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City, County Receive New Radio Equipment Monday

for improved radio communications between local law enforcement agancies and agencies in the surrounding 27-county area were installed here Monday.

The new communication system utilizes ultra-high frequency radio transmission through the new 250-foot antenna tower installed behind the girls' dorm at Clarendon College to cut out static on multiple-use bands.

The ultra-high frequency will cut down on interference encountered under the old radio system, where law enforcement agencies throughout the area used the same 37180 frequency. broadcasting a patchwork of messages superimposed on one another.

Under the new system, each law enforcement agency in the 27-county area will be called on a seperate frequency. This is made possible through use of an encoder and decoder system.

The new equipment, which will eventually be in use by all law enforcement agencies in Texas, was purchased through the cooperation of Clarendon city government, the county commissioners court and the federal Criminal Justice Council (CJC), which funded 75 per cent of the cost of the new system.

The total cost of the new communication system for Donley County and city law enforcement agencies was \$35,295. The county's share of the cost was \$19,486, and the city's share was \$15,809. Of this amount, the county paid \$4,896, and the city paid remaining three-quarters of

the tower, auxillary power unit, transmission lines, two base stations and the control station in Amarillo. One of the major assets of the new system is that it allows direct communication with the Amarillo law enforcement agencies via transmission directly to a base station installed in the sheriff's office at Amarillo.

Clarendon purchased four mobile units, one of the police patrol car, one for the pickup used as a patrol vehicle, one for Police Chief Gary Gerdes' private car and another to be used by the Greenbelt Lake shore patrol.

"Greenbelt offered to pay for this unit," said city manager Bud Knorpp, "but I wanted it to be available to the city any time it is needed.'

The sheriff's office also purchased four mobil units, one for Sheriff Frank Lindsey's car, two for the two deputies' patrol cars and one for constable John Topper's

Hedley has also arranged to purchase a base station and radio unit, but this equipment has not yet been installed.

The way the system works is that the mobile units in the cars transmit to a base station at the sheriff's office or at the dispatch station at \$3,972. The CJC paid the City Hall. The message is encoded there and relayed by telephone transmission lines The city and the county to the antenna and tower for shared equally the costs of broadcast. It is received at another base station, decoded, and the response follows the same proceedure with transmission on another

> One of the major drawbacks to the system is the period of changeover, when some agencies do not yet present time, the local highway patrol units still have mobile units on the old frequency system, and there can be no direct radio contact between the patrol cars using the new system and those with the old.

However, both city and county offices retain the old to the new system so there can be contact with these

The equipment installed Monday was for transmission to base stations in neighboring counties. The antenna hookup for local hookup brought by the technicians from Amarillo was the wrong one, so the local hookups for the system was delayed until they could return with the correct equipment.

Clarendon Man To Judge At have the new system. At the Chicago Show

Richard Stotts of Clarendon leaves today for Chicago to judge a fat stock show.

Stotts grooms and shows livestock professionally for owners who wish to do well in stock shows. He recently returned to Clarendon from New Mexico, where he had stock on display.

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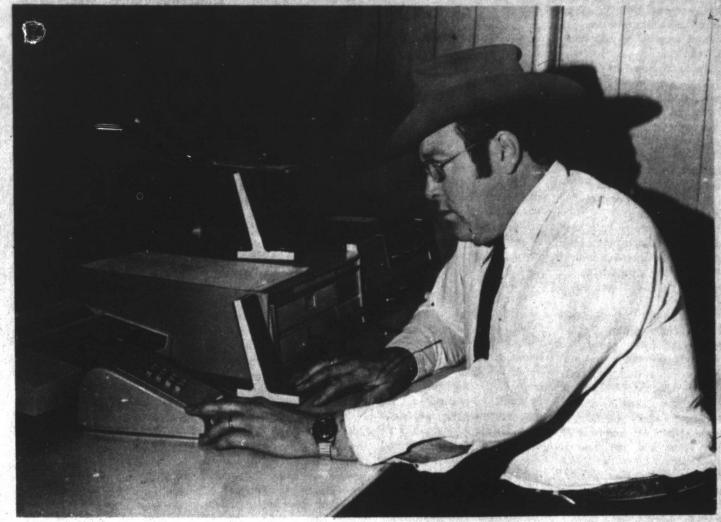
a postal clerk is not on duty.

Police Chief Gary Gerdes

investigated early Saturday

morning after McCully came

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Police Chief Gary Gerdes makes use of the ultra-high frequency radio equipment installed at City Hall Monday. The new equipment allows communication directly with Amarillo and the surrounding 27 counties' law enforcement agencies. Pictured are base station and microphone. At right is the old radio equipment.

Post Office Break-In Friday Being Investigated Here

An estimated 50 boxes were rifled at the Clarendon post office last Friday night.

Postmaster Mike McCully said this was the second such occurrance in the past six months, and he announced that the post office lobby will

the work room floor behind the box sections. The glass in the front of 12 boxes was broken in, allowing the thieves to reach around the back of the boxes and pull mail from the neighboring ones, McCully

> In the future, the post office lobby will close at 4:45 in the afternoon and won't reopen till 7:00 in the morning when the first clerk comes on duty, postmaster McCully said. The hours will be from 7:30 till noon on Sundays.

"I know it's inconvenient to the public," he said, "but we have to protect the mail. The public could help quite a bit if they would report it when they see anything like this going on.

Gerdes. McCully said it was not known whether the thieves got any checks. A federal investigator with the postal inspection service was in There were no injuries. Clarendon Monday, and

some juvenile suspects were identified.

More than one federal crime with very serious penalties may have been committed by the postal thieves, including at least the destruction of government

McCully said he discovered that Clarendon was the accomodate the public." post office in the panhandle area which had an

Collide At DQ Sunday

A minor traffic accident involving two cars occurred Sunday afternoon at 4:45 on Allen Street west of the Dairy Queen in Clarendon.

Katherine Ann Carmichael of Clarendon, driver of a 1969 Rambler, was issued a citation for failure to vield right-of-way from a private drive by Police Chief Gary

She pulled through the Dairy Queen lot into a 1969 Ford pickup driven by Dick Shelton, Rt. 1, Clarendon.

open lobby at night. The others had already changed their hours due to similar problems with vandals and

theives. "This happened before about six months ago," he said, "and I closed the lobby for about three weeks and then reopened it to try to

McCully said it is doutfu that the policy will be changed again to allow open access to the post office boxes during hours when no postal clerk is on duty.

Charity Ball To Fund Day Care Center

Plans are now under way for the annual Beta Sigma Phi Charity Ball which will be held February 15.

Proceeds from the Charity Ball this year will go to help finance the Day Care Center.

The Army Band from Fort Sill, Oklahoma will provide the dance music. So, everyone mark February 15 on your calander for the charity ball!

Chamber of Commerce Holds Initial Meeting The board of directors of

the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce held their initial meeting of the new year Monday and set preliminary plans for an expanded program of work. Several new committees will be involved in chamber work in the coming year.

The committees involved and their chairmen include: Retail merchant's commit tee, Bill Spier; tourism committee, Mutt Graham;

Hog Show Set Here

The Donley County 4-H and FFA barrow show will be held Monday, January 13, at the county showbarn.

Judging will begin at 1 p.m. on the approximately 75 barrows to be shown by Clarendon FFA and Donley County 4-H members. Roy-Gregg, manager of the Greenbelt Feeders at Hedley, will judge.

About 35 of the barrows will go on to the Amarillo Fat Stock Show, followed by the shows at Ft. Worth and at Houston.

Industrial committee, Frank Phelan; July Fourth activities, Jerry Hawkins; agricultural committee, Ronnie Gooch; sports activities, Leonard (Tex) Selvidge; Bicentennial, Bright Newhouse, and hospitality activities, Sandra Mooring.

Walt Knorpp is president of the 1975 board. Darrell Leffew is first vice-president and also in charge of the membership drive which will begin this week.

Plans discussed at the meeting included various retrail promotions which can be used during the coming 12 months. It was suggested that the retail merchants committee plan no less than one promotion per month to stimulate retail sales and planning.

Although the chamber of commerce is operating on a limited budget, financial reserves may very well be drained if additional members are not signed up in the early stages of the membership drive. John Sarich, chamber manager, pointed out that the anticipated income from dues in 1975 is only \$4,465. Meanwhile, the proposed budget calls for the expenditure of some \$5,671.

Farm Bureau To Encourage Citizen Participation

The Donley County Farm Bureau decided to try to get citizen input on legislation at the state level at its regular monthly board meeting Monday night.

dozen other jobs to Clarendon.

Hot issues before the legislature will be land use planning, a rural telephone utility commission and the fate of the cotton market.

Farm bureau board president Bernie Green, past president Lee Shaller and Clayton Farris, head of legislative committee, will attend a legislative conference January 28 and 29 in Austin at the Driskil Hotel.

Interested farmers and. ranchers of Donley County are urged to contact Green (Rt. 1, Clarendon, 874-2313), Farris (Rt. 1, Clarendon, 874-3917), or board member Roger Finch (Box 1104, Clarendon, 874-2077) with their ideas on legislation.

In other business, the board recognized the resignations effective January 1-of board vice president Lee Shaller and his son, Ted Shaller, another member of

discussed a dangerous school crossing on Hwy. 287 across from Mutt's Restaurant.

Clarendon Dairy Queen opened Tuesday on Hwy. 287 and was given brisk business on the

grand opening day. Ferne Farr is the manager, and the new business brought more than a

Ted Shaller has taken an aptitude exam, on which he scored as high as possible, and will soon be in training for one week at Arlington and another week at Waco to sell Farm Bureau insurance. Bureau regulations required that he and his father resign their positions on the county board due to a possible conflict of interest.

Ted has been on the board three years, and Lee Shaller has served 24 years on the county bureau board. Lee remains an ex-officio board member and will continue to serve on various committees

of the bureau. Lee Shaller reported that he contacted city secretary Bud Knorpp about the dangerous school crossing, who said funds were available and ran an ad to hire a crossing guard. However, no one dependable

applied for the job. 'Something needs to be done because high-speed trucks come through there, a someone will ge hurt," board the board. They also, member C.C. Aires said.

Telephone Commission

Several members of the board were concerned because General Telephone has raised rural rates twice in the past year. City rates are regulated, and telephone companies must obtain city council approval before raising rates or face court proceedings where the increase must be justified. But rural rates are not regulated.

Texas Farm Bureau Polic-

"We recommend that the Texas State Legislature create a telephone regulatory commission to set rates, charges and the quality of service that telephone companies shall render, with adequate safeguards to protect the commission from control by telephone com-

Board members discussed measures open to rural residents who wish to negotiate rate increases. including having their telephones removed. However, this was deemed unfeasible. since this would probably be more profitable to the

telephone companies would probably find it more profitable not having to maintain rural lines and service. The only feasible option, the concensus of the board was, is to try to get legislation to bring rural rates and service under a state regulatory commission.

Several of the board members indicated dissatisfaction with local telephone service, since they said they had been told that they would have direct long-distance dialing by 1970 and still do not have this service.

Land Use Planning

The Texas Assembly on Land Use, meeting December 5 through December 8 at College Station, was composed largely of architects and regional and urban planners. It recommended that the State Legislature pass a bill to provide for planning of land use statewide, including rural

It is curious that farmers and ranchers have been unable to get legislation to protect themselves from.

unregulated telephone rates, and another area of concern to them is that the legislature might create administrative agencies and proceedures to regulate the use of their own property.

Farm bureau president Green said such land use planning might create wildlife easements to allow hunting without permission on private property.

"When I want to go on a picnic," he said, "I don't go out in someone's backyard. Neither do I think they should be allowed to hunt on my property without permission. Many farmers and ranchers will allow hunting on their property if they are

"Land use planning might be used," board member Finch said, "to decide what is the best crop for an entire area. They might then say that we have to increase production of food crops, say corn, although this might not be profitable economically." Although this is not the

thrust or intention of the proposed land use planning bill, Farris pointed out, many

other programs sprang from such innocuous beginnings. Once the administrative machinery is set up for land use planning for rural areas, he said, might evolve such powers over a period of time.

Farris said he believed such land use planning is basically socialistic, since the decision-making power as to the highest use of land is removed from the private individual and placed in governmental hands.

"They might decide for the farmer that so much terrace work will be required for his land," he said. "While conservation is good the decision as to how much and when should be left with the property owner."

Farm Bureau national policy on land use planning "Those who own or

operate land have the major responsibility for its development.

"We believe that land use planning can best be accomplished at the county or comparable level of government and by private landowners.

"Land use planning

should provide for the utilization of land resources and the environment in a nanner that will preserve and protect these resources to meet the needs of our people. Careful consideration should be given to the retention of agricultural land in the production of food and

"We oppose federal assistance to states for land use planning except under a grant-in-aid program. Funds available to a state should not be withheld as a weapon to enforce compliance with such a program.

"We urge farmers to become involved in planning and development of zoning ordinances to protect private property rights and to prevent undesirable land use

patterns. "Any land use plan should contain these safeguards:

"(1) Representation of agricultural producers on all planning and control boards. "(2) The right of appeal by an individual landowner at

all levels, especially the local

"(3) Consideration of all

land within the state. "(4) Protection for private ownership rights.

"(5) Full indemnification of property owners and leaseholders for any restrictions brought about by the "(6) An opportunity for

input in the planning process by all citizens and groups atall levels, especially the local "(7) Payment by state and

federal governments of a proportionate share of the costs of the plan based on the relative amounts of federal and state lands involved.

"(8) Recognition of the concept of the multiple use of land."

It is the concern of some people knowledgeable on the subject and interested in states rights that eventually a federal land use plan might be imposed on all states which lack a land use plan of

their own. Those interested in these or other farm and ranch issues which may be brought before the legislature are urged to contact the Donley County Farm Bureau officials listed above.

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Mrs. Hill said, "to feed,

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the local Salvation Army

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"Many people think that

any kind of welfare is charity.

but it is not. If they have paid

taxes, it's paid for. Nearly

everybody who comes to us

for help is having some sort

of family problems or

finiancial trouble. Or there is

sickness in the family, or

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Texas Rehabilitation Center

The local CAP agency

works the Texas Rehabilita-

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sort of rehabilitation need,

whether it be mental

problems, drinking, drugs or

health problems, for examp-

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'We work with the local

Emergency food and

munity Action Program (CAP) extends help to those in need or with almost any type of problem through a number of programs under its direction--ranging from employment and educational programs to the new day care center soon to be opened in Clarendon.

In addition, the CAP, agency acts as an information and referrals clearing house on a strictly confidential basis for almost any type of personal, family or financial problem. The agency spans all socio-economic classes in finding help for those in need, be they poor or wealthy.

"We're here to help with any need or any problems the people of Clarendon and Donley County might have," said CAP coordinator Robbie

"We have been asked everything from how to enlist to be a foster parent to delivering an oxygen bottle," added Eureda Mays director of Planned Parenthood, which is a separate agency not funded under the CAP umbrella of programs. But the Planned Parenthood office and the Community Action Center are housed in the same building at Kearney and Fourth streets, just across the corner from the post office.

"You should have seen us trying to carry that oxygen bottle into the house," Mrs. Mays laughed.

CAP is funded jointly between the county, which furnishes the building and utilities, and the federal Office of Economic Opportunity (OEO) funds the rest of the agency's programs. Planned Parenthood, which is under the Texas Panhandle Community Action Agency, is funded by Health Education and Welfare.

County Judge Billie Christal said the Community Action Agency lifts a tremendious burden from the county because before CAP was set up in 1971, indigents, transients and others in need came to the

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publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of V.L. Castleberry, Resident Engineer, Childress Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reservcounty judge's office for help, and now they are referred to CAP.

Mrs. Hill was appointed Donley County CAP coordinator in May, 1974, and has had the programs progressing steadily since then.

Day Care Center

A local day care center under CAP will open February 3, located in the old red brick gym down by City

"This will not be just a baby sitter service," Mrs. Hill pointed out. "It will be a learning experience for children from the cradle to school age from early in the morning till late, as a service to working parents." The children will be fed and will take a nap daily, five days each week.

The fee charged will be on a sliding scale, based on family size and income, with those below a certain income level not required to pay. The federal welfare department will pay the fee while unemployed parents look for work or while they are sick, Mrs. Hill said. For every \$3 invested locally, the Federal government will spend \$7 on the center, she said.

"The day care center will be an asset to our community," Mrs. Hill said. She pointed out that it will provide serveral jobs, and the community has been very enthusiastic about the child care service. She said local organizations have been donating money and citizens have offered voluntary service. A stove and icebox were donated for the day care center, and the county provided a freezer.

For additional information on the day care center, get in touch with Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Mays or director Katherine Pigg, chairman of the local day care board. Others on the board are: Rev. Owen McGarity, Naomi Greene, Antoinette Hamilton, Alice Courtney, Jimmie Isabell and Helen Rains.

Senior Opportunity Service

The CAP agency operates a Senior Opportunity Service (SOS) for senior citizens, who may call the SOS number, 874-2665, for a ride to the hospital, doctor's office, dentist or drug store.

Citizens may also call this number for information and referral service for any problem with Social Security, Medicare, food stamps, anything in Amarillo or what have you. Anyone, not just

service, Mrs. Hill said.

When we get enough volunteers," whe said, "the ride service will be extended to take senior chizens anywhere they might want to go, not just to see to their medical needs. Then, If they want to go shopping or anywhere, someone will pick them up and take them.".

Manpower Leaining Progu

Another CAP program, the Manpower Training Program, works with the unemployed, the under employed and those in school through the Comprehensive Employment Training Act Last summer, 15 or 46.

youths in school were employed during the summer vacation, earning their expenses for the school year. "At the present," Mrs. Hill said, "we have four in-schoolers working 10 hour

per week under supervision." These include two at Medical Center Hospital, one at the school and one at the CAP office. Velma Callaway is doing his supervised training at the

hospital janitorial department, and Pat Mammons is part-time aide there and answers the telephone. Hugh Mahaffey works under the program at the school bas barn under the

supervision of J.D. Little as a

mechanic helper. Karen Ellis is the Call office girt Friday. Manpower, is a state agency which pays for job training through the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission (PRPC), and the local CAP finds jobs for the applicants. The local doordinator for this seven-county region is Mrs. Jimmie Sissions: Funds for the program are channeled to Manpower through the

federal CETA, Besides those in uphool two adults are working full-time under the pr Medical Center Nursing Home is training Geneva d cierk, and Irene Vinsen has finished the two-weeks training and is now employed by the hospital as a nurses' aide.

Those wishing to seek employment through the Texas State Employment Commission should sign up at the CAP office, which is visited periodically by representative Linda Trent from Childress:

TSTI Training Program

Texas State Technical Institute offers local classes through the Community

Action Agency which, Mrs. Hill said, are to help you learn to do something you want to do, rather than to get a degree.

Mrs. Sue Leeper, director of nurses at the hospital, teaches two classes each week for nurses' aides in the dining room of the local Medical Center. Steve White, administrator of the nursing home, teaches a weekly class in bookkeeping.

A shorthand course is still enrolling, though the typing course is now full. Mrs. Rosie Harper teaches these courses. A carpentry class at the local City Hall, taught by Thomas Weller, who does maintenance at the Amarillo TSTI campus, is also still enrolling. Jerry Hill teaches welding once a week at Lefew and Hill Welding

"All it takes to start up a course," Mrs. Hill said, "is ,15 people to sign up that they want to learn and someone who can qualify, through experience or training, to teach the course. TSTI furnishes all the materials, typewriters or whatever is required. There is a fee of \$2.50 per class for those who

are able to pay." TSTI has sponsored local classes in livestock and ranch management, home electronics maintenance and upholsterying, Mrs. Hill said, and there are 11 persons now signed up for a course il interior decorating, taught by Mrs. Jane Hall, who has owned her own shop.

GED Adult Education

CAP works with Public Education Service Center (PESO), which furnishes local schools with films and educational supplies and with Gene Andrews of Amarillo, in charge of Adult Basic Education (ABE).

ABE supplies adults with books and materials so they may earn their General Equivalency Diploma (GED), a program sponsored at the high school each Monday night. In 1974, Mrs. Mays said, 60 adults enrolled for ABE and 30 received their GED. Some of these are now going to college or are enrolled for nurses school, she said.

Mrs. Eureda Mays is the head instructor, and Mrs. Hill is a teacher in the ABE program, with Mrs. Geneva Mays as teacher's aide.

Planned Parenthood

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Community Action Program Covers Many Agencies headed by Mrs. Mays, offers auxillary at the local hospital. "Some are going to attend

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that they get it." Donley County CAP agency works through the TRC office at Pampa through field representative H.M. Bailey, but the local agency also has referrals to other

Community Health Care

Alcoholism Counseling Community residents with health problem requiring H. D. Henry is the daily or frequent care from a alcoholism counselor for the qualified nurses' aide often five-county area including stop by the Community Collinsworth, Hall, Briscoe, Action Agency to, for Donley and Gray counties. example, have ther blood He is based in Clarendon at pressure checked or have the CAP agency and may be allergy shots administered. reached at 874-2522, for Both Mrs. Hill and Mrs. anybody who would like to Mays are nurses' aides. and members of the nurses' A program is available for any civic group or organiza-

"We also work with the Texas State Health Departnent, which holds an mmunization clinic here once a month. '7

Under another program, from time to time a nurse isits Clarendon from Amarillo to give the school staff and employees their annual tuberculosis tests free of charge.

"It's rewarding, doing omething for your fellowman." Mrs. Hill said. "Of course, after the long hours we keep, we semetimes have to introduce ourselves to the dog when we get home."

The local CAP can help with almost any type of problem wire Hill and Mrs. Mays three helped several Mexican-American citizens obtain birth certificates for their children, they said.

"We're just here to help." Mrs. Hill said."We love the people of Clarendon and

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For some unknown reason, while all the newspapers around us and the television newscasts are predicting gloomy outlooks for the coming year business-wise, we feel that the Donley County area can look for an upswing in business this

We have no apparent basis for our reasoning, other than the fact that we've always been more of an optimist than a pessimist. While the majority of small town financial institutions are showing moderate to heavy losses in their latest deposit reports, both banks in Clarendon appear to be holding their own in this respect for the fourth quarter of

The coming year may not be a bonanza year for commerce here, but by the same token, we expect to see a continued growth in the economy here. We will have new businesses ocating here through the next 12 months, one of which spened Tuesday and another to open about the first of ebruary. Others are expected about mid-year.

Another key to reinforcing the economic outlook here is the larendon Chamber of Commerce, an organization which has een more or less dormant for the past few years. All of the ctivities normally sponsored by the chamber will continue to e held, and in addition, several other projects are planned in he coming year.

The one thing lacking with the chamber of commerce is the support of local businesses and individuals. It takes revenue to operate the chamber the same way it takes money to operate a business. At last count, there are over 100 businesses and individuals in the Clarendon area who should be members of the chamber of commerce but are not.

Others who are members pay only a token membership fee--usually \$60 per year for businesses, much less for individuals.

This year, the board of directors of the chamber of commerce have launched plans for a broadened program to help satisfy the needs of Clarendon and the surrounding area through their program of work.

These include areas of agriculture and ranching, industry, tourism, hospitality and sports, among others. Perhaps one of the most neglected areas that should be capitalized upon is that of tourism.

Clarendon just happens to be situated in an ideal location to attract tourist dollars--that of a primary east-west highway nd mid-way between Amarillo and Childress. It is almost qually distant to Pampa to the north.

We have an exceptionally nice lake that normally covers some 2,000 acres of land, an 18 hole championship golf ourse, an extremely nice country club for a town our size and lenty of room to grow.

In addition, just a short distance to the south is Burson ake, a privately owned lake with cabins for tourists and fishermen, and in the same general area, the Aoudad sheep an be found in the rough breaks during the fall of the year.

We see lots of potential to promote tourism here that will ee money flowing into our area by way of motels, restaurants ervice stations and other related necessary services for those assing through our area.

A sports committee has also been formed this year which will endeavor to promote sporting events that will bring out of town money into our coffers.

The agricultural and ranching industries have not been forgotten this year either. Plans are underway to attract more gricultural related industry here. The chamber of commerce wns an industrial tract of land here that could very well be sed by industries of this type.

In a nutshell, the chamber hopes to take advantage of the epressed times and keep our economy strong by promoting ur resources.

To do this, however, you the businessman and individual re needed to donate a small part of your time, and a little noney, to put these plans into action. Already some ong-standing members of the chamber have asked to have their membership dues doubled to help provide the capital ecessary to strengthen these chamber activities.

The projected income for the next year is a paltry \$4,465 from membership dues. The budget for the coming year is projected at \$5,671. This means the chamber will operate over \$1,200 in the red should these figures prove correct.

In the short time we have been here in Clarendon, we have heard several people talk about the lack of activity in the chamber of commerce and the fact that they (the chamber) laven't done anything to merit their participation. With the mitted budget available, frankly we're surprised that the chamber of commerce exists.

We would also like to point out that those people who are directors and officers for the chamber of commerce donate their time and services. It is like a lot of other organizations in the fact that very few business people or individuals bother to express their thanks for what has been done, or offer aggestions of what can be done. Fewer still will volunteer heir services when needed.

Sometimes, it appears to be the only organization designed to help the community that doesn't want to be helped.

In the very near future, every business in this area will be contacted and asked to become a member of chamber if they do not already belong. In addition, all present members will also be contacted to renew their support for this organization designed to help the members.

It is our hope that enough will become involved and enough dues collected to exceed the proposed budget. Perhaps the activities of the chamber can be expanded even more this year and in the years to come.

We, at least, intend to do our part and hope everyone else will see fit to do theirs.

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legislature is getting set for action and inaugural activities are being planned, Gov. Dolph Briscoe is faced with hundreds of important decisions on fitting the right men (and women) into jobs.

Within the first two months of the year, he must make appointments or reappointments to about 600 board, agency and commission places where terms of members are

Before 1975 is over, he will have placed more than 1,700' people in major and minor

During his four-year term, he will make enough such appointments to "control" every appointive state agency. That is to say, the people he selects will be in a majority of seats on the regulatory, licensing and administrative

Nearly all the gubernatorial appointments are subject to confirmation by the

State Senate. system board of regents Frank Erwin Jr. of Austin, has stated he does not seek another term. Jenkins Garrett of Fort Worth and Dan C. Williams of Dallas also face expiring terms.

State Highway Commispires February 15. Briscoe has stated he will reappoint Joe Christie chairman of the State Insurance Board January 31.

Other agencies with powers reaching into all segments of economic life of the state have vacancies coming up which Briscoe will fill early this year.

SUPERPORT URGED-Gov- payment. ernor Briscoe and Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby jointly urged pub- NEW PRIMARY PUSHED

ownership of so-called superport facilities designed to re- to provide for selection of ceive and off-load oil im- Texas presidential and vice ported in huge tankers.

Their statement dealt a perhaps-fatal blow to possishore Terminal Commission preference primaries. by a five to four vote had recommended state owner- INVESTMENTS HURT ship and control of an estioperation over a 30-year span.

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Three University of Texas COURTS SPEAK-The State Supreme Court upheld validmembers will come to the ity of a corporation fran-slightly less extensively. end of their present terms chise tax surcharge attacked Janaury 13. The most con- by six corporations in spite the legislation for reporting than the year before. financial data on which the levy is based.

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for \$107,800 in damages. A \$48,866 award to a Galveston County youth hit while "playing" in front of a car was upheld in another Supreme Court case involving whether a lawyer hinted the motorist's insurance policy was limited to a \$100,000

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Some writers have sought to link it with the White House aspirations of U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen. The senator is expected to announce his candidacy soon, and, of course, wants to make a strong showing in his home state. Opinion is divided as to whether he could win more delegates in a primary or the traditional convention

At any rate, at least four legislators already have indicated they will offer bills presidential nominating delegates in a May primary. They feel the time is ripe to bility of a state-financed make the change, and note superport. The Texas Off- polls indicate support for

State investments in stock, mated \$1.4 billion profit like those of individuals, are taking a beating, at least on

If state-owned stocks in lishing a licensing procedure the major Texas investment for the offshore facilities. funds had to be dumped at They said they will cooperate today's market values, losses fully with license applicants could be half a billion dollars. · However, the officials who manage these funds empharonment is not jeopardized, size they are under no pres-The federal act allows states sure to cash in the chips, and to retain veto power of fa- that they will ride out the cilities, requires a \$20 million market plunge without ill ef-

> There were fewer tourists in 1974, but those who came stayed longer, spent more and drove over Texas only

Only 12 of 50 reporting tourist attractions actually troversial of the three, of erroneous dates named in had more business last year

More Texans vacationed within their home state in The High Court in another 1974, which helped offset the reduced number of out-of-

> AG OPINIONS - Contributions to the Austin Inaugural Committee for paying expenses of inauguration ceremonies are not subject to campaign reporting provisions of the election code, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.

> Hill's opinion concluded the persons or corporations who make them do not have to register as lobbyists either, unless their contributions were made "to influenec legislation."

On another recent opinion, Hill held Texas veterans are entitled to exemption from tuition and fees when enroll-

extension division courses. Community Action Program The same opinion found qualified students in the extension Offers Typing Class division are also eligible for

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start. Mrs. Harper is the

instructor for this class also.

This class will meet on

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The carpentry class is now

meeting on Thursday night

at the old red brick school.

This classes being taught by

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interested come to the next

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The classes for Nurses

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class, and the welding class

being held through the local

C.A.P. office are in the

process of winding up and

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in Lake Livingston, later at the San Marcos fish hatchery on the San Marcos River and then in a Cameron County irrigation canal south of Los Fresnos.

SHORT SNORTS

legislative committee nended establishment of a Commission on jail standards with authority to close sub-standard jails.

Governor Briscoe reappointed B. F. Block of Amarillo and Murray D. McKinley Sr. of Pearsall to the Texas Water Well Drillers Board, and named Tommy C. Bussell of Houston and James Taylor Virdell of Llano to the same board.

Nearly 95 per cent of all housing units sold in Texas for under \$15,000 are mobile group. If you are interested

Establishment of a State **Employees Personnel Agency** received gubernatorial en-

Richard W. Hernandez of Houston and Lynn M. Moak of Austin are new assistant state comptrollers for intergovernmental relations and program evaluation and

a better paying job, further education, or just for your own personal gratification enrollment Monday January 6, 1975. This class is to be

Registration Slated For January 20

Registration for the Spring semester at Clarendon College will be held Monday, January 20.

Enrollment will be held at the Administration Building from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Students may register until January 30 before having to pay a late registration fee. Last day to register for spring classes is February 5. Classes will begin on

Tuesday, January 21. Night classes will start the week of January 21-24. Students desiring to enroll for night classes may do so on the 20 or can register the first night of class.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Deyhle spent the Christmas holidays with their daughter and son-in-law in Wichita

Sue Hall has returned to Springfield, Mo. where she is attending Baptist Bible College. She was spending the holidays here with friends and relatives.

The Goldston Quilting Club will meet with Blanch Gray, Thursday January 10 in the afternoon. We will

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released by the college Friday. The schedule includes classes taught at Pampa, Childress, McLean and Valley High, as well as on the

campus at Clarendon. Offered at Pampa: Tuesdays-History 213, American History, 1500 to 1865; English 123, English Composition and Reading; Government 223, American State and Local Government: Speech 113, Basic Techniques of Speech; Chemistry 124, General College Chem-

The night schedule for

Clarendon College was

istry. Thursday-History 223, America to Present: Math 113, College Algebra; English 113, English Composition and Reading.

All classes will meet at Pampa High School from 8 to 10 p.m. Registration will be held at the high school from 6 to 7 on the evenings of January 21 and 23. Classes will start on the same evenings.

At Valley High School, Clarendon College will be teaching Art 223, creative hobbies, and conversational Spanish. Both classes will meet from 7 to 10 p.m. on Mondays with registration to be held on the first night of class, January 20, at the high school.

Four courses will be offered at Childress this

On Mondays, Math 113, college algebra, and History 223, America to present. will be loffered. Tuesday night classes will consist of Government 213, American national government and English 113, composition and reading. All classes meet at Childress High School from 7 to 10 p.m., with registration on the first night of class, January 20 and 21.

Two classes in art will be offered at McLean on Thursdays. Art 213, creative hobbies, will be saught from 4 to 7 p.m. and art 101-102, oil painting, will be taught from 7 to 10 p.m. Classes will begin on January 23 with

The night schedule for courses to be taught on the Clarendon campus is as follows:

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Monday-Sociology 212, Social Problems; English 123, Composition and Reading; Bus. Adm. 214, Accounting Principles: Radio and TV Service Repair.

Tuesday-Math 105, Intermediate Algebra; Art 101-102, Oil Painting; Nutrition 113, Principles of Nutrition; Philosophy 138, History of

Yes, there really was a Johnny Appleseed. He was John Chapman, born in Massachusetts in 1774. The pioneers called him Johnny Appleseed because he tramped for 40. years over the Ohio Valley, planting apple seeds and giving packets of seeds to families moving westward in covered vagons. He was a kindly man, and he apparently had great endurance—possibly from eating so many apples - because he saved Mansfield, Ohio, from massacre by running 60 miles

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College Night Classes Slated In Area Western World Religions; Law Enforcement 215, (6 to 10:00 p.m.); Law Enforcement 239; Insurance, Home-

owners and Fire Rating. Wednesday-Government 223-American States and Local.

Thursday-Radio and TV Service Repair.

All classes will meet from 7 to 10 p.m. with exception of Law Enforcement 215. Registration will be held at the college all day Monday, January 20 and also on the first night of class, January 20-23.

For additional information on evening courses, contact Beryl Clinton, Dean of Instruction, Clarendon College, 874-3571.

Use only safety or tempered glass for shower doors. Replace ordinary glass with safety glass, plastic panels or curtains, suggests Mrs. Lillian Chenoweth, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Shortages are predicted for the next three years in the synthetic fiber industry. resulting in increased prices for man-made fabrics, Margret Ann Vanderpoorten, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, points

Governor Endorses Texas Defensive **Driving Course To Reduce Insurance**

Governor Dolph Briscoe this week urged Texas motorists to take a Defensive Driving Course available at Clarendon College at their earliest opportunity as a means of improving their driving skills, while at the same time reducing the driver's automobile insur-

ance premiums. The Defensive Driving Course, a joint venture of the Texas Safety Association and the National Safety Council, is a statewide campaign to reduce highway deaths, injuries and property damage through driver improvement training.

"This course, which is offered throughout Texas. will not only improve the driver's ability to cope with emergencies while driving, but will give the driver an automatic 10 per cent insurance discount for a three-year period on policies written by companies which are rate-regulated by the State Board of Insurance."

Governor Briscoe said. The eight-hour classroom course teaches crash avoidance techniques used by professional drivers. About 400,000 Texas drivers have taken the course since Sept.

Studies have shown the **Defensive Driving Course** graduates have far fewer accidents after completion of the course, the Governor pointed out.

Further information about the Defensive Driving Course is available from any District Office of the Texas Department of Public Safety or the Texas Safety Association, P.O. Box 9345, Austin, Texas 78766.

"While the State Board of Insurance is to be commended for their efforts in holding down automobile insurance rate increases well below the nation's inflationary level, all Texas motorists can take steps of their own to cut down on auto insurance costs, and the most important of these is to take the Defensive Driving Course,"

Governor Briscoe said. "The 10 per cent insurance discount provided DDC graduates is certainly a strong incentive in these days of constantly rising

"Furthermore, I would also encourage motorists to follow the suggestion of Insurance Board Chairman Joe Christie and 'shop around' for those insurance companies which offer competitive rates. In some instances these competitive rates offer discounts up to 15 per cent," the Governor added.

The competive rating system, which Governor Briscoe strongly endorsed, has been in effect in Texas for less than two years.

Harvest Hit Slowed By Snow, Rain

Cotton harvest was halted over the Memphis. Texas area last week by rain and snow, according to W.E. Cain, in charge of the USDA. Agricultural Marketing Service Office.

"Fields and cotton stalks are thoroughly soaked," said Cain, "and harvest probably will not resume until the middle of this week."

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same date a year ago. The predominant grade for the week was grade 41 with 41 per cent followed by grade 42 with 31 per cent, and grade 51 with 10 per cent.

The predominant length was staple 31 with 46 per cent followed by staple 32 with 37 per cent, and staple 33 with eight per cent.

Micronaire readings showed 29 per cent in the desirable range of 3.5 to 4.9, 11 per cent 3.3 to 3.4, 22 per

cent 3.0 to 3.2, and 38 per cent 2.9 and below.

Pressley tests showed 98 per cent tested 75,000 psi or higher. The average for the week was 84,000 psi.

The cotton market was fairly active last week. Sales activity increased slightly late in the week. Prices were steady to lower compared to the previous week. Prices for grades 41, 32 and 42; staples 30, 31 and 32; ranged from 26.50 to 30.75 cents per pound. This was for cotton in

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Bulldogs ToHost Oscar Rose Tuesday

The Clarendon College tremendous punch to the Classic. The Bulld lidogs return to the floor of Bulldog gym Tuesday night, January 14 against Oscar Rose Junior College from Oklahoma City. The following Thursday the "dogs" will battle New Mexico Junior College at the ome gym.

The Thursday battle will be first conference game of the second semester and will be one of the toughest games for the Bulldogs this year. Mike Russell, 6' 7", is

considered to be one of the greatest junior college prospects in the nation and was one of the five most sought after high school recruits this past year. Russell leads the conference in scoring and could carry New Mexico to a onference championship.

Also, Bulldog fans will have an opportunity to see John Hagans, 6' 0" guard, from Hazard, Kentucky, in action for the first time. Hagans is expected to be a great asset to the Bulldogs this semester.

The Bulldogs will play Amarillo College at Amarillo on January 20 before returning to Clarendon on the 23 against Frank Phillips.

With a 6-5 record after the first semester of competition, the Bulldogs of Clarendon College look to the last half of the season as an opportunity to increase the amount of games won on the win side of

the ledger. Coach Gene Davis enters the second semester with two new players becoming eligible that will give additional strength to the Bulldogs.

John Hagans, a 6'0" guard from Hazard, Kentucky, is expected to give a offensive attack and is considered by Davis to be one of the best defensive players in the conference.

Additional guard strength will be looked upon from Robert Evans, a 6'1" guard

from Big Springs.

The Bulldogs travel,
Thursday, to Tishomingo, Oklahoma to participate in the three day Murray College

play Warton College from Houston on Thursday the 9th at 9:00 p.m. Eight teams are entered in the Classes. Other participants are Carl Albert College of Poteau, Cklahoma, Paris Junior College, Murray State, Weatherford Junior College, Texas Ranger Junior College, and East Central Oklahoma State Junior Varsity.

Unemployed **New Benefits**

Jobless workers who are not eligible for unemployment compensation may possibley qualify for a new type of benefits, Special Unemployment Assistance (SUA), according to Henry Rothell, administor of the Texas Employment Commis-

The new unemployment assistance measure is authorized under the Special **Employment Assistance Act** of 1974 which President Gerald Ford signed into law December 31.

Special Unemployment
Assistance makes unemployment benefits

Every three or four years a population explosion of these small rodents triggers a mass mi-gration which sees thousands of them die. While living they grow to a length of about five inches, short tails and ears cov-

to be curbed and finally almost eradicated via vaccination — the deliberate introduction of 'antipossible for persons such as domestics, agricultural workers, employees of city and county governments, and various other workers currently ineligible for unemployment compensation.

In Texas, SUA claimants can receive a maximum of \$63 per week for as long as 26 weeks, Rothell said. SUA payments will be made entirely from Federal funds and paid in accordance with the general provisions of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act.

"Workers who have insufficient earnings in covered employment to be eligible for unemployment compensation under any State or Federal law," Rothell said, "may qualify for SUA if they present evidence of employment and earnings during the 52 weeks prior to filing their claim which would be sufficient to qualify for unemployment insurance if the work had been in covered

employment." An SUA claim may be filed



Livestock judging team for Clarendon College, which placed sixth in the contest at Panhandle State University at Goodwell, Okla., in competition with junior college teams from several states. The Colby, Kan., Junior College team won first place. Members of the Clarendon team are: (left to right) seated, Leck Fuston of Turkey and John T. Burson of Silverton; standing, Tony King of Groom, Rex Sladek of Stratford and Ricky Wheeler of Canadian.

at the nearest TEC local office or itinerant service point in the state. When a worker goes to an office to file a claim, he should take

list of names and addresses of all employers for whom he worked during the most recent 52 weeks, along with documentary proof of work his Social Security card and a and earnints, the TEC

administrator said. Clarendon residents interested in further information or in filing for the benefits should contact the Community Action Center, 874-2573.

STAMPEDE

By Jerry Palen



"Plead insanity. Anybody who steals cattle and feeds 'em has gotta be crazy."

Amy Lemley and Lyndon Pre-Medical. Messer of Hedley have been named to the Dean's Honor Roll of Clarendon College for fall semester. the fall semester.

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. is a freshman. Troy Lemley and is a Lyndon obtained a 3.82 sophomore majoring in grade point average.

Amy obtained a perfect 4.0 grade point average for the

Messer is the son of Mr. Miss Lemley is the and Mrs. Doyle Messer and

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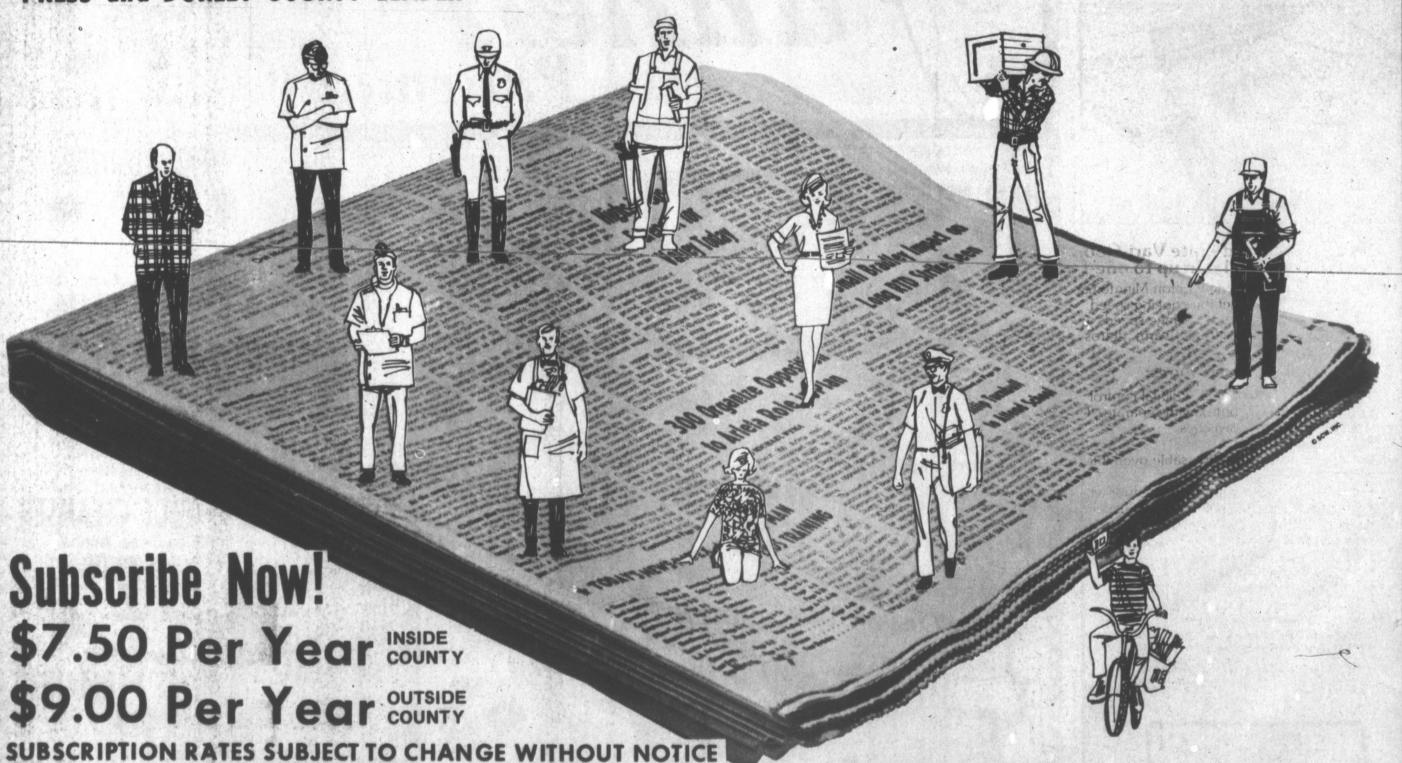
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by MRS. HUBERT RHOADES

family of Mrs. J.M. Robinson who passed away Friday at the home in Iowa Park, grave side services were held in Citizens Cemetary Monday after-

Mrs. Hubert Rhoades had coffee and cake with Mr. and Mrs. John White Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Slavin and children who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Ward in Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slavin in Clarendon and others returned to their home in Houston Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Graham and Richard have been to the. Dr. with colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Odom, Scotty and Kim and Billy Odom of Hereford spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Alberta Odom.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahaffey and Hugh spent Friday night and Saturday in Pampa with her mother Mrs. Grace Hester and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gill also visiting Saturday were Mrs. Charlene Brownlon and daughter of Hereford.

Mr and Mrs. Tommy Odom and children and Billy Odom of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Odom and children supprised their mother Mrs. Alberta Odom with a birthday dinner Sunday.

Lena Mae Graham visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Graham and Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Rhoades, Barry and Rhonda of Amarillo visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Austin Rhoades at Medical Center and with Clyde Butler in Clarendon enroute home they stopped at the Hubert

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham of Halfway spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham and Mike. Lena Mae Graham visited

Our sympathy to the Saturday evening with the Grahams.

Mrs. Ruth Clay and Wayne visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Porter at Palo Duro Nursing home in Claude and in Skellytown they visited Mr. and Mrs. Burnice Porter and

James. Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Cumbie, Susie, Pam and Debbie of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clovis

Mrs. Ollie Nelson is on the sick list at this time. Lena Mae Graham visited

Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert

Rhoades had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham, Mike and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham of Halfway. Mr. and Mrs. J.B.

McDaniels of Lelia Lake visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett. Mrs. Skeet Brown made a business trip to Amarillo

Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Jak Moffitt, and Mr. and Mrs. David Lane visited Saturday night with the J.B. Lanes.

Willard Buttler of Lelia Lake had lunch Sunday with the Bill Bennetts.

Edna and Joe Watts of Clarendon were guest of Joe Wheeler for lunch Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Vance Gray

visited Sunday evening in Claude with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gray. Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Moffitt visited Sunday night

in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Lane in Clarendon. Mrs. Eudor Joyner, Mrs. Bonnie Koontz and their nother Mrs. Ollie Nelson made a trip to Amarillo Monday.

MARTIN

Mrs. Betty White and Mrs. L.A. Watson were in Memphis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hearn and Mr. and Mrs. Helton played 88 with Mr. and Mrs. Othel Elliott Saturday night.

Bill Tolbert and children of Amarillo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tolbert.

Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Watson were guest for Sunday dinner in the Steve Reynold home. Bro. and Mrs. Charley Floyd and children and Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Watson

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land. Mrs. L.O. Christie is still a patient at Groom Hospital at this time she is improving.

visited Sunday night with

Mr. and Mrs. Bud White and Tammie, Bro. and Mrs. Charley Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Watson and Dennis Knowles attended the singing at Howardwick Saturday night. Frank Lyles of Clarendon

had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hearn on Sunday. Regena Watson spent Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L.A.

Watson. Hope all you people with the flu are better soon.

ASHTOLA COMMUNITY CENTER

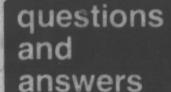
There will be a 42 party at the Ashtola Community Center Saturday night January 11.

Billy Bible and Sue Rhoades will be hostess, bring a covered dish and we will eat at 6 o'clock.

Dr. George Smith will spend Thursday, January 9, in Lubbock at the Texas Tech University School of Medicine, where will attend a meeting of the Dean's Committee. Mrs. Smith will acomplish Dr. Smith to Lubbock.

When your child and a neighbor's have a serious quarrel, remember that the neighbor also thinks his child is right.

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Q. My husband has been . receiving disability benefits for 3 years. He is 36 years old and he has Medicare coverage. Is his coverage the same as for persons age

65 and over? A. Yes. The medicare coverage is the same for both

Q. My disability claim was allowed last month. Will I now be covered by Medi-

A. You must be entitled to disability benefits for 24 consecutive months before Medicare coverage begins.

Q. I am a disabled widow age 55, and I am getting disabled widows benefits. Am I entitled to Medicare?

A. When you have received disabled widow's benefits for 24 consecutive months, you will be entitled to Medicare coverage beginning the 25th month.

Q. I am under the age 65 and I have been getting disability benefits for 22 months. Do I need to let the social security office know that I want Medicare?

A. No. You don't need to do anything. Your Medicare coverage will be automatic since you want coverage. Your coverage will begin the 25th month you receive

Q. I am drawing disability benefits and will be covered FOR SOCIAL SECURITY PROPERTY - NET FOR BESTEVEAT

by Medicare soon. How much will it cost me?

A. There are two parts to Medicare. Part A is Hospital coverage and Part B is for doctor services. The Part B coverage will cost you \$6.70 per month. There will be no charge for the Part A coverage.

Q. A service-connected njury for which I received treatment at a Veterans Administration hospital about two years ago is giving me trouble again. Will VA treat me again?

A. Yes, and since you have already established serviceconnection, all you need to do is apply for treatment

Q. I'm a veteran in a state which has no burial space left in its national cemetery. Does the Veterans Administration pay anything toward cost of burial plots in private cemeteries for such veter-

A. Yes, Public Law 93-43 (June 1973) allows VA to pay up to \$150 in plot and interment costs of veterans not buried in national cemeteries.

Q. I bought a car six years ago with an auto grant from the Veterans Administration, and the adaptive equipment is wearing out. Will VA replace this equipment?

A. Yes. Since enactment of PL 91-666 in 1971, VA has been authorized to repair or

veterans. Suggest you apply to your regional VA office for this benefit.

Q. I am a veteran with a 60 per cent service-connected disability. Will the Veterans Administration pay an allowance for my son who was born two months ago?

A. Yes, but you must notify the agency by filing a claim within one year of your child's birth.

Q. I lost my National Service Life Insurance policy which I have carried since World War II. Can I get a copy from the Veterans Administration?

A. Yes. Request a copy from the VA insurance center where you pay your premiums. If you had a paid-up policy, direct your request to the insurance center in Philadelphia.

Q. My father was killed in service during the Vietnam War, which makes me eligible for War Orphans **Educational Assistance from** the Veterans Administration. Now that I'm in the military service, can I take advantage of this benefit?

A. Sorry, no. A person eligible under the War Orphans Educational Assistance program may not participate in the program while in service.

Laurie Smith left Friday, January 3, to return to The Hockaday School in Dallas. Classes will resume January 6. Laurie returned by the way of San Angelo, where she will be visiting with friends over the weekend.

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week.

Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Stone spent Christmas Eve night with Mr. and Mrs. Burt Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Tige Hill have moved into their new home in west Hedley. Welcome back to Hedley Tige and Jonnie.

A watch party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ansil Adamson December 31 was the annual traditional brothers and their wives party. Present were Mr. and Mrs. R.L. (Bob) Adamson of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. John Adamson of Turkey, Mr. and Mrs. S.O. (Obe) Adamson of Lubbock and the host and hostess Mr. and Mrs. Ansil Adamson.

On New Year's Day there was a big turkey dinner with all the trimmings for the brothers, their wives and other relatives. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Stone and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Davis of Canadian, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Stone and Jeremy of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Adamson and son Rex and Charmaine Fuston of Turkey, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Kerr of Anton, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Feiden of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boone and daughter Nancy of Los Cruces, N.M. Others calling for a short visit included Mrs. Willie Johnson, Mrs. Omie Simmons and Hobart

College students home for the holidays included Leon Freeman of Amarillo Junior College and Miss Angela Messer of Abilene Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Spalding were in Amarillo Tuesday of last week to watch the old year out and the new year in. It was the annual Spalding cousins party and was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Owens there. Eloise stated it was more of a cousins party with more than twenty enjoying the food and fun. Sheriff Frank Lindsey, Jr., and son Bobby of Clarendon were Hedley visitors last

Mrs. Myrtle Kirpatrick and Mrs. Willie Johnson were Memphis visitors last

Thursday.

Thursday. Playing in the basketball tournament in Claude Thursday, both the Hedley High School girls and boys teams won their games with Panhandle High School.

Some of the Hedley Holiday visitors were missed last week were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Baggett, Terri and Tammy of Claude, Mr. and Mrs. David Spier and Marci of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pat Leggitt and Jon of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Boliver and Angela of

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Spalding enjoyed last Sunday and Saturday having the children home for a big turkey dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Lowe and children of Columbus, Mo. R.M. and Mrs. Bill Mathews and children of Clayton, N.M., and Mr. and Mrs. John Roberson and children also of Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Beach are visiting in Deming, N.M. A New Year's Eve party

was enjoyed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Saunders. They played 42 and ushered in the New Year of 1975. Those enjoying the event included Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones, Mr. and Mrs. M.C. DeBord, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoggard, Mr. and Mrs. N.W. Jeffers, Mesdames Biffie Moreman. Leone Taylor, Myrtella Deahl, Opal Mann, Nettie Alexander, Beaulah Sanders and Elva Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Crawford, formerly of Abernathy have moved to Hedley. They purchased the Gilchrest home in east Hedley and it has been redone. They moved in last Saturday. Welcome to Hedley Mr. and Mrs. Crawford.

Troy Davis of Lelia Lake was a Hedley visitor Friday.

Other holiday visitors were missed last week included the J.C. Upton family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephens and sen of Alamorgorda, N.M., Douglas Mendenhall and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Baker of Borger and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Bolin and Douglas of Pampa.

Holiday visitors in the A.M. Saunders home included Mrs. Lila Wynn and children of Iowa Park, Mrs. Reggie and children of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Don Youree and children of Port Orchard, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Wilcey White and family of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Saunders of Follett.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Poole of Lelia Lake were Hedley shoppers Friday.

Playing in the basketball tournament at Claude Friday the Hedley girls team lost to Valley High of Turkey but the boys won their game. from Stinnett High School by the score of 68 to 48.

Keith Mann of Pampa spent the weekend in Hedley visiting his mother Mrs. Opal Mann and visiting Hedley

J.H. Painter's Sunday company was his uncle and aunt from sweetwater.

The Hedley High School boys and girls basketball teams and several car loads of fans returned home from the Claude tournament Saturday night. The girls defeated Fritch Saturday afternoon and returned home with a beautiful third place trophy. Darrell Holland is their coach. The boys defeated Fritch in the finals Saturday night and returned home with the championship trophy. Troy Lemley is their coach. Congratulations to the Hedley Owls and Owlettes

and their coaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Winters of Amarillo spent Sunday with her parents Mr.

and Mrs. Burt Stone.

Attendance was better for Sunday school and the Sunday morning service at the Hedley United Methodist Church. The covenent service was an inspiration to all that attended. Leon Couch was the lay leader, Mrs. Cliftie Doss was the pianist for the service and the pastor, Mrs. Kathryn Pigg, had the mediation and delivered the sermon. A 6 p.m. Bible study service was

also held at the church. Miss Doanna Adams of Irving, attended the morning service of the Methodist Church. She is a weekend guest of the J.D. Skaggs family.

Tim Reiken of Ft. Sill. Okla., spent the weekend in Hedley with home folks. Winfred Doherty visited his sister Mrs. Ruth

Kirkpatrick in Borger during

the new year holidays. Weekend guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J.J. Terry were Mrs. Ludine Ward and children Beverly, Barbara and James and great grandson Jesse Gibla all

D.K. Hall was a Hedley visitor last Saturday.

from Clovis.

Gerald Bland was recognized as an outstanding citizen of Hedley in the Branigan Jewelry advertisement in last weeks issue of the Hedley Informer. Gerald has been a booster of the Hedley area all his life. He is member of the Hedley Lions Club and the Hedley American Legion Post.

Ricky Springer had birthday party last Saturday at the home of his grandmother Mrs. Walker Moss. His little friends enjoyed games, cake and punch. Ricky received many nice gifts.

Booker Shaw has moved into the Baggett apartments on North Main Street.

It is nice to have Mrs. Carl Reid back at home. She spent

a few days in the Hall County Hospital in Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Sharp of Amarillo visited Mrs. Celia Lamberson and Mr. and Mrs. Jap Shaw Sunday.

Mrs. Lamberson returned home with them for a visit. Mrs. Kathy Burns and children have been visiting the Virgil McPhersons. she is

from Springfield, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Beach and children of Gaylord, Mich., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jess Beach this

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Louise Stewart is in the hospital in Wellington. Holiday guests in the

home of Mrs. Walter Moss and Don Springer included Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shields and boys of Lelia Lake, Gary and Renee Sheilds of San Antonio, Mrs. Louise Feldschneiber and children of Dumas and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moss and children of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Johnson have a mobil home in west Hedley. It is nice to have these good people back n Hedley.

Burt Stone, Mrs. Myrtle Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Thetis Taylor were in Childress Monday to see the Dentist.

Workmen started remodeling the dining room of Lois Lairs Owl Cafe on Main Street Monday. The cafe will be open from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. week days. It will also be open on Sundays. Pies and cakes will be made to order.

New Year's visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Johnson included Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Reynolds of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Jessee Reynolds and little son Jesse Jr., of Memphis and Mrs. Lee and Susan of Shreveport, La.

Mrs. Jerry Gray and boys and Mrs. Ray wells came down from Amarillo and spent Sunday with Mrs. Elva Davis.

Mrs. Virgil Johnson visited Mrs. Eva Johnson in the rest home in Clarendon Monday. She reports Mrs. Johnson not doing very well.

The Hedley school lunchroom menu for this Thursday and Friday is: Thursday

January 9-Spanish rice with beef, Macroni and tomatoes, bread, pineapple pudding and milk. Friday January 10-Hamburgers, french fries, lettuce, onions, fruit jello and

The Hedley 42 Club will meet with Mrs. Peggy DeBord this Thursday at 7

The Hedley Lions Club will hold their regular semimonthly meeting this Thursday evening at the Lions Den. Meeting time is 7 p.m.

The monthly board of directors meeting of the Greenbelt Water Authority will be held in Childress this Thursday evening. Local members of the board are Virgil McPherson, Fred Stafford and Clifford John-

Ben Lemley has a birthday this Friday, January 10. Happy birthday Ben.

The Hedley High School boys and girls basketball teams will be playing the teams from Lakeview High School here Friday night January 10. The games will commence at 7 p.m. These are district conference games.

Ansil Adamson has another 39th birthday this

If you need to see a representative of the Social Security administration there will be a field representative at the court house in Clarendon from 9:15 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon on Thursday January 16. He will be available to help on any matters relating to social

Happy birthday to Stephonia Holland. Her birthday is

Hedley High School will be playing Samnorwood here next Tuesday night at 7 p.m. These will be district conference games.

The WSCS of the Hedley United Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Clifford Johnson Tuesday. Mrs. Thelma Shields had a

birthday Wednesday. The Hedley citizens Club will meet in the Lions Den next Monday, January 13. It will be an evening meeting starting at 7 p.m.

Evaluation Techniques To Be Taught at Clarendon College

Evaluation Techniques In Secondary Schools and Colleges will be taught at Clarendon College this spring in cooperation with the College of Education at

West Texas State University. The education course which will carry 3 hours graduate credit, is designed to provide in-service training for secondary and college teachers in the latest techniques and developments in evaluating students. Special emphasis will be given to making the course apply directly to the classroom and the class member assigned teaching

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statistics" for teachers.

Dr. Thomas MacOwan Secondary and Higher Education, will be coordinating this seminar. He had extensive public secondary school teaching and administration experience prior to his college teaching. His special teaching and administration experience prior to his college teaching. His special teaching areas have been curriculum in the secondary schools, foundations of education, research, classroom procedures and techniques, and measurement and evaluation. Inquiries may be directed to him phone 656-2493 or 352-6304. or you may call Clarendon, College, phone 874-3571.

Enrollment for the course will be on the Clarendon College Campus at Spring registration, Thursday, January 23, 1975. Classes will be held on Thursday nights from 7:00 to 9:45 in Room 106 of the Academic Center, Clarendon College.

Bible Course, Philosphy Is Offered At Spring Semester

In keeping with Clarendon College's aim of community service, an evening section of the Bible course, Philosophy 138, is being offered this spring semester on Thursday evenings at 7:00. A daytime section will

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College Honor

The fall semester ended

with nineteen students being

named to the Dean's Honor

Leading the honors with

perfect 4.0 grade point

averages were Mike Boothe

and Martha Flores of

Clarendon, Amy Lemley of

Hedley, Earl Hartman from

Wellington, Mary Plain of

Follett, and Debbie Scott of

Crowell. Leigh Vaughan was

named for earning a 3.83

grade point average and Jeff

Campbell for earning a 3.6

Miss Flores is the

daughter of Mrs. Sharon

Painter and a sophomore

majoring in Elementary

Roll at Clarendon College.

Roll Listed

your phone number:

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FOR SALE: Limited number of December Issue-"Old Timer's News," containing story about old cattle brands of Donley County-1882-1885-50 cents each, 874-2577

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LOST: Black bald-faced heifer, 500-600 lb., out of trailer between Lelia Lake and Amarillo.

Rentals

FOR RENT: Nice clean

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FOR RENT:

TWO BEDROOM furnished

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Personals

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Education. Lacy Noble 874-2135 Mrs. Vaughan is the wife of Danny Vaughan and is a sophomore majoring in Art. Her parents are Mr. and

Mrs. Richard Nall. Jeff is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Campbell of Clarendon and is a sophomore majoring in Anthropo-

4-tfc Also named to the honor roll were Joyce Babcock from Groom, Joan Ferguson of FOR RENT: Modern two bed Turkey, Jay Hudlow of room duplex apartment. Call Estelline, Marti LaRosa from Bob Bell 874-3915 or Childress, Patricia Maupin of Quitaque, Donald May of Memphis, Lyndon Messer of Hedley, Mary Romo from Wellington, Joel Ross of Quail, Janet Smith of Pampa, Larry Taylor of Pampa, and Curtis Washburn of Floyd,

New Mexico. Honor students are recognized for accomplishing a 3.6 FOR RENT: Furnished grade point average or better apt.-no pets. Contact Mrs. on 12 or more credit hours of study. 2-tfc

"Fun After Fifty" Club met Saturday January 4 at the Lions Hall at 10 o'clock for their first meeting of the year. Mrs. W.S. Carlile led the opening prayer and games of dominoes and 42 were played.

Mrs. Dale the president presided over the business session. The door prize was won by Mrs. Fred Russell and those who had birthdays in January were given cards. We did not have any program for the noon meal.

invocation. Only a few were shop, fenced yard, sprinkler present due to the flu and For the February meeting Mrs. L.M. Cox from Kings Minor in Hereford will show

some of her recent pictures.

Mrs. Jean Hester gave the

Mrs. Chester Martin received word that her nephew L.G. Holland passed away with a heart attack December 31. He lived at Elk City, Okla.

Dimmitt Wedding Unites Jaci Johnson, J.T. Holcomb

Jaci Johnson and Jerry Tom (Butch) Holcomb were married December 21 at Lee Street Baptist Church in Dimmitt, Texas, with Roy Barringer, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy (Cowboy) Johnson of Dimmitt, is a graduate of Dimmitt High School and attended Clarendon College. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pittman and the great-granddaughter of Mrs. Dora Adkins of Clarendon.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Holcomb of Booneville, Ark., the bridegroom attended school in Booneville, graduated from Dimmitt High School and is attending Texas Tech in Lubbock.

The bride's father gave her hand in marriage at the church, which was decorated with an archway covered with greenery and pastel carnations. The altar was flanked by seven candelabra.

Rainbow ribbons marked the bridal aisle, and, following the ceremony, the couple lighted a unity candle beneath the archway. Mrs. Bedford Smith was

organist, and Mrs. Karla McElroy, Yuma, Ariz., cousin of the bride, sang "Twelfth of Never" and was accompanied by her husband on the "Wedding Song."

The bride wore a formal length gown of angelmist peau de soie and re-embroidered chantilly lace over bridal taffeta, with high

neckline. The gown was with empire waist, long bishop sleeves and semi-A-line silhouette with full back. Inserts of lace enhanced the neckline, bodice, sleeves and the hem.

She wore her grandmother's ring as something old.

The full back of the gown ended in a sweeping chapel-length train. Her chapel-length veil fell from a headpiece of heavy Spanish lace, hand-corded and beaded with mother-of-pearl in a floral pattern.

Richard Lehman of Iowa Park, Texas, was best man, and Kay Blasingame of Hereford was maid of honor. Candlelighters were Dana Lippard and Delese Kay, both of Dimmitt. Debra Halsey presided at the guest register. Ushers were Jim Taylor and Ralph Brown, both of Lubbock.

A reception followed the ceremony at the fellowship hall of the church, and the bride's table was covered with white satin and gathered tulle skirt, with blue bows on the corners of the table.

The centerpiece was a silver candleabra, flanked by bride's and bridesmaid's bouquets.

The three-tiered candlelight cake was decorated with blue rosebuds and a spiral staircase with blue candles. Appointments were crystal and silver. Assisting at the bride's table were Ann Welch and Mrs. Louis Heck, both of Dimmitt. The groom's table was

covered with an ecru cloth, decorated with silver service nd a miniature stagecoach atop the chocolate cake. Mrs. Tommy Nixon of Dimmitt assisted at the table.

The bride dressed for travel in a pink and white pantsuit and wore an orchid from her bouquet.

Following a wedding trip to Arkansas, Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb made their home at 1245 Auburn St., Apt. 67, Lubbock.

LOCAL

Mrs. Lucille Swinney and Cyd spent their Christmas vacation in Nashville, Ark., with their son, Jimmy and family. Christmas dinner was enjoyed in the Furrs, Sr. home. Christmas night they were entertained in the community center by the Furr family Country Western Band. Ronnie, Jimmy, and Charles Furr, a cousin Cary Short and Jean Simmons on the steel guitar. Ronnie Furr sings on the Louisiana Hayride, Shreveport, Louisiana and is a very talented song writer. Forty members of the Furr family, Mrs. Swinney and Cyd enjoyed the music. The following day was spent shopping in Nashville and De Queen, a motor trip to Narrow Dam and a skyline

view of Greeson Lake. On Saturday a motor tour of the cement factory and paper mill at Okay, Ark., and on to Texarkana to view a wide screen movie,

Dinner was enjoyed at El Chicas Saturday evening. Sunday was spent at Murfreesboro digging for diamonds in the Crater of Diamonds State Park. Though we weren't fortunate enough to find a diamond, many others were. Forty diamonds were found in the month of December. We plan to return for another digging session in the future.

CHAMBERLAIN CENTER

Chamberlian Center will meet Friday January 10 at 7:15 p.m. Mrs. Blanche Higgins and

Mrs. Gertrude Reed will be hostesses. There will be a covered

Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Puett from Tulia visited, Mrs. Chester Martin Sunday afternoon.

dish supper.



Mr. and Mrs. O.T. Pfeiffer

Pfeiffers Honored With 50th Anniversary Reception

Sunday, January 5, 1975, a Stephanie of Trinidad, West reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kidd in honor of Mr. and Mrs. O.J. Pfeiffer on their 50th anniversary.

The serving table was decorated with a lace tablecloth. A centerpiece of white carnations and gold mums with two gold candles on each side were used for decorations. Cake and punch were

served to about 70 guests. The cake was cut with the couple's 50-year-old knife. Crystal and silver were used. The couple's great-nieces served. The received many lovely

Hosts for the occasion were their son, Joe Pfeiffer of Amarillo, and granddaughters, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lindsay, Jennifer and

Indies, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kidd, Jan, Jill and Jodi of Clarendon.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Owens of Hughes Spring, Texas, Bro. and Mrs. Tom Carmachial of Sayre, Okla., Mrs. Kate Medlin and Louise Sasser of Lawton, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. George James of Plainview, o Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pfeiffer, Mr. and Mrs. Slim Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pfeiffer, Mrs. Johnnie Pfeiffer, Mrs. D.P. Hobbs, Miss Jean Smith and JoAnn Scott

all of Amarillo: Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Dink Medlin and Mrs. Dub Stockman, all of Claude, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lambert and girls of Tulia and Mr. and Mrs. George Britten and children of Groom.

Howdy! I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! I did. I apologize for the lack of the Bronc Buster the past two weeks, but I was out of town. Had a good time and got to see another Clint Eastwood movie Thunderbolt and Lightfoot!!! Yep, I'm still a Clint Eastwood

School started the 6th of January and everyone was still excited over their adventures during the holidays.

We have two new students in our midst. Please welcome Judy Adams, a freshman from Waco, Texas and Paul Skinner a junior from Portales, New Mexico. We're glad to have you and we hope you enjoy living in Clarendon.

Many people received nice Christmas presents from good ole Santa Claus. Jennie Barbee received a chest of hope--or a hope chest as some people call it. I bet in no time at all, Jennie will have it full with things for that "big step" someday. How does Randy feel about that?

Ava Hastey knows about wild family reunions!

Fuzz Davis and Gary Jack, what were ya'll doing out Saturday night?

Mrs. Stavenhagen, as Dirty Sally? Never!!!

The Spanish Club went to Amarillo for an evening of shopping and eating at Pancho's. They had a great time, so I hear and that the food was good. They tried to pronounce the Spanish food with real Spanish lingo, but the cafeteria people didn't and probably still don't know what they were saying!

For all Edgar Allen Poe fans, listen to the CBS Radio Mystery Theater at 10:00 every night this week on KGNC. It is really an entirely different approach to radio; just like a television program only you have to use your mind to picture the characters and the setting. You might even find yourself becoming addicted to the tense drama and listen to it every

Mrs. Grady, you always look so busy! How do you manage to stay cool and calm, well, most of the time!

Kevin Cates, I don't guess Santa found your house with anew Army coat! Mr. Mauldin, M.M. Bottom.

Bill Smith, Who's been sleeping in your bed?

Jan Barbee, what's that new timepiece you're wearing around your wrist? Could it have anything to do with Barry? There was a raid on the school that left most of us students wondering who would be dumb enough to attack the school building. Whoever these people are, I just want to say that if you want to destroy and maim our school, take your problems out on a punching bag or something else instead. The school looks like some little hovel with patched up window panes. Come on, let's take some pride in our school and if anyone has

Debbie Robertson, that sure is a cute purse you have! An ingenious idea by the Annual Staff! I apologize, but I didn't catch who all got one. It's a wooden purse decorated by phots of the football players, coaches, and varsity and B-team

a problem or mixed up with the world, there are plenty of

willing ears to listen.

1975 is here at last! Wow! Time flys by so fast! Soon, school will be out and our seniors of '75 will graduate. But until then, let's (as Mrs. Todd so often says: "Study! Study! STUDY!.

Freda White: mix-ups are crazy aren't they? Especially if you're told the wrong thing! Kim Radney and Tami Douthit, what were you two doing

with your heads together? Planning a conspiracy? If you want to see a look of pain, frustration, and total obscurity, just ask some people what they made on their

English themes!!! The quote for the week is by the wise woman-E.A. Bromley. (Just joking, but it is mine): The difference-between a successful man and a failure is that the successful mán can tell useful advice from fruitless advice, and make the best of it. A failure never learned to listen in the first place! And so

much for the quote of thew week! Question of the week: What's white and reddish-brown and weighs just enough and is full of amusing oneriness? My Britany Spaniel, Belle! (She's just a puppy!)

Cutest couple: Christie Cagle and Harry Sheilds! 'Til next week, Adios!

College Sets Beauty Course

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Tom Holcomb

The School of Cosmetology at Clarendon College resumed classes for the spring

semester this week. The school is open to patrons as usual as students start the second half of study that will lead toward

Law Courses To Be Offered This Spring

Two law enforcement courses will be offered at Clarendon College during the spring semester, with enrollment at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, January 14, at the college, room 107.

Clarendon Police Chief Gary Gerdes will instruct the two courses, offered on extention from Amarillo College.

Meeting at 6 p.m. on Tuesdays, the first of the courses, Law Enforcement 215, is a one-hour class on theft prevention and detection which will cover Texas shoplifting and general theft laws, prevention and detect-

"This course would be beneficial to a lot of the merchants, and anyone interested may enroll," Gerdes said. The second course, Law

Enforcement 239, will meet Tuesdays from 7 to 9:45 p.m. for three hours' credit. This course is designed to present basic philosophies of organizational technology, common structures of organization and patterns of administration processes and the management of general and special police units.

completion of 1500 hours of study and qualifications to take the State Board Test. Anyone interested in

enrolling for classes may enroll at any time. Contact Helen Rains at the school or dean Beryl Clinton at 874-3571. Anyone desiring an ap-

pointment for services of the school may obtain one by calling 874-3809.

Russell Reunion Held at

Mrs. Sibyl Russell of Gainville, Texas had a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Russell and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Alan R. Russell and daughter of Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Russell and children of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kilpatrick and children of

Millions of dollars are

Gainsville

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker, Lori and Valerie of Clarendon.

Sasaka, Okla., Mrs. Darlene Russell and daughters of Marillar, Okla.

shoplifted each day of the holiday season by teenagers. Teens steal to win peer acceptance, attract attention, get back at the establishment, support a drug habit, because of actual need and for other reasons, according to Ilene Carrington, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

When his doctor recommended he bury himself in his workthe concrete-mixer man protested vehemently.

Multi-Year Tags Available To Motorists Next Month

Beginning February 1, the majority of motor vehicles operating in Texas may be eligible to use the new "multi-year" license plate, renewable annually for five years of driving. According to Bob Townsley, Director of the Highway Department's Motor Vehicle Division, approximately 9.2 million renewal notices are already in the mail to vehicle owners announcing the fact.

"Motorists will notice no change in the registration procedure this year," said Townsley. "Only the license plate to be issued will be different."

Instead of the usual metal plate, a heavier, non-corrosive steel will be used for greater endurance. Also, the plate will be reflectorized field, considered by experts to be the most easily readable color combination.

"The real change in come in 1977," explained the Highway Department official. Next year, instead of for the five-year period. buying a new license plate, owners will purchase a 1-by 2-inch adhesive-type validation tag that will be placed in the debossed upper left the tag will be stuck in the

vandalism or theft.

The "Multi-year" plate to be used in Texas is almost identical to the one adopted by California some years ago. Specifications for plate design, letters and numerals were obtained from that state after careful study by Highway Department officials. "We found California to be completely successful with its 'multi-year' licensing system and it came closest to the 'new look' we wanted for Texas," said Director Townsley.

The 1975 Texas "version" is expected to cost the state 44 cents per plate to produce, almost double the manufac: turing cost for the '74 plate. The difference in costs being attributed to different matand will feature black letters erials and plate design. and numerals on a white However, the validation tags to be used beginning in 1976 will run some three cents apiece. According to Townsley, the state will realize an registration procecure will \$8.5 million savings in addition revenue from using the semi-permanent plates

Some motorists will recall this is not the first time "multi-year" license plates have been used in Texas. During the war years 1943 corner of the plate. In 1977, and 1944, small metal tabs were issued to renew the upper right corner to cover 1942 plate. Then again in the debossed "75," and 1947, when there was a alternated for the ensuing shortage of metal plates, years. Townsley said the tags windshield stickers were cannot be easily removed issued as evidence of without deterioration, a part payment of registration fees.

Motorists are encouraged early and avoid the "last minute" rush. Registrants may apply by mail immediately, or "in person" at their county tax office and substations beginning February 1. Mail applicants are renewal notice along with their payment and one dollar per vehicle to cover postage and handling. Allow at least 30 days for delivery of plates. The registration deadline is midnight, April 1.

License plates may be purchased beginning February 1 at the Donley County Assessor-Collector's

Deputy Bessie Fichte said the cards mailed out by the state should be brought to the office to purchase license plates in order to make the proceedure as easy as possible. If these cards are lost or not received, bring the title to the vehicle, but she said there would be a longer wait due to the typing of

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McCord announce the arrival of a granddaughter, Dedra Ann Hardy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hardy.

Mrs. Hardy will be remembered here, as Sue McCord. The Hardys live in

Floydada. Mrs. Eula Merrell attended the services of her

brother-in-law, Walter Mer-

rell, Monday at Lockney. Interment was in Floydada. Mrs. Merrell visited her mother, Mrs. Unis Taylor in Quitaque and returned home Monday night.

convenience the five-year plate will afford motorists, to register their vehicles 'Especially those who find changing license plates annually a chore!" He reminded, "Certain classes of motor vehicles will still require annual purchase of plates. These include radio operators, dealers, state reminded to return the entire officials and those passenger cars displaying 'personalized' plates." Motorists using the new plates will notice the use of vowels for the first time. Since 1965, when the

vehicles in Texas to allow

consonants only. The first

AAA 10 to be issued in

Also for the first time, a

new five-year travel trailer

plate will be available. This

trailers and house trailer-

gross weight or (2) not in

excess of 8 feet wide or 55

feet in overall length when

measured in combination

with the towing vehicle,

regardless of weight. The

registration fee is based on

actual weight including all

furnishings. Annual license

plates and movement per-

mits will be available for

mobile homes and house

trailer-type vehicles exceed-.

Annual registration fees

for motor vehicle owners will

remain the same in the past-

\$12.30 for vehicles weighing

up to 3,500 pounds; \$22.30

for vehicles weighing 3,501

to 4.500 pounds; \$30.30 for

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6,000 pounds; vehicles

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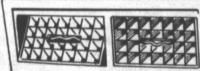
Bastrop County.

"English" system of a three-letter prefix and a two to three digit basic number was adopted, only consonants were used. Townsley says there are just too many

1975 license plate will be classification includes all type vehicles which are (1) forms involved. not in excess of 6,000 pounds

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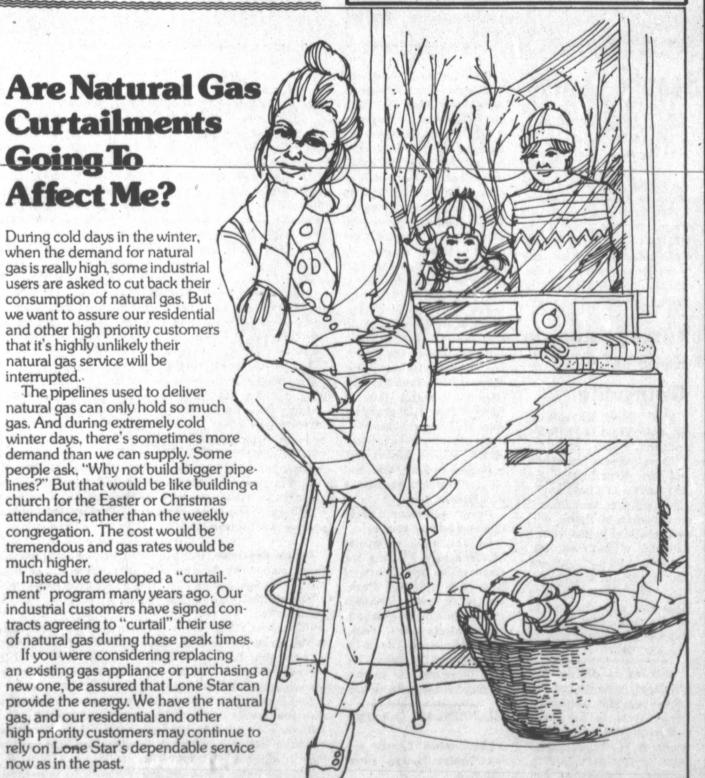
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