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Clarendon Celebration Mrs. R. O. Shannon Set For July 3-4-5

Officials of the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association sponsors of the Annual Clarendon Fourth of July Celebration, this week are putting the final touches on what already promises to be the biggest celebration in Clarendon's history.

Sixteen beeves have been donated by ranchers for the traditional free barbecue to be held on the courthouse lawn at noon on the Fourth.

This year's celebration is scheduled for three days, July 3rd, 4th and 5th, instead of the customary two days. Featured attractions will be the rodeo performances on the night of July 3rd, the afternoon and night of July 5th. Cowboys from the surrounding ranches and the top rodeo performers from the amateur circuit will vie for prize money totaling more than \$2000.00 in addition to shop made saddles and boots.

Other attractions include a western parade on the afternoon of the 4th and matched horse races on the afternoon of the 5th. Western dances each night at the air conditioned American Legion Hall will feature the music of Emmett Allen and his Sunset Ramblers.

Highlighting the attractions on the 4th will be an Old Settlers gettogether for persons who have resided in Donley County for twenty-five or more years and for former residents of the county of twenty-five or more years ago.

Baseball News

The Hedley Lions will play the Claude Cap Rock League Daseball team here next Sunday at 3 p. m.

Last Sunday Hedley lost their first league game to Clarendon there by the score of 8 to 4. Too much wind and too much B. F. Dorman kept the Hedley sluggers at bay and Clarendon had two big innings with Hedley's errors and the Clarendon hits bunched. This leaves Hedley in a first place tie with Clarendon, each having won 7 and lost 1 game.

Explorer Scouts

The Explorer Scouts of Post 36 will go to Lake McClellan this week end and will go to Raton July 6th.

Funeral services for Mrs. R. O. Shannon, who passed away Saturday in a Memphis hospital, were held Monday from the Methodist Church here by Rev. Frank Story, Rev. I. E. Biggs and Rev. W. M. Culwell. Burial was in Rowe cemetery with Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home in charge.

Pallbearers were Hobart Moffitt, Lee Anderson, Chester Walker, L. D. Messer, Delbert White and Joe Kennedy.

Mrs. Shannon was born Sept. 27 1890, at Garvin, Wise County Texas. She had been a resident of Donley County for 45 years. She was formerly Florence Eugenia Watkins and was married to R. O Shannon at McKnight on April 2, 1911.

She is survived by her husband R. O. Shannon of Hedley; one daughter, Mrs. Woodrow Farris of Hedley; one son, Robert C. Shannon of Healdsburg, Calif., and 6 grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Oly Parsons of Wichita Falls, and two brothers, Robert Watkins of Childress and Calvin Watkins of Hedley.

One son, Clyde T. Shannon, preceded her in death Aug. 18, 1951

Win FFA Honors

Johnny Brumley, Jack Moreman and Jack Quisenberry received a letter from the State FFA President this week stating that they were awarded the state Lone Star Farmer degree, the highest degree offered in the state for FFA mem-

This was won by keeping accurate records of supervised farm programs and projects for three years of Vocational Agriculture un der the direction of Doyle Messer, Ag. instructor. Much hard work was done in keeping these records which must go through district, area and state headquarters and are checked for errors in all three. The state found no errors, therefore awarded the degrees.

of award and gold FFA pins at the district banquet in September. All three boys are Seniors in Hedley high school.

We are glad to see Buddy Reeves at home again and greeting friends 188 out of 200. in town Tuesday night.

Thava Nell Davis underwent a tonsilectomy Saturday.

Hail Damages Cotton Lions Roar

Farmers of the Hedley area suffered a discouraging setback Satstorm did damage to the cotton estimated at over 25%. A great many fields were blowing out after the storm, but wind damage is being gradually reduced as fields are plowed.

Novelty Act at Theatre

An entertaining addition to the regular show at the Hedley Theatre this Thursday and Friday, June 26 and 27, will be an unusual novelty act put on by Curt Godfrey, Jack Patrick and Elton Murdock of Memphis.

There will be no advance in price for the show, the admission remaining at 35¢ and 9¢ as usual.

On the screen for the two nights will be Edmond O'Brien and Yvonne DeCarlo in "Silver City."

Boy Scout News

A full patrol of Scouts accompanied by Assistant Scoutmaster T. O. McFarland will leave Sunday afternoon for Camp Kiowa, District Boy Scout Camp. The camp is located at Lake Marvin, near Canadian. This is the Adobe Walls Council permanent Camp where the boys will be instructed in swimming, iife saving and other scout requirements. Boys planning to go are Jimmy Waddell, Tommy Bailey, Terry Bailey, Bennie and Bobby Lesley, Deward Gibson, Don Youree and Bennie Sims.

Gene Taylor of Clarendon spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Huffman.

Wins 4-H Honors

An item in the Groesbeck Journal states that their County Agent, M. H. Brown Jr. has just returned The boys will receive certificates State 4-H roundup, and that the Limestone County entomology team composed of Gene Caldwell, Glynn Nance and David Tilley, all of Thornton, won third place in the state. Gene Caldwell was fourth of all boys present with a score of

> Gene is the son of Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Caldwell of Thornton and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Alewine of Hedley.

Next week a directors meeting will be called again. It is hoped urday when a severe rain and hail that enough attend to make a quorum.

> For this week's program there will be a film shown, showing how clouds are seeded to make it rain. Maybe they will soon find something to make it stop hailing.

> R. E. Drennan of Clarendon will install the new officers and directors of the club the first meeting in

To Office Here

Bob Harris, local theatre manager, announced arrangements to headquarter his business with the Texas Showmen throughout the Tri-State area here in Hedley. While he will still be away periodically it offers Bob a chance to be with the folks and town he has chosen as his home.

Harris will open the Roxy Theatre in Lakeview next Thursday night on a part time basis and run it in connection with the Hedley.

The Hedley announced a new policy of midnight "Ghost Parties" every Saturday with such shows as the "House of Dracula" and Bride of Frankenstein" being brought back to chill Hedley audiences. Tickets will go on sale every Saturday night at 10 p. m.

National publicity will be given Hedley and the Hedley Lions Club through pictures and stories in 'Box Office" magazine as a result of Harris being appointed to Compo 'Box Office" will feature the Lions Club as the largest and most active per capita in the states, and loyal supporters of the movie industry. Kyle Rorex administrative director for Compo reported the stories would come out in about two to three weeks. Additional copies of the magazine will be sent to Hedley for distribution on the news stands.

Oren Allen, relief operator at the from A&M, where he attended the Hedley, will join the Harris staff as full time operator at Lakeview.

New Street Lights

The West Texas Utilities Co. last week installed new street lights in Hedley, which were turned on last Wednesday night.

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A. J. (Andy) Rogers Makes Statement

nation. It is "time for a change." But let us remember that new faces services and als the special numin Washington will make no real bers he sings from time to time. difference if we have not changed Our prayer meetings and choir things here at home. At all levels practice are growing in interest of government we must return to the great principle upon which this prayer service by candlelight is becountry was founded and built; ing observed from 7:30 to 8:30. and if it is to stand, upon which it | Everyone is invited to come by for must stand This great principle a few minutes of silent prayer. is Americanism. It says that man is created free, that his Creator the church, 4 by letter and 6 on gave him certain "inalienable" rights, that the sole purpose and reason for government is to see that these sacred rights are protected. Government is not meant gave Sunday night was enjoyed by to take away these rights or to create substitutes.

birth, training and education. He vice Monday, June 30 at 8 p. m. was raised on a farm and dairy. All our women and girls are invit-His business is farming, and it will ed to attend.—Reporter continue to be. He is a land owner and tax payer. He is a family man with a wife and one daughter. Andy Rogers has prepared himself for service with seven years of college education—law, government, economics and agriculture. He has proven his willingness to sacrifice by voluntarily giving three years' service in the United States Army during World War II. He has had two terms' experience in ment of West Texas in these waysserving West Texas in your State 1. Continually supporting our House of Representatives. He has Rural Road and Primary Highway served on these following important committees: Appropriations, Agriculture, Insurance, Highways and Roads and Conservation and Reclamation.

Andy Rogers is not a lawyer. Therefore, he can represent only the people who elect him. He cannot hope for financial gain by serving you as State Senator, an important job that pays only an ap-



JESSE BEACH



Methodist Church

Our new pastor, Bro. Culwell, is doing some fine preaching and hav-This is a critical time for our ing good attendance. Everyone is enjoying his leadership in the song and attendance. A Saturday night There has been 10 received into profession of faith.

The ladies who taught in the Bible school did a fine work with the children and the program they all. The installation service of the WSCS was very impressive. Don't Andy Rogers is a West Texan by forget our supper and pledge ser-

> proximate \$700.00 per year. He is not a professional politician. He has consistently fought corruption in all government, and will continue to do so. As a State Representative, he has opposed an increased rate of spending and taxing in State Government, and will continue to do so. Rogers has fought for the economie develop-

development.

2. Voting against and helping kill legislation for State control of our underground water.

3. Fighting to protect our surface water rights as they now stand

4. Writing and getting passed legislation giving West Texas \$10, 000.00 for preliminary study of its surface water possibilities.

5. Writing and getting passed legislation that will soon bring into being a new Agriculture Experiment Station to study the particular needs of our Blow-Sand areas of West Texas.

legislation requiring the labeling of "drip" gasoline when offered for sale, so consumers and honest service station operators are protected

7. Supporting a sound, sensible Public School program.

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Rogers will not be able to visit all of the people in our 15 county State Senatorial District, but he humbly and sincerely asks for your vote and support.

Church of Christ

Minister Shelby W. Sanders, new pastor of the Hedley Church of Christ, moved in Saturday from Muleshoe together with his wife and three children. He takes the place of Minister John Murphy, who has moved to Amarillo.

Shelby W. Sanders, Minister Sunday Bible Study 10:00 A. M. Preaching 11:00 A. M. Communion Service 11,45 A. M. Evening Services 8:00 P. M. Tuesday Ladies Bible Class 3:00 Wed. Mid Week Service 8:00 P. M

We invite everyone to come and meet with us.

Garden Club

The Garden Club will meet at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon, July 1, in the club room. Hostesses will be Mesdames B. H Kirkpatrick, W H. Jones, M. W. Mosley and W. E. Grimsley. Mrs. B. H. Kirkpatrick will be leader for the following program:

Table of the Month, Leader Vegetable Arrangements, Mrs. Atkinson

Roll Call, Our Birthday Flowers Border Plants, Mrs. W. H. Jones Seed Planting for Fall Blooming, Mrs. W. M. Mosley

Unusual Containers for Flowers Mrs. W. E. Grimsley

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Richards have relatives of Birmingham, Alabama visiting for a few days, namely: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Richards and small sons, William and Charles, and Zora R. Pennington.

J. S. Hinds came up from Abilene Friday night, returning Saturday evening. Mrs. Hinds and Nancy Lou and Mrs. Huford Hinds and Marjorie returned with him after a week's visit in the Frank Kendall home.

Visitors in the W. W. Richards home last Sunday besides relatives from Alabama were Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Richards of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards and girls 6. Writing and getting passed of Memphis and Mrs. Juanita Roach and children of Amarillo.

First Baptist Church

Several ladies were present for the WMU meeting Monday afternoon, which met at the church met at the church with Mrs. Bain and Mrs. Carlton as co-hostesses. Our missionary program and our program on our aged ministerial relief work were combined. Mrs. Jones being leader for the afternoon brought a beautiful devotional appropriate for each program. Several ladies had interesting parts for discussion. After a short business meeting the hostesses served refreshments to those present.

The Youth Rally meets with the Clarendon church Saturday night. We are hoping to have at least

25 to go from our church.

Next Sunday will be the day for our Associational Hymn Sing. The meeting will be with the Lakeview church. Our Intermediate Choir will have a special number on the program.

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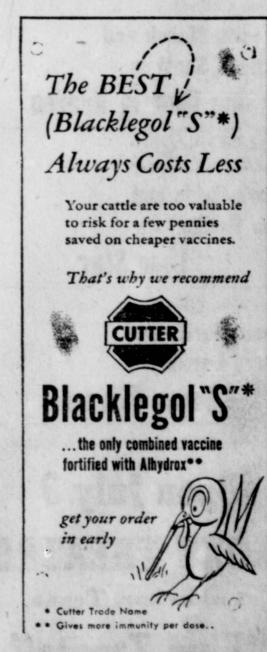
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