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THIS WEEK

- Is it a false alarm for Carrie Tippen, or is there reason to be freaking out?
- Clarendon Aldermen get their dander up about holes in city streets.
- Clarendon's doctor is going to Iraq with a squadron of Marines.
- And two young men bring home medals for CHS.

All this and much more as The Enterprise reports in this week's rainy edition!

Sign up now for annual 'Trash To Treasures'

Sign-up is underway now for the second annual "Trash To Treasures" garage sale event to be held Saturday, June 16.

THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE and A Fine Feathered Nest, Inc., have again teamed up to sponsor "Trash To Treasures."

Residents who wish to participate in this year's "Trash To Treasures" are asked to come by the ENTERPRISE office at 105 S. Kearney to sign up.

For \$20 each household will get an expanded advertisement in the Big-E Classifieds - up to 50 words - and the exclusive "Trash To Treasures" garage sale kit, which includes tips for holding a successful sale, price stickers, and two yard signs.

In addition, the ENTERPRISE will print a city map of the event indicating the location of each sale and will promote the citywide garage sale throughout the region.

The deadline for joining the "Trash To Treasures" promotion will be Friday, June 8, at 5 p.m.

For more information, call 874-2259.

Elementary students raise disaster funds

Clarendon Elementary students raised more than \$2,200 for tornado victims in Tulia and Cactus.

The third-grade students of Tisha Ham and Jennifer Robinson and the students of Jill Frausto collected a total of \$2,286.37 in money brought in by all the students of the elementary school.

Checks will be sent to Citizens Bank in Tulia and First State Bank in Dumas to add to their relief accounts that were set up to help with replacing items lost in the tornado.

The teachers are extremely proud of our students and their selfless giving. In four years, local students have raised over \$5,000 to help victims of natural disasters.

Arbor Day Foundation offers pruning advice

Those who care about trees will find advice on pruning and related topics in the National Arbor Day Foundation's free booklet, "How To Prune Young Shade Trees." From pruning in the early years of a tree's life, to learning how to strengthen trees by removing branches, this illustrated, easy-to-follow guide offers timely and practical tips.

Other tips in "How To Prune Young Shade Trees" cover the best ways to make a pruning cut, how to prune for form, and how to maintain a tree's health by removing trouble spots.

For your free copy, go online at www.arborday.org.

Rainfall bringing welcome delays to planting

By Anndria Kidd, Clarendon Enterprise

Recent rainfall has brought some "welcomed delays" as this year's planting season gets underway for local farmers.

Fifty-year Cooperative Observer for the National Weather Service, Tommie Saye, has reported 10.98" of rain so far for this year compared to 5.41" to date one year ago.

Donley County farmer Bob White said the rainfall has been a benefit on this year's crops.

"Mother Nature does a much better job watering than irrigation does, and farmers have not had to pull as much water from the underground aquifers as they did last year," White said.

Although the rainfall has put a pause in some farmers' planting season, White said. "It has been a welcomed delay."

The only time so far this year that White has had to start pivots to water was to cut in chemical to incorporate herbicides. This has saved a lot of money and resources in comparison with last year's preparation for planting season.

Donley County Extension Agent Leonard Haynes agrees that the recent rainfall has brought several postponements to this year's planting season.

"Farmers are having to wait for the ground to dry up before they are able to start planting," Haynes said.

Even though Haynes said the setbacks have slowed down the planting process, he does believe there are several benefits from the recent rainfall.

"We have the soil moisture that we haven't had in the past several years, and farmers are saving a lot of

fuel cost by not having to run irrigation motors so early on in the year," Haynes said.

In studies performed last year, Haynes said based on pumping cost per hour, it cost \$2.85 to run a natural gas irrigation motor, and \$6.85 per hour to run a diesel motor. It can take several days of constant running to irrigate an entire circle. These figures were based when natural gas was at \$6 per CCF and diesel cost \$2.30 per gallon.

"The benefits of the moisture definitely outweigh the downsides of the rain delays."

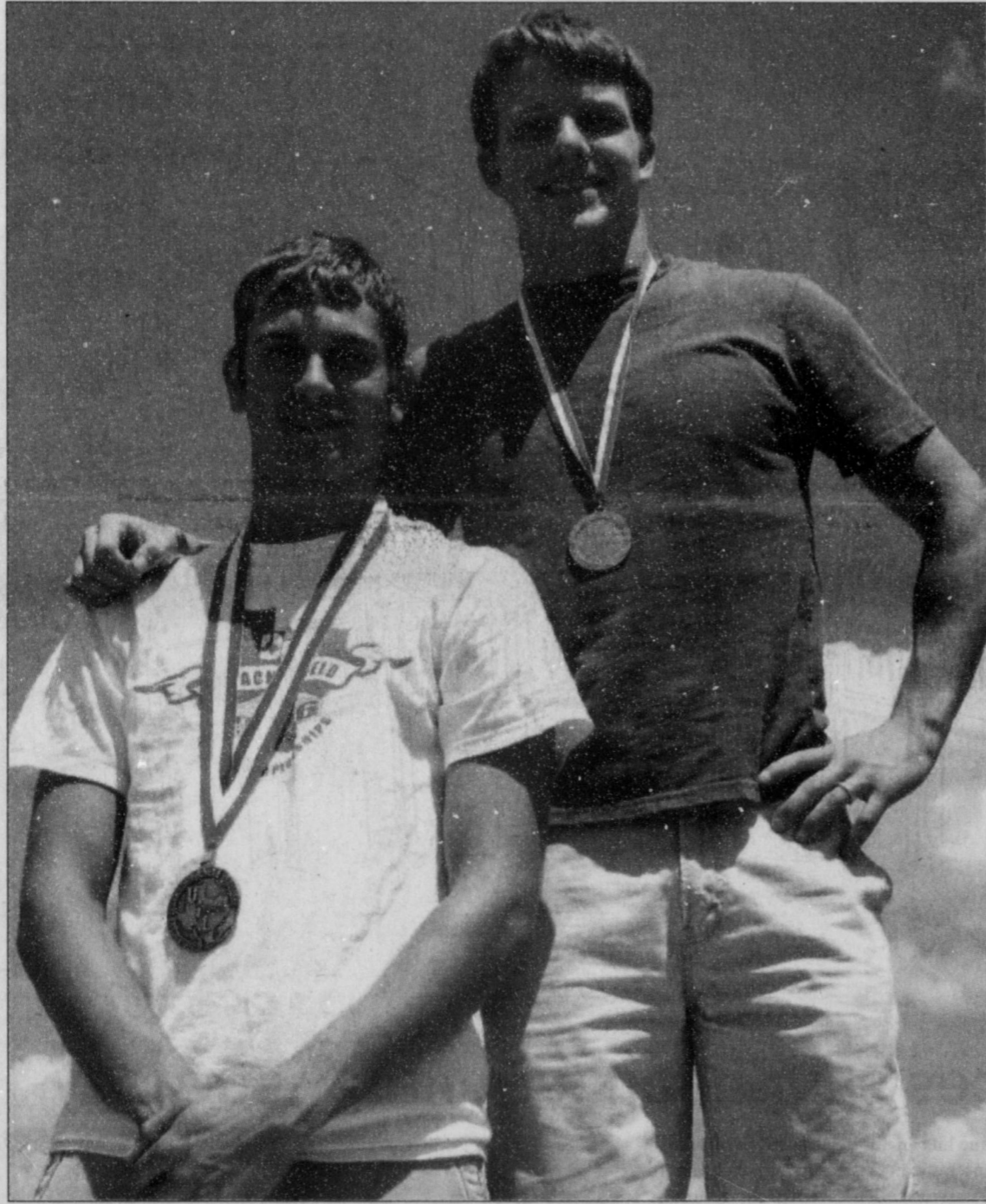
Haynes said farmers should be done planting peanuts by June 1 and cotton no later than June 15.

Some of the crops being planted at this time include cotton, cane hay, sorghum silage, and a variety of peanuts.



Mike Newhouse loads peanuts for planting.

Enterprise Photo / Anndria Kidd



Star athletes

David Gordon and Bradley Sell brought acclaim to Clarendon High School last week when they medaled in their individual sports at the state track meet in Austin. Gordon brought home the bronze in the high jump, and Sell won the gold in pole vaulting again. Read more inside.

Enterprise Photo / Roger Estlack

White defeats Paul in mayoral election

Three challengers win HISD race

Clarendon Mayor Mark White was elected by a wide margin to his own full term to lead the city Saturday, and two new faces will join the Board of Aldermen.

White defeated challenger Lauraine Paul by a margin of 169 to 35 in an election that was marked by a very low turnout.

Terry Noble and Ann Huey topped the field of four candidates running for aldermen. Noble received 124 votes, and Huey garnered 87. They were followed by Claude Debord with 83 and Bobby Woodard with 68.

Noble and Huey will replace Aldermen Michael Tibbets and Bobbie Kidd, neither of whom ran for reelection.

A total of 204 votes were cast in the mayor's race, reflecting a turnout of 15.9 percent.

Also on Saturday, residents of the Hedley Independent School Dis-

trict cast ballots in a hotly contested race among nine candidates for four positions on the Board of Trustees.

James Edward Potts received the most support with 93 votes, and Abby O'Neal, the sole incumbent to be reelected, received 72 votes. Troy Monroe and Jim Lollar will also join the board with 71 and 66 votes respectively.

Other candidates in Saturday's Hedley school election were incumbent Jason Sargent 62, incumbent Rex Morris 52, Mary Jon Hicks 51, incumbent Marlee Sharp 48, and Kelly Patton 31.

Less than 15 percent of Donley County voters cast ballots in Saturday's state constitutional amendment election. Those voters approved 272 to 97 of Proposition One, which dealt with extending last year's school tax savings to elderly and disabled citizens whose taxes were previously frozen.

Sales tax revenue increases

AUSTIN - Sales tax revenue for the City of Clarendon continued to climb this month when Texas Comptroller Susan Combs released figures last week.

City Hall received an April tax allocation of \$30,064.38, which was up 3.23 percent over the same time last year. Clarendon's year-to-date collections are now 2.43 percent higher than at this point in 2006.

Howardwick's sales tax collection was also higher this month with an allocation of \$1,014.21, up 18.24

percent and running 11.38 percent ahead for the year thus far.

Hedley's figures, on the other hand, were down 18.66 percent in April to \$1,178.24 and bringing the year-to-date figure to a negative 18.44 percent.

May's sales tax allocations to local governments represent March sales that were reported to the Comptroller in April by monthly tax filers and January, February and March sales reported to the Comptroller in April by quarterly tax filers.

Lemley, Miser top honor students at Clarendon High

Clarendon High School has announced the top two students in the graduating class of 2007 - Regan Lemley and Jake Miser.

With a grade point average of 98.68, Regan Lemley has been named the valedictorian at CHS. She is the daughter of Joe and Rose Lemley. During her high school career, Regan has been active in basketball, band, track, and UIL Academics.

While involved in UIL Academics, Regan has advanced to state competition in Literary Criticism and has advanced to regional competition in Editorial Writing and Ready Writing. She has also been a member of the regional qualifying One Act Play for the past three years.

While participating in band, she has served as the color guard captain. Regan was also a member of the CHS Science Bowl team.

Regan is a member of the National Honor Society, the French Club, and the Junior Historians. While in the Junior Historians, Regan qualified for the state competition. She has also served as senior class president.

While playing basketball for the Lady Broncos, Regan has been named to the all-district team, the Highland Park Tournament All-Star Team, was the winner of the Greenbelt Classic 3-point contest, and has been awarded the CHS Lady Bronco Fighting Heart Award.

Regan has been the recipient of many academic awards. She has received the Pantex and Ascension Academy Award of Excellence in Math and Science; she has been



Lemley



Miser

named Academic All State in basketball, and she received the Lead America Innovation in Science Award. She is a member of the National Honor Roll, an alumni member of the National Youth Leadership Forum on Medicine and Healthcare, and is an alumni member of the People to People Leadership Summit. Regan has also been awarded numerous

Honor C's for academic excellence at CHS.

Regan Lemley will attend Southwestern University and begin her studies in Pre-Med.

Jake Miser has been named salutatorian at CHS with a grade point average of 98.03. He is the son of Phillip and Laura Miser.

Jake has been named to the National Honor Society of which he is currently serving as president. He has been very involved in UIL Academics where he has advanced to state in Literary Criticism and Social Studies. He has been awarded numerous Honor C's throughout his high school career.

Jake has remained involved as a member of the Bronco Band, serv-

ing as drum major for two years. He is currently serving as the vice-president of the Junior Historians and advanced to the state competition in group performance for the past two years. Jake has also been a member of the National Society for High School Scholars for the past two years and has also been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Jake has been very involved in school activities and organizations. He has been a member of the French Club for 3 years, a member of a state qualifying solo and ensemble for 4 years, an all region band member for 2 years, a member of the state alternate One Act Play for 2 years, participated in fall theatre productions for two years, and has helped tutor during the Clarendon High

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guest commentary

Entitlements rob Americans of \$51 trillion

By Jagadeesh Gokhale

The Social Security Trustees recently released their annual report. As in years past, the ritual is likely to result in a lot of hand-wringing about how entitlement programs will eventually bleed the nation dry.

And, as in years past, it probably will fail to bring about any real reforms.

When you add it all up, this year's Trustees' report shows that today's entitlement policies "threaten" to separate future generations from about \$51 trillion of their money. If current laws are maintained through current generations' lifetimes, these retirees will end up receiving \$14.4 trillion more in Social Security benefits than they've paid in payroll taxes.

The corresponding estimate for Medicare's three main programs — hospital insurance, supplementary medical insurance and prescription drugs — is \$29 trillion, calculated for past and current generations as projected benefits net of premiums and trust funds.

General revenue contributions are not netted out because those resources are not dedicated to Medicare. But there's more.

The payroll taxes we pay for Social Security are invested exclusively in U.S. Treasury securities, which means that instead of saving the Social Security surplus or expanding the nation's future productive capacity, these funds are made available to lawmakers eager to "help the public" — and get reelected. Congress instantly dissipates the Social Security surplus, delivering all kinds of goodies and tax breaks to their constituents.

So additional taxes must be levied on future generations to make good on the system's promises to current ones.

But that's only a part of the explanation. Studies by Kent Smetters of the Wharton School and John Shoven of Stanford University estimate that instead of drawing down its debt, Congress dissipates almost \$2 for each additional \$1 of Social Security revenues it brings in.

Social Security's trust funds thereby provide a "buy one, get two free" deal for us. For each \$1 of extra Social Security taxes we pay, we get three things.

The first is a claim on future taxpayers' earnings to fund our Social Security benefits.

The second: an additional \$1 of public goodies today as the surplus is spent (more welfare, bigger corporate subsidies, more personal "tax expenditures," bridges to nowhere, etc.).

Third, we get yet another \$1 in goodies from the political tug-of-war over public resources. For a lawmaker, obtaining more for your own district, state or special interest groups requires your agreement to provide more to others' constituencies as well.

What's the total dollar amount involved in this "triple dipping"? Since past and current generations have paid surplus payroll taxes of \$2 trillion (the current value of Social Security trust funds), one would think they would recoup about \$6 trillion in benefits. But again, that's not the end of the story.

By the Trustees' estimates, the trust fund will increase to \$3.8 trillion by 2021 in constant 2007 dollars. Thus, we will do even better: If current laws were maintained through 2021, past and present generations would gain an additional \$7.6 trillion from Social Security's trust fund mechanism.

Adding it all together yields \$51 trillion: \$14.4 trillion in present value of direct net benefits from Social Security, \$29 trillion of direct net benefits from Medicare, and an additional \$7.6 trillion of indirect and hidden triple dipping of the Social Security trust funds.

Medicare's trust funds are zero, so they don't warrant similar "triple dipping" calculations. Note also that none of the estimates used here involves "crazy" projections of entitlement shortfalls through the infinite future. These estimates extend only through current generations' lifetimes — about 75 additional years for those aged 15 and older today.

So, why do so many Americans remain opposed to entitlement reforms?

Maybe voters don't understand entitlement finances at all: Seeing Treasury bonds in the Social Security trust funds, they may think there's no financial problem.

Perhaps, however, they understand all too well that politicians' largesse will deliver them \$51 trillion in free money that future generations must pay for, and the bribe is keeping them quiet.

If the latter is true, it speaks volumes about our collective myopia. The question remains unanswered: Is a public policy that threatens to separate future generations from \$51 trillion of their money consistent with maintaining their incentive to be productive and preserve a robust economy?

Jagadeesh Gokhale is a senior fellow at the Cato Institute and former senior adviser to the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland.

Upset tummy and green gills means...

I went to bed Tuesday of last week with the world's biggest tummy ache.

I felt fine all day at work, and when I got home I ate a nice, healthy dinner that my sweet husband made just for me. His specialty: shrimp and asparagus risotto with strawberry shortcake for dessert.

And then it hit me.

I lay out on the couch, belly up, moaning and groaning like my parents' dog, Sweet Thang, when she ate five pounds of peanut butter.

I went to bed praying I would throw up. At 2 am, the Lord answered. Hallelujah.

And at 7 am, when I got up to get ready for work, he answered again. I called in sick.

I had to get better, and fast. I was supposed to get up at 6 the next morning and fly to Norfolk, Virginia, to see my new sister-in-law, Kaeli, graduate from law school. Jay and I were traveling with his parents and grandparents.

I went back to bed and stayed there. This was Kaeli's big weekend! I didn't want to bring it down by being sick and taking up all the attention.

So I didn't say anything. I just got on the plane and went to bed as soon as we got to the hotel.

The next morning, we were to sit through the first of two 3-4 hour graduation ceremonies.

I was nauseous. I was grumpy. I went back and forth to the bathroom three times before we left the hotel room. I made Jay pretend he was sick and go get some medi-

cine from his mother so no one would know I still felt awful.

The next morning, another graduation ceremony, more yucky tummy.

It was at this point that I began hypothesizing: why was I so sick in the morning and evening and felt fine all afternoon? Why did I always want Cheez-its and snow cones at random times of the day? Why did I want to die every time I ate?

Oh, no. Oh, heck no! It had to be anything but that!

I pushed that thought aside and just tried to divert as much attention from myself as possible.

That night, we went to dinner at a hole-in-the-wall seafood restaurant way out in the sticks. The entire party of 20 or 30 family and friends were gathered together.

I was seated at the center of the long table with my back to the wall. I had already decided food was not an option. I could barely stomach the fish smell.

Suddenly, I was feeling a little extra green around the gills. I got up and edged my way along the wall to the ladies' room. I thought I was going to toss my cookies all over my new in-laws, but I made it to the restroom area. The ladies' room occupied!

I turned to see my mother-in-law, who had noticed my hasty retreat, and said, "I think I may have an emergency!"



life's lessons
by Carrie Tippen

She shoved me into the men's room put a wet towel on the back of my neck while I yakked all over my own pants.

Jay took me out to the car. I was weeping half because I was mortified and half because I was terrified.

"I hope it's just colon cancer and not something serious," I sobbed into Jay's jacket, "I don't want to be pregnant!" And I sobbed and sobbed some more.

Luckily, one of the dinner guests was a nurse practitioner. She was going to prescribe me some medicine, and Jay's brother would bring it to me at the hotel.

I had just gotten settled down when he arrived with the medicine and a suspicious bag from Walgreen's. "She said she wouldn't feel right about giving you the medicine unless she knew you weren't..."

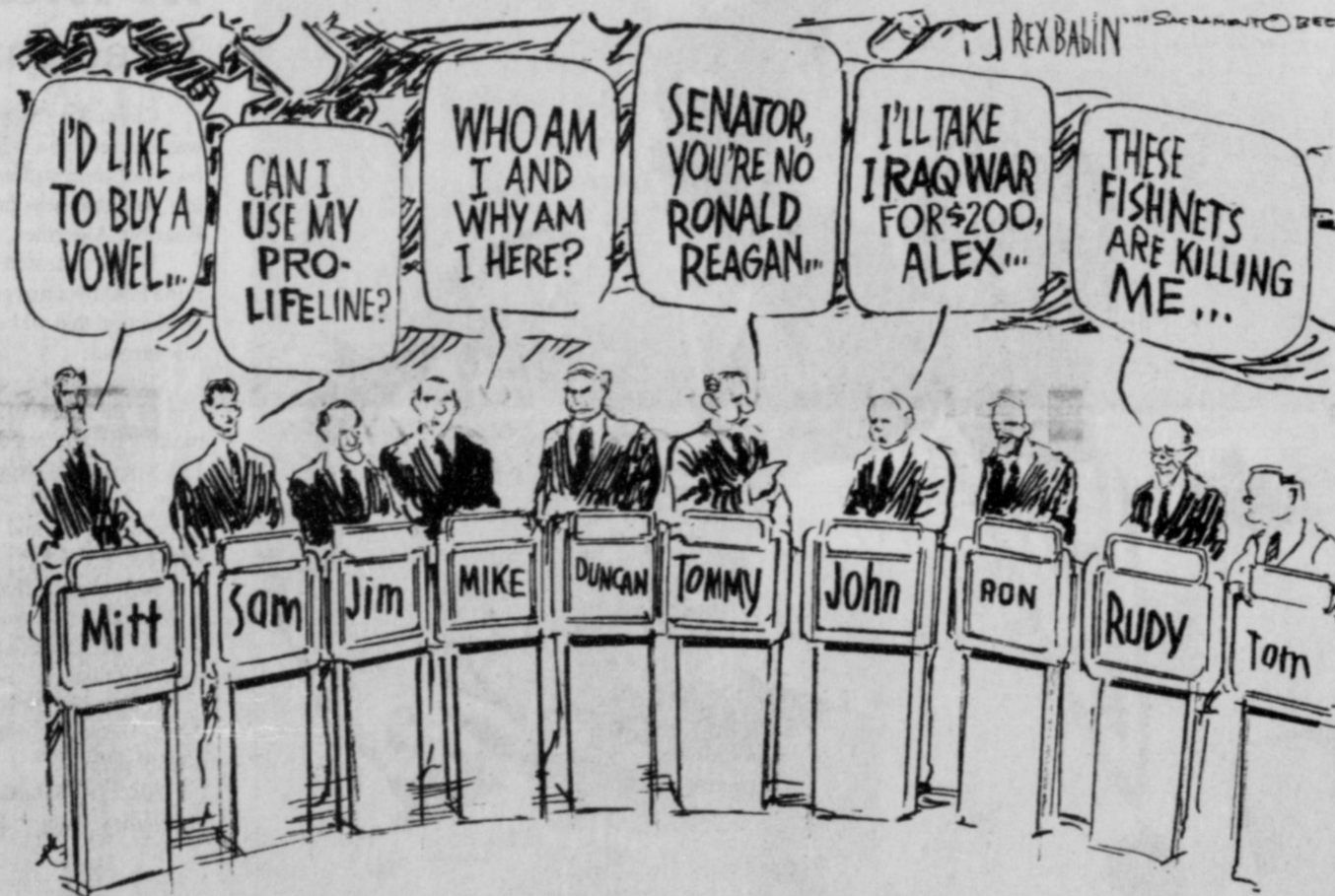
Not only had the entire party seen me blow chunks all over myself, but they went to the drugstore as a family to bring me a pregnancy test.

I was horrified. All I had wanted, all weekend long, was to be inconspicuous. And here it was, all out in the open. Everyone knew I was in there peeing on a stick, and they were all waiting to find out what it said.

The test was negative.

To say that I was relieved would be an understatement of criminal proportions. In a few minutes, Jay's mom called to "find out if I took the medicine," which was code for "Am I going to be a grandmother?"

It took another day or two to shake it off, whatever it was. I've never been so embarrassed in my life.



Gas prices spur need for energy strategy

As the price of gasoline hits an all-time high, many Americans are worrying that they cannot afford a family vacation this summer. Families, individuals, and businesses all feel the pinch at the pump. Some of my colleagues in Congress are eager to blame our nation's energy suppliers, but raising taxes on the profits of energy companies will not lower prices. A comprehensive, long-term and bipartisan solution is needed to ensure a safe and reliable energy supply and reduce our dependence on foreign oil. Our national and economic security depend upon it.

Over 60 percent of our crude oil is imported from foreign countries, and many of those countries are hostile to the interests of the United States. Venezuelan President Hugo Chavez has promised to use his "strong oil card" to "finish off the U.S. empire," even if that means colluding with Iran and other nefarious regimes. Reliable energy is too important to the success of our economy to be tied to the whims of some dictator thousands of miles away. If we truly want to be energy independent, we need to expand domestic production of all energy sources—alternative technologies and renewable energy as well as traditional oil and natural gas. Imposing restrictions on supply while international demand rises leads to higher prices. This is a simple lesson from Economics 101 that is apparently lost on many politicians.

America is blessed with bountiful reserves of oil and gas in areas such as the Alaskan National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR) and Outer Continental Shelf. As the WASHINGTON POST noted, "The nation

needs to be as willing to explore off its own shores for the resources it needs as it is to import them from abroad."

Under a plan issued by the Department of the Interior, potential production in the Gulf of Mexico, Atlantic Ocean, and off the coast of Alaska could equal 20 years worth of what we import from Saudi Arabia or Venezuela.

Unfortunately, political demagoguery has thwarted our attempts at energy independence. If President Clinton had signed a law passed by Congress for energy exploration in ANWR a decade ago, we would now be producing over 1 million additional barrels of domestic oil each day, a 20 percent increase over current levels. With today's advanced technology, we can explore these rich sources of energy using only a small portion of surface land, thereby protecting our environment and wildlife in ANWR. In addition, we must expand our refining capabilities to fully convert these natural resources to usable energy. The American downstream energy industry is working hard in this regard and will add over 1.9 million barrels per day of new refining capacity by the year 2012.

Conservation and new energy technologies are also crucial aspects of an effective and balanced energy plan. Texas is a leading adopter of alternative energy solutions and boasts the nation's high-

est wind power production and the most alternative fuel vehicles on the road.

We are also leading the charge in the development of cellulosic ethanol made from grass and biodiesel made from soy. These crop-based alternatives draw upon renewable resources that are abundant in Texas. As consumers increasingly seek cars with better gas mileage, automakers produce more fuel-efficient products to meet demand. I have introduced legislation in the Senate to amplify the federal government's efforts in alternative energy research and development. The last Congress streamlined the regulatory process to encourage more investment in nuclear power plants, which with better technology are our cleanest and most efficient energy source and produce significantly less waste than ever before.

Our nation's energy policy is stuck in the era of bellbottom pants and platform shoes, and we are long overdue for a change. However, we cannot combat climbing prices without a plan for increased domestic production of traditional oil and gas and alternative resources. Such a plan would also put us in charge of our own economic security, rather than relying on suppliers that seek to harm our country. Congress must act, but not with knee-jerk penalties for the firms that help drive our booming economy. American ingenuity has always solved our toughest problems, and we must put it to work in this arena. Alternative energy sources, conservation, and responsible use of our domestic resources will provide affordable energy for our families and businesses.



capitol comment
by sen. kay bailey hutchison

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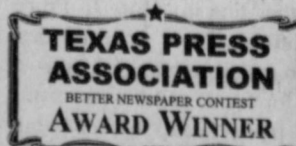
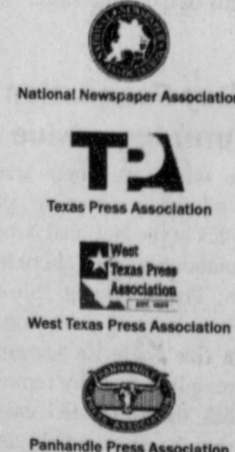
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Aldermen want action on potholes

Potholes in city streets drew the attention of the Clarendon Aldermen during their regular meeting last Tuesday.

Alderman Tommy Hill brought up the issue and presented a list of streets with holes in them and asked what city crews were going to do about it.

City Superintendent Jim Roberts said he plans to use the city's summer help to finish patching on Carhart, Fifth, Fourth, and Sixth streets. He also said city crews would be busy getting ready for a seal coating project later this year and working to lay pipe on waterworks project on the west side of town.

Alderman Bobbie Kidd said previous work on Third Street would "patch a spot, skip a hole, and patch

a spot," and Alderman Janice Knorpp wanted to know if the city was going to wait for summer or start patching right away.

Roberts said the weather would at least have to warm up some, and city leaders made it clear that they wanted potholes fixed.

"Make sure you tell the guys when they're patching to get them all," Mayor Mark White said.

Alderman Knorpp agreed and said she expects better performance across the board.

"I want to see this done in a timely manner, and I want to see an improvement in the use of money, manpower, and hours," she said.

Regarding questions about maintenance of the city's new streets, Mayor White said that work is still

under warranty and that the city will soon be checking all the paving and concrete work for any problems.

In other city business, bids were opened on a step grant project to improve water pressure on the west side of town. The board selected the low bid of Western Industrial Supply in the amount of \$120,375.79 for material, not including pressure valves. The city will provide the labor on the project.

In his Superintendent's Report, Roberts said the county had volunteered to pay half the costs associated with spraying for mosquito larvae at the wastewater treatment plant.

City Secretary Linda Smith reported that Municipal Judge Jimmy Johnson has settled in to his new office on Kearney Street.

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Mon	7	83°	50°	-
Tues	8	74°	53°	.52"
Wed	9	61°	52°	.96"
Thur	10	66°	55°	.16"
Fri	11	73°	52°	-
Sat	12	82°	53°	-
Sun	13	84°	54°	-

Total precipitation this month: 3.82"
Total precipitation to date: 10.98"
Total precipitation in May last year: 2.57"
Total YTD last year: .541"

weekend forecast

Friday, May 18
Partly Cloudy
73°/50°

Saturday, May 19
Isolated T-Storms
76°/54°

Sunday, May 20
Partly Cloudy
78°/55°

Information provided by: Tommie C. Saye
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School after school tutoring program. Jake has also been a member of the Bronco basketball and track teams. He has been a member of the annual staff and is currently serving as the editor.

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He has been named Most Studious and Most Likely to Succeed. Jake has received numerous Honor C's for his academic success at CHS. Jake has also been named Clarendon Young Man of the Year by the Donley County Chamber of Commerce.

Jake Miser will attend Wayland and is undecided on a major.

The Class of 2007 will graduate during commencement exercises on Friday, May 25, 2007, in the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center Auditorium at 8 p.m.

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United Christian Men's Ministries • Methodist Fellowship Hall • 7:00 a.m.

May 21

Donley County Retired School Personnel Association • 6:00 p.m. • Family Life Center

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HHS Graduation

June 1

Saints' Roost Museum Members Appreciation Dinner • 7:00 p.m. • Museum Grounds

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June 16

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June 17

Father's Day

Community Menus

May 21 - 25

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Wed: Lasagna, corn, Waldorf salad, banana pudding, garlic toast

Thu: Chicken fried chicken, creamed potatoes & gravy, green beans, strawberry pretzel salad, red velvet cake, biscuits

Fri: Turkey & dressing, yam patties, fruit salad, pumpkin pie, rolls

Hedley Senior Citizens

Mon: Ham salad, tater tots, lettuce & sliced tomatoes, cantaloupe, lemon muffins, sliced bread

Tue: Fried chicken & gravy, mashed potatoes, peas & carrots, tossed salad, bread pudding, roll

Wed: Meat loaf, macaroni & tomatoes, fried squash, cucumber and onion salad, rice krispy treat, roll

Thu: Steak & gravy, baked potato, steamed broccoli, corn salad, ice cream, roll

Fri: Cheeseburger, tater tots, lettuce, tomato & onion, sliced peaches, bun

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Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk

Thu: Eggs, toast, fruit, milk

Fri: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk

Lunch

Mon: Grilled chicken salad, carrot sticks, crackers, fruit, milk

Tue: Pork roast, corn, salad, fruit, roll, milk

Wed: Salisbury steak or oven fried chicken, potatoes, green beans, fruit, roll, milk

Thu: Sack lunch sandwich, chips, fruit, cookie, milk

Fri: Sack lunch sandwich, chips, fruit, cookie, milk

Hedley CISD

Mon: Hot dogs, pinto beans, pineapple orange salad, tossed salad, chips, milk

Tue: Chicken strips, mashed potatoes, cut green beans, salad & fruit, hot rolls, milk

Wed: Cheese burger, oven fries, lettuce & tomato, apple sauce, pudding, milk

Thu: Deli turkey breast, sliced cheese on a hoagie bun, salad, fries, milk

Fri: Corn dog, waffle fries, baked beans, orange quarters, chocolate chip cookies, milk

'Hats off' program to begin this Saturday

By MaryRuth Peacock

The Walk Across Texas teams are going very well

I hear from the Mileage Makers they have toured Corpus Christi and are heading on south. They walked 222 miles last week. Our other teams are a bit behind but are having a great time. The last place team, Walk-a-holics has been on a slow boat trying to get their walking time in.

It seems that they are having way too much fun to worry about walking. If you get a chance, you might cheer them on, out, or up. Personally, anything would help at this point!

Hat's On Hat's Off program is coming up May 19th. This program is for women over the age of 18. The program will be held at The True Church of God which is on the north side of town. Go past the newspaper office, over the railroad tracks and then turn left, take the first right; and

the church is down the block about midway. Wear your hat and bring your giggle. We will have food, door prizes, a hat contest and lots of laughter. The program is being offered by Donley County Extension, Amarillo Area Breast Health Coalition, and BSA/Harrington Coalition for Health Services. Time is 3:00-5:00 p.m.

The Friends of the Library (Burton Memorial Library in Clarendon) are hosting a photography contest for all youth from kindergarten through senior age. The contest is to be of local area landmarks, such as the museum, wild flowers, windmills, cows, trains, homes, or anything of that nature. Winners will receive a monetary award of the following: First Prize \$50, Second Prize \$35, Third Prize \$25.

Winning photos will become a part of a page of note cards the Friends of the Library, sells for a

fund raiser. Currently the package includes a note card with the court house. The photographers name and the picture location will be added to the back of the note card.

The deadline is June 29. The pictures will be on display through the week of July 4 for the public to vote on their favorite. July 6 the winner will be determined.

Requirements are: No photo larger than 8x10 inches. Prefer regular photo copy 3 1/2 x 5". All photos to be posted on core board or poster board no larger than 11x14. Frames are not required or requested! Winners give up all copyrights to photos

The entry form must be filled out and attached to the back of the picture.

You can get an entry form from the library or Extension office. The entry form must state where the landmark is located (i.e. windmill on RO

ranch.) The entry deadline is June 29 at the Burton Memorial Library.

This contest is open to all Donley County youth. If you have any questions, please contact Jerri Shields at 874-3685 or MaryRuth Peacock at 874-2141.

A new activity for youth this summer is a program called Discover Donley County.

This program will help all ages to discover some of the hidden treasures of Donley County. The object of the activity is to follow the clues given in this weekly column to win a prize.

The key is you may have to get the help of some senior citizens who have lived in the county to help fill in the gaps and figure out the puzzle. First clue will be listed in the May 31 edition of THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE. Have fun and explore Donley County.



Lacey Anderberg (right)

Anderberg receives OBU senior award

SHAWNEE, Okla. - Lacey Anderberg, an elementary education major at Oklahoma Baptist University, recently received the Outstanding Senior in Teacher Education Award.

The Outstanding Senior Awards are given to students who exhibit leadership and involvement at OBU and in the Shawnee community and excellence in scholarship.

Located in Shawnee, Okla., OBU offers 10 bachelor's degrees with 78 fields of study. The Christian liberal arts university has an overall enrollment of more than 1,600, with students from approximately 40 states and 20 other countries. OBU has been rated as one of the top 10 comprehensive colleges in the West by U.S. News and World Report for 15 consecutive years and has been Oklahoma's highest rated comprehensive college in the U.S. News rankings for 13 consecutive years.

United Christian Men will meet this Thursday

The United Christian Men's Ministries will meet Thursday, May 17, 2007, at 7:00 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church. The speaker for the meeting will be Don Stone.

The meeting is open to ladies who would like to come. A delicious breakfast and a great program will be enjoyed by all who attend.

Howardwick Friendship Club to meet Friday

The Howardwick Friendship Club will meet this Friday, May 18, at 6:30 p.m.

Sharyn Morrow will bring special music, and karaoke will follow. Bring friends and covered dish and join us.

Retired school personnel to meet next Monday

The Donley County Retired School Personnel Association will meet a week early due to Memorial weekend. We will meet Monday, May 21, 2007, at 6:00 p.m. at the Family Life Center of the Clarendon Church of Christ.

During this meeting there will be installation of officers for 2007-2008. The new year will begin in July. Our dues for the new year need to be paid at our May meeting, so please be prepared to pay them at that time. The amount is \$36; state, \$25; local, \$10; district, \$1.

Come and bring a snack and enjoy the fellowship and new information that will be given.

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Thank goodness for weather watchers who keep us safe

Two weather related articles in the AMARILLO GLOBE-NEWS caught my eye this week.

The first stated the National Weather Service forecast office in Amarillo received the United States Department of Commerce's Bronze Medal on May 11. The office was recognized for services that supported the protection of life and property during the 2006 wildfires in the Texas Panhandle.

The second was a May 9 article by Jon Mark Beilue, recalling the tornado that hit Amarillo May 15, 1949. In 1949 there were no sirens, no radar on TV, no trained weather watchers and many lives were lost. This year Clovis, New Mexico; Tulia and Cactus; and Greensburg, Kan., have been hit in our area; and because of the National Weather Service and the training they give, the fatalities have been low.

During severe storms, turn your TV to any local channel and you will see Doppler Dave, John Harris, Steve Kersh, or one of the other weather men following those storms and warning everyone in the path. Listen to your scanner and hear the local storm watchers report. I wonder how many lives have been saved this storm season? We should all thank the weather watchers - from the ones sitting at the radar screen to the ones

in the field watching the sky.

Our brag list is growing with Derrick Maynard, grandson of Marilyn Nichols of Howardwick, who graduates from Dumas High School May 25. He is the son of Charlotte Miller and Doyle Maynard.

Jo Ann and Don Knutson had reason to brag May 11 as they watched four members of their family graduate from Amarillo College. Daughter Lynn received her degree in Nuclear Medicine, granddaughter Charise became a registered nurse, grandson Courey got a degree in radiology, and grandson Josh got one in aviation technology. Wow, what a night! Congratulations to these graduates and best wishes.

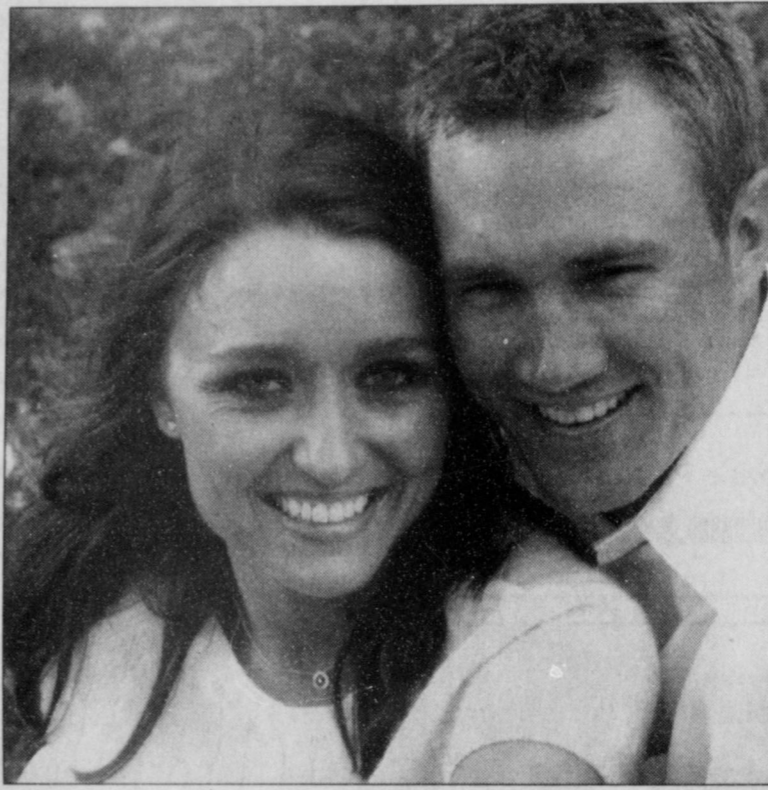
Edwin Bills begins his treatments this week. Please remember him in your prayers.

The Friendship Club meets Friday night at 6:30 at City Hall. Bring your favorite food and an appetite and enjoy your neighbors.

Beautification Club meets Monday, May 21, at noon.



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Ashley Beal and Carey Thornberry

Thornberry, Beal to exchange vows

Steven and Teresa Beal of Brownwood are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Ashley Nicole Beal, to Carey Thornberry. Thornberry is the son of Sandy and Bobbie Thornberry of Clarendon.

The bride-elect is a 2001 graduate of Midland Christian High School. She is currently employed as an optician for Doctors Comolli and

Ethridge in Brownwood.

The groom-elect is a 2000 graduate of Clarendon High School. He attended Texas Tech University where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Animal Science. He is currently employed by Waldrop Construction Company in Brownwood.

The couple plan to wed October 6, 2007, at Rough Creek Lodge and Resort in Glen Rose.

Burton collection boasts Texas biographies

Was she amazing? You decide.

In Burton Memorial Library's May Owen. MD. author Ted Stafford depicts the character of a woman whose goal perseverance, against many obstacles, led her to become one of Texas' outstanding medical doctors. During a six-decade career, she experienced progress from simple folk remedies to highest technology.

May was born to immigrant parents in Falls County, Texas, in 1891. Her family farm duties began at age 2 when she gathered cook-stove wood. She loved and experienced almost every phase of farm life. She could break a wild horse faster than her brothers. Her mother died before May started school, leaving more responsibility to eight children.

From the time May entered first grade, her greatest joy was learning and reading. Her family could not understand her intrigue for reading. The only book in the house was the Bible, seldom used except on special occasions.

While still a young girl, she

read from Genesis to Revelations several times. A teacher or neighbor occasionally loaned her a book. The County Vet furnished veterinary journals.

At age nine, May announced her desire to become a doctor at a time when women doctors were practically unheard of. Her father appreciated everything the country school offered, but he never encouraged high school. He considered her dream of Medical School ridiculous and outrageous.

After arrangements were made by her oldest brother, May, age 21, entered Texas Christian University in Fort Worth to receive her high school diploma. During the first fall at TCU, she traveled home on weekends to help with crop harvesting. Returning to school on Monday mornings, her desire for more education never faltered.

Dr. Truman C. Terrell became a dynamic factor in May's life, assuring her of college completion, offering opportunity of work in his

professional medical lab, and suggesting Medical School after graduation.

May received many medical school rejections before she was finally accepted to Louisville Medical School. Assuming there would be other women students, she was surprised to find she was the only one. The male students, curious about a woman from Texas with medical aspirations, were not too pleased about her attendance there. None spoke to her after the first session. Readers will be amused at the circumstances in which they accepted May and would, later, admire her as an equal.

After valuable experience at Mayo clinic, New York's Bellevue, and Scott and White Hospitals, May returned to her beloved Texas, confident that she could deal with any

situation in her specialty.

First Texas Medical Association Woman President and Texas Women's Hall of Fame induction are only two of May's distinguished honors.

Her life was one of humility, modesty, determination, and generosity. Humble and modest because of her accomplishments. Determination showed through her love and devotion to Medical research to benefit others.

Generosity was evident in her physical and financial aid willingly given to students. Almost 500 current doctors began their profession through Dr. Owens's personal efforts. The May Owen Irrevocable Trust for student loans, which began decades ago, is still active.

The exceptional lady Texas maintained alertness, working until the day before she died in 1988, three weeks before her 97th birthday.

Owen's entertaining and fascinating biography is located in Burton's Texas Collection. Why not check it out?



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Howard heading for duty in Iraq

Clarendon's doctor has been called up for active duty in Iraq, but the local clinic will remain open in his absence.

Dr. John Howard, who is a Commander in the Naval Reserve, said he received his orders last Thursday that he was being activated for service in Iraq.

"It takes 121 days to mobilize a sailor out of the reserves," Howard said, "so I had been hearing that this was coming."

Howard will leave June 11 for Camp Lejeune in North Carolina for processing and will then go to Marine Air Corps Station Miramar in California before departing for Iraq

in late August or early September with a squadron of Marines.

"I will be stationed at the Al Asad Airbase, which is west of Baghdad," he said.

Howard said he will likely be flying medevac missions and working with an aviation clinic while in Iraq.

His orders call for a six-month stay in Iraq, and he anticipates getting to come home in March of next year although his orders do include an option for an additional 24 months of service.

While Howard is away, the Clarendon Family Medical Center will continue to provide health

services to the people of Donley County.

P.A. David Dickinson will still be seeing patients, and he will be joined in the near future by a second and possibly a third physician's assistant. Dr. Mike Henderson will supervise the clinic from his office in Childress, but he will not be coming to Clarendon.

"He's got a busy practice, and it was very nice of him to do this for us," Howard said. "We're very fortunate to live in an area where people are willing to pitch in."

Howard's family will continue to live in Clarendon, and his wife, Lori, will continue to work at the clinic.



the lion's tale
by roger estlack

The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting May 15, with Boss Lion Pro Tem Richard Sheppard in charge. We had 14 members this week.

Election of officers was held with the following slate: Boss Lion Richard Sheppard, First Vice President Cameron Word, Second Vice President Chuck Robertson, Third Vice President David Smith, Secretary Russell Estlack, Treasurer Roger Estlack, Lion Tamer Bobbie Thornberry, and Tail Twister Jerry Woodard. Officers will be installed in July.

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Obituaries

Pepin

Services for Margaret Ann Pepin, age 55, were held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, May 14, 2007, in the First Methodist Church in Claude with Rev. Janet Edwards, Pastor, and Mel Brunson, Elder at Amarillo South, officiating. Services were under the arrangement of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc. of Clarendon.

Mrs. Pepin died Friday, May 11, 2007, in Amarillo. She was born October 15, 1951, in Wichita Falls to James William and Dorothy Nell Leatherwood Endicott. She married Joseph Pepin on April 6, 1990, at Ft. Worth. She had worked several jobs throughout her life, but enjoyed being a nanny the most.

After the death of her husband in 2003, Mrs. Pepin moved to Claude and was involved with the Women's Bible Study and the Widowed Club at the Methodist Church. She was a life time member of the Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post #1475, she loved crafting, and was a loving, caring person who will be greatly missed. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Claude.

Mrs. Pepin was preceded in death by both her parents; and her husband Joseph Pepin in 2003.

Survivors include a son, DeWayne Houston of Hawaii; a sister, Gayla Fletcher and husband Phil of Claude; two sisters-in-law, Dora and Audrey; and several nieces and nephews.

The family requests that memorials be to the First United Methodist Church in Claude or BSA Hospice.

Hill

Services for Gwen Hill were held Tuesday, May 15, 2007, at 10:30 a.m. in the First Baptist Church in Clarendon with Keith Martin and Kerry Wood, officiating.

Burial was in Citizens Cemetery. Arrangements were by Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Mrs. Hill, 81, died Friday, May 11, 2007, in Amarillo.

Mrs. Hill was born September 26, 1925, in Childress County, Texas, to J.H. and Maggie Wills Martin. She married Orin Lee Hill on June 27, 1944, at Carlsbad, California. She had been a resident of Clarendon and Donley County since 1946. She was an LVN for the Adair Hospital, Medical Center Nursing Home, and other home health agencies before her retirement. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Clarendon.

She is preceded in death by her husband on March 7, 2007, and her parents.

Survivors include two daughters, Karen Lewis of Amarillo and Donna Butler of Canyon; one foster daughter, DeAnn Wilson of Canyon; one brother, Wayne Martin and wife Patsy of Wellington; one sister, Billie Wood and husband W.H. of Childress; seven grandchildren; and 13 great grandchildren.

The family requests memorials to the Shriner's Hospital or the

First Baptist Church of Clarendon. Sign the online guest book at www.RoberstonFuneral.com.

Thompson

Richard Lynn Thompson, 44, left this earth to find eternal peace on Tuesday, May 8, 2007. The joyful arms of his grandfathers, Day Thompson, W.H. Browning, along with his step-daughter, Kristine Sherwood, awaited his arrival in the everlasting Kingdom.

Those who remain on this earth who are mourning his passing and celebrating his life are his devoted wife, Debbie Thompson; and his parents, Marvin and Sue Thompson. He is also survived by his blessed daughter, Katherine Morrow and her husband, Jason; and stepdaughter, Natalie Stone. His brother, Brad Thompson and his wife, Karen and children, Justin and Hali; along with his sister, Susan Keeley and husband, Jerry and daughters, Krista and Kali, are also here to remember the life of their cherished brother. Other family members include grandmothers, Mable Thompson and Naveta Browning; aunts and uncles, Patty, Tippy, Bill, Susan and Linda Browning along with Jerry Thompson, Rodger, Pat, John, Amy and Matthew LeMasters are also present to celebrate the life of Lynn. He is also survived by his cherished grandchildren, Shylee Morrow and Erik Stone.

Lynn was born May 18, 1962, and lived his life fully, as he attended Clarendon High School in Texas and graduated from Tulsa University School of Law in 1989. Lynn was a partner in the Law Firm Harris, McMahon, Peters, Thompson and Stall. He was a member of the Tulsa Bar Association, the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, as well as the First Christian Church Langley, Cherokee Yacht Club, Golf Club of Ok and The Coves- Grand Lake.

Lynn always demonstrated a fighting spirit, whether trying to beat his friends and family on the golf course or cheering Texas Tech on to victory. His positive spirit was evident in his law career, and most notably in the biggest battle of his life, his fight against the cancer, that finally claimed his body. Throughout all his trials, whether in a courtroom or in a hospital room, Lynn's unwavering spirit and faith served him well. Lynn always understood that the time we have on this earth is short and each moment is precious. He exemplified this by his zest for life and his love of family and friends. Ours is the sad fate. We must go on without his energy and spirit in the flesh, however I know he would want us to laugh, smile and breathe deeply the joys of this life. Take comfort, my friends and family, that he is still here. You will hear him in a song, see him in each other, and love him always until you meet again.

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My colleagues in Childress, Dr. Mike Henderson and physicians at the Fox Clinic, have graciously offered to supervise our providers in my absence. They will not be coming to Clarendon but will be available for consultation as the need arises.

My family will continue to reside in Clarendon (although Jessi will be off to college). Austin will be a senior at CHS, and Lori will continue to work at the clinic. Clarendon accepted us with open arms eight years ago, and Clarendon is our home. I cannot think of any place I'd rather they be while I'm overseas. I should be back after the first of the year.

I will keep all of you in my daily thoughts and my prayers. I promise to return home before long.

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Sell, Gordon bring home medals from state meet

By Sandy Anderberg

The first time he did it was a year ago, and it was no fluke. This year it was the same story, but a different height. Senior pole-vaulter Brad Sell not only took the gold medal once again at the State Track Meet, he bettered his old height by a foot and set a new school record.

He bested his nearest competitor by a miss after what turned out to be a battle to the finish line. Sell cleared 15'3", which is also his personal best, on his second attempt of three, and the silver medalist cleared it on his third jump giving Sell the advantage. Both vaulters missed at 15'6".

"He was really pushed by the jumper from Baird," coach Johnny Nino said. "It was really exciting to watch the competition. Brad never lost his focus throughout the competition, nor did he panic when the competitor from Baird passed on 14'6" after missing twice and then cleared 14'9" on his first and only attempt at that height."

Sell cleared 14'9" and then cleared 15'0" on his first attempt before clearing 15'3" on his second attempt, according to Nino. Sell has completed his high school career with that win and is completely deserving of the gold medal.

Fellow senior David Gordon participated in the state meet in the high jump and performed extremely well, bringing home the bronze medal. He captured the bronze medal by jumping a personal best at 6'6".

"I was very proud of David and the way he went there and competed," Nino said. "He injured a hamstring early in the track season and struggled with it most of the season. He kept jumping and working hard in spite of his injury. He was determined to get back to Austin and medal. What he accomplished was because of his determination and work habits. He really worked hard for his medal and is very deserving of it."

Nino pointed out what true champions both young men are.

"The thing about both Brad and David is that they are winners," Nino said.

"They believe in themselves and their abilities so much that losing never enters their minds. They also have both worked too hard to expect anything else. The fact that both of them went higher than they have ever been shows their competitiveness. I just wish they weren't seniors. I will miss both of them next year."

And so will we.



David Gordon at the state track meet.

Photo courtesy Melody Hysinger



Brad Sell at the state track meet.

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Sell receives Christian athlete honor

By Sandy Anderberg

CHS senior Brad Sell earned Second Team All-American recognition as one of the top high school Christian student athletes in America.

Nominations were accepted from over 20,000 high schools nationwide, and approximately 2,000 applications were received. Athletes were selected for their academic accomplishments, athletic achievements, and Christian character to represent some of the brightest and most accomplished high school student athletes in the nation.

The SportsQuest All-American program, now in its eleventh year, was created to reward and encourage high school student athletes who are impacting their schools, communities, and generation in a powerful way.

"We want to congratulate Brad on being selected to represent his school, city, state, and country as one of the finest Christian student athletes in America," said Kent Susud, SportQuest Founder and President.

"Brad is a student athlete who is truly making a difference and should be recognized not just because he makes good grades or because he is a star athlete but for a greater reason; because Brad made a commitment to serve others and live a life of character and integrity based upon his personal relationship with Jesus Christ."

Brad will receive numerous benefits, which include an exclusive student/athlete profile that is made available to over 1,500 colleges and universities throughout the United States, a certificate of achievement, and an invitation to travel with a SportQuest summer team.

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New Deal stops Broncos at Area, 10-9

By Sandy Anderberg

Only two runs separated the Broncos from earning the Area Championship and the right to continue in post-season play. This time the New Deal Lions earned the right to extend their play off run by defeating the Broncos 10-9 in Canyon Saturday, May 12.

The Broncos gave their all in the one-point loss, but too many turnovers spelled disaster for them as they were down 1-9 after four innings.

"We started out slow and finished strong," coach Brad Elam said. "I thought we played the number 10 team in the state tough and had them on the ropes. We needed to make a couple of big plays throughout to get the win."

Austin Howard was on the mound and, according to Elam, pitched a good first four innings; but he wasn't helped out by the defense.

"We are normally a good fielding team," Elam said. "But we had some trouble fielding and made 11 errors that probably cost us the game."

Elam felt the momentum shift

when Alton Gaines threw out a runner at the plate, and they turned a double play in the middle of the game.

"Devin Noble came in and gave up only one hit the last three innings," Elam said. "Offensively, we scored eight runs in the fifth and sixth innings to tie the score. David Gordon tripled, and then Dalton Askew drove him in in the fifth inning."

The sixth inning was a good one for the Broncos when Devin Noble singled, LaDez Captain walked, and Alton Gaines singled to load the bases. Jon McGlaun walked to score a run, Trevor Leeper singled in a run, and then Gordon singled to center field.

"The centerfielder misplaced the ball, and it rolled all the way to the fence to score four runs," Elam said.

But it wasn't enough for the Broncos to gain the lead and the win. Despite the loss, the Broncos played hard and fought until the end.

"The kids played hard and never gave up," Elam said. "We made it a game the last couple of innings but couldn't pull it off."



Nathan Gribble and David Gordon celebrate for a moment during the excitement of the Area championship game last week.
Enterprise Photo / Kari Lindsay

Drugs in the News

Less Heart Attack Deaths with Better Drugs and Procedures

According to the results of a recent study reported in the *Journal of the American Medical Association*, the death rate and incidence of heart failure in persons hospitalized due to a heart attack has declined. Over a period of six years, researchers noted that the percent of persons who died in the hospital or developed heart failure was cut in half. In 2005 there was a 4.6 percent death rate among heart attack patients in the hospital compared to a 8.4 percent death rate in 1999. Those connected with the study indicate that these results can be attributed to better drugs and treatment procedures at hospitals.

Drugs for heart conditions cited by researchers as being responsible for the reversed trend in heart attack related deaths and heart failure include aspirin, blood thinners, beta blockers, ACE inhibitors, and statin type cholesterol-lowering drugs. The procedure cited is angioplasty, the opening of clogged heart arteries. The *American College of Cardiology* recommends that heart attack patients receive angioplasty within 90 minutes of entering the hospital.

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Five Broncos make All-District team

By Sandy Anderberg

Five Broncos have been named to the 2007 All-District baseball team.

Pitcher Austin Howard, catcher Dalton Askew, infielder Trevor Leeper, and outfielders David Gordon and Clint Watson represented CHS on the team that was voted on by participating coaches.

Watson and Gordon are seniors, and the other three are juniors.

Senior pitcher Colt Molloy from Memphis was named the Most Valuable Player for District 8-1A. Rounding out the team were Tate Baumgardner, Wellington; Joe Don Shipp and Eduardo Cruz, Memphis; Zach Wynn and Justin Hernandez, Follett; Justin Smithson, Booker; and Tim Reeves, Shamrock.

Sophomores Devin Noble and Alton Gaines and senior Jon McGlaun were named to the second team All-District.

Congratulations to all those named to District teams.

Santos wins weekly men's game at CCC

By Sandy Anderberg

Mike Santos shot a scratch 68 to tie for the top spot in the weekly men's game at the Clarendon Country Club last Wednesday.

R.O. Johnson split first place with Santos, with his net score of 68. Bobby Dodson and Ellis Knight tied for third with a 71. The team of Redell Johnston, Jennifer Clark, Steve Paschal, S.J. Johnson, and Wanda Nazworth finished first in the Friday night nine-hole scramble at five under par. Three other teams came in at two under par.

There will be an 18-hole scramble Monday, May 27, beginning at 2:00 p.m. The swimming pool will also be opening on Memorial Day, and the CCC is offering swimming memberships for the summer months.

Free green fees are being offered each Friday with the paid price of a cart, and the nine-hole scramble will begin each Friday night at 6:00 p.m. The dining room will be open each Friday night and Sunday at noon.

For more information on all the happenings at the CCC, you may call 874-2166.

Bronco Baseball & Lady Bronco Softball

Congratulations on a Great Season, Broncos

Lady Broncos		Broncos	
2 Jessi Howard	Sr.	1 Devin Noble	Soph.
3 Jenci White	Soph.	2 Alton Gaines	Soph.
4 Erin Holland	Jr.	3 Nathan Gribble	Soph.
5 Abby Patten	Jr.	6 Trevor Leeper	Jr.
6 Erica Depew	Sr.	7 David Gordon	Sr.
7 Abbie Massingill	Soph.	8 Aaron Gordon	Soph.
8 Macy Shadle	Soph.	10 Austin Howard	Jr.
9 Brandi Mays	Fr.	12 Dalton Askew	Jr.
10 Zan Burks	Jr.	13 Stephen Fowler	Jr.
12 Janae White	Soph.	14 Jon McGlaun	Sr.
15 Niki Roberts	Soph.	17 LaDez Captain	Sr.
16 Sarah Scrivner	Sr.	25 Clint Watson	Sr.
23 Sade Cobb	Jr.		
24 Jill Cornell	Jr.		
25 Dominique Mason	Fr.		
33 Caitlyn Christopher	Fr.		
44 Elissa Holland	Fr.		

Ad/Head Coach: Gary Jack
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Sheriff's Report: Five arrested on marijuana charges

May 7, 2007
 12:01 a.m. - 600 Blk E Wood St., suspicious activity, poss. gun shot.
 11:04 a.m. - Clarendon High School.
 12:35 p.m. - 100 Blk N Gorst, trespass.
 8:36 p.m. - See caller 300 Blk E 3rd St.
 10:18 p.m. - EMS assist 700 Blk W 8th St.

May 8, 2007
 7:00 a.m. - Loose livestock FM 1754 Lelia Lake.
 10:53 a.m. - 500 Blk W 4th St. Welfare check.
 11:23 a.m. - En route to Amarillo.
 2:20 p.m. - 500 Blk S Bond St., caller reporting gun shots.
 2:37 p.m. - At College
 4:35 p.m. - Hwy 70 N Single vehicle rollover.
 9:12 p.m. - See complainant 200 Blk S Parks

May 9, 2007
 4:56 p.m. - 700 Blk S Goodnight, serve legal papers negative contact.
 10:16 p.m. - 700 Blk W 2nd St., business alarm.

May 10, 2007
 12:04 a.m. - At College dorms.
 1:30 a.m. - Dispatched College parking lot, caller reports smelling marijuana.
 1:50 a.m. - To jail 2 males in custody, poss. marijuana, < 2 oz.
 3:38 a.m. - To jail 2 males in custody, poss. marijuana < 2 oz.
 3:46 a.m. - To jail 1 male in custody, poss. marijuana < 2 oz.
 8:50 a.m. - At elementary school. Identification kits done on students head start through 5th grade.
 12:25 p.m. - EMS assist 800 Blk Ellerbee.
 4:52 p.m. - EMS assist 900 Blk W 6th St.
 5:22 p.m. - En route to Hall County; poss. abduction from Donley County.
 5:28 p.m. - Stop BNSF w/b train, poss. abduction from Donley County.
 5:39 p.m. - Co. Rd 31 N Side of tracks.
 5:53 p.m. - To jail 1 female in custody, driving under the influence.
 6:05 p.m. - Back to Hedley
 7:00 p.m. - No abduction, 2 juvenile

male runaways from Hall County.
 10:18 p.m. - Check stranded motorist Hwy 70 S. 3 miles.
 11:04 p.m. - See caller 600 Blk W 5th St.
 11:13 p.m. - See complainant Vaughn Hall Clarendon College.


May 11, 2007
 4:02 p.m. - 4400 Blk FM 2162; family dispute.
 4:50 p.m. - See manager 700 Blk W 2nd St.
 6:36 p.m. - Hwy 287 mp 170; assist DPS field sobriety test.
 6:57 p.m. - Dispatched to Sheriff's Office.
 8:47 p.m. - N. Sully poss. assault poss. weapon.
 11:43 p.m. - FM 2471 disturbance, loud music.

May 12, 2007
 12:34 p.m. - See complainant Sheriff's Office lobby.
 8:49 p.m. - EMS assist Swanson St. Howardwick.
 10:06 p.m. - EMS assist College Rodeo Arena.
 11:01 p.m. - To jail 1 male in custody; DWI/Fail to stop and provide

information/fail to stop and render aid.

May 13, 2007
 12:44 a.m. - Sandy Beach Greenbelt Lake; vehicle stuck; dispatch wrecker; DPS trans. Sub to jail DWI
 1:32 a.m. - W 5th St. disturbance; dog barking.
 1:54 a.m. - To jail 1 male in custody, DWI
 2:28 a.m. - Back to barking dog W 5th St.
 4:21 a.m. - Disturbance 300 Blk Gorst; poss. fight in progress.
 7:29 a.m. - Welfare check 100 Blk Stephen Dr. Howardwick.
 8:24 a.m. - EMS assist 500 Blk W 4th St.
 1:09 p.m. - At res. S Mclelland St.
 1:32 p.m. - See complainant 500 Blk W Cottage St., poss. assault.
 2:59 p.m. - Rosenfield at Kearney St., family dispute.
 9:41 p.m. - Single vehicle rollover Hwy 287 E of Hedley

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Wind farms to be topic of meeting

PAMPA - Landowners and Ag Producers from across the state are making it their businesses to learn more about the development and benefits of wind farm leases. On Thursday, May 31, at 10 a.m., the North Rolling Plains Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) and First Ag Credit, will co-host a meeting in Pampa at the Pampa Chamber of Commerce Building, 200 North Ballard Street (Intersection of Kinsmill and Ballard Streets).

Anyone interested in wind energy is encouraged to attend the meeting. Presenters will provide information about the environmental, ecologic, economic impacts, and other general concerns for wind energy utilization.

The primary purpose of the meeting is to discuss items landowners and ag producers should consider when leasing their land for wind farm development.

Rod Wetsel and Frank Horak, authors of a booklet titled "Wind Facts: A Landowners Guide", will give an overview of current wind farm development and discuss what landowners should look for in leases.

John Crowell, North Rolling Plains RC&D coordinator said, "From a USDA standpoint, one of the questions we have been asked many times is, 'How will a wind farm development of my land affect my CRP, my Conservation Plan, or my Farm Program Payments?' NRCS and Farm Service Agency (FSA) representatives will be on hand to answer questions on how the development of a wind farm would impact USDA Farm Bill Program participants for conservation planning and technical assistance needs.

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- *the inclusion of your property on the appraisal roll;
- *qualification for an agricultural or timber appraisal;
- *which local governments should be taxing your property;
- *the change of use of land receiving special appraisal;
- *the unequal appraisal of your property;
- *exemptions that may apply to you;
- *the taxable status of your property;
- *the ownership of property;
- *any action taken by the appraisal district that applies to and adversely affects you.

Your Appraisal District staff urges you to review the value records of your property at any time prior to the day of the Appraisal Review Board Hearings tentatively set for July 13, 2007, at the Donley County Appraisal District office. Some protests result from errors or misconceptions which we are pleased to correct.

REVIEW BY THE APPRAISAL REVIEW BOARD: If you can't resolve your problem informally with the county appraisal district (CAD) staff, you may have your case heard by the appraisal review board.

The appraisal review board (ARB) is an independent board of citizens that reviews problems with appraisals and other concerns listed above. It has the power to order the appraisal district to make the necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing (called a notice of protest) before the deadline, the ARB will set your case for a hearing. You'll receive written notification of the time, date, and place of the hearing. Prior to your hearing, you may ask to review the evidence the CAD will use to uphold their determination. The CAD may ask you for a copy of the evidence you plan to present. The hearing will be informal. You and the appraisal district representative will be asked to present evidence about your case. The ARB will make its decision based on the evidence presented. The CAD has the burden of establishing the property's value by a preponderance of the evidence presented. You can get a copy of a protest form from the appraisal district office at 307 S. Sully or P O Box 1220, Clarendon 79226; phone 806-874-2744.

Note: You shouldn't try to contact ARB members outside of the hearing. The law requires ARB members to sign an affidavit saying that they haven't talked about your case before the ARB hears it.

REVIEW BY THE DISTRICT COURT OR AN ARBITRATOR: After it decides your case, the ARB must send you a copy of its order by certified mail. If you're not satisfied with the decision, you have the right to appeal. If you choose to go to court, you must start the process by filing a petition within 45 days of the date you receive the ARB's order. As an alternative and within the same time period, you may file a request for binding arbitration with the county appraisal district in certain cases.

TAX PAYMENT: You must pay either the amount of taxes due on the portion of the taxable value not in dispute or the amount of taxes due on the property under the order from which the appeal is taken.

MORE INFORMATION: You can get more information by contacting your appraisal district at 307 S. Sully or P O Box 1220, Clarendon 79226; phone 806-874-2744. You can also get a pamphlet describing how to prepare a protest from the appraisal district or from the State Comptroller's Property Tax Division at P O Box 13528, Austin, TX 78711-3528.

DEADLINE FOR FILING PROTESTS WITH THE ARB*

USUAL DEADLINE: On or before May 31 (or 30 days after a notice of appraised value was mailed to you, whichever is later). Late protests are allowed if you miss the usual deadline for good cause. Good cause is some reason beyond your control, like a medical emergency. The ARB decides whether you have good cause. Late protests are due the day before the appraisal review board approves records for the year. Contact your appraisal district for more information.

SPECIAL DEADLINES: For change of use (the appraisal district informed you that you are losing agricultural appraisal because you changed the use of your land), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of determination was mailed to you.

For ARB changes (the ARB has informed you of a change that increases your tax liability and the change didn't result from a protest you filed), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of the determination was mailed to you.

If you believe the appraisal district or ARB should have sent you a notice and did not, you may file a protest until the day before taxes become delinquent (usually Feb. 1). The ARB decides whether it will hear your case based on evidence about whether a required notice was mailed to you.

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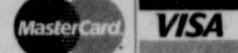
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NO. CPR-07-02927
IN THE ESTATE OF ORIN LEE HILL, DECEASED
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF DONLEY COUNTY, TEXAS
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ORIN LEE HILL, Deceased, were issued on May 9, 2007, in Cause No. CPR-07-02927, pending in the County Court of Donley County, Texas, to: KAREN MARIE LEWIS. All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

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CITY OF CLARENDON
TEXAS CAPITAL FUND PROGRAM
The City of Clarendon will hold a public hearing at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 22, 2007, at City Hall, in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Agriculture for the Texas Capital Fund Downtown Revitalization Program grant. The purpose of this meeting is to allow citizens an opportunity to discuss the citizen's participation plan, the development of local housing and community development needs, the amount of TCF funding available, all eligible TCF activities, and the use of past TCF funds. The City encourages citizens to participate in the development of this TCF downtown Revitalization application and to make their views and proposals to Linda Smith, City Secretary at the City Hall. Persons with disabilities that wish to attend this meeting should contact City Hall to arrange for assistance. Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact City Hall at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

BUDGET HEARING
The City of Hedley will hold a public hearing to consider the proposed budget for the 2007-2008 fiscal year at 7:00 p.m., June 7, 2007, in the Hedley City hall, 109 Main Street.

LOST

DOG LOST IN HOWARDWICK AREA on Sunday, April 29. Black and white English Setter. Goes by Charley. Call Johnny Floyd at 874-1583 or 874-2755. 21-ctc

PERSONALS

IF YOU KNEW Lon or Mattie Cornelius or Cleo Hall, please contact Cleo Hendrix. 4407 52nd St, Lubbock, (806) 795-5620. 22-1mc

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HEDLEY
3 BR - 2 BATH WITH DEN ON 4 LOTS - 20 X 55 covered and enclosed deck with pond and bar. Oversized double carport & workshop. NEW plumbing, three year old metal roof. Furnished. A real steal at \$32,500.
HOUSE & ONE-HALF CITY BLOCK - 2 bedroom, 1 bath - living - dining - kitchen - utility - new plumbing & new water lines - lots of room for garden or orchard yet located near school & post office - @ 301 Blair St. for \$57,500. REDUCED TO \$30,000.
NICE STUCCO IN GOOD NEIGHBORHOOD - 1362 sq. ft. - 3 bedrooms - 2 bath - modern kitchen with built-ins - dining - living - utility - attached 2 car garage with opener - storage building - front yards enclosed with chain link fence - all appliances and tools go with property @ 403 Johnson St. for \$35,000.

HOWARDWICK
4 BEDROOM - 2 BATH - only 7 years old - central heat & ref. air - in excellent condition, and includes - 3 decks - attached concrete cellar - 36 x 14 x 12 RV port - large storage barn & shop - 50 x 30 insulated metal barn - well, plus Red River water - certified septic system - lots of concrete - all on 2 acres in Carrol Creek Acres and move-in ready for only \$98,500. REDUCED TO \$95,000.
MOBILE HOME & 3 LOTS - 3 bedrooms - 2 baths - nice den and kitchen - metal roof - 2 car port - 2 storage buildings on 3 lots near Carrol Creek @ 270 Walleys St. in Howardwick for \$24,000. REDUCED TO \$18,000.
SUMMER HOME OR FULL TIME RESIDENCE - 1540 sq. ft. - 2 br - 2 bath - living/den with wood burner fireplace - country kitchen with nice cabinets, counter tops, breakfast bar & dining area - concrete cellar with inside entry - utility - sun room - screened & covered patio - large garage/shop - attached car port on 2 lots with lots of large trees @ 71 Grouper for \$59,900.
NEAR LAKE ON WEST SIDE - 2 br - 1 bath - kitchen (includes appliances) - living/den - sunroom - closed in porch - free standing fire place - window coolers - workshop - storage bldg - car port - most furniture goes with place @ Leased Lot #127 for \$25,000. REDUCED TO \$20,000.

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LAKE GREENBELT
• 328 Angel St. - 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, basement, storage building with carport attached. \$43,000. \$38,000. \$35,000.
• 125 Lubbock Ln. 2 bed, 2 bath mobile home. New carport, C/H. Partially furnished, storage buildings-full of equipment. Fenced. \$18,000. \$14,000.
• Lots 11-13 - 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, CH/A, 3 levels, 2 car garage. \$85,000.

COUNTRY PROPERTIES
• 28 miles south of Clarendon, 773 acs. + or - , 3 - 1000 lb. feeders, 3 enclosed, elevated blinds, 1 - 55 gallon feeder. Nice travel trailer (10,000 cost.), one windmill. Borders river approx. 1 mile. Mule, whitetail, deer, hogs, turkeys, few quail. \$660 per ac.
• 35 acs. Northeast of Hedley. 1 well, 1 bedroom house, 2 open barns, 1 trailer house. Bluestem grass, Hwy frontage.
• 100 acs. North of Hedley. 2 wells, cross fenced. Love grass, Hwy frontage. Trailer house.
• Donley County- 200 acs. 1 well, 2 dirt tanks (fish), deer & quail, some new fence.

LEGAL NOTICES

HEDLEY ISD SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM
The Hedley ISD announces the sponsorship of the Summer Food Service Program. Meals will be provided at the Hedley School cafeteria for ALL children ages 18 years and younger. The meals will be served Monday through Friday for June 4 until June 22. Breakfast will be served from 9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. and lunch will be served from 12:00 noon - 12:30 p.m.

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Hedley opens recycling center

Hedley's Metal Recycling Center is now open. The facility is located at 707 East Railroad St. Hedley citizens may leave metal items at the center between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, or they can contact the City Hall at 856-5241 to have items picked up.

Items suitable for recycling include washing machines, dryers, hot water heaters, and lawn mowers. Refrigerators, freezers, and air conditioners can only be accepted if the freon and compressor have been properly removed.

All items brought to the center

should be placed on the ground near the sign that reads "Place Items Here." Do not place items directly into the container.

Do not dump trash or items unsuitable for recycling at this site. Anyone dumping trash at this facility will be subject to prosecution for illegal dumping.

This recycling center was made possible by a grant from the Texas Commission of Environmental Quality and the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission.

For questions or comments, contact Hedley City Hall at 856-5241.

Medina receives All-American Scholar award

The United States Achievement Academy announced today Cynthia Medina from Howardwick has been named an All-American Scholar At-Large award winner. Cynthia will appear in the All-American Scholar Official Yearbook, which is published nationally. Cynthia is a student at Clarendon Jr. High.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes fewer than 10 percent of all American high school students.

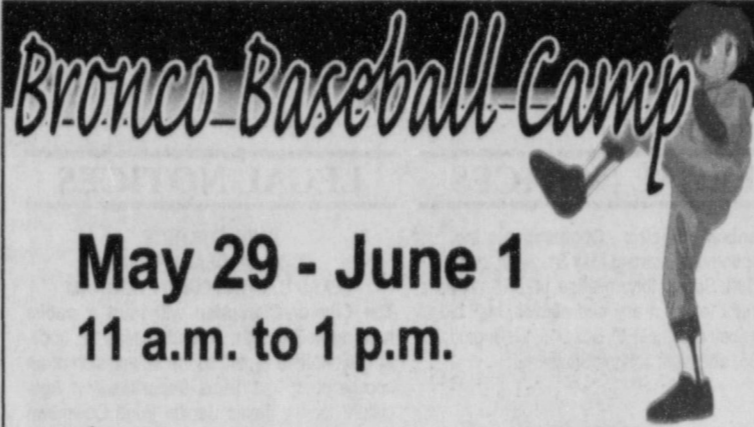
"Recognizing and support-

ing our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly, winners of the All-American Scholar Award should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said academy founder Dr. George Stevens.

The Academy selects All-American Scholar winners based on the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy.

Cynthia Medina is the granddaughter of Haskell and Edith Sorrells of Howardwick.

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Bronco Baseball Camp

May 29 - June 1
11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Where: High School Baseball Field

Who: All boys in grades 3-9 next year.

Cost: \$35 per individual

Contact: Brad Elam at 874-0949

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May 29 - June 1
9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

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Who: All girls in grades 3-9 next year.
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