

3 DAY CELEBRATION OPENS THURSDAY

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2 Clarendon Coaches Resign

Clyde Noonkester, head football coach for the champion Clarendon Bronchos for the past eleven years, tendered his resignation this week.

Noonkester, who piloted the Bronchos to an unforgettable state finals trip in 1972, will be joined by assistant coach Bob Lemons, to accept a head coaching position at Class 2A Clyde High School.

Coach Noonkester came to Clarendon as an assistant coach under Jeff Walker, head coach at the time and presently Clarendon Superintendent of Schools. Three years later when Walker was

named principal of Clarendon High School, Noonkester stepped up into the head coaching position and Lemons was selected as his assistant.

Under Coach Noonkester, Clarendon has had a record of 66 wins, 25 losses and one tie with a winning season every year but one. The Bronchos provided him with a district championship either won or tied for seven years and a trip to the state finals in 1972 finally losing the big one to Schulenburg.

Applications for the two coaching positions are being received now by the school board, Superintendent Walker said.



TALL IN THE SADDLE are the Senior Queen candidates — Kim Radney, Tami Douthit, Ava Nasty, Laura Holland, Connie McAnear, Nancy Owens. Also a candidate, but not pictured, Mary McGarity and Liz Bromley, the reigning queen.

All-Stars Named

A team of Clarendon Little League All Stars have been selected to represent Clarendon in a regional All Star game July 14 in Pampa.

The team, to be coached by Tex Selvedge and assisted by Berry Tyler, is made up of the following Little League players:

White Sox — Kelly Tunnel, Kennan Shields, Craig Shields, and Terry Cole.

Cubs — Lance Thornberry, Drew Thornberry and Bryan Leeper.

Giants — David Lane, Brad Thompson, Bobby Weatherston, Bryan Hill, Kyle Hill, Kevin Cantrell,

and Mike McKowen.

A large following of Clarendon fans are expected to attend the game to be played in Pampa Little League Park beginning at 8 p.m. Clarendon will meet the Canadian All Stars.

The Giants wrapped up their 1975 Little League championship with a 7-1 season record after defeating the White Sox 14-9 Friday night at Hart Moore Little League Park.

Selvedge served as coach for the Giants, Tyler for the White Sox, James Thomas for the Yankees and Wesley Sanders for the Cubs.

Bell-Ringing In Panhandle

The Pennsylvania Society of Sons of the Revolution is asking the nation to join the simultaneous ringing of bells July 4 synchronized to start at 2 p.m. EDT in Philadelphia or 1 p.m. in the Texas Panhandle.

The hour was designated so all time zones could participate at a practical hour as well as the fact that 2 p.m. EDT symbolically commemorates the Liberty Bell ringing fourth approval of the Declaration of Independence 199 years ago.

Four minutes of ringing has been designated to signify The Fourth.

In Philadelphia, Pa., the Society will have a special program in observance of the anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence at Independence Hall.

Rear Adm. Robert H. Speck, USN Ret., president of Independence Hall Association and a trustee of Freedoms Foundation, will be the guest speaker. The Liberty Bell will be gently tapped during the ceremony.

Interviews Set For Flood

Donley County residents who suffered flood damage during the recent heavy rains swept over the county are invited to meet with a representative of the American Red Cross Monday.

The representative will be at the Farmers State Bank in

Clarendon from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. Monday, July 7 to interview applicants for grants on flood damage.

Persons interested in making application are asked to have estimates of damage in order to speed up the process of filing claims.

Hightower To Dedicate New City Hall

Congressman Jack Hightower of Vernon will be the principal speaker for the official dedication of the Howardwick City Hall Saturday, July 5.

SITTING TALL — Junior Queen candidates Jamie Casteel, Stephanie Anderson, Shalane Chamberlain, Shellie Nill and Kim McAnear, present Junior Queen. Also a candidate but not pictured, Susan Mosley.

Blood Bank To Be Established This Fall

A proposal to establish a Donley County Red Cross Blood Bank in Clarendon will be given serious consideration at a meeting of the Donley County Red Cross Committee Thursday, July 10, at 11 a.m. at the Farmers State Bank.

The proposed blood bank has received community-wide support including the Lions Club and other organizations, according to the

Rev. Pettigrew Hamilton, vicar of St. John the Baptist Episcopal Church, and chairman of the Red Cross committee.

The Rev. Mr. Hamilton is joined on the committee by Alan Eastlack, co-chairman; Don Stone, recruiting chairman; Mrs. Briget Newhouse, volunteer nursing chairman; and Marty Eady, publicity chairman.

Plans are to complete application forms for consid-

eration and approval by the National Red Cross Board. It is estimated that the program can be inaugurated in Donley County as early as August.

The proposal is to obtain from 160 to 180 pints of blood a year at the minimum to care for the needs of Donley County people.

The Rev. Mr. Hamilton explained that under the program the blood can be banked and dispensed without charge to patients in the county. He pointed out that while there would be no charge for the blood, there would be a cost of \$23 a unit for processing, which is the price established for this service over the nation.

Under the program, Clarendon would be visited quarterly by the Red Cross Bloodmobile from Wichita Falls and blood accepted from donors at that time. The blood would be on deposit in the regional blood bank and be available when the need arose. The first visit by the Bloodmobile is set for October 6 from 1:45 to 5:30 p.m.

In addition to meeting the blood needs for the individual and immediate family for one year following the last donation, the Red Cross would also replace blood for members of the family who live elsewhere, including children over 18 who can not be blood donors, parents and parents-in-law and grandparents-in-law.



Nothin' Slow About Granny

There's not anything slow about Granny, not even her turtles.

Mrs. Mary Combs, of North Martindale in Clarendon, better known as Granny to hundreds of her Clarendon kids, is a breeder of fine turtles.

In fact one of her turtles will win the turtle race to be held here in Clarendon during the Fourth of July Celebration.

Mrs. Combs has been in the turtle business for the past six months, raising the traditional speedsters from egg to racing size.

She has 11, has already sold three and has nine more to go at a buck a piece. The money will go to the Boy Scouts and apparently one of her turtles will win since it is unlikely any other turtles will be in the race.

Mrs. Combs does not have any children of her own but she lays claim to around 62 or 63 now living all over the country. She gets letters and Christmas cards from her kids from as far away as Michigan and tries to keep up with every one of them.

Anyhow, Granny has got nine turtles for sale so go buy yourself a winner!

NOT VERY SLOW—This one turtle isn't very slow or even bashful about coming out of his shell. In fact both of these turtles were raised from eggs just for the Saint Roost Celebration Turtle Race by Mary Combs of Clarendon. Three of her nephews, Marcus and Curtis Smith and Sammy Callaway, let these two turtles practice a little. (PRESS PHOTO)

All roads will literally lead to Clarendon this week end for Clarendon's Annual Saints Roost Fourth of July Celebration, which will be staged here the Fourth of July week end Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

This year's gala celebration has something for everyone ranging from Old Settlers Reunion to a speedy turtle race and balloons for the kids.

The rodeo at 7:30 p.m. Thursday will officially kick off the three-day festivity which is expected to draw hundreds of visitors from all over the Panhandle.

The Rodeo will begin at 8:30 p.m. on Friday and Saturday nights.

RESERVE PARKING for inside the rodeo grounds will be \$7.50 for all three nights and may be obtained by contacting James Owens Leather Goods. The rodeo is sponsored by the Outdoor Entertainment Association and proceeds will be used for the upkeep of the arena and the grounds.

A street dance will be held following rodeo performances each night with three outstanding bands, Hyle Nix, Tiny Lynn and Mel Street to provide the music.

A FIDDLERS CONTEST will be held at 2:30 p.m. on the Courthouse Square July 4th. Harold Childs will service as Master of Ceremonies. Cash prizes will be given to the winners.

Prize money has been donated by Emmett Simmons, Frank Derrick and Doug Douglas Shelton. Harvey Price has donated a Silver Platter.

THERE WILL BE two drawings each night of the Rodeo, each for half of a beef. The meat will be killed and processed by the Clarendon Meat Company.

Donators of the beefs are Mrs. Verda Lewis, Lawrence Haggy Ranch, Jim Hedgecoke and Lee Palmer.

Something new which has been added this year will be Gospel Singing Festival scheduled for 9 p.m. on July 4th at the high school football field with free admission. Not only will local talent be on the program, but the feature attraction will be "My Brother's Keeper" a music group from Houston. The group has a broad range of musical talent, but specializes in gospel music. The festival is being sponsored by the Clarendon Ministerial Alliance and concerned citizens. The show is expected to last approximately two hours. Also "My Brother's Keeper" will perform at the courthouse during the day-long festivities planned for July 4th.

The Children's Art Festival, sponsored by the County Craft Fair, will have five divisions. It will be open to children entering the following grades: Elementary, 1-3; Intermediate, 4-6; Junior High, 7-8; High School, 9-12; and Oils, open to anyone through the twelfth grade. Also a Best of Show prize will be awarded.

The art show is open to anyone in the age groups in Donley County. Entries will be judged on subject and originality. The subject must pertain to points of interest in Donley County, present or historic. No abstracts will be accepted. Entries must be on a 8x10 sheet of paper in any media, but oil paintings will be judged separately. Entries are not to be framed. All entries must be taken to the Clarendon Press office no later than 5 p.m. on Thursday, July 3. Entries will be on display Friday, July 4th. Judging will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Friday. Judges will be Mrs. Betsy Hawkins, Mrs. Glen Bromley and Mrs. Antoinette Hamilton. Each entry must have a name, grade and telephone number on the back.

The Turtle Race will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, July 5th at the courthouse. The race is being sponsored by the Clarendon Jaycees. Age groups include one day to five years old; six to 10; and 11 to 15 years old. Entries must register at Spier's Department Store.

Parade Marshal Darryl Leffew announced this week trophy divisions for the annual parade scheduled to 1 p.m. Friday. The divisions are: Open, Antique Cars; Most Unique; Floats; and Riding Club. Jim Hayes and Bright Newhouse will be the announcers for the parade. They will be located on Main and Kearney Streets. Judges will be Ronnie Gooch, Antone Riggs and Janice Knopp. Homer Bones will judge the antique cars.

So far six floats have entered the parade. They are Beta Sigma Phi, Bob Wills Queen from Turkey, Clarendon Dairy Queen, Clarendon Girl Scouts, and Howardwick Lions Club. Riding Clubs will be Roundup Club, Amarillo; Lace and Leather Riding Club, Pampa; Clarendon Roping Club; and Childress Riding Club.

Also to be on hand for the parade will be Jack Hightower, 13th Congressional District. The queens contestants will be on horseback for the parade. Decorated vehicles entered in the parade are: Forrester Recreational Vehicle Center, Amarillo; Chamberlain Motor Co.; Alderson Motor Co.; Palmer Motor Co.; Clarendon Sportsman Club; Big Texan Steak House, Amarillo; Clarendon Lions Club; Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department; and Howardwick Volunteer Fire Department. The Kwahadi Indians of Amarillo will be here for the parade also.

Band To March

Special note to members of the Clarendon High School Band.

HELLO! The band will march in the Fourth of July Parade and every band member in town will be needed. Band members are urged to meet at the band hall one hour before the parade for organizing and final instructions.

Jamie Hall, assistant Drum Major, will direct the band in the absence of both Band Director, Mark Mauldin who is on vacation and Drum Major, Laz Brumley who will be riding in the parade as last years Rodeo Queen.

Medallions Go On Sale July 4th

Donley County Centennial and Bicentennial Medallions will go on sale during the annual Rodeo celebration July 4th.

The medallion, designed by Mrs. Betsy Hawkins of Clarendon, is being sponsored by the Donley County Historical Survey Committee.

The cost of the medallions will be \$25 for numbered 999 silver and \$2.50 for bronze. The first five numbered medallions will be auctioned beginning at 11 a.m. on Friday, July 4 on the courthouse grounds. Jimmy Kent will serve as auctioneer. After the celebration, the

medallions will be made available at the three county banks, the Donley County State Bank, Farmers State Bank and Trust Company and the Hedley Security State Bank.

Proceeds from the sale of the medallions will be used by the Committee to purchase markers for historical sites in Donley County.

Members of the Historical Survey Committee include Clarence Hamilton, Wayne Eggers, Mrs. Emmitt Simmons, Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Mike Booth, Mrs. Bobby Boston, Jerry Courtney, Johnny Bates, Paul Hancock and Molly Ritter.

Ashtola-Martin

by MRS. HUBERT RHOADES

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Bible made a trip to Amarillo Monday and visited the Cumbies.

Pete Darrell was released from Hall County Hospital Tuesday.

Wendol Bolin and son Darrel of Pampa visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Bible and Darrel

stayed for a longer visit with his uncle and aunt.

Mrs. Austin Rhoades of Medical Center Nursing home is on the sick list at this time.

Mrs. Kay Green of Phillips visited Wednesday with her mother Mrs. Austin Rhoades and stopped by the Hubert Rhoades enroute home.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley attended the funeral services for H.T. Warner.

Our sympathy to the Warner family in the loss of their loved one.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lockwood of Amarillo were guest in the Skeet Brown home for supper Wednesday night.

Mrs. Wanda Talley Doug and Peggy of Hedley visited Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Naomi Green and her daughter Mrs. Jerry Green.

Stacy Casteel of Amarillo is vacationing at his grandmother Tolberts and visiting others.

Tuesday Ellen Green accompanied the summer home making class and their instructor, Jane Metkiff, to Amarillo and in Canyon they went through the museum in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Cumbie and children of Amarillo came to the Clovis Bibles Thursday they had spent Wednesday night at Greenbelt Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Bible and Darrel were in Wellington Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Sursa have moved to their home in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Green, Jason and Lori were at the Horace Greens Thursday.

Mrs. Beth Payne and Charlotte visited Friday at the Horace Greens.

Mrs. David Neatherly, Mrs. Ella Beggs and children of Shreveport spent Friday and Saturday in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. T.B. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hall.

Mrs. Ruth Clay and Wayne went to Canyon Friday afternoon and Mary came home with them for the weekend.

Derlene Grahams aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Derdivanis of Fresno, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Ward of Memphis visited

Saturday with the J.R. Grahams.

Mr. and Mrs. James Proch of Amarillo helped Joe D. Prock celebrate his 11th birthday on Friday with dinner at the Bob Prock home. Congratulations Joe.

Burnice Porter and James of Skellytown visited Friday with his sister and family Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Clay.

Mrs. Dill's sister Mrs. Ben Hicks of Denton and her son Jedkins of Louisville, Texas spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill.

Mrs. Rhonda Green and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Green had lunch with the Horace Greens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill and Mrs. Ben Hicks and Jedkins visited the lady's aunt, Mrs. Della White in Spearman. Also Mr. and Mrs. James Riley in Perryton they visited the Bill Hall family on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Naylor and Jonna of Thalia and Jill Maxwell of Borger and Mrs. Jerry Green visited Sunday afternoon in the Horace Green home.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McNutt and grandson of Pittsburgh and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Moffett spent Monday night with Mrs. Eula Moffitt in Clarendon.

Guy Murphy and Phillip Russel of Amarillo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Tolbert.

Mrs. Dick Roehr and children of Silverton visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Lane.

Mrs. Ben Hicks and Jedkins returned to their homes Sunday.

Tom Hickman of Canyon visited in the B.H. Clay home and took Mary back to Canyon.

Mary Belle DeBord of Hedley visited Sunday with Mrs. Ollie Nelson and others.

David Neatherly of Shreveport flew into Amarillo Friday night to be with the Nelson family.

Mrs. Ella Beggs, Mr. and Mrs. David Neatherly and children returned to their home in Shreveport on Sunday.

Neal Carter of Lane Okla. visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Morgan of Fritch had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Moffitt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahaffey and Hugh were guest in the Hubert Rhoades home for dinner Sunday. Happy birthday Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. H.S. Mahaffey visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett.

Mike Graham stopped by the Hubert Rhoades Monday morning.

Doyle Littlefield is a patient at the hospital in Amarillo he will have extensive surgery on his back again.

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Visiting in the L.A. Watson home Saturday were Dortha Reynold, C.I. Casteel of Amarillo and Otis Bohanon of Clarendon and Mrs. Wesley Mills and Kent of Lelia Lake.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Schull of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. James Lee of Pampa spent Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schull.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Watson visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hearn Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schull, Mr. and Mrs. James Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Kenney Schull, Tracy and Kelley Nance enjoyed a picnic at Thompson Park in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Land visited his sister Mrs. Clarence Casin at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo Sunday.

quitting club

Goldston Quilting Club met Thursday, June 12, in the home of Mae Wilkinson, visiting and "42", were enjoyed by members: Blanche Higgins, Eleanor Martin, Joy Roberson, Lilla Roberts, Della Allen, Verdine Herrington, Inez Smith, and visitors Lena Mae Graham, Peggy Wilkinson, Lee Ann, Alma Mae and Grady Jr. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess Mae Wilkinson. Our next meeting will be July 10 with Bonnie Davis if the water goes down.

Mrs. Oma Bourland of Maybank, Mrs. Lotta Davis of Fort Arthur and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourland of Ennis visited the Fred Keys Monday enroute to Canada.

TEXAS TALK



by **BILL COLLIER**
Branch Manager

All it takes is a glance at your own checkbook to know that in the long run you have to have more coming in than going out. The same principal works with nations as well. That's why an international trade surplus is more desirable than a trade deficit. American farmers last year did far more than any other segment of U-S industry to reduce a trade deficit topped off by the prices of mid-eastern oil. Agricultural exports last year were worth 22 billion dollars, producing an agricultural trade surplus of nearly 12 billion. This contribution by food and fiber producers brought our total deficit to 3 billion dollars. Still high, but much less than some economists thought it would be. Those figures from last year are considered by many to be the harbinger of agriculture's future importance to the U-S position in world affairs. Farmers and ranchers are moving more directly into the limelight as they produce enough to keep us number one.


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Little Micheal Shadle continues to improve with his broken arm. He stayed with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shadle while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neal Shadle were in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Watson and Bro. and Mrs. Charlie Floyd visited at the L.A. Watsons Monday night while the storm was on.

Ray Bethel and granddaughter Lorena Webb, Veda Tims and Polly Schull visited Wednesday with Mrs. Charlie Hearn.

Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Watson and the Charlie Floyd family visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Montie Land of Merkel, Texas is visiting the Bill Lands.

Mrs. Clarence Casin of Wellington had major surgery at St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land visited his sister, Mrs. Clarence Casin at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Otis Bohanon and Gwen visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. L.A. Watson.

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EDITORIAL OPINION

No people in the world enjoy more affluence...no people enjoy greater individual freedom to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness than we do in the United States, nor is no nation more protective of the cause of freedom for our citizens and for other peoples of the world.

The signers of our constitution perceived far beyond the horizon they actually saw...they were mature and thoughtful men. Their thinking was orderly, mature and remarkably far-sighted. But yet how many of us today really realize what we have. Although many of us in the United States have faced hardships, we still don't really know what it is like to live without the freedom to come and go as we please or to say what we think.

A letter written a few years ago by a native of Germany...who is now a United States citizen and who refers to himself as a "Texan" said, "I think of the Stars and Stripes as the flag of one nation, a nation created by people from every country in the world, each speaking his own tongue and each continuing the customs of his native land, yet all having but one thought and spirit, 'Freedom With Democracy.'"

"How did this miracle happen and why is this God blessed paradise of freedom taken as a matter of normal existence?"

"Nearly 200 years, only a moment out of the history of the world, yet in which a new race was created, a new alloy in the composition of the human race, an indestructible people who moved with indomitable spirit to a high plateau to show the world the beacon of a free union of men, moved not by dictatorial power nor by subjugation, neither to conquer the world.

"This virgin land which God endowed with bountiful gifts of nature, for the benefit of mankind, was attacked by greedy nations from the world at large. It stumbled unhaltingly through adversities, fighting each other for a good cause. The loss was great, but the people arose in spite of all odds, to greater heights. They became stronger than any people in the world, with the strength and faith, blessed by God, to build a temple of free existence.

"Our helping hand reached far and wide throughout the world and we gave without recourse, we shared our blessings with our foreign friends. One aim only exists in this land, and that is to strive for Peace. No plottings to wage war or spreading of diseases such as Hate and Fear, and no isms or false ideals.

"The Miracle of America stems from the desire to live with integrity, to 'love thy neighbor' and follow the divine guidance of our Lord."

Surely, it behooves all Americans on this day, the birth of the United States 199 years ago, to refresh our memories of what the men at Philadelphia declared for and against. And, in retrospect, survey the progress of nearly two centuries under the system of government that endeavors to educate all...that sends men to the moon. What system of government could better assure to each of its citizens the rights of Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness.

Singing Group To Be At Baptist Church Sunday

The Singing Flanagans will be present at all services of the Calvary Baptist Church this Sunday, July 6.

Johnny and Nelda Flanagan are no strangers in these parts of Texas. They have appeared at the Calvary Baptist Church several times in the past four years.

The Flanagans will be singing at the 10 a.m. service and the 11 a.m. service and have charge of the entire song service at the 7 p.m. service. There is no charge and everyone is encouraged to come and hear one of the finest Gospel Singers in this part of Texas.

Howardwick Has \$1037 In Fund For Bicentennial

The Howardwick Bicentennial fund continues to grow as a total of \$1037 has been donated of the needed \$1500 for the fund's portion of the siren system.

The latest contributions are: Joe Wells, \$25; Mrs. W.A. Lamm, \$10; Walter Jasper, \$25; Bonnie Castarelli, \$20; and Ray Taylor, \$25.

The siren system will be installed to help improve the warning system for area residents during time of pending danger such as tornadoes. An addition \$463 is needed to complete the cost of the system when it arrives.

The Howardwick Bicentennial committee is planning to sell barbecue sandwiches, cold drinks and ice cream on Saturday, July 5th at the dedication of the new City Hall to help raise the necessary funds. The dedication ceremony and activities for the weekend will be held from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m.

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Country Club Corners

The big event last week was the Ladies Partnership tournament. It drew 80 golf playing gals who really had a good time. The winners in the Championship flight were Mary Hudgins, Clarendon, and Callie Combest, Panhandle in first place with 65 strokes. In second place there was a three way tie between Paulette Reed and Jan Elston of Pampa and Pat Drake-Gloria Cushenberry of Amarillo and Jean Hassell and Charlot Riddle of Childress with 67.

The first flight was won by Billie Holton and Louise Mayberry of Wellington with 66. Second place went to Billie Chaveaux, Claude and Dorothy Hood, Amarillo with 67. Third place wound up in a tie between Barbara Maddox and Martha Campbell of Memphis and Avis Hutchinson and Jo Ann Attaway with 71. Second flight winners were Nancy Shelton and Glen Bromley, Clarendon, with 68. Second place went to Sue Winborn and Nita Hill of Pampa 70. Third place was won by Sue McIver and Maxine Hardin of Clarendon with 72 strokes. The weather was ideal for golf in spite of a few blistered necks and noses. Gordon McIver and staff served a delicious meal to the participants after which the awards were made. The entire event was deemed "highly successful."

Every Thursday night is "Family Night" and good crowds are always in attendance to partake of the excellent buffet and games which follow. Try to come out tonight and get in on the fun. This writer did not hear of any birthday celebrations during the week but was informed that the Gene Whites helped the Owen Johnsons celebrate their wedding anniversary at the club. You should have your calendar of events for July by now. We hope that you will take advantage of these opportunities to enjoy the activities of your club as they are scheduled. A couple of July Scotch golf tournaments will be announced soon so get ready for these because they are great fun. Drinking water from the wells of Howardwick's Sherwood Shores is being piped to several locations on the golf course and other improvements are underway such as the installations of the steel tower to support our pumps at lakeside plus the expansion of sewage facilities etc. If you have any questions pertaining to the club please call Gordon McIver or Lendon white.

See you at the club this week.

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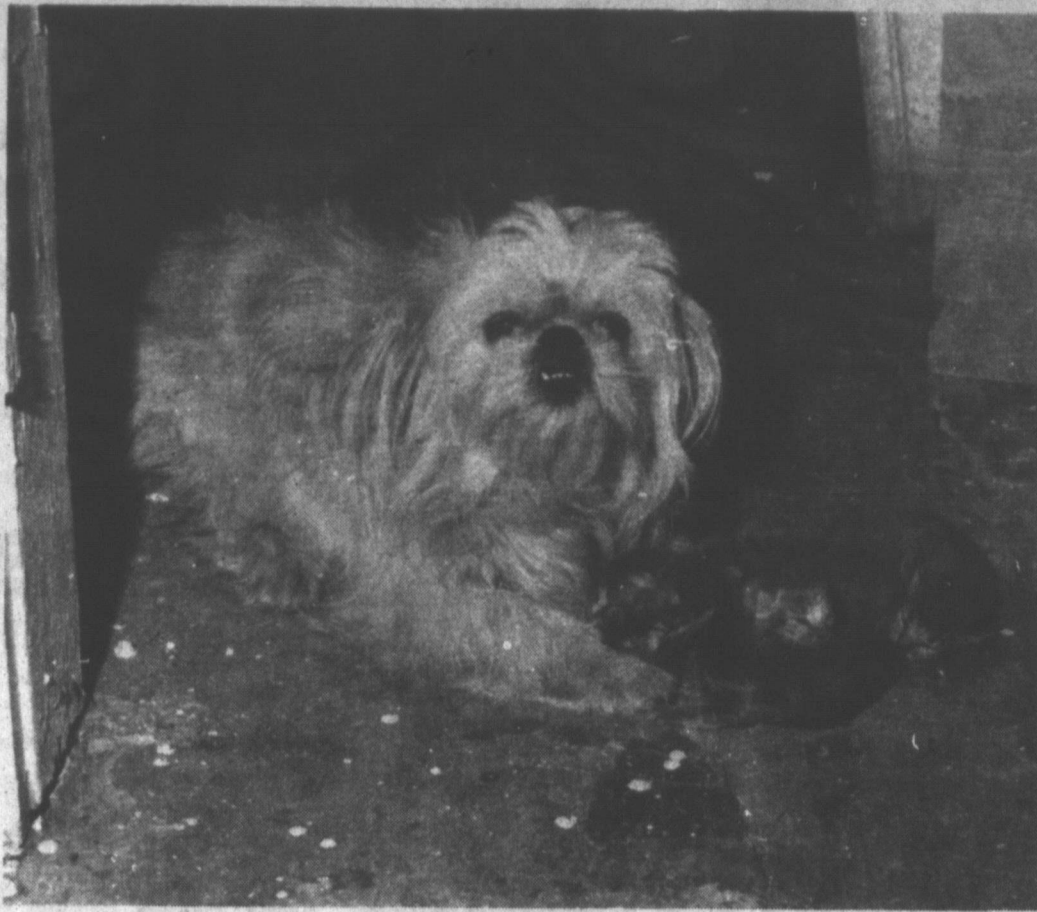
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Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be promptly corrected, upon being brought to the attention of the managing editor, Marty Eady.



FHA Seek Help With Craft Booth

A special call to members of the Clarendon Future Homemakers of America Club (and future FHA ers) went out this week for help in furnishing and manning the craft booth during the Fourth of July Celebration.

Officers of the club are urging members to put their artistic abilities to work and provide items of craft to be sold.

We need you as well as your craft. We will need workers for the booth as well as your crafts, officers pointed out.

FHA members are to contact Ava Hasty, Janie Hall or Miss Jane Metcalf at the Home Economics Department. FHA members are to have their crafts at the homemaking department by Thursday afternoon.

Class Reunion

The Senior Class of 1965 of Clarendon High School will hold their 10-year reunion at Greenbelt Lake, July 4th at 5 p.m.

Anyone wanting further information, call Aubrey Graham: 874-3506.

dogs and cats

Who says dogs and cats can't get along? At the Walter Johnston's dog and five cats don't seem to have any problems living together. In fact the only problems between Toy, the Johnston's five-year-old pikapoo dog, and Mother Cat is that Toy thinks she is Mother Cat's four three-week old kitten's mother. It is nothing to find Toy in the box with the four kittens, or even to find all six animals in the box at the same time.

PRESS PHOTO Cotton John's Family In Parade

The family of the late "Cotton John Smith," noted television farm personality, will be in Clarendon Friday to take part in the annual Saints Roost Celebration parade.

Smith, known all over the Panhandle for his on-the-spot farm news reporting for Amarillo television, was memorialized by a scholarship fund for ag journalism at Clarendon College.

Here to take part in the parade, riding in an automobile furnished by Chamberlain Motor Co., will be Mrs. Jackie Smith, Jr. two children, Victoria and John Garland (Little Cotton John) Smith, Jr.

Senior Queen Contestants Have Cookout

The Senior Queen contestants had a cookout June 30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Martin. The sponsors of each girl were the guests.

Those present were Connie McAnear and sponsor, Jaycees, Bill Spear, Gina, Budgette; Tami Douthitt, Kiwanis, Basil Smith; Nancy Owens, Roping Club, Mr. and Mrs. David Owens; Kim Rodney, Howardwick Lions, Mr. and Mrs. John Sarich; Laura Holland, Beta Sigma Phi, Thelma Waters, Tracy and Adenia; Ava Hasty, Dairy Queen and the present reigning queen, Liz Bromley, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bromley and Ed, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Moore, Kim and Stephanie.

The votes were also counted for the contestants. They showed Mary Nell McGarity with 2104, Kim Radney with 4140; Connie McAnear with 3024; Nancy Owens with 3418; Tami Douthitt with 4946; Laura Holland with 779 and Ava Hasty with 1793.

The Senior Queen will be crowned July 5. Everyone is encouraged to vote for their favorite candidate.

Junior Queen Contestants Have Practice

The Junior Queen contestants met June 26 at the rodeo arena for a practice session. The Junior Queen will be chosen Thursday, July 3 after the Junior show. The queen will be chosen on horsemanship and showmanship by a panel of judges.

The contestants are Susan Mosley, 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Mosley; Shellie Hill, 12 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill; Kim McAnear, 13 year old granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.W. McAnear; Stephanie Johnson, 10 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Johnson; Shalane Chamberlain, 10 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Chamberlain; Linnie Rae Salmon, 10 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Salmon, Stephanie Anderson, 10 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Moore.

Swimming lessons will begin July 7 at the Armstrong County Swimming Pool in Claude, Texas. This is the second session of lessons to be held.

Registration for lessons will continue through July 6. Register at the swimming pool office during pool hours or call 226-6511. After pool hours call 226-5691. Lessons will be offered for age 3 and up.

New Car Registrations

1974 Opel, purchased by Gary L. Smotherman, Childress from Chamberlain Motor Co.

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1975 Pontiac, purchased by J.R. Wyatt Construction, Dallas from Chamberlain Motor Co.

1975 GMC pickup, purchased by Gorman Finley, Childress from Chamberlain Motor Co.

1975 GMC pickup, purchased by Bobby Babcock, Groom from Chamberlain Motor Co.

1975 Cadillac, purchased by W.B. Stevenson, Jr., Amarillo from Chamberlain Motor Co.

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1975 Pontiac, purchased by W.H. Martin, Amarillo from Chamberlain Motor Co.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bailey and family of Los Angeles were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Jones, Jr. Monday.

Sidney and Jane Tice and little Mandi are visiting her mother, Mrs. Geonah Lowe. They are in route to Altanta, Go. after a town duty in Korea.



TOP FIDDLING AWARD—Emmett Simmons, president of the Farmers State Bank (left) and Harvie Price, owner of Price's Truck Stop, are shown with a silver platter which Price is giving as the top award in the Old Fiddlers Contest. Simmons gave \$100 toward the \$300 cash prizes. Other donors include Douglas Shelton and Frank Derrick.

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MRS. JAMES DAVID JONES
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Linda Hall Weds James David Jones

In a candlelight ceremony performed on June 12 in the Calvary Baptist Church, Miss Linda Sue Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle C. Hall, became the bride of James David Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Jones of Mobile, Alabama.

Rev. Roy Sullivan read the marriage rites in the double ring ceremony, before an altar accented with two candelabra and a unity candelabra entwined with greenery and white and blue tapers. Palms and greenery covered the background and the couple knelt for prayer before a white satin prie dieu. Pews were marked with four ials candelabra entwined with greenery and blue and white tapers.

Monte Roehr and David Lane, cousins of the bride, lighted the candles. Mrs. James Moffett sang an original number "God Given Love" and Miss Edna Watts sang "The Lord's Prayer" during the ceremony.

Miss Janie Hall attended her sister as maid of honor and Miss Debra Rowe of Dallas was bridesmaid. Both wore identical light blue floor length dresses and picture hats trimmed with blue. They carried nose gays of white carnations. Little Miss Julie Phillips, niece of the groom, of Springfield, Missouri served as flower girl. She was dressed in blue with white accessories.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length white gown with an A-line skirt of peau de soie accented with lace. The empire waist and long sleeves of white lace trimmed in white pearls complimented the gown that featured a chapel length train and veil of illusion. She carried a nosegay of white daisies, blue carnations and baby's breath. Train bearers were Shelia and Diane Moffett who wore blue dresses and white accessories.

Alan Maddox of Springfield Missouri attended the groom as best man. Ushers were Dan Hall, brother of the bride, and Joe Wheeler.

Mrs. Hall wore a floor length tan dress featuring a long sleeved lace jacket, tan and white accessories and a white corsage for her daughter's wedding.

RECEPTION

A reception, hosted by the bride's parents, was held in the fellowship hall of the church immediately following the ceremony. The bride's table, was covered with white lace over blue and centered with a floral arrangement of white daisies and blue carnations flanked by blue candles in crystal holders. Misses Shauna Hardin, Julie Wise and Brenda Turner, cousin of the bride, presided at the bride's table from which were served punch and white frosted wedding cake decorated with sugar bells, silver wedding rings and blue roses.

The groom's table was covered with white lace over blue and the center piece carried out a golfing theme. The chocolate cake, accented with white roses, and coffee were served by Misses Judy Adams and Debra Roehr, cousin of the bride. Other members of the house party were Mmes. Jake Moffett, Olin Watts, Travis Ivey and Roy Sullivan.

Miss Crystal Tatum presided at the bride's book. The bride chose a yellow pant suit with orange accessories for the couple's wedding trip to Mobile, Alabama. She wore a white corsage from her bridal bouquet.

The bride is a graduate of Clarendon High School and attended Baptist College in Springfield, Missouri. The groom is a graduate of Theodore High School of Mobile, Alabama and is completing his pastorate degree at Baptist Bible College in Springfield. The couple will make their home in Springfield following their wedding trip.

by MAURINE A. TRAVIS

Q. I'm presently receiving social security benefits while attending college. Will I receive my benefits during June, July and August since I do not plan to attend summer school?

A. Yes, your benefits will continue uninterrupted if you period of non-attendance is not longer than four months, and if you plan to resume full-time attendance in the fall semester.

Q. I am completing college at a junior college this year. I plan to attend college again later but perhaps not for another year. Will I be able to receive social security benefits again later on if I decide to return to college?

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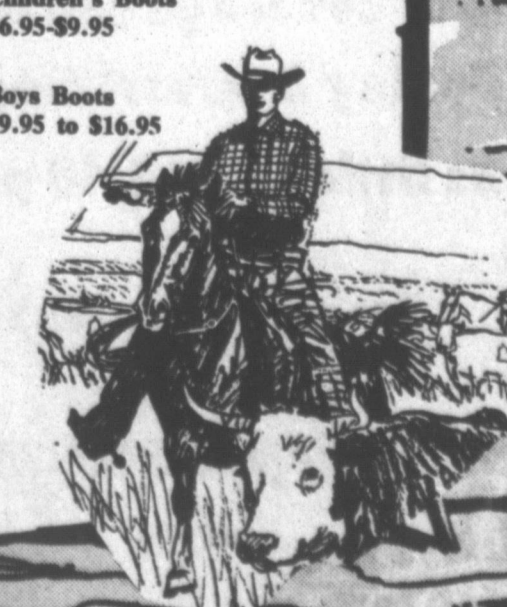


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Martin Baptists Plan Homecoming

The Martin Baptist Church will have its homecoming on Sunday, August 3, with Rev. J.M. Sibley of Beeville bringing the message. A covered dish luncheon will be held at the noon hour that day and the remainder of the afternoon will be spent in testimony and renewing old friendships. The Martin Baptist Church will be the site of the reunion. It was first a school sixty-seven years ago and in 1919 the Martin Baptist Church was organized and held church services in the school building.

Mann's Hold Reunion Here

The Mann Reunion was held Sunday at the Chamberlain Community Center. Present for the get-together were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dingler, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tendlet, Jay and Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Mann and Mark, Mrs. Mary Mann, Donna, Starla, Susan and Matt all of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Garth Carter, Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Abe Turner, Sharon and April, Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Hal Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann and Cheryl, Mr. and Mrs. Gwovis Kennard and Jennifer, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Carter of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Baggett, Edith Bain and Keith Mann of Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Babbitt, Scott and Lise of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. James Baggett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kendrick and Patti Lash of Pampa.



A WASHED OUT BRIDGE DID not stop the Girl Scouts at Quiver Scout Camp. They just moved to Hagy Ranch and spent the remainder of the time there. Attending a picnic in the park were Nelda Burrow, Renda White, Lori Robinson, Gina Spier, Dalyn Crosslin, Kristen Walker, Connie Garman, Dondra Holland, Kay Bell, Gayla Clifford, Tish Robinson, Amy Hancock, Rebecca Sowers, Susan Mosley, Mary Kay Hayes, Kimberly Formway, Lori Mays, Rachel Bow-

ing, Gwendy Kerlee, Denise Richardson, Nessa Brandon, Traci Burch, Ansley Payne, Janet Risley, Christi Page, Jennifer Cox, Brigett Spier, Buffle Hancock, DeLis Robinson, Tanya Bell, Colleen Cox, Tim Cox, Lisa Birch, Richard Richardson, and Lindy Bowling. Director for the group is Joy Martin. Linda Kay Bell is the nurse; the leaders are Connie Robinson, Darlene Spier and Gloria Cox. The assistants are Ruth Hancock, Nita Mosley, Cheryl Burch, Hennritta Richardson and Connie Bowling.



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STATE CAPITAL

Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Gov. Dolph Briscoe's veto of 136 college building projects (which he estimated would cost more than \$1 billion) may be the subject of a court case.

Charges Filed On Three Here

Charges of disorderly conduct were filed against three Clarendon men following an altercation Sunday night at a local drive-in grocery. The three were arrested by City Night Patrolman Homer Holman and jailed overnight. Eric Rippetoe and his brother, David Rippetoe, pled guilty to the charges and paid fines of \$27.50 each. Jesse Carter, manager of the store, pled not guilty and posted an appearance bond. Meanwhile additional charges have been filed, a charge of general trespass against David Rippetoe and of reckless conduct, a class B misdemeanor against Carter. The altercation took place at Allsup's Convenience Store on Highway 287.

University of Texas Board of Regents Chairman Allan Shivers said UT regents will defy the veto and go ahead with at least two of the rejected projects. Shivers claims the veto is unconstitutional. He said the attorney general long ago held the governor cannot veto appropriations bill riders which do no call for specific expenditures. The chairman further contends that UT projects will be financed with constitutional funds which cannot be controlled by an act of the legislature. Briscoe maintains that UT, like other schools, must get College Coordinating Board approval of its construction projects under a new law—or specific legislative approval. He voted the projects, in the first place, because he interpreted them as an effort to bypass the new statute by a subterfuge prior legislative approval through the appropriations riders. State Comptroller Bob Bullock has indicated he will approve none of the UT building project vouchers in

controversy without an attorney general's opinion. It has been hinted regents may seek a declaratory judgment in court to uphold their position.

Campaign Begins

Campaign for adoption of the proposed new state constitution November 4 already is shaping up. Former Texas Supreme Court Chief Justice Robert W. Calvert will lead the drive for voter support. Top officials who are supporting the new charter include Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, House Speaker Bill Clayton, Atty. Gen. John Hill and Supreme Court Chief Justice Joe Greenhill. Governor Briscoe did not attend the initial meeting to kick off campaign plans. He made clear later that he has not made up his mind whether or not to support the revision. He has never been a supporter of annual legislative sessions. Briscoe reminded. The new constitution would provide for annual legislative sessions. It also would broaden powers of the governor consid-

Committee Recesses

A House committee studying possible impeachment proceedings against 229th District Judge O. P. Carrillo recessed until July 9 to allow its staff time to catalogue evidence.

Courts Speak

The State Supreme Court upheld an intermediate court judgment dissolving an injunction by Judge O. P. Carrillo against oil operations on the Clinton Manges Duval County ranch. The Court of Criminal Appeals affirmed a life sentence given a Laredo rancher in the 1972 shooting of five Mexican aliens on his ranch. A \$535,866 judgment for a truck driver who was dis-

abled when he ran into a train on a foggy night was upheld by the Supreme Court.

Truckers' \$363,646 breach of contract suit verdict against the Houston Chronicle was affirmed by the Supreme Court. At issue was an agreement to transport newspapers.

An Austin district judge stopped Austin and Dallas commercial colleges from enrolling new students until they refund \$250,000 in tuitions to former students. The judge also restrained an Indiana truck driving school from violations of the propriety school act.

AG Opinions

Atty. Gen. John Hill held records on suspension or revocation of alcoholic beverage licenses, except those excepted by statute, are public and should be disclosed. In other recent opinions, Hill concluded: Information submitted to the Board of Insurance to fix workmen's compensation coverage rates is public. An applicant for an occupational driver's license must offer valid proof of having an auto liability insurance policy.

Dimmitt Man Charged With Breaking Probation

James Ernest Eves of Dimmitt was arrested here Friday and charged with breaking probation.

Eves was released on a \$2,000 bond. Arresting officer was Deputy Sheriff Steve Vines. Eves was originally charged on March 3 with driving while intoxicated and given a two-year probation sentence.

Meanwhile in other police news, Justice of the Peace Carroll Lewis submitted his report for June to the County Commissioners Court.

According to Judge Lewis report 109 cases were filed, 76 disposed of and \$1,745.50

levied in fines and \$190 in taxes. Five game violations were filed, eight disposed of and \$95 in fines and \$20 in taxes were collected. Other cases filed included

two concerning the Greenbelt Water Authority, one civil case, seven felonies, and seven warnings administered. Judge Lewis officiated at one inquest and at a hearing for a drivers license suspension.

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Currier & Ives Lithographs To Be On Display Here



Clyde Price, office manager of Emmett O. Simmons Insurance, 310 S. Kearney, will host an art exhibition of original lithographs published by Currier & Ives from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. on Thursday, July 3rd and again on 9 a.m. until noon on Friday, July 4th at the local agency. The exhibit is open to the public.

The 22 Currier and Ives prints are what is commonly known as lithographs. Translated literally from the Greek, litho means stone; graph means writing or drawing. The illustration is drawn with a grease crayon on a special kind of soft, flat porous stone. In printing, the stone is moistened with water, then inked with a grease ink. The ink adheres to the surface previously touched by the artist's crayon, but having no affinity for water, does not stick to the part of the stone where there is no drawing. A piece of paper pressed against the stone will then pick up some of the ink and retain an impression of the original drawing. The process can be repeated indefinitely. The impression on the paper is the reverse of the image on the stone, hence the necessity for the artist to draw the subject on the stone in reverse as if he was looking in a mirror. Most Currier and Ives prints were lithographed only in black. Colors were put on by hand.

The prints in this exhibition are from the collection of The Travelers Insurance Companies, Hartford, Conn. Some of the prints were sold directly from the shop in which they were produced. Dealers carried stocks of them. Many were peddled about the streets in push-cars. Small prints sold for 15, 20 or 25 cents; larger ones up to \$3.00 each. There was some justification for the higher proportionate price of large folios. They were better subjects, by the best artists, put on stone more carefully and with greater detail, the grain of the stone was finer, more colors were used and they were applied more carefully. These superiorities are reflected in the present prices.

Explorer Scout Notes

We had a good turnout Monday, June 30, for our meeting. We got the dunking board almost ready to set up and start getting people wet.

The Explorers and cheerleaders are going in together on the dunking board.

We will have a meeting tonight, Thursday, 7 p.m. at the Spivey's house. Come prepared to work for a short time at the house. Also we need people to work during the day, Friday, July 4, on the court house lawn.

Participation on Thursday, Friday or Saturday night at the rodeo concession stand, or working Friday during the County Fair in our booth will receive 20 points on their attendance record. Remember 100 points is the minimum you can have to be able to go on the ski trip.

CLYDE PRICE of Emmett O. Simmons Insurance observes one of the Currier and Ives paintings, "Clipper Ship" which will be one of the 22 paintings on display on Thursday and Friday this week. The original lithograph exhibit will be held from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. on Thursday and from 9 a.m. until noon on Friday.

[PRESS PHOTO]

Letter To Editor

In reply to Peabody's letter, I'm for Mr. Hicks. This is a Christian man who never knowingly wronged anyone. This man works after hours on our roads himself. Sometimes he works until dark. Does anyone know of any other commissioner who can even drive the equipment or works like this?

Several years ago two people drowned trying to cross at the R.R. crossing at Martin. Since that time all of Martin and some Clarendon people have used the road beside the R.R. at one time or another. We did use it to go to church when it was bad weather. The R.R. knew this and overlooked it until Peabody made it a public issue.

When Mr. Hicks had work done in another precinct, what real difference could it make? It's all county money, and if the money is divided equally between the precincts, then a city park could not have been built with county money and county equipment, unless the other precincts got one too.

I believe Peabody is stirring this up to further another cause he has going. I believe if it were put to a vote, Mr. Hicks would be elected again.

Thank you,
Mrs. Jack Owens

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Attends Electric School

STILLWATER--A Clarendon resident, Theron Holland, among 100 electric cooperative and municipal employees from Texas, N.M., and Okla. in attendance at the recent Tri-State Electric Distribution School on the Oklahoma State University campus.

Participants in the three-day workshop received instructions on new techniques and equipment used in underground distribution and electric utilities.

Areas of emphasis in the program included the fundamentals of handling and installing equipment, system design, fault finding, and trouble shooting.

The third annual workshop was sponsored by Oklahoma Job Training and Safety in conjunction with the OSU School of Agricultural Engineering.

Ronald Longan Jr. Rites

DIMMITT-Ronald Longan Jr., 3, died June 27 at Plains Memorial Hospital following an illness of several months.

The funeral was held Sunday in the Bedford Street Church of Christ with Viggo Ulrich, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Clarendon Cemetery by Dennis Funeral Home. The child was born in Amarillo.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Longan Sr.; a sister, Kyndle of the home, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Longan and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberson, all of Clarendon.

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Eddie Carmichael Cited By Amarillo Big Brothers Group

By Daniel Slak
State Department of Highways and Public Transportation

Two years ago when Carlos Carillo's mother first ushered the boy into the Big Brothers office in downtown Amarillo Carlos' outward appearance was impeccable. Every hair on the brawny six-year-old's head was in place.

"That's good. But for a six-year-old boy destined by size to play with the Green Bay Packers!" Those were the instant reflections of Big Brothers case worker Wayne Weaver.

Then along came Eddie Carmichael, a 24-year-old Big Brother prospect, a straightforward kind of person who liked to cook (so did Carlos).

Wayne Weaver (remember? he's the case worker) remarked recently that he can't recall being more pleased with himself since he matched Eddie and Carlos as Big and Little Brother.

Only nine months after the two were introduced, the Big Brothers of Amarillo, Inc. staff named Eddie Carmichael Big Brother for May-June. Customarily, recognition for Eddie was posted on a billboard adjacent to a street in one of the city's busiest commercial areas.

Eddie Carmichael, now of Amarillo, is a maintenance technician with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. He performs his various maintenance tasks along the expressway system in Amarillo.

Eddie has spent an average of 27 1/2 hours per month doing something with Carlos even if it is only talking with him on the telephone. In May alone, the Big Brother spent approximately 71 hours with his young sidekick.

Anyone associated with Big Brothers knows that the quantity of time spent is tantamount to the quality of time donated. Eddie's Big Brother of the month status is no fluke. Marked improvements in Carlos' personality have been noted by the boy's mother, Weaver and Eddie. Carlos heretofore was being raised by two women--his mother and an aunt.

An activity sheet that is turned in monthly is required of all Big Brothers (and Big Sisters). YMCA Indian Guide activities dominate the list of events in which both Eddie and Carlos participate together.

The state employee takes special pride in his Indian craft work and encourages Carlos to become involved in the hobby. This July 4th weekend Eddie plans to take Carlos along with him on a three-day trip to the National Indian Guide Center in Bartlesville, Okla.

Besides YMCA Indian Guide activities Carmichael and Carillo have attended car and motorcycle races, made a paddle boat and competed in a paddle boat race, bowled, swam, "rapped," took Christmas presents around, spent the weekend together, camped out, built a kite, gone to the movies and attended an Indian vest fitting.

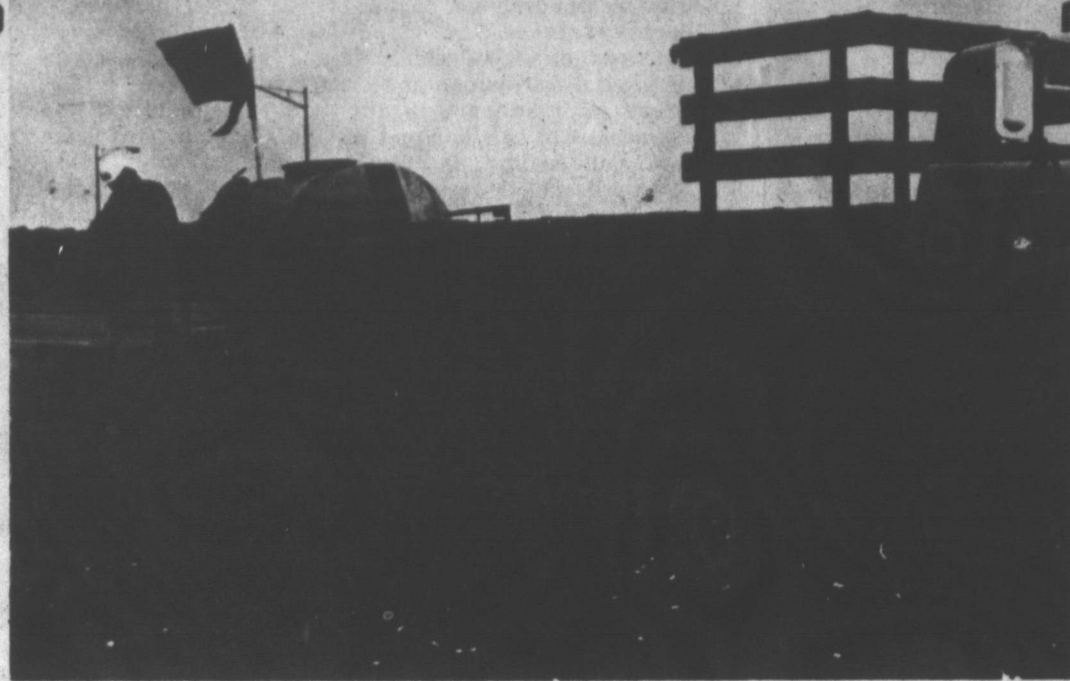
Eddie and his wife, Treva, have two children, Charity, 3, and Melody, 5 months. "Carlos is great for my own kids," admits Eddie. "Charity just loves him. Carlos' sister is named Charity, too."

Carmichael keeps busy with his family, Little Brother, his studies at Amarillo College ("A average his first year) and his weekend preaching at San Jacinto Assembly of God. He is a theology major.

A Clarendon native, he graduated from La Porte High School and has lived in Amarillo five years. He has been an employee of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation since April 1972. His grandmother is Mrs. Lloyd C. Carmichael of 509 East Third, Clarendon.

He used to work in a shoe store, an indoor job. As he now rides the tail end of a flatbed truck, sprays weeds on the highway right of way, mows the grass in the center of an interchange, Eddie's probably happier with his work. That's the kind of person he is.

Eddie Carmichael speaks his mind, doesn't mince words. Yet the care he feels for the world is mirrored in his work, college studies, church guidance and his family, including the young Carlos Carillo.



THAT'S EDDIE CARMICHAEL on the far left spraying a weed control along the edge of Interstate Highway 40 right of way.

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Religious Thoughts

by JAMES O. BRANDON

Those who lived in Clarendon years ago remember the bells that used to toll on every Sunday morning and every July 4th. "I miss the ringing of the church bells," said one old timer of Clarendon.

Bells have always been significant in the history of our world. They are mentioned as early as the second Book of The Bible: "A golden bell and a pomegranate upon the hem of the robe around about" (Exodus 28:34). The Scripture refers to the bells in Zechariah 13:20: "In that day shall there be upon the bells, holiness unto the Lord."

Bells have historically been used to celebrate special events. All over the new world bells rang on July 4, 1776, 199 years ago. When the allied troops pushed the Germans back at the Battle of the Marne, and the Germans surrendered, bells rang in the cathedrals of France, in the great churches of Britain, and all across America and the free world.

For some reason the bells in America have stopped ringing. The bells that called people to worship God on the Lord's day, the bells that rang of freedom, and the bells that chimed of victories won; are strangely quiet in America today. Like our Christian testimony these bells have been muted, like our songs of praise to God, they have been silenced; and like our prayers, they have been throttled. Why not let the bells of America ring again?

If you have forgotten, or never knew, America had a spiritual birth. Columbus, the discoverer, thought of himself as a servant of God. He sailed with prayer and placed a cross on the lead ship and when he landed, he knelt and planted that cross upon the new soil and dedicated the new country to God. When the English settlers landed at Jamestown, their first act was to kneel and dedicate themselves to God, and the new continent to the God who created it.

At the suggestion of Benjamin Franklin, the Constitutional Convention at Philadelphia stopped and knelt in fervent prayer for God's wisdom in framing the Constitution.

America is living in an integrity crisis! Questions are being asked about our honesty. It has been said that we are becoming a nation of dishonest people. We are seeing a culture developing that accepts lying, cheating, and stealing as an acceptable practice in life to accomplish human goals.

We seem to be living in a belief crisis! We have lost our ability to believe or have faith in anyone or anything.

What has produced this frame of mind? Clare Boothe Luce, in a U.S. News and World Report interview said, "Modern man has lost his soul. This is really what is at the root of his malaise." To regain our Christian hope demands a dynamic encounter with a transcendent God who is alive in history and waiting for his people to come home. William Penn said, "Men will be governed by God or they will be ruled by tyrants" (See Jaroy Weber, Baptist Standard, June 11, 1975).

"Some people thank God for an open Bible who never bother to open it."

"Jesus is a very present help in preventing trouble."

"Two men were wrecked on a raft. One of them started to pray--'O Lord, I've broken most of the commandments. I've been an awful sinner all my days. Lord, if you'll spare me I'll..."

The other one shouted..."Hold on, don't commit yourself, I think I see a sail!"

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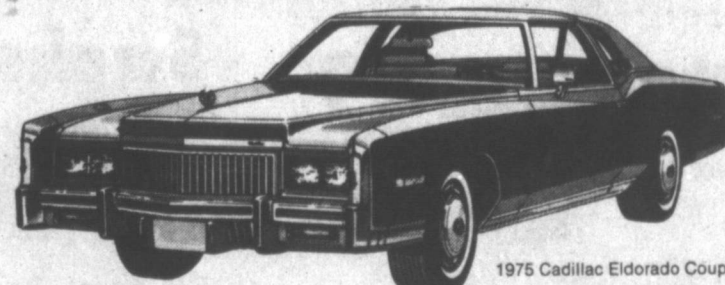
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