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HOLLY AND JOHN MARK Hutson of Houston were here over the Christmas holiday with their parents Jack and Katrina to visit their

grandparents Mr. and Mrs. P.C. Messer. It was snowing when they were here last year and they enjoyed

making a snowman. Since there was no snow this year, they made a snowman out of tumbleweeds. This sign behind John Mark's head reads "Where's The Snow?". Also visiting in the Messer home was their son Tommy and his family from

Services held for Ora Murphy

Services for Ora Lee Murphy, 88, 3439 Amherst, Amarillo, were Saturday in Robertson Chapel of Memories, Clarendon, with Rev. Bill Watson officiating. Mrs. Murphy passed away Thursday, December 27 at Clarendon Medical Center where she had been a resident for four

She was married to J.W. Murphy at Paducah, Kentucky in 1912. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy owned the Murphy Funeral Home from January 1946 until he passed away in 1953. Mrs. Murphy continued to operate the

funeral home until December 1974. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Clarendon, where she was active in the United Methodist Women's Society.

Survivors include two daughters, Louise Payne and Ruth Neal, both of Amarillo; a son Joe of Amarillo; eight grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren. One son, Pat Murphy preceded her in death in 1975.

The family suggests memorials be made to Medical Center Nursing Home, Clarendon, or your favorite

Gibsons Discount Center **Burglarized Saturday**

Saturday, December 29, when Assistant Manager John Smith opened Gibson's Discount Center, he discovered that the store has been broken into during the night.

Several hundred dollars worth of watches, gold and silver chains, stereos, speakers, guns and several other items as well as money had been taken.

The merchandise was stacked on a toy wagon and a dolly taken from the store and taken out the back door. Sheriff's officers followed the tracks

store. Officers found not only the Gibson's merchandise but jewelry taken on November 29 from the residence of Billie Johnson.

Johnny Gaines, 20, was arrested and charged on two accounts of burglary. Gaines is on probation from Amarillo and is in the Donley County jail pending action by the grand jury.

James Stubblefield, manager of ficers, their fast action resulted in a

Hardin WTSU

player-ot-week

Kelli Hardin; a junior at West Texas State University, Canyon, was named Player-of-the-week for the Lady Buff basketball team. Kelli is a returning starter from last and has started in more games (45) for the Lady Buffs than any other returnee. Kelli is in 9th place on the career scoring list with 513 points. She has made more career field goals, field goal attempts, assists, and steals than any other member of the returning Lady Buffs.

In the game between West Texas State and Eastern New Mexico on December 12, Kelli shot 5 for 5 from the field and 2 for 2 from the line for a total of 14 points. It was the Buffs' second highest total of the evening and Kelli's best of the season.

She also had 3 rebounds, 2 steals, I assist, played for 17 minutes, and

Gibson's, stated, "I would like to express my appreciation to the Donley County law enforcement ofto an empty house on the other side quick arrest and the return of the of the railroad tracks behind the merchandise taken from the store."



KELLI HARDIN

had no fouls or turnovers. She is averaging 4.6 PPG and 2.9 RPG

After graduation, Kelli hopes to teach math and coach at the high

school level. She is listed on the Dean's Honor Roll and is a math education major/physical education

Bronco roundball

The Clarendon boys basketban team traveled to Valley Tuesday, December 18 and lost 44-75. The Broncos played a good first quarter but the Patriots took advantage of the Broncos defense and took control of the game. Rod Keown and Randy Crump were the outstanding players of the game. Rodney Smith led all rebounders with seven. Randy Crump was the leading scorer with sixteen points.

The boys junior varsity basketball team lost a close game to Valley 36-37. Each team led by several points throughout the game but the Valley junior varsity made a basket with less than a minute to go to provide the Patriots with the winning edge. A Bronco field goal attempt with less than five seconds on the clock fell short.

Little Miss & Master **Donley County** Pageant will be held Jan. 19

Children and parents get ready for this year's Little Miss and Master Donley County Pageant to be held on Saturday, January 19, 1985 at 7:30 p.m. at the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center on the Clarendon College campus. Alpha Upsilon Epsilon Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi is again sponsoring this annual event. This year's theme will be, "A Winter Wonderland' and plans are already being made for Mr. and Mrs. Frosty Snowman to be on hand for this special event. Contestants must be 4, 5, or 6 years old on January 19. 1985 and must be residents of Donley County. Each contestant must pay an entry fee of \$10.00 when they turn in their application to enter. This entry fee may be paid by parents. grandparents, or other individuals or the contestant may be sponsored by a Donley County business. Sponsors will be announced when their contestant is on stage. Contestants are responsible for getting their own sponsors. Also, contestants must be present on January 18, 1985 at 7:30 p.m. for rehearsal in order to be in the pageant. Winners will again receive crowns, trophies and savings bonds and will appear in several area pageants and parades.

Each contestant will receive momentos from the pageant. Applications for entry can be picked up at The Grocery Store. The Nook. Hensons, Greene Dry Goods, Sayes, Bivens, or Sandy's Drapery in Clarendon. Deadline for entry is Saturday, January 12, 1985. Make plans not to get in on this fun-filled evening either as a contestant or spectator. This is truly fun for all ages. If you have questions you may call Fuzz Mooring, pageant chairman, or Terri Floyd, A.U.E. presi-

Mr. and Mrs. James McAnear Shorthorn **Association delegates**

7M Polled Shorthorns, Mr. and Mrs. James McAnear, Jr., Clarendon, has been selected by fellow Shorthorn/Polled Shorthorn breeders within the state to serve as a delegate at the upcoming annual meetings of the American Shorthorn Association.

Producers from twenty-six districts within the United States and Canada will be attending these meetings. A major national event, the annual meetings of the American Shorthorn Association are held to review the breed's progress over the past year, tend to new and/or old business, and elect new board members to fulfill expired terms of current board members. This year's annual meetings, to be held on January 26, and national bull and female show, to be held on January 28, are being held in conjunction with the 1985 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, Fort Worth, Texas.

Come out and support our tough Bronco basketball teams

Services for Mrs. Myers held Jan. I

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Almeta Myers, age 78, were held at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, January 1, 1985 in the First Baptist Church in-Clarendon with Rev. Gary Pinion, Pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church and Rev. Harold Elliott, Arlington Police Department Chaplain, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral

Mrs. Myers died at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday, December 30, 1984 in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo following a lengthy illness. She was born January 17, 1906 in Anderson County. Texas and was married to George Amos "Pat" Myers on December 14, 1924 at Memphis, Texas. She had been a resident of Donley County since 1919 coming here from Anderson County where she spent her childhood years. She was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church.

Survivoss include her husband, G.A. "Pat" Myers of Clarendon; one son, Z.A. Myers of McLean; three sisters, Mrs. Veda Elliott of Clarendon, Mrs. Pauline Jones of Clarendon, Mrs. Cora Elliott of Claude; one brother, Leon Foster of Hedley; four grandchildren; and seven great grandchildren.

Carl Carter, Troy Guy, P.C. Messer. Bailey Estes, and Joe Bownds. Honorary bearers were Ernest Barbee and the Calvary Baptist

Casket bearers were Alvin Hicks,

Church Men. The family requests that memorials be to the Calvary Baptist Church Building Fund, Clarendon or to the

First Assembly of God Church Build-

Winners of certificates

Winners of the three \$50 certificates given away by the Chamber of Commerce on Saturday, December 22 were: Vickie Jones, Mrs. Elbert Derr and Beverly Burrow.

Donley County State Bank will hold their annual stockholders meeting Tuesday, January 8 at 2:00 p.m.

NOTICE

Chamberlain Community Center The Chamberlain Community Center will meet January 4 at 6:30 for a covered dish supper. Hosts and hostess will be Delbert Koontz and

Fun After 50 to meet

Henry and Eunice Mann.

Fun After 50 Club will meet January 5, 1985 at 10:30 a.m. at the Senior Citizens Center. Come enjoy the fellowship and a covered dish



JAMES [PUD] BAIN by the courthouse Friday to help John Knorpp celebrate his

retirement. John retired as Donley County Attorney as of December 31,

Retirement party held for

County Attorney John Knorpp

A retirement party for John Knorpp, County Attorney, was given Friday in the commissioners court-

John is a life long resident of Clarendon. He was born in Clarendon, but spent most of the winter months as a youth in Long Beach, California. His father and grandfather were both old time ranchers and part of the original organizers of the Donley County State Bank.

John's mother, Bliss Bugbee Knorpp, thought the winter in the panhandle was too severe. About 1910 the Knorpp family, which consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Knorpp, John, Carroll and Buddy, spent the winter in San Antonio, as Mrs. Knorpp thought that the winters would be milder. John stated, "that was the coldest winter on record for San Antonio, hundreds of people died with the flu that year." The next winter the family moved to Long Beach, California. They always returned to Clarendon in the summer time.

John graduated from Woodrow Wilson High School, Long Beach, attended Menio Junior College, Palo Alto, attended Southwestern Law

School in Long Beach and graduated from Jefferson Law School, Dallas, He was a member of the last graduating class from Jefferson Law

He was elected county attorney for the first time in 1939. He served four years. He then went to'work for the State Attorney Generals office in Austin. He had an office in the Capital Building. He entered the army in 1944 and was attached to the Counter Intelligence Corp (CIC). He was assigned as a special agent for the War Department in Weiden. West Germany

After being released from the army, he practiced law in Clarendon for a while, then went to work for the Veteran Administration in Lubbock and Amarillo for the next 10 years. He returned to Clarendon about 1950 and went to farming and ranching. He was re-elected county attorney in

John stated, "the first week I am off, I intend to sleep without getting up. The next week, weather permitting, I intend to sit on my front porch in my rocker. The third week, I might even rock a little.



DONLEY COUNTY JUDGE Billie Christal swearing in the newly

Christal, Blackle Johnson, Constable Precinct 3; Sandra Eads, Tax Collector/Assessor; Steve Reynolds, ommissioner Precinct 1: Buford

Holland, Commissioner Precinct 3; Sheriff Jimmy Thompson and Pat Slavin, County Attorney.

Who's New

Larissa Rhea-Anne Lindley Mr. and Mrs. John Ray Lindley proudly announce the arrival of their daughter Larissa Rhea-Anne on December 25, 1984, at 11:27 A.M. She weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces and measured 21 inches long. Proud grandparents are Jim and Carol Lampier and Harold and Wilma Lindley. Maternal Great Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lampier of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Preston McDaniel of Clarendon. Paternal Great Grandparents

are Mr. and Mrs. D.R. Lindley of Clarendon. Maternal Great-Great Grandparents are Mrs. Eva George of Abilene and Mrs. John McDaniel of Grand Saline.

Wendy Kathleen Hurst

On December 19, 1984 Stanley and Ellie McKee of Clarendon were blessed with the arrival of their first great grandchild, Wendy Kathleen Hurst, weighing 5 pounds 7 ounces. Her parents are Mike and Barbra Hurst of Sierra Madre, CA.

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Debra Slavin places in track meets

Debra Denise Slavin is a sophomore at North Garland High School in Garland, Texas. Track is one of Debra's main interests and she puts a lot of time and energy into the cross country event, 1 mile event, and 2 mile event. Debra starts training the first of August for her cross country event and runs 2 to 6 miles a day, six days a week. The fall track lasts until the end of October. She again starts training in January for spring track, which lasts until the end of June. Debra is coached by Miss Norris.

During the 1983-1984 track year, Debra was a freshman and competed on the junior varsity team. She finished the year up with an outstanding record. In the cross country, usually 2 miles, Debra had an 11th place, 7th place; 5th place, 3rd place, 2nd place and 1st place competing against 80 to 135 girls in each track meet. Debra finished the cross country event with a first place in District as an individual and her team finished with a second place.

In the spring track, Debra placed 4th and 5th in the 2 mile event and took a 3rd place in the 1 mile event. Her team finished with a second place in District for spring track.

For the 1984-85 track year Debra has been moved to the varsity team. Most of the track meets this year have been cancelled due to rainy weather. The two meets Debra competed in, she took a 7th place and-6th place competing against about 75

Debra spends some of her extra time serving and cooking and working part time at an Orange Julius

Who's

Taking

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Stand in Garland Shopping Mall. Debra is the sixteen year old daughter of Charlie and Shirley

Debra is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slavin and the niece of Derlene Graham.

New Cars

1984 Olds by Mary Kay Patton 1985 Buick by Elsworth Crowley, Panhandle.

1985 Buick by Inez Shadid, Mem-1985 Cadillac by Joe T. Jones, 1984 GMC Suburban by Gary Lide,

1985 GMC PU by Neil Conrad, Claude 1985 Buick by Theron Holland, Amarillo. 1985 Buick by W.B. Knorpp, Clarendon.

1984 Olds by Tommy Jackson, 1985 Buick by Keith Krug, Ama-

1985 Olds by J.F. Hupp, McLean. 1985 Olds by John Scamahorn, 1985 GMC PU by Pat Godfrey,

Memphis. 1985 Olds by James F. Hayes Clarendon.

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Vitamin and mineral supplements are a popular -- even if not always necessary -- part of the American diet, says a Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service nutritionist. A recent Gallup Poll shows that

Vitamins?

about 40 percent of the adult population uses vitamin or mineral supplements, says Dr. Alice Hunt. Multivitamins lead the product sales, followed by Vitamin C, B vitamins and Vitamin E, she adds. Food and Drug Administration

(FDA) studies indicate that women are more frequent users of supplements than men in all age groups, says the nutritionist. Heav are those over 65 years of age. While half of all users take only one supplement, about 11 percent take five or more different supplements

One recent study of national health and nutrition suggests that this vitamin and mineral use is not related to actual need, except for iron supplementation in women of childbearing age, reports Hunt. But vitamin use is influenced by advertising and promotions as well as individual health beliefs.

"The vast majority of people can get all the vitamins and minerals they need by eating a well-balanced diet," Hunt maintains. "If you are concerned about your nutrient intake, a physician or registered dietician can tell you whether you need a dietary supplement or not."

If you take vitamins and minerals without consulting a physician, be cautious, says the nutritionist. The FDA has only limited authority to regulate supplements, except for those intended for children under 12 or for pregnant or lactating women. The FDA is not allowed to limit the combination or number of vitamins, minerals or other ingredients in a supplement product.

Most supplement products are safe, says Hunt, since they contain modest amounts of vitamins and minerals which approximate the U.S. Recommended Daily Allowance (RDA). However, higher potency products can be a cause for concern, she says.

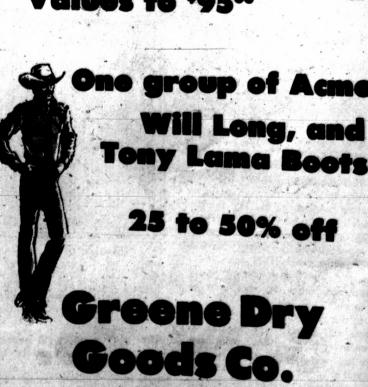
For example, extremely high potency selenium products were recalled by the FDA this spring because they resulted in the loss of hair and other adverse effects.

Even when supplements are safe, they may not be everything they claim to be, the nutritionist cautions. Small, high-priced tablets of dried vegetables were sold last year with the claim that they were a substitute for vegetables for those interested in a healthful diet to prevent cancer.
The FDA has since required that the laims be withdrawn.

"Before spending money on vita-min and mineral supplements, con-sumers really should know what they're taking and have a medically sound reason for adding it to their diet." emphasizes Hunt.







by NAOMI GREEN

Sunday, December 23 at the J.R. Graham home Allen and Winnie Graham of Panhandle, Betty and Martin Hermesmeyer of Groom, Sharon and Gary White of Amarillo, Bebby White of San Antonio, Bill, Kay, Joshua, and Matt Talley of Hedley, Wanda Talley of Memphis. Jerry, Mary Christel and Little Jerry and grandmother Lena Mae Graham gathered to have Christmas dinner.

Adderine Mahaffey entertained Christmas Eve morning with an 8 a.m. breakfast. Guests were: Kate Jones, Emma Shannon, Athlee Dodson and Dana Perdue from Elkhart, Kansas. Dana and her friend Karen Alexander who teach in that vicinity have recently purchased a house and warming it with first Christmas in their new home.

Leóra and Snooks Sparks went to Goodnight Christmas Eve to visit with their son Tony and his family.

Danny Naylor of Stillwater, Okla. and Duane Naylor of Thalia were in Clarendon Monday for the graveside rites of Royce Hall's brother, Carl Hall of Dumas.

David, Brandon and Wesley Bradshaw of Panhandle had lunch in the H.A. Green home Friday and visited the Jerry Green family that after-

Joe Green of Canyon and Rodney Green of Umbarger came Saturday before Christmas to enjoy the H.A. Green family festivities. Paulina and Mateo Jacobo of Lubbock, Robin Green of Amarillo, Morri and Margaret Green of Pampa, Jerome, Patricia, Elena and Jennifer Doerrie of Booker, Charlotte and Beth Payne of Fritch, Lori Green of Amarillo, Shirley, Larry and Jason Green, Dusty Allen, Kandy, Tony, Whitney Floyd of Goodnight, Sanda Baca of Broomfield, N.M. joined Horace and Naomi, Ellen, Tiffany and Stephanie Patterson for candlelight dinner and tree. The children took to the outdoors and hung the pinta in a

tree. Little Jerry hit the fatal blow. We missed Ben Green of Pampa who burst is last year, he was down with

Greg, Cindy, Jason and Kelli Bunyon of Amarillo and Flossie Reynolds spent Christmas day with Steve and Dorothy Reynolds. They visited Ann Bunyon in the afternoon.

Ruth Clay still has her arm tied down so it was up to Mary Ann, her daughter from Breckenridge to help Bennie prepare Christmas Eve dinner. Mary Ann's husband Tom took them to Tulia Christmas Day to have Christmas with his parents Bob and Ferry Hickman.

Bryan and Brandon Mason of Amarillo came home with Stell and Clifford Jewett after they had enjoyed Christmas at Barbara's home in Amarillo. Wille and Irene Roach joined the Clifford Jewetts and their house guests for a visit one day last

The Burl Hollar family went to Paducah Christmas Eve to visit with Albert, Janice and Annie Sue Hollar. The Carl Taylors of Amarillo came Christmas day to have the holiday with their daughter Carlene Hollar and her family.

Mary Land's sister Mary McCalster and her husband Leroy of Oklahoma City spent three days with Mary and Pat Scroggins during the Christmas holidays.

The Lloyd Risley family came Christmas day for dinner and games at the Risley home. Those to attend were: Lloyd Virgil, Marie, Miles and Teresa of Amarillo, Jim, Linda, Amy and Allison Rena of Denver City, Leane, Richard, Patricia and Seth of Lubbock and Martha Jo, Chris and Connie of Clarendon.

The first woman to win a U.S. Distinguished Service Medal was Evangeline Booth, Commander of the

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ural gas deregulation would mean economic benefits and higher domestic gas pro-duction. a) True b) False

to import more foreign oil i domestic natural gas supply prices were deregulated. a)
True b) False

(Source of information: Department of Energy.) to 48 trillion cubic feet of domestic low-cost old gas supplies. ot 5861 mori lessly as he selvent 000,004 of 000,006 38ers an incilling to less the selvent of t ation, deregulation would bring economic benefits of \$33.6 billion to \$48.7 billion as a result of greater efficiency and higher domestic gas production. 4-b. U.S. oil imports would systems 300,000 to 400,000 barrals a day less from 1985 to pipeline companies to adjust prices in response to competi-tive forces 3-a According to the Matural Gas Supply Associ-Geater market flexibility will encourage producers and Answers: 1-a. 2-b. According to a new report, gas prices will not rise significantly, or "fly up," after January I, 1985 when partial decontrol becomes effective under the MGPA.

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Texas boasting more smaller farms

Farming in Texas is continuing to expand, according to recent figures released from the 1982 Census of Agriculture.

The U.S. Census Bureau defines a farm as any place from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold or normally would have been sold during the census year.

Should calves

be wormed, implanted?

Worming and implanting of steer calves have been touted by many as a paying preposition, but just how good are these practices?

A study conducted last fall on the Heine Bade farm in Dewitt County shows that using growth implants does pay but that worming is questionable.

Dr. L.R. Sprott and Dr. David Bade, beef cattle specialist and forage specialist, respectively, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System, conducted the study which involved four treatments of nursing calves: one implant, no implant, one implant and a worming agent, and one implant following by another in 90 days. Raigro implants and Tramisol worming agent were used.

Steers that received at least one implant had an increase in average daily gain of just over two-tenths pound compared to non-implanted steers during the first 90 days, points out Sprott. There was little difference in average daily gain among implanted steers and those that were both implanted and wormed.

After the first 90 days of the study, half of the previously implanted steers were given another implant, which increased average daily gains by almost four-tenths pound compared to steers that originally received one implant.

What does all this mean in dollars and cents?

The greatest return--\$35.40 per head--came from re-implanting steers after 90 days when compared to those receiving no implant, Sprott points out. When compared to steers receiving only the first implant, those that were re-implanted increased returns \$20.40 per head. Implanting once versus not implanting increased returns \$15 per head.

The study clearly shows that implanting steer calves, preferrably twice (every 90 days), can greatly increase profits on sale day, says Sprott. Worming could help worminfested calves but is not likely to be a profitable practice in healthy calves, he adds.

LOCAL

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cross of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Benson, Mrs. Ernest Kent, C.L. Benson and Mrs. Benny Osburn and Blake were in Amarillo Sunday to attend the 60th Wedding Anniversary of their aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Neely Hudson. The event was held at the Elizabeth Jane Bivens home where the couple resides and was hosted by their son Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Hudson of Amarillo.



The 1960's was a decade of change and television played a big part in that change. John Kennedy and television sort of rode into town together. It's been said he was our first television President, and that his charisma punched right through the screen. What was true in life was true in death. His was the first televised assassination and state funeral.



The change and social upheaval in the 1960's was the subject of an hour long documentary aptly called "Change, Change." It is the 19th and final documentary in the acclaimed "A Walk Through The 20th Century" series with Bill Moyers. The series, made possible by a grant from Chevron, has been nominated for four Emmy Apards.

Daniel Defoe, the English writer who penned Robinson Cruson, has been called the father of the English novel.

The number of individual or family farms in the state rose 5.7 percent from 1978 to 1982 while the U.S. total fell 1 percent. At the same time, family farm acreage fell 5.4 percent in Texas and 4.7 in the U.S., notes Dr. Forrest Stegelin, agribusiness economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

A major item of interest from the census data was the increase in smaller farms, in both Texas and the nation, says Stegelin. Farms of one to nine acres increased 43.3 percent in Texas and 24.1 percent nationally, while those of 10 to 49 acres jumped 47.3 percent in Texas and 14.7 percent in the U.S. Farms in 50 to 179 acres increased only 2.6 percent in Texas while all categories of larger farms decreased except for those of more than 2,000 acres, which showed a 1.0 percent increase.

The number of Texans citing farming as their main occupation rose 6.5 percent while the U.S. figure was down 2.7 percent.

Texas farmers had an average of 52.4 years compared to the U.S, average of 50.5 years, with a sharp increase in farmers 65 years old or older, Stegelin points out.

Farms averaged 707 acres in Texas in 1982 compared to 439 for the U.S.

average,

Farms boasting a lot of woodland increased 10.5 percent in Texas during the four-year period but fell 2.4 percent nationally while farms of mainly pastureland and rangeland increased 8.4 percent in the state and 1.6 percent in the U.S. Irrigated acreage declined almost 20 percent in Texas while the national irrigated acreage fell only 2.7 percent, notes

Stegelin.

The increase in market value of agricultural products sold by Texans from 1978 to 1982 did not keep pace with the U.S. average, says Stegelin. The Texas market value increased only 8.1 percent while the national increase was 23.1 percent. The average market value per Texas farm increased 2.5 percent while the

national averaged jumped 24 percent during the four-year period.

Regarding the market value of certain crops, Texas grains were up almost 50 percent while cotton and cottonseed fell almost 33 percent. Vegetables and melons were up about 23 percent while the value of nursery and greenhouse products skyrocketed 69.5 percent.

The market value of Texas livestock and poultry increased 6.1 percent during 1978-82 compared to the national gain of 18.1 percent.

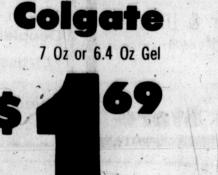
By value of sales, only 2.7 percent of Texas farms had a volume of \$250,000 or more in 1982 while almost 51 percent had sales of less than \$5,000. These figures dispel the notion that Texas farmers are big marketers, points out Stegelin.

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Tuesday-Roast pork, sweet potatoes, green beans, Waldorf Salad, Jello with topping (orange), dinner rolls, milk, tea, coffee.

Wednesday-Meat loaf with tomato sauce, potato AuGratin, mixed greens, red Jello with fruit cocktail, chocolate pudding, dinner rolls, milk, tea, coffee.

Calendar of Events January 3-9
Thursday-Exercise 11 a.m., Game Night 6-10 p.m.

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LOCAL

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cross of Memphis spent Christmas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Osburn and Blake. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Maxey Osburn and daughters of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. B.B. Osburn and Dorcas.

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School Menu

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Tuesday-Mexican special, tossed salad, Ranch Style beans, Jello, milk. Wednesday-Barbeque chicken, potato salad, buttered corn, hot rolls, banana pudding, milk.

Thursday-Spaghetti with meat sauce hot rolls, green beans, whipped honey and butter, pear and milk. Friday-Barbeque on bun, French fries, tossed salad, peach cobbler, milk.

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Young Homemakers Christmas party

The Clarendon Young Homemakers held their annual Christmas party December 15 at the home of Mrs. Edie Robertson.

The evening was spent enjoying delicious refreshments, playing games and opening gifts.

Those present were: JoDee Mincey, Cathy Jewett, Debbie Hollan, Debbie Blackburn, Nancy Kidd, Kathy Holland, Missy Kidd, Annette Osburn and Edie Robertson.

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Medical Center News

by VERA JOHNSON

The residents and employees wish to take this time of year to express our thanks and gratitude for all the lovely things that the churches, clubs, and individuals have done for us, for the many kind deeds that everyone in our community has done for our residents at Medical Center.

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We wish to thanks the churches
and pastors for the Sunday afternoon
church services they have brought to
our residents through the past year.

Thanks to Bro. Bruce Hofmann for

ur Thursday night Bible Study, to Mrs. Helen Rogers for being so faithful in teaching our Sunday School each Sunday morning, the Martin Baptist Church and all others who made the Country Store a wonderful success. It brought so much happiness to our residents and their families, to the Littlest Angel Choir of the First Methodist Church for their sweet Christmas program, to the LVN class for their program, fruit and Cokes, Bro. Paul Heil's special Christmas message with film, Church of Christ for Christmas baskets of fruit and aprons, Harlan's corsages they gave to each resident and all the lovely vases of flowers. they sent for every special occasion, Mrs. Beth Nelson for teaching music therapy every Monday afternoon, Mrs. C.F. Moss and all the faithful singers that come twice a month to sing for our residents, Clayton Ferris who plays the piano for the residents as they are getting ready for their evening meal, Louise Payne for our new Christmas tree decorations, Methodist ladies for the lovely gifts for our residents, weekly visitors, volunteers for all types of programs and volunteers who help serve the evening meal, kitchen employees who gave each a beautiful red rose, plates of cookies from the ladies of the First Baptist Church, the 4-H Club for fruit and singing, Calvery Baptist Church for gifts and the night of our residents Christmas party, and if we have missed your name we are grateful for any service you may have done for us.

Also we wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Santa for a wonderful time they helped give us when we had our Christmas tree, also thanks to the families of our residents who furnished food for their evening meal. Also we don't want to miss Hugh Mahaffey for helping move out all the tables and returning them to the dining room the night of our Christmas tree and program.

Mrs. Carrie Johnson wanted me to thank each and every one for the good nursing care and proper food, all the nice activities that she enjoyed while she was recovering from her two surgeries and all the nice clean clothes, and clean room that she enjoyed while she was regaining her health. She thinks Medical Center is a wonderful place to be when you are sick and need care. She said, "I love all the employees, they all were so nice to me."

All the residents want to say thanks for all the wonderful things that are done for them. May God bless all of you and have a Happy New Year.

LOCAL

Mr. and Mrs. J.B. McDaniel attended the funeral of Homer Hoffman of Gainesville Monday, December 24 at 2:00 at the Presbyterian. Church of Gainesville. Mr. Hoffman was a brother-in-law of Y'vonne Belle's and a cousin to J.B. and Bernice Anderson. They returned home Tuesday. The Hoffmans were frequent visitors in the McDaniel's home and had acquired many friends here.

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Alma Lamberson came from Pampa in their R.V. and picked up J.T. and Helen and took them to Burkburnett for Buddy and Alma's granddaughter's birthday party. They ate at Show Biz Pizza Place and had pizza and birthday cake.

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Tommie took Nettie and Tommie's aunt, Mrs. Ruby Leggitt to Waco to the home of Mike and Sharon Newman for Christmas. They were joined there by their son, Richard and Judy Alexander of Plano. Nettie intended to visit Pat Lesley in Houston, but came home early on

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tired of the

yearly after-

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account of a bad cold. When I saw her Sunday, she was wrapped in a Ben-Gay soaked towel. Hope she's feeling better soon. It's bad to be sick at Christmas.

Connie and Mahdeene Debord celebrated Christmas this weekend. Debbie and John Flanary couldn't get home before then. Connie Lee and Troy Wilson and Cory and Brad came along with Slats and Peggy Debord.

I talked to L.D. Ball a few days ago. Darlene is ill. I don't think her recent heart surgery is giving her trouble. She seems to have the flu or some obscure virus.

J.T. and Helen Lamberson spent Christmas in Pampa with Bud and Alma. Their grandson and his family from Burkburnett met them there. They enjoyed Santa's visit on Christmas Eve.

Jean Rowell spent Christmas with Louie and Dottie Bogue. Their children live away, except Kim and Bill Jeffery and they had company, but Dottie didn't know their names. She really wasn't too informative.

Jack and Jackie Stafford went to Spur for the holiday. They met Bob and Sandy Stafford, Jay and John at the home of Sandy's parents, Borde and Adrin Puckett.

Pie Adamson had a brand new

great grandson. Born December 23 to Jerry Don and Judy Davis of Spearman, he was named Marcas Wade. He weighed 8 pounds 4% ounces and was 21 inches long. According to Pie, he's the most beautiful baby born lately. She said he looked just like her!

Radell and Elizabeth Sanders of Tulia visited his mother, Beaullah and D.K. Hall Friday. On Sunday Gene Sanders and Delores Gouch of Dimmitt and Lisa and Renee Sanders of Childress visited the Halls.

Don and Eram Lee Young and Milissa and Landon of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Woodrow and Ora Pearl Farris last week.

Paula Clendennen of McLean visited her parents Tom and Opal last week. Opal and Tom have both been on the sick list. Tom's been to the doctor. Laqueta Cox has been tending to Opal.

Alfred and Elloise Spalding had all their family home during the holidays. Martha and Doug Lowe of Fort Worth and David Lowe of Duncanville were there. Sara and Garv Carter and Lisa and Deena Messer of Clayton, Kathleen and Bob Pixley of Lindsey, Oklahoma, Randy and Debbie Matthews and Jason of Sayre, Oklahoma and Darrell Messer of Gruver completed. the party. Jack and Jackie Stafford visited sometime during that time.

Boots and Eunice. Ward had all their kids home for the holiday except Jean and her family. Those enjoying their mother's cooking were Glenn and Wanda Ward, Helena, Debbie, and Glenn Eric of Childress, Ronnie and Becki Ward of Hugeton, Kansas, Ricky and Pam Ward, Lewanna and Brent from Lakeview. Lorene McCrary, Dean and Shanna and Shawna, Leonand Carole Ward, Amanda and David of Hedley, and Pam's sister Shelly Mize from Houston. Tonya and Lawun live at home so they didn't count as visitors.

A.E. and Jackie Ranson recently had their daughter Reatha and Gayle Pyeatt of Amarillo and their granddaughter, Mary Margaret and Scott Ekart of Dallas visiting in their home. Reatha told me she got up before breakfast and helped A.E. feed the cattle. I wonder how long it's been since she shared that chore with him.

T. Mullins got along alright Christmas. He and Nancy and the boys came to our house for Christmas dinner and went on to Estelline to Bob and Mildred Jewett's house for supper. Actually we enjoy the company of the Mullins family. Bill, Steve, and Danny are my very favorite nephews. My parents Moon Mullins and Mrs. Lola Brown and Linda Ivy were here also.

Earnest and Shirley Lamberson and Jack and Sue Nivens had supper Friday night.

Bill and Juanell Carson had their daughter and grandchildren with them at church Sunday. Susan Cosby, David, Charlotte, and Nancy don't get to visit the church in Hedley very often. Susan's husband, Stan, is the pastor of one of the churches in Amarillo and for the life of me, I can't remember which one it is. Whichever one it is, I saw his picture, along with Mrs. Tom Tate in the paper not long ago. Stan was horseback. It had to do with the Kenneth Wyatt painting of two

hundred years of Methodist.
Lisa Mullins came by for a short visit Saturday. She's living in Amarillo and attending T.S.T.I. She'd been with her mother, Janie Mullins, in Memphis for Christmas. She's got to be the nicest niece I

have.

The floor covering is down in the basement of the Methodist Church. It looks real nice. Several of us were admiring it Sunday morning after church. There was a rock about the size of a man's fist laying on the floor and the window was broken. I can't believe a car could throw a rock that size through the window. Especially since most of the window is screened by the evergreen trees that grow just outside the building. Helen Lamberson and I are anxious to have a social at the church.

Lori Ann Yannis has been with us during the school holidays. She has to go back to school Wednesday, so I guess she'll be going home this week. We always enjoy her. She's like I imagine a grandchild would be. She's in the first grade now and beginning to read and write. It seems impossible. It's been no time at all since she was just a baby.

Harry Rowley was here a few days ago. He had bought one of the boy's hogs and finnigled Fred and Keith and Guy to help him kill it. If I had my druthers, I'd druther Dewey and Shirley Butler do my butchering. That way, when you get your meat, it's sliced and wrapped in nice tidy packages and all you have to do is cook it. That's the way I like it. 1 can't slice bacon or ham worth nothing. Besides that, I usually manage to cut myself while I'm

Eva Canada is home after spe ing several days in the home of her daughter. Cleta Davis in Little Rock. Laqueta Cox spent the weekend in Stinnett with Pick. Jeanette Cates

and Billy Ray joined them there. Herbert Spier is in the VA Hospital

Wally Jones of San Rafel, Ca. has been visiting her sister, Dean Hill, recently. She's in Fort Worth visiting Wendell and Patsy Spier.

Red and Dean Hill spent Christmas in Dallas with their daughter and son-in-law, Sue and Ray Pinkerton. Their other kids, Neva and Max Lewis of Quannah, met them there. Red spoiled the grandkids, Chad and Mandy Pinkerton and Eric and Karah Lewis. When they got home Dean was rushed to the Childress Hospital where she spent several days suffering from bronchitis and asthma. She came home Sunday.

Amy and Tammy Osborne cele-

brated their birthday last week. Their parents, Duane and Gayle, hosted a birthday breakfast for them. Afterward nearly all the kids in town participated in a scavenger hunt. The winning team was treated to a

pizza party in Amarillo Sunday.

This has been a most unusual
December. We've had about 6
inches of rain. It's also been foggy several days. We haven't had a lot of ice, but have had some. The pond hasn't frozen hard enough to skate on yet. Not hat I skate, mind you, but the kids enjoy it.

Classes at Hedley school will

resume this week. Most mothers will be breathing sighs of relief and the teachers will be groaning. Basket-ball season is well underway and the kids will begin drama and start working on the UIL competition. That's what I'm looking forward to.

EMS Activity Report

12-20-84 Rose Mary Crouser, 29 and Eric Crouser, 5 of March Air Force Base, California no transport from Hwy 287, 12 miles west of Clarendon. Trauma.

LOCAL

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann had all their children home over the holidays, Red and Louise Carter, Dumas; Johnny and Becky Carter, Pampa; Randy Carter, Austin; Ruby and Abe, Sharon and April, Mike, Jessica and Teresa Turner, Haskell; Gurvis and Frances Kennard, Amarillo; Allen and Jennifer Smith, College Station.

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difficulty sleeping while the other two groups had almost normal sleeping patterns. The group receiving the short-acting drug trianslam appeared to be most alert following sleep.

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PUBLIC, NOTICE The Donley Commission-or's Court will field a public hearing

concerning the proposed submission of a grant application for funds to renovate the tennis facilities located at the Clarendon School. The hearing will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, January 14, 1985 in the Conference Room of the Douley County Courthouse Annex. Contact W.R. Christal, Donley County Judge for additional information.

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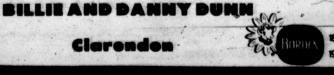
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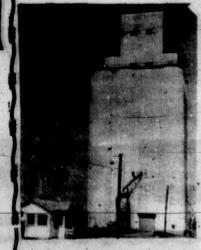
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