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Clarendon Celebrates the 4th

Clarendon still celebrates the Fourth of July as a good, old-fashioned holiday. In doing so they continue a tradition that is as old as the from the 4th through the 7th, with an open-air dance afterwards. community itself.

This year the celebration followed its usual exuberant pattern. Early on the Fourth of July exhibitors set up booths on the courthouse lawn. Some were arts-and-crafts booths, but various organizations supplied refreshments--soft drinks, snow cones, home-made ice cream and other goodies. Quite a few people paid a dollar for five softballs and the chance to dunk one of the cheerleaders in a horsetank.

Physical-fitness types ran in various races that were scheduled early enough that the morning was still fairly cool. Most citizens passively watched the strenuous event, although perhaps with a bit of envy for those in such good condition.

Soon families began to gather for informal reunions, some spread out blankets, while others brought card tables and chairs. When noon approached, Clarendon's Shriners served barbecue. And, of course, right after lunch there was a traditional parade. [Results of the races, parade and other activities will be in next week's paper.]



C.H.S. CHEERLEADERS - Shonda Phillips and Bobbie Havens at the dunking booth on the Courthouse lawn, July 4th.

Supper Planned

The Lelia Lake Community will have their monthly covered dish supper on Saturday, July 14th starting at 7 p.m. in the Lelia Lake Community Center. Everyone is invited to attend.

Chamber **News**

The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce director, San Thompson, met July 5, 1990, with a couple who is interested in locating a business in Clarendon. The new business will market their products through magazine advertising with the products to be delivered throughout the U.S. and some foreign countries.

Obviously their sales will bring new income and jobs to Clarendon.

Reunion Held

The Clarendon High School graduating class of 1960, held their thirty year reunion in the school cafeteria, July 8, 1990 at 4

Class members present were JoAnn Wood Bailey, Ann Weatherly Burton, Wilma Elliott Leffew, Ann Slavin Ray, Glynell Hoggatt McCoy, Kenneth Housden, Sandra Pinkerton Zaring, Shirley Wiedman Wilson, Dewey Wilson, James & Pat McAnear, Steve Mills, Jackie Phillips, Jerry McBrayer, Pat Owen McAnear, Lynn Spier, Don Hudgins, W.N. Elam, Linda Hardin Bell, Jacquie Bell Spenser, Sharon Smith Reynolds, Connie McMurtry Anspacher, Dennis Bradshaw, Judy Johnson Fincher, Sandy Skelton, Pat O'Neal Gattis.

The Outdoor Entertainment Association sponsored a rodeo each night At a time when many small, rural towns are dying, Clarendon is obviously very much "live and kicking".



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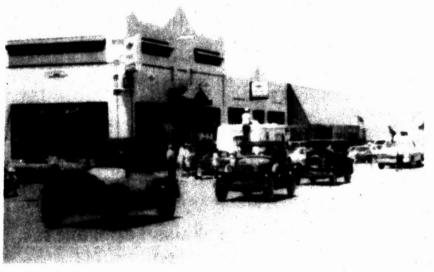
Driving

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Weed and **Brush Control**

The Donley County Extension Livestock and Range Improvement Committee will sponsor a Mesquite Control Field Day on Tuesday, July 17, 1990, in Hedley, Texas. The field day will start at 10:00 a.m. on the Doyle Messer Cont'd On Pg. 3



OLD TIMEY CARS were one of the features of the 4th of July parade.

Rampy Reunion Held

On June 22nd, 23rd and 24th the descendants of J.F.(Jim) Rampy met at the Claude Thomas home for their biennial family reunion.

The oldest son Troy of the Santa Clara, California, and the youngest great grandson 16 day old Tighe Alexander Rampy of Pflugerville, Texas were in attendance.

Plenty of food, talking, picture taking, and games were enjoyed by the following people: Troy and Frances Rampy of Santa Clara, Calif; Troy Lee, Mary Ann and Arianna Rampy of Petaluma, Calif.; Jo Bith and Jim Warner, Sandra and Christopher Mann, Tiffany Fetterman, Tonya and Darren Rouse, all of Amarillo; Jimmy, Stacey, Travis and Tyler Warner of Garden City, Kansas; Aubrey and Margaret Rampy of Oldsman, Florida; Patty, Belinda and Casey Creamer of Leander, Texas; Mike

Rampy of Leander, Texas; David, Robin, Trish and Tighe Rampy of Pflugerville, Texas; Billy Lynn Rampy of Las Cruces, New Mexico; Willa, Trent and Andrea Bolin of Texhoma, Oklahoma; Jessie, Angela, Jessica and Justin Leos of Pampa, Texas; Anthony, Vicki, Kelly, Stevan and Daniel Bolin of Longbeach, Calif.; Janette and Bill Profanchik, Darla and Stephanie Kuntz, Ronda and James Maloney, all of Amarillo: Irven. Kim and Misti Thomas of Amarillo; James Thomas; Arlis Thomas; Gary, Angie, Claudia, and Andrew Thomas, and the hosts, Claude and Onita Thomas, all of Clarendon.

Local friends dropped in for short visits throughout the week-

Locals **Graduate**

Diplomas were awarded to 3,464 Texas A&M University graduates during commencement ceremonies in mid-May.

The degrees were presented at three separate ceremonies featuring speakers U.S. Secretary of Commerce Robert A. Mosbacher, Houston City Council member Beverly Clark and Superconducting Super Collider Laboratory director Dr. Roy F. Schwitters.

Those from Clarendon receiving degrees were Lesia Kaye Fuston who received a Bachelor of Science in Animal Science and Junior Howard Radney who received a Doctor in Veterinary

Vacation Time

Gilkey Clinic will be closed July 21 until August 6th for vacation.

THE CLARENDON SCOUTS FLOAT in the 4th of July Parade.



SOME OF THE MANY PAINTINGS displayed at Greene Dry Goods' new Art Gallery, located upstairs in the store.

Art Gallery Opens

A Defensive Driving course will be held at Clarendon

College on Saturday, July 14, 1990.

It will meet from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00

p.m. in room 101. The fee is \$25.00.

Please contact Clarendon College

at 1-806-874-3571 for further infor-

mation. Upon completion of this

course, participants will be eligible

for a 10% discount on their liability

insurance or dismissal of a traffic

violation. All dismissals of traffic

violations must be approved by the

Bubba and Nancy Newhouse have opened an Art Gallery in their store. Artists from over the Panhandle, as well as local artists have placed their paintings in the upstairs portion of Greene's Dry Goods. These artists have placed their paintings on display not only for your enjoyment, but also priced them reasonably to sell.

Bubba and Nancy Newhouse invite you to come in and browse around

and perhaps you will find just the right painting for your home. Decorate your home with one or more of the many paintings featured in the gallery. You will be richly rewarded by going in and browsing around.

Local artists that have paintings in the Gallery are: Mary Martin, James Ivy Edwards, Lura Dell Helms, Jeff Topper, Doug Burleson, Gayla Fletcher, Carolyn Altman. Other artists are: Dirk Fowler, from Lakeview, who is a student of James Ivy Edwards, Barbara Bode, from Alanreed, Brenda Dyson from Pampa, Lois Jean Timmons, and Josie Smith, from Throckmorton, Texas. Lightnin McDuff, from Amarillo has on display some of his metal sculpture. There are also some Angora hand woven rugs, made by Lisa & Randy Shell from the Kai Ranch in Miles, Texas.

Other artists will be joining who could not make it to this showing.



LISA SHEIL weaving on an Angora rug, during the 4th of July activites.

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by Nova Neuhaus

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to July 4th activities. The 3rd Tuesday night dance will be held on July 17th, at the community bldg, at 8 til 11 p.m. with Melvin Srygley and the Off-Beats furnishing the music.

Vera Hampton has donated another lovely big recliner chair for the Center. We have picked it up and stored it until we can make room for it in the lobby. Thanks again, Vera. Big thanks to Ben Burrow for a box of squash from his garden. We will be enjoying that on this Tuesday, July 10th. So appreciate the extra coffee pots, and silverware and misc. items donated by Robert C. and Lois Jones.

I think everyone had a super day on July 4th at the celebration. Fred Russell was honored as the oldest man and Leslie Salmon the oldest lady to attend the Old Settler's and Elmo Fortenberry, Imogene Reunion. We want to take this op- Glass, Trina Judd, marie Mcportunity to thank our town and Cracken, Bill Meador, Nova community for all their support and donations to the fund-raiser-drawing on the Quilt sponsored by our dance is picking up in spite of Center. The proceeds far surpassed the heat wave. The 1st Tuesday nite our expectations. We can now purdance. July 2nd was cancelled due chase tires for the meal delivery van

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and kitchen equipment that is nonserviceable. Also, big thanks to Nita Meadors and Trudy Davis for donation the booth space at the Country Fair on the Courthouse lawn for the quilt display and ticket box. The lucky winner of the quilt was Margie Bennett of Clarendon. Thank all you volunteers who worked the booth for us, too.

Saturday evening, July 7th, Shirley and Dorothy Pitts took the Ford Van load of local folks to enjoy the Caprock Jamboree in Silverton. The reported good music and great hamburgers.

For month of June our many faithful volunteers were: Alta Adkins, Jean Baten, Thelma Behrens, Marie Bell, Ann Bunyan, Helena Catoe, Kristy Christopher, Dell Neuhaus, Starlene Pike, Dorothy & Shirley Pitts, Verdie Tipton, Eda Wallin, Ellie Wilkinson, Donald Wooten, Robert C. Jones, Karen Wortham, and Carmen Wright. MEMORIALS were: Hugh & Nova Neuhaus in memory of C.I. Casteel; Jewell Gohlson in memory of Denver Johnson; S.T. Wiseman in memory of Ethel Reid; Oneta Sanders in memory of Hugh Sanders. FACILITY USE: Leeper family birthday party; Senior Citizens Dance Club and Fifties Fashonettes.

Carmen Wright was a busy lady on Tuesday, July 2nd checking 44 Blood Pressures. She will be back again on Tuesday, July 17th.

Notice

The Senior Citizens 3rd Tuesday Dance will be July 17th at the Community Building on North Ayers Street from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Music to be furnished by Melvin Srygley's band from Memphis, Texas. Admission is \$2.00 per per-

Nutsedge Control In Peanuts

Producers can also view a nutsedge control demonstration on Jerry Green's peanut circle on Highway 1260 North. Several treatments were applied in the demonstration plot. The applica tions were put out on May 23, 1990. Nutsedge is a very tough weed to control in any situation so finding a herbicide that will give good control can be a problem. Nine different treatments were tested in the demonstration, with the Pursuit with Surfel plus 32-0-0 showing the best results at present. This treatment has also shown light peanut plant dam age, but not enough to cause major problems. More evaluation of this demonstration is needed before any real conclusions can be reached.

Producers are welcome to view Extension demonstration plots any time, and can contact Tim Trimble, Donley County Extension agent, for more information.

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Wedding Announced

Bradis Sybil Ballew and Henry Lee Shaller were married at 2 p.m. Sunday, July 8th at The First United Methodist Parsonage with Rev. Terry Tamplin officiating. Those attending were: Ted and Jo Shaller, Steve and Cortney, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Darby of Ft. Worth, and Mrs. Susan Huck of Panhandle.

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Meet Bryan Leeper, a paramedic. Bryan received his certification training at Amarillo College. His certification was received in July of 1989. Bryan joined the Clarendon EMS Association in January of 1988. He is a paramedic with the Associated Ambulance Authority here in Clarendon. Bryan grew up in Clarendon and resides here with his wife, Debbie who is an LVN. They have three children; Greg, age 7, Tim, age 4 and Trevor, three months old.

Bryan's hobbies include hunting, fishing and going to the coffee



Senior Citizens Menu

July 12 - July 18

Thursday: Swiss Steak, Green Beans, Cauliflower, Fruit Salad, Poke Cake, Dinner Roll, Coffee, Tea, Milk

Friday: Chicken Strips w/Gravy, Cream Potatoes, Carrots, Cranberry Salad, Coconut Pudding, w/Topping, Dinner Roll, Coffee, Tea, Milk

Monday: Hamburger on Bun, Baked Beans, Lettuce and Tomato Slice, Fruit Salad, Chocolate Pudding w/Topping, Coffee, Tea, Milk

Tuesday: BBQ Chicken, Onion Rings, Mexican Corn, Cabbage and Apple Salad, Mandarin Orange Cake, Dinner Roll, Coffee, Tea, Milk

Wednesday: Butter Beans W/Ham, Fried Squash, Variety Vegetable Salad, Combination Fruit Cup, Cornbread, Coffee, Tea, Milk

Calendar of Events

Thursday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 -

Friday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. Monday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 -13:00 p.m., Dance Practice 7-9 p.m.

Tuesday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 -3:00 p.m., Blood Pressure Clinic 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., 3rd Tues. Night Dance Comm. Bldg. 8 - 11 p.m.

Wednesday: Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 -3:00 p.m., Arts & Crafts 1 p.m., Board of Directors Meeting - 12



NANCY NEWHOUSE gets a shine from The Shoe Shine Man at Greene's Friday, July 6, 1990.

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Howardwick **City Minutes**

The Howardwick City Council met in regular session on Saturday, July 7, 1990 at 8:30 a.m. in Howardwick City Hall. In attendance were Mayor Max Hennigh; Aldermen, Clayton Srygley, Nancy McClintock, Robert Hall, Joyce Combs, City Secretary Margaret Milhoan and one guest.

Mayor Max Hennigh called the meeting to order and welcomed the guest.

City Secretary Margaret Milhoan read the minutes of the June 9, 1990 meeting, minutes were approved as read.

City Secretary then read the June financial statement for approval of the Council. Robert Hall questioned the figures for the miscellaneous column under General Administration as the total was \$8,205.74, and the comments stated \$80.00 for manuals, \$85.74 for community building utilities and a transfer of \$8,000.00, making the comments short by \$40.00. City Secretary looked this up to find that a \$40.00 refund on community building rental was mistakenly left out of the comments. Nancy Mc-Clintock says she is concerned about the Road & Maintenance Salaries. Not only the amount of salaries but the amount of Workmen's Compensation that will have to be paid on that amount. Max brought up the fact that Dean's hours will now have to paid on the highest possible rate which is 19.32 per hundred dollars of wages paid, since he is in a supervisory position. Always before he would turn in hours and specify where he was working and that would determine the amount to be paid. The rates for Workmen's Compensation are as follows: Street, Road Construction, Paving 19.32, Buildings 8.10, Parks 5.87, Clerical Office Employees .58. After this discussion, there was a discussion concerning the hours which had always been the maximum of 39 1/2 hours, however, there were more hours than that

turned in by some employees, so the decision was made to be sure the employees understood that 39 1/2 hours is the maximum amount of hours each week that they may work, and work over a 5 day work week. There was more discussion concerning the amount of salaries paid with no decision made on this. Clayton Srygley brought up the dump being burned and everyone needs to be aware that the dump is not to be burned anymore.

Each individual may burn his own trash and then bring it to the dump for disposal. Clayton Srygley made motion to accept the financial statement and Robert Hall seconded, motion carried unani-

mously. City Secretary read the bills to be paid, Joyce asked to look at the invoice from Henson's to see who signed the invoice from May 31, 1990. The invoice was for padlocks. Joyce was with the understanding that the Mayor did not authorize this, after some discussion it was decided that there was maybe a misunderstanding because the May did authorize it. Joyce felt like if the May did not authorize it that the City was not responsible. The decision was that the City was responsible. Joyce Combs made motion to pay the bills, Clayton Srygley seconded, motion carried

unanimously. The next item on the agenda was Douglas Melear was to be here to talk about flood control. Robert Hall made motion to table this until the people could be here to discuss it with us. Seconded by Nancy Mc-Clintock, motion carried unani-

Mayor Max Hennigh told everyone that we were running out of time to apply. The deadline is July 24, 1990. There was some discussion on different ideas about the grant; however, we feel at this time that we are not really prepared this year. We will try to get everything ready for the grant application next year if we decide we want to apply at that time. Joyce Combs made motion to table this until later, Clayton Srygley seconded, motion carried unanimously.

There is some people who wanted to rent the Community Building on December 25, 1990. This is after winterizing the Community Building so the decision was

that it would not be feasible for the City to have to get the building ready for use during the middle of the winter and then have to winterize it again, so the decision was not to rent the building on December 25, 1990. Clayton Srygley made motion not to rent it with Joyce Combs seconded, motion carried unanimously.

There have been some letters written to different individuals concerning the state of repair on their property. There was one letter written to the owners of #53 Country Club concerning their permit being expired and their travel trailer continuing to be lived in on their property. We received a letter in response that was letting us know that they are still working on the property and would like to renew their permit. Clayton Srygley made motion to renew their permit, Robert Hall seconded, motion carried unanimously.

There was another letter written with no response, decision was to go ahead and write another let-

The other letters were read and the people are taking care of the problem so there is no further decision on this matter.

Job descriptions was next on the agenda and after some discussion it was decided that a work day would be held at 1:30 p.m. on July

Clayton Srygley made a motion to adjourn, Nancy McClintock seconded, motion carried unanimously.

The Lions Tale

The Clarendon Lion Club held it's regular meeting at noon on Tuesday July 3rd. at the Lions Hall. Following the regular opening ceremony Liontamer Henson introduced our guests, including A. J. Garland, who was the guest of Lion Jimmy Garland and David Hicks of Amarillo, who was the guest of Lion Larry Hicks.

Boss Lion Todd Knorpp called the meeting to order, made several announcements and then officially handed the gavel over to the new Boss Lion Wilbert Bernabe who briefly outlined some of the things he would like for us to consider

doing during the next year. For our program, San Thompson, Chamber of Commerce Manager, outlined the events which would be taking place in Clarendon over the 4th of July holidays. Meeting adjourned.

Assembly Lines

by Rhonda Howell

We congratulate Dale Miller on winning the Sunday School Contest prize of a Thompson Chain Bible and Cover for having the most points in attendance of his teenage class and to Johnny Jaramillo as the individual bringing the most visitors. He also won a Thompson Chain Bible and

Congratulations to Bobby Ellerbrook for being named the new Sunday School Superintendent.

Congratulations to the following persons for completing the Bible Study Course "The Holy Spirit and His Gifts"-Bobby and Barbara Ellerbrook, Gary English, Johnny Jaramillo, Ricky & Linda Murphy, Wanda Holman, Betty Jo Cannon, Frankie & Shirley McKinney, Lillian Peters and Becky Lockeby.

We began a new Bible Study Course on Prayer and it's on Mondays at 7:00 p.m. The book costs \$4.50 and the public is invited to

We would like to thank Steve Rogers for grading off the north parking lot, Bobby Ellerbrook for repair work on busses, Frankie Mc-Kinney for repainting the front doors of the church. Thanks also to the City of Clarendon for the donation of lot south of Church for park-

We will begin bilingual services Sunday, July 8. We invite all spanish speaking persons to come and hear Bible teaching and preaching in Spanish.

You are invited to the one New Testament Church in Clarendon that not only preaches and teaches the Bible, but lives and practices what it says-First Assembly of God!

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Weed Cont'd From Pg. 1 farm, located 2 1/2 miles north east of Hedley on Highway 203.

J. F. Cadenhead, Extension Range Specialist, will be on hand to demonstrate various control techniques and alternatives. We will also demonstrate a new method of individual plant treatment called streamline, which looks very promising. The streamline treatment demonstrations done last year in July on the George Howard farm have shown 98% to 100% control of mesquite. These results will be discussed at the field day. The only real disad vantage to the streamline method at this point is cost. But the high percent of control offsets part of the increased

cost. For more information about the field day, contact the Donley County Extension Office.

Reunion Held

The Clarendon High School classes of the 1950s gathered at the Camelot Inn in Amarillo July 6th and 7th for lots of fun, fellowship, reminiscing. Some of these classmates had been "lost" for 30 plus years and we had lots of catching up to do. With the exception of some room mix-ups, everything else went real good-food and other accomodations.

All in all, the 125 classmates and spouses, and guests had a very successful weekend.

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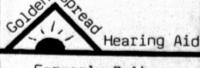
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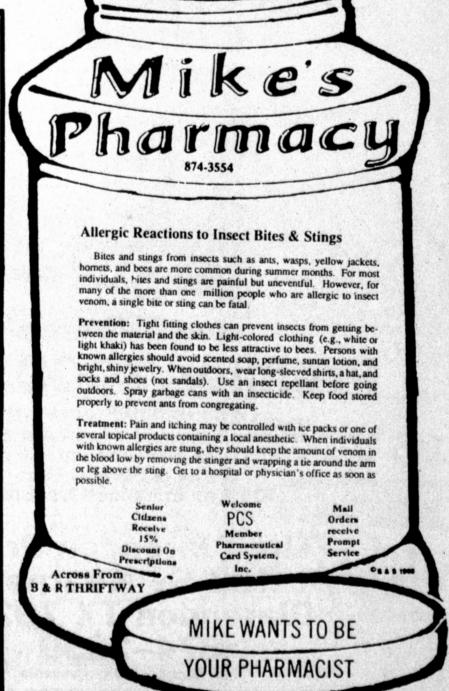
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Obituaries

Mrs. Hazel Arlene Morgan

Funeral services for Mrs. Hazel Arlene Morgan, age 80, were held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 10, 1990 in the Church of Christ in Clarendon with Philip Stroud, Minister, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Morgan died at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday, July 8, 1990 at her residence in Levelland, Texas following a short illness. She was born January 30, 1910 in Locker, San Saba County, Texas and was married to Charles Alva Morgan on August 4, 1931 in Hollis, Oklahoma. Mr. Morgan died July 22, 1988. Mrs. Morgan had been a resident of Clarendon from 1944 until August 1989 when she moved to Levelland. She was a homemaker and a member of the Cactus Drive Church of Christ in Levelland.

Survivors include two daughters, Charlene Siddle of Iowa Park,

Nelda Dewey of Fort Worth; one son, Clyde Morgan of Levelland; three sisters, Syble McMullin of Waco, Joyce Greer of Brownwood, Reva Crump of Brownwood; two brothers, Ronald Edmundson of San Angelo, Glynn Edmondson of El Dorado; seven grandchildren; and eleven great-grandchildren.

Casket bearers were Gordon Mann, Preston Judd, Earl Shields, Arthur Shields, John Judd, and Blackie Hartwick.

The family requests that memorials be to the Clarendon Church of Christ.

Leon Schuessler

Funeral services for Leon Schuessler, age 59, will be held at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, July 13, 1990 in Robertson Chapel of Memories with Rev. Truman Ledbetter, Pastor of the First Baptist Church officiating. Interment will be in Fairview Cemetery in Memphis with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mr. Schuessler died at 9:15 a.m. on Monday, July 9, 1990 in Palo Duro Convalescent Center in Claude following a lengthy illness. He was born July 7, 1931 in Memphis, Texas and was married to Carrie Watson on August 15, 1953 in Memphis. He had lived in Colorado for 12 years before moving to Clarendon in 1981. He was retired from the United States Army where he was a Vietnam Veteran. After retirement from the military, he worked as a road construction foreman for several years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Clarendon.

Survivors include his wife, Carrie Schuessler of Clarendon; one stepson, Robert Bell Nichols of Germany; and two grandchildren, Jackie Leon Nichols of Germany and Britten Nichols of Germany. He was preceded in death by a son, Jackie Leon Schuessler on December 12, 1986.

Casket bearers will be Sammy Watson, Ed Warnken, Dorris Watson, Doyle Watson, Junior Watson, and Jerry Murray.

The family requests that memorials be to a favorite charity.

Naomi's News

by Naomi Green

The Annual Ashtola Reunion will be held August 12th at the Donley County Community Building. Registration will begin at 10:00 a.m. and a covered dish luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m. One of the door prizes will be for the most unusual bonnet and the most decorated gimmie cap. We hope to see all teachers, students and residents and former

The children of Claude Spivey hosted an 80th birthday party for him on Saturday June 30th. They are David and Della Spivey of Grand Prairie, Broadus and Ruth Ann Spivey of Austin, Gerald and Becky Lane of Clarendon, and Johnny Spivey of Ralls. Grandchildren in charge of keeping cousins entertained were Danny Spivey of Austin, Oleta and David Lane of Clarendon, Claudett and Michael of Ralls. A good time was reported by all. The Guest of Honor and his wife Mary Eadith were very tired after it was over but enjoyed the great time and visiting. The following were in attendance: Ira and Tommy Spivey of Amarillo, Jack and Imogene Futrell of Nocona; Dorothy Hillard of Snyder, Oklahoma, Micca Brown of Snyder Oklahoma and a friend, Travis Warner; Kim Colhart of Austin; Laquitta, Howard, Tommy and Linda Pierce of Vernon, Kenneth and Sue Price of Burkburnett; Kay, Karis, Marcy and Adam Langford of Snyder Oklahoma; Troy, Angie, Ryan and Lindsey Hillard of Amarillo; Harold, Illa Sue, and James Spivey of Bowie; Pam, Stuart, and Nathan Lloyd of Amarillo; Jack and Jackie Stafford of Hedley; Todd Stavenhagen of Clarendon; JoDee and Edie Min-

cey of Clarendon. The Poovey Family gathered for annual reunion 4th of July. Those to attend were: Joe, Shirley and Leah Lovell of Claude; Jim, Janice, Chip and Erin Chandler of Canadian; Othella Butler of Borger; Kenneth, Holly and Justin Butler of Quanah; David, Zonja, Jacob, Younda and Miranda Butler of Dumas; Willard and Willa Cook from Claude; Andy Robinson of Clarendon; Glen, Elizabeth and Glenda Robinson from Amarillo; Vikki, Kelly and Lea Laxson of Clarendon; Rev. Bob and Dorothy Gilpin of Clarendon; Delbert, Patsy, Pat and Chuck Robinson of Clarendon; Debbie and Tiffany Holland, Greg Collins and Helena Catoe of Clarendon.

Chuck Robinson left Thursday for Dumas where he will visit Charlie Black returning home on Monday.

Glenda and Richard Patterson made a trip to Borger Saturday a week ago to attend Melissa Howard's birthday celebration.

Beth and Amanda Stepp and "Hoss" Watts went to the airport in Amarillo and picked up Stephanie Patterson and brought her to the farm. They had lunch and took Charlotte Payne back to Amarillo with them.

Lindsay Green came to be with Charlotte Payne while she was a houseguest at the H.A. Green home. Stephanie went home with her and spent the night Saturday. Lindsay went to Cedar Canyon Methodist Camp this week.

Frank Heflin brought Patsy Heflin to spend the night with Naomi Green Tuesday. He returned Wednesday and took them to the parade. Beth and Amanda Stepp and "Hoss" Watts and Charlotte Payne joined them for lunch and after the parade homemade ice cream.

Glenda and Richard Patterson joined Donald, Joy, Melissa and Chrissie Howard of Borger for a campout at Lake Fryer.

Sympathy is extended to Ruby White and Della Allen in the loss of their brother Herbert Deaton of Amarillo.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT last year after the Turtle race Tiffany Holland took her turtle to Helena Catoe's and released it in the yard. This year when she put Helena to scouting for another turtle, they were both surprised when the turtle Helena found turned out to be the same turtle Tiffany had run the year

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Clifford and Stella Jewett visited Bobby Jewett and family in Pampa Saturday.

Opal Darnell's grandson, Mr. and Mrs. David Darnell and Lauren and Lindsey Ann of Amarillo visited July 4th with her. They all enjoyed the parade.

A former Ashtola resident, Oma Lee Kirkpatrick, age 66 was buried Thursday, July 5th in Memorial Park Cemetery in Amarillo. Survivors include one son, Tildon of Burlson, one daughter, Debbie Berdern of San Antonio, one sister of Albuquerque, New Mexico and two granddaughters of Burlson.

The H.A. Harrison family had family reunion over the 4th

Family and friends from all over the country all had a good time visiting and talking over old times.

Visitors in the Vance Gray home July 4th were: Larry Gray of Earth; Charlene, Roxene and Rhealene Brown of Floydada; Jeanne Tittle, Dorothy Schnider & Dawn and Stephine of Amarillo; Rebecca Moore of Sacramento California; Charlotte Holt, Buster and Lindsey Gray of Clarendon.

Sunday guests of Vance and Ismanell Gray were: Jerry and Gloria Gray of Canyon, Larry Gray of Earth; Jeanne and Teri Tittle of Amarillo; and Buster and Lindsey Gray of Clarendon.

Mary Jo and Bryan Huseman and Colby and Whitney of Idalou came July 4th for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hermesmeyer. They returned home Sunday. John Hermesmeyer came Saturday for a few days.

Billy Jack Green and Joe Green of Canyon came 6th of July and visited the H.A. Greens before attending the rodeo.

Naomi and Larry Green took Stephanie Patterson to Amarillo to catch a plane for Dallas where she will spend some time with her Aunt Patricia Friesen.

Ismanell Gray has consented to take news since I spend so much time fighting weeds, mowing and away from the phone. If you have news and can't catch Naomi report to Ismanell at the Gray farm.

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This column is not about financing or getting your banker to say yes. It is about building your business by building a working relationship with a bank.

Banks receive a lot of undeserved negative publicity from disgruntled entrepreneurs. We hear many unhappy, would-be borrowers complain that banks don't want to loan money. They say that banks don't care about small businesses. This is not true.

• Banks Want Your Business Banks both want and need to make loans. Their mayor source of profit is loaning money at a higher rate than their costs. However, banks want good loans from good

customers, people like you and me. Our part in developing this relationship is simply proving to our banker that we are good potential customers. To do this, we must begin to think like a banker.

Before a banker will look at your business deal, he or she will want to look at you. In most small businesses, the entrepreneur and the



business are the same. Many banks agree that the starting point is personal character. No one wants to do business with a crook. Are you honest? Do you have a reputation of integrity? Have you shown the ability to manage your personal finance? (It's not likely that you will manage your business differently.) Can you show financial responsibility in repaying car loans, personal loans, mortgage payments and in managing credit cards? Do you have an up-to-date personal financial statement? If you don't, now is a good time to create one. Ask your banker for a standard

Once you establish personal credibility, you are ready to move toward the business relationship. When discussing your business capital needs with your banker, be prepared to answer three main questions: 1) How much money do you need? 2) How do you plan to use it? 3) How will you pay it back? • Rule Number One

When preparing for this discussion, it is wise to start with the last question first. Financing Rule No. 1 is: Never borrow more than you can pay back. How, indeed, will you

repay the loan amount?

Have you prepared thorough profit and loss projections? Can you explain how you arrived at your

numbers and offer reasonable down your request for money. proof that you can actually do what you say you will? What if the business doesn't go as well as expected? o you have an alternative plan? Do you have secondary sources of income? Will you or your spouse keep your present jobs? Do you have cash reserves?

The answer to the first question (how much do you need) will be dictated by the second question (how will the money be used). Do you plan to purchase real estate, inventory, equipment, computers, etc.? Itemize the major purchases and show unit costs. Show that the acquired assets will help produce profits to repay the loans. If you can't produce or profits by borrowing, don't borrow.

Showing competence in the planning area will help in developing the relationship. Every banker likes to see a thoughtfully prepared, detailed plan. Next to possessing impeccable character, planning is the most important aspect in building your banking rapport.

Finally, continue to build the relationship even if the bank turns Find out why your request was denied. Above all, stay calm and friendly.

Bankers are people, too. Good people relationships require time to grow and mature. Take time to get acquainted with your banker, and let your banker get comfortable with you. Then, as the relationship develops, your business needs will

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June 26-Jake Roberts was transported to St. Anthonys Hospital for medical treatment.

June 27-Ralph Hill wasn't transported, received medical treatment. June 28-Charles Risley wasn't transported, received medical treat-

June 28-Melvin Helton was transported to VA Hosp. Amarillo for

trauma treatment. June 29-Clyde Putman was transported to VA Hosp. Amarillo for medical treatment.

July 1-Stand By at auto accident at Lelia Lake.

July 3-Fire Stand By in East Donley County.

July 4-Douglas W. Hagler was transported to AERC for trauma treat-

July 4-Rodeo Stand By

July 4-Mathew Cook wasn't transported, received trauma treatment. July 4-Bradley Reeves wasn't transported, received trauma treatment.

July 5-Fire stand by at trailer house July 6-Lisa J. Holland was transported to St. Anthonys Hospital for

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Hedley News

J. H. Painter passed away last week in Clarendon. Mr. Painter's obituary appears on this page.

Edith Bain had the cast removed from her foot on Tuesday of last week, and was able to return home on Thursday. She has been staying in Clarendon with her brother, Clayton Mann. We're glad to see her up and about again.

Leon and Carole Ward and Amanda and David are vacationing in Georgia and Florida. They plan to visit Leon's sisters in Florida.

Rev. and Mrs. Rob Lackey are enjoying a few days off this week in Branson, Missouri. Little Rachael and Daniel are visiting grandparents in Dumas this week.

Linda and Elgie McCleskey and sons Willie, Wyman, and Elwyn from Crosbyton; Carl, Beckey, and Jessi from Amarillo; and Joe and Lucy Poole from Canyon visited over the weekend with their parents, Pick and Laquita Cox.

Joyce Boliver visited Jimmy Boliver and family in Amarillo last week, then traveled on to Angel Fire, New Mexico, with them on Thursday. She returned home early this week.

J. T. and Helen Lamberson hosted a hamburger-and-ice cream supper on Tuesday, July 3, for J. T.'s brothers and sisters. Present were Earnest and Shirley Lamberson from Lelia Lake, Scott and Sis Waddell of Amarillo, George and Edna Lou Bulman of Canyon, Jack and Bernice Lamberson of Clarendon, and Nell Waddell from Somerville. Also attending were their grandson Mike, his wife Donna, and children Mikala, Ashley, Landa, and Kaylen, all of Hedley; and J. T. and Helen's son Buddy and his wife Alma from Pampa.

Pauline Kaufman had as visitors the week of July 1 her son, James Knightstep from Houston; a grandson and granddaughter, Spencer and Holley Knightstep from Bedford; and a daughter and son-in-law, Jeanine and Bobby Celey from Amarillo. They all went to Greenbelt Lake for a fireworks display on Saturday evening, and then to Lake Meredith for a day of water play on Sunday. The group went on to Amarillo for several days, visiting over the

Fourth of July with relatives, and

visiting with Pauline's sister in the hospital. A daughter-in-law, Wanda Knightstep from Amarillo, came home with Pauline for the day on Thursday the fifth.

Dorotha Crawford has returned from a vacation at Table Rock, Missouri. She went with her daughter Carolyn Blackwell and family.

Jeff Wilkinson and Kimberly Denise Gibson were united in marriage at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, July 7, at Martin Baptist Church. Rev. Danny Quesenbury, uncle of the groom, performed the double-ring ceremony. The church was decorated with blue bows, greenery, and large heart-shaped candelabra. A large unity candle was centered before the altar, and was lighted by the bride and groom at the close of the ceremony. A reception followed in the church's Fellowship Hall. The couple are honeymooning this week in Colorado; they plan to make their home in Amarillo. Jeff is the son of Gwan Wilkinson and Clairece Wilkinson of Hedley.

Obituary

James Hodley Painter

Graveside services for James Hodley Painter, age 63, will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, July 12, 1990 in Rowe Cemetery in Hedley with Rev. Terry Tamplen,

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Mr. Painter died on Wednesday, July 4, 1990 at his residence in Clarendon following an apparent sudden illness. He was pronounced dead at the scene at 7:50 p.m. on Sunday, July 8, 1990 by acting coroner and County Judge W.R. Christal. He was born August 6, 1926 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma and had lived in Donley County area most of his life. He moved to Clarendon two years ago. He had worked most of his life in the water well and windmill repair business. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the First United Methodist Church in Hedley.

Survivors include four daughters, Neava Vidler of Portales, New Mexico, Billie Juanita Wilson of Amarillo, Mary Kathleen Gilchrest of Portales, New Mexico, Betty Louise Shelton of Tehuacana; three brothers, Ken Painter of Llano, Jim Painter of San Antonio, Don Painter of Amarillo; and seven grandchildren.

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Hedley OES Installs Officers

On Saturday, June 23, Hedley Chapter #413, Order of the Eastern Star held an Open Installation of Officers. Mrs. Tena Powell, Deputy Grand Matron, District 2, Section 5 was the Installing Officer. Mr. Billy Powell gave the Obligation. Mr. and Mrs. Powell are Past Matron and Patron of Hedley Chapter 3413 and are now Past Matron and Worthy Patron of Clarendon Chapter #6. Other Assisting Officers were Mrs. Peggy Glasscock, Deputy Grand Matron, District 2, Section 2 who served as Installing Marshal. Mrs. Glasscock is a Past Matron of A.E. Shirley Chapter #986 in Amarillo. Mrs. Rachael Butler of Clarendon Chapter #6 served as Installing Organist, Mrs. Nancy Mullins, Past Matron of Hedley Chapter #413 was the Installing Chaplain, and Mrs. Pauleen Green of Dumas presented the Bible and Miss Mariah Couch and Langly Couch

presented the Square and Compas-

Ses.
Officers installed were Peggy Watt-Worthy Matron, Fred Watt-Worthy Patron, Oteka Osborne-Associate Matron, S.J. Johnson-Associate Patron, Nancy Mullins-Secretary, Gail Johnson-Treasurer, Anna Margareet Moss-Conductress, Dorothy Brinson-Chaplain, Ruth McKay-Organist, Lola Brown-Esther, Carol Grady-Martha, and Beth Lemons-Electa.

Martha, and Beth Lemons-Electa.

The Receptions Area was decorated with bouquets of Lilies of the Valley with pastel carnations on tables with white cloths and green and white candles in star shaped holders. The Junior Past Matron, Gail Johnson provided the decorations. Each lady officer was gifted with a corsage fashioned of

Lilies of the Valley and pastel carnations and the gentlemen officers received boutonnieres of white carnations. The corsages and boutonnieres were made by Mrs. Linda Couch of Memphis. She is the daughter-in-law of the Worthy Matron and Patron.

Approximately 40 members and guests enjoyed a salad supper in the Lioness Hall prior to the Installation Ceremony. Members from Hedley, Clarendon, Amarillo, and Spur were present. The guests came from Hedley, Memphis, Lelia Lake, and Quail.

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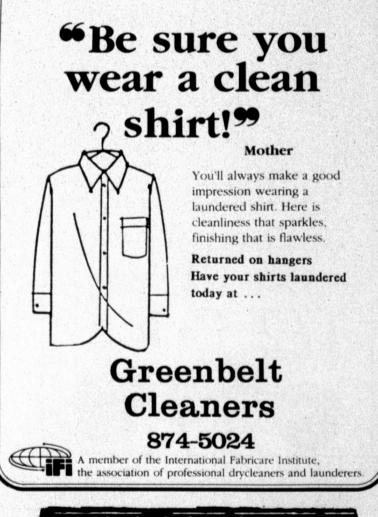
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The Older Americans Act provides about \$61,441 for 28,560 C1 Congregate and \$21,902 for 9850 C2 Home-Delivered meals annually in Donley County to help meet the nutritional needs of people age 60 and older. In addition, \$1,634 of federal funds will be available for recreational services.

Applications and additional information are available from Jim Couzzourt of the Panhandle Area Agency on Aging, located in the Panhandle Planning Commission (PRPC), mailing address P.O. Box 9257, Amarillo, Tx 79105-9257. The street address is 2736 West Tenth, phone (806)372-3381. A Bidder's Conference will be held on August 6, 1990 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the PRPC conference Room. All interested parties are encouraged to attend. 28-1tc

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PUBLIC NOTICE Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of W.B. Wiggins, Deceased, were issued on June 26th, 1990 in Docket No. 2485, pending in the County Court of Donley County, Texas to William Wiggins, Jr.

The residence of the Independent Executor is in Wheeler County, Texas and his post office address is c/o John M. Deaver, II, Deaver & Chamberlain, P.O. Box 699, Memphis, Texas 79245.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and

n the manner prescribed by law. Dated the 5th day of July, 1990. Deaver & Chamberlain P.O. Box 699

Memphis, Texas 79245 BY: John M. Deaver, II Attorney for the Estate of W.B. Wiggins, Deceased

LEGAL NOTICE APPLICATION FOR A WINE AND BEER RETAILER'S PER-

The OASIS has made application with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a WINE and BEER RETAILER'S PER-MIT for a Bar to be located at Highway 70, W/S 7.7 Miles North Highway 287, City of Howardwick, Donley County, Texas 79226. The Bar will operate under the name OASIS. Owner is Larry L. Christopher, 404 E. Burkhead, Clarendon, Texas 79226. 27-2tp

THANK YOU

Ernest and I would like to thank all of our friends for attending our 50th Anniversary party, Sunday, June 24th. Our friends mean so much to us.

May God Bless you all. **Ernest & Shirley Lamberson**

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