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Water plan meeting set here June 30

Clarendon residents are encouraged to offer comments regarding the content of the proposed Panhandle Water Planning Area regional water plan at the public meeting scheduled for 7 p.m. on Tuesday, June 30 at Clarendon Junior High School.

The meeting will also be held at the Region XVI Education Service Center, 1601 Cleveland, Amarillo; Canadian High School, 621 S. 5th; and Dalhart Senior High School, 1802 E. 16th.

The four sites will be linked by teleconferencing equipment, and input will be received from each. Members of the Panhandle Water Planning Group will be on hand at each site to assist residents and ensure that any questions or comments are received and recorded.

The hearing is being held pursuant to the requirements of the recently enacted Senate bill 1, which requires that comprehensive water planning be recorded for the entire state. To accomplish this, the state has been divided into 16 planning regions, each of which is responsible for developing a comprehensive water plan in the year 2000. The 16 regional plans will be combined into a single state plan.

The Texas Water Development Board, the state agency charged with implementation of Senate Bill 1, approved the 16 regional boundaries and appointed individuals to an initial coordinating body for each region in February of this year.

This initial group added other members and is known as the Panhandle Water Planning Group with 21 voting members. Each member represents a specific group, including public municipal, county, water districts, river authorities, water suppliers, agriculture, small business, electric generating utilities, environmental and industry. These 11 interest

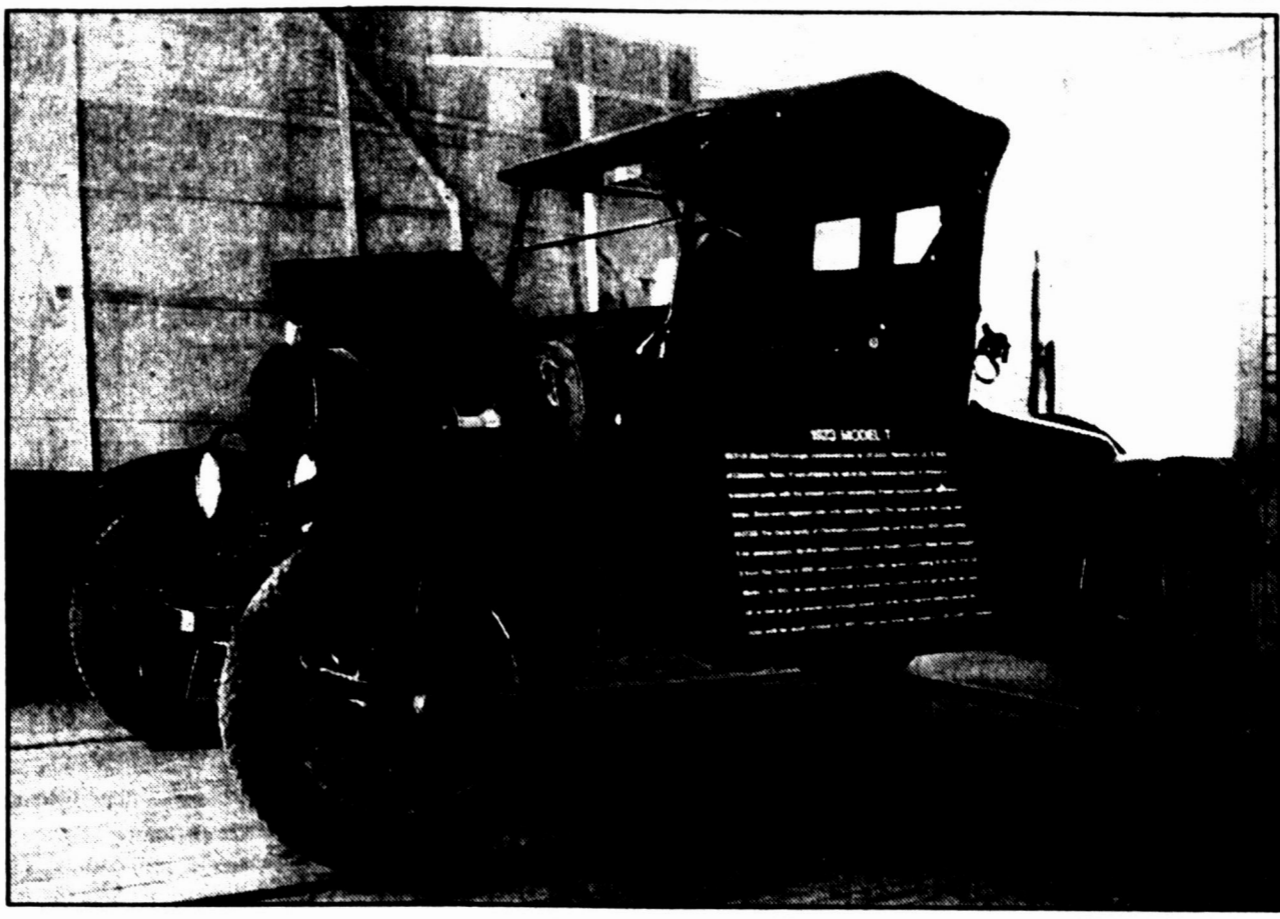
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Full Circle

One of the newest displays at the Saints' Roost Museum is this 1923 Model T formerly owned by Willard "Lightning" Hudson.

The car originally came to Clarendon by rail and was delivered at the Ft. Worth & Denver Depot. Now, the vintage auto has come full circle and is being displayed in the old depot building on the museum grounds.

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Celebration activities set

All roads lead to Clarendon and many fun events are ready to go for the 120th annual Saints' Roost Celebration next week, July 2, 3, and 4, 1998.

• Rodeo

Clarendon's TCRA Rodeo will be July 2, 3 and 4 at the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Arena. The rodeo starts at 7:45 p.m., and each night will be followed by an open air dance from 10 p.m. - 2 a.m. featuring the music of Cimarron the first night, Harvey Kinikin the second night, and Shawn Lanacaster & Kracker Jack the third night. Books will open on June 29 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call 806-878-2782.

• Bicycle Parade

The children's bicycle parade is being sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce this year and will be on Friday, July 3, at 10 a.m. on Kearney Street.

• Depression Lunch.

An old-time Depression lunch will be held downtown after the bicycle parade. Cost is 15¢.

• Turtle Race

Henson's Annual Turtle Race will be held at the intersection of Third and Kearney at 3 p.m. on Friday, July 3. Contact Henson's to enter your terrapin in the race.

• Craft Fair

Independence Day activities begin with the Country Craft Fair on the Courthouse Square from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

• Firecracker Jackpot

The Chamber of Commerce will be giving away a lot of money during their first Firecracker Jackpot drawings. Contact the chamber office at 874-2421 for chances.

• Old Settlers Reunion

The Old Settlers Reunion will be held on the square starting at 10:30 a.m.

• July 4th Shriners' BBQ

The annual Shriners' Barbecue will start at 11 a.m. and will last until the food is gone. Tickets may be purchased in advance from any Shriner on the square the day of the event. Contact Cennet Rhoad or go by Henson's to get your tickets. All proceeds benefit the Shrine's crippled children hospital.

• Old West Parade

The annual parade will be held at 2 p.m. Line up starts at 12:30 at the City Park. Contact the chamber office at 874-2421 for more information.

• Sloppy Joes

The Saints' Roost Museum will host their annual open house July 4 at 5 p.m. Choir members from the Hedley schools will be on hand to provide entertainment. Donations will be accepted to help fund the museum.

Preliminary TAAS results for Hedley ISD reported

The results for the 1997-98 TAAS testing of students of Hedley ISD were reported this past week.

They have been steadily improving the last several years, and this year showed some overall improvement at most grade levels.

Hedley ISD is particularly proud of the sixth grade class. That class had a 100 percent passing rate in each of the tests taken, reading and math.

Several other classes had 100 percent passing rate in one or more subjects. The results announced by the state are preliminary. Official results will be reported this fall, and the status report for Hedley ISD will be included.

Unofficial totals of each class are listed below along with the state averages for each: (state averages are listed in parenthesis) third grade - reading 75% (86%), math 64% (80%); fourth grade

- reading 89% (89%), math 100% (86%), writing 100% (88%); fifth grade - reading 85% (88%), math 100% (89%); sixth grade - reading 85% (88%), math 100% (86%); seventh grade - reading 78% (85%), math 78% (83%); eighth grade - reading 87% (85%), math 86% (83%), writing 73% (83%); science 87% (84%), social studies 73% (69%); tenth grade - reading 100% (88%), math 87% (78%), math 87% (78%), writing 87% (89%).

Thornberry backs legislation to sunset tax code

WASHINGTON, DC—Saying it will help "jump-start a debate" about tax reform in the United States, US Rep. Mac Thornberry (R-Clarendon) recently voted for legislation that will scrap the current tax code in the year 2002 and replace it with a system that's flatter, fairer, and easier to understand. The bill passed the House of Representatives by a vote of 219-209.

"Regardless of where I go in our District," Thornberry states, "taxes continue to be the number one issue people talk to me about. But it's not just tax relief that's on people's minds. It's tax reform, as well. The people I hear from think the tax code itself is too complex and convoluted and needs to be replaced. The bill passed recently will take us closer to that goal

by helping to jump-start a debate in America about what kind of tax system we want, and what kind of tax system we need."

The legislation is called *The Tax Code Termination Act*. Cosponsored by Thornberry, the measure would abolish the current tax code on December 31, 2002, and require Congress to approve a new tax code by July 4 of that same year. The new tax code would have to meet five basic criteria, including: applying a low rate to all Americans, providing tax relief to working Americans, protecting people's rights against tax collection abuses, eliminating the bias against savings and investment, and eliminating the penalty on marriage and families.

"American's spent \$200 billion

dollars and 5.4 billion hours last year working to comply with the federal tax code," Thornberry stated. "This is more than it takes to produce every car, truck, and van in the United States. It's also a reason why the tax code itself needs to be scrapped and replaced with a system that's flatter, fairer, and easier to understand."

In response to criticism that the Tax Code Termination Act would create too much uncertainty for individuals and businesses, Thornberry stated that there is no greater uncertainty than the current tax code. "The tax code has been changed over 6,000 times since 1986," he said. "Last year alone, Congress added 334 new pages, 285 new sections, and 824 new amendments. It's gotten so that in order to give people tax relief, you've got to

make the tax code more complex. That not only doesn't make any sense, it also doesn't make it any easier for people and businesses trying to plan ahead."

Thornberry held two special town meetings last November in Amarillo and Wichita Falls to ask people their thoughts and opinions on the issue of tax reform. Each of these town meetings, he noted, drew well over 100 people.

He also noted that the Tax Code Termination Act is supported by such organizations as the National Federation of Independent Businesses, Citizens Against Government Waste, the National Taxpayers Union, and Americans for Tax Reform.

The Tax Code Termination Act must now be approved by the Senate.

Jam, jelly, fruit drying clinic set

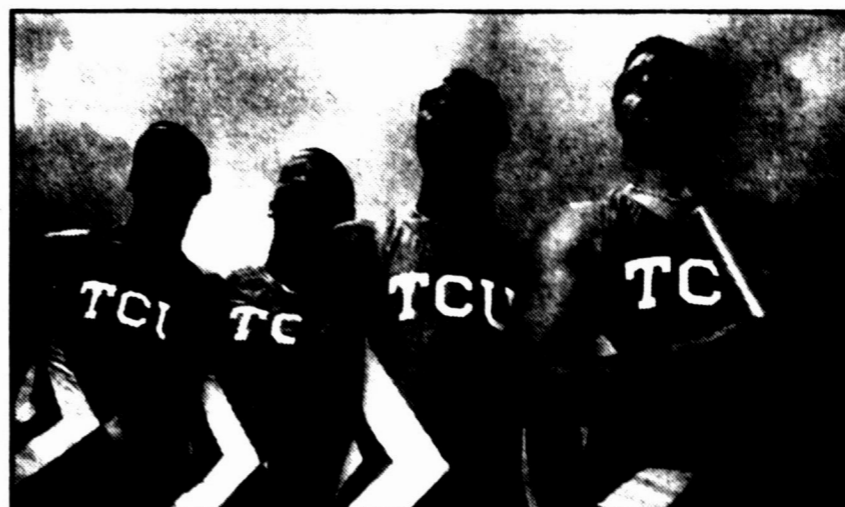
by Sue Church, County FCS Agent

Area young people are encouraged to sign up for the annual jam, jelly and fruit drying clinic offered through the Donley County Extension Service. The clinic will involve two sessions, June 26th and July 20th.

The first session, harvesting the fruit and preparing it for the freezer, will be Friday, June 26th. The participants will meet at the Courthouse at 8:00 a.m. and depart to pick apricots at a local residence that is sup-

plying fruit for the clinic. Youth will return to the Courthouse by midmorning to process the fruit.

On Monday, July 20th, the youth will be involved in making the frozen fruit into jams, jellies, preserves and fruit leather. To sign-up for the clinic, call the Extension Office at 874-2141 to reserve a space. This clinic is open to all 4-Hers as well as those who would like to get involved in the program.



Members of TCU's 4x400 relay, second-fastest nationally, are: Khadevis Robinson, Johnny Collins, Clayton Brookins, and Clarendon High School graduate Roy Williams.

Fort Worth Star-Telegram photo by Ron Jenkins

Roberts wins at state solo competition, judge applauds musical performance

Jenny Roberts, daughter of Jim and Debbie Roberts, received a Division I at the Texas UIL State Solo and Ensemble competition in San Marcos on May 30, 1998.

She performed from memory *The Whirlwind* by Joe Green which is a two page piece of music that sounds a lot like its title. She played so well that the judge was clapping when she finished her performance. The judge's comments were "fine performance, enjoyed your musicality, and job well done."

Jenny is a two-time UIL State competitor. Last year she performed well and received a Division II for her performance. Only twenty percent of the students earn a Division I at state. The judging criteria is extremely tough.

Jenny was accompanied by Lynette Barefield from Clarendon.

The Clarendon Bronco Band also sent four other students to perform at the UIL State Solo and Ensemble Competition. The ensemble, consisting of Chandra Ford, Jenny Roberts, Megan Roberts, and Jessie Shelley performed *Rainbows* by Alice Gomez under the direction of Theresa Mullen.

It was a three movement piece that musically interpreted the Noah's Ark story from the Bible. They performed it well but that was not enough to receive the highest rating. They were the first ensemble to ever perform at state from Clarendon High School.

The percussion ensemble received a Division III which means that they had a good performance at State.

Former Clarendon High athlete competes at NCAA Championship on TCU team

Roy Williams, a graduate of Clarendon High School and now a sophomore at TCU, and teammates Khadevis Robinson, Johnny Collins, and Clayton Brookins competed at the NCAA Championship in Buffalo, New York, in the 4x400 relays in April.

The team that was ranked third in the nation going into the championship finished second behind Georgia Tech with a time of 3:03.00.

The team was named All-American for their efforts. Throughout the season TCU

competed at the Penn Relays in Philadelphia, Penn., receiving second behind Georgia Tech and also at the Michael Johnson Classic in Waco where Roy's roommate Johnny Collins ran against Michael Johnson in the 400 meters.

They also competed at the WAC Championship in Houston taking first in the nine competing teams.

Due to a hamstring injury early in the season Roy's 400 meter was limited to save himself for the relay.

Roy will be returning to TCU this next year majoring in Business.

Central Bail Bonds announces new agent to serve county

Central Bail Bonds owner Kenneth Knowles has announced the appointment of Don Sanderson as agent serving Donley, Hall, and Collingsworth Counties.

Don is a native of Wellington. He was raised and educated in the Wellington school system. Don is married to Hattie Blacksher-Sanderson. They have a two year old daughter, Samantha.

Central Bail Bonds is the state's largest bond company. They have 24 offices and 30 agents serving North-central and West Texas. Central has been serving this area for the past fifteen years.

Don's office is located at 304 E. 2nd on Hwy. 287, Clarendon.

Dedication of memorial to local teens set for July 5

The dedication of the memorial for B.J. Hamilton and Wade James will be held July 5, 1998 at 1:00 p.m. at Clarendon High School.

U.S. HWY. 287 PROJECT UPDATE

WEEK #38

Miscellaneous concrete structure work is being continued this week. Clean up work is being conducted throughout the project.

Gilbert Texas, the City of Clarendon, and the Texas Department of Transportation appreciate every one for their continued cooperation as this project begins to draw to a close.

Pick up a copy of next week's *Enterprise* for more Project 287 information.

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Local Weather Report

Day	Date	High	Low	Prec
Mon	15	96°	59°	-
Tues	16	84°	58°	-
Wed	17	102°	63°	-
Thurs	18	104°	66°	-
Fr	19	98°	53°	-
Sat	20	107°	54°	-
Sun	21	110°	73°	-

Total Precipitation For June 0.23"
 Total Precipitation For Year 8.49"

Total precipitation for June 1997 was 3.36" The YTD 1997 was 25.25"

OPINION PAGE

WARNING: The following column is an editorial (i.e. an opinion, a point of view) and may contain ideas or positions some readers may disagree with. It is biased in favor of smokers and people named "Tubby." It could be harmful to liberals, Health Nazis, and other small mammals. Read at your own risk.



This column has been Rated NPT by the Enterprise Institute for Reader Friendliness. A sense of humor is advised.

Bill's Defeat Is Freedom's Victory

The US Senate last week killed a proposed Tobacco Bill which would have raised taxes on cigarettes, funded an anti-smoking campaign, and given the Food and Drug Administration the authority to regulate nicotine.

All of this was to have been done for the sake of the children, of course.

That's the focus of the federal government today. Any proposed regulation is ballyhooed as being needed to "protect" America's children when all it really does is erode our freedoms.

The national media and the Democrats say the Republican-controlled Senate caved to Big Tobacco and their lobbyists. To which I say, "Thank God!"

Lobbying is frequently portrayed as the greatest evil found in our system of government. But last week reaffirmed my faith that lobbying is a natural extension of "right to petition the government" found in the First Amendment. The tobacco industry saw its freedom threatened (it's still a legal product, you know), and reacted by petitioning and lobbying the government. They succeeded in protecting their freedom... for now.

President Clinton reacted to the bill's defeat by saying, "If more members of the Senate would vote like parents rather than politicians, we could solve this problem [teen smoking] and go on to other business of the country."

Hey, Billy! Why don't you just let parents act like parents? It's not the federal government's job to raise America's kids.

The problem with allowing this creeping federal nannyism is that all of us are treated like children.

Ask permission before you buy that gun. Don't watch that TV show, it has too much violence for you. Don't listen to that type of music. Don't pray in public; it offends some people. Eat your vegetables. Shut up. Speak only when spoken to. And take that cigarette out of your mouth!

The Health Nazis will try their anti-tobacco legislation again in the House of Representatives. This time they will narrow their focus to stop teen smoking. It will be harder to stop this one, but I hope it gets stopped. Otherwise, the products that you love — nachos, beer, ice cream, Coca-Cola, coffee — will be next on their hit list.

And speaking of Health Nazis...

Gravity Increases Its Pull On America

It finally happened. I woke up one morning and I was old and fat. Well, maybe not old but definitely fat. Overnight, I had become gravitationally challenged.

The National Institutes of Health released a new body mass index (BMI) chart earlier this month which lowered the cutoff points between healthy and overweight and between overweight and obese. According to USA Today, 97 million Americans (55% of the population) are now overweight or obese. Of that number, 29 million were apparently perfectly healthy before.

I've never claimed to be Charles Atlas. And I do carry a couple extra pounds because you never know when you might be stranded in the wilderness and will need some "reserves" to fall back on. "Be prepared" — that's what they taught me in Boy Scouts.

After studying the new BMI table, I found much to my dismay that I'm officially overweight and headed towards obese!

Doesn't the National Institutes of Health have something better to do? Like, I don't know, find a cure for cancer or AIDS or stop male pattern baldness or something?

Of course, the index doesn't consider your body fat as a percentage of your weight. In other words, if you're an athlete with a lot of muscle tissue, you still could come in as "overweight" under the new guideline. That's definitely where I fall. It's all table muscle, I'm tellin' ya.

Colorado couple appreciate Clarendon EMS

Dear Editor:

On April 24 my wife and I were involved in a roll over accident four miles east of Clarendon. My wife sustained a broken vertebra along with other injuries and was air lifted to Northwest Texas Hospital. My injuries were not as serious and I was transported by ambulance.

We would like to express our appreciation for the Emergency Response Team of Clarendon for the first class initial medical treatment we received. The team was very professional, well trained, and caring. We

were indeed fortunate to have had the care of such an excellent team. Clarendon has a right to take great pride in having such a very good group of EMT's.

Mary and I would like to express our gratitude and appreciation for the care we received. A special thanks to Danny and Mike along with others who were so helpful.

We are at home now and both improving, along with the little gray dog.

Ray and Mary Prager
Grand Junction, CO

Water planning: Continued from page one.

groups were defined by law in order to ensure an adequate representation for all potential water users. The Panhandle Water Planning Group's region consists of 21 counties in the Texas Panhandle.

Persons who are unable to attend the hearing may send written comments to the Panhandle Water Planning Group, c/o Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, Box 9257, Amarillo, Texas 79105.



The Game Is... Blame It On Everyone Else But You

Put away your Monopoly boards, hide your Trivial Pursuit cards, and don't be caught with checkers, cards, or dominoes.



On The Mark
with Christi Ross

The hottest game in America today is a real easy one to play. First you do something that is wrong, ignorant, or just downright stupid. Then you turn around and place the blame on someone else. The object of the game is not to take responsibility for your actions. Instead, you blame them on someone else and hope to collect big bucks or get some new law passed.

The big winners of the game lately have been the teenagers involved in the recent school shootings. Hundreds of witnesses saw each one of the individuals gun down their classmates and even teachers. But their game move is to blame something or someone else. The kid from Pearl, Mississippi, is now blaming internal "demons," his mother, and rap music. Oh, and did I mention that the Mississippi kid killed his mother because "she didn't love him enough?"

The kid from Oregon is blaming the Internet, which allowed him access to violent web sites. He killed both his parents, too. Then there's the one kid from Jonesboro, Arkansas, who is claiming that his abusive past led him to kill his friends.

To add to the confusion, the media and politicians are blaming one another. The media is citing that stricter gun control is needed, while politicians are stating that constant in-depth reporting on these events, along with violence on television, is driving our kids to kill.

Who's right and who's wrong? No wonder we have so many people wanting to be lawyers today.

Forget the game and place the blame where it belongs... on the kid(s) who pulled the trigger. Guns have been around for centuries and these problems were unheard of until recently. Perhaps if the children had proper parental guidance/care, religious influence, and positive school experiences, these problems may not have occurred.

However, the burden of the incidents must lie on the children's backs. We are all taught right from wrong and that every action has a reaction. Now, they must face life behind bars or the death penalty.

The next big players of the Blame Game are smokers. The family of a deceased Florida man recently won a multi-million dollar lawsuit against a major tobacco company. The man died of lung cancer/emphysema, which was a result of his 40-year two-three pack-a-day habit. Doctors insisted that he quit, but he and his family claimed that he was such an addict that he could not stop. After his death, the family sued the cigarette makers and won! Jeez, whatever happened to willpower and being able to say "Wow, look what I have done to myself?"

The cigarette company did not force the little cancer sticks into this man's mouth. He placed them there by his own hand. Millions of people have learned to break this habit, so we know it can be done.

What's next for America's Blame Game? I'm betting that obese people will next be suing makers of Ho-Ho's, potato chips, Moon Pies, and candy bars. Then all-you-can-eat buffets will become a thing of the past as they will be declared "hazards to your health." Here's a little hint — try pushing yourself away from the table or not cruising down the candy aisle at the store.

Then Americans will start suing soft drink manufacturers. They'll claim that too much caffeine gives them the shakes and that they suffer terrible headaches when they are unable to get their fix. Somebody will even claim that the polar bears were just so cute that they had to buy Coca-Cola products.

Parents will next sue teachers because of their children's poor performance in the classroom. Instead of making the kids study at home, let's blame the teacher!

Get real, America! We all need to learn to take the blame and quit accusing everyone else for our own problems. Before you place the blame, take a hard look in the mirror. You may be surprised at what you find.

Unaccountable Bureaucrats Shouldn't Have the Power to Tax

If there's one thing worse than having to pay taxes, it's having to pay taxes you know nothing about.



Issue Update
with Mac Thornberry

Over the past few months, people across the country have been opening their phone bills and finding a surprise — an extra charge that wasn't there before.

The surcharge is for a new federal program called the Education Rate — or E-Rate — program. The program was created by the Federal Communications Commission and is intended to connect

every school and library to the Internet to help students prepare for the 21st century.

The problem is, statistics show that around 80 percent of American schools are already connected to the Internet. Even more troubling, the E-Rate program has become a bureaucratic nightmare. For example, until recently, the head of the program was being paid \$200,000 a year — almost as much as the President.

And, instead of simply paying to connect schools and libraries to the Internet, the E-Rate program also wants to pay for new painting, new carpeting and other things unrelated to the information superhighway. According to the Congress-

sional Budget Office, the program will cost \$20 billion dollars over the next 10 years. And who will pick up the tab? We all will, of course — through the surcharge in our phone bills.

Well, this surcharge is nothing more than a hidden tax increase. And to make matters worse, it's a tax increase levied by the FCC. Giving an unelected and unaccountable federal agency power to take money out of our pockets is a dangerous precedent to set.

It's also one we should reject, which is why I believe Congress will have the last say on this issue, and put the brakes on a program that has gotten out of control.

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Livestock owners should test forage, hay during drought

COLLEGE STATION — With drought-related woes piling up, ranchers and others with livestock need to be sure not to add to them by letting their livestock consume nitrate-laden forage or hay, the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory reports.

"The good news is we've not seen nitrate levels as high as in the drought of 1996," said Dr. John Reagor, head of diagnostic toxicology at the laboratory's College Station facility. "Maybe that's because it's still early, or maybe it's because climatic conditions this year allowed more nitrogen to be used up in plant growth."

But that doesn't mean livestock owners can afford to let forage or hay go untested, Reagor said.

Although only one case of nitrate poisoning has been confirmed in the state so far this summer — four cows which died after consuming sudan hybrid sorghum — drought conditions appear to be worsening and the ail-

ment can strike quickly. "Typically, an animal will die within a few hours, but it can take as little as 30 minutes," Reagor said. "It will stagger, breathe hard, and die, and the owner doesn't know until the animal is found dead."

He is aware of two or three cases in the past two decades where several dozen animals have died on a single farm or ranch, Reagor said.

Probably the most hazardous hay is that made of sudan hybrid sorghum contaminated with pigweed, also known as careless weed, Reagor said. Both are found in most parts of the state, and because sorghum was generally planted later than corn, it may not have been able to take advantage of stored water in the soil.

When conditions began to dry, that meant sorghum was more likely than earlier-planted crops, like corn, to have grown higher and use up nitrogen in the soil, he said.

Reagor said livestock owners

should have samples of their hay or forage tested at his laboratory or at the Soil, Water and Forage Testing Laboratory at Texas A&M University's soil and crop sciences department. The TVMDL's toxicology lab may be reached at (409) 845-3414, and the soil and crop sciences lab may be reached at (409) 845-4816.

"Generally, if it's grown under drought conditions, it needs to be checked before being fed to stock," he said.

The best way to get a test done is to use a hay probe. Most county Extension agents have hay probes, Reagor said.

If forage is to be tested, livestock owners should collect a representative sample of plant stalks from the pasture. Good samples will include plant stalks from both high and low spots and from larger and smaller plants in the pasture.

County agents can also give more information on collecting good

samples, Reagor said. There are ways that forage or hay with high nitrate content can be fed to livestock with proper management, he added. A good rule of thumb is to feed an animal a pound of grain per day for every tenth of a percentage point above 1 percent nitrate content in the hay or forage, he said.

The grain will allow the animal to help build up the proper bacteria content in its rumen to counteract the nitrate, he said.

Producers should be aware, however, that selling hay containing hazardous levels of nitrate is illegal in Texas, said Dr. Konrad Eugster, di-

rector of the TVMDL. Questions about this subject should be directed to the state's Feed and Fertilizer Control Service at (409) 845-1121.

Reagor said the toxicology lab had tested about 120 samples in the two weeks around the beginning of June, but he expects it to be handling about 400 tests a week before long if the drought continues.

"That's about what we were doing in 1996, and so was the forage testing lab," he said. "We have to split up the work or we'd never make it."

"But if we prevent just one catastrophic loss, all the effort is worthwhile. That's what we're here for."

Tabs to be collected over summer months

At the end of the school year, Mrs. Hankins' fourth grade had a total of 205,000 tabs. They did not reach their goal of 1,000,000 but they had fun and learned about place value, column, and practiced addition and subtraction skills of larger numbers.

Next year's fourth grade class will continue where this year's fourth grade left off. Tabs collected and given to Mrs. Hankins during the summer up to August 12, 1998, will be counted to the fourth grade class that just passed to fifth.

They appreciate all those who helped them this year and they hope that you will continue to help support they until they get 1,000,000 tabs.

Clarendon Masonic Lodge elects officers

Clarendon Lodge No. 700 have elected officers for the ensuing 1998-99 years. Terry Ashcraft will serve as Worshipful Master, Larry Hicks as Senior Warden, Roger Estlack as Junior Warden, and Willard Skelton

as Secretary.

Installation will take place at 7:30 p.m. Saturday evening, June 27. This will be an open meeting. Family members, friends, and all interested parties are invited.



Hedley School Trustees hold regular meeting

The Hedley CISD Board of Trustees met in a regular session on June 15, 1998, at 8 p.m. in the Hedley School Home Economics Room.

Consideration was given to those who signed in: Shauna Monroe, Ruby Deathrage, Connie DeBord, Sandra Shields, Diane Conatser, Sue Weatherly, Anthony Knowles, Chris Downer, Bruce Howard, John Conatser, and Mark Montgomery.

The board approved a motion to continue the football program in junior high and high school. Vote was 5-2; Carole Ward and Tracy Sanders opposed.

The board voted to approve the same Region 16 ESC contracts as last year with the following additions: E-mail Service, Internet Filtering, and School Board Training.

Legion Insurance Company was selected for student insurers through Maynard & Associates, and the board voted to continue with the second year of the current three-year plan of Workers Compensation with HHC-CAS, Inc.

Summer maintenance items were approved.

The board voted to add the position of teacher's aide for the 1998-1999 school year. This aid will be in the Kindergarten room and subject to assignment by the superintendent.

A contract for independent auditor from Billy Baker was approved.

In other school business, the board heard reports on summer maintenance and summer school.

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LOOKING BACK

15 Years Ago

The Clarendon Press, June 30, 1983

• Annette Watson was named the Saints' Roost Queen for 1983. Amy Hancock was first runner-up, Gaylee Osborne was second runner-up, and Shalane Chamberlain and Dyanne Johnston were finalists.

25 Years Ago

The Donley County Leader, June 28, 1973

• The old brick building that stood just south of the old Bartlett Motor Co. Building was being torn down this past week. The building once housed the Ice Plant and was the last ice making plant Clarendon dating from the pioneer days.

• Local VFW members now have the flag pole raised at the Medical Center. Wallace Monument donated the plate for the top of the foundation and Buddy Ford donated his equipment to raise the pole.

50 Years Ago

The Donley County Leader, June 24, 1948

• It looked for a while like the farmers in Donley county were going to get by without any great damage to their crops due to weather conditions but the good weather experienced up until last Friday finally played out and wind containing lots of static or something did the first damage.

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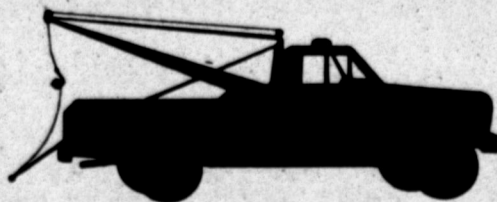
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Holman family holds reunion here

The families of Thomas Walter Holman and Callie Blackshear Holman held their 12th reunion at the Community Center in Clarendon.

Those attending were: John and Maxine (Holman) McCrary, Bobby and Barbara (Holman) Ellerbrook, Rodney and Courtney, Vickie (Holman) Tolbert, Randy, Kristin, Kimberly, and Kirstin, Billy and Chandra Holman, Michael, Bryan, Marissa, and Cody, all of Clarendon; Steve and Helen Rogers of Hedley; Bob and Linda (Holman) White and Nikkie from Rogers, Arkansas; Barbara (Holman) Gates from Purdy, MO; Eddie and Wanda Howard, Alecia, April, and Cody Hooser, Joyce Jean (Holman) Dingler, Dana, Oscar, Briana, and Jacob Pena, all from Kermit, Texas; Eugene and Betty Holman from Shepherd, Texas; Michael Holman from Titusville, FL; Tom and Janice (Holman) Grizzle, Andrea and Kaitlyn from Highland Village, Texas; San and Earline (Holman) Howard from Nashville, Ark.; Lee and Lillian Holman of Tribune, KS; Rafor and Betty (Holman) Hoskison and Daniel Bulin of Klondike, Texas; Garnida (Holman) Hoskison, Joyce Saller, all from Ladonia, Texas; Iva Taylor of Brownsville, Texas; Randy, Connie, and Courtney Delano from Bentonville, Ark.; and those attending from Amarillo were Tammy Lee, Tim and J.K. Arnold, Bobby and Debbie Arnold, Jr., Brandy, Julie, Ashley, Stephanie, and Amber, Jeffery and Jerry Baker, John Holman, Thelma Holman, Orene (Holman) Amerson, James, Jana, and Jordan Amerson, Bobby and Ruby (Holman) Arnold and Jessica, J.B. and Ruth Melton.

Everyone really enjoyed being back home in Clarendon.

Attention all Girl Scouts

All Clarendon Girl Scouts are encouraged to participate in the Fourth of July Parade. Line-up will be July 4, at 1:30 p.m. at the City Park. For more information, please call 874-3470.

Obituaries

Emmeline Corder Sisk

Graveside services for Emmeline Corder Sisk, age 68, of Sabinal were held at the Sabinal Cemetery with the Rev. Jimmy Clark, officiating. Arrangements by Rushing-Estes-Knowles Mortuary.

Mrs. Sisk died June 1, 1998, at Southwest Texas Methodist Hospital in San Antonio. She was born January 20, 1930, in Clarendon and married John Sisk on January 1, 1949, in Amarillo.

Sisk is survived by her husband; one daughter, Sandra K. Fair of Onalaska; one son, Dennis M. Sisk and wife, Dorothy, of Livingston; four sisters, Sarah Geary of Garland and Charlene McCullim, Ruth Price, and Elsie Herman, all of Amarillo; three brothers, Frank Corder of Clarendon and Dave and Troy Corder, both of Midwest City, OK; and five grandchildren.

LaVerne Lance

Services for LaVerne Lance, age 72, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 24, 1998, in Robertson Chapel of Memories with Rev. Bryan Knowles, Pastor of Martin

Senior Citizen Menus June 29-July 3

Hedley Senior Citizens

Mon: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, tossed salad, cherry cobbler, roll, milk, tea, coffee
Tues: Barbecue chicken, baked beans, corn, potato salad, orange half, roll, milk, tea, coffee

Wed: Baked ham, macaroni and tomatoes, steamed squash, cantaloupe, butterscotch pudding, roll, milk, tea, coffee

Thur: Cheeseburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, ice cream, potato chips, milk, tea, coffee

Fri: Closed for holiday

Donley County Senior Citizens

Mon: Oven fried chicken, parsley potatoes, green beans, rosy applesauce, butterscotch pudding with topping, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Tues: Cheeseburger, tator tots, pea salad, cherry cobbler with ice cream, hamburger bun, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Wed: Chicken fillet with mushroom gravy, rice pilaf, carrots, summer fruit salad, cookies, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Thur: Mexican pile on, rice, pinto beans, tossed salad, purple plums, tortilla chips, coffee, tea, lowfat milk
Fri: Closed for holiday



Roy and Barbara Williams and family visited Niagara Falls while attending the NCAA College Championship in Buffalo, New York, where their son Roy Williams, a freshman at TCU, and his teammates competed for the 4x400 relay.

Donley County Senior Citizen News

We are now selling chances on a beautiful 16" Cowgirl Doll that Onita Thomas made and donated to the Center. Tickets are \$1.00 each or six chances for \$5.00. The doll will be given away July 4 at our booth on the Courthouse grounds. We will be having a bake sale that day.

We want to welcome the public to come enjoy an evening of entertainment featuring "Grammy and Pop." They will be performing for our June Birthday/Anniversary Supper on Tuesday, June 30. Maebelle and John Francis are regular performers at the Caprock Jamboree in Silverton. They always put on an enjoyable show.

Mark Sturkie from the Panhandle Council for the Deaf in Amarillo will be at the Senior Citizens Center on June 24, at 1:00 p.m. to speak to local citizens about a new program for hearing impaired persons in the State of Texas. He will explain a new law concerning an assistance program for people who are hearing impaired. Mr. Sturkie will be demonstrating some of the equipment that is available today that can enhance the quality of life of the hearing impaired. All interested parties are encouraged to attend. Call the Donley County Senior Citizens at 874-2665 for more information.

Many people were involved in Donley County Senior Citizens Third annual "Tour of Homes." Tour orga-

nizer, Onita Thomas; home owners Shirley and Ernest Lamberson, Willene and John Judd, Sarah and Jim Nelson, Sue and Leon Church, and Joe Robert Leathers; co-hostesses, Judy Hodges, Nita Meador, Tommie and Lucy Saye, Ruby Jewel Hardin, Pearl Hermesmeier, Helen Land, Trina Wright, and Patsy Hill; ticket sellers, Murle Butts, Hazel Guy, Thelma Rudder, Nita Meador, Jean Baten, Mary Beth Nelson, and Cennet Rhode; media, *The Clarendon Enterprise*, Channel 11 News, *Amarillo Globe News*, and *The Pampa News*; tour article writer, Mary Beth Nelson; and Buddy James and staff of the B&R Thriftway for allowing us to sell tickets at the store. People attending the tour viewed over 50 pieces of Joe Robert Leathers' artwork and four beautiful homes.

We appreciate each one who worked so hard to make our "Tour of Homes" such a great event and to everyone who supported our Senior Citizens Center by purchasing tickets and made cash donations.

Reminders:

- Mon., June 29: Senior Citizens Dance Club, 7-9 p.m.
- Wed., June 24: Mike Sturkie for the Panhandle Council for the Deaf, 1:00 p.m.
- Tues., June 30: Birthday/Anniversary Supper, 6:00 p.m.
- Sat., July 4: Bake sale on the Donley County Courthouse grounds

Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc.

Mrs. Lance died on Sunday, June 21, 1998, at the Amarillo Emergency Receiving Center in Amarillo following a sudden illness. She was born August 8, 1925, in Lockney, Texas, and was a resident of Hereford most of her life before moving to Howardwick in 1986. She married Charles Joseph "C.J." Lance on September 21, 1951, at Clovis, New Mexico. She was employed in the dietary department of Medical Center

Nursing Home for 10 years before retiring in September 1997. She was a member of the Martin Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, C.J. Lance of Howardwick; one son, Danny Lance of Amarillo; one nephew, Bill LaPorte of Howardwick; and four grandchildren, Jeremy Lance of Hereford, Julie Owen of Dallas, Linsey Kracht of Amarillo, and Lisa Kracht of Amarillo.

The family requests that memorials be to the Edna Gladney Home in Fort Worth.



Extension Service Update

by Leon J. Church, CEA-AG and Sue P. Church, CEA-FCS

Boll Weevil Counts Available

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service has 20 Boll Weevil traps spread out throughout the county. With cotton beginning to square, these numbers are becoming of importance to the producers. I will have the week's counts on Monday morning of each week. If you are interested in obtaining the counts for your area, simply give us a call.

To date we are catching some weevil but not what we had expected. Our average count per trap over the past three weeks is: 19, 3, and 18 respectively. If you would like more information, give us a call at 806/874-2141.

July 4th Activities

There are several 4th of July activities which benefit the 4-H program so all 4-Hers are encouraged to get out and support each of these. Briss Mann will be supervising the decorating of the 4-H float for the parade.

Please meet at the Courthouse lawn at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, July 2nd, to help with the decorating. The theme will be "Hats Off to Donley County 4-H," and each 4-Her riding the float is asked to wear a hat or cap. Horse club members will also have the opportunity to ride their horses in the parade.

4-H is sponsoring the homemade ice-cream booth at the Arts and Crafts Fair on the Courthouse lawn on the 4th of July. We'd appreciate as many containers of homemade ice cream as possible that day. If eggs are one of the ingredients in the ice cream, we ask that a cooked recipe be used to prevent food borne illnesses. Also, it would be helpful if the ice cream were frozen prior to the 4th. To volunteer, contact Theresa Shelton at 874-3709.

Several booth spaces are still available for the Arts and Crafts Fair. To reserve a space, contact Lori Leffew at the Extension Office at 874-2141.



Tobe Shields and J.J. Pollard

Pollard-Shields announce engagement

Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Pollard of Clarendon proudly announce the engagement of their daughter, J.J. to Mr. Tobe Shields of Spearman. Tobe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Shields, also of Spearman.

The wedding will be held at 9:45 a.m. on September 12, 1998, at the First Presbyterian Church in Clarendon.

Ms. Pollard attended Southwestern Assemblies of God University. She is currently the Administrative Assistant at the Medical Center Nursing Home.

Mr. Shields works for Elliott Construction and Shields Moving in Spearman. He is also a volunteer fireman in Spearman.

Thornberry named to Dean's List at Baylor

Amy Shae Thornberry of Clarendon was recently named to the Dean's Academic Honor List for the 1998 spring session at Baylor University. She is the daughter of Sandy and Bobbie Thornberry of

Clarendon. To be named on the Dean's List, a student must be an undergraduate with a minimum grade point average of 3.7 while enrolled in a minimum of 12 semester hours.

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5:30-9:30 PM	MW	BIOL 2402	HUMAN A&P II
5:30-9:30 PM	TTH	CHEM 1412	GENERAL CHEMISTRY II

**Registration will be the first night of class at the High School.

WELLINGTON - JUNE 29-AUGUST 7, 1998

6:00-10:00 PM	MW	BIOL 1322	NUTRITION
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	BIOL 1411	BOTANY
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	BIOL 2402	HUMAN A&P II
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	COSC 1301	COMPUTER CONCEPTS
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	CRU 1306	COURTS & PROCEDURE
5:00-6:00 PM	MT	ENGL 0306	WRITING FUNDAMENTALS
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	ENGL 1302	ENG COMP/RHETORIC II
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	ENGL 2333	WORLD LITERATURE II
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	GOVT 2301	US & TX CONSTITUTION
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	HIST 1302	U.S. HIST TO PRESENT
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	HUMA 1315	INTRO TO HUMANITIES
5:00-6:00 PM	MT	MATH 0306	DEVELOPMENTAL MATH
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	MATH 1314	COLLEGE ALGEBRA
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	PSYC 2301	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	PSYC 2308	CHILD PSYCHOLOGY
5:00-6:00 PM	MT	READ 0306	READING FUNDAMENTALS
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	SOCI 1301	INTRO TO SOCIOLOGY
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	SOCI 2301	FAMILY IN SOCIETY

**Registration will begin June 29 at 5 p.m. at the High School.

CLARENDON - JUNE 29-AUGUST 7, 1998

5:00-6:00 PM	MT	ENGL 0306	WRITING FUNDAMENTALS
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	ENGL 1302	ENG COMP/RHETORIC II
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	ENGL 2333	WORLD LITERATURE II
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	GOVT 2302	US & TX GOVERNMENT
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	HIST 1302	U.S. HIST TO PRESENT
5:00-6:00 PM	MW	MATH 0306	DEVELOPMENTAL MATH
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	MATH 1316	PLANE TRIGONOMETRY
5:00-6:00 PM	MT	READ 0306	READING FUNDAMENTALS

**Registration will begin at 8 a.m. on June 10 in the Student Services office.

CHILDRESS - JUNE 29-AUGUST 7, 1998

5:00-6:00 PM	MT	ENGL 0306	WRITING FUNDAMENTALS
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	GOVT 2302	US & TX GOVERNMENT
5:00-6:00 PM	MT	MATH 0306	DEVELOPMENTAL MATH
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	MATH 1316	PLANE TRIGONOMETRY
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	MATH 1325	BUSINESS CALCULUS
6:00-10:00 PM	MW	PHED 1304	PRSNL/COMMUNITY HLTH
6:00-10:00 PM	TTH	PHED 1306	FIRST AID
5:00-6:00 PM	MT	READ 0306	READING FUNDAMENTALS

**Registration will begin at 5:00 p.m. on June 29 at the High School.

SHAMROCK - JUNE 29-AUGUST 7, 1998

6:00-10:00 PM	MW	GOVT 2302	US & TX GOVERNMENT
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**Registration will begin June 29 at 5 p.m. at the High School.

PAMPA - JUNE 29-AUGUST 7, 1998

6:00-9:50 PM	TTH	BIOL 2402	HUMAN A&P II
6:00-9:50 PM	MW	COSC 1301	COMPUTER CONCEPTS
6:00-9:50 PM	T	DEV M00	SELF-PACED MATH
6:00-9:50 PM	M	DEV R00	SELF-PACED READING
6:00-9:50 PM	T	DEV W00	SELF-PACED WRITING
1:00-4:50 PM	T/TH	ENGL 1302	ENG COMP/RHETORIC II
6:00-9:50 PM	T/TH	ENGL 2333	WORLD LITERATURE II
6:00-9:50 PM	T/TH	GOVT 2302	US & TX GOVERNMENT
1:00-4:50 PM	T/TH	GOVT 2302	US & TX GOVERNMENT
6:00-9:50 PM	MW	HIST 1301	U.S. HISTORY TO 1865
8:00-11:50 AM	MW	HIST 1302	U.S. HIST TO PRESENT
6:00-9:50 PM	T/TH	MATH 0308	INTERMEDIATE ALGEBRA
8:00-11:50 AM	T/TH	MATH 1314	COLLEGE ALGEBRA
6:00-9:50 PM	T/TH	MUSI 1141	COLLEGIATE CHOIR
6:00-9:50 PM	MW	MUSI 1301	MUSIC FUNDAMENTALS
8:00-11:50 AM	T/TH	PSYC 2301	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY
6:00-9:50 PM	MW	PSYC 2301	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY
6:00-9:50 PM	T/TH	PSYC 2308	CHILD PSYCHOLOGY

**Registration will begin on June 10 at 8 a.m. at the CC Pampa Center at 900 N. Frost. For more information regarding Pampa classes, please call (806) 665-8801.

To enroll in a class at Clarendon College, individuals must bring a copy of their official high school transcript or GED certificate, ACT/SAT scores, TASP scores, official transcripts from other colleges attended, and admission forms for Clarendon College. Current high school students are required to bring proof of approval from their principal or counselor. Payment is due at time of registration.

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Clarendon College

Museum Messenger

New exhibits ready for open house at Museum

by Saints' Rooster

A Fourth of July Treat

We promised you something special for the annual Saints' Roost Museum Open House on Independence Day, and here it is — along with traditional museum open house tours and an outdoor dinner, the Hedley School and Community Choirs will present a Front Porch Concert in honor of our Nation's Birthday!

The Open House, meal, and concert begin at 5 p.m., July 4th and will be finished by 6:30, just in time to get over to the rodeo. The menu for this year's meal under the trees is down-home Sloppy Joes prepared from a special recipe, and gallons of cold iced tea. The Hedley Choirs have been rehearsing a special program of patriotic and old time music for just such an occasion. you won't want to miss it.

Now Showing!

If you haven't visited the Museum for a while you will find some new things to look at during Open House. In fact, if you were here yesterday, when you come to Open House there will be something new to see, something that is possibly very old. Here are some of the "new" old things you'll see July 4th:

• **Mystery Coin:** The most recent Saints' Roost acquisition is an ivory coin dated 1310 that was found in the cornerstone of building in Old Clarendon. The coin, along with another piece of "scrimshaw," was donated by the Short family. According to Wendell Short the coin is carved from walrus tusk ivory and the dating of 1310 has been authenticated through carbon dating. Research is continuing to find the original owner of the Old Clarendon building in which the ivory items were found, but as yet the history of these unique artifacts remains cloaked in mystery. Again according to Wendell Short, the Smithsonian Museum has expressed an interest in these items, which will be on display for the first time in public at Saints' Roost Open House, July 4.

• **Vintage Tin Lizzie:** Our Model "T" Ford automobile is now on display in the Depot. This flivver was originally delivered to Clarendon, crated, by train. Now, after a long and illustrious history, the vehicle has come back, under its own power, to the same depot. It awaits an appreciative and admiring public during Open House.

• **Junior Historians at Work:** The Clarendon High School Junior Historians have been busy preparing displays for the Open House. A complete history of Goodnight College as told by photographs and text, has been assembled by the young historians. Historians have also rearranged and expanded the museum's Charles Goodnight photographs and artifacts into a more eye pleasing and comprehensive exhibit.

• **An Old Painting Comes Home:** The scene is of a chuckwagon on the move, and it was painted by Clarendon artist Harold Bugbee about 1929. It originally hung in the Adair Hospital and was moved to the Medical Center when the hospital closed. The Donley County Hospital District donated the painting back to the Museum and it will be available for viewing at the Open House.

• **Play Our Photo Identification Game:** We've dipped into our large collection of old photographs and have displayed them under the glass of the long table in the board room. Each photo has been numbered and we are inviting anyone who knows anything, and we mean anything, about these photos to share their knowledge. We hope to display all of our photographs in the near future, and we would like any information available on the

unidentified ones. Please look them over and make a note or two. If you recognize anyone or anything in these great visual records of the past. Even if you just moved to Clarendon or are visiting from another town, drop by and look these photos over. It will be cool inside the Museum, so you might want to linger and give these items a good scrutiny.

Other Donations

Mrs. Frank (Dikki) Howell donated perfectly preserved copies of the Pulitzer Prize winning *Dallas Times Herald* biography of JA cowboy Tom Blasingame written by Maggie Kennedy in 1979. Jerry Brown, a Goodnight family member, sent us copies of chuckwagon blueprints. Both of these items will be on display after suitably frames are found. The Patching Club House donated its Memorial Plaque to the Museum for safe keeping and this memorial now hangs with the Les Beaux Arts Display in the west wing.

Calling All Old Shaving Mugs

Among the new displays awaiting visitors at Open House is a collection of men's items including collars, collar buttons, an "electric" clothes brush, shirt fronts, and the like. Unfortunately, although we have several sets of hair clippers, barber brushes, and straight razors, we lack shaving mugs and shaving brushes for the display. Also welcome would be other men's items including dress shoes, picket knives, neck wear from the turn of the century or before and anything pertaining to men's grooming and apparel. Remember donations to Saints' Roost are tax deductible and are a great way for preserving our heritage.

Dresses and More Dresses

The Museum has a wonderful collection of dresses, from wedding dresses to traveling dresses to party dresses. Unfortunately they are all hanging in our storage closet and have been hanging there in some cases for many years. It's not that we are lazy, it's that displaying fragile textiles, sometimes dating back 100 years, is a difficult task. We have simply not had enough money to purchase the necessary equipment to adequately preserve and display our collection.

But it has gotten to the point where we must do something. The vice president for museum operations is borrowing museum equipment catalogs and researching sources for what we need to set up a display that will enable the textiles to be viewed and protected at the same time. This project will probably cost a bit. To buy acid free, clear plastic covers for each dress would be very expensive. We are still searching for a large climate controlled display case or some kind of a encased rack that protects as well as allows for all around viewing.

Bear with us, a solution is on the way, and we apologize to those who have donated the fine frocks and have wondered why they seemed to disappear. They're all alive and well and will soon be on display.

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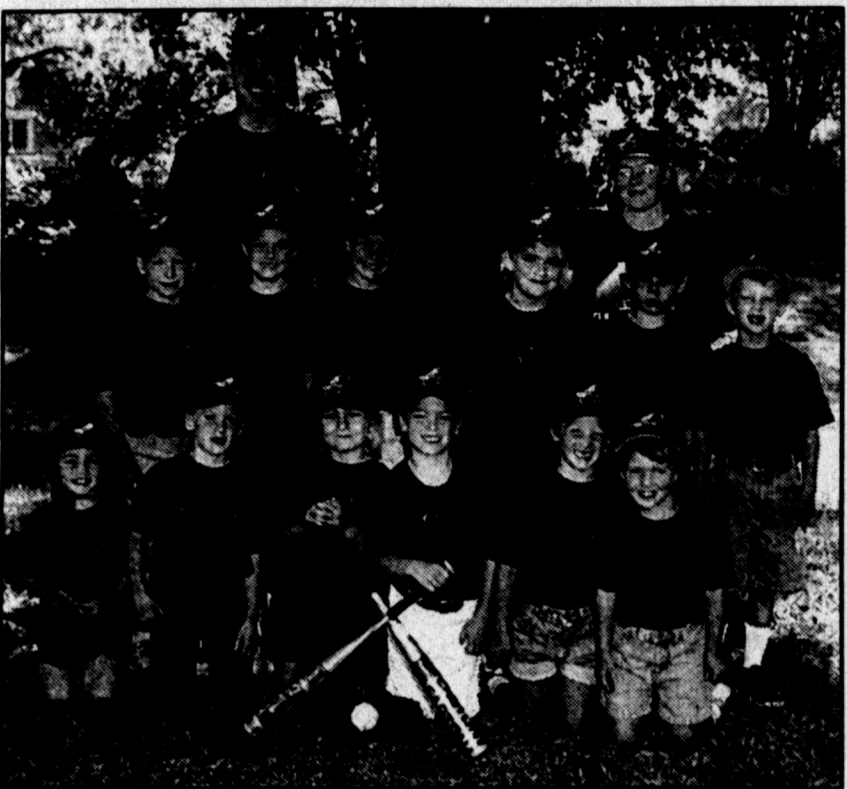
Clarendon Little League Diamondbacks team members are (front) Ben Avery, Trent White, Jenci White, Mariah Benavidez, Colby Mann, Oscar Auker, (back) Amelia Taylor, Zan Burks, Jace Avery, Demick Shelton, E.J. Weatheron, and Janae White. Coaches are Randy White and Stan Shelton. Team sponsor is White's Feed and Seed.



Clarendon Little League Rangers team members are (front) Reid Copelin, Braden Montgomery, Taylee Rice, Kierston Thomas, Bradley Watson, B.J. Cenicerros, (back) Michael Santos, Katie Morrow, Justin Martin, Dalton Layton, Leigh Ann Layton, and Lee Tolbert. Coaches are Alicia Montgomery and Karen Rice. Team sponsor is Morrow Drilling.



Clarendon Little League Mariners team members are (front) Nathan Judd, Myndie Miller, Joshua Dews, Rashaud Knight, (back) Trisha Hewett, Macy Shadle, Zack Rotton, and Dylan Wright. Not pictured is Cory Hinojosa and Nick Hinojosa. Coaches are Trina Wright and Michelle Knight. Team sponsor is B&R Thriftway.



Clarendon Little League Angels team members are (front) Annie Patten, Dustin Ford, Amanda Reynolds, McCullough Roach, Lauren Shelton, Ashlyn Tubbs, (back) Nelson Devin, Abbie Massingill, Brett Strange, Elizabeth Watson, Ryan Robison, and Ty Tubbs. Coaches are David Strange and Donna Ford. Team sponsor is The Grocery Store.



Clarendon Little League Reds team members are (front) Kyle McElroy, Chandice Lowe, Jadon Thornton, Hadley Jones, Tanner Haire, (second) Audrey Jones, Brandi Mays, Brittney Hayes, Ryan Hill, Courtney Hayes, and Jesus Hernandez. Coaches are Kelly Hill, Linda Thornton, and Danny Hill. Team sponsor is Amigo's Mexican Restaurant.



Clarendon Little League Indians team members are (front) Kaylee Shields, J.T. Christopher, Kelby Shields, Clayton Shields, Haley Chambless, (middle) Elissa Holland, Cole Farris, Kallie Sawyer, Garrett Bridwell, Caitlyn Christopher, and Rowdy Floyd. Coaches are Jan Farris, Paulette Kidd, and Jill Chambless. Team sponsor is Evans Fertilizer.

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Minor League Boys			
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Championship game		June 27	
Senior League Boys			
Continued tournament play nightly			
Championship game	8:00	June 26	

Clarendon Baseball Results

T-Ball			
Rangers	12	Indians	8
Reds	9	Mariners	8
Diamondbacks	13	Indians	9
Reds	14	Angels	9
Diamondbacks	27	Angels	4
Indians	13	Reds	7
Angels	10	Mariners	10
Diamondbacks	21	Rangers	3
Girls Softball			
Angels	12	Rockies	5

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Winners of the tournament were as follows: boys age 8-11 - first place, Heath and Charlene Mills, second place, Jordan and Lance Shipp; boys age 12-13 - first place, Mark and Carroll Duncan, second place, Jeff and Gary Duncan, third place, Bobby and Dick Hutcherson; boys age 14-16 - first place, Bubba Bailey and Gayle Monzingo, second place, Cody Mixon and Bonnie Crofford, third place, Jason Floyd and F.G. Crofford; girls age 14-16 - first place, Jennifer Brown and Wanda Nazworth, second place, Jennifer Jackson and Ruth Jackson, third place, Kenzie Chick and Roy Chick.



Wanda Nazworth and Jennifer Brown, first in girls age 14-16.



Jason Floyd and F.G. Crofford, third in boys age 14-16.



Ruth Jackson and Jennifer Jack, second in girls age 14-16.



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Dick Hutchison and Bobby Hutchison, third in boys age 12-13.



Jeremy Ship, Jeff Duncan, Gary Duncan, Mark Duncan, and Carol Duncan, first and second in boys age 12-13.



Bubba Bailey and Gayle Monzingo, first in boys age 14-16.



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Summer track now underway

James Williams, a double gold medal winner in district for the Clarendon Junior High seventh grade Colts, continues to dominate the area in the shot put and discus. Competing in the Hershey track meet last Tuesday, Williams threw his personal best in winning both events. Williams had a throw of 43 feet 11 inches in the shot to place first and a throw of 112 feet in the discus to win first.

Williams traveled to Lubbock last Saturday to compete in the TAAF track meet. He placed first in the shot with a throw of 41 feet 9 inches and a second place finish in the discus with a throw of 94 feet.

Angel Williams, trained by All-American Freshman Roy Williams of TCU, blew away the competition in both track meets. In the Hershey meet held in Amarillo, Angel placed first in the long jump, 13 feet 11 inches, first in the 80M hurdles with a time of 15.11, first in the 100M with a time of 13.34, and first in the 400M with a time of 69.00.

In the TAAF track meet held in Lubbock, Angel took first place in all four of her events: 100M, 13.40; 80M hurdles, 15.15; 200M, 29.00; and the long jump with a jump of 13 feet 9 3/4 inches.

Josh Williams competed in the TAAF Meet and placed second in the high jump and had fourth place finishes in the 200M, 400M, and the long jump.

All three runners advanced to the state meets to be held in late July.

The AAU track meet will be held in Amarillo this Saturday, June 27, at Tascosa High School beginning at 8:00 a.m. This meet is the qualifiers meet for the Regional Meet to be held in San Antonio.

Track practices are being held each evening at the Clarendon College Track at 7:00 p.m.



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The park is being leased to A.J. Moffitt, of Howardwick. Mr. Moffitt built the landing pool for the slide. Moffitt has owned and operated public swimming pools.

The Lion's Tale

By Allen Estlack

Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting June 23 with Boss Lion Walt Knorpp in charge.

We had 23 lions and two guests. Our guests were Tonya Wilson, guest of Lion Linda Williams; and Sabrina Stepp, guest of Lion Gail Tuttle.

We voted to support the museum's fourth annual Col. Charles Goodnight Chuckwagon Cook-off in the amount of \$50.

Election of officers for the coming year was held and they will take office July 1. Our new officers will be Lion Jimmy Blackerby, President; Lion Bobbie Thornberry, First Vice President; Lion Stan Leffew, Second Vice President; Lion Todd Knorpp, Third Vice President; Lion A.R. Henson, Lion Tamer; Lion Darrell Leffew, Tail Twister; Lion Don Smith, Program Chair; Lion Gerald Mulanax, Secretary; Lion Roger Estlack, Treasurer; and Lion Allen Estlack, Reporter.

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- DEL MONTE GOLDEN SWEET CORN** 2 / 99¢
#300 CANS
- HORMEL VIENNA SAUSAGE** 2 / 99¢
CANS

- KRAFT LIQUID DRESSINGS** \$1.79
16 OZ BOTTLE
- PURE CANE IMPERIAL SUGAR** \$1.59
4 LB BAG
- LIPTON FAMILY TEA BAGS** \$1.89
24 QUART BAGS
- POST RAISIN BRAN** \$1.99
20 OZ BOX
- NABISCO HONEY GRAHAM CRACKERS** \$2.49
1 LB BOX

Nabisco
**Honey Maid
Grahams**
\$2.19 1# PKG



- BREADED CHICKEN STRIPS** \$1.49
39 BAG
- STILWELL BREADED OKRA** \$1.39
24 OZ

Meats & Dairy


- OWENS PORK SAUSAGE WHOLE HOG** \$1.89
1 LB PKG
- OWENS PORK SAUSAGE** \$3.29
2 LB PKG
- OSCAR MAYER WIENERS** \$1.49
1 LB PKG

FRESH GROUND BEEF "Ground Fresh Daily"

- GROUND CHUCK** \$1.39
LB
- GROUND ROUND** \$1.59
LB
- LEAN & MEATY PORK SPARE RIBS** \$1.69
LB
- SELECT TRIM BONELESS BEEF TOP SIRLOIN STEAK** \$2.59
LB
- RUMP ROAST** \$1.79
LB
- PIKES PEAK ROAST** \$1.59
LB
- WRIGHTS SLICED SLAB BACON** \$1.69
LB
- MARKET SLICED BONELESS TURKEY BREAST OR ROAST BEEF** \$3.69
LB

Fresh Produce

- CALIFORNIA SEEDLESS GRAPES** 99¢
WHITE OR RED LB
- CALIFORNIA GREEN BELL PEPPERS** 2 / 69¢
- CALIFORNIA LONG GREEN CUCUMBERS** 3 / \$1.00


- WASHINGTON RED DELICIOUS APPLES** 59¢
LB
 - CALIFORNIA SUNKIST LEMONS** 5 / \$1.00
 - CALIFORNIA CARROTS** 2 / 49¢
PKGS
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Household Goods

- PIN-SOL DISINFECTANT** \$1.79
28 OZ BOTTLE
- VIVA PAPER TOWELS** 89¢
ROLL
- CHARMIN TISSUE** 99¢
4 ROLL PKG
- KLEENEX FACIAL TISSUES** 99¢
175 CNT BOX
- CLOROX BLEACH REGULAR SCENT** \$1.19
GALLON JUG
- DAWN DISH DETERGENT** \$2.39
28 OZ BOTTLE
- ULTRA SHURFINE LAUNDRY DETERGENT** \$3.99
92-103 OZ BOX
- FAULTLESS SPRAY STARCH AERO CAN** 99¢
22 OZ

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