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LENA MAYE COOK Worthy Grand Matron and Thurman Perry Worthy Grand Patron.

Lena Maye Nix Cook was born December 27th to Lula Leigh and James Andrews Nix in Garrison, Texas, Nacogdoches County. She is the 9th child of 10. She graduated from Garrison High School. She attended Memorial School of Nursing, Texas Business College and the University of Houston.

She was married to James E. Cook, Sr., September 3, 1932. They have three sons.

She was initiated in Magnolia Chapter No. 706, O.E.S. in April 1947, and affiliated with Spring Branch Chapter 984 in 1951. She is a Past Matron of Spring Branch Chapter No. 984, Houston, Texas. She holds membership in Tabeel Temple No. 88, Daughters of the Nile, Amani Court No. 72, Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America, the Social Order of the Beauceant, Houston Assembly No. 81, Fairbanks Rebekah Lodge No. 51, Houston. She is a Past President of the Houston Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association. She has served on numerous committees of Grand Chapter.

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Clarendon Chapter No. 6 is hosting the "Pride of the Panhandle" Eastern Star School for District 2, Section 5 at the Clarendon Masonic Lodge Hall, and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Lena Maye Cook, Worthy Grand Matron of Texas, from Houston will be in attendance and

WHEREAS Tuesday December 2, 1980 will be a full day of instruction for District 2 Section 5, participants and

WHEREAS District 2, Section 5 Eastern Star members and Clarendon Chapter No. 6 are so honored,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Leonard D. Selvidge Mayor of the City of Clarendon, Texas do hereby proclaim December 2, 1980 as Lena Maye Cook Day in the City of Clarendon.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Clarendon to be affixed this 27th day of November, 1980.

Leonard Selvidge

Leonard Selvidge, Mayor

Chamber of Commerce elects four directors

The members of the Chamber have elected four new directors for a period of three years. They are: Mike Butts of Mike's Gibsons Pharmacy; Randy Looney of The Nook; Jimmy Kuhn of Greenbelt Water Authority; Jerry Courtney of Lowe and Courtney Law Offices.

James Hayes, Darrell Leffew, Bronnie McNabb, Delbert Robertson, Jem Simmons, Troy Skinner, Helen Woody and Ex-Officio Walt Knorpp-Past President whose term expired at the year.

Newest Chamber member is Larry Taylor, owner and operator of Larry's '66' Station.

Compiled by Tommie Saye-Cooperative Observer for National Weather Service, Clarendon.

	DATE	HIGH	LOW
Tuesday	18	38	19
Wednesday	19	50	20
Thursday	20	54	22
Friday	21	57	21
Saturday	22	54	23
Sunday	23	50	35
Monday	24	42	27
Total for Month			.76
Total for Year			18.57

Eastern Star school in Clarendon Dec. 2

Clarendon Chapter No. 6 is honored to host the "Pride of the Panhandle" Eastern Star School for District 2 Section 5. Chapters from Spur, Clarendon, Matador, Childress, Wellington, Hedley, Paducah and Turkey will participate in the Eastern Star School, Tuesday, December 2nd at the Clarendon Masonic Lodge Hall.

Honored guests will include: Mrs. Lena Maye Cook, Worthy Grand Matron of Texas from Houston; Mr. Thurman Perry, Worthy Grand Patron of Texas from Austin; Mrs. Betty Phillips, Grand Examiner District 2 from Darrouzett; Mrs. Frances Reedy, District Deputy Grand Matron from Odessa; and Mrs. Ruth Hancock, Deputy Grand Matron from Clarendon. Mr. C.E. Bairfield, Past Grand Patron of Texas, other distinguished guests and members from chapters throughout Texas will also be in attendance.

Registration will begin at 6:00 p.m. Monday evening in the Clarendon Masonic Hall preceding the "Spirit of Friendship" pot luck supper hosted by Clarendon Chapter. Light entertainment will be provided by the local OES members. Mayor Tex Selvidge will welcome the visitors and present a proclamation declaring December 2nd as "Mrs. Lena Maye Cook Day in Clarendon." Serving as chairman of registration will be Mrs. Ruby Ball of Wellington assisted by Mrs. Mary Mathews and Pauline Morris. On Tuesday morning registration will open at 8:00 a.m. Courtesy coffee and donuts will be served until 8:45 a.m. Mrs. Marie Risley of Amarillo will present musical selections preceding the entrance of the grand officers at 8:55 a.m.

Escorting the distinguished members of the Order will be the following personal pages: Mrs. Frankie Henson, Clarendon, Page for the Worthy Grand Matron; Paul Hancock, Clarendon, Page for the Worthy Grand Patron; Mrs. Mineola Stewart of Spur, Page for the Grand Examiner; Mrs. Hartense North of Spur, Page for the District Deputy Grand Matron; and Mrs. Eloise Crockett of Spur, Page for the Deputy Grand Matron.

Mrs. Ruth Hancock will call the School to order at 9:00 a.m. and welcome the members and visitors. Redell Henson will give the Invocation. Mrs. Frances Reedy, District Deputy Grand Matron, will conduct the school under the direction of the Worthy Grand Matron. She will be assisted by Mrs. Betty Phillips, Grand Examiner, and Mrs. Ruth Hancock, Deputy Grand Matron. Mrs. Dossa Day, Clarendon, will be School Secretary. She will be assisted by Mrs. Cheryl Wiggins of Hedley. Mrs. Marie Risley of Amarillo will be School Organist and she will be assisted by Mrs. Marquerite Alderson, Clarendon.

Mrs. Tammy Taylor will fill the station of Worthy Matron for the school and Charles Blackburn will serve as Worthy Patron. Other officers for the School will be: Peggy Watt, Hedley; John Sarich, Clarendon; Kathryn McGhee, Childress; Roxie Brooks, Paducah; Juanita Whitaker, Paducah; Bobby Holley, Paducah; Mozelle Boren, Paducah; Ruth Richards, Paducah; Maudie Coffee, Wellington; Susie Jones, Childress; Laura Arnold, Spur; Polly Sarich, Clarendon and Junie

Long, Spur; Cora Gregson, Turkey; J.L. Butler, Clarendon; Richard Delaney, Van Kennedy, Cecil Mathews, All of Clarendon. Assisting officers will be: Lesli Garnett; Mary Nell Risley; Tamyé Leslie, Paducah; Rick Leslie, Paducah; Jean McNeely, Childress; Sally O'Hair, Wellington; and Tina Powell, Hedley.

A "Legacy of Love" luncheon will be catered at noon by Mrs. Ruby Bromley. Mrs. Cheryl Wiggins, Luncheon chairman will be assisted by members of Hedley Chapter who will serve the luncheon. Mrs. Gladys Johnson of Hedley will be in charge of the decorations and Polly Sarich will serve as ticket chairman. Musical selections will be presented by Mrs. Dorothy Davis, Wellington. Mrs. Peggy Watt will give the welcome; Mr. Charles Blackburn will give the invocation and J.L. Butler will give the benediction.

The afternoon session of the School will be called to order at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Laura Arnold, Spur; Mrs. Juanita Whitaker, Paducah; Miss Maudie Coffee, Wellington; Mrs. Tammy Taylor, Clarendon; and Mrs. Peggy Watt, Hedley will extend the courtesies to the Grand Officers. The School will be closed with a benediction solo, "The Lords Prayer" by Rev. Paul Hancock.

A "Heritage of Faith and Opportunity" Banquet will be catered by Dyers of Pampa in the Masonic Dining Hall at 5:30 p.m. Banquet chairman will be Emma Shannon. Decorations chairman will be Gladys Blackburn assisted by all members of Clarendon Chapter. Ticket chairman will be Laura Arnold, Spur. John Sarich will serve as Master of Ceremonies. Rick Leslie, Paducah, will give the Invocation. A welcome will be given by Mrs. Laura Arnold of Spur, and the response by Mr. C.E. Bairfield. Mrs. Frances Richards, Paducah, will play musical selections. Rev. Paul Hancock will sing a special musical selection to honor the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Lena Maye Cook. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Anne Kennedy. Rev. W.H. Watson of Clarendon will speak about "Our Heritage of Faith and Opportunity". The benediction will be led by Mrs. Mineola Stewart and Mrs. Hartense North of Spur, and Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of chapters in Dist. 2 Section 5 will participate. The Joint Fraternal Visit of the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Lena Maye Cook, will follow.

Mrs. Pearl Armstrong, Paducah, will solo special musical selections for the program. Following the retiring march the Claude members of Clarendon chapter will host a reception in the Masonic Dining Hall. Mrs. Dorothy Anne Bagwell of Claude will serve as chairman.

December 2, is the date for a Senior Citizens dance to be held from 8-11 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center.

There will be a live band. Everyone is invited to come and join in the fun.



FRANCES REEDY District Deputy Grand Matron



RUTH HANCOCK Deputy Grand Matron



BETTY PHILLIPS Grand Examiner District 2, Darrouzett.

Shopping night December 11th

Clarendon merchants are planning a very long day on December 11, to make shopping available to those who work and those persons who for many reasons cannot shop during the usual day-time hours.

If you have been in the stores the last few days it is apparent that Christmas shopping has begun early, just like the Christmas weather, and lovely gifts for every member of the family have been thought of by merchants for your selections.

To add to the seasons gala spirit the Clarendon High School Band will be playing down town. Kindergarten students will have the library windows decorated in 'stained glass' and other grades up to fifth have adopted a store window to decorate by December 11.

Just a reminder to clubs etc. that they might set up a both to sell baked goods or hot chocolate or other items at no cost, on the sidewalk, and have a fundraiser and some fun at the same time.

What a good time for caroling down town, to Medical Center and around town if a hay ride for it were provided.

For an old fashioned, hometown folksy, shop-sing-evening add your personal touch to the entertainment for the kids, singers or what-ever.



Who is Mrs. Santa

I know many mothers who qualify as Mrs. Santa Claus, they should not be forgotten in the Clarendon quest for

the real Mrs. Santa. If your mother is a grandmother, if she is the prettiest, happiest lady you know, then write us and convince a judge that she should be Mrs. Santa Claus.

Your letter should tell a perfect stranger of all of the good qualities the special lady you recommend has. Maybe the lady is just a friend, a neighbor, a teacher, send in her name. The one and only qualification is that she must be a grandmother.

Tell about a particular talent such as making children happy, baking goodies, sewing, creating a restful, happy atmosphere, or just being cuddly, huggable grandmother. But don't be shy!

When you have explained why the lady you choose to be Mrs. Claus is the best selection, drop your single page entry in one of the contest boxes. All of the nominations will be sent to Berger to an impartial judge who will read all of the entries and decide who is best qualified to be Mrs. Santa Claus.

Don't forget that the deadline is December 8, that is on a Monday. Remember December 11, the night that the stores downtown will stay open until 9 p.m. and when Santa will announce who Mrs. Claus is!

Shoppers with children take delight

On December 11, a Thursday, the downtown merchants will be staying open until 9 p.m. for your late Christmas shopping convenience. But, if you have youngsters you don't want to drag out into the cold night air, here is great news!

The Day Care center will be opened from 7-9 p.m. Yes, you can take your toddler or tot down and let them listen to music, stories and be entertained while you are spending money with out them clinging to your arm.

ASCA county election

Ballots will be mailed November 21, 1980, to all eligible voters. If you do not receive a ballot and feel you are an eligible voter, please contact this office.

December 1, 1980, will be the final date to return ballots to the ASCS Office. The ballots will be canvassed December 4, 1980, at 8:30 a.m. at the Donley County ASCS Office.

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sold, leased, rented or when there is an address change. We need this information so our records can be kept current and the producer will

receive all information that relates to his farm. Texas Crop and Livestock reports needed

Postal information for mailing letters

Just in time for the Christmas comes this timely information about the envelope size for the Seasons Greeting messages which will be mailed this year. Those envelopes which do not meet the size requirements will require extra postage to get them to their destination.

If you are in doubt about the size of an envelope, measure it by one you have received recently through the mail, or ask at the post office

about the size. Most new Christmas cards and other cards and stationery are of the required size. If you have cards purchased some time ago and they are long and very slender, or are small you will save yourself some money by getting regulation size envelopes.

The post office wishes its customers to know in advance of mailing time about the newly effective envelope size to save money and time.

2 AA all-district players named

QB-Terry Schofee-Canadian-Sr.-5'10" 162 lbs and Lance Thornberry-Clarendon-Sr.-6'1" 172 lbs.

Running Backs: Hosea Hearn, Clarendon, Jr. 6'0" 170 lbs; Bobby Weatherston, Clar. Jr. 5'11" 180 lbs; Benny Baker, Wheeler Sr. 6'1" 215 lbs; Tim Anderson, Wellington Sr. 5'10" 185 lbs; Craig Young, Canadian Sr. 5'10" 170 lbs and Carl Bennett Shamrock Sr. 6'0" 170 lb.

Tight End: Donnie Rex, Canadian Sr. 6'1" 198 lbs and Randy White, Clar. Sr. 6'0" 189 lbs.

Split End: Van Morrow, Canadian Sr. 5'10" 155 lbs; Drew Thornberry, Clar. Sr. 6'1" 161 lbs and H.M. Alton Gaines, Clar. Sr. 5'10" 150 lbs.

Center: Mark Wells, Shamrock Sr. 6'1" 175 lbs; Lynn Monzingo, Memphis Sr. 6'0" 180 lbs; and H.M. Rick Hayes Clar. Sr. 6'0" 180 lbs.

All-District Offense
5'11" 175 lbs; Keith McIntire Cana. Sr. 5'10" 190 lbs; Mike McCowen Clar. Sr. 5'10" 173 lbs; and H.M. Mark White Clar. Sr. 6'0" 198 lbs.

Tackles: Wes Westmorsland Wheeler Sr. 6'2" 220 lbs; Chaney Wood Well. Sr. 6'3" 190 lbs; Doug Wheeler Cana. Sr. 6'0" 185 lbs.; Van Choate Clar. Sr. 5'10" 205 lbs and Ben Watson Wheeler Sr. 5'8" 165 lbs.

All District Defense
E and LB: David Castillo, Well. 5'8" 145 Sr.; Kelly Wood, Mem. 6'0" 185 Sr.; Donnie Rey, Cana. 6'1" 198 Sr.; Benny Watson, Wheeler 5'11" 152 Sr.; Joe Saldana, Well. 5'10" 175 Sr.; Paul Bentley, Wheeler 6'0" 180 Sr.; Arthur Zepeda, Wheeler 5'3" 155 Sr.; Lynn Monzingo, Mem. 6'0" 180 Sr.; Grant Hickman, Cana. 5'10" 165 Sr.; Mike McCowen Clar. 5'10" 175 Sr.; H.M. Randy White, Clar. 6'0" 189 Sr.; H.M. Steve Nance, Clar. 5'10" 151 Sr.; H.M. Scott Newland, Clar. 6'0" 179 Sr.

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Burton Memorial Library building has colorful history

To accent the early history and background of Clarendon and the dedication many of its founding fathers had for furthering culture in the city, county and area, an exterior design featuring board and batten walls, a facade front and wooden awning with posts was decided upon for the new home of the Burton Memorial Library.

The design is in harmony with the Masonic Lodge building, which has been recently remodeled and has the same feel of early Clarendon city construction for the downtown area.

This very fitting architectural style has much appeal for the agricultural, ranching and railroad, descendants of the pioneer settlers of this area.

Exterior finishes will include stains and preservatives on the natural wood.

Interior walls will be paneled with barnyard siding, a rough panelling with a soft weathered grey finish. In the center of the building, where the connecting wall of the two structures stood before the remodeling began, are square columns whose surface will provide display room for the library's choice of exhibits.

When complete the ceiling will be the suspended type with rows of fluorescent lights. Another part of the library which will add much to the decorating scheme when complete is the carpet. This will be one of the last items to be installed, and in this day and age of cement, the wood floors of the library are a luxury, as well as a rarity.

On the north side of the library building stairs lead to the upper story and exact plans for the area are not complete but tentative plans are for reading and recreation facilities for the youngsters.

Across the front of the

building the space used as window display space for the stores will be continued across the entire front section and the space utilized for the exhibiting, or display of a variety of interesting things for the public enjoyment.

Soundly constructed to last for many years, the two buildings have a wealth of local history in their background.

Homer Mulkey had the two story building constructed in 1903. It may have been the site of the old Queen Theatre. In 1907 it was sold to Mr. Ferguson for \$3,800. Many years later the upper floor was used as a bowling alley and enjoyed considerable popularity.

A cotton office was housed in one of the buildings in earlier years. If the identification of the building is correct, at one time a barbershop was housed in the one story building.

It was not until the early 1940s that T.M. Little, father of Mrs. Carl Saye, purchased the buildings and moved Little's to that location. Since that time the business became known as Saye's and the two buildings were purchased from the present owners, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Saye.

Fortunate are Clarendon residents, who have a benefactor so interested in development of a fine library for Clarendon and Donley County. Interest is evidenced by a great many friends of the library who have generously given to help with the progress of its construction.

A few minutes time on a visit to the construction site will be well worth your while to see the progress and the work and planning which have gone into the library project.

Shop Clarendon First



MRS. GREGORY WILLIAM NORTON nee Betty Jane Hampton

Hampton - Norton nuptials read

Betty Jane Hampton of Clarendon and Gregory William Norton of Decatur, GA were married at 3 o'clock in the afternoon November 2, 1980 in the First Baptist Church Chapel of Clarendon.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. John Hampton of Clarendon. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Norton of Decatur, GA. Grandmothers of the groom, also attending the wedding, are Mrs. Ruby Thompson of Hapeville, GA and Mrs. Bertha Norton of Dallas, GA. The double ring wedding vows were read by Mr. Robert Mendenhall of St. Charles, MO.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her brother-in-law, Ivan Moore of Ft. Smith, AR. She wore a gown of candlelight chiffon over crystalline taffeta. The Queen Anne neckline and empire style bodice were accented with Alencon type lace and seed pearls. The dress featured bishop sleeves over straight sleeves applied with lace, and a cathedral train. Her veil, attached to an openwork Juliet cap, was of bridal illusion trimmed with lace and pearls. Her bridal bouquet was of white roses and white pom poms. She also carried a white Bible given to her by the groom.

Maid of honor was Miss Sue Fortner of Glorieta, NM. The bridesmaid was Miss Becky Hudson of Amarillo. They wore floor length gowns made of burgandy velour. They carried bouquets of red roses, pink carnations and baby's breath.

Harold Norton, father of the groom, served as best man. The groomsmen were Allen Maxey of Santa Fe, NM. Ushers were Barry Tyler of Abilene, and Philip Longan of Pampa.

Carolyn Porterfield of Ft. Worth, sang "That's The Way" and accompanied herself on the guitar. Dana Perdue of Hartley, sang "Savior Like A Shepherd Lead Us" accompanied by Karen Alexander, also of Hartley. Organist was Dee Williams of Clarendon.

Miss Terry Askew of Guthrie, registered the guests.

The chapel altar was decorated with two arches of candelabra with burgandy candles each decorated with greenery and pink and burgandy bows. Two wicker baskets with greenery, baby's breath and bows decorated the front side of the chapel. The pews were decorated with bows in the brides' colors of pink and burgandy.

The wedding reception honoring the bridal couple was held in Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

The bride's table was covered with a white cloth with an overlay of white lace. Atop the tiered bride's cake was a miniature nosegay of red roses, pink carnations, and baby's breath. The centerpiece was of the same flowers set in a silver candelabra.

The groom's table was covered with a brown cloth with a beige lace overlay. The groom's chocolate cake

was made in the shape of a piano and the table was accented by a basket of eucalyptus leaves and the silver coffee and tea service.

In the houseparty were Sheliah Babbitt, Julia Longan, Bette McAnear and Betty Tyler.

Following their honeymoon to Aspen, CO the couple will make their home in Santa Fe, NM. Both are employed by the Baptist Sunday School Board at Glorieta Baptist Conference Center. The bride works as Guest Information Clerk and the groom in manager of the Baptist Book Store.

A rehearsal dinner hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Norton, was held at Mrs. Bromley's November 1. The tables were beautifully decorated with flowers and candles in the bride's colors.

Tax rebates up over last year

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Thursday said rebates to Texas cities of the optional one-percent city sales tax climbed to more than a half-billion dollars this year.

Bullock said payments of \$80.1 million for November brings the yearly total to \$526.9 million--nearly \$60 million more than cities received during 1979.

The city sales tax is collected along with the state sales tax by merchants and businesses and rebated monthly by the Comptroller's office to cities where it is levied.

Clarendon's net payment this period was \$10,257.85, with the period ending 11-6-80. Payments to date for 1980 are \$62,552.57 as against \$56,619.41 for 1979. This is a 10% improvement over the same time last year.

Arts and Crafts Christmas show

On Friday, December 5, and continuing on Saturday, December 6, there will be an Arts and Crafts Show in the old Ruby's Grocery building on east US 287 in the Ponderosa and across the highway south in the art studio of Tillie Anglin.

Featured will be the Arts and crafts of the Senior Citizens and members of the Artist Studio Club. Quilts, a variety of hand work such as aprons and afghans etc. oil and acrylic paintings and many many novelty items

will be displayed for the shopper who wishes to choose the gift of distinction.

There will be no charge for the Senior Citizens of Donley County or members of the Artist Studio Club to display. Booths will be set up at 9 a.m. and stay open as long as customers are looking on Friday, December 5, and Saturday, December 6.

Come early while selections are good and pick that original gift for someone very special.

The Lions Tale

By GENE ALDERSON

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting at noon on Tuesday at the Lions Hall. Twenty-four members and two guests were present. Charles SoRelle of Amarillo who is Chief Appraiser of the Donley County Appraisal District, was the guest of Lion Courtney.

Following the meal Boss Lion Davidson led the club in the Pledge of the Flag and prayer was given by Lion Messer. Lion Lowe then

introduced Diane Chamberlain who is chairman of the Gabie Betts Burton Memorial Library Advisory Board. Diane explained that our library joined Panhandle Major Resource Systems of the Texas State Library System about a year ago. Through this membership, the library now offers art prints, tapes, films and the ability to obtain books from other state libraries.

Diane then told us about the current remodeling in process on the Saye building. The library will be moved to this location when it is ready. This move was made possible by an anonymous gift of \$50,000.00, however these funds are exhausted and several fund raising projects are currently underway to pay for the remaining work.

Calendar of Events
Thur., Fri., and Sun., November 27, 28, 30 Senior Citizen Center will be closed.
Mon., Dec. 1, Blood pressure checks all day.
Sat., Nov. 29, Hedley School Ex-student-teacher Reunion, 7:30 p.m. school cafeteria.

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WILL BE ARRIVING BY HELICOPTER AT GIBSON'S SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6th 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Mail Santa Letters soon

Information has just been received that the Clarendon Press has been designated again this year as a mailing station for Santa Letters. All the boys and girls should bring their Santa Letters to the Clarendon Press for mailing to the North Pole by 5 p.m. on December 15, 1980. Letter received after this time may not reach Santa in time for Christmas.

Barbara and Larry Neece of Camarillo, Calif. are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Neece. Larry is stationed at the Pacific Missile Test Center in California.

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John Hall receives highest FFA degree

John Hall of Clarendon received the American Farmer Degree today at ceremonies held during the 53rd National Convention of the Future Farmers of America (FFA), in Kansas City, Missouri. He was one of 781 FFA members selected to receive the American Farmer Degree, the highest degree of membership in the FFA. As a holder of the American Farmer Degree, he joins a select group representing about one percent of all the nation's FFA members.

Hall is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Truett E. Hall and lives at Naylour Route, Clarendon, Texas.

Each American Farmer Degree recipient is presented a gold key and certificate in recognition of their accomplishment amongst the nearly one-half million FFA members across the country. They also receive a cash award for travel to Kansas City and attend a special breakfast in their honor. The American Farmer program is sponsored through the National FFA Foundation by Amoco Oil Co. of Chicago, Illinois; J I Case Co. of Racine, Wisconsin; The Chevrolet Motor Division, General Motors Corporation

of Warren, Michigan; Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., of Des Moines, Iowa; Production Credit Associations throughout the United States, and the Twelve Federal Land Banks of the United States.

The American Farmer Degree is the highest degree of membership in the FFA. It is presented only by the National Organization of the Future Farmers of America to members who have demonstrated exceptional agricultural and leadership ability. State FFA Associations may submit candidates for the American Farmer Degree based on total FFA membership in the state. The 781 members awarded the American Farmer Degree this year represent the highest achievement of more than 481,676 FFA members in almost 9,000 high school vocational agriculture departments.

All the FFA members who receive the American Farmer Degree begin as "Greenhands." After at least one semester of vocational agriculture, members may be advanced by the local chapter to the degree of "Chapter Farmer". The third degree, that of "State Farmer" is

presented by the State FFA Association. Only students who have earned the State Farmer Degree are eligible for the American Farmer Degree. Each advancement is based on proficiency in combining classroom learning, practical "hands-on" experience and leadership.

In addition to having earned the State Farmer Degree, candidates for the American Farmer Degree must have been active members of the FFA for at least three years. They must have a record of participation in local and state FFA activities and they must have completed all of the vocational agriculture instruction offered in their high school. American Farmer applicants must also have earned at least \$1,000 by their own efforts.

The National FFA Convention is an annual event of the Future Farmers of America and is carried out in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Education. This year over 20,000 FFA members, vocational agriculture teachers, parents, and guests are taking part in the 53rd National FFA Convention, a meeting held each year in Kansas City since the FFA

was founded there in 1928.

John wishes to express his appreciation and thanks to the businesses of Clarendon and his many friends who expressed their support and good wishes for this award.

Homer Holman services held

Funeral services for Homer Gene Holman, age 38, were held at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 22, 1980 in the Assembly of God Church with Rev. Roger Gray, Pastor, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with the arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mr. Holman died at 8:04 p.m. on Wednesday, November 19, 1980 in Hall County Hospital in Memphis after suffering a heart attack at 6:40 p.m. while at work. He was born on November 11, 1942 in Portland, Oregon and moved to Clarendon 35 years ago from Portland. He married Wanda Ford on October 12, 1961 in Clarendon. He was employed as the General Manager of the warehouse and shop at Texas Saddlery Company at the time of his death. He was a member of the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department and held certification as a law enforcement officer. He was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Wanda Holman of Clarendon; two daughters, Miss Barbara Holman and Miss Vicky Holman both of the home; two sons, Mark Holman and Billy Holman both of the home; his father, Jake Holman of Clarendon; two sisters, Mrs. Betty Hoskinson of Klondike, Texas and Mrs. Garnetta Hoskinson of Ladonia, Texas.

Casket bearers were Carrell Rippetoe, Walt Skinner, Gary Skinner, Jimmy Lemons, E.W. Morrison, Troy Skinner, Mike Spier, and Doug Wright.

Ruby Lee Cottingham rites held in New Mexico

Mrs. Ruby Lee Cottingham, age 89, passed away in the Van Ark Nursing Home Monday morning, November 17 at 1:42 a.m. following a long illness.

Mrs. Cottingham was born August 23, 1891 in Marlin, Texas, and had been a resident of Tucumcari for the past 32 years. She was a member of the First Christian Church of Tucumcari.

Surviving her is a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Waterfield of Tucumcari, three great grandchildren, Ian Cottingham, Kate Cottingham, and Evan Cottingham all of Albuquerque, several nieces and nephews including Mrs. Juanita Ridgeway, and Mr. Bud Allen both of Tucumcari. She was preceded in death by her husband, M.G. Cottingham who died August 21, 1972, by her son Greer Cottingham who died in September, 1971, and by her grandson, Lon Cottingham who died in April 1980. She was a former resident of Clarendon.

Funeral services for Mrs. Cottingham were conducted in the Dunn Memorial Chapel Wednesday morning, November 19 at 10:45 a.m. with the Rev. William R. Tucker, Minister of the First Christian Church officiating. Interment was in Tucumcari Memorial Park Cemetery.

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Thomas Lee Thornhill and wife Judith Ann Thornhill to Jerry E. Hodge and wife Ellen Hope Hodge 100 acres of SE 1/4, Survey No. 87, Blk. #20 H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Cert. #11/2147, Abstract

D. M. Cook services, November 25th

Funeral services for Daniel Marshall Cook, age 89, were held at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 25, 1980 in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Paul Heil, Pastor and Rev. W.R. Lawrence, retired Baptist minister, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with the arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mr. Cook died at 9:20 a.m. on Sunday, November 23, 1980 in Hall County Hospital in Memphis after a short illness. He was born November 5, 1891 in Erath County, Texas and moved to Lelia Lake in 1905 from Erath County. He married Laura Cecil Tomlinson on May 31, 1916 in Lelia Lake. She died on August 20, 1980. He had farmed most of his life prior to his retirement. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Leo Smith of Lelia Lake and Mrs. Herman Mooring of Clarendon; three sisters, Mrs. Anna Tomlinson of Lubbock, Mrs. Eula Smith of Robert Lee, and Miss Jessie Cook of Lubbock; four grandchildren; and four great grandchildren.

Casket bearers were Roy Lee Helms, Cecil McAfee, Earl Shields, George Shields, P.C. Messer, Bob Trout, Gene Alderson and Billy Goodman.

#67, Pat. #10, Vol. 93.
Larry W. Helms and wife Lura Dell Helms, to J.C. Waddell and wife Claudia N. Waddell all lot #1 and E/2 #2, Blk. #164, O.T. Clarendon, Texas.

Richard Louis Alexander and wife Barbara Sue Alexander to Clifford I. Alexander the W65' of lots #13, 14 and 15, and W65' of S/2 of lot #16, Blk. 41, OT, Clarendon, Texas.

Jack Nichols to Clifford Alexander, all lots #1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11 and 12, Blk. #237 O.T. Clarendon, Tex.

Dorman Nichols, to Clifford Alexander, all lots #1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11 and 12, Blk. #237 O.T. Clarendon, Tex.

EMS activity report

11-17-80 Responded to reported automobile accident five miles west of Alanreed on Interstate-40. Cancelled enroute by DPS. No Transport.

11-18-80 Emma Shackelford, 98 of Clarendon from residence to St. Anthony's Hospital, Amarillo, Trauma.

11-19-80 Homer Holman, 38 of Clarendon from Texas Saddlery Company to Hall County Hospital, Memphis, Medical.

11-21-80 Responded twice to 910 West 9th Street, Clarendon with no transport either time. Medical patient.

11-21-80 Fred Williams, 39 of Clarendon from Medical Center Clinic, Clarendon to Amarillo Emergency Receiving Center, Amarillo, Medical.

11-21-80 D.M. Cook, 89 of Lelia Lake from residence to Hall County Hospital, Memphis, Medical.

165 responses have been handled in 1980 to date.

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D.P. Nichols to Clifford Alexander all lots #1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11 and 12, Blk. #237

Rites held for Mary Ivan Tolleson

Mary Ivan Tolleson, 81, died Monday, November 10, 1980 at 8:40 p.m. in Thomas Nursing Center in McLean. Mrs. Tolleson moved to the Center 1 1/2 years ago from Amarillo.

Mrs. Tolleson was born October 14, 1899 in Lebanon, Indian Territory, Oklahoma. She married Hugh Earl Tolleson in Sadler, Texas, August 16, 1919.

She was a member of the Kingswood Methodist Church and was a lifelong member of the W.S.C.S. She taught Sunday School for over 50 years, many of them in Clarendon.

The Tollesons lived at Ashtola for many years before moving to Amarillo. She was a member and past president of the Ashtola Needle Club.

Survivors include her husband Earl of McLean; one son Carrol Tolleson of McLean; two daughters, Mrs. Laverne Ingram and Mrs. Jeanette Hunt both of Amarillo; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Hall of Vallejo, Calif. and Mrs. Katie Burdine of Whitesboro, Texas; nine grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Her grandsons were pall bearers. They were Thomas Tolleson of Clarendon; Greg Tolleson of Pampa; David Tolleson of McLean; Terry Ingram of Amarillo; Andy Hunt of Amarillo and Melvin Garner of Durant, Okla.

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Wallace Grimsley, Wilota Richardson, Alta Embry, Billie Ruth Primrose and Kathryn Waddill to W. L. Bennett a tract of land more fully described on p. 13 and 14, Vol. 188, deed records.

Barbara Nell Brandon and husband James O. Brandon, to C. L. Morton Company, Inc. all lots #18, and 19, Blk. #6 O.T. Clarendon, Texas.

V. Marie Morris to T. Ray Morris all lots #206 and 207, Huron Sect. Sherwood Shores IX, Donley Co.

Foxworth Galbraith Lumber Co. to Terry Ashcraft lot #11 and 12, Blk., 23, Grants Addition to town of Clarendon, Donley Co.

Lee H. Anderson and Alma S. Anderson to Cecil C. Nivens, N/2 lot #5 and all lot #6, Blk. #18, O.T. Hedley, Texas.

Louise Jeffers and husband Raymond Jeffers, to Ricky R. Littlefield and wife Daphne A. Littlefield all lots #4, 5 and 6, Blk. #47, Grants Addition to town of Clarendon except the most westerly 29 feet of lot #4 as above described.

Don Hillis and wife Rue Zell Hillis to David Mooring and wife Diane Sue Mooring, 128.82 acres of SE 1/4, Sect. #8, Blk. C-9, Donley Co.

Marguerite M. Pendleton, to Arra Glen Taylor and wife Janell Taylor leasehold interest in lot #84 and property thereon, subdivision of land owned by Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority.

Greenbelt Inc. to Louis Darrell and Mary A. Fleming lot #205 Country Club Sect. Sherwood Shores IX, Donley Co.

Moniford T. Johnson, III et ux, et al to Vida S. Brown tracts of land more fully described on ps. 779, 780, 781 and 780 Vol. 167 Deed Records.

Greenbelt Inc. to Kenneth W. Pope and wife Alice Ann all lots #230 and 231, Huron Sect., Sherwood Shores IX, Donley Co.

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All we have to do is take ours from the freezer."
 Of course, she's right, so I started remembering the Pilgrims and I don't mind telling you that it has about taken the starch out of me.

Daze of Our Lives

By JEAN BURCHETT
 "The thing that takes the joy out of Thanksgiving for me," I told my neighbor, Peg, "is that what it takes me three days to cook, my bunch can polish off in thirty minutes." I had forgotten how steeped she is in tradition or I wouldn't have said that. Her eyebrows went up in a rapid succession of inverted V's.
 "Remember the Pilgrims," she chided. "For weeks before Thanksgiving they had to be careful not to lay their gunpowder pouch under a leak in the roof so that when they FOUND a turkey they could SHOOT it."

Sometime in mid-July, Sarah Pilgrim must have said to her husband, "Josiah, I know you've been fighting Indians all week, but come Saturday you must finish carving my spinning wheel so that I can weave the cloth for the feast. The children have gathered the plums at the risk of being attacked by wild hogs, and I've used most of the honey I found in the thicket to sweeten them for pies. Now, if only the flour holds out..."

"Nag, nag," Josiah grunts as he stretches his weary frame onto the cornhusk mattress. "I'm so weak from eating mush that I can't carve. If only you'd allow me a crust of bread..."

"Nay," she answers softly. "We must save the corn. Oh, if only the cow hadn't taken sick and died on the boat."

I mean, once I get started on a tale like that I run the gamut. The day of the feast arrives and there Sarah is, trying to cook in the washpot over green mesquite while nine runny-nosed kids hang

to the one ragged skirt she owns, and I think, "Sarah! Sarah! Use an old sheet, don't waste time spinning a tablecloth." (Of course, she's already accomplished this feat.)

Josiah, gaunt from hunger and plowing brick-hard ground with a three-legged mule, straggles from the woods dragging a dead hog with one hand and carrying three catfish from the stream with the other. "Oh!" Sarah cries joyfully. "Now the meal will be complete. I'll just dress the pork and clean the fish..."

She whips off to skin the pig while one kid slithers across the yard and falls into the bucket of berry juice where she dyed the tablecloth and Josiah stands there like a rum-dum asking where she put the sawhorses for the table.

Oh, gad! To think of all that work makes me so tired I can barely pull the wire from the end of my half-thawed bird. (Why do they put that there? The bird is in no condition to go anywhere.) Hubby wanders through the kitchen to ask if I can have tomorrow's dinner early enough to catch the kickoff, and I have a final glimpse of Sarah and Josiah's party.

Neighboring wagons rumble into the yard. The women's Sunday bonnets, wrinkled from their stay in the trunk, flop against their backs as they run to hug one another. The men lift baskets of food dug from the earth and root cellars to top Sarah's new cloth, and as together, they bow to thank God for the richness of it all, I am humbled.

But being human, I say a little prayer of my own: "Lord, thank you that in with all that other stuff, poor Sarah didn't have to fight time against the TV set only to find that the dishwasher was on the blink. I think it would have been the last straw..."

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SHELBY BELL

Former Clarendon man honored

In ceremonies held Friday, November 21, at the annual Lubbock Board of Realtors banquet at Memorial Civic Center, Bill Stinson, president of the Lubbock Board of Realtors, gave special recognition, (among others) to Shelby Bell, former Clarendon resident and son of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby C. Bell.

ning and taxation for the year.

A new position is his election by the membership of the Lubbock Board of Realtors as a director on the board.

Incoming president, John Walton has appointed Bell as chairman of TREPAC, Texas Real Estate Political Action Committee, for Lubbock Board of Realtors, for 1981.

Bell was cited for his accomplishments as committee chairman for city plan-

Panhandle - Clarendon Bi-district game

By SPENCER HAYES

The Clarendon Broncos wrote the final chapter to their 1980 season Friday night at Harvester Field in Pampa. Instead of a storybook ending, Clarendon closed out the campaign with a frustrating 48-0 drubbing at the hands of a strong Panhandle Panther grid squad in the Broncos' first bi-district contest since 1973.

After coming off five well-played district wins, Clarendon looked forward to a close bi-district matchup. The Broncos took the opening kickoff and could get nowhere. After Terry Noble punted, the Panthers had excellent field position at the Bronco 48. Immediately, halfback Robert Broyles rambled to the 13 yard line.

Two plays later, Broyles scored from the four yard line. He ended the game as the leading rusher, with 109 yards on 16 carries with two touchdowns. Clarendon came back after the kickoff, with Lance Thornberry nailing Randy White on a 38 yard strike to midfield. But the drive stalled there, and when Noble started to punt, an official ruled that his knee was on the ground as he scooped up a low snap. This gave Panhandle the ball at the Clarendon 41. The Bronco defense held, however, and the cats were forced to punt. What a beautiful punt

it was, though as Kevin Brown stuck Clarendon on its own seven. Thornberry broke out of bad field position on a 33 yard scamper then hit White again for 28 yards to the Panther 32. White was Clarendon's leading receiver, catching five for 86 yards, while Panhandle's Brown led all receivers with five for 99. The Clarendon drive died, however, as a missed handoff gave the Panthers the ball at their own 14 with 1:30 left in the quarter. Panhandle drove to the Clarendon 40 and on the last play of the quarter, James Whitt broke 40 yards for a TD, but it was called back on an offside penalty. Panhandle was forced to punt, but it was fumbled, giving the Cats the ball at the Bronco 20. Panhandle could not capitalize, however, and Clarendon had another shot as a Tod Mayfield pass fell short on 4th down. But another fumble gave the ball back to Panhandle and the Panthers took it in with 8:07 left in the half. Broyles took it in from 3 yards out to make it 14-0. After the kickoff, Clarendon fumbled yet again and Mayfield hit Brown on a 29 yard TD strike. The Panthers had another chance to score just before the half ended, but at 4th down Mayfield pass was batted away at the Bronco 13.

At the end of the first half, the Broncos led in total yards and were even in first downs. They also led in fumbles-losing 4 of 6. They finally lost 9 of 12. This is the reason they did not lead at halftime in the category that counts-points. Clarendon faced a 21-0 deficit. In the second half, Panhandle dominated everything, scoring 27 more points. Mayfield hit 10 of 19 passes for 4 touchdowns and 193 yards while the Panther rushing game amassed 219 yards for a 412 yard total. The Broncos could manage only 70 yards in the second half to give them 240 for the night. Also, the Panthers had 17 first downs to the Broncos' 10.

For the Broncos, it was a disappointing loss, an unfortunate way to end a good season. They fought to a 7-3-1 record and a district championship that few people ever thought would come about. But they overcame all odds against them and made their followers proud. For Panhandle, the toughest part is yet to come, as they will go to a Regional contest against Shallowater with a perfect 11-0 record.

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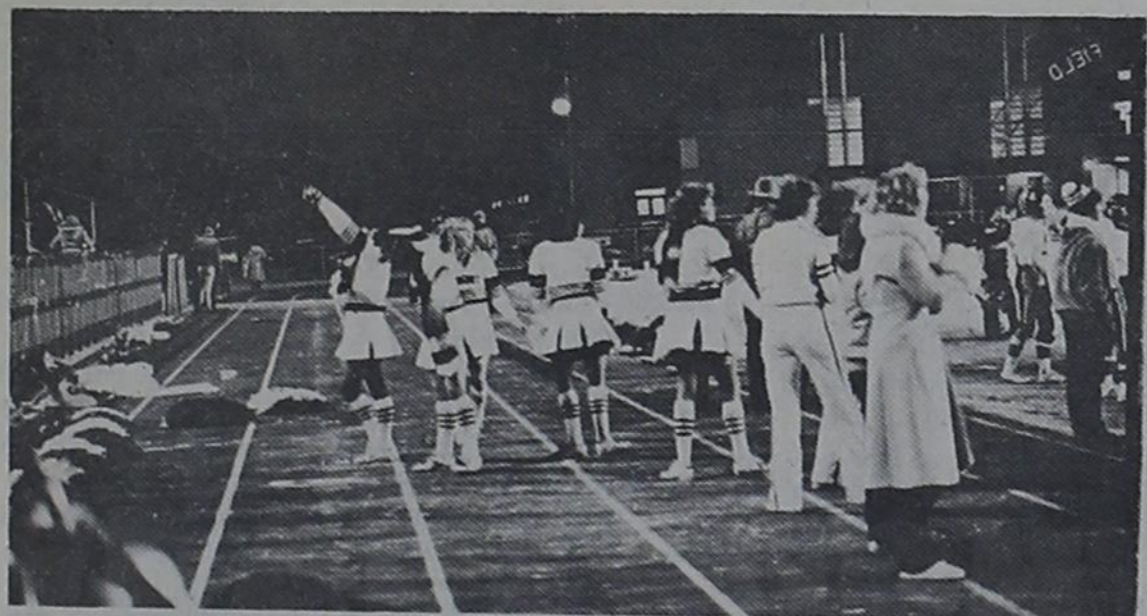
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ASCS fm P1

From mid-November to early January, many Texas farmers and ranchers will receive a crop or livestock questionnaire from the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. Each farmer or rancher receiving a questionnaire is urged to fill it out carefully and return it promptly to the Agricultural Statistician in Austin. Individual reports are confidential

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after being contacted by YAC members.

This office will be closed November 27, 1980, in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday.

YAC works for GASO

The Clarendon Youth Against Cancer climaxed an active drive for the Great American Smoke Out (GASO) with a number of fundraising activities recently.

The work started on November 4, when Lt. Tom Harper spoke to Clarendon students about his experiences with cancer. This inspiring many high schoolers to join YAC. Immediately, work was started to raise money for the American Cancer Society and to get people to pledge to quit smoking for GASO. An estimated 110 local citizens took the pledge

To support the smokeout, members of the first through fourth grades competed in a poster contest. The youngsters were asked to express their views on smoking. There were three first places, three second, and three third places awarded.

To raise money, YAC members sold chances on a beautiful painting donated by Wanda Cornell. The drawing was held at the recent Fall Festival. The winner of the painting was Melissa Hatley. \$70.00 was raised on the painting. In addition, YAC sponsored a dance last Tuesday, November 18 for anyone who wanted to come. It was a tremendous success, bringing in \$213.00 additional dollars in the fight against cancer.

Youth Against Cancer thanks all those who were supportive during this time and pledges continued community service.

Clarendon College football champs

By CHARLES MCINTOSH The Intramural Flag Football Champs for 1980-81 at Clarendon Junior College are the "Warriors". Captain Ricky Anderson from Childress, Texas was pleased with the performance of his players. Members of the winning team were: Cliff Latson of Los Angeles, Calif.; Billy Gardner, (a former Clarendon Broncho);

Kevin Culpepper, Robert Powell, Robert Chambers, and Charles McIntosh of Wellington, Texas. The competition in Flag Football at Clarendon Junior College this season was tough. Robert Powell, Quarterback did an outstanding job finding his receivers, Charles McIntosh and Cliff Latson. The fine running of Ricky Anderson and Billy Gardner was tremendous all season long. Also, the defensive performance of Robert Chambers and Kevin Culpepper was one of the main reasons for "The Warriors" reaching the championship game.

Donley County food show held

The 1980 Donley County Food Show was held Saturday November 22 in the High School Cafeteria-Fall Festival of Foods was the theme for the event. Twenty-nine 4-H Club members participated. Gifts for the winners were given by the Late Edition and Lakers Homemakers. Winners of the County Show will compete against 21 other counties Saturday, December 13 in Amarillo.

Top division winners named were: Snacks Beverages; Senior-Virginia Clifford; Junior-Debra Slavin. Breads and Desserts: Senior-Karen Alderson; Junior-Tish Robinson. Side Dish: Junior-Tish Robinson. Main Dish: Junior-Kim Formway.

Leland Howell took top showman award for his expertise in showing himself, his dish, and knowledge in nutrition. Roger Estlack was named Best Chef.

This years foods leaders included: Gayle Riley, Connie Robinson, Naomi Green, Katie Dvorak, Karen Alderson and Jeannie Formway.

Turkey dinner a success

Fred Russell nearly wore his fingers to the bone counting out money and signing in guests at the annual Thanksgiving Turkey dinner at the Senior Citizens Center. Sharon Mills had the kitchens hot early as they roasted four big turkeys in preparation of the expected crowds. Over 177 meals were dished out, 45 of them went out with Sharon Mills in the van or people carried out their lunch. But over 132 people filled the recreation dining room to enjoy company and cranberry sauce. What a feast!

If you haven't been by to see the beautiful sun porch that has been added to the front of the building, stop by for a cup of coffee or come for lunch with a Senior Citizen and look at the delightful front porch that has been closed off and made into a warm place to sit and watch the world go by from. There has been alot of remodeling done around the place and I bet anyone will be tickled pink to show it off to you.

The championship game was held on November 5, at the Clarendon College track field, "The Warriors," facing the "Mean Machine" for the championship game. On their first possession "The Warriors" scored and "The Warriors" went on to win the game with a score of 27 to 14 over the "Mean Machine".

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HEATS ON



By KATIE DVORAK
It's still time to plan some Thanksgiving ideas and these suggestions come from the WTU office.

Here is a great idea for a breakfast to kick off Thanksgiving Parades.

Lemon Butter
1/2 C fresh lemon juice
grated rind of one lemon
3 eggs
1/2 C oleo
1 C sugar

Beat all of the ingredients together after they have warmed to room temperature. Cook in a double boiler until a thick pudding-like consistency is reached, stirring constantly. Add grated lemon rind to mix. Stop cooking as soon as butter begins to bubble. Refrigerate. Serve with bread, toast or pancakes.

Snack time for the Bowl games coming up doesn't always mean pretzels!

Chili Spiced Nuts
3 TBS oleo
1 (7 oz) jar salted almonds
1 (6 1/2 oz) salted peanuts
1 (6 1/2 oz) salted cashews
1 tsp paprika
2 TBS sesame seed, toasted
1 tsp chili powder
1 tsp ground cumin
1/2 tsp garlic powder

In a large skillet, melt butter. Add almonds, peanuts and cashews. Cook stirring constantly until the nuts are golden, about 2 min. Remove from heat. Add sesame seed, chili powder, cumin, paprika and garlic powder mix well. Cool. Store in a sealed container, if they last that long.

Mexican Munch
1 (3 oz) can French fried onions
2 C bite-sized shredded corn squares (Corn Chex)
1 (4 oz) can potato sticks
1/4 C Spanish peanuts
1/4 C oleo, melted

1/2 of a 1 oz pkg taco seasoning mix

In a 13x2 inch pan, combine onions, cereal, potato sticks and peanuts. Drizzle with oleo, stir. Sprinkle seasoning mix evenly over mix, stir well. Bake in 300 oven for 30 min, stir occasionally. Cool. Yield 7 cups.

Swiss Cheese Bread
1 pkg dry yeast
1/4 C warm water
1/4 C scalded milk
1 1/2 TBS sugar
1 tsp salt
1/2 C oleo
3 eggs
2 1/4 C flour
1 C Swiss cheese, cut in 1/2 inch cubes

Dissolve yeast in warm water. Cool milk to lukewarm. Combine milk, sugar, salt, butter, eggs, and half of the flour in a large bowl. Mix at low speed to moisten ingredients. Add yeast and

beat at med. speed for 10 min. Add remaining flour and mix well by hand. Cover dough and let rise in warm place until doubled (1 1/2 to 2 hours). Punch down, cover and refrigerate overnight. Before using, punch down and shape into a flat ball. Knead in Swiss cheese. Form a round ball and place in a greased 8 inch pie plate. Let rise until doubled. Bake at 375 for 30 min.

Here's a snack idea from the Lone Star Gas recipe flier.

Quesadilla
1 1/4 C grated Monterey Jack
1 1/4 C Cheddar cheese
1 can jalapeno peppers, seeded and diced
1 giant 13" flour tortilla
Sprinkle cheese and diced pepper over half of tortilla. Fold tortilla in half to form a sandwich. Fry on ungreased griddle or skillet over medium flame until lightly

browned and cheese is melted. Cut into wedges. Serve with sour cream or salsa. Other fillings may be used with cheese such as refried beans.
You can also use smaller tortillas.

Thanksgiving musings of Minnie Cannon

"This is Thanksgiving time and my, my don't we have lots to be thankful for. I (Minnie Cannon) am called Bama by a lot of folks, including grandchildren—I kind of like it."
"Now this is about my parents. J.C. Pool moved to Martin in 1905 when I was five years old and Martin is still my home for church. My dad farmed, baled hay, ran thrashing machines all over Donley County and shelled corn.

Before the streets were paved my uncle, Sam Pool, watered the streets to keep the dust down, with his big water wagon and beautiful horses. His wife had a popcorn stand and made candy too. Her stand was about where Henson's is today.
Another uncle, Archie, helped build the Methodist Church. He had some ideas for building the dome on the church.
Richard Cannon and I married and we had no children. We did have a nephew, Frank Cannon and family to love. His wife was Mary Harrison and she made him a good home. He is a good boy.
I am thankful for my many friends and that I seem to be special to many little friends as well as older ones too—I don't know why.
I love all our people here in Clarendon."

Wednesday Baked turkey and gravy, mashed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, jello and milk.
Thursday Pizza with cheese, tossed salad, buttered corn, chocolate pudding and milk.
Friday Bar-B-Q on bun, lettuce and tomatoes, tater rounds, raisin cobbler and milk.

Clarendon school menu
December 1-5
Monday Cornrod with mustard, cheese wedge, spinach, brownies and milk.
Tuesday Tacos with cheese, butter corn, tossed salad, chocolate cake and milk.

A Moment for Meditation

By INEZ G. LAWRENCE
"Be thankful unto Him and bless his name." Psa. 100:4
Thanksgiving time is here again. This holiday is uniquely an American custom with its harvest time symbols. How very American it is was brought home to this writer last year. We were in Norway during Thanksgiving and there were no pumpkins or turkeys on display in the stores as we have here. However in one or two grocery markets which imported food from our country to supply the Americans living in Norway canned pumpkin and frozen turkeys were available at exorbitant prices. In spite of that, the Americans celebrated Thanksgiving as best they could. To be in another country at Thanksgiving is to realize you really are a foreigner—an American far from home, minus the usual televised football games or the coveted hunting trip during the day. To an American, Thanksgiving is a time to celebrate wherever in

the world he is, because giving thanks for the year's blessings is appropriate anywhere.
The first Thanksgiving by the new Americans and the Indians is a good pattern. Almost half their number had died during the year. Their future was uncertain, yet they gave thanks for survival during the year and food upon the table. As we look at our tables heaped high with the traditional menu this year cannot we do the same? With our families about us for the day and peace upon our land it is a good time to be thankful unto God and bless His name.

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Bids will be opened on the following date: December 8, 1980.

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 remember Dec. 11
 bake cookies
 2 wks before Dec. 11-17
 plan one night or weekend for baking spree
 last minute shopping and wrapping
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Christmas goodies

Christmas candy balls
 1 C sugar
 1/4 C milk
 1/4 C light corn syrup
 1/4 C oleo
 1/4 tsp almond extract
 dash salt
 1 3/4 C quick oats
 1/4 C chopped candied cherries
 1/4 C chopped green cherries
 1 1/2 C chopped nuts
 Combine sugar, milk and

syrup in 3 qt. pan. Cook med heat to soft ball stage 236 degrees or until syrup dropped into cold water forms soft ball. Remove from heat, stir in butter, almond ext. and salt. Blend in oats, cherries and 1/2 C nuts. Drop by level tsp into remaining nuts tossing to coat with nuts. Shape to form balls. Chill, store in frig. 3 doz. balls.

Snappy Ginger Cut-Outs

Combine spices with sugar cookie mix. Add egg, butter and molasses, mix. Cover, chill 1 hr. Roll out into 1/8 inch thick on well floured pastry cloth. Cut into shapes. Bake on ungreased cookie sheet in preheated 375 oven 8 min. Cool 1 min. on cookie sheet remove to wire cooling rack. Cool completely, decorate.



JULLIE PUTMAN Texas Saddlery Employee of the week

Texas Saddlery employee of the week

Newest employee in the saddle department is Jullie Putman, who has been working at the business for about four months. Jullie makes rigs, lines, skirts and oils the saddles. Oil darkens and preserves the leather, the addition of creme makes it soft and supple.

There are five persons who work in the department, including Jullie. It is hard work but she likes working with Sandra Longan and Cheryl Adams who have taught her a lot about the work she does. One thing she has discovered is that to have her hands conditioned for the work is a real help. She has not completed that process yet but is working toward that goal.

Making saddles as they do at Texas Saddlery is a craft and Jullie says she is proud to be a part of the quality work which does not go into all saddles being constructed today, but is a basis for the fine quality of Texas Saddlery products.

The atmosphere is pleasant and a lot of laughter helps make the crafting fun instead of work. The employees get along well together under all circumstances.

A native of Clarendon, Jullie is 20 years old and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Putman, and the mother of an 18 month old son, Mark. Quite candidly she says he is the apple of her eye.

Whatever time she might have for a hobby away from work is taken up by the time devoted to her son—but she loves it!

Jullie plans to remain in the work she is doing. It is enjoyable, rewarding and instructive, a very positive attitude toward her employment.

Jullie is pleasant and enthusiastic and she does a good job. She is learning and catches on fast to the hand-

crafting in her department. Jullie's employers feel she has made a place for herself at Texas Saddlery and they appreciate the dedication she has to her job. She is doing a fine job and they want her to know it.

In fact the employees whose Texas Saddlery stories have appeared in the paper have been chosen by the owners of the firm to point out how much each of these employees has contributed to the company by their effort and interest to their specific task. From the bosses at Texas Saddlery to the employees gives a big You Are Doing a Good Job.

District FFA leadership contest held

Top-o-Texas and Greenbelt District FFA Leadership contest held at Clarendon Jr. College with approximately 600 FFA students from 29 high schools. The top 2 winners from each division will compete November 22, 1980 at Canyon High School for area titles. From Canyon the top 2 will compete at the state level in Huntsville, Texas.

Area winners are as follows: Junior Chapter Conducting; Clarendon 885, Paducah 812, Valley 807, Hedley 802, Childress 792 and Wellington 659; Senior Chapter Conducting; Clarendon 912, Samnorwood 871, Paducah 859, Valley 850, Wellington 738; FFA Quiz; Childress 212, Estelline 202, Wellington 197, Valley 187, Lakeview 172, Wellington 156 and Memphis 153; Radio Broadcasting; Estelline 943, Paducah 938, Memphis 980, Wellington 927, Clarendon 927 and Valley 923; Estem-poraneous Speaking; Estelline 920, Clarendon 893, Samnorwood 888 and Wellington 617.



Texas Safety Association's executive director, George Gustafson, today reminded Texans to "drive 55" this Thanksgiving in order to significantly lower their chances of having a fatal accident.

He also pointed out various economic benefits of the 55 mph speed limit.

Gustafson emphasized that the risk of a fatal accident at 55 mph is only 1 in 33, while at 70 mph the chance is 50-50, or 1 in 2.

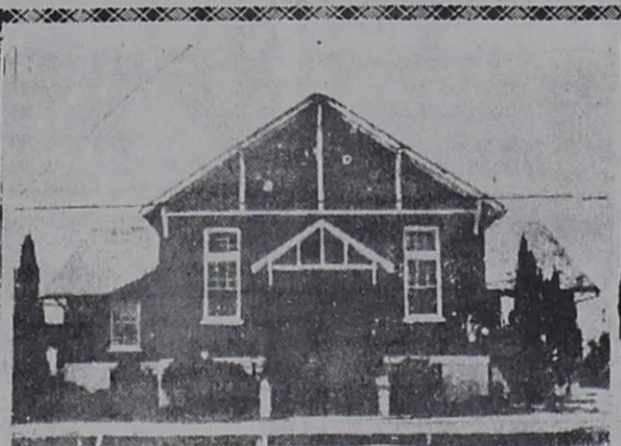
Last year in Texas, 4,229 persons died in traffic accidents, according to Texas Department of Public Safety statistics. Approximately one fourth, or 1,046, of the fatalities resulted from accidents involving speeding.

Gustafson indicated that by slowing down to 55, Texans have saved an average of 700 lives each year since the 55 mph speed limit went into effect. "Furthermore, on a national level, the 55 mph speed limit has been described as the single most effective means of speeding lives ever implemented by the government, even when compared with the massive polio immunizations of the 1960s," he said.

"Department of Transportation studies show that automobiles get better gas mileage at 55 than 70 mph. For the average car, that translates into approximately 50 more miles per tankful. Smaller, fuel efficient cars get even better savings," he said.

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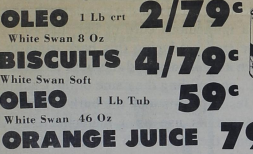


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