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NEWS at a glance

Clarendon's tax rebate drops 14%

Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander last week sent \$212.5 million in local sales tax revenue to 1,106 Texas cities and 119 counties. October sales tax rebates are up 20.8 percent compared to October 1999.

Locally the news was mixed. Clarendon's rebate fell by 14.71 percent for a total of \$14,794.15. But Hedley and Howardwick both posted gains of 55.86 percent and 223 percent respectively. Those cities' rebates were \$159.12 and \$1,044.84.

For the year to date, Clarendon is running 3.37 percent ahead while Hedley is 14.33 percent behind and 20.16 percent down.

October sales tax rebates represent sales taxes collected in August and reported to the Comptroller in September.

For more information, check out our web site at www.ClarendonOnline.com and click on the Comptroller's link in this story.

Friendship Club to host candidates

The Howardwick Friendship Club will meet for the regular meeting on Friday, October 20, at 6:30 p.m. in the Howardwick City Hall.

The candidates for the local election have been invited to talk with them.

Bring a dish for potluck.

Republican Club to meet Monday

City may hire administrator through PRPC

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men considered contracting for a part- his PRPC responsibilities. time city administrator during their regular meeting October 10.

ment services to Clarendon

Under the proposed agreement, the city would contract with the com- Kevin Brennen spoke on behalf of mission to have a PRPC employee the Donley County Appraisal Disserve as a part-time City Adminis- trict to answer questions regarding trator for an estimated \$32,539 per an ordinance to defray the costs of year

provides this service to the City of offset the attorney costs involved. The Bovina and two other Panhandle area board voted in favor of the ordinance, communities. He listed several ben- 3-1 (Smiley Johnson, Bobbie Kidd efits and outlined proposed duties and Billy Jack Land, Yes. Michael of the administrator. The Board of Tibbets, No.) Aldermen would still set policy for the city and oversee the city admin- she could purchase 600 brick pavers istrator. The city administrator would to finish a project she had started. oversee daily operations of the city Alderman Johnson moved, seconded including the areas of personnel and by Tibbets, to have Ms. SoRelle check business and financial matters.

ernment Services Program Specialist City might open up the sale of bricks Colby Waters would be the person he with the understanding that they not recommends for this position. Waters

The Clarendon Board of Alder- currently serves Bovina in addition to

The board requested Waters and his supervisor, PRPC Local Govern-Gary Pitner of the Panhandle ment Services Director Jarrett Atkin-Regional Planning Commission son, to appear at the next possible (PRPC) spoke about the possibility board meeting. A special meeting of the PRPC providing city manage- may be called for the purpose of speaking to Waters and Atkinson.

In other city business, attorney collecting delinquent taxes. The pen-Pitner said the PRPC already alty required by the ordinance goes to

Sara SoRelle asked the board if with Lynn Floyd to see if he still had Pitner said PRPC Local Gov- the bricks first; and if not, then the See 'City' on page 9



Bouncey, bouncey

Katy Adams of Hedley enjoys jumping around on the Kiddie Air Jumper at the Hedley Cotton Festival last weekend while Julie Woodard takes a cushioned fall. Turnout for the festival was better than expected with the addition of several activites including the Kiddie Air Jumper.

Photo courtesy of Hedley Yearbook

Clarendon trustees rule in favor of punishment

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In a 4-2 vote, the Clarendon ISD Board of Trustees last Friday upheld the punishment of a local student who brought a gun to school.

The decision means the 17-yearold Clarendon High School senior will have to remain in the Alternative Education Program (AEP) until October 31, 2000.

Criminal charges against the boy are pending and will be determined by a Grand Jury, which is not scheduled to convene until November 13, 2000, according to County Attorney Stewart Messer. Formal charges have reportedly not been filed.

The case stems from the October 3 arrest of the student who reportedly left his .12 gauge shotgun in his vehicle after going dove hunting. A random search of the school parking lot by trained dogs alerted on the student's vehicle, and school officials found a dead dove, several rounds of live ammunition, and the gun in the vehicle.

The student reportedly became ill while hunting with a friend and forgot he had the gun in the car when he went to school the next day.

During Friday's special meeting, CISD trustees listened to a tape recording of the expulsion hearing held the week before, which featured testimony from CHS Principal Larry Jeffers and the boy's attorney, Jerry Courtney. At that time, CISD Superintendent Monty Hysinger ruled that the student should be placed in AEP for a period of four weeks beginning on the date of the incident.

AEP excludes a student from participating in extracurricular activities and restricts his contact with other students. Basic instruction and counseling are provided in a separate building on the CISD campus. Under the law, the student could have faced one full calendar year of expulsion without AEP being used to continue his studies, school administrators Earlier in the day, Hedley Volun-Following the taped hearing, each side was given an opportunity to state its case to the Board of Trustees. Courtney said that all evidence showed the boy had forgotten the gun was in the car and that he did not "knowingly" possess the gun under the definition of the penal code.

Hedley Homemakers sponsor 49th Cotton Festival

By Paula K. Davis

and Justine Moore.

Hedley was held last weekend where and Deanna Funderburg from Hedley. many events took place. The Hedley LaCenda is presently a junior at and I was excited that LaCenda won The junior class hosted a kick-off Homemakers Club once again spon- Hedley High School and is holding the crown," said Deanna Funderburg. breakfast at 7:00 a.m. on Saturday. sored this year's festival.

Brittney Natterville, Kirsten Moore,

Columbus Day

and burglaries

Department busy last week.

on a joy ride.

in the vehicle.

day, October 10.

steel building were damaged.

call the authorities at 874-3533.

from the van, he said.

The winner for the Queen Cor-

office as the class treasurer David

onation was LaCenda Funderburg. fun to be involved in the contest and

The winner of the Princess Cor- They also hosted a barbecue lu

Also during the festival, the high The 49th annual cotton festival at LaCenda is the daughter of Tommy the junior class helped her out a lot. school classes of Hedley raised money "The festival went really well, to go towards their senior class trip.

The Donley County Republican Club will hold it monthly meeting on October 23, at 6 p.m. at the Panhandle Community Services building. The club meets the fourth

Monday of each month. All members and prospec-

tive republican members are urged to attend this meeting before the upcoming election.

State recognizes PCS for service

The Texas Department of Housing & Community Affairs has recognized Panhandle Community Services for outstanding service. This is the sixth year PCS has won this award.

The award recognizes the agency providing excellent services and for transitioning families in the Panhandle out of poverty. The agency helps families in crisis and assists them in such a way that they no longer need public assistance.

More than 260 families obtained self-sufficiency in 1999 because of help through PCS. This exceeded the entire state goal set by TDHCA for the sixth consecutive time.

Inside:

- 2 Election-year letters to the editor take over the Opinion page.
- 4 Some Boy Scouts got to visit with ball players from down under.
- 5 The Clarendon College Fine Arts Dept. will be producing a new play next week.
- 9 And a group of elementary students participate in a UIL music contest.

All this and much more in this ek's action packed edition

One of the main events that took place was the Queen and Princess Cor-Coronation

onation. There were four candidates from each category. The nominees and I was very surprised to have and Archie Sharp of Hedley. She was ments, held bingo. The freshman and for the Queen contest were Breanne won," stated LaCenda. "It was a crowned by last year's winner, Kat-Chase, LaRae Shaw, LaCenda Fun- real honor to have one of my closest terinna Johnson. derburg, and Sealy Stevens. The friends, Holli White, pass the crown Princess nominees were Alex Sharp, on to me."

> winner of the Queen Coronation. LaCenda also stated that it was

Evans escorted LaCenda in the Queen onation was Alex Sharp. She is a and a midnight supper. third grader at Hedley Elementary The senior class, along with a

'I figured the contest was close, School and the daughter of Marlee concession stand of food and refreshsophomore classes opened the cakewalk, Kiddie Air Jumper, jail, and Carol Deavers of Memphis was dunking board.

the lucky winner of the bale of cotton Holli White was last year's that was given away during the Queen teer Fire Department held their annual Coronation

Antique Tractor Show. Blackie John-See 'Festival' on page 3 son was named Best of Show with his

> "[The student's] only sin was in getting sick and forgetting the shotgun," Courtney said, urging the trustees to overturn Hysinger's ruling.

> Jeffers said CISD was charged with protecting the safety of the students and that disciplining this student was not an easy decision. He said he was hired to make Clarendon schools safe even though sometimes those decisions break his heart.

> "Everyone needs to know that guns are absolutely, positively not allowed in school," he said.

> Hysinger told the board that he and Jeffers must deal with student discipline problems everyday.

> "Every single student can tell us he forgot or he can tell us some other excuse," he said. "I know I personally have been asked to look the other way in this situation. But we did the right thing, we did the legal thing, and we did the ethical thing. And we were very compassionate and very considerate in our decision."

> The board then deliberated in closed session for approximately 45 minutes before coming back to vote in favor of the administration. Board members in favor of upholding the action were Lance Thornberry, Weldon Sears, James Shelton, and Joe Lemley. Voting against were Reneé Betts and Marvin Thompson.

Following the vote, the board informed the student he had the right to appeal the decision to the district court. As of Tuesday morning, Courtney said his client was not planning to appeal.

sees vandalism Burglary and criminal mischief kept the Donley County Sheriff's Over the Columbus Day weekend, someone stole a Chevy passenger van from Clarendon ISD and went Chief Deputy Butch Blackburn said the sheriff's office received a report on October 10 of a school van abandoned in the drainage ditch behind Henson's. The keys were still CISD Superintendent Monty Hysinger said the van had been gassed up and left with the keys in it so some coaches could take it to Amarillo to get film. But the coaches ended up using their own vehicle, and the school officials didn't miss the van until they showed up for work Tues-Blackburn said vehicle tracks from the van match those that were found at the Clarendon Municipal Airport where runway lights and a Several fingerprints were lifted Hysinger reports that no damage was done to the van, but he urges

> Associated Ambulance Authority conducted a mock car wreck at Clarendon High School last Thursday. The demonstration of rescue equipment was preceeded by a safety demonstration by DPS spokesman L.B. Snider who said 60 percent of people killed in traffic deaths in Texas were not wearing seatbelts. In the Panhandle that rate is 70 percent.

See 'Burglaries' on page 3

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OPINION

Thursday, October 19, 2000

editor's Commentary

Time, money down the drain in the Mid-East

"I don't care how long you live," Coach Beck once said in class, "you will always be able to turn on the evening news and see one Arab throwing a rock at another."

That was my junior year in high school, and his words are still true 12 years later.

Even after all the summits and peace accords, there is still war going on in the Middle East. Those people over there, for whatever reason, hate each other and have demonstrated a distinct disinterest in trying to live together.

Our impeached president and his administration haven't helped matters any. After the Gulf War, our nation was at least respected by several Arab nations. I don't think the same holds true today.

Our one true friend in the Middle East has been Israel, but the Clinton Gang has pretty much sold them down the river. In acting as a "peace broker" (in hopes of getting Billy Jeff a Nobel Prize), the US has encouraged Israel to cede lands to the Palestinians. Imagine if you will if someone had tried to broker peace between the US and Mexico during the Mexican-American War. "Y'all just give Texas back to Mexico, and we'll call this a done deal.

That's essentially the same logic our foreign policy wonks have been exercising in the negotiations between Israel and "former" terrorist Yasser Arafat. Our state department is saying that in order to win, the Israelis must surrender

And now on top of all the erupting Mid-east violence, a group of fanatics in a rubber raft have attempted - and nearly succeeded in - blowing up a US destroyer near Yemen. Blowing up our ships used to be an act of war (Remember the Maine?), but now we're not even sure who our enemies are. We think it might have been masterminded by known terrorist and self-avowed American-hater Osama bin Laden, but our friends in Afghanistan, where bin Laden resides, say that just can't be the case

Meanwhile on Monday night, Bill O'Reilly reported on Fox News that the United States has sent \$32 billion to Israel and the Palestinians since 1992.

That's a lot of taxpayer money and not much results. As a graduate student, I took a Geo-Politics class at Texas Tech. We'd debate the great issues of the day as they related to the United States. There was always one fellow who sat on the far side of the room, and when

Thompson endorses Blackburn for sheriff

Butch Blackburn has been associated with the Donley County Sheriff's Office since 1981. From 1981 to 1987 he served as full time deputy, from 1987 to 1997 he served as reserve deputy, and from 1997 to the present he has served as full time deputy. During this time, Butch has been involved in the investigations on everything to decide who I will vote for and make from stolen dog cases to murder cases. As a reserve, Butch was always willing to help in any situation that arose. He has kept up with the changes in the laws of Texas and is willing to do whatever is necessary to stay up to date on any changes that are made

Let me say that during all the time I have known Butch, he has been a loyal employee and devoted to his job and to the citizens of Donley County. I have always been able to rely on Butch to get the job done and not get in a mess.

Butch is fully qualified to be the sheriff of Donley County as the following list of classes and schools will prove: Basic Reserve Officer, Temporary Jailer, Peace Officer License, Basic Peace Officer, Other In-service Training, Investigations, Patrol/Tactical, Law, Family Violence/ Child/Sexual Abuse, Cultural Diversity, Special Investigative Topics, Traffic, Jail Operations. Suicide Detection and Prevention in Jails, TCIC/NCIC Computer Training, New Supervisor's Course, Family Violence Web, Ethics for Law Enforcement, Juvenile Law Update for Law Enforcement, Update Criminal Law, Report Writing, STCJ-Drug Interdiction, Crime Scene Investigation, Practical Police Officer Shooting, Fire Arms Refresher, CPR/ First Aid, Aerosol End-User, Intermediate Peace Officer, Advanced Crime Scene Investigation, Fingerprinting. I might add that several of these classes are required every two years for an officer to keep his certification, and Butch has attended these classes every time. In addition to the required classes for law enforcement, Butch has also attended numerous cloudwatching schools and is always out watching the clouds during severe weather to ensure that the citizens of Donley County are kept aware of approaching bad weather. All together, Butch has over 700 TCLE-OSE certified hours in training.

I fullly support Butch Blackburn for sheriff of Donley County, and I have every confidence that he will be dedicated to serving the citizens of Donley County as your full time sheriff.

I would like to urge all the citizens of Donley County to think seriously before voting during the upcoming election, but by all means get out and vote.

TX 79226, (806) 874-5058. This will save the people at the post office a headache and maybe make it a little easier for some poor, misguided person to send me some more political garbage to throw in the trash! I can assure you that I will take the time the decision I feel is best for me and my family. So please, if you can't send a return address on your next riveting piece of cyber info, keep it to yourself!

Reader prefers Messer in district attorney's race

I'm writing on behalf of the District Attorney race. I've been reading the paper, and it seems to me that Mr. Randall Sims seems to brag about his accomplishments since he has been elected

I would like to let everyone know of my first experience with Mr. Sims. In 1995, an investigator came to my job and said that he would like for me to answer some questions at the jail. When I arrived, Texas Ranger Gary Henderson, Randall Sims, and his investigator were sitting there waiting. As they started asking me questions, Mr. Sims learned of my newborn son. Mr. Sims told me that if I cared about my son, I would cooperate with him. If not, he could see that my son could be taken away from me. Let me remind you that my son had nothing to do with the case.

A few months later, Mr. Sims did manage to get my probation revoked. While I was in court waiting, they called a case. It happened to be a man from Wellington who had molested his child. Mr. Sims asked several questions about the incident in which he openly in court admitted to it. When they got ready for sentencing, Mr. Sims recommended 10 years probation and for this man to register as a sex offender. The shocking thing about this is the child was left in the same home with the man which was the father. But to remind you, Mr. Sims didn't think I needed my child in the home with me.

We need to elect someone who is going to stand up for the children. There have been several of these cases over the six years Mr. Sims has been in office, and I would like to know how many of them have been sentenced to T.D.C.J. Some will say that they have rights to probation. But what about the kids' rights being violated? Mr. Stewart Messer deserves a to show that he can do this job. Mr. Messer has been our county attorney and has done a fair and honest job of taking care of business. This should not be an issue of who has tried more cases but an issue of who can do what's right and stand behind it. I'm urging everyone to get out and ask questions about these cases, not only in Clarendon but also in the district, and see how they were handled. And then ask yourself, who would you want prosecuting your case if you were the victim?

Sell's Tire Center, PO Box 525, Clarendon, with the amount of disability benefits that Mr. Holden might have received since he moved to Donley County. Because if Mr. Holden has supported himself and his family even in part with disability benefits since moving to Donley County, it is grossly unfair to compare the amount of volunteer work that he has done to the amount done by Mr. Blackburn, who has been working full time to support his family.

It is my understanding that by filing Thank you, for disability benefits you are claiming to Steve Sell, be unable to work a job and therefore Clarendon unable to support yourself. It is my opinion that by filing to run for the office of sheriff, you are claiming to be physically able to work even if you are not elected to the office of sheriff. A person who feels they are physically able to perform the duties of sheriff of our county should also feel physically able to do many other paying jobs. In my opinion, it would be dishonest to file to run for sheriff and continue to receive disability benefits. So I think that it matters a great deal here whether or not Mr. Holden might have been receiving these benefits since moving into Donley County. I am not making allegations. I am just wondering what the facts are.

> Karen Watt, Hedlev

Dispatcher says sheriff's office not in 'Dark Ages'

As an employee of the Donley County Sheriff's Department, I want to let all concerned citizens know our office is equipped with the same computer terminal found in all law enforcement offices throughout the state

The computer is maintained and upgraded by the Department of Public Safety. And in order to have access to this computer, all dispatchers and deputies must re-certify every two years with update classes two to three times per year.

Any information available through NCIC/TCIC comes to my terminal as quickly as it does to terminals in large cities

The "no monies" computer we keep reading about may very well be, but would cost the taxpayers of Donley County thousands of dollars for the thousands of man hours needed to enter the data.

Yes, we still must go to the file room to pull a file (this takes approximately 30 seconds), and yes, I am still looking up telephone numbers via the telephone book. But be assured when the deputy needs

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we'd come to an impasse in the debate, he'd interject the final solution to move us to the next issue. "Aw, hell," he'd say. "Let's nuke 'em."

Too much cocaine coming in from Colombia? "Let's nuke 'em.'

Couldn't reach an agreement on how much grain Canada should export to the US? "Let's nuke 'em."

It wasn't always the best choice, but it did move us along

Lately I've had the same feeling about the Mid-East. But of course, nuking the warring factions probably isn't a good idea.

When you get down to it, there is only one reason we have to walk on eggshells in the Mid-East, and that's oil. After eight years of Clinton-Gore, our nation now imports about 62 percent of its oil from OPEC. Reports say that production of crude is only exceeding our demand by one million barrels a day. Of that amount, our pals in Iraq produce three million barrels.

We could produce our own oil, but federal regulations and environmental wackos have pretty much killed domestic oil producers. I understand that there is as much oil in Alaska as there is in Saudi Arabia. Unfortunately we can't drill for it because it might upset a caribou or disturb the serene beauty of a remote frozen wasteland.

If not for our dependence on foreign crude, we could either disassociate ourselves from that hornet's nest, or we could truly ally with Israel and take out Arafat. But as it is. Israel depends on us for protection, but the rest of the Arab nations have us by throat. We therefore have to tiptoe around, hoping we don't set off World War III while at the same time trying to get our impeached president a Nobel Prize to shore up his sagging legacy.

And believe it or not, we're still the greatest nation on Earth.

We have the strongest economy (unless Saddam turns off the spigot). And we have the strongest military (unless our navy meets up with a rubber raft). Yes, sir. We're on top of the world.

Meanwhile...

I'd like to offer a thank you to the VFW for putting on the Meet the Candidates Night this week.

It was a good opportunity for voters to meet the men and women running for local offices. Joe Davis of KLSR radio in Memphis did a good job as moderator.

Those taking the time to come were Randall Sims, Stuart Messer, Randy White, Ernest Johnston, Andy Wheatley, Butch Blackburn, William Holden, Wilma Lindley, Wanda Smith, and Jimmy Sweeney.

Be sure to pick up next week's ENTERPRISE when we publish profiles of the candidates in contested races. There are only three weeks left now, and we're counting the days. I'm sure you are also.

Sheriff William J. Thompson, Clarendon

Whiney Democrat has no backbone or courage

It's time again! What am I talking about? The moron factor has set in.

Now before I get started let me set one thing straight, I am not a Democrat and I am not a Republican! I don't believe someone should be elected because he/she belongs to a particular political party. He/she should be elected because he/she is the best individual for the job. Now someone has taken it upon themselves to convince me of what a bad person George W. Bush is. And that's fine. Try all you want to convince me, but at least have enough courage to write your name and return address on the information you sent me in such a cowardly way! Nothing chaps my butt more than some whiney Democrat who wants to spout off their opinion but doesn't have the backbone to allow anyone to question them on their beliefs. I have a lot of friends who are die-hard Democrats and just as many who are die-hard Republicans, and they at least will talk with you about their beliefs, but someone (a local Clarendon resident) has decided to mail me some kind of junk mail they retrieved off of the Internet slamming George Bush. All I ask is that you allow me the same courtesy to return the favor. I am sure if a person wanted to they could find as much if not more of the same type of garbage on our wonderful vice president!

Please don't let me be misunderstood. If you like one of the candidates more than another, that's fine and I don't mind you voicing your opinion, but have enough courtesy to allow me to voice mine back. That's one thing about our local newspaper that I really respect. Roger, who edits the paper, may comment in favor of one of the candidates but is very fair about printing letters from readers who disagree with him. Unlike the spineless individual who learned how to find the Democratic website over the Internet and print off pages so they could sneak them into our post office boxes! As for this individual, I wish to help you out with your mailing list. Instead of sending it to Sell's Tire Center, Clarendon, Texas, I will give you my full address:

Billy Chadwick, Brownfield

Blackburn has dedicated life to citizens of Donley County

I have known Butch Blackburn for 13 years. During all this time, Butch has always conducted himself in a very professional manner. Butch is a man with integrity and high moral values. He is courteous to all he comes in contact with. Butch is always there when you need him and is willing to help in any way. Whenever a job needs to be done, Butch is the man to call.

I have had the privilege of working with Butch for the last two years, and he has always treated me with respect. In return I have the utmost respect for him.

sheriff of Donley County. In fact, I believe he is the only qualified choice since he knows from experience how the sheriff's department is run and since he knows the county and the people who live here.

I would like to urge the citizens of Donley County to not turn your backs on Butch, a man who has dedicated his life to serving the citizens of Donley County. Please make the right choice for sheriff of **Donley County**

Douglas "Pecos" Hagler,

What is Holden's disability?

In response to the letters to the editor over the past couple of weeks concerning candidate for sheriff Bill Holden and his disability, I would like to say that my concern is not as to whether Mr. Holden is physically able to perform the duties of sheriff. Clearly, Mr. Holden is an active, hardworking man. Rather, my concern is

information on the person he is about to confront, this person's entire criminal history is on my screen for me to relay.

Yes, Donley County is a rural county, but we are as informed in law enforcement as any other county in Texas.

Thank you for taking the time to read this, and rest assured we are not stumbling around in the Dark

Ages. Any questions you may have for our office are welcome.

> Jailer/Dispatcher Susan McKee, Clarendon

Writer says Ledbetter needs no help from any man

I would like to share a small story with you concerning the letter about the Ledbetters

When I was a very young girl growing up in Samnorwood, Texas, many years ago, I came home with a small necklace from the class Christmas party. I was so thrilled. It was a small glass ball which held a tiny mustard seed.

I showed it to my precious big sister who said to me, "Suzie, if you can always have that much faith, you can move mountains.'

I have never known a day when she I think Butch is an excellent choice for displayed so little faith as that which could be held in that tiny mustard seed. Soon after this she married a God loving man and began a life in service to their Lord. They have been an inspiration to me. They serve the Lord and live in His will daily. I feel sure that their loving Father will tell them when and where to go. He needs no help from any man.

> Sue Baker, Wellington

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Festival: Several activities held Continued from page one.

took top honors in the 1950s division with his 1952 Cub Farmall. Mildred 8N Ford.

Chase and Clifton Todd took the lington. Grand Prize honor at the Grand

1943 LA John Deere. Walter Cannon sion, Hedley American Legion - first, placed first in the 1930s Division with Hedley Lioness Club - second, and his 1936 F20 Farmall. Leon Ward First Baptist and Methodist Churches placed second in the same division of Hedley - third; decorated vehicles with his 1935 WC Allis-Chalmers. division, Murrell Whitaker of Hedley Blackie Johnson placed first in the with a 51 Hudson 7 - first, Nancy 1940s division with his 1948 G. Stevens of Change of Attitude Beauty Allis-Chalmers. Vernon Patton placed Salon of Memphis - second, and second in the division with his 1943 Henry Like of Clarendon - third; and B John Deere. Blackie Johnson also the Khiva Mule Skinners of Amarillo - Riding Clubs.

Ann Thornton of Clarendon won Hoggard placed second with a 1952 the Lioness Club quilt, and Linda Frye, also of Clarendon, won the quilt Marlee, Jaci, and Zack Sargent given away during Bingo on Saturday took top honors in the Kiddie Parade afternoon. Karen and Colton Wynn that was held Saturday morning. The of Estelline were the lucky winners Howard family placed second while of Moore Brothers knives, and Kathy Kolby and Kaleb Chase placed third. Spier of Hedley won the quilt made The Class of 2004 with BreAnn and donated by Mrs. O'Rear of Wel-

This year's Cotton Festival turned Parade Saturday afternoon. Other out many more people than expected, winners of the parade were: float divi- and more activities were seen.



LaCenda Funderburg (left) was crowned Cotton Festival Queen during the Queen's Coronation on Saturday. Miss Funderburg is the daughter of Tommy and Deanna Funderburg of Hedley. Alex Sharp (right) was crowned Cotton Princess. She is the daughter of Marlee and Archie Sharp of Hedley. Photo courtesy of Hedley Year

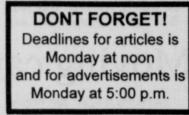
Burglary:

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eral money orders. The same bunch is believed to have broken into Reynolds Machine & Supply and taken cash and tools

Blackburn said authorities might have gotten a break in the Lelia Lake cases as the suspects tried to cash the money orders at a Dallas post office. The suspects' tag numbers were written down there, and they were caught on video tape.

Postal Inspectors and the Texas Rangers were planning to run a search warrant on the suspects last Friday, but Blackburn said he had not heard anything as of Monday morning.



5	Day	Date	High	Low	Prec				
	Mon	9	50°	29*					
	Tues	10	56°	35*					
	Wed	11	62*	39*					
	Thurs	12	72*	40*					
	Fri	13	75*	59*					
	Sat	14	82*	59*					
	Sun	15	47*	55*	.16				
Total precipitation this month: .24 Total precipitation to cate: .18.51 Total precipitation in Oct. last year07 Total YTD total last year: .21.75									
weather facts									
First Freeze Dates									

First Freeze Dates in Clarendon
2000 - October 9, 29°
1999 - November 2, 29°
1998 - November 8, 30°
1997 - October 29, 32°
1996 - October 18, 29°
Check out the local radar and forecast at www.ClarendonOnline.com/weather



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Thursday, October 19, 2000

¿Qué Pasa?

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

October 18 - 22 CC play "Lie, Cheat, & Genuflect" · Harned Sisters Auditorium.

October 19

VFW BBQ Dinner . VFW Hall . 5:30 p.m.

October 20

Friendship Club hosts local candidates . Howardwick City Hall • 6:30 p.m.

October 23 Early voting begins

Republican Club Meeting • PCS Building • 6 p.m.

October 24

Harvest Dinner • Rebekah Lodge • 5:30 p.m.

Lions Club Ladies Night Banquet • Lions Hall • 7 p.m.

October 29 Daylight Savings Time begins

5th Sunday Singing • Jesus Name Apostolic Church • 5:30 p.m.

October 31 Halloween

November 7 **General Election**

November 11 Veterans Day Service • Donley County War Memorial • 11 a.m.

For more upcoming events, visit the new online community calendar at www.ClarendonOnline.com/quepasa



Hedley Schools

Breakfast Mon: Peanut butter, toast and jelly, dry cereal, fruit juice, milk Tues: Biscuit and gravy, sausage patties, butter and jelly, cereal, juice, milk Wed: Pancake and syrup, sausage patties, dry cereal, fruit juice, milk Thur: Breakfast burrito with salsa, cereal, fruit juice, milk Fri: Sausage rolls, muffins, dry cereal, fruit juice, milk Lunch

Scouts talk to college Australians for badge

the rain. Still, they were just a tad

so to one. This team can hit.

out the way you planned.

Clarendon finally got some rain. warmed up to the talk. When asked Wasn't it wonderful? Of course I'm about the biggest difference they saw sure the college baseball team would between this country and their own, rather have finished their game one of the young men said that here, Sunday afternoon instead of having people could acknowledge their relito quit after six innings or so, due to gious faith without fear of ridicule.

ahead of the other team - eighteen or all the regular events are still taking that paper looking at all the different place, but all the special things seem signatures and brands.

The local Boy Scout troop has to have run their course. I've hardly been working on their Citizenship in seen anyone in the past week. Though library because I walked to the post the World merit badge, and one of the Carolyn Blackerby did show Sue office. It's not far, just about a mile requirements is to talk to citizens of Church and me a truly special docu- from my house. The thing is, it's all another country. Two of the foreign ment down at the library. This was downhill. And when I got to the post about uphill on bicycles the past few students at Clarendon College were a big sheet of paper listing the local office, and collected my mail, and got days since he got his old one out nice enough to come out and talk ranches, with the ranchers signatures to thinking about making that long and fixed it. Uphill on gravel is really to the troop last week about their and their brands. Sue was looking for hike back uphill to go home, I just tough. Whoever said the Panhandle home country, Australia. They were brands that would be easy for young purely needed a minute or two to was flat wasn't talking about Clarenfriendly and informative, once they 4-Hers to copy for the dinner this sit down. So I walked over to the don.



I just happened to be at the

rain or

By Cynthia Hall

library and borrowed a chair to rest up. I must have looked really pitiful, because Carolyn took pity on me and gave me a ride back home, bless her heart.

When I go out to walk, I plan Football is still in full swing; week, and we enjoyed poring over my route so the steep part I do downhill, and the uphill part is more gradual, and the last little bit is on level

ground. I saw young Jessie Anderburg toiling up 5th street on her bicycle the other day, and Robert has learned

Day care kids deliver pumpkins to Center By Vida O'Neal

On Tuesday, the Center had some cute kids deliver little pumpkins to our facilities. These were distributed to all who came to the Center to eat that day as well as the home delivered meals. I hope everyone enjoyed them as well as the kids eating at the Center. Tammy and I had to be in Amarillo that day for a meeting, and we are sorry we missed the little ones. I understand they were enjoyed by the participants at the Center that day. We want them also to know we appreciated their visit and the little pumpkins. Charlene (Gray) Brown brought her daycare kids over to Clarendon for a field trip, and we are so glad they thought of our Seniors and made their day a little brighter.

Ladies and gentlemen, we need some help. On October 24 and 26 we will be having a Christmas workshop at 1:30 in the afternoon. We will do this every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon to prepare for a booth at the Country Christmas Extravaganza which will be held on December 2 ing in an orderly fashion flew out the at the Methodist Church. We will be working on various craft items. center on these afternoons and play. Also if you have an idea or materials we can use please feel free to let us know. Also, we will be accepting will need workers for the booth, prob-Yes...I know a lot about ably an hour or so of your time would This seems impossible since you moving. Enough to make me never be appreciated. The bazaar will be from 9:30-4:00 on Saturday, December 2. The proceeds from the booth

On October 31, we will be having our October Birthday/Anniversary "That's nothing! I found the Supper. Grammy and Pop from Silverton will be here for our entertainment along with some unknown Halloween guest. We will be having a costume contest for those who wish to dress up and have a little extra fun. Please make this on your calendars and plan to attend this evening. I have never had the privilege of seeing Grammy and Pop, but I hear they are really something to see. So I am looking forward to having them D.A. Randall Sims and D.A. Can- here and hope we have a big turnout. didate Stuart Messer, the candidates Mark October 31 at 6:00 p.m. down;

We wish to extend our get well

Our condolences are with the Bob

wishes to Bill Hodges, Jenny Cherry,

Oct. 27: Blood pressure clinic, 11:30

Oct. 31: Birthday/Anniversary supper, 6 p.m.

Clover Kids will start

year with a meeting next Monday,

October 23, at St. John's Episcopal

Mission Hall from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

program will be Janice Bennett and

Carol Baxter. The meeting will

include a craft, games and refreshments following a Halloween theme.

of kindergarten through second grade

Clover Kids will kickoff the new

Adult leaders in charge of the

If your child between the ages

Public Speaking is something

most individuals avoid at all cost. To

front of an audience, encourage him/

her to participate in a Public Speaking

on Monday, October 23, beginning at

help prepare youth for the upcoming

involved in method demonstrations.

If planning to come, please reg-

new year next week

Moving can be one of life's humorous times

I spent the last few days helping and down you didn't put your underfriends move. I smiled when I saw wear in it, but never the less, there it all of their carefully labeled boxes. is. The same thing holds true for all They've only moved twice in their the other boxes. Nothing is what it lives, so they still think that packing appears to be.

Another thing that happens when and labeling works. I, on the other hand, have moved a lot in my life and moving is that you load the truck so marked "Living Room." Don't ask in. From here on out it's a scavenger If you like to sew, glue, paint, and know that moving just doesn't work that the items you absolutely need me why! Then, you will have to find hunt for anything usable - like bolts create, please plan on coming to the

First of all, you can spend days arrive at your destination, you dis- washer. You might check the box even weeks - packing boxes and cover that all the basic necessities of labeled "Bed Room." meticulously writing the contents on life are at the back of the truck. You the outside of them. But, when have to unload all the lawn furniture, dirty underpants solved, you're ready (The clothes dryer was the last thing baked goods, and new items as well you unpack those boxes in your new rakes, garden hoses, and pictures just to bring in the other stuff. You imme- brought inside, and it only made it as crafty things to be donated to the home, the contents won't be anything to get anywhere near the toilet paper. diately discover that your former as far as the living room before the center to sell at our booth. We also like what you put into them origi- Might as well forget toothbrushes house held more "stuff" than your "trail" got too little to go any further.) nally. For instance, a box marked and clean jockey shorts. You won't new house will. "Kitchen" will contain a can opener, uncover them for two or three days.

two dish rags, and some plastic drinking glasses. True enough, these are "No Problem. We'll just unload new house, but I'm telling you that kitchen items. They will take up the washing machine and wash the somewhere in transit, your "stuff" about a fourth of the box. The rest clothes we have on!"

of the box will contain underwear. an outdoor flower pot, a phone cord, be in the farthest corner of the truck all your furniture is now sitting out- maker! Hurray!" and a box of Kleenex. You can stare - without its hoses attached. Once side in the front yard of the new house at the box all day long, but you'll you get the machine into the house, - the truck has gone - and a thunder- toothpaste and the deodorant. never figure out why you labeled it you have to start searching for the storm comes up! "Kitchen" and then put your under- hoses. I can save you some trouble wear in it. In fact, you'll swear up here though...they will be in a box maneuver until all the furniture is can bring such happiness.

HOWARDWICK • 874-2951 will be easy to reach. When you the tools with which to connect the to put the bed together.

Your first reaction is to think, did a lot of careful measuring of the want to do it again. Ha! The washing machine will house shrunk. Whatever happened, "Hey...guess what! I found the coffee

You frantically push, pull, and

Cotton Festival provides time to see friends

Well, the 49th annual Hedley it has been since I'd seen her, and I Cotton Festival is history. Marie and probably wouldn't have known her if I walked down to the Lioness Hall she hadn't been with Betty White. to enjoy dinner Friday evening. One

I visited with Bill and Dorothy of the first people I saw was Elsie Martin of Amarillo and Jack Usery. I



inside the house

What you are left with are tiny Shine little trails winding from room to room. Any chance you had of unpackwindow when the first raindrop flew

You can generally depend on two or three nights sleeping on the Once you have the problem of floor - in semi-wet undergarments.

When I left my friends' house though, she was gleefully shouting will go to Donley County Senior Citmultiplied. Either that, or the new to him over a mountain of boxes, izens Nutrition Fund.

Wow!"

Sometimes the simplest things

son and I attended the candidate rally at Clarendon. We heard speeches by for sheriff, Butch Blackburn and Wil- this you don't want to miss.

Mon: Beef taco, pinto beans, rice tossed salad and fruit, cornbread,

Tues: Barbecue beef or grilled chicken on a bun, tater tots, salad and fruit,

Wed: Chicken fried steak. potatoes and gravy, broccoli and cheese, salad and fruit, rolls, milk

Thur: Pizza, green beans, tossed salad, applesauce, bread sticks, milk Fri: Chicken on a bun, tater tots, lettuce and tomato, fruit, cookie, milk

Clarendon Schools Breakfast

Mon: Cereal, toast, juice, milk Tues: Oats, bread, fruit, milk Wed: Breakfast burrito, fruit, mill Thur: Pancakes, juice, milk Fri: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk Lunch

Mon: Fish sticks or peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, French fries, coleslaw, hushpuppies, fruit, milk Tues: Mexican pile on or pepperoni

pizza, beans, lettuce, rice, pineapple,

Wed: Meatloaf or hamburgers, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, roll, cake,

Thur: Turkey tetrazzini or peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, peas, rolls, fruit,

Fri: Ham and cheese sandwich, carrot sticks, potato chips, pickles, fruit, milk

Hedley Senior Citizens Mon: Chicken and dumplings, German cabbage, pea salad, brownies, corn muffin, milk, tea, coffee

Tues: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, deviled egg, roll, peaches and bananas, milk, tea,

Wed: Beef enchiladas, Spanish rice, refried beans, tossed salad, baked apples, chips or crackers, milk, tea,

Thur: Barbecue pork pats, baked beans, corn, potato salad, ielled fruit with whipped topping, roll, milk, tea,

Fri: Chili and pinto beans, French fries, cucumber and onion salad, cherry cobbler, corn muffin, milk, tea, coffee

Donley County Senior Citizens

Mon: Sweet and sour pork chops squash casserole, peas and carrots mixed fruit, chocolate cake, roll, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

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

Wed: Butter beans with ham, vege table sticks, carrot copper pennies, cookies, cornbread, coffee, tea, lowfat

Thur: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, spinach salad, cherry delight, roll, coffee, tea, lowfat

Fri: Chicken and dumplings, black-eyed peas, chunky fruit, Rice Krispie treat, roll, coffee, tea, lowfat

Shaw. I can't remember where she can't remember where Jack lives, but lives now, but she still belongs to I would have recognized his hat any- Queen Coronation and saw LaCenda Hedley. Her daughters, Wander Pat- where. When he was in school, the Funderburg crowned Cotton Festival terson and JoAnn, were with her. teachers had trouble getting him to Queen and Alex Sharp crowned offices, but I enjoyed short visits with Marie and I enjoyed the stew and pull his hat off in class. It was sort of Cotton Princess. Congratulations, Vic Jeter and Leroy Pierce and also Carmichael and Eddie Bea Weathercornbread.

I visited with Jimmy Stewart for a little while. Jimmy was one of the with Leon when they were in school. Jimmy spent a lot of time helping me and we left him asleep.

with him. Even at eleven, Leon was me a lot of lifting.

front desk to the right.

caught my eye were Thomas J. Davis'

that provide the atmosphere are not.

Mack White's sister and was in my threw us lots of candy which Jeneda The people there are almost as nice as ening doesn't have the same effect class at school before she married and picked up for us. left Hedley. I don't know how long

As you enter Burton Memorial what I've read so far. Sorry, but your

Library, you'll notice a variety of loyal Burton patrons will have to wait

brand new books displayed on the a few more days for this one. In the

The Christmas Quilt; Jane Kirkpat- on an actual 1852 Oregon Trail inci-

felt they represented values of quality extraordinary pioneering women

life with a slower pace. I was right. banded together to cross the conti-

am currently reading, takes place in author, describes Kirkpatrick's book

characters are fictional. Many things love, and humor."

The Christmas Quilt, which I nent. Jack Cavanaugh, best selling

Three novels which immediately self in another new book?

like it was grown to his head. girls

Saturday morning Keith and I prizes, but it wasn't me. boys who used to come to our house enjoyed the junior class breakfast in the Senior Citizens. Guy got to my start planning now for the 56th Cotton enough, but we were grateful for any The first time Leon broke his legs, house about five thirty that morning, Festival. So, Martha, get started.

Saturday evening I went to the

meantime, how about involving your-

All Together In One Place, based

I don't know who won all the Harold Lindley.

Martha Lowe said we should

I watched the parade from my is in the process of moving from back a few days, but some of the bigger than I when he had a body cast front vard along with Marie, Ruth McClave, Colorado, to Las Animas. farmers were watering the peanuts to from his waist to his feet and with Wheeler, Jeneda Gay, Dorine Conat- When he moved to Colorado four Fred carrying the mail, Jimmy saved ser, and Delia Linville. We took our years ago, I asked him how big the the rain was just enough to make diglawn chairs and sat in the shade to town was, and he told me it was about ging possible. I also saw Jane White Hall. She's enjoy it. Those riding in the parade half as big as Lelia Lake ... and it is. the people in Hedley.

Monday evening Dorothy Brin- maybe I just can't see it properly.

liam Holden, and other candidates for offices in the county. They're not running for any

Chervl Burch, and Linda Grav. Debbie Roberts, Billie Schaefer, and ton families for the loss of their loved ones

Reminders Oct. 23, 30: Dance Club, 7 p.m. The rain was nice. Not nearly Oct. 24: Game night, 7 p.m.

moisture the Lord sees fit to send us. I enjoyed my visit with Guy. He It set the peanut and cotton harvests get them wet enough to dig. Maybe

> Somehow the thunder and lightin town as it did in the country. Or

New books catch the reader's eye at library Texas Ranger fans will appre-

rick's All Together In One Place; and dent, is a Western Fiction novel of characters who are no less human, no with Jerry Jenkins. "Living Legend" sial issues.

intrigue, Alice Hoffman's The River is a tale of a great archaeologist's Workshop conducted by Amy Auker King may enthrall you as a small town faith and courage. He reveals the in Massachusetts thrusts together to "one momentous discovery of a life- 4:00 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church Smokey Hollow, a small town in as "... the journey west as women work through complexity, solving an time which he hopes to make." This in Clarendon. This workshop will

Special Note: Many readers are District 4-H Roundup, which includes enjoying bookmarks originally many opportunities for youth to be designed by Caitlyn Christopher, age

Facts and fiction are brilliantly winners during last summer's Texas ister your child at the Extension hardworking family with deep capac- scenario, it "captures the pleasures blended in Dawn on a Distant Shore Ready Club. Caitlyn and Paul, I love Office. ity for love. A special quilt is created and fears of youth at a time when by gifted storyteller Sara Donati. The mine! I use them often. Thanks for your creativeness.

embodies true spirit of what it means Alice McDermott conveys the books characters and love story are interwo- other captivating new books now

Why not check it out?



guage, honest emotion, and authentic Tony Earley's Jim the Boy. Somehow, kinship, courage, and faith. Because less complex, for being sincere and even before I opened these books, I of many various incidents, eleven straightforward and good."

If you are ready for mysterious ing to the author, the plot and main not without moments of compassion, describes this novel as "an exploration of forgiveness and hope; a won-Jim The Boy portrays a ten-yeardrous tale of innocence and evil and The book celebrates family. It is an old boy growing up in Aliceville, of the secrets we keep."

account of seven months in lives of a North Carolina. According to the for a special son. It is the "story of America itself was young and strug- novel portrays romance and advena gift that comes from the heart, and gling to come into its own." Author ture in another time and place. "Its to be a family." I've read only about as "a sweet, graceful novel that ven into rich history of the nation's available. half of it, and I'm not disappointed in charms the reader with marvelous lan- past."

Holiday time is here again and so is the Country Christmas Extrav-Come on down and discover aganza. This arts and crafts event will take place at the First Methodist Church Fellowship Hall and Gymnasium on Saturday, December 2 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Individuals and businesses wishing to participate may sign up for a booth by calling

874-2141.

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ciate Miracle Man as Nolan Ryan has not already signed up for Clover depicts his early years and relates Kids and would like to participate, feelings and opinions concerning pro- call the Extension Office at 874-2141 fessional athletes, his image, mar- or visit our office at 201 E. Third in riage, leaving Houston, and numerous Clarendon. other subjects in his book written

Ryan also speaks out on controver- help your child feel comfortable in Michael Phillips' Hidden In Time

North Georgia mountains. Accord- saw it...burdensome, often cruel, yet inexplicable death. Boston Globe book is a sequel to A Rift In Time.

8, and Paul Goetze, age 10, bookmark

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The Clarendon Enterprise 5

CC play to open next Friday night

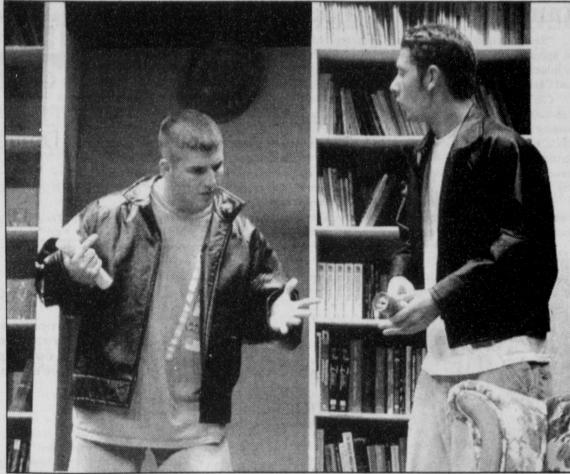
The Clarendon College Theatre Production Lie, Cheat, and Genuflect will open Friday, October 27, at the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center.

Evening performances on Friday and Saturday, October 27-28, begin at 8:00 p.m. The closing matinee on Sunday, October 29, will begin at 2:30 p.m.

Lie, Cheat, and Genuflect is a wildly raucous farce by William Van Zandt and Jane Milmore where the Buckle brothers, Billy and Tom, are in big trouble. Tom's infallible eye for slow horses has drained away all of Billy's savings, so he has been forced to borrow from loan shark Pizza Face Petrillo, who now wants his money back - or else.

There's plenty of money in grandfather Buckle's will, but these two black sheep are pretty sure they'll never see any of that. What else to do but dress Billy up as a nun and have him pose as their cousin who is to inherit the entire fortune? Involve a stuffy young lawyer, a hard-drinking, man-hungry housekeeper, and a trio of beautiful young women, and you have the recipe for a laugh-packed evening of twists, turns, puns, and pratfalls as Tom strives mightily to compensate for Billy's "habitual" errors.

The cast includes Robert Benson of Austin as Billie Buckle, Jason Myers of Clarendon as Tom Buckle,



Clarendon College students Robert Benson of Austin and Jason Myers of Clarendon perform their roles as the Buckle brothers, Billy and Tom, in the upcoming play Lie, Cheat, and Genuflect. Evening performances of the play will begin at 8:00 p.m. on October 27 and 28. The closing matinee will begin at 2:30 p.m. on October 29, 2000.

Marinda Carter of Shamrock as Virginia, Donny Owens of Hedley as tion is \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for p.m. Monday through Friday. Robert Fryburger, Candace Everhart students. Admission is free to Clar-Younts of Three Rivers as Jane, Jason students with their college ID.

Cloyd of Memphis as Pizza Face Petrillo, and Ashley Roys of Claren- CC Box Office. Tickets go on sale don as Miss Macintosh.

Photo courtesy of CC Theatre Arts.

General admission to the produc- will continue from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00

of Haskell as The Girl, Stephanie endon College faculty, staff, and CC call if you need a block of seats Tickets may be purchased at the mation and available seating, call 806-874-9664.

October 23, 2000, at 10:00 a.m. and

All seating is open, but you may

(10 or more). For additional infor-

CHS Class of '50 holds reunion The Clarendon High School Sidney and Laverne Muse of Grove,

Class of 1950 recently celebrated OK, joined the group in Branson. their 50th reunion with a trip to Branson, Missouri.

Those attending were Gene and Leffew of Stinnett; Sam and Lou Pat- of Angels at Cartharge, MO. terson of Houston; Steve and Juanelle and Layma Jenkins, all of Amarillo. reunion.

Entertainment was enjoyed at

Ozark Mountain Jubilee, Lawrence Welk Show, Silver Dollar City, Bobby Rosi Wallace White, Doyle Ray and Vinton and the Glenn Miller Orches-Cora Littlefield, Chauncey and Ann tra, Shoji Tabuchi Music Show, Yakov Thompson Hommel, all of Claren- Smirnoff Comedy Show, and Predon; Cotton and Jo Ellen McGowan cious Moments Chapel and Fountain

Possibly the best entertainment Davis Scott of Melrose, NM; Gordon was on the bus with fun, laughter, and and Doris Tims Berry, Ray and fellowship shared by all. The class is Mary Jo Hester Rutherford, Jimmy looking forward to the next 50 year

TASP testing to be held at Clarendon College

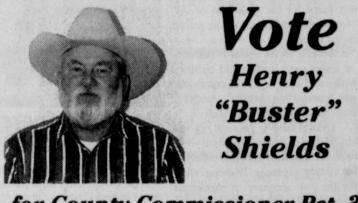
Clarendon College will hold the 17, and Aug. 23. TASP test and the Quick TASP.

3, April 28, June 16, and July 28.

Nov. 17, Dec. 4, Jan. 5, Jan. 13, Jan. NES and is due at the time of testing. 15, Feb. 5, March 5, April 2, May 14-19, June 4, July 9, Aug. 11, Aug. Linda Frye at 806-874-3571.

Testing will start promptly at The TASP test will be held on 8:00 a.m. Two forms of ID are the following dates: Nov. 11, March required, one of them with photo. Quick TASP requires a check or The Quick TASP test will be: money order for \$29 made out to

For more information contact



for County Commissioner Pct. 3

Pol. adv. paid for by Henry "Buster" Shields, PO Box 92, Lelia Lake, TX 79240

The Medical Center would MY FAVORITE like to thank the following sponsors for their support JACK-O-LANTERN of our Halloween contest: COLORING CONTEST **KEFH 99.3**

Auctioneer Tom Benton of Stinne

JAMZ

assisted by Leon Church, pictured in action, helped supporters open up their wallets at the Something More Benefit Luncheon and Auction held recently at the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon.

Photo courtesy of Jane Johnse

Something More Luncheon and auction successful

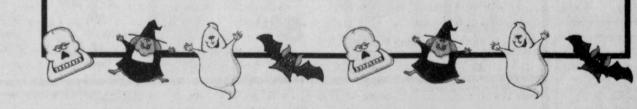
By Sue Church, County FCS Agent

The catfish fry luncheon and auction benefit recently held at the First Methodist Church to benefit the Something More After School program was considered a success ensuring the financial support of the local program for another year. Over \$1700 was raised from the live basket and silent auctions as well as the luncheon.

Many of the food items were donated for the luncheon through the generosity of individuals from the community. Those donating silent auction items which ranged from Christmas tree skirts to a rustic bird house were Verdie Tipton, Ann Bunyan, John Taylor, Harlan's Flowers & Gifts, Michelle Schmidt, Norm and Dee Dee Autry, Pat Archuleta, Ruby Jewel Hardin, Shirley Clifford, and Abby Patten. Those contributing creative baskets to the event were Vida O'Neal, Casey and Alice Cobb, Jo Shaller, Donna and James Ivey Edwards, Hedley Feedlot, Monroe Peach Ranch, Naomi Green, Ann and Beverly Alexander, Virginia Patten, Vickie Morrow and Leon and Sue Church. Country Bloomers Flowers and Gifts and Harlan's Flowers and Gifts donated their expertise to wrap many of the baskets to make them presentable for the auction.

Likewise, those attending the luncheon and participating in the auctions helped ensure the continuation of this much needed program in our community. Without the spirit of giving, this benefit would not have been possible. The Something More Board of Directors appreciates each and everyone who was involved for their faithful support.

Age: Phone:



RULES FOR COLORING CONTEST:

- 1. Pre-K fifth grade students need to draw and color their favorite pumpkin on the entry form provided. 2. Entries must be turned in to Linda Thornton, Activity Director or Alan Graham, Administrator by 4:00 p.m. on October 26, 2000.
- 3. Judging will be held on Friday, October 27, 2000, and prizes will be awarded on that same day at 4:00 p.m. Winner will be notified and need not be present to win.

RULES FOR PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST:

- 1. Pumpkin decorating contest for junior high, high school, and college students with proper school I.D. 2. Pumpkins must be entered at the Medical Center Nursing Home, no later than 4:00 p.m., October 26,
 - 2000. Turn them in to Linda Thornton, Activity Director or Alan Graham, Adminstrator. Pumpkins should not be carved.
- 4. Pumpkins may be colored, painted, and have material attached to them.
- 5. There is no pumpkin size limit.

3.

6. Pumpkins will be judged on Friday, October 27, 2000, and prizes will be awarded on that same day at 4:00 p.m. Winners will be notified and need not be present to win.

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NEWS

Clarendon College expands your horizons to a better life

Government statistics show that dedicated itself to bettering the lives the median annual income of work- of people, who may or may not think an appeal to people, who may not to transfer on to a four-year instiers with bachelor's degrees is any- college is for them. Clarendon Col- be thinking they can attend college," tution, Clarendon College provides where from \$15,000 to \$20,000 more lege tuition and fees are lower than said Caldwell. per year than those with high school most four-year and even some other diplomas.

Want to earn more but don't think aid, work-study opportunities, and you can do college? Think again.

Clarendon College Dean of Students Jay Caldwell explained that visiting with students throughout the classes and a dedicated, caring fac- education gives everyone the oppormany people either think they can't area, while the nation recognizes ulty. afford to go to college or do not have its institutions of higher education the scores to get in. With an open during National College Week from door policy, Clarendon College has October 16 to the 23,

Howardwick Aldermen have regular meeting

The Howardwick Board of Aldermen met in regular session on October 10.

Joe Zeyen reported the fire department has a new fast attack truck in service.

The board adopted a resolution providing for the penalty for collecting delinquent taxes

Mayor Margaret Pettit requested any items for the agenda to be discussed with her before they are placed on the agenda.

Vernon Byars asked if potholes on lesser used roads could be filled with caliche. A new road committee will check into getting assistance from the county with the roads.

Lynn Dishong brought up the city's business hours. The board voted to come up with recommendations for cutting expenses. Dishong asked for the city secretary to check into prices for help for the new computer.

The board voted to move the next meeting date to November 14 to prevent conflicting with the election.

The board unanimously accepted the resignation of Alderman Bob Hall

two-year institutions. Plus, financial

scholarships are always available.

"Recruiters have been out making get general education courses in order

than expand the horizons for those cal training and certification in nurswanting to better themselves. Once ing, ranch, and feedlot operations, inside, it provides students with more machining, and office technology are Clarendon College personnel are personal assistance through smaller also offered. In addition, continuing

> which can lead to a better future, are Let Clarendon College help expand also provided. For those seeking to your horizons.

a core curriculum that is recognized Clarendon College does more at any public state university. Technitunity to upgrade skills or obtain per-A variety of career options, all of sonal enrichment through education.

Brighton Jet Set Travel Pack \$55



Poster winners

Winners of the Fire Safety Poster Contest were announced during the Open House held at the Clarendon Fire Hall on Saturday. First place winners received a \$50 Savings Bond. Winners of the kindergarten/ first grade division were Jordan Stone, first; Chandice Ritchie, second; and Nathan Dziedzic, third. Winners of the second/third grade division were Destiny Pate, first; Miranda Miller, second; and Nelson Devin, third. Winners of the fourth/fifth grade division were Keifer Burton, first; Stormie Garrison, second; and Abbie Massingill, third. The savings bonds were donated by Donley County State Bank, Herring National Bank, and Community Bank.

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SPORTS

1-yard score by Martindale to give do that and continue on in the battle

spot

we'll have our shot."

kids. Go Broncos!

Broncs suffer loss to Canadian powerhouse

the Wildcats on their home turf. Up be able to stop them." against a much bigger Canadian team, the Broncos played hard, but lost to with 489 of those rushing. the Wildcats, 60-12. That puts the Broncos at 3-3 for the year and 0-3 in District play

The Broncos started things off with a bang. Senior Josh Williams Most of those were passing yards. ran the opening kick-off back 92 "We struggled at times offensively," yards for the first score of the game. said Hoeltzel. "Then at times we were Nathan Floyd's extra point attempt able to move the ball. was blocked.

40-6.

"Canadian played a good game,"

Cross country teams travel to Wellington

By Sandy Anderberg

participated in the Wellington crosscountry meet October 14.

Running for the junior varsity was Tamara Biodine who had a time of 17:34. The varsity had five runners, two of whom received medals for their effort. April Bryley was 12th with a time of 14:53, and Christine Holden finished in 15th with a time of 15:00.

Also running for the Lady Broncos were; Lydia Hartman 30th 15:44, Brittney Hall 63rd 18:07, and Brandi Betts 64th 18:07.

The next meet for the Lady Broncos will be their District meet, which is October 23 at Canadian. If the runners place in the top 10, individually and/or as a team, they can advance to the Regional Meet, which will be held in Lubbock, November 4.

"We're hoping to qualify as many runners as possible," said Coach Kathy Barton. "We need to finish 1st, 2nd, or 3rd as a team and also qualify individuals in the top 10 to advance. We're looking forward to their hard work paying off at District."

The Bronco cross-country team consisted of 2 varsity runners. Drew Sell finished in 3rd place with a time of 18:56, Bryan McFarland was 6th, and his time was 19:56. Both runners received medals. The Broncos are also looking forward to next week's district meet in Canadian, Monday, October 23, at 4 p.m.. They will be running for the chance to advance to the Regional meet "We will be running to qualify in the top 10 and earn a spot at the regional meet November 4th in Lubbock," said boy's coach Steve Schmidt Good luck at District! Correction for the results posted in last week's paper from the Shamrock meet. Four of 6 varsity runners received medals instead of 2 out of 4 that was reported earlier. Lydia Hartman finished in 18th place with a time of 13:42, and Claire Rodriguez finished 19th with a time of 13:44. Both of these girls received a medal for the run. We apologize for the error.

said Coach Roger Hoeltzel. "They're Dusty Martindale ran the ball 44-yards Coming off a heart-breaking loss very strong and very physical. It was before stepping out of bounds just fill the spots," said Hoeltzel. "We're to Wellington, the Broncos faced very frustrating for our defense to not before the goal line. This set up the very proud of them for their ability to

Canadian had 505 total yards, the Broncos another 6 points. The for the play-offs. If we keep that up,

"We've got to credit the kids with playing hard the entire game," said towards "December." The play-offs next Friday night and will face the Hoeltzel. "They never quit." are not out of reach according to Spearman Lynx.

The Broncos had 194 total yards. Hoeltzel. The Broncos' passing game is

The Wildcats used their size and still their main weapon, but they'll strength to take a first half lead of work on their running game in prac- in the game and at press time Coach tice this week

In the 4th quarter, Freshman the extent of his injuries.

"Our backs are against the wall. for pride, but they'll also be playing But if we can win the next 4 games, to win, and to capture that play-off we'll still be in the hunt for the playoffs. We're just going to take one

extra point was no good.

game at a time.' Senior Nathan Floyd was injured Hoeltzel was not completely sure of

The Broncos are still looking

CJH Colts travel to Canadian to face tough Wildcat team

The 7th and 8th grade Colts faced a tough Wildcat team Thursday night. Canadian won by the score of 44-14. Because of an early injury to 8th grader Robert Shelton, the Colts had

to rearrange their line-up. "Kids had to move around and The Broncos and Lady Broncos play spots they hadn't played before," good. said Coach David Towner.

proved too much to stop and the Will Betts. Wildcats went on to win the game. Michael Butler scored the first touch- Thursday night, October 19, at home down on a 55-yard kick-off return. against the Spearman Lynx. The The 2-point conversion by Butler was

WR/DB

QB/DB

WR/DB

RB/DB

WR/LB

RB/DB

WR/DB

RB/LB

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The Colts played hard and never down on a 5-yard run. The 2-point gave up, but the Canadian team conversion was good by 7th grader

Bronco Junior Varsity will play the Spearman Junior Varsity right after Butler also scored the next touch- the Jr. High game.

"Again, kids had to step in and

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Lady Colts run in Wellington meet

The Lady Colts cross-country team participated in the Wellington meet Saturday, October 14.

Placing in 7th place and receiving a medal was Laura Dziedzic with a time of 15:03. Other times are as follows: April Ballard 12th, 15:27; Lauren Floyd 16th, 15:37; Jessie Anderberg 43rd, 18:21; and Meghan Gribble 44th, 18:22.

The girls have been working hard as they have been preparing for their upcoming District meet in Canadian. It will be held October 23. Good luck, Lady Colts!

Online sports schedules for all your favorite Donley County teams at w.Clarendon@n9ine.com

60	Nathan Floyd	Sr.	OL/DL
62	Robbie Bradley	Sr.	OL/DL
65	Nickless Devin	Sr.	OLAB
66	Tyler Lane	Sr.	OLDL
72	Aaron Kidd	Sr.	OLLB
73	James Williams	Soph.	OL/DL
75	Michael McFarland	Sr.	OL/DL
77	Tim McKinney	Sr.	OL/DL
86	Jared Hartman	Sr.	TE/DL
89	Sam Holton	Sr.	TE/DL

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G.J. Martindale

Antonio Wilson

Brian Thompson

Colt Floyd

Jeremy Ray

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Head Coach: Roger Hoeltzel Assistant Coaches: Danny Brittain, Eric DeMar, Joe Gifford, Mike Ray, and **David Towner**

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CHS vs. Spearman Friday in Bronco Stadium 7:30 p.m.

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SPORTS

Amarillo man wins fishing tournament

The Mel Phillips' Tournament of Champions was held this past Saturday at Lake Meredith, and the fishing was terrific. There were 67 anglers, and 44 came to the weigh-in scales with fish.

nament. I caught plenty of fish, but were biting on. I think there were they were all too small. I caught only two smallmouth brought to the had a tournament last Thursday. Bill 4 largemouth bass, 13" to 13 3/4" scales. The largemouth were biting Mooring took home 1st place. He in length. Then later, I switched to best. Largemouth bass fishing should caught his fish on crankbaits. Bill smallmouth fishing, and the pattern be slowing up in the next month, but also won Big Bass honors with a 21b. was the same. The 13" and 14" fish the smallmouth should start biting bass. were all I could get to bite all day. better

Tommy Pugh of Amarillo won 1st place in the tournament. He had this was a very good year for bass 3 fish with a total weight of 9.91 lbs. Tommy won \$1340.00, free entry Mel had a good year with his Fun bass. Congratulations to both! fees for next year's Fun Fishing Tour- Fishing Tournaments. The average naments, and a computer-generated number of anglers attending the tour- will have their last tournament of the painting.

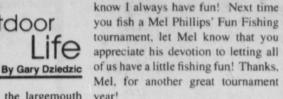
Second place went to Ray Smith nings averaged around \$600.00, and of Amarillo with 9.45 lbs. Ray also the entry fees are only \$25.00. That had the Big Bass of the tournament, a makes a pretty good pay day. Plus, Lake Meredith is at its peak time right nice 5.81 pounder.

Matt Hinton of Pampa came in Tournaments. 3rd place with a total of 8.14 lbs.

This was one of the best tournaments at Lake Meredith in several placed in the top 3 many times at baits fished back in the lower end of years. Lake Meredith is not just a sand bass and walleye lake anymore. place 3 years ago. There are a lot of bass in Meredith, and there are plenty of big ones to be County bass fisherman at these tour- most bass were caught in the Tournacaught. Earlier this year, there was a naments next year. It will be the 13th ment of Champions. 11 pounder caught at a Big Bass tour- year of Fun Fishing Tournaments. nament.

water. Many were caught in muddy put on these tournaments. These online.net water next to the rocks, but there were Fun Fishing tournaments are open to of the bass were caught on crank- the average weekend angler to the great fishing day! Good luck! baits and spinnerbaits. White was the seasoned pro. The keyword is fun. I





I. unfortunately, had a poor tour- dominant color that the largemouth year! The Donley County Bass Club

> Jack Eads won 2nd place. Jack I talked to Mel, and he said that used plastic worms to catch his bass. The fishing was slow. Bill and fishing at our Panhandle lakes. And, Jack were the only ones to weigh in

> The Donley County Bass Club naments was 62. First place win- season Saturday, October 21.

Fishing Tip of the Week: The largemouth bass fishing at

you have "fun" fishing these Fun now. I think the next 2 weeks with be best for largemouth at the lake. I Lake Greenbelt has been very suggest using white spinnerbaits and good to me the last two years. I have Bandit or Bill Norman white crankthese Fun Tournaments. I did win 1st the lake. Find shallow, muddy water and you will find largemouths. Evans I hope to see more of our Donley and Martin Canyon seem to be where

If you have any information that I think Mel Philiips has done a ter- you would like to share, please con-Most of the bass caught at the rific job with these tournaments. He tact me at P.O. Box 1281, Clarendon, tournament were caught in 1' to 5' of devotes a lot of time and effort to TX 79226, or e-mail me at gdol@nts-

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Lady Bulldogs travel to Borger

By Sandy Anderberg

Bulldog volleyball team played Frank Lady Bulldogs lost that match 3-15, Phillips College last Monday.

The Lady Bulldogs lost that match in four sets. Scores were 3-15, errors plagued the CC women. They 2-15, 15-13, and 11-15.

Despite a serving percentage of receiving errors. Freshman Lynde 94, and a 3rd set win to come back, the Peterson led in kills with 3. Wash-Lady Bulldogs couldn't keep things ington, Cornelius, and Moreno each going. Coverage errors and blocking added 1. Washington added 2 aces. errors were costly. The Lady Bull- Moreno helped with 3 assists, and

The Ladies traveled to Cisco The Clarendon College Lady Junior College on October 12. The 2-15, and 6-15.

Again, blocking and coverage served 91% and had only 12 service



Thursday, October 19, 2000

dogs have been trying to bring the Miller had 3.

number of errors down. son added 4. Brandi Cornelius had 2. held November 3-4 in Gainesville. and Cecilia Moreno had 1. Peterson tively.

The Lady Bulldogs are continu-Sophomore Laquisha Washing- ing to practice hard to prepare for the ton led all kills with 12. Lynde Peter- Region V tournament, which will be You can catch the Lady Bulldogs had 2 blocks, and Moreno and Wash- in action Thursday, Oct. 19. They go ington served 1 ace each. Moreno and up against Frank Phillips once again. Miller had 11 and 6 assists respec- The game starts at 6:00. Come on out and support your Lady Bulldogs.

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NEWS

Elementary students participate in UIL Music Memory contest

Memory Contest.

sixteen pieces of classical music, class, and some personal challenges. ranging from early 14th century mad-November.

rules of contest during the regular the meeting.

Clarendon students in third, class time. The scores will be calfourth and fifth grade have been culated and allow the students to working very hard on the UIL Music compete in several contests. These contests will include grade level com-The students have spent class petition, girls against the boys, red time becoming well acquainted with team against blue team, class against

The school invites students and rigal style, through Bach, Beethoven parents to attend Parent's Night to and ending with 1930 jazz style. Each announce the winners on Thursday, grade level will sponsor a 5-member October 19, at 6:00 p.m. in the school team to the Academic UIL meet in cafeteria. They will have a "Build Your Own Ice Cream Sundae" treat in Because all students have worked conjunction with the first PTA meethard and learned the music, we are ing of this school year. All parents going to have an all school contest. who are interested in PTA are invited Next week all students in third, fourth to come. There will childcare in the and fifth grade will take a Music music room for smaller children of Memory Test according to the UIL those attending the PTA portion of

City: Aldermen name Shelton to CEDC board Continued from page one.

used outside the city or for resale place. and with a 3,000 bricks per household limit. Motion failed, 2-3 (John- with Jimmy Johnson was discussed. son and Tibbets, Yes. Kidd, Land, and Alderman Tibbets voted to table the Stavenhagen, No.)

Chamber of Commerce, which is and Land, Yes. Tibbets, No.) working to promote wildlife observation in our county to increase tour- cussed and was tabled. ism. They requested \$400 from the voted to do this.

The Clarendon Economic Development Corporation budget was prevoted to accept the resignation of cerning the airport agreement. Jack Hall from the EDC board and

The municipal judge contract contract. Motion failed for lack of Dr. Guy Ellis and Gene Hommel a second. The board voted 3-1 to spoke on behalf of the Clarendon approve the contract (Johnson, Kidd,

The TxDOT building was dis-

The tower rental agreement for Motel Bed Tax to purchase a banner A-1 Communications was discussed. to be hung over US 287. The board The board approved offering the company a five-year agreement of \$1,680 per year.

The airport was discussed. A sented and approved. The board also notice or letter will be written con-

The equipment policy was tabled, to appoint Dr. Myles Shelton in his and department reports were given.

Teaching the teachers Clarendon teachers Ronnie Edwards and Steven Schmidt use the inservice time at the Technology Conference in Amarillo to brush up on the use of technology in the classroom. Digital photo courtesy CHS.



Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting October 17 with Boss Lion Stan Leffew in charge

We had 15 members and one guest. Our guest was Ryan White, guest of Lion Darrell Leffew.

The Chamber is working with the local landowners to see about establishing a wildlife association.

The high school reported that room and got it repaired.

we were adjourned.

Caprock Canyons to hold events in the park in October Caprock Canyons State Park will

hold several events during October. will hold Quitaque Quest. Bring a

be waived. Saturday will be filled canyons of Caprock Canyons State work on trails, landscaping, replacwith fun things to do including guided Park. Twelve, 18, and 24 mile races ing wood on some small bridges, and hikes, birding, an archeology discus- are designed to challenge all levels sion, and a history talk. The South of mountain bike riders. \$1,000 cash ects. If you are going to volunteer, Plains Wildlife Rehabilitation Center and merchandise prizes will be given. call ahead, and we will hold a camp-Call 806-445-1492 for the schedule. fee is \$15 for early registration and ters, and the work will begin at 9:30.

On October 21 - 22 during mountain bike and enter the NORBA- ners Foundation and park staff will Legacy Weekend the entrance fee will sanctioned race held in the scenic hold a volunteer workday. They will will have several birds of prey to see. The race begins at 11 a.m. The entry site. Meet at 9 a.m. at the headquar-



they had found a leak near the boiler

There being no further business,

On October 22 the State Park \$20 after October 20.

On October 28, the Caprock Partworking on other much needed proj-



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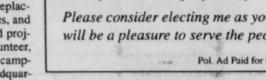
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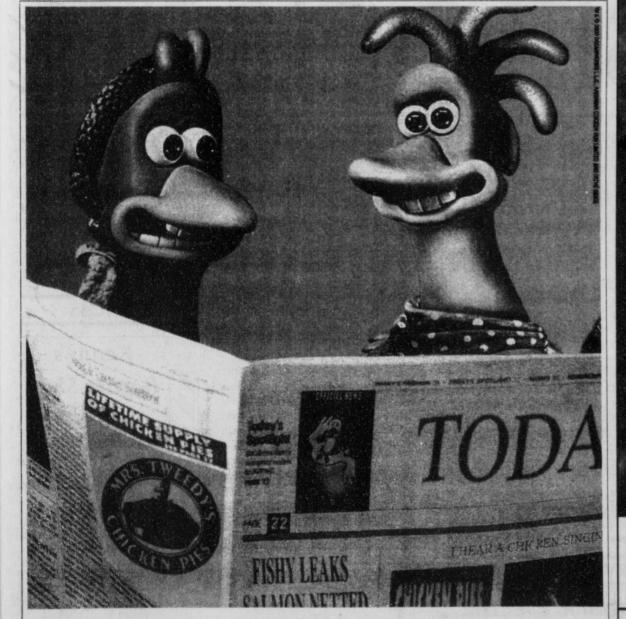


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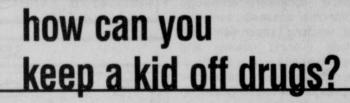
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Obituaries

Thompson

Funeral services for Maggie Mae Thompson, age 77, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday at the Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel in Pampa with Pastor John Love of Trinity Fel- and ten great grandchildren. lowship Church in Amarillo officiating. Burial was held in Memory Gardens Cemetery of Pampa under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Thompson died October 10, 2000, in Amarillo. She was born February 2, 1923, in Los Angeles, CA. She moved to Pampa in 1950 from Arizona. She was a cook at the Coronado Inn and at the Black Gold. She married Bob Thompson on September 18, 1981, in Amarillo and moved to Howardwick in 1987. She was a Baptist.

She was preceded in death by one son, Jerry Dale McPherson, in 1952.

Survivors include her husband of the home; four sons, John McPherson of Amarillo, Sam McPherson of Borger, Jim McPherson of Elk City, and Bill McPherson of Fairborn, OH; one step-son, Robert L. Thompson of Las Vegas, NM; 12 grandchildren; and six great grandchildren.

Carmichael

Graveside services for Joe Bob Carmichael, age 69, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, October 16, 2000, in Citizens Cemetery with Rev. Bill Hodges, Pastor of the Nazarene Church in Clarendon, officiating. Burial was held in Citizens Cemetery under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc.

Mr. Carmichael died Friday, October 13, 2000, in Clarendon. He was born December 19, 1930, in Quitaque and was a resident of Donley County much of his life. He married Shirley Wilkins on January 1, 1956, at Clovis, NM. He had worked as an electrician and in construction for much of his life before his retirement. He was a US Army Veteran of the Korean Conflict and was a member of Clarendon VFW Post 7782. He was a Nazarene.

ley Carmichael of Clarendon; two Christ in Clarendon. daughters, Kathy Moss of Pampa and Bobbi Jo Sipe of Reagan, North Dakota; two sons, Eddie Carmichael brother, Robert Johnson; and two sis-

Weatherton

Funeral services for Eddie B. Weatherton, age 68, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 17, 2000, in the True Church of God in Christ with Rev. Harry Williams of Amarillo, officiating. Burial was held in Citizens Cemetery under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors,

Mrs. Weatherton died Friday, October 13, 2000, in Clarendon. She was born June 6, 1932, in Gladewater, Texas, and moved to Clarendon in 1945. She married Howard "Red" Weatherton on May 5, 1960, at Clarendon. She was a homemaker and a

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Survivors include his wife, Shir- member of the True Church of God in She was preceded in death by

a son, Willie James Weatherton; a of Clayton, NM and Jerry Carmichael ters, Susie B. Williams and Addie of Clarendon; twelve grandchildren; Mae Robertson.

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Survivors include her husband, Howard "Red" Weatherton of Clarendon; two daughters, Patricia Weatherton and Linda Weatherton, both of Clarendon; four sons, Randolph Weatherton of Phoenix, Arizona, Larry Jones and Howard Weatherton, Jr., both of Amarillo, and Bobby Weatherton of Clarendon; 17 grandchildren; and ten great grandchildren

Casket bearers were David Weatherton, Glenn Weatherton, Lloyd Weatherton, Floyd Weatherton, Clemon Weatherton, and Danny Gaines. Honorary bearers were Alton Gaines, Frankie Williams, Richard Gaines, John L. McLaughlin, Ray Field, and Ray Crump.

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WILLIAM "BILL" HOLDEN For **Donley County Sheriff**

Don't listen to hype and innuendo. My goals and objectives are:

Introduce a drug prevention program to our schools.

Be full time and available 24 hours a day.

Have a zero tolerance when it comes to drugs.

Have a monthly meeting with our Seniors related to their safety.

Utilitize the government grant process to modernize the Sheriff's Dept.

Be a honest, fair, local, and dedicated Sheriff.

WITHOUT RAISING TAXES

Vote HOLDEN for Sheriff

Pol. ad paid for by William Holden, PO Box 622 Clanendon, TX 792

A wise man recognizes the convenience of a general statement but he bows to the authority of a particular fact. Fact: Sims is the best candidate for District Attorney!

FACT: Experienced

Qualified

Thursday, October 19, 2000

Juvenile Misdemeanor Felony

Appellate

Special Prosecutor Over 100 Felony Trials 90% Conviction Rate No Convictions Reversed

VOTE FOR A HARD-WORKING, EXPERIENCED, AND DEDICATED DISTRICT ATTORNEY

RE-ELECT SIMS

Pol. ad paid for by Randall C. Sims Campaign, PO Box 88, Wellington, TX 79095, Tim Lewellen, Treasurer



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HELP WANTED

Big-E Deadlines:

DRIVERS "NEW" equipment. Local hauling, weekends off, quarterly bonus plan, vacation pay. 806-259-2840 McQueen & Son Trucking or contact Ray Tucker, 940-839-6805 or 940-852-5383

CLARENDON CISD is accepting applications for secretarial position in the business office. Applications are available in the administration office, 416 S. Allen, Clarendon, Texas. For more information, contact Mary White at 874-2062. Equal opportunity employer. 42-2tc

CNA NEEDED - 6 to 2 shift. Certified - \$7 per hour, non-certified - \$6.50 per hour with 50¢ per hour shift differential. Will train as CNA. Call Palo Duro Nursing

MEDICAL CENTER NURSING include evening classes and HOME has the following positions available: CNA or Nursing The instructor is responsible for the Assistant, 2-10 shift. Apply in person at: Medical Center Nursing process within the classroom. In Home, Highway 70 North, Claren- addition, work to keep computers don, Texas 79226. 43-1tc

ANNOUNCEMENT OF AVAILABLE POSITION

Position: Computer Science/ Computer Technology Instructor

ing date is January 12, 2000. Qualifications: Hold a master's mittee assignments. application programs is essential. 287.

Technical skills necessary to trou- required. Screening of applicants bleshoot and perform repairs on will begin on or about November proficiency of other college soft-PCs is essential. May be required 16, 2000, and continue until the to lift and carry up to 40 lbs. position is filled.

is a must.

Responsibilities: Teach computer science, computer technology, Home, Claude, 226-5121. 42-2tc and/or other classes as assigned. The teaching assignment may teaching at off-campus locations. success of the teaching/learning in good working order and assist with the troubleshooting and repair of PCs and work in maintaining the local and wide area networks. The instructor is supervised by the

division director and ahs opportu-

Position Available: Expected start- nity to influence institutional policy and practice through regular com-

degree with a minimum of 18 Salary: Salary is commensurate graduate hours in Computer Sci- with education and experience. ence and three years of direct Clarendon College: Clarendon or related work experience in the College, chartered in 1898, is a cate) or higher in Computer Scicomputer field. A working knowl- comprehensive, two-year commu- ence, Computer Technology, or edge of PCs, networking, the Inter- nity college located in Clarendon, a closely related area and posnet, WEB page development, pro- TX, approximately 60 miles southgramming languages, and various east of Amarillo on US Highway PCs, networking, the Internet,

Prior teaching experience is pre- Application Deadline: A completed ferred; teaching experience at a application, resume, college tran- education and practical work expecommunity college is preferred. scripts, and references are rience in a broad rang eof informa-

> Clarendon, Texas 79226, (806) 874-3571. 43-2tc

ANNOUNCEMENT OF AVAIL-ABLE POSITION

Position: Computer Technician Position Available: Spring 2000 Qualifications: Hold a Certificate of Completion (one-year certifisess an extensive knowledge of WEB page development acquired through a combination of formal tion technologies. Knowledge and ware applications software and/or the AS400 is a real plus. May The aptitude to assist both new Inquiries and all materials should be required to lift and carry up to and mature students achieve their be directed to: Mrs. Darlene Spier, 75 lbs. The successful candidate educational goals and objectives Assistant to the President, Clar- must demonstrate a commitment endon College, PO Box 968, to the community college philosophy and a commitment to providing support and service to the students, the faculty, the administra-

tion, the staff, and the institution. Responsibilities: The Computer Technician has responsibilities for the installation, upgrade, and maintenance (repair and replacement) of PCs at Clarendon College. Additional responsibilities may include installation, upgrade, and maintenance of network wiring, assisting in the installation and support of application soft-

ing. Clarendon College: Clarendon College, chartered in 1898, is a comprehensive, two-year community college located in Clarendon, TX, approximately 60 miles southeast of Amarillo on US Highway 287

Application Deadline: A completed application, resume, college transcripts, and references are required. Screening of applicants

will begin on or about November 10, 2000, and continue until the position is filled.

Inquiries and all materials should be directed to: Mrs. Darlene Spier, Assistant to the President, Clarendon College, PO Box 968, Clarendon, Texas 79226, (806) 874-3571. 43-2tc

SERVICES



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The Clarendon Enterprise

Big-E Deadlines: Monday @ 5 p.m. Prepayment required on all classifieds

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MEETINGS

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FOR SALE

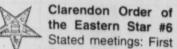
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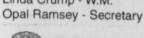
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Clarendon Lodge #700 AF&AM Stated meet-Practice sessions: Fourth Monday, 7:00 p.m.

Roger Estlack - W.M. Larry Hicks - Secretary



Refreshments served at 7 p.m. Linda Crump - W.M.



Clarendon Lions Club Regular meeting each Tuesday at noon.

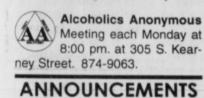
Stan Leffew, Boss Lion Monty Hysinger, Secretary

Clarendon Girl Scouts Unit leaders meeting: Second Wednesday, 5:30

to 6:30 p.m. at the Panhandle Community Services Building. Kathy Hommel, Service Unit Director, 874-9422

Denise Bertrand Membership Specialist, 874-2846

Donley Co. Memorial Post #7782 of the VFW Stated meeting: First Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Jimmy Swinney - Commander Glen "Bud" Day - Adjudant Bill Holden - Quartermaster, 874-3813 Josephine Burgess - Auxilary Pres.



FOR SALE: Four bedroom, three HANDMADE LEATHER BELTS - CONSTRUCTION / not be discriminated against on bath, brick home. Very spacious, ing: Second Monday approx. 3000 sq. ft. Berber carpet. each month, 7:30 p.m. Finished, carpeted basement. Refreshments served at 6:30 p.m. New CH/RA, privacy fence, sprin-43-10to kler system, very nice!! \$80,000. 410 S. Carhart. Call for appointment. 874-9431, 30-ctfc

FOR SALE: Farm - 45 acres, 11/2 miles east of Hedley on Hwy. 287. All in bluestem grass. New six wire fences on three sides. Stock Thursdays, 8:00 p.m. well. \$27,500. 856-5909. 32-ctfc

> **1998 CLAYTON MOBILE HOME:** 16x60. Two bedroom, two bath. Occupied only 18 months. Call 806-447-2787. 40-ctfc

Country Club Central -- #10 Dawn. Two story, two bedroom, one bath, 3 car garage on three large lots. CA/Heat. 806-358-9030. God bless each of you. \$38,500.00. 40-4tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: One small furnished apartment for rent. Mrs. A.J. Hicks, 508 Bond. 874-3445. 43-1tp

FOR RENT: Good location. Cute two bedroom, central heat and air, garage. 402 Taylor St. \$400 deposit, \$400 per month. References required. 806-359-1199. 42-ctfc

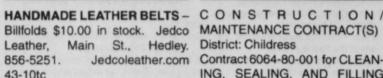
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Properties

FOR RENT

708 Johns St.

One Bedroom



FARM EQUIPMENT

AC 880 COTTON STRIPPER in good condition and field ready. 806-578-4270. 42-ctfc

THANK YOU

We wish to acknowledge with sincere thanks the kind expression of your sympathy. The family of Bob Ellis

HOME FOR SALE in Howardwick Thank you to some of the nicest people in the world for the cards, flowers, and prayers for our family in the loss of my mother. May

> **Connie and Edward** Michael and Traci The Bohlar Family

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS **OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT**

Sealed proposals for highway improvement contracts will be received by the Texas Department

Classifieds

ING, SEALING, AND FILLING CRACKS in Donley County, etc., will be opened on November District Office for an estimate of \$199,584.50.

Plans and specifications are availtractor's list, at the applicable State and/or District Offices listed below. Bidders must submit prequalificarequested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available at reproduction companies in Austin,

Office: Construction Division, 200 E. Riverside Dr., Austin, Texas 78704, phone:

Minimum wage rates are set out TxDOT ensures that bidders will

the grounds of race, color, sex, or entitled "In the Matter of the Marnational origin. 43-2tc

CITATION BY PUBLICATION STATE OF TEXAS **TO: JULI DAWN WARNER**

15, 2000, at 2:00 p.m. at the You have been sued. You may to enter any judgment or decree employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued able for inspection, along with bid- this citation by 10:00 a.m. on ding proposals, and applications Monday next following the expifor the TxDOT prequalified Con- ration of 20 days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you. The petition of tion information to TxDOT at least Marcus Jarrett Warner, Petitioner, ten days prior to the bid date to was filed in the Court of Donley be eligible to bid on a project. County, Texas, on the October 13, By Jason Bailey, Deputy Prequalification materials may be 2000, against Juli Dawn Warner, 43-1tc

Respondent, numbered 5827, and riage of Marcus Jarrett Warner and Juli Dawn Warner." The suit requests that the marriage be terminated by divorce.

The Court has authority in this suit dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property which will be binding on you. ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT at the office in Clarendon, Texas, this the 16th day of October, 2000.

Fay Vargas Clerk of the District Court, Donley County, Texas

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE

CLARENDON - HOUSE EXCELLENT LOCATION BETWEEN HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE Nice 3 bedroom brick with two baths, living, kitchen/dining/den, utility, central heat & ref. air, carport, fenced backyard at 1005 W. 3rd St. for \$57,000.

RECENTLY TOTALLY REMODELED - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen, dining iving, utility, central heat & air, metal siding, I car garage, I car port, cellar, fenced back yard, storage building, @ 610 W. 3rd for \$57,500.

NEAR SCHOOL - 3 bedroom -finished basement, central her one ref. car garage, fenced backyard - 20 v dining, kitchen, one room ered porch, unattached two price of \$47,500.

OWNER RELOCATING - MUST SELL nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat and air, carport on 11/2 lots at 613 Browning St. for \$38,500.

MAJOR PRICE REDUCTION - Custom designed 2 bedroom, 2 full baths with marble sinks & skylights, living/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 inclosed with chain link fence at 711 E. 3rd for \$75,000. REDUCED TO \$60,000

RECENTLY REMODELED 2 story, 4 bedroom, 21/2 bath, living, dining kitchen with new cabinets, dishwasher and range, large utility, covered porch, large deck, ducts installed for central h/a, shade and fruit trees, cased well, barn and storage building, all on one city block at 902 S. Gorst for \$72,000.00.

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 rate as/is or to su

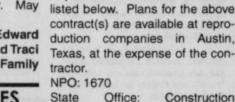
CONTRACTS of Transportation (TxDOT) until in bidding documents, and the the date(s) shown below, and then rates will be part of the contract. publicly read.

HELP WANTED

LOOK!LOOK!LOOK!

Road Construction Jobs

CDL Truck Drivers



512-416-2540.

District Office(s): Childress District, District Engineer, 1700 Ave

F NW, Childress, Texas 79201, phone: 940-937-7100.



Saints' Roost

ART I LESSONS for students ages 8-12 and 13-15 beginning October 21. Six Saturday sessions 9-11 a.m. and 2-4 p.m. at Panhandle Community Services building. Cost \$5 per session. Materials GARAGE SALE at Lone Star provided by Friends of the Library Building. Luggage, clippers, child Literacy Council. Sign-up Thurs- stool, single bedspread, crockday, October 19, 3:00-4:00 and pot, cookware, odds and ends. Friday, October 20, 5:30-6:30 at 8:30-5:00. October 20 & 21 until the library. 43-1tnc

TO THE PERSON who took my wedding ring set, may a hairy wart grow in your nose and tickle you to death. You know who you are, and you know where you took it from. 43-1tp

MAURICE AND MARY NEAL, I'm so lucky you are my parents. I love you! Janet. 43-1tnc

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE: 36.6 acres of land on Hwy. 287 near Hedley. 806-856-3202. 41-4tc

LET ME HELPYOU get a home loan for 15-30 years. FHA/VA and Conventional loans available. Prequalifications are free. Competitive interest rates. We provide quality service. Remington Mortgage, Ltd., Shalane Wesley, 806-492-2219, Paducah, Texas. 44-ctfc

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GARAGE SALES

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GARAGE SALE: TVs, garden tools, doghouse, lots more. Saturday, October 21. 500 Blair. Hedley, Texas. 43-1tp

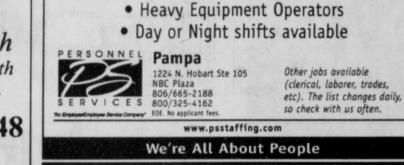
FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Two Deerborn room heaters. One is automatic, one is manual operation. Call 874-2931. 43-1tc

STEEL BUILDINGS, new must 40x60x12 was \$17,500, sell. now \$10,971; 50x100x16 was \$27,850, now \$19,990; 80x135x16 was \$79,850, now \$44,990; 100x175x20 was \$129,650, now \$84,990. 1-800-406-5126. 43-1tp



378-7033 (Pager)



REAL ESTATE

SPECIALS OF THE WEEK

EXCELLENT LOCATION BETWEEN HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE - Nice 3 bedroom brick with 2 baths, living, kitchen/dining/den, utility, central heat & ref. air, carport, fenced backyard at 1005 W. 3rd St. for \$57,000.

GREENBELT - Cherokee Addn. - Trailer house with 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, living/kitcher with refrigerator, stove & dishwasher, chain link fence, cellar, well with sub. pump, covere patio porch, 2 car port on 2 lots at 110 Walleye St. for \$15,000. NEW LISTING EXCELLENT.

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, 2 windmills with tubs, 2 dirt tanks, nice view, electricity available. Suitable to operate as/is or to sub-divide, good buy at \$265 per acre.

LELIA LAKE - 116.45 acres of excellent grass - will run 16 to 20 cow units, well with sub. pump, barn, corral, good fences, lots of trees, quail & deer frequent the place, county road on two sides. The perfect little ranchette, reasonably priced at \$385.00 per acr REDUCED TOTAL PRICE, \$41,700.

Fred Clifford

licensed Real Estate License #0472918 Representing Joe T. Lovell Real Estate

CLARENDON

601 W. 6th St. (corner of 6th & Ellerbe), brick, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 23/4 baths, 2 living areas, 2 kitchens, fireplace, CH/A, basement, approx. 3,659 sq. ft., 2 car garage, fenced pool, much, much more. Appointment only. \$120,000

· 605 McLean St., brick, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, CH/A, approx. 1,450 sq. ft. +440 sq. ft. in attached 2 car garage. Extra nice and clean. \$65,000. \$62,500

601 W. 7th St., stucco, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat & air, recently remodeled. \$60,000

Commercial building on Hwy. 287, CH&A, two lots, carport.

· 620 S. McLean St. Stucco, nice and clean, two bedroom, one bath, metal carport, 3 & 1/2 lots on corner. \$30,000. \$27,000

Lot 106 (lease lot) with furnished mobile home. Excellent. \$25,000. \$22,500

· Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 story, CH/A, carport, deck, cellar, on 4 landscaped lots. Big trees with deer, quail, and turkey as frequent visitors. Excellent neighborhood 376 Parks St. \$75,500.

• 1,204 acres (158 CRR a) \$28 of 2 rs), two tanks - live water.

BRISCOE COUNTY

1254 acres, 5 dirt tanks. Excellent hunting. \$250.

874-3757 · 353-1709 - Carol

940-937-7030 - Brad • 359-7915 - Amy

CLARENDON-RANCH - 1,170 acres only 4 miles south of Clarendon, good attle 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), 1 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.

CLARENDON - COMMERCIAL - FULL CITY BLOCK with 300 ft. frontage on Hwy. 287 - excellent location and size for business; also includes a 2 bedroom, 2 bath house with kitchen, dining/den and living room plus unattached one car garage at 900 E. 2nd for \$65,000.

CLARENDON-COMMERCIAL 250 ft. frontage on Hwy. 287 with nice, well naintained office building presently leased to a State of Texas agency for \$824 monthly. Very good income investment plus excellent development potential for vacant lots with Hwy. 287 frontage. At 911 E. 2nd for \$89,000.

ASHTOLA - 255 Acres - all farm land with county road on three sides, no mprovements for \$315 per acre.

GOODNIGHT - 100 acres, 3 bedroom house with 1 bath, kitchen, dining, living/ den with wood burning stove, utility, screened in porch, almost new metal roof, domestic well with pressure system - barn with 5 stalls, saddle room, feed house, hay loft, and drive through alley -- arena with boxes and lights for \$130,000.

CLAUDE - 327.5 acres total - 153.9 acres in CRP for 8 more years with \$5,986 al particle to a real of the one of a construction with with or a real of the product of the top and the product of the top as the subhouse in need of repair for \$450.00 per acre. REDUCED TO \$385.00 PER ACRE

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LELIA LAKE - 2 ACRE +/- beautifully landscaped and decorated, 4 bedrooms baths (full, 3/4, & 1/2), large kitchen/dining, den with fireplace, living, sun room with bricked grill, double garage, 2-car port, brick, shakes, central heat & air, dust stopper doors & windows, well, fenced yard, shop & storage building, dog kennel with 6 runs, numerous shade & fruit trees - and more - must see to appreciate. Owner relocating; price REDUCED TO \$89,900.00. (Below appraisal)

LELIA LAKE - Four miles south, ten acres and nice brick house with 3 edrooms, 3 baths (full, 3/4, & 1/2), country kitchen, large living room, cellar, barn, and fruit trees, one mile off hard surface road for \$70,000. Occupied, shown by appointment

GREENBELT- Country Club Central Section, split-level, 2 bedroom, 1 bath. living/den/kitchen, wood burner fireplace, central heat, full length enclosed porch, garage/shop at #6 Dawn Drive for \$36,000. REDUCED TO \$33,500.

GREENBELT- Lease lot #7 west side of lake, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen/dining iving/den, attached double garage, central heat & ref. air, view of lake from patio for \$32,000. REDUCED TO \$28,000.

GREENBELT - Carroll Creek Acres - 4 acres and 2 bedroom, 1 bath, living, tining, den, well with sub. pump for \$27,000.

GREENBELT - Cherokee Addn. - Trailer house with 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, living kitchen, with refrigerator, stove & dishwasher, chain link fence, cellar, covered patio porch, 2 car port on 2 lots @ 110 Walleye St. for \$15,000.

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Jimmy Garland Real Estate

GREENBELT LAKE

Office:806/874-9318

202 W. 3rd Street Mobile: 662-7888

\$30,000. \$27,500

Sheriff's Report: Caller reports trucker giving obscene gestures

Oct. 9 3:40 p.m. - Local business reported shop-12:15 a.m. - Caller reported accident on US 287. 4:34 p.m. - EMS en route to Hedley for 12:23 a.m. - Another accident reported on football standby. US 287. 5:16 p.m. - Deputy en route to sheriff's 12:33 a.m. - Caller reported a dog running office with one in custody. loose in front of local business 2:57 a.m. - Deputy out on traffic stop. 3:01 a.m. - Deputy out on traffic stop. US 287. 7:31 a.m. - Parole Office called to check on status of charges pending. 8:36 a.m. - Caller reported possible theft. Deputy responding. 9:26 a.m. - Generator on. 10:36 a.m. - Caller reported smoke detector has a bad battery. Oct. 13 11:02 a.m. - EMS needed at Carhart and Montgomery. report 11:03 a.m. - Deputy needed at local 12 church. Possible mischief. 12:51 p.m. - Deputy out on traffic stop. 1:02 a.m. - Traffic stop. 3:31 p.m. - Caller reported possible wreck. 2:45 a.m. - Traffic stop four miles west on Deputy responding. No injuries. US 287. 5:32 p.m. - Caller reported dogs acting up 7:50 a.m. - Traffic stop again. not had not arrived. Please be on the look out 7:01 p.m. - Man in lobby at sheriff's office 10:14 a.m. - Stalled vehicle at US 287 and needed assistance. 7:12 p.m. - Deputy advised situation taken care of 8:48 p.m. - EMS needed at W. 6th. responded. 9:09 p.m. - EMS en route to BSA. 9:46 p.m. - Deputy en route to sheriff's office. Two in custody. 9:57 p.m. - EMS needed at another loca-1:50 p.m. phone calls. 10:13 p.m. - EMS en route to NWTH. 3:21 p.m. - Traffic stop. 11:10 p.m. - Caller reported a fight in front of local business 11:14 p.m. - Deputy out on traffic stop. Peace 11:23 p.m. - Traffic stop. 11:30 p.m. - Armstrong County requested assistance locating a missing juvenile. Deputy responded. Oct. 10 1:42 a.m. - Ambulance back at the station. 7:04 a.m. - Burglary reported in Lelia Lake. Deputy and Constable responded. Sheriff also notified. 7:14 a.m. - Caller reported catching a 70. skunk in a trap in her yard. Needed 7:37 p.m. - Traffic stop. animal control to come pick it up, as it has already sprayed her dog. 7:15 a.m. - Animal control notified. 11:21 a.m. - Need a deputy to visit with a hitchhiker at the library. Lake. 11:59 a.m. - Deputy out of unit on E. 2nd. 12:31 p.m. - Deputy out at the Courthouse Annex 12:59 p.m. - Trooper in District Court in Memphis. 3:34 p.m. - Deputy out checking vehicle on N. 70. parked in strange location with the keys still in it. 4:06 p.m. - Report of cattle out on FM 152 8:45 p.m. - Constable is en route to sher- 9:13 p.m. - Report of a stranded motorist and CR H. Dispatched to Wheeler County sheriff's office.

4:34 p.m. - Bank alarm set off acciden-8:35 p.m. - Constable responding to a call regarding reckless driver.

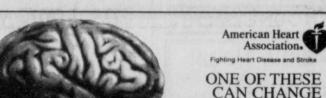
8:06 p.m. - Report on welfare concern. 9:00 p.m. - Deputy out on traffic stop on 9:04 p.m. - Caller reported damage to pumps at local business. Deputy en route to find truck. 9:52 p.m. - Caller has locked keys in vehicle. Deputy responding. 12:04 a.m. - Deputy inquired on weather 16 a.m. - Motorist needs assistance one mile east of Goodnight. Oct. 14 8:52 a.m. - Ambulance paged to E. 2nd. office Family Medical Clinic. 9:13 a.m. - EMS en route to NWTH. Kearney. Deputy responded. 11:09 a.m. - Accident reported on US 287. No injuries. EMS and deputy 9:03 a.m. - EMS on standby at the Cotton 11:12 a.m. - Previous not an accident, stalled vehicle. 12:07 p.m. - Donley County pager check. - Caller reported harassing 3:43 p.m. - EMS paged to 3rd and McClelland. Deputy also responded. 3:52 p.m. - Contacted Justice of the 5:58 p.m. - Local resident needed to contact family in Clayton, N.M. 6:02 p.m. - Ambulance back at station. 7:16 p.m. - Constable out of unit at Justice of the Peace's office. with her. 7:26 p.m. - Caller needed Constable to come by N. Bailey. 7:33 p.m. - Caller reported reckless driver 7:34 p.m. - Caller reported cattle out on N. 7:29 p.m. - Deputy reported a cell cloud watched. 7:44 p.m. - Deputy reported drops of rain. 7:32 p.m. - Deputy reported no hail on the 7:51 p.m. - Sheriff asked if there has been any reports on the clouds. 7:52 p.m. - Caller reported rain at Lelia 7:55 p.m. - Deputy advised he is unable to locate any cattle out. 8:19 p.m. - Deputy out on traffic stop one mile north on 70. 8:26 p.m. - Deputy reported wet pavement 8:40 p.m. - Caller reported unruly person in Hedley. Constable responded.

iff's office with one in custody. 8:59 p.m. - Constable advised dispatch to 9:16 p.m. - EMS en route to BSA. open sallyport. 9:00 p.m. - Caller reported a fight in Howardwick. Deputy, trooper, and Constable en route. 9:12 p.m. - Caller reported someone in her backyard on Carhart. 9:31 p.m. - Sheriff out on traffic stop. 9:52 p.m. - Caller reported her daughter is missing on Swanson Oct. 15 10:02 p.m. - Constable out of unit at Justice of the Peace's office. 10:11 p.m. - Constable out of unit on traffic stop in the middle of Hedley. 10:15 p.m. - Deputy en route to sheriff's office with one in custody. 10:50 p.m. - Report of a stranded motorist 1:17 p.m. - Caller wanted to tell the sherbetween Clarendon and Goodnight. 11:09 p.m. - Loud music reported at 7th and Koogle. office. 12:50 a.m. - Trooper out of unit at DPS 2:27 p.m. - Caller reported hearing noises 6:59 p.m. - Caller reported family member 9:04 a.m. - EMS en route to Clarendon 7:09 a.m. - Hall County advised a wrecker 3:19 p.m. - Accident reported at Carhart is needed at the railroad tracks on the east side of the highway. A truck is stuck on the tracks. 8:31 a.m. - Caller reported catching a skunk last night. Festival in Hedley. 12:58 a.m. - Disabled car three miles east of Ashtola 5:24 p.m. - Concerned grandmother looking for her grandson. Needed deputies to check around Hedley. Deputy and Trooper responding. 5:30 p.m. - Traffic stop. 6:07 p.m. - Caller from local business reported possible intoxicated driver just left headed east on US 287. Trooper and Deputy advised and will watch for vehicle. 7:23 p.m. - Caller reported property missing from her house. Constable spoke 7:28 p.m. - Sheriff reported pea size hail. 7:28 p.m. - Sheriff reported quarter size hail on 7th. off to the southwest that needs to be east side of town 7:35 p.m. - National Weather Service issued a severe thunderstorm warning until 8:00 p.m. Storm is moving northeast at 35 mph. 7:38 p.m. - Deputy reported previous caller's property is back at her house. 7:43 p.m. - Golf ball size hail reported in Howardwick. 8:13 p.m. - Traffic stop. 8:24 p.m. - Traffic stop. 8:59 p.m. - Ambulance paged to E. 4th.

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on east US 287. Trooper en route 10:13 p.m. - Caller reported a fire north of the radio tower on N. 70. Fire department and deputy responding. 10:25 p.m. - Constable is en route to the sheriff's office with one in custody. 10:26 p.m. - Deputy advised it is a controlled burn in a pit, not a grass fire. 5:45 a.m. - Alarm sounding at local business at 2nd and Koogle 43 5:52 a.m. - Deputy finds all okay. 12:53 p.m. - Caller has locked keys in vehicle at a local church. 1:02 p.m. - Caller retrieved keys. iff's department and especially the Chief Deputy thank you for recovering her property last night. 2:13 p.m. - Trooper out of unit at DPS outside her home and Browning, Fire department, EMS, trooper and deputy responding. 3:35 p.m. - EMS reported no transport. 4:17 p.m. - Trooper en route to Gray County to transport inmate. 7:19 p.m. - Caller reported vehicles racing on 5th in front of school. 8:41 p.m. - Traffic stop. 8:44 p.m. - Caller reported a skunk in her front yard. Animal control respond-8:47 p.m. - Caller reported loud truck pipes at 4th and Hawley 8:53 p.m. - Caller reported loud truck pipes on Goodnight. 10:18 p.m. - Trooper unable to locate stranded motorist in Lelia Lake area. 19. Foe POSITIVE FEED SALES **USE Pasture Values** 24. Epic Multiplied = PVM Provides essential nutrients needed daily paper to accelerate growth and weight gains. Brangus Bulls & Heifers For Sale DANNY ASKEW 874-5001 or 874-3844 VFW wildcat SUPPER lobes Thursday, Oct. 19 5:30-7:30 p.m. Serving barbecue brisket, potato salad, geans, dessert, coffee, and tea. \$5.00 donation Public Invited.

Big E Crossword Puzzle CLUES ACROSS 13. Cunning 58. Marx Brothers movie or 1. Month (var.) 21. Forward moving snack 22. Composition for nine 62. A town of central Nova ____in, deep-sea fish 9. Wasting away 26. Cain and Scotia 63. Essential oil 14. Norse goddess who 28. With fireplace residue 64. Charles ____, atonal defeated Thor 29. Regretter 15. Plural of "ala" composer 30. ____ Pound, poet 65. Synthetic rubbers 31. Coloring materials 16. Thread that connects a fishhook 32. Mother 66. Friar 17. Ducklike bird with a 67. National Environmental 33. Open beautiful song Policy Act (abbr.) 34. To restrain 18. Lucretia Coffin 68. French river 35. Upon 69. Bird genus Feminist 37. Rowdy youth (British) 70. Clay soil layer 38. Tactic 20. Safari goers **CLUES DOWN** 41. ____ fever, disease 23. ____ Lansbury, actress 1. Type of toast common in West Africa 2. Bitter chemical from 42. City in western Mexico 25. Palm leaf for writing aloe 47. With many branches 3. Scandinavian drink 49. Glints 27. Moved toward 4. Door attachment 51. Whitish tropical fruit 5. Warm-blooded, milk-32. A city in Georgia with a pinkish tinge 36. Cow barn (British) secreting animal 52. Performing artist 39. ____ Wong, spy 6. Plant with soothing 54. Getting by 40. "It's ____" (four words) 55. Celebrate secretions 43. K____, shopping place 7. Ripening early 56. Type of thin paper 44. Priest's robes the chase, to stop 57. Literary composition 8. 45. Jaguarundis, a type of (two words) 58. Wild sheep of northern 9. Little fly Africa 46. Shady places 10. ____ Frank's diary 59. Holy sisters 48. Extrasensory perception 11. Brewed from malt and 60. Home of Elburz Moun-50. Far East continent 53. What people do to ear-12. Dutch trees susceptible 61. Frog genus to moth-carrying disease 62. To be announced (abbr.)



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SUPPORT MEDICAL RESEARCH

Thursday, October 19, 2000

10:32 p.m. - Caller reported a theft out of a vehicle

10:56 p.m. - Caller reported a man outside his house with a gun on E. 3rd.

Oct. 11

2:45 a.m. - Deputy checking on vehicle parked at a local business

7:54 a.m. - Fire department unit and ambulance out at school for Fire Prevention

10:08 a.m. - Deputy en route to Clarendon Family Medical Clinic with inmate.

10:43 a.m. - Ambulance needed at the clinic.

10:50 a.m. - Local business requested Man outside asking for deputy. money

11:03 a.m. - Accident reported on CR 30. Armstrong County notified.

11:08 a.m. - Ambulance en route to NWTH

12:03 p.m. - All units school

6:19 p.m. - Caller requested deputy on E. Martindale. Has information for

6:44 p.m. - Caller requested deputy on S. Parks

6:59 p.m. - Deputy requested dispatch to contact the sheriff in Vega. He needs to speak with him.

7:01 p.m. - Deputy out on traffic stop. 7:43 p.m. - Caller reported obscene ges

tures from driver of a truck on US 287 almost into Hedley. Trooper and deputy en route.

8:26 p.m. - Ambulance needed on W. 3rd. 10:34 p.m. - Caller reported two cars drag

11:31 p.m. - Deputy found local business door open. Owner notified and will take care of it.

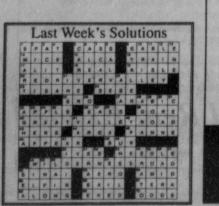
Oct. 12

5:02 a.m. - Caller reported a barking dog on E. 5th and Gorst 8:47 a.m. - Deputy out of unit at court-

house anne: 8:47 a.m. - EMS at high school for mock

disaster drill. 1:15 p.m. - Caller reported wreck one mile east of Lelia Lake. EMS, fire department, deputy, and trooper respond

1:40 p.m. - LifeStar estimated time of arrival is 31 minutes





Peanuts from the ground up

Eddy Helms shows Clarendon first graders how a tractor works and how peanuts are grown during a recent field trip. The students learned the process of growing peanuts. They also toured the Birdsong Peanuts plant in Memphis and made homemade peanut butter in Ms. Duncan's home-ec room.



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