses of taking up and keeping the livestock. D) The City shall keep a book in which shall be recorded a description of all livestock impounded, the date of impounding, the date of sale, the amount realized from the sale, the fees and expenses due for impounding, and keeping the animal, the name of the owner, if known, and the name of the purchaser.

Section 7: This Ordinance shall supercede and replace any and all ordinances in conflict herewith.

Section 8: Any person keeping or maintaining livestock within the City limits at the time of the passage of this Ordinance will have sixty (60) days to comply with this Ordinance.

Section 9: This Ordinance shall not apply to any hospitals, clinics, or other premises operated by a licensed veterinarian for the care or treatment of animals.

Section 10: Except as provided in Section 8 above, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval, passage, and publication as required by law.

LEGAL NOTICE

Passed and approved this 9th day of April 2002.

[s] Tex Selvidge, Mayor

Attest:

[s] Linda Smith, City Secretary

17-2tc

SERVICES



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REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE

CLARENDON - HOUSE

COMPLETELY REMODELED - Early American, Victorian, 2,656 sq. ft., two story, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, kitchen with built-ins, dining, living, den, central heat and air, basement, hot tub, patio, unattached garage/storage, sprinklers front and back, new - sewer line, water line, and wiring, fenced backyard at 420 W. 4th for \$100,000. \$85,000.

PRETTY RED BRICK - 2024 sq. ft., 3 bedroom, 2 bath, living/dining/den, kitchen with breakfast nook, central heat and ref. air, one and two car unattached garages, concrete cellar, fenced backyard, landscaped, all on large corner curbed lot at 313 W. 4th for \$69,900.

NEED LOTS OF ROOM? - 2 story, 2,416 sq. ft. (1,456 down, 960 up), stucco, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, kitchen with built-ins, dining, den, large utility, basement with easy entry, attached hobby room with 1/2 bath, 1-car attached garage, unattached 2 car garage/shop/barn, well or city water option, fenced back yard at 602 Browning for \$62,500.

NICE BRICK - 2 bedroom (plus basement for optional third bedroom), 1 bath, nice kitchen, with built-ins, dining, living, central heat & air, unattached garage with opener, also nice 1-car carport, fenced back yard, yard sprinklers, on curbed lots, all well maintained and ready to move in at 618 S. Gorst for \$62,500.

LOOKING FOR HOME & LARGE SHOP? Nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen with dishwasher and range, living, NEW central heat and air, large unattached 1,040 sq. ft. shop/garage with auto door openers and work bench, fenced back yard with dog kennel at 1010 E. 3rd for \$44,500.

LARGE HOUSE & SHOP BUILDING - 4 bedroom, 2 bath, modern kitchen with built-in Gen-air cook top and double oven, dishwasher, utility, large den/living/dining area with wood burner fireplace, concrete cellar, well or city water option, 121 sq. ft. storage/well house bldg., 1,200 sq. ft. shop all on 3 lots at 203 S. Wells for \$54,900. REDUCED TO \$48,000.

RECENTLY TOTALLY REMODELED - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen, dining, living, utility, central heat & air, metal siding, 1 car garage, 1 car port, cellar, fenced back yard, storage building, @ 610 W. 3rd for \$57,500. REDUCED TO \$48,000.

CLARENDON HOUSE & 9.3 ACRES - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, living, kitchen, attached 2 car garage, concrete cellar, well with sub. pump, various out buildings & storage bins - joins city on South for \$55,000. REDUCED TO \$48,500.

CLARENDON HOUSE & 15 ACRES - 3 bedroom, 1 bath, living, kitchen, den, barn, and other out buildings, well with sub. pump, joins city on East for \$30,000.

CLARENDON - HUNTING RANCH - 615 acres m/l, 5 miles south of Clarendon, enter from paved F/M road, includes small acreage on rim of canyon for possible building sites with beautiful unrestricted view, all grass on rolling to rough terrain, DEER, QUAIL, AND TURKEY frequent the installed feeders and drink from two wells, one with submersible pump and one with windmill. Will not be available long at \$310 per acre.

CLAUDE - 972 acres 6 miles west, 1/2 miles frontage on paved FM 1151, 193.8 acres in CRP (\$6,074.00 annual income), balance in grass, 3 domestic wells (owner would sell 655 acres only or sell all together) - a good investment at \$375.00 per acre.

LELIA LAKE - HOUSE AND 2 1/2 ACRES - 1,681 sq. ft., stucco, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, living, dining, garden room, unattached garage, like-new metal roof, well with submersible pump, acreage is fenced, reasonably priced at \$35,000.

ASHTOLA - Trailer house, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, kitchen, living, large patio, utility, central heat, (trailer and patio/porch completely covered with a second free-standing roof), well, chain link fenced yard, unattached garage, cellar, small barn and corral all on 1 1/4 acres for \$19,500.

LELIA LAKE - ALL GRASS - 160 ACRES South of Lelia Lake - surrounded by ranch land on 3 sides, good for hunting deer, turkey, quail, and dove. Financing negotiable - for \$69,000.

LELIA LAKE FARM/RANCH - 120 Ac. cultivated, 40 Ac. grass - South of Lelia Lake, 6" irrigation well, 1/4 mi. underground pipe, 2 - 1/4 mi. side rolls, 292 Chev. engine negotiable, domestic well with sub. pump, joins major ranch making for very good deer, turkey, quail, and dove hunting. Financing negotiable - for \$106,000.

GREENBELT - WOW!! 5 BEDROOM (yes - 5) BRICK, 2 full bath, kitchen/dining, living/den, utility, central heat and ref. air, attached 2 car garage with openers, also double carport, concrete covered patio, pool with deck, concrete cellar, boat storage building, yard building, landscaped and great view of lake and near boat ramp at Lease Lot A in Lakeview Park for \$69,500.

GREENBELT - VERY NICE AND READY TO MOVE IN - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, kitchen/dining/living, utility, central h/a, (some furniture and appliances will remain with house), carport, fenced back yard, RV pad with hook-up, 4 storage buildings, all on landscaped lot at 182 Angel for \$40,000.

Joe T. Lovell Real Estate
Joe Lovell - 874-9318 • Phil Fletcher - 930-4604
Fred Clifford - 874-2415

REAL ESTATE

CLARENDON

• 1009 W. 8th. Two bedroom, 1 bath, nice and clean, 1 car garage, storage bldg., cellar. \$25,000.

• 618 S. Parks. Brick, 4 bedroom, 1 bath, cellar, fresh paint and some new carpet, partly remodeled on two lots. \$50,000 \$39,000

• 3 1/2 acres with nice shop. 1109 W. 8th Street. \$25,000 \$21,000

• Choice restricted lots with underground utilities in west Clarendon.

• Hwy. 70 and Hwy. 287. Three corner lots with brick commercial building. Approx. sq. ft. 2,080. CH/A, two bathrooms, currently used as a Doctor's office. Lots of possibilities. Approx. 7,975 sq. ft. of asphalt parking. APPOINTMENT ONLY AFTER 5 P.M. \$80,000.

DONLEY COUNTY

• 160 acres, 2100 sq. ft. home, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, central heat and air, 2 car garage, 40x60 barn, two wells. \$120,000

• 100 ac. with 2,000 sq. ft. home, barn, two wells, beautiful view. \$195,000.

GREENBELT LAKE

• 338 Becky. Three lots with marble siding 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, central heat and air, 2 car garage, fireplace. \$55,000

• 215 Ten Bears Trail. Brick 5 bedroom home with 3 baths, lake front, beautiful beach, four lots. \$325,000.

HALL COUNTY

• 792 acs. 2 dirt tanks. One well, beautiful canyon, \$275 per acre.

• 990 acs. farm and ranch with irrigation wells, nice home, excellent hunting. \$390 per ac.

BRISCOE COUNTY

• 3915 acs. ranch land, 6 wells, 4 dirt tanks. Borders Prairie Dog Fork of the Red River. Battle Creek runs through Northwest sections. Good hunting. \$250 per ac.

Jimmy Garland Real Estate

874-3757

Hedley Honor Roll

'A' Honor Roll

First grade: Jamie Lollar, Austin Adams, Lydia Howard, Zach Sargent, and Sierra Wheatly.
 Second grade: Jacob Ramirez, Willie Lewis, Patricia Valles, Kayla Elam, and Joey Allen
 Third grade: Laura Howard, Reid Copelin, and Kallie Verstuyft
 Fourth grade: Marlee Sargent and Alex Sharp.
 Fifth grade: Peter Howard, Skyler Conatser, Shandy Koetting, and Kelby Shields.
 Seventh grade: Ruth Anne Howard, Katie Gregory, and Jaci Copelin.
 Eighth grade: Ben Shaw.
 Ninth grade: Stephen Howard
 Tenth grade: Kasi Woodard, Lacey Wallendorf, Treva Rowland, Rebekah Howard, and Brittney Bennett.
 Eleventh grade: Lauren Hill and Sealey Stevens.
 Twelfth grade: Josh Collins, Dustin Knowles, Amber Solis, Sam Howard, Marissa Wells, Lora Llewellyn, Jennifer Williams, Aaron Bugg, and Tara Hogan.

'AB' Honor Roll

First grade: Caden Farris, Starlette Herrera, Lacie Like, and Brady Montgomery.
 Second grade: Alex Mejia, Colton Wynn, Josh Llewellyn, and Justine Moore.
 Third grade: Katterinna Johnson, Braden Montgomery, Jasie Sargent, Kaylee Shields, Mariam Garcia, and Matthew Grueter.
 Fourth grade: Will Monroe, Cole Farris, B.J. Like, R.J. Marshall, and Brook Martin.
 Fifth grade: Elizabeth Garcia, Amanda Musick, Lauryn Kellas, and Joshua Gonzales.
 Sixth grade: Jonathan Edmonson, Danielle Smith, Sam Lovely, Elizabeth Hrbacek, Kent Chase, and Patrick Lambert.
 Seventh grade: Dustin Thomas, Brayden Bennett, Seth Koetting, Callie Wynn, Will Verstuyft, and Daniel Allen.
 Eighth grade: Julie Funderburg, Megan Hall, Carmen Garcia, Kyra Stevens, and Carle Watts.
 Ninth grade: Allison Hill, Will Wallendorf, Roper Copelin, Jerrad Marcum, Sarah Bolin, and Christmas Murrell.
 Eleventh grade: Julia Ramirez, Lise Rowand, and Jimmie Marcum.
 Twelfth grade: Lindsey Brinson, LaCenda Funderburg, Jared Naylor, Jared Patterson, David Evans, Derrick Todd, and Jordan King.

Sheriff's Report:

- April 15**
 5:08 a.m. - Checking reported possible intoxicated driver on US 287 at S. Koogle St.
 11:05 a.m. - To Howardwick Fire Station; reported vandalism.
 2:06 p.m. - Assisting with traffic. House being moved at Lelia Lake.
 6:03 p.m. - Parent needing assistance locating teen. Deputy checking several possible locations.
 7:12 p.m. - Deputy out with teen in 400 block of Burkhead St.
 10:30 p.m. - Assisting EMS in 600 block of 2nd St.
- April 16**
 1:30 a.m. - Out at US 287 and S. Taylor for possible abandoned vehicle.
 9:21 a.m. - Checking reported vandalism in 500 block of S. Sims St.
 2:17 p.m. - To jail with one male in custody.
 6:05 p.m. - Stopped vehicle to advise tarp had come loose.
 7:46 p.m. - Welfare check on rural resident.
- April 17**
 6:55 a.m. - Debris blocking one lane in east bound lane on US 287 E. of Hedley. Constable and Hedley Fire Department paged.
 7:08 a.m. - Assisting EMS in 600 block of W. 5th St.
 11:36 a.m. - Responding to 200 block of S. Kearney. Caller reporting driver of vehicle hitting 2-3 parked vehicles.
 12:51 p.m. - Checking low wire in 500 block of S. Sulley.
 10:02 p.m. - Assisting truck driver at rest area.
- April 18**
 3:50 a.m. - Deputy and Constable setting landing zone for LifeStar in downtown Hedley.
 4:43 a.m. - Responding to reported prowler on E. Browning St.
 5:16 a.m. - Assisting on EMS call in 900 block of Rosenfield.
 5:48 a.m. - Assisting on EMS call on CR 17.
 8:51 a.m. - Dispatched to possible intoxicated driver in US 287 at Lelia Lake west bound lane.
 10:00 a.m. - Out at residence in 500 block of W. 4th St.
 11:50 a.m. - Deputy and Constable assisting with accident on I-40 at MP 140.
 1:01 p.m. - Traffic accident in 300 block of 2nd St.
 2:41 p.m. - Deputy to jail with transfer - one female.
 6:38 p.m. - Checking report of suspicious person in parking lot in 700 block of 2nd St.
 6:56 p.m. - All units responding to feuding neighbors in rural Hedley.
 7:15 p.m. - To jail with one male in custody.
- April 19**
 6:02 a.m. - Assisting EMS on CR 14.
 9:58 p.m. - Rocks being thrown at windows at 2nd St. and Carhart St.
- April 20**
 3:37 a.m. - Out at 400 block of S. Taylor.
 10:09 a.m. - To traffic accident E. of Hedley on US 287.
 9:49 p.m. - Responding to possible domestic in 100 block of N. Gorst.
- April 21**
 5:16 a.m. - To Lelia Lake, caller reporting gun shots.
 3:54 p.m. - To traffic accident at 2nd and Koogle St.
 9:47 p.m. - To jail with one male in custody.
 10:37 p.m. - Reckless drivers causing problems. Constable on route.
Arrests: 4 Fire: 2 Ambulance: 13

Candidates for CC Board of Regents

Jimmy Blackerby



PO Box 636, Clarendon, TX 79226
 Position Sought: Clarendon College Board of Regents
 Incumbent: No
 Age: 57
 Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? **Yes**

Occupation: General Manager at Chamberlain Motor Company.

Education: Clarendon College - Associate of Arts - Valedictorian 1966; University of Texas/Austin - Bachelor of Arts in American Studies.

Qualifications: Honesty, integrity, loyalty, hard work, leadership, experience in running multiple businesses and a proven success in the military and business world are my major qualifications.

Top 3 goals: 1. Ensure the continuance of high education standards and protect the school's accreditation. 2. Seek to attract more local students and attract a diversified student body. 3. Strongly support the current building program and future building program.

Comments: Clarendon College gave me the confidence and basic education I needed to go on to the University of Texas and get my Bachelor's Degree. I feel that it is only fitting that I try to repay Clarendon College for that start by serving the college and the community with my time and experience. It is my belief that we should leave everything we do in better shape than we found it.

Mary Douglas



PO Box 126, Clarendon, TX 79226
 Position Sought: Clarendon College Board of Regents
 Incumbent: No
 Age: 63
 Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? **Yes**

Occupation: Wife & Squeaky's caregiver, Digital Imager, and Listener

Education: Attended Centenary College, LSU, University of Heidelberg

Qualifications: VP Prescription Auditing Systems, Inc. 1980-2000; Retail Pharmacy Manager Medical City, Dallas, 1975-1980; Co-Owner of Douglas Pharmacy of Irving, 1961-1970; various offices Board Irving

Chamber of Commerce Women's Div.

Top three goals: 1. Insure the college meets the needs of the students and the community. 2. Keep taxes at a level the county can sustain. 3. Keep the college a magnet for the Panhandle.

Comments: I look forward to input from the citizens of the county and the students during the campaign and later. I also look forward to learning to be an effective Regent. Thanks for your vote!

Sherol Johnston



HC2 Box 2174, Clarendon, TX 79226
 Position Sought: Clarendon College Board of Regents
 Incumbent: No
 Age: 52
 Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? **Yes**

Occupation: Banker

Education: Clarendon High School - Clarendon College.

Qualifications: 30 years financial experience. Served on three boards. Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) 4 years - Pres. 1 yr. Country Club of Clarendon, 6 years - Sec. 3 yrs. High Plains Epilepsy Association 3 years - Sec. 2 yrs.

Top three goals: 1. Financially responsible to set the best value for the money spent. 2. To provide a quality education for all students. 3. To keep student costs as low as possible.

Comments: Redell and I are very excited about being back in Donley County. This opportunity will continue our commitment to get involved in the community.

Jack A. Moreman
 PO Box 68, Clarendon, TX 79226
 Position Sought: Clarendon College Board of Regents
 Incumbent: Yes
 Age: 66
 Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? **Yes**

Occupation: Grass Seed Dealer and Ranching

Education: Clarendon College Assoc. in Science, Texas Tech, BS and Graduate studies.

Qualifications: I am a graduate of CC and have taught at CC for 20 plus years and have served on the Board of Regents for the last six years, am currently manag-

ing my own business, and have managed two ranches and a commercial feedyard. I feel that I have some management skills that CC needs. Also two tours of duty with the US Army has helped me to manage most any situation that may come along.

Top three goals: 1. To help Clarendon College increase its enrollment. 2. To help Clarendon College provide a quality education to as many as wants the opportunity. 3. To help develop job skill programs for persons changing careers or unemployed.

Comments: Clarendon College is the best kept secret in the Texas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico area. It's a great place to receive two years of college at a very reasonable cost. My son and daughter both graduated from CC and went on to get degrees at senior institutions. Sure helped with both in college at the same time.

Dr. Bill Sansing



HC 2 Box 123A, Clarendon, TX 79226
 Position Sought: Clarendon College Board of Regents
 Incumbent: Yes
 Age: 63
 Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? **Yes**

Occupation: Optometrist, ranching

Education: Amarillo College 2 yrs.; Texas Tech University 1 yr.; University of Houston College of Optometry 4 yrs. - BS and Doctor of Optometry degrees.

Qualifications: Reared four children; optometrist 37 years; President Dr.'s Sansing, Sticksel, McCarty, Cowan 26 years; operated cow-calf operation 29 years; board member Texas Optometric Association 2 years; owner/developer commercial real estate; board member/vice president Amarillo Osteopathic Hospital 20 years; president/board member Will Rogers Range Riders.

Top three goals: 1. Completion of library, dormitory, and equine facility. 2. Development of more aggressive recruiting of prospective students. 3. Successful implementation of Capital Campaign.

Comments: The privilege of serving of the Board for the last two years has allowed me to envision the untapped potential of Clarendon College. Completion of the Capital Campaign will allow action to be taken to build new facilities, increase enrollment, provide higher salaries for instructors, enhancing the accreditation of Clarendon College.

Candidates for Howardwick City Aldermen

Vernon Byars



HC 2 Box 2247, Clarendon, TX 79226
 Position Sought: Alderman
 Incumbent: Yes
 Age: 72
 Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? **Yes**

Occupation: Manager CCC

Education: Wayne City, IL High School

Qualifications: Having served two years as Alderman, I feel that I am familiar with the city's affairs and business.

Top three goals: 1. To do the best we can as alderman with the resources we have available.

Comments: Let's keep Howardwick growing.

Sam Grider

HC 2 Box 2232, Clarendon, TX 79226
 Position Sought: Alderman
 Incumbent: No
 Age: 62
 Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? **Yes**

Occupation: Plumber, welder

Education: Master Plumber, Master HAC, Certified Welder, City Handyman

Qualifications: I am very qualified due to living here for 1 1/2 years. I am very active in the volunteer fire department and work with lots of city projects. I am a member of the Howardwick Beautification Club. I was self employed for 35 years and am retired at this time. I have three children.

Top three goals: 1. Road repairs. 2. Upgrade city garbage system. 3. Weed control in all lots.

Comments: I feel that the present board has done a good job. I feel like the community needs to get more involved in the activities of the community. I feel that the Howardwick Beautification Club has done great things for the community and works well with the city and the city works well with them. Community response is a great help to upgrading our community.

Donald Holladay



HC 2 Box 2225, Clarendon, TX 79226
 Position Sought: Alderman
 Incumbent: No
 Age: 64
 Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? **Yes**

Occupation: Retired truck driver - Jack Cooper 30 yrs., Amarillo.

Education: Floydada High School
Qualifications: 1. Concerned citizen. 2. Community interest at heart.

Top three goals: 1. Work with other aldermen to improve community. 2. Best use of revenue that is available. 3. To help keep our community safe and clean.

Comments: As a concerned citizen, I feel I can help improve community as a whole. I will listen to citizen input and act on them whenever possible.

Bobby Murdock

HC 2 Box 2256, Clarendon, TX 79226
 Position Sought: Alderman, City of Howardwick
 Incumbent: No
 Age: 60
 Are your taxes currently paid up at the Donley County Appraisal District? **Yes**



Occupation: Retired Professional Driver

Education: Memphis High School and Amarillo High School

Qualifications: 7 years experience as Union Job Stewart for large trucking company - have been doing volunteer work in the city. Concerned citizen.

Top three goals: 1. Promote cleanup of city property and private property caused by prior storm debris. 2. Strive to upgrade city tornado warning systems. 3. Try to find means to improve roads in Howardwick.

Comments: If elected as Alderman, I will do my best for Howardwick residents by working with other aldermen and the mayor to reach our goals.

Celebrate National Volunteer Week

As a community, we should all take a little time and praise all of our volunteers during National Volunteer Week, April 21-27.

Volunteers take time out of their own busy lives to help others. Whether it is Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, PTA, Bronco Parents, Colt Parents, Chamber of Commerce, City Alderman, Church Committees, College Board of Regents, Lions Club Members, Shriners, Eastern Star members, Meals on Wheels volunteers, or just people who take the time to go and visit the nursing home residents, we are very lucky to have so many caring people in Clarendon.

If you know any of these people, please take the time to give them a smile and a "thank you" for all that they do.

HHS kids compete at Regional UIL Meet

Several Hedley students traveled to Levelland Friday to compete at the Region 1-A UIL Academic Meet held at South Plains College.

The Current Issues and Events team of Aaron Bugg, Sealey Stevens, and Rodney Ellerbrook earned first place honors and qualified to compete at the state level in May in Austin. The Number Sense Team of Stephen Howard, Dustin

Knowles, and Lauren Hill also earned the right to compete at the state level with their second place finish.

Also placing at the meet were Lauren Hill, who placed sixth in Calculator Applications; Stephen Howard, who placed sixth in Number Sense; and Sealey Stevens, who placed fifth in Current Issues and Events.

Nazareth was the overall regional academic champion with 141 points.

Seven CHS students advance to state meet

Seven Clarendon High School students returned from the UIL Regional Academic Meet in Abilene on April 20 with medals and ribbons.

Students who placed include Ashlee Kidd - 1st in feature writing, Lacey Anderberg - 3rd in editorials, Lydia Hartman - 3rd in headlines, Claire Rodriguez 3rd in news writing, Valerie Taylor 6th in headlines, Carrie Helms - 4th in Literary Criticism, and Eric Pitts - 5th in ready writing.

"The success of these students in an indication of their desire to excel academically," UIL director Diane Chamberlain said. "CHS has a long and strong tradition to support this academic competition. We are proud that these young people want to carry on that tradition."

Howardwick aldermen hold regular meeting

The Howardwick Board of Aldermen met in regular session April 9 in the Howardwick City Hall.

Alderman Nancy Davis reported on information she had receive about the weather sirens.

It was reported that Jo Webb will replace Peggy Cockerham as an alternate election judge for the May 4, 2002, election.

After much discussion on the sand and gravel pit, the board voted to close the pit temporarily.

Mayor Billy Woods reported the city has a problem with ATVs being driven onto private property. The board agreed to have the city attorney write an ordinance to prohibit off-road driving.

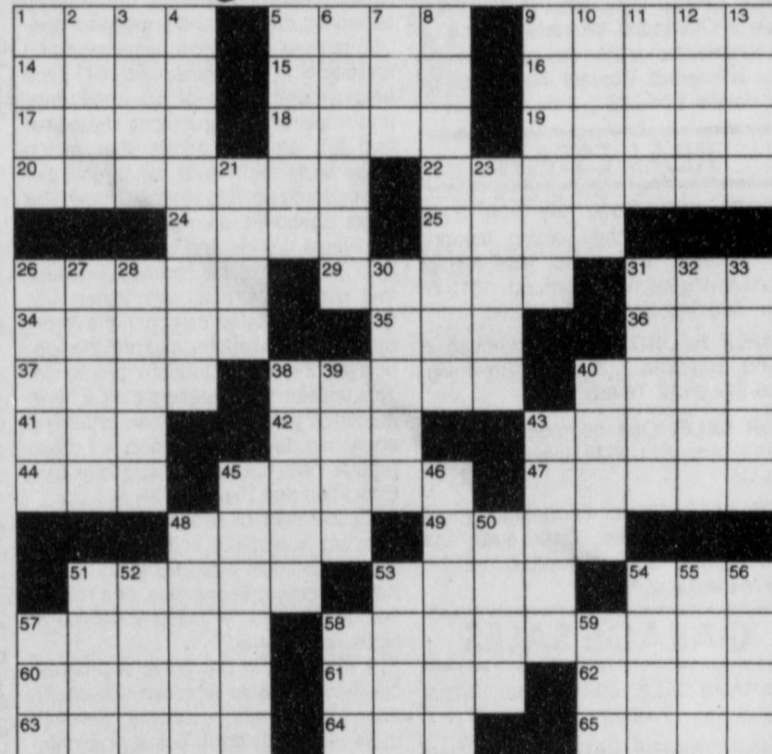
Hankins class needs help collecting tabs

May 23 is the date set for Mrs. Hankins' fourth grade presentation of tabs to the Ronald McDonald House in Amarillo.

Little Ronald McDonald Houses will be placed throughout the town for everyone to place their tabs in. They have collected 953,000 tabs at this time.

Please help them reach their goal of 1,000,000 by May 22. They only need 47,000 to go.

Big E Crossword Puzzle



- ACROSS**
 1. Thwart
 5. Greek god of war
 9. Wing it
 14. Decoy
 15. Seen as fool (slang)
 16. Order
 17. Islamic call to prayer
 18. Drag
 19. Footed
 20. Caris familiaris
 22. Without wonder
 24. Coltr
 25. Which
 26. Donate income regularly
 29. Number system base 8
 31. Donkey
 34. Small wheel
 35. Of she
 36. Humbug
 37. Arabian Gulf
 38. Small
 40. Coffee
 41. Fall
 42. Clod
 43. Rational
 44. Lineman
 45. Old stringed instruments

47. Fatuous
 48. Intensifier
 49. Casino game
 51. Meat stew braised in red wine
 53. Egyptian deity
 54. Wrong
 57. Asian nation
 58. Most garish
 60. Accomplished
 61. Supplication
 62. First Chinese dynasty
 63. Bemock
 64. Gift
 65. Not current

- DOWN**
 1. Falsehood
 2. Liqueur of Greece
 3. Asian country
 4. Build up
 5. Gray
 6. Island in Venice
 7. Flightless bird
 8. Slish
 9. Asking
 10. Distributed
 11. Cord

12. Frosts
 13. Stratus
 21. State of Cambodia
 23. Landing
 26. Exchange
 27. Halogen element
 28. Woolen
 30. Anger
 31. Manila hemp
 32. Dwarf juniper
 33. Sun or lamp
 38. Immerse
 39. Power unit
 40. Fourth largest asteroid
 43. Ship
 45. Having lobes
 46. Cata-corned
 48. Childhood illness
 50. Icelandic poems
 51. Dress flamboyantly
 52. Topic
 53. African nation
 54. Tableland
 55. Egyptian goddess
 56. Quantitative fact
 57. Conk
 58. Yearly tonnage, abbr.
 59. Indicated horsepower, abbr.

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