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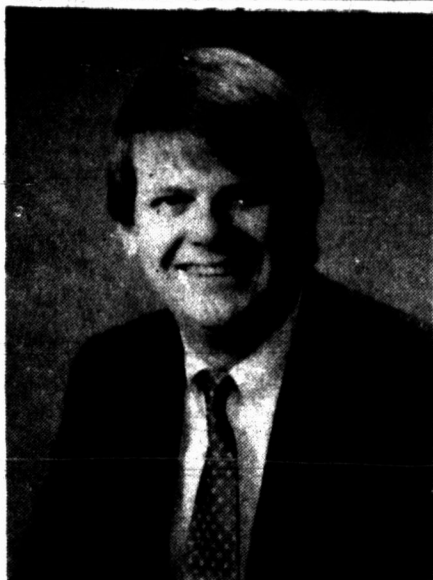
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WTU Has New Manager

David Young has been named manager of economic development for West Texas Utilities Co. effective December 1. The move was announced by Bill Elmore, the company's vice president for business development.

Both Elmore's and Young's positions are new and reflect WTU's commitment to economic development for the West Texas area. "Our company has been an active participant in developing the West Texas economy throughout our history," Elmore said. "These positions just reinforce that commitment."

Young will be responsible for working with communities in the company's service area in their efforts to attract new business and expand existing businesses.

Young comes to WTU from an affiliated electric utility headquartered in Shreveport La. He worked in economic development and marketing services activities there for the last ten years.

A graduate of Northeast Louisiana University, he has a B.S. degree in business administration and a B.B.A. in marketing. He has been a member of the Arkansas Industrial Development Commission.

David and his wife Patti have two sons.

Beauty & Brawn Scheduled

The 1989 Beauty and Brawn Pageant will be held December 18th, at 7:30 p.m. at the Harned Sisters Auditorium at the Clarendon Junior College.

The Freshman contestants are: Kelli Keown, Bobbie Havens, Amy Pinson, Tessa Fletcher, Jeff Hatley, Jason Ward, Steven Davis, and Brice Fletcher.

The Sophomore contestants are: Kelly Edwards, Lani Douthit, Cindy Hermesmyer, Scharla Leeper, Buddy Howard, Brad Williams, Stephen Bivens, and Scott Hankins.

The Junior contestants are: Minde Hollar, Tammy Stegall,
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Tommy Sayer
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Boys Ranch Needs Clothing

For the nearly 400 boys at Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, happiness at Christmastime means new clothing.

The annual drive to outfit that many boys continues through the Boys Ranch Christmas Suit Fund. The project is a traditional means of giving for many people who contribute a \$50.00 gift that makes it possible for a boy to have a new suit or clothing package. A gift of any amount, however, can be applied to the Suit Fund.

Amarillo department stores cooperate with special discounts on boys' suits. The younger boys receive gift packages that include jackets, ties, trousers, shirts or other articles according to their needs. New suits for older boys are especially appreciated at graduation time in May.

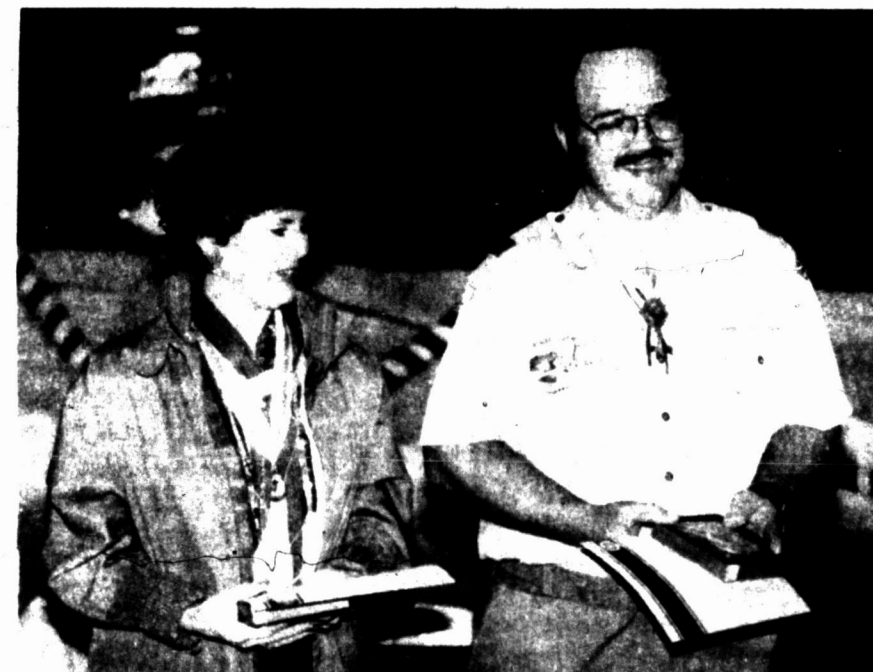
The Suit Fund provides for boys now living at the Ranch and typically for those who will arrive during the year. The new clothes are a year round reminder of those who care.

Contributions to the Christmas Suit Fund may be mailed to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, Texas 79174.

Choirs Present Program

The King's Kids and the Hallelujah Choirs of the First United Methodist Church will present "Christmas From Scratch" at 7 PM on Sunday, December 17th at the Methodist Church.

The children, along with pianist, Gayla Davidson and director Jamie Deyhle would like to invite everyone to share in their story of 40 homeless children who experience Christmas for the very first time! Following the program, the children will be hosting Christmas refreshments and would like everyone to join them in their "Thank You Christmas Party" for all!



ELMONETTE BIVENS, left, of Clarendon and Bruce Ferris of Pampa accept the Boy Scout District Award of Merit at the annual appreciation banquet Saturday night.

Scouting Volunteers Recognized at Banquet

Two adult Boy Scout volunteers have been honored with the Award of Merit, the highest honor a scout council can bestow.

Elmonette Bivens of Clarendon and Bruce Ferris of Pampa each received the award for their "many hours of community service" and working above and beyond the call of duty, according to Keith Cook, senior district executive.

Also recognized during the banquet for their work on behalf of scouting were Rutley Chalk, Dick Wilkerson, Donald Huddleston, Gordon Fore, Hal Cree, Helen A. Cook, all of Pampa; James Thomas, Allen Estlack and Helen Estlack, all of Clarendon, and Debbie Summers of Mobeetie.

Board members for the next year will be Rutley Chalk, Hal Cree,

Drawing To Be Held

A drawing sponsored by The Bronco Boosters Club to win \$200.00 cash will be held Dec. 19th. Proceeds will go toward the Bronco being inlaid in the floor of the new High School.

Ticket are available at the basketball games or contact Venita Sharrat at 2887 or Susie Shadle at 2441.

History Book Coming in 1990

The Donley County History Book should be out in 1990. Gift certificates to place under the Christmas Tree are available at The Print Shoppe, 116 S. Kearney.

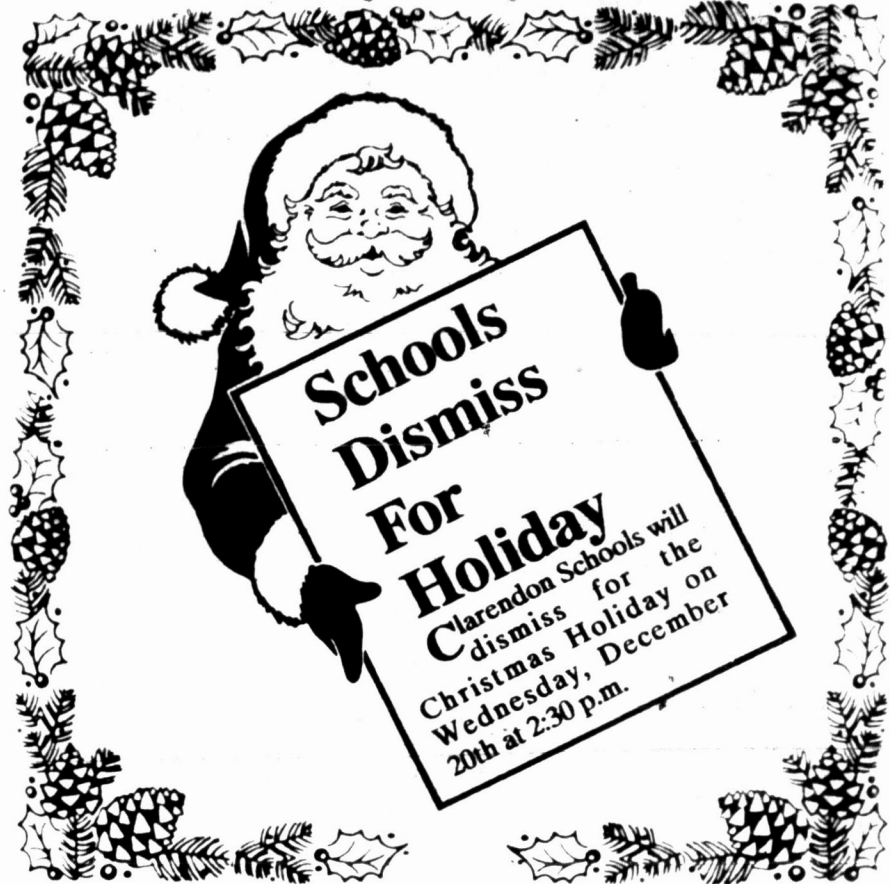
Questions about the project should be directed to Jean Stavenhagen here in Clarendon or to Helen Woody, P.O. Box 1073, Pahrump, NV 89043.

The Clarendon Press is not involved in this project in any way and does not have access to information about the status of any story or order.

Music Program Presented

This year our Annual Christmas Music program will be presented by the Third and Fourth grade music classes on Friday, December 15th at 9:30 a.m. in the new High School gymnasium. There is no admission and everyone is invited.

Thelma Shields is the Music Instructor.



Museum Party Was A Success

Another Saint's Roost Museum party is now just a memory-but what a memory! The museum was crowded with those who came to see the changes in exhibits and new rooms opened; admire the Christmas decorations inside and out; and to enjoy the delicious brisket and dips. If you were not a part of this, it was your loss.

Then, on to the Community Center for dancing to the music of Texas Home Brew, which proved to be a crowd pleaser. Door Prizes donated by Bivens, Greenes, Hensons, Donley County State Bank, First Bank & Trust, Mikes Pharmacy, This N That and Greenbelt

Cleaners were drawn through the evening with the following winners: Ruth and Jack Lewis, John and Mary K. Magnum, Jerry Stockton, Bobby Boston, Shanna Shelton and Haley McClellan, Wilma and Harold Lindley, Charlie De Moss and Rex Johnson.

The ultimate attraction, awarding of the prizes, brought the evening to a close. Lucky winners were Jiggs & Evelyn Mann, Kelvin Sharp, Charlie and Jamie Deyhle, Claire and William Boston, and Ken Shelton and Chris Matthews.

This successful evening was due to the effort of many, some of whom
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Children Aren't Being Buckled Up

Observational surveys in 34 rural counties in Texas suggest that many young children are not being buckled up in the family car in compliance with the law. The surveys also found numerous instances of babies riding in safety seats that were actually unsafe because they were improperly installed.

Sherry Brush, project coordinator of the Rural Child Passenger Safety Education Project, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says the survey data suggest that there is a real need for parents to become better informed about the proper use of child safety seats and that some of the old myths about seat-belt use don't die easily.

The survey in rural counties observed 4,900 children ages 4 and under and found that three out of four were not wearing restraints in cars in compliance with Texas law. The law requires that, children 4 and under riding anywhere in a car must be restrained. Those from birth to 2 years of age must be in approved child safety seats; children ages 2 to 4 either must be

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Christmas Walk Through Held

The annual Christmas Walk Through will be Tuesday, December 19th from 7:00-8:00 PM. The public is invited to "Walk Through" the school grades K-8 and view the holiday decorations made by the students. The PTA will serve Christmas refreshments in the school cafeteria throughout the evening. Don't miss a holiday-spirited evening with our students and teachers. The PTA Wishes All A Very Merry Christmas And A Blessed New Year!

Party Held

The Christian Community Center will have a Christmas Party, Friday, December 15, 1989 from 7:30-11 PM. Bring your guitar, singing voice, treats, or just yourself. Everyone Welcome!



TOMMY BARBEE talks over a book about zoo animals with Clarendon Elementary Principal Mike Word. Barbee and other Clarendon students enjoy the chat with Word and a peppermint for participating in the Tyreadasaurus Rex reading program. See story on p. 11.



CYNTHIA BLANTON AND JEFFREY HEWETT

Engagement Announced

Fern and Jimmie Berry would like to announce the upcoming wedding of their grand daughter, Cynthia Michelle Blanton to Jeffrey Glen Hewett, son of Bob and Barbara Hewett. The wedding will take place at the Church of the Nazarene on December 21, 1989 at 7:00 p.m. Friends and family are invited to attend. Please accept this as your invitation.

Senior Citizens News

by Nova Neuhaus

It's beginning to look like Christmas at the Center. Thanks to Star Pike, Karen Wortham and Trina Judd for all their efforts.

The week of Nov. 27th thru December 1st was a full one for us.

We had Forty guests for the Birthday/Anniversary Supper, Tuesday nite, November 28th. The birthday folks were Jack Edwards and Marie Hill and only one anniversary couple: Jack and Ilene Davidson. Fred Fortenberry opened the evening with prayer. After a very delicious meal had the drawing for Door Prize going to Pud Bain. Fun prizes went to Gertrude Reid, Alvey Hicks and Clyde Putman. For our program we were honored to have Bret Patton signing Christmas Carols and various music accompanied by Dec Williams. We so appreciate their taking time from their busy schedules to share their talents with us. Thanks goes to Fannie Wilson for donating the pretty crocheted articles for the prizes.

Thanks goes to the Labor and Employment Opportunities, Inc. and Larry Brawley for some volunteers time to do some minor roof repair on our warehouse and installing the T.V. antenna at the Center. Also, thanks to the persons

servicing the T.V. set.

We had very good response on Tuesday, Nov. 28th for the free Blood Sugar Clinic conducted by Rolinda Longan of Collingsworth Home Health Agency in Wellington.

On Thursday, Nov. 29th, Cheryl Pickard, Donley County extension agent presented a timely program on Holiday Depression and importance of balanced nutrition. It was very well received. Thanks Cheryl.

The Monday Night Dance Practice had good turn out on Dec. 4th. Better plan to come down and join in o the fun and exercise from 7 to 9 p.m. each Monday Night. This would be a good way to stay in shape during these winter months.

We had a good crowd for the 1st Tuesday night dance at the Community Building Dec. 5th. Plan to attend the next dance on Tuesday Night, Dec. 19th, from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the Community Building with Melvin Srygley and the Off-Beats furnishing the music.

Carmen Wright had 35 for Blood Pressure check on Tuesday, Dec. 5th. She will be back on Tuesday, December 19th, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

We had a good crowd of musicians on Friday night for the Jam Session. They were: Creed Smith, Hugh Neuhaus, Bailey Estes, Forrest Denton, Nova Neuhaus, Floyd Crawford, Woodrow Floyd, Johnny Hancock, Jerry Chambliss and Lucille Swain.

NOTICE: Just had word that Santa Claus will be here in person at the Center on Friday, December

15th at 11:30 a.m. This will be our Christmas Dinner Day so he hopes to see you all here.

What would we do without our many faithful volunteers! A belated thanks to those who helped us in November: Alta Atkins, Thelma Behrens, Ann Bunyan, Helena Catoe, Lil Eudy, Imogene Glass, Pat McCombs, Dorothy Pitts, Thelma Rudder, Verdie Tipton, Carmen Wright, Don Wooten, Star Pike, Doris Denney, Margaret Wood, Ilene Davidson, Karen Wortham, Marie McCracken and Wanda Clay, Kath Lindsey.

Donations in November: Senior Citizens Dance Club and V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary for facility Use. Memorials: Thelma Behrens, Jean Baten, Lela Norton in memory of Gwen Goldston, Jean Baten, Lela Norton in memory of Billie Hicks.

Reception To Be Held

The children of Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Harrison Sr. are honoring them on their 70th wedding anniversary with a reception at the Medical Center Nursing Home on Sunday, December 17th from 1:30 to 3 p.m.

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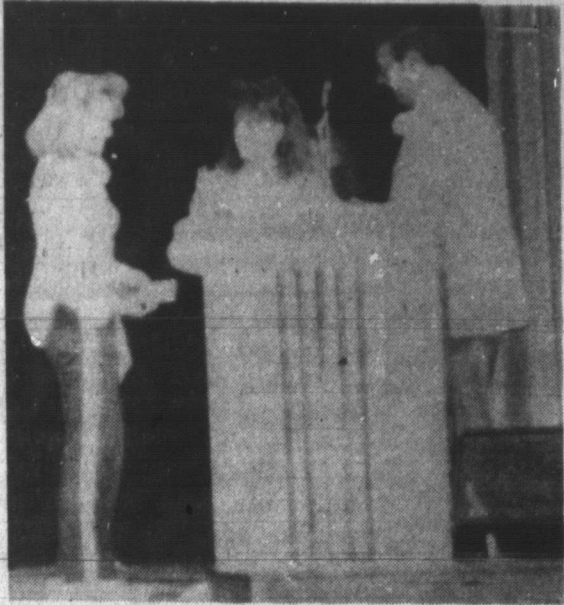
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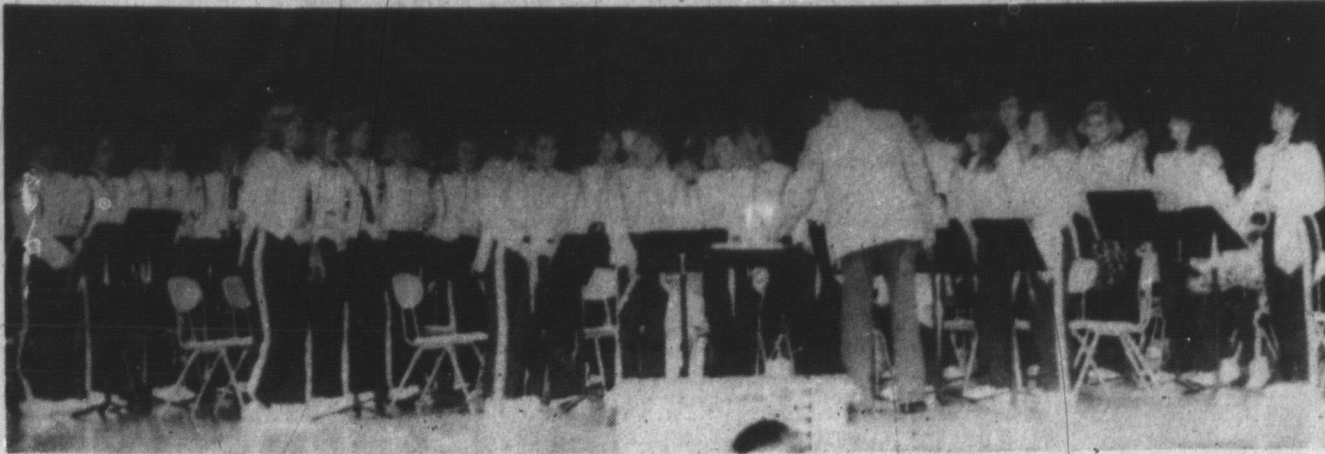
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ANDREA EDWARDS (left), daughter of James Ivey Edwards and Donna Edwards was elected Band Queen. Tammy Steagall and Director Eddie Hankins presented the award at the Christmas Concert.



TULLY LEFFEW was elected Band King. Kelly Edwards assisted in the presentation of the award.



THE CLARENDON HIGH SCHOOL BRONCO BAND gave an exciting performance at their annual Christmas Concert on Sunday, December 10th. The Band has probably improved more than any other ensemble in the Panhandle, and are working hard toward the goal of making a First Division rating in the UIL Concert Contest.

Book Club Met

The 1926 Book Club met on Tuesday, December 5th at the home of Mrs. Hazel Zandt for its annual Christmas party. Other hostesses were Mrs. Jessie Adams, Mrs. Polly Sarich, and Mrs. Lockie Pitts. They served an assortment of delicious treats from the dining table.

Glenda Hawkins gave the program which was a short story, "The Elf's Cap," taken from the book, Great Texas Christmas Legends by Zeno Zepplin.

Gifts were exchanged by members following the program.

Other members present were Pauline Hardin, Mary Hazel Van Zandt, Viola Bones, Dorothy Whitaker, Frieda Tucker, Nell Vitarelle, Helena Catoe, Rachel Butler, Dorothy White, Susie Shields and Evelyn Mann.

Fun After Fifty

Approximately 35 people attended the Christmas program on Saturday, December 2, 1989 at the Senior Citizens building.

Entertainment was provided by Mrs. Mary Beth Nelson, pianist and fifth grade teacher in Clarendon public schools. Yuletide and old favorite songs were sung, adding joy to the season.

Christmas decorations added to the center's decor were furnished by Mrs. Pearl Hermesmeier. Visiting and fellowship followed.

A delicious ham dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Hermesmeier cooked the ham.

Minutes were read by Mrs. Dorothy Pitts. A short business meeting was held and the present officers serving through 1989 were complimented on their achievements.

Two Christmas door prizes were given to the lucky members. A few out of town visitors were present. The next meeting of "Fun After Fifty" Club will be held in January 1990. This marks the twentieth year anniversary of the club.

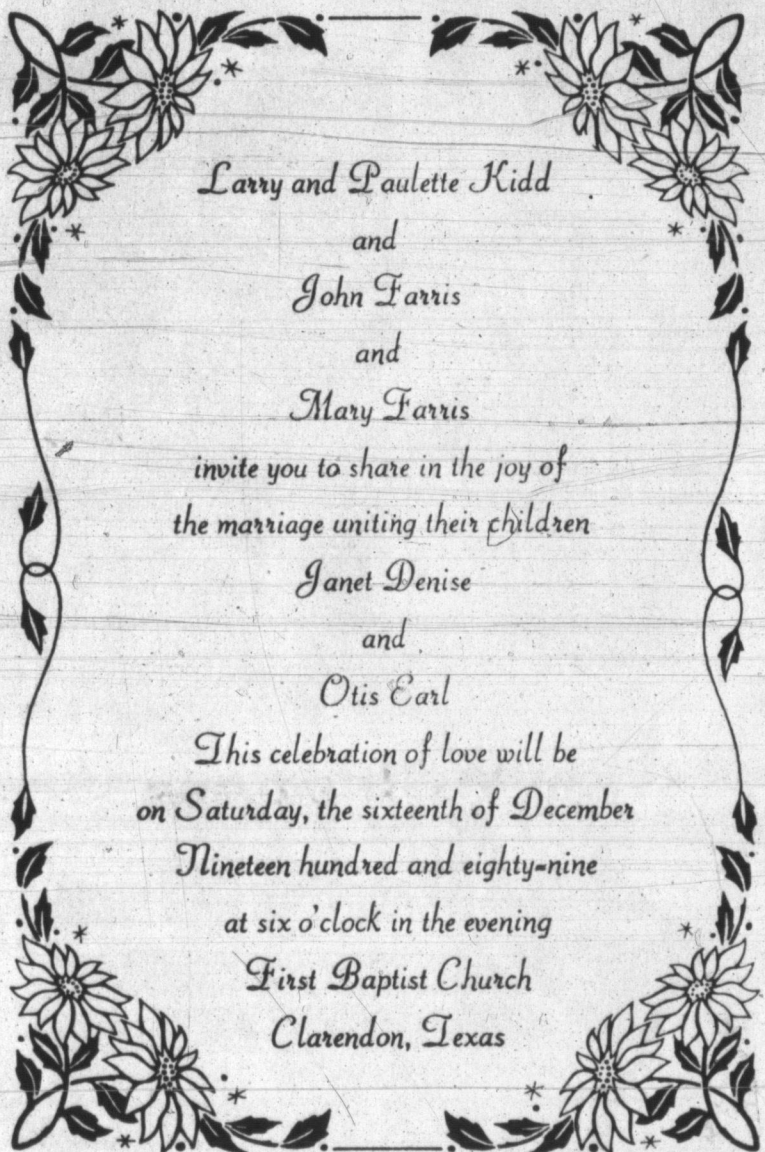
"Fun After Fifty" cordially invites you to join the club and experience monthly a special day of togetherness. Just bring your favorite dish and come join in the fun. See you there on January 6th, 1990. If you're young at heart, consider several hours of friendship, and programs and lunch. Bring your favorite dish and enjoy "Fun After Fifty" Club!

VFW Auxiliary

The Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW held their business meeting Thursday, Dec. 7th, Pearl Harbor Day, at the VFW Hall.

Plans were made to collect children's coats to be used locally where needed. Coats are needed immediately for distribution. Please take any coats you can to contribute to Chamberlain Motor Company in care of Jan Altman. The Auxiliary will be grateful and the children will be appreciative.

The next meeting will be January 4th 1990 at 7:30 p.m. at the VFW Hall.



Worshiping Tradition

From the days of Martin Luther to the present, most non-catholics have insisted on the doctrine of *sola scriptura*. They insist that their authority is the Scriptures; they consciously reject tradition as authoritative. At least that is the theory.

But is that the practice of most Christians? Yes, most claim to reject tradition as a source of authority, yet few of us are really that free in Christ.

If the congregation has always opened the service with the same hymn, then pity the new minister who innocently begins with a different song. If all readings have always been from the King James Version, then the person who reads from a newer translation is sure to be reproved for "changing Jesus' words". (Never mind that the first King James Bible was produced 1611, some 1578 years after our Lord's death!)

Jesus had little use for religious traditions. He realized that most tradition is superficial, and some is downright petty. Such traditions interfere with living Godly lives. They encourage people to neglect the "weightier matters of the Law", matters like mercy, justice and love. Read what Jesus had to say about traditions in Matthew 15:2-6, Mark 7 and in the Gospel of John.

Periodically every Christian should prayerfully examine all those habits and ideas that have become traditions to him or her. Most of those traditions are like barnacles that stick to the hull of a ship: they are unintended additions that impede the vessel's progress.

Unlike barnacles, they may be comfortable. But that is precisely why they are so dangerous. Traditions are substitutes for thought; they are counterfeit faith. Traditions gradually wean us away from relying on God and become a source of alienation from our brothers and sisters. Traditions are simply another form of idol.

Where folks continue a practice just because they've always done it that way, then they are probably doing something wrong. The safe approach is to test every word and deed constantly against the teachings of Jesus and his apostles.

No one cares for us more than the man who disturbs our complacency and upsets our traditions, even if it shatters our fossilized lives.

Part of Jesus' mission was to comfort the disturbed. Another part was to disturb those who were comfortable. He still does both if we let him.

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The Senior contestants are Becki Britten, Karen Hill, Kayla Hunt, Brandie Stroup, Jason Sharrar, Wayne Mays, Michael Adams and Bobby Chambliss.
The theme of the pageant is a "Country Christmas." The M.C.'s will be Danny Smith and Jimmy Hobbs. The contestants will be judged in two divisions - Casual and Formal Wear. We would appreciate your support by attending the pageant.

MUSEUM -Cont'd from p.1
are listed as follows:
Thanks go to Gayla Fletcher, Jo Baldwin and Anna Beth McNabb for display arrangements; Chris Matthews, Carol Hinton, Willard Skelton, Bobby Boston, Willie Weatheron and Victor for their work at the Community Center; Ethelyn Grady and Jeanice Weatherly for assistance in readying the museum; special thanks to Anita and Jimmy Simpson for the many hours donated in hanging curtains, quilts, pictures and Christmas lighting; Chamberlain Motors for popcorn; Wood N Stuff for greenery and table arrange-

ment; Harlan's Flowers for outdoor wreaths; Frances Skelton, Jane Gilkey and Frances Deyhle for serving on food committee; Carol Grady for obtaining vegetables and dips from sororities and home demonstration clubs and providing ticket takers at the reception and dance; Willard Skelton, A.R. Henson and William Boston for helping with drawing; Delmar Wiggs for trimming and yard care; The Grocery Store for allowing access to ice machine after hours and Bobby Boston for preparing and Charlie DeMoss for slicing the brisket.

All these are in addition to museum board members who contribute many hours on an on-going basis. Special recognition is due James Owens and Earl Ford for their efforts and the Hensons for supervising and promoting ticket sales. None of this would have been possible without the vision, organization and attention to detail of the board president, Betty Boston. Lastly, it was the great support of all the community that really provided the impetus. This is your museum and it is hoped that the improvements merit your approval and continued backing.

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UNSAFE CHILDREN
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in safety seats or wear seat belts. An offense carries fines between \$25 and \$50.

Many people don't realize that traffic accidents are the number one killer and crippler of children in America, Brush said. With 100 percent correct use, child safety seats could save about 500 lives a year and prevent 53,000 injuries. In Texas last year, 6,345 children under the age of four were injured, and 58 died as a result of automobile accidents.

Brush said motor vehicle accidents are the number one traumatic cause of epilepsy and are a major cause of brain injury and spinal cord injuries in children.



SANTA CLAUS (Trubert Flowers) listens while Terri Hull explains what she wants for Christmas.

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The program began with Dr. Stockton's welcome to the students. Then Bright Newhouse, Chairman of the Board of Regents, gave the greetings. The program consisted of: Cheramie Viator from Jeanerette, Louisiana reading a poem she wrote entitled "The Night Before Finals". Then, five of the faculty members provided entertainment by singing their version of "Santa Claus is Coming To Town". Trina Zaring from Borger sang, "The Christmas Song" and "Silver Bells".

A number of door prizes were given away which were donated by the faculty and staff members. The banquet meal was prepared by Morrison's Custom Management and was served to the students by members of faculty and staff.

Each department of the College decorated a Christmas Tree which was entered in the Tree Decorating Contest. Each tree was decorated according to the theme of that department. The winners were: 1st Place-Business Department; 2nd Place-Rodeo Club. Congratulations!



CHERAMIE VIATOR reads "Twas The Night Before Finals" at the College Christmas Banquet.



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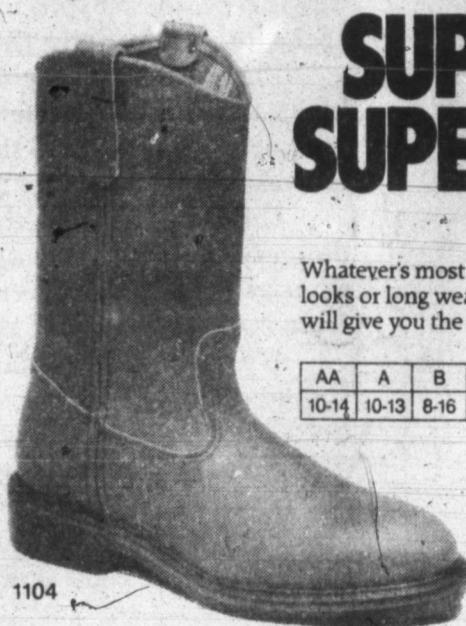
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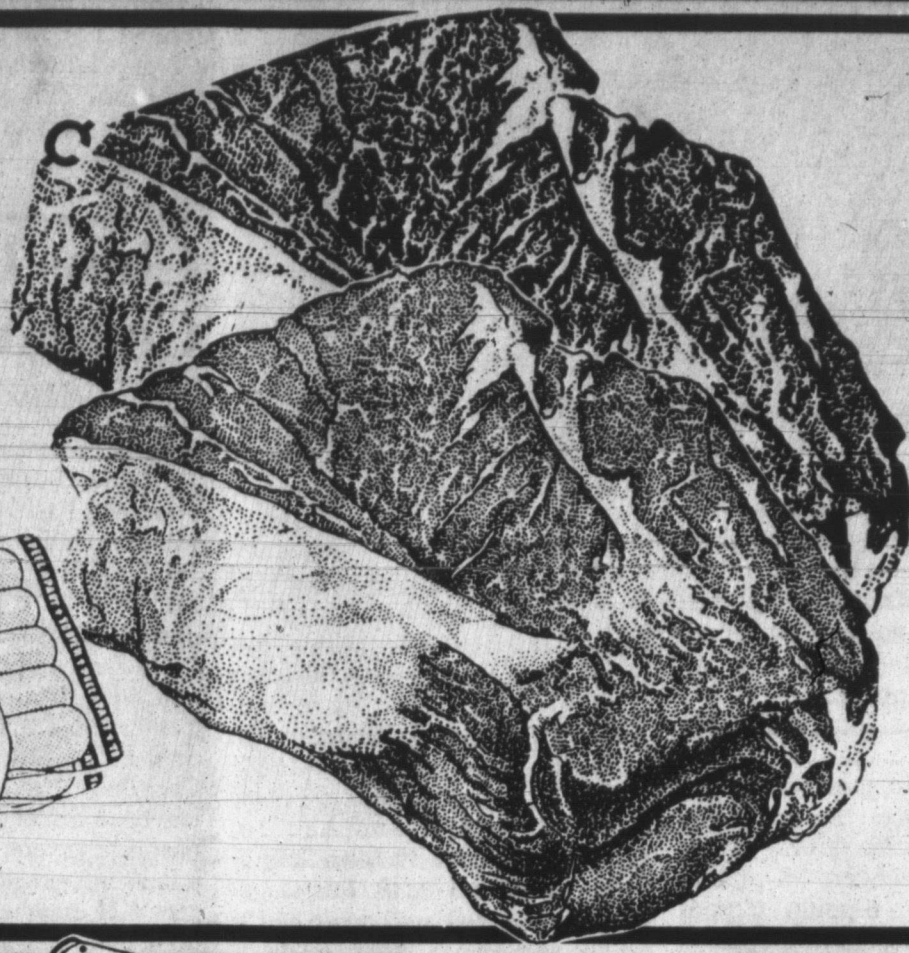
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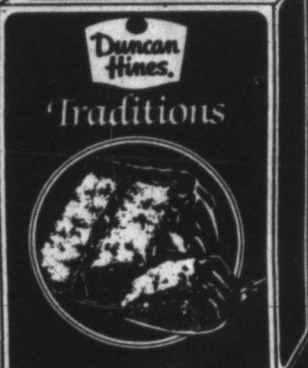
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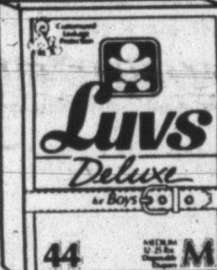
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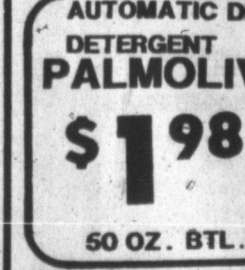
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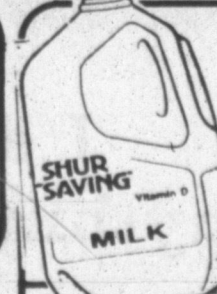


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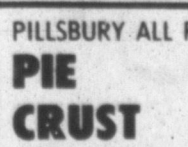
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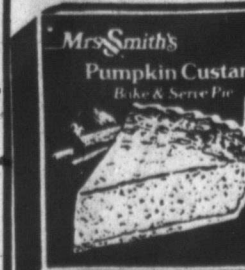
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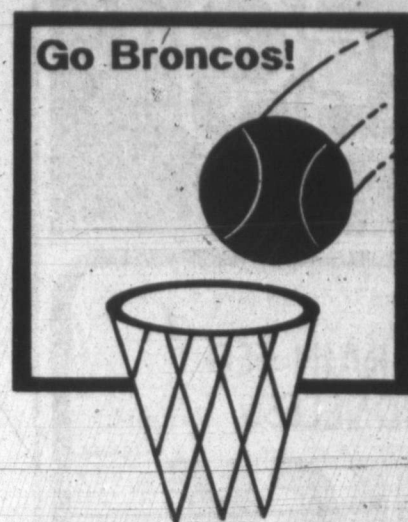
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Bronco Basketball

The Clarendon Varsity basketball teams traveled to Claude, Tuesday, Dec 5.

Girls	
Clarendon.....	19
Claude.....	34

The Lady Broncos lost their game by a score of 24 to 56. The half time score was Clarendon 19, Claude 34. Scoring for the team were Cindy Hermesmeyer with 9 points; Carrie Simpson with 8 points; Crystal Havens with 7 points and Audra Hoggard made 2 points.

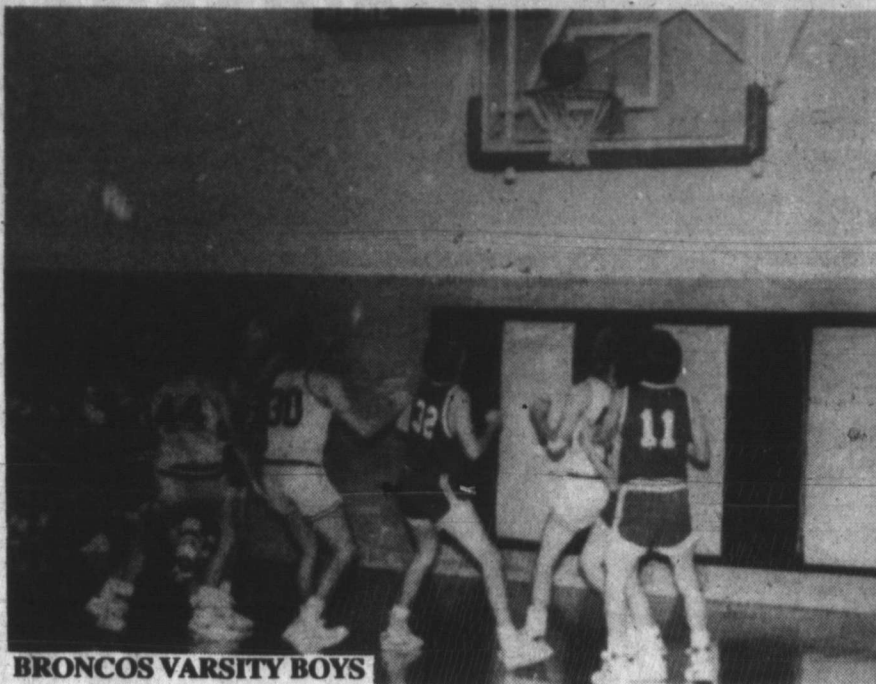
Boys	
Clarendon.....	71
Claude.....	50

Tuesday, December 5
Sophomore Chance Fletcher scored 28 points and had 14 rebounds to lead the Clarendon Broncos to a 71 to 50 win over the Claude Mustangs at the Claude Gym. Michael Adams added 13 points, 10 points was in the second half, with 12 rebounds. Che Shadle had 9 points and 15 rebounds. Jonathan Stewart and Justin Ham scored 7 points each. Nathan Lowrie scored 4 points, Randy Allen had 2 points and 5 steals, Lee Gage had 1 point. This was the Broncos third win in a row this season.

Sunray Tournament

Girls	
Booker.....	61
Clarendon.....	31

The Varsity teams participated in the Sunray Invitational Tournament, Dec. 7 thru 9th. The Lady Broncos played their first game



BRONCOS VARSITY BOYS

against Booker, Thursday. They lost by a score of 61 to 31. Scoring for the Broncos were Crystal Havens - 10 points; Shawn Butler - 6 points; Triva Denney - 3 points; Cindy Hermesmeyer - 2 points; Audra Hoggard - 2 points and Carrie Simpson - 2 points.

Clarendon.....	28
White Deer.....	62

In their second game, which was against White Deer, the girls lost by a score of 62 to 28. Scoring were: Cindy Hermesmeyer - 8 points; Carrie Simpson - 6 points; Crystal Havens - 4 points; Shawn Butler - 4 points; Triva Denney - 3 points; Audra Hoggard - 2 points; and Shonda Phillips - 1 point.

The girls next game will be at Wheeler, Dec. 12, and they will play Lakeview in the local gym, December 19th.

Boys

Sunray Tournament

1st game Dec. 7	
Booker.....	71
Clarendon.....	66

Michael Adams scored 22 points and had 17 rebounds to lead the Broncos in a hard played game against Booker, but the Broncos could not overcome a cold first half as Booker held on to win 71 to 66. The Broncos were down 12 points at halftime and came back in the third quarter to within four points, but were unable to catch up.

Che Shadle added 15 points, Jonathan Stewart scored 12 points, Chance Fletcher 7 points, Randy Allen and Nathan Lowrie each had 4 points, and Justin Ham made 2 points. This was the Broncos first loss of the season.

2nd Game Dec. 8

Clarendon.....64

White Deer.....51

Michael Adams again lead the Clarendon Broncos, scoring 25 points and pulled down 14 rebounds, as the Broncos beat White Deer 64 to 51 in the second game of the Sunray Tournament. Che Shadle scored 15 points and had 5 steals. Jonathan Stewart scored 9 points and had 14 rebounds. Chance Fletcher had 9 points and had 5 steals, Lee Gage had 3 points, Nathan Lowrie had 2 points and Randy Allen made 1 point and had 5 steals.

3rd Game Dec. 9

Hartley.....52

Clarendon.....44

Che Shadle led the scoring for the Broncos with 20 points in a losing cause as Hartley outscored the Broncos 52 to 44. Clarendon led at half time 20 to 19, but were outscored 14 to 4 and never could catch up after that, although they scored 20 points in the fourth quarter. Michael Adams and Justin Ham scored 9 points each, Chance Fletcher scored 4 points and Randy Allen 2 points. The Broncos finished 6th in the tournament.

The Broncos Varsity teams will play Lakeview in the local gym, Saturday, December 16. The games will start at 6 p.m.

Come out and support the Bronco girls and boys and enjoy some good basketball at the same time.

The JV Scores will be in next weeks paper.

FFA News

Karen Hill, the Clarendon FFA Sweetheart, participated in the District Sweetheart Contest last Monday, December 4th, at Clarendon College. Even though she didn't win, she did her best and to us she was the best one up there.

Clubs Have Combined

The three 4-H clubs of Clarendon (Rack, Tack and Tails, Food and Fashion, and K-9 Korp) will be combining this year to form one large club. The K-9 Korp will still meet as a project group, so don't panic, dog lovers!

On December 14, 1989, at 7:00 p.m., in the Clarendon Community Center, there will be a combination organizational meeting and Christmas Party. Everyone who has been a member of 4-H in the past, and anyone who would like to join is encouraged to attend. Current 4-H members should make a point to invite friends who might be interested in joining.

This will be a very important meeting as we will be electing officers and making plans for the upcoming year. Also, County Agents will explain the new club system and how it will work. This should prove to be a very positive step in the Donley County 4-H program.

Officers to be elected will be President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Reporter and three Council Delegates. If you are interested in becoming an officer, it is very important that you be at this meeting.

Refreshment assignments are as follows: Food and Fashion members and K-9 Korp members need to bring either cookies or candies and Rack, Tack and Tail members need to bring either Kool Aid or tea.



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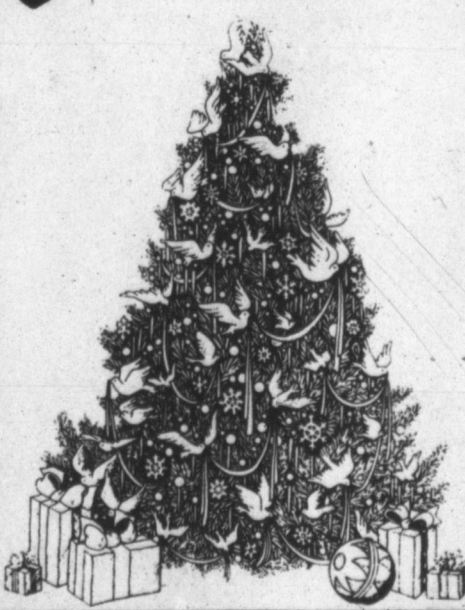
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THE CLARENDON FTA (top, left to right): Betty Veach (sponsor), Amy Pinson, Claire Boston, Suzette Henson, Danny Smith, Andrea Edwards, Kelly Edwards, (bottom, left to right): Tessa Fletcher, Jimmy Hobbs, and Michelle Chambliss attended District XVI, FTA Convention.

Sarpalius Visits Clarendon

by Naomi Green

Those of you who did not attend the Town Hall Meeting on December 7th at Clarendon College held by Congressman Sarpalius, missed the chance to catch the spark of enthusiasm he brought to us about living in these exciting times in a country looked to by Central European Nations for leadership in our Free Enterprise system.

We talked about progress that had been made to bring our national budget under control by cutting minor expenses and some reform. There are still vast areas of waste and misuse of Federal Funds to be addressed. It is hard to find ways to halt misuse of government funds when there are so many self interest groups finding more ways to spend than to save.

Sarpalius is working on the Agriculture Committee which has a voice in disaster relief and rural development efforts. He discussed some administrative problems giving us a positive note on the outlook for the Clean Air Act and making more markets for natural gas and farm products. He believes that we will live to see the time when all cars are run on methanol or ethanol. If we lived to see the Berlin Wall crumble, who knows which walls of self-interest power structures can come tumbling down as surprisingly.

Sarpalius told of a "sit in" he was a part of in the Office of Secretary of Agriculture Yeutter's office when he was trying to get the CPR funds released when they were being held up for no apparent reason and farmers were desperately needing the checks.

The only statement close to a commitment coming out of Sarpalius was that in working on crop insurance and farm programs, they were going to try to come up with

more flexibility for farm operators to make decisions for crop alternatives due to climatical conditions without seeking relief in Washington D.C. offices.

At the time of the meeting, the weather was promising for wheat farmers, hopeful for stockmen and exhilaration for all agriculture producers but it was less than pleasant for those traveling. Sarpalius stated that it was even more difficult northward. We did appreciate the effort made to keep the schedule and hope that the next town meeting will bring even more moisture and a roomful of constituents.

School Menu

Dec 18th thru 20th

Monday: Bar B Q Links, Hot Rolls, Green Beans, Tossed Salad, Apple Sauce, Milk

Tuesday: Chalupes Supreme w/Flour tortilla, Meat & Beans, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Mixed Fruit, Cookies & Milk

Wednesday: Fish w/ketchup, French Fries, Tossed Salad, Hush-puppies, Cookies & Milk

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year To All



DISTRICT XVI OFFICERS for 1989-1990 include Tully Leffew (V. President), filled-in by Jimmy Hobbs; and Kelly Edwards (Fin. Secretary) from Clarendon.



THE DISTRICT XVI Contest winners include Danny Smith (Poetry Contest) and Andrea Edwards (Name Tag Contest) of Clarendon.



DISTRICT XVI OFFICERS for 1990-1991 include Danny Smith (Parliamentarian); Suzette Henson (Historian); Claire Boston (Rec. Secretary) from Clarendon.

Colts Basketball

The 8th grade boys & girls played Quanah, Dec. 4th at Quanah. The 8th grade girls lost by a score of 44 to 23.

The 8th grade boys won their game by a score of 30 to 24.

The 7th grade girls lost their game by a score of 35 to 7.

The 7th grade boys lost their game by a score of 31 to 13.

The Colts' next game will be December 18th at Memphis. Game time will be at 4 p.m.

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7:00 PM Evening Worship Service
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Sunday, December 24th
11:00 AM Regular Worship Service
6:00 PM Christmas Eve Candlelight &
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We hope that you will be encouraged to share with us these services and opportunities to experience that "JESUS IS THE REASON FOR THE SEASON", and we pray that the Son of God, who was born in a manger, will be born in your heart to live forever.

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Beef Cattle and Greenhouse Effect Studied

Issues of nutrition and trade barriers aside, beef cattle are now caught up in the environmental concern of the day—the greenhouse effect.

But environmentalists have overestimated the methane produced by beef cattle and its role in global warming, said an animal scientist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Dr. Floyd Byers refuted the current estimates by some environmentalists that beef and dairy cattle and other ruminants produce 15 percent of the world's atmospheric methane gas.

U. S. Beef cattle actually produce less than 1 percent of the total methane gas that reaches the atmosphere each year from all sources on earth, Byers said. Add that to the fact that carbon dioxide is far and away the greatest contributor to the greenhouse effect, and beef cattle are a very minor factor in this environmental problem, he said.

"To put it in perspective, this means that there is about five times more potential global warming from the fossil fuel used to drive a

vehicle six miles each way to purchase a quarter-pound hamburger than the methane resulting from the production of the beef burger per se," Byers said.

"However," Byers said, "it's important to facilitate transfer of available technology to enhance rate and efficiency of desired growth of market livestock to further reduce methane emissions from beef cattle production systems in the U. S. and worldwide."

In fact, Byers said, if U. S. beef cattle producers reverted from the current feedlot management to extensive grazing systems used in developing countries, methane per unit of beef produced would increase as much as fourfold because of the additional years needed for cattle to reach market size.

"While global warming and the greenhouse effect are important issues, the contribution of the U. S. beef cattle industry to methane production worldwide is small," Byers said.

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Thanks Again,

W.W. "Bud" Lovelady

Pd For By W.W. Lovelady

City Of Clarendon Minutes

November 28, 1989

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Clarendon met in regular session on November 28, 1989, at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room, City Hall.

Members present: Mayor James Sharrar, Aldermen Paul Bivens, David Pitts, David Davidson, and Bobbie Kidd.

Members absent: Alderman James Kuhn.

Others present: City Secretary Donna Edwards, George Williford of First Southwest Company, Abilene.

Minutes of the November 14, 1989, meeting were read, and upon a motion, said minutes were approved. Motion carried.

A Certificate of Appreciation was presented by Mayor Sharrar to S. H. Pitts for his work on improving City streets.

The City Christmas Dinner was set for Tuesday, December 5, 1989, at Mary's Country Kitchen.

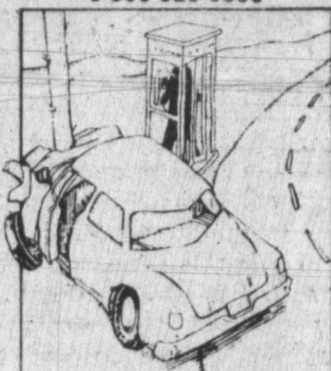
Mr. George Williford of First Southwest Company of Abilene, Texas, presented a proposal to the

Board for financial advisory services for the City's transfer station equipment and construction project. Motion was made, to accept the proposal of First Southwest Company. Motion carried.

Motion was made, to discontinue the job of Animal Control Officer currently being done by a City employee on an "as needed" basis until better arrangements can be made. Motion carried.

There being no further City business at this time, motion was made to adjourn. Motion carried.

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The program offers equipment purchasers a fixed rate loan for up to five years with no prepayment penalty. Loans will be granted at a stated interest rate of 9.50 percent and an effective rate of 10.55 percent which includes the required membership stock purchase.

"Many area producers have put off buying much-needed equipment," said John Rike, Rolling Plains PCA's president. "We are now seeing a turnaround in many ag sectors, and farmers and ranchers are ready to look at equipment and replacement options."

"This loan program gives area farmers and ranchers a means of purchasing the equipment they need to effectively continue their operations with less strain on their pocketbooks," Rike added.

A total of \$10 million, made available to Texas PCA's through the Farm Credit Bank of Texas, will

cover loans to both current PCA borrowers as well as new customers.

Rolling Plains PCA, which provides short- and intermediate-term agricultural financing, has \$41 million in loans outstanding to 750 farmers and ranchers in eighteen counties. The Farm Credit Bank of Texas has \$3.7 billion in agricultural loans in Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Texas.

Additional information on the equipment loan program and application procedures may be obtained through any of the Association's offices located in Abilene, Childress, Matador, Munday, Spur and Stamford.

The Lions Tale

by Gene Alderson

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting at noon on Tuesday at the Lions Hall with 27 present. Following a delicious meal, Songleader Bentley did an excellent job in leading us in Jingle Bells a capella. Boss Lion Knorpp called the meeting to order and plans were made to distribute Christmas baskets on December 22nd. There will be no meeting on Dec. 26th, the Tuesday After Christmas. A request for a contribution to the local Chemical Abuse Task Force was made by Lion Bernabe. It was received favorably, but will be presented to the club's board of directors for action. Meeting Adjourned.

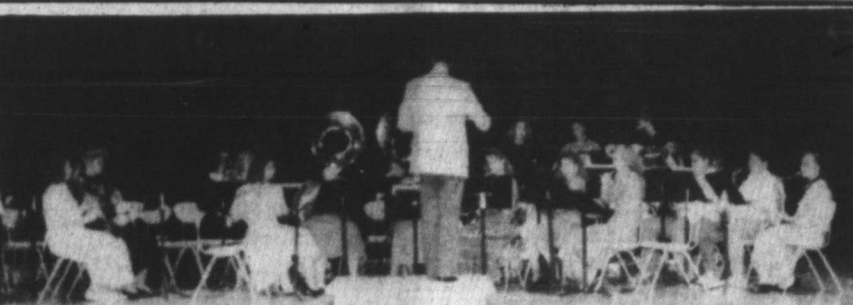
T Windy Wood Writes Book

If you remember the Old Opera House that used to be above the Ice House then you must remember "Windy Wood" and his Caravan. Windy played Western Swing Music for many years in and around the area. He first started out playing with other bands, but soon formed his own group called at first "The Plainsmen". He later named his band "New Sons of the West" and "Sons of the West". The last name he used was "The Windy Wood Caravan".

Windy traveled the music circuit

for many years, made albums and met many of the Western Swing greats, such as Bob Wills, Red Foley, Spade Cooley and so many I could never possible name them all.

He was born in Collingsworth County, but moved to Claude in 1928. After his many years of traveling around the United States, he again has settled down and retired in Claude, Texas. Windy will soon release a book of his memories written by Jim Caviness called "My 50 Years In Western Swing". Further details will be published later when the book is finished.



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Look Who's New

Introducing you to someone new... His name is Jarrett Alexander McAnear. He was born on November 9, 1989 at 5:34 a.m. o'clock. He weighed 7 lbs 11 1/2 oz. He's the son of Cody and Starlet McAnear. Grandparents are: Lorene McAnear and Jane Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Carroll Mann of Seminole are proud to announce the arrival of their son, Hadley Carroll Mann. He was born on Thursday, December 7, 1989, weighing 9 lbs 3 oz. Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Bernie Benson of Claude and Mr. and Mrs. W.C. "Jiggs" Mann of Clarendon. Great grandparents are Mrs. Ethel Dingle, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Benson of Clarendon and Mrs. Ova Mann of Saint Jo, Texas.



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by T. Lindsay Baker

A Cowboy's Diary

Cowboys were never famous as keepers of diaries, but a handful of the punchers did write personal journals of their daily activities. One of these literate exceptions to the rule was William W. Tanner of Weatherford, Texas.

Tanner had come to Texas from Georgia as a youngster, and in 1902 he homesteaded 160 acres of land near Cheyenne, Oklahoma. In order to earn enough money to make ends meet while he homesteaded, he worked as a cowboy on various ranches in the Texas Panhandle and adjoining areas for several years during the early 20th century.

Tanner's son several years ago loaned his father's diaries to the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum for transcription, and the copy there is available to researchers who travel to the

museum in Canyon.

Tanner's diaries entries don't cover every day, but rather they record the events which for one reason or another he thought were important or memorable. On May 19, 1904, for instance, he noted, "Now sitting on windmill tower in black muley pasture. Can see the Rabbit Ear Mountains in New Mexico. Making a twenty-five mile ride to see my girl." The next day he noted, "Fifteen miles from ranch, but riding a good old XIT horse, which makes it only three-quarters of an hours ride."

May 28, 1904, found Tanner

working on windmills. "Now in the east side of the Alfrico pasture repairing windmills. A lonesome Saturday evening, you bet. Can see fifteen miles in any direction and can see nothing but a black muley steer and a couple of antelopes grazing almost a mile away. I would be glad to spend this night and tomorrow in my good old W(eather)ford home."

Tanner was genuinely lonesome—a single cowboy spending much of his time on his own. On June 29, 1904, he described himself as "sitting on top of a windmill tower watching an old (Ft. Worth and) Denver train go toward Ft. Worth. Wish it was taking me."

Occasionally social events broke Tanner's solitude. On Wednesday, August 17, 1904, for instance, he participated in a well attended ranch dance. He wrote in his journal that evening, "Getting ready to go up to ranch to a big dance," later adding, "Now at ranch, just made an eight-mile ride in thirty-three minutes." That night he appended to the day's entry, "A big time now going. Some warm ladies from Clayton, New Mexico, and a wagon load of beer. Dancing the last set just at sunup."

At ten o'clock the next morning, Tanner brought his diary up to date with the notation, "We are laying around in piles trying to catch a nap." The festivities continued that night, the cowboy recording, "Drinking beer, dancing and having a swell time."

Good times couldn't last forever, and finally on Friday, August 19, 1904, Tanner lamented, "The crowd has just left and it is now very lonesome at the ranch."

Thursday, December 14, 1989

used before, be sure to remove all old labels and addresses.

"The top of the package should show the name of the person to whom you're sending it, their house number and street, and the apartment number, if there is one. The last address line should contain the city, state and Zip Code—please be sure to use the Zip Code."

Your own return address and Zip Code should be in the upper left corner. And use smudge-proof ink, McCombs adds.

Preparing the inside of a package, or box is as important as preparing the outside. The contents should be cushioned carefully with crumpled paper, with foam shell or air-pocket padding, that is commercially available. Don't leave any empty space in the box.

"Before you seal the package, it's also a good idea to enclose a slip of paper showing the name and address of the person to whom you're sending it," McCombs says. "Although it doesn't happen very often, parcels can get damaged so the outside address can't be read."

Finally, if a package contains irreplaceable valuables, send it by Registered Mail.

Services Begin In January

Tralee Crisis Center of Women, Inc. will bring its services to our community beginning in January 1990. Tralee Crisis Center's goal for 1990 is to bring their services to the 6 counties they serve. In the past it has been necessary for those in our area to go to Pampa for service. Tralee's Director, Dauna Wilkinson, will be in our community two Wednesdays each month. She will be available for Crisis Counseling on an as needed basis. Ms. Wilkinson will also be available to the community for any other services such as community education and school programs. Tralee has always offered advocacy services in the medical, criminal justice and support areas. Beginning in October of 1989, Tralee received a grant from Children's Trust Fund for a parenting program.

The goals for Tralee Crisis Center are: to provide temporary shelter, transportation, & crisis counseling to all victims of violent crimes; to empower victims to self sufficiency; to enhance public knowledge; to promote the use of volunteers; and to inform, accompany, and support all crime victims in need of medical, legal, or law enforcement services.

Ms. Wilkinson will be in the community during December to finalize the date, time and place for her regular visits. Volunteers are a intricate part of Tralee's service delivery. Volunteer training will be available in our community. A poster campaign will begin in January as to specific dates, time and place. If anyone is interested in volunteering in the area or has any suggestions, call Tralee through their HOTLINE -1-800-828-2891

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Tips On Holiday Parcels

Aerobics instructors regularly remind their students to keep their tummies "tight" and "tucked." The same advice applies to preparing holiday parcels for mailing, says Clarendon Postmaster Bob McCombs.

"All that's necessary is choosing sturdy cartons or boxes, and sealing them smoothly and tightly with the proper tape," McCombs says, adding that padded mailing bags work well for small items.

"Don't wrap cartons in bulky brown paper or tie them with string or twine," McCombs continues. "The paper can tear and the twine can get tangled in our mail processing equipment."

"Also, using paper and string isn't necessary if you're using proper boxes or cartons. If you feel a need to wrap and tie a box, that may be a signal that you don't think the box is sturdy enough to begin with. Get another one instead."

Parcels should be sealed with a type of tape designed for sealing packages: pressure sensitive, nylon-reinforced kraft paper or glass-fiber-reinforced pressure sensitive. McCombs advises against using cellophane or masking tapes, because they're not strong enough.

"Correct addressing is as important for parcels as for letters," McCombs says. "If the box has been

Life in Clarendon

Grandpa's tend to be a bit balmy about their descendants. That leads them to do irrational things that they might not otherwise do.

Take E W, for example. As a long time Clarendon resident, he should know that things are often cheaper here than in Ragtown.

But being a grandfather, he sorta got absent minded.

He decided that Grandkids needed an electric train. So he motored some fifty miles northwest to Ragtown and went to Wal-Mart. After all, that's the cheapest store around, right? There he found the train he was looking for, and it only cost \$39.95. He snapped up the bargain before someone else could get it!

Then, a few days later, he got his issue of *The Clarendon Press*. In that paper there was an insert from the friendly corner druggist. And Biven's had the exact same trainset on sale—only \$19.95.

Now all that would be bad enough, but he confessed what he had done to his friend H W. And now every time she sees him, she says, "Bought any trains lately?" And all he can do is grin back at her smile.

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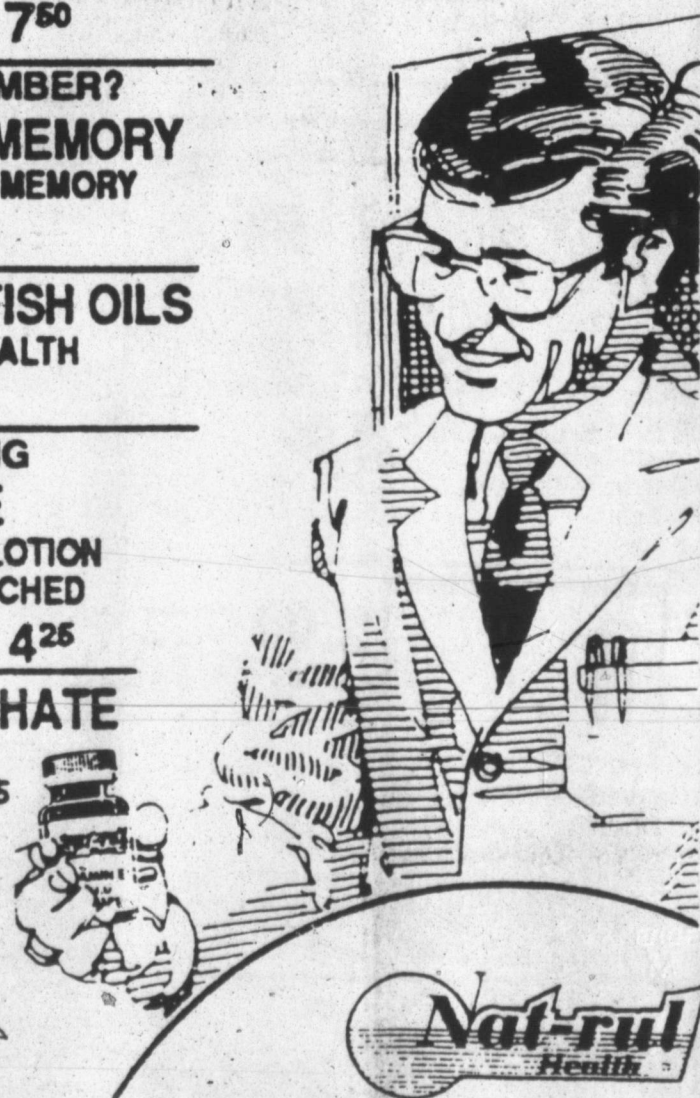
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Donate Now to Salvation Army

The Lions Club and the Salvation Army have a tradition of working together in Clarendon to help needy families during the Christmas season. That cooperation has traditionally brought food and cheer to many needy families.

This year gifts have not come in as quickly as normal, even though donation envelopes went out with every bank statement from all three local banks and as direct mailouts.

The Lions Club urges all area residents to contribute as quickly as possible so that every family in Clarendon can enjoy a good Christmas meal. Donations can be given to Paul Bivens at Bivens Pharmacy or to Bronnie McNabb at the First Bank and Trust. Although the organizations will accept donations throughout the holiday season, gifts would be more effective if they are in by December 18th.



LYNDON MESSER, HEDLEY ISD and Kay White, Region XVI discuss school issues at a recent meeting of the Panhandle School Leaders' Association in Amarillo. Dr. W.N. Kirby addressed the group on the current school finance crisis in Texas.



BLACKIE JOHNSON, Donley County Constable, joins Barbara Collins, Hedley parent, and Hedley teachers, Terri Lackey and Terry Collins at a recent workshop to help communities and schools at the Region XVI Education Service Center in Amarillo.



BARBARA COLLINS, Blackie Johnson, Terry Lackey, and Terry Collins get into the swing with a skit portraying their community involvement plan for a drug-free Hedley. The four attended a recent workshop at the Region XVI Education Service Center in Amarillo.

Region XVI News

Community and school representatives from 15 Panhandle towns participated in a recent two-day training session held by Nicki Soice of the Southwest Regional Center for Drug Free Schools and Communities out of Norman, Oklahoma.

Area civic leaders, law enforcement personnel, ministers, parents and educators formulated plans of action to implement in their communities and schools.

After intensive discussion and planning sessions, the members from each team presented a creative skit to introduce themselves and briefly state what their action plan contained. Zany raps, songs, and poems resulted as members demonstrated their multi talents.

Since May, 1989, forty Panhandle teams have been trained in Amarillo. Communities participating belong to the Drug Free Schools and Communities Coop of the Region XVI Education Center. According to Patsy Britting, Director of the DFSC coop, demand has been high from past participants for followup sessions.

Santa Is Coming!

Santa Claus will arrive in Hedley at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, December 16th. He will be on Main Street with candy and fruit for all the kids!

Come on down and tell Santa what you want for Christmas!

Hedley Chapter Meets

by Peggy Watt

The Hedley Eastern Star Chapter held its monthly meeting in the Hedley Lodge Hall on December 4. Mrs. Gail Johnson, Worthy Matron, presided. Among the business conducted was the decision to confer honorary membership certificates on the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Betty Phillips, Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Joe Jerrers, the Grand Examiner, Mrs. Joyce Fields, the District Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs. Jerry Sheppard, and the Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs. Tena Powell.

It was also decided to pay the amount asked to support the Eastern Star School which will be held

Hedley News

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas, the song says. And that's true around the Hedley community. Take a drive around town if you haven't seen all the Christmas lights. It's worth your time. Main Street looks especially nice this year.

Mother Nature also contributed to the Christmas look. Hedley received its first snow last Thursday. We had a light cover briefly, the snow melted rather quickly. Had it remained on the ground, we probably would have had around three inches. Then, on Monday, light flurries fell, driven by a strong, cold wind. As of midafternoon, only a trace of moisture had been received.

Patrick Don Lambert is doing well following a second surgery in Amarillo last week. Billy Neal McKee had open-heart surgery in Houston on Thursday. Billy Neal is a son of Ruby McKee and Sue Weatherly's brother.

Joyce Boliver is still not feeling too well. She returned to Amarillo for a Monday-afternoon visit with her physician.

The Children's Choir of Hedley's Methodist and Baptist Churches will present their Christmas program this Sunday evening at five o'clock at the Methodist Church. A time of fellowship will follow, with sacks provided for the children. If weather permits, worshippers of all ages will go Christmas caroling after the service.

The two churches' combined adult choir presented the cantata "Carol of Christmas" at the Baptist

Church this past Sunday evening. The choir was directed by Debbie Roberts. Jane Kerr was the pianist; Pat Kerr narrated the program. In spite of the icy wind, a large congregation enjoyed the music and refreshments afterward.

Annie Mae Sims and W. C. (Brownie) Quisenberry were recognized at the close of the Sunday morning worship service at First Baptist Church. Mrs. Sims has been a member of the church for sixty-nine years; Brownie has been a member for seventy years. Also honored posthumously was Ellen Faye Land, who passed away November 20. She had also been a member of the church for seventy years.

Hedley Junior High basketball teams played Lakeview Monday evening, December 4. Nancy Anderson and Angie Longan were high scorers with six points each. In the game against Samnorwood, Mandi White was high-point individual with seven points.

On Tuesday, December 5, the high school teams played host to Kelton. Both local teams were defeated.

In the Samnorwood Tournament last weekend, the boys won their Thursday game against Samnorwood 63-33. On Friday, the boys lost to the Groom Tigers. On Saturday, the Owls lost a close game with Lakeview 75-80.

Danny Mullins won the Greenbelt District FFA talent contest in Clarendon last Monday. He will be competing in the Area I contest in May.

Hedleyans are urged to attend a program of straight talk about kids, families, and alcohol Thursday evening at seven at the Lions' Den. The featured speaker will be Dennis Taylor, a counselor with Frank and Associates. This meeting is sponsored by R.O.C.K.—Reaching Our City's Kids—a school-community team for Hedley.

Hedley School Menu

December 18-20

Monday
Breakfast: Toast, scrambled eggs, juice, milk
Lunch: Barbecued beef patties, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot

rolls, honey and butter, milk

Tuesday
Breakfast: Pancakes with syrup and butter, juice, milk
Lunch: Pinto beans, spinach, baked potatoes, cornbread, muffins, milk

Wednesday
Breakfast: Dry cereal, toast, juice, milk
Lunch: Western burgers, french fries, lettuce, pickles, Jello with topping, milk

Thursday and Friday
No school—Christmas holidays

Hedley Senior Citizens Menu

Thurs. Dec. 14: Stew w/potatoes, tomatoes, carrot, onions, etc., Sunset Salad, Spice Cake, Corn Muffin.
Fri. Dec. 15: Turkey & Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Broccoli, Apple Rings, Orange Whip, Roll.

Mon. Dec. 18: Salmon Patties, Navy Beans, Spinach, Waldorf Salad, Yellow Cake, Corn Muffin.

Tues. Dec. 19: Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes, Gr. Beans, Gr. Veg. Salad, Peach Sl w/oatmeal cookie, Roll.

Wed. Dec. 20: Oven-Fried Chicken, Macaroni & Tomatoes, Carrots, Mixed Fruit Whip, Hot Coleslaw, Roll.

Activities

Thursday
10:30am Exercise; 9am-3pm Games; 9am-3pm Quilting; 12 Noon Lunch; Blood Pressure Clinic; 6pm Games

Friday
10:30am Exercise; 9am-3pm Games; 9am-3pm Quilting; 12 Noon Lunch

Monday
Staff Meeting; 10:30am Exercise; 9am-3pm Games; 9am-3pm Quilting; 12 Noon Lunch

Tuesday
10:30am Exercise; 9am-3pm Games; 9am-3pm Quilting; 12 Noon Lunch; 5:30pm Games

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To The Citizens Of Donley County

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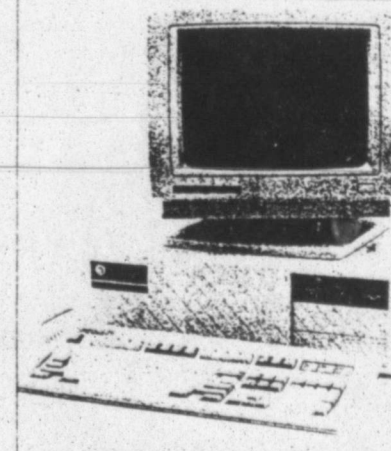
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Johnny and Della Linville, \$5.00; Bill Waddell, 2.00; H. Word, 1.00; Pauline Kaufman, 1.00; Blackie Johnson, 5.00; Marty Martin, 5.00; Othel Bolin, 10.00; Georgia Speed, 4.00; Moffitt Hardware, 25.00; Harold White, 10.00; Clyde Hogard, 5.00; M. O. Weatherly, 5.00; Ann Kennedy, 5.00; Roy Brown, 5.00; Trista Moore, 5.00; Bob White, 5.00; W. B. Wiggins, 20.00; Jim Cabbell, 5.00; Sammy and Shirley Slover, 5.00; Bobby Johnson, 5.00; James and Oretha Potts, 10.00; James Edward and Timber Lee Potts, 10.00; Jean Rowell, 5.00; Murrell and Dorothy Whitaker, 5.00; Forest Morton, 5.00; Hedley Feedlot, 5.00; Johnny Conatser, 5.00; Ronny Hill, 2.00; Chuck Hill,

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Johnny Linville, collector for the department, thanks everyone for their help. If we have missed anyone, we will try to get them in next week's issue.

Doorposts

Silent Night

by Jon Leggett

"Silent night... All is calm..."

I'll never forget that night.

Nights are usually clear in Judea, but never have I seen so many stars. And so quiet! Not a blade of grass stirred. Not a single sheep bleated, or even moved. The few that were standing were as motionless as those lying down, looking like charcoal drawings against the dim horizon.

"Bless God," I said in a whisper

to Elias, my companion, who had just completed a soundless circuit of the flock, "what a beautiful night!"

Elias nodded, as if even to whisper were to profane the sacred silence.

On the far side of the flock, we could see Micah, Zibeeon, and Joel, like the sheep silhouettes on the blue-black canvas of the sky.

Elias and I sat on a rocky outcropping from which any distant approach to the flock, by man or animal, could be spotted. Still, not a movement could be detected anywhere. The whole universe slept, it would seem.

My mind and my eyes wandered, dreamlike, over the hills, the flock, our distant companions, and Elias, sitting beside me. It suddenly occurred to me that Elias' face could be seen much more clearly than was possible only a few seconds ago. My face turned instinctively to the east, expecting to see the rising moon. But wait! Hadn't the moon—and a mere sliver of moon at that—set in the west just after sunset?

Now Elias' face fairly gleamed. Our companions were no longer outlines, but could be easily identified, even though they were many yards away. The sheep almost seemed to glow from within, and

the grass was plainly green, just as if it were daylight.

"Darkness flies, all is light..."

This was no moonlight. This was no sunlight! Everything was bathed in the purest, most indescribably beautiful luminescence. I had decided that I had drifted into a wonderful dream. But then it happened!

The entire sky shimmered, blazed, swirled with movement; and simultaneously I heard—no, felt—the music. It shook the earth. It came from the sky. It came from my bones. It was magnificent. It was terrifying. It was as if the sky, even the rocks screamed—if a scream can be musical—"Praise the Eternal, the Ancient of Days!"

I dived to the earth, nearly landing on Elias, who was already face-down in the grass. I could not speak, but my very soul cried, "Praise the Lord! Lord have mercy! Lord have mercy!"

"Shepherds quake at the sight..."

This was no dream. Oh, such a light! It was so beautiful, but it was everywhere, it was everything. My closed eyelids, my hands over my face, my face in the grass did no good. It came up from the ground. The Lord was calling me from the earth, in the prime of my years.

That was the only explanation. Blessed be the God of Abraham!

"Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people."

I was shaking uncontrollably, but something told me it was all right to look up. My companions, too, raised their faces heavenward. A veritable army, brilliant and golden, filled the sky. The stars, so near, so bright a few moments ago, seemed banished forever by the brightness.

Back to the earth I went. My knees buckled as their leader—immense, immortal, with face flashing like the top of a summer thunderstorm—continued.

"For unto you is born this day in the City of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger."

I don't know how we got to Bethlehem. I don't remember a single thing about that several-miles' walk. Not a word was spoken on the way. Not a question was asked when we arrived. No directions were needed. We walked to the stable as if we had walked home. Later, I would be overwhelmed with the confidence that we had done exactly that—walked home!

"Radiant beams from Thy holy face,

With the dawn of redeeming grace,

Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth..."

Again my knees buckled, this time, not from fear, but in utter adoration and worship. The tears made rivers of my cheeks, and again I felt that the Lord was calling me from this earth. My spirit pulled toward His Spirit as if chained to a team of heaven-bound oxen. My poor body would surely not survive this burst of joy.

But survive it did. I don't know how long we knelt at that manger. It seemed like forever. It seemed like a few seconds. But on the way home, we laughed, we wept, we shouted, we talked, we danced. In the days ahead, we told anyone and everyone that would listen. And in spite of near-babbling in our rush to tell the story, in spite of the tears that inevitably flowed with the tumble of words, the reaction was always the same. Everyone listened, everyone marvelled.

"With the angels let us sing

Alleluia to our King."

A brief moment of terror grasped us as we neared our pastures. We had committed the shepherd's cardinal sin. We had abandoned our flock. Where would the lambs be? Would we ever find them all? How many would be devoured by wolves?

We topped the last rise and looked down into the valley just as

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the sun peeped over the horizon. There, as if time was frozen, was every animal just as we had left them. We looked at each other's gaping, incredulous faces, then broke out into gales of laughter. Did those animals—stupid sheep, we often say—know the voices of their Creator's messengers. I think that they did.

I am eighty-four years old now. It has been sixty years since that night of nights. But the awe, the fervor, the purity, the utter reality of that holy time has not diminished. I understand more now than I did that night, but I am still just a shepherd, not a priest or rabbi. But we were never the same after looking into the holy Babe's face. God revealed a bit of Himself to us in that crude crib. A little, precious, pink, delicate bit, to be sure. But a bit that somehow I know was absolutely necessary if I would see more of Him. I have seen the King!

"Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born."

Naomi's News

by Naomi Green

Stella Jewett was surprised on her birthday last month by a dinner parter given in her honor at Camalot Inn. Over a hundred friends and relatives were there for the occasion.

Clifford and Stella Jewett were among thirty of the Jewett clan to enjoy a Christmas dinner at the home of the Author Jewetts in Panhandle Sunday.

Dorothy White travelled to Amarillo to join her sister in attending "The Nutcracker" play in which her nine year old grandson was one of the performers.

Glen and Lorene Helton and Irene Jones had dinner at the Plaza in Amarillo last week.

H.A. Green made a trip to Canyon Sunday and took his father Joe Green to lunch at the Cowboy Cafe.

Mae and Duane Naylor of Thalia were in Clarendon Sunday to take care of business. They visited with Thelma Hall at the nursing home at Memphis enroute home.

Hazel and J.R. Brandon were among forty top of Texas trailor persons to attend the Christmas dinner at Lubys and the business meeting afterwards at the Realtor's building.

Saturday, J.R. and Hazel Brandon visited with W.D. Brandon at Claude enroute to Amarillo.

Myrl and Frank Reger of Hedley and J.R. and Hazel Brandon had lunch Sunday at Claude with Jimmy Lee and Don Matherson.

Melba Risley went to Canyon Saturday morning and got Connie Longan. They went to Amarillo and had lunch at the Westgate Mall. Connie came home with Melba. Ted and Jo Shaller came and visited Saturday night and took Connie home with them. They returned her to Canyon Sunday.

Robert Partain's mother, Mrs. Audry Jones, who has resided at the Medical Center Nursing Home these past few years passed away Monday morning. Services and burial will be in Amarillo. Our sympathy is extended to the family.

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To tax the above property, the governing boards of these tax bodies must approve the proposal by ordinary resolution or order and must find that the taxation of property as proposed will be in the public interest of all residents of the taxing districts above named.

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Practice Sessions: 4th Monday

Pat Roberson WM
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Refreshments served at 6:30 p.m.

THANK YOU

During my recent illness and hospital stay, I had some time to reflect on my life. I'd like to share a story with my friends. In 1930 Tony Wons, a radio personality, started his daily broadcast with the following:

"There is a Destiny that makes us brothers, none goes his way alone. All we send into the lives of others comes back into our own."

I thought perhaps I might have done a few good things in my life for certainly I have received many good things, especially in recent years and months.

The people from Senior Citizens are thanked for delivering my lunches. All were kind and Verdie Tipton and Wanda Clay were especially a bit of sunshine to me.

Thanks to Tom for his concern. Hazel and Jack Edens are special to me. I'm grateful to those who assisted me so much on the day of my attack. They were Joanne Alford, Tangelia Copelin, Brian and Debbie Leeper and driver Benny Osburn. Brian was so efficient and caring as we went to Amarillo. The people of Clarendon are fortunate to have him.

Thanks to my sister, Adella Johnson, who come from Santa Paula, California for a two week stay with me. While she was here my grand-daughter, Joanne Alford took us to Ardmore Oklahoma to visit with my 83 year old brother, Virgil Johnson and his wife Virginia. Their daughter, Linda Rushing, was there to visit with us.

Thanks to all my friends. They are too numerous to number.

These are very special family members. Thanks to them for loving and caring for me-Ernie and Tangelia Copelin, Jaci and Roper T., Joanne Alford, Tina Copelin and Laura Copelin.

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