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One of America's most scenic and remote regions, Texas west of the Pecos, is featured in the new 1978-79 Texas Almanac, published by A. H. Belo Corp which also publishes the Dallas Morning News. This article is by well-known author Frank X. Tolbert. Other articles of interest include those on the Big Bend, the Guadalupe Mountains, and the Davis Mountains. All are generously illustrated with full color photographs.

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Election Dec. 10

134 votes were cast in the runoff election for the state senate here Saturday. Bob Simpson received 70 votes and Bob Price 64.

Over the 26 counties, Price received 15,166 votes and Simpson 14,948.

Jr. Hi Schedule

Dec. 19, McLean there, 6:00

To Observe 40th Anniversary

A surprise reception for the 40th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse A. Stiles will be given from 3 to 5 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 25, at 1325 North Naves in Amarillo. They live in Rush Springs, Okla.

The affair will be hosted by their children, Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Stiles of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Estes Bartlett of Bartlesville, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. John Stiles of Oton, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seacord of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Stiles were married Dec. 22, 1937, at Rush Springs, Okla. Besides the children named above they also have eight grandchildren.

Clyde James

Funeral services for Clyde James, 61, who passed away last Sunday were held Wednesday at Clarendon.

Mr. James was born in Bertha, Ark., and married Opal Maynard Oct. 12, 1941, at Waukena, Okla. He moved to Clarendon in 1966. He served as Donley County deputy from 1966 to 1970 and as sheriff from 1970 to 1972. He again served as deputy from 1972 to January, 1977.

Survivors include his wife, four daughters, four sisters, four brothers and 14 grandchildren.

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Christmas Program

The kindergarten through 6th grade will present their annual Christmas program on Monday, Dec. 19, at the school.

The public is invited to attend.

First Baptist Church

The Sunday Christmas service at the First Baptist Church will be held at 10 a.m. on Sunday, Dec. 25. This will be the only service of the day at the church.

Christmas Holidays

The Hedley schools will close for Christmas holidays at 2:30 Wednesday, Dec. 21. Classes will resume on Tuesday, Jan. 3.

School Lunchroom Menu

Thurs., Dec. 15, taco with cheese, tossed salad, baked beans, fruit juice milk.

Fri., Dec. 16, hamburgers, ketchup, french fries, lettuce, sliced tomatoes, milk.

Mon., Dec. 19, fried chicken, gravy, green beans, creamed potatoes, hot rolls, syrup, milk.

Tues., Dec. 20, ravioli casseroles, pasta, eggs, sliced bread, cookies, milk.

Wed., Dec. 21, tuna and chicken sandwiches, french fries, ketchup, peas, milk.

Dec. 22 through Jan. 2, no school.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Taylor attended funeral services for her aunt in Oklahoma last Wednesday.

GED Exam Offered At Clarendon College

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Santa Claus Coming

Old Santa Claus will be in Hedley this year on Saturday, Dec. 17 at 2 p.m. to visit the boys and girls.

All the youngsters are advised to be on the lookout for him.

The Harold Michaelman was here from Mansfield last week and

The Bob Staffords were here last week end from Fallett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hoggard visited in Tulsa Sunday.

Mrs. Elsie Shaw and Mrs. Lettie Taylor attended a Stables luncheon at Pampa Saturday.

Addresses Wanted

Addresses are still needed for several 1930 graduates of Hedley High School, to plan a reunion in 1980.

They are Eddie Myrl Busby, Jonadell Edwards, Mary Lee Garland, Thelma Horsther, Nell M. Nee, Pauline Pickett, Robert Reed and Troy Williamson.

Basketball Schedule

Dec. 15, 16, 17, Frisco Tournament

Dec. 20, Memphis here, 6:30

Dec. 27, Children here, 6:30

Dec. 29, 30, Children tourney

Social Security

A Social Security press will be at the court house in Clarendon from 9:15 to 12:00 on the following Thursdays:

Dec. 1, 8, 15, and 22

He will also be at the City Housing Authority in Memphis from 9:00 to 11:30 on the following Tuesdays:

Dec. 6, 13, and 20

Accident Control

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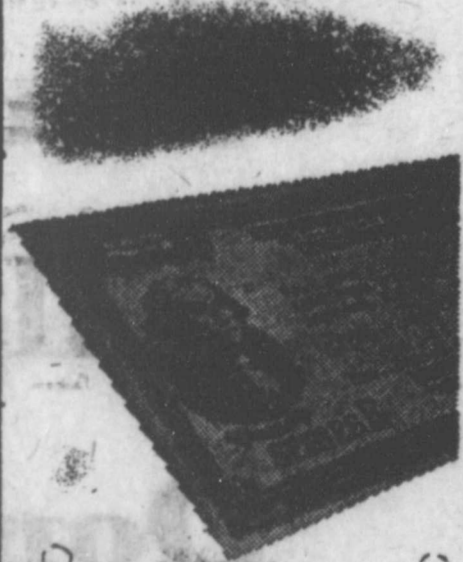
Meat Imports Down

Imports of foreign meat during the first six months of 1977 fell considerably below a year ago—down 81 million pounds or 12 percent, notes a livestock marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Beef and veal imports were down 14 percent, lamb imports were off 28 percent, and pork imports were down 4 percent. Imports of live cattle increased 12 percent during the same six month period while sheep imports fell 82 percent.

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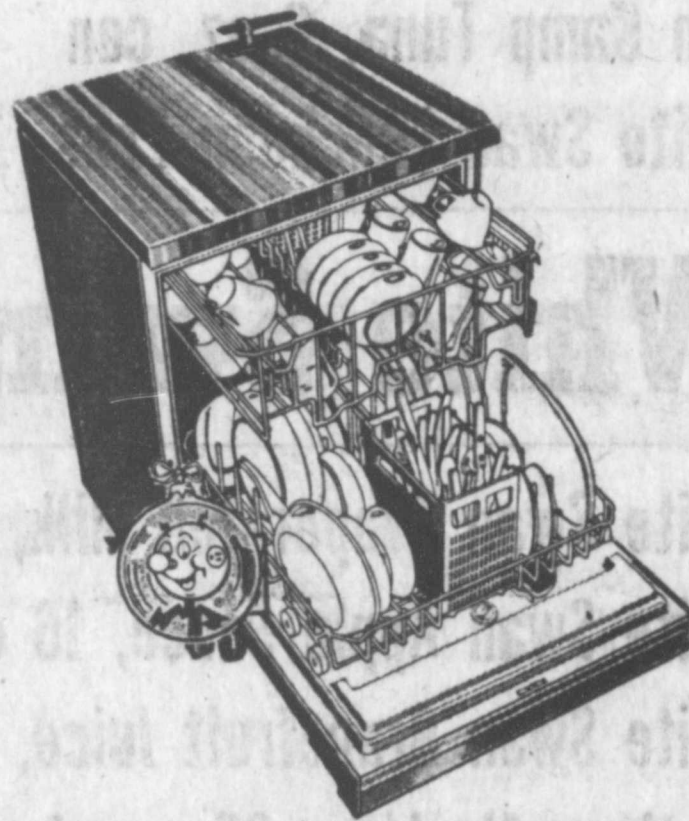
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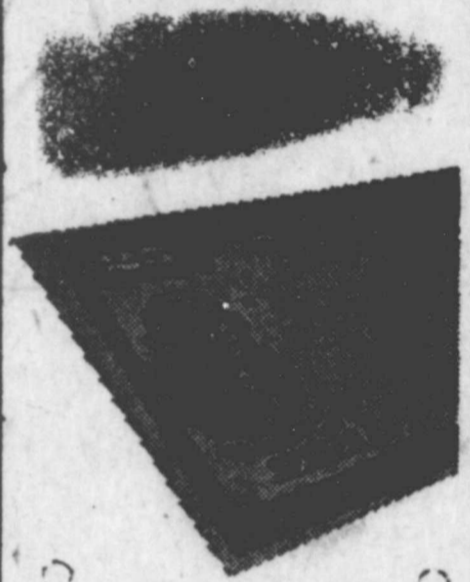
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