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NEWS at a glance

Voters will settle senate race Dec. 4

Voters in Texas Senate District 30 will return to the polls next Tuesday, December 4, for a run-off election to determine the late Sen. Tom Haywood's successor - Republican Craig Estes or Democrat Greg Under-

Early voting started this Monday in the county clerk's office and will continue through 5 p.m. Friday.

Ballots can be cast from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. next Tuesday, and County Clerk Fay Vargas says some precinct boxes have been consolidated for the runoff. Ballot boxes are as follows: Boxes 101, 102, & 103 - Clarendon College Bairfield Activity Center; Box 201 -Clarendon Lions Club; Boxes 301, 302, & 303 - Hedley Lioness Club; and Boxes 401 & 402 - Community Bank.

Cox family invites folks to view lights

The Cox family has again gone all out in decorating their home for Christmas, and they're inviting their friends and neighbors to come see the place.

The home of Pick and Laqueta Cox was decorated with 20,000 lights plus custom Christmas scenes last year. To get there, take US 287 one mile south of Hedley. Before you get to the roadside park, turn by the big barn on County Road 26 and follow the lights to the top of the hill.

There is no charge to see the lights, but the family has set a donation box at the corner of the yard. Donations will go to the Hedley First Baptist Church Youth Missions.

Angel Tree set up at local Duckwall's

An Angel Tree has been set up at Duckwall's in Clarendon to help the residents of the Medical Center Nursing Home.

Each resident at the home picked out one present they would like to receive this holiday season. You can pick out any card on the tree and can purchase the item at the store of your choice. All gifts must be wrapped and returned to Duckwalls by 1 p.m. December 14.

Gray will deliver the gifts to the nursing home for their Christmas Party to be held on December 15.

Time to get those Santa letters in

Kids in Donley County are urged to get their Santa Letters to the ENTERPRISE office at 105 S. Kearney by 5 p.m. on December 7

Letters will be published in our December 20 issue and then forwarded to the North Pole.

Inside:

- 2 Is the upcoming runoff election a waste of time or is it more important?
- 4 A graduate of Hedley High School is retiring from the US Navy.
- 5 A local author gets published by a firm in New York.
- 7 The Bulldogs score another win by beating LCU.
- 8 And the Lady Broncs are still unbeaten.

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



Signs of the season

Local artist Doug Burleson painted holiday scenes on the storefront windows at Gregory Enterprises Monday afternoon. Many downtown stores are getting dressed up as the town makes ready for the "Donley County Old Fashioned Christmas" celebration this Saturday.

New constable says he intends to abolish office

Donley County's Precincts 1&2 says Judge David McCoy. he intends to abolish the office that

or wear a gun or answer a call sion in the Texas Constitution would because I'm not coming," said soon- have kept Swinney in office until to-be Constable Gerald Mulanax.

job, which became vacant in Septem- that situation. ber when Constable Jimmy Swinney

county officials and understands that county decide it is needed. there is no money for the office. He also intends to sign an affidavit swearing to that point.

The constable's office had been Swinney won a write-in campaign last November. He took office in Jan-stop the controversy," Mulanax said. uary and sued the county in June alleging, among other things, that in this Friday at 10 a.m. He will serve his \$3,170 annual salary was unrea- until the general election next year. sonable. Swinney then resigned his office in September after he failed to the commissioners' court approved become a certified Texas peace offi-sending the county treasurer to a cer as required by law.

and both parties are awaiting a sum-

The incoming constable of mary judgment decision from District

The county had considered keephas been the center of controversy ing the office vacant, but County Attorney Pro-tem Kaye Messer said "Don't expect me to buy a badge it was possible that a holdover provia successor took over. Since Swin-Mulanax, who lives at Howard- ney, by law, was no longer qualified wick, was appointed to the position to hold the office, it was questionduring a called session of the com- able if the holdover provision applied missioners' court Monday morning. to him, Messer said. Commissioners He was the only applicant for the decided to fill the vacancy to avoid

A proposed amendment on next year's ballot would give counties "In the interest of stopping the the option of declaring constable flack and helping the people of Donley offices dormant under certain condi-County, I agreed to do it," Mulanax tions, Messer said. If that amendment said. "It just seems to be an unneeded passes, Donley County could make the Constable of Precinct 1&2 a dor-Mulanax said he has spoken with mant office until the people of the

Mulanax said he gave a lot of thought to the constable's office and had even considered running against Swinney when his term was up. Now vacant for more than 30 years before he just wants to resolve the situation.

"Lets put this thing to bed and The new constable will be sworn

In other county business Monday,

training session in Potter County next The lawsuit is still pending, month and changed the county's lon-

See 'County' on page 3.

Plans ready for holiday celebration here Saturday

season in style this weekend as the tion of the Courthouse. first Donley County Old Fashioned

The first night of Late Night tour for everyone to enjoy. Shopping kicks off the festivities on at the decorated trees that will be auc- on display all day until 5:30 p.m. tioned Saturday afternoon. The trees

at 6:00 p.m. on Friday at the Lions Building. Club. Their annual display which is

Christmas celebration gets under- are also encouraged to light up their Jesus' birthday with a special angel Downtown Ministries Center. The Art their picture made with Santa at houses Friday evening for a grand cookie.

nesses staying open until 9:00 p.m. a Quilt Show beginning at 8:30 a.m. both the Lions Club and Rebecca Residents will also get their first peek A variety of beautiful quilts will be Lodge. Many area merchants will dis-nesses have been busy all week dec-show will feature local artists and will

The Community Fellowship be provided. will be viewed at the Downtown Min- Church will hold their Breakfast with istry Center from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m. an Angel from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. at will conduct a Book Sale from 9:00 The Girl Scouts will light the tree the Panhandle Community Services to 1:00 on Saturday and will be serv-

usually on the Square has been moved to enjoy breakfast foods, sing songs, book.

Clarendon begins the holiday to the Lions Club due to the renova- and hear the Christmas Story told by Residents all over the county to make an angel craft and celebrate many activities get underway in the to noon on Saturday. Kids can have

Eads Furniture & Appliance will Christmas Extravaganza craft show Baptist Church will begin their Bake Library. Thursday with the downtown busi- begin the activities on Saturday with will begin at 9:30 that morning at Sale.

The Burton Memorial Library ing hot chocolate. Gail Shelton, local Adults and children are invited author, will also be signing her latest

As the local merchants open their the angel. The children will be able doors at 10:00 a.m. that morning, appearance at the library from 10:00 Club will hold a Cake Walk, and kids that time. Cost is \$2 per photo, and The fourth annual Country can make Christmas crafts. The First proceeds benefit the Friends of the

play their wares, and concessions will orating trees for the Tree Auction. be open until 2:00 p.m. The Texas auction will begin at 10 a.m. with the upstairs of the old Bivens Buildthe winners announced at 4 p.m. in ing. the center. Proceeds from the silent auction will benefit each organization serving lunch and refreshments at or for businesses to use or donate at the Downtown Ministry Center from their discretion.

The Texas Loft Art Exhibit will Local organizations and busi- also open its doors at 10:00 a.m. The Viewing and bidding for the silent Loft is located at 107 2nd Street in

The Clarendon PTA will be See 'Celebration' on page 3.

FSA targets fund for disadvantaged farmers

Larry J. Goetze, Farm Loan Maners, and Alaskan Natives." ager serving Donley, Wheeler, and

"This special financing oppor-"SDA groups include women, Afri- seven years. can Americans, American Indians,

Gray Counties, announced the avail- direct and guaranteed assistance in the closing costs. Direct ownership loan ability of funding for Socially Dis- form of farm operating and farm own- terms are up to 40 years. Guaranteed advantaged (SDA) individuals who ership loans. Direct loans are made loan terms are established by the want to purchase or operate a family- to applicants through FSA. Guaran- lender. teed loans are issued by lending insti-The USDA Farm Service Agency tutions, but typically 90 or 95 percent provided information and assistance (FSA) administers the SDA loan pro- of the loan is guaranteed by FSA to develop sound management pracshould the loan fail.

tunity is for people who have been loans may be used to purchase live- successful farming in the ever changsubjected to racial, ethnic, or gender stock, equipment, feed, seed, and ing agricultural environment," said inequities without regard to their other business related expenses. Goetze. individual qualities," said Goetze. Repayment terms run from one to

Hispanics, Asian and Pacific Island- to purchase or enlarge a farm, con- office at 874-3561.

struct or improve buildings, promote The SDA program provides soil and water conservation, and pay

"Qualified loan candidates are tices, analyze problems, and utilize According to Goetze, operating available resources essential for

For more information and eligibility requirements for an SDA loan, Ownership loans provide capital contact the Donley FSA Farm Loan

Holiday Spirit

Clarendon's Nancy Taylor donated 268 stuffed toys to the local Toys For Tots campaign Monday afternoon.

She began collecting the toys in March, winning many of them out of a vending machine at B&R Thriftway with others being given to her by local citizens. This is Taylor's second year to make a large donation. and she has more than tripled what she gave last year.

"I do it to help the kids who are not fortunate enough to have Christmas," she said. "It makes me feel good to do things for the kiddos."

She also said she appreciates all those who helped her gather the toys. Toys For Tots is sponsored by Chamberlain Motor Co. and the US Marine Corps. Donations can be made at Chamberlain's until December 18, and the toys will be distributed locally by Panhandle Community

Helms wins local VFW's voice essay competition Clarendon High School senior and will be competing for the \$25,000 test.

Carrie Helms has earned the right to top prize. compete at the district level in the VFW "Voice of Democracy" contest. of 19 VFW Post and 13 Ladies Aux- the state level with 25 other districts

sored by Donley County Memorial uted more than \$4,500 in prizes to there. Post 7782. She has earned scholar- this event. Nationwide, several milships and prizes worth \$750 so far lion dollars are donated to the con- Carrie the best of luck.

Carrie, the daughter of Eddie and District 9 of the VFW consists Joburta Helms, will now compete at Carrie won the contest at the iliaries of the VFW representing the throughout Texas. The winner of that post level with her written and oral Texas Panhandle. Eighty-six students competition receives an all-expense essay on the theme "Reaching Out have participated from 28 schools, paid trip to our nation's capital and To America's Future" and is spon- and Local VFW posts have contrib- the National VFW Awards Dinner

The local post and District 9 wish



Run-off vote: Waste of time or important?

Local voters will head back to the polls next Tuesday to finally determine who will succeed the late State Sen. Tom Haywood.

Earlier this month Wichita Falls businessman Craig Estes came out on top in a six-man race. But despite getting more than 8,000 votes more than his nearest competitor, Estes, a Republican, did not "win" the election. State law requires a candidate to get more than 50 percent of the vote to win, and Estes only got 43.2

The other horse in this race is Greg Underwood from Bowie. We don't know much about this fellow since his campaign never contacted the ENTERPRISE in the first election and hasn't since that time either. We do know he's the Democrat in the race and that he got some 23.2 percent of the vote. (For those of you who are bad in math, that means that three out of four voters did not vote for him.)

In fact, two other Republicans' combined tallies were more than Underwood's total.

The future doesn't seem very bright for Mr. Underwood; but after last year in Florida, I'm not making any predictions. That hasn't dampened Mr. Estes' enthusiasm. According to newspaper reports, he's asked Underwood to drop out of the race, ostensibly to save the taxpayers' money. The Democrat did not embrace that

What makes this race really absurd, is that whoever wins may never get to vote on any legislation. The Texas Legislature - thankfully - only meets every two years, and the next session won't be until 2003. Between now and then, Sen. Haywood's term will expire and will be subject to the general election in 2002. Unless the governor has to call a special session for something, all we're voting for here is the position of benchwarmer not

Add to that the fact that that our county won't even be in District 30 come next year. Thanks to high-level Republicans shafting rural Texans by screwing up the state's redistricting map, Donley County will be moved into District 28. That area is represented out of Lubbock by Sen. Robert L. Duncan. (As you may recall, he's the guy who penned legislation making it illegal for kids to ride in the back of a pickup. I'm not thrilled to be represented by him.)

So what is the point really? Why bother going to the polls for something that doesn't seem to matter? I asked Mr. Estes about this fact when he visited Clarendon a few months ago. Why should Donley County care? We're not even going to be in your district if you win? "I still need your help to win," the candidate said.

That's true enough. But more importantly, this election matters because it is this system - with all its flaws that our nation is now fighting to protect.

It is likely that very few of us will vote next week. Only 13.2 percent of registered voters in this county voted in November's special election. It will probably be fewer than that on Tuesday.

Elections are a hassle. They cost us money as taxpayers. We have to take time out of our busy lives to go vote. County election officials must get up early and stay late to open the polls and count the ballots. The media must stay up late to report the results, and of course the candidates themselves spend lots of time and money to run for elective office.

But if you think about it, this election isn't about Craig Estes or Greg Underwood or the clerk's office or the reporter on the beat. It is about our representative form of government - frequently incorrectly referred to as a democracy. It's about our responsibility as citizens. It's about our right - our freedom - to go vote.

It's a precious thing that we don't often think about. But after September 11, you would think that it would be something we all cherish. Instead, most of us are more interested in flag-waving and patriotic posturing than in performing what should be one of our most important duties as citizens

Now, I'm not suggesting that everyone just go to the polls and vote for the fun of it. An uneducated electorate can be a cancer to freedom. But I think Donley County can do better than 13.2 percent. If all of you out there are really as proud to be Americans as you say you are, then take some time to find out the issues and go vote next Tuesday.

Meanwhile...

If you haven't had enough of gun control, here's something else to think on. REASON magazine reports that the chairman of Ireland's Health and Children Committee is worried about knife safety.

"Irish gun controls are among the best in the world," says chairman Batt O'Keefe. "But there is an alarming disparity of control for weapons such as knives and swords."

He wants to have a national registry for all knives

that might hurt someone Let's hope Sarah Brady and the national Democrats

don't find out about this. Otherwise you might have to have a license for a concealed pocketknife in this





Terror attacks show failure of gun control

It came as no surprise to supporters of the Second Amendment that the nation's largest pilot's union has launched a massive lobbying effort for pilots to be allowed own security? to carry guns. The recent atrocity committargets offers a clear example of the failure of gun control.

After handguns were banned in the United Kingdom, the number of crimes committed with handguns has increased, as has handgun ownership by criminals. England is an island. It has relatively good control of its borders and security yet it is unable to keep illegal handguns out of the country. The United States has a 2,000-mile long border with Mexico, and a 4,000-mile long border with Canada. We can't keep out illegal immigrants, drugs, exotic animals or anything else... what makes anyone think small, easily concealed weapons would be any different?

Think of a plane as a small country which bans firearms. Security on a plane is theoretically absolute. Everyone aboard is completely and totally disarmed, in the interests of "safety." Obviously,

Instead of even more ludicrous measures (like banning plastic knives), what about scrapping the whole rotten system, at least for those who are willing to look after their

Airlines could offer two services, a ted with American planes against American plane for those who take comfort in being treated like helpless children and one with no restrictions whatsoever. For those passengers who are willing to fly armed, it would be awfully nice-no two hour wait, no hassles from \$5 an hour security guardsjust get on the plane and go. If you were a terrorist with a mission, whether hijacking a plane to fly elsewhere, blowing it up, or running it into something, which plane would you board:

1. The "secure" plane would be harder to carry weapons and bombs on board, but realistically with 35,000 flights per day, it will never be that difficult. Once aboard, a would-be terrorist has a plane full of completely docile and disarmed victims, or

2. Or you could walk right on to a plane with a pistol... and be faced with 50-300 grinning passengers who also are armed and will not sit passively while you attempt to go about your dastardly deeds.

As a passenger just trying to get

from point A to point B, I'll take a ride on plane two any day. It won't be risk free, but it'll be safer than anything else under discussion. If the thought of just anybody flying a plane armed is too much, please consider limiting the right to those with concealed handgun licenses. In states such as Texas, applicants have to go through classroom training, a marksmanship test, and an FBI background check before receiving a license-surely enough to qualify them to fly armed.

The government can never guarantee our security. For crying out loud, prisoners in maximum security prisons get their hands on drugs, weapons, and other forbidden items-there's no hope for airplanes. Rather than taking the easy way out, our leaders should stand up for the Second Amendment and let Americans who refuse to be cowed protect themselves while using our nation's transportation network.

For anyone astonished at the UK's sorry story, please refer to: http://www.ninetyeight.net/ksa/underfacts.htm

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Attacks highlight need for US energy policy

The after effects from the September 11 tragedy force America to think outside the box when it comes to threats to our national security. What once seemed unimaginable must now be considered pos-

The Bush Administration must now focus on thousands of "what if" scenarios-potential terrorist targets and credible threats. The reality of our present times is that the potential for an attack on our nation's oil, gas, electricity or nuclear facilities exists and demands our immediate

A recent policy paper from the Houston-based law firm Bracewell & Patterson. L.L.P. has received considerable attention

in media and government circles. The energy security document identifies our weaknesses and proposes real solutions to protect critical energy infrastructure from pipelines to electrical power grids.

On another front, the Administration's move to fill the United State's Strategic Petroleum Reserves to capacity is both unprecedented and imperative. The SPR can hold some 700 million barrels of oilenough oil to last the U.S. well over three months if all import supplies were cut off.

The move to increase the SPR also should remind America that it is far too dependent on foreign oil. Nearly 60 percent of the nation's oil comes from foreign

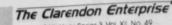
cans any day, but it's especially troubling in light of recent events that demonstrate the volatility in the Middle East region.

The President's action to fill the SPR represents his strong commitment to energy security both for the short and long-

The recent events in Afghanistan and in the Middle East underscore once again the urgent need for Congress to join with the President in passing a domestic energy policy that emphasizes domestic production and, ultimately, energy independence from potentially hostile foreign sources of

Tony Garza, **Texas Railroad Commissioner**





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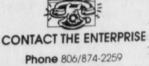
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Celebration: Plenty of fun on tap for this weekend in Donley County

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Chamber of Commerce and the Homes Saturday, Donley County Tourism Council held every hour on the hour. Medi- There is no charge for the tours. cal Center Nursing Home Recipes

choice of a barbecue sandwich with be available for sale at the chamber and in-store specials for this week-night beginning at 7:00 in the VFW

made dessert for \$4.50 per serving. will be featured this year during at home. The Donley County-Clarendon the Tour of Churches and Tour of

will hold an Open House from 10:00 at 11 a.m. and conclude at 2:00 p.m.. Joburta Helms will present a special annual Saints' Roost Museum a.m. to 3 p.m. Refreshments will The Tour of Homes will be open program at 3:30 at the Downtown Christmas Party if your ticket is the be provided. Register to win a \$25 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Maps for Ministry Center. gift certificate redeemable at any each tour will be available at Burton chamber member business. Draw- Memorial Library, the Downtown urged to light up again on Saturday munity Center. Tickets are \$50 per ings begin at 11 a.m. and will be Ministry Center, or at the craft show. evenings beginning at 6:00 p.m. for couple and are available at Hen-

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remote broadcast throughout the day available The Tour of Churches will begin from Eads Furniture & Appliance.

everyone to enjoy. The Donley County VFW Post member.

10:00 to 4:00. They will serve your and Remembrances Cookbooks will town will be holding Open Houses will hold a special bingo Saturday end. Residents are urged to support Hall. Special prizes will be awarded Ten churches and four homes their local businesses by shopping if 50 entry packs are sold. Kids will be permitted to play with their KEFH-FM will host a live parent. Concessions will also be

You could win \$5,000 at the last one drawn that night. The party Residents of Donley County are begins at 7:30 p.m. at the Comson's or from any museum board

Howardwick aldermen hold regular meeting

Jimmy Johnson was sworn in as municipal judge when the Howardwick Board of Aldermen met in regular session November 13 in Howardwick City Hall.

Mayor Billy Woods administered the oath of office, and the aldermen approved an interlocal cooperation contract and a salary contract. The board also adopted the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Johnson becomes the first municipal judge in the city's history. He also serves as Justice of the Peace in Donley County's Precincts 1&2, as well as providing municipal judge services for the City of Clarendon.

In other city business, Fire Chief Joe Zeyen reported on his department's new fire truck, which was obtained with a FEMA grant. Theresa Zeyen was recognized for her

weather report Total precipitation to date: 30,16" Total YTD total last year: 23.61"

weekend forecast



Friday, Nov. 30 Mostly Sunny 48°/22°

45°/25°



Sunday, Dec. 2 Mostly Sunny 55°/23°

Visit us on the web at www.ClarendonOnline.com/weather

Team wins AQHA championship title

The Clarendon College Horse Judging Team recently competed at homa City November 14.

division. The competition is divided Danny Hardcastle, Precinct 8. into three divisions - halter, performance and reasons. The team placed 3rd in halter, 1st in performance and 4th in reasons.

Team members include Melissa Becking from Greeley, CO; Christie Hefner from Amarillo; Mark Russell from Waller and Nicole Stebbins from Cypress.

Melissa Becking was 3rd high individual in performance, 10th in halter classes and placed 2nd high overall. Christie Hefner placed 2nd high individual in halter classes, and Mark Russell was 1st high individual in performance and high individual overall.

The CC Horse Judging Team in coached by Bobby Skelton. For more information about this contest or the team, contact Jerry Hawkins at 874-3571.

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for several years.

A bid for a new motorgrader for Precinct 3 was accepted from Asco for a total of \$144,243 with a buyback value of \$100,323 after five years or 5,000 hours.

The county also approved a oneyear lease for a dump truck from Bruckner's Trucking.

CC Horse Judging Board election coming up for groundwater district

WHITE DEER - Four positions will be up for election in February.

Director elections for Precincts the American Quarter Horse World 2, 4, 6, & 8 will be held February portion of Gray County, a small portered voter in the precinct for which Championship Show held in Okla- 2, 2002, in those precincts. Current tion of northern Donley County, and he/she files. The team received overall high cinct 2; Charles Bowers, Precinct County team awards in the Junior College 4; Jim Thompson, Precinct 6; and

20 Years Ago

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· Hale Center took the Bron-

Amy Hancock and Spencer

chos out of their quest for the

state playoff when they handed

the home team a defeat in Can-

yon's Kimbrough Memorial Sta-

Hayes were named the winners

of the annual Beauty and Brawn

contest, sponsored by the high

Jay Gould and nine Explorers enjoyed the Thanksgiving holi-

days by taking a trip to Eagle

Nest, NM. Those going were

Cliff Stogner, Donald Smith, Billy

Carl Pittman, Guy Wright, Glenn

Wallace, Bobby Johnson, Boyd

Pipes, Jerry Price, and Billy Mac

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on the Panhandle Groundwater Con- southeastern portion of Carson the major portion of Wheeler city. servation District's Board of Directors County and the northeastern portion County. of Armstrong County

office holders are Frank Simms, Pre- the southwest portion of Wheeler

Armstrong County, excluding the 201 W. 3rd St., White Deer.

Precinct 2 encompasses the southwest corner. Precinct 8 covers hard work in getting the grant for the

To be eligible to file for a board Precinct 4 covers the southern position, a person must be a regis-

Filing for the office of director is open through December 19, 2001, at Precinct 6 is the remainder of the Panhandle Groundwater District,

Clarendon PTA will be serving LUNCH Saturday, Dec. 1 10:00 - 4:00

Downtown Ministries Serving your choice of BBQ sandwich with chips or chili & crackers, with drink and homemade dessert. \$4.50

Come out and support your local PTAI

ial thanks to Crow Hollow for donating the meat.



50 Years Ago THE DONLEY CO. LEADER, NOV. 29, 1951 · Explorer Scout leader

gevity pay policy to include part-time employees who had been employed

Commissioners also accepted the resignation of Cooperative Extension secretary Lori Leffew effective November 30, 2001. County Judge Jack Hall says the process is underway to replace the county agents who also resigned recently.

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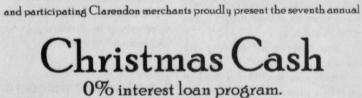
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Howardwick club plans

The Howardwick Beautification

Entries are being received for the

Club met on November 13, 2001,

with twelve members and guests, Mr.

and Mrs. Cole and Harrison Beal,

Christmas decorating contest with a

reminder entries must be received by

December 10, 2001. There are three

categories: religious, whimsical, and

special lighting with first, second, and

at 874-2875 or Nancy Davis at

three crosses; one is ten feet tall, and

the others are eight feet, each which

will be placed permanently in the

park adjacent to the old swimming pool. The club is inviting everyone

to the lighting of the crosses Monday

evening, December 3 at 7:00 p.m. This will be followed by caroling and

refreshments at City Hall. The club

plans to make this an annual event

and something to look forward to

They will share Christmas goodies

with the meeting to follow.

Their next meeting will be held December 11 at noon at City Hall.

To enter, contact Greta Byars

Bob Murdock has constructed

third places in each category.

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Your guide to "what's happening" around Donley County.

November 29 CHS in Floydada Tourney

November 30 Community Tree Lighting and Merchants Lighting

December 1 Donley County Old Fashioned Christmas • Downtown • All day

Saints' Roost Museum Benefit Christmas Party • Clarendon Community Center • 7:30 p.m.

Coca-Cola Classic Tourney • CC Gym · 6 p.m.

December 1 - 2 HHS teams in Miami Tourney

December 3 Bulldogs v. Western Okla. JuCo • CC Gym • 7:30 p.m.

Howardwick Christmas Lighting Howardwick City Park
 7 p.m.

December 4 Special Run-off Election

Lady Broncos v. Borger • There •

Broncos v. Trinity Fellowship . Bronco Gym • 6:30 p.m.

HHS v. Highland Park • there •

December 7 Santa Letters Deadline • 5 p.m.

December 25 Christmas

Community Menus December 3 -

Breakfast Mon: French sticks, fruit, milk Tues: Breakfast sandwich, juice, milk Thur: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk Fri: Coffeecake, juice, milk

Mon: Taco salad or PBJ sandwich, Tues: Barbecue chicken or pizza, mashed potatoes, corn, hot rolls, applesauce cake, milk beans, tossed salad, peaches, milk Thur: Ham and cheese rolls or PBJ sandwiches, baked beans, carrot Fri: Tuna salad sandwich, potato chips, carrot sticks, oranges or apples, milk

Hedley Schools

Mon: Pancakes, sausage patties butter and syrup, dry cereal, fruit juice,

eggs, and cheese, dry cereal, fruit

Wed: Biscuit and gravy, sausage patties, butter and jelly, cereal, juice, milk Thur: Breakfast burrito with salsa, cereal, fruit juice, milk Fri: Cinnamon rolls, cereal, peanut butter, fruit juice, milk

Mon: Beef taco, pinto beans and rice green chili casserole, tossed salad fruit, cornbread muffins, milk Tues: Sweet and sour chicken with fried rice or chicken nuggets, potatoes and gravy, salad, fruit, milk Wed: Spaghetti and meatballs, green beans, tossed salad, applesauce, Thur: Barbecue chicken, green beans

potatoes and gravy, salad, fruit, rolls, Fri: Hamburger, lettuce and tomato, oven fries, fruit, cookies, milk

Donley County Senior Citizens Mon: Beef stew with mixed vegetables, fried okra, pear halves with cottage cheese, cookies, cornbread, coffee

Tues: Chicken strips, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, straw berry salad, apricot cobbler, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Wed: Barbecue beef, pinto beans, onion rings, coleslaw, peaches, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk Thur: Teriyaki chicken, rice pilaf, orien-

tal vegetables, three-bean salad, pineapple cake, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat

Fri: Pork roast with gravy, corn dressing, green peas, cherry salad, apricots, roll, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Hedley Senior Citizens

Mon: Catfish fillet, spinach, onion

rings, coleslaw, plum cobbler, corn Tues: Oven fried chicken, mashed

potatoes. English peas, deviled eggs, peaches and bananas, roll, milk, tea, Wed: Beef stew with peas, carrots, tomatoes, onions, potatoes, and celery, macaroni salad, baked apple,

Thur: Steak and gravy, baked potato, green beans, fruit salad, pumpkin pie, roll, milk, tea, coffee Fri: Mexican pile on, Spanish rice,

onions, apricot cobbler, chips or crackers, milk, tea, coffee

Hedley graduate retires from US Navy

He began his career at Attack

for Aviation Storekeeper First Class Station in Kingsville, Texas; Heli-Support Squadron Eight, and Fleet (Aviation Warfare) Lonnie D. Brewer copter Combat Support Squadron Air Reconnaissance Squadron Four of the United States Navy onboard Eight on board the USNS Saturn, Detachment Senior Sailor or the the USS Wisconsin on August 16, USS Savannah, USS Kalamazoo, USS Nassau, USS Wasp, and USS John F. Brewer is a native of Hedley and Kennedy; Aircraft Intermediate Main- include the Navy and Marine Corps graduate from Hedley High School. tenance Department at Naval Sta- Achievement Medal (three awards), He is the son of Sandra Gillespie of tion, Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico; Fleet Air Reconnaissance Squadron Coast Guard Meritorious Unit Com-He enlisted in the Navy on Four Detachment at Naval Air War- mendation Operational Distinguished Friday, March 13, 1980 and received fare Center in Patuxent River, Mary- Service Medal, Battle "E" Ribbon, his recruit training at Recruit Train- land; and Strike Fighter Squadron Good Conduct Medal (five awards), ing Command, San Diego, Califor- One Three Six on board the USS John Navy and Marine Corps Expedi-

F. Kennedy. He was selected as the Training Squadron One Four Five at the Naval Air Wing Two Sailor of the Quarter vice Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal, .45 Cal Pistol Sharpshooter Air Station Whidbey Island, Washing- in 1990, Helicopter Combat Support Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Ribbon, and was qualified as Enlisted ton, where he was a plane captain and Squadron Eight Sailor of the Month Medal, Navy Humanitarian Service Aviation Warfare Specialist (EAWS) aviation storekeeper, deploying on in 1991, Helicopter Combat Support Medal (two awards), Sea Service in 1993. two WESTPAC deployments onboard Squadron Eight Senior Sea-Duty Deployment Ribbon (five awards), the USS Ranger. He then transferred Sailor of the Quarter in 1993, and Navy and Marine Corps Overseas Serto the former Susan Carol Stakes of to Naval Air Station, Chase Field, USS Kalamazoo Senior Sailor of vice Ribbon (three awards), Kuwait Norfolk, Virginia. They have nine kit-Beeville, Texas. He has served with the Quarter in 1993 while deployed Liberation Medal (Saudi), Kuwait ties, so far.

A retirement ceremony was held Training Air Wing TWO at Naval Air onboard with Helicopter Combat

Petty Officer Brewer's awards Meritorious Unit Commendation, tionary Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Armed Forces Ser- Liberation Medal (Kuwait), NATO



Lonnie D. Brewer

Petty Officer Brewer is married

Thanksgiving's over; Let's get ready for Christmas

Thanksgiving. Ours was... large. We showed me the music she'd just had mother's family at Aunt Margaret's book. house in Austin. It was pretty much as usual, with approximately sixtyseven people, two birds, and four dogs attending. The birds weren't allowed abandoned on the patio table.

on what they and their children are going to make much difference.) doing. We brought the grandbaby -

I hope everyone had a happy just happened to marry my cousin, went to the annual gathering of my published, and I showed her my new

Kids were everywhere, playing basketball, chasing each other, carryout of their cages, but the dogs joined neighbor of yet another cousin. Skip they behaved themselves. In the end, ing Santa Claus, cake walks, Christright in. I personally observed Lucky, is a young, single lawyer, originally there were no casualties, save perhaps mas tree auctions, hot chocolate, and a sweet-natured part Border collie, from El Paso, who's been so busy he to buttons on overstressed britches. most importantly (to me, anyway) a licking the cheesecake off a plate left didn't even know it was Thanksgiv- Another Thanksgiving successfully ing, so the cousins dragged him along We got to visit with cousins I to the festivities. Face it, once you haven't seen in years and catch up get over forty people, one more isn't not quite so large, but I hope it was a.m. to 1 p.m. with copies of my book,

The ten- and twelve-year-olds and his parents too, of course - so tried to carry around the one- and we could show him off to everyone. two-year-olds, but at that age they ready for Christmas. My youngest is what the folks at Silhouette do best. This allowed those who needed it an have minds of their own and aren't sister and I managed to draw names Even if you don't want a book, I hope cookie. opportunity to get their baby fix in. usually amenable to much mauling. for gifts amongst the siblings before you come by and say hello. I'll be

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ing Skip's puppy around. (I have no peared periodically, but I never heard idea what Skip's last name is. He's a any loud crashing noises, so I assume

> Your Thanksgiving was probably just as enjoyable.

My best friend from high school, who The fifteen-to-seventeen crew disap- she had to head back home to Smith- looking for you there.

ville, which means I have to get busy shopping. Hopefully you are all much further along than we are.

The Christmas lights will go on this coming Saturday, December 1, officially starting Clarendon's Christmas season. There will be lots and lots of activities downtown, includbook signing.

I will be in the library from 10 who wants an autographed copy. It's Now it's officially time to get pure escapist romantic fantasy, which

Local church to host

The Community Fellowship Church will hold Breakfast with an Angel on Saturday, December 1, from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. at the Panhandle Community Services Building.

Breakfast with an Angel

Adults and children are invited to enjoy breakfast foods, sing songs, Hide-and-Sheikh, to sell to anyone and hear the Christmas Story told by the angel. The children will be able to make an angel craft and celebrate Jesus' birthday with a special angel

The breakfast is being held in conjunction with the Donley County Old Fashioned Christmas celebration.

Hedley folks have lots of visitors for Thanksgiving

I'm glad Thanksgiving is finally six fluid pounds from one dialysis Thanksgiving dinner last week at the before Christmas. school on Thursday. Then Friday the day. That's all until Christmas.

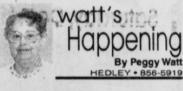
at once, but Guy didn't know until

too many fat pounds. I gain about Caleb and Joshua.

over. Not that Thanksgiving part, but treatment to the next. Any fat pounds the feasting parts. It all started with I gained maybe I can fast them off

We were out at Keith and Karen's senior citizens had turkey and dress- house Sunday, and she and Rance ing. On Monday I attended an Eastern were putting up their Christmas tree. Star meeting in Wellington and had It's going to be beautiful with thouanother turkey dinner. Finally almost, sands of twinkling lights. If I can dren. I can't remember how many she I enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at get my house rearranged, I going to said were there for the festivities. home with Keith, Karen, Rance, and get a real tree this year. Last year Mother. Friday night, Guy and Oliver my niece, Lisa Mullins, brought me Thanksgiving in Amarillo with her arrived from Las Animas, and we had a little fiberoptic tree for my front children, Andy and Lovetta Anderson Thanksgiving dinner again on Satur- window. I guess it beat no tree, but I want a real tree. Or a reasonable If I'd known Guy and Oliver facsimile thereof. The tree I have at located in Northwest Texas Hospital. were coming. I would have waited my house at Giles is ten feet tall and until Saturday and fed all of them won't fit in my house here in town.

My neighbor, Marie Adams, Thursday that they would be able to enjoyed Thanksgiving in Clarendon with Casey and Alice Cobb and their Oh, well, maybe I didn't gain boys. She enjoys the Cobb children, their kids spent Thanksgiving in farmers who work so hard and feed



Othel Bolin spent Thanksgiving and Mildred Jewett. in Amarillo with most of her chil-

Della Linville also enjoyed and their family. Lovetta owns and operates Lovetta's Gallery, a gift shop

Tonya Smith and her mother, Eunice Ward, and Leon and Carol McCrary in Amarillo.

Mike and Lori Wallendorff and Wellington with Lori's family, the the whole world.

O'Rears. Her dad, William O'Rears, celebrated his eightieth birthday a few activities for Festival days before Thanksgiving so all the

Juanita Brown had most of her Brown from Amarillo, Helen Ford, ing her latest book. Kim, and Quinton came from Clarenchildren and great grandchildren.

a wonderful Thanksgiving, and we're that time. Cost is \$2 per photo, and Ward spent the holiday with Lorene all thankful to be living in a land proceeds benefit the Friends of the where there is plenty.

We're grateful to the American

Burton Library hosts

The Burton Memorial Library family celebrated that event. Nancy will host several activities during the Mullins, Bill, and Dan traveled across Donley County Old Fashioned Christ-Hedley to dine with her parents, Bob mas to be held December 1 in Claren-

The Library will conduct a Book children with her and Grace Thanks- Sale from 9:00 to 1:00 on Saturday giving. Johnny and Kay Brown of and will be serving hot chocolate May were there as was Kay Miller, during this time. Gail Shelton, local from somewhere. Ray, Jr., and Sharon Clarendon author, will also be sign-

Santa Claus will make his annual don, and there were hordes of grand- appearance at the library from 10:00 to noon on Saturday. Kids can have All in all, I think everyone had their picture made with Santa at Library.

Pathfinders Club meets

The Pathfinders Club met November 9, 2001, at Saye's Cottage. The club collect was read. Greta Byers was accepted as a new

The program was given by Willard Skelton on the history of Clarendon. It was very interesting and at times very amusing.

Members present were Ethlyn Grady, Joy Martin, Anita Mooring, Ann Sell, Jo Shaller, Jeanice Weatherly, Doris Braddock, Mary Neal Risley, Greta Byers, and visitor Gail

Delicious pizza refreshments were served by hostesses Jo Shaller and Jeanice Weatherly.

Local writer places in

Mack Garrison of Clarendon was awarded first honorable mention in a writing contest held by Writer's Digest magazine.

sored by the magazine. Garrison's monthly with readers and subscribers

Big sister learns unique lesson about brother When you were growing up, did draped around us like beautiful, flow-

to be my duty to make him misera- around the yard. ble whenever possible! I teased him him about these things.

When my friends came over to won't let me play!"

Then I would tell him in no uncertain him for sure!

terms to get lost! and I would dress in mother's old went back to normal in a hurry. clothes and a pair of frilly curtains -

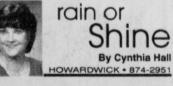
you fight with your brothers and sis- ing gowns. We would pretend to be ters? If you didn't, that's pretty amaz- ravishing beauties - queens living in ing because most of us had plenty of a castle. Queens, of course, need serconflicts with our siblings. I know I vants. They also need a horse to pull their carriage! Well, guess what? My I have a brother who is five brother got to play those parts. Jo years younger than me. When we Beth and I would get into the little, were children, it somehow seemed red wagon, and David would pull us sign that read "Beauty Shop" and

about his skinny legs and his curly "castle," our servant (David again!) hair - both of which he hated terri- would wait on us hand and foot, bring bly anyway. But, I certainly didn't us wine (grape Kool-Aid) and any- a sheet draped around him and water waste a single opportunity to remind thing else we could think of for him running down his head. I kept squirtto do.

I recall one time when Jo and I play, we shut him out and refused to were playing that we allowed him to This went on until mother said he let him join in the fun. He, of course, be a part of the action - way too big a would run to mother crying, "They part, as it turned out. We were swinging him - I had his arms and she Mother would arrive on the scene had his feet - and accidentally threw saying, "You be nice to your brother! him right into the corner of a table! You let him be a part of the group!" He screamed bloody murder! With

I was riddled with guilt and Don't get me wrong. Sometimes grief... right up until they brought him we did let him play with us when we back from getting stitches. When I age," he said. played "dress-up." My best friend saw that he was going to live, things Another time, I decided to

So... we would include him... for at blood running down his face, and I'm glad he did, though, because he all mine! least 5 minutes, or until mother was half-chewed brownie running out of called me a while back with some busy in another part of the house. his mouth, we thought we had killed astounding news.



become a hair stylist. I set up a table in the front yard, painted a big When we were ensconced in the no paying customers showed up, I years I was antagonizing him, I must Hamby. enlisted David to be my client. He have given him a brain injury! But sat for hours in the Beauty Shop with no, he meant it. ing water on his hair - combing and re-combing it into different styles. boarding a plane for the vacation of was going to catch pneumonia and brother. During the preparations for made me shut down the Beauty Shop this trip, I've had several friends ask

and come inside. The years passed, and we both grew up. It's remarkable he made it with all the stuff I pulled on him.

"Hi, it's your brother," he said. "Hi there. What's up?" I asked. "You're about to turn 50 years of

"You could have gone all day

and not brought that up!" "I think turning 50 deserves a the best brother a girl could have!

special gift. I'm sending you and member. your husband to Hawaii for a week... all expenses paid!"

"Huh?" "I'm sending you to Hawaii. I've

rented you a condo on the beach and a Mustang convertible to drive while you're there." It crossed my mind at that sat down to await customers. When moment that somewhere during those

"You deserve it," he told me.

"You are a good sister." When you read this, I will be a lifetime - courtesy of my little if they could take my place and adopt David as their little brother. My response has been consistent: No way, no how! This little brother is mine -

All I can say is be good to your brothers and sisters - share your toys and play nice because you just never

And, to my brother I say, 'Thanks! I love you!" But then, I hope you already knew that because with or without Hawaii, you're still

Writer Digest contest

The contest, called "Your Assignment" is a monthly exercise sponpiece is published in this December's issue of the magazine. Writer's Digest is a nationally published in this country and in several foreign countries as well.

Mack lives in Clarendon with his wife and two sons.

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Delights

Clarendon first graders held a thanksgiving program for their parents

on Tuesday, November 20, at the First United Methodist Church. They recited a poem, presented a play, sang a song, and enjoyed a Thanks-

giving feast with their parents. The students also performed the pro-

gram for the residents at Medical Center Nursing Home.

Shelton wrote her first story in by a major New York publisher, and fourth grade about a cat, if she's tasy. Brain candy, for lack of a better remembering correctly, but didn't get word," Shelton said. "If you need a Hide-and-Sheikh, by Gail Dayton serious about publication until about break from your life, this is a great (Shelton's nom de plume), is pub- five years ago when she finished way to spend a few hours in another, lished by Silhouette for their Desire her first novel manuscript. Hide-and-really fun, place." Sheikh was the 8th she completed.

lishes what are known as series or AWOL son of a visiting sheikh. When p.m.

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during lunch hours and wee hours, dants of the old dime novels. New upmanship that quickly escalates into Clarendon resident and part-time books go out on the shelves every more than either of them is prepared newspaper columnist Gail Shelton month as the previous month's books for, including Islamic terrorists targeting the hero.

This book is pure romantic fan-

Shelton will have a book sign-In Hide-and-Sheikh, a female ing at Burton Memorial Library this Publishing, a company which pub- bodyguard is tapped to locate the coming Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1

Saints' Roost Museum to host Christmas Party

The Saints' Roost Museum will hold its annual Christmas Party this Saturday at the Clarendon Community Center from 7:30 p.m. to 12:30

Tickets are \$50 per couple, and each ticket goes into the drawing for \$5,000. Over the last several years, this benefit party has returned more than \$100,000 to the local commu-

The menu for Saturday includes barbecue and all the trimmings, and live entertainment will provide the music for dancing.

Get your tickets today from any museum board member or by going by Henson's in downtown Claren-

Proceeds benefit the Saints' Roost Museum.



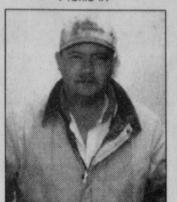
Come In For

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Your Local Firefighter Profile #7



CLAY CHRISTOPHER Clay has been a member of the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department for three years. He is employed by the City of Clarendon as the Recycling Coordinator. Clay and his wife, Tammy, have two daughters, Caitlyn and Eliza-

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Friday, Nov. 30

County Wide Lighting

Girl Scouts Tree Lighting, Lions Club

8:30-5:30 Quilt Show, Eads Furniture and Appliance, KEFH live remote broadcast Community Fellowship Church Breakfast With An Angel

9-1:00 Burton Memorial Library Book Sale, Gail Shelton book signing

Craft Show Opens - Lions Club & Rebekah Lodge 9:30

Merchants Open **Decorated Tree Viewing - Downtown Ministries**

Entertainment, Art Club Cake Walk, Kids Crafts - Downtown Ministries 10-12:00 Santa Claus Pictures - Burton Memorial Library

PTA Lunch - Downtown Ministries Texas Loft Art Exhibit - Texas Loft Bed & Breakfast

Chamber & Tourism Council Open House - Chamber Office

Christmas presentation by Joburta Helms - Downtown Ministries

Decorated Tree Auction - Downtown Ministries

County Tour of Lights - Howardwick, Clarendon, Lelia Lake, Hedley

Please visit our local restaurants for good ole' country comfort food and holiday specials!

DON'T FORGET

Late Night Shopping every Thursday until Christmas!

Texas Loft Bed & Breakfast

107 2nd Street, Clarendon

Saturday, December 1 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

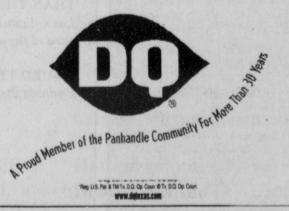
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Obituaries

Graue

Memorial services for Alfred John Graue, Sr., age 67, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, November 30, 2001, in the Westside Fellowship Church in Memphis with Dale Miller, Pastor, officiating. Cremation took place on Friday, November 23, under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc., of Clarendon.

Mr. Graue died Tuesday, November 20, 2001, in Amarillo. He was born July 3, 1934, in Carrollton, Texas, and was a resident of Hedley before moving to Memphis eight years ago. He married Florence Kerns on September 8, 1983, in Amarillo. She preceded him in death on April 23, 1994. He had worked as a truck served in the US Coast Guard from 1952 until 1956.

Survivors include one daughter, Monique Asher of Holt, Missouri; one son, Gilbert T. Graue, Sr., of Memphis; two sisters, Pauline Foster of Camden, Missouri, and Dorothy Schmitt of Lincoln, Nebraska; one brother, Lawrence Graue of Kansas City, Missouri; and seven grandchil-

The family requests that memorials be made to a favorite charity.

Porter

Earl Emory Porter, Jr., died Friday, November 9, 2001, in Hous-

Private family services were held Tuesday, November 20, 2001, in Rose Hill Cemetery in Tulia, Texas.

Mr. Porter was born July 28, 1921, in Tulia, the son of Earl Emory and Viva Daphne Porter, long time residents of Tulia

He attended schools in Sweetwater and Clarendon and graduated from Hedley High School. He joined the army and was stationed at Ft. Hood, Texas, with the Military Police First grade: Harley Echols, Starlette during World War II. Porter began his newspaper career at an early age in Clarendon. He worked at The Donley County Leader for J.C. Estlack. Later he owned the Happy paper for a short time and was on staff at The Tulia Herald.

He spent a number of years in Amarillo at The Globe-News as com-The Houston Post.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Linda, in 1950.

Surviving are two sons, Ronald Porter of Kingwood, and David Porter of Minneapolis, Minn.; two daughters, Sandra Porter Long and husband Michael Long of Houston, Debra Porter of Martinez, California; ten grandchildren; and three great grandchildren. Also surviving are two sisters, Patricia Partlow of Tulia and Jeanice Weatherly of Clarendon.





Field trip

The Clarendon High School academic advanced students went to the M.K. Brown Theatre in Pampa to watch a performance of Grease, driver much of his life before his which was presented by the students at Pampa High School. Those retirement. He was a veteran, having attending were (front) Megan Roberts, Jamie Simmons, Shanna Shelton, (back) Lydia Hartman, Kevin Green, and Ashlee Kidd.

> **Hedley Honor Roll** A' Honor Roll

First grade: Austin Adams, Caden Farris, Lydia Howard, Jamie Lollar, Alex Mejia, Brady Montgomery, Kacee Neeley, Zach Sargent, and Sierra

Second grade: Joey Allen, Kayla Elam, Evie Morrow, Dehvan Neeley, Jacob Ramirez, and Patricia Valles. Third grade: Reid Copelin, Matthew Grueter, Braden Montgomery, Jasie Sargent, and Kallie Verstuyft. Fourth grade: Katie Morrow, Marlee

Sargent, and Alex Sharp. Fifth grade: Peter Howard and Shandy Seventh grade: Brayden Bennett,

Katie Gregory, and Callie Wynn. Ninth grade: Stephen Howard. Tenth grade: Brittney Bennett, Rebekah Howard, Treva Rowland, Lacey Wallendorff, and Kasi Wood-

Eleventh grade: Lauren Hill, Jimmie Marcum, and Lisle Rowland. Twelfth grade: Josh Collins and Lora

'AB' Honor Roll Herrera, and Lacie Like Second grade: Joshua Grueter, Willie

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Saturday, Dec. 1

In-Store Specials

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Third grade: Jenni Allen, Haley Chambless, Laura Howard, Katterinna Johnson, Clint Melton, and Kaylee

Fourth grade: Cole Farris, Haley Hall, B.J. Like, R.J. Marshall, Brooke Martin, Brittney Netterville, and Amber

Fifth grade: Skyler Conatser, Joshua Gonzales, Lauryn Kellas, Amanda Musick, Archie Sharp, Kelby Shields, and Raymon Sparks.

Sixth grade: Andy Alston, Kent Chase, Jonathan Edmonson, Patrick Lamber, Sam Lovely, and Danielle Smith. Seventh grade: Jaci Copelin and Ruth Anne Howard.

Eighth grade: Julie Funderburg, Jindy Gregory, Travis Hrbacek, Ben Shaw, Wes Shields, and Kyra Stevens. Ninth grade: Roper Copelin, Courtney Ellerbrook, Allison Hill, and Will Wal-

Tenth grade: Cori Cantrell and Joe Patterson. Eleventh grade: Bradley Conatser, Evange Ramirez, Julie Ramirez, and Sealey Stevens.

Twelfth grade: Lindsey Brinson, Aaron Bugg, and Lacenda Funderburg.

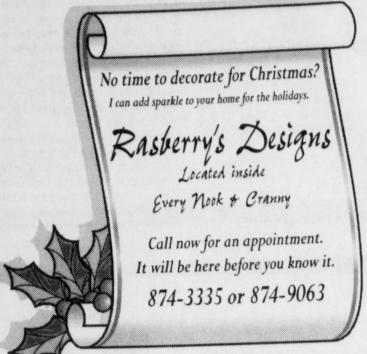


November 27 for their regular Tuesday noon meeting with Boss Lion Jerry Woodard in charge.

We had 17 members and two guests: Jackie Boyd, Clarendon College's admissions, recruiting and PR person, guest of Lion Roger Estlack; and Sharron Rust, director of CC's Vocational Nursing Program, guest of

Ms. Rust presented our program and said the college's LVN program is being restructured this year. Ms. Rust is currently seeking support from the community to help with the program. The club briefly discussed donating Lion Jeter to science but thought better of it. The club's board of directors were charged with making a recommendation for a donation.





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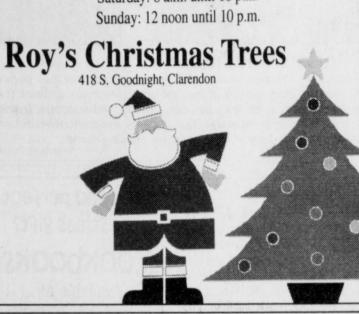
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To the registered voters of the County of Donley, Texas: (a los votantes régistrados del Condado de Donley, Texus:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m to 7:00 p.m., on Tuesday, December 4, 2001, for voting in a special runoff election to elect a State Senator, District 30 for an unexpired term.

Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 4 deciembre de 2001 para votar en la Eleccion Especial para elegira an Senador Estatal, del Distrito Num 30 una duracion restante del cargo.

LOCATION OF POLLING PLACES Direccine(es) de las casillas electorales)

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Box 103 - Clarendon College Bairfield Bldg.

Box 2011 Lions Club

Box 301)- Hedley Lions Club

Box 302 - Hedley Lions Club Box 303 - Hedley Lions Club Box(401)- Community Bank

Box 402 - Community Bank

EACH WEEKDAY AT: DONLEY COUNTY COURTHOUSE ANNEX - CLERKS OFFICE, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 a.m. AND 5:00 p.m. BEGINNING ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2001 (entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 26 noviembre, 2001) AND ENDING ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2001. (y termindao el 30 noviembre, 2001).

APPLICATIONS FOR BALLOTS BY MAIL MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2001.

Signature of County Judge (Firma del

EARLY VOTING BY PERSONAL APPEARANCE WILL BE CONDUCTED

APPLICATION FOR BALLOT BY MAIL SHALL BE MAILED TO: (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran adelantada por coreo deheran enviarse u:)

EAY VARGAS, COUNTY CLERK Name of Early Voting Clerk (Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion Adelantada) DRAWER U Address (Dirreccion) CLARENDON, TEXAS 79226 City (Cuidad) Zip Code (Zona Postal)

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran adelantada por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el: noviembre 27, 2001.

ISSUED THIS THE 26TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2001. Emitada esse dia 26th de noviembre, 2001.

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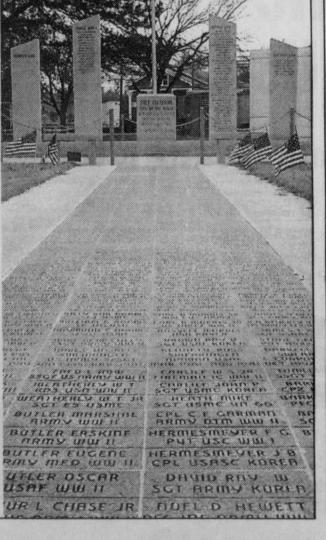
If you would like to give a veteran a special gift that would keep on giving as a reminder and thanks for service to this great country, give him a brick with his name, branch of military, time of service, and unit served with.

These bricks can be placed at the Donley County Veterans Memorial on the historical courthouse square for \$50 per brick.

Forms are available at Wallace Monument located at 213 E. 2nd St. in Clarendon or you can call 806-874-3181.

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Bulldogs defeat Lubbock Christian squad, 113-85

Monday, November 19, and soundly 108-102. defeated them, 113-85. The Bulldogs have continuously gone over the cen- coach Tony Starnes. "We had six tury mark in their victories.

They had faced Lubbock Christian before with similar results. Their dogs) style of play puts them at risk quick defense and dominating offense for getting into foul trouble. have given them great success so far focus on the job at hand.

Lee Robinson 16, Richard Gilliam proud of their effort." 15, Ali Koroma 15, Jonathan Smith 13, and Mike Wallace 12.

The Bulldogs were also busy and very athletic over the Thanksgiving holiday as they participated in the Grayson County Classic.

The Bulldogs went up against thage, Texas, in the first round. Cooks 12, and Packer 11. Despite leading by 18 points at half that much at the end of the game with the final score, 119-101.

Lonnie Cooks 21, Koroma 16, Jamaal Shell 14, Chris Packer 12, Raymond sium. Shaw 11, and Wallace 10.

On Saturday, the Bulldogs played The Clarendon College Bull- Grayson, and again, despite a 6-point dogs faced Lubbock Christian JV on lead at the break, the Bulldogs lost,

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"It was a rough game," said head kids foul out."

Starnes admitted that their (Bull-

"Our style is such that we can this year, and they are continuing to wind up in foul trouble. But I was proud of our effort. The kids rep-Scoring for the Bulldogs were: resented themselves well, and we're

> According to Starnes, Panola and Grayson are both very good teams

> "We just didn't shut the door on them when we had them down,'

Scoring for the Bulldogs were: Panola Junior College out of Car- Shell 21, Wallace 19, Robinson 19,

The Bulldogs will head to Lamar, time, the Bulldogs were defeated by Colo., November 30-December 1 for the Lamar Junior College Classic. They will host Western Oklahoma Scoring for the Bulldogs were: Junior College on December 3 beginning at 7:30 p.m. at the CC gymna-

Good luck, Bulldogs!



Check this out

Clarendon & Hedley School

Clarendon Family and Consumer Sciences classes have been studying a unit on checkbooks. Herring National Bank provided the kits which taught various skills. Pictured is Jana Koontz of Herring National Bank and student Brittany Hall. The students concluded their lesson with a field trip to the bank.

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Lady Owls win against Channing

The Lady Owls traveled to Amarillo on Tuesday, November 20, to face the Lady Eagles of Channing at Trinity Fellowship.

The Lady Owls were able to overcome the weaker Lady Eagles team, the Eagles being in a rebuilding year. Hedley was on top at the half, 55-18. The final score ended with the Lady Owls on top, 102-29.

Scoring were Kasi Woodard, 18; Haley Bennett, 14; Amber Solis, 13; Sarah Bolin, 12; Rebekah Howard, 10; Evange Ramirez, 10; Lora Llewellyn, 9; Lauren Hill, 9; and Brittney Ben-

The Lady Owls continue play this week at the Miami Tournament.

Owls beat Channing, head to tournament

The Hedley Owls faced Channing on Tuesday, November 20, in Amarillo at Trinity Fellowship.

The Owls were outsized by the Eagles and fell behind in the first quarter by three points. By the second quarter, the Owls pulled ahead to lead the game 26-19 at the half. In the second half, the Owls pulled away and finished the game 58-38.

Scoring were Aaron Bugg, 21; Josh Collins, 19; Shane Mangelsdorf, 7; David Evans, 5; Bradley Conatser, 5; and Eric Alston, 1.

The Owls continue play in the Miami Tournament this week.

HJH plays Samnorwood

On November 19, the Hedley Junior High Owls and Lady Owls traveled to Samnorwood for two

The Lady Owls held a seven point lead in the first quarter against the Lady Eagles and by halftime had the lead, 28-15. They kept the lead throughout the game. The final score

Scoring were Megan Hall, 27: Julie Funderburg, 10; Carmen Garcia, 7; Katie Gregory, 6; Charlie Watts, 2; and Ashleah Martin, 2.

In the boys' game, the Owls were behind by three at the end of the first quarter and continued to trail the Eagles throughout the game. The Owls fell to Samnorwood, 46-31.

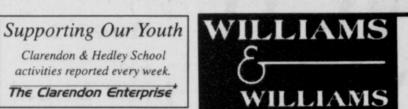
Scoring were Wes Shields, 15; Seth Koetting, 4; Brayden Bennett, 4; Will Verstuyft, 2: Dustin Thomas, 2: Travis Hrbacek, 2; and Andy Alston,

PTA to hold fundraiser

The Clarendon PTA will be serving lunch during the Donley County Old Fashioned Christmas to be held Saturday.

The PTA will serve your choice of barbecue sandwich with chips or chili and crackers, drink, and homemade dessert for \$4.50 per serving at the Downtown Ministries Center

from 10:00-4:00. Everyone is invited to come out and support the local PTA.



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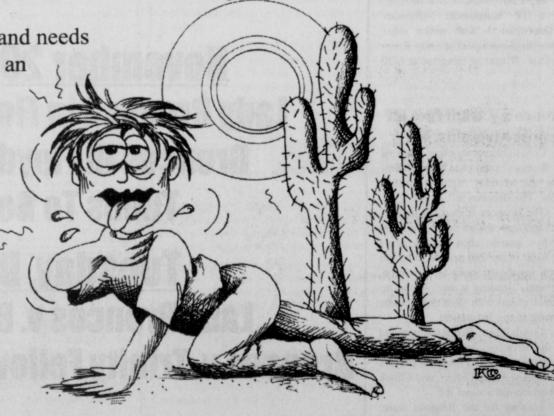
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Lady Broncs have perfect record with 69-56 win over RR By Sandy Anderberg

They may not be unbeatable, but as of now the Lady Broncos are perfect with a record of 3-0. They defeated 3A River Road last Tuesday night, 69-56

As the Lady Broncos are still in their pre-District season, they are playing with the intensity that fans have grown to expect from the Lady Broncos. They continue to take charge of their game and their opponents as they prepare for their upcoming District season, which will begin in two weeks.

The Lady Broncos, behind a super scoring offense, handled everything the Lady Cats threw at them. Sound ball handling; shooting, rebounding, and a strong defense were the Lady Broncos' weapons the entire game.

Senior Kelley Lemley was the Lady Broncos' high scorer with 30 points. Kylen Karr had 8 assists, and Janey Aduddell grabbed 9 rebounds.

"I thought the girls put together a solid performance at River Road," said head coach Mary Karr. "I continue to be pleased with our team

Others scoring for the Lady Broncos were: May Butler 9, April Bryley 8, Karr 5, Lacey Anderberg 2, Paige Drackley 2, and Claire Rodriguez 1.

The ladies will travel to Floydada Thursday, Friday, and Saturday for the Floydada Classis VI. They will face Crosbyton on Thursday with the tip-off at 4:00 in the afternoon. December 4 they will go to Borger to face the Lady Bulldogs.

Good luck, ladies!

Lady Bronco JV nearly topples River Road

Battling against a 4A team, the Lady Bronco JV basketball team lost by a slim margin of 40-43.

A hot third quarter catapulted the Lady Broncos to the lead by 14 points at the end of the third period, but the momentum quickly changed as the Lady Broncos went cold the fourth quarter.

Things were even throughout the first half as the Lady Broncos played excellent defense against the Lady Cats and led at half time by three points. They totally dominated the third quarter, but fell quickly to River

Scoring for the Lady Broncos were: Angel Williams 11, Jessie Anderberg 9, Crystal Lawler 6, Christine Holden 5, Brandi Martindale 5, April Ballard 2, Sarah Ray 1, and Equilla Weatherton 1.

The Lady Broncos will be hosting a JV tournament November 29-December 1 with seven other teams participating. The Lady Broncos face off against Silverton at 6:30

Bronco JV team face off against Memphis, RR

Cold field goal shooting hindered the Broncos' attempt to defeat Memphis last Monday night at Bronco Gym. The Broncos fell, 61-47.

The Broncos started out playing well and stayed with the Cyclones in the first quarter. But the Cyclone's hot hand in the 2nd proved to be too much for the Broncos to overcome. Memphis' leading scorer wound up with 26 points with 10 of those points coming in the 3rd quarter.

Coach Danny Brittain was proud of the Broncos' ball movement on the court and added that post players Alex Polly, Adam Leeper, and Chuck Robertson did a super job.

Scoring for the Broncos were: Justin Johnson 14, Drew Sell 10, Alex Polly 8. Richard Anderson 7, Adam Leeper 6, and Chuck Robertson 2.

The Broncos then took their game on the road going up against River Road. The Broncos lost by 10 points, 40-30.

Their free throw shooting percentage improved as they shot 66 percent from the charity stripe. The Broncos trailed the Wildcats by only 5 points at half time, and that difference went to 10 by the end of the

Scoring for the Broncos were: Dusty Martindale 10, Sell 6, Anderson 4. Johnson 4. Polly 2, Jeremy Howard 2. and Robertson 2.

The Bronco JV will host an eight-team tournament December 1 at Bronco Gym.

Broncos lose 2 games to Memphis, River Road

Gym and were defeated, 79-75.

The early momentum belonged to the Cyclones as they outscored the that's our goal each night." Broncos by 12 points in the first half. matched them point for point in the Micah Sparks 2. 3rd quarter. They finished hard, play-Cyclones by 10 points.

the Broncos were disappointed about was 56-54. the loss but encouraged by their

sad about the loss and happy about points at the break. But a lack of con-The Broncos faced off against the comeback," Callaway said. "I was sistency in the 2nd half contributed to Memphis last Monday at Bronco very pleased with the effort (espe- the Broncos' loss. cially in the 2nd half) and thought we got better as a basketball team... and said coach Wade Callaway. "The

Scoring for the Broncos were: lack of consistency hurt us." But the Broncos wouldn't succumb Cody Watson 17, Todd Hoeltzel 16, without a fight. They fought back in Jeremy Ray 14, James Williams 14, the Floydada Tournament this Thursthe second half against Memphis and Jarad Lax 8, Cameron Word 6, and day, Friday, and Saturday. They will

Tuesday before the Thanksgiving at 11:30 a.m. ing good defense and outscoring the break the Broncos went up against Head coach Wade Callaway and another close one, as the final score with our goal of looking toward Dis-

The Broncos jumped out in the "Anytime you play a game like ball and continued their run through zel 11, Ray 8, Watson 5, Lax 2, and

"It was a disappointing loss," guys did a lot of good things, but our

The Broncos will participate in face off against Smyer on Thursday

"We're just going to stay posithe River Road Wildcats. They lost tive," Callaway said. "We're staying

Scoring for the Broncos were: first quarter, dominated the basket- Williams 13, Judge Smith 12, Hoelt-

Enterprise Deadlines

Articles & Photos: Monday, noon Ads: Monday, 5:00 p.m.

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that, there is a fine line between being the first half. The Broncos led by 4 Sparks 2. BRONCO BASKETBALL Bronco Roster Lady Bronco Roster Jeremy Ray Kylen Karr Cody Watson Claire Rodriguez Jarad Lax Lacey Eads Micah Sparks Kelley Lemley Sr. Landon Shields April Bryley Antonio Wilson Janey Aduddell James Williams Lacey Anderberg Todd Hoeltzel 32 Destiny Weatherton May Butler Judge Smith Head Coach: Wade Callaway 42 Brandi Betts Head Coach: Mary Karr Asst. Coach: Kathy Barton Managers: Lydia Hartman, Vanna Holton, Brandie Lockhart, and Laura Dziedzie November 29 - December 1 **Lady Broncos in Floydada Tournament**

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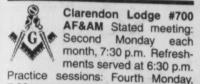
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Regular meeting each Tuesday at noon. Jerry Woodard, Boss Lion Monty Hysinger, Secretary Clarendon Girl Scouts Unit leaders meeting: First Tues-

Clarendon Lions Club

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THANK YOU

The family of Danny Ray Cearley wishes to express our deepest gratitude and thanks for all the wonderful expressions of Sympathy and love shown to us in our time of sorrow.

Special thanks go to James Shadle and Charles Clinton for the wonderful music. Also Harold Elliott for the message. Danny was greatly loved, and he'll always be missed and remembered by

his friends and family.

With our love and thanks, His wife, Vickie Rene Cearley His children, Greg, Stephanie, Brayden, and Jackson Doug, Krysti, Palge, Aubrey, and Hunter

Kimberly Cearley Pauline Jones & John Cearley *******

We would like to thank Christy Cruse for all her help with the haunted house at the Fall Festival held at the school recently. We appreciate your help.

Cherie Floyd and **Bronco Parents**

I would like to try to express my gratitude to the many people that have helped my family and I during this time of need due to my health.

First of all, I wouldn't be here today if it were not for the Clarendon EMS. Their quick response and professionalism saved my life. Few people survive the type of heart attack that hit me. My family and I will be forever in debt to those capable and wonderful people. There are no words to describe how cards meant to us during this difficult time. So many people have lifted us up

in the time of weakness and need. We have always considered ourselves to be so blessed to live in such a wonderful community surrounded by many of the best people on earth. And after what has just happened it only solidifies those feelings Thank you and God bless.

Joe W. Lemley

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Sealed proposals for the Renovation

the Burton Memorial Library, 217 Kearney Street, Clarendon, Texas, for p.m., local time, December 11, 2001. then publicly opened and read aloud. Bids should be hand delivered to gorillas, and hybrids of these animals. Clarendon City Hall, 119 S. Sulley Clarendon, Texas 79226.

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eral renovation of the existing library. The project will include general construction, mechanical, and electrical

The Drawings and Bidding Requirements (Contract Documents) may be obtained from White Associates by qualified General Contractors on deposit of \$25.00 per set. All checks for the Contract Documents shall be made payable to White Associates. All Contract Documents shall be returned to the Architect. Deposits shall be refunded in full if the Contract Documents are returned in good condition to White Associates within ten (10) days after the bid open-

A cashier's check, or acceptable bidder's bond, payable to the City of Clarendon, Texas, in the amount of 5% of the largest possible total for the bid submitted must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that, if awarded a Contract, the Bidder will promptly enter into a Contract and execute such bonds as may be required.

The General Contractor shall execute Performance and Payment Bonds in the amount of 100% of the Contract

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or irregularities or reject any or all bids

By submitting a bid, the bidder agrees to waive any claim against the City of Clarendon, Texas, or White Associates made in connection with the administration, evaluation, or recommendation of any bid.

All proposals shall remain in effect for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of receipt unless sooner returned.

STATE OF TEXAS **COUNTY OF DONLEY** ORDER PROHIBITING THE KEEPING OF WILD ANIMALS

WHEREAS, this Order is adopted in accordance with Local Government Code, Section 240.002, as amended; WHEREAS, this Order applies in the unincorporated areas of the county; WHEREAS, the Court finds that certain non-domestic animals pose a danger both to the residents and to the domestic animals in Donley County;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by the Commissioners Court of Donley County that the City of Clarendon, Texas, will be the keeping of the following animals received by the City Council until 4:00 is prohibited in Donley County: lions, tigers, ocelots, cougars, leopards, cheetah, jaguars, bobcats, lynx, servals, Proposals shall be addressed to the carcals, hyenas, bears, coyotes, jack-Owner, The City of Clarendon, Texas. als, baboons, chimpanzees, orangutans, A person who harbors or keeps in Street, Clarendon, Texas, or mailed Donley County an animal prohibited to City of Clarendon, PO Box 1080, by this Order commits an offense. An offense is a Class C misdemeanor. The The scope of the project includes gen- County Attorney or another attorney

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representing the County may file an action to enjoin a violation or a threatened violation of this Order. The possible exception of person or persons

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ADOPTED this 12th day of November, 2001, by a vote of 4 ayes and 0 nays. Jack Hall, County Judge Attest: Fay Vargas, County Clerk establishing a business.

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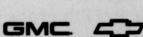
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ceilings, some hardwood floors. Once a quality house, but needs extensive update and repair. On 41/2 choice lots at 602 S. Bugbee for \$49,000. RECENTLY TOTALLY REMODELED - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen, dining. living, utility, central heat & air, metal siding, 1 car garage, 1 car port, cellar, fenced

back yard, storage building, @ 610 W. 3rd for \$57,500. REDUCED TO \$49,500. CLARENDON HOUSE & 9.3 ACRES - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, living, kitchen attached 2 car garage, concrete cellar, well with sub. pump, various out buildings & storage bins - joins city on South for \$55,000. REDUCED TO \$48,500.

CLARENDON APARTMENT HOUSE - (Good income investment) Nice 2-story brick with one 1-bedroom unit, one 2-bedroom unit, and three efficiency units plus one storage unit and carport on three lots downtown at 314 S. Jefferson

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CLARENDON-FARM - 271 ACRES 9 MILES S/E of Clarendon - 173.8 acres in CRP at \$33.00 with 6 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.

GOODNIGHT - Joins town on North and access by paved F/M road - 103 acres and a nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath house with central heat & air, wood burner fireplace. new metal roof, fenced backyard with deck and above ground pool, well with sub. pump, 2 yard buildings all for \$150,000. REDUCED TO \$120,000. LELIA LAKE - HOUSE AND 21/2 ACRES - 1,681 sq. ft., stucco, 3 bedroom

1/2 bath, living, dining, garden room, unattached garage, like-new metal roof, well with submersible pump, acreage is fenced, reasonably priced at \$35,000. LELIA LAKE - ALL GRASS - 160 ACRES South of Lelia Lake - surrounder by ranch land on 3 sides, good for hunting deer, turkey, quail, and dove. Financing

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CLARENDON - FARM - 271 ACRES 9 MILES S/E OF CLARENDON 173.8 acres in CRP at \$33.00 with six more years remaining (\$5,735.00 annual payment), one 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. Not many

LELIA LAKE - HOUSE AND 21/2 ACRES - 1,681 sq. ft stucco, 3 bedroom, 11/2 3/4 bath, living, dining, garden room, unattached garage, like-new metal roof, well

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- 149 ac. all grass, dry creek with big trees. \$48,500 · 1009 W. 8th St. Nice and clean, two bedroom, one bath home with fireplace, covered patio, two car carport, one car garage, storage building. \$27,500.
- DONLEY COUNTY 480 acres, beautiful lake, alfalfa, rye, one mile live water. GREENBELT LAKE 182 Angel St., 3 bedroom, 2 baths, extra clean, 4 storage bldgs, nice landscaping, 2 lots, RV pad with hookups, partially furnished.
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Sheriff's Report:

Several calls keep officers busy

3:07 p.m. - Sheriff out at college dorms.

10:17 p.m. - Responding to report of gunshots in 1000 block of E. 3rd. 5:03 p.m. - Out at residence in 1300

Nov. 20

10:21 a.m. - Out at residence on W.

10:33 a.m. - Out at residence in 100 block of W 6th St. 11:05 a.m. - En route to jail with one

male in custody. 5:47 p.m. - En route to jail with two Nov. 24 males in custody.

11:57 p.m. - In the area of the 400 block of White St. Loud music reported.

Nov. 21

7:32 a.m. - Out taking report of theft on E. US 287

8:04 a.m. - Dispatched to report of possible criminal mischief on E. US 287

11:24 a.m. - Welfare concern in 300 block of Montgomery.

at S. Taylor St.

at 3rd St. and Faker. 4:01 p.m. - Securing storage build- 10:24 p.m. - Deputy taking report

11:31 p.m. - Deputy reporting unauthorized emergency cones placed in 300 block of S. Kearney.

Nov. 23 3:00 p.m. - Sheriff to residence in

100 block of S. McClelland. No response on 911 call.

4:15 p.m. - En route to residence on S. SH 70.

block of W. 5th St. 5:39 p.m. - Deputy transporting inmate to Donley County Jail.

7:14 p.m. - Responding to domestic assault in 800 block of S. Koogle. 7:19 p.m. - En route to jail with one male in custody.

4:57 p.m. - Out at Johns St. reported possible unauthorized persons in residence of unoccupied home.

8:26 p.m. - Deputy advises he's out with vehicle two miles E. US 287. Emergency message written in the back window.

9:39 p.m. - In pursuit of vehicle-driver failed to stop for traffic signal.

3:52 a.m. - Deputy checking on possible criminal mischief. 4:07 a.m. - Out at residence in 300

block of N. Davis. 8:06 a.m. - Gas drive off on US 287 5:21 a.m. - Deputy responding to

EMS call. 11:10 a.m. - Responding to accident 1:04 p.m. - Assisting stranded motor-

ist at Lelia Lake. from earlier incident.

> Summary Arrests - 6 Ambulance - 7 Fire - 2

The 8th grade Colts went head to

Both Colt teams will be in action

7th and 8th grade Colts win one, lose one

The 7th grade Colts started their season with a huge win over Highland head with the 8th grade Hornets and Park last Monday night in Bronco fell short 22-63. The Hornets got the Gym. The final score was 53-20.

early run on the Colts and dominated Scoring were Steven Ballard 16, the entire game. Brad Sell10, Ladez Captain 9, Andrew Thomas 6, Ben Smith 4, Jeremy Jef- December 3 against the West Texas fers 4, Tyler Drackley 2, and Jon Comanches in Stinnett with the 7th

grade beginning at 5 p.m.

The 8th grade Lady Colts con- Chrystal Smith 4, Kaitlyn Howard 2, tinued their winning record against and Holly Cornell 2. Highland Park last Monday night in Amarillo.

Scoring for the Lady Colts were: 6. Lauren Floyd 4, Caitlan Hall 4, grade game to follow.

7th and 8th grade Lady Colts face off against HP

The 7th grade Lady Colts followed in the 8th grade's footsteps, and The final score was a whopping the outcome was the same. Clarendon defeated Highland Park 28-16.

The Lady Colts will host West Haley Shelton 10, Claudia Thomas Texas December 3 beginning with the 9. Anndria Kidd 6, Kim Tolbert 7th grade game at 5 p.m. with the 8th

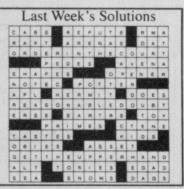
Bronco freshmen fight hard against HP team

Despite a few problems with execution, the Bronco freshman team gave Highland Park a good game last Monday night in Bronco Gym. The final score was 44-31 with the Hornets getting the win.

The game began fairly even with the Broncos only trailing by one point at the break. A slow third quarter added to the Bronco demise as their opponent outscored them by nine points. According to Coach Danny Brittain, the Broncos did a great job in their opening game.

Robert Shelton was the leading scorer for the Broncos 12 and Matt McCabe added 10. Other Broncos scoring were: Tim Leeper, Grady Swearingen, and Tim Sears all with three points each.

West Texas December 3 at Stinnett beginning at 7:30 p.m.



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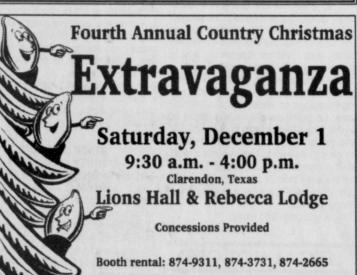
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24. Ticket or check 25. A shag rug made in 27. Florida city 32. Severo __, U.S. bio

36. People descended

40. Ray Charles song 43. Lubes 44. State of Cambodia 45. Tree fiber

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necticut 53. Eras 58. Verdict, of sorts 63. Helicopter 64. Small ornamental ladies' bag

65. The 1st letter of the Hebrew alphabet 66. Oxalis 67. Fellow

68. An arm or outlet of a 69. Showing sound judg-

70. Totals

1. Laugh lines (slang)

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4. White (French) 5. Disbelief 6. Truant

7. Cloths 8. Process 9. Yellowish melon

10. Astringent 11. Cold wind

12. Geese genus 13. Lease

21. Chemical solution 22. Cabal

26. Type of text

52. Author, 54. Russian lake 55. Quoted 56. Hunting dog

30. Hebrew calendar

32. Native American

33. Blue flowered plant

34. The large room of a

35. Southern Japan city

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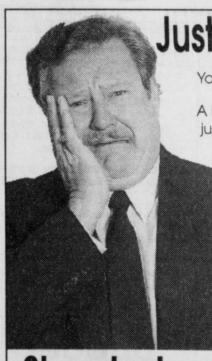
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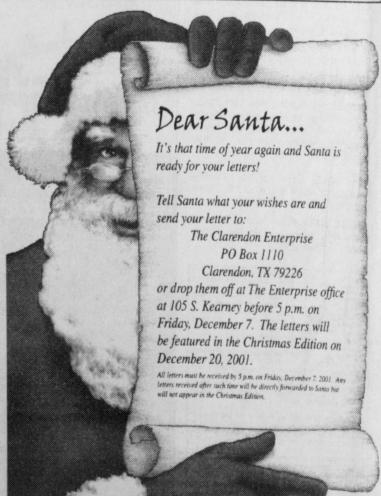
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