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- 8 And the fish are biting out at Lake Greenbelt.

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

Girl Scouts to hold lighting this Saturday

The 19th annual Courthouse Lighting and Christmas Program sponsored by local Girl Scouts will be held November 25 from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at the Donley County Courthouse.

Santa will be arriving at 4:00 p.m., and refreshments will be provided by the Girl Scouts. Local artists will entertain from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Several donations have helped boost this year's lighting. The Chamber of Commerce has donated \$500 to increase the number of lights, Lowe's has donated candy canes for all the children when they see Santa Claus, and the FFA club has built a new stable for nativity scene.

Museum Christmas party tickets on sale

The annual Saints' Roost Museum Christmas Party will be held Saturday, December 2, at the Clarendon Community Center.

The evening will begin with a barbecue dinner at 7:30 p.m. followed by music and dancing and, of course, the chance to win \$5,000.

Tickets are \$50 per couple and are available at Henson's, The CLARENDON ENTERPRISE, or from any museum board member.

Scouts hold successful drive for canned food

Clarendon Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts collected 304 cans of food from local residents last week.

The Cubs delivered empty food bags to homes in town, and the older boys picked them up later.

Scoutmaster Tommie Saye said all of the food was delivered to Panhandle Community Services and will stay in Donley County.

If you didn't get a bag or missed having yours picked up, you can still donate to the local food pantry by calling Saye at 874-2784.

Firebelles lead drive for Donley County kids

The Clarendon Firebelles are taking donations for their third annual Christmas Gift Drive for kids in Donley County.

Monetary donations or a new toy can be dropped off at Shepard's Crook Nursing on East US 287 or mailed to Clarendon Firebelles, P.O. Box 1515, Clarendon, TX 79226.

CPV eyes Donley for wind farm

Donley County could become home to a new multi-million dollar wind farm if a Maryland company's plans become reality.

Representatives of Competitive Power Ventures, Inc., (CPV) met with several local boards last week to outline their project and lay the groundwork for requesting abatement of property taxes.

"I think people are excited to see the possibilities for the Panhandle winds," said CPV Corporate and Project Development Director Paul Wendelgass. "I think it is a real good project for the area."

The project will cost between \$125 and \$135 million with between \$83 and \$93 million of that being

invested in Donley County. The farm is expected to create 10 fulltime jobs for electricians, turbine engineers, and power plant management.

Wendelgass said his company hopes to have the plant up and running by late 2007 or early 2008.

About two-thirds of CPV's 85.5 megawatt wind farm would be located in Donley County, Wendelgass said. The remaining portion would be in Gray County, but the entire farm will be located near Interstate 40 on the Trew Ranch owned by Don and Delbert Trew and their spouses.

A total of 57 GE wind turbines would generate 1.5 megawatts each, with 39 of those turbines in Donley County. Each turbine tower would be

262 feet tall from the ground to the nacelle (where the blades attach), and the three blades would each be 120 feet long.

Winds as slow as nine miles per hour would start the turbines. They would ramp up to reach peak production at wind speeds of 30 mph, and safety measures cause them to shut down when the wind gets up to 56 mph.

Electricity from the farm would connect to the power grid at Xcel Energy's Kirby Substation west of Lake McClellan over a new transmission line constructed by CPV, Wendelgass said.

Where the power goes after that will be determined by what area

needs power at any particular time. Likely customers will be AEP, Xcel Energy, and the Golden Spread Rural Electric Cooperatives.

Sending power downstate is a hurdle for wind generation in the Panhandle, Wendelgass said.

"Transmission capability is a challenge," he said. "The lines in this area generally go north and east instead of south where the big demand is."

Wendelgass and Dale Cummings met last week with Donley County Commissioners, the Clarendon Board of Aldermen, the Clarendon Economic Development Board, the Clarendon College Board of Regents, the Clarendon ISD Board of Trust-

ees, and the Donley County Hospital Board.

CPV, which is based in Braintree, Maryland, will be requesting tax abatements from the county, hospital district, and college district; and the Clarendon EDC will be asked to help facilitate those abatements. CISD is being asked to consider Chapter 313 property value limitations in lieu of a tax abatement. Each entity should ultimately benefit from increased tax revenue.

"We're looking at several months to get all this done," said County Judge Jack Hall. "We're just in the proposal stage. We're very interested, and we're being very encouraging."

See 'Wind' on page five.



Speaking up

Cody Davis (center) recites a Thanksgiving poem Tuesday morning when Clarendon first graders gathered dressed as Pilgrims and Indians at the First United Methodist Church for their annual Thanksgiving dinner.

Enterprise Photo/Ashlee Estlack

Toxin in corn may be deadly to horses

AMARILLO — Conditions in corn fields across the High Plains were right this year to produce a deadly toxin already responsible for the death of two horses in the Panhandle, said a Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory official in Amarillo.

Dr. John Haliburton, head of diagnostic toxicology for the vet lab, said fumonisin has been found in a random sample of corn by the Texas State Chemist Office at Texas A&M University in College Station, and in two samples he tested in Amarillo.

Fumonisin comes from a mold in corn. The fungus that produces the toxin is found in every corn field, however the toxin only materializes under ideal conditions.

"This past growing season, the temperatures and ample moisture early were ideal to produce the toxin," he said.

Horses are the most sensitive to this toxin, with pigs the next most sensitive. Cattle are not as sensitive, and therefore, can eat corn that is not suitable for horses or pigs.

Corn that is going into a horse

ration should not have more than 5 parts per million of the toxin. The total ration that includes the corn cannot have more than 1 part per million, Haliburton said. The three corn samples he tested had more than 20 parts per million.

Horses that eat the toxic corn develop lesions in their brains, causing blindness that can occur overnight, staggering, extreme depression or extreme agitation and finally death, he said. In pigs, the toxin affects the lung and causes massive edema.

"It's 99.9 percent fatal. We've already had two horses die from this disease," Haliburton said. "My concern is with the problems we've been having with horses and West Nile Virus, this might get misdiagnosed. I'm advocating anyone who is feeding corn from the Texas High Plains to horses should get it tested."

To get a test conducted, contact Haliburton at 353-7478. Horse owners buying a commercial feed might want to contact the feed manufacturer to verify the corn is tested for fumonisin.

City Aldermen approve support for tournament

The Greenbelt Holiday Classic got a boost when the Board of Aldermen of the City of Clarendon met in a regular meeting November 14, 2006, at 7 p.m. in the Board Room of City Hall.

Cindy Shelton and Kim Fowler spoke to the board concerning the Greenbelt Holiday Classic to be held on December 14, 15, and 16, and asked for help with advertising the tournament.

The board approved a motion by Alderman Tommy Hill, seconded by

Alderman Chris Ford to give \$1,500 of Motel Bed Tax to the tournament.

In other city business, the Donley County Appraisal District Contract was presented for approval.

Alderman Michael Tibbets made a motion not to approve the contract since the city has no voice concerning the district. Alderman Bobbie Kidd seconded. Motion failed. Alderman Janice Knorpp made a motion to approve the contract, seconded by Ford. Tibbets and

Kidd voted no. Motion carried.

Mayor Mark White said he talked with Steve Hall, and he suggested putting up a billboard sign advertising Clarendon sixty to ninety miles west of town. He said Bobby Lee owns a sign just outside Amarillo toward Highway 287 and he would rent it to the city for \$250 per month. He has a sign company and would do the carvass for \$600. It was the consensus of the board to have Mr. Hall get the figures together and present to the board.

Jeannie Molder spoke to the board concerning the three grants she has been working on. The first grant is through the Toker Grant and would benefit the library by getting some things they need; and the city would be able to preserve all the minutes and ordinances and have them available online.

The second grant is for park equipment for the little children and some new equipment and picnic tables. The third grant is for a community storm shelter for Clarendon.



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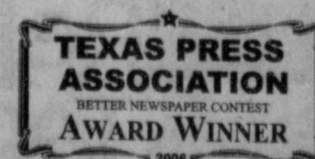
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guest commentary

Are we really entitled to all of this stuff?

By Jagadeesh Gokhale

The new Congress faces an urgent need to reposition the big entitlement programs, Social Security and Medicare, on a sounder financial footing. With each passing year, these programs' massive fiscal imbalances grow larger, making it harder to solve the problem, but all the more necessary to do so.

As reported by its trustees, Social Security's total imbalance has increased from \$10.4 trillion in 2004 to \$13.4 trillion in 2006 - a jump of \$3.0 trillion in just two years. And Medicare's imbalance has grown from \$61.6 trillion in 2004 to \$70.5 trillion today - an increase of \$8.9 trillion in the same period.

That's \$11.9 trillion in new debt in the past two years alone. Put another way, it's 85 percent of the \$14 trillion of GDP that the United States will likely produce this year.

Some of this increase reflects changes in underlying economic assumptions, but a significant portion of it arises from accruing interest costs on the existing fiscal imbalance. At the current interest rate of 2.9 percent, for example, the combined imbalance of Social Security and Medicare - \$83.9 trillion - will accrue added costs of \$2.4 trillion this year. Next year's interest cost accrual will be even larger, as additional interest accrues on this year's interest costs as well. This situation is clearly not sustainable, because US economic growth cannot keep pace with such massive accruals in future government obligations.

There is considerable debate about whether and how to "recognize" on the government's books future Social Security and Medicare payment obligations. Members of the Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board recently released preliminary views indicating a split between its members on the issue. FASAB was established by the Treasury, Office of Management and Budget, and The Comptroller General. Three of its members currently oppose recognizing any more than benefits currently "due and payable" as government "liabilities."

However, six other FASAB members favor earlier recognition of entitlement liabilities - as soon as workers meet every benefit-eligibility requirement except that of attaining retirement age. That means the present value of future benefits as earned to date by all benefit-eligible workers - even those far from retirement - would be recognized and reported as explicit government liabilities, not unlike outstanding government bonds.

Why is this debate important? There are two main concerns about broadening the definition of entitlement liabilities beyond the current "due and payable" standard. First, it might make future entitlement obligations more difficult to change. But those obligations are extremely difficult to alter even now - as we witnessed last year when the American Association of Retired Persons led voters opposed to entitlement changes to thwart the Social Security reform debate that President Bush was attempting to initiate. Broadening entitlement liability recognition would only render this reality more transparent.

Second, earlier recognition of entitlement liabilities would make the government's finances appear a lot shakier, and may make it more difficult for it to raise funds in capital markets. Whether and to what extent this would occur is difficult to foretell.

However, consider the flip side: Hiding the reality that the government must raise trillions more in future taxes to meet its benefit obligations - or forcibly cut those obligations when the costs of tax increases become unacceptably large - creates a seemingly benign economic outlook today. It provides a false sense of security to consumers and policymakers. As a result, consumers continue to save less, making them more vulnerable to future adjustments in taxes, entitlement benefits, or other public expenditures. And the lack of visibility and market discipline encourages relatively shortsighted politicians to postpone difficult reform decisions.

Lawmakers and Administration officials recently highlighted the Congressional Budget Office report of a \$248 billion "deficit" for the just-completed 2006 fiscal year, and everyone applauded how much smaller the deficit had turned out to be than projections suggested two years ago. But this year's actual cost accrual in Social Security and Medicare alone amounts to \$2.4 trillion - ten times as much - a reality that remains hidden under current budget accounting standards.

Historically - and irrespective of which political party is in power - government officials have opposed earlier recognition of entitlement obligations as explicit government liabilities. They usually justify their position by observing that such obligations would only relate to current entitlement laws, which are subject to future changes. Of course, future changes are inevitable given the programs' insolvency. But, ironically, that perspective appears to be the biggest hurdle preventing pro-active changes in entitlement policies.

Lawmakers should resume entitlement reform discussions soon. The policy debate would take on greater urgency, however, if the size of entitlement obligations were explicitly recognized on the government's books. And clear recognition that the government faces payment commitments much larger than its outstanding Treasury securities would impose greater discipline on lawmakers who might otherwise be inclined to spend public funds like there's no tomorrow.

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Lessons learned from voters this year

By US Sen. John Cornyn

On November 19, 1854, General Sam Houston was baptized in Little Rocky Creek in Washington County. He also joined the Independence Baptist Church that day. Gen. Houston took these steps at the urging of his wife and mother-in-law, who both desperately wanted Gen. Houston to moderate his habits and to live a more sober and devout life.

I've always believed in periodic re-evaluations and in course corrections as the results warrant. For those of us entrusted with public office, there is nothing like an election to provide information on what changes are needed.

The election results were a powerful reminder of who works for whom in our democracy. We work for the people - not the other way around. Public officials must adhere to our principles and beliefs, but we also should remember whom we work for, and who has the final say.

On November 7, control of both houses of Congress was turned over from the Republicans to the Democrats. It's safe to say that voters made a similar judgment about the way things were going in Washington as that of Houston's wife and mother-in-law. They wanted change.

As a Republican, I've been asked what I learned from this election. My short answer is this: our principles are sound, but we've strayed from them. Complaints about complacency and non-responsiveness reached critical levels. Business as usual in Washington frustrated a growing number of voters, and the majority party was held accountable.

One source of frustration was the re-emergence of "earmarks," projects for their own districts sponsored by individual lawmakers. This "pork-barrel" spending was attacked by Republicans in their successful 1994 Contract With America, and a

cleanup soon followed.

But in recent years with Republicans in charge of Congress, earmarks have returned with a vengeance. The Congressional Research Service counted some 16,500 earmarks in 2005 spending bills, at a cost of almost \$50 billion. This is unconscionable, and the public knows it. I hope Congress knows it now, too.

I've heard many complaints about backroom deals and secrecy in Washington, both in Congress and the rest of government. I've long believed the public should have far more information about the way decisions are made, so they can make an informed judgment. In the coming Congressional session, I plan to work across party lines to open up access to government information, particularly through reform of the Freedom of Information Act.

I believe voters were also angry at our seeming inability to come to grips with the even bigger problems of overspending, particularly on entitlements. Health care costs in Medicaid and Medicare are rising at a double-digit rate, and the huge Baby Boomer population is preparing to retire and receive Social Security payments. Yet proposals for reforming these entitlements - to the dismay of many - have become bogged down in partisan bickering.

Another major factor in the election was documented cases of unethical behavior by Congressmen, their aides, and lobbyists who in some instances crossed over into outright criminal conduct. Of course, officials from both major political parties were caught up in these charges. But the voters rightly demanded change, and the party in power was held accountable.

Frustration over Iraq was also part of the election. Some Democrats have called for a withdrawal from Iraq, either immediately or through a set timetable. In my view, that is not the correct course of

action, nor is it in the long-term interest of our country or the world.

Most Americans realize that Iraq is part of a larger war against Islamic terrorism, what some have called the major struggle of the 21st Century. They realize the conflict will be long and costly, but they know it is a battle that must be joined to ensure the safety and security of our country.

I believe the American people are looking for confidence that we have a plan to win this war, not merely to carry it on. President Bush is now re-evaluating our approach. My hope is that Democrats, now in a Congressional majority, take their criticism of our Iraq operation to a positive level and work constructively with the President on a plan to win the war against terrorism.

Some commentators have suggested Republicans lost the majority because we were too conservative, and others have said we have not been conservative enough. In my view, the core Republican principles remain sound: limited government, individual responsibility, and opportunity for all. We have to do a better job in the future of advocating and delivering on these principles.

I am privileged today to occupy the U.S. Senate seat first held by Sam Houston, a man whose career in public service for our state and its people will likely never be matched. Gen. Houston was serving in the U.S. Senate when he was baptized at the Independence Baptist Church.

The church pew in Independence where Houston sat during services has been preserved so that visitors may view it. It serves as a testimony to man's power to turn weakness into strength and his ability to learn from missteps of the past. That power is as strong today as it was 150 years ago.



Showing leadership through democracy

Democracy continues to blossom around the world. Last year, 60 percent of Iraq's eligible voters braved persistent threats of violence to participate in their country's constitutional referendum. This month, 70 percent of voters in formerly totalitarian Nicaragua cast ballots in free, democratic elections. As additional nations embrace democracy, it is important to remember that exercising the right to vote is one of the most sacred privileges we have as Americans.

The core tenet of the American Revolution was our forefathers' objection to "taxation without representation."

Samuel Adams, who helped organize the Boston Tea Party in 1773 and later signed the Declaration of Independence, said, "Let each citizen remember at the moment he is offering his vote that he is not making a present or a compliment to please an individual - or at least that he ought not so to do; but that he is executing one of the most solemn trusts in human society for which he is accountable to God and his country."

I extend my heartfelt thanks to those

of you who did your part to keep democracy strong in America by voting earlier this month. During local, state, and federal elections, over four and a half million Texans participated in the electoral process. Over 82 million people voted nationwide, with turnout increasing from the 2002 midterm election to more than 40 percent.

This year's elections revealed an especially promising trend in the growing number of young voters. Estimates show that 10 million people under the age of 30 voted in the 2006 elections, a 25 percent increase from the 2002 midterm elections. I am encouraged by younger voters taking a more active role in the democratic process.

There are always changes following elections, and this year's sweeping changes spread across our country, with Democrats gaining the majority in both houses of



capitol comment

by sen. kay bailey hutchison

Congress. But one thing that will never change as long as I am in the Senate is my allegiance to our state. Regardless of what party is in power, my top priority will always be representing the interests of Texas.

My focus for the immediate session of Congress is the continuation of the tax cuts and the state sales tax deduction on federal income taxes. T

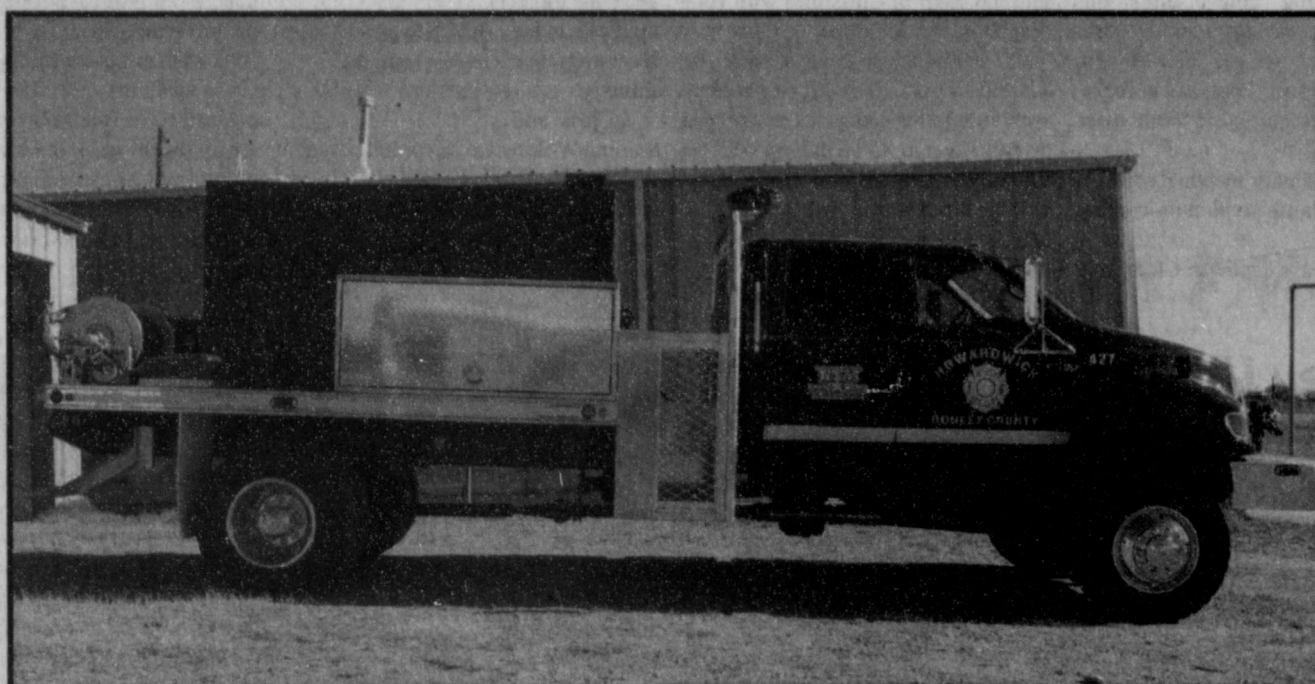
exas collects revenue through sales taxes rather than a state income tax; and for the past two years, Texans have been allowed to deduct state sales taxes when filing federal income tax returns, just as residents of other states deduct their state income taxes. I intend to make sure this deduction remains available to our state's citizens.

During the last 13 years, I have worked with both Republican and Democratic Congresses, as well as Presidents of both political parties. I pride myself on being a senator for all Texans, and I look forward to working with my colleagues in the Senate to pass legislation that improves the Texan, and American, way of life.

What do you think?

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Beyond helping rebuild our Fire Department, you have helped revitalize the spirit of not only our members but also our community.

Thank you and may God bless you!

The City Of Howardwick &

The City Of Howardwick Volunteer Fire Department

¿Qué Pasa?

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

November 23
Thanksgiving

November 25
Girl Scouts Courthouse Lighting • Court-
house Square • 4 p.m.

November 30
CC Choir & Community Chorus Christ-
mas Concert • Harned Sisters Auditor-
ium • 7:30 p.m.

Late Night Shopping • Downtown
Clarendon

December 2
Museum Christmas Party • Clarendon
Community Center • 7:30 p.m.

December 3
Howardwick Park Lighting • Howardwick
City Park • 7:15 p.m.

December 7
Late Night Shopping • Downtown
Clarendon

December 14
Late Night Shopping • Downtown
Clarendon

Howardwick Lighting Contest • Judging
begins at 7 p.m.

Community Menus

Nov. 27 - Dec. 1

Donley County Senior Citizens
Mon: Meatloaf, Au Gratin Potatoes, Fried
Squash, Pea Salad, Peach Cobbler, Bread,
Coffee, Tea, Lowfat Milk
Tue: Spaghetti/Meat Sauce, Steamed
Broccoli, Garden Salad, Newman Marcus
Cake, Garlic Toast, Coffee, Tea, Lowfat Milk
Wed: Chicken Fried Chicken, Mashed
Potatoes/Gravy, Green Bean Casserole,
Carrot Raisin Salad, Jello Biscuits, Coffee,
Tea, Lowfat Milk
Thur: Sloppy Joes, Onion Rings, Harvard
Beets, Pears, Strawberry Pie, Coffee, Tea,
Lowfat Milk
Fri:

Hedley Senior Citizens
Mon: Chicken Strips, Potato Soup, Pea
Salad, Corn Bread, Baked Apples
Tue: Beef Stew with Tomatoes, Carrots,
Potatoes, Onions, Veggie Sticks, Corn
Bread
Wed: Steak & Gravy, Corn, Green Beans,
Potato Salad, Rolls, Pineapple Whip
Thur: Chili & Beans, Potato Wedges, Pear &
Cottage Cheese, Corn Bread, Pie
Fri:

Clarendon ISD
Breakfast
Mon: Cereal, toast, fruit mix, milk
Tue: Sausage, biscuit, peaches, milk
Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk
Thur: Eggs, toast, fruit, milk
Fri: Homemade cinnamon rolls, juice, milk
Lunch
Mon: Sloppy Joes, Fries, Corn, Fruit Mix,
Milk
Tue: Lasagna, Carrots, Salad, Pears, Roll,
Milk
Wed: Salisbury Steak, Mashed Potatoes,
Gravy, Green Beans, Apricots, Roll, Milk
Thur: Soft Chicken Taco, Beans, Salad,
Pineapple, Milk
Fri: Ham Salad, Crackers, Pickle, Carrot
Sticks, Apple, Milk

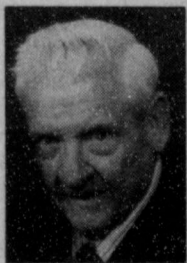
Hedley ISD
Mon: Pizza, Corn, Tossed Salad with Ranch
Dressing, Milk, Fruit
Tue: BBQ Beef on a Bun, Pinto Beans,
Tossed Salad, Sliced Apple, Chips, Milk
Wed: Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes,
Green Beans, Salad, Fruit, Rolls, Milk
Thur: Fish, Mac & Cheese, Corn on the Cob,
Salad, Fruit, Rolls, Milk
Fri: Submarine Sandwich, Lettuce & Tomato,
Dill Pickles, Fruit Salad, Fries, Milk

Obituaries

Hester

Rogers
Franklin Hester, Sr., 80, died Sat-
urday, November 18, 2006, in
Amarillo, Texas.
Services
were held at 2:00
p.m. on Wednes-
day, November
22, 2006, in
the community
Fellowship Church in Clarendon
with Rev. Roger Smith, Pastor, and
Rev. Richard Dickerson, of Bykota
Baptist Church in Amarillo, officiat-
ing. Burial with Military Honors
were held in Citizens Cemetery.
Services were under the direction of
Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc., of
Clarendon.

Mr. Hester was born in Clarendon
to Jean and Florence Hester. He
was raised in Clarendon and gradu-
ated from high school in 1943. He
enlisted in the US Navy in 1944 and
served until December 19, 1945. He
married Betty Jo Risenhoover on
June 26, 1947 and they moved to
and made a life in Amarillo. Rogers
worked for the US Postal Service in
1947 as a foot carrier and retired as
fleet manager in April 1983. After



Hester

Turkey and dressing with all the
trimmings was enjoyed by 43 people
at Friendship Club Friday night.

The Hudsons of Clarendon
visited for the first time and led the
serving line after the blessing by Bro.
Stout.

Celebrating anniversaries this
month were Bobby and Donna
Murdock and joining the 50-year
club were Dortha and Steve Reyn-
olds. Congratulations to both these
couples.

The December meeting will fea-
ture Santa Clause so plan on coming
next month.

The Beautification Club met

Monday to finalize plans for Decem-
ber. Lighting in the park will be
December 3 at after church about 7:
15 p.m. with a scripture message by
Bro. Dave Stout followed by carol-
ing, cocoa, and cookies at City Hall.
Come out meet new people and get
into the spirit of Christmas with your
neighbors.

The lighting contest will be
Thursday, December 14, so get busy
with your lights and have them turned
on by 7:00 p.m. to be judged.

First, second, and third place
will be awarded in two categories,
houses and mobile homes with one
"Best Lighting" awarded.

Out of
town judges
will make the
selections, so
take advantage
of the nice
weather and
get your lights
up. Let's make
Howardwick
shine.

Chris and
Shelina Wilkins are the proud parents
of a baby girl born November 16 at
2 a.m. at Northwest Texas Hospital
in Amarillo. She weighed 6 lbs., 11
oz., is 19 inches long, and is named



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picks**
by peggy cockerham
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Hedley UIL teams travel to Lubbock

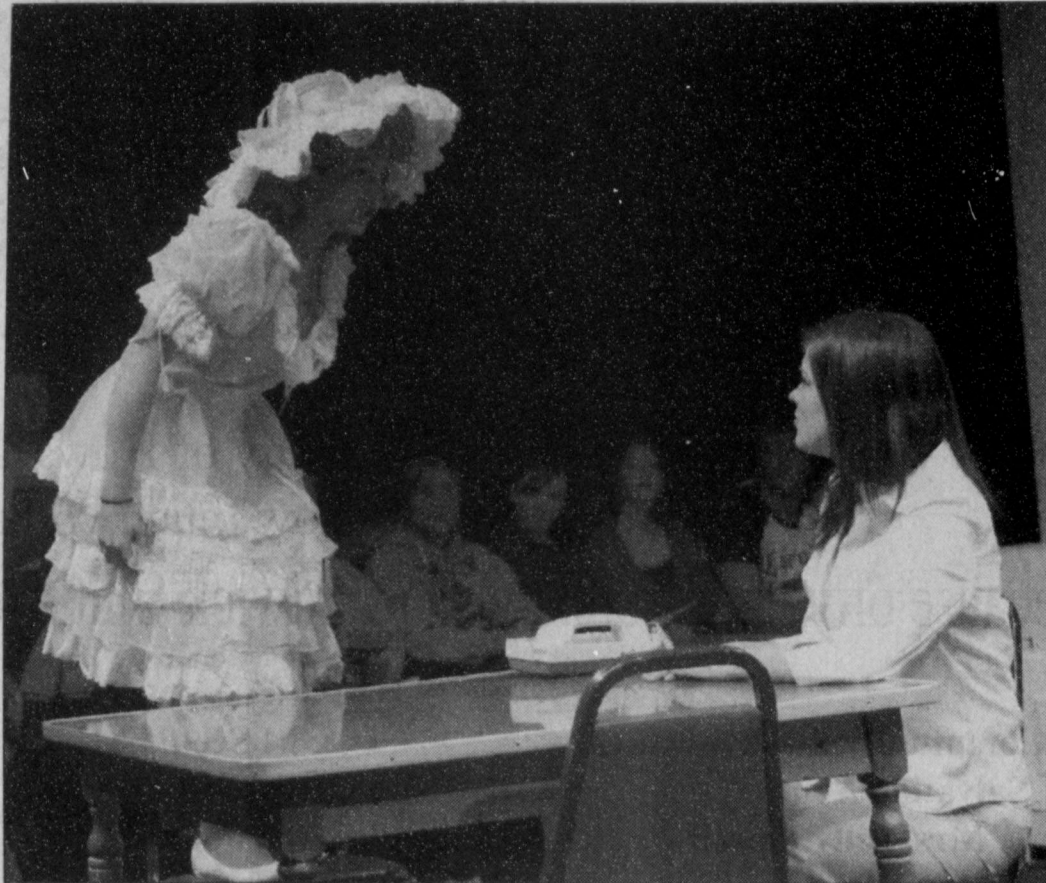
Hedley High School UIL team members
competed November 18 at the Lubbock High
UIL Fall Festival and made a fine showing.

The Current Issues and Events team
placed second among 1A-3A schools and
included Archie Sharp, Shandy Koetting, and
Marlee Sargent.

This was a great showing by a young
team of only sophomores and freshmen. Both
the Calculator Applications team and Science
team placed third, with Peter Howard (gold
medal Sophomore Science), Skyler Conat-
ser (bronze medal Sophomore Science),
and Dylan Pettit (bronze medal Freshman
Science) coming home with medals. Other
Science team members included Brayden
Bennett, Kristen Dwight, Jonathan Edmon-
son, Kailee Burton, and Marlee Sargent.

Calculator team members included Ruth
Anne Howard, Justin Kellas, Amber Burnam,
Skyler Conatser, and Elizabeth Garcia. Dylan
Pettit also won bronze medals in Number
Sense and Math contests. Other members of
those teams included Peter Howard, Danielle
Smith, Brayden Bennett, Justin Kellas, and
Will Verstuyft.

The Math and Science teams finished 4th
in Sweepstakes competition behind Garden
City, Shallowater, and Plains. Hedley UIL
teams compete again in invitational meets in
January and February before going to district
competition in March.



Listen up

The dramatic and eccentric Pat, portrayed by Carrie Thompson, lectures Katie Washington's
character, Lee, during the Clarendon College Theatre Department's production of "Accommo-
dations" last Friday night in the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center.

Enterprise Photo / Roger Estlack

Home cooking fires peak on Thanksgiving

As Americans prepare Thanks-
giving meals, it is imperative that
they keep safety in mind since cook-
ing fires are more likely to occur on
Thanksgiving than on any other day
of the year. The incidence of home
cooking fires is roughly three times
the daily average on Thanksgiving.
In 2004, cooking equipment was
involved in 1,040 reported home
structure fires on Thanksgiving,
which was three times the daily aver-
age that year.

NFPA studies show cooking fires
are the number one cause of home
fires, and home fire injuries. Hun-
dreds of Americans are killed each
year due to home cooking fires and
thousands more are injured. Cooking
fires also cause roughly half a billion

dollars in direct property damage to
the homes and the belongings inside.

It can be easy to get wrapped
up in entertaining guests, but it is
important to remember to stay in the
kitchen and monitor meal prepara-
tion closely since most cooking fires
start because cooking has been left
unattended.

People may look to vary the
traditional turkey entrée by using a
turkey fryer, but due to the unique
fire and injury hazards associated
with this specific piece of equipment,
NFPA recommends against their use.

The deep-frying cooking process
requires that up to five gallons of oil
be heated before placing the turkey
into the device. Tests have shown
that a number of available turkey

fryer devices are not sturdy and can
easily tip over, allowing hot oil to
spill, creating a serious risk of fire or
scald burn from contact. There also
have been reports of turkey fryers
overheating, which can also lead to
hot oil spilling or splattering outside
the fryer, which is again a recipe for
dangerous fires, serious injuries, and
property loss.

If having fried turkey is a must
this Thanksgiving, NFPA recom-
mends that consumers turn to com-
mercial sources where professionals
will prepare their entrée with a safety
and skill unlikely to be matched at
home. Some supermarkets and res-
taurants accept orders for fried tur-
keys during the holiday season.

NFPA offers detailed infor-

mation about home cooking fires,
including advice for cooking safety,
educational resources and the report
entitled "Home Cooking Fire Patterns
and Trends" at <http://www.nfpa.org>.

NFPA offers these tips for safer
cooking:

Stand by your pan: Stay in the
kitchen when you are frying, grilling,
or broiling food.

No kids allowed: Keep kids
away from cooking areas by enforc-
ing a "kid-free zone" of 3 feet (1
meter) around the stove.

Keep it clean: Keep anything
that can catch fire—pot holders, oven
mitts, wooden utensils, paper or plas-
tic bags, food packaging, towels or
curtains—away from your stove top.
Clean up grease around the area

Twilight Hatters planning party

The Twilight Red Hatters met
on October 19 at JD Steakout in
Clarendon. There were 20 Red Hat-
ters present.

Pearl Hermesmeier and Rava
McKinney wore Purple Hats because
it was their birthday month. There
was much discussion regarding the
Amarillo Christmas Party on Decem-
ber 2 and the much anticipated Twi-
light Red Hat Christmas Party on
December 9.

On November 16, final plans
were discussed for the Twilight Red
Hatters' Christmas Party, which will
also include 10 other area Red Hat
Clubs for a grand total of 80 people
registered. There were 22 Twilight
Red Hatters and 1 Pink Hatter in
attendance for this meeting.

Twilight Red Hatters are
reminded to wear their name tags
to the party, arrive at the Country
Club by 11:00 a.m. on December
9, and bring any auction items to
Paulette Kidd or Rhonda Aveni at
the Courthouse or Jeannie Molder at
City Hall.

Angel Tree nominees needed by November 30

The Panhandle Community
Services Annual Angel Tree Project
for Donley County is taking names
through November 30 for infants
and children, and the child's age, and
clothes and shoe size is needed in the
application.

From November 27 through
December 15, the interested citizens
of Donley County may come in and
choose their angel, or they may give
a donation to help with the purchase
of gifts. The gifts need to be wrapped
and back to Panhandle Community
Services at 416 S. Kearney on or
before December 15.

November Miracle

By Mary Beth Nelson

I seldom enter a new Novem-
ber without fondly remembering
a previous November day, several
years ago, when I was blessed to
witness a special "miracle" from
God's creation. It was a blustery
day with temperature in the thir-
ties. I almost wondered if this
type of day could possibly offer
much beauty when my telephone
rang. The voice of my neigh-
bor, across the street, cheerfully
greeted me as I picked up the
receiver.

"Hey, Mary Beth, what
are you doin'? If you're brave
enough to face the elements,
come over. There's something
you need to see!" Both of us
knowing I appreciated a chal-
lenge, I immediately reached
for a coat, hood, and gloves to
secure warmth while crossing
the street. As she opened the
door, she grinned while asking
me to come look out her kitchen
window. The view was typical
November...dull looking grass,
stripped trees, and bare shrubs.
We walked outside to the back
fence where lilac bushes had
been planted. She already knew
the beautiful surprise awaiting.
One of the swaying branches dis-
played a row of small lovely, lilac
blossoms. To us, the unseason-
able scene was beautifully amaz-
ing. A little miracle, indeed!

Throughout the day, I con-
tinued to think of the tiny laven-
der "treasure" tightly attached,
and clinging to the branch,
seemingly determined to outwit
the fierce, threatening wind. I
suddenly thought, "Wouldn't
it be great if humans could (or
would) strongly defy wrongful
temptations which constantly
confront us?"

We need to "attach our-
selves" to God's Word and
promises. If we continually
seek the Lord's righteousness
and increase our faith in His love
and care, we can be sure He will
help us survive the "threatening
winds" of life, just as the delicate
lilacs experienced survival on the
swaying branches.

Bible Thought: "Seek the Lord and
His strength, seek His presence
continually."
I Chronicles 16:11
and Psalms 105:4 (RSV)

Mary Beth Nelson is a freelance
writer of inspirational articles.

The family requests that in lieu
of flowers memorials be to Commu-
nity Fellowship Church.

Stewart

Norman Lee
Stewart, 73, died
Sunday, Novem-
ber 19, 2006, in
Amarillo, Texas.

Services
were held at 11:
00 a.m., Tues-
day, November
21, 2006, in
Robertson

Chapel of Memories in Clarendon
with Rev. Jim Aveni, vicar of the St.
John the Baptist Episcopal Church in
Clarendon, officiating. Burial with
Air Force Honors was held in Citi-
zens Cemetery. Services were under
the direction of Robertson Funeral
Directors, Inc., of Clarendon.

Mr. Stewart was born April 1,
1933, in Unionville, Missouri, to
John Ray and Audrey Pearl Haines
Stewart. He married Maggie Lula
Morrow on November 18, 1968, in
Amarillo. He served for 21 years in
the United States Air Force from 1951
to 1972. He moved to Clarendon in
1977 and was self-employed as a
carpenter. He had been a resident
of Amarillo this past year. He was a
member of the First Baptist Church



Stewart

in Clarendon.

Mr. Stewart was preceded in
death by his parents and his wife on
February 22, 2004.

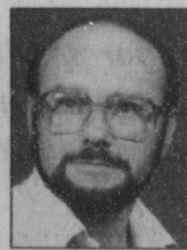
Survivors include a daugh-
ter, Cassandra Lewis and husband
Michael of Amarillo; one son,
Jonathan Stewart and wife Crystal
of Swink, Colorado; 3 sisters, Hazel
Stewart, Mary Stewart, and Madi-
son Nichole Stewart; and one great
grandson, Kyson Braddock.

The family requests memorials
be to Veterans Administration or a
favorite charity.

Gillpatrick

Cary Lind
Gillpatrick, 55,
died Thursday,
November 16,
2006, in Pampa,
Texas.

Memorial
Services were
held at 4:00
p.m. on Tues-
day, November
21, 2006, in the Carpenter's Church
Interdenominational with Rev.
Charles Lowry of Cross Point Baptist
Church in Pampa, and Patrick Rob-
ertson, family friend of Clarendon,
officiating. Cremation was at City
View Crematory in Vega. Services
were under the direction of Rob-



Gillpatrick

ertson Funeral Directors, Inc., of
Clarendon.

Mr. Gillpatrick was born January
8, 1951, in Pampa and had lived in
Pampa most of his life.

He attended Pampa schools, and
graduated from Tulsa High School
in 1968. He worked as a butcher at
Frank's Grocery in Pampa for more
than 20 years.

He married the former Barbara
Darlene Summers on November 25,
1993, in Pampa.

Mr. Gillpatrick was preceded in
death by his father, J.M. Gillpatrick
in 1988.

Survivors include his wife,
Darlene Gillpatrick of Pampa; his
mother, Katherine Greer Gillpatrick
of Pampa; a son, Matthew Gillpat-
rick of Ft. Stockton; a daughter,
Lori Scarsdale and husband Jesse of
Porter, OK; 6 step children, Tabby
Parker and husband David of Tuttle,
OK, Valerie Dickinson and husband
Michael of Pampa, Tonya Brown and
Gene LaRue of Tulsa, OK, David
Tolbert of Clarendon, Daniel Tolbert
of Davis, OK, Pam Fodor and hus-
band Glenn of Tulsa, OK; 2 brothers,
Max Gillpatrick of Pampa, Jon Gill-
patrick and wife Janice of Marietta,
GA; and 18 grandchildren.

The family requests memorials
be to the American Cancer Society.



Service awards

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) recently awarded Donley County Maintenance employees with service awards. Terry Keener, Childress District Engineer awarded Mike Ritchie, 20 years, Benny Osburn, 20 years and Scott Martin, 10 years. Shown here are Terry Keener, Childress District Engineer, Mike Ritchie, Benny Osburn and Scott Martin, Donley County Maintenance.

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Mon	13	65°	33°	-
Tues	14	57°	34°	-
Wed	15	75°	36°	-
Thur	16	52°	26°	-
Fri	17	65°	29°	-
Sat	18	69°	27°	-
Sun	19	62°	28°	-

Total precipitation this month: .03"
Total precipitation in Nov. last year: 18.00"
Total YTD last year: 17.29"

weekend forecast

Friday, Nov. 24
Mostly Sunny
56°/35°

Saturday, Nov. 25
Mostly Sunny
53°/28°

Sunday, Nov. 26
Mostly Sunny
60°/29°

Information provided by: Tommie C. Saye
50 yr. Cooperative Observer, National Weather Service

Wind: Continued from page one.

Wendelgass said his company has been well received by local officials, but he said there are still several tasks to perform for the project to become a reality. CPV must get formal approval of the tax abatements, secure agreements with property owners for a transmission line right of way, and pursue agreements with power markets, he said.

"We're very excited to work with the Trews and all the folks in the area to bring this project to the finish

line," Wendelgass said.

CPV is unrelated to the Irish-based firm Airticity, which, the AMARILLO GLOBE-NEWS reported this month, is planning another wind farm east of Groom, part of which might be located in Donley County.

Wendelgass said the area has been looked at for a long time for its potential for wind generation. The Trew Ranch project has been in development by various companies for 10 years, he said.

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CISD Trustees resolve support for PEAK plan

The Board of Trustees of Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District met in regular session on November 16 in the Functional Living Center.

Lance Thornberry, seconded by Jim Shelton, made a motion to approve a resolution supporting the Donley County Scholarship Program "PEAK" and the submittal of various grant applications requesting monetary support for the program. Motion carried unanimously.

Renee Betts, seconded by Thornberry, made motion to accept revisions to the EPSSA Policies, Procedures, and Operating Guidelines. Motion carried unanimously.

Larry Jeffers, Marvin Elam, and Mike Word each presented their Campus Improvement Plan and Student Performance Objectives for 2006-2007. The board acknowledged the plans and the objectives.

Monty Hysinger presented the Technology Plan for 2007-2010 as prepared by Marva Thomas. The board acknowledged the plan.

Hysinger reviewed the 2005-2006 district academic performance and the current financial position with the board.

Hysinger presented a public report on the district's 2005-2006 Highly Qualified Status. The district is currently at 100% highly qualified according to state and federal requirements.

Hysinger gave a report to the board on the procedures that the district uses when bad weather requires the alteration and/or cancellation of the school day.

The board accepted a bid from Mark's Welding for \$8,641.42 to re-roof the bus barn.

The board approved a motion to amend the budget to re-roof the bus barn as presented.

Word, Elam, Jeffers, Gary Jack, and Hysinger gave administrative reports.

CC Regents receive several resignations

Clarendon College Regents received several resignations during the board's regular meeting last Thursday in the VIP Room of the Bairfield Activity Center.

Comptroller Annette Ferguson tendered her resignation, effective November 30, to take a job in the corporate world, and nursing instructor Marsha Julian also will be going to the private sector, effective December 10, to join the home health industry.

Financial Aid Director Tammi Brown left CC last Friday for a job with the Texas Department of Human Services, and Dean of Instruction Tex Buckhaults will leave his post February 14 to pursue other opportunities.

To replace Ferguson, the college will welcome back Raymond Jaramillo, who will resume his old title as Dean of Administrative Services on December 1.

The board also ratified the employment of Phyllis Norton as a vocational nursing instructor and Shelia Moore as a custodian and approved promoting Jennifer Black as the director of the vocational nursing program.

In other college business, regents heard tax abatement proposals from the Clarendon Sonic Drive-In and Competitive Power Ventures but took no action.

The board approved a resolution in support of the PEAK scholarship program at Clarendon and Hedley schools and authorized a letter to the Harrington Foundation.

The results of the general election freezing taxes on the elderly and disabled were canvassed and certified.

Senior Citizens to host musical entertainment

Donley County Senior Citizens Center is hosting an evening of musical entertainment next week.

Jim Shadle & Friends will be performing Tuesday, November 28, at 6:00 p.m. to celebrate monthly birthdays and anniversaries with a potluck meal.

The only "ticket" needed for the evening is to bring a salad, dessert, or casserole.



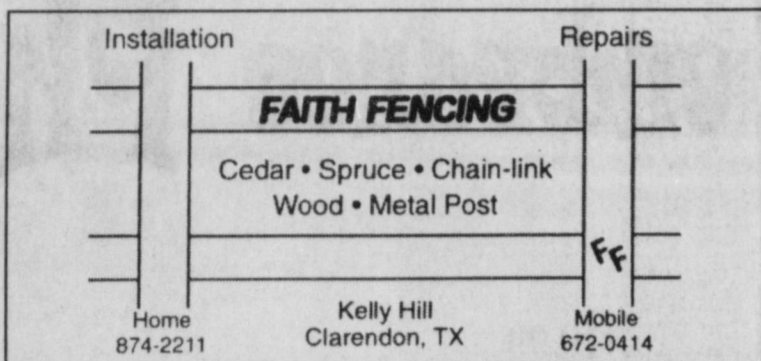
Supporting our troops

At the November 4-H meeting the 4-H members gathered snacks to send to the troops and wrote thank you cards to tell the troops thank you for all they are doing! The Donley County 4-H was able to send six large boxes to Nathan Floyd, Greg Wooten, and J.C. Blackburn who are stationed in Djibouti, Africa. The Donley County 4-H is proud of all the troops stationed all around the world protecting our freedom.

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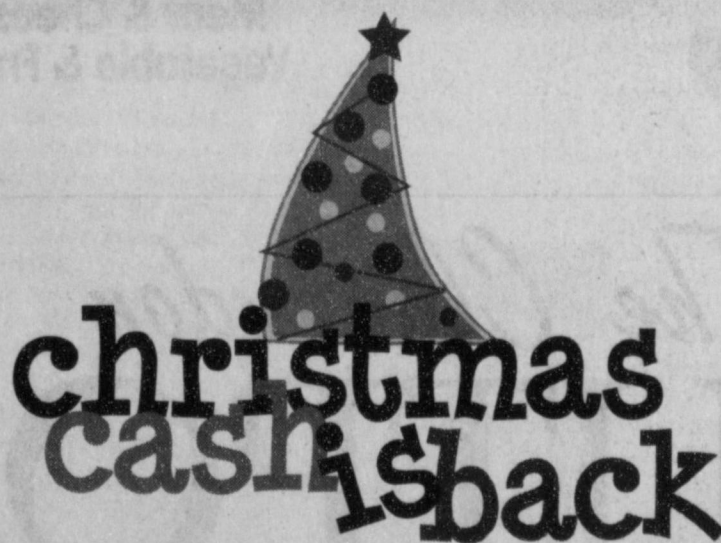


Clarendon Firebelles Third Annual Christmas Gift Drive For The Youth Of Donley County

A Monetary Donation or a New Toy Donation can be dropped off at Shepard's Crook Nursing (Located on Hwy 287, next to Cornell's Country Store) or Mailed to Clarendon Firebelles P.O. Box 1515, Clarendon, TX 79226

If you know of a family who is in need of help making Christmas special, please fill out the form below and send it to the address listed.

Child's Name: _____ Age: (0-15) _____ Sex: _____
 Specific Wish (Toys, Games, Ect.): _____
 Parents' Name: _____ Phone #: _____
 Address: _____
 Person Submitting Request: _____ Phone #: _____
 Please return this form no later than November 30th.
 Gifts may be picked up at the Fire Station on December 16 from 10 a.m.-Noon.
 Gifts are to be picked up by parents ONLY. Please leave children at home.



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Thank you for shopping in Clarendon and have a Merry Christmas!

Christmas Cash Rules: The three Clarendon banks are offering 0% interest Christmas loans to qualifying applicants. Just go to one of the participating banks, apply for your loan (maximum of \$3,000 per family, 10 month repayment period), and then take your Christmas Cash to any of the participating merchants to redeem it for Christmas merchandise. Christmas Cash should be redeemed at merchants by January 1, 2007, or can be applied toward your loan by January 5, 2007. After January 5, 2007, Christmas Cash becomes worthless.

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| (1) 2 lb. Chicken Breast Tenders | (1) 16 oz. Cut Corn |
| (1) 12 oz. Philly Steak Portions | (1) 3 lbs. Apples |
| (1) 24 oz. Breaded Breast Filets | (1) 12 oz. Omelette Starter (Onions, Peppers, Sausage) |
| (1) 16 oz. Ground Turkey | (1) 1 lb. White Rice |
| (1) 2 lb. Italian Lasagna Dinner | (1) Dozen, Eggs |
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| (1) 16 oz. Pinto Beans | |

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 (8) 8-oz Filets
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Broncos avenge loss to Tulia in tournament

By Sandy Anderberg

The Broncos dropped their first regular season basketball game to a good Tulia team at home Tuesday, November 14, at 38-59 but were able to even the score in a third round match-up at the Highland Park Tournament.

Sophomore T.J. Brown squeaked out the game winning shot with one tick left on the clock to help his team get the one-point win over the Hornets with the final being 57-56.

The Broncos faced River Road in the first round and after a hard-fought game lost 28-29. LaDez Captain had 8 points and six blocks, and Nathan Gribble and Dalton Askew each scored four.

Friday, the Broncos went up against Highland Park junior varsity and soundly defeated them 65-18.

Captain had 19 points and

eight rebounds, Danzel Wilson had 11 points and three blocks, Gribble turned in nine points, and Askew finished with eight.

In the final game of the tournament the Broncos finished with the big win against Tulia.

"The kids are working hard and are still trying to get in a routine for the basketball season," coach Colby Waldrop said. "All the players have scored in the last three games and have played with great team work."

Captain had 19 points and 11 rebounds, Askew and Wilson had seven points each, and Brown finished with nine rebounds.

The Broncos will continue their schedule after the Thanksgiving break on Tuesday, November 28, at Hedley beginning at 8:00 p.m. and will participate in the Nazareth Tournament November 30-December 2.

Lady Broncos play in rough tournament

By Sandy Anderberg

The Lady Broncos participated in their first basketball tournament of the season, and it was at best a rough go for the squad, according to head coach Steve Myatt.

Clarendon faced Stratford in the first round of play and was defeated 30-37. Stratford, who finished as the tournament champions, trailed the Lady Broncos with just a little time left on the clock.

"Stratford won the tournament, and we had a real chance to beat them," Myatt said. "We led by two with four minutes remaining the game. We need to learn how to win a game against a good team."

Clarendon scored nine points in the final period compared to 13 for their opponent.

Scoring: Regan Lemley 11, Macy Shadle 5, Jessi Howard 4, Jill Cornell 4, Sade Cobb 4, and Abbie Massingill 2.

The Lady Broncos faced Shamrock in the second round and defeated them 60-36. It was never a contest for the ladies as they overpowered the Lady Irish from the tip-off to the final buzzer.

Scoring: Cobb 16, Shadle 12, Howard 12, Lemley 11, Haley Carter 3, Cornell 2, Massingill 2, and Katie Askew 2.

The Lady Broncos faced Tulia in the final round, which gave them the opportunity to face the Lady Hornets for the second time in three days. Despite playing Tulia tougher the second time around, the Lady Broncos fell short at 49-56. The Lady Hornets took a commanding lead in the first period of play, but the Lady Broncos made up some ground before the break. But the second quarter deficit turned out to be the margin of loss at the final buzzer for the Lady Broncos.

"We played Tulia much tougher than we did on Tuesday," Myatt said. "But we still do not take advantage of opportunities to beat good teams. Disappointing tournament for the Lady Broncos."

Scoring: Lemley 18, Howard 14, Shadle 8, Massingill 5, Carter 2, Shelby Watson 2, and Cornell 1.

Regan Lemley was selected to the All-Tournament Team at the Highland Park Tournament.

The Lady Broncos will travel to Hedley on November 28 with game time at 6:30 p.m. They will participate in the Nazareth Tournament to be held November 30-December 2 with times and teams to be announced. They will play the Lady Owls at Silvertown December 5.



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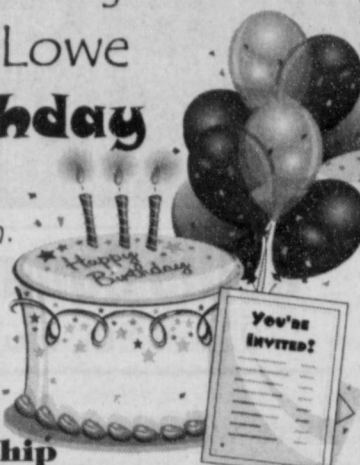
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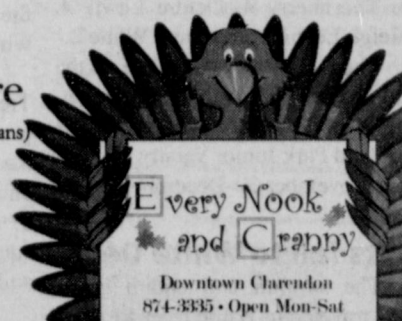
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Tuesday, November 28

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Lady Broncos

10	Jessi Howard	Sr.
11	Jill Cornell	Jr.
12	Shelby Watson	Sr.
20	Abbie Massingill	Soph.
23	Regan Lemley	Sr.
24	Sade Cobb	Jr.
25	Macy Shadle	Soph.
33	Haley Carter	Sr.
50	Katie Askew	Sr.

Head Coach: Steve Myatt
Assistants: Kasey Bell & Alton Gains
Managers: Jeremy Jeffers, Casey Phillips, and Mariah Benavidez

The Bronco roster was not available for press this week.

Nov. 30-Dec. 2

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Lady Bronco JV win by 4

The Lady Bronco JV took care of the Lady Hornets at home, defeating them 48-44.

Clarendon jumped out to grab the early momentum in the first quarter and built up a 15-point lead at the break.

They maintained that lead through the third period, but Tulia got back into the game in the last period of play. The clock was in Clarendon's favor as they held on to take the four-point win.

"The ladies played a great first half of basketball offensively and defensively," coach Kasey Bell said. "We struggled in the fourth quarter but managed to hold on for the win."

Scoring: Erin Holland 15, Abby Patten 11, Janae White 10, Cortnee Thornberry 4, Deidre Lewis 4, Haleigh Lewis 2, and Jenci White 2.

The Lady Broncos will be on the road at Hedley November 28 beginning at 4:00 p.m. and will play in the Highland Park Junior Varsity Tournament November 30-December 2.

Colts fall to White Deer

The seventh and eighth grade Colts traveled to White Deer for their season opener on Monday, November 13. The seventh grade lost 19-27 and the eighth grade lost their first game in two seasons at 26-34.

Both Colt teams only had limited practice time before heading off to their game, which gave them no time to work on their plays according to coach Brad Elam.

Scoring: Chris Blackburn 10, Jason Pigg 4, Jacob Pigg 3, and Devonte Hardaway 2. Other team members are Jordan Luna, Collin Dickinson, Samuel Wolf, Charleston Harris, and Cody Holman.

The eighth grade Colts fell eight points short in their contest and, according to Elam, could have played better.

Scoring: Bradley Watson 13, Mike Crump 8, Quincy Harris 2, Daniel West 2, Clayton Shields 2, and Chris Crump 2. Other players are Brayden Phillips, John Lavario, Johnny Gaines, Trent White, Coby Hutcheon, and Monte Holland.

Both Colt teams will take on Claude at home November 27 beginning at 5:00 p.m.

Lady Colts beat WD

The seventh and eighth grade Lady Colts opened their season at home against the White Deer Does and earned big wins.

The seventh graders won 34-13 in their debut game. Great hustle on offense and defensive quickness played a key role in the Lady Colts' win as they opened the game up in the third period of play to get the win.

Scoring: Marquada Gaines 8, Trevela Dronzek 8, Brittany Hargrove 6, Brooklyn Bailey 5, Amber Keelin 2, Christine Johnson 2, Cheyenne Kosechata 2, and Jamie Vinson 1. Rounding out the seventh grade squad is Kae Lea Hewitt, Jarah Luna, and Cynthia Medina.

The eighth grade claimed their first victory in two seasons as they dominated White Deer and got the 30-22 win. The Lady Colts got things going in the first quarter going up by five, but they let their opponent back into the game before half time. Things went Clarendon's way in the second half of play, and the girls earned the victory.

Scoring: Annessa Williams 14, Danielle Ford 7, Vanessa Williams 5, Ashlyn Tubbs 2, and Annie Patten 2. Also playing for the Lady Colts are Savannah Thackery, Holly Phillips, Miranda Miller, Amanda Reynolds, Megan Hysinger, Chelsea Covey, and Natalie Rodriguez.

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Commissioners hold regular meeting

The Donley County Commissioners' Court met in regular session November 13.

The court approved a resolution accepting the Donley County Mitigation Action Plan which coordinates resources of the county with the cities of Clarendon, Hedley, and Howard in the event of a disaster.

Tax abatement proposals were heard from Competitive Power Ventures and Caprock Bio Fuels, but no action was taken.

The court also met in called session on November 20 to canvass and certify the results of the November 7 election to freeze taxes on the qualified homesteads of the elderly and disabled.

At that same meeting, the court approved the county's assessment and collection contract with the Donley County Appraisal District.

4-H members gather for monthly meeting

By Annie Patten

The November meeting was held on November 7.

Old business was announced, and we were informed to pick up our prizes and turn in our T-shirt orders. Leonard gave the announcements.

The December meeting is to be held December 5 at the FLC.

Misty Speed reported on the 4-H Halloween Carnival. She said the club raised a total of \$1,451.28 at the event.

The program was given by Terri Floyd, who told us about life for the soldiers in Djibouti, Africa, Zimbabwe. We sent a care package to show them our support for them.

Retired teachers plan meeting next Monday

The Donley County Retired School Personnel Association will meet Monday, November 27, at 6 p.m. at the Church of Christ Family Life Center.

The program will be given by Stuart Messer, 100th Judicial District Attorney, on identity theft. This will be a very informative meeting. Members who volunteer their services need to turn in their number of hours for 2006 so the hours can be turned into the state.

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CAUSE NO. 5688: DONLEY COUNTY VS DANIELS, JUDDIE C. All of Lots 730 and 731, Red Feather Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

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CAUSE NO. 5319: CITY OF CLARENDON VS HILL, W.T. Lot Number 98 of Pueblo Section, of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

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CAUSE NO. 5606: DONLEY COUNTY VS HURST, LEO. Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8) of the Huron Section of Sherwood Shores IX situated in Donley County, Texas.

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10 ACRES AND RURAL HOME - with 5 bedrooms - 2 baths - office - den - living - kitchen - utility - central heat - refrigerated window units - well with sub pump - shop with attached car port - storage shed - acreage is all grass - located on paved FM 2362 only 4 miles from Clarendon - for \$79,900. SHOW BY APPOINTMENT.

NEAR SCHOOL ON RECENTLY PAVED STREET - brick - 1,404 sq. ft. - on corner lot - 2 bedroom - 2 bath - kitchen - dining - living - utility in enclosed porch - concrete basement - unattached garage/work shop - appliances remain with house - 712 W. 7th St. for \$44,900.

RECENTLY REMODELED 2 BEDROOM, 1 BATH - Living, kitchen, utility, unfinished basement, refrigerated air window units, fans in all rooms, metal siding and metal roof, 2 car port with metal framework for shop building, wiring and plumbing have been replaced, fenced front yard. Convenient location at 710 S. Allen for \$35,000.

JUST RIGHT FOR A SINGLE OR A COUPLE - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, living room, kitchen/dining, built-in, range, dishwasher, garbage disposer, microwave, fans, central heat, oversized one-car port, large insulated metal building in back yard storage building, fenced back yard, well located @ 609 W. 8th St. for \$32,500.

HEDLEY

FURNITURE, FIXTURES & APPLIANCES INCLUDED - with purchase of this 3 bedroom - 2 bath - well maintained home PLUS an enclosed and air conditioned 28' X 24' porch designed for entertaining - also - attached shop & nice yard on 4 lots @ 408 Reeves St for \$39,500.

RETIREMENT HOME FOR SINGLE OR COUPLE - 2 bedroom - 1 bath with new wiring, plumbing and metal roof - well maintained and conveniently located within easy walking distance to post office, churches, school and Senior Citizens Center @ 301 Main St. for \$22,000.

HOUSE & ONE-HALF CITY BLOCK - 3 bedroom, 1 bath - living - dining - kitchen - utility - new plumbing & new water lines - lots of room for garden or orchard yet located near school & post office - @ 301 Blair St. for \$37,500.

NICE STUCCO IN GOOD NEIGHBORHOOD - 1,362 sq. ft. - 3 bedrooms - 2 bath - modern kitchen with built-ins - dining - living - utility - attached 2 car garage with opener - storage building - front & back yards enclosed with chain link fence - all appliances and tools go with property @ 403 Johnson St. for \$35,000.

HOWARDWICK

4 BEDROOM - 2 BATH - only 7 years old - central heat & ref. air - in excellent condition, and includes - 3 decks - attached concrete cellar - 36 X 14 X 12 RV port - large storage barn & shop - 50 X 30 insulated metal barn - well, plus Red River water - certified septic system - lots of concrete - all on 2 acres in Carrol Creek Acres and move-in ready for only \$98,500.

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Sheriff's Report

November 13, 2006

1:34 a.m.- See complainant at Clarendon College; unauthorized subject on campus
 5:59 a.m.- 287 1 mile west of Hedley; Semi engine fire, Hedley Fire Department on scene
 7:27 a.m.- EMS assist 500 Blk. S. Bond St.
 8:49 a.m.- Courthouse
 9:28 a.m.- Courthouse
 12:17 p.m.- Audio alert; district courtroom
 6:53 p.m.- See caller 200 Blk. S. Kearney St.
 10:04 p.m.- Welfare check 200 Blk. Janny St., Howardwick

November 14, 2006

12:47 a.m.- EMS assist 600 Blk. S. Bond St.
 8:01 a.m.- At Elementary School
 10:37 a.m.- At Jr. High School
 11:16 p.m.- Disturbance; 400 Blk. W. 3rd; loud music

November 16, 2006

8:55 a.m.- At courthouse
 2:28 p.m.- See complainant Hedley; intoxicated male subject
 2:48 p.m.- To jail with one male in custody; public intox
 5:49 p.m.- Check on juveniles reported on railroad track
 8:46 p.m.- To jail with one male in custody

9:48 p.m.- At Clarendon College

November 17, 2006

12:49 a.m.- Check TDCJ Bus 287 at Ashtola with engine problem; replacement bus en route
 9:52 a.m.- See caller Hwy. 70 N.; break-in of business
 1:43 p.m.- With manager 900 Blk. W. 2nd St.
 2:27 p.m.- See caller in Hedley
 5:40 p.m.- DPS assist vehicle search in 287 at Co. Rd. 20
 6:22 p.m.- EMS assist 200 Blk. Janny St., Howardwick
 6:54 p.m.- See owner Hwy. 70 N.; referring to break-in
 11:18 p.m.- 700 Blk. E. White; possible illegal hunting
 11:23 p.m.- See caller 900 Blk. W. 2nd St.
 11:28 p.m.- To jail one male in custody; local warrant(s)

November 18, 2006

4:23 a.m.- Possible prowler; Hwy. 70 at Orpe St.
 7:06 a.m.- Engine fire 287 at Co. Rd. 17
 10:07 a.m.- At baseball field
 10:43 a.m.- Back to ball field
 12:17 p.m.- To jail with one male in custody; out of county out of state warrant(s)
 2:41 p.m.- Hwy. 287 4 miles W; truck with smoking tires
 3:41 p.m.- Minor accident 5th St. at Jr. High School

7:32 p.m.- 700 Blk. S. Gorst

November 19, 2006

2:37 a.m.- At Clarendon College
 1:14 p.m.- Meet caller at CISD bus barn
 3:13 p.m.- 100 Blk. Oleta, Howardwick

Summary: Arrests-6; Fire Department-1; EMS-11.

Happy Thanksgiving and Drive Safe Donley Co. Sheriff's Dept.

District Court Report

Action from the 100th Judicial District Court during the week of November 13, 2006 included:

Brian Kelly Baty: Evading arrest, 12 months in state jail.

Charles James Harris: DWI, 10 years Texas Department of Corrections; probated 10 years, driver's license suspended two yrs; 180 days confinement county jail; c/c \$463.00; \$0 fine.

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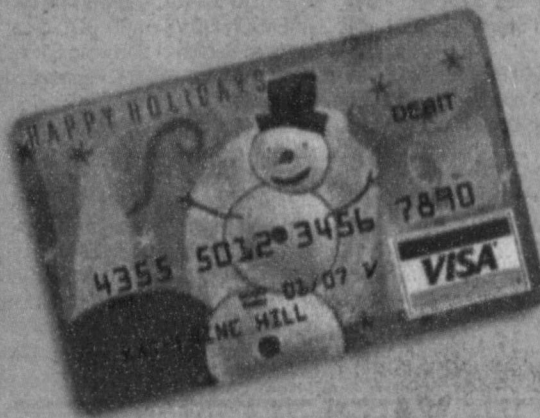
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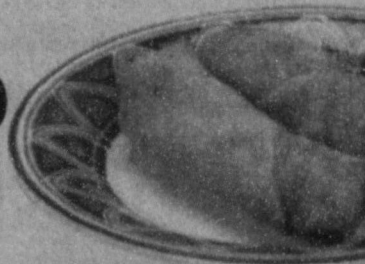
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