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## NEWS at a glance

### Thornberry named to defense post

WASHINGTON, DC—For the third year in a row, US Rep. Mac Thornberry (R-Clarendon) has been appointed to the Conference Committee for the FY 2001 Defense Authorization Act.

Thornberry was appointed to the Committee by Speaker of the House Dennis Hastert.

The purpose of the Committee is to resolve differences in the House and Senate versions of the FY 2001 Defense Authorization Act, which were passed by each chamber earlier this year.

"I think this is an opportunity to do some good for our area and the Nation," Thornberry stated.

Thornberry also serves as Chairman of the Special Oversight Panel on Department of Energy Reorganization and is Vice Chairman of the Armed Services Committee's Military Procurement Subcommittee.

### Shot clinics to be held in Clarendon

An Immunization Clinic offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases is scheduled in Clarendon.

The dates are August 3-4, 2000, 6:30 to 8:00 p.m., at the Clarendon Public School Cafeteria and August 15, 2000, 9:00-12:00 and 1:00-4:00, at the Texas Department of Health Clinic located inside the Associated Ambulance Authority office at 114 S. Sully Street (across from City Hall).

The Texas Department of Health is charging money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount of money charged will be based on family income and size and the ability to pay.

### Pampa sets tour of watergardens

The third annual Tour of Watergardens, sponsored by the Las Pampas Koi and Watergarden Society, will be held in Pampa on Saturday, August 5 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Featuring 17 sites on tour, visitors will visit yards containing water gardens to larger ponds up to 6,500 gallons in size. Many will contain numerous types of water plants, including hardy and tropical water lilies Egyptian papyrus, red stemmed thall, bull rush hyacinth, Cyprus, arrowhead, and many other varieties of water garden and bog plants.

Tickets are \$5 and may be purchased at any of the homes at the time of the tour.

For additional information, contact the Pampa Chamber of Commerce at 806-669-3241 or Lloyd Waters at 806-665-6466 after 6 p.m.

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- 4 Peggy Watt returns after a month-long absence.
- 5 Leon Church says army worms are a threat to Donley County crops.

All this and much more in this week's informative edition!

## El Paso firm to remove asbestos from courthouse

### Architects meet THC design deadlines

Donley County Commissioners selected a firm to remove lead paint and asbestos from the courthouse during a called meeting last Monday, July 24.

Lead paint and asbestos abatement must be completed as an early step toward a \$2.9 million restoration of the 1890 courthouse using a grant from the Texas Historical Commission (THC).

The commissioners' court chose Sun City Analysis of El Paso for the abatement work. A contract with the firm is being negotiated.

"We're going to have them finish up the bat guano removal too," said County Judge Jack Hall.

A local man, R.B. Vorheis, will remove much of the guano in the courthouse attic prior to Sun City's arrival. Vorheis had asked if he could have the guano several months ago, Hall said.

"He's getting the equipment he needs to do that job now."

Some of the guano is located beyond Vorheis' reach in walls and chimneys, Hall said.

Bats have infested the courthouse attic for years, and the piles of guano are over one foot high in some areas. The judge said Sun City will have to test locations in the courthouse for asbestos and lead paint and then coordinate with the architect before removing the toxic materials.

"The key thing is for Sun City and the architect to work together," Hall said.

In other courthouse project news, architect John Volz says his company made the July 24 deadline for submitting design work to the THC.

As of Monday afternoon, the THC had not made any comments about the work.

The next deadline is for submission of construction documents and will be due in October.

Volz also said his firm has obtained samples of Trinidad sandstone — the same stone believed to have been used in the construction of the courthouse. But, he says, the samples are of a different color than the stones in the courthouse.

Restoration work will probably use a different kind of sandstone, but one which will match in color and be more durable, Volz said.

For more information about the restoration of the 1890 Donley County Courthouse, visit our website at www.ClarendonOnline.com and click on the courthouse button.



**Open for business**  
 Five-year-old Trajen Johnson opened his first lemonade stand last Saturday, selling cool drinks and Rice Krispie snacks. The young entrepreneur did quite well and reports that he will re-open this weekend provided his mother supplies the inventory again.

## Dewhurst finalizes Red River Boundary Compact with Oklahoma

AUSTIN—Texas Land Commissioner David Dewhurst has announced the settlement of the long-running Red River boundary dispute between Texas and Oklahoma.

Dewhurst signed the Texoma Area Boundary Agreement in Dallas last week, which was the final action needed to complete the boundary solution as envisioned by the Texas and Oklahoma legislatures.

"Today's settlement has historic ramifications for Texas and Oklahoma," Dewhurst said. "A fair deal has been structured to preserve the integrity of the Texas and Oklahoma border, while greatly simplifying jurisdictional problems that have plagued our states for years."

Both legislatures passed similar bills to settle the dispute, leaving the adoption of a map fixing the border through Lake Texoma up to Dewhurst and the designee of the Oklahoma Red River Boundary Commission, State Rep. James Dunegan. Dewhurst stressed that no one's property will be affected by today's agreement, which only affects political boundaries.

The two legislatures previously agreed Oklahoma's boundary extends to the natural line of vegetation on the river's south bank. This makes the Red River a more stable, predictable and identifiable boundary.

"This new agreement simplifies and clarifies our mutual boundaries," Dewhurst said. "As the river changes, so will the border, as it always has, but the line of vegetation will make it easier to locate."

A treaty signed in 1819 made the Red River's south bank the US boundary with Spanish territory. In 1923 the US Supreme Court ruled Oklahoma's territory extended to the "gradient line" along the river's south bank. However, surveyors were needed to precisely determine the ever-shifting gradient line, resulting in costly delays and jurisdictional problems for property owners, fishermen, hunters and law enforcement through the years.

"As Texas Land Commissioner, I have a strong interest in protecting our state lands and private property rights," Dewhurst said. "Working out the final chapter of the Red River Boundary Compact is a natural extension of this office and my business experience."

## WTU locks office doors

West Texas Utilities Company locked the door of its local office Monday afternoon, bringing an end to a 73-year presence on Kearney Street.

Recent personnel changes within the company and deregulation of the state's electric industry prompted the closure of the Clarendon office.

Brown paper now covers the front windows of the WTU office, and the interior is bare to the walls since the company sold off the last of its appliance merchandise.

The utility, now called AEP-WTU, will continue to occupy the back of the building, and servicemen Leon Ward and Mike Proffitt will still use it as their base of operations.

WTU has provided electric services to here since 1927 when the Abilene company purchased the interests of Central Power & Light. WTU



AEP-WTU Area Business Manager Jeff Thigpen locked the door of the electric company's Clarendon office Monday afternoon. The company has had an office here since 1927.

## Woman dies near Clarendon when mother's vehicle rolls

A 23-year-old woman was killed ten miles west of Clarendon Saturday when her family's vehicle rolled over.

Courtney E. Brymer of College Station was pronounced dead at the scene by Justice of the Peace Jimmy Johnson at 1:37 p.m., according to Department of Public Safety Trooper Chris Ward.

Brymer and her family were traveling to Raton, New Mexico, for a family reunion and had left their home in College Station between 5 and 5:15 a.m.

Brymer's mother, 46-year-old Christel Brymer, was driving and apparently fell asleep at the wheel at about 12:45 p.m., Ward said.

According to the trooper, the vehicle crossed the center median of US 287, struck the pavement of the southbound lanes sideways, and rolled at least 2 1/2 times.

Also in the vehicle were 48-year-old Thomas Brymer and 15-year-old Justin Brymer, the father and brother of the deceased.

All the occupants of the vehicle were wearing seatbelts, and no one was ejected in the accident, Ward said.

Surviving family members were transported by ambulance to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo where they were treated and released for minor injuries, Ward said.

Southbound traffic was reduced to one lane for more than two hours because of the wreck.

Recent news reports have said driving while drowsy is equally or more dangerous than driving while intoxicated.

"If you feel yourself getting drowsy, you need to pull over and let someone else drive," Ward said.

## State to enjoy sales tax holiday

Texans will have the opportunity to save some money during the second annual Sales Tax Holiday this weekend, August 4-6.

During the Sales Tax Holiday, most clothing and footwear priced at less than \$100 is exempt from state and local sales taxes. Though the holiday is timed to help families outfit their children to go back to school, the tax break isn't limited to children's wear.

Terry Askew, owner of Saye's in Clarendon, says she's looking forward to the holiday.

"It did bring in business last year," Askew said. "The timing is nice for back to school clothes, and it's a great opportunity for people to buy early for Christmas."

Askew said her store will match the sales tax break by taking an additional 8.25 percent off everything in the store.

Also this year, the state has expanded the holiday to include lay-away items.

"Eligible clothes and shoes placed in layaway during the Sales Tax Holiday weekend may be taken out at a later date tax-free," Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander said. "This will allow hard-working Texas families with limited budgets to pay for their purchases a little bit at a time and still receive the tax break."

"The tax exemption applies to school uniforms, work uniforms, pajamas, robes and slippers, socks and underwear — and even jackets and sweaters if you can find any in the stores during this 100 degree weather."

"The tax exemption does not apply to accessories, jewelry and watches, or items that are carried, such as wallets, handbags, briefcases, and backpacks," Rylander said.

During the first Sales Tax Holiday last year, Texas families spent more than \$400 million dollars on tax-exempt clothing and shoes, saving more than \$32 million in sales taxes. This year, the savings are expected to add up to \$37 million.

For a list of items that are tax exempt and non-exempt during the Sales Tax Holiday, visit www.ClarendonOnline.com and click on the link in this story.

## TEXAS Sales Tax HOLIDAY August 4 - 6

Texans will get a break from state and local sales taxes this weekend during the state's second annual tax holiday. Shoppers can save about \$8 on every \$100 they spend.

Tax-Free Items	
Baby Clothes	Jogging apparel
Bathing Suits	Neckwear
Belt w/ buckles	Pajamas
Boots (selected)	Pants / Trousers
Caps / Hats	Raincoats
Choir Robes	Shirts
Costumes	Shoes (selected)
Drapery	Socks
Dresses	Socks
Gloves (general)	Shorts
Gym Suits	Suits/Jackets
Hooded Shirts	Sweatshirts
Hosiery	Sweat Suits
Jackets	Swimsuits / Trunks
Jeans	Underclothes
Jerseys	Work Clothes

editor's  
Commentary

WARNING: The following column is an editorial (i.e. an opinion, a point of view) and may contain ideas or positions with which some readers may freely disagree. It could be harmful to liberals, Health Nazis, and some lawyers. Read at your own risk.

NFWL: This column has been Read News! by the Enterprise Institute For Reader Feedback. "Warning Labels"



## Feds blowing smoke with cigar labels

According to a story in Saturday's *Amarillo Daily News*, new warning labels will soon be affixed to boxes of cigars.

The story cites the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) and the US Surgeon General as saying the cigar makers "agreed" to include the labels.

Right. Just like I "agreed" to participate in the government's cockamamie Social Security scheme. The government points a gun at people, and suddenly we have an "agreement." But I digress....

"Requiring health warnings on the packaging and advertising of cigars represents a positive and very important contribution to our efforts to educate Americans about the nation's leading cause of premature death and preventable illness," US Surgeon General David Satcher told Knight Ridder reporter Derek W. Wan.

C'mon, Doc. That's baloney. Seriously, is there a person left in these United States who doesn't know that smoking can cause cancer, heart disease, and maybe even (gasp) death itself?

Smokers know this. They've been vilified enough in the national media that they are well aware they are killing themselves and everyone within a 20-mile radius who sniffs the second-hand smoke.

Yet people continue to smoke, and that's their right. Tobacco is after all still legal... for now.

My question is this: Why bother with warning labels?

A warning label should do two things: 1) inform the consumer, and 2) protect the manufacturer. In the case of tobacco companies, the labels fail on the second part.

In this newspaper there is a warning label at the top of each of my editorials. I put it there as a joke a couple of years ago, and now it's a mainstay of the column. It is satirical in nature, but it does cover the intended purposes. Readers are fully aware of what's coming, and if they get offended I can just say, "Well, I warned ya." Tobacco companies can't do that.

The Health Nazis in the Surgeon General's office have been harping on the dangers of cigarette smoking for about 40 years. Bigger and bolder warning labels have appeared on cigarette packages for decades. And with the passage of time, experts trot out different diseases that cigarette smoking can cause - lung cancer, mouth cancer, heart disease, birth defects, green toenails, and so on.

It would be logical to think that, given these warnings coupled with all of the anti-smoking press, any smoker who suffers ill effects of their habit would have no one but himself to blame. Logic, unfortunately, has little place in today's litigious society. Last month, for example, a Florida jury ordered America's biggest tobacco companies to pay \$145 billion in damages to smokers "hurt" by cigarettes in that state. That's "billion" with a "B".

The Florida judgment is outrageous when you consider the facts that cigarettes are legal products and smokers continue to smoke despite government and societal warnings of the their health hazards.

In a fair world, the tobacco companies could just tell the Florida smokers, "Too bad. Should've read the label." And in a just world, the courts would throw out a case where people claimed they were damaged by actions they did to themselves. If I slit my wrist with a razor blade and died, could my family sue the blade maker?

Now cigar makers find themselves in a unique position. Their products have become fashionable in recent years while at the same time cigarette manufacturers are getting beaten up in court by individuals, states, and even the federal government itself. It is obvious that Health Nazis have targeted cigars, and a federal "agreement" to print warning labels is just the first shot fired in the next battle of the War on Tobacco.

More labels are just a smokescreen for increased infringements on the personal and corporate liberties of the people who make and use tobacco products. Will this attack on freedom stop with tobacco or will it spread to alcohol, beef, soft drinks, dairy products and other things that are "bad for you"?

If this movement isn't stopped, it will work its way into every aspect of our lives; and it should be stopped right now.

If I were a cigar maker, I'd tell the feds where they could put their warning labels.

We should cover the entire city of Washington, DC, with a label: WARNING - Government can be harmful to your liberties. Improper use can result in the death of freedom.

### Meanwhile...

The War on Tobacco has taken an interesting turn in Egypt. Ananova.com reports that country has enlisted the aid of Islam in battling smokers.

They've made smoking grounds for getting a divorce equally as legitimate as cruelty or committing adultery.

About half of all Egyptians smoke cigarettes or "water pipes," according to the news site, and the most popular brand is Cleopatra... which is made by a government owned company.

## Internet offers 'true' story of body snatching

My friend, Barb, in Michigan, was kind to share this story. And, I believe it is one that all of us gals can relate to!

Most of you have heard about the person visiting Las Vegas, who had their kidneys stolen while the man was passed out in the hotel suite. While that was an urban legend, this one is not. It's happening everyday, and is truly a case of body snatching.

My thighs were stolen from me during the night of August 3 a few years ago. It was just that quick. I went to sleep in my body and woke up with someone else's thighs. The new ones had the texture of cooked oatmeal. Who would have done such a cruel thing to legs that had been wholly, if imperfectly, mine for years? Whose thighs were these? What happened to mine?

I spent the rest of the summer looking for my thighs. I searched in vain, at pools and beaches, anywhere I might find female limbs exposed. I became obsessed. I had nightmares filled with cellulite and flesh that turns to bumps in the night. Finally, hurt and angry, I resigned myself to living out the rest of my days wearing jeans and Sheer Energy pantyhose. Then, just when my guard was down, the thieves struck again.



### on the Mark

with Christi Ross

My buns were next. I knew it was the same gang because they took pains to match my new derriere (although badly attached at least three inches lower than the original) to the thighs they had stuck me with earlier. Now my rear complimented my legs, lump for lump. Frantic, I prayed that long skirts would forever stay in fashion. It was two years ago when I realized my arms had been switched. One morning while fixing my hair, I watched, horrified but fascinated, as the flesh of my upper arms swung to and fro with the motion of the hairbrush. This was really getting scary. My body was being replaced, cleverly and fiendishly, one section at a time.

Was age to blame? Age had nothing to do with it. Age was supposed to creep up, unnoticed and intangible, something like maturity. No, I was being attached, repeatedly and without warning.

During one spring, my attention was riveted to upper arms...female arms. I studied them from every angle, being careful not to raise mine in public or flatten them too tightly against my body. In private, I held them straight out and did endless circles that would have tightened my real arms but did nothing for these new Silly Putty arms.

In the end, in deepening despair, I gave up my T-shirts. What could they do to me next? My eyes began to remind people that they needed a new pair of Hush Puppy shoes. My poor neck disappeared more quickly than the Thanksgiving turkey it now reminded me of. That's why I've decided to tell my story. I can't take on the medical profession by myself. Women of America, wake up and smell the coffee!

That isn't really "plastic" surgeons are using. You know where they're getting those replacement parts, don't you? The next time you suspect someone has had a face "lifted" look again. Was it lifted from you? Check out those tummy tucks and buttocks raising. Look familiar? Are those your eyelids on that movie star?

I think I finally may have found my thighs...and I hope Cindy Crawford paid a really good price for them!



## Surplus result of your hard work, not government's

Your mortgage, your credit card, your insurance, your rent... We all know how the bills can pile up by the end of each month. What a lot of people don't know is that we're also being slapped with a bill from the moment we're born.

It's the bill for our \$5 trillion national debt. As of today, this bill stands at over \$21,000 for every man, woman and child in the United States.

Congress is set to pay back about \$223 billion of the debt this year. But clearly, more needs to be done, which is one of the reasons why the recent report that the projected budget surplus, not including Social Security, will be over \$100 billion next year is such good news.



### issue Update

with Rep. Mac Thornberry

Needless to say, there has been and will continue to be plenty of discussion about what we should do with the surplus. I believe we need to focus on three things.

First, we need to make sure that we strengthen Social Security and Medicare. Second, we should pay down the national debt and get that \$21,000 burden off our children's backs once and for all. Finally, we need to give the American people some

of their tax money back.

Giving your money back is a scary thought to the many in Washington who believe they know how to spend your money better than you do. But we need to remember that the budget surplus is the result of the hard work and productivity of every American. It is only fair you get your money back.

As Ronald Reagan once said, Americans have "the ability and the dignity and the right to make our decisions and determine our own destiny." With the surplus before us and the opportunity at hand, I believe it's time we follow this advice and trust the people, not government, to do what is right.

## Reading, writing, and arithmetic mean savings for Texans

By Tom Haywood, Texas State Senator

While temperatures are still soaring, ice cream and lemonade are still the refreshment of choice, and children everywhere are splashing around local pools or enjoying family vacations across the state, back-to-school time is right around the corner. And though it's hard to get into the mindset of reading, writing, and arithmetic, I'd like to take this opportunity to remind the people of Texas of the second annual sales-tax holiday coming up next weekend.

Due to a measure passed by the Texas Legislature last year, and thanks to Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander's ideas and efforts, the state is able to offer a three-day moratorium on state and local sales taxes for clothing and shoes to help families prepare their kids to head back to school.

I remember when my four children were of school age. Back-to-school times were always a stressful, expensive time for us, outfitting three girls and a boy with clothes and shoes and school supplies. We were fortunate to have hand-me-downs and two incomes to help pay the bills. But many Texas families do not share similar situations. Single parents often have a tough time making ends meet under ordinary circumstances, but throw in a whole

new fall wardrobe for their kiddos, and it could mean a shortage on groceries or phone service.

That is why the Texas Legislature and the Comptroller saw fit last year to establish a three-day tax holiday - to help the working Texans have a leg-up on getting their kids outfitted for a new school year. We were blessed with a sizeable budget surplus for the 2000-2001 biennium, which allowed us to offer nearly \$32 million in tax-exempt clothing and shoes!

From the moment we learned of a state surplus, I decided we needed to return the money to the people - in the form of tax cuts. This much deserved tax holiday is one way the state is doing just that - along with the largest property tax cut in history, tax exemption on over-the-counter medications which went into effect earlier this year, and a reduction in Internet access charges.

I'm proud to be a part of the legislative body that returned nearly \$2 billion to the citizens of Texas, allowing them to keep more of their hard-earned money.

Now, I've never been known for my frivolous spending - just ask those three daughters I mentioned before. But this is one time I will encourage folks to get to

the malls! Shop until you drop! Take advantage of the three-day sales-tax holiday this weekend, August 4-6. Items eligible include all adult's and children's clothing and non-athletic shoes, pajamas, robes and slipper, pajamas, robes and slippers, socks and underwear, jackets and sweaters costing less than \$100. Items not included in the tax exemptions include wallets, purses, jewelry, watches, backpacks, briefcases, and other accessories. One new option this year is the option to put items on layaway. That way, you can stock up on those sweaters and jackets for colder weather - surely it won't stay 100 degrees plus forever - put them on layaway during the tax holiday and get them out later without having to pay taxes.

I welcome your ideas and input in this and all matters. My job is to represent you and to work for ways to make your life better - common sense solutions is what it's all about, folks.

And as I've always maintained...the best ideas do not come from Austin, but from places like Wichita Falls, Sherman, Denison, and Abilene, and all the little towns in between. So give us a call and tell us what you think. But not before you hit the stores!

## Reader says Ross is off the mark with recent comments

I just had to write to let you know what I'm feeling. Generally, I agree with Christi Ross' opinions and observations in the Clarendon paper, but the last two articles were not in that category.

The first article [July 20, 2000] on the loss of civility in our society today, but yet you used vulgar language (the H--- word) in that very article. I realize in today's society nothing is thought of this, but when I

was growing up, those kind of words were only used by men when no women were in ear shot. Today it is in common use by both genders with no thought of the offensiveness of such verbiage.

The other comment you made was in today's [July 27, 2000] article. You wrote that "humans are just animals." If we are but animals not only was the man in your article just, but also any other act that

would please a person with no consideration of the other person or God's law of goodness and brotherly love would also be justified. If we are just animals, the only thing we have to consider is self-survival and reproduction.

Gene Denney,  
Clarendon

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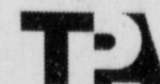


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### City approves changes to library board

The Clarendon Board of Aldermen met in regular session July 25 in the Board Room of City Hall.

Gary McKay of McKay Engineering discussed the need to replace more sewer lines in the upcoming grant application.

Donna Hicks gave an annual report for the Local Housing Authority, and Larry Hicks explained the present project of adding geothermal heating and cooling systems to the housing units.

Mayor Tex Selvidge presented the request regarding the Animal Control officer in the absence of County Judge Jack Hall. The county is wanting to use the city's Animal Control personnel for use in other parts of the county. The aldermen tabled the issue until more information is provided.

Lynn McKinney addressed the board concerning the condition of Sims Street near his home. The street at that point covers one block between US 287 and Broncho Stadium, and McKinney said it is in very bad condition and requested it be paved. The

aldermen took no action but assured McKinney it would be looked at.

Librarian Carolyn Blackerby presented changes she wanted made to the Library Board by-laws. The aldermen approved changing the number of members on the advisory board from five to a minimum of five.

Mary Douglas and Sharon Knox were approved as new Library Board members, and Carolyn Moffett and Amy Aufer were selected as alternates. Jim Douglas was approved as the lay representative for the Texas Panhandle Library System.

The water, sewer, and sanitation ordinance was discussed and changes were made.

The trash collection for the county was discussed. The mayor will speak to the county at the next commissioners' court meeting.

City Superintendent Jim Roberts gave an update on the City Park. The sprinkler system has been installed, and the restroom will be ready soon.



Something More After School Program students and adult volunteers were treated to lunch at Dairy Queen last Wednesday.

Digital photo courtesy Extension Office.

#### weather report

Day	Date	High	Low	Prec
Mon	24	92°	62°	
Tues	25	99°	64°	T
Wed	26	89°	66°	
Thurs	27	100°	67°	T
Fri	28	96°	71°	
Sat	29	92°	67°	0.21"
Sun	30	89°	60°	
Total precipitation this month		0.49"		
Total precipitation to date		17.61"		
Total precipitation in July last year		0.22"		
Total YTD total last year		14.97"		

#### weekend forecast

	Friday, Aug. 4 Partly Cloudy 98° / 68°
	Saturday, Aug 5 Partly Cloudy 98° / 68°
	Sunday, Aug. 6 Partly Cloudy 97° / 67°

Check out the local radar and forecast at [www.ClarendonOnline.com/weather](http://www.ClarendonOnline.com/weather)

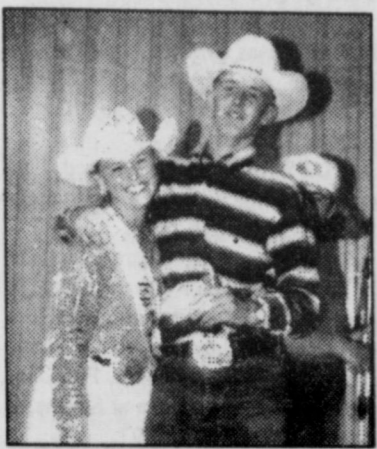
## Looking Back

### 20 Years Ago

THE CLARENDON PRESS, July 31, 1980  
 • Donley County Commissioners called for an election to be held on the issuance of bonds for the construction of the new jail. The amount of the bonds was set at \$180,000.  
 • Billy Roy Blackman was promoted by the National Park Service from the position of Park Technician to Park Ranger at Lake Meredith Recreation Area.

### 50 Years Ago

THE DONLEY CO. LEADER, August 3, 1950  
 • Fire Chief Carl Bennett announced yesterday that the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department would hold an open house at the Fire Station on Sunday, August 7, 1950. The public is invited to see the new fire truck and other fire fighting equipment. Members of the fire department will play a game of water polo for your entertainment.



**Dale Askew** brought home the Calf Roping Buckle from the Fellowship of Christian Cowboys Bible Rodeo Camp recently at Pampa. Miss Top O' Texas (left) awarded the prizes. Lee Cockerel was his instructor.

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**Obituaries**

**Pittman**

Mona Van Cam Pittman, age 61, formerly of Amarillo, died Friday, July 14, 2000, in Rockwall, Texas.

Mona was born December 28, 1938, in Roaring Springs and was the daughter of Earl and Vera Van Camp. She married Keith Pittman in December 1967 in Amarillo, where they made their home and owned and operated Pittman Paint Contractors until they moved their business to the Dallas area in 1999. Mona was a homemaker, artist, musician, gardener, gourmet chef, interior decorator, and partner with best friends Rose and Charlotte in "3 Designing Women."

Mona's parents and husband preceded her in death.

Graveside memorial services were held at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, July 20, 2000, at Citizens' Cemetery in Clarendon with Rev. Leonard Holt of the First Christian Church officiating. Memorial services were held

at 2:30 p.m. at the Memorial Park Chapel in Amarillo with the Rev. Terry Tamplen of Kingswood United Methodist Church officiating.

Survivors include a daughter, Denise Niesz of Dallas; two sons, Dirk Pittman of Rockwall and Darren Pittman of Amarillo; a sister, Laverne Sarrett of Amarillo; a brother, Virgil Van Camp of Amarillo; and three grandchildren, Shea Pittman of Amarillo, Cameron and Chelsea Pittman of Rockwall. Mona was the daughter-in-law of Roberta Pittman and sister-in-law of Cowboy and Jeanie Johnson and Judy Burlin of Clarendon, Bill C. and Vivian Pittman of Austin, and Pat Jordan of Amarillo. Mona will be missed by many nieces, nephews, and friends.

**Clendennen**

Graveside services for Woodrow "Woody" Clendennen, age 82, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, July 28, 2000, at the Rowe Cemetery in Hedley with Rev. Lewis Ellis, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lefors,

and Rev. Bryan Knowles, a Baptist minister, officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Clendennen died Wednesday, July 26, 2000, in Pampa. He was born February 25, 1918, in Hill County, Texas. He married Mildred Crawford on October 17, 1936, in Waco. He had been a resident of Pampa since 1998, moving from Amarillo. He was a member of the Chaparral Hills Baptist Church of Amarillo. He retired from Fort Worth and Denver Railroad and worked for the Campbell Ranch.

He was preceded in death by three brothers and one sister.

Survivors include his wife, Mildred of Pampa; one daughter, Betty Owens of Pampa; one son, Doyle Clendennen of Pampa; five grandchildren; and 13 great grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to BSA Hospice, 800 N. Sumner, Pampa, Texas 79065 or the Rowe Cemetery Association in Hedley.

*A Tribute*

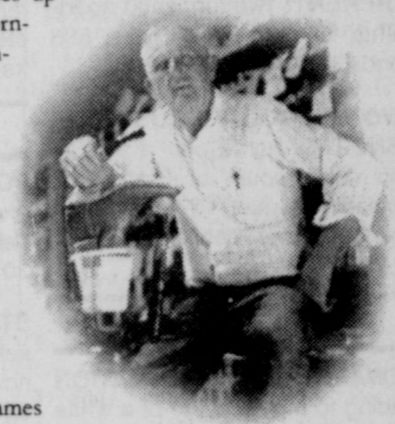
We pay tribute today to our good friend, the late James Owens, for his dedication to the many worthwhile causes too numerous to describe in their entirety in and around his hometown of Clarendon.

James was always willing and ready to take on any task which he deemed worthwhile. To name a few of his favorite projects: the 4th of July Celebration in which he took part every year and worked wherever he was needed; his participation in the development of the Community Center; and his interest in the Saints' Roost Museum. He worked with Wes Henson when they put 25,000 screws into the metal shingles on the roof of the museum. He engineered the refurbishing of the museum's entire interior. You name it - he did it! He served on the Museum Board of Directors for many years, and when he talked, we listened because we trusted his judgment.

James served as a City Commissioner and served on many committees up and down main street. Every morning, his group of friends assembled in the boot shop where they had coffee and conversation covering many topics concerning Clarendon and Donley County.

Above all, James was a good family man who loved his wife and children. He spoke often of his grandchildren and of their accomplishments.

We salute the memory of James Owens and will always remember him as a loyal friend.



Written and read by W.H. Skelton in a ceremony at the Saints' Roost Museum, July 2, 2000.

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HOUSTON - Before the first bell rings, both parents and children need to gear up for the start of the school year.

Sometimes those first few days of school can be a big adjustment for a child," said Dr. Lou Ann Mock, an assistant professor of psychiatry and behavioral sciences at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

The following techniques will help prepare a child for the first day of school:

- Get up early on the first day, so no one will feel rushed.
- Make sure to eat a good breakfast.
- Get everything ready for school the night before.
- Let the children pick out their

own clothes for the first day.

Make sure children get plenty of sleep. Missed sleep causes most of the day's experiences to be stored inefficiently in the brain, making it harder to remember lectures and interactions with teachers. In addition, it is important for children to begin settling into a good homework routine the first day of school.

**New shingles vaccine tested now in elderly**

HOUSTON - A new study aims to find out if a stronger dose of chicken-pox vaccine will help prevent shingles.

"Shingles is a painful skin and nerve infection caused by the same virus that causes chicken pox," said Dr. Wendy Keitel, an associate professor of molecular virology and microbiology at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "More than half of shingles cases occur in people over age 60."

Although most recover from chicken pox, the virus persists in groups of nerve cells near the spinal cord. The virus can reactivate and travel down the nerves to the skin on one side of the body causing shingles.

Shingles rashes usually heal within several weeks, but many patients can develop a debilitating complication called postherpetic neuralgia, which can cause pain for months or years.

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**The Lion's Tale**  
By Allen Estlack

Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting August 1 with Boss Lion Stan Leflew in charge.

We had 17 members and two guests. Our guests were Jerry Whatley, guest of Lion Jimmy Blackerby; and Russell Estlack, guest of Lion Allen Estlack.

Lion Blackerby entertained us with a good story.

Our program was Robin Rogers, director of Children Miracle Network. The Children's Miracle Network is associated with 170 hospitals. One hundred percent of the money given to their organization is spent on children's medical and related needs.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

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## State biologists predicting good year for hunting

Texas Wildlife Biologists are giving good reports for this coming hunting season. The rains that we have had earlier this year came at the right time and all indications show we should have a better than average year for quail, turkey, and deer.

Hunting season is getting close. Now would be a good time to go out and practice shooting some skeet, or get the bow and arrows out and target practice. Are your scopes zeroed in? How clean is your rifle? Now would be a good start in stocking up on gun shells. Maybe you can find a sale and stock up.

I read an article the other day in *Texas Fishing & Hunting News* that I would like to share with all hunters:

The Texas Game Warden's Top 10 Hunter's Check List

1. Review Outdoor Annual and check for open season dates/bag limits for the county you are hunting.
2. Check for legal means and methods in the county you are hunting.
3. Carry your current hunting license.
4. Clearly identify your target before pulling the trigger.
5. Carry a sharp knife; cut out the date (month and day) of kill on deer and turkey tags immediately after kill; attach appropriate tag to the deer or turkey.
6. Carry a ball-point pen; fill out ranch and county name on back of deer and turkey tags.
7. Carry your hunter safety certification card, if applicable, with you in the field.



outdoor Life  
By Gary Dziedzic

8. Carry a state driver's license or state personal identification certificate if you are 17 years of age or older.
  9. Fill out a Wildlife Resource Document to accompany any part of a deer or turkey that you give to someone else.
  10. Keep all game animals and game birds in an edible condition. It is better to be legal and safe than sorry.
- Upcoming Events:**  
There will be a Mel Phillips' Fun Fishing Tournament at Lake Green-

belt this Thursday evening, August 3. The time is 6:00pm until 9:00pm. The entry fee is \$25.00.

The Amarillo Friends of NRA will be having their 8th Annual Banquet and Fundraiser on Thursday, August 3 at the Amarillo Civic Center in the North Exhibit Hall. Tickets are \$25.00 for adults and \$15.00 for juniors and are available at Panhandle Gunslingers, 710 S. Georgia, Amarillo. You can call 373-7572 for more information.

**Fishing Tip of the Week:**

Sluggos in the moss are working good at Greenbelt and Baylor.

If you have any information on outdoor activities that you would like to share, please contact me at P.O. Box 1281, Clarendon, TX 79226, or e-mail me at gdol@nts-online.net.

## RRC urges caution at all highway-rail intersections

AUSTIN - Railroad Commission Chairman Michael Williams, Commissioner Charles R. Matthews, and Commissioner Tony Garza last week urged motorists to be cautious when approaching any highway-rail intersection.

Two weeks ago, Hedley was the site of two truck-train collisions. Driver inattention was given as the cause of both wrecks.

The safety reminder came following the release of figures showing highway-rail crossing collisions in Texas last year increasing for the first time since 1994.

According to the final 1999 statistics from the U.S. Federal Railroad Administration, 365 collisions occurred at highway-rail crossings in Texas last year compared to 322 in 1998. The 1999 figure represents a 13 percent increase from the previous

year. Texas once again led the nation last year in the number of collisions.

"This is not the way I had hoped to end the decade," Williams said. "The worst part is that these collisions are generally avoidable."

"It's important to always be cautious at rail crossings," Matthews stated. "Obeying crossing signals and warning signs is the surest way to get to guarantee safety."

Statistics reveal that crossing gates were present in 28 percent of highway-rail crossing collisions recorded last year. More than half (56 percent) of the motorists involved never stopped at the intersection before being hit.

According to preliminary data compiled by the Railroad Commission of Texas, 98 highway-rail grade crossing collisions have already occurred in the state through the first

three months of 2000.

Through a joint effort with the "Operation Lifesaver" program, the Railroad Commission works year round to educate drivers about rail crossing safety with classes held in schools and other educational venues statewide. Operation Lifesaver classes emphasize the safety message of "Look, Listen and Live."

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300 Bugbee • 874-3833  
Pastor: Truman Ledbetter  
Music & Youth Director: Geary Martin  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:55 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

**Church of Christ**  
300 S. Carhart • 874-2495  
Minister: Brian Gochenour  
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Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

**Calvary Baptist Church**  
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Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

**First Christian Church**  
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Sunday Service: 10:45 a.m.  
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Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.  
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**Church of Christ**  
Minister: Bright Newhouse  
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Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.  
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**United Methodist Church**  
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## REAL ESTATE

**FOR SALE BY OWNER:** Three bedroom, 1 1/2 bath with detached single garage on six lots. 702 S. Gorst. 874-2704. 24-1tnc 25-ctfc

## FOR RENT

**FOR RENT:** Two furnished apartments for rent. A.J. Hicks, 508 Bond. 874-3445. 32-1tp

**TWO BEDROOM HOUSE FOR RENT** with horse pen available. Two miles south of Clarendon. Available August 17. 874-2184 after 6 p.m. or mobile 930-5883. 32-2tc

## LOST/FOUND

**REWARD FOR INFORMATION** leading to the recovery of a white 20-foot S&H gooseneck stock trailer. Ernest Barbee. 874-2252. 32-1tc

**FOUND:** Red heeler puppy with red collar on 1260 South. 874-2391. 32-1tc

## GARAGE SALES

**GARAGE SALE:** His, mine, and ours. Got too much stuff. Gotta get rid of some of it. Washer, dryer, microwave, dining table. Also a 1979 Lincoln - 63,000 miles. Saturday, August 5, 8:00 until 3:00. 1401 W. 8th. Ronnie and Barbara Hill. 32-1tp

**YARD SALE:** Saturday, August 5, 2000. Many clothes, toys, baby things, treasures, and lots of goodies. 205 E. White. Ruth Hancock. 32-1tp

**GARAGE SALE:** 1112 W. 8th. Saturday only, 8:00-? New stuff added. Prices reduced. 32-1tc

**GARAGE SALE:** 621 Collinson, Friday and Saturday, 8:00-? Tools, jewelry, dishes, books, whatnots, a few clothes, and furniture. 32-1tp

**BETTY'S RESALE SHOP** - 1301 Houston, Hwy. 83 in Wellington. Huge clearance sale. Items from over 150 families. Under carpet. Sale starts August 4. 32-1tp

**GARAGE SALE:** Many school clothes and dress clothes, household items, and much more. 209 S. Hawley. Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, 8:00-2:00. 32-1tp

**HUGE MOVING SALE:** Antiques, dishes, name brand clothes - all sizes, lots of misc. Hwy. 287 across from car wash. Saturday, 7:30-? 32-1tc

**ESTATE SALE IN MEMPHIS:** Friday and Saturday, August 4 and 5, 9:00-4:00. Oak table and chairs, microwave, oil paintings, barbecue grill, exercise bike, collectibles, and more. 603 Main Street in Memphis, northwest corner of square. 32-1tc

**LARGE VARIETY OF** clothes, shoes, sheets, Baldwin piano, microwave, window fans, many more items. 104 S. Taylor, big white two story behind B&R. 8:30-5:00, Friday, August 4. Please, no early birds. 32-1tnc

## GARAGE SALES

**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, August 5, 8:00-? 204 W. Railroad, Hedley. 32-1tp

**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, August 5 - 7:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. 600 South Bond, Eads family Encyclopedias, NordicTrak, stereo, clothes, toys, household items, picnic table, etc. 32-1tnc

## FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:** Black-eyed peas, okra, tomatoes, cucumbers, and peppers at Lelia Lake. 874-2964. 30-7tp

**STEEL BUILDINGS**, new, must sell. 40x60x12 was \$17,500 now \$10,971; 50x100x16 was \$27,850, now \$19,990; 80x135x16 was \$79850, now \$44,990; 100x175x20 was \$129,650, now \$84,990. 1-800-406-5126 ext. 52. 32-1tp

**NEW STEEL BUILDING** in crate. 40x30 was \$7,212, now \$3,890. Must sell! 1-800-292-0111. 32-1tp

## AUTOMOBILES

**FOR SALE:** 1996 Mercury Sable LS, white, loaded, \$9,500. 874-5045, leave message. 32-2tc

## HELP WANTED

**NEEDED:** Evening cook. Part-time or full-time. Call Palo Duro Nursing Home, Claude, 226-5121. 31-2tc

**GREGORY ENTERPRISES** is now taking applications. Hiring sewing machine operators. Experience will help. Could be full-time. Call or come by 200 S. Kearney, 806-874-2448. 32-2tc

**NEEDED CNAs:** 6/2 shifts, base pay \$7.00 plus 50¢ differential. 2/10 shift, base pay \$7.00 plus \$1.25 differential. Non-certified nurse aide - \$6.00 plus 50¢ differential for 6/2 shift, 2/10 shift \$6.00 plus \$1.25 differential. CNA classes will be starting for non-certified nurse aides. Call Palo Duro Nursing Home, Claude, 226-5121. 31-2tc

**TEXAS PANHANDLE MENTAL HEALTH AUTHORITY SECRETARY /PART TIME**

Part-Time Receptionist/Secretary for regional TPMHMR office. Provides all clerical support including filing, typing correspondence and reports, setting up and maintaining medical charts, scheduling, mail pick up and delivery. Good computer skills using Windows 95 and word processing software. **REQUIREMENTS:** High school diploma or GED, knowledge of computers (i.e. Windows 95, Microsoft Word, Excel). Must have valid Texas drivers license and be insurable. Make application at TPMHA, 1500 S. Taylor, Amarillo, TX Visit our website at [www.tpmha.org](http://www.tpmha.org) EEO/Affirmative Action Employer 32-1tc

## SERVICES

**Bailey Estes & Son**  
Welding Fabrication & Steel Buildings  
Also Self Storage Units For Rent  
\$25.00 per month

**Chamberlain MOTOR COMPANY**  
In Clarendon  
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**Claude Robison**  
in the Sales Department  
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## HELP WANTED

**HELP WANTED** at Taylor Petroleum. Apply in person. 302 W. 2nd. 32-1tc

**SATURDAY RECEPTIONIST NEEDED.** Call Robin at 874-3544 for details. 32-1tc

**NEEDED:** Full-time housekeeper. Call Palo Duro Nursing Home, Claude, 226-5121. 31-2tc

## SERVICES

**CUSTOM PLOWING:** Will do custom plowing. Call Dickie Bennett at 874-2362 or mobile 662-8599. 8-ctfc

**DALE ASKEW MOWING** - Prompt and courteous service. Please call 874-5001 or 874-3844. 28-ctfc

## THANK YOU

Thank you to Leon and Sue Church for the garden you all made. Also thanks to Rabbit Osburn for the help preparing the land. We have enjoyed all the vegetables.  
May God bless you all.  
Beatrice Smith and family

## LEGAL NOTICES

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District offers career and technology education programs in vocational agriculture, business, and homemaking. Admission to these programs is based on interest, aptitude, age appropriateness, and class space available.

It is the policy of the Clarendon CISD not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, or handicap in its vocational programs, services, or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

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Clarendon CISD will take steps to assure the lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.

For information about your rights

## SERVICES

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378-7033 (Pager)

## LEGAL NOTICES

or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, John Taylor, Counselor at 822 West 5th, (806) 874-3241, and/or the Section 504 Coordinator, Marvin Elam, at 822 West 5th, (806) 874-3232. 32-1tc

## NOTICE

The City of Clarendon is accepting Depository Bids for a two-year period, (October 1, 2000 through September 30, 2002). Bids need to be in City Hall by 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 12. Bids will be reviewed at the regular Council meeting, beginning at 7:00 p.m. this same evening. If you are interested and would like more information, call City Hall at 874-3438. The Council reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. 30-2tc

## CLARENDON COLLEGE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL #9729

Clarendon College is soliciting proposals for two (2) 1998 or 1999 4 door cars. Proposals are to be received in the Business Office, Clarendon College, 1122 College Drive, PO Box 968, Clarendon, Texas 79226 or faxed to 806/874-3201. In either event, proposals must be received by 4:00 p.m. on Monday, August 14, 2000 (The Due Date). Estimated date of award: August 17, 2000. Delivery date by August 31, 2000. Clarendon College reserves the right to negotiate with any/all pro-

posers at any time, before or after submission of a proposal. Clarendon College reserves the right to reject any or all bids/proposals and to waive technicalities. Specifications are as follows: Two (2) 1998 or 1999 4 door cars (Program Cars)

Two (2) 1998 or 1999 Model Program Cars, 4 door sedan with less than 24,000 miles, 3.1 or 3.8 engine or equivalent, automatic transmission, air conditioning/heater, AM/FM radio with cassette, cloth seats, front license plate bracket, exterior color: white. Example: 1998 or 1999 Chevrolet Lumina or Buick LeSabre with minimum specifications as noted above; or, an equivalent model with an equivalent or better equipment package.

For questions regarding this request, contact Raymond Jaramillo, Dean of Administrative Services, Clarendon College, (806) 874-3571. 31-2tc

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## FARM EQUIPMENT

**GAYLAND WARD SEED CO.**  
800-299-9273

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**TRITICALE:** Presto, 430, T-23, Pika, Full Season Trit Blend  
**GRAZING BLENDS:** 50x50 Triticale & Rye; 40/40/20 Triticale, Bearless Wheat, Walken Oats; 60/40 Wheat & Rye; Full Season Trit Blend; Custom Order Grazing Blends  
**WHEAT:** TAM 105, TAM 110, TAM 200, TAM 202, TAM 302, Jagger, Scout, Ogalaia, 2137, Custer, Lockett  
**RYE:** Maton, Elbon, Strain Cross, Oklon  
**BARLEY:** Schlyer, Post, TAMBAR 401  
**SAIS:** Walken, Bob, Nora, Coronado  
**SPRING WHEAT:** Express

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## SERVICES

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# Classifieds

**Big-E Deadlines:**  
Monday @ 5 p.m.  
Prepayment required on all classifieds.

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**LEGAL NOTICES**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CLARENDON COLLEGE**  
The Clarendon College Board of Regents will hold a public hearing on the College's proposed budget for 2000-2001 fiscal year on Thursday, August 17, 2000, at 11:30 a.m. in the VIP Room of the Bairfield Activity Center, Clarendon College Campus, Clarendon, Texas. 31-2tc

**NOTICE OF REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS FOR 2000-2001**  
The Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District Board of Trustees is accepting proposals for the following: technology hardware, software, furniture, cabling, and various other technology equipment and supplies to be purchased for a 2000-2001 Technology Integration in Education Grant.  
Proposals need to be in the Superintendent's Office by 4:00 p.m. on August 22, 2000.  
Interested vendors need to contact Marva Thomas (806) 874-2181 or write PO Box 610, Clarendon, TX 79226 for proposal specifications. The Clarendon CISD will reserve the right to accept or reject any or all proposals and to waive technicalities. 32-1tc

**CLARENDON COLLEGE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL #9728**

Clarendon College is soliciting proposals for three (3) 1 Ton Passenger Van (Program Van). Proposals are to be received in the Business Office, Clarendon College, 1122 College Drive, PO Box 968, Clarendon, Texas 79226 or faxed to 806/874-3201. In either event, proposals must be received by 4:00 p.m. on Monday, August 14, 2000 (The Due Date). Estimated date of award: August 17, 2000.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

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Specifications are as follows:  
Three (3) 1 ton 15 Passenger Vans (Program Vans) 1999 or 2000 Model Year  
1 Ton passenger van (less than 24,000 miles) with vinyl seats and rubber mat floors, 15 passenger seating, cruise, tilt, 7400 V8 SFI engine or equivalent, heavy duty automatic transmission with overdrive, 4.10 rear axle ratio, locking differential, heavy duty hitch and trailing package, tires LT245/75R16-E, AM/FM Radio/Tape Cassette with rear speakers, deep or heavy tinted glass, front and rear air conditioning with auxiliary heater, swing out side doors, low mount swing away mirrors, 9500 lbs. GVW or heavier, exterior: white.  
Example: 1999 or 2000 Chevrolet Express Passenger Van, Ext 155" WB with Vortec 7400 V8 SFI; 4-speed automatic HD with overdrive; and, other specifications as noted above or equivalent.  
For questions regarding this request, contact Raymond Jaramillo, Dean of Administrative Service, Clarendon College, (806) 874-3571. 31-2tc

**LEGAL NOTICES**

**ORDINANCE NO. 331**  
An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Clarendon, Texas, clarifying rules, regulations, and penalties regarding public utilities.  
Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Clarendon:  
**Article One:** General Provisions regarding the billing for, usage of, and termination of utility services including - **Section 1.2:** All pertinent provisions of this ordinance are hereby made a part of the terms and conditions whereby the city shall furnish any utility service to any person, or whereby the city shall make any utility connections, or perform any work of any kind in connection with the furnishing of any utility service pursuant to the rules and regulations of the City Council. **Section 1.6:** Establishing the right of the city to terminate service. **Section 1.23:** Deposit required with applications - Residential, \$35; Commercial, \$45.  
**Article Two:** Establishing Rates for Water, Sewer, Garbage Collection, and Security Lights as described in the ordinance.  
**Article Three:** Termination Procedures for both Non-emergency and Emergency situations and

**LEGAL NOTICES**

outlining the rights of the customer.  
**Article Four:** Miscellaneous Provisions regarding Prior Ordinances and Severability and including - **Section 4.2:** Penalties - Any person who violates any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not more than \$500. The imposition of one penalty for any violation shall not excuse the violation or permit it to continue. Each violation which is not corrected or remedied within three (3) days shall constitute a separate offense. **Section 4.4:** Effective date - This ordinance shall become effective and shall be in full force and effect on and after its passage on a reading by the Clarendon City Council, and duly signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Secretary. Publication in accordance with Texas law and provisions of the Charter of the City of Clarendon is accordingly so ordained. Passed and approved the City Council of the City of Clarendon, Texas, on the 25th day of July, A.D. 2000.  
[s] Tex Selvidge, Mayor  
Attest: [s] Janice Barbee, City Secretary  
32-1tc

**REAL ESTATE**

**FOR SALE**  
**CLARENDON - HOUSE**  
**OWNER RELOCATING - MUST SELL** nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat and air, carport on 1 1/2 lots at 613 Browning St. for \$38,500.  
**OWNER WILL FINANCE** - two adjoining houses - large house 1406 sq. ft., 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, living/dining, den, kitchen, central heat and ref. air, new carpet, car port - smaller house 1056 sq. ft., 2 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen/nook, living. Suitable for two family arrangement or one family with rental for additional income at 514 Carhart for \$42,500.  
**LIKE NEW** custom designed 2 bedroom, 2 full baths with marble sinks & skylights, living/dining/den, fireplace with blower, large utility, built in computer desk, central heat & ref. air, recessed fans & lighting, storm cellar, carport, PLUS gas, electricity, & water hookup for RV - or mobile home, all of 3 lots enclosed with chain link fence at 711 E. 3rd for ~~\$75,000~~. REDUCED TO \$60,000.  
**RECENTLY REMODELED** 2 story, 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, living, dining, kitchen with new cabinets, dishwasher and range, large utility, covered porch, large deck, ducts installed for central h/a, shade and fruit trees, cased well, barn and storage building, all on one city block at 902 S. Gorst for \$72,000.00.  
**NEAR SCHOOL** - 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, living, dining, kitchen, one room finished basement, central heat & ref. air, 320 sq. ft. covered porch, unattached two car garage, fenced backyard at 620 W. 6th for ~~\$49,500~~. Price reduced. \$47,500.  
**DUPLEX** centrally located within walking distance to school and post office, some appliances included. Suitable for two small families. Could be converted to 3 bedroom, 2 bath residence. Good investment for bed and breakfast at 517 W. 4th for ~~\$39,500~~. Reduced to \$32,900.  
**ONE BLOCK FROM HIGH SCHOOL** - 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, living, kitchen, dining, basement, 1-car attached garage, central heat at 1108 W. 5th St. for \$22,500.  
**CLARENDON - ALL GRASS** - section with one mile frontage on paved farm-to-market road only three miles from Clarendon. Good grass - has been rested during winter, two windmills with tubs, two dirt tanks, nice view, electricity available. Suitable to operate as/is or to sub-divide, good buy at \$265 per acre. (OWNER WILL NEGOTIATE SELLING 1/2 SECTION ONLY WITH PAVED FRONTAGE).  
**CLARENDON-RANCH** - approximately 2,100 acre sportsman's paradise beginning six miles south of Clarendon on pavement - 2 modern houses, each 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat & ref. air, fireplace, and much more, large complete set of corrals, barn, and other out buildings, large overhead feed bin, round pen, dog kennels, wells with sub. pumps at both houses, also a third well with sub. pump plus 4 windmills in pastures. LIVE SPRING WATER FEEDS STOCKED FISHPONDS WHICH ALSO PROVIDE WATER FOR DEER, QUAIL, AND WILD TURKEYS - ALL WITHIN VIEW OF ONE HOUSE. Now showing to qualified buyers at \$1,100,000.  
**CLARENDON-RANCH** - 1,170 acres only 4 miles south of Clarendon, good cattle country with just enough rough land and cover to attract DEER & GAME BIRDS, large dirt tank and 3 wells provide abundant water for livestock and game, good set of corrals, beautiful unobstructed view overlooking scenic canyon country for \$275,000 per acre.  
**CLARENDON-FARM** - 271 ACRES 9 MILES S/E of Clarendon - 173.8 acres in CRP at \$33.00 with 8 years remaining (~~\$5,735.00 annual payment~~), 1 domestic well, frontage on large major ranch provides unobstructed view for building site and makes this a favored feeding ground for deer and quail, offered at \$400 per acre.  
**CLARENDON-COMMERCIAL** 250 ft. frontage on Hwy. 287 with nice, well maintained office building presently leased to a State of Texas agency for \$824 monthly. Very good income investment plus excellent development potential for vacant lots with Hwy. 287 frontage. At 911 E. 2nd for \$89,000.  
**480 ACRES** - between Goodnight and Ashtola, 228 acres grass, 252 acres cultivated in wheat, large metal barn with concrete floor, domestic well, productive caliche pit, owner in possession - could give immediate possession for \$325.00 per acre.  
**GOODNIGHT - OWNER HAS RELOCATED TO ANOTHER STATE AND REDUCED PRICE FOR QUICK SALE** - 34 acres, all grass, 2 bedroom house with living, den, 1 bath, utility, kitchen/dining, new wiring, central heat, domestic well, attached 3 car port enclosed on three sides, storage van, port for 5th wheel or mobile home, concrete cellar on hard surface road for ~~\$55,850~~. REDUCED TO \$49,700.  
**GOODNIGHT** - 100 acres, 3 bedroom house with 1 bath, kitchen, dining, living/den with wood burning stove, utility, screened-in porch, almost new metal roof, domestic well with pressure system - barn with 5 stalls, saddle room, feed house, hay loft, and drive through alley -- arena with boxes and lights for \$130,000.  
**CLAUDE** - 327.5 acres total - 153.9 acres in CRP for 8 more years with \$5,986 annual payment, 50 acres in cultivation, balance native grass, 6" irrigation well with motor, 1/4 mi. underground 10" high pressure line, domestic well with sub. pump, older house in need of repair for \$450.00 per acre. REDUCED TO \$385.00 PER ACRE.  
**LELIA LAKE** - 116.45 acres of excellent grass - will run 16 to 20 cow units, well with sub. pump, barn, corral, good fences, lots of trees, quail and deer frequent the place, county road on two sides - the perfect little ranchette, reasonably priced at \$385.00 per acre.  
**LELIA LAKE** - 5 1/2 acres on pavement, remodeled 3 bedroom, 1 bath, large living/den, kitchen, central heat & ref. air, screened-in porch full length on two sides of house, unattached 2-car garage, oversized concrete cellar, large weathered but usable barn with loft, well with jet pump, many fruit, nut and shade trees. Great buy at \$63,000.  
**LELIA LAKE** - 2 ACRE +/- beautifully landscaped and decorated, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths (full, 3/4, & 1/2), large kitchen/dining, den with fireplace, living, sun room with bricked grill, double garage, 2-car port, brick, shakes, central heat & air, dust stopper doors & windows, well, fenced yard, shop & storage building, dog kennel with 6 runs, numerous shade & fruit trees - and more - must see to appreciate. Owner relocating; price REDUCED TO \$89,900.00. (Below appraisal)  
**LELIA LAKE** - Four miles south, ten acres and nice brick house with 3 bedrooms, 3 baths (full, 3/4, & 1/2), country kitchen, large living room, cellar, barn, and fruit trees, one mile off hard surface road for \$70,000. Occupied, shown by appointment.  
**GREENBELT** - Country Club Central Section, split-level, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, living/den/kitchen, wood burner fireplace, central heat, full length enclosed porch, garage/shop at #6 Dawn Drive for \$36,000.  
**GREENBELT** - Lease lot #7 west side of lake, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen/dining, living/den, attached double garage, central heat & ref. air, view of lake from patio for \$32,000.  
**GREENBELT** - Carroll Creek Acres - 4 acres and 2 bedroom, 1 bath, living, dining, den, well with sub. pump for \$27,000.

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COTTLE CO., TX - 866 acres (+/-) PEANUT FARM - 600 acres under pivots, lots of water, 119 acres CRP 8 years' left. Chalk, TX. Irrigation wells fairly new. Peanut quota goes with land. Priced to move. Call Leslie - Amarillo.  
COTTLE CO., TX - 160 acres (+/-). Improved grass. West of Paducah, terraced with tree shelter belt on 2 sides. Domestic water and fences. Call Leslie - Amarillo.  
COLLINGSWORTH CO., TX - 320 acres (+/-). 3-4 miles North of Memphis, running water draw. Almost new 2,000 sq. ft brick home with 2-car garage, 4 horse barns, lighted rodeo arena, and a new bank house. Great wildlife hunting. Beautiful place. Priced to sell. Call Tony - Amarillo.  
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(806) 355-9856 806-434-1407  
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- CLARENDON**
    - 601 W. 6th St. (corner of 6th & Ellerbe), brick, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 1/2 baths, 2 living areas, 2 kitchens, fireplace, CH/A, basement, approx. 3,659 sq. ft., 2 car garage, fenced pool, much, much more. Appointment only. \$120,000
    - 605 McLean St., brick, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, C H/A, approx. 1,450 sq. ft. + 440 sq. ft. in attached 2 car garage. Extra nice and clean. ~~\$67,500~~. \$65,000
    - 601 W. 7th St., stucco, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, recently remodeled. \$60,000
    - Commercial building on Hwy. 287, CH&A, two lots, carport. ~~\$90,000~~. \$27,500
    - 620 S. McLean St. Stucco, nice and clean, two bedroom, one bath, metal carport, 3 & 1/2 lots on corner. \$30,000.
  - HEDLEY**
    - Brick 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central h/a, barns and corrals with 100+ acres bluestem grass. \$120,000.
  - GREENBELT LAKE**
    - Lot 106 (lease lot) with furnished mobile home. Excellent. \$25,000
  - HALL COUNTY**
    - 196.4 acres (64 CRP at \$30 for 10 yrs) borders Red River. \$250.
    - 640 Close to Red River. \$275.
  - CHILDRESS COUNTY**
    - 640 acres. Excellent hunting.
    - 1,204 acres (158 CRP at \$38 for 9 yrs.), two tanks - live water. \$250.
  - BRISCOE COUNTY**
    - 1254 acres, 5 dirt tanks. Excellent hunting. \$250.
- Jimmy Garland Real Estate**  
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Sheriff's Report:

Caller to dispatcher: A bobcat is eating my chickens!

July 25

2:36 a.m. - Burlington Northern reports signal problems at Kearney Street. Have representative en route. Have deputy stand by at location.  
 5:32 a.m. - Deputy reports street light out at Eighth and Elterbee. Dispatch will advise WTU.  
 7:34 a.m. - Manager at business at US 287 at Jefferson St. reported patron attempted to pay with check which was rejected by scanner. Patron advised she would return with cash. She did not return. A report was filed at the sheriff's office.  
 7:59 a.m. - Vandalism reported at cemetery.  
 8:12 a.m. - Deputy found no one at cemetery.  
 11:09 a.m. - Caller reported daughter's wallet stolen from her vehicle at Kincaid Park. Unsure if vehicle doors were locked.  
 1:30 p.m. - Caller seeking information on preventing an individual from entering her business. Advised her to speak with the sheriff or chief deputy.  
 3:40 p.m. - Caller reported property being removed from residence in Carroll Creek area. Was told removal was due to bond forfeiture. Caller wanted deputy to know, and deputy was advised.  
 3:47 p.m. - Employee at business 900 block of W. Second St. reported a suspicious male accompanied by a child. Deputy responded.  
 4:16 p.m. - Dispatch contacted Clarendon resident with information and phone number of her son.  
 9:38 p.m. - Off duty deputy advised of disabled boat off shore at Kincaid Park. Greenbelt Security advised.  
 10:02 p.m. - Greenbelt Security towing boat to shore. Lost a motor.  
 10:17 p.m. - Caller reported her child is with his father, and she wants child returned to her at a friend's residence. Sheriff was advised. Conveyed this was a civil matter.  
 11:33 p.m. - Caller now reported father has picked up his second child.  
 11:44 p.m. - Resident of 700 block W. Fourth advised confrontation between parents of above children at his residence. Male being abusive to female was asked to leave. Need to file report.

July 26

12:49 a.m. - Resident at 600 block E. Second needs deputy. Referred to dispute from W. Fourth St. earlier.  
 1:00 a.m. - Deputy out at E. Second.  
 1:08 a.m. - Deputy reported all parties agree everything has been settled for the night.  
 2:15 a.m. - Deputy out with semi parked in the middle of the highway.

3:04 a.m. - Ambulance paged to 911 call in the 1300 block of Carroll Creek Acres. Transport to Amarillo VA.  
 10:35 a.m. - Mobile caller reported possible intoxicated driver. Deputy located possible intoxicated driver.  
 10:58 a.m. - Report of minor fender bender at Culberson and US 287 in Hedley.  
 10:59 a.m. - DPS advised of accident. Dispatched wrecker. Contacted Amarillo resident. Advised vehicle has been in accident at Hedley. Owner advised driver did not have permission to take vehicle from Amarillo. Will file charges. DPS advised may be the vehicle reported earlier with possible intoxicated driver.  
 1:42 p.m. - Ambulance paged to 800 block S. Johns.  
 1:49 p.m. - Ambulance returned.  
 4:45 p.m. - Loud music reported 800 block E. Second.  
 5:28 p.m. - EMS paged to meet injured party at ambulance barn. Ambulance transported to Amarillo VA.  
 7:44 p.m. - Ambulance paged to the medical center.  
 7:56 p.m. - Accident six miles south Wellington. DPS on scene.  
 8:50 p.m. - Deputy en route to jail with one in custody.  
 8:54 p.m. - Caller reported children on go carts. One very small. DPS available and will check on go carts in Hedley.  
 9:16 p.m. - Vehicle keyed while at Medical Center.  
 9:41 p.m. - DPS en route to jail. Possible intoxicated driver.  
 10:58 p.m. - Trespassers 900 block S. Carhart.

July 27

1:06 a.m. - Ambulance, fire department, DPS, and deputy dispatched to accident reported 15 miles E. Claude. Also contacted Armstrong County sheriff's office.  
 1:44 a.m. - Ambulance en route to NWTH.  
 9:45 a.m. - Caller reported semi parked in highway with flashers on in 700 block W. Second.  
 9:51 a.m. - Fire department paged to vehicle fire US 287 at Koogle.  
 12:39 p.m. - Clarendon merchant reported theft of merchandise valued at \$200 - \$250.  
 12:52 p.m. - Deputy out US 287 at S. Kearney.  
 3:25 p.m. - Caller reported possible fight 200 block N. Jefferson. Possible weapon. All units to the area. No address found.  
 5:28 p.m. - Report of harassing phone calls.  
 7:23 p.m. - Fire department and ambulance paged to hay fire N. 70 at I-40. 250 bales on trailers.  
 7:44 p.m. - Structure fire FM 2362.  
 7:52 p.m. - Visual contact advised no struc-

ture involved. Fire department on scene.  
 8:51 p.m. - Medical personnel to check on ill inmate.  
 9:21 p.m. - Deputy transporting inmate to Hall County Hospital.  
 11:23 p.m. - Need a deputy. Location not logged.  
 11:25 p.m. - Need a deputy to come by. Having problems with people 1500 block W. Fifth.

July 28

12:03 a.m. - Deputies out at above location.  
 2:05 a.m. - Traffic stop 800 block E. 2nd. Driver intoxicated. Dispatch wrecker.  
 2:25 a.m. - Deputy en route to jail. One female in custody.  
 4:45 a.m. - Deputy out with two trucks three miles W. US 287.  
 10:13 a.m. - Caller reported young male throwing rocks and attempting to pull things from equipment W. First St. Deputy dispatched.  
 10:23 a.m. - Deputy escorting juvenile male into place of business.  
 11:24 a.m. - 911 call. Ambulance paged to Medical Center. Transporting to NWTH.  
 2:00 p.m. - Deputy out in 300 block of Lubbock Lane. Subject gone back to Amarillo. Will check residence tomorrow.  
 3:10 p.m. - Caller reported possible funnel N. of Claude.  
 10:34 p.m. - DPS en route to sheriff's office. One female in custody.  
 10:46 p.m. - Trespassers 900 block S. Carhart. Deputy responded.  
 11:54 p.m. - DPS en route to sheriff's office. One male from N. 70.

July 29

7:37 a.m. - Mobile caller out of gasoline 3 - 4 miles east on US 287. Can we send help?  
 7:55 a.m. - Contacted stranded motorist. Advised someone en route with gasoline.  
 8:56 a.m. - Train cars uncoupled one half mile east of Lelia Lake. BNSF and deputy dispatched to location.  
 9:16 a.m. - Deputy reported train is connected. Two in the area.  
 10:37 a.m. - Male subject at sheriff's office to turn himself in.  
 11:43 a.m. - 911 call. No response. Call back found child playing with telephone.  
 12:56 p.m. - Ambulance, fire department, DPS, and deputy paged to accident 10 miles west on US 287. Vehicle westbound now in eastbound lane. One lane blocked.  
 1:09 p.m. - Highway department bringing cones to accident scene. Wrecker dispatched.  
 1:16 p.m. - Justice of the Peace dispatched

to scene.  
 1:29 p.m. - Ambulance transporting one to NWTH. Reported vehicle interfering with ambulance. Get someone to stop this vehicle.  
 1:20 p.m. - Second ambulance transporting to NWTH.

1:31 p.m. - Armstrong County sheriff's office advised of vehicle interfering with ambulance.  
 3:07 p.m. - W. Third resident in sheriff's office to report possible poisoning of their dog while on vacation. Also a large trash bag was thrown into their yard. Afraid to open it. Want deputy to come by. Deputy responded.

4:21 p.m. - 911 call. No response. Contacted on call back. All okay.  
 7:56 p.m. - Armstrong County en route to Donley sheriff's office. Need intoxicilizer run.

8:53 p.m. - 911 call. Pickup on fire in 800 block of Faker.  
 8:53 p.m. - Caller advised fire department not needed.

9:28 p.m. - Caller reported 13-14 year old male driving here in town. Deputy stopped vehicle. Driver is of age, has valid driver's license.

10:22 p.m. - Engage intoxicilizer.  
 10:30 p.m. - DPS en route to sheriff's office. One in custody.

11:34 p.m. - Dispatch teletype reg. 5. Referring to missing elderly male. Deputy also given description of subject and vehicle.

July 30

12:40 a.m. - Deputy out with male subject on foot near Lelia Lake.  
 12:42 a.m. - Deputy transporting one juvenile male to his residence.  
 12:58 a.m. - Deputy out at residence N. Jefferson.  
 2:04 a.m. - 911 call. Mobile caller advised he is on I-40 at MM 142. Blown tire, needs DPS and service truck. Advised Shamrock police department.  
 10:34 a.m. - Deputy located missing male CR 21 at Hedley. All okay. Delivered subject to his family.  
 1:07 p.m. - Caller reported vandalism done to place of business.  
 3:04 p.m. - Ambulance paged to Kincaid Park. Male choking. No transport.  
 5:51 p.m. - Caller reported bobcat eating his chickens.  
 6:57 p.m. - 911 call reported semi parked in 700 block of W. Sixth. Deputy responded.  
 9:40 p.m. - Hedley resident reported driver consuming alcohol and speeding.  
 10:19 p.m. - Deputy patrolling the area.  
 10:38 p.m. - Deputy out with vehicle in Hedley.  
 10:40 p.m. - DPS en route to sheriff's office. One male in custody.  
 10:56 p.m. - Deputy doing welfare check 500 block W. 7th. All okay.

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1 Olympic skier											
Tommy				13					14		
4 Jones or Crockett			16						17		
8 Snatch			18						19		
12 Where, to Caesar	20	21				22	23				
13 Anne Nichols hero	24					25			26	27	28
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15 IRA branch	32					33			34		
17 It takes the cake	37	38	39					40			
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35 Tramp's love											
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37 Lost color											
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41 Show-stopping solo											
42 Munich Miss											
46 Into the sunset											
47 Make											
48 Wall climber											
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50 Sharpen	11 Predilection	33 Baseball shoes
51 Born	16 Marginalia entry	34 Chicks and ducks
DOWN	19 — pro quo	36 Get on board
1 Greek consonants	20 Tea time	37 Kasparov's soldier
2 Sapporo sash	21 Pearl	38 Vicinity
3 "The World As I See It" author	22 Mosque locale	39 Sylvester's impediment
4 Weak-minded	23 Barney's pal	40 Exposed
5 Encourage an evildoer	24 "Stranger in a Strange Land" writer	42 A mere handful
6 Sundial notation	25 Perry's creator	43 "Go, team, go!"
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