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An Editorial:

School Has Good Plan At Hand

The Texas Association of School Boards presented a plan for selecting a new superintendent to the School Board at the December meeting. The school should be commended for considering the process.

According to Susan Muncie, TASB employee in Austin, the Association will assist local boards by holding hearings in the community, listening to parents, teachers and others to determine what the community needs and wants in a new superintendent. The Association's experts analyze the characteristics desired and develop a profile of the type of person who is needed. They send out brochures, invite applications, schedule interviews and assist with the initial screening. Of course, the local school board makes the final decision.

This process is very consistent with the policies and procedures outlined in the Site-Based Decision Making Process which was recently compiled and adopted by the Clarendon board. Such a



FIVE WINNERS from the Clarendon Merchant Associaiton's "Spin The Wheel" for Cash Merchants Bucks and prizes. Pictured are: Charlie Smith, Wayne Hopper, Jason Dunn, Ashly Kidd, Tony Bohler.

the results.

procedure satisfies the Texas Education Agency requirements, and just makes good sense. It is also similar to the process used by Clarendon College in selecting its current president. That president has the confidence and cooperation of the community.

Mrs. Muncie said, "The Association will come to the community and talk. The goal is to find the best possible candidate for the

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USDA-ASCS Provide Marketing Provisions

Farmers participating in the 1992 Farm Program are eligible for loans and loan deficiency payments (LDP) if certain conditions are met. The Donley County loan rate for 1992 cotton is \$.5240 per pound. The LDP payment changes every week, depending on the Adjusted World Market Price (AWP), but is currently about \$.12

Loan and LDP Eligibility: For a commodity to be eligible for a loan or a loan deficiency payment (LDP), the producer must have beneficial interest in the commodity in addition to other eligibility requirements.

Beneficial Interest: A producer retains beneficial interest in the commodity if all of the following remain with the producer: a)control of the commodity; b)risk of loss; c)title to the commodity. For LDP's, the producer must retain beneficial interest in the commodity from the time of harvest through

the date the loan is redeemed or Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) takes title to the commodity. For loans, the producer must retain beneficial interest in the commodity from the time of harvest through

the date the loan is redeemed or Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) takes title to the commodity. Selling Equity: If a producer receives any payment that would give the buyer any share of the equity in the commodity, such commodity is immediately ineligible for a loan or an LDP. If a producer sells any equity in the commodity after it has been pledged as collateral for a loan, repayment of the loan principal and charges plus

Option to Maintain Beneficial Interest: An option to purchase is an agreement allowing the buyer, at the buyer's option to enter into contract at a later date to buy the commodity. The option does not give the buyer an interest in the commodity and expires at a specified time.

Payments: If a producer has entered into na option to purchase the producer may receive a payment and retain beneficial interest if such option to purchase has been approved by the local ASCS office.

Sales Contract and Loss of Beneficial Interest: A sales contract gives the buyer an interest in the commodity time set forth in the contract or at a time implied by law.

If a producer has or will receive a payment in return for the sales contract, beneficial interest is lost when the job." Such an open process inspires payment is made. community confidence and sup-

A producer will lose beneficial interest upon signing any contract which contains clauses restricting the port. Everyone should benefit from producer's decision to obtain price support from CCC, such as: a)the buyer may require the producer to obtain a loan or an LDP; b) the producer may obtain a loan or an LDP only with prior approval obtained from the buyer.

Subject to ASCS Determination: All loans or LDP's requested shall be subject to a determination by ASCS of a producer's eligibility to receive a loan or an LDP, based on a review of any option to purchase or sales contract involving the commodity.

For more information, contact the Donley County ASCS Office at 321 South Sully or call 874-3561.

Deadline Announced

March 1, 1993, is the deadline for applying for scholarships from the Sybil B. Harrington Merit Scholarship Fund.

Applications for the funds must reach the Amarillo College Foundation office no later than the March 1 deadline. Students applying will be eligible for up to \$3,500 in tuition, fees and book costs. The fund was established in late 1989 through the Amarillo College Foundation by Sybil

Those eligible for the scholarship funds include graduating seniors from any high school in the 26 northern counties of the Panhandle of Texas; students graduating from Amarillo College; U.S. citizens and the applicant must enroll in 12 semester hours at the college of their choice.

Scholarships are awarded for one year only, but can be renewed if the student maintains a 3.0 grade point average. Eighty percent of the funds will be awarded for students to attend any accredited institution in Texas. Ten percent of the funds will be awarded for students planning to attend Amarillo College and 10 percent will be awarded to graduating Amarillo College students to attend any accredited institution in Texas.

Application forms are available through high school counselors and principals of through the Amarillo College Foundation office.

Academic Honor Lists Announced

Plarendon College students received recognition for their academic accomplishments as the names were released for the President's and Dean's Honor Roll lists.

The President's List highlights full-time students who maintained a 4.0 GPA through their fall courses. Those students named to the President's List include: Julie Blacksher, Children; Teresa Dronzek, Clarendon; Lisa Ellis, Dodson; Janeth Mantilla, Clarendon; Marcel Mullin, Childress; and Carrie Simpson. Clarendon.

Students who maintained a 3.6 GPA were named to the Dean's Honor Roll. Students included were: Larrie Black, Wellington: Jeffrey Brandenberger, Eden; Heidi Campbell, McLean; Philip Cook, Shamrock; Alena Harral, Encino, NM; Stephanie Henson, Clarendon; Gonzalo Martinez, Clarendon; Tina Patterson, Wellington; Cathern Perryman, Matador; Jeffrey Petersen, Dalhart; Carrie Riley, Melrose, NM; Betty Schupe, Memphis; Leslie Sides, Clarendon; Noble Watson, Clarendon; and Jason Wig-

"Just the Facts, Ma'am"

Did you know that over a 50 year lifetime, a tree will:

- provide \$62,000 of air pollution control
- generate \$31,250 worth of oxygen • control \$31250 worth of soil erosion
- recycle \$37,000 worth of water

[Published by Michigan State University] By providing shade and evaporative cooling, trees affect local temperatures. Clusters of urban trees can cool ambient temperature by 10 degrees Fahrenheit, reducing local energy demand (for air conditioning) by 10 to 50%. The energy saved reduces global warming by about 15 times the amount of CO₂ absorbed by those trees.

The average American uses the equivalent of 7 trees every year. That's over 1.5 billion trees used annually in the United States.

Trees, humans, and animal life are dependent on each other. People require oxygen and produce carbon dioxide (CO₂); trees and other plants require CO₂ and produce oxygen.

Planting trees has a cumulative effect; each tree you plant will provide benefits for years to come. For example: if only 100,000 people plant a tree this year, the trees will still be absorbing over a million pounds of CO2 annually in the year 2010. But if the same people plant a tree every year from now until 2010, the trees will absorb over 20 million pounds of CO₂ in that year.

It is estimated that each mature tree consumes, on the average, about 13 pounds of CO₂ per year.

Don't just stick a tree in the ground and ignore it. Like other growing plants, trees need a little care for the first two years. That includes water, vertical support and mulch.

[Submitted by the Donley County Soil and Water Conservation District, adapted from 50 Simple Things You Can do to Save the Earth, Berkeley, CA., Earthworks Press, 1989.]

Students and Host Families Needed

The American Intercultural Student Exchange is seeking American High School students to study or vacation overseas and Host Families for Exchange Students between the ages of 15 and 18 for the 1993-94 school year. This

can be such as rewarding experience for an American family who would like to share their culture and family by welcoming a student from Europe, South America, Japan and Australia as a family member. American students can also participate in the AICT program for a school year or spend a summer living with a Host Family overseas. Host families that participate in this program are couples without children, couples with children (any ages) and single parents. Please take advantage of this opportunity to share love



AREA QUILTERS are showing their art at Bivens Pharmacy.

Navy Seaman Returns

Navy Seaman Apprentice Clinton W. McCOnnell, son of Wade A. and Brenda C. Mc-Connell of 602 E. Barcas, Clarendon, Texas, recently returned aboard the guided missile frigate USS Elrod, homeported in Charleston, SC. after a two month deployment to the Atlantic Ocean, Caribbean Sea and Eastern Pacific

USS Elrod participated in counter-narcotics operations while deployed, interdicting drug traffic on the high sea.

McConnell visited Santo Domino, Dominican Republic where McConnell celebrated the 500th anniversary of Christopher Columbus' discovery of the Americas. McConnell also visited Manta, Ecuador where crewmembers were involved in the delivery and distribution of over eight tons of Project Handclasp materials. Project Handclasp is a navy-wide

across the cultural barriers. Contact Lori Scott locally at (806) 355-6035 or call 1-800-SIBLING. AISE is a non-profit organization dedicated to the fostering of international peace and understanding.

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program to distribute donated goods to lesser developed countries.

The 1991 graduate of Clarendon High School joined the Navy in June 1991.



THIS VARIATION of a traditional eight-point star has a distinctive Southwestern flavor. Below it is a register for those who visit the exhibit.

Annual High Plains Irrigation Conference Scheduled Jan. 7 By Tim Trimble CEA-Ag

The annual High Plains irrigation conference and trade show will be held January 7 at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West. The conference opens at 8:30 a.m. with registration and exhibits.

Speakers will provide timely information on irrigation systems water management for efficient crop production, pumping equipment perfermance, environmental concerns, chemigation and potential changes in water rights and the law.

Two continuing education units are being offered to private Cent'd on p.2.

Local News

Bake Sale Planned

The "93" Seniors will be having a Bake Sale, Wednesday, December 23, from 9:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m., at B & R Thriftway. They will have lots of homemade candies, cakes, and pies. Come by and let them help you with your holiday baking needs.

Dinner Invitation

Don't sit at home on Chrismas Day! Everyone is invited to Christmas Dinner at the Hedley Senior Citizens' Center. (There is no charge, but donations are appreciated)

Seniors and Parents Meeting Set

There will be a Senior and Senior Parent meeting, January 4th at 8:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Final prepartion for the Senior Trip needs to be finalized. All Seniors wishing to go on the trip Need To Be There.

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and licensed commercial and noncommercial pesticide applicators who complete the conference

Sponsors of this annual event are the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Panhandle Economic Program and Texas Agricultural Irrigation Association. For more information, contact Leon New, Extension Irrigation Specialist in Amarillo at 809-359-5401.

A basketful of joy to all of our friends, along with our heartfelt thanks.

Coyote Den



Obituaries

Lynn Cherry

Lynn Cherry, 63, of Amarillo, died Monday, December 14,

Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Bell Avenue Chapel of Schooler-Gordon Blackburn Shaw Funeral Directors, with the Rev. Tom Mills, pastor of Kingswood United Methodist Church, and the Rev. Chris Ford, assistant pastor of Kingswood United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park

Mr. Cherry, born in Amherst, lived in Amarillo for 45 years. He was a Navy veteran of the Korean War. He married Gennielee Burton in 1954 at Amarillo. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge No. 731, the Khiva Shrine Temple and the Kingswood United Methodist Church. He was past president of the Hi-Plains Eye Bank and was past district governor of the Lions Club. He was retired General Chairman from Santa Fe System

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Debbie Hamilton of taxes. Howardwick; a son, Doug Cherry of Boise City, Oklahoma; two brothers, Glyndon Cherry of Burnet and Aubrey Cherry of El Paso; two sisters, Eva Jean Crisler of Midland and Rose Lanell Barnett of Vernon; and five grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be to the Hi-Plains Eye

Marion Douglas Parker

Marion Douglas Parker, 55, of December 15, 1992.

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Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Thursday in Memorial Park Cemetery. Arrangements were by Memorial Park Funeral

Mr. Parker was born in Hedley and moved to Amarillo in 1972 from Kileen. He was a truck driver.

Survivors include a son, Danny Goodall of Farmington, New Mexico; his father, James Parker of Hedley; his mother, Martha Parker of Amarillo; four brothers, Virgil Sullivan of Moody, Utah Carroll Parker of Phoenix, J.D. Parker of Dimmitt and Edwin Parker of Sheridan, Wyo; three sisters, Hazel Faye Parker of Canyon, Donna Sue Clark and Bonnie Frances Clark, both of Amarido and two grandchildren.

Check It Out

By Mary Beth Nelson

Do you need a few more stocking stuffers for Christmas? The Children's Book Sale is still in progress at Burton Memorial Library. Beginning Monday, December 21, the books will be on sale for half-price. It's doubtful that a more worthwhile "super- value" can be found, and at the same time, encourage your child in good literature appreciation, something that can be beneficial throughout his or her life. Hopefully, you'll be able to take time to visit the library, and see the books that are being offered during this sale.

Social Security and Military Service

66If you are currently in the military or have ever served in the military, you should be aware of several features of the Social Security program," says Jim Talbot, Social Security manager in Amarillo.

If you are in the military any time after 1956, you payed Social Security

The taxes you paid earned "credits" that will be used to determine your future eligibility for Social Security benefits.

If you're still in the service, you're still earning credit. The number of credits you need to qualify for Social Security depend on your age and the type of benefits you may be eligible for, but, no one needs more than ten years of work or military service (40 credits) to be eligible for Social

If you were in the military before 1957, you did not pay Social Security taxes but special earnings can be added to your Social Security that may count toward future benefits.

Military personal are eligible for the same kinds of benefits from Social Security as anyone else:

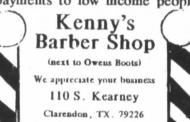
1. Retirement benefits as early as age 62.

2. Disability benefits at any age for people with an impairment severe Amarillo, died Tuesday, enough for keeping them from working for ar least a year (or one that will result in death)

3. Survivers benefits for family members if you should die.

If you would like more information about earning credits or about Social Security benefits in general, contact your nearest Social Security office or call the Social Security toll-free telephone number, 1-800-772-1213 between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. business days. Ask for the factsheet Military Service and Social Security.

"There are special Supplemental Security Income (SSI) rules that apply to children of military personal as well," reminds Talbot. SSI is a program that makes payments to low income people



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living overseas and receiving SSI

who are children of military per-

For further information, con-

tact your local Social Security of-

Miranda Lynn Miller

birthday, Sunday, December 13.

Cake, Chips and kool-aide were

served to the following people who

helped celebrate her birthday: her

parents Ron and Melinda Miller,

brothers and sisters, Wesley,

Robert, Melanie, and Myndie; her

granny Barker; friends Martha

Allgren, Marvin and Chris and

The first water-powered

plant for generating electricity

was built in Appleton,

Wisconsin in 1882.

Brandon and Shonda Moody.

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Look Who's 1

Last minute Christmas shop-

Merry Christmas from all

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Memorial Library.

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sellers. Some that have recently ar-Kimberly Jo Sharrar, a rived are Driving Force by Dick Francis and McNallys Luck by graduate of Clarendon High Lawrence Sanders. James School, was a candidate for the Michener's Mexico and Danielle BSF degree in forest management Steel's Mixed Blessings are two from Stephen F. Austin State more new arrivals as well as Silken University during fall commence-Webb by S. Brown; Cat Who Wasn't There by L. Braun; and

Council **Organized**

The Panhandle Tourism Marketing Council was officially organized during a meeting at the Carson County Square House Museum in Panhandle on December 10, 1992.

The organization's primary purpose is to promote and develop tourism in the Texas Panhandle.

Formation of the council came as a result of a meeting hosted 1990, enables children of military in October by the North Plains personnel loving overseas to con-Resource Conservation and tinue to receive benefits under certain conditions. "Specific reporting Development Council. RC&D Coordinator John Crowell said the instructions exists for children council's original intent was to organize a regional task force to study sonnel," says Talbot. Any change in ways rural communities could be assisted with economic developincome, resources, or address for a ment through the promotion of parent or child should be reported tourism activities, historical sites within 10 days after the month it and other recreational opportunities within the area.

The RC&D's basic purpose fice or call 1-800-772-1213 before is economic development," Crowell said. Our goal is to empower local communities through the pursuit of projects that will help build a strong economic base.

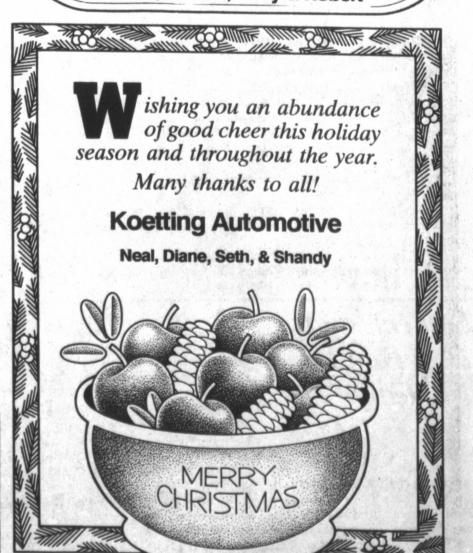
> Jane Johnson, owner and operator of the historic Hotel Turkey in Turkey, Texas was elected to serve as president of a steering committee for the fledgling organization.

> "I'm excited that the people of the Panhandle are uniting together to promote our fabulous region," she said. "We have officially formed the Panhandle Tourism Marketing Council and elected officers.

"We are a council of Panhandle residents and business people interested in working cooperatively to promote tourism within our region. We want to share our history, heritage and the beauty of our part of Texas with visitors from every part of the globe. We have lots to share."

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MR. & MRS. CLAUS visit residents at Christmas Party. Frankie and **Shirley McKinney**

Medical Center News

The Medical Center's annual Resident Christmas Party held December 18th went out with a bang. The good music and food were enjoyed by all residents, family members, friends and staff. Lots of holiday cheer was spread throughout the facility.

The residents and staff would like to thank "The Panhandle Goodtimers" for supplying the entertainment for the evening. They have been good to the residents and have returned time and time again upon request.

A big thank you goes to Shirley and Frankie McKinney for being Mr. and Mrs. Claus for our party. They really were the life of the party and did a wonderful job.

A big thanks also goes out to the family members who supplied the refreshments for the party, and helped get their loved ones ready for the party. You all helped more than you will ever know.

The Medical Center received a lot of support and gifts from local businesses and churches in the community. We would like to take the time to thank Bivens Pharmacy, Clarendon Methodist Church, First Baptist Church, First Baptist Church of Clarendon, Clarendon Church of Christ, First Baptist Church of Hedley and The Quail Community Church since they took the time to remember us here at the Medical Center.

Your love, support and giving this time of year and all year around mean more to the residents than you will ever know.

The activity department would like to say thank you to all employees who helped with the preparation and clean up of the party. Your hard work and time are greatly appreciated. It was good to see everyone working together as a team. A big thanks also to Hugh Mahaffey, who volunteers at the Center daily, for all of his help and time.

The residents also enjoyed the Clarendon Kindergarten students visiting December 17th and the program thy put on for them. The children coming out and spending time really made their day. The most precious thing of all



DOROTHY HALL & ETTA MIL-HOAN kick up their heals to the beat of the band

were the hugs the residents received from all the children. The joy brought tears to the eyes of the residents and staff. Thanks all of you for coming out.

The Donut Stop also donated donuts to the facility during one of our snow storms, and we would like to thank them for this kind gesture. Residents and staff really enjoyed the treat.

Cyd Booth, an employee of the Medical Center would like to thank Joe Shadle for digging her car out of the snow drift here at the Medical Center. Your time and effort is greatly appreciated.

Again, thanks to everyone who helped give the residents a wonderful holiday season.

Senior Citizens News

By Nova Neuhaus

There were a few folks who braved the winter storm to come down for lunch on Monday and Tuesday. How thankful we are to have "good neighbors" who offered their 4-wheel drive vehicles and time to deliver the Home Bound Meals for us on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Thanks to: Jim Tucker, Pat and Linda Roberson, Bob & Pat McCombs and Charles Penix, for braving the elements to assist us. Appreciated Larry Hicks and his tractor to remove the snow from the front of the Center and Buster Wortham scooping the drift from the front door so that we could get in on Monday.

We were delighted to have such a big crowd for the Christmas Dinner on Thursday, December 17th, and thankful for the new lobby to accommodate the extra

Thanks to Carolyn Hamilton for sharing another pretty poinsettia with us. It makes the lobby look so festive.

The Board of Directors met in regular session on Friday evening, December 11th. The November operating report was reviewed. Due to the notice of cuts in the federal funding allocated for nutri-\ tion program for fiscal/year 1993 and the steady rise in food costs and other meal related items, the Board elected to increase the "suggested meal donation" to \$1.75/meal for those 60 years of age and over. A suggested donation of \$3.00 for guests 59/years and under. The nutrition program must rely on a combination of Meal donations, Federal Funding and fund-raisers, dedicated volunteers and lots of local support that we are so blessed

Notice: The Center will be closed on Thursday, December 24th and Friday, December 25th for the Christmas Holidays. The staff and Board of Directors wish you and your families a Very Special Holiday.

Reminder: Birthday/Anniversary Supper will be on Tuesday, December 29th to celebrate the November and December birthdays. There will be a very special Musical Program, so come join us at 6:00 p.m. for pot-luck supper and entertainment.

Senior Citizens Menu

Dec. 24 - 30 Thursday: Beef Tacos w/cheese, Pinto Beans, Tossed Salad, Tropical Fruit, Tortilla Chips, Coffee, Tea, Milk Friday: Closed For

Christmas Holiday Monday: Beef Stew w/Potatoes, Tomatoes, Celery, Onions, Peas, and Carrots,

Peaches, Rice Pudding,

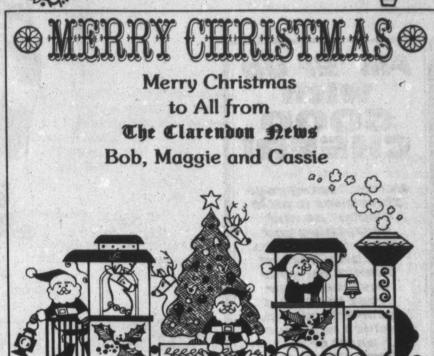
Cornbread, Coffee, Tea, Milk Tuesday: Pork Roast w/Natural Gravy, Parsley Potatoes, Green Beans, Rosy Applesauce, Carrot Cake, Dinner Roll, Coffee, Tea, Milk

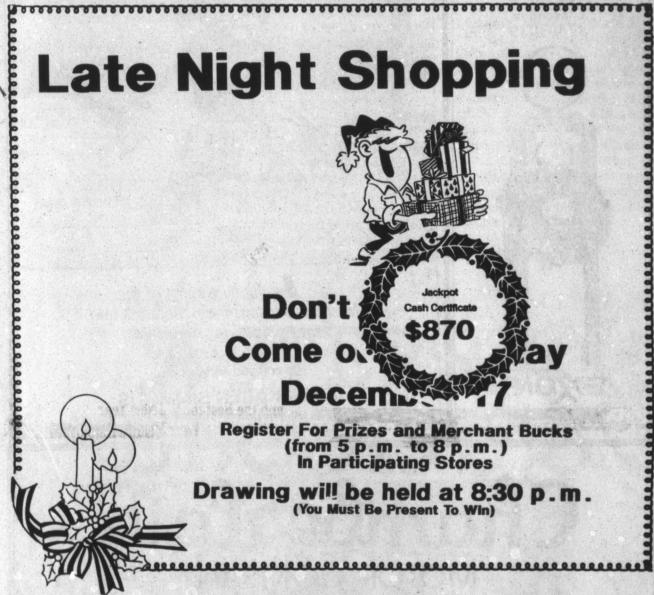
Wednesday: Chicken Spaghetti, Fried Okra, Pickle Beets, Ambrosia, Dinner Roll Coffee, Tea, Milk **Calendar of Events**

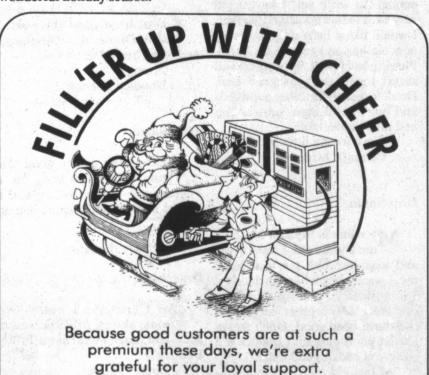
Thursday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3 p.m. Friday: Closed Merry Christmas To All Monday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 p.m. -3 p.m., Dance Practice Tuesday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3 p.m., Birthday/Anniversary Wednesday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3 p.m.

Don't Sit at Home on Chrismas Day!

Everyone is invited to CHRISTMAS DINNER Hedley Senior Citizens' Center N Charge (Donations Appreciated)







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Love, Cody James Watson

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a Batman and Ninja Turtles for Christmas. I have tried to be a good boy. Bring my brother Cody something too.

Love, Clint Daniel Watson

Dear Santa,

Hi! Hope you and all the elves are fine, Mrs. Claus too! For Christmas please bring me a good little pony and maybe a puppy too. Hope you have a great Christmas! Tell Rudolph I said "hi"!

P.S. Please bring my daddy a new Dodge truck and Easley trailer.

> Love Always, Jessi Jo Lewis

Dear Santa,

This Christmas I want a Talking Baby, a truck for Jesse, a new sweater for mon, and some pants for dad.

> Love, **Beth Foster** Age 7

Dear Santa,

My name is Ryan Petty. I am writing to you for me and my sister Ashley. I want a My Buddy for me and a Kid Sister for Ashley. I want Batman Returns and Hook. Ashley wants Beauty and the Beast. We'll leave you a snack on the mantle. Oh, if you have room in sleigh. Ashley really wants one of those Roller Babies. I'm really sorry about rolling Ashley's head up in the window. I promise to be good from now on.

We love you Santa,

Dear Santa,

My name is Miranda Miller. I am 1 years old. My mommy is writing my letter as I am not big enough to write yet. I have tried very hard to be a good girl this year. I would like a baby doll and some new clothes and rest of my teeth. Please don't forget my brothers and sisters they have been good also. Don't forget all the other good girls and boys. I will leave you cookies and milk on the table.

Love from a little friend, Miranda Miller

Dear Santa,

My name is Myndie Miller. I am 2 years old. I want a doll and whatever else you can leave me. I want a truck like my daddy's. I have been good all year. Please don't forget my brothers and sisters they have been good. Don't forget all the good girls and boys. I will leave you cookies and milk.

Love, Myndie Miller

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Dear Santa,

I am 4 years old. My name is Melanie Johnson. I want a doll and a pink tea set. I have been a good girl this year. Don't forget my brothers and sisters. Don't forget the rest of the children that has been good. I will leave cookies and milk for you.

Love, Melanie Johnson

Dear Santa,

My name is Robert Johnson and I am 7 years old. I am growing up, I would like a radio/cassette player, big claw Pick up, super soaker 100 and what ever else you can get me. Don't forget my brother and sisters they have been good. Don't forget all the other good girls and boys. I will leave you cookies and milk on the

> Love. Robert Johnson

Dear Santa,

My name is Wesley Barker and I am 8 years old. This year I would like a cassette stereo, big claw Pick up, super soaker 100, gold necklace chain, and what ever else you can get me. I have been good this year. I a still living in Stinett, Texas. Don't forget all the good boys and girls. Don't forget my brother and sisters.

Love, Wesley Barker

Dear Santa,

My name is Coby Braddock, I am 8 years old. Would you please bring me a BB Gun, a Magic Mountain Race Track, clothes and some Trolls. Please don't forget my sister Desirae, all my Grandparents and my Great Ma.

Love, Coby Braddock

Dear Santa,

My name is Desirae Danielle Row. I am 3 years old. Would you please bring me an Little Mermaid Car, clothes, and some Trolls. Please don't forget my brother Coby, all my Grandparents, and my Great Ma.

Love, Desirae Row

Dear Santa,

have been good this year. I want Dinosaurs, Dinosaurs, and some more Dinosaurs. From,

Brayden Bennett

Dear Santa,

I have been pretty good this year. Would you bring me a Nintendo, a Crimp N'Curl and a game? I would really appreciate it.

> From, **Brittney Bennett**

Dear Santa,

Sending Holiday Wishes

Your Way

May the season deliver an abundance of cheer!

For Christmas I would like some skates. My little sisters Jenci and Janae would like a Teddy

Love, Kristin White Age 5

Dear Santa,

I would like you to bring me a rocking horse, guitar and any other kind of push toys. I have been a really good boy. I Love you!

Cole Farris

Dear Santa.

I love you. I would like you to bring me a Red Jeep, a Dirt Devil VAccuum Cleaner, and I have been a good boy so just bring me anything else to. Don't forget little COlton Earl.

Deston CHambliss

Dear Santa,

I want a Little Mermaid, a Baby Doll, a Barbie and some Barbie stuff, and a new pair of Houseshoes. Please bring my new little brother a little toy he can play with.

> From, Jaci Copelin

Dear Santa,

think I have been pretty good this year. I would like to have a "Beauty and The Beast" video, a big red fire engine truck, "My Buddy", My Sissy would like to have a troll doll, a sassy make-up vanity set, a dollhouse, and a new pair of earrings. We both would like for you to bring a big doggy bed for our two puppies. They take up too much room on our beds.

We love you, Josh(4) & Catrina(7) Watts

Dear Santa,

Hi! My name is Jadon and I'm 15 months old. I sure am looking forward to Christmas this year, since I don't member last year. I want a little big wheel, so Kota will quit yelling at me for riding his. My mom says I need some learning toys, but I know you have alot on your mind, so, if you forget'em. I won't hold you responsible. Bring my brothers some outside toys. I never get any quiet time and bring my mom and dad a new car, theirs is kinda old, and they say were driving them crazy and I want to make sure they get there. I'm kinda stingy with my cookies, but I'll leave some Broccoli and milk by

Thank you, **Jadon Thornton**

Dear Santa,

Hi! I'll get right to the point.
Please bring me a red dirt devil with 'tatchments so I can help my mom clean up after the "urchins" (whoever that is). My dustbuster just can't handle the load. Bring Jake a muzzle, so he'll quit yelling at me for getting into his stuff, and bring Jadon a big wheel, so he'll quit taking mine away from me. My mom wants psychic powers, so she can win the lottery, and my dad needs some new underwear, his has big ol' holes in em. We don't have a chimney, but you can come thru the bedroom window like my dad when he forgets his Thanks,

Dakota Thornton

Dear Santa,

want for Christmas: 1. A compound bow and arrow 2. A microscope 3. Star Trak Nintendo game 4. Fast Trax 5. Star Trak books 6. Star Trak Movie 7. Stop Watch 8. Stereo Tapes 9. Play Guns or size shooters 10. Drawing tablet with lineless paper. This is all I want for Christmas. Jake Thornton

Age 11

Dear Santa,

My name is Ty White, I am writing you this letter to let you know Trent and I will be at Nanny G's house in Dallas, it's a real big town so look real hard to find me. I have been good this year, here is a list of a few things I would like to have: GI Joe, Bullet Gun. Nerf Bow and Arrow, games, Home Alone Nintendo games, belt buckles, Jeans and Shirts. For Trent, new shoes, new clothes, trucks and toddler basketball. Last but not least some new houseshoes for my Mimi, hers are sure worn

Please be careful & God

Ty & Trent White



Dear Santa Claus,

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would like a football suit from the Bears. Next, I would like a brand new football. Last of all, I would like a baseball hat and baseball. I'll be at home and there will be some cookies and milk for you when you get there on the table.

Your friend, Tim Sanchez

 Written by Nolan Burrow and Louie Jaramillo, 5th Grade

Dear Santa,

I want a dump truck, and a Nintendo, and a little puppy. I'm going to be at home so you won't have to worry where to go. Come to the front door. It will be unlocked because I don't have a chimney.

Your friend, **Grady Swearingen**

 Written by Tommy Barbee, 5th Grade

Dear Santa,

would like for Christmas a Racing Car, Dumping Truck, and Play Motorcycle. I will be at my Aunt MAryanne's house. I will also leave cookies and milk for you.

Your silly friend, **Eric Outley**

Written by Tonya Wilson, 5th

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a Grape Escape Playdough game. I would also like a Fix ME Up Doc Playdough game. The last thing I like is a 2-X-L robot. I will be at my house on Christmas. After, Christmas I will have supper with my family. I'll leave some milk and cookies for you.

Love,

• Written by Kara Barker, 5th Grade

Dear Santa Claus.

I would like some goldfish and a counting chart for Bryan and I will also like my own Christmas tree and a Barbie Doll.

Love,

Marissa McFarland • Written by Brandon Word, 5th Grade

Dear Santa,

This Christmas I would like it if you would bring me a Fisher-Price Kitchen set to pretend I am cooking breakfast, lunch and supper. I would also like for you to bring me a Baby Alive. I will leave you some chocolate chip cookies and milk by the Christmas tree.

Love Always, **Jamie Simmons**

• Written by Lindy Helms, 5th

Dear Santa,

I want a Baby Alive Doll and a Barbie. I also want a Magic Potty Baby. I'll be at my Nanny's house.

Love.

Courtney Ellerbrook Written by Jennie Hamilton, 5th Grade

Dear Santa,

I would like a Barbie Doll that cries and also I would like a Barbie Doll car for Christmas, and last I would like all kinds of Barbie Doll Clothes. Santa, I will be at my house for Christmas. I want you to come in the back door. I will leave a cookie. I would like to meet you. I love you.

Love,

Kasandra Ballard

• Written by Creed Stephens and Aaron Robertson, 5th

Dear Santa Claus,

want some toys, I also want some shoes and baseball shoes and a pencil. I want a stereo. I am going to my Grandma's. I am going to leave you some milk and cookies. I want some candycanes. I am going to have a stocking and a Christmas

> Love, Kesha Butler

• Written by Jennifer Easter,

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a Nolan Ryan baseball suit. I would also like a Monster Truck. The last thing I want is a Batman Toy. I will be at home waiting for you. I will be sure to leave you milk and cookies on the

Your Friend, **Timothy Sears**

 Written by Shane Morgan, 5th Grade

Dear Santa,

would like a Roller Baby, a Barbie, and Watch Clock to hang on my wall. I will leave some milk and cookies for you. I will also leave some hay on the roof for your reindeers. I will put the fire out in the chimney, too. I will be at home the first day, but, the second day we will go to Grandma's.

Vanna Holton Written by Kayla Holland and Janiah Mondragon, 5th

Dear Santa,

I would like a doll that laughs and cries, also I want a pink Barbie car. I'd like a pink bike, too. I will be at my Grandma Sherry's house. You can go through the chimney because there is no fire going. I will leave cookies and milk for you.

Kayla Martindale Written by Jennie Hamilton and Rachel Burnett, 5th

Dear Santa,

I would like to have a Hot Shot, Cross Fire, and some Playdough for Christmas. I will be at my house, but I don't have a Chimney, so come through the front door. There will be milk and chocolate chip cookies waiting for you on the table. Please put candy in my stocking. It's hanging in my closet. Your best friend,

Zackory CHilds

• Written by Niki Carter, 5th

Dear Santa,

want a Baby Alive, where I can play with her, a little doll that I can sleep with her, and a Nintendo I can play Mario. I will be at my dad's in Amarillo.

> Love, Kari Steen

 Written by Chris Linguist, 5th Grade

Dear Santa,

would enjoy the California Roller Baby. I would like a new bike-Huffy with training wheels please. I would like some play make up. I will be at my Grandma's. I've been a good girl this year, I'll leave cookies and milk. May I ride in your

Love, **Destiny Weatherton**

Dear Santa,

would like it if you would bring me some red Roller Skates. I would also like it if you would bring a new pair of lace up boots that are red. If you have time bring me a Baby Alive with a blanket and a bottle. If you brought me all this stuff I would be very happy.

Andra Helms

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like to get a doll that cries, a playhouse with cooking utensils, and things to cook with. I will be spending Christmas at my Grandma's.

Your friend, April

Dear Santa,

would like to have a Barbie doll. I would also like to have a doll. A dollhouse for my doll would be wonderful. I want to be sure that you know I've been a good girl all year. Merry Christmas!

Stephanie Estes

Dear Santa Claus,

I would like a box of guns with play bullets. Santa I would like you to bring me a nerf bow and arrow. And I would like a Super Nintendo.

P.S. Thank You Santa. Love,

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Dear Santa,

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Dear Santa Claus,

I would like a drum for Christmas. Also I guess I would like a doll too. I will be at Nana's house at Christmas and I would like to not forget there presents. That's all I want for Christmas I guess.

Shanna

Dear Santa,

would like to receive a water gun, a BB gun, and a game boy with lots of games.

P.S. Please come through the door because we do not have a

Love, **Trevor Lewis**

Dear Santa,

want a Baby Alive and a Barbie doll and also a teddybear. I'll be at my grandma's house I'll leave some milk and cookies out for you. Please come down the chimney. I love you Santa Claus!

> Love, **Shavonta Outley**

Dear Santa,

want a Batman suit. I want a trampoline. I want a race car set. How is Rudolph? Can I ride in your sleigh? I want a Super Nintendo Dr. Mario. From my mom I want clothes.

> Love, Roper

Dear Santa,

would like to receive a typewriter for Christmas. I would also like an automatic tea

Thanks, Cierra Benavidez

Dear Santa,

want a totally hair Barbie. I would also like a Magic Potty Baby. I want the magic copier machine. I'll be at my house. I'll leave milk and cookies out on the table. You can come through the door or window because I don't have a chimney. Merry Christmas!

Love, Jessie A.

Dear Santa,

want a bow and arrow computer and a typewriter. Santa I'll be here or in Virginia. Merry **Christmas Santa!**

Joseph Hill

Dear Santa.

want a Go Cart, a bike and a toy gun. I will be at my house. I will also leave you milk and cookies.

Love,

Christopher Smith

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a bike, a Sega Game Gear, some action figures, a baseball, bat and glove. I have tried to be a good boy this year, sometimes its very hard. Merry Christmas, Santa. I'll have cookies and milk waiting for you!

> Love, Morgan Robinson

Dear Santa,

Hi there Santa, how's ole' Rudolph. I sure do like watching him on the T.V. and when my memaw reads the book about him to me. He's a cool dear. I just wanted to drop you a line and let you know what I would like from you and the elfs this year. My daddy

only gets to come home on the weekends and I try to keep him busy, but we are running out of toys to play with (if you can actually believe that). Well anyway, I a race car set and a cassette player. My mommy doesn't let me listen to her GArth Brooks tapes, so could you include one of them also. I really am glad that next year I will have a baby brother or sister to share Christmas with, so tell everyone up at the North Pole to get ready cuz they're gonna be busy with two

> Thanks Alot, **Garrett Shane Bridwell** White Deer, Texas

Dear Santa,

Bridwells'.

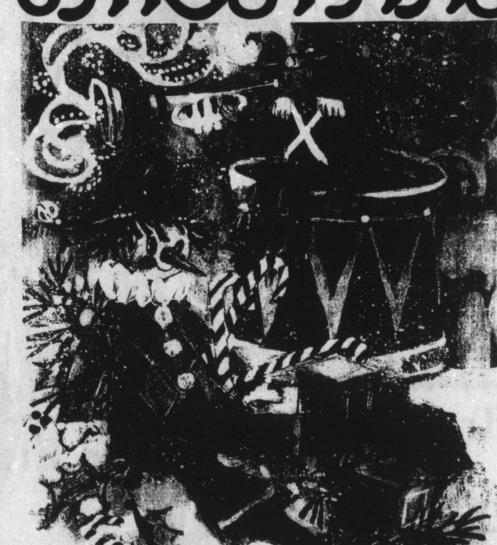
Thank you for my presents last year. I am looking forward to Christmas Eve. I have been good this year. For Christmas this year I would like a camera, a telephone and a surprise. Please remember my cousins, my sisters and my uncle Terry in the Marines. I love you.

> Lauren Hill Age 8 Hedley, Texas

Dear Santa,

My name is Allison Brianna Hill. I am six years old and I am in Kindergarten this year. I have tried to be a good girl this year. For Christmas this year I would like a rocking chair and a baby doll. Please me a surprise in my stocking. We have a new house this year with a chimney. We will leave you and Ruldolf a snack by our tree. Please tell the elves and Mrs. Claus hello. Thank you for the presents you gave me last year. Please remember Uncle Terry in the Marines. He won't be able to come home this year for Christmas. Remember my sisters and all of my cousins. I love you, Santa.

Allison Hill Hedley, Texas



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Jan. 4	Panhandle	There	7G 7B 8G 8
Jan. 11	Memphis	Here	7G 7B 8G 8
Jan. 18	Wellington	Here	7G 7B 8G 8
Jan. 25	Canadian	There	7G 7B 8G 8
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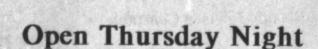
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Tuesday: Bar-B-Q Pork Pats, Baked Beans, Spinach, Potato Salad, Banana Pudding, Corn Muffins, Milk, Tea, Coffee

Wednesday: Steak & Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Blackeyed Peas, Tossed Salad, Peach Cobbler, Roll, Milk, Tea, Coffee

Calendar of Events Thursday: Holiday

Friday: Holiday Closed Monday: Exercise 10 a.m., Games 1-3 p.m., Musical 6 p.m. Tuesday: Games 1 - 3 p.m., Games 6 p.m. Wednesday: Exercise 10 a.m., Games 1 - 3 p.m.

COUNCIL-from p. 2.

Other officers of the council include "1 exas" publicist Kathie Greer as vice-president, Canadian Chamber of Commerce Manager Georgia King and Robert Jacobson, Chairman of the High Plains RC&D from Adrian as Treasurer. At-large officers members of the steering committee include Steve Dortch from Dalhart, Pat Kaiser representing Amarillo and Clarendon, Royce Jordan from Pampa, Steve Ulrey from Quitaque and Dr. Wallace Johnston of Amarillo. Crowell and Thomas L. Davey District Conservationist in Tulia for the High Plains RC&D Area Inc. will serve as advisors.

"If we enable rural communities to build a strong economic base, then we're going to encourage young people to stay in the region," Davey explained. "That not only will help preserve our heritage, but also assure its continuation."

Delbert and Ruth Trew who attended the meeting, as representatives of Alanreed and Mc-Lean made a \$25 donation in the name of the Devil's Rope Museum in McLean to help defray initial expenses incurred by the council.

The steering committee has been charged with the task of writing a mission statement, preparing by-laws and establishing guidelines for membership in the organization. A meeting of the steering committee has been planned for early January. Following the committee's work, a regional meeting will be held to encourage participation in the council.

"This is a very positive step for the Texas Panhandle," Greer said. "Members of the Tourism Division of the Texas Department of Commerce recently were in Canyon where they conducted a community workshop for tourism development. Part of the message they brought us is that tourism is a viable vehicle for economic development and that a wide range of assistance is available to help us in this endeavor.

Anyone interested in additional information about the Panhandle Tourism Marketing Council can contact Jane Johnson at 1-800-657- 7110 or Kathie Greer at 806-374-1015.

Blessings of the Season

The Christmas Story

In those days Caesar Augustus issued a decree that a census should be taken of the entire Roman world. (This was the first census that took place while Quirinius was governor of Syria.) And everyone went to his own town to register.

So Joseph also went up from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to Bethlehem the town of David, because he belonged to the house and line of David. He went there to register with Mary, who was pledged to be married to him and was expecting a child. While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born, and she gave birth to her first-born, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were sheperds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord. This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger."

Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to men on whom his favor rests."

When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the sheperds said to one another, "Let's go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about."

So they hurried off and found Mary and Joseph, and the baby, who was lying in the manger. When they had seen him, they spread the word concerning what had been told them about this child, and all who heard it were amazed at what the sheperds said to them. But Mary treasured up all these things and pondered them in her heart. The sheperds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things they had heard and seen, which were just as they had been told.

-- Luke 2:1--20, New International Version



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Date	Opponent	Place	Time	Team
Dec. 28, 29 6 30	Groom Tourn.	There	ТВА	VGB
Jan. 2	Motley County	Here	4:00 p.m.	JV/VGB
Jan. 5	Claude	Here	4:00 p.m.	JV/VGB
Jan. 7, 8, 6 9 DISTRICT	Clarendon JV Tour.	Here	TBA	JVGB
Jan. 12	Memphis	There	4:00 p.m.	JV/VGB
Jan. 15	Wellington	There	4:00 p.m.	JV/VGB
Jan. 19	Canadian	Here	4:00 p.m.	JV/VGB
Jan. 22	Wheeler	Here	4:00 p.m.	JV/VGB
Jan. 26	Panhandle	There	5:00 p.m.	JV/VGB
Jan. 29	Memphis	Here	4:00 p.m.	JV/VGB
Feb. 2	Wellington	Here	4:00 p.m.	JV/VGB
Feb. 5	Canadian	There	5:00 p.m.	JV/VG8
Feb. 9	Wheeler	There	4:00 p.m.	JV/VGB
Feb. 12	Panhandle	Here	4:00 p.m.	JV/VGB

Jan. 4 Jan. 7-9	Panhandle Clarendon J.V. Tourna	Here 6:00
Jan. 14 Jan. 23 Jan. 25 Feb. 6 Feb. 8	White Deer Childress Highland Park Childress Panhandle	There 6:00 Here 10:00 a.m. Here 7:00 p.m. There 10:00 a.m. There 6:00
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The Clarendon Bronco boys

Miami Tomahawk Classic held

December 3, 4th and finished

December 19. Billy Wilson lead the

Broncos in scoring with 16 points

followed by Greg Collins with 15 points, Corey Fields with 13 points,

Darny Wilson with 12 points, and

Wes Smith and Chad Campbell

both with 2 points each. The Bron-

cos lost there first game by a close

In their second game, the Broncos defeated Valley 78-51.

Leading the Broncos in scoring

were Corey Fields with 16 points,

Greg Collin 15 points, Billy Wilson

and Wes Smith each with 11 points,

Danny Wilson with 10 points,

Chad Campbell with 7 points, and

Darren Spier and Lorenzo Moore

defeated hedley Owls 75-59 to win

Consolation. Leading the Broncos

in scoring were Corey Fields with

23 points, Billy Wilson with 20

points, Wes Smith with 16 points,

Greg Collins with 9 points, Chad Campbell with 4 points, Danny

Wilson with 2 points and Darren

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each with 4 points.

Broncos.

score of 60-61 against Follett.

team won Consolation in the

On Tuesday, December 8, 1992, the Clarendon Bronco basketball teams played Motley County. The varsity boys won their game by a score of 104 to 74, the girls lost their by a score of 56 to 37.

Girls Clarendon 8 14 32 37

Motley Co. 16 25 39 56 Scoring for the team were Tessa Fletcher 14, Elizabeth Mc-Anear 6, Bobbie Havens 6, Mandy Floyd 4, Angie Kepley 4, Carrie Shields 2, and Ashley Knorpp 1.

Boys Clarendon 28 44 68 104 Motley Co. 17 40 54 74 Scoring for the broncos were Billy Wilson with 41 points, Greg Collins 14, Corey Fields 14, Danny Wilson 14, Wes Smith 7, Lorenzo Moore 7, Chad Campbell 6 and Chris Holland with 1 point.

On Tuesday, December 15th, the teams played Valley. The boys won their game by a score of 92 to 53, and the girls won in a close game, by a score of 47 to 45.

Girls Clarendon 9 15 28 47 15 21 31 45 Leading the scoring for the lady broncos were Angie Kepley with 19 points and Mandy Floyd with 7 points.

The Clarendon JV girls beat Valley 46 to 32.

Boys 37 53 68 92 Clarendon 9 24 37 53 Valley Leading the scoring for the broncos were Billy Wilson with 22 points and Corey Fields with 20.

The JV Broncos games were not reported.

Dec. 18, 1992 Boys

Clarendon 15 28 45 61 10 18 30 50 Groom

The Clarendon Broncos traveled to Groom Tuesday, December 18th to defeat the Groom Tigers 61-50. Leading the Broncos in scoring were Wes Smith with 15 points, Billy Wilson and Danny Wilson each with 12 points, Corey Fields with 11 points, Greg Collins with 9 points, and Chad Campbell with 2 points.

The JV Broncos beat Groom by a score of 55 to 40.

Jr. High Teams Win

The Clarendon Junior High basketball teams participated in the Claude Tournament and brought home three 1st place trophies and 1 second place trophies.

Claude Tournament Results

7th Grade Girls	
Clarendon	44
Vega	
Clarendon	20
Claude	

• The 7th grade girls won 2nd

place in the tournam	ient.
7th Grade Boys Clarendon	33
Vega	
Clarendon	30
Claude	13

• The 7th grade boys won 1st place in the tournament.

8th Grade Girls	
Clarendon	24
Vega	
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Claude	32

• The 8th grade girls won 1st place in the tournament.

8th Grade Boys

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• The 8th grade boys won 1st place in the tournament.

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• 7th Grade Boys - Maro	
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Wheeler2	8
8th Grade Boys	
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May the wa .nth and wonder of this joycus season embrace you and yours, now and throughout the year. To our loyal friends and customers, thank you for your valued patronage.

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Christmas is a day for hope,

A day for joy and singing! May you rejoice in all the love our savior, Christ, is bringing!

Merry Christmas from all of us

at Downlown Cafe 107 S Kearney

We Have What You Need!

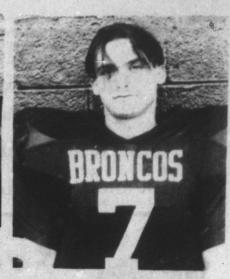


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WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!





LOCALS NAMED BY APSE - the APSE Class 2A all-state team was announced last week. Two locals boys were named in the Honorable Mention list on defense. Lineman Billy Bob Hoggard and secondary Spencer Smith.

We're revin' up our engines to wish you the Christmas of the century



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Christmas is here, a time for joy, love and togetherness — and the perfect chance for us to say "we're proud to serve you. Thanks for your valued business!





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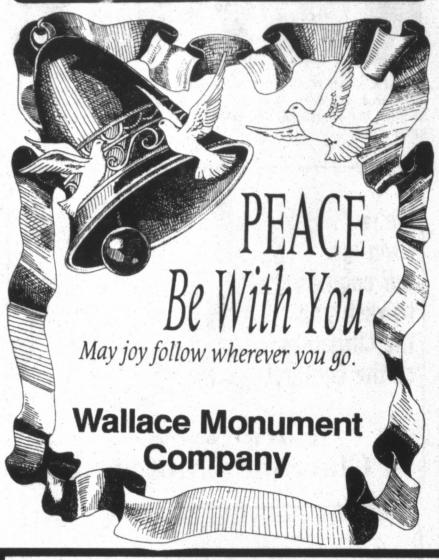
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The Clarendon News

and good will, we wish

Wanda's Hair Design

Vanda, Mary & Susan

School Board Minutes

(Unofficial)

The Board of Trustees of Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District met in regular session on December 10, 1922 at 7:30 p.m. in the Administration Building. Members present were President Told Knorpp, Secretary Fred Clifford, Phil Fletcher, Derelene Graham, and Lynne Williams. Members absent: Johnny Floyd and Wayne Hardin. School Officials Present: Jeff L. Walker, Superintendent, Soloman Kepley, Principal.

Others present: Tom Jarboe, Texas Association of School Boards, Dale Swan, CPA-Cornell & Co., Kelly Kelly, and Kelly Thompson.

Minutes of the November 12. 1992 meeting were real. Motion by Derlene Graham, seconded by Lynne Williams to approve the minutes, approved 4-0. The financial statement for the month of November was approved by board action. Bills incurred by the Clarendon Public School and Business Office were presented. Motion by Phil Fletcher, seconded by Derlene Graham that bills be allowed and ordered paid. Passed 4-

Item discussed: Tom Jarboe, TASB representative, discussed different methods of developing a school superintendent search and explained the search program.

Motion by Fred Clifford, seconded by Phil Fletcher to approve the audit report of CCISD for August 31, 1992 and the year

then ended as presented by Dale Swan, CPA, of Cornell and Company. [Note: there was an error in the audit report and Cornell & Co. would send a corrected copy(s). The error was on the total amount of FDIC coverage at the time of longest combined balance which was \$105,984 instead of 205,984. This information is found on page 10, item d of C.]

Motion by Phil Fletcher, seconded by Fred Clifford, to approve a purchasing contract with the Educational Services Center for the '93-'94 school year on teaching and school supplies. Passed unanimously, 4-0.

Motion by Derlene Graham, seconded by Lynne Williams to accept bid of Locklear Brothers Roofing Company, Inc., for replacement of roof on fieldhouse.

Discussion of purchase of a used pickup. Authorization was given for purchase of used pickup for \$5,000 to \$6,000.

Open forum: No questions, answers or discussion by any members or visitors. Complementary remarks on athletic teams' perfor-

Motion by Phil Fletcher, seconded by Derlene Graham, to approve ACAD Contract to assess and collect school taxes for the 1993 tax year. Passed unanimously,

Item Discussed: Purchasing TAIL Insurance Coverage for the district; further review decided with final decision to be made by December 15, 1992. Pres. Todd Knorpp to get back to board before deadline.

Motion by Lynne Williams, seconded by Derlene Graham, to call for bids on cafeteria food and non-food items. Passed unanimously, 4-0.

Motion by Fred Clifford, seconded by Phil Fletcher, to approve board policy update #43. Passed 4-0.

Motion by Fred Clifford, seconded by Derlene Graham to hire Tina Lacey as a teacher for the remainder of the '92-'93 School Year. Passed unanimously, 4-0.

Motion by Phil Fletcher, seconded by Fred Clifford, to amend budge as recommended to fund technology advancement. materials. Passed, 4-0.

Motion by Derlene Graham. seconded by Phil Fletcher, to adjourn. Passed unanimously, 4-0.



Bid accepted of \$5,400 without "PANHANDLE GOODTIMERS" at Resident Christmas Party December

Caring For A Holiday Pet

A kitten can make a "purr-fectly" delightful holiday gift. A new puppy can also be a tail-wagging success. It's essential, however, that you know how to care for these new additions to your family.

After all, notes Daniel Carey, D.V.M., Iams Research Center, "Puppies and kittens are not simply little people with fur. They have nutritional, social and behavioral needs that are very different from those of infants.'

The experts at the lams Pet Nutrition Center offer these tips for basic puppy and kitten care-feeding, bedding and housebreaking-that pet owners should keep in mind all year 'round:

· Feed your puppy three times a day until he's three or four months

old, then cut out the midday meal and feed larger portions in morning and evening · Keep food in your kitten's dish

at all times. By nature, kittens regulate their own eating habits according to their nutritional/caloric needs.

 Don't leave stale food in your pet's bowl-discard after one day. · Don't omit dry food from a puppy or kitten's diet; chewing is

good for their teeth and dry food contains important nutrients. **Bedding:** · When choosing a bed for

your puppy, set up a cage or crate with an old blanket/towel in a quiet place. · Be sure outside kittens have a

and meals. If he's about to relieve himself, put him in the litter box. He'll learn quickly. For free brochures with informa-

first few weeks-especially after sleep

Knowing the basics of puppy

and kitten care can help make

the holidays, and every day

rain. Inside kittens may like to sleep

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• Know the tell-tale signs of a

puppy who wants to be walked:

walking around in circles, sitting at

the door and whining, making sus-

tained eye contact, combined with a

outside to finish, and praise him for

• Take a puppy "caught in the act"

. Watch a kitten carefully for the

with your new pet, merry.

washable pillow or cushion.

slightly anxious expression.

Housebreaking:

tion to help you keep your holiday puppy or kitten happy and healthy all year long, call the lams Pet Nutrition shelter-garage or porch-from the Center & Hotline at 1-800-525-4267.



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City Minutes December 8, 1992

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7:00 P. M.

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Clarendon met in the English session on December 8.

the City of Clarendon met in regular session on December 8, 1992, at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room, City Hall.

Members present: Mayor Steve Smith, Aldermen James Kuhn, Bobbie Kidd, McKinley Smith, Mac Stavenhagen, and David Pitts.

Members absent: None.
Others present: City Superintendent Jim Roberts, City
Secretary Sue Howard, Librarian
Mary Linn Bills, Dr. R. L. Gilkey,
Paula Lowrie, and J. D. Shanks.

Minutes of the November 10, 1992, meeting were read, and upon a motion by Alderman James Kuhn, seconded by Alderman David Pitts, said minutes were approved.

Ernie Johnston gave a report on our trash hauling equipment.

Jim Roberts gave a report on building consultant, Bob Ezell, request for a letter stating that City water and sewer would be available for land he is trying to get a loan on here in Clarendon. Motion was made by Alderman James Kuhn, seconded by Alderman David Pitts, to consult with OJD Engineering on this matter. Motion carried.

Paula Lowrie, of Donley Appraisal District, presented contract for approval of the Board. Alderman James Kuhn made the motion to accept the contract as presented, seconded by Alderman McKinley Smith. Motion carried.

Mary Linn Bills gave a report on the Library annual report and the fax machine.

Dr. R. L. Gilkey came before the City's Board of Aldermen to ask for a planning and zoning commission. The Board agreed to appoint Dr. R. L. Gilkey to form a planning and zoning commission consisting of five people. Mac Stavenhagen and J. D. Shanks were asked if they would serve on the commission.

Motion was made by Alderman David Pitts, seconded by Alderman Mac Stavenhagen, to renew the City's GTE Franchise Ordinance. Motion carried.

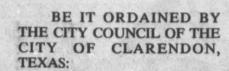
ORDINANCE NO. 297

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING THE RIGHT, PRIVILEGE AND USE OF **CITY RIGHTS-OF-WAY TO** GTE SOUTHWEST INCOR-PORATED, GRANTEE, AND ITS SUCCESSORS AND AS-SIGNS, TO CONSTRUCT, ERECT, BUILD, EQUIP, OWN, MAINTAIN AND OPERATE IN, ALONG, UNDER, OVER AND ACROSS THE STREETS, AVENUES, ALLEYS, BRIDGES, VIADUCTS AND PUBLIC GROUNDS OF THE CITY OF CLARENDON, TEXAS, SUCH POSTS, POLES, WIRES, CABLES, CONDUITS AND OTHER APPLIANCES, STRUCTURES AND FIX-TURES NECESSARY OR CON-VENIENT FOR RENDITION OF TELEPHONE AND OTHER COMMUNICATION SERVICE AND FOR CONDUCTING A GENERAL LOCAL AND LONG-DISTANCE TELEPHONE BUSINESS; PROVIDING FOR CON-SIDERATION; FOR PERIOD OF GRANT; FOR ASSIGN-MENT; FOR METHOD OF AC-CEPTANCE; FOR REPEAL OF **CONFLICTING ORDINANCES** AND FOR PARTIAL IN-VALIDITY.



May the warmth and wonder of this joyous season embrace you and yours, now and throughout the year.
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SECTION 1. GRANT OF RIGHT, PRIVILEGE AND USE OF CITY RIGHTS-

OF-WAY FOR CONSTRUCTION AND MAIN-TENANCE OF

TELEPHONE PLANT AND SERVICE

That the right, privilege and authority to use City rights-of-way be, and the same is hereby, granted to GTE Southwest Incorporated, hereinafter referred to as the "Telephone Company," and its successors or assigns, subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, to construct, erect, build, equip, own, maintain and operate in, along, under, over and across the streets, alleys, avenues, bridges, viaducts and public grounds of the City, such posts, poles, wires, cables, conduits and other appliances, structures and fixtures necessary or convenient for rendering telephone and other communication services and for conducting a general local/extended area and long-distance telephone business.

SECTION 2. SUPER-VISION BY CITY OF LOCA-TION OF POLES AND CONDUIT

That all poles to be placed shall be of sound material and reasonably straight, and shall be so set that they will not interfere with the flow of water to any gutter or drain, and so that the same will interfere as little as practicable with the ordinary travel on the street or sidewalk. The location and route of all poles, stubs, gays, anchors, conduits and cables to be placed and constructed by the Telephone Company in the construction and maintenance of its telephone system in the City, and the location of all conduits to be laid by the Telephone Company within the limits of the City under this ordinance, shall be subject to the reasonable and proper regulation, control and direction of the City Council or of any City official to whom such duties have been or may be delegated.

That nothing in this Ordinance is intended to add to or detract from any authority granted by the Legislature of the State of Texas to the City.

SECTION 3. STREETS
TO BE RESTORED TO GOOD
CONDITION

That the surface of street, alley, highway or public place within the City disturbed by the Telephone Company in building, constructing, renewing or maintaining its telephone plant and system shall be restored within a reasonable time after the completion of the work to as good a condition as before the commencement of the work and maintained to the satisfaction of the City Council, or of any City official to whom such duties have been or may be delegated, for one year from the date the surface of said street, alley, highway or public place is broken for such construction or maintenance work, after which time responsibility for the maintenance shall become the duty of the City. No such street, alley, highway, or public place shall be encumbered for a longer period than shall be necessary to execute the work.

SECTION 4. TEM-PORARY REMOVAL OF WIRES

That the Telephone Company on the request of any person shall remove or raise or lower its wires within the City temporarily to

permit the moving of houses or other bulky structures. The expense of such temporary removal, raising or lowering of wires shall be paid by the benefitted party or parties, and the Telephone Company may require such payment in advance. The Telephone Company shall be given not less than fortyeight (48) hours advance notice to arrange for such temporary wire changes. The clearance of wires above ground or rails within the City and also underground work shall conform to the basic standards of the National Electrical Safety Code, National Bureau of Standards, United States Department of Commerce, as promulgated at the time of erection there-

SECTION 5. TREE TRIMMING

That the right, license, privilege and permission is hereby granted to the Telephone Company, its successors and assigns, to trim trees upon and overhanging the streets, alleys, sidewalks and public places of the City, so as to prevent the branches of such trees from coming in contact with the wires or cables of the Telephone Company, and when so ordered by the City, said trimming shall be done under the supervision and direction of the City Council or of any City official to whom said duties have been or may be delegated.

SECTION 6. CASH CONSIDERATION TO BE PAID BY THE TELEPHONE COMPANY.

(A) In consideration for the rights and privileges herein granted, the Company's usage of public right-of-way, the temporary interference with the use of public rights-of way, the administration of this right-of-way rental agreement by the City, and other costs and obligations undertaken by the City herein, the Company hereby agrees to pay the City during the term of this agreement a sum of money equal to two percent (2%) of annual "Gross Revenues," as that term is defined herein, collected within the corporate limits of the City ("Annual Fee"). For purposes of this agreement, "Gross Revenues" shall mean all revenue derived within the corporate limits of the City from regulated, noncompetitive local exchange transmission services that directly employ Company facilities located in the City's public right-of-way as further described by each revenue code contained in Attachment A hereto, which is hereby made a part of this

(B) Such fee payment shall be made in four (4) calendar quarterly payments. Each payment shall be due and payable on or before the last day of the calendar month following the close of the calendar quarter for which the payment is calculated.

payment is calculated. (C) The City shall have the right to review or audit the Company's books and records which are directly related to this right-of-way rental agreement regarding any amounts paid under this agreement. The City shall give written notice to the Company of any additional amount claimed to be due to the City as a result of the City's review. Such notice shall be given no later than forty-eight (48) months following the close of the calendar year covered by such statements(s). The additional amount due to the City, if any, shall be paid within thirty (30) days following determination by the parties that such amount is due and pay-

(D) The Telephone Company shall bill, on a monthly basis, to all customers residing within the City, pro rata, the Annual Fee. The amount billed will be identified as

(E) In the event there is any change in the corporate boundaries of the City, whether by annexation, disannexation or otherwise, the City shall provide to the Telephone Company, within sixty (60) days following the date of final

local tax according to tariff.

wise, the City shall provide to the Telephone Company, within sixty (60) days following the date of final passage of any such action, maps of the affected area(s) with sufficient detail to enable the Telephone Company to determine which customers reside inside or outside the City following such action. Within sixty (60) days of receipt of such maps, the Telephone Company shall either begin or cease billing, as appropriate, customers affected by the change in corporate boun-

SECTION 7. PAYMENT OF CASH CONSIDERATION TO BE IN LIEU OF

daries.

ANY OTHER PAYMENTS EXCEPT USUAL GENERAL OR SPECIAL AD VALOREM TAXES

That the City agrees that the consideration set forth in the preceding section hereof shall be paid and received in lieu of any tax, license, charge, fee, street or alley rental or any other character of charge for use and occupancy of the streets, avenues, alleys, bridges, viaducts and public grounds of the City; in lieu of any pole tax or inspection fee tax; in lieu of any easement or right-of-way tax, whether levied as an ad valorem, special or other character of tax; and in lieu of any imposition other than the usual general or special ad valorem taxes no or hereafter levied. Should the City not have the legal power to agree that the payment of the foregoing cash consideration shall be in lieu of the taxes, licenses, charges, fees, rentals, and easement or right-of-way taxes aforesaid, then the City agrees that it will apply so much of said payment as may be necessary to the satisfaction of the Telephone Company's obligations, if any, to pay any such taxes, licenses, charges, fees, rentals, and easement or right-of-way taxes.

SECTION 8. INDEMNITY

The Telephone Company, as a condition of the grants of authority herein and in consideration thereof, shall indemnify and hold the City harmless against all claims for damages to persons or property to the extent proximately caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of Telephone Company's officers, employees, or agents by reason of the construction, maintenance and operation of the Telephone Company's facilities which are subject to this agreement. This indemnity applies where, and to the extent, the Telephone Company's negligence or intentional act is either the sole or a contributing cause of the injury, death or damage caused by either the sole or contributing negligence or intentional act or omission of the City or any third party. This provision is not intended to create liability for the benefit of third parties but is solely for the benefit of the Telephone

SECTION 9. NO EX-CLUSIVE PRIVILEGES CON-FERRED BY THIS OR-DINANCE

Company and the City.

That nothing herein contained shall be construed as giving to the Telephone Company any exclusive privileges.

SECTION 10. SUCCES-SORS AND ASSIGNS

That the rights, powers, limitations, duties and restrictions herein provided for shall inure to and be binding upon the parties hereto and upon their respective successors and assigns.

SECTION 11. PERIOD OF AGREEMENT

That this agreement shall be in full force and effect for the period beginning with the effective date hereof and ending five (5) years after such date.

SECTION 12. PARTIAL INVALIDITY AND REPEAL PROVISIONS

That if any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be illegal, ultra vires or unconstitutional, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. All ordinances and agreements and parts of or-

dinances and agreements in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 13. ACCEP-TANCE OF AGREEMENT

That the Telephone Company shall have sixty (60) days from and after the passage and approval of this Ordinance to file its written acceptance thereof with the City Secretary, and upon such acceptance being filed, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the date of its acceptance, and shall effectuate and make binding the agreement provided by the terms hereof.

APPROVED this 8th day of December, A.D. 1992. STEVE SMITH MAYOR

> ATTEST: SUE HOWARD

Bills for the month of Nove er 1992, were presented, and up

Bills for the month of November 1992, were presented, and upon a motion by Alderman James Kuhn, seconded by Alderman Mc-Kinley Smith, said bills were ordered paid. Motion carried.

Fire Department Receipts and Disbursements for the month of November 1992, were presented, and upon a motion by Alderman James Kuhn, seconded by Alderman McKinley Smith, said report was approved. Motion carried.

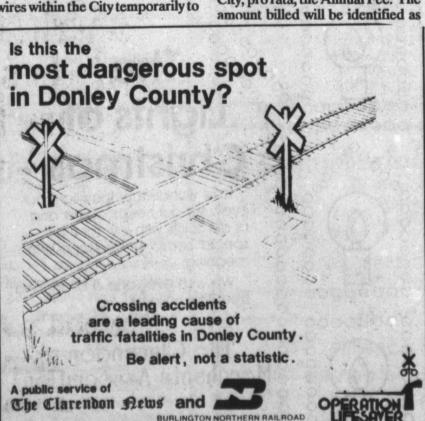
Motion was made by Alderman James Kuhn, seconded by Alderman Mac Stavenhagen, to pay for certifying fire men so the key rate for insurance would stay down. Motion carried.

There being no further business at this time, motion was made by Alderman McKinley Smith, seconded by Alderman David Pitts. Motion carried.

Everyone reads the Classified Page.

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Howardwick City Minutes

December 8, 1992

The Howarwick City Council met in regular session on Tuesday, December 8, 1992 at 7:00 p.m. in Howardwick City Hall. In attendance were: Mayor, H.C. Clark, Councilmen, Clayton Srygley, Jo Webb, Weldon King, Bob Thompson, Kevin Thompson, City Secretary, Dianna Knight and 13

Mayor Clark called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and welcomed all present.

The minutes for November 10, 1992 were read for approval. Clayton made a motion to approve, with a second by Bob. Motion car-

The Financial Statement was presented for approval. Weldon made a motion to approve, with a second by Clayton. Motion carried.

Weldon made a motion to pay the bills, with a second by Bob. Motion carried.

Mr. Clark tried to explain all the laws and the legality of the City Tax, and the writing of an ordinance to the public. It takes an ordinance to amend or repeal an existing ordinance. You can not resend an ordinance by popular vote. They hope everyone has a better understanding of this, and of Ordinance #63, which has been always and still is in effect. At this time, Mr. Bills gave a talk on how everyone should support the Council and the City instead of trying to tear the city apart.

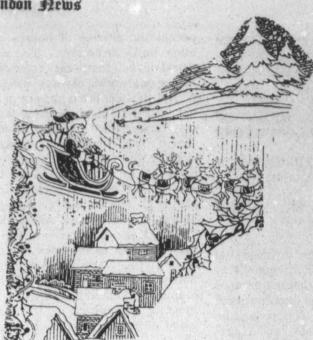
With no further business,

Clayton made a motion to adjourn, with a second by Weldon. Motion carried.

Person Poses as City Official

ast week someone posing as a representative of the City of Howardwick brought in a "Public Notice" that stated that Ordinance #63 had been rescinded. That person was apparently an impostor. The matter has been turned over to the Donley County Sheriff's Department for investigation.

The Clarendon News would like to apologize to the city officials and people of Howardwick for inadvertently publishing a counterfeit "Public Notice". The paper was not aware of the deception.



Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the house Not'a creature was stirring. not even a mouse; The stockings were hung by the chimney with care. In hopes that St Nicholas soon would be there The children were nestled all snug in their beds, While visions of sugar-plums, danced in their heads.

Clement C. Moore

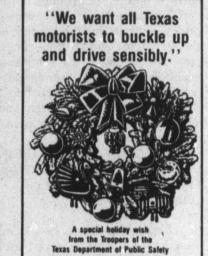


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RESIDENTS ENJOYING CHRISTMAS PARTY



Safety Tips Given

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Traffic accidents injure and kill hundreds. One of the major causes of such accidents is driving and drinking.

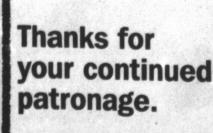
Fires are a major cause of tragedy, too. It is worth a few minutes to check for hazards. Is the Christmas tree safe. Are its lights ornaments in good shape? Is there paper or other things around the heater, range or water heater?

This is an exciting season. But some excitement is unwelcome. A few minutes thinking about potential hazards could prevent a lifelong tragedy.

[This message is dedicated to Done-ly County Fire, Emergency and Law Enfor-cement personnel, with the hope that they have a quiet Christmas and an uneventful New Years' Day.]



Santa may be from the North Pole, but he's rounding up his reindeer to wish all of you cowpokes a rootin', tootin' **Christmas!**



Clarendon Manufacturing

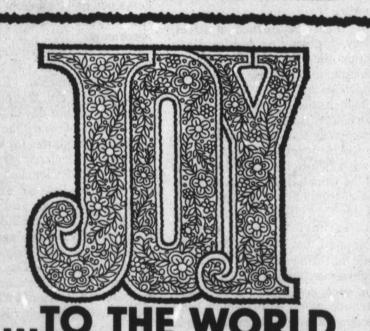
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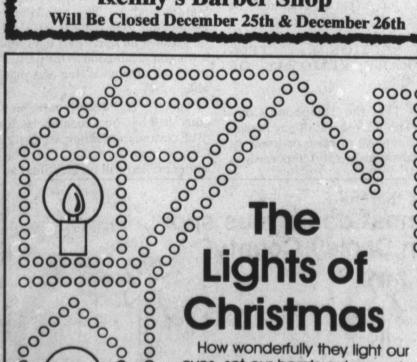
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The Clarendon 8 Merchants Association



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3rd - Thursday

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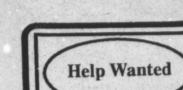
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