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Keeping an eye on Texas

Peanut crop adds up

Texas consumers can shop for home grown peanuts in the grocery store. Harvested from August through December, Texas' crop ranked second to Georgia's in 1994.

Top ten counties where peanuts are grown

Peanut crop in millions

'94 pounds produced: 606 million
'94 value \$173 million

Peanut products: Texas exports 90 percent of the peanuts grown in the state, losing income to other states that manufacture products such as roasted peanuts, peanut oil, peanut butter and candies.

SOURCES: John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, Texas Agriculture Statistics Service and Peanut Producers Board.

Local Banks, Civic Leaders Initiate Christmas Cash 0% Loan Program

Families may qualify for \$3,000 interest-free for holiday spending

In an innovative move this week, Clarendon banks and civic leaders launched an exciting project designed to entice people to shop in Clarendon for the holidays.

The Donley County State Bank, the First Bank & Trust, the Chamber of Commerce, and the Clarendon Merchants Assn. have combined their resources and talents to offer "Christmas Cash," a program by which families can obtain 0% interest loans to do business in Clarendon shops.

Qualifying families may be eligible to receive as much as \$3,000 with no interest for up to 10 months.

Upon approval of the loan, the customer will receive Christmas Cash script with their name on it in denominations of \$10, \$50, and \$100. The script can then be spent like legal tender at any participating Chamber or Merchants member business.

Christmas Cash must be spent with participating merchants by Dec. 31, 1995. After that date but before Jan. 5, 1996, Christmas Cash can be returned and applied to the principal of the customer's note.

After Jan. 5, 1996, Christmas Cash is worthless.

Businesses will be able to redeem Christmas Cash script at the Chamber of Commerce.

The offer will expire Dec. 31, 1995. Shop at home first; it matters.

Area Events

Shamrock

The Shamrock Lions Club will host the Christmas Tour of Homes on Saturday, Dec. 2, 1995, from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Proceeds from the Tour will benefit new playground equipment for Elmfore Park. Cost of the Tour is \$5 per person. Tickets are available at Corner Drug, Mahnen's Pharmacy, and from Lions Club members. Tickets may also be purchased the evening of the Tour at each stop.

Quanah

The First United Methodist Church of Quanah will be holding its annual Garage-Rummage-Bake Sale and Silent Auction on Dec. 2, 1995, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Quanah Community Center on the corner of Hwy 104 and Airport Road. Charcoal hamburgers will be available for lunch or dinner.

Canyon

The Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum is planning its 19th Annual Victorian Christmas Open House. The event is scheduled for Friday, Dec. 1, and Saturday, Dec. 2, from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.; and Sunday, Dec. 3, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The entire museum will be decorated for an authentic Victorian Christmas with actors in period costumes, games for the kids, a model train exhibit, and much more. Santa will also be on hand.

Contact Linda J. Moreland at (806) 656-2244 for more details.

Silverton

The Caprock Jamboree will be on stage at Silverton on Saturday, Dec. 2, 1995.

A big night is planned with musicians from Plainview, Ralls, and Kress. An adult showcase will also be held.

If you can sing or play, you are invited to sign up to do a song or two with the stage band.

The November "Band of the Month" was Weldon Allard from Amarillo.

The Silverton Chamber of Commerce will be serving mesquite grilled hamburgers beginning at 6:00 p.m. Entertainment will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will last until about 10:00 p.m.

Panhandle

The Carson County Square House Museum in Panhandle has organized an unusual holiday art show this year, titled "Home Is Where The Art Is."

The artistic talent of three area ranching families (Estelle Duncan, Alice Gustafson, and Patsy Ward of the Duncan Ranch; Juanita Nichols and Marcia Morgan of the Gray Ranch; and B.J. Winters of the Hayhook Ranch) will be combined into a multi-media exhibition.

Many pieces in the show consist of paintings, drawings, and photographs of the central Panhandle.

"Home Is Where The Art Is" will be a seasonal tribute to family, art, and the Texas Panhandle. It can be seen in the Hazelwood Arts and Education Building Auditorium through Jan. 2, 1996.

The public is invited to a reception for all the artists on Sunday, Dec. 3, from 3:00 - 4:30 p.m., in the gallery. Refreshments will be served.

For more information call (806) 537-3524.

Lady Owls Defeat Channing

The Lady Owls flew over Channing on Tuesday, November 21 on the Owls' home court, 52-33.

Christina Cannon led the way in scoring with 20 points. Gina Cannon and Jennifer Cardon also rack up points with 12 and 10 points respectively. Other scorers were Jana Hill with 6 points and Melody Gibbons with 4 points. Both the Lady Owls' defense and offense dominated the game.

The Owls were defeated by Channing in a close match on the same day, 51-47. Lead scorers Joson Gilbert and James Potts each put 12 points on the board. Johnny Hoggatt helped in the offensive effort with 11 points. Other scorers were Chris Soliz, 6 points; Cody Graves, 4 points; and Roy Ramirez, 2 points.

Both Hedley teams traveled to McLean on Tuesday, November 28. They are also preparing to meet Alamo Catholic at Alamo on Friday, December 1 at 6:30.

Bronchos Wipe Out Class 3A River Road Wildcats, 75-61

Three Bronchos scored in double figures as Clarendon sped by the figures 3A River Road Wildcats, 75-61, Nov. 21 in Amarillo.

The Bronchos improve to 2-1 on the season with the latest win.

Clemmie Smith poured in 22 points, and Lorenzo Moore added 16 as the Clarendon press and rotation of two fresh downs finally wore River Road down, said Head Coach Jimmy Avery.

"I really liked how we were able to put two good teams in against them," Avery said. "We are so fast, and we were able to steal the ball a lot on defense and create our own offense."

Clarendon led by 1 point in the first quarter, 19-18, behind 6 points by junior Roy Williams.

Phillip Hearn also chipped in a 3-pointer, his first of the year, in the first quarter.

The Bronchos increased their halftime lead 35-27 as Clarendon dominated the boards. Senior Chris Brown put in 6 points, and Smith contributed 4 points.

"We played so well under the boards," Avery said. "They kept pressing us, and it worked to our advantage."

Smith came out roaring in the second half, scoring 10 unanswered points while Moore hit 6. But River Road kept it close, scoring 16 points to the Bronchos' 18.

But it was all Clarendon in the fourth quarter, racking up 22 points and holding River Road at bay with 18.

Those scoring for the Bronchos were Smith, 22; Brown, 16; Williams, 14; Hearn, 8; Moore, 5; Dean Stanzione, 4; Kareem Abdullah, 2; Mark Barefield, 2; and Drew Jeffers, 2.

Ebony Butler and Theo Oliver round out the varsity team.

Clarendon travels to the Shamrock Tournament Thursday for a 5:30 p.m. match-up with Samnorwood in the Shamrock Junior High Gym.

"I've heard a lot of good things about Samnorwood," Avery said. "They were in the six-man football play-offs, so I know they have some good athletes on their team."

The Bronchos continue play Friday at 5:30 p.m. whether they win or lose. The tournament runs through Saturday with the championship game taking place at 7:30 p.m.

A Tuesday 8 p.m. game is tentatively scheduled with Shamrock but is subject to change. Shamrock may be in the football play-offs, which is contingent on this weekend's contest with Wink.

Avery will try to find another Tuesday game in case Shamrock advances in the football regional contest.

Harrington Center, High Plains Set Breast Cancer Screening, Dec. 12

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and High Plains Baptist Health Systems will conduct a Breast Cancer Screening Clinic at Donley County Rural Health Clinic, located at 205 Orpe in Clarendon on Dec. 12, 1995.

Breast Cancer affects one in eight women.

The key to winning the battle against cancer is early detection by having an annual breast exam and mammogram and performing a breast self-exam each month.

Each participant at the screening will receive a breast exam and one-on-one instruction in breast self-examination by a registered nurse specially trained in breast cancer detection, and a mammogram by a mammography technician. Their program is certified by FDA, American College of Radiology, and the State Health Departments of Texas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico.

The total cost of the screening is \$70.00. Financial aid is available for breast screenings and mammogram to individuals who qualify.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call the Women's Center at the Harrington Cancer Center at 1-800-377-4673 or (806) 359-4673.

Bulldogs Defeat ACU, Are Prepared For 5th Annual 'Merchants Classic' Being Held Here Friday & Saturday

The Clarendon College Bulldogs handily defeated Abilene Christian University's junior varsity in Abilene Monday, 88-73, but will need to freshen up their look before meeting ACU in this weekend's Merchant's Classic in Clarendon, according to head coach Joe Mondragón.

The Bulldogs kick off their participation in the annual Merchants Classic tournament Friday with an 8 p.m. rematch with Abilene Christian University's junior varsity team in the Clarendon College Gym.

Trinity team in Clarendon College meets Southern Nazarene University's junior varsity in the first game of the Friday double-header, tipping off at 6 p.m.

Clarendon pulled out to an early 48-34 halftime lead Monday sparked by Eric Brown's 12 points, which included two 3-pointers, and Randy Williams' 10 points - eight of which were in the paint.

Angel Gutierrez worked his way inside in the second half, scoring 7 points, and Tony Clark added 6 more for the runaway win.

Although Clarendon won the game, Mondragón wasn't pleased with his team's performance.

"We hadn't done anything for seven days (over the Thanksgiving holidays)," he said. "We didn't look sharp. Our timing was off. We weren't patient. We had 15, 16 bad passes."

"But we're going to war this week during practice."

Those scoring for the Bulldogs were Marlon Greene, 14, who was 4-for-4 from the free throw line; Williams, 12; Gutierrez, 12; Brown, 12; Cody Anderton, 10; Tony Clark, 7; Rene Sierra, 7; Marty Hardy, 4; Orlando Oli-

vas, 4; Bryan Shed, 4; Tracy Patterson, 4; Josh Wright, 2; and Jamie Carter, 2.

"All of the kids played, and I was glad everybody got in on the scoring," head coach Joe Mondragón said. "Our starters only stayed in for the first 5 minutes of the second half."

Mondragón expects Abilene Christian to bring a very disciplined ball club into Clarendon following their Monday loss.

"They are very well-coached," he said.

The Merchants Classic has been held for the past four years in honor of the many Clarendon merchants who donate scholarship funds for college players, according to Mondragón.

The round-robin tournament continues Saturday as Abilene Christian meets Trinity at 6 p.m.

Southern Nazarene meets the Bulldogs at 8 p.m. in the second game of the double-header.

Clarendon played Southern Nazarene in a close contest last year at home before pulling off the win.

"They have a much better ball club this year, so I expect an even better game," Mondragón said.

Clarendon's record is 4-6, but seven of those ten games have been on the road. "We scheduled the tournament so we can make the home and away schedule as equal as possible," Mondragón said.

"I hope we can have a lot of people out to see some good basketball," he said.

Mondragón is tooling around with the schedule for the second semester. Several of the games scheduled will be rescheduled. Changes will be noted in *The Clarendon News*.

"I hope we can have a lot of people out to see some good basketball."

- Coach Joe Mondragón



TERRI FLOYD celebrated her 40th birthday this week. Her friends were concerned about her aged condition, so they provided a wheelchair to transport her to her party.

Write Your Letter To Santa Claus

Hey kids! Have you written your letter to Santa Claus yet?

You better hurry because all Santa's letters have to be turned in to the *Clarendon News* office by Dec. 8 in order to be printed in the paper's Christmas edition.

You can mail your letter to:

Santa
P.O. Box 1110
Clarendon, Texas 79226

Or you can have your parents bring it by our office at 105 S. Kearney and put it in our special Santa Box.

We will be sure St. Nick gets your letter by delivering it to him air express via Reindeer Shipping.

Elementary Students Slate Christmas Program For Dec. 7

Third and Fourth grade students of Clarendon Elementary School will be presenting a program of Christmas music for the P.T.A. on Thursday, Dec. 7, 1995, at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium.

If "Jingle Bells" is your favorite Christmas song, this is a program you will want to see. The program features *The One Carol Christmas* written by Jo Welty. The program features one song, "Jingle Bells."

You may be asking yourself how can third and fourth graders make a whole program out of "Jingle Bells?" Why would you want to? How many different ways can you perform "Jingle Bells?" Will I ever want to hear "Jingle bells" again?

You will have to attend this program to answer these questions.

The students have enjoyed working on this program and would like to invite the public to join in the fun.

Weather Report

Day	Date	Hi	Lo	Prec
Mon	20	75°	34°	-
Tues	21	66°	28°	-
Wed	22	65°	31°	-
Thurs	23	75°	30°	-
Fri	24	59°	31°	-
Sat	25	76°	36°	-
Sun	26	82°	39°	-
Total Prec. For Month	 T		
Total Prec. For Year	 26.05"		

Go Support the Bulldogs!

This week is an excellent opportunity for local folks to show their support for Clarendon College as the men's basketball team will be hosting its 5th Annual Merchants Classic tournament on Friday and Saturday.

The college athletic department organizes this event every year to honor those Clarendon merchants who support the teams with scholarships.

Very few cities our size have the luxury of seeing college ball played right in their hometown, but we do. It's good clean fun for the entire family. It's economical. And, most of all, it's a great way to show your support for the college and its students.

I remember going to see the Bulldogs and Lady Bulldogs play when I was a kid. I'd go with my grandfather and my dad, and it would always be fun and exciting.

Game time for the dogs is at 8:00 p.m. both nights of the Merchants Classic. Also, the Lady Bulldogs will be holding the Clarendon College Classic next Wednesday and Thursday. Their games are scheduled to start at 8:00 p.m. as well.

I hope to see every one of you there. Let's pack that gym to capacity.

Features Still Available

Businesses, individuals, or organizations can still sponsor a feature in these pages. We've run some different features in this issue that weren't in last week's edition. They are "Veterans Post" on page 2, "Antiques" on page 4, "Trivia Test" on page 6, and "Super Crossword" on page 7.

Let us know what you think of these features. We have received some positive feedback for the crossword we ran last week.

Speaking of features, I would be remiss if I didn't note that Mel Phillips' "Southwest Outdoors" column is now being sponsored by Kyle Allen, Attorney-At-Law. With Mr. Allen's support, we will be bringing you "Southwest Outdoors" on a weekly basis.

No More 55 Speed Limit?

As we put the paper to bed Tuesday night it was announced on CBS radio news that President Clinton intends to sign the bill repealing the 55 mph federal speed limit. Well it's about time.

This is something I've been in favor of for a long time (and a great many other Texans have also). It's nice to see that it may become a reality.

Now let's hope the boys in Austin don't try to hold up the reinstatement of the old 70 mph limit.

Hospice Of The Panhandle Celebrates "Tree Of Love" Fund-Raiser, December 1

Pampa - Hospice of the Panhandle will celebrate its seventh annual Tree of Love fund-raiser with a special ceremony at its offices in Pampa and in Borger on December 1.

The public is invited to the Tree of Love tree-lighting ceremonies set consecutively for 6:00 p.m. on December 1, in front of the Hospice of the Panhandle's offices at 800 N. Sumner in Pampa and 300 S. McGee in Borger. Both ceremonies will include a short inspirational message and Christmas music, climaxed by the lighting of the official Tree of Love.

These Trees of Love were designed, built, and donated to the Hospice of the Panhandle last year by workers for Zachary Construction Company.

In addition to the lighted Trees of Love, two flocked Christmas trees will be displayed in the Pampa Post Office and Borger Post Office lobbies. Brightly colored stars with names of those honored by donations of the Trees of Love will decorate these trees. A list of the honorees will also be posted near the trees.

For a \$10 donation, a light is placed on Hospice's Tree of Love to honor special persons in donors' lives. These donations help provide hospice care to the terminally ill and their families in the nine-county area served by Hospice of the Panhandle.

These lights can be donated in celebration of the birth of a child, in loving memory of a friend or relative, or in honor of someone special who lives.

Contributors to Hospice's Tree of Love can be assured that they know where their money is going and how it will be spent, says Sherry McCavit, executive director. Funds given to Hospice go toward medicines, personal care, medical equipment, and support for indigent patients and their families.

A gift to Hospice of the Panhandle does not end when the Tree of Love lights are stored at the end of the holiday season, McCavit adds, but it continues to help patients and families throughout the year.

Hospice of the Panhandle is dedicated to the care and support of the terminally ill and their families without regard to whether or not the organization will receive any form of reimbursement. Hospice of the Panhandle never bills patients or family members for its services.

To Light Up A Life on Hospice of the Panhandle's Tree of Love, send donations to Hospice of the Panhandle, P.O. Box 2795, Pampa, Texas 79066. Each gift will be acknowledged to both the benefactor and to the honoree and/or their families.

Hey Kids!

Have you written your letter to Santa yet?

Everybody knows that Santa reads *The Clarendon News* so why not send those letters to us so that we can print in the newspaper just before Christmas.

Just have your parents drop your letter

in our special Santa box here at *The Clarendon News* office or mail them to: Santa, c/o *The Clarendon News*, P.O. Box 1110, Clarendon, Texas 79228. All letters must be in the office by December 8, 1995, at 5:00 (no exceptions!)



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Dear Editor,

I am in search of any information on a Richard Davis, born c. 1833-1844. We know very little about him.

He married Nancy Clementine Hughes in about 1864 in Jackson County, Alabama; and together they had one child, Green Jackson Davis, who was born in March 1865 in Jackson County, Alabama.

Richard Davis had to leave Alabama after killing a Union soldier and came to the Bad Lands of Texas. He was thought to have lived with an Indian tribe (which one unknown). He later remarried and had more children, one of which may have been a Robert Davis.

Richard may have been a wagon master and led a wagon train from Texas to Alabama, in turn meeting his first wife Nancy.

Richard was thought to have been originally from Europe, coming to Texas with his parents. Richard was still living at or right after the turn of this century.

Richard started some type of business and, as the story goes, did very well in it.

I will list some hints that might click someone's memory.

Richard may have been an only child, probably had light hair and fair skin, may have changed his name, had a friend named Hen Cooper in Alabama, and may have claimed Tennessee as his home state.

I would be grateful to anyone who could help me. Thanks so much.

Kimberly Stewart
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Winchester, TN
37398

Veterans Post

by Freddy Groves

The VA is trying to reach all veterans who saw action in the Persian Gulf and may have unexplained illnesses that could make them eligible for compensation.

Be advised that under Public Law 103-446, the Veterans Benefits Improvement Act of 1994, signed into law by President Clinton on November 2, 1994, the VA is authorized to pay compensation to any Persian Gulf veteran suffering from a chronic disability resulting from an undiagnosed illness or a combination of undiagnosed illnesses that became manifest during Persian Gulf service or, to a degree of 10 percent or more, within a specific time frame following Gulf service. The law recognizes 13 categories that could be considered as undiagnosed illnesses. I'll list them in this space next week.

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Off Campus

By Scott Elliott

"Deciding To Decide"

"Scott, in your first year as a president, don't do anything. Don't try to change anything. People absolutely detest change. Just lean back in your chair and watch the world go by. If you do that, you'll be okay. I guarantee it."

Such was the heartfelt advice I received six months ago from the sage who mentored me in community college education. I was about to exit stage west in a 24-foot U-Haul for Clarendon, Texas, and those marked the final words of wisdom from a man for whom I'd toiled more than a decade.

There was every reason to pay heed. After all, the guy is a native Texan, has been a community college president for over 20 years (including 11 in Texas), and commands a huge salary and more perks than Maxwell House.

Certainly, there have been times when I wish I had listened to him. But not very often.

You see, I had another mentor long before I ever got into the business of education. I called him "Dad," and he impressed upon me that, "Not making a decision is one of the most decisive things you can do."

So, being a staunch guardian of the status quo just isn't in my nature. I believe we all have a choice in life - we can either help to mold change or be molded by it.

Whether we like it or not, change is inevitable. To the naked eye, the sturdiest building in town appears constant, but that structure is in continuous motion. Can the challenge of education be in any less flux?

Where higher education in the Texas Panhandle is concerned, Clarendon College holds the smallest share of a declining market. That's the harsh, ugly reality.

Facts are stubborn little critters. Of the eight counties in Clarendon College's state-designated service area, four have continued to suffer population decreases since 1990, according to a recent report from the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission (PRPC). Donley County, as an example, dropped from 3,696 residents in 1990 to 2,661 in 1993.

Of the counties in our service area that have enjoyed modest growth, the figures are somewhat skewed. Gray County, as a case in point, vaulted from 23,967 in 1990 to 24,273 in 1993. While that's an encouraging sign, it must be remembered that Gray County peaked at 31,535 in the only days of 1960.

The same can be said of Childress, which represents our service area's second-best growth opportunity. Childress' population, according to the PRPC, stood at 8,421 in 1960, but plummeted to 6,049 by 1993.

Moreover, the population in our service area is an aging one. The dominant age group by census tract in

all or parts of the counties in our service area is 55 years and up. This, of course, is not the cohort most commonly associated with traditional academic college pursuits.

Such demographics mandate that Clarendon College work harder and harder just to hold its own. The college's recruiting area must ever-expand and be frequented by college personnel for us to remain competitive with other area institutions, all of which possess far greater fiscal resources than our own.

Simple demographics, however, are far from our college's only challenge. As I have written before, we are drowning in a paper-driven age of accountability. The way we conduct business is being increasingly dictated by external agencies, federal and state auditors, and others who write volumes upon volumes of cumbersome rules and regulations.

In that vein, I must return to the theme of helping to mold change or being molded by it. I would much prefer helping to shape the college's destiny in a proactive sense, than reacting to the edicts of external agencies - none of which have a real vested interest in Clarendon College or the well-being of its constituents.

In such a climate, the status quo is a luxury we can't afford. It's a dog that just won't hunt. We have already lost some opportunities to chart our own course. While change is oftentimes painful, the alternatives can be even more so. The economic and social impact of delaying decisions represents a costly geometric progression.

Decision-making is, in truth, a sometimes nebulous and risky endeavor. That's because most issues are gray, not black and white. And most decisions involve pluses and minuses, losses and gains, hurting and healing. The best one can do is carefully weigh all the factors, make the best choice possible, then go forth.

In my mind, the absence of criticism is tantamount to an indictment. I would rather be criticized for trying my best, than not trying at all. Likewise, I would rather be the subject of coffee house conversation than to never have people talk about the college at all.

Remember that Clarendon College belongs to you. If you ever have any questions about any issue involving your college, I would encourage you to call me. Don't wait a day or an hour. My office telephone number is 874-3571 and my home phone is 874-2717.

Who knows? I may even know as much about what's going on as they do at the coffee houses.

Dr. Scott Elliott is the President of Clarendon College.

CAPITOL COMMENT BY SEN. KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON

Veterans' Benefits Are Essential

Sometimes the fights you think will be the hardest turn out to be easy, and the ones you think will be a breeze end up being a real struggle. Recently, a simple decision that in my book should have been a foregone conclusion turned out to be a real nightmare for our nation's veterans.

It never occurred to me that President Clinton's administration would not deem veterans' pensions essential. Hundreds of thousands of veterans, as well as their widows and children, were told they would not receive their veterans' benefits checks on time because of the government shutdown.

Veterans' benefits have the same entitlements status as other earned benefits upon which people depend to live. Our law is clear that these benefits are an entitlement. The president has every right to designate veteran's benefits as essential. Other administrations have done so under similar circumstances. But President Clinton chose not to deem them essential.

Our veterans were there when we needed them. Now many live on and depend upon these pensions, including many who are disabled.

On Nov. 15, Sen. Alan Simpson and I introduced a bill to make it absolutely sure that funds are available for this purpose. It will appropriate such sums as are

required to pay veterans' benefits (pensions, liability, death) during the time we don't have an appropriation or continuing budget resolution to which the legislative and executive branches can both agree.

The Veterans Administration has insisted it must have an appropriation to continue these payments. I don't think that is the case. These benefits are a permanent, authorized, mandatory program. Ed Derwinski, former head of the Veterans Administration under the Bush administration, concurs in that assessment.

And, indeed, the original legislation authorizing expenditures on veterans' benefits makes no mention of appropriations - it says simply that the payments shall be made.

But given that the administration is insisting on an appropriation, my bill would provide one, ensuring there is no excuse for not paying our veterans what they have coming.

Once this bill is enacted, there will no longer be even the flimsiest excuse for delaying the payment of veterans' benefits.

We are going to try to make sure that no one can play games with the veterans of this country. My message to veterans is this: America's commitment to you will be kept.



Classic P. Graham is now a resident of Memphis Convalescent Center. She invites all her friends to come and visit her at her new home.

"Ms. Graham is adjusting beautifully to our facility and making many friends, fast," stated Billy Ray Johnston, administrator of the facility. "I did not know Ms. Graham prior to her arrival to the facility, but I have found out that the in-

formation that preceded her was untrue. There are probably others that would fall in to this category and I would hope that we do not wait as long to get the care they need, to continue living a life with quality, dignity, and respect. Abuse comes in numerous disguises."

Memphis Convalescent Center

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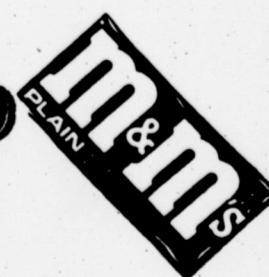
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Obituaries

Leslie Jerrel Martin
Masonic Graveside Services for Leslie Jerrel Martin, age 65, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 25, 1995, in Flomont Cemetery in Flomont, Texas, with Furman Vinson of Flomont officiating. Interment was in Flomont Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc.

Mr. Martin died at approximately 1:00 a.m. on Thursday, Nov. 23, 1995, at his residence on Bitter Creek Ranch near Clarendon following a sudden illness.

He was born Jan. 20, 1930, in Flomont, Texas, and had lived near Turkey for eight years before moving to Donley County in 1957. He married Joy Lee Wyman on January 20, 1950, at Matador, Texas. He had been a rancher most of his life. He was a member of the Clarendon Masonic Lodge #700 and was a Past Master of the Lodge and Past Deputy of the Grand Lodge. He was a 32nd Degree Mason, a Scottish Rite Mason, a member of the Khiva Shrine, and a member of the Clarendon Order of the Eastern Star Chapter #6. He was also a member of the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon.

Survivors include his wife, Joy Martin of Clarendon; one daughter, Jayne McElroy of El Paso; two sons, Mitchell L. Martin of Clarendon and Scott Martin of Clarendon; one sister, Lillie Mae Johnson of Floydada; two brothers, Farris Martin of Turkey and Donnie Martin of Silvertown; 5 grandchildren; and 3 great grandchildren.

Casket bearers were members of the Amarillo Mule Skinners and Masonic Lodge members. The family requests that memorials be to a favorite charity.

Chuck Adkins
Graveside services for Chuck Adkins, age 45, were held at 10:00 a.m. on Nov. 20, 1995, in Resthaven Memorial Park with Dr. John Paul Powell of Westminster Presbyterian Church officiating under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home. Memorial services were held at 11:00 a.m. on Nov. 20, 1995, in the Westminster Presbyterian Church with Dr. Powell officiating.

Mr. Adkins died on Saturday, Nov. 18, 1995. He was born in Amarillo. He graduated from Clarendon High School and attended Texas Tech University. He served overseas in the Army for seven years and moved to Lubbock in 1973. He married Annette Brown in 1974 at Stamford. He worked for Southwest Public Services for 17 years. He was a member of the Westminster Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include his wife; three children, Allison Rene Adkins and Clayton Carl Adkins, both of the home, and Charles Ryan Adkins of Tulsa; his mother Anne S. Adkins of Lockney; a brother Dr. Byrd Adkins of Amarillo; a sister, Marilyn Walker of Kermit; and two aunts, Roberta Pittman of Clarendon and Margaret Brackett of Lubbock.

Yvonne Belle McDaniel
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were held at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, Nov. 27, 1995, in the First United Methodist Church with Rev. Terry Tamplen, Pastor of Kingswood United Methodist Church in Amarillo and Rev. Marty J. Hamrick, Pastor, officiating. Interment was at 2:30 p.m. in Eastview Cemetery in Vernon, Texas, with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc.

Mrs. McDaniel died at 7:27 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 25 in the medical Center Nursing Home in Clarendon following a short illness. She was born August 14, 1911, in Clinton, Oklahoma, and lived in Vernon most of her life before moving to Donley County in 1946. She married Burton McDaniel on Dec. 24, 1922, in Vernon. She was a homemaker and a member of the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon. She was also a member of the United Methodist Women.

She was preceded in death by a son, James Burton McDaniel, Jr., in 1951.

Survivors include her husband, J.B. McDaniel of Lelia Lake; and two sisters, Mildred Hoffman of Gainesville, Texas, and Rosa Lee Keen of Gainesville, Texas.

Casket bearers were Earl Shields, Jerry Koontz, Johnny Floyd, David Wilson, Larry Helms, and H.C. Shaw.

Ruby Walden
Funeral Services for Ruby Walden, age 67, were held Monday, Nov. 27, 1995, at 11:00 a.m. in Resthaven Chapel in Lubbock with Paul Jantzen, pastor of Trinity Church, officiating. Interment was in Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home.

Mrs. Walden died Friday, Nov. 17, 1995, at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. She was born Nov. 15, 1928, in Cleburne. She moved to Clarendon from Lubbock in 1993. She had lived in

Lubbock for 45 years. She married Gamon Walden on August 30, 1947, in Whitharral. She graduated from Texas Tech University in 1958 with a bachelor's degree in education. She attended Trinity Church.

She taught school in Lubbock for three years. She earned her real estate license and was an independent broker until her retirement in 1993.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Carolyn Garner of Amarillo and Kim Prince of Niceville, Fla.; a brother, Ray McCarty of Lubbock; two sisters, Linda May and Leona Whitford, both of Lubbock; and three grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be given to Hospice.

Friendship Quilting Club Meets

The Friendship Quilting Club met in the home of Florine Bennett on November 14, 1995.

A discussion of how to disband the club was brought. It was decided to donate the secretary books to the library and to donate the money in the treasury to the library. It was also decided that the friends of the club can have a gathering any time by calling friends any time.

Members who enjoyed refreshments of coffee, tea, dips, crackers, Ice Box pie, Cherry Cheese pie, pumpkin, pickles, olives, cheese crackers, mints, and nuts were Florine Bennett, Edna Dishman, Vada Morrison, Yvonne Bell McDaniel, Irene Mann, Irene Jones, Helena Catoc, Mary Lee Noble, Oddie Moss, Jane Stevens, and Annie Thomason.

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By Mel Phillips

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Mel Phillips, winner of numerous awards for journalism and broadcasting, is an active member of the Texas Outdoors Writers Association, a tournament angler, an avid hunter, and host of a Wednesday evening talk show on KGNC TalkRadio 71.

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JV Boys Fall To RR

Jason Archuleta and Nathan Koontz paced the Broncho junior varsity with 9 points apiece as River Road rolled over the Bronchos, 67-33, Nov. 21 in Amarillo.

The junior varsity fell to 0-3 on the season.

River Road was on fire in the first quarter, running off 29 points compared to the Bronchos' 12.

Blake Bass scored 4 of his 6 points in the first quarter as Koontz rang up 5 points, and Archuleta sank a free throw.

The Bronchos outscored River Road, 4-2, in the second quarter after Archuleta tossed in 2 buckets.

The Class 3A team entered half-time with a 31-14 lead.

River Road scored twice as many points as the Bronchos in the third quarter, pushing their lead to 47-22. Koontz sank 4 free throws in the fourth quarter for the Bronchos 11-point effort in the final period.

Those scoring were Koontz, 9; Archuleta, 9; Bass, 6; Nathan Sears, 5; Derek Shields, 2; and Oren Shields, 2.

The Broncho Junior Varsity enters a tough varsity tournament Thursday in Shamrock. The Clarendon Junior Varsity team meets the Paducah Varsity team at 8:30 p.m. Thursday in the Shamrock High School Gym.

They will play at 8:30 p.m. Friday whether they win or lose.

The junior varsity has a tentative Tuesday match-up with Shamrock in Shamrock for a 4 p.m. start.

Shamrock may be in the Class 1A football play-offs. If they beat Wink this weekend, the Irish will be unable to honor their commitment to the Tuesday tip-off.

Broncho coaches are trying to line up another game.

JV Lady Bronchos Ease By River Road, 44-43

The Lady Bronchos junior varsity outscored Amarillo River Road 15-11 in the fourth quarter Nov. 21, holding off the home team in an exciting 44-43 finish in Amarillo.

Their record improves to 2-1 on the year.

Jill Hicks drained a 3-pointer and Marci Moore and Jenny Roberts tossed in a bucket apiece to give the Lady Bronchos a 7-5 first quarter advantage.

River Road tied the game before the half, scoring 11 points compared to the Lady Bronchos 9.

The Lady Wildcats outscored Clarendon in the third quarter, 15-13, despite Moore and Mandy Weatheron's 4 points apiece and Roberts' two free throws.

An explosive 15-point fourth quarter performance by the Lady Bronchos, which included a 3-pointer and a bucket by Roberts lifted Clarendon past River Road who scored 11 points in the final period.

Those scoring for Clarendon were Roberts, 13; Weatheron, 9; Stephanie Smith, 8; Moore, 6; Hicks, 3; Tracy Hankins, 2; Lindsay Green, 2; and Paula Jackson, 1.

Next up for the Clarendon Junior Varsity squad is the Wellington Varsity Thursday at 4 p.m. in the Shamrock Tournament.

They will play at 4 p.m. Friday regardless of whether they win or lose on Thursday.

The Lady Bronchos Junior Varsity team will travel to Shamrock

Tuesday for a regular season game. Game time is tentatively set for 5 p.m.

The Shamrock football team may still be in the play-offs which may alter starting times.

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Lady Bronchos To Play Samnorwood

The Lady Bronchos nearly overcame the Class 3A River Road Wildcats in the fourth quarter Nov. 21 in Amarillo but came up short losing 58-51.

Their record falls to 1-2 with the loss.

Clarendon came out strong in the first quarter to take any early lead but quickly went on a dry spell, and River Road took advantage of it.

River Road led 21-8 at the end of the first quarter.

Sparked by Kasi Ashcraft's 6 points, which included all four of her free throws, Clarendon made up some ground in the second quarter outscoring River Road, 13-11.

But the Lady Bronchos were still in a 32-21 halftime hole that they built for themselves in the first quarter, Schmidt said.

They began inching their way back in the third quarter behind two 3-pointers by Melissa Campbell and 6 points by returning starter Stephanie Floyd, but River Road held onto a sizeable 47-36 lead.

Campbell put in 6 points and Kory Knorpp and Kim Alexander both contributed 4 points apiece in the fourth quarter for a team total of 15 points. Their stifling defense held River Road to 12 points.

"I was really proud of how hard they struggled in the fourth quarter," Schmidt said. "They really showed a lot of character. I think this will definitely help us later on in the year. No matter how far we're down, I think we realize now that we can always come back."

Scoring for the Lady Bronchos were Campbell, 17; Knorpp, 9; Ashcraft, 8; Floyd, 8; Alexander, 4; Cindy Hearn, 3; and Nettie Wilson, 2.

Clarendon meets Samnorwood Thursday at 4 p.m. in the Shamrock High School Gym for the Shamrock Tournament.

They will play at 7 p.m. Friday in either the junior high or high school gym depending on the outcome of Thursday's contest. The tournament winds up Saturday at 6 p.m. with the championship game.

The Lady Bronchos resume their regular schedule Tuesday when they return to Shamrock for a 6:30 p.m. contest. Game time may be changed because Shamrock could still be in the football play-offs.

Clarendon Board Of Aldermen Minutes

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Clarendon met for a regular session on Nov. 21, 1995, at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room of City Hall.

Members present: Mayor Steve Smith, Aldermen James Kuhn, Mac Stavenhagen, Shawn Barker, and Delmar Wiggs.

Members Absent: Alderman Bobbie Kidd.

Others present: Janice Barbee, Ernest Johnston, Bob McCombs, Jim Roberts, Frank Hommel, Mr. and Mrs. Stan McClendon, and Art Vaughan.

Minutes of the Oct. 24, 1995, meeting were read and approved upon a motion made by Alderman Kuhn, seconded by Alderman Wiggs. Motion carried.

Bob McCombs gave a report on the bins for the Recycling Center. The need for a phone was brought up; a unanimous decision was made to get a phone installed.

The Christmas dinner will be at the Bar-H Dude Ranch on Dec. 5, 1995.

Stan McClendon and Art Vaughan spoke on Thunder Junction; a new drawing of the park was presented.

Alderman Barker made a motion to place Terry Floyd on the Economic Development Board, due to the resignation of David Smith. Motion was seconded by Alderman Kuhn. Motion carried.

Alderman Kuhn made a motion to put Jade Drenth and Joe Morrow on a salary with a 50% increase in pay. Motion was seconded by Alderman Wiggs. Motion carried.

Bills for the month of October 1995, and Fire Dept. Receipts and Disbursements were presented, and, upon a motion by Alderman Stavenhagen, said bills were ordered paid. Motion carried.

There being no further business at this time, motion was made by Alderman Kuhn to adjourn and seconded by Alderman Wiggs. Motion carried.

Lady Colts Edged Out By Canadian

Seventh Grade Misses Mark, 30-9

Clarendon's seventh grade girls offensive weaponry did not ignite until the third quarter Monday, and by then it was too difficult to overcome the home team as Canadian coasted by Clarendon, 30-9.

The loss drops the seventh graders to 1-1 on the season.

Canadian scored 15 points before halftime as the seventh graders hit a severe scoring slump.

Geraldine Butler scored the first 4 points for the Lady Colts in the third quarter, and Canadian led 27-4 at the end of the third quarter.

Butler chipped in two more buckets in the fourth quarter, and Shannon Cooper sank one free throw before it was all over.

Butler had 8 points for the Lady Colts and Cooper had 1.

Monday, the seventh grade girls travel to Wellington for a 5 p.m. start against the Firecrackers.

Eighth Grade Barely Loses, 35-34

Foul trouble plagued the eighth grade girls in the waning minutes of Monday's contest with Canadian in Wildcat country as the home team edged the Lady Colts, 35-34.

The loss evens out the eighth graders' record to 1-1.

Scoring by both teams was evenly spaced throughout the nip-and-tuck contest.

Tonya Wilson and Niki Carter chipped in 4 points apiece, and Lindy Helms contributed 2 in the first quarter for a 10-10 tie.

Wilson paced the Lady Colts with 4 points in the second quarter, and America Santos sank one free throw and Carter sank two from the free throw line as Canadian entered halftime with an 18-17 lead.

It was all Wilson and Carter again as they combined for 8 points, holding Canadian to 8 in the third quarter.

But Carter fouled out in the fourth quarter, and her departure and foul trouble by many of the starters in the final period hurt the eighth grade team, Head Coach Sheri Richardson said.

Santos scored 4 points. Wilson chipped in a bucket, and Janiah Mondragon made good on 1 point on a trip to the free throw line for a 9-point fourth quarter.

Canadian also scored 9 points in the fourth quarter slipping by the Lady Colts.

Those scoring for the Lady Colts were Wilson, 14; Carter, 12; Santos, 5; Helms, 2; and Mondragon, 1.

The eighth grade girls will travel to Wellington Monday for a contest following the seventh graders' 5:00 p.m. game.

Colts Take On Canadian Jr. High

Seventh Grade Wins, 36-27

Cousins Colt Floyd and Nathan Floyd scored a combined 18 points to lead the Clarendon Colts seventh grade team past the visiting Canadian team, 36-27.

The win pushes the seventh grade team's record to 2-0.

Clarendon led 3-2 at the end of the first quarter, but both teams put on an offensive scorefest in the second. The Colts rang up 14 points, holding Canadian to an 11-point quarter.

Coach Byron Bass' charges entered halftime with a 17-13 lead.

Nathan Floyd scored 6 of his 8 points in the third quarter, and Colt Floyd made good on his two free throws for a 10-point outing.

A pressure defense held Canadian to 4 points. Clarendon entered the final quarter with a 27-17 advantage.

Bass cleared the bench in the fourth quarter, and the Colts held Canadian to 10 points while ringing up 9 points.

Those scoring for the Colts were Colt Floyd, 10; Nathan Floyd, 8; Dee Thompson, 5; Josh Williams, 4; G.J. Martindale, 4; Sam Holton, 2; Aron Mays, 2; and Michael Lane, 1.

The seventh graders will meet Wellington in the Broncho Gym at 5 p.m. Monday

Eighth Grade Falls Short, 50-16

Carey Thornberry paced the eighth grade Clarendon Colts with 6 points as Canadian outscored the home team, 50-16, Monday in the Broncho Gym.

The eighth graders fell to 0-2 on the season.

Thornberry racked up the Colts' only points in the first quarter, scoring a bucket as Canadian reeled off 15 points.

Thornberry and Hunter Spier each added a bucket, and point guard Brandon Word made good on two chances from the charity stripe for a 6-point second quarter; but Canadian led, 29-8, at halftime.

Canadian outscored the Colts, 15-2, in the third quarter and 8-6 in the fourth quarter.

Jeffrey Hearn, Aaron Jeffers, and Word each contributed a bucket in the final quarter.

Those scoring for the Colts were Thornberry, 6; Word, 3; Spier, 2; Jeffers, 2; and Hearn, 2.

The Wellington eighth grade team visits Clarendon Monday for a 6 p.m. start.

Children's Advocacy Center Established In Pampa To Aid In Abuse Investigations

The Bridge Children's Advocacy Center of Amarillo has established a similar center in Pampa to make their services more accessible to citizens in the eastern part of the Panhandle of Texas. This would include the counties of the 100th Judicial District.

These centers provide a team approach to the investigation of sexual and physical child abuse to help protect children from being further victimized by limiting interviews and increasing communications between law enforcement, prosecution, medical, and child protective services.

Randall C. Sims, District Attorney of the 100th Judicial District, has agreed to be a member of the case review team for cases coming through the Pampa center. His ten years of prosecutorial experience as well as his concerns for victims make him a welcomed member to the review team. "When asked to be a member of the case review team, I immediately said yes, and felt very honored to be asked to be included in such a very important cause for child victims," Sims said.

Mr. Sims contacted the county judge, county attorney, county sheriff, police chief, and the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services in each county of the 100th Judicial District regarding support for The Bridge; and, as a result, an interagency agreement in support of The Bridge was signed.

Trivia Test

- by Linda Luckhurst
1. Climb Every Mountain: What is the highest mountain in the world that isn't part of a range?
 2. Music: Who was it the Everly Brothers were trying to wake up?
 3. History: Who was the U.S. ambassador to the Court of St. James when World War II broke out?
 4. Novels: Who was the son of Tarzan in the books by Edgar Rice Burroughs?
 5. It's In The Stars: What star has a diameter of 864,000 miles?
 6. Geography: What state is due south of Utah?
 7. The British Monarchy: What is the only house in England that the Queen is not allowed to enter?
 8. Movies: Who served as Goldfinger's bodyguard?

Trivia Test Answers

1. Mount Kilimanjaro; 2. Little House of Commons; 8. Oddjob
3. Joseph P. Kennedy, Sr.; 4. Korat; 5. the sun; 6. Arizona; 7. the

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Lady Bulldogs Faced Tough Teams For Games Of Thanksgiving Weekend

Clarendon's Lady Bulldogs dropped three games against some of the nation's top teams Thanksgiving weekend in a tough Coffeyville, Kan., tournament.

Their record falls to 2-8. The Lady Bulldogs trailed 34-24 at halftime Thanksgiving Day against the home team Coffeyville Lady Ravens.

Coffeyville had just come off a victory against the top team in the country - Trinity Valley College near Dallas.

"They (Coffeyville) were pumped," head coach Joel Zehr said of their most recent victory.

And they showed it against the Lady Bulldogs. Paced by Brandy Thomas' 19 points, Clarendon played a nearly flawless first half, Zehr said.

"We played 20 minutes of good basketball. We just went flat in the second half."

Tournament host Coffeyville outlasted the Lady Bulldogs, beating them 76-48.

Lack of rebounding killed Clarendon's efforts in the second half, Zehr said. The Lady Ravens grabbed 50 rebounds compared to the Lady Bulldogs' 26.

"They were much shorter, but they work harder and play well together," Zehr said.

Scoring for the Lady Bulldogs were Thomas, 19; Tandra Edwards, 7; Deborah York, 5; Maria Hernandez, 4; Angie Kepley, 4; Theris Dunbar, 4; Sally Bradshaw, 3; and Veronica Parada, 2.

Clarendon saved its best game for Friday against Northeastern Oklahoma A&M - one of the top teams in the country, Zehr said.

The Lady Bulldogs trailed 31-25 at half and came out roaring in the second half. They were behind 12 points at one point but got it back to within 7.

At the 8:57 mark in the second half, the offensive wheels fell off Clarendon's wagon. Northeastern Oklahoma went on a 20-point run, earning a 74-47 victory.

Clarendon committed 24 turnovers compared to Northeastern's 13.

Scoring for the Lady Bulldogs were Dunbar, 16 points; 8 rebounds;

Edwards, 10; Thomas, 10; Lori Neish, 4; Lori Hurst, 3; Parada, 2; and York, 2.

Seward County College held a sizable 36-16 halftime lead against Clarendon in their final game Saturday.

Paced by Thomas' and York's 9 points apiece, the Lady Bulldogs scored 16 more points in the second half before falling short, 57-32.

"We didn't work together, we didn't rebound, and we didn't run our offense," Zehr said. "Maybe this tournament was beneficial in one way or another."

Kepley contributed 6 points while Parada and Bradshaw each chipped in 3 points. Hernandez had 2 points in the losing effort.

Next up for the Lady Bulldogs is a Friday 3 p.m. (MST) match-up with Air Force Prep in Colorado Springs, Colo. They return to Clarendon Dec. 8 for the Clarendon College Classic.

College To Hold Driver Safety Class on Dec. 2

A Driver Safety Course will be held at Clarendon College on Dec. 2, 1995, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. in Room 103 of the Administration Building. The fee is \$25.

Upon completion of this course, participants will be eligible for a 10% discount on their liability for insurance for three years and dismissal of a traffic violation. All dismissals of traffic violations must be approved by the appropriate Justice of the Peace.

This course is offered by Clarendon College and USA Training Company, Inc.

Contact Clarendon College at 874-3571 for further information.

A Reminder

The deadline for submitting copy to *The Clarendon News* is noon Monday. Pictures must be in by 5 p.m., Friday.

FFA Area Meet Held At College

Approximately 380 FFA members from 40 schools converged on the Clarendon College campus Saturday, Nov. 18, to see who would grab the top spots in each of the Area's Leadership Contests.

The top team from each contest will advance to state which will be held Dec. 9 at Sam Houston State University.

Teams representing Area I will be:

- Senior Chapter Conducting
- 1 White Deer
 - 2 Booker
 - 3 Floydada

- Junior Chapter Conducting
- 1 Paducah
 - 2 Anton
 - 3 Floydada

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- 1 Friona
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 - 3 West Texas High

- Senior Chapter Skills
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 - 2 Valley
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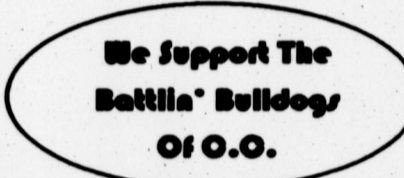
Kenny Brdecko of Levelland was recently appointed by Roberts County commissioners and officials with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service as the new agricultural agent officed in Miami.

The appointment becomes effective Dec. 1, according to an announcement made jointly today by Roberts County Judge Vernon Cook and Extension Director Bob Robinson in the Panhandle district office in Amarillo.

Brdecko will be moving to Miami from Hockley County, where he has served as assistant agricultural agent for the past two years and has provided leadership to local 4H club programming efforts. The new agent distinguished himself as a 4H club member as a youth in his native state of New Mexico.

Brdecko graduated from Clarendon College, where he was a member of champion livestock judging teams and majored in animal science.

He holds an undergraduate degree from Texas Tech University and coached Tech's judging teams where students placed in top rankings at several national and regional competitions. Brdecko's post-graduate work is also being done at Tech.



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ACROSS	"The King and I"	veggie	6 Actress Sheridan	44 Extinct bird	63 Healy
1 "Barpoo" author Peter	60 On cloud nine	102 Ben "..."	6 Lillian	46 - Grass	64 "Slow down, Mr. Ed!"
2 Mr. Lerner	63 Barbecue	103 "Star Wars"	7 Notes from Puccini?	51 Window dressing?	65 Hot spot?
3 Arcadia, for one	106 Alley Cop's place	104 "Star Wars"	8 Arrow feature	53 Word form for "race"	66 Goya's gold
14 - for Fire" (51 film)	108 Author Maugham	105 "Star Wars"	9 Vane dir.	54 Duration	67 Incised plane
15 Eddie ate	111 Sondheim/Rodgers song	106 "Star Wars"	10 Came out ahead	55 Old tub	68 Bull's beloved
26 Fiddling emperor	116 Fido's foot	107 "Star Wars"	11 Clay, today	57 Easily digested	69 Subtle indications
21 Like some energy	70 Creme - 73 Terkard filler	108 "Star Wars"	12 Georgia city	60 Knowledge	107 To - (perfectly)
22 Make much of	74 "Last" (71 film)	109 "Star Wars"	13 Conductor Andre	61 "The ..."	108 Oriens
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26 Style one's locks	77 "Get outta here!"	111 "Star Wars"	15 Mid-east letters	63 Sharon of Israel	111 Bull's dress
27 Fractions	81 Staker Midori	112 "Star Wars"	16 Hobbit Foot	64 Four-smelling	112 Column style
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Approved By: The Donley County State Bank, The First Bank & Trust of Clarendon, The Clarendon-Donley County Chamber of Commerce, and The Clarendon Merchants Association.

The Lions Tale

By Gene Alderson



The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting at noon on Tuesday, November 21, 1995, at the Lions Hall with 19 members, 3 guests, and Lion Sweetheart Dee Williams present.

Following the regular opening ceremony, Boss Lion Johnson called the meeting to order. Lion Henson introduced the guests including Kevin Gandy, vice president of the Donley County State Bank, who was the guest of Lion Walt Knorpp.

The District Governor made his official visit to the club recently, and his wife left a wrapped gift for the club. Boss Lion Johnson raffled it off at the meeting and Lion Thompson was the lucky winner of a nice bath towel with the Lions logo on it. The proceeds in the amount of \$35.00, were donated to the Ministerial Alliance.

Boss Lion Johnson nominated Lion Scott Elliott to be Secretary/Treasurer of the club. Lion Walt Knorpp seconded the nomination, and he was elected unanimously.

A very informative program on the new recycling effort in Clarendon was presented by Bob McCombs, who is the recycling coordinator.

Following the program, the meeting was adjourned.

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 28, 1995, at the Lions Hall with 22 members and guests present.

Following the usual opening ceremony, Boss Lion Johnson called the meeting to order. Lion Tamer Henson recognized Russell Estlack, a guest of Lion Allen Estlack, and Kevin Gandy, vice president of the Donley County State Bank and guest of Lion Todd Knorpp.

Lion Allen Estlack conducted an induction ceremony for new members Marty Hamerick, pastor of the Methodist Church, and Scott Elliott, president of Clarendon College.

The Boss Lion reported that the club had donated \$100 to Girls Town and purchased eye glasses for two Clarendon school students.

After much discussion, action on Bingo was tabled.

Lion Bentley was presented with a pen set for his years of service to the club as Song Leader.

Following the presentation, the meeting was adjourned in due form.

Free Guide On Paying For College Available

Washington, D.C. - Families whose checkbooks balk at four-year college costs, which top \$75,000 for private colleges and \$35,000 for public universities, might want to turn to another book. *Paying for College*, a free guide published by Sallie Mae, provides useful tips on coping with tuition and other college costs. In addition to advice on savings and financial aid, the 20-page primer is a particularly valuable resource for explaining the world of federal student loan programs.

Paying for College includes a step-by-step guide on applying for financial aid, charts for estimating future college costs and monthly payments, and information comparing different lenders participating in federal student loan programs. Some lenders, for example, offer flexible repayment plans and interest rate reductions for borrowers who develop regular on-time repayment habits. (Banks that sell their loans to Sallie Mae for instance, reduce interest rates by two percentage points to Stafford loan borrowers who make

their first scheduled 48 payments on time. For borrowers who pay electronically, through automatic deduction from their savings or checking accounts, the rate is discounted another quarter percentage point.) Such benefits mean cheaper student loans, reducing overall borrowing costs by hundreds, even thousands of dollars.

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Wednesday: Eggs, biscuits, juice, milk
Thursday: Pancakes, juice, milk
Friday: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk
LUNCH:
Monday: Corn dogs, blackeyed peas, French fries, fruit, cookie, milk
Tuesday: Chalupas with meat, cheese, beans, peanut butter and graham crackers, salad, fruit, milk
Wednesday: Chicken nuggets with honey, hot rolls, green beans, cream potatoes, cake, milk
Thursday: Barbecue wienies, hot rolls, coleslaw, pinto beans, fruit, milk
Friday: Hot dogs with chili and cheese, french fries, pickle spear, fruit, cookie, milk

Donley County Senior Citizens Dec. 4-8

Monday: Barbecue beef, potato wedges, green beans, coleslaw, apricot cobbler, bread, coffee, tea, whole milk
Tuesday: Creamy chicken bake, rice pilaf, peas and carrots, tropical fruit, bread pudding with lemon sauce, dinner roll, coffee, tea, whole milk
Wednesday: Smothered steak, cream potatoes, zucchini and tomatoes, Waldorf salad, chocolate cake, wheat roll, coffee, tea, whole milk
Thursday: Chicken glaziers, baked beans, onion rings, tossed salad, peaches, dinner roll, coffee, tea, whole milk
Friday: Sweet and sour pork chops, au gratin potatoes, fried okra, pea salad, tropical apples, wheat roll, coffee, tea, whole milk

Hedley Senior Citizens Dec. 4-8

Monday: Chicken strips and gravy, macaroni and cheese, steamed cabbage, hominy salad, apple bran muffin, corn muffin, milk, tea, coffee
Tuesday: Roast beef, baked potato, English peas, jelled fruit, cake, roll, milk, tea, coffee
Wednesday: Steak and gravy, au gratin potatoes, green beans, carrot-raisin salad, banana pudding, roll, milk, tea, coffee
Thursday: Mexican casserole, Spanish rice, tossed salad, sliced peaches, chips, milk, tea, coffee
Friday: Catfish fillet, whole kernel corn, spinach, coleslaw, plum cobbler, corn muffin, milk, tea, coffee



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Red Tape Costly For Health-Care System

Government regulations and administrative red tape add at least \$500 million annually to Texans' health care bills, according to a new study carried out by Texas Medical Association.

The study, conducted by TMA's Health Care Financing Department, found that administrative hassles in dealing with health insurance carriers, government sponsored programs such as Medicare, and other third-party payors cost the citizens of Texas \$360 million per year.

The cost of physician compliance with Occupational Safety and Health Administration regulations totaled \$103 million annually while federal clinical laboratory regulations add another \$61 million per year to the cost of health care in Texas.

Fallen Leaves Good For Yard, Not Good For Landfills

If you've got trees in your yard, you're in luck. It's almost "fall-like" in most parts of Texas, and your lawn is probably being blanketed with a valuable source of nutrients for your yard. So instead of raking and bagging those bulky leaves and packing them off to the landfill, save yourself some time and put them to good use as a natural fertilizer.

"Leaves make up at least half of the landscape trimmings headed to Texas landfills in the fall," says Kitty Coley, compost manager at the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission. "Why take up expensive landfill space with these materials when they're a great natural resource for your yard? You can save money in collection and disposal fees and use less fertilizer by turning your leaves into compost or mulch."

According to the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, which created the "Don't Bag It" Lawn Care Plan, there are four basic ways to recycle leaves:

Mowing: If there's only a light covering of leaves in your yard, just mow right over them and leave the shredded leaves on the lawn. This easy method works best with a mulching mower. Heavier leaf cover calls for the methods listed below.

Mulching: Leaves that have been mowed or run through a shredder decompose faster and stay in place well as a mulch in gardens and around trees and shrubs. Mulching conserves soil moisture, controls weeds and grasses, protects against extreme heat and cold, and prevents soil erosion. Use a lawn mower with a bag attachment to quickly gather and shred your leaf mulch.

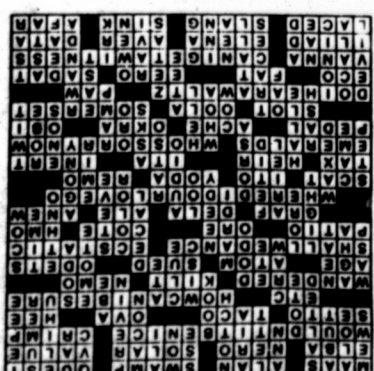
Soil Improvement: Prepare your garden and flower beds for spring planting by working leaves into the soil in the fall. Till 6 or 8 inches of leaves into a heavy, clay soil to improve aeration and drainage. Till the same amount into a light, sandy soil to improve water- and nutrient-holding capacity.

Composting: If you've got a garden, lawn, or even house plants, you've got a use for compost. Start with leaves and other yard trimmings to form the bottom layer of a compost pile. Top with water and soil or old compost and add more leaves, grass clippings, and vegetative kitchen scraps as they become available.

While many citizens are helping "Take Care of Texas" by following these simple yard care tips, communities across the state such as Fort Worth and College Station are diverting tons of yard waste from landfills and saving thousands of dollars in collection fees by implementing citywide "Don't Bag It" programs.

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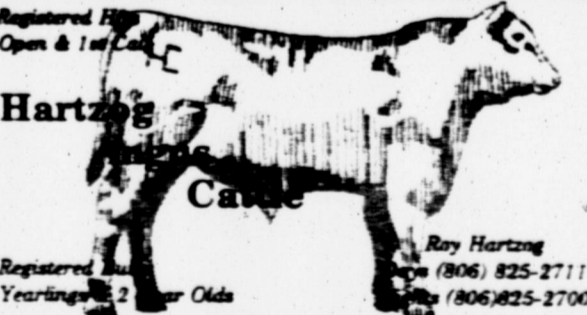
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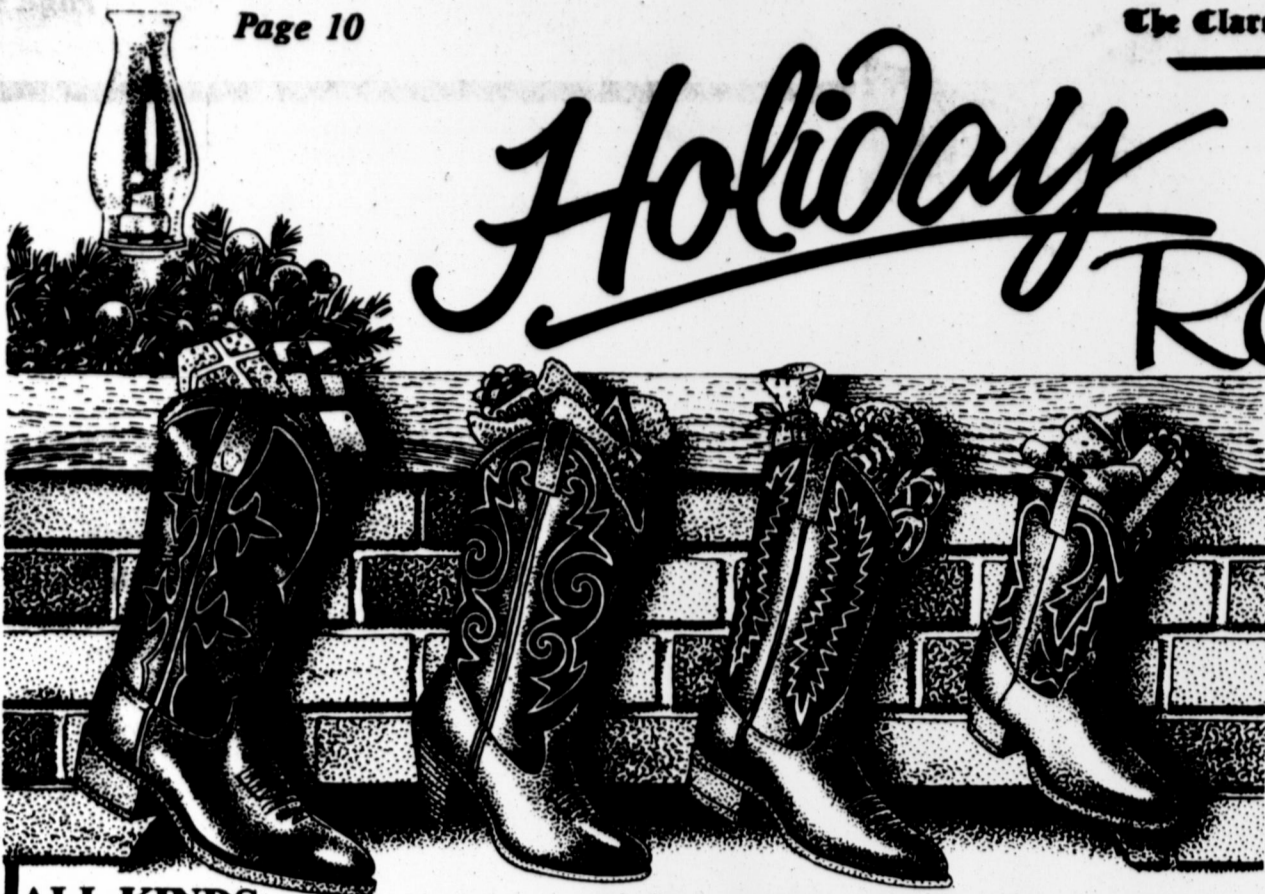
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