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Rain quenches county's thirst

A welcome rainfall graced most of the Panhandle throughout the weekend.

Some areas in the northwest part of the county reported as much as eight inches while Clarendon received 5.34 inches over a four-day period.

Local farmers especially needed the rain, according to Leon Church, Donley County Extension Agent.

"It was a much needed rain for the dry land cotton fields. The rain was even beneficial for the farmers that hadn't planted their dry land crops yet," said Church. "They now have a chance to get some

Bobbie Kidd of Greenbelt Water Authority said Greenbelt Lake is up 1.52 feet, but the lake is still a few feet low of a projected normal.

Kidd also added that with the increased water level and muddy condition, fishing should be good for a while.

Thousands buy Greenbelt permits

This year was one of the largest Memorial Day weekends at Greenbelt Lake.

The permit booths sold 6,000 daily permits with 1,000 boat permits, and the Lakeside Marina also sold approximately 2,000 permits.

"This is the biggest Memorial Day I can remember in a while," said Bobbie Kidd of Greenbelt Water Authority.

Bank to sponsor golf tournament

The Community Bank of Clarendon will sponsor a Jack and Jill couple golf scramble June 10-11 at the Clarendon Country Club.

The entry fee is \$110 (cart not included) for a meal and Calcutta on Saturday to be flighted after first round. Cash prizes will be awarded.

For more information, call 874-2166.

Boys' basketball camp to be held

A boys' youth basketball camp will be held June 12-16 from 9:00 a.m. to noon in the Bronco Gym for boys in third through eighth grade.

Registration will be held June 12 from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. at the Bronco Gym.

The boys will receive fundamental basketball skills, a camp T-shirt, and a basketball. Cost of the camp is \$45 with a discount for additional family

For more information, call Coach Mike Ray at 874-9573.

Inside:

2 Christi Ross finds herself in a mess not even Martha Stewart could prepare for.

3 Members of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce are seeking your help with a project.

4 Main Street Ministries will hold a rummage sale Saturday.

6 And find out who won the local bass tournament.

All this and much more in this week's summertime edition!

County formally accepts courthouse grant

BY ROGER ESTLACK Clarendon Enterprise

formally accepted a state grant to restore the approved by the THC. courthouse Tuesday morning.

meeting authorizing Judge Jack Hall to exe- discuss options for financing the courthouse cute the advance funding agreement to facilitate the county's participation in the Texas court's efforts. Historic Courthouse Preservation Program. The vote affirmed the county's willingness to accept sioners' Court and Judge Hall for the work a nearly \$2.9 million grant from the state.

The court also unanimously approved is going to be a benefit to our community." granting a preservation easement on the court-

from making substantial changes to the appear-The Donley County Commissioners' Court ance of the building for 50 years unless the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, as soon as possible

The court approved a resolution in a called ring National Bank, addressed the court to Inc., with the court,

"I would like to commend the Commis- ing options will also be discussed. they've done in getting this grant," he said. "It

The court took no action on financing, but percent of those funds. house to the Texas Historical Commission Judge Hall said the county would like to do as

(THC). The easement would prevent the county much of the financing as possible locally.

reviewed the proposed architectural services

No action was taken on the agreement, and said at Tuesday's meeting. project. Woodard was complimentary of the the matter will be discussed further in another called meeting of the court this Friday. Financ- for the county to have its plan in place for

> Last month the state awarded the county a \$2.9 million grant to completely restore the June 12, 2000. 1890 Courthouse. The county must match 15

The THC is administering the grant pro- Courthouse Annex.

gram and reportedly is pushing for the court-John Kiehl, regional services director of house projects around the state to get underway

"THC wants to have something tangible Jerry Woodard, president of the local Heragreement submitted by Volz & Associates, to show the Legislature when it asks for more money to fund other projects next year," Kiehl

Guidelines put in place by the THC call financing the matching funds as well as having approved an agreement with an architect by

The next regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court will be Monday morning in the

Authorities arrest 2 men suspected of farm thefts

BY DAVID STEVENS Southwest News Services

arrested in Pampa last week are who've been stealing us blind." responsible for dozens of rural burglaries across the region, including tion equipment stolen in Shattuck, three in Donley County.

Warrants alleging burglary in Urrutia, Hataway said. Ochiltree County and Ellis County, Okla., have been issued against Ascension Perez, 45, and Hector for traffic violations about 1 a.m. on Urrutia, 24, both of Pampa, officials May 29. said. Both men, arrested May 29 on unrelated charges, are suspects in lot of other (burglary) warrants are about 20 other cases involving more being issued; they just haven't been than \$100,000 worth of construction (completed) yet," he said. and farm equipment.

Donley County Sheriff Jimmy Carson, Ochiltree, Wheeler, Roberts, rants for them."

The men had been under surveillance for several weeks.

a farmer and rancher from the Pampa Thompson said. area came upon this black pickup on his place. Ochiltree County Sheriff he's convinced the Donley County Joe Hataway said. "He got their tag thefts were committed by the men number and description and turned

it over to sheriff (Don) Copeland in Pampa. A subsequent investigation Law officers believe two men led us all to believe these are the guys

> Authorities recovered construc-Okla., when they arrested Perez and Gray County Chief Deputy David

> Russell said the men were stopped "With us and other counties, a

Authorities said they believe "They're going to be our guys," burglaries in Donley, Gray, Moore,

Thompson said. "As soon as we get Oldham, Beaver (Okla.), and Ellis all the ducks lined up, I'll get war- (Okla.) counties are all related. All occurred in the last nine months. "We wound up with three - two

barn burglaries and (somebody) stole "About a month and a half ago, a welder off a truck at Jericho," Thompson declined to say why

See 'Thieves' on page 3. Ranch Rodeo withstands rain;

Crockett Ranch is best overall One-year-old Hunter Owens examines a jar of tadpoles during the Burton Memorial Library's Summer Reading Club while his grandmother, Ann Bunyan, holds him up. The reading club started this week and endon Outdoor Entertainment Associ- sell. ation (COEA) reported a good turnout

the Crockett Ranch team composed for the High Card Ranch. of Brock Crockett, Kenny Chambers,

buildings, and the response has been Kathy Spier (856-5302) to get their Stephens. rell Wines, Hoho Pettit, Kyle Everson, categories. The Homemakers will have a and Bobby Pauspky. The JA Ranch team of Billy Hollowell, Rhett Cauble, the spurs. Randall Gates, Andrew Bivins, and Randy Crump, Larry Crump, Ray complaints about that.

Despite rainy weather, the Clar- Crump, Jerry Hodge, and Chris Hal-

Lonnie Brown was named the for the Ranch Rodeo held over the Top Hand at the rodeo, and Danny Bennett had the Top Horse. Chris Overall winner of the event was Halsell won the Bronc Riding contest

The JA Ranch won the Wild Jeffrey Burkes, Will Shaw, and Greg Cow Milking, and the Darrell Wines Ranch came out on top in Team Doc-The Darrell Wines Ranch came toring. The Crockett Ranch won both be given away the morning of the in second. Team members were Dar- the Team Penning and Calf Branding

Lon Davis won the drawing for

COEA spokesperson Theresa All citizens of Hedley wanting be sold and maps of the garage sales Niña Bivins came in third. Fourth Shelton said the rain caused Friday to participate are encouraged to get will be handed out. The garage sales place went to the High Card Ranch night's performance to be moved to will begin at 8:00 a.m. the morning of team made up of Morris Crump, Sunday, but she said there were no

Hedley group plans to clean up Main Street The Hedley Homemakers are town requesting their permission for sale on June 17, they are encouraged

busy working on their summer proj- the club to paint the exterior of their to call Rhonda Shaw (856-5241) or

Discovering the world

will continue every Tuesday through July 25.

Their first project will take place positive. Plans are to weed and sweep garage sale listed on maps that will this Saturday, June 10. This has been the sidewalks, too. designated "Clean Up Main Street

Homemakers Club are asked to meet first City-Wide Garage Sale Day. them in front of the Hedley City Hall

Letters were previously mailed their items and garages ready.

at 8:00 a.m. with tools in hand.

to the owners of the buildings down-

Their second project will take garage sale day. place on Saturday, June 17, when the Anyone interested in helping the Hedley Homemakers will host their concession stand in front of the city

If anyone wishes to have a garage June 17.

Grant will improve water system in Hedley in 2001

Clarendon Enterprise

The City of Hedley has received leakage in the lines. a grant for water system improve-

Community Development Program. The goal of the project is to inch service tubing will be replaced. remove the old lines and replace them

some areas. ley City Secretary, some of the lines be the improvement of Hedley's fire currently being used have been there fighting abilities. since 1927 and are in major need of replacement.

lines that are currently being used," 115 residents benefiting. said Shaw.

lines to houses are lead lines as well. There are also some problems with

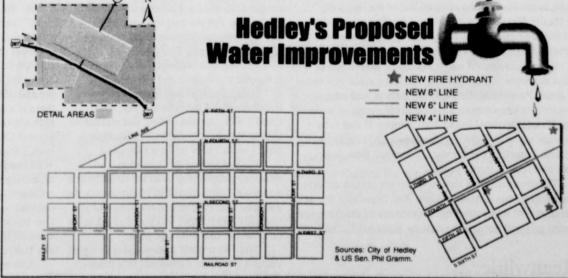
Approximately 1,350 feet of four ment. The grant of \$247,695 was inch PVC pipe, 7,900 feet of six inch made available through the Texas PVC pipe, 1,080 feet of eight inch pipe, and 3,100 feet of three-quarter

In addition to the replacement of with new and even larger lines in the lines, three new fire hydrants will be added. Shaw said a major advan-According to Randy Shaw, Hed- tage to adding the fire hydrants will

The project is slated to start in the "Our biggest concern right now mately three months. The work will about towns in Texas receiving Comis to get rid of the lead seals and lead include most sections of town with munity Development Block Grants.

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spring of 2001 and will last approxi- Gramm expressed his enthusiasm and live every day," Gramm said.

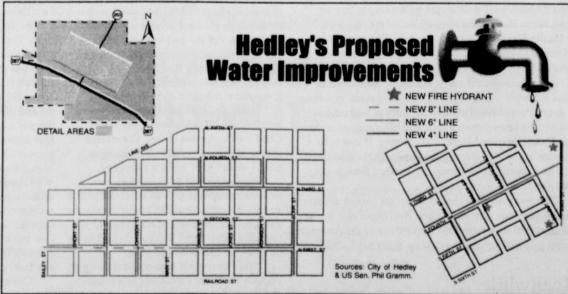
hall where home-baked goodies will

Shaw hopes the improvements tax dollars sent by Texans to Wash-taxes," the senator said. Some of the main lines are a made to the lines will improve water ington are being returned to benefit

The Community Development In a press release, Senator Phil ments to the areas where we work largest, is designed to assist com- authority over the CDBG program.

"My strong commitment is to range of development activities aimed assure a fair return to Texas taxpay- at neighborhood revitalization, eco-"I am pleased that some of the ers on the money we pay in federal nomic development and improved community facilities and services.

Gramm is chairman of the Senate cast-iron pipe with a lead seal con-quality and service to the customers. area citizens by financing improve- Block Grant program, one of HUD's Banking Committee, which has



editor's Commentary



Feds may run Bill Gates out of USA

The government's relentless hammering of a great American company could have unexpected consequences. ZDTV and the BBC reported over the weekend that Canada is looking to lure Microsoft north of the

The deal supposedly offered by officials in Vancover, British Columbia, would give Bill Gates' software company "favorable" treatment, which could include a loan for building a new headquarters.

Relocating would also have another, more important benefit. It could put Microsoft out of reach of the United States government, which has labeled the company a monopoly and is threatening to break it into two or more Baby Bills.

If Microsoft did pack its bags, the biggest loser would likely be Washington state. The company employs more than 20,000 at its facility in Redmond, WA. The disappearance of that many high tech, high paying jobs would put a damper on any local economy.

A Microsoft spokesman, however, says the company plans to stay in the good ol' U.S. of A. and beat the government.

You have to give credit to Gates and Microsoft. They've made it to the top in an extremely competitive industry that has chewed up and spat out a lot of people. And now the company is battling its toughest opponent - an opponent that likes to point automatic weapons at young children. I'm talking, of course, about General Reno and her so-called "justice" department.

Reno has a turned a blind eye to a slew of alleged infractions by members of the current administration, but her department supposedly knows best what is good for the software marketplace. And she has no qualms about applying laws written for the 19th century to a "new economy" business that is completely different from those of the 1890s.

"Serious remedies are required to restore competition," the government said in a statement last week. The government's idea of a serious remedy is to try to destroy Microsoft by breaking it into two or more pieces.

Isn't it ironic that the feds are lecturing us on competition? The government has written the book on being a monopoly. Take a look at the federally protected monopoly of the United States Postal Service. (Now there is something that needs a serious remedy.)

What did Microsoft do that has incurred the wrath of government? It merely succeeded. Microsoft, through the natural talents of its founder - Bill Gates, has met the needs of consumers and helped change the face of the American - and some might say the global - economy. Through innovation and ingenuity Microsoft has dominated its competition. And, of course, Microsoft and Gates have become very, very wealthy. In short, the American Dream was achieved.

There is nothing sinister in that dream. There is nothing evil about it. But based on the reaction of the federal government, you would think that Gates was Satan himself.

From the standpoint of a businessman, I find the Microsoft case troubling.

It is not enough in this country that we have a progressive income tax system that punishes those who work hard to earn a living. It is not enough that we have a system that confiscates 12.4 percent of our payrolls for use in some generational shell game known as Social Security. It is not enough that we must deal with government environmental regulations that are based on slanted science. Now, if you work hard and overcome all the obstacles of your own government, of the marketplace, and of the competition, you can be threatened with an anti-trust lawsuit. Now, some nincompoop in Washington, DC, can decide that you're an old meanie and that you don't deserve the success you have achieved.

How would you like to work your whole life for something and then have someone like General Reno try to undo it?

You couldn't really blame Microsoft if they did move to Canada. In fact, I'm surprised more companies don't consider the same course of action. If I ran a tobacco company, I'd darn sure be looking to buy an island in the Pacific and relocate out of the reach of the Health Nazis and the trial lawyers. But companies still remain here despite being abused by government agencies and the legal system.

It would be nice if our government would realize that it is people like Bill Gates who have made this country great. People like Gates, Ford, Edison, and others have helped keep America on the cutting edge of technological developments in the 20th century. If that is to continue in the new century, our government must back off. The American people should be freed from high taxes and federal intrusiveness.

The next president should direct the justice department to drop this ridiculous case. And hopefully, the next president will understand the importance of the American Dream and will not seek to destroy those who achieve it.

Meanwhile...

In Oslo, Norway, farmers have found an interesting way to get their point across. They think their government's proposed \$555 per year cut in subsidies stinks.

CNN.com reports more than a dozen farmers covered a government square with cow manure.

The report says the protestors voluntarily removed the manure after four hours, but the aroma lingered for much longer.

Even Martha Stewart couldn't handle this

"Why do I even bother?" was all that I could think. And the only words I could get out of my mouth were certainly unprintable. We don't have a lot of company out here at the ranch, so when it was my turn to host a women's club luncheon, I earnestly awaited the day.

For weeks in advance I made sure the yard was in top form. I mowed, weeded, and watered until everything was looking good. I finally had the yard I'd always wanted, one overflowing with blooming flowers, pruned trees and shrubs and no grasshoppers. It was a pretty sight for the short time it lasted.

My company was slated to arrive at 11 a.m., but the problems began well before then. It seems as if one of the ranch hands left the backyard gate open after stopping at the house for coffee at 6 a.m. Usually this isn't a big deal, but on this particular day it might as well have been Pandora's Box that was left open.

All the while I was getting myself and the lunch ready for company, I never noticed the uninvited visitors who decided to pay me a call. I was up to my elbows in making pasta salad when the guests walked past my kitchen window. The view from my kitchen window is usually one of cedar and pine trees, not of a half-dozen 600-pound yearlings strolling in the yard.

Literally dropping everything, I hiked my dress up and ran out the front door. I think, by the throbbing pain I now have in my upper thigh, I jumped hurdle-style off the front porch but I really can't recall that particular detail.



on the with Christi Ross

I first tried to ease the steers out of the yard, but they were having too much fun to return to the pasture. Two of them thought Kate's baby pool was a watering trough, one was using the barbecue grill as a scratching post, one had decided to lie down under the crepe myrtle trees, and the rest were happily munching away on my perennials. The gentle approach of removing the steers wasn't working, so I called in

My two cow dog assistants work cattle everyday, so this was a job they could easily handle. I commanded one dog to go around to the north side of the house while the other went to the south of the house to push the steers out the yard. And what happened next could have won me \$10,000 if I'd only had a camcorder set up to capture the fiasco.

The steers were feeling fresh in the cool morning air and didn't appreciate the dogs' efforts. As the dogs simultaneously met the cattle in the backyard, all hell broke lose. Lawn furniture became airborne, tree branches broke, flowerpots were destroyed, and the cattle and dogs began running laps around the house. The two groups began to chase one another for just pure joy, forgetting about the open

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FOR DINNER MEXT TIME ...

I eventually got the dogs called off and summoned them to lie down on the front porch. With time running short, I was desperate to remove the steers from the yard before the ladies from town arrived. I attempted to move them with everything at hand - a water hose, shovel, rope, and even a broken lawn chair. Eventually, the BBQ fork and possibly my profane language about looking forward to cooking each and every one of them did the trick.

The backyard resembled a tornado's path while the damage to the front yard and the main entrance to the house was beyond my greatest fear.

Big cow patties littered the sidewalk, hoof prints were now where my flowers had once been, and the two dogs had a time on the porch chewing the plastic fenders off Kate's mini-car and knocking down window boxes. My once welcoming yard now looked more like the city dump, and my ragged personal appearance wasn't much better. The wet-dog smell and the dirt stains on my clothes wasn't what I'd call luncheon attire.

The luncheon was a total disaster. While chasing the steers in the yard, I left the main dish cooking in the oven. The pasta salad was a goner too as I dropped it on the kitchen floor when I saw the cattle. My friends were understanding and actually found the incident funny even though

Like one friend said, "Even Martha Stewart couldn't have handled this one." But really, I'd like to have seen her try.

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New resident enjoys warm welcome in Clarendon

with Rep. Mac Thornberry

A few days ago, I was in Dallas, enjoying the emptiness of an uptown apartment where the privileged view of concrete tent that would make any Japanese garden seemed all too delightful. Armed with tons of insecticide and enough beauty supplies for the millennium, I headed toward the Panhandle. For the first time, the city and its bourgeois pursuits were no longer my home. Like any Hollywood story, my love interest was willingly awaiting for me somewhere romantic and glamorous...

Can you imagine losing track of a

thousand dollars? For most American fam-

like to think. The only difference is that it's

That was the conclusion of a recent

management practices at the Department of

billion in taxpayer funds. Additionally, last

December the agency mistakenly issued

The Department has failed two audits

often not just thousands of dollars that get

task force hearing in the House Budget

Committee, which looked into financial

because it could not account for \$32

misplaced - it's billions of dollars.

Education.

ilies, that would be unthinkable. But in

Washington, it happens more than we'd

Hola! Soy Carolina Selvidge. I have met so many of you already. Yes, I am Chad's wife, the son of Tex, our elected mayor. You won't hold that against me now. I wasn't here when it happened.

We just moved to Clarendon, and everyday people stop us in the street with a warm welcome. Most can't help but ask the question in everyone's mind. Why did you two kids move here? Did you find oil in the backyard of that house or what?

Well, let me tell you, no oil is in sight yet, but we found a treasure! In a triumphant act of man against nature, my husband proved to me his country origins and swept clean from the earth a huge, wild, ferocious plant that I swear would reshape itself daily and eat meat when we weren't looking. We even discovered a creature living underneath - a small cousin of the Loch Ness monster. Really! After that, a display of petrified wood from the local geology emerged one by one from the

ground. Next to it was an intentional layout What more can we ask for? A mall? Yeah, of colored stones with obvious artistic condesigner jealous. If you have no idea what I am talking about, come over and have a look! You know where we live. That's right! The Spiveys lived here before. The entire house is white, made of the same bricks as the Pizza Hut - but I know you won't hold that against us either. It is the house Tex and Norma built years ago at the end of Cottage Street. Did you know there is a concrete tile where the first two kids who ran around these walls left their names? Chad and his sister, Shay, have been immortalized on Clarendon cement. Who needs Hollywood? Yet, the favorite archeological discovery for us remains an ancient engraving about to reach three decades - our family treasure. It reads, "I love my son." Once upon a time, Tex wrote a poem! If you were never inspired before, this'll do it.

Education Dept. flunks fiscal management

duplicate payments to more than 52

schools totaling more than 6.5 million dol-

to our nation's schools and colleges than

highest level in history. Funding for spe-

grams also has been increased. Education

ever. Pell Grant funding is up - at its

cial education and teacher training pro-

Congress has sent more federal dollars

issue

Our new home is made of memories: biased history, personal truths, an enlightened appreciation possible only after surviving years of life. Here we found our own memorial. A monument to our family's victories and losses - a reminder of the multiple possibilities of what the future could bring.

Look around your home. Rediscover your treasures, your statements of immense happiness and suffering life brings to us all.

Hope to see you soon. Please, introduce yourselves. Come visit the family museum. I'll show you the secret calendar encoded on the frame of our kitchen door. The evolution of mankind finds itself registered in kids' heights through the years. Carolina Selvidge Reader offers commendation

is important, but we've got to know where

tinue doing all we can to give states,

parents, and teachers more control over

what is being taught in the classroom.

will give states more flexibility in how

The bottom line is that the key to improv-

ing education lies with local communities,

not Washington. It is important that the

federal government is helping to provide

the resources, but neither the taxpayers nor

our children can afford to have one dollar

The House passed a bill last fall that

federal school funds are spent.

At the same time, we've got to con-

this money is being spent.

to Clarendon's newspaper Late, but hearty congratulations on

receiving the Texas Media Award - Honorable Mention by Preservation Texas for your excellent article and photos regarding the Donley County Courthouse in your March 9, 2000, paper. Clarendon and Donley County should

be very proud of their newspaper. Getting the paper out with such a small staff is no small feat. Article authors who submit their thoughts weekly are also to be congratulated. It is hard work putting together a publication. I worked at the Quarter Horse Journal and was editor of the Panhandle Professional Writers Window so I know how stressful deadlines can be

Keep up the good work!

Sarah L. Pfeifer. Amarillo via e-mail

Chamber needs your support

financial support from the community 874-2421. to help with their activities throughout the year.

The Chamber in association with munity-oriented activities. Chamberlain Motor Company will and only 2,000 tickets will be sold. Burlin.

The Clarendon-Donley County Tickets may be purchased from any Chamber of Commerce is seeking chamber board member or by calling

> Proceeds from this fundraiser will help the chamber sponsor com-

Chamber board members include hold a Millennium Truck Giveaway Dr. Guy Ellis, Monty Hysinger, during the Saints' Roost Celebration. Genella Eads, Brenda January, Tessie The 2000 GMC ½ ton pickup, valued Robinson, Alan Graham, Jerry Woodat over \$19,000, will be given away ard, Debbie Hamilton, Gene Hommel, during the Monday, July 3, Rodeo Don Meyers, Donny Hall, Jimmy Performance. Tickets are \$20 each Garland, Darlene Spier, and Judy

Sen. Gramm recognizes efforts of chamber

A representative of US Sen. Phil from the senator, recognizing the Chamber of Commerce as part of to small businesses in Clarendon. Small Business Week during a cerenoon at the chamber office.

Eric Sawyer, the West Texas entire way of life," Gramm said. regional assistant for Sen. Gramm, will present the chamber with a letter 10.

Gramm will honor the Clarendon chamber for their outstanding service

"The small business makes a tremony on Thursday, June 8, 2000, at mendous contribution to our economy, our competitiveness, and our

Small Business Week is June 4 -



Ready for the next 50

Mary Neal Risley was honored last week for her 50 years of employment at The Donley County State Bank. Jimmy Fowler (right) present Living Center this Thursday. Mrs. Risley with a beautiful silver platter to mark the occasion.



Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting on June 6 with Boss Lion Bobbie Thornberry in charge.

We had 15 members and five guests: Helen Estlack, Weldon Sears, and John Crowell, guests of Lion Monty Hysinger; Derek Brewster, guest of Lion Greg Collins; and Russell Estlack, guest of Lion Allen Est-

We are planning to have the Lions Eye Bank float for the Fourth of July Parade.

The Girls Scout Camps is being worked on and should be ready soon. The girls making the trip to Canada will leave next weekend.

The school is getting ready to start putting up the Function and

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

weather report Day Date High Low Prec

weekend forecast



Friday, June 9 **Thundershowers** 91° / 63°



Saturday, June 10 Showers 91º / 64°



Sunday, June 11 Showers 92° / 65°

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS!

Thieves: Continued from page one.

arrested in Pampa. But authorities have long contended all the rural burglaries were related based on the type of equipment stolen - welders and other tools -- and evidence at the crime scenes.

Hataway, the Ochiltree County sheriff, said evidence gathered by the Texas Rangers indicates the stolen property was sold in Mexico.

"The good part is you've solved a bunch of crimes and shut them down," he said. "The bad part is it's thousands and thousands of dollars worth of equipment we will probably never recover."

Thank You!

uted to the Saints' Roost Museum's efforts to restore the depot building:

Mr. & Mrs. James Kuhn It'll Do Motel - Roxie & Ruth Brownle Mr. & Mrs. Tom Seay Jack Moreman Roy & Barbara Williams Mike & Judy McClesky Mac & Karla Devin

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Julia Murphy

Looking Back

20 Years Ago

· Dean Hawkins, an outstanding Donley County 4-H member and son of Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Hawkins, today received a four-year, \$6,000 scholarship from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Dean is the second member of the 1980 graduating class to receive the Houston scholarship. Buddy Hall, son of Mr. & Mrs. Donny Hall, received the scholarship through the

50 Years Ago

THE DONLEY CO. LEADER, June 8, 1950 Traffic was officially turned over the new Salt Fork of Red River bridge five miles north of town this week after both approaches had been black topped. The old bridge is being torn down, and all usable material is being salvaged and stored

POSITIVE FEED SALES

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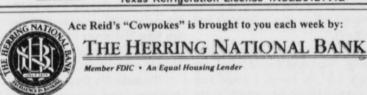
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By Ace Reid



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Your guide to "what's happening" around Donley County.

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June 10 DCSC Community Wide Garage Sale • HNB parking lot • 7:30

"Clean Up Main Street Day" . Hedley Main Street • 8 a.m.

Saints' Roost Jamboree • Harned Sisters Auditorium • 7 p.m.

June 10 - 11 Community Bank Jack & Jill Golf Scramble • Clarendon Country

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June 12 - 16 Boys' Basketball Camp • Bronco Gym • 9 a.m. • 874-9573

June 13 Immunization Clinic . Dept. of Health • 9 a.m.

June 14 Flag Day

June 18 Father's Day

June 19

June 23 Donley County Senior Citizens Tea Party & Quilt Show • DCSC

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June 30 - July 4 122nd Annual Saints' Roost Celebration • details coming soon.

Vacation Bible School • Clarendon Church of Christ • 6:30 p.m.

Community Menus June 12 - 16

Donley County

Senior Citizens Mon: Meatloaf, buttered corn, turnip greens, crispy apple colesiaw, banana pudding, roll, coffee, tea, lowfat

milk Tues: Chicken strips, mashed potatoes, English peas, mixed fruit, chocolate pie, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Wed: Mexican pile on, rice, pinto beans, tossed salad, peaches, tortilla chips, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Thur: Teriyaki chicken, rice pilaf, oriental vegetables, nite cap salad, ice cream sundaes, roll, coffee, tea, lowfat

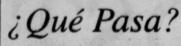
Fri: Roast beef, baked potato, carrots, pea salad, strawberry shortcake, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Hedley Senior Citizens Mon: Beef stew with peas, carrots, tomatoes, potatoes, onions, celery, apple rings, sliced peaches, corn muffin, milk, tea, coffee

Tues: Pinto beans and ham, French fires, carrot-raisin salad, pineapple whip, corn muffin, milk, tea, coffee

Wed: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, English peas, pear-cottage cheese salad, banana pudding, roll, milk, tea, coffee

Thur: Mexican pile on, Spanish rice, refried beans, tossed salad, apricot cobbler, chips or crackers, milk, tea, coffee Fri: Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, green beans, corn, fruit salad, cookies, roll, milk, tea, coffee



The only way to know is to read The Clarendon Enterprise

Main Street Ministry to hold rummage sale

astonishing to find someone who's do. stuck to one place of employment for cookies were great!)

paper? I have it on good authority trash might just be your treasure. that one of the mothers was wearing

Congratulations to Mary Neal were quite as good as I'd thought. Risley for fifty years at Donley But then, I'm sure other people have County State Bank. These days, it's much more self-confidence than I

This coming Saturday, at the so long. It's hard enough to stay mar- Main Street Ministry building downried to one person that long, and at town next to the library, beginning at way Thursday night for a little car to work, you have to get along with a lot 8 o'clock in the morning, First Bap- go sailing down the street. more people, plus be nice to custom- tist Church of Clarendon is holding ers. Mary Neal is always nice. Must a rummage sale. If you have things really appreciated all that rain though be why she lasted so long. Congratu- you need to clean out of your attic or it could have been spaced out a little lations again. (And your punch and maybe your children's toy chest, this better, I'm sure, without anyone com-Did everyone enjoy the picture of the church, or call if you need some- bushes in and planted Wednesday, the elementary school principal strut- thing picked up. And then Saturday, just in time for the rain. Since these ting his - her? - stuff in last week's come out and see if someone else's bushes haven't got a single leaf or

the exact same dress as Mr. Word that grounds this past weekend was post-place cold. The rain helped cool things day. It's bad enough having another poned Friday night due to drowning. off so maybe they won't get heatwoman wear the same dress though I The ground was drowned, and the stroke once things warm up again. suppose one can look at it as a confir- competitors and spectators wanted to



I'm sure the farmers and ranchers is your chance. Bring donations by plaining. I got my mail-order rose even a bud coming out on them, I The ranch rodeo out at the rodeo figure they got shipped from some

Now, the farmers have put in mation of one's good taste. However, avoid it. The Cub Scouts even put their order for some hot sunshine and someone with "Mr." in front of his off their first night of camping. Did no wind. We'll probably get the sunday. No turtles so far. Have they name wearing the same dress - well, anyone get washed away? The water shine, but I have my doubts about started wandering yet? It's not that it would make me wonder if my taste was sure high enough out on the high- the no-wind thing. Anything less than long till the Fourth.

gale force is a plus as far as I'm concerned.

The mockingbirds have built their nests and hatched their eggs, and now

they are dive-bombing everyone and everything that comes too near their

We must have two nests in our yard because at least two sets of it in for Spot the Dalmatian. One of Family in Training Program, energy these days, a bird is actually going to related programs, weatherization, or land on his back because it didn't pull up soon enough. They get within tailbrushing distance now. Spot either ignores them, or chases them across they get.

The bunnies are absolutely brazen. So much so, that Spot doesn't bother chasing them much any more though the roadrunner on the front sidewalk got a little scare the other

Panhandle Community Services to hold meeting

Panhandle Community Services will be having an open neighborhood meeting the first Friday of each month at the local office at 416 S. Kearney from 1:00-2:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to answer any questions about the programs that they offer to help the local citizens of the community

The staff will be there to answer mockingbird mamas and papas have questions about the housing program, medical and local transportation. If you have any questions, please feel free to drop by the office anytime or make a special effort to be at one the yard, depending on how annoying of the monthly meetings to seek any answers or to see about applying for any of these services.

At this time, the PCS office has openings for the HUD program to help those who might qualify for rental assistance. They also have openings in the weatherization program for homes. They have funds to help with energy bills for those under 60 through the hot summer months.

Please call 874-2573 or drop by the local office to talk to Robbie Hill or Lori Mays and see if Panhandle Community Services can be of any service to you and your family.

Columnist decides living in town will be fine

during the past week. It averaged I might be tempted to cross the yard from about 2.5 inches to about 7 some dark night and help myself. inches, depending on whom you Actually, I won't have to steal them. talked to. Kenneth Swinney said he Marie is the most generous person had about 3.7 inches at his house, and and has been so helpful to me since Debbie Woodard said she had about I've lived in town. She is always three inches at Giles.

to Harold White, and he told me his machine so I could read it myself. peanuts were up and growing and

cotton and that she hoped none of it cleaned them for me. I've decided house when he has time.

eter. I know because I can see them my mail, I'll get along alright.

We've had some really nice rains against the ground. When they're ripe

Ruth Wheeler has brought me seen them yet. most of the cotton was in the ground. fresh strawberries for breakfast almost to stay here in town. I still miss the Adams, has little tomatoes on the fill my insulin syringes, and Lori and vines about an inch and half in diam- Loretta at the Post Office to address



I went down to the ranch a few willing to look up phone numbers for days ago. Dog is thriving, and Rance through Wednesday, June 14. The farmers welcomed it. I talked me and read my mail before I got the and Karen tell me that we have two

Terry Collins came and mowed Oretha Potts told me most of every morning. And when I told her the yard, and it looks real nice. their peanuts were up and most of the I couldn't see to pick the caps off, she Keith's been doing some work on the

toes set out. My neighbor, Marie me, the girls at the senior citizens to stuff that doesn't weigh much, and all or six years. that's left weighs a lot.

day. I thank God that she's still able berer.

to do all her own work and tend to her yard. Rev. Stan Cosby will hold a

revival at the United Methodist Church in Wellington beginning with the morning worship services Sunday, June 11, 2000. It will continue

Stan is the son-in-law of Bill litters of kittens in the barn. I haven't and Juanell Carson and lives with his Texas Tech University who received wife, Susan, in Oklahoma. I can't degrees during 2000 spring comremember where, but at one time they lived in Tulsa.

The pastor at the United Methodist Church is Monte Kries, who was Mrs. William Ellerbrook and Bobbie When he can get around to it, the pastor at Hedley a few years ago. Debbie Woodard and others who house on the ranch, but with neigh- maybe he can move the rest of my I also can't remember just how long have truck gardens have their toma- bors like Marie and Ruth to look after furniture to town. He's moved the it's been but think it's been about five

> I've said before my forgetter Sunday was my mother's birth- works much better than my remem-

Ellerbrook graduates from Texas Tech

Louis Ellerbrook of Clarendon was one of more than 2,00 students at mencement exercises. He received a Bachelor of Science degree.

He is the son of the late Mr. and and Missie Kidd of Clarendon.

Local students named to Dean List at Tech

Melisse Campbell, Walker McAnear, and Nathan Sears, all of Clarendon were named to the Dean's List at Texas Tech University for the spring semester.

Melisse is a sophomore multidisciplinary studies major. She is the daughter of Edwin and Jan Campbell of Clarendon.

Walker is a sophomore mechanical engineering major. He is the son of David and Jaci McAnear of Clar-

Nathan is a freshman range management major. He is the son of Weldon and Dee Ann Sears of Clar-

Students who earned 12 or more hours with a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.9 qualified for the Dean's

Midwestern State names Ashcraft to Dean's List

Kasi Dawn Ashcraft of Clarenern State University in Wichita Falls.

Kasi is the daughter of Terry and Valorie Ashcraft of Clarendon.

lower than an "A."

The National Cow-Calling When nothing happened, I would This sounded pretty good to me, rain or Championship was held last Saturday try again a little louder, "Kids! Come

Will cattle calls work on husbands and kids?

in Miami, Texas. According to an here, please." article in the AMARILLO GLOBE-NEWS, 1949 and usually attracts some 2,000 them whispering and giggling spectators. I'm sorry I missed it. I really am. Perhaps if I had been right now!" there, I would have learned a valuable technique that I have been trying to get a handle on for years. I'm talking about the art of calling to someone in my household and having them respond.

According to the newspaper, the here right this minute!' cow-callers used a variety of vocal thing they all had in common: they were loud enough, forceful enough and had such authority in their voices schoolbooks. that even a cow would show up to see what they wanted! Now that's a you?" talent I would like to acquire.

When my children were teenagers and I wanted them to leave their help clean up the kitchen." current location and come to where I was, it would go something like this: "Kids, could you come here, the phone ring when they were out- let loose again with "Woooooooo- neighbors and holler "SU-EEEE"!

No answer. I knew they were this event has been held yearly since in their rooms because I could hear

The whispers would stop, and silence was all I heard because they calling my husband. If he is workwanted me to think they were not in ing in the yard, I can step onto the there. Sort of like "Elvis has left the building!

"I know you are in there. Come not respond.

sounds in their calls, but there was one down the hall to their bedrooms where ing. the little angels would be sitting at their desks - intently reading their

"Didn't you hear me calling

"I've been calling you to come 'You were?'

side washing their car - with rock hooooooo!"



"Do you hear me? Come here music blasting loud enough to make the dogs whine.

porch - no more than 10 feet away from him - call his name, and he does

"Honey, did you hear me?" "Are you listening to me? Hellooooooo?

So you see why I am so interested in the different methods of cow calling. The First-Place winner in the Grandmother's Division of Cow-Calling won with the following call: "Wooooooooo-hooooooo!" She These same children could hear stomped her foot too, and then

so I went out on the porch yesterday with husband in the yard chatting with a neighbor - and tried it. "Wooooooo-hooooooo!"

uted and stomped my foot.

"Wooooooo-hoooooo!" Stomp....stomp. I did get a I've had the same problem when response! The neighbor gave me a startled glance and made a beeline back across the street. My husband looked at me in a

the heck is the matter with you? Is 'Sweetheart, can you come and something wrong with your leg? Are Finally, I would go stomping check this toilet. I think it is leak- you in pain? Do you want the whole neighborhood to think you've lost your marbles?" Obviously my technique still

very concerned way and asked, "What

needs some work. I guess I better hold off on my cow calling until I've don was named to the Dean's List for perfected my "woooo's, hoooo's and the spring 2000 semester at Midwestvee-haws." Of course, there's always pig-

calling. Next time I need to call my family into the house, I could step onto the porch, wave sweetly at the

Hmm... now there's a thought!

To make the Dean's List, a student must complete a semester schedule of at least 12 hours with no grade

Former local man guides with grace, wisdom

The Dallas Morning News

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If you had to get bad news is never the same again - you would people want it delivered by the Rev. Harold

It was Mr. Elliott, the Arlington Police Department chaplain, who broke the news to Amber Hagerman's parents when their little girl's body was found. He told a new mother of twins that her oldest son, her husband, and her mother-in-law were all gone, killed in a wreck driving home

from the hospital. He had to make a tired, uncomprehending waitress understand that while she was asleep, a former neighbor had broken in through a window and kidnapped her 5-year-old daughter and that her daughter was dead.

In hundreds of less-publicized

It's a hard job, the kind that burns Texas. you out in a hurry, but Mr. Elliott views it as a necessary service. Kind, patient, and articulate, he has seen the torture that grief inflicts, felt it him-

when I got married last October. His six days a week at a minimum. wife, Norma, played the organ.

He has a big day coming up himself. Sunday will mark the golden anniversary of his first sermon, delivered in a tiny country church up in the Panhandle when he was a 14-yearold farm boy already pulled toward the ministry.

On May 21, 50 years later to the day, he'll deliver the same sermon in the same church outside the same little town. Harold Elliott moved to the big city a long time ago and he has seen some truly terrible things, but he hasn't lost the small-town gra-

not especially picturesque, but it's really bad news, the kind that comes self, but has kept his humor and opti- destroyed its two predecessors on the one man said, urging me to take a at three in the morning and your life mism intact. He's one of my favorite same sites. When Mr. Elliott was a closer look as an aid to my research.) kid, the building doubled as a two-It was Mr. Elliott who officiated room schoolhouse, so he was there

> "It's a sacred place for me," Mr. Elliott said. "I spent a lot of my life in that building."

> I visited Clarendon, about an hour southeast of Amarillo, recently. I've been there dozens of times, blowing through town on the way to Colorado or New Mexico, never stopping for longer than it takes to buy a Coke and remark on the modestly named It'll Do Motel.

> Clarendon is enfeebled, like most small towns, by the decay of its commercial base and the inexorable drift of its natives toward bigger cities. You have to talk to people to rec-

cated Elliott family tree. ("His cousin ties durable, a desirable quality after fire Clyde welded that pole over there,"

Staying connected

Maybe the losses experienced by small towns have taught people that if you want to stay connected, you have to work at it. The church where Mr. Elliott preached at Sunday was nearly a goner itself a few years back. said its most recent pastor, the Rev. Bryan Knowles.

They didn't have a preacher, so I went over to fill in," Mr. Knowles said. "We had ten people for Sunday school and two of them went home, so we had eight for church. The col-

lection was \$16.82. The little church overcame the odds, though, and endured. So did Harold Elliott, who bypassed a lot of his youth when he delivered that

cases, he brought tragic, brutal news. ciousness he learned in Clarendon, ognize its charm. Everyone I met sermon at 14. He showed me a picwas friendly and hospitable, offered ture of himself, taken the same year: Martin Baptist Church is still lunch or directions or a cold drink, a serious young man in a suit, serious there. As country churches go, it's or gave me a rundown on the compliabout his future and his responsibili-

Ordained at 16 and married on his 17th birthday, he pastored churches for 30 years before taking on the police chaplain post for the last 18. The job has sometimes been heartbreaking, but I can't imagine anyone doing it with more wisdom, grace,

and - surprisingly - optimism. Maybe he got it from Clarendon. Or maybe it's just him.

Editor's Note: Mr. Elliott came back to the Martin Baptist Church Sunday, May 21, 2000, to celebrate his golden anniversary of his first sermon. He presented the same sermon fifty years later to the day.

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The Life of

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July 9-12

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VFW reminds citizens of importance of Flag Day

By Bill Holden, Officer of the Day, Donley County VFW Post 7782

On June 14, 1777, the Continental Congress adopted a very important resolution. The resolution stated ing struggle for freedom. "Resolved that the flag of the United a new constellation.'

These historic words informed

birthdays or anniversaries were cele-

played, and we appreciate Vic Jeter

inney, Cennet Rhode, Ilene David-

Jamboree to be held

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Clarendon Baseball Results

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June 9 6:15 pm

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for calling our games for us.

By Vida O'Neal

this sale.

world as a symbol of man's continu-

On May 30, 1916, President had been born and that it was a counthe emblem of our nation. It floats try where the personal and religious in majestic silence above the hosts freedom of all citizens would be fully that execute those choices, whether Foreign Wars and the Ladies' Auxil-

went before us, and of the records they wrote upon us.'

Our flag is truly the symbol of their courage and sacrifice. States be made of 13 stripes, alternate Woodrow Wilson proclaimed that our national unity. It speaks of equalred and white, that the union be 13 June 14 would be celebrated through- ity and liberty under law. It speaks hopes, sacrifices, struggles, and stars white in blue field representing out the nation as Flag Day. In his with honor and courage, and it serves 1917 Flag Day message, President to remind us that each new genera-Wilson said, "This flag, which we tion must dedicate itself to an undithe world that a new, brave nation honor and under which we serve, is vided allegiance to this country and

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June 8: Hearing Aide Clinic, 10:30-11:30 a.m.;

June 10: Community Wide Bargain Sale set up

June 25: Tea Party and Quilt Show, 2:00-4:00

une 30: Blood Pressure Clinic, 10:30-11:30

Catfish Supper, 5:30-7:30 p.m.

June 12, 19, 26: Dance Club, 7 p.m.

June 13, 20: Game Night, 7 p.m.

in peace or in war. And yet, through iary have seen many men and women Since then the American flag silence, it speaks to us - speaks of sacrifice their lives in the defense of has been recognized throughout the the past, of the men and women who our flag. Above their resting places we keep the Stars and Stripes waving proudly as a continuing tribute to

Our flag symbolizes peoples' achievements. But in essence, the flag is exactly what the people make it.

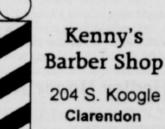
If you choose to follow in the footsteps of our noble, idealistic forefathers, it will continue to be a great flag that waves forever over a free and powerful America.

Hedley Aldermen meet

The Hedley Board of Aldermen met in regular session June 1.

Aldermen James Lee Potts and Leon Ward were administered the oath of office.

The board voted unanimously to appoint Jim Roberts as Mayor Protem for the next year.



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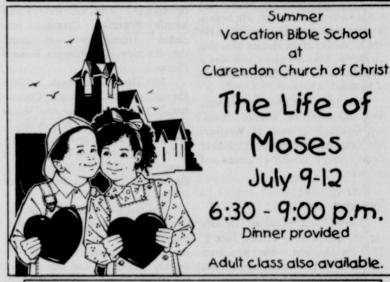
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In the spirit of Christian joy, the children of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Hommel request the pleasure of your company at an Open House

in honor of the

50th Wedding Anniversary of their parents on Sunday, the eleventh day of June, two thousand from one-thirty to three-thirty in the afternoon at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Hommel FM 3257, County Road N

Clarendon, Texas

Senior Citizens' bargain sale will be Saturday

son, Ruth Mills, Loredith Lafferty, Class will be held on June 19 and 20 Nita Meador, Vic Jeter, Billie Taylor, from 2:00-6:00 p.m. If you have any The Community Wide Bargain Thelma Rudder, and Ruth Mills; questions, please call 874-2665, and Sale was rained out this past Saturblackout winner was Ruth Levitt. The we will try to answer them for you. day. It will be rescheduled for June door prize was won by D.W. Swain. 10. We will start setting up booths

On Tuesday nights (except the Moore and Nita Graham. at 7:30 a.m. Saturday morning. We last Tuesday of the month) we will appreciate the Herring National Bank start having a game night. This will Edwards family. for letting us use their property for start at 7:00 p.m. Come down and play your favorite games or just visit. Our May Birthday/Anniversary You do not have to be a senior citizen Supper was held on May 30. A to join the fun. Come on down to the wonderful meal was enjoyed, and no

We will have a Catfish Supper brated. Several games of bingo were on Thursday, June 8. We will start serving at 5:30-7:00 p.m. The cost is \$5.00 for catfish and all the trim-The winners of bingo were Ellie mings. The public is invited to come Wilkerson, Verdie Tipton, Rava McK- join us.

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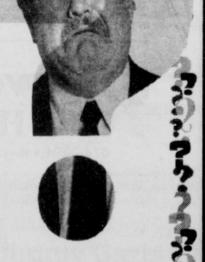
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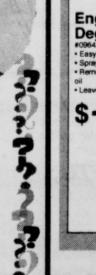
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Obituaries

"Tige" Hill, age 88, were held on under the direction of Wilke-Clay-Tuesday, June 6, 2000, in the First Baptist Church in Hedley with Rev. Bryan Knowles of Clarendon and Rev. Bruce Howard, Pastor, officiating. Burial was held in Rowe Cem-

Mr. Hill died Saturday, June 3, 2000, in Amarillo. He was born October 4, 1911, in Paint Rock, Alabama, and had been a resident of Hedley most of his life. He married Jonnie Ruth Land on January 2, 1936, at Memphis. She preceded him in death on September 4, 1994. He was a farmer most of his life before retiring more than 25 years ago. He was a member of the Hedley Masonic Lodge for over 50 years and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Hedley.

Survivors include two sisters, Bertha Russell of Sunset, Texas, and Ovella Wilkinson of Weatherbee, Texas; one brother, Junior Hill of Hedley; and a number of nieces and

Dillard

Hazel Lynn Bourland Dillard, age 88, passed away Friday, June 2, 2000, in Houston. She was born June 15, 1911, in Clarendon where she grew to womanhood surrounded by her loving parents, Frank and Edna Bourland; her sister, Jean; many uncles, aunts, and cousins. He family predecessors are numbered among the earliest settlers in the Thirteen Ct. #65, and the Eagles Lodge Aerie Colonies and in Texas. She was a #2. Daughter of the American Revolution and a Daughter of the Republic of Texas.

State University with a degree in music and was a member of the Alpha Chi Honorary Fraternity. She married her college sweetheart, Robert one great grandchild, Taffney Ross; Garing Dillard, on March 9, 1929. She became an outstanding teacher, teacher trainer, student counselor, and school administrator. She was a band, Mickey, of Montgomery, and devoted wife, homemaker, and mother Viola Hitt of Burnett, Texas; numerof five children. When she left the ous nieces and nephews. field of education to devote her time to her children, she became active in made to El Katif Shrine or to the Shrithe local Parent Teacher Association ner's Hospital for Children, PO Box and held many elected positions in 2472, Spokane, WA 99210-2472. the organization including president and lifetime member.

Following the death of her husband of 56 years, she moved from Austin - their home for 45 years to Houston. She cherished the strong relationships she maintained in Austin with family, friends, and Asbury Methodist Church.

Hazel was preceded in death by her parents; husband; sister, Jean Bourland Ross; and three brothersin-law, Terry Faris Bryan, James Raymond Ross, and James William Dillard.

Her survivors include son and daughter-in-law, Robert G. Dillard, Jr. and Marilyn of Houston; son and daughter-in-law, Lynn B. Dillard and Nita of Houston; son and daughterin-law, Gene R. Dillard and Dorie of Austin; daughter and son-in-law, Sharon Kay and Robert Soergel of Irving; son and daughter-in-law, Frank J. Dillard and Nannette of Houston; sisters-in-law, Margaret D. Bryan of Madisonville, Texas, and Edna G. Dillard of Canyon; 18 grandchildren; and 18 great grandchildren.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 6, 2000, at Wilke-

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Clay-Fish Funeral Home with Reverend Dea Eggleston officiating. Burial followed the services in Austin Funeral services for Finis Lester Memorial Park. Arrangements were Fish Funeral Home.

The family requests that memorials be made to Asbury Methodist Church, 1605 East 381/2 Street, Austin, Texas 78722; or to the charity of your

Hearn

Funeral services for Claude C. Hearn, age 74, of Spokane, Washington, will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 10, 2000, at the Chapel of Flowers at Riplinger Funeral Home in Spokane with the Rev. Karen Martin, officiating. Cremation preceded. Arrangements were under the direction of Riplinger Funeral

Mr. Hearn died June 2, 2000. He was born in Clarendon on December 7, 1925, to Charlie and Velma Hearn, who preceded him in death. He worked in the printing industry his entire life and purchased his own company in 1972. He built the foundation for this company that he passed to his sons in 1986

His passion was music, and he played his trombone in several community bands, his favorites being the El Katif Shrine Band and the weekly dances for The Day Out for the Blind. Claude was a member of Manito Masonic Lodge #246, Scottish Rite Bodies, El Katif Shrine, El Katif Shrine Band, South Spokane Shrine Club, Royal Order of Jesters,

Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Patricia Ann; sons, Dale Hearn and wife, Paula; Mark Hearn Hazel graduated from West Texas and wife, Connie; and Johnny Hearn; grandchildren, Celeste and Steven Hearn; Jeffery Ross and wife, Kimberly; Sarah, Rachel, and Luke Hearn; one brother, Bill Hearn and his wife, Dalfia on Montgomery, Texas; two sisters, Shirley Thomas and her hus-

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Mooring places first in local fishing tournament

Weren't the rains a beautiful sight! We sure needed it. It came in buckets in some areas. We received a little over four inches at my house over the couple of days it rained. With all the heavy rain, I just knew Lake Greenbelt was going to have a He caught his fish on a Rapala countsignificant rise in the water level, but it has only risen 11/2 feet. I guess that's better than nothing.

I talked to a few of my fishing buddies, and the fishing is starting to slow up. Sand bass are hitting pretty good, but overall the fishing is slow.

I plan to fish Lake Greenbelt a couple of times this week. Maybe I can find a few fish and pass along to you what seems to be working. **Tournament Results**

The Donley County Bass Club had a tournament this past Saturday. I had to work and was unable to fish the tournament. The guys said that the fishing was slow. Just a few bass were caught.

Bill Mooring placed first. He caught three bass on a lizard.

Herman Mooring came in second with 1 fish. It was also the big fish of the tournament weighing 3.70 lbs.

Hedley Honor Roll 'A' List First Grade: Jennifer Allen, Haley Chambiess, Reid Copelin, Braden Montgomery, Jasie Sargent, and Kaylee Shleids. Second Grade: Katle Morrow, Marlee Sargent, and Alay Sharp.

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Third Grade: Skyler Conatser, Peter Howard, Shandy Koetting, and Kelby Shleids.
Fourth Grade: Jonathan Edmonson.
Fifth Grade: Brayden Bennett, Jaci Copelin, Katle Gregory, Ruth Ann Howard, Will Verstuyft, and Callie Wynn.
Sixth Grade: Ben Shaw and Kyra Stevens.
Seventh Grade: Allison Hill and Stephen Howard.

Eighth Grade: Brittney Bennett, Treva Rowland. and Lacey Wallendorff.
Ninth Grade: Lauren Hill.
Tenth Grade: Dustin Knowles and Lora

Eleventh Grade: Rachel Bennett and Lana Wal-Twelfth Grade: Kenny Bennett, Lowell Ellerbrook, Rachel Howard, Ashley Hill, Dustin Monroe, Roger Wade, and Holli White.

'AB' List
First Grade: Tamra Burnam, Timber Burnam,
Christina Head, Laura Howard, Kelsey Ramirez, Kallie Verstuyff, and Jose Villarreal. Second Grade: Cole Forris, Haley Hall, R.J. Mar-shal, and Will Monroe. Third Grade: Lauryn Kellas. Amanda Musick.

and Archie Sharp.
Fourth Grade: Andy Alston, Brittlany Arceneaux, Deston Chambless, Kent Chase, Elizabeth Hrbacek, Sam Lovely, Danielle Smith, and Julie Woodard. Fifth Grade: Robert Allen, Justin Dillman, Justin Kellas, and Seth Koetting. Sixth Grade: Julie Funderburg, Jindy Gregory, Megan Hall, Travis Hrbacek, and Andrea



Curtis Schaefer came in third with two bass. He used a crankbait. Congratulations to Bill, Herman,

Upcoming Events:

There will be a Mel Phillips' Fun Fishing Tournament at Lake Greenbelt today, Thursday, June 8. Starting time is 6:00 p.m. and weigh-in is at 9:00 p.m. Hope to see you all there! Fishing Tip of the Week

Catfish are biting in Kelly

If you have any information that you would like to share, please contact me at PO Box 1281, Clarendon, TX, 79226, or e-mail me at gdol@ntsonline.net.

Remember to catch a few fish for supper and release a few fish to ensure another great fishing day. Good luck to all!

Seventh Grade: Eric Alston, Roper Copelin. Jerrad Marcum, and Will Wallendorff. Eighth Grade: Holey Bennett. Breanne Chase, Rebekah Howard, Joe Patterson, Clifton Todd, and Kasi Woodard.

Ninth Grade: Jimmie Marcum, Usle Rowland, and Sealey Stevens. Tenth Grade: Josh Collins, Lacenda Funder-burg, Sam Howard, and Amber Solis. enth Grade: Rhett Holland and Jeremy Tuneifth Grade: Creed Stephens.

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Hear Leonard Holt on 99.3 KEFH FM at 9:30 a.m. every Sunday morning.

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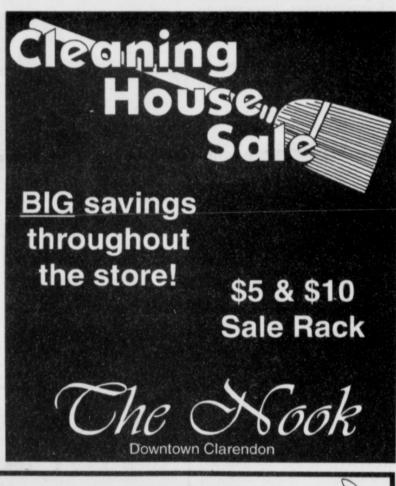
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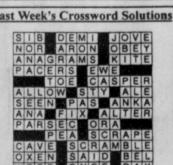
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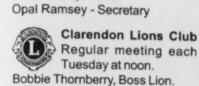
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MEETINGS

Clarendon Lodge #700 AF&AM Stated meeting: Second Monday each month, 8:00 p.m. Refreshments served at 7:00 p.m. Practice sessions: Fourth Monday, 7:00 p.m. Larry Hicks - W.M. Williard Skelton - Secretary

Clarendon Order of the Eastern Star #6 Stated meetings: First and Third Thursdays, 8:00 p.m. Refreshments served at 7:00 p.m. Linda Crump - W.M.



Vic Jeter, Secretary. Clarendon Girl Scouts Unit leaders meeting: First Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the Burton Memorial Library.

Kathy Hommel, Service Unit Director, 874-9422. Denise Bertrand.

Membership Specialist, 874-2846.

Stated meetings: First Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Jimmy Swinney - Commander Glen "Bud" Day - Adjudant

Josephine Burgess - Auxilary Pres. Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting each Monday at 8:00 p.m. at 305 S.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kearney Street. 874-9063.

Saints' Roost Museum

Summer Hours Saturday - Sunday 2 to 5 p.m.

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room, 11/2 bath with detached single garage on six lots. 702 S. Gorst. 874-2704. 24-1tnc 25-ctfc

HOUSE FOR RENT OR SALE: Four CNAs NEEDED: 2 to 10 shift. Call bedroom, two baths, fireplace. East Palo Duro Nursing Home, Claude, side of Hwy. 287, across from 226-5121. 24-2tc Chamberlain Motor Co. 874-2727. 24-2tp

FOR RENT

APARTMENT FOR RENT: Two bed-

FOR RENT: Two furnished apart- NEEDED LVN: Full time or part time. ments for rent. A.J. Hicks, 508 Call Palo Duro Nursing Home, Bond. 874-3445. 24-1tp

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GARAGE SALE: Saturday, June 10, 8:00 a.m. - ? benefiting Downtown Ministry Center on Kearney Street. 24-1tc

Donley Co. Memorial BIG GARAGE SALE, after moving. Post #7782 of the VFW Little bit of everything and a lot of everything else. 139 Sunfish, Saturday and Sunday, 8:00-? Also '96 Dodge 3/4 Ton and 30' fifth wheel with slide. 24-1tp

> HUGE YARD SALE: Don't miss this one! June 10. Blue and white house behind rodeo grounds. 8:00 a.m. Vickie Annis. 24-1tp

MOVING SALE: Everything must ter Nursing Home, Dairy Queen, State Office: Construction Division go. 209 S. Carhart. Saturday only, Billie Shaffer, Eda Wallin, Roberta 200 E. Riverside Dr., Austin, Texas 8:00 - ? Furniture, appliances, household goods. 24-1tc

179 ANGEL, HOWARDWICK: Friday-Saturday, 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Furniture, small deep-freeze, exercise equipment, clothes, sewing machine, S.S. Prop for Evinrude. Lots of miscellaneous things. Ga- The Clarendon Outdoor Entertaintrampoline. 24-1tnc

ing board, bookshelf, etc. 24-1tp

GARAGE SALE at Bubba Ford's trailer. Friday, June 9 and Saturtive interest rates. We provide qual- day, June 10, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 287 S. County Rd. 14. 874-2751.

> TWO FAMILY GARAGE SALE: June 9, 8:00-? June 10, 8:00 noon. Weather permitting. 914 S. Parks. Lots of stuff. 24-1tc

> GARAGE SALE: 53 Chamberlain, Howardwick. Friday, June 9, 8 a.m. -5 p.m. Saturday, June 10, 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. 24-1tp

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REWARD FOR LOST buff/blonde female cocker spaniel with purple collar. Lost 12 miles south of Clarendon. 806-358-4815. 24-1tc

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Claude, 226-5121. 24-2tc

HELP WANTED

Call Palo Duro Nursing Home, Claude, 226-5121. 24-2tc

WANTED: Secretary/receptionist in professional office. Pick up application at Shelton Law Firm, 222 S. Sully between 8 and 5, M-F. 24-

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THANK YOU

The Chamber of Commerce would like to thank all their volunteers that helped with the four day Memorial Day rest stop: VFW, Clarendon Fire Department, Medical Center Nursing Home, the Associated Ambuwho donated paper goods and contractor. snacks: Our Donuts, Medical Cen- NPO: 609 Pittman, and Northwest Texas Hos- 78704, phone: 512-416-2540. stop to visit, traveling from as far east as New Jersey to the California coast on the west. Thanks to 937-7100. all who helped make this event a success.

rage sale prices. Quilt, afghan, ment Association would like to BACKYARD SALE: 411 East 4th, helped with last weekend's Ranch June 9 & 10, 8:00 until 5:00. Iron- Rodeo, including sponsors Community Bank, McLean Feedyard, and NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the

THANK YOU

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY

IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS Sealed proposals for highway improvement contracts will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) until the date(s) shown below, and then publicly read. CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE CONTRACT(S)

District: Childress Contract 6040-98-001 for INSTALLA-TION AND REMOVAL OF RAISED PAVEMENT MARKER in CHILDRESS County, etc. will be opened on July 11, 2000, at 10:00 a.m. at the District Office for an esti-

mate of \$103,738.22.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or District Offices listed below. Bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least ten days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid lance Authority, Rev. James Ivey on a project. Prequalification mate-Edwards and the Methodist Church, rials may be requested from the Lori Howard and the First Baptist State Office listed below. Plans for Church, the Alan Graham family, the above contract(s) are available Kim Kirkland, and Cennet Rhode. at reproduction companies in Aus-They would also like to thank those tin, Texas, at the expense of the

pital. They had 110 weary travelers District Office(s): Childress District, District Engineer, 1700 Ave F NW, Childress, Texas 79201, phone: 940-

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents, and the rates will be part of the contract. TxDOT ensures that bidders will not be disthank everyone who attended and of race, color, sex, or national oricriminated against on the grounds gin. 24-2tc

the Clarendon Economic Develop- taxpayers of Donley County Hospiment Corporation; and judges Bill tal District that a hearing on the an-Craft, Billy Joe McFall, Bob nual budget of the Donley County Hollowell, Alex McAnear, Ray Hospital District will be held on June Minkley, Coke Hoppin, and Blackie 20, 2000, at 7:00 p.m. in the dining **REAL ESTATE**

SPECIALS OF THE WEEK

Three bedroom, 1 nice bath, living and dining room, utility and storage, kitchen, nearly new roof, stucco with two large porches, concrete cellar, large lot. Living space 1,342 sq. ft. and extra large lot. Very, very reasonably priced. 720 E. Wood.

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5 BEDROOM, 2 BATH - Two story, brick, partially remodeled in West Clarendon, living, den, dining, kitchen, basement, four car garage, small efficiency apt., swimming pool, fenced yard, choice location only a couple of blocks from both high school and college at 1030 W. 3rd for \$79,500. CLARENDON - ALL GRASS - section with 1 mile frontage on paved farm-to-market road only 3 miles from Clarendon. Good grass - has been rested during winter, 2 windmills with tubs, 2 dirt tanks, nice view, electricity available. Suitable to operate as is or to sub-divide, good buy at \$265.00 per acre. (OWNER WILL NEGOTIATE SELLING ½ SECTION ONLY WITH PAVED FRONTAGE).

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♦ 118 W. Sixth St. Stucco, one bedroom, one bath, two car port, storage building, 2½ lots. \$25,000 \$22,500

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REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE

CLARENDON-HOUSE 5 BEDROOM - 2 BATH - 2 story, brick, partially remodeled in West Clarendon, living, den, dining, kitchen, basement, 4 car garage, small

blocks from both high school and college at 1030 W. 3rd for \$79,500. THREE BEDROOM BRICK IN WEST CLARENDON - living room with fireplace, kitchen/den, utility, two baths, enclosed patio, attached 2-car garage, central heat and ref. air, fenced backyard on corner lot at 621 S.

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McLean for \$67,500. OWNER WILL FINANCE - two adjoining houses - large house 1406 sq. ft., 3 bedroom, 13/4 baths, living/dining, den, kitchen, central heat and ref. air, new carpet, car port - smaller house 1056 sq. ft., 2 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen/nook, living. Suitable for two family arrangement or one family

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LIKE NEW custom designed 2 bedroom, 2 full baths with marble sinks & skylights, livinging/dining/den, fireplace with blower, large utility, built in computer desk, central heat & ref. air, recessed fans & lighting, storm cellar, carport, PLUS gas, electricity, & water hookup for RV - or mobile home, all of 3 lots enclosed with chain link fence at 711 E. 3rd for \$75,000. REDUCED

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NEAR SCHOOL - 3 bedroom, 11/2 bath, living, dining, kitchen, one room finished basement, central heat & ref. air, 320 sq. ft. covered porch, unattached two car garage, fenced backyard at 620 W. 6th for \$49,500.

DUPLEX centrally located within walking distance to school and post office, some appliances included. Suitable for two small families. Could be converted to 3 bedroom, 2 bath residence. Good investment for bed and breakfast at 517 W. 4th for \$39,500. Reduced to \$32,900.

CLARENDON FARM/RANCH - 1120 acres only two miles from Clarendon (986 ac grass - 134 acres productive farm land), three windmills with tubs - dirt tank, good water, corral, county maintained road on three sides, reasonably priced at \$265 per acre.

CLARENDON - ALL GRASS - section with one mile frontage on paved farm-to-market road only three miles from Clarendon. Good grass - has been rested during winter, two windmills with tubs, two dirt tanks, nice view, electricity available. Suitable to operate as/is or to sub-divide, good buy at \$265 per acre. (OWNER WILL NEGOTIATE SELLING 1/2 SECTION ONLY WITH PAVED FRONTAGE).

CLARENDON-RANCH - approximately 2,100 acre sportsman's paradise beginning six miles south of Clarendon on pavement - 2 modern houses, each 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat & ref. air, fireplace, and much more, large complete set of corrals, barn, and other out buildings, large overhead feed bin, round pen, dog kennels, wells with sub. pumps at both houses, also a third well with sub. pump plus 4 windmills in pastures. LIVE SPRING WATER FEEDS STOCKED FISH PONDS WHICH ALSO PROVIDE WATER FOR DEER, QUAIL, AND WILD TURKEYS-ALL WITHIN VIEW OF ONE HOUSE. Now showing to qualified buyers at \$1,100,000.

CLARENDON-RANCH - 1,170 acres only 4 miles south of Clarendon, good cattle country with just enough rough land and cover to attract DEER & GAME BIRDS, large dirt tank and 3 wells provide abundant water for livestock and game, good set of corrals, beautiful unobstructed view overlooking scenic canyon country for \$275.00 per acre.

CLARENDON-FARM-271 ACRES 9 MILES S/E of Clarendon - 173.8 acres in CRP at \$33.00 with 8 years remaining (\$5,735.00 annual payment). I domestic well, frontage on large major ranch provides unobstructed view for building site and makes this a favored feeding ground for deer and quail, offered at \$400 per acre.

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Sheriff's Report:

Memorial Day weekend keeps officers busy

Koogle, transport refused.

was secured.

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same block.

US 287.

10:59 p.m. - Inmate released from NWTH, deputy

11:25 p.m. - Deputy and Greenbelt security at fight

11:26 p.m. - Ambulance on stand-by until scene

11:29 p.m. - Caller reported vehicle traveling at

11:30 p.m. - Ambulance paged to Sheriff's Office,

12:13 a.m. - Deputy at 1100 Block of 3rd street

12:15 a.m. - Deputy at the second address of the

12:19 a.m. - Contacted Armstrong County Sher

panied inmate on airlift to NWTH.

cle five miles west on US 287.

alarm still audible

at Greenbelt Lake

reserve deputy at NWTH

Block of West 5th.

needs medication.

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and Koogle

2:10 a.m. - Manager en route

iff's Office for traffic control assist to land Life

1:27 a.m. - Report of female and child out of vehi-

1:32 a.m. - Deputy located an abandoned vehicle

1:45 a.m. - No other vehicles seen on roadside

2:07 a.m. - Alarm company reported interior motion

2:09 a.m. - Deputy reported all doors secure,

2:15 a.m. - Deputy advised that assault happened

2:22 a.m. - Deputy and ambulance at Greenbelt

2:23 a.m. - Deputy informed there were 11-12 on

2:26 a.m. - Ambulance transported one male to

2:54 a.m. - Personnel at Pampa Regional Hospi

tal informed about the release of assault victim from an earlier assault at Greenbelt Lake.

3:53 a.m. - Deputies got to the bottom of reported

6:30 a.m. - Deputy went to Amarillo to pick up

9:15 a.m. - Deputy at the 500 block of 1st Street.

11:03 a.m. – Ambulance personnel paged to ambu-lance barn, male with possible broken foot.

11:18 a.m. – No transport. 2:47 p.m. – Deputy out of vehicle on SH 70 north

2:49 p.m. – Unidentified caller advised deputy to go to Front Street and look to right, may see some-

one doing something he shouldn't be doing. 2:53 p.m. – Deputy en route to jail, one in custody.

5:52 p.m. - Deputy checked on welfare concern.

6:23 p.m. - Gas drive off, US 287 and Koogle

US 287 and Koogle to pay for gas.

2:29 p.m. - DPS running intoxilizer

6:11 p.m. - Caller reported vandalism at the 1500

6:43 p.m. - Deputy needed assistance with male in

7:03 p.m. - Deputy en route to jail, one male in

7:06 p.m. - Game warden escorted female back to

7:21 p.m. - Caller advised her son was just taken

8:13 p.m. - Deputy went to Howardwick to try and

locate inmate's companion to retrieve his m

622-217

Home: 874-9392, after 5:00

Pager: 378-7033, anytime

into custody and is under psychiatric care and

9:23 a.m. - Deputy at the 400 Block of Barcus.

detector alarm at 900 West 287 going off.

at 287 and Martin, will continue to look for vehi-

inmate having difficulty breathing.

11:56 p.m. - Deputy en route to jail.

11:59 p.m. - Deputy en route.

ds in excess of 100 mph, east bound on

11:19 p.m. - Report of a fight at Sandy Beach

May 27 6:20 a.m. - Hall County Sheriff's Office reported a single vehicle rollover three to four miles north of Memphis on US 287. Ambulance paged; Hall County deputy en route. Sent Donley County

deputy and DPS. 6:50 a.m. - Donley County deputy on scene.

7:23 a.m. - Deputy still on scene.

10:15 a.m. - Deputy at ballpark.
11:52 a.m. - Deputy dispatched to Sheriff's Office, fight out front.

2:21 p.m.—Resident on Carroll Creek road reported a stray dog in her yard. The dog had already killed her cat and appeared to be sick.

2:45 p.m. – Deputy went to above location, contacted vet to meet at vet clinic.
 3:11 p.m. – Contacted animal control officer,

eded him at pound. 4:09 p.m. - 911 caller reported carcass of tarred

dog in road, needed to be removed. 4:14 p.m. – Caller reported kids riding go-carts in

4:48 p.m. - Deputy out of vehicle, talked to go-cart

6:45 p.m. - Caller reported continuously barking dogs at the 100 Block of Bailey in Hedley, Con-

stable advised 9:50 p.m. - Deputy checked on stranded vehicle

one mile east on US 287.

9:08 p.m. - Deputy at Janny Street 9:29 p.m. - 911 caller reported a fight on Pampa

9:38 p.m. - Deputy en route to jail, one male in

9:39 p.m. - Deputy transported a female to her res-11:06 p.m. - Caller reported Shamrock getting wild

11:23 p.m. - Wrecker dispatched south of dam 11:42 p.m. - Deputies en route to jail, three in cus-

12:09 a.m. -- Ambulance paged to accident north SH 70 near entrance to Sandy Beach. 12:11 a.m. – Caller reported three males stealing and beating on people at Greenbelt Lake.

12:13 a.m. – Fire department paged. 12:23 a.m. – Deputy assisted Greenbelt security at

Kincaid Park. 12:29 a.m. - Ambulance transport to NWTH.

12:30 a.m. - Accident three miles east of Good-12:40 a.m. - Deputy en route to jail, one in cus-

7:51 a.m. - Armstrong County reporting possible intoxicated driver east bound on US 287, deputy

9:39 a.m. - Deer reported one block east of high 9:47 a.m. - Deer reported end of South Ellerbee

- Alarm sounded at a business on US 287 and Koogle. Deputy advised all OK at busi-

12:03 p.m. - Greenbelt security en route to jail, one 1:48 p.m. - Deputy en route to jail, one in custody.

4:30 p.m. - Deputy en route to jail, two males in custody. cle rollover one mile west on US 287.

6:11 p.m. - Deputy en route to jail, one in custody. 6:18 p.m. - Ambulance transported two to NWTH. 6:25 p.m. - Deputy en route to jail, one in custody 6:42 p.m. - Ambulance transported one to NWTH

two occupants, possibly drug related. obscenities out the window of a vehicle. 8:25 p.m. - Deputy out at East Montgomery and

7:24 p.m. - Reserve deputy stopped a vehicle wit

South Hawley. 9:03 p.m. - Greenbelt security reported a fight at Sandy Beach.

9:34 p.m. - Caller needed chief deputy or sheriff at business, 200 Block of South Koogle.

9:39 p.m. - Deputy at above location 9:42 p.m. - Caller reported two males loitering on

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street, 700 Block of 6th Street. Deputy in the 9:52 p.m. - Deputy advised that males had left the 8:14 p.m. - Gave information to Pampa, attempt to

8: 36 p.m. - Caller reported two vehicles spinning

11:36 p.m. - Deputy en route to NWTH to guard

11:49 p.m. - Deputy en route to Sheriff's Office,

May 30 1:40 a.m. - Caller reported loud pick-up all over the

1:51 a.m. - Deputy unable to locate but stayed in

the area awh 9:11 a.m. - 911 call paged Ambulance to Family

11:42 p.m. - Ambulance en route to Pampa Health Clinic 9:24 a.m. - Ambulance transported one adult male 11:54 p.m. - Sheriff advised of Code 99 at the jail. to NWTH.

9:51 a.m. - Deputy en route to Sheriff's Office,

11:57 p.m. – Caller reported residents in the 1100 Block of East 3rd built a fire in the front yard. transported hospitalized inmate.

12:08 p.m. – Deputy en route to Amarillo to pick up a female inmate, transport to Donley Co. jail. 2:03 p.m. - Children reported a strange man with a dog knocking on their door. Parents not home,

6:38 p.m. - Deputy transported a female inmate to

1:55 a.m. - Mobile caller reported reckless driver all over the road, US 287 and west county line deputy en route.

2:13 a.m. - Deputy advised driver very tired. 10:19 a.m. - Ambulance paged to the 100 Block of Billie Drive, Howardwick

10:58 a.m. - EMS requested assistance with Life 10:59 a.m. - Advised Armstrong County.

11:11 a.m. - Lifestar landed at the rodeo grounds 12:29 p.m. - Deputy dispatched to Sheriff's Office.

12:53 p.m. - DPS reported child having seizures and choking on I-40. 12:53 p.m. - McLean ambulance en route

2:14 a.m. - 911 caller reported assault at US 287 12:53 p.m. - Clarendon EMS reported may have 12:54 p.m. - Clarendon ambulance en route 2:14 a.m. - Ambulance and deputy paged to loca-00 p.m. - Ambulance advised of McLean's ETA -

Advised Clarendon EMS to return to ambulance 1:00 p.m. - EMT advised Community Center they

1:15 p.m. - Ambulance transport to NWTH.

4:53 p.m. – Howardwick resident having problems with a dog, animal control officer advised. vehicle.

7:03 p.m. - Music reported at the car wash 9:38 p.m. - Deputy dispatched to the 100 Block of North Goodnight. 10:20 p.m. - Ambulance paged to 400 South Jef

10:35 p.m. - Ambulance transported one male to

10:55 p.m. - Two males reported Rollerblading on 11:04 p.m. - Deputy spoke with bladers.

area.

10:00 p.m. – Ambulance dispatched to US 287 and

8:28 p.m. – Contact made with female, en route to

12:02 a.m. – Resident in 900 Block South Carhart reported someone out by her vehicle 12:12 a.m. – Deputy at above location.

1:15 a.m. - Deputy at high school, door open on building near buses. 3:58 a.m. - 911 caller had car trouble at grocery

4:06 a.m. - Deputy at location, advised subjects

involved in accident with deer. DPS advised. 4:45 a.m. - Trooper on scene. 5:11 a.m. - Trooper attempting to locate scene of

route to Sheriff's office.

5:57 a.m. - Trooper took two females to Sheriff's office to contact someone to pick them up. 12:53 p.m. - Deputy paged to office, spoke with individuals about filing assault charges 12:55 p.m. - Caller wanted to file a report on prop-

swerved toward her vehicle and backfired as it passed. Pick-up was traveling west on 5th

Street, deputy advised. 1:34 p.m. - 911 caller wanted his vehicle retriev from parking lot of variety store on US 287, said

manager threatened him, deputy advised. 2:25 p.m. - Manager of variety store reported subject harassing her via telephone. 2:45 p.m. - Caller reported a grass fire west of

2:46 p.m. - Fire department paged.

2:50 p.m. – Fire department paged. 2:53 p.m. – Weather service reported heavy rain northwest corner of Donley County, small hail. 5:34 p.m. – Sheriff watching clouds for changes.

6:34 p.m. - Streets began to fill from rainfall. 6:56 p.m. - Sheriff advised of a call from Amarillo resident regarding possible family dispute in

7:14 p.m. - Stalled vehicle at US 287 and Kearney,

8:19 p.m. - Weather Bureau checked on weather 8:33 p.m. - Weather Bureau advised Clarendor

might get as much as five inches before the storm moves on. 8:37 p.m. - Deputy reported pick-up no longe

blocking Highway. 8:57 p.m. - Official rainfall so far, 2.81. 8:59 p.m. - Report of creeks, rivers, and ditches

stranded motorist, US 287 and Ayers Road. 11:14 p.m. – DPS reported water over the Highway at Kelly Creek.

11:34 p.m. – Donley County under severe thunder rm watch and flash flood warnings

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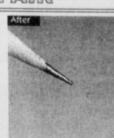
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