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Susan Combs

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- All this and much more as The Enterprise reports in this week's engaging edition!

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Early voting underway for Republican runoff

Texas Republicans began early voting Monday in the statewide primary runoff election for railroad commissioner.

Incumbent Railroad Commission Chairman Victor G. Carrillo, who received 49.6 percent of the primary vote last month, faces Robert Butler, who had 24 percent of the primary vote. They are the only names for statewide office appearing on this ballot.

Early voting continues through Friday, April 9, 2004, in the clerk's office in the Courthouse Annex.

The runoff will be held next Tuesday, April 13, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. with all precincts voting in the Commissioners Courtroom of the Donley County Courthouse.

By Ashlee Kidd, Clarendon Enterprise high schools are limited.

If your child didn't like eating "This policy is the result of chances are they'll be even less likely and interested individuals around the to want to eat there next year followstate who consider children's health ing mandatory changes handed down and education a top priority," Combs by Texas Agriculture Commissioner said. "We want to ensure that foods served in our schools are nutritious

New nutrition policies from and balanced, and we are dedicated Combs' office that take effect August to promoting an environment that school cafeteria director, is also con-1 require schools to eliminate all nurtures both mental and physical fried foods and to limit the portion development." sizes and fat and sugar contents of But Clarendon ISD Superintenother food items. In addition, portion dent Monty Hysinger says that while foods from the cafeteria.

sizes for food items such as chips, the intention of the policy may be cookies, bakery items and frozen good, it is continuing to handicap strips and cheese sticks, I'm afraid desserts at elementary, middle and cafeteria workers in serving a variety they won't eat anything."

of foods for students.

in the school cafeteria this year, months of collaboration with experts away with the a la carte line that school by 2006 and that all foods that students," Hysinger said. "I think we will have some kids that will just skip burritos. lunch and others that will start bringing their own lunches from home."

Combs forces more cafeteria changes

Connie McKinney, Clarendon cerned that students will skip meals to the new policy removing all fried

"If I can't serve kids chicken

we serve junior high and high school once were fried must now be baked, including French fries, corndogs, and

"We tried baked burritos last Lunch Program. week, and we noticed the kids didn't like the change."

if the a la carte line is removed due three ounces, which McKinney says preparing meals. would probably be the equivalent of six or eight fries.

If CISD doesn't follow Combs' mandate, the school can lose up to \$1.20 at breakfast and \$2.19 at lunch

McKinney said that the deep in federal reimbursements for each "The policy may very well do fryer has to be removed from the meal lost to a competitive food sale.

> But Hysinger says that if children do not eat in the cafeteria, that could also affect the school's federal funding through the National School

"If they don't go through the line, we're not reimbursed," Hys-Combs' portion restrictions limit inger said and noted that these types servings of baked French fries to of changes could raise the cost of

> "A lot of the changes Combs forces us to make change our financial input. We still have to hold down the cost, but we have to make the See 'Combs' on page three.

Next king could be a female

Organizers are lining up candidates to unwittingly fight it out to be Donley County's fourth Turkey King, but this year there is a twist. The candidates are all female.

"The women are going to rule the roost," said election judge Linda Gray, "and any man who thinks he is up to the challenge is welcome to try to win."

Leading the 2004 flock is the esteemed mayor of Howardwick and perennial candidate Nancy Davis, who is making her third appearance on the fowl ballot. Davis narrowly lost the crown last year when Clarendon Alderman Tommy Hill defeated her by a margin of only 72



Hospital district to sell breakfast burritos

The Donley County Hospital District is going to be making and delivering homemade breakfast burritos Saturday, April 17.

The cost is \$2.00 each or six for \$10.00, and all proceeds will benefit the American Cancer Society Relay for Life.

Orders can be made by calling 570-3076 on Thursday, April 15, or Friday, April 16, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Delivery times will be 8 and 10:00 a.m.

Donley Co. VFW Post offering scholarship

Post Commander Dale Powers announced today that the VFW is once again offering the Commander Charles E. Jack McCoy War Veterans Memorial Scholarship to any high school senior in the Clarendon or Hedley school systems as well as senior home schooled students.

The \$500 scholarship is offered in the name of the late VFW Post member who was an asset to both the Post and the community. The Donley County VFW and the National VFW were responsible for contributing over \$4,600 in scholarships to the students of Donley County during the past four years.

Applications and qualifications can be picked up at the VFW or at the either high school office.

CC nursing programs to sponsor workshop

The Clarendon College Vocational Nursing program will sponsor a workshop on the legal aspects of healthcare on Thursday, April 8 at 7 p.m. in the Bairfield Activity Center.

Slater C. Elza, of Underwood Attorneys and Counselors at Law, will present legal issues facing today's healthcare professionals. Cost is \$10.

For information on the workshop or the nursing program, call Sharron Rust at (806) 874-3571.

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Early bird

A robin enjoys a break in the weather this week to look for worms in a local yard. An unofficial report showed more than half an inch of precipitation had fallen here since Sunday, and more rains are being forecast later this week and over the Easter weekend. Enterprise Digital Photo

Strayhorn levels criticism at governor

with the school funding crisis, and the road," Strayhorn said. by stripping local control away from local governments.

Strayhorn challenged Perry to ance Program.

immediately call upon legislative needed health care.

"I'm calling on him to use his in the United States. powers of persuasion and his bully

Calling on Governor Rick Perry ship together and free these funds ity," Strayhorn said. "He can order not to cajole, not to offer patchwork to act immediately, Comptroller before one more child is hurt, before his health and human services chief Carole Keeton Strayhorn told the one more family has to make a heart- to back off the new guidelines and Texas Association of Counties last wrenching choice between keeping allow Texas families to retain their she shares their concern that conweek that Gov. Rick Perry is fail- their insurance and setting just a little ing the state by throwing thousands bit aside for education, and before children's health insurance." more children off their health insur- one more emergency room doctor ance plan, refusing to deal honestly has to tell a patient to 'get on down

She also said Perry should order the health and human services com-"It's time for the hemorrhaging mission to back off new asset tests sion, the Governor told us he could finance that we have seen are really to stop. It's time to put the children that will throw thousands more chil- not address the school funding crisis no fix at all. In fact, all they really first. It's time to act," Strayhorn said. dren off the Children's Health Insur- immediately because fellow lawmak- do is offer relatively paltry payoffs to

leaders to release \$583 million the dren have lost their insurance, and Governor is "sitting on" to fund Texas is already dead last in the per- coming when there is a consensus on

pulpit to get the Legislative leader- the Governor can stop this atroc- new leadership willing not to delay, our fellow Texans."

dignity, their independence, and their tinued unfunded mandates from the

On the education front, Strayhorn lambasted the Governor for let- ing vital local government services. ting months of inactivity pass while the school system suffers.

ers did not have the adequate experi- schools that do better in exchange for Since September, 119,000 chil- ence in office," Strayhorn said. "This taking local control away from local year he tells us a special session is governments.

"With one simple phone call, now be complete; and if not, we need and having a callous disregard for during the Turkey Strut should con-

proposals packaged in lofty titles."

Strayhorn told the association state coupled with Perry's plan to eliminate local control are threaten-

"I am a staunch believer in local control," Strayhorn said. "The parts "During the last regular ses- of the Governor's plan to fix school

"I am a fiscal conservative, and cent of children with health insurance a fix, and still no date has been set. I can tell you there is a difference "I say his learning curve should between being a fiscal conservative

Davis also came in second in 2002, but she is expected to turn up the charm this year for a very spirited campaign.

Other candidates ready to do battle with Davis include Tessie Robinson of Suna AutoMall, Martha Smith of Clarendon College, CC Librarian Jewell Houston, Andrea Coxey of Medical Center Nursing Home, Linda Thornton also of MCNH, CHS secretary Valorie Ashcraft, Associated Ambulance Authority directory Anita Aaron, paramedic Anna Summers, and Reneé Betts of Greenbelt Water Authority.

Votes are still one penny each, and the hen with the most money wins when the fourth annual Turkey Strut Festival is held Saturday, April 24. Ballots may be cast in the jars of the respective candidates at Sayes, Duckwall's, and the Texas Steakout. Proceeds go to promote tourism in Donley County.

Other scheduled activities for the festival include a cake walk, a volleyball tournament, a merchants' window painting contest, a mattress race, the kids' turkey strut contest, and a high noon bank robbery.

Anyone interested in fundraising or having an arts and crafts fair tact Terry Askew at 874-3844.

Cattle raisers address impending changes in beef industry

cattle producers must get involved in safety, animal health, trade, water identification system, officers would reopens our foreign markets, and the debate over monumental changes regulation, taxation, and numerous be directed to work within the frame- includes a rapid testing regimen." proposed for the beef industry.

"If you don't, change will occur without you . . . and you won't like the results," insisted Dr. Bryan port," declared TSCRA President Cargill Animal Nutrition.

opening remarks during the pivotal what we can do together." Animal Health Committee meeting at Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association's 127th annual convention recently in Austin.

His warning was echoed again and again by speakers from every at the forefront of discussions of any BSE risk assessment and response vent illegal entry, the Department the quality of beef on the consumer's link in the beef production chain, national identification plan to ensure plan. government representatives, and that the best interests of the associalegislative leaders as they described tion and its members are protected." changes being considered in animal

FORT WORTH - Individual identification, marketing, food policy calls for a voluntary national our domestic confidence in beef, tional border." other issues where individual input work of a mandatory plan if one U.S. Border Patrol is critical.

work together on several important issues Animal identification

BSE risk assessment and response

Members also reiterated their Primary among them was to "be stand on the impending government the international border and pre-

TSCRA members also asked the U.S. Border Patrol to suspend its TSCRA emphasized that any recently instated horseback patrols in McMurry, beef brand manager for Bob McCan. "The most important national plan must assure confi- the sensitive fever tick eradication of U.S. cattle operations have fewer reason to join an association is not dentiality of producer records, be zones. TSCRA said the use of horses than 50 head of cattle, according Dr. McMurry presented the for what it can do for you, but for given adequate federal funding, have in these areas "poses an unnecessary reasonable timelines for implementa- risk to the health of the Texas livestock industry and the economic well being of rural Texas."

TSCRA suggested instead that, "In order to more effectively patrol of Interior should allow the USBP based, statistical, significant, rapid ridor, thereby putting the maximum

"Cattle producers can wield significant influence when they join together and work within their local and national organizations," McCan asserted

Sixty-three percent (715,040) to the 1997 Census of Agriculture. Another 17 percent (200,500) own 50 to 99 head. That makes 80 percent of the nation's cattle operations that have fewer than 100 head!

"These producers have a huge effect on the nation's beef herd and plate," McCan emphasized. He said TSCRA supports a "science- and APHIS to patrol the river cor- this group is a major focus of the new TSCRA membership development Members said that while TSCRA risk-assessment plan that maintains resources on the banks of the interna- task force that he appointed last fall.

should be required by Congress, the "We need your input and sup- administration, or the marketplace.

TSCRA members resolved to tion, and avoid imposing a burden on the industry.

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Combs takes another swipe at good food

Texas' Health Nazi-In-Chief Susan Combs is back up to no good and seems determined to kill what little culinary enjoyment there currently is in eating at school cafeterias.

As you may recall, Combs is the head of the

Texas Department of Agriculture who last year decided kids didn't need to be having "unhealthy" snacks at school parties any more and consequently threatened to withhold precious government funds from any school that didn't bar parents from providing such editor's evil foods as soft drinks, lollipops, and jelly beans.

by roger estlack The problem with overbear-

ing bureaucrats, of course, is that they can just never get enough of telling people how to live their lives, all the while telling us that it is in our best interest or more particularly that it is in the best interest of - you guessed it - the children.

Having taken an inch last year, Combs is going for the mile now. According to her, the children are getting a little thick around the middle; and this, of course, is a crisis that must be dealt with regardless of what the facts actually are.

She therefore has mandated that Texas public schools eliminate all fried foods from their cafeteria line-ups and limit the portion sizes and fat and sugar contents of other food items

Not just cut back on fried foods, mind you. We have to eliminate them. In fact, Clarendon ISD can't even have a deep fryer anymore. That puppy has to be gotten out of the kitchen by 2006, or we're gonna be really sorry.

One would think that with drought conditions and the supposed threat of Mad Cow Disease and poultry diseases, the department of agriculture would have plenty to do; but apparently such is not the case. Der Fuehrer of Agriculture has decreed that anything that has heretofore been fried shall now be baked. She has furthermore decided even after such food has been stripped of its palatability, children shall not be allowed to eat very much of it, or she in her mighty wrath will smite the school. Thou shalt not consume more than three ounces of French fries! (Or is that French "bakes" now?)

Yes, no matter how hungry your kids are, all they

Pansy pal bleeds a pint in record time

I saved a life Friday afternoon. I gave blood.

I was a first time donor. I tried to give blood last year, but I had to force myself to stay holed up in the library until I finished a research paper the day that the drive was going on. Trust me, I'd rather give blood everyday than write research papers.

Friday afternoon they had a blood drive on campus. I was at work. Since there is a show open this weekend, there wasn't much work for us to do. The sets were all built, and we couldn't really start on the next show until this one was over. So my boss, Mr. Wheeler, rounded up the whole crew; and we all went to give blood.

I realized just how landlocked I was when half the crew couldn't donate because they had traveled in Europe or spent time in Singapore and Malaysia. My globetrotting crew went back to work. It was just Mr. Wheeler, my "brother," and I.

Brother Will and I have a strange relationship. Now I think we really are a lot like brother and sister. We compete mercilessly, even at giving blood.

Will is a regular blood donor. He is type O negative, a universal donor, and the blood banks love him. People who donate blood that often are just crazy. They have stories of all the different times they gave, who has the best cookies and juice, how

many times they passed out, etc. First timers like myself, naturally get a little nervous. They design the

whole system to freak people out. I've never life's lessons had a nurse ask me so by carrie helms many personal ques-

tions about my love life, my drug habits, and my piercings.

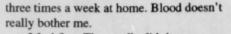
It was incredible how she was asking these long detailed questions without even looking at the paper while testing my blood sugar and taking my blood pressure and remembering my responses. That's some serious multi-tasking.

At any rate, both Will and I passed the ha ha ha. test and were seated. The technicians came and started setting us up.

"Hey," William says to me, "Let's race. The one to fill the bag fastest wins. Loser buys Dr Pepper for the whole crew." "Game on." I say. Then I whisper to

the tech, "How do you make yourself bleed faster?" She just laughed. I set my stopwatch and waited. Most people don't like the sight of

their own blood running out of their bodies through tubes. Unfortunately, I'm a little desensitized. I watched my dad do dialysis



I feel fine. The needle didn't even bother me going in. I'm feeling good, but the technicians worry me. They keep asking me if I feel okay, and then I start to worry. Do I really feel okay? I don't know! Should I not? Do I not look like I feel okay?

Then I notice Will starting to get a little pale. They rush him some juice and cookies. The pansy almost passed out.

Six minutes. The freak of nature gave a whole pint of blood in six minutes.

I took seven and a half. Will starts gloating about how he's

a better bleeder, his blood is more useful than mine, girls can't bleed as well as boys,

I said he's not better at bleeding; he just can't control himself like a girl can. I had complete mental control over my circulatory system the whole time. I was holding back because I didn't want to look like a dork and pass out.

We ask the nurse to settle it for us. Who has better veins, Captain Unconscious or me?

I have a bigger vein. The nurse said so. After ten or fifteen minutes more of arguing, we decided to call it a draw. Well, Mr. Wheeler did. He bought the Dr Pepper.



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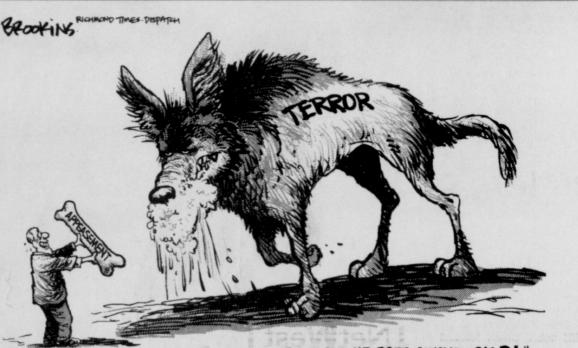
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"GOOD BOY! ... SEE, I GIVE NICE DOGGIE A BONE AND HE GOES AWAY! ... OK ?! "



are permitted to have is three ounces of French bakes. And, according to CISD cafeteria director Connie McKinney, that's about six - or maybe eight - individual French bakes. And get this: if the school serves hash browns for breakfast on one day, it can't serve French bakes at all for any meal for the rest of the week

This sort of heavy-handed action would be expected from a left-of-center Democrat. Combs is a Republican (which just shows the sorry state of leadership in the Texas GOP), and she has a broad base of support for these limitations. In making her announcement, der Fuehrer also released four and one-half pages of statements of support from busybodies all over the state. (Interestingly, there are no statements of support from any Texas children.)

The head of the Texas PTA is "thrilled" with Combs' effort to fight childhood obesity. A professor at Baylor College of Medicine applauds Combs because "obesity and its co-morbidities are rampant" in our schools. An American Cancer Society official says this "is a significant step forward." All of which is hogwash.

First, local health officials have stated on the record that obesity is not a crisis among students in Donley County. This new policy will drive down the number of students consuming already balanced meals in the lunchroom and cause them to eat more sack lunches from home, which are likely to be less nutritious

Second, decisions about what is served in school cafeterias ought to be made at the local level by local school officials rather than by some finger-pointing witch in Austin.

And third, nothing Combs does will combat obesity among school children or anyone else. There is not one kid in this state who is fat because of what he ate at school. Heavenly days! Most kids only eat one meal a day at school. It's what they eat for meals after school and between meals and a lack of physical activity that turns them into little lard butts.

It all comes down to personal responsibility. Parents have got to be the ones responsible for feeding their children. The public schools have enough trouble trying to educate brats without parental support. They don't need the added pressure of wondering if Little Johnny had just six French bakes today for lunch or if he stole four more from Little Susie and is now on his way to getting Type II diabetes.

Combs acts as though chubby kids are the gravest threat to the future of Texas. But we have seen the real enemy, and she is her. Texans have more to fear from elected officials like Combs than they do from a serving of French fries.

Do you really think that men fought and died at the Alamo and San Jacinto so that our government could tell us what to feed our kids? No, they did not. Santa Anna did a lot of things, but even he didn't try to tell us how to cook frioles.

Texans deserve to keep more money

Fifty billion dollars... That's how much Americans will see through higher refunds and lower payments this tax season. Those savings are a direct result of last year's sweeping tax relief, which is putting more money back into the pockets of hard working Americans, creating new jobs and growing the U.S. economy. A Strengthening Economy

The last few years have been rife with the ingredients of an economic disaster; but despite a recession, terrorist attacks at home and abroad, corporate scandals and war, our economy is getting stronger. Inflation, interest; and mortgage rates are near historic lows; and homeownership is at the highest level ever. Stock market wealth has increased by more than \$4 trillion in the last year, and unemployment has dropped to 5.6 percent recently - below the average rate of the 1970s, 1980s and 1990s.

Making the Tax Relief Permanent These numbers are good, and they are

getting better. But the positive news could be short lived unless Congress acts to make the tax

and Growth Act comment in 2003, we were by sen. kay bailey hutchison

forced to sunset on the tax cuts, and many of them will begin to fade away at the end of this year. After December 31, 2004, the expansion of the 10 percent bracket and alternative minimum tax relief will disappear.

The Marriage Penalty Last year we raised the standard deduction and enlarged the 15-percent tax bracket for married joint filers to twice that of single filers. This provision will save 34 million married couples an average of almost \$600 on this year's tax bills. But,

Hospital district in good financial shape

Having previously served on the [Donley County] Hospital Board of Directors, I would like to recount many of the changes I saw take place.

My mother-in-law was a resident of Medical Center Nursing Home from 1997 until her death in 2003. The nursing home was in great turmoil the first year of her stay until the present administrator was hired in the fall of 1997. Under this administration, Mrs. Denney received quality care from the entire staff, which gave her comfort, dignity, respect. Our family appreciates the memories. Thank you.

The voters of Donley County voted to keep the nursing home rather than sell it. A long-range plan was developed for the Medical Center complex, which included updating the infrastructure and adding ten beds through renovation of the facility. Over the years, the nursing home had always been supported through tax dollars. The financial plan was that the added income from the ten new beds would put the nursing home at a breakeven point, thus leaving tax dollars to reduce debt, support ambulance services, provide indigent care, and pay hospital district expenses.

The home is now on course to do just that and by June 30, 2002 - which was the

first full year with the ten new beds in service - it actually showed a pre-depreciation profit.

Other notable facts:

1) The nursing home participates in the State of Texas Medicaid Staff Enhancement Program. This program funded approximately \$100,000 for increased staffing, which in turn resulted in quality care. It has also provided wage increases to direct care staff.

2) The Texas Department of Human Services' Long Term Care Regulatory conducts annual surveys of all Texas facilities to see if federal and state regulations are being met. On their visit in the fall of 2003, what is best for us. I think we all are adult no deficiencies were citied, which gave the nursing home its first deficiency free survey

3) Nationwide, Gannett News Service's "Nursing Home Quality Report" lists Medical Center Nursing Home with a five-star rating, which is the highest. (www.gannettnewsservice.com)

I want you, as a voter, to know that under the present administration, the Donley County Hospital District, Medical Center Nursing Home, and Associated Ambulance Authority are in good financial standing, in top standing with the State of

in 2005, marriage will again be a taxable event for millions of Americans. While I continue my efforts to make marriage penalty relief permanent, I have introduced legislation to extend last year's victory for married couples for one year, through 2005. We must make sure we do not backtrack on this important reform.

Fairness for Texans

In 1986, a landmark tax reform law eliminated the deduction for state and local sales tax, but not the deduction for income tax. As a result, taxpayers from states like Texas, who pay sales tax but no income tax, have been penalized. I have introduced legislation to address this inequity and am hopeful my colleagues will agree that Texans - and residents from the other six states with no income tax - aren't treated unfairly.

Last year proved you know how best to spend your dollars and that tax relief creates jobs and strengthens our economy.

Texas, and that all services are superior.

Medical Center Nursing Home. I believe

we should keep our present administration

county May 15. "If it ain't broke, don't fix

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your cable company or even a phone call to

any of them. But we must do what we can

to let our voices be heard. This is a must

for this week. Thank you all so much for

anything you can do to help keep Family

Net in Clarendon. God Bless you all for

helping.

Our time is running out so please let's

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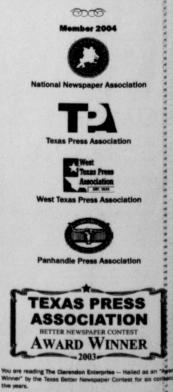
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to eligible farmers and ranchers to tices and major resources concerns in Clarendon at 874-3576.

The Natural Resources Conser- address soil, water, and related natu- of an area can be answered by your vation Service has set the application ral resource concerns on lands in an local NRCS field office. It should deadlines for the 2004 Environmental environmentally beneficial and cost be noted that program funds target natural resource of farmers, as well

EQIP is a voluntary program as, livestock producers. and is designed to assist farmers Applications from individual and ranchers with placing natural tity was the primary resource conlandowners interested in participat- resource conservation practices on cern and rangeland plant health as a ing in the EQIP program during the their property. Cost-share is pro- secondary concern. Water quantity 2004 program year must be received vided to program participants to practices eligible for cost-share are before April 16 and will be ranked achieve the goals of a conservation brush management and improving

health concerns practices eligible Contracts for eligible producers for funding are cross fences and Producers who did not qualify are made for a period of one to ten pipelines with troughs, and ponds or wells to complete the system. Plant

This year priority concerns health practices will be funded after ply during the 2004 ranking period to were developed by local people with all water quantity concerns within the NRCS assistance. The priority will county are addressed. Private landowners should be vary from county to county since aware that EQIP provides technical, local people developed them. Ques- submit an EQIP contract application,

Looking Back

To learn more about EQIP or to educational, and financial assistance tions about eligible cost-share prac- contact your local NRCS field Office

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missioners for the next two years. Pickering led the ticket with a total of 331 votes, closely followed by Thomas who received 327 votes. J.G. McAnear received 175 votes, and Noel T. Cuss, Jr., who was the only candidate up for re-election. received 130 votes.

Combs:

Continued from page one. "changes too."

Field trips during school hours will also be affected by this new policy.

"We will have to get sack lunches from the cafeteria and send with the students," Hysinger said. "As far as extra-curricular activities go, we may get by with not following the policy. We just need to check into it further."

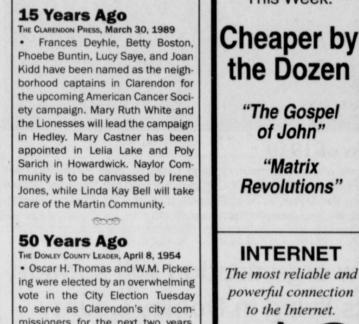
Combs says this policy is the result of months of collaboration with experts and interested individuals around the state who consider childhood obesity an enormous concern, but Hysinger feels that schools are not to blame

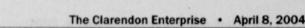
"Schools aren't the cause of the obesity issue," Hysinger said, "but I guess we have to do our part to remedy it."

4-H to meet next week

The 4-H meeting for April will be Tuesday, April 13, at 7:00 p.m. at the Panhandle Community Services Building

All 4-Hers need to remember this is the deadline to turn in their orders for geraniums. If anyone wishes to order geraniums and have not done so, please call the Extension Office at 874-2141.





NEWS

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Sct. Showers

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SOCIETY

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April 9 - 10 Bulldogs v. New Mexico Military Inst. . Bulldog Field • 1 p.m.

Lady Bulldogs v. Howard College . Lady Bulldog Field • 1:00 and 3:00 p.m.

April 10

Community Easter Egg Hunt • Medical Center Nursing Home • noon

April 11

April 13 Bronco Band Boosters 6 p.m.

April 15

United Christian Men's Breakfast . Methodist Fellowship Hall • 7 a.m.

April 17 Clarendon Clean-up Day

April 19

Breast Cancer Screening . Associated Ambulance Authority • 356-1905.

April 24

4th annual Turkey Strut Festival . **Details TBA**

April 27

Immunization Clinic . Texas Dept. of Health office . 9:30 a.m., 1 p.m.

April 29 Health and Wealth Fair . Bairfield Activity Center • 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

May 8

Masonic Lodge Chicken BBQ

May 9 Mothers Day

00

Community Menus

April 12-16

Clarendon Schools

Breakfast Mon: Cereal, toast, fruit, milk Tues: Eggs and toast, fruit, milk Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk Thur: Breakfast tacos, fruit, milk Fri: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk Lunch

UIL, band keeping CHS students very busy

April has arrived. It brought and Brandi Lockhart were awarded a little rain with it, which we all All-Star Cast recognition, and Matt hyper-competappreciate, I'm sure, even if it does Aaron and Joaenea Horn received itive students sometimes make it difficult for those Honorable Mention. The Area com- were actually on the outskirts of town (and beyond) petition will be this Thursday at in school on to get anywhere.

There are some of our local time has been settled yet. high school students who haven't been in school much last week. Or tests were held, and a whole raft of This this week. Probably not next week competitors in things like debate, there's been either. It's UIL competition season. current affairs, editorial writing and a track meet Monday and Tuesday. for sale at the Library, though some Last week, the One-Act Play District other such events will be heading off High School Concert Band contest of the cutest ones are gone because Competition was in Clarendon at the to Regional Competition sometime is Wednesday, and the Area Play I took them home with me. But the Harned Sisters Auditorium on the soon. I can't keep straight which competition is Thursday. So these ones left are nice too. The Friends to tell you that Lydia Hartman was where in the paper so you can read named Best Actress. Robert Shelton who they are.

Sunrise services to be held

The

at Howardwick City Park

With Daylight Savings Time, I sunrise

was reminded again how great it is vices at the

being retired. Before my first cup of park at 7:20,

coffee, most people were at work; it come have

was dark when the school bus came breakfast with by; and the children were in the us at City Hall.

down no matter how many clocks you meal.

set forward or back. Unfortunately,

Daylight Shifting Time - was first

only seven months before it was

the entire country was placed on

year round daylight savings until

1945 when each state and town could

change their time or not and decide

when to change. The Uniform Time

I have often wondered how do fication Club

classroom.

us from ourselves.

These Amarillo College. I don't think the Thursday and Friday

Wednesday, UIL academic con- last

college campus. The One-Act Plays activities are taking place on which same students will go to classes on of the Library are selling the pots of Clarendon and Sunray advanced day until the participants come home Friday. Next week - well, we'll see to raise money for various projects to Area competition. And since we and tell me. Hopefully, Your Editor what happens this week before we benefiting the library. The monthly aren't in Sunray, I'm only going will have that list of winners some- go there.

Transportation - now oversees us all and set Daylight Savings Time for 2 tickets for \$5 in advance and \$6 at the a.m. on the first Sunday in April until door. A ticket also makes you eligible president of the organization. to win a quilt. This fundraiser goes They say this is good because it toward matching funds for grants the is to support the veterans of Donley organization can pick up an applicasaves energy, but since I am retired I fire department has received. Tick- County including the members of the tion at the VFW Post in Clarendon or Clarendon. will save my energy as I see fit and ets are available from any auxiliary Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7782 by calling the president at 205-0027. member or at City Hall. Meetings: Fire Department, have anxiously watched the weather Thursday at 7 p.m.; Beautification Memorial Post 7782 has adopted this forecast for that day, and all three Club, Tuesday, April 13, at noon at organization as a support group/aux- mally Alexander's Diner). channels are saying it will be in the City Hall. Please try to attend. This is iliary, formed to help our veterans," mid-thirties that morning, so unpack the election of officers, and you may said Post Commander Dale Powers.



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Last Friday, the Art Club met at April 14, at noon at the library. Come the First United Methodist Church join us.



home with them.

Friends meeting is next Wednesday,

Class of 1949

Members of the Clarendon College Class of 1949 celebrated their 55th anniversary during the CC Alumni Reunion last Saturday. Shown here are Les Myers, Annese Bennett, Carl Bennett, Thelma Shields, Doug Lowe, and Juanelle Stevenson Smith. Enterprise Digital Photo

New organization will support vets living in Donley County

organization - Friends of the Donley on future projects that the Post in County Veterans. Goodwin is the Clarendon has planned for the com-

The purpose of the organization

Brandon Goodwin is pleased porting Memorial Post 7782 both munity and the veterans.

Anyone interested in joining the

and lunched on very tasty chicken spaghetti at tables that had been decorated with really cute "Easter trees." I have my suspicions that the hostesses all decided they wanted one of these twig trees with the eggs hanging from them, used them for decorations, then got to take them There are still big plant pots

New Arrival

Kyla Jade Doyal (shown above) was born February 26, 2004, to her parents Ashley Putman and Dale Doyal, Jr. She weighed 7 lbs. 2 oz and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Donnie and Darla Putman of Krum and Dale and Betty Doyal of Crowell. Her great grandparents are Tommy and Deanie Powers of Crowell, Norma Putman of Clarendon, and Betty Wright of Eldorado, Oklahoma.

Agape Church plans Passover program

The congregation at the Agape Christian Church will host a presentation of the Old Testament Passover on Thursday, April 8, at 7:00 p.m.

The Passover is the yearly celebration among the Jews remembering their deliverance from Egyptian slavery. Observed for many centuries, the celebration was kept by Jesus and His disciples; and from this last Passover observance with His disciples, Jesus established the Lord's Supper (the communion). The Passover is rich in images and symbols of the redemptive work of Jesus as taught by Christians.

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The public is invited to join the congregation in this beautiful and moving presentation. See and learn how Jesus would have celebrated with His disciples. Discover the rich and holy meanings of the bread and cup He blessed at the Last Supper. Learn how the Passover symbols speak of His passion, death, and resurrection.

The Agape Christian Church



you save daylight? It is light when the will serve up sun comes up and dark when it goes a good free by peggy cockerham Howardwick • 874-2886

Joyce we are a clock-oriented society and Hardin who lives on Saints Roost no longer live by sunrise and sunset, has had a difficult week. She went so Big Brother has stepped in to save in for a heart cath on Tuesday, and,

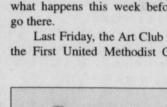
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as a result, on Thursday she had Daylight Saving Time - so seven bypasses performed. She is at called because it sounds better than BSA in room 432. In answer to my "When are you coming home?" she tried in 1918 during WWI but lasted answered, "I hope not today."

The fire department has comrepealed. During the next big war, pleted the controlled burn and cleanup at the tree limb dump. The chipper-shredder we share with Hedley is here this month with chips available free of charge for use in flowerbeds.

Act of 1966 - with responsibility of The Mexican Pile-On planned the law going to the Department of by the fire department auxiliary will to announce the formation of a new financially and with manpower be April 24 at 6 p.m. at City Hall with



Mon: Nachos with beef and ch beans, salad, pineapple, milk Tues: Ravioli, rolis, carrots, fruit, milk Wed: Chicken, mashed potatoes, rolls, corn, fruit mix, milk Thur: Pizza, salad, corn, peaches, milk Fri: Hot dogs with chili, French fries, salad, apples, milk

Hedley Schools

Breakfast Mon: Cheese toast, dry cereal, toast and jelly, fruit juice, mill Tues: Eggs and sausage, toast and jelly,

cereal, fruit juice, mill Wed: Biscuit and gravy, sausage patties,

butter and jelly, cereal, juice, milk Thur: Blueberry pancake on a stick with syrup, cereal, juice, milk

Fri: Cinnamon rolls, cereal, peanut butter and toast, fruit juice, milk

Mon: Taco, salad, fruit, chips, juice, milk Tues: Frito pie or chili cheese dog, chili beans, salad, mixed fruit, milk, fruit

Wed: Pizza or grilled chicken, tossed salad, applesauce, bread sticks, milk, fruit juice

Thur: Chicken strips or steak fingers potatoes and gravy, salad, fruit, rolls, milk, fruit juice

Fri: Ham and cheese subs or Philly steak subs with lettuce, tomato, pickles onions, and olives, mixed fruit, cookies, chips, milk

Donley County Senior Citizens

Mon: Chicken and dumplings, green beans, cauliflower in cheese sauce, rosy applesauce, tropical fruit, roll, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Tues: Mexican pile one, beans, rice, tossed salad, strawberry poke cake, tortilla chips and hot sauce, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Wed: Catfish, hominy casserole, turnip greens, coleslaw, chocolate pudding with topping, hush puppies, coffee, tea, lowfat mill

Thur: Spaghetti and meat sauce, asparagus, garden salad, cherry Jell-O, cookies, garlic toast, coffee, tea, lowfat

Fri: Chicken pot pie, zucchini and tomatoes, pea salad, lemon pie, roll, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Hedley Senior Citizens

Mon: Catfish, onion rings, spinach, coleslaw, baked apple, cornbread, coffee, tea, milk

Tues: Steak fingers and gravy, broccol casserole, buttered carrots, lime Jell-O with pineapple and cottage cheese, apricot halves, roll, coffee, tea, milk Wed: Chicken potpie, fried okra, tossed salad, pudding, roll, coffee, tea, milk Thur: Pork cutlet and gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli spears, apple rings, bread pudding, roll, coffee, tea, milk Fri: Turkey and dressing with gravy, sweet potatoes, Tuscany blend vegetables, fruit salad, pumpkin pie, roll, coffee, tea, milk

have that coffee on my own time.

the last Sunday in October.

With Easter next Sunday, I that coat. If you can't come to the be elected if you aren't there. and its Ladies Auxiliary.

This organization plans on sup- to help the veterans.

Meetings will be held on the "The Donley County VFW second Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at the VFW Bingo Hall (for-

> . They are making application to be a non-profit organization formed

meets at 416 S. Kearney in

Christian Men to hold breakfast next Thursday

The United Christian Men's breakfast will be Thursday, April 15, at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall at 7:00 a.m.

Please come and enjoy fellowship and breakfast with Christian friends. Everyone is invited.

Hedley sunrise service to be at Methodist Church

sound of booming thunder. Then I section was carton after carton of heard rain on the vents on top of my Blue Bell ice cream. There was every house. I went to the door and looked flavor you can imagine. She bought the road. out to see rain pouring down like out several flavors. I personally like of buckets and the sun shining bright vanilla the best. You can top it with bushes as you please.

We ran out of the rain before chocolate, raisins, or anything you ing, and Grace we got to Clarendon; and while we want. Yum, yum!

were in Amarillo, it rained a little at the clinic. When we started home, week and was stopped at a red and irises are it rained off and on until we got to light. There stopped beside us was blooming. Lelia Lake; then it came a downpour. a sports car with fancy wheel covers. There are some yellow flowers at the When we got back to my house, I got There were spinning. I took a second Methodist Church that are bloomsoaked running from the street to the look and they really were turning. ing, but I don't know what they are house. I didn't mind getting wet, but I I asked one of the boys on the bus called. Linda said the bluebonnets hate for my glasses to get rained on. how the hubcaps could turn with the are almost in bloom at their house.

drop out at his house North of town. convoluted explanation that I didn't bluebonnets. Jim Mitchell said he got about a half- understand. What will they think of next to sell cars?

It rained some Monday afternoon but not much.

inch

Activity Center.

demic excellence were:

I woke up Friday morning to the and behold, there in the frozen food some plums in full bloom along The lilac

anything you want - strawberries, almost bloom-

I was in Amarillo one day last said her tulips

ing; Vanessa Ramsower, Plainview,

Linda and I went to the grocery Post Office are so pretty. I hope they tilled the rest of the yard, Jason store in Clarendon Thursday and lo make apricots this year. I also saw Conatser ranked and sowed grass on to attend.

wild are watt's Burkhalter happening by peggy watt

My yard should be pretty a little later. The grass Claude Randall in the basement of the Methodist The fruit trees are in bloom all sowed for me last fall is growing Church followed by regular service Simmons making news over town. The apricot trees by the good; and after Clifford Johnson in the sanctuary.

the rest of it. With the rain we've had it should start growing any day now. The first night after he planted the an elephant walked across it and left deep tracks in it.

see the eye doctor. They visited with Front Street. their son Darrel at the Post office and his wife Barbara at home in Kirkland between office visits.

Memorial services were held in Rowe Cemetery on Saturday for J.R. and join them for lunch and after-Howell. He was the son of the late wards, for those wishing, we will Elmer and Gladys Kidd Howell.

Sunrise Services will be held cross at the Methodist Church if it Mary Douglas at 874-9366. doesn't rain. Brunch will be served

Everyone is invited and welcome

Red Hat Club travels seed, a dog with feet about the size of to Groom for meeting The Scarlet Saints of the

Clarendon Chapter of the Red Hat Buford and Jerry Holland were Society will meet in Groom at the in Childress last week for Buford to Blessed Mary Restaurant located on

Lucy Saye is serving as hostess for the month and has chosen Easter Celebration as the theme.

Put on your red Easter bonnet view the cross.

If you have any questions or Bill Carson said he didn't get a car stopped and he gave me a long My mother always had the prettiest Sunday at 7:30 a.m. in front of the need a ride, call Lucy at 874-2784 or

as student at HSU

Clarendon resident Elizabeth Simmons was recently honored at the Hardin-Simmons University Irvin School of Education's 2004 award ceremony.

Simmons received the Long Bristow Scholarship, which honors as junior or senior preparing to enter the teaching profession and who shows promise of becoming an outstanding teacher.

Simmons also is a part of the Thompson, Roxton, for WJCAC first-ever Hardin-Simmons University softball team, which has been playing games and hosting tournaments in the newly constructed Cowgirls softball field since February.

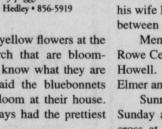
Having played against teams from the University of Mary-Hardin Baylor, Sul Ross, and Howard Payne, the Cowgirls will soon end a commendable first season.

CC honors banquet recognizes 26 students Students recognized for athletic Tulsa, for Western Junior College Athletic Conference (WJCAC) All-

on Saturday, April 3, in the Bairfield Equine Science & Equine Judg- Stevens, Hedley, for Speech. The Better Business Bureau The students recognized for aca- Equine Judging; Vicky Hartin, Student Torch Award was presented Pampa, for Government; Ed Miles, to Javia Walls, Texico, NM along Greg Logan and Denise Joiner, Dallas and Misty Tuttle, Pampa, for with a \$500 scholarship. This is the both of Pampa, for Anatomy and Library Academic Success Award; fifth year the Student Torch Award Physiology; Kristin King, Canyon, Chris Fischbacher, Wildorado and has been given, and it goes to a Busiand Kevin Green, Clarendon, for Cole Gardner, Estancia, NM, for ness Major who demonstrates ethical Biology; Doraliza Dominguez, Livestock Judging; Kevin Green, behavior while attending Clarendon Sheena Barrett, Duncanville, and Alpine, for Business; Nikki Hefley, Clarendon and Lee Wiginton, Mem- College. Aleia Paden, Dallas, for Volleyball.

Clarendon College recognized McLean, for Chemistry & Econom- phis, for Math; Charles Mock, Adkins 26 students for academic excellence ics; Bili Hamilton, Clarendon, for and David McCutchon, League City, excellence were Stephanie Russell, in the classroom and seven students Computer Information Systems; for Meats Judging; David Monson, for athletic excellence in their sport Dustin Brooks, Amarillo and Kari League City, for Organic Chemistry; during the Honors Banquet hosted Gudgell, Canyon for English; with Stephanie Bretz, Tatum, NM. Conference Women's Basketball and

by the CC Ex-Students Association Michael Hunsinger, Gallatin, TN, Shamar Odom, El Paso, and Sealey Region V All-Region Team; Camille All-Conference Honorable Mention Women's Basketball; Marshall Winfrey, Lake Charles, LA, for WJCAC Honorable Mention Men's Basketball; Alex Robles, Mission, for WJCAC All-Conference Men's Basketball; and Emily Bolton, Blossom,



Hedley FFA fares well at Houston By Tangela Copelir

Members of the Hedley FFA exhibited at the Houston Livestock Show during the week of March 15-19.

Those exhibiting barrows that placed were Cole Farris, 14th, heavy-weight crossbreed; Deston Chambless, 21st, light mediumweight crossbreed; Jasie Sargent, 27th, medium-weight Yorkshire; Brayden Bennett, 17th, mediumweight Duroc; and Caden Farris, 10th, light-weight Hamp. Charle Watt exhibited a Simmental steer and placed seventh.

Houston sports some very tough competition and these young people along with Lon Adams, FFA Sponsor, deserve a pat on the back for all their hard work.

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Senior citizens plans ham raffle April 9 By Marlee Shar

The Donley County Senior Citizens Center would like to welcome our newest sponsor, Bill Veach. This brings our total sponsors to 174.

This is the last week to pick up your tickets for our ham raffle. We will draw for the ham at noon on April 9. You need not be present to win. We will notify the winner by phone. We will be open on Good Friday and will be serving Turkey with dressing and all the trimmings. Come and join us for a good meal and great company.

Melville Mills was the winner of the door prize at the Birthday/ Anniversary Supper held on Tuesday night.

We will not have our inspirational singing for Sunday, April 25, but will resume the singing starting in May.

We send our get-well wishes to Bob Kidd.

Mondays: Dance Club, 7-9 p.m

Tuesdays: Game Nights, 6 p.m. M-W-F: Exercise Group, 9 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays: Inspirational Singing, 2 p.m.

Extension conducting applicators training

Texas Cooperative Extension will be conducting a training for persons interested in obtaining their private pesticide applicators license. The training will begin at 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 15, 2004, at Clarendon College in the RFO Building. The test will be given at 1:00 p.m. for the morning class. In addition to the private applicators license, interested persons will also be able to obtain their M44 license. The M44 training will begin at 5:00 p.m. with the test following the training.



Moving on

The Clarendon High School One Act Play Cast and Crew competed at the District 2-A Academic Meet last week and are advancing to the Area competition at Amarillo College this Thursday. Members of the production shown here are (back) Will Drackley, Tim Sears, Branson Carter, Laura Dziedzic, Tyler Lewis, Jeffery Calvert, (middle) Cierra Benavidez, Matt Aaron, Robert Shelton, Vanna Holton, Brandie Lockhart, Mr. Mac, (front) Joaenea Horn, Erica Depew, Andra Helms, Dakota Thorton, and Lydia Hartman.

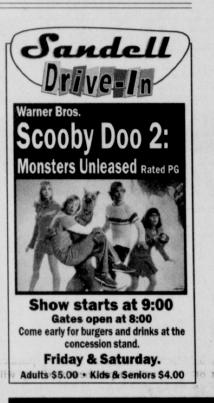
Aggie Mothers' Club to meet in Amarillo April 12

The Amarillo Aggie Mothers' survival sacks for our students to use Club will have their monthly meeting during finals. Each person should at under the green awning.

on Monday, April 12, at 7:00 p.m. bring 125 non-perishable survival St. Thomas the Apostle church sack items. Gary Moore will be the located at 4100 S. Coulter. Enter speaker for the evening. He was the President of the Chancelor's Council

They will be putting together this past year.





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If you have any questions, please call the Extension Office at 874-2141.

Holiday Hoofers raffling football tickets April 30

The Holiday Hoofers, a Relayfor-Life team to benefit the American Cancer society, is raffling off four tickets to the Amarillo Dusters Indoor Footbal League's kick-off game on May 1.

Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. The drawing will be held and winners will be announced on April 30 at 4:00 p.m. To purchase a ticket or for more information, contact Debbie Hamilton at 676-5874 or Hillary McAnear at 874-5152.



Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting April 6, 2004, with Boss Lion Pro Tem Alan Graham in charge.

We had 17 members and 3 guests. Our guests were Ashlee Kidd, guest of Lion Roger Estlack; Dr. Richard Sheppard, guest of Lion Judy Burlin; and Scarlet Estlack, guest of Lion Russell Estlack.

The club presented Lion Graham with the Lion of the Year Award for his service to Lionism and his work with the club.

College rodeo is this weekend in Pampa between CC, Frank Phillips, and West Texas A&M; and the college baseball and softball teams will be here Friday and Saturday.

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

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The Wedding Band

While you were resting, I looked at your hand On which, 70 years ago, I placed your wedding band.

Whether washing dishes, cleaning house, or all those things a wife will do,

You've never allowed the wedding band to be removed. As memories flood back, so vivid and true, I think of the very first time I saw you.

- So beautiful, singing in the church choir, you captured my heart right away.
- And I knew on the evening we were wed, the wedding band on your finger would stay.

To me, you're as beautiful as the day we met, And God has given us no regrets.

He has kept us close through all the years. He's guided our happiness and protected our tears.

I thank Him every day of my life That He blessed me with you as my wonderful wife.

And He'll continue our joy as, together, we look at your hand And remember, for 70 years, you've never removed the wedding band.

This poem was written for George and Velma Knight for 70 years of marriage. They are both residents of Medical Center Nursing Home.

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CHS tops district UIL for 2nd year

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Seventeen CHS students placed within 14 different contests to win the District 2-A Academic Meet held at Amarillo College March 31 and April 1.

Their achievements along with the One-Act play's points sealed the trophy for the second consecutive year

Those placing were: Jake Miser, 6th in computer applications; Carmen Hamilton, 5th in spelling; Jeffery Calvert, 6th accounting, 5th mathematics; Tim Sears, 3rd editorials, 6th ready writing; Stephanie Fowler, 4th headlines, 6th news writing; Robert Shelton, 2nd Lincoln Douglass debate; Sarah Depew, 3rd Lincoln Douglass debate, 4th Feature writing; Shanna Shelton, 5th literary criticism; Andrea Findley, 5th ready writing; Branson Carter, 3rd social studies; Jamie Simmons, 4th social studies; Jessica Hernandez, 6th persuasive speaking; Lydia Hartman, 3rd headlines; Joaenea Horn, 2nd ready writing; Matt Aaron, 2nd literary criticism; Drew Sell, 4th current issues and events; Ottis Scrivner, 1st current issues and events.

The Social Studies team, the Literary Criticism team, and the Journalism team earned 2nd place team points.

Those CHS students advancing to the Regional Meet are Tim Sears, Robert Shelton, Sarah Depew, Ottis Scrivner, Matt Aaron, Joaenea Horn, Lydia Hartman, and Branson Carter. The Regional Meet will be held at South Plains College in April.

7th grade Lady Colts are district champs

The Lady Colts fought off five other District opponents to gain yet another district championship in the District Track meet held in Wellington Saturday, April 3.

Their team scored a total of 159 points to take the win. Memphis finished with 120 points, and Wellington posted 109 points. "I was very proud of the girls," coach Kirby Hatley said. "They have worked hard all year, and they deserve this championship.' 1600-meter relay: 3rd 5:24 Jenci White, Abbie Massingill, Haleigh Lewis, Morgan Hysinger; 800-meter relay: 3rd 2:16 Beka Ray, Allison Garrard, Hysinger, Cortnee Thornberry; 2400-meter run: Ray-2nd 10:44, Samantha Mendez-3rd 10:50, Brittne Siatta-6th 12:17: 800-meter run: Massingill-2nd 3:04, Thornberry-3rd 3:06, Bailey Starnes-3:48; 100-meter hurdles: Thornberry-3rd 21.17, Janae White-4th 23.0; 100-meter dash: Macy Shadle-1st 13.9, Lewis-14.7, Kaysea Green-16.4; 200-meter dash: Shadle-2nd 29.9, Garrard-33.9, Green-36.8; 200-meter hurdles: Jenci White-2nd 34.9, Janae White-4th 39.7, Garrard-5th 40.0; 1200meter run: Ray-2nd 5:01, Mendez-3rd 5:03, Saitta-5:36; shot put: Green-3rd 22'6", Amelia Taylor-6th, Charlea Hoeltzel; discus: Audrey Jones-2nd 66'7" Hysinger-4th 65'2", Hoeltzel; long jump: Shadle-2nd 13'7", Lewis-6th 12'1", Janae White-11'11"; high jump: Massingill-4th 4'2", Garrard-5th 4'2"; pole vault: Garrard; triple jump: Thornberry-2nd 27'61/2", Shadle-5th 26'5", Jenci White-24'4". 8th grade Lady Colts-3rd: 400-meter relay: 2nd-58.5 Jill Cornell, Erin Holland, Abbie Patten, Zan Burks; 800-meter relay: 2nd-2:22 Casey Phillips, Trish Hewitt, Madison Shields, Destiny Smith; 1600meter relay: 2nd-5:04 Cornell, Holland, Patten, Burks; 2400-meter run: Phillips-5th 12.48, Amanda Mendez-6th 12.59; 800-meter run: Hewitt-3:26, Shields-3: 34; 100-meter dash: Smith-15.7, Camille Riles-15.8; 400-meter dash: Patten-3rd 1:13, Cornell-4th 1:14, Riles-1:23; 200meter dash: Burks-2nd 29.3, Riles-35.3, Smith-35.8; 200-meter hurdles: Holland-2nd 33.69, Hewitt-41.6; 1200-meter run: Mendez-5:28, Phillips-6:08; shot put: Smith, Shields, Sade Faas; discus: Katie Blackburn, Hewitt, Faas; long jump: Cornell-3rd 14'6", Burks-2nd 14'51/2", Patten-11'9"; high jump: Patten-4'; pole vault: Holland; triple jump: Cornell-2nd 29'2", Burks-3rd 28', Holland-6th 27'3". 7th grade Colts-3rd: 400-meter relay-1st Nathan Gribble, Derrick Shelton, Devon Noble, Alton Gaines; 800-meter relay-1st Gribble, Shelton, Noble, Gaines; 1600-meter relay-1st Gribble, Shelton, Noble, Gaines; 2400-meter run: Jesus Hernandez-6th; 1200-meter run: Hernandez-4th, Billy Ceniceros-5th; long jump: Gaines-1st, Noble-3rd; triple jump: Nobel-2nd, Gaines-3rd, Gribble-4th; pole vault: Gribble-1st; shot put: Danzel Wilson-3rd. 8th grade Colts-3rd: 400-meter relay-6th PJ Ray, Stephen Fowler, Scott Fowler, Kaleb Shadle; 1200-meter run: Keifer Burton-4th; 2400-meter run: Burton-3rd; 400-meter dash: Dalton Askew-3rd: 200-meter hurdles: Austin Howard-4th: ong jump: Askew-3rd, Howard-4th; triple Askew-2nd, Howard-3rd; high mp: mp: Askew-1st, Howard-3rd; pole vault: w-1st, Howard-2nd; shot put: Rayard, Stephen Fowler-5th.



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Sunday, April 11, at 7:20 a.m. **Howardwick City Park**

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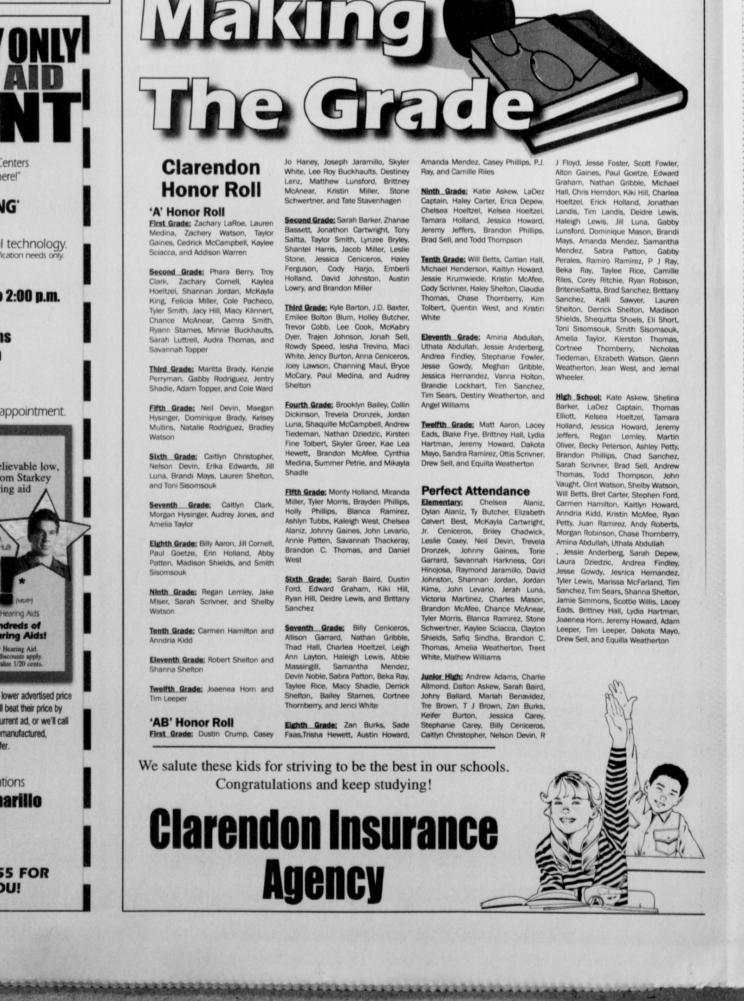
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Fish biting on plastic worms, rattletraps at Lake Greenbelt

I would like to remind our local bass fishermen Lake Greenbelt will There are a have a Mel Phillip's Fun Fishing lot of turkeys Tournament this Saturday, April 10, around, and from 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The entry fee is \$30. I think there will be a big turnout. I hope to see you there the Panhandle. and good luck to our local fisher- This would be men! a good year

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I have gone bass fishing only for the expeonce this year at Lake Greenbelt. I rienced hunters to take the inexperiwent last week and fished for about enced and young hunters. The spring six hours. I caught 10 or 12 keepers, season runs from April 3 through the biggest being about four pounds. May 9, gobblers only. I was using rattletraps and plastic worms.

of my fishing buddies in Tulia and are not bad. The air temperature is Stinnett, and the fishing has been not too bad either. If you are like good at Lake Mackenzie and Lake me, I would rather not fish in 100° Meredith. Both of these lakes are very low and hard to fish; but if you can overcome the problems and find an area to fish, the fishing has been hunt. Fishermen, catch a few fish good. There have been a few people for supper and release a few fish fishing Lake Mackenzie catching a few crappie and catfish.

in Donley County should be very everyone a happy Easter.

Kansas team wins CCC's skins game

By Sandy Anderberg

The Clarendon Country Club held its annual spring Skins game Thursday shooting a 65, and Dorothy Sunday, April 4 at the CCC. Thirtytwo teams competed in the game with each team consisting of six players.

The team of Dean Sumner of Liberal, Kan., took the only skin for April 9 at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, April the day on the 465-yard 12th. The team put in a double-eagle on the par five hole. Members of the team were Sumner, Ty Caudell, Randy Rairden, Tommy Cole, J.D. Cox, and Ronnie Sumner.

The team of Mark Bendenskas won the closest to the pin on number 8 at 7'3", and Al Ramsey's team took those honors on number 15 with a distance of 1'3".

Dan Ashford was the winner of the men's game played on Wednesday shooting a 66. Redell Johnston was second with a 69, and Carroll Duncan and Charlie Davis tied for

Abdullahs top **Elk City tourney**

good this year. plenty of turkeys all over outdoor life by gary dziedzie

Fishing Tip of the Week: Go fishing now. All species of fish are I have been talking to some biting. The flies and mosquitoes weather.

Hunters, may you always be safe, and respect the land you to ensure another great fishing day. You can contact me at gdol@nts-The spring turkey season here online.net. I also would like to wish

greens will be sanded.



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Seventh Annual Medical Center Nursing Home Community Easter Egg Hu Saturday, April 10

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By Sandy Anderberg

The CHS tennis players participated in the Elk City Tournament held April 2. Once again the Abdullah sisters took top honors as they walked away with the double's championship in a big win.

The Abdullahs faced Wood/ Pathorst (Elk City) in the first round and defeated them 6-1, 6-1. They went on to defeat Hill/Weichel (Clinton) 6-1, 6-0 and took on West/ Littlecreek (Chillicothe) in the championship round, winning 6-2, 6-1.

Sophomore Chase Thornberry finished in second place in the A division boys' singles. He beat Finley (Quanah) 4-6, 6-0, 6-0 in the first round and Johnson (Chillicothe) 6-3, 7-5 in the second. Thornberry lost to Field (Elk City) 6-1, 6-7, 3-6. Matt McCabe also finished second in the B division boys' singles, beating Hertzel (Weatherford) 6-2, 6-3 in the first round and Bradshaw (Chillicothe) 6-2, 6-2 before losing to Stratton (Clinton) 7-5, 4-6, 1-6.

Also competing in the doubles' tournament was Drew Sell and Will Betts, who lost to Radcliffe/Williams (Weatherford) 3-6, 4-6, Hanson/ Hendrix (Altus) 2-6, 2-6, and Ybarra/ Watson (Quanah) 4-6, 4-6. Todd Thompson and Morgan Robinson lost to Adams/Shockey (Elk City) 3-6, 3-6, then defeated Maytubby/Ross (Anadarko) 6-3, 7-6 in the second round. They played hard in the next round but fell short to Cano/Depew (Perryton) 5-7, 4-6.

The District Meet will be April 14-15 and will be held at the Bell Street Tennis Center in Amarillo.

CHS golfer takes first at Sunray Invitational

CHS golfer Gary Utsey is continuing to dominate the game as he brought home another first place finish from the Sunray Invitational Golf Tournament.

Utsey's 74 for the18-hole round was good enough to take top honors in the field. Jeremy Utsey finished in 5th place, shooting an 84.

Hot dogs will be served from

12:00 - 12:30 p.m. at the Medical Center Nursing Home Hunting begins promptly at 12:45 p.m.

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Broncos notch two wins against district rivals

By Sandy Anderberg

The Broncos had their bats going as they defeated the Skyrockets the game away." and Cyclones in two separate District contests last week.

phis Cyclones 9-5 at home with on the mound. Quentin West earning the win and burn as he slammed it out of the park Wellington's score. for a home run. Blackburn added one RBI to the books as well.

Dusty Martindale walked once and had one stolen base, Jeremy Howard had one RBI, Adam Leeper and Tim Sanchez helped with one run and one RBI.

"We played a really good game," coach Brad Elam said. "Quentin pitched extremely well. He walked -has reached base eight straight Hartley April 12.

Lady Broncos stun Aspermont

By Sandy Anderberg

The Lady Broncos completely dominated Aspermont in a District match up March 29, winning by the final score of 22-6.

Haley Shelton and Lacey Eads teamed up as pitchers for the game with Eads and Kaitlyn Howard sharing the catcher duties.

The duo of Eads and Shelton also slammed in a home run and a triple each to aid the Lady Broncos in their victory. Sarah Depew and Laura Dziedzic each connected with a double as well.

"We took the first bat and scored six runs to their two," Coach Kathy Barton said. "Eads had three up

times. J.C. hit a timely homerun that sparked a big four-run inning that put

Earlier in the week, the Broncos went head to head with the Skyrock-The Broncos defeated the Mem- ets defeating them, 18-8, with West

The Broncos trailed their oppogoing to 4-2 for the season. West nent early but went up one run in the also knocked down a double and was bottom of the second inning. The credited with two RBIs, but the big fifth inning was huge for the Broncos hit of the day belonged to J.C. Black- as they scored eight runs to double

The Broncos hit the ball well as West had three runs, two RBIs, and seven stolen bases. Howard had three RBI"s and four stolen bases, Martindale helped with two RBI's and one -+ RBI; Tyler Lewis had one hit and run, and Adam Leeper brought in one two runs; Stephen Ford added one RBI and two runs. Blackburn added run; Michael Bruce scored three two runs and one RBI. Ford helped runs: Andrew Thomas had two RBIs; with two runs and one RBI, and Ty White added two hits and two runs. Bruce had two runs and three stolen bases, and Sanchez added two RBI's and one run.

The Broncos will face the Irish only one batter and struck out 10 hit- in another District game Thursday, ters. We still made too many errors April 8, at Shamrock at 4:30 p.m. defensively, but we recorded four They will play Claude April 10 at outs on the bases. Michael Bruce Claude at 1:30 p.m. and travel to

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three down in the fourth inning. We did have two errors in the fifth that accounted for their last two runs. We hit well and only had three errors on the game. Haley is pitching really well, and Lacey is doing a great job of coming in and finishing."

Williams breezes past 100-m racers

By Sandy Anderberg

Junior sprinter Angel Williams of Clarendon took part in the Amarillo Relays Meet of Champions held in Amarillo, Saturday, April 3.

Williams blew away the field in the 100-meter hurdles taking first place with a time of 14.86. The second place finisher from Randall High School finished in a time of 15.51. Williams posted the fastest times in the hurdles and the 200 and :400-meter runs in the prelims on Friday, but an injury to her hamstring in the 400-meter finals caused her to fall. She scratched out of the 200meters to avoid any further damage to her leg.

Senior Equilla Weatherton competed in the track meet as well in the 100-meters and the 200-meters. Weatherton finished 2nd in the both races with a time of 12.40 in the 100meters and 25.92 in the 200-meters.

HJH travels to Silverton By Tangela Copeli

The Hedley Junior High team traveled to Silverton on April 1 to compete in the District Track Meet.

Andy Alston placed sixth in discus. Archie Sharp was fifth in the 2400M run and fourth in the 1200M run. Kelby Shields placed fourth in the long jump, fifth in the 100 hurdles, and third in the 200 hurdles. Kristin Dwight earned fourth place in the shot put, fourth in the discus, second in the 100 hurdles, and fifth in the 200 hurdles. Patrick Lambert won fifth place in the 800M run. Peter Howard placed sixth in the 800 M run and fifth in the long jump. Shandy Koetting was second in the 100M dash and third in the 200M.

Coach Giffin felt that his runners did very well, especially since some of them were seventh graders competing against eighth graders.

Bronco Style

	Broncos	
1	JC Blackburn	Sr
3	Jeremy Howard	Sr
4	Ty Lewis	Jr
6	Adam Leeper	Sr
7	Michael Bruce	So
8	Scottie Willis	Jr
10	Dusty Martindale	Sr
11	Eric Peterson	Sr
14	Jon McGlaun	Fr
15	Quentin West	So
17	LaDez Captain	Fr
18	Andrew Thomas	Fr
21	Stephen Ford	So
22	Tyler Drackley	Fr
23	Tim Sanchez	Jr
24	Chris Tiedeman	Fr
25	Clint Watson	Fr
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	Lady Broncos	5
2	Jessie Howard	Fr
23	Kaitlyn Howard	So
4	Laura Dziedzic	Jr
5	Audrey Bennett	Fr
6	Erica Depew	Fr
7	Brittney Hall	Sr
8	Sarah Depew	Jr
10	Lacey Eads	Sr
11	Haley Shelton	So
12	Kayla Martindale	Jr
14	Kristin White	So
15	Kelsea Hoeltzel	Fr
16	Sarah Scrivner	Fr
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Clarendon v. Shamrock Thursday, April 8, at 4:30 p.m. in Shamrock

Clarendon v. Claude Saturday, April 10, at 1:30 p.m. in Claude

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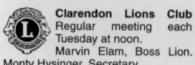
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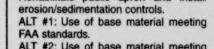
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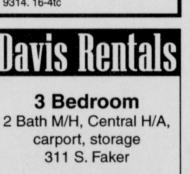
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• 620 W. 5th St. English Tudor, brick, 1-7 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 ch/a, 2 w/b, 2 story, finished basement, 2 car over size garage, sprinkler system. \$150,000 FIRM

· 602 Bond St. 4-5 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 story, vinyl siding, recent remodel and paint, 2 car garage, storage building, carport, cellar. \$58,500

 4 Lots in Collados Estates with a 6 year old custom built home with all the amenities plus a beautiful view of Lake Greenbelt. \$135.000.

• 411 E. 4th St. Nice and clean brick home, 2 bedroom, 11/2 baths, C H/A, new paint and carpet, covered porch, large carport, storage building, fenced back yard. \$56,000.

• Hwy. 70 and Hwy. 287. Three corner lots with brick commercial building. Approx. sq. ft. 2,080. CH/A, four bathrooms, currently used as a Doctor's office. Lots of possibilities. Approx. 7,975 sq. ft. of asphalt parking. \$80,000. \$50,000.

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· Four lots with a beautiful 4 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 CH/A, wood stove, two story brick home on Carrol Creek. Swimming pool, tennis courts, water well, cellar, 2 car, 6 car ports, 1 motor home port. Appointment only please. \$310,000. \$250,000

 244 Nocona Hills. Two nice clean mobile homes - one double wide, one single on one acre lot. \$48,000. \$35,000

• 160 Angel St. Two lots, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, furnished. \$20,000. \$15,000

DONLEY COUNTY

 Donley County, 335 acs. grass. Nice stucco 3 bedroom, 1 bath home, 30x50 metal barn, good fences. Should be good hunting. Hedley - 2 bedroom, 2 bath manufactured home. \$7,500 to be moved or \$12,000 with large lots.

CHARMING TWO STORY, master bedroom, remodeled kitchen, dining or len, utility, large entry, living, full bath all on ground floor. Two bedrooms and full bath upstairs. Central heat down, one refrigerated window unit down and two refrigerated window units up, water well, unattached two car garage with opener, large 24' above ground pool complete with deck, fenced back yard, all on three lots at 314 E. 3rd for \$68,000.

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LARGE HOUSE & A GOOD BUY - 4 bedroom, 2 bath, modern kitchen with built-in Gen-air cook top and double oven, dishwasher, utility, large den/living/ dining area with wood burner fireplace, concrete cellar, well or city water option, 121 sq. ft. storage/well house building at 203 S. Wells for \$54,900. REDUCED TO \$39,900.

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HEDLEY - 2 BEDROOM - stucco, 1 bath, kitchen/dining, living, 1 car garage, parn, chicken house, storage - on 6 full lots and 3 half lots located 1 block south of school for \$18,000.

GREENBELT - EXCEPTIONAL HOME - 3 levels, 3 bedroom, 3 bath, kitchen with all built-ins, dining/living, den, utility, wood burner fireplaces on two levels, built in television, oversized attached garage and storage, additional attached 3-car port, central heat and ref. air, landscaped with sprinklers, 2 lots back up to Carroll Creek, boat dock, (owner will sell with or without furniture and fixtures) at 105 Tyng. House only for \$135,000. REDUCED TO \$129,900

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Sheriff's Report:

School bus stuck on county road

Mar. 29

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1.07 a.m. - See complainant. Eastbound Hwy. 287 and S. Koogle Street. Harassment. 9:58 a.m. - Assist DPS. Vehicle search. 10:26 a.m. - Vehicle assist. W. Hwy. 287. 4:59 p.m. - Co. Rd. 13. Serving papers. 6:58 p.m. - EMS assist. 600 block of Plainview

VEWS

- Street 8:31 p.m. - EMS assist. 400 block of W. 3rd 2:11 a.m. - Co. Rd. 16. Possible suspicious
- Street. 9:55 p.m. – Clarendon College. 10:44 p.m. – EMS assist. 500 block of S. Orpe.
- 11.02 p.m. Assist vehicle search.

Mar. 30

- 5:36 p.m. 5th and Gorst Street. To jail with one male in custody. Gray County warrants. 9.58 p.m. – Assist penning loose livestock. 700 7:16 p.m. – Check vehicle near school. Excesblock of W. Wood Avenue
- 11:49 p.m. Family dispute. 500 block of S. Carhart Street.

Mar. 31

- 7:40 a.m. Out at high school. 9:25 a.m. - 700 block of E. Burkhead Street. 9:31 a.m. - To jail with one male in custody. 11:20 a.m. - Out at ambulance authority.
- 12:36 p.m. Disturbance on W. 5th Street. rooms 6:23 p.m. - Theft at college arena
- B:16 p.m. Out in 700 block of W. 6th Street. B:51 p.m. Disturbance. W. 2nd Street. Vehicle
- with loud music
- complainant 10:14 p.m. - To jail with one male in custody.

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12:38 a.m. - Hwy. 287 and S. Taylor Street. 4:23 a.m. – See complainant at S.O. Excessive dog barking on Front Street near Carhart. 8:05 a.m. - See complainant. 700 block of E.

Burkhead. Criminal mis 10:38 a.m. - 200 block of S. McClelland Street. Deliver family message 10:50 a.m. - Out at Hwy. 287 and S. Taylor. 9:56 p.m. - Clarendon College. 11:17 p.m. - See complainant at S.O.

activity. 6:55 a.m. - 700 block of E. Burkhead Street.

Criminal mischief. 2:56 p.m. - Vehicle accident. E. Hwy. 287. 5:01 p.m. - Search for school bus. Has missed

- drop off time. 5:32 p.m. - Located school bus. All secure.
- sive noise
- 8:42 p.m. Reported possible gun shots times three. 600 block of Gorst Street. 8:46 p.m. - Residence. Carhart and Woods
- Streets.

- 6:15 a.m. FM 3257. Railroad crossing arm malfunction. 3:04 p.m. - College arena.
- Vehicle with loud music disrupting class 7:48 p.m. W. Hwy. 287. Sedan vs. deer.

- 1:15 a.m. Tree burning at Howardwick entrance. Page Howardwick Fire Department. 10:00 p.m. - Hwy. 287 and S. Taylor Street. See 1:16 a.m. - N. Hwy. 287 ½ mile north of How
 - ardwick entrance. Vehicle parked on shoulder

Summary Arrests: 4 EMS: 6 Fire Department: 2



Hedley OAP team receives honors

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Clarendon College March 22.

Rebekah Howard and Jaci Honorable Mention All-Star Cast. The play they preformed Will Verstuyft.

was "The Saga of Katy and the Three cast members of the Gamblin' Lady," and of the ten Hedley One Act Play received cast members four of them had honors at the Zone Competition at never been in any play production

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before. Other cast members include Copelin were named to the All- Brittney Bennett, Treva Rowland, Star Cast. Kyra Stevens was given Roper Copelin, Eric Aston, Ste-

phen Howard, Allison Hill, and C & D Land & Cattle Co.

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