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Receipts Warn of Economic Problems

Clarendon's sales tax receipts for October dropped by 42.60%. That pulls down the payments for 1989-to-date down by .84% This is grim economic news for the city, but many area merchants expect even worse news for the final quarter of 1989. A poor cotton crop has hurt all sectors of the economy.

In Donely County, only Howardwick was an economic bright spot. Howardwick's sales were up 311% over the previous October and up 31.65% over the year-to-dat 2. Hedley was off by 8.97%.

Other area towns should mixed results. Armstrong County (Claude) showed a gain of 1.29% for the month and a loss of .81% for year-to-date. Briscoe (Quitaque, Silverton) was off 14.16% for the month and 11.53% for the longer period. Carson County showed a 26% improvement for the month and a 13.99% improvement for the first part of the year. Childress was up by 2.99% and 5.38%. Collingworth County was up 19.75% and 3.90%. Dickens was up 35.22% for the month, but was down by 42.86 for the longer haul. Gray county (Pampa and McLean) was up 19.84% and 5.15%. Potter County was up 12.11% and 3.91%. Randall was up 1.39 and

Obviously Clarendon cannot afford economic complacency at this time. While the town was spared some of the trauma that some area towns have undergone, it is not immune to economic problems. Unless the citizens and business of the community cooperate and work hard at economic development, the situation will not improve. Clarendon will continue to lose businesses. And investments--especially real estate investments--will con-

far fewer assets than this one have shown that growth in rural communities is possible. Such growth will take hard work and organization, but it is possible.

across the state or nation, as demonstrated by Prairie Cottage Candy Company. But development will not "just happen". Ghost towns "just happen". If Donley County continues to thrive, it will be the result of people who care enough to do something.

Reports on Holiday

The Texas Department of Public Safety estimated a very low number of people to die on Texas highways in 1989, New Year's Holiday. Only 32 persons lost their lives in that 78 hours of Operation Life Save in 1989! This is the direct result of positive safe thinking, conservative driving and closer observance of the traffic

Major V.J. Cawthon, Commander of the 60 counties in Region 5, said, "People are becoming more sensible and sensitive about the drinking-driving problem in Texas. Safety belt usage is up and traffic death rates are lower than they were in 1987. If this trend continues, we may see the lowest count of traffic deaths since the record high of 1981."

The continued use of all safety belts in Texas vehicles will help preserve more lives. The National Safety Council states that a person has a five to one chance of surviving in a bad traffic accident while belted in their vehicle. With judi-

Pageant To Air

The Beauty and Brawn Pageant will be shown on Channel 8, Monday, January 1st at 6:30 p.m. Only one hour will be shown at this time.

If anyone would like to have a copy of the tape, please contact at this number-874-3926.

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| Sunday | 24 | 38 | -1 | |

5.40%. Wheeler County was off 15.20% and 1.39%.

tinue to lose value. But Donley County has the potential to grow. Many communities with

Few other areas have as much unrealized potential for tourism. There is a tremendous potential for businesses that market their products widely

Dept. of Public Safety

lated traffic deaths. Major Cawthon said, "The way to make this year's estimates smaller than expected is to select

cious and reasonable use of alcohol, the National Safety Council foresees a reduction in alcohol re-

on sober driver per motor vehicle attending each New Year's party, hold the speed within the posted limit and insist that all persons wear safety belts when the vehicle is in motion."

While the New Year Holiday period is in effect, there will be additional Highway Patrol troopers on duty to assist stranded motorist and enforce traffic laws, so you may have a safer and happier New Year

Cotton Production

Seminar Scheduled

Cotton producers in Donley

will want to mark their calendar for

Thursday, January 18, 1990. A

Cotton Production Seminar will be

held that day at Hedley, Texas, in

the Lions Club building. The semi-

nar is sponsored by the Donley and

Collingsworth County Extension

Crops Committees, and will start at

10:00 a.m. A meal will be spon-

sored by local businesses and the

seminar should conclude around

3:30 p.m. Sponsors of the meal for

the seminar include: Evans Fer-

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Service, Inc., Memphis Compress

Co., George Ferris Flying Service,

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Hedley, Security State Bank in

Hedley, and the Donley County

Dr. Dan Rommel, Professor of Re-

search at Lubbock Experiment Sta-

tion and expert on the boll weevil;

Dr. James Supak, Extension

Agronomist-Cotton, discussing

profitable production practices;

Tony Pardo, Extension Agent -

Pesticide Safety, discussing new

pesticide law changes; Dr. Brent

Featured speakers will include:

State Bank.

and Collingsworth counties



INSTALLATION OF NEW MEMBERS to the National Honor Society. New Members: Wil Burlin, Bryan Denney, Triva Denney, Kelly Edwards, Shane Hall, Crystal Havens, Suzzettte Henson, Audra Hoggard, Buddy Howard, Katrina Leathers, Gabriel Manchacca, Shonda Phillips, Che Shadle, Carrie Simpson, Danny Smith, Tammy Stegal, Josathan Vorheis, Liz Vorheis, Brad Williams, Megan Williams. N.H.S. Officers: Andrea Edwards - President; Jimmy Hobbs - Vice President; Kayla Hunt - Secretary; Lynn Wiggs

Deadline Announced

Due to the New Year's Holiday, the deadline for next week's paper will be Friday at 5:00 p.m. in place of the normal deadline of Monday at 5:00 p.m. The Press will be closed on Monday, January

The deadline will return to normal on January 8th.

Beauty and Brawn Pageant Held

The Annual Staff at Clarendon High School sponsored its annual Beauty and Brawn Pageant on December 13, 1989, in the Harned Sisters Auditorium. Miss Betty Veach sponsors the Annual Staff; Jimmy Hobbs is Editor; Tammy Stegall, Editor; Jennie Porter, Danny Smit's, and Kelby

Becki Britten, Kayla Hunt, Brandie Stroup, Karen Hill, Michael Adams, Bobby Chambless, Jason Sharrar, and Wayne Mays represented the Senior Class.

Juniors who participated included: Minde Hollar, Crystal Havens, Shonda Phillips, Tammy Stegall, Jonathan Stewart, Justin Ham, Michael Shadle, and Bobby Pinson.

The Sophmore contestants were: Kelly Edwards, Cindy Hermesmeyer, Lani Douthit, Scharla Leeper, Buddy Howard, Brad Williams, Stephen Bivens, and Scott Hankins.

Kelli Keown, Tessa Fletcher, Bobbie Havens, Amy Pinson, Jeff Hatley, Jason Ward, Brice Fletcher, and Steven Davis represented the Freshman Class.

The five male finalists were: Scott Hankins, Brad Williams. Jason Sharrar, Stephen Bivens and Brice Fletcher. The five female finalists were:

Karen Hill, Lani Douthit, Kelly Edwards Kayla Hunt, and Kelli

Karen Hill won First Runner-up. (girl), and Scott Hankins took the First Runner- up (boy) Kelly Ed-

Bean, Extension Agronomist, dis-

cussing weed control, herbi cide in-

corporation and demonstrating

spraying problems; and Dr. Carl

Patrick, Extension Entomologist.

discussing the importance of early

Producers must contact the

Donley County Extension Office

(806/874-2141) or the Col

lingsworth County Extension Ot-

fice (806/447-2313) by January 11,

1990, to get a head count for the

me: 1. More information about the

seminar can be obtained from the

Donley or Collingsworth County

Gage Named

To Honor Roll

Jay Gage of Clarendon, has

Honor Roll for the Fall Semester at

Clarendon College in Clarendon,

of a full time academic student for

inclusion in the President's Honor

Roll. Congratulations to Jay for

meeting these high standards!

A minimum 4.0 GPA is required

been named to the President's

insect control.

Extension Offices.

wards was Most Beautiful, and Brad Williams was Most Handsome. The judges picked Brad Williams as Mr. Congeniality and Tammy Stegall as Miss Congeniality.

The National Honor Society Inducted new members the same evening. Wil Burlin, Bryan Denney, Triva Denney, Kelly Edwards, Shane Hall, Crystal Havens, Suzzette Henson, Audra Hoggard, Buddy Howard, Katrina Leathers, Gabriel Menchaca, Shonda Phil- LION TODD KNORPP PRESENTS checks for Clarendon College To lips, Che Shadle, Carrie Simpson, Lion Don Smith, to benefit the College's Scholarship funds. Danny Smith, Tammy Stegall, Jonathan Vorheis, Liz Vorheis, Brad Williams, and Megan Williams were inducted into the society. Officers of the National Honor Society are Andrea Edwards - President; Jimmy Hobbs -Vice President; Kayla Hunt -Secretary, and Lynn Wiggs -Treasurer.

Loan **Applications Being Accepted**

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by excessive rainfall and flooding, high winds and hail, are being accepted at the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) office located in 321 South Sully, Clarendon, FmHA County Supervisor Debra Sanderson said today.

eligible for loans of up to 80 percent of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue in business or \$500,000, whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders,

"As a general rule, a farmer must Sanderson said. Farmers par

"Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until July 17, 1990 but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing and possibly over into the new farming season, Sanderson said.

FmHA is a credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It

Livestock Show To Be Held The Donley County Junior members, giving them an oppor-Livestock Show is set for tunity to learn about proper nutri-January 13, 1990. Of course, this is tion, health and management of their animal(s). They also develop less than a month away and 4-H and FFA members are working very skills of caring for these animals, showmanship skills, and sportsmanship skills that can be used by many of them for a lifetime. and FFA are feeding, train ing and 4-H'ers and FFA'ers also learn to caring for steers, lambs, pigs and handle responsibility and increase turkeys for the Donley County self-esteem by becoming Show, as well as major shows in Ft.

> The highlight of the year for 4-H and FFA members with livestock projects is participation in the county and major livestock shows. Cont'd on p. 3.

knowledgeable and skilled in their

Donley and Armstrong counties are two of thirty-one in Texas

recently named by Secretary of Agriculture Clayton Yeutter as eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from the excessive rainfall and flooding, high winds and hail, April 29 through May 17, and May 29 through June 15, 1989.

Sanderson said farmers may be the interest rate is 4.5 percent.

have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FmHA emergency loan," ticipating in the PIK or Federal Crop Insurance programs will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining their loss.

Child Support Delinquents to be Reported to Credit Agencies

hard for preparation of the show.

Youths from ages 6 to 18 in 4-H

Worth, San Antonio and Houston.

These youngsters have been

managing some of these projects a

month, while others have been for

approximately seven months.

Livestock projects are a major

responsibility for 4-H and FFA

AUSTIN--Attorney General Jim Mattox announced that beginning today (December 18, 1989) his Child Support Enforcement Division is reporting non-custodial parents who owe past due child support to comsumer credit reporting agencies.

"Past-due child support is as much of a debt as a past-due car payment," said Mattox. "People who fail to pay child support will now run the same risk of having their credit rating lowered as they would if they fail to make

The Attorney General's Child Support Enforcement Division will automatically report on a monthly basis the names of non-custodial parents who have been located and who owe more than \$500 in past-due child support. The monthly report contains the amount of arrearages owed by each individual and a list of new non-custodial parents who have become delin-

The delinquency will remain on the person's credit record for at least seven years, beginning when the case is inititally submitted.

Mattox said that reporting these names will give the Texas child support program another creative and innovative enforcement tool.

"If you have bad credit because you don't pay child support, it will be very difficult to buy a car, a house or any other big ticket item that you need credit for," said Mattox.

Mattox said that creditors should evaluate a non-custodial parent's child support delinquency before granting credit. They should know that child support is an automatic judgment; is renewable from month to month; and is not satisfied until the order expires, which usually occurs when the child turns 18. It takes precedence over other debts.

The CSED notifies delinquent parents before their names are submitted and gives them a chance to pay their past-due amount. If the parent believes that the past-due amount is incorrect, he or she can request an administrative hearing to resolve the dispute.

"We'll take every precaution to ensure that non-custodial parent's due process rights are protected," Mattox said. "But if you owe child support, the best way to protect your credit rating is to contact your local child support office e and make arrangements to pay what you owe."

Many child support cases are the result of divorce proceedings, but under Texas law child support may also be charged to unmarried fathers. With the increasing number of teen pregnancies, more and more young men are expected to have to pay roughly eighteen years' worth of child support Cont'd on p. 3. payments as a result their sexual activities.

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Election Results Told

Results of the December 4th election of county ASC committee persons for 1990 were announced by Earl Shields, chairper-

Newly named to committee in the mail balloting were: Roy Lee Helms, Committee Member, Larry Wade, First Alternate and Buddy Ford, Second Alternate.

Shields said farmer committees are in charge of local administration of national farm programs, under the guidance of the State ASC committee and applicable Federal laws and regulations. At least one committee member and two alternates are elected each year. The farmer receiving the largest number of votes is elected to the county committee for a three-year term; persons receiving

Pressure Sores: Prevention/Treatment

Almost half of all nursing home patients suffer with pressure sores

or "bed sores." Individuals who are bedridden or confined to wheelchairs

often develop such sores. Pressure sores are thought to occur as a result

of lost body fat, immobility, and the loss of blood circulation to areas

lying over bones (e.g., hips) where there is much pressure against the

Prevention is still the best approach to dealing with pressure sores.

Carefully turning the patient to a different body position every two

hours is essential. Other preventative measures include the use of

ripple mattresses, waterbeds, air-filled pads, or other devices that help

distribute body weight over a large area. Treatment of pressure sores

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the second largest and third largest number of votes are elected to oneyear terms as first and second alter-

Shields said that last year about 85% of all farmers in the county participated in one or more of the programs administered by the ASC committee.

Harrisons Celebrated **Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Hawley A. Harrison Sr. of Rt. 1, Clarendon celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary Sunday with a reception in the dining room at Medical Center Nursing Home. The reception was hosted by children of the couple:

Hawley Harrison and Corrine

Patterson were married at Mc-Alester, Oklahoma on December 14, 1919 and established their first home in St. Louis Missouri. In 1925 they moved to the farm in Donley County where they still reside.

Children of the couple are June Chase, Odessa; H.A. Harrison, Jr., Heyburn, Idaho; Nelda Jones, Dalhart and Dennis Harrison of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison are parents of 7 children, 3 of whom are deceased. They have 18 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren.

Family members who gathered for a holiday visit and to celebrate Mr. and Mrs. Hawley A. Harrison, Sr.'s 70th wedding anniversary were June and David Chase, Odessa, TX., Bill Dolman, Susie and Erica Guyton, Carol, Corie and Mary Dolman, Austin, TX., Paula, Ed, Rebecca, Beth and Anne Berg, Englewood, CO., Nelda and J.D. Jones, Dalhart, TX., Karen Cozart, Norman, OK., Tessa Foster, Amarillo, TX., and Dennis and Loretta Harrison, Clarendon, Tx.

H.A. Harrison, Jr. of Heyburn, Idaho had planned to attend but was unable to come because of a broken collar bone. We all signed a

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get well card to speed him on to. recovery from his injury.

The Lions Tale

by Gene Alderson

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting at noon on Tuesday, Dec. 19th at the Lions Hall with 28 present. Lion Henson introduced our guests, including Walt Knorpp with Knorpp Insurance.

Following a delicious meal, Lion Bentley led the singing followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by Boss Lion Knorpp and prayer by Lion Christal. The Boss Lion gave a bingo report. He announced that Lion Bentley had been nominated to complete the term of 3rd Vice president which was left open when Lion Thompson moved away from Clarendon. He was unanimously approved. Plans were completed for distribution of Christmas baskets Friday, Dec. 22nd. Lion So Relle encouraged us to attend a public hearing on December 28th to provide local taxing entities with

public input on the exemption of personal automobiles etc. from

local personnel property taxes/
Boss Lion Knorpp presented checks to Clarendon College which were accepted by Lion Smith. The Drama Dept. Athletic Dept., Ag. Dept. and Music Dept. Each received a \$100 check for their scholarship fund.

Meeting adjourned.

Chapter #6, Order of The **Eastern Star**

by Polly Sarich

very large group of members Mathews, Nancy McClintock,

Christmas music was enjoyed

We were very pleased to have

holy night

long."

and visitors enjoyed the Regular Stated Meeting on Thursday, Dec. 21st at the Clarendon Masonic Hall. A lovely Candlelight Ceremony followed by everyone singing Silent Night. Following that, everyone retired to the Dining Room where delicious refreshments were served by Mary Mary Neal Risley, Ethelyn Grady and Hazel Brandon, and it was a real Christmas feed. Everyone enjoyed it and we were very pleased to have a real Santa Claus come in out of the cold (probably the North Pole and he must have felt right at home since it was -4 degrees at that time.

during the late supper and an exciting gift exchange followed. Much conversation and laughter filled the air and it was beginning to feel like Christmas.

visitors from Carroll Chapter #315 which is located in Carrolltown, Ohio, Jewell Gallon and John Gallon. He is a Past Master of his lodge there. Their presence helped make this an evening that we all will long remember.

"May the Star that shone that

Fill you Christmas time with light And may the angels' joyous song Live in your heart the whole year

Obituaries

Willie Mae Crisler Willie Mae Crisler of Amarillo, age 79, died Thursday, Dec. 21,

Services were held Tuesday, Dec. 26 in the Valleyview Church of the Nazarene with the Rev. Jack Lowe, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery at Dalhart, with arrangements by Schooler-Gordon Colonial

Chapel. Mrs. Crisler, born in Abilene, had been an Amarillo resident 40 years. She was a member of Vallevview Church of the Nazarene. She married Lee Crisler in 1924 at Clarendon. She had been a Sunday school teacher many years and retired from the Amarillo Linen

Service. Survivors include her husband; a son, Tommy Leo Crisler of Las Alamos, N.M.; a daughter, Wilma Jean Hall of Farmington, N.M.; a brother, Harold Thomas of Texas; a sister, Nettie Stevenson of Claude; eight grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Lloyd Benson "Squirrel" Scoggin

Graveside services for Lloyd Benson "Squirrel" Scoggin, age 72, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 21. 1989 at Citizens Cemetery with Bright Newhouse, church of Christ Minister from Clarendon, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mr. Scoggin died at 2:20 p.m. on Tuesday, December 19, 1989 in veterans's Administration Medical Center in Amarillo following a lengthy illness. He was born September 23, 1917 at Foster, Oklahoma and moved from Oklahoma to Donley County in 1936. He worked most of his life as a horse trainer and he was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include one sister. Mary Lois Scoggin of Sulphur, Oklahoma.

Bachelor's Degree Received

Vivian Jeanette Crutchfield Blevins of Brownfield was among 50 students receiving their Bachelor's Degree during Lubbock Christian University's 1989 December graduation ceremonies.

Jeanette, who is the daughter of Roy and Cleo Crutchfield of Clarendon, graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in

Elementary Education. Lubbock Christian University is a Liberal Arts institution dedicated to providing a quality education in a christian atmosphere.

LCU offers 24 bachelor degree programs with an average enrollment of more than 1,000 students. The combination of large university quality and small college personal attention makes LCU an excellent educational choice.

Notice

The Senior Citizens 1st Tues-day dance will be held Tuesday, January 2, 1990 at the Community Building on North Ayers Street in Clarendon from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. The music will be by Melvin Srygley and the Offbeats. Admission will be \$2.00.



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LOANS--Cont'd from p. 1.

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The FmHA office in Clarendon is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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This is where the efforts, time spent and money invested in these projects are rewarded, but there are no guaran tees that the rewards will always pay for the investments. Nevertheless, many youngsters have started college savings, opened bank accounts, developed herds or flocks by participating in the livestock program.

The Donley County Junior Livestock Show will start on Fri day, January 12, with all animals having to be at the Community Building by 4:00 p.m. Superintendents of each division will start weighing pigs, steers, and lambs after 4:00 p.m. that Friday. The show will begin on Saturday morning, January 13, at 9:00 a.m., with lambs, followed by the turkeys, swine and then steers. The Buyers and Exhibitors Appreciation Supper will be at 6:00

p.m., followed by the Premium Sale at 7:00 p.m. This years judge for the show will be Robert Harris, County Extension Agent in Armstrong County.

Everyone is invited to the show, and encouraged to support the local 4-H and FFA programs by participating in the Premium Sale on Saturday evening.

Bronco Basketball

The Clarendon Bronco teams hosted Valley, December 18th in the local gym. The JV Girls lost their game by a score of 34 to 20. The JV Boys lost their game by a score of 47 - 39 in a double overtime game.

Clarendon.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY



James Owens Boot Shop Clarendon, Texas

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Michael Adams scored a game

high of 29 points, 12 rebounds and 7 steals to lead Clarendon over Valley 49 to 42. Jonathan Stewart scored 7 points and had 8 rebounds; Che Shadle scored 5 points, had 7 rebounds, 5 steals; Chance Fletcher scored 4 points, Nathan Lowrie and Brian Denney scored 2 points each. The Broncos will play Lockney in the Claude Tournament at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, December 28th.

It pays to Advertise in The Clarendon Press

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Tournament

The Clarendon Varsity Basketball teams will participate in the Claude tournament beginning Thursday, Dec. 28 thru Dec. 30th. The girls team will play Lockney, Thursday at 9:30 a.m. and the Broncos will play Lockney at 11 a.m. Both teams will play three games in this tournament. Cub Scout Pack 437

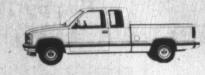
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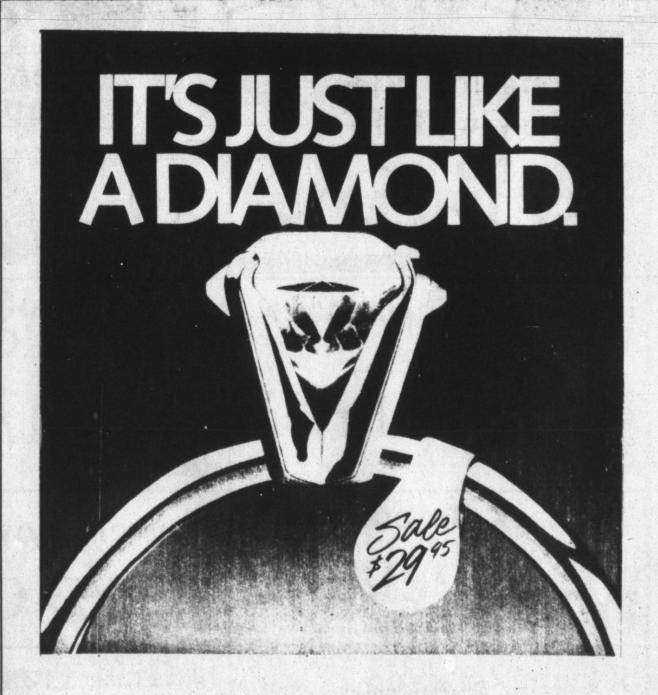
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Senior Citizens News

Thanks to Fannie Wilson for making the many Santa Claus Napkin Holder Favors that was sent out with the Christmas Dinner Home Delivered Meals last Friday, Dec. 15th. I'm sure they made the day a little brighter.

The frigid weather and flu bugs curbed the attendance for Monday Night Dance Practice Dec. 25th.

They had a nice crowd for the 3rd Tuesday Night Dance, Dec. 19th at the Community Building. The next dance will be January 2nd, 1990, at the Community Building from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. with Melvin Srygley and the Off-Beats furnishing the

Carmen Wright had 33 for Blood Pressure check on Tuesday, Dec. 19th. She will be back on Tuesday, Jan. 2nd from 9 til 1 p.m.

Cheryl Pickard braved the cold weather to present our Nutrition Program on Thursday, Dec. 21st.

The topic was on "Be Sensible about salt,170 in our diets. In case you were not here, she left handout pamphlets you may pick up here at the Center.

Here's hoping you all had a love-ly Christmas Holiday.

Senior Citizens Menu

Dec. 28 - Jan. 3

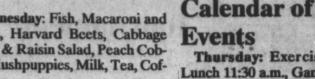
Thursday: Roast Beef w/natural gravy, Cream Potatoes, Green Beans, Tossed Salad, Mandarin Orange Cake, Dinner Roll, Milk, Tea, Coffee

Friday: Fish, Hash Brown Patties, English Peas, Coleslaw w/carrots, Red Jello /Bananas, Hush-

puppies, Milk, Tea, Coffee Monday: Closed New Year's

Tuesday: Oven Fried Chicken, Cream Potatoes w/gravy, broccoli, Waldorf Salad, Chocolate Pudding, Dinner Roll, Milk, Tea, Cof-**为我们就会就会就会就会就会就会就会就会就会就会就会就会就会就** The Clarendon Press

Wednesday: Fish, Macaroni and cheese, Harvard Beets, Cabbage Carrot & Raisin Salad, Peach Cobbler, Hushpuppies, Milk, Tea, Cof-





Thursday: Exercise 11 a.m.,

Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3 Friday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3 p.m. Musical Jan 6:30 p.m.

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Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of Daniel Brown Resident Engineer, Wellington, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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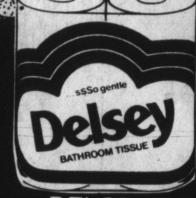


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The Clarendon Press



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Hedley News

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jose Andaverdi upon the birth of their son Wednesday, December 20. As yet, the baby has not been named, but Jose was heard to say that he liked the idea of "Jose, Jr."

Alene Boliver underwent surgery in University of Pennsylvania Hospital in Philadelphia on Wednesday, and was to have a second surgery on Friday. She is doing fairly well, all things considered.

Joyce Boliver is feeling better, and was to return home Saturday the 23rd. Jim, Sharon, and Angie plan to spend Christmas with her in Hedley.

Marie Adams continues to be very ill in an Amarillo hospital, but was reported somewhat better on Wednesday. We wish her a speedy

The north wind is howling, and the wind chill index is around twen-

Thursday, December 28, 1989 ty below as this is written. Stay warm, and be especially careful if you intend to travel over the holidays.

holidays.

This week's news is brief because of the early news deadline, and because so many are already out of town. Be sure to leave details of your holiday activities at Senior

Citizens for next week's paper.

The pastor and congregation of First Baptist Church send Christmas greetings to Mrs. Dennis Reed, who is currently a resident of a convalescent home in Midland. We miss you, Mrs. Reed, and wish you a blessed holiday.

First Baptist Church will host a New Year's Eve party for grades six and up. The festivities will begin about 8:30 Sunday evening, and will be concluded with breakfast around six on New Year's morning. All youth of the community are invited.

Hedley has a new business, Classic Cuts, operated by Lisa Martin.
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Tax Hearing

66 Taxation shall be equal and uniform" declares article VIII of the Texas Constitution.

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Panhandle, Texas

Your elected officials serving on the governing board of the taxing bodies have decided or will be deciding whether or not to tax certain non-business personal proper-

ty. New state law does declare these certain properties exempt but leaves the option for local control.

The new law also requires this large notice of a hearing for all persons to state their views on the subject. Any property exempt from taxation shifts the tax burden to the remaining taxable property.

The purpose of the hearing is for you to hear more on this subject and to voice your opinion if you desire to.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO TAX PERSONAL PROPERTY

The CLARENDON CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT,
CITY OF CLARENDON, HEDLEY CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT,
CITY OF HEDLEY, DONLEY COUNTY, DONLEY HOSPITAL,

CLARENDON COLLEGE

will hold a public hearing on a proposal to

tax the following non-business personal property: PERSONAL USE AUTOMOBILES, MOTOR HOMES, TRAVEL TRAILERS, RV's, MOTORCYCLES, AIRPLANES.

To tax the above property, the governing boards of these tax bodies must approve the proposal by ordinary resolution or order and must find that the taxation of property as proposed will be in the public interest of all residents of the taxing districts above named.

The public hearing will be held on Thursday eve 7:00 p.m., December 28, 1989, at the Donley County Court House in the Court Room.

All interested persons may speak at the meeting and present evidence for or against this proposal.

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MEETINGS

CLARENDON LODGE #700AFYAM Stated Meeting: 2nd Monday each month 7:30 p.m. Practice Sessions: 4th Monday

Pat Roberson WM Willard Skelton Secretary Refreshments served at 6:30 p.m.

LEGAL NOTICES

Local Invitation to Bid on **Highway Mowing**

Sealed proposals for nine separate Mowing Contracts lo-cated in the following sections: Shamrock, Wellington, Clarendon, Childress, Quanah, Matador, Dickens, Paducah, and Munday, will be received at the State Department of Highways and **Public Transportation District Of**fice at 1700 Ave. F, NW, Childress, Texas 79201, January 18, 1990 at the times indicated below for each contract.

CONTRACT 25OXXM1009: Wheeler County will be received until 10:00 am, January 18, 1990.

CONTRACT 250XXM1008: Col-10:45 am, January 18, 1990 CONTRACT

NO.250XXM1002: Donley/Briscoe, Hall Counties will be received until 11:30 am, January 18, 1990. CONTRACT

250XXM1001: Childress/Hall Counties will be received until 12:30 pm, January 18, 1990. CONTRACT

250XXM1007: Hardeman/Foard Counties will be received until 1:30 pm, January 18, 1990.

CONTRACT NO. 250XXM1004: Motley/Hall Counties will be received until 2:15 pm, January 18, 1990. NO. CONTRACT

250XXM1003: Dickens County will be received until 3:00 pm, January 18, 1990. CONTRACT NO.

250XXM1006: Cottle/King Counties will be received until 3:45 pm, January 18,1990.

CONTRACT 250XXM1005: Knox County will be received until 4:30 pm, January 18,1990.

A Pre-bid Conference will be held with Mr. Vance L. Castleberrry, P.E., District Engineer, at the District Office in Childress, Texas at 10:00 A.M., January 9, 1990. Persons interested in bidding on the above contracts should attend the Pre-Bid Conference. The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, in accordance with the Provisions of Title VI of The Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 STAT. 252) and the Regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (15C.F.R.,PART 8), issued pursuant to such act, Hereby notifies all Bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the Contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the ground of Race, Color, or National Origin.

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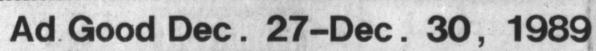
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