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- 4 A farewell reception honors the former president of Clarendon College.
- 6 City water and trash service rates will be going up next month.
- 7 And the Broncos fall in overtime to White Deer.

All this and much more as The Enterprise reports in this week's amazing edition!

State to hold three shot clinics here

The Texas Department of State Health Services will hold three immunization clinics in Clarendon this month.

The clinics will be held January 6, 13, and 20 at the TDSHS office at Five Medical Drive, and each clinic will be held from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. with the first ten clients being seen each time.

All clinic times are subject to change or cancellation due to weather conditions or scheduling conflicts. Please bring copy of children's shot records to receive immunizations.

Elementary seeks nominations for GT

Officials at Clarendon Elementary School will be accepting nominations of elementary students (Grades K-5) for the Gifted and Talented Program this week.

The Gifted and Talented program is a program designed to serve academically advanced students. If you would like to nominate a student for this program or would like more information, please contact Tashia Duncan, Elementary Gifted and Talented Coordinator at 874-3855. P

arents, teachers, community members and students may nominate students for the program. Mr. Mike Word, Elementary Principal, must have completed and returned forms by January 7, 2011.

CC registration to be held January 17

Clarendon College will be holding registration for the spring semester on Monday, January 17, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the Instructional Center on the home campus.

Classes begin Tuesday, January 18, and dorm space is available for the spring semester.

For details and a class schedule, visit www.clarendoncollege.edu.

Brochure brings Red River Wars to life

AUSTIN – Tumultuous battles, famous U.S. Army leaders, Native American warriors, and the plight of the buffalo all converge in the new Texas Historical Commission (THC) online brochure "Red River War of 1874-1875: Clash of Cultures in the Texas Panhandle."

The brochure, made possible in part by a generous grant from Humanities Texas, explores the conflict that erupted between the U.S. Army and Southern Plains Indians.

Tribes were ultimately forced onto reservations in the Indian Territory, allowing for an influx of American farmers and ranchers, who quickly settled into the Panhandle establishing huge ranches and making way for the arrival of the railroad in the 1880s.

To download a copy of the online brochure visit www.thc.state.tx.us. For more information on the Red River War contact the THC's Archeology Division at 512.463.6096.

Shirley takes over as new CC president

Clarendon College is under a new administration this week after Dr. Phil Shirley took office as president Monday.

Shirley becomes the 18th sitting president of the Panhandle's oldest college and is no stranger to Clarendon, having served as CC's Dean of Instruction from 1986 to 1990. He said Monday is very happy to be back.

"It is so good to be home," Shirley said. "I can't express that enough. There is a feeling of belonging and coming back to your roots that prevails here."

Shirley said he immediately felt the closeness of the community upon his return.

"I think a lot of people under

appreciate what we have here."

Shirley most recently served as the president of Southeastern Arkansas College in Pine Bluff, Ark. Shirley's wife, Jeannine, teaches second grade in Arkansas and will join him in Clarendon as soon as she finishes her contract for this school year.

Shirley succeeds Dr. William R. Auvenshine, who retired effective December 31, 2010.

As Shirley takes office, two immediate issues on his desk include the recent resignation of Dean of Instruction Debra Kuhl and a reduction in state funding for the college.

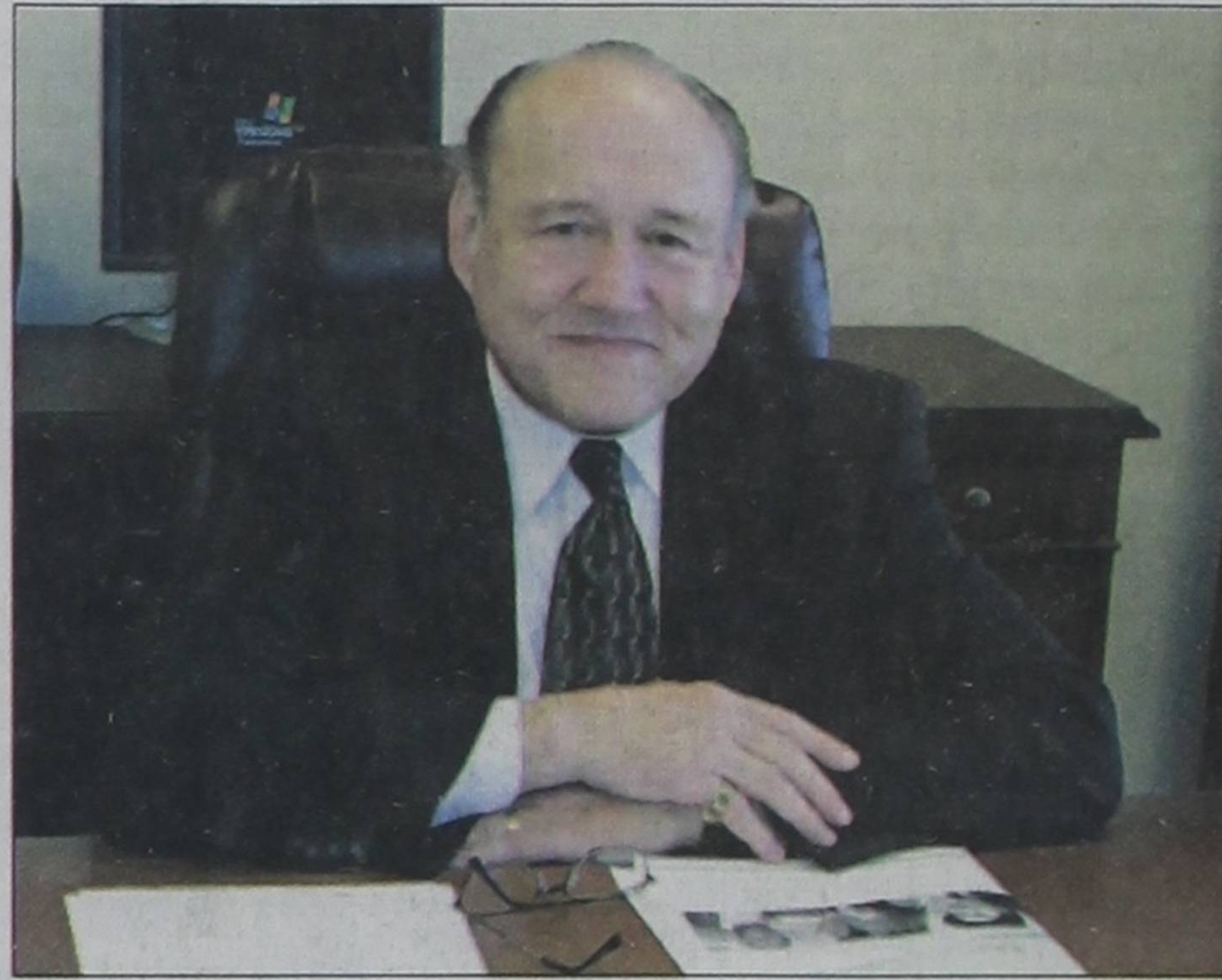
The new president said Monday he had not had time to evaluate how the funding cut would impact CC's budget; and as far as Kuhl's resigna-

tion, he said he would assume her duties for the time being.

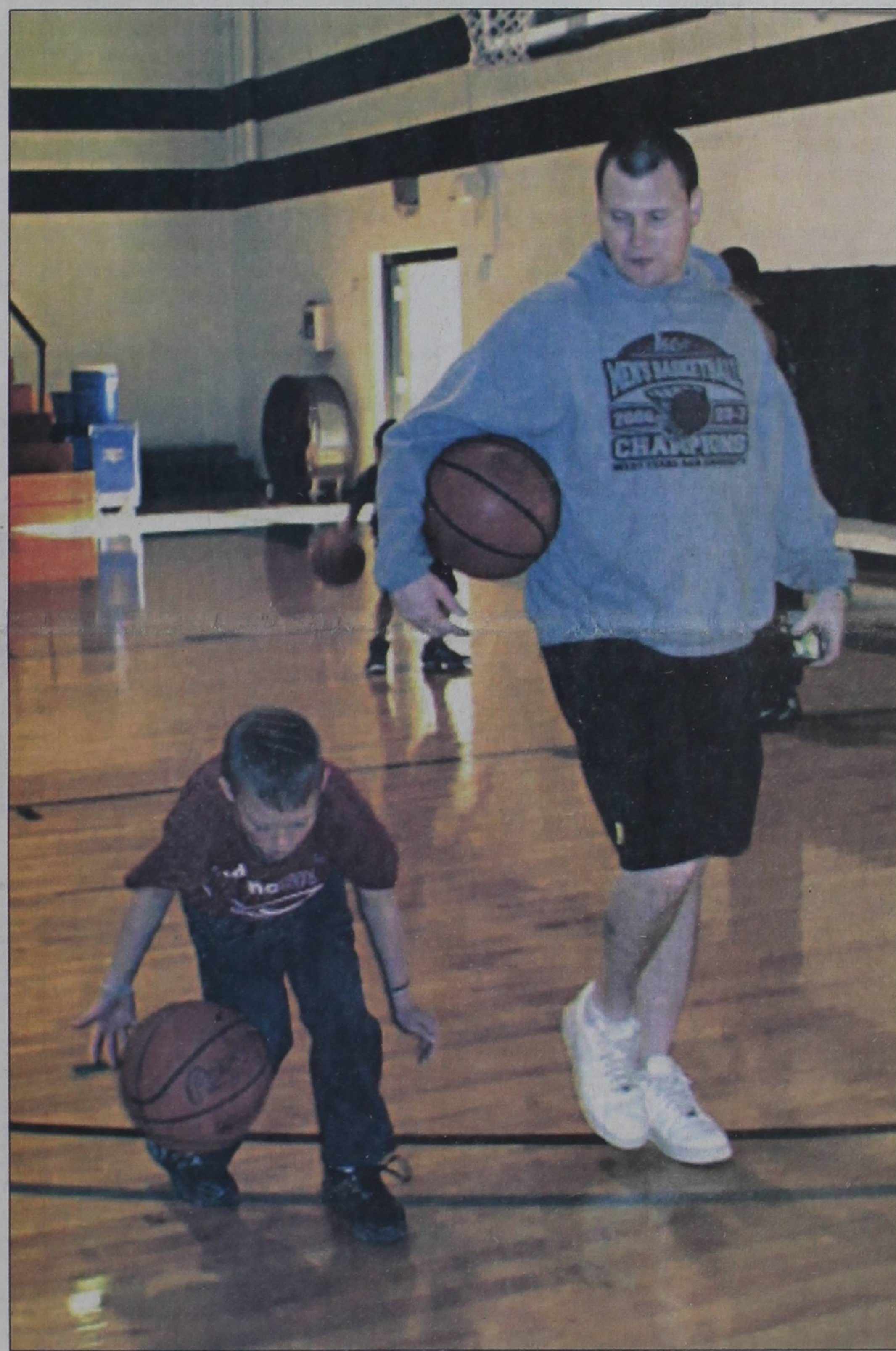
"We're going to let things even out," he said. "I have 25 years experience as an academic dean, so that won't be a problem. We'll look at advertising that position in about March then fill it July 1. We need to find someone who will be content here – someone who likes small towns and enjoys the family atmosphere that we have here."

The new president has not set specific goals for the college at this time but said he generally hopes to grow the college and to serve students more specifically.

"Head count is important," Shirley said, "but it is mainly about serving our students."



CC President Phil Shirley



Learning the game

Dalton Benson gets tips on handling the ball from Clarendon College Assistant Men's Coach Josh Weathered during a Bulldog Basketball camp this week.

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Improvements ready for 2011 stock show

The 2011 Donley County Junior Livestock Show will be held this Saturday, January 8, at the Donley County Activity Center one mile north of Clarendon on Highway 70.

Seventy-three kids from Donley County have been working several months with their projects in order to make Saturday's show a success. Now they are setting up the show ring, pens and chairs and washing/clipping their animals in preparation for this weekend.

This is the second year that the show will take place in the Donley County Activity Center, and improvements have been made to the facility since last year. These include finished wash racks, a weather resistant parking lot, central air/heat in the front part of the building, serving tables and cabinets in the kitchen

area, and concrete loading zones on the north side of the building.

The new Extension offices in the front of the building are also 90 percent complete and only lack installation of communications lines by Texas A&M personnel.

Saturday's schedule of events will include weigh- and check-in starting at 3 p.m. on January 7, and the show will start at 8:30 a.m. on January 8 starting with sheep and followed by goats, heifers, steers, guilt, and barrows. A buyers' appreciation meal will follow the show at 6 p.m. The livestock project auction will follow the meal.

For more information or to donate to the auction, contact Larry Gray, Livestock Chairman, at 874-2095 or 806-930-1842 or Leonard Haynes, CEA, at 806-282-7680.

PCS assists 4,200 residents during 2011 holiday season

AUSTIN – This holiday season promises to be a healthier, happier one for as many as 4,202 area residents thanks to the assistance they received this year from Panhandle Community Services.

The agency this was recognized by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) for expending 100 percent of its federal stimulus Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) funds to help transition low income individuals out of poverty and toward self-sufficiency, with the hope that the season's help lasts a lifetime.

TDHCA contracts with Panhandle Community Services to administer the CSBG Program in Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress,

Collingsworth, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher, and Wheeler counties.

The organization received an additional \$972,381 last year from the Department through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009, commonly referred to as the economic stimulus package, which featured new guidelines that allowed the state to reach greater numbers of low income Texans.

The funds helped provide essential services to low income residents. See 'PCS' on page 3.

Saddle makers discuss skill in working leather

CANYON – Like women and their shoes, cowboys have particular tastes in saddle style, fit, wear and use. Paying homage to the skill of saddle makers to match these needs, PPHM hosts Working Leather, a roundtable discussion between saddle builders from the region, on Saturday, January 15 at 10:00 am in the Hazlewood Lecture Hall.

Area saddle makers invited include J. W. Beeson of Lipscomb; Ron "Tumbleweed" Carlton of Happy; Larry Clark, Seth Ward and Larry Duggan of Canyon; Junior Gray of Dalhart; and Bob Marrs, Vernon Martin and Richard Oliver of Amarillo. Some of these men are "elder statesmen" in saddle making circles, some are upholding a family tradition and some are the next generation. Most have either worked together or studied with each other.

The craftsmen will discuss their trials and tribulations, successes and achievements in building saddles. Participants also will share their own knowledge and feelings about the history of saddle building in the southwestern United States.

The discussion will begin with an 1890s R. T. Frazier saddle from Pueblo, Colorado, and a Texas saddle, both of which came to PPHM disassembled. Also present in the lecture hall will be other historic saddles, including at least one gnarled wreck, brought straight from a barn to PPHM in the 1930s.

Reservations are required. To RSVP go to panhandleplains.org or call Elaine at (806) 651-2258. The program is free for PPHM members, WT faculty, staff and students and is included in the museum admission price for all others.



They're official

Donley County's newly elected and re-elected officers were sworn-in during a ceremony Saturday morning, January 1, at the Courthouse. Shown here are Judge Jack Hall, County/District Clerk Fay Vargas, Treasurer Wanda Smith, Pct. 3&4 Justice of the Peace Denise Bertrand, Pct. 3&4 Constable Doug Wright, Pct. 4 Commissioner Dan Sawyer, Pct. 2 Commissioner Don Hall, and Pct. 1&2 Justice of the Peace Connie Havens.

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The Wilson that America never knew

By Dr. Paul Kengor

On the heels of a recent Sunday magazine profile of Glenn Beck, THE NEW YORK TIMES published a roundtable discussion among six scholars on the issue of President Woodrow Wilson. Wilson has become a popular Beck target, and has suddenly emerged as a hot topic in our current politics.

"I hate Woodrow Wilson!" shouted Beck at February's Conservative Political Action Conference in Washington.

For the record, I was at that gathering, and I'm a conservative, I like Beck, and I don't hate Wilson. My take on Wilson, however, is very different from what I'm hearing from Beck or from scholars on the left or right, whether pro-Wilson or anti-Wilson. It relates to a crucial aspect of Wilson that needs to be better known and which, dare I say, might even prompt Beck to amend his view — slightly perhaps.

First, let me say that I agree with several important criticisms of Wilson. His views on race and segregation were deeply offensive. His wielding of state power was often repressive, even abusive, particularly during wartime. And the long progression of a seemingly non-stop, ever-increasing centralization of policy and programs in Washington arguably began under Wilson.

Yet, one critical component of Wilson is missed by both sides, which conservatives should like and liberals might not: Wilson was stridently, vocally anti-communist. He staunchly opposed Bolshevism in particular.

My personal experience with this is instructive. I develop this point on Wilson in my latest book, where I throw conservatives a curveball with a kickoff chapter titled, "Woodrow Wilson: 'Utter Simpleton.'" Given that my book is about how communists deliberately and cynically duped liberals/progressives, conservatives initially expect Wilson will be my first dupe.

To the contrary, Wilson was called an "utter simpleton" by Vladimir Lenin, who, along with communists from Moscow to New York, demonized Wilson. They ridiculed his League of Nations, his ideas and his administration, openly calling for the "overthrow" of the U.S. government. It was for such reasons, not to mention an intense faith that saw communism as militantly atheistic, that Wilson vehemently opposed communism.

Wilson dubbed the Bolsheviks "barbarians," "terrorists," and "tyrants." He said they were engaged in a "brutal" campaign of "mass terrorism," of "blood and terror," of "indiscriminate slaughter" through "cunning" and "savage oppression." The "violent and tyrannical" Bolsheviks were "the most consummate sneaks in the world," and Bolshevism was an "ugly, poisonous thing." Wilson warned that the Bolsheviks were pushing an "expansionist" ideology that they wanted to export "throughout the world," including into the United States.

Most significant, Wilson and his State Department insisted that America should not have diplomatic relations or try to find common ground with the Bolsheviks. "In the view of this government," said Wilson's State Department in August 1920, "there cannot be any common ground upon which it can stand with a power whose conceptions of international relations are so entirely alien to its own, so utterly repugnant to its moral sense. ... We cannot recognize, hold official relations with, or give friendly reception to the agents of a government which is determined and bound to conspire against our institutions; whose diplomats will be the agitators of dangerous revolt; whose spokesmen say that they sign agreements with no intention of keeping them."

One of Wilson's more striking displays was a Sept. 6, 1919, speech in Kansas City, where the great liberal seemed to engage in what his liberal forebears would certainly consider Red-baiting.

Reiterating his "abhorrence" of Bolshevism, Wilson was stumping for the Versailles Treaty ending World War I, which was being opposed by isolationist Republicans. Here, Wilson compared that Republican opposition to the Bolshevik "spirit." He told his critics to "put up or shut up," and then asserted: "Opposition constructs nothing. Opposition is the specialty of those who are Bolshevistically inclined."

President Wilson was so concerned about international communism that he actually aided the forces fighting the Bolsheviks in the Russian Civil War. He supported a naval blockade of a Red-controlled area inside the USSR, and even joined a multinational Western coalition in sending troops — a huge contingent of over 10,000 American boys — to battle the Bolsheviks.

Wilson's characterization of Bolshevism and the communist threat was hardly ill-informed. Highly educated, Wilson suffered no delusions about Marxism-Leninism, and knew that the American Communist Party was not simply another political party. He was a man of the progressive left who understood the destructiveness of the communist left. He observed how communists lied to and sought to manipulate his fellow progressives.

That is why communists, from Moscow to New York to Chicago, despised Wilson. It's a side of the renowned progressive that few, on the left or right, seem to remember or acknowledge. It's also a key reason why conservatives who, if nothing else, are vociferously anti-communist, might reconsider Wilson, at least somewhat.

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What's new about Medicare in 2011

By Bob Moos/Southwest
Public Affairs Officer for the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

The New Year brings changes to Medicare, many of them a result of the new Affordable Care Act. Here's a brief rundown of what to expect in 2011:

1. Original Medicare will cover the full cost of an annual wellness visit with your doctor.

The yearly check-up will include routine measurements like your blood pressure, a review of your prescriptions and medical history, and a personal assessment of any risks to your physical and mental health.

Until now, you've been entitled to one "Welcome to Medicare" exam during the first year you sign up for Medicare's Part B, which covers outpatient services.

If you're enrolled in a private Medicare Advantage health plan, check with your insurer about whether it, too, will cover the wellness visit at no cost in 2011.

2. If you have a drug plan and reach the coverage gap, or "donut hole," you'll receive a discount on your prescriptions.

You'll get 50 percent off the price of brand-name drugs and seven percent off generics. And even though you'll pay less for a brand-name drug, you can count the prescription's full price toward the amount you're required to spend on drugs to qualify for catastrophic coverage. That way, you'll enjoy lower out-of-pocket costs while in the "donut hole," but you'll still become eligible for Medicare's catastrophic coverage as quickly as you would without the discount.

3. If you have Original Medicare, you'll pay nothing out of pocket for most preventive services.

Until this year, you've usually paid 20 percent of the Medicare-approved amount for lab tests and screenings after you met your annual deductible.

But starting in 2011, you won't have to worry about a deductible, co-payment or coinsurance for a broad range of preventive services. Those include colonoscopies, mammograms, Pap tests and prostate cancer screenings. If you're in a private Medicare Advantage plan, contact your insurer to find out whether it has also eliminated out-of-pocket costs for tests and screenings.

4. Medicare Advantage health plans are now required to have annual out-of-pocket maximums and other consumer protections.

In the event you need an expensive treatment, you'll be protected from exorbitant out-of-pocket costs.

For many Advantage plans, out-of-pocket expenses (excluding premiums and prescription costs) will be capped by law at \$6,700 in 2011. Some plans have voluntarily set lower maximums. In addition, if you're in a private health plan, you can no longer be charged more for some services (like chemotherapy) than if you were in Original Medicare.

5. Your Medicare premiums may change.

Most people on Medicare will pay the same Part B premiums this year as they did in 2010 — either \$96.40 or \$110.50 per month. But there are several exceptions.

If you enroll in Part B for the first time in 2011, or if your premiums aren't deducted from your Social Security check, you'll pay \$115.40 a month.

For higher-income beneficiaries (single people with annual taxable

incomes over \$85,000 or married couples with incomes above \$170,000), Part B premiums will range from \$161.50 to \$369.10.

Plus, starting this year, beneficiaries in those income brackets will pay a monthly surcharge of \$12 to \$69.10 for their prescription drug coverage.

6. There are new times to switch your coverage.

Dissatisfied with your private Medicare Advantage health plan? A new annual "disenrollment" period allows you to switch to Original Medicare and a drug plan between Jan. 1 and Feb. 14.

That replaces a January-to-March enrollment period when you could switch between Original Medicare and the Medicare Advantage program or move from one private plan to another.

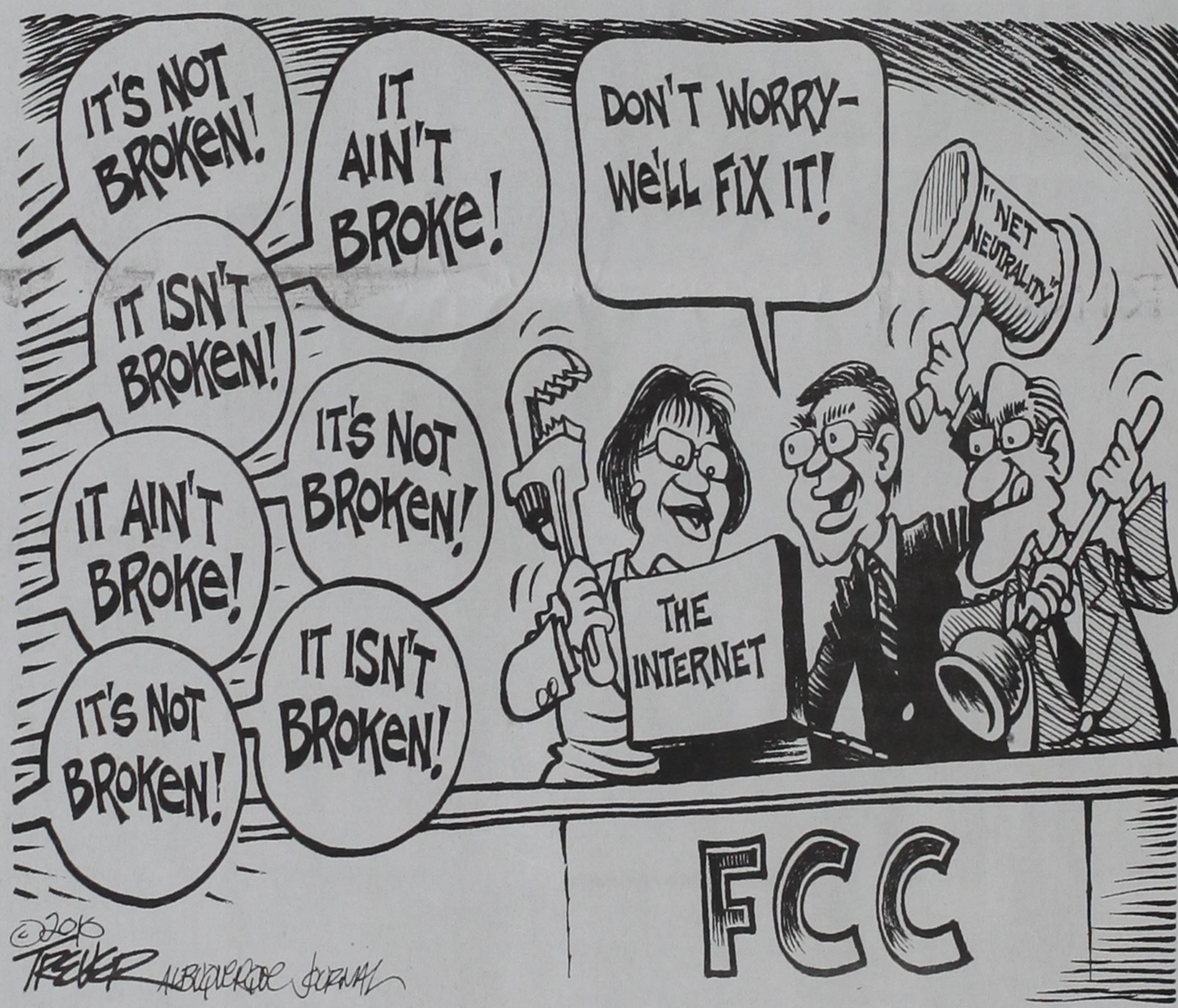
In 2011, you'll have more time to choose and join a private health or drug plan when the annual open enrollment period gets an earlier start than usual in the fall.

In past years, it's run from November 15 until December 31. This year, it will kick off on October 15 and wrap up on December 7. As always, your new coverage will take effect on January 1.

As I said, this is only a quick look at Medicare's more noteworthy changes. The best way to understand what's new is to refer to your "Medicare and You 2011" handbook, which you should have received by mail this fall.

If you still need one, call 1-800-MEDICARE and request a free copy, or visit www.medicare.gov and download it.

With the book in hand, you'll be able to make better informed decisions about your health in the New Year.



Goals for Congress: Cut, cut, cut

It is often said that: "Those who cannot remember the past are condemned to repeat it." Congress would be mindful to remember these wise words as we move forward to address the country's most critical problems in the new session of Congress.

The last Congress, led by an overwhelming Democratic majority in both the House and Senate, pursued a legislative agenda that moved against the tide of public opinion, economic realities, and budget constraints. They forced through a government takeover of our health care system, a failed economic stimulus bill, and tripled the federal deficit. Not surprisingly, unemployment continues to hover near 10 percent.

After nearly two years of rising jobless rates and record deficits, on November 2, 2010, voters said, "enough." The Democrat leaders in Congress did not prioritize the country's greatest concerns: job creation and the soaring federal deficit, and many paid the price at the ballot box for out-of-control spending and their role in growing the size of the federal government.

In the final weeks of the 111th Congress, key votes on taxes and spending give us some reason to hope that policy-making and fiscal restraint will be priorities moving forward.

During a lame duck session in December, Congress passed a compromise two-year tax agreement which prevented a massive, job-killing tax

increase on New Year's Day. Raising taxes during an economic recession is unthinkable. Although the agreement was not perfect, I believe it was necessary and ultimately a victory for all Americans.

The tax agreement maintains the current tax policy. It blocks higher taxes on capital gains and dividends, extends relief from the marriage penalty, preserves the \$1000 per child tax credit, and protects at least 21 million additional families from the Alternative Minimum Tax. And it also alleviates the burden of the death tax, an egregious policy that punishes families and small businesses for success and ultimately discourages the American dream.

After holding the line on tax increases, Senate Republicans stood united in opposition to the 2,000 page, \$1.3 trillion dollar omnibus spending bill. Passage of the omnibus would have cemented spending increases for the next year and tied Republican hands in the next Congress by making fiscal reforms and budget cuts more difficult.

Later this month, the newly elected Republican majority in the House and the strengthened Republican ranks in the

Senate will now have greater influence in future spending decisions. With the start of the new Congress, Republicans have the opportunity to take the lead on budget issues and make the tough yet necessary decisions to cut federal spending and put our country back on a sustainable and responsible fiscal track.

There is much the United States can and should learn from history regarding deficit reduction. In a research study by the American Enterprise Institute, building off the earlier work of two Harvard economists, analyzed the policies employed to fix unsustainable government spending by 21 countries. Their findings clearly show that successful reform efforts to balance budgets were almost entirely done by cutting government spending, while failed attempts predominantly focused on tax increases.

The federal government has been spending at the expense of economic growth and job creation, as well as stability and credibility in global financial markets. Ultimately future generations of Americans will bear the greatest cost. We have an opportunity to restore fiscal sanity to the federal budget and make the tax cuts permanent. This will allow businesses to have certainty for their future planning which will spur hiring and job creation. The American people expect Congress to have learned from the mistakes of the recent past—and not repeat them.



capitol comment
by sen. kay bailey hutchison

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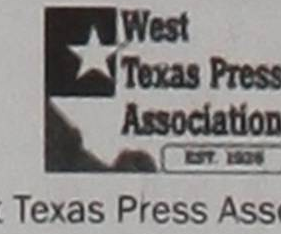
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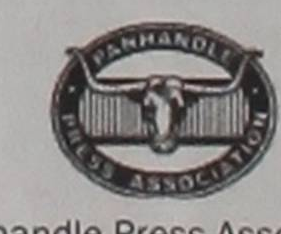
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individuals that include childcare, health and educational services, housing, transportation, job training, drug and alcohol dependency classes, and a host of other programs designed to eliminate poverty and foster self-sufficiency.

All services were to be provided on or before September 30, 2010, under ARRA guidelines. In total, over 98,000 Texans across the state were assisted through ARRA CSBG funds.

"Eighteen months ago, TDHCA was given an extraordinary one-time opportunity to make a difference in the lives of thousands of low income Texans we otherwise may not have been able to reach," said TDHCA Executive Director Michael Gerber.

"With the help of our partners at Panhandle Community Services, I am extremely pleased to report

that we expended all funds within the allotted timeframe and fulfilled our commitment to the nation's taxpayers," he continued. "Far more important, however, are the individuals and families who are better off because of the helping hand they received from their local community action agency. They will be the lasting testament to the stimulus package."

TDHCA last year awarded a total of \$47.6 million in ARRA CSBG funds to its network of 48 local and regional nonprofit organizations to assist low income Texans earning no more than 200 percent of the federal poverty guidelines in their efforts to achieve financial and personal independence. Texas leads the five most populous states in expenditure rate of ARRA CSBG funds.

Area writers will meet in Amarillo Jan. 15

Panhandle Professional Writers bi-monthly meeting will be held on Saturday, January 15, 2011 at St. Stephen United Methodist Church on the West Campus located at 4415 Wesley Drive (off 45th between Coulter and Soney in Amarillo).

The meeting will run from 9:30 a.m. (registration and greeting time) to 3:30 p.m.

There is a \$5.00 program guest fee which will be deferred if the guest joins PPW on that day. PPW dues are \$30 annually, beginning in January.

Student guests with school ID will be charged a \$1.00 fee.

Lunch is \$10.00 and requires an RSVP. To facilitate the caterer,

please phone or email Kenja Purkey, Hospitality Chair at 570-1468 or ppwlunch@gmail.com.

Morning Session: Psychologist, Dr. Alan Kee will present some psychological insights on personality traits to use for plot twists and dynamic interactions between your characters.

Afternoon Session: Bobette and Jerome Doerrie will discuss the creation of concrete, believable characters for through the use of personality types as discussed in the book, Please Understand Me II by David Kiersey.

Lunch will be from 12:00 to 1:00. Networking with fellow writers is from 3:00 to 3:30.

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!

This time of year always makes us reflect and wonder, "Where has the time gone?" Our lives are so busy that it seems the days are flying by. I remember as a child thinking how long it would be until the year 2000. I thought about that year a lot and that I would be 35 years old. Now it is 2011 and my children are nearly grown. I reflect on the decisions I've made in my life and vow to do better where I can.

Its at this time of the year that many of us make resolutions. We resolve to: Lose weight, renew friendships, work harder, etc. Some actually keep these resolutions! Then there are some who resolve to attain a spiritual life. They look to develop a relationship with God and involve their family. Sadly, like other resolutions, this one is quickly forgotten. They procrastinate and say to themselves: "When I retire or slow down, I'll have time for that sort of thing." Folks, this is one resolution that we can't forget. We must be resolved to seek God and and a relationship with His Son. We can't go to heaven without it!

We hear and read that to lose weight, diets don't work. There must be a change in lifestyle. To those who seek a relationship with God, you must understand it is the same. There must be change in our lives. Luke 9:23-25: "If anyone wishes to come after Me, he must deny himself, and take up his cross daily and follow Me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake, he is the one who will save it. For what is a man profited if he gains the whole world, and loses or forfeits himself?" The Lord is saying that there must be a total life makeover if we want Him to be part of our lives. God doesn't do part-time! Part time diets won't work and neither will half commitments to God.

For those who have a relationship with God, my prayer is that it will be strengthened. For those who want a relationship with God, I pray you will have the courage and commitment for this road. If you are willing to commit, God promises a better life for you here on earth and certainly in the hereafter.

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Community Calendar

January 7

Clarendon v. Memphis • in Clarendon
• JVG at 6 p.m. • VG at 7:30 p.m.

Clarendon v. Groom • in Groom • JVB
at 6 p.m. • VB at 7:30 p.m.

Hedley Lady Owls v. Samnorood • n
Hedley • 6 p.m.

Hedley Owls v. Happy • in Hedley •
7:30 p.m.

January 8

Donley County Junior Livestock Show
• at the Donley County Activity Center

January 10

Hedley Junior High v. Shamrock • at
Shamrock

Clarendon Junior High v. Quanah •
boys at Quanah • girls at Clarendon
• 5 p.m.

January 11

Lady Broncos v. Quanah • in Quanah
• JVG at 5 p.m. • VG at 6:30 p.m.

Broncos v. Arbor Academy • at Arbor
Academy • JVB at 6 p.m. • VB at
7:30 p.m.

Lady Owls v. Shamrock • in Hedley
& 6:00 p.m.

January 17

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Menus

January 3 - 7

Donley County Senior Citizens

Mon: Steak fingers & gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, butterscotch pudding, wheat rolls.
Tue: Beef stew & veggies, pears & cottage cheese, pecan bars, cornbread, crackers.
Wed: Red beans & ham, Cole slaw, sliced apricots, brownies, cornbread.
Thu: Beef fajitas, pinto beans, Spanish rice, tossed salad, fruit salad, Mexican wedding cake.
Fri: Roast & brown gravy, sweet potatoes, mixed vegetables, sliced peaches, hot rolls.

Hedley Senior Citizens

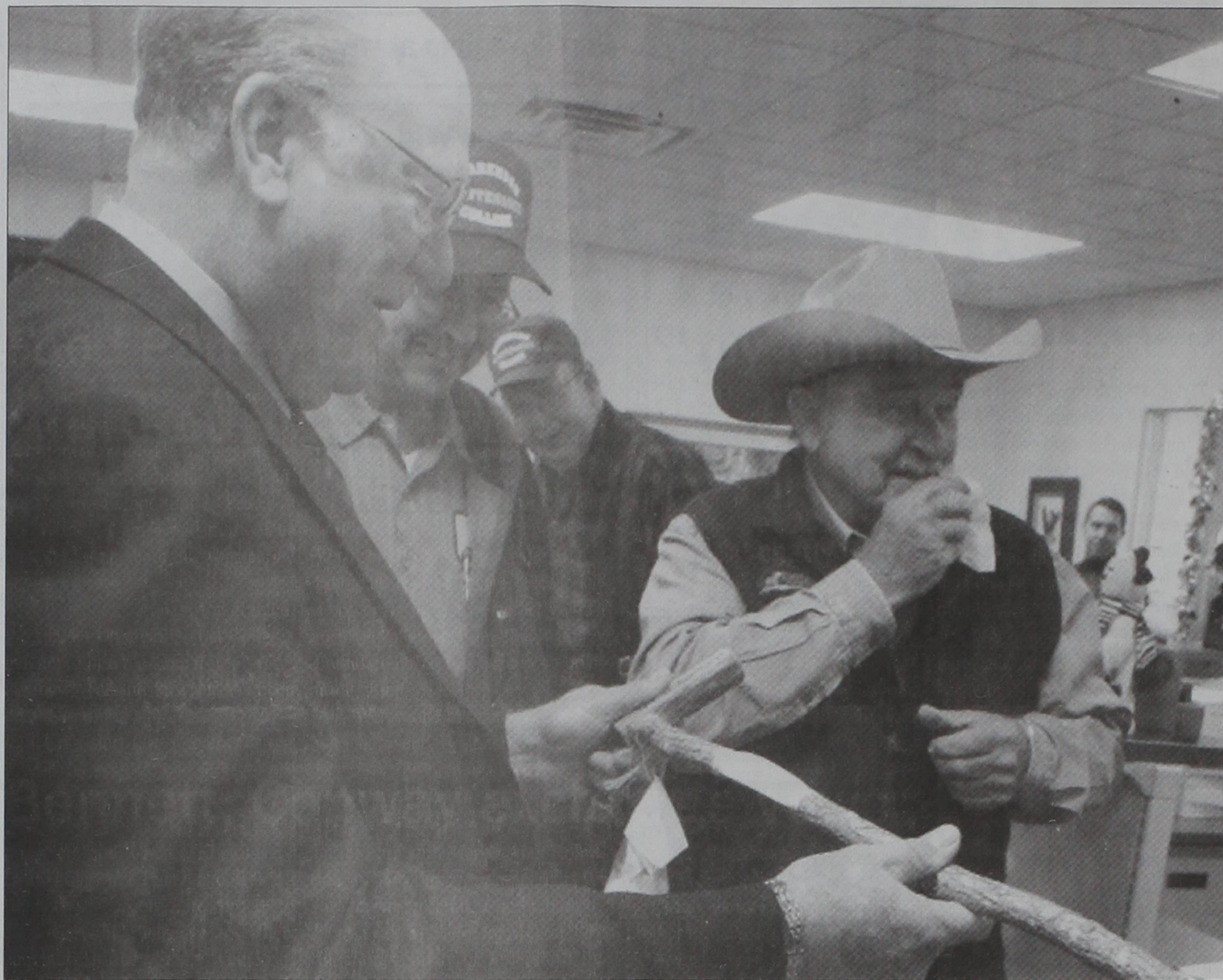
Mon: Spaghetti & meat sauce, fried squash, California blend vegetables, green salad, butterscotch pudding, garlic toast.
Tue: Pork roast & gravy, Mashed potatoes, Harvard beets, apple-sauce, bread pudding, roll.
Wed: Butter beans & ham, potato wedges, buttered carrots, beat-onion salad, sliced peaches, corn bread.
Thu: Steak & gravy, baked potato, peas & carrots, Waldorf salad, chocolate pudding, roll.
Fri: Cheeseburger, tater tots, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, apple pie, bun.

Clarendon ISD

Breakfast
Mon: No school.
Tue: No school.
Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk.
Thu: Egg, toast, fruit, milk.
Fri: Cinnamon roll, juice, milk.
Lunch
Mon: No school.
Tue: No school.
Wed: Salisbury steak & gravy, potatoes, green beans, fruit, roll, milk.
Thu: Chicken pot pie, carrot sticks & ranch, fruit, milk.
Fri: Philly beef steak sandwich, chips, pickle, fruit, milk.

Hedley ISD

Mon: Chicken fajitas, beef taco, refried beans, rice, orange halves, milk.
Tue: Hot dogs, chili & cheese, corn, salad, & dressing, pineapple chunks, milk.
Wed: Chicken fried steak, chicken fried chicken, mashed potatoes & gravy, green beans, wheat rolls, milk.
Thu: Pizza, Salisbury steak, potato & brown gravy, broccoli & cheese, hot rolls, milk.
Fri: Submarine sandwiches (BBQ rib, turkey, ham), oven fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, milk.



Happy putting

Retiring Clarendon College President Bill Auvenshine studies his new "hillbilly putter" – basically a wooden club that was given to him by Tom Stauder (not pictured) – during a farewell reception last month. Auvenshine stepped down from his position after three years at CC. Also shown here are Doug Kidd, Terry Ashcraft, and Clovis McCary.

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'Auld Lang Syne' sang to ring in New Year

Another year, how do you pronounce it? Some people are saying "twenty-eleven," but I say "two thousand-eleven." It seems to have a better flow than the other. Whatever we say, the year is here.

If you stayed up to see the New Year in, it is likely you drank a toast, maybe kissed someone and sang "Auld Lang Syne." When did that tradition begin and why do we sing a song we don't understand? If you know any history of the song you know it is attributed to famed Scottish poet, Robert Burns in 1788. New research has shown this is untrue, he had added verses to an already extant song which was set to the tune of a traditional folk song.

When Burns sent the song to

the Scots Musical Museum it seems he restored the song from fragments of an old ballad.

Most people know the first verse, and it means: "Should old acquaintance be forgotten and never brought to mind, should old acquaintance be forgotten, and old times gone." The chorus becomes: "For old times gone, my dear, for old times gone, we'll take a cup of kindness yet, for old days gone."

Well, I have to say the Scottish version is better than English.

Ok, Robert Burns printed this song over 230 years ago, but why was it played and sang all over the world at the stroke of midnight in 2010? Guy Lombardo was raised in a Scots-settled area of London, Ontario, and

knew the song well. Playing at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel on New Year's Eve 1929 he led his band, The Royal Canadians, in a rendition of Auld Lang Syne at the stroke of midnight that included a large radio audience. The old Scottish ballad became wildly popular; and like the tune to "Happy Birthday," Auld Lang Syne is instantly recognized and played the world over.

Did I say it has been cold? It was 6° New Year's morning, bright

and clear. I always heard you could predict the weather for the year by watching the first 12 days of the New Year and what it does that day will dictate the weather for the corresponding month.

So far that means, January will be very cold with no moisture, February will be cold with no moisture, and March will be warmer but still with no moisture. Oh no, I think we may be in trouble again. Do you have an old wives tale about predicting the weather? I hope my forecast is wrong.

Some information from a reader in Houston, a group of turkeys is known as a "rafter of turkeys" and the babes are known as "a poult". Thanks, Gary.



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Food Pantry to help feed needy families in Hedley

Happy New Year, Everyone! This is wishing you all have a wonderful new year. There are lots of things I wish for in the New Year, but the most important is Peace in our World. I am afraid most of us have forgotten about the war that we are in.

It gets to be taken for granted. We need to remember our soldiers that are fighting to keep us free. 2011 is a new year and this war has been on a long time.

Let's start new prayers for our

country, our leaders, our military and their families, and especially our God. Make a new year's resolution to pray more.

Plans for a new Senior Citizens building in Hedley are still going on. We turn the grant in to the Bivins Foundation in February. Please say a prayer for us that we get it. We just received a grant from the Brumley Foundation, but it is strictly an operating grant.

We want to thank everyone who has sent us donations for the

new building and just for operating funds. We can't do what we do for the elderly and everyone else without your wonderful help. We are trying to start a Food Pantry as soon as we can for Hedley to help with food for needy families. It probably

will be once a month until we get really started. If anyone in Hedley wants on the list, please call Patsy Spier at 856-0143. We will need to get everyone qualified and get legal stuff started, but at least we will have some names and by the time it happens (if it does) we will get you qualified.

We hope everyone has a happy new year, and we invite you to come eat with us. You don't have to be a Senior Citizen to eat with us, and we serve a wonderful meal every day.

Bennett, Conway exchange vows

Neil and Cheryl Koetting of Lelia Lake and Larry and Carissa Bennett of Groom, are proud to announce the marriage of their daughter, Brittney Senae Bennett to Justin Edward Conway, son of Rick and Beth Conway of Mt. Vernon, MO.

Brittney and Justin were married in a double ring ceremony June 26, 2010, at the Spring at Baptist Hill in Mt. Vernon, MO., with the groom's father, Pastor Rick Conway and grandfather Hubert Conway, officiating. Flower girls were Lacy Stokes and Makenzie Conway, nieces of the groom. Ring Bearer was Hunter Conway, nephew of the groom. Ushers were Brayden Bennett, Seth Koetting, Clay Koetting, and Kaden Bennett, brothers of the bride.

Grandparents of the bride are Richard and Pat Burch of Amarillo

and Keith and Marry Ann Robinson of Groom. Grandparents of the groom are Hubert and Charlotte Conway of Mt. Vernon, MO, and Ed and Louis Silvey of Jefferson City, MO.

Bridal attendants were Shandy Koetting – Maid of Honor, sister of the bride, Lelia Lake; Kayla Kretz Love, friend of the bride, Fayetteville, AR; Jessica Stokes, sister of the groom, Mt. Vernon, MO; Crystal Conway, sister-in-law of the groom, Mt. Vernon, MO; Dena Krautlarger, friend of the bride, Weatherford, OK; and Jaci Copelin, friend of the bride, Hedley, TX.

Groom attendants were Shiloh Love, Best Man, friend of the groom, Fayetteville, AR; Jared Conway, brother of the groom, Mt. Vernon, MO; Caleb Stokes, brother-in-law of the groom, Mt. Vernon, MO; Joe Shearer, friend of the groom, Mt.

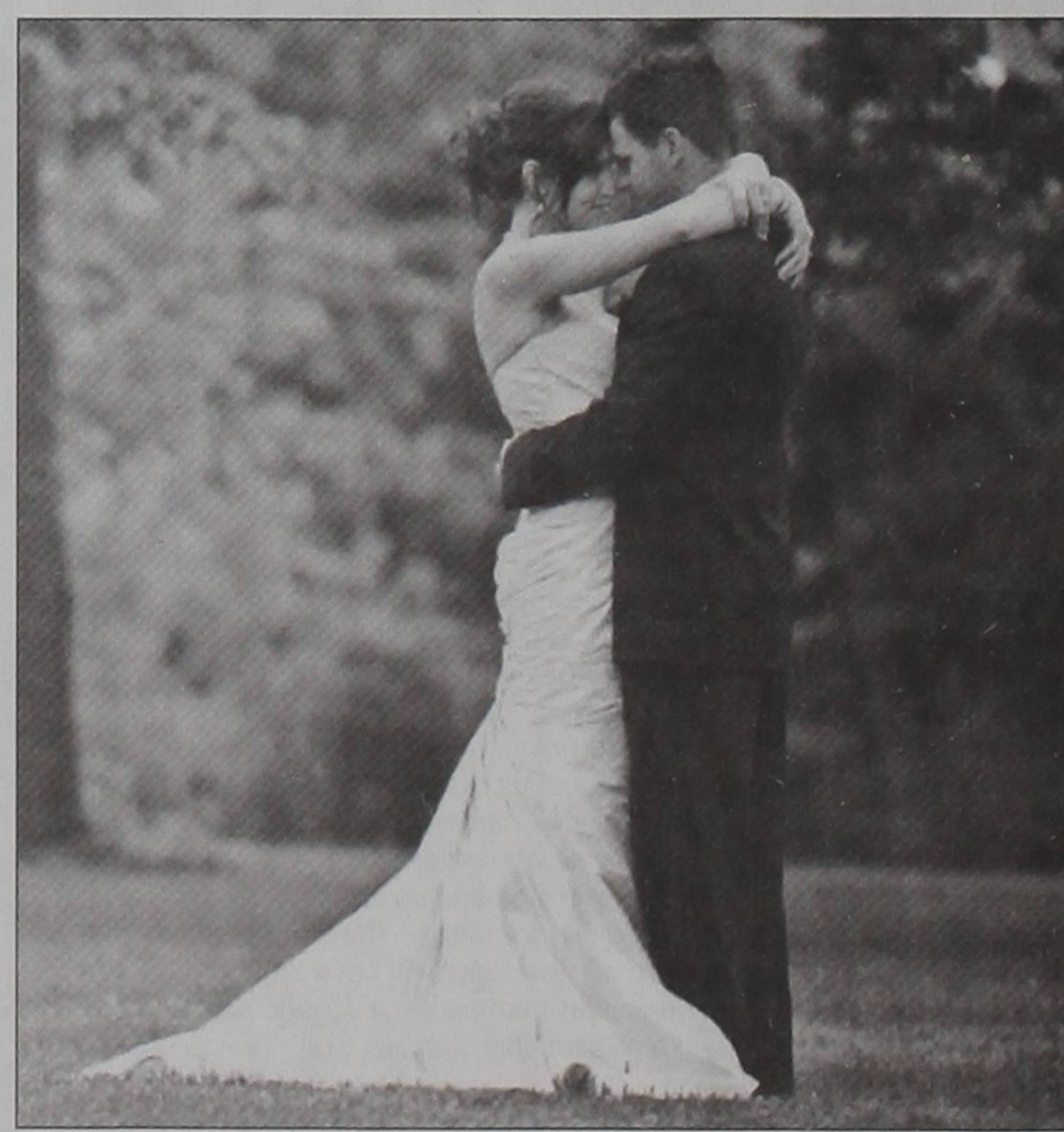
Vernon, MO; Matt Shevchuk, friend of the groom, Mt. Vernon, MO; and in loving memory Jamen Conway, brother of the groom.

Music was provided by The Stanton Strings, with special vocal solo by Charles Graham.

The reception was held at the Grande Ballroom located in the Vandivort Center in Springfield, MO. The wedding trip was to Costa Rica.

Brittney graduated from Southwestern Oklahoma State University with a Doctorate of Pharmacy. She is employed by Hometown Pharmacy in Mt. Vernon, MO.

Justin graduated from Missouri State University with a Bachelor Degree in Finance. He is employed by American Family Insurance in Mt. Vernon, MO, where the couple resides.



Mr. and Mrs. Justin Conway

the lion's tale

by roger estlack

The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting January 4 with Boss Lion Roger Estlack in charge.

We had 16 members, two Sweethearts, and six guests this week, including Nate and Dan Estlack and Dixi Jones, guests of Lion Russell Estlack; Scarlet Estlack, guest of Lion Richard Shepard; Phil Shirley, guest of the club; and Tracy Tellman of TxDOT, who presented our program.

Ms. Tellman discussed the dangers of distracted driving and texting while driving in particular, which is as dangerous and driving while intoxicated. She encouraged families to sign pledges not to text and drive and said it is better not to use a cell phone at all while driving because it takes your focus off the road.

The club voted to support the junior livestock show with a donation again this year.

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

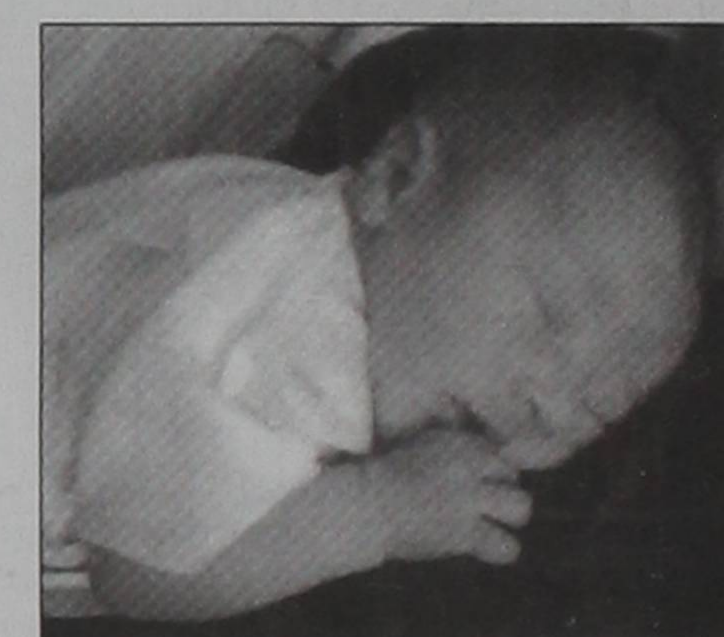
"Live at the Ritz" to be January 9

The Chamber Music Amarillo concert at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 9, will be a highlight of the Sunday afternoon "Live at the Ritz" season.

Conducted by Michael Palmer, 15 musicians will perform Antonio Vivaldi's famous composition "The Four Seasons." Each concerto features a different violin soloist: Kirsten Yon, spring; Keith Redpath, summer; Annie Chalex Boyle, autumn; and Rositza Jekova-Gova, winter.

While the musicians play on the Ritz stage, this concert will also feature a multi-media presentation prepared by West Texas A&M University's multimedia department.

Tickets for the concert are priced at \$10 per seat. Tickets may be purchased at the Wellington Ritz Theatre the day of the performance.



New arrival

Teresa and Shaun Kilpatrick of Graham announce the birth of their son, Austin Riley Kilpatrick, born December 26, 2010. He weighed 5 pounds, 1 ounce and was 18.5 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Johnny and Tomasa Nino of Clarendon. Paternal grandparents are Robert and Georgia Kilpatrick of Graham.



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Broncos, Lady Broncos participate in tourneys

By Sandy Anderberg

The Clarendon Broncos made a good showing at the Caprock Fibermax Tournament in Lubbock with two wins and two losses. Both losses, one to Idalou and one to Bronte, were against state-ranked teams.

The Broncos opened the tournament with a big win against Presido at 65-38. It was never really a contest as the Broncos held their opponent to single digits in the first half of play. All-around player Johnny Gaines led the Bronco scorers with 29.

Also scoring: Justin Shillings 9, Brayden Phillips 7, Cole Ward 6, Adam Topper 6, Mike Crump 4, Chris Crump 2, and Wes Williams 2.

The next game put the Broncos up against Idalou and they were defeated, 33-60. The Broncos could never find a rhythm in the game and trailed throughout.

Scoring: Gaines 8, Phillips 6, M. Crump 6, Shillings 4, Topper 4, C. Crump 3, and Williams 2.

The Broncos went out strong in the third game of the contest and easily defeated New Deal, 46-65. Clarendon totally dominated their opponent as they executed on both

ends of the court. Three Broncos finished in double figures with Gaines leading the way with 19 and Phillips and M. Crump added 11 each of their own. As a team, the Broncos shot an impressive 82 percent from the free throw line.

Also scoring: Ward 8, Shillings 6, C. Crump 4, Topper 4, and Williams 2.

The Broncos then went to the Consolation round and faced Bronte. They were narrowly defeated at 44-47. The Broncos led at the end of the first half, but the inside play of Bronte helped with their win. Foul trouble plagued the Broncos, and they could never get into their game. Despite the outcome, coach Brandt Lockhart was pleased with the Broncos' play.

"Overall, we played well," Lockhart said. "We had two off games against Idalou and Bronte, but they are state-ranked teams."

The Broncos will continue to work hard and prepare for their District opener January 14 against Wheeler.

Scoring: Gaines 17, Phillips 14, Shillings 4, Ward 4, C. Crump 3, and Williams 2.

The Broncos will take on

Groom on the road January 7 at 7:30 p.m. and play Arbor Academy at home January 11 also at 7:30 p.m. The Bronco JV will play those dates as well beginning at 6:00 p.m.

The Lady Broncos participated in the Canadian Holiday Tournament last week and faced several tough teams. They drew Beaver, Oklahoma in the first round and were defeated, 68-39.

Beaver is a top-rated team in Oklahoma and was the eventual second place finisher in the contest. Canadian was named champions of their own tournament.

The Lady Broncos trailed Beaver throughout but played hard despite the loss. McKayla Cartwright put in 15 from her inside position to lead the Lady Broncos.

Also scoring: Trevela Dronzek 5, Lydia Howard 5, Jentry Shadle 4, Jency Burton 2, Emily Clark 2, Amber Keelin 2, and Anna Cenicerros 1.

The ladies took on Wellington in the second round and lost, 22-45. A slow start offensively plagued the Lady Broncos, and they could never catch up.

Scoring: Cartwright 12, Cenicerros 4, Burton 2, L. Howard 2,

and Danielle Ford 2

In the third game of the tournament, the Lady Broncos took Wheeler to an overtime finish. The ladies played aggressively, but they fell short by three with a 38-41 finish. Clarendon held the early advantage in the game and led after one. But the Lady Mustangs came back to grab the lead at the break. The Lady Broncos hustled back in the final half of the game to tie at the end of regulation but could not convert in the overtime period.

Jentry Shadle pumped in 14 points from the outside, and McKayla Cartwright helped with nine from the inside. Although disappointed with the losses, head coach Molly Weatherred says the competition was high at the tournament.

"Canadian always has tough teams in their tournament. But it is good to see such tough competition right before our district starts," Weatherred said.

Also scoring: Marqueda Gaines 5, Cenicerros 4, Burton 2, Ford 2, and Dronzek 2.

The Lady Broncos will play Memphis at home January 7 at 6:00 p.m. to open District play and travel to Quanah January 11.

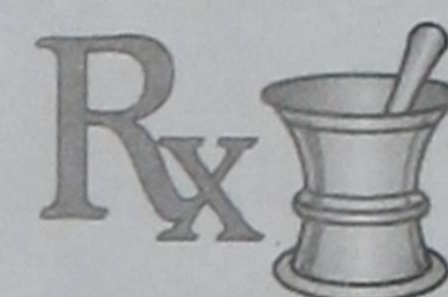
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Experimental Drug Evaluated for Cystic Fibrosis

According to recent study findings in the American Journal of Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine, an experimental drug called denufosal may be helpful to persons diagnosed with mild cystic fibrosis (CF). The study indicates that, when given early in this condition, the drug may help prevent the formation of the sticky mucus that occurs with CF. Researchers connected with the study indicate that denufosal is classified as an ion channel regulator, which means that it helps balance the flow of ions through body cell membranes, helping to normalize a person's airways so that mucus clearance is not impaired. This action is different than that provided by the other drugs given to persons with CF.

CF is an inherited condition in which a person's airway secretions are typically drier, stickier, and hard to remove. The thick mucus may obstruct the small airways. A complicating factor is that the thick mucus causes infections to occur in the lungs. Pseudomonas aeruginosa is the bacteria most often responsible for these infections.



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Owls defeated by Wellington

By Tangelia Copelin

The Hedley Lady Owls played the Wellington Lady Skyrockets on New Year's Day.

The Lady Owls began the game with lots of momentum, but they struggled to execute their offense and lost the game 36 to 58.

Scoring for Hedley were: Kaylee Shields 16, Haley Chambless 9, Bailey Wood 6, Sierra Shelp 3, and Cassidy Burton 2.

The Hedley Owls also played Wellington on New Year's Day.

The Owls and Skyrockets seemed to be evenly matched with both teams struggling to shut the other's offense down. The two teams stayed within three points of each other for most of the game with neither team giving up. Unfortunately, the Wellington Skyrockets were able to hit a three-point shot at the very end to beat the Owls, 65 to 68.

Owls scoring were: Reid Copelin 21, Nicco Bennett 18, Brandon Benton 11, Jacob Widener 8, and Coltin Kingston 7.

The Lady Owls will not have a game on Friday, January 7, but the Owls will play Happy at 7:30. The Lady Owls will resume play on Tuesday, January 11, against Shamrock at 6:00 p.m., but the Owls will not have a game on the 11th.

Walker shoots age

By Sandy Anderberg

Golfer Jeff Walker, along with several other golfers, is still on the course despite the winter weather. And while doing so, Walker turned in a great round of 72 last week, which happens to be his age. Sherol Johnston witnessed the feat by Walker.

Todd Curry won the weekly men's game with a net 68, and Wendel Miller was second with a net 69. Sandy Anderberg was the low gross winner in the Thursday ladies day with a gross 85, and Gayle Rogers won low net with a 63.

The dining room is serving meals at the Clarendon Country Club and the golf course is open to all those interested. You may call the Pro Shop for more information.

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Bronco & Lady Bronco Basketball

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Lady Broncos

3	Jentry Shadle	Soph.
10	Jency Burton	Soph.
11	Danielle Ford	Sr.
12	Trevela Dronzek	Jr.
15	Deborah Howard	Fr.
20	Marqueda Gaines	Sr.
21	Cheyenne Kosechat	Jr.
22	Anna Cenicerros	Soph.
23	Emily Clark	Sr.
24	McKayla Cartwright	Soph.
25	Lydia Howard	Soph.
44	Amber Keelin	Jr.

Head Coach: Molly Weatherred

Broncos

2	Bradley Watson	Sr.
3	Clayton Shields	Sr.
10	Justin Shillings	Sr.
12	Johnny Gaines	Sr.
15	Brayden Phillips	Sr.
24	Daniel West	Sr.
25	Chris Crump	Sr.
32	Mike Crump	Sr.
33	Cole Ward	Soph.
41	Wes Williams	Jr.
50	Adam Topper	Soph.

Head Coach: Brandt Lockhart
Asst. Coaches: Alton Gaines & Brad Elam

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Sheriff's Report

December 20, 2010
 1:03 a.m. — On scene of dispute, 100 blk S. Jefferson St.
 1:15 a.m. — Courtesy transport, S. Col-linson St.
 7:11 a.m. — See caller reporting break-in, Clarendon Elementary.
 9:22 a.m. — Welfare check, vehicle 1-40 & W. Hwy 70 exit.
 12:57 p.m. — See caller, 800 blk W. 3rd St.
 1:45 p.m. — At location, reported beak-in in progress; 200 blk Reeves St. Hedley.
 5:30 p.m. — 200 blk Charles Dr., Howard-wick; paper service.
 9:35 p.m. — To jail, one in custody.

December 21, 2010
 4:07 a.m. — Unable to locate loose live-stock, Hwy 70 N.
 7:19 a.m. — EMS assist, 200 blk E. Mont-gomery St.
 10:28 p.m. — EMS assist, 300 blk E. 6th St.

December 22, 2010
 11:38 a.m. — At Annex.
 3:18 p.m. — EMS assist, 600 blk W. 2nd St; customer left handbag behind.
 6:41 p.m. — See complaint in lobby.

December 23, 2010
 9:21 a.m. — See caller, possible counter-feit money.
 9:59 a.m. — At Annex.
 10:10 p.m. — Loose livestock, Co. Rd. 17 N. of Hwy 287.
 11:18 p.m. — EMS assist; 400 blk Reeves St., Hedley.

December 24, 2010
 2:32 p.m. — EMS requesting assistance,

3700 blk Co. Rd. 25.
 7:29 p.m. — EMS assist, 300 blk E. 6th St.
 10:30 p.m. — Assisting in pursuit of vehi-cle, Collingsworth Co.

December 25, 2010
 10:25 a.m. — Unable to locate loose live-stock, Co. Rd. 17 N. of Hwy 287.

December 26, 2010
 12:42 a.m. — Caller reports shots fired from vehicle, Co. Rd. 6 A, W. bound at Ashtola.
 1:33 a.m. — To jail, one male in custody.
 12:54 p.m. — Couple call about vehicles being egged.
 2:22 p.m. — Minor accident, location not logged.
 5:14 p.m. — Out at residence, Parks & 5th Sts.
 7:00 p.m. — 200 blk N. Bailey St., Hedley; unattended death. JP also dis-patched.
 10:41 p.m. — Responding to "Lifeline" dis-patch, 300 blk E. 6th St.
 11:30 p.m. — Welfare check, 5th & Eller-bee Sts.
 11:49 p.m. — Loose livestock at tennis courts, Hedley. Owner notified.

December 27, 2010
 1:26 a.m. — Business alarm, 900 blk E. 2nd. Owner notified and on scene.
 10:58 a.m. — On scene of single vehicle rollover, Hwy 287 near Giles.
 12:24 p.m. — See complainant, 600 blk W. 4th St.
 1:36 p.m. — 4300 blk Co. Rd. 13. Open combination lock for EMS.
 5:17 p.m. — See caller, 100 blk N. Carhart St.
 11:01 p.m. — Checking abandoned vehi-cle, Hedley.

December 28, 2010
 12:55 a.m. — Unable to locate male pedestrian, Hwy 287 at Ashtola. Have located abandoned vehicle.
 6:02 a.m. — Hwy 70 N. Vehicle hit deer. No injuries.
 8:45 a.m. — At Annex.
 4:58 p.m. — To jail, one in custody.
 8:13 p.m. — Disturbance reported, W. 6th St. Deputy en route.

December 29, 2010
 5:24 p.m. — EMS assist, location not logged.
 11:20 p.m. — EMS assist, 500 blk W. 4th St.

December 30, 2010
 11:55 a.m. — At Annex.
 2:14 p.m. — Reported fight in progress, W. 4th & S. Koogle Sts.
 2:45 p.m. — At Annex.
 3:27 p.m. — See caller, 400 blk W. 2nd St; theft of fuel.

December 31, 2010
 4:18 p.m. — Loose livestock, Co. Rd. 16.
 11:41 p.m. — EMS assist, 600 blk W. 8th St.

January 1, 2011
 5:02 a.m. — See complaint, 900 blk W. Montgomery; vandalism.
 11:48 a.m. — EMS assist, 500 blk S. Orpe.

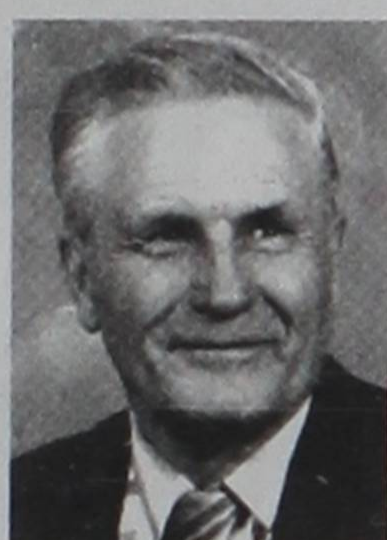
January 2, 2011
 3:44 p.m. — Report of suspicious person, S. side rest area on I-40.
 5:35 p.m. — To jail, one in custody.
 10:39 p.m. — EMS assist, FM 1754.

**Arrests 4
 EMS 14**

Obituaries

Robertson

Glenn Harry Robertson, 88, died Monday, December 27, 2010, in Amarillo.



Services were held Wednesday, December 29, in Robert-son Funeral Directors Saints' Roost Chapel in Clarendon, with Rev. Dave Stout, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Howardwick, officiating. Interment was held at Citizens Cem-eterly in Clarendon. Services were under the arrangement of Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Glenn was born on June 5, 1925 in Clarendon to George Andrew "Andy" and Sallie Elizabeth Rattan Robertson. He was a US Navy veter-an and proudly served our country during World War II. He married Velma Geraldine Hommel on Octo-ber 12, 1962 in Clarendon. He had been a resident of Amarillo for most of his life. He had worked for Inter-national Harvester in Amarillo and the former Village Cadillac in Ama-rillo as the new car service manager prior to his retirement. He was a member of the Southlawn Baptist Church in Amarillo.

He was preceded in death his parents; his wife on February 28, 1983; and a sister, Maxine Howe.

Survivors include 2 daughters, Glenda Robertson and Elizabeth Robertson both of Amarillo; 3 sons, Wallace Reisner of Albuquerque, Glenn Robertson, Jr. of Canton, and Mark Robertson of Amarillo; a brother, Delbert Robertson of Clarendon; 2 sisters, Margaret Vines of Wellington and Georgia Speed of Clarendon; 10 grandchildren; 9 great grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be to a favorite charity.
 Sign our guest book at www.RobertsonFuneral.com

High Plains Irrigation Conference Jan. 13

AMARILLO — The annual High Plains Irrigation Conference and Trade Show hosted by the Texas AgriLife Extension Service will be held January 13 in the Regency Room of the Amarillo Civic Center, 401 S. Buchanan St., Amarillo.

The program this year addresses a wide variety of topics, said Nich Kenny, AgriLife Extension irrigation specialist. The topics range from profit-based irrigation management to application of irrigation manage-ment technologies to Panhandle Limited Water Project reports, and computer-based irrigation models and advances in irrigation equipment technologies.

The registration fee will be \$20 at the door and includes lunch, he said.

For more conference informa-tion, contact Kenny at 806-677-5600 or npkenny@ag.tamu.edu, or for trade show information, contact Dana Faulkenberry at 806-317-9006.

your guide to area CHURCHES

Clarendon

- Agape Christian Church:** 712 E. 2nd (Hwy. 287) Minister: David Lowrie Sun. School: 9:30 a.m. • Sun. Service: 10:30 a.m.
- Calvary Baptist Church:** US 287 E. • 874-2156 Rev. Rob Seale • Sun. School: 10 a.m. • Sun. Service: 11 a.m. • Sun. Evening: 7 p.m. • Wed.: 7 p.m.
- Church of Christ:** 300 S. Carhart • 874-2495 Minister: Chris Moore • Sun. Bible Class 9:30 a.m. Sun. Service: 10:30 a.m. • Sun. 6 p.m. • Wed.: 7 p.m.
- Church of Nazarene:** 209 S. Hawley • 874-2321 Pastor: Bill Hodges • Sun. School: 9:30 a.m. • Sun Ser-vice: 10:30 a.m. • Sun. Evening: 6 p.m. • Wed.: 7 p.m.
- Community Fellowship Church:** 12148 FM 2162 874-0963 • Pastor: Larry Capranica Sun. School: 10 a.m. • Sun. Service: 11 a.m. Sun. Evening: 6 p.m.
- First Christian Church:** 120 E. Third St. 874-3212 • Sun. Service: 11 a.m.
- First Assembly of God:** 4th St. & Hwy 70 South Pastor: Matthew Stidham • Sun. School: 9:45 a.m. Sun. Service: 10:40 a.m. • Sun. Evening: 6 p.m. Wed. Youth: 6:15 p.m. • Wed. Bible Study: 7 p.m.
- First Baptist Church:** 300 Bugbee Ave. • 874-3833 Rev. Lance Wood • Sun. School: 9:45 a.m. Sun. Service: 10:55 a.m. • Sun. Evening: 6 p.m. • GA & Team Kid Ministry: Wed. 5:30 p.m. • Adult Bible Study: Wed. 6:30 p.m. • Youth Study: Wed. 7 p.m. College Ministry: Wed. 9 p.m.
- First Presbyterian Church:** Fourth & Parks 874-9269 • Pastor: Rev. Robin Gantz Fellowship: 10:30 a.m. • Sun. Service: 11 a.m.
- First United Methodist Church:** 420 S. Jefferson 874-3667 • Pastor: Lloyd Stise Sun. School: 11 a.m. • Sun. Service: 9:45 a.m.
- Jesus Name Apostolic Church:** 720 E. Montgomery • 874-2388 • Rev. Calvin Burrow Sun. Services: 3 p.m. • Wed.: 7:30 p.m.
- Clarendon Family Christian Center Church:** 511 E. 5th St. • Pastor: R.W. Ellerbrook Sun. School: 9:30 a.m. • Sun. Service: 10:30 a.m. Sun. Evening: 6 p.m. • Wed.: 6:30 p.m.
- Old Paths Primitive Baptist Church:** 416 S. Kearney • 874-5374 • Pastor: Lyman Little Sun. Services: 10:30 a.m.
- St. John The Baptist Episcopal Church:** Rev. Jim Aveni • 301 S. Parks St. • 874-2511 Sun. Service: 11 a.m.
- St. Mary's Catholic Church:** Corner of Montgomery & McClelland Fr. Arokia Raj Samala • Sun. Mass 10:30 a.m.
- St. Stephens Baptist Church:** 300 N. Jefferson St. Pastor: Roy Williams • Sun. School: 10 a.m. Sun. Service: 11:15 a.m. • Wed.: 7 p.m. (weather permitting)
- True Church of God in Christ:** 301 N. Jefferson St. Pastor: Jeff Riles • Sun. School: 10 a.m. Sun. Service: 11:15 a.m. • Wed.: 7 p.m.

Hedley

- Church of Christ** 110 E. Second St. Minister: Bright Newhouse Sun. Bible Class: 10 a.m. Sun. Service: 11 a.m. Sun. Evening: 6 p.m. Wed.: 7:30 p.m.
- First Methodist Church** 200 N. Main St. Pastor: Gary Boles Sun. Service: 9:30 a.m. Sun. School: 10:30 a.m.
- First Baptist Church** 210 N. Main St. 856-5980 Pastor: Bruce Howard Sun. School: 10 a.m. Sun.: 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed.: 7 p.m.

Howardwick

First Baptist Church 222 Sherwood Blvd. 874-3326 Reverend: Dave Stout Sun. School: 10 a.m. Sun. Service: 10:45 a.m. Sun. Evening: 6 p.m. Wed.: 6 p.m.

Martin

Martin Baptist Church US 287 W • 874-2025 Pastor: Darrell Burton Sun. School: 10 a.m. Sun. Service: 11 a.m. Sun. Evening: 6 p.m. Wed.: 7 p.m.

Brice

Brice Deliverance Tabernacle 867-3029 or 867-2012 Pastor: Louis Bennett Sun. Service: 9:45 a.m. Sun. Evening: 6 p.m. Wed.: 6 p.m.

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Saturday, January 15, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
Panhandle Area Farmers - Owners
 Located: Panhandle, Texas - Selling: Farm & Ranch Equipment

Wednesday, January 19, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
Olton Area Farmers - Owners
 Located: Olton, Texas - Selling: Farm & Ranch Equipment

Thursday, January 20, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
Kevin Igo & Neighbors - Owners
 Located: Between Edmonson & Halfway - Selling: Farm & Ranch Equipment

Saturday, January 22, 2011 - Sale Time: 9:30 a.m.
Jack's Hammer - Owner
 Located: Hereford, Texas - Selling: Blacksmith Shop, Antiques, Tractors

Wednesday, January 26, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
Friona Area Farmers - Owners
 Located: Friona, Texas - Selling: Farm & Ranch Equipment

Saturday, January 29, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
Redwine Farms - Owner
 Located: Clays Corner - Selling: Farm & Ranch Equipment

Tuesday, February 1, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
Mayfield Area Farmers - Owners
 Located: Mayfield, Texas - Selling: Tractors, Farm & Hay Equipment

Wednesday, February 2, 2011 - Sale Time: 9:30 a.m.
Carthel Brothers - Owners
 Located: Floydada, Texas - Selling: 15 Tractors, Cotton Equipment, Farm Equipment

Thursday, February 3, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
David Cook & Bill Daniel Estate - Owners
 Located: Floydada, Texas - Selling: Farm & Ranch Equipment
 For Info or to Consign Contact: Jim (806) 864-3611 or Jimmy (806) 864-3362

Saturday, February 5, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
Woods & Luttrell - Owners
 Located: Clarendon, Texas - Selling: Farm & Ranch Equipment & Antiques

Tuesday, February 8, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:30 a.m.
Joe Neal Clary Estate - Owner
 Located: Post, Texas - Selling: Farm & Cotton Equipment

Wednesday, February 9, 2011 - Sale Time: 9:00 a.m.
Lamesa Area Farmers - Owners
 Located: Lamesa, Texas - Selling: Farm & Cotton Equipment

Thursday, February 10, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
Eldorado Area Farmers - Owners
 Located: Eldorado, Oklahoma - Selling: Farm & Ranch Equipment

Saturday, February 12, 2011 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
Lamb Farms - Owners
 Located: Bushland, Texas - Selling: Farm & Ranch Equipment

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THC tells courthouses' stories

AUSTIN — Emerging from between Houston's skyscrapers with a new sheen, the Harris County Courthouse's restoration is just one of the inspiring stories that unfold throughout the pages of the THC's Courthouse Cornerstones.

Available this month, the publication highlights the success and potential of the Texas Historical Commission's (THC) Texas Historic Courthouse Preservation Program, which has to date been responsible for the full restoration of 55 historic county courthouses throughout the state. Featuring the innovative work of skilled artisans to the passionate commitment communities dedicate to fundraising for their projects, Courthouse Cornerstones is a reflection of a program vital to Texas' economy in many ways.

Announced in June 1999, the Texas Historic Courthouse Preservation Program provides partial match-

ing grants to Texas counties for the restoration of their historic county courthouses. Since its inception, the program awarded \$227 million to counties, and local governments have matched this with more than \$150 million. Courthouse restorations have generated more than 8,579 jobs throughout Texas and more than \$19 million in local taxes. The 81st Texas Legislature included \$20 million in bond funding for Round VI of the nationally recognized program and additional rounds are dependent upon continued funding from state lawmakers.

For more information on the Texas Historic Courthouse Preservation Program and Courthouse Cornerstones visit www.thc.state.tx.us or contact the THC's Architecture Division at 512.463.6094. A downloadable version of the publication will soon be available on the THC website.

AgriLife Research centers offer opportunities not found in books

AMARILLO — Every year, students from universities find either full-time or part-time work in the fields and laboratories of scientists such as Dr. Charlie Rush at the Texas AgriLife Research and Extension Center in Amarillo.

Rush, as well as other scientists, take on the role of teacher, and their greenhouses, labs and fields become hands-on "classrooms" for the students. The biggest difference is that

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"You just can't buy that experience anywhere," Rush said of the program.



Farewell

Former Clarendon College Dean of Instruction Debra Kuhl receives a clock from retiring CC President Bill Auvenshine during a farewell reception for the pair December 17. Kuhl has accepted a new position at Galveston College under former CC president Myles Shelton.

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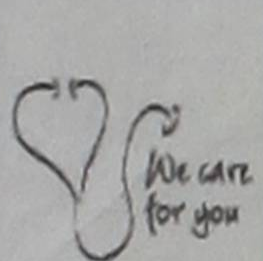
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Occasional Donley County Fire Meetings will occur to lift up corporate prayer. Stay tuned!! If you feel the call to pray and/or praise one hour per week for God's presence to move here in wonderful ways, call 806-874-1313 between 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. and ask to sign up on prayer schedule. God Bless you all.

"Keep the Fire Burning"

1 Thessalonians 5:16-19 "Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. Do not put out the Spirit's fire."

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For ten weeks we will have private weekly weigh-ins on Thursdays from 8 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., where weight loss and nutritional handouts will be given.

If no weight is gained, no money is owed, but \$1 will be charged for each pound gained in the 10 week period.

At the end of the 10 weeks the money collected will be distributed (50%/30%/20%) to the top three participants with the highest percentage of weight lost.

Weigh-ins begin Thursday,
January 13, 2011.

We hope to add some fun and accountability to each of our weight loss goals for the 2011 year.

For more information please call Marsha Bruce or Sara Burcham at the Clinic at 874-3531.

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